LT.-COL. E. S. WIGLE PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO OLD EIGHTEENTH

Finest Body of Officers and Men.

WILL FIGHT TO FINISH

Those Few Who Are Left Are Full of Determination.

To the Editor of The London Advertiser:

Your editorial in the edition of October 26 has been read by many officers and men of the 18th Battalion, and it is very gratifying to us all to know that the battalion has not been forgotten by the citizens of London, where we trained faithfully and efficiently for six months. The many acts of kindness shown to us while in London were a great inspiration to us to do our duty well, and, judging from the achievements of the battalion in action in France and Flanders, Military District No. 1 will never have cause to regret that the 18th Battalion was mobilized in Western Ontario.

The incident to which you refer, while crossing the Channel on our way to the front, was the first real test of the steadiness of the men. There was not a man who became excited, and everyone was steady as veterans under the trying conditions. It has never been my privilege either in military or civil life to be associated with a better class of officers and men, than those who were with me in the 18th Battalion. There are few of the original officers and men who left Canada with the battalion now, but I am informed by Lieut.-Col. L. E. Jones, who is now in command, and with whom I am in constant touch, that those few are determined to see the struggle to its finish.

I can assure you and the people of London that we will never forget our training days in Canada, and I want to say that a better class of officers and men, from all standpoints, never left Canada for overseas. Yours truly,

E. S. WIGLE,
Lieutenant-colonel.

Windsor, Ont., Oct. 30, 1918.

Sergeant's Scotch Must Be Connected With Russ Language

What would happen to the police court coffers if Little Russia was not present almost every day to help fill them is a problem. The Dominion police rounded up three more "Rooshians" yesterday, and Deputy Magistrate Bartlett fined them $5 each for neglecting to carry their papers.

"Now, Mikie, this is a serious offence," said P. H. Bartlett, with his best Russian accent. Mike shook his head with a smile.

"Can't you talk English, Mike?" inquired Sergt. Birrell.

"No," replied the man amid a general laugh.

"He can understand Scotch, though," said the chief, looking meaningly at Sergt. Birrell, who had a particularly fine brand of "Highland" talk on tap.

"What kind of Scotch, chief—liquid or language?" inquired one of the reporters.

"Language just now, but there's a good time coming," replied the head of the force.

"Whom do you work for Mike?" went on Sergt. Birrell.

"Me work for Gootson."

"He wurrrkks for Gotson, your worship," said the sergeant.

"You mean Gootson, don't you, sergeant?" asked the magistrate, who is not up on that brand of Scotch, anyway. The sergeant nodded.

Edward Patton, a derelict on the ocean of life, found a haven in police court this morning. Old and trembling, he had to be helped to a chair, and, ragged and unkempt, he told a pitiful story to the magistrate of his fight for existence. He was sent down to jail for 30 days, where he will at least be warm and have enough to eat. The authorities in the meantime will consider his case and something will be done for him.

Aaron Lebo, charged with obtaining a quantity of burlap and other goods valued at $91 from Isaac Horshon, 237 Horton street, was bailed for a week.

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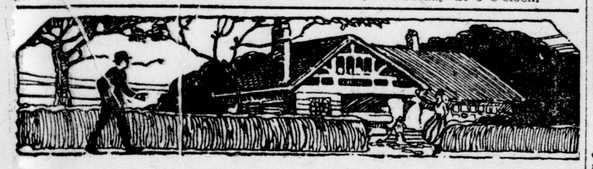

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PUBLIC GATHERINGS FORBIDDEN SOLDIERS FOR WEEK AT LEAST

Military Authorities Will Not Take Any Risks.

HOSPITALS STILL BUSY

Seven New Patients Taken in Wednesday at Victoria Hospital.

Though there is a steady decrease in the number of cases of influenza in the camp, and no new cases have been admitted for some days, Lieut.-Col. Cannon, A. D. M. S., stated today that no risks are going to be taken. "Even if the board of health is allowing churches, schools and theatres to reopen the beginning of next week," he said, "public gatherings will be closed to the men who come under military regulations for at least another week. Things are clearing up most satisfactorily here, but another week will be time enough to lift the ban for our men."

With new admissions, the number of patients remains about the same today at Victoria Hospital. Among the seven patients admitted during Wednesday, five of whom were brought in last evening, were Dr. and Mrs. MacNeill of Arva, who are quite sick with influenza. Their son, who is also suffering from the epidemic, is being attended by his sister at home. Two or three more patients were brought in during this forenoon. No new cases have developed among the nurses for several days, and with the exception of one, all are doing well.

Baby Is Victim.

