

CHURCH PARADE OF MILITARY WAS LARGE

Worshipping Soldiers Filled Body of St. Thomas Church—Sermon by Chaplain Canon Beamish.

From Monday's Daily.
The first military parade of the season which took place yesterday morning was the largest turnout of militiamen witnessed in Belleville in years. The Fifteenth Regiment did not this time march alone, but had the companionship of the Infantry, the cadets and the veterans besides officers of the Forty-ninth.

The armoured, the parade ground, and bridges and Church Streets were crowded with civilians to witness the parade to St. Thomas Church. Shortly before eleven o'clock the march began. After the pioneers came the Highland Pipe band wearing their red tunics, the XVth Regiment Band, the veterans of other days, the officers and commissioned officers and men of the Thirty-Fourth Battery, R. C. F. A., who looked handsome in their black uniforms with broad facings and stripes, the Fifteenth Regiment officers and men, and officers of the Forty-ninth, and the cadets.

As the procession filed in the parish church of St. Thomas, the strains of "O Canada" sounded from the organ at which Prof. Ernest Wheatley presided. It was with difficulty that seating accommodation could be provided.

The short form of service was used, the hymns being appropriate to a military service.
Rev. Canon Beamish, who is chaplain of the Fifteenth Regiment, was the preacher of the day. He extended a cordial welcome to the various military bodies on their attendance. His sermon was on three verses in the life of St. Paul, working, fighting and suffering are three elements in life. God works through man's work and it is as much his as our own. God could not make Stradivarius' violins without Stradivarius. Let us build if not of stone then of the best brick. Our skill should be translated into our work so that it may be distinguished as ours.

In fighting we have to do with temptation. Fight wisely against the flesh, watchfully because the devil is the prince of stratagists; fight distrustfully against the world for you do not know it and the man of the world does not know the world.

Bear patiently, suffer and be strong. Play the man always.
The first picture the chaplain presented was of St. Paul, a witness at the Corinthian games. He said the athletes striving for the crown and saw the elements which enter into training. Temperance is necessary for mastery. To win, this price must be paid. Man must practice sacrifice before he can expect it of others. The body must be made the instrument of the will. A man who is master of himself is in that strength a master of mankind. Efficiency begins with self-discipline. Actions make habits and habits make character and character makes destiny. Man is a free agent.

The second picture of Paul in the Roman Military barracks at Rome as a prisoner. He sees the heavy armed infantry and thinks how like the Christian's needs is the armour of the soldier. The girdle of truth is the basic essential. "Is your life open and true?" Is your word enough, unimpeachable? Truth is necessary for the superstructure.

What is wrongly termed "militarism" is to obtain and keep peace.

The third picture is that of Paul on a merchant vessel in the Adriatic. The restor pointed out the means of saving and protecting life. As in the shipwreck so in the active service and life. All that is material may go by the board and yet all that is best in life remain.

This is the week of the King's accession anniversary. Addressing the soldiers the chaplain said, "As king's men you are wearing that which is the mark of the king, showing that you share with him sovereignty which is his highest gift; to make that rule beneficial, to make it for the welfare of the myriad peoples, so that there shall be liberty, equality and fraternity in the highest sense."

"You have in keeping in your own hearts the honor and integrity of that sovereign. King's men are and king's men are of the king of kings. During the offertory, the organist played the 'old brigade' and as the military were leaving the church the organ pealed out a medley of patriotic hymns.

The return march was by way of the East Hill, Victoria Avenue and Front Street.

REMAINS SENT HOME FOR INTERMENT

Charles Yott Died at Week End in New York City.

The remains of the late Charles Yott will arrive in the city this evening from New York City, where he died at the week-end.

Deceased was forty-two years of age and leaves a wife and three children. He was at one time a student at the Belleville High School. His father is Captain Yott, of Ameliasburg.

Mr. John Yott of Concession is a brother of deceased. He was in town today to meet the remains on their arrival by train. The burial will be in the family plot in Albany Cemetery.

INJUNCTION SERVED ON THE MUNICIPALITY

Deputy Registrar Issues Injunction Against Signing Foley & Gleeson Contract.

