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BURNS' ANNIVERSARY

The Birthday of Scotland's Popular Poet Celebrated by the Men of Zion Church

That there are still many in and around Carleton Place who are Scotch or are of Scotch origin was evidenced last Friday evening when the men of Zion Church gave a supper and concert in honor of Robert Burns, Scotland's popular poet, indeed as one writer says, "the man who saved the Scottish language." The attendance was the full of the basement, some 600 odd being served with supper.

The programme was gotten up by the men, who decorated the hall, laid the tables and contributed the programme, some 75 in all taking part. The venture was a splendid success. Organization was the password, and the big project went through without a hitch. The tables fairly groaned with good things, whilst the service by the waiters, attired in spotless white, left nothing to be complained of. All visitors were welcomed by a reception committee and good fellowship was the order of the night.

After the supper the pastor, Rev. W. A. Dobson, took the chair and introduced the programme, which was almost entirely Scotch in flavor. The opening number was a selection by the Steele orchestra (nine instruments) which played throughout the supper, and here alone was where the gentler sex had a part, two ladies playing with the musicians. Songs were rendered by Rev. Mr. Merilees of Blakeney, Messrs. D. R. Ferguson, Gilbert Gordon, C. C. Brown, A. White and R. E. Beresford, all in good voice and mostly recalled; recitations were given by Rev. Mr. Merilees and Mr. Geo. McIlraith, and the address of the evening was given by Rev. Dr. Gray, of Toronto, whose topic was "Success in Life and how to Attain It," a very interesting, instructive and entertaining lecture, that called forth later on a resolution of thanks from the audience.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought a very successful evening to a close.

The proceeds reached almost \$250, and after expenses are paid a balance of \$200 will remain to be devoted to the building fund of the church. At the settlement meeting of the committee, held last night, a resolution was passed to make the affair an annual event.

Civil Service Exams.
The following names of local students appear in the list of those who have been successful in the recent Civil Service examinations:—Stenographers, grade B—Miss Grace W. Taber, Clerks grade C—Wm. A. Fanning, Hannah F. McIntyre, Beatrice B. Bowland; Jessie L. Houston. Typists—Mary C. Kellough, Olive A. Robertson, Christine Arthur.

Another Victim to Flu
James Hal Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Walters, passed away yesterday morning, another victim to the Spanish influenza. Hal took ill some time ago, but got over the first attack, when complications ensued, and death followed in due course. He was in his fifteenth year, and an employee of the Bates & Innes felt mill when he first took ill. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Wood Heat Values
In a discussion by the Forest Products Laboratories, Montreal, of the heat values of dry wood, it is stated that 1.00 cord of birch, 1.15 cords of tamarack, 1.20 cords of Douglas Fir, 1.50 cords of jackpine, 1.55 cords of poplar, 1.60 cords of hemlock, and 2.10 cords of cedar have equal heating value to one ton of anthracite coal, according to data given in a pamphlet on the subject of "Fuels of Western Canada," by James White, assistant to the chairman and deputy head of the Commission of Conservation.

Scarlet Chapter Officers
Carleton Place District Royal Scarlet Chapter held their annual meeting on Jan. 11th, when the following officers were elected for 1919:—
W.C. in C., Robt. Weir
Ex. C. in C., Brice McNeely
Chaplain, Wm. Hamilton
Treas., Robt. Arnour
Scribe, John S. Shaw
Lecturer, Thos. Crawford
H. at A., J. J. McNeely
1st Con., Thos. Horsney
2nd Con., J. S. Morphy
Eight members were exalted to the Scarlet Degree, after which refreshments were served.

Won The Cup
The Lanark County team were winners of the cup for 1919 in the Inter-County Live Stock Judging Contest at Ottawa Winter Fair. The team, coached by Mr. Fred Forsyth, is composed of Messrs. Wm. Strong, Bathurst; Joseph Hughes, Balderson; and Sheffield Graham, Almonte. This is the second time that a Lanark county team has won this cup. The first year it was put up by Mr. Peter White, K.C. Pembroke, this county won it, in 1917 Dundas County won it and in 1918 Glengarry. The county winning it three years is entitled to it for all time, and outlook for Lanark is bright. Even in the years that this county was not the winners the teams never went below third place in the running.

Now for the big dance—the firemen's ball next Friday evening.

The Renfrew hockey team is to play an exhibition game here to-morrow night with local seven.

Have you renewed your subscription to THE HERALD for the current year? The month of January is all but gone.

The Ottawa hockey team defeated the Canadians 1-0 in a phenomenal game at Montreal on Saturday night and are now in the lead.