A baby died this morning in St. Joseph's Hospital, little Jessie Fields of 183 Oxford street. Two or three other patients are seriously ill. In all, there are now 45 patients at St. Joseph's.

A more cheerful story comes every day from the Emergency Hospital in the Latter Day Saints' Church. The young Piper boy, whose case has been most critical, is much better this morning, and appears to be on the mend. His recovery will be due to the constant care bestowed upon him by Dr. Partridge and the V. A. D.'s.

Among the other eleven patients who still remain, three or four have been well enough to sit up for a few minutes' today.

Much appreciation was expressed of the tempting nourishment sent from the Red Cross kitchen in the Collegiate for the patients, the dainty, wholesome lunches for nurses and other attendants.

Little Ones Do Well.

"How are the little ones getting along in the nursery?" was an inquiry made by telephone this forenoon at 404 Talbot street, the original St. John Ambulance Emergency Hospital.

"Grand, just grand," came back a voice with a Scotch accent over the wire. "And they are just fine company," continued the V. A. D. "Why, you never get lonesome at all with the children around. Deed, I'd much rather have them than grown folks. An', you should just see how the twins are getting along. They're a grand pair, I can tell you, and doing fine."

The little ones will remain there until parents have recovered from influenza or arrangements can be made where the tots have been left motherless by the plague.

DR. R. B. MARTIN IS REPORTED GOING TO THE MAYO HOSPITAL

London Man May Join Famous Clinic.

Another London doctor is to be called to the great Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., if reports are true. This time the man named is Dr. R. B. Martin, son of Rev. W. M. Martin, of 268 Ridout street South London.

Dr. Martin is out of the city today, but credence is given the report, which comes from most reliable sources.

MOTHER TAKEN BY INFLUENZA A WEEK AFTER SMALL SON

The death occurred in St. Joseph's Hospital on Tuesday afternoon of Mrs. H. Rossiter from pneumonia, developed from influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Rossiter and their young son Norman were all taken ill with influenza. Norman died a little more than a week ago from pneumonia, and the same disease claimed his mother. Mr. Rossiter, who was also seriously ill, is much improved.

The funeral of Mrs. Rossiter will be held from the undertaking parlors of George E. Logan to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Friday at 3 o'clock.

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MT. BRYDGES BOY KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. H. C. Bond.

Pte. Herbert C. Bond, son of Jas. Bond of Mount Brydges, was killed in action on September 30. He went overseas with the United States Engineers, and landed in France in May. He was 28 years of age. Before enlisting, Pte. Bond was employed as a machinist in Detroit. He is survived by his father, two brothers, William of the Hamilton road, this city, and Burns of Detroit, and five sisters, Mrs. Welch of Hamilton road, this city; Mrs. Harding of Mount Brydges, and Maude, Belle and Ada at home.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DIED IN REGINA.

Word was received in London yesterday that Percy A. Chapman, a former Londoner, had died at Regina, Sask. His mother, Mrs. Laura Chapman, also a former Londoner, now resides with her daughter, Mrs. Henderson, in London Township.

DEATH OF MRS. J. B. FERGUSON.

Mrs. Janet B. Ferguson died at the family residence, Broughdale, last night. Mrs. Ferguson, who was 77 years of age, was a former resident of Mount Forest. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

FORMER LONDONER DEAD.

Mrs. Walter Cooper, formerly of London, died in Woodstock Tuesday. Mrs. Cooper, who before her marriage ten years ago, was Miss Mabel Callander, was well-known in London, and extremely popular. Besides her husband she is survived by two children. Her mother, Mrs. John Callander, resides in Montreal. The funeral will be held Friday in Clinton, where interment will take place in the family plot.

FUNERAL OF F. J. MANLEY.

The funeral of Francis Joseph Manley, eldest son of Capt. and Mrs. Alfred Manley, was held this morning from the family residence, 16 Hayman Court, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Requiem high mass was sung in St. Peter's Cathedral at 8 o'clock by Rev. Father McKeon. Rev. Father Brisson conducting the services at the residence and grave. The pall-bearers were William Harper, A. H. Smith, Edward Loughlin, Fergus Murphy, Clare Sullivan and C. Coughlin.

FUNERAL OF FERRIS WEGG.

Ferris Wegg, who died in New Liskeard from pneumonia on October 29, was buried this afternoon at 1 o'clock in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The funeral was held from the family residence. Rev. W. R. McIntosh conducted the services at the house and grave. Ferris Wegg had been spending a couple of months in New Liskeard for the benefit of his health, when he contracted pneumonia. He was 18 years of age, and was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wegg of 718 Lorne avenue, this city.