From Monday's Daily.
The corporation of the city of Belleville was in the person of Mayor Wills at two o'clock this afternoon served with an interim injunction to restrain the municipality, the council or the officials from signing or entering into any contract with Foley & Gleeson for the paving of Front and Bridge Streets. Notice will be served tomorrow or next day to be heard before a judge of the High Court in Toronto, on Monday next to continue the injunction until the trial. Such trial, however, can be had before a county judge by consent or before Chief Justice Falconbridge, who presides in Belleville on June 16th at the non jury sitting.

Mr. J. J. B. Flint is the plaintiff and sues on behalf of himself and all other citizens. The injunction was issued from the office of the deputy registrar, Col. S. L. Lazier.

ARGYLL'S DEEP INTEREST IN XVTH. REGIMENT

His Gift of Bronze Statuette Remembered and His Reception of Boer War Veterans

The death of the Duke of Argyll remembered the honorary-colonel of the Fifteenth Regiment, Argyll Light Infantry.

The regiment which was organized in January, 1863, has two links with the name Argyll. It was intended as a Highland Regiment, but the kilts were never worn. Besides, at that time one of the old majors was Alfred Argyll Campbell, afterwards lieutenant-colonel. While the regiment was not named after the Duke of Argyll, he has always been its honorary-colonel.

The Duke was honorary-colonel in more than one name. His interest in the Fifteenth was deep and many communications testify to his ties with the regiment.
In the officers' headquarters stands a statuette of the late Queen Victoria, the only one of its kind in the corps of a Canadian regiment. It is in bronze and is the workmanship of the Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, daughter of the late Queen. This statuette was the gift of the Duke.

The Fifteenth boys who fought in the Boer war in South Africa will never forget their welcome to Kensington Palace by the Duke. For weeks, the well-known Belleville soldier, Glencoe Hulme, lay ill at the palace where every care was given him by the orders of the Duke, who as Marquis of Lorne had in 1900 succeeded to his father's dukedom.

Lieut. Col. W. N. Ponton and Lieut. Col. Thos. Stewart, former commander of the XVth, remember the happy day they spent at Kensington last summer as guests of the Duke of Argyll.

CANOE UPSET IN HARBOR JUST OFF DOCK

Fortunate Rescue of Two College Students From Danger

From Monday's Daily.
Two college students in the city on Sunday afternoon between three and four o'clock had a cold and dangerous bath in the harbor just off the Schuster dock. The youths had hired a canoe and were paddling out into the harbor when without notice the canoe turned over. The young men had been on their knees and their feet were caught. It was with some difficulty that they reached the surface. Fortunately a skiff was near by and the occupants made efforts to rescue. The canoe with its two clinging passengers was drawn to the ferry slip and the youths taken ashore. One was very much exhausted by the cold and the pair were taken to the Ferry House where their clothes were dried and they were warmed.

Shelter Donations for April.

Mrs. M. Farley—One child's coat.
A friend—Map of Canada.
Mrs. Buchanan—Half dozen eggs.
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Mrs. Jas. Wallace—Eight and a half dozen sponge cake.
Mrs. R. Potter—Canned chicken.
Mrs. H. Wrightmeyer—Jar of peaches.
Pt. Ann Cement Works—Literature.
Mrs. Wm. Mayhew—Three pkg. corn flakes.
Mr. Brower—Crokinole board and men.
Mrs. Allen—Bridge Street—Two boxes clothing.
Mrs. Wedden—Clothing.
Mr. Knight—Marchmont Home—Twelve crates parsnips.
Mrs. R. J. Graham—Four sweaters.
Mrs. McBride—Clothing and boots.
E. F. Dickens—13 doz. buns 12 bread.

Mrs. James R. Smith, 62 Alexander Street, will receive Tuesday, May 5th, and not again this season.

PIONEER PREACHER CALLED HOME

Rev. W. H. Peake, Well Known Retired Methodist Clergyman Passed Away This Morning After Brief Illness.

From Monday's Daily.

The ranks of that sturdy band of pioneer clergymen who helped to push forward the outposts of Methodism in Canada are now sadly thinned.

Only a few remain who are able to tell their tale of hardships and privations endured that the word of God might be carried to the sparsely settled districts which had begun to transform the face of the wilderness. The last of these faithful laborers to receive the final summons was Rev. William Henry Peake who passed away this morning at his residence 75 Dundas street, after a very brief illness from heart trouble.

Surviving there are his wife and a family of one son—Dr. W. H. T. Peake of Transcona, Man., and two daughters, Mrs. L. E. Mills, Shannonville, and Miss Elizabeth of home. Another son, Rev. John R. Peake, a promising young worker in the Bay of Quinte conference passed away some years ago.