The flag at the post office was flying at half mast last week out of respect to the late Prince John, youngest son of King George and Queen Mary.

Mrs. Ernest Reynolds, with the baby, and Miss Lillian, left this morning for the old country, for a visit to her home in Birmingham, Eng. Mr. Reynolds will accompany them as far as St. John, N.B.

In the last lot of soldiers to land we observe the names of Pte. J. P. Bresse, Lt. Corp. Garrard H. H. Munson and R. A. Giles of Carleton Place and Russell Hunter and Victor Trotman of Smiths Falls, well-known here.

The Merchants Bank, having leased a store in the Maguire block last week and put it in order, decided that as the Bank of Commerce got started first, it would be unwise for another bank to start, and so withdrew for the present.

Messrs. Moffatt & McGregor have obtained the contract for the new school house on the 11th Line Beckwith. The new structure is to be built of stone and brick, and up-to-date in every respect and a credit to the section. The price is in the neighborhood of \$3,000.

News has just reached Carleton Place, of the death this morning in Toronto of Miss Lolo Ormrod, formerly of Carleton Place, a young lady of about 19 years of age, a stenographer by profession. She fell a victim to the flu. The remains will be brought here for interment to-morrow morning.

About the latest informal gathering ever held in the library hall was that of Tuesday night, when Rev. Dr. Scott, of Perth, was the preacher. Last night a social was held, the music being furnished by the choir of St. Andrew's church, town, Mr. Ab. Whitecher also rendering a solo. Revs. Monds and Dobson, and Rev. Dr. Scott of Perth, each delivered addresses. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Lowry, presided.

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A revival in building is anticipated in Carleton Place the coming summer.

Miss Myrtle McFadden, of Ottawa, is spending a few days here, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Barber.

Messrs. Percy Hingsworth and Tom Desarni, of Almonte, attended the skating party here last Tuesday night.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the Council Chamber Saturday afternoon, Feb. 1st. A good attendance is requested.

Mrs. Dr. Sproul, of Apple Hill, is spending a few days in Carleton Place, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Splane.

Tom Moore, the president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, delivered a most interesting address to a mixed audience in the town hall here last Tuesday evening.

The poultry classes at Ottawa this year were the largest and strongest ever seen in the east. Indeed many judges did not hesitate to say that for once Guelph was completely outclassed.

Pte. F. J. Millikin, in writing home from Germany, tells, among other things of receiving a parcel from the Women's Institute and how welcome it was after a 230 mile march in 16 days without a bath or change of clothes.

Twenty Cars Hard Coal (all sizes) arriving this week at Taylor's. Please see us regarding your balances on order.

Messrs. Baird & Riddell, who for over 33 years have successfully conducted a dry goods business here, have retired from that branch this week, and will hereafter confine their attention to the men's furnishings and clothing store.

Mr. James D. Thompson, of Carleton Place, government wood expert, was a guest recently at Charlotte town, N.B., at a dinner given by the Rotary Club of that city, when a silk American flag from the New York Rotary Club was presented. The dinner was international in nature and quite a social event.

The anniversary services of St. Paul's church, Franktown, were observed on Sunday, when Rev. Dr. Scott, of Perth, was the preacher. Last night a social was held, the music being furnished by the choir of St. Andrew's church, town, Mr. Ab. Whitecher also rendering a solo. Revs. Monds and Dobson, and Rev. Dr. Scott of Perth, each delivered addresses. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Lowry, presided.

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Vet. Odds Have a Night

Officers of Stella Lodge also Installed by D.D.G.M. Boyd

Tuesday, January 21st becomes another historic date in the experience of the local Oddfellows. The occasion was the installation of officers by the D.D.G.M., but as an attraction to the veterans of the lodge, all members of 25 years and over, were asked to confer the initiation ceremony upon a candidate. The attendance was large, visitors being present from Almonte, Perth, Ottawa and other places, with D.D.G.M. F. J. Boyd, Dr. Scott and two others from Merriekville.

After the routine business the chairs were handed over to the veterans for the initiatory ceremony, the following taking part: A. McFadden, N.G., R. McCallum, V.G., Dr. McIntosh, Chap., N. D. McCallum, Con., W. H. Matthews, War., W. Machin, P.G., D. Smythe, I.G., J. M. Brown and H. Moutgomery, S.S., T. E. Armstrong, O.C., A. H. Edwards, W. H. Allen, H. Hickin, W. R. Williams, J. H. Davidson, Thos. Tomlinson. The work was done in excellent style, and drew forth the highest compliments from the D.D.G.M. and the other visitors present.