BURIED AT MOUNT PLEASANT.

The funeral of Charles Emmanuel Moore, who died on Tuesday from pneumonia, was held this afternoon from the residence of his father-in-law, Benjamin Gourlay, 840 Stedwell street, at 2:30 o'clock to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Albert Callahan, Roy McKay, R. Hislop, L. Wanaecut, A. Atchinson and Mr. Bidner. The services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage, Rev. Byron Snell and Rev. Mr. McKinley. Charles Moore was well known in this city, having worked at the postoffice for more than fifteen years. He is survived by his wife and three little children, his mother and two brothers, Frank and Ernest, of this city.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HALL.

Mrs. Ann Hall, wife of the late Charles Hall, was buried this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Mrs. Hall was in her 68th year and died in Victoria Hospital on Wednesday from pneumonia.

SEVERE RHEUMATISM PAINS DISAPPEAR

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Wash Goods, Main Floor.

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Two Years Now Instead of One

A suggestion from a subscriber brought this about. The question was asked would we take a two years' subscription for the Designer at the special rate, 59c a year. We could not, but immediately passed the suggestion on to headquarters in New York to see if same would be accepted. A reply was received this week that during this campaign double subscriptions would be accepted.

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Subscriptions will be taken now for one or two years at above rate. We have already booked about 1,000 subscribers at 59c for one year, who will now have the privilege of extending their subscription for another year at the same rate. Don't fail to take advantage of this offer, as we are advised that this rate is not likely to be repeated another year. The Designer now sells at Magazine Counter for 15c a copy, and the subscription price in future will be placed at $1.75 in Canada. Do you realize what this special offer means. One year, 59c; two years, $1.18, at Pattern Counter. If mailed, $1.25 a year.

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VOLUNTEER WORKERS PROTESTING AGAINST ALLOWING MEETINGS

Are Afraid of a Recurrence of Epidemic.

Almost unanimously, the ladies of the Emergency Volunteer Auxiliary are protesting against the action of the board of health in opening up theatres, and churches as early as the beginning of next week. These ladies, with their volunteer nurses' brigade, diet kitchen, and motor delivery corps, have been putting up a big fight towards the stamping out of the epidemic in the city, and are anxious to prevent another outbreak. Although fewer new orders for food are coming in every day, the fact remains that even yet there are many homes in the city needing their help, so many that they conclude the epidemic is by no means near its close yet.

The fact that donations are being sent to the Alexandra School in as big quantities as ever would also go to prove that there are many citizens who feel that there are yet many sick who will need food.

Donations.

The following donations were received during Wednesday afternoon and this morning: Mrs. Lewis, pound butter, 2 dozen eggs, 50 cents' worth sugar, box rolled oats; Mrs. Fitzgerald, 2 pails soup, large jar soup; 209 Talbot street, canned tomatoes, 2 quarts black currant jam; Mrs. E. C. Mitchell, $1; Mrs. Campbell, 2 quart jars canned tomatoes, quart jam, cake, 2 packages jelly; Mrs. Woolverton, jar jelly, jar marmalade, bowl custard, chicken; Mrs. Wm. Greene, pail soup; Miss Bullen, 2 dozen eggs, pear, grape, blueberry jam; Mrs. Murray, 2 jars jelly; Mrs. Wainwright, mutton broth, chicken pates; Miss Jenkins, jelly powders; Mrs. Scott, Burwell street, 5 quarts milk; Miss A., $1; Mrs. Harley Brown, $5; Mrs. (Dr.) Karn, shank beef; Misses Moore, $2; Mrs. H. W. Morton, $3; Mrs. C. H. Merryfield, 2 loaves of bread, 3 pints jelly, marmalade, rhubarb; Mrs. W. H. Winnett, 50 cents' worth sugar, pound butter, 2 packages cornstarch; Mrs. Bartram, dozen new-laid eggs, black currant jam, 4 jelly powders; Mrs. F. Harper, 2 shanks; Smallman & Ingram, 200 waxed cups; Smallman & Ingram employees, 6 dozen eggs; Mrs. McDonald, hot biscuits, home-made bread, package tapioca, pound cornmeal, pint jelly; Mrs. Ronald Harris, pair chickens; Mr. Ferguson, Tecumseh House, 2 mattresses, bedding; Mrs. T. F. Kingsmill, 50 bags tea; Mrs. Crouch, soup; Miss Birrell, 2 pounds butter; Mrs. W. D. Eckhert, quart black currants; Miss Howden, quart black currant; No. 8 Bruce street, rolled oats, package cornstarch, box oxo, quart jam; Mrs. R. K. Cowan, quart soup, drop cakes.

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