Mr. Peake retired from the active ministry sixteen years ago and later came to reside in this city where he has since made his home. From reminiscences read at the golden wedding anniversary we gather the following biographical facts:

William Henry Peake the fourth son and one of the nine children of Thos. and Ann Peake was born at Devonport, England, on the 10th day of August, 1834. After receiving a limited education at a cost of four pence and then six pence per week he sought some light employment for months. When at 13 years and two months he was bound apprentice to Willoughby and Murch Iron and Brass Founders of Stonehouse to learn the trade. This commenced at 27 1/2—\$189.00 with the privilege of working from 10-12 to 16 hours per day, being fed and lodged at home, one and a half miles distant, and paid from one penny to three pence an hour for over-time. These weary years however ended on the 15th October 1854 when he obtained employment at the Gateshead Bridge Works, where he continued to work for three years, being paid four miles necessary each way and no less number of hours of work.

On the 15th of the following April he determined to enter the stream of emigration and go to Canada, so he took sailing ship and reached Quebec on the evening of May 20th, 1855, being five weeks and three days on passage. His first employment, as a moulder, was at Bowmanville and then at Oakville, but it soon showed that he was not to spend all his days in a foundry. His first departure was when he received a certificate from school near Bellinard where he registered went up to 80 and where he studied at night and taught in the daytime. His second school was in the township of Garsfrax, where after a few months of service, by accident the school house was burned and he was released. His conversion took place when he was fourteen years of age when his identification with Methodism began. His first title, bearing date December quarter 1848 with the motto—"I understand more than the ancients because I keep Thy precepts" Ps. 119: 100, S. W. Christophers, minister.

While teaching school, through the urgency of the late Rev. S. C. Philip, sr., he was induced to take an occasional appointment on the Georgetown and Brim circuit plan. His case was brought to the attention of the chairman of the Gospel District, the late Rev. Lewis Warner who called him to attend the meeting of the district in Guelph where he was recommended to the conference for acceptance on probation for the Methodist ministry. This was followed and he was appointed to the Centreville and Tamworth circuit, in the Kingston district as helper to the Rev. J. S. Yeomans, June 1858. As from the time for the next forty years his appointments were given in the minutes of conference, they need not be repeated here only that on 1862 with 33 others, most of whom have passed away, he was ordained in the presbytery of St. Catharines, Belleville, by the Rev. Kneph Wood, who was President and Rev. Wm. Scott, who was secretary of that conference, and a few days after he with the other parsonage of this circuit, Miss Almira Jane Forward of Kelvin Grove, Bath, W. Ontario, entered upon a contract, which held good until today and of which June 10th, 1912 was the 50th anniversary. That her father, Mr. A. P. Forward had given one daughter to the Methodist ministry only three years before was no reason why he should refuse here, and so the ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. S. Yeomans at the home in the presence of the family and a few invited guests. Almira Jane was the youngest of nine children and was well fitted for the keeping of a parsonage and to be the helpmate of a Methodist minister. They started at once for their appointment Dundas Mission, Quebec, about 300 miles away, subsequently accepting such appointments as the conference pleased to give them first in Quebec, and afterward in the Midland district of Ontario. Six children were born to them four of whom lived to adult age, one of whom was the Rev. J. R. Peake of the Bay of Quinte Conference. Dr. W. T. Peake of Transcona, Man., Mrs. L. E. Mills, Shannonville, and Mrs. Labbe at home.

At the expiration of forty years

in the ministry they retired and spent seven comfortable years in Campbellford from which they removed to Belleville where they lived and words are useless.

Nearly two years ago, on June 10, 1912, Mr. and Mrs. Peake had the rare privilege of celebrating the 50th anniversary of their wedding.

From the report published at the time we gather the following particulars—A more agreeable family gathering has seldom met, or a more profitable or enjoyable time been spent than at the occurrence of the Golden Wedding of Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Peake of Belleville on Sunday and Monday, 16th and 17th of June. The certificate produced bears date June 16th, 1862. The minister's name was Rev. J. S. Yeomans, and the best man was Mr. H. E. Forward, who, by the way, was present, and did what was omitted on the first occasion, by signing the certificate. It was the only person present who witnessed the formal ceremony.

