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Leith Russel Killed.

An official wire stating that Private Leith Russell of the Trench Mortar Battery of the 10th Infantry Brigade had been killed in action on February 13th, was received by his father, Reve Robt. Russell, here, on Wednesday morning last, and caused much surprise and wide-spread sorrow in town, as it was known that Reve Russell had only on Friday last received a message from the militia stating that Leith had been wounded on Feb. 12th. The supposition is that, though wounded, he remained in the fight, and was killed in action the following day. Leith was the youngest and the last of Mr. Russell's four sons to enlist in the great war, he signing up with the 71st Battalion in October 1915 and crossing overseas with this force in March last. After reaching England he was drafted into the Trench Mortar Battery of the 10th Infantry Brigade with which he went in June to the front where he continued in the fight until some months ago, when he was wounded and put out of action for a time. On recovering, however, he went gamely back to the scrap and was pluckily doing "his bit," when he met death on the Western front. Although the last to enlist, Leith was the first of the four brothers to fall, he being only a few months over nineteen years when he made the supreme sacrifice. He died at 11 and Times.

What of Seed Potatoes?

Potato dealers state that their is much less inquiry so far, than usual for seed potatoes, in spite of the present high prices. "As a result of them." Just where Ontario's seed potatoes will come from is something of a problem so far as we can see at the present time. It is certain, at any rate, that they will not be cheap. From \$4.50 to \$5 per bag is suggested as the price that will have to be paid, and if a man is to put in ten bags it means he salts down a little lump of gold. If a good crop were assured, and a good market, it would all pay to do this, but if the crop is a complete failure, as it was last year, or if there is an abundant crop to pull prices down, the planter will stand to lose, either coming or going. For the present, buyers seem to be standing off until they can size up the situation better.

Fashion letter this week says that skirts are going to be worn longer. In fact, some of the longer ones will reach to the knees.

Every Canadian who can till a bit of land this year should make his arrangements without delay. In doing so he will be helping to win the war, assisting humanity, increasing his own resources and supplementing the national wealth.

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The story is told of a certain lumberman's wife in a neighbouring town, who

upon looking through her husband's correspondence, found in the waste paper basket, a fragment of a letter from a party whose daughter writes his correspondence, and who wanted some shingles. Noticing the lady's hand writing, of course curiosity was aroused at once, when, "Horrors" the letter read "Dear Mr.—Next time you come this way be sure to call and see me. I want about 25000 XXX." The innocent husband upon returning home that evening was met at the door by a frowning wife, who loudly demanded an explanation of his conduct and the name of this woman who wanted so many kisses.



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