The installation of officers was then proceeded with, when the D.D.G.M. very courteously selected for his staff a dozen of the veteran past grands of Stella lodge, with Dr. Scott as Marshal and the beautiful ceremony was faultlessly executed, every candidate being present. The following is the list:

- J.P.G. A. P. Williamson
- N.G., J. M. Barber
- V.G., Jas. McIlquham
- R.S., N.D. McCallum
- F.S., David Smythe
- Treas., W. H. Allen
- War., Mel. Saunders
- Con., J. S. Dolan
- Chap., W. Morris
- R.S.N.G., W. Machin
- J.S.N.G., Roy Watt
- R.S.S., W. J. Jardine
- L.S.T., D. G. Thompson
- R.S.V.G., H. Thompson
- L.S.V.G., F. Griffith
- I.G., W. L. Moffatt
- O.G., H. Abdallah
- Phy., Dr. J. A. McEwen
- Trustees—W. J. Porterfield, T. E. Armstrong, J. H. McFadden.

After the installation the lodge was closed, the tables were spread, and refreshments were served, and a very pleasant social hour was spent, very complimentary speeches being made, whilst music, mirth and wit flowed freely, and yet the absent ones, the fallen heroes and their dependents were all graciously remembered.

Pte. Arthur McDiarmid at Rest

The sympathy of the entire town goes out to Mr. Wm. McDiarmid and family, who have been sorely bereaved as a result of the war. Four of their sons enlisted. Harold died of wounds, Victor was lost and is still missing, presumed to have been killed. Arthur came home 15 mos. ago after being in the hospital for some time in England, suffering from poison gas, and finally succumbed on Sunday evening. Arthur was the fifth son of Mr. and Mrs. McDiarmid, and was only 16 when he enlisted with his brother Victor in the 80th Batt., in 1915. Being a big boy for his age he passed the inspection and went overseas in the spring of 1916. After getting to France his first mishap was to be buried by a shell burst, getting out of that he remained at the front until he fell a victim to the pernicious poison gas of the enemy. From this attack he never came back, although he seemed to rally for a time after getting to his native air in Canada. He was a very modest young man and died a hero. The funeral took place this afternoon, and by request of the deceased was private. The remains were placed in St. James Vault.

Lieut. Hubert Salter Home

Lieut. Hubert Salter, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Salter, for a long time a prisoner in Germany, arrived home at Ottawa early Sunday morning. He came by way of Boston and was one of a very few Canadians on board. The boat then proceeded to Halifax where Hubert landed. Lieut. Salter is attached to the Royal Air Forces. He served for two years along the coast from Dunkirk to Holland. On Nov. 6, 1917, he was shot down by an anti-aircraft gun, fell within the German lines, and was taken prisoner. He was quite badly wounded from pieces of shrapnel and was sent to Islegem hospital in Belgium and later to Braunsberg. After convalescing, he was sent to a large prison camp at Holzeninden. There he was badly treated by the Germans, who took every opportunity of insulting him and locking him up in solitary confinement. The only kindness he said he was ever shown was by the daughter of the kaiser, the Duchess of Brunswick. He narrates some appalling cruelties he witnessed while in the German hospitals. His aunt, Mrs. A. Neilson, went to Ottawa on Saturday to welcome her nephew home.

The Hockey League

In the last double-header in the local hockey league the Business Men won from North Side 6-0, and the Hawthorn Mills took the lead from the C.P.R. by a score of 4-2, a very close game.

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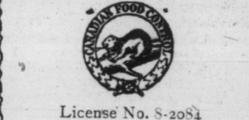
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The Late Mrs. Geo. C. New

To Sergt. George C. New the sympathy of the community flows out most generously in his hour of grief. Sergt. New was one of the first contingent from Carleton Place. He was wounded at St. Julien, and with his superior officer, Capt. Hooper, fell a prisoner to the Germans. Here he spent two years or more, undergoing all the hardships inflicted by the Hun, and about a year ago arrived home incapacitated, and in due course received his discharge. He obtained employment and in June married Agnes Anna Thomlinson, daughter of Mr. Thos. Thomlinson of Sharbot Lake, whom he knew prior to the war. They were very happy together until the outbreak of the influenza when Mrs. New took ill with the disease. As an after effect gotitre developed and a few weeks ago she went to Ottawa for special treatment. She remained for a fortnight in the hospital to build up and on Thursday last an operation was performed but the shock was too great and on Friday morning the heart gave out and death resulted. This bereavement, so shortly after the tragic death of Mr. New's father, is most pathetic, and draws forth respect and sympathy. The remains were brought on here for interment and the funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the home of Mr. J. W. New to Pine Grove cemetery.

Augustus Thompson, fifteen years old was drowned while skating on Kingston Bay.