

Editorial Brevities.

War is the main issue to-day in the political as in individual life, and it is the duty of every Canadian citizen to support the national effort to the limit. The least that a Canadian citizen can do at this time is to render patriotic support to Canada's patriotic activities.

While war lasts, waging war must be the first thought of every Canadian. It is far more important to win a victory in France than to win an election in Canada. Unless the leader keeps that thought in mind, the Canadian election may make a victory in France impossible.

Out in Regina, Liberals and Conservatives are selecting delegates to a joint nominating convention to choose a candidate for Ottawa. This is a practical step in the direction of union, and one that might very well be followed in every Canadian constituency. After we have won the war there will be plenty of time to dispute over political differences. Just now the war is the one problem of our national life. The way for union and national government is wide open.

Those who declare that the new Franchise Act has struck a blow at unity and kindled the fires of party strife, should remember that it followed a much heavier blow at unity—Liberal refusal to join in the formation of a national government. If union had been agreed on—and it should have been agreed on—General Currie, commanding our troops in France, would not have been forced to say to the people of Canada, "If my men can sink all their differences here and unite in one common cause, cannot you people in Canada sink your differences and have no other creed but to win the war?" It is not yet too late. An election is coming in Canada and Win-the-War should be the creed of every Canadian elector. It cannot be if the fight is on party lines.

A Memorial Suggested.

In a former issue we suggested that the time had arrived when the people of Wolfville should be considering how they might honor the memory of the brave boys who have gone out to fight for us in the great world-war now in progress and who will return no more. We had hoped to have contribution from some of our readers on the subject, but thus far none have been received. We have no doubt, however, but that our people are considering the matter, and that eventually Wolfville will do the right thing. One suggestion is that the memorial should take the form of a public library or hospital, of such a character as will be of credit to the town and worthily perpetuate the memory of our brave boys. In some prominent place the names of those who have fallen or may yet make the supreme sacrifice should be engraved. The institution should be endowed with a sufficient amount to ensure its perpetual continuance and support. This would mean a heavy expense, some will say, but the cause is worthy. Our brave boys have given their all, and the best that we can do would be a small recognition of their sacrifice. If it were in our power we should esteem it an honor to bear the whole expense of such a work, but unfortunately it is not. Our town, however, is well able to carry out such a work as we have suggested, and as a matter of fact, expense should not be considered in such an undertaking. Let us hear from our readers, either in support of the above or some wrothier proposition.

Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)

Miss Borden, of Kingsport, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hales.

Miss Ida Wagner, of the telephone exchange, has been enjoying a well-earned vacation.

Rev. L. F. Wallace was in town over Wednesday night, visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barteaux.

Mrs. R. M. Hamish, of Annapolis Royal, was a visitor in town recently, the guest of Mrs. R. W. Barteaux.

Mr. Ralph L. Fuller, of the Militia department, Ottawa, is spending a short vacation in Wolfville and vicinity.

Policeman Crowell is enjoying a week's vacation. During his absence his duties are being performed by Mr. Haverstock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bundy and little daughter, of Cowley, Alberta, are visiting Mrs. Bundy's father, Mr. Edson Graham, Acadia street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brookfield, of Halifax, who have been spending some weeks in town, returned to the city on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. C. S. Hamilton and family, who have been spending some months at their summer home here, returned to New Haven, Conn., last week.

Mrs. Robert Rand, who has been spending the summer in Wolfville left on Wednesday for Middleboro, Mass., where she will visit her daughter, Miss Edith Rand.

The many friends of Rev. E. E. England are glad to see him in town this week. During the past year Rev. Mr. England has made his home in Montreal, with his son. He has not been enjoying good health but is now, we are glad to know, much improved.

Our Brave Boys Return.

Three Wolfville boys who have been serving King and Country overseas returned home on Tuesday evening of this week, and three homes were made glad by their home coming.

Capt. Hugh Crawley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sidney Crawley, went overseas with the Highland Brigade as Lieut., distinguished himself on the field and received the promotion to Captain. He was the last officer of his company left to lead his men in the drive in which he was severely wounded in the head. He has since been in a hospital in London, and is now spending a short leave of absence at his home here.

Lieut. Douglas Borden also went over with the Highland Brigade and to the front with the 85th Batt. He enlisted as a private and was promoted to Sergt. Later he was among the number recommended from the ranks to qualify for commission. He went overseas as Lieut. and received his wound in the shoulder at Lacolle, when his company was sent up to hold the line. He is a son of the late Clarence H. Borden.