On Sunday all went to church and during intervals spent the day in mutual fellowship, prayer and songs. Friends were present from Toronto, Hamilton, Vancouver and Shannonville several of whom though nearly related, had never met before.

A most significant event in the day's proceedings was the baptism of the youngest member of the family, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop, Rev. T. Peake, M.D., and wife of Transcona, Man., by the grandfather, Rev. W. H. Peake at 4 p.m.

At three o'clock, Monday, the friends from Belleville began to arrive, and from that until 10 p.m. there was one continual stream of callers, who brought their warmest congratulations, and many other gifts of gold and other valuable presents. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Bishop were among the number and offered a few words of congratulations, appreciation and warm and fervent prayer. In addition to many other valuable gifts the venerable couple were presented with \$650 mostly in gold.

As a minister Mr. Peake's work was characterized by great courage, sincerity and earnestness. He led a singularly upright life, and never compromised his convictions in order to court favor. He took a keen interest in all public questions and frequently discussed in a broad-minded way the leading issues before the people. On the circuits where Mr. Peake labored he was a man of love and self-sacrifice. There still remain many who remember with abiding affection his devotion and faithfulness, often amid the most discouraging conditions. Of him, as a true Christian warrior, it may be said—

"Servant of God, well done!
The glorious warfare's past.
The journey's done, the goal is won,
And thou art crowned at last."

BANISH PIMPLES AND ERUPTIONS

In The Spring Most People Need a Tonic Medicine.

One of the surest signs that the blood is out of order is the pimples, urticaria eruptions and eczema that come frequently with the change from winter to spring. These prove that the long indoor life of winter has done its worst to the blood, and that a tonic medicine is needed to put it right. Indeed there are few people who do not need a tonic at this season. Bad blood does not merely show itself in disgusting eruptions. It is the cause of rheumatism, the attacks of rheumatism and lumbago, the sharp stabbing pains of sciatica and neuralgia, poor appetite and a desire to avoid exertion. You cannot cure these troubles by the use of purgative medicines. You need a tonic, and a tonic only among all medicines there is none can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for their tonic life-giving, nerve-restoring, powers. Every dose of this medicine makes new, rich blood, which drives out impurities, stimulates every organ and brings a feeling of new health and energy to weak tired, ailing men, women and children. If you are out of sorts give this medicine a trial and see how quickly it will restore the appetite, revive drooping spirits, and fill you veins with new health-giving blood.

You can get these Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Railway Officers to Discuss Safety First.

An important meeting of the General Committee in charge of Safety First Work on the Grand Trunk Railway System is to take place in Toronto, Monday, May 4th. There are twenty-two local Safety Committees in existence on the Grand Trunk, one on each division and in each of the large terminals and shops. These committees report to the General Safety Committee, which is composed of the general officers of the company. At the meeting on Monday there will be present two Vice Presidents, Howard G. Kelly and R. S. Logan, with Chief Engineer H. R. Safford, Engineer of Maintenance of Way, M. S. Blacklock, Superintendent of Motive Power, D. Robb, Superintendent of Car Department, J. Coleman, Chief Claims Agent, T. W. McRae, and General Superintendents, D. E. Gillen, H. E. Wittenberger, G. C. Bowker, and the Safety Engineer of the System, Geo. Bradshaw.

Reports received by the General Committee give evidence of the excellent results achieved by the Safety First Campaign. In one of the big terminals along the line forty-six thousand cars were switched in one month without any damage to equipment. The workers in avoiding rash methods of handling cars not only protect themselves from injury but also prevent destruction of rolling stock.

A pleasant medicine for children is "Mother Graves' Worm Expeller," which is a pleasant and effective remedy for driving worms from the system.

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3x3 1/2 yards, regular \$15.00 for	\$13.50
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Regular 50c Window Shades on sale this week at 25c each

This is a splendid window shade bargain we are offering for this week only, and should be taken advantage of by those needing shades. These are an oil opaque shade, machine made and mounted on the celebrated Hartshorn Spring Roller and come in green, brown and cream white; sizes 36x70 inches, but we will cut any of these shades for windows needing a smaller shade. Regular price 50c; sale price 25c each.

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10 Dozen Children's Wash Dresses to Sell at 39c each

Never before have we offered such a money saving chance on Children's Dresses as now. The material in these dresses alone is worth the price we ask for the finished garment. They