Corpl. J. R. Black is a son of the late W. Marshall Black. He returned to spend a short leave at his home. He went overseas with the Mechanical Transport and has been seriously ill in hospital for some months. During his absence the death of his father occurred very suddenly. He will later return to England.

When it became known that three young heroes were to return on Tuesday evening, having arrived in Halifax a day or two before, extensive preparations were made to give them a suitable reception. Flags were displayed all over town and before the arrival of the train an immense crowd assembled at the station. The 246th Band from Aldershot rendered a program of music, the Give Service Girls marched with flaming torches, the Boy Scouts and school children assembled.

On the arrival of the train the returned soldiers were placed in a gayly decorated automobile and Mayor Hales called upon Rev. Mr. Harkness, pastor of the Baptist church, who gave a fitting address, to which Capt. Crawley, on behalf of his comrades and himself, replied briefly, thanking the townspeople for the welcome accorded them.

After hearty cheers had been given the procession formed, headed by the band, and escorted the boys to their homes.

May there be many more such happy home comings, which all citizens will be glad to celebrate.

The Need of Men.

The only challenge to the Military Service Bill deserving of serious consideration is that which disputes the selective draft. Some figures given in Parliament by the Minister of Militia furnished conclusive proof that the need of men is a very real one in Canada. In the struggle for liberty, on May 14 last there were 46,666 infantrymen in reserve in England, of whom many were ill at the time, and 10,000 in Canada. Since then Canada's casualties have been greater than the enlistment. During June, July and August recruiting totalled 13,793, while casualties of all kinds numbered 18,068. No official figures have been given classifying the results according to combatant or non-combatant branches, but it is pretty well known that practically one-half of those now enlisting are joining the non-combatant branches of the service. Bearing this in mind, there can be no disputing the fact that Canada's fighting reserves are being rapidly exhausted. Military men say that by the first of the year there will be few men to fill up the gaps and support those who are fighting nobly. The man who squarely faces the issue of Canada's war duty can reach no other conclusion than that there must be a united Canadian effort to support the men overseas.

Appointments to Local Tribunals.

Under the Military Service Act, 1917, His Honor Judge Barclay Web, ster, has appointed the following to serve as one member of the local tribunals for the hearing of exemptions under the above Act:

KINGS COUNTY.
Wolfville—George E. DeWitt, M. D., Kentville—H. G. Harris, Publisher, Canning—J. A. Col. Jos. R. Northup, Aylesford—H. D. Woodbury, Merchant of Kingston.

HANTS COUNTY.
Windsor—George Wilson, Up. Kennetcook—Wm. C. Campbell, Walton—Harry Drysdale, Shubenacadie—John A. Logan.

COLCHESTER COUNTY.
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Death of W. S. Sanders.

The death occurred Tuesday night of W. S. Sanders, who has been a life long worker for temperance in Halifax and throughout the Province. A week or two ago Mr. Sanders met with an accident by which one eye was so injured that an operation was necessary. Following the accident result and operation, his condition grew weaker until he passed away Tuesday night. Mr. Sanders was born in Halifax 73 years ago. He early became identified with the order of the Sons of Temperance and for many years was grand scribe and editor of the organ of the order, "Forward." Of recent years he has been organizer of the Sons of Temperance, forming divisions and carrying on an active propaganda. His wife survives and also three children—two sons in Philadelphia, and one daughter in Halifax. The brothers are Henry and Charles G., builders of this city. He was a man of sterling integrity and firm convictions which he was always able to advocate with ability.



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Mrs. Bessie Trenholm, widow of the late Arthur Trenholm, of Wolfville, is home from the United States after many years absence.

Mrs. Trenholm is a daughter of the late Edward Trenholm and she is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Harry Trenholm, Wilbrook; Mrs. Borton Jordan, Kentville, and her brother, Mr. George Trenholm, at the home, Grand Fre. Mrs. Trenholm is meeting and renewing acquaintance with many of her former friends.

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There can be no doubt but what the articles which have been printed in this space for the past six months have been of great benefit to the community.

They have shown us the folly of sending our money to other cities that they might profit by our loss.

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We can go on for years reaping the benefits of these teachings if each one of us will individually accept it as a duty to spend our money with our friends and neighbors - the home merchants.

The doctor, the lawyer, the farmer, the merchant, the wage earner - can each do his part, WILL YOU?

LET'S KEEP THE BALL ROLLING!

Let's help to make Wolfville the best, the most prosperous and the liveliest town in this province.

Let's remember, always, the slogan "Wolfville can serve you best."

Be liberal, be loyal and be true to your home town.

Don't forget the duty you owe to your home merchants.

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The local merchant, CAN SERVE YOU BEST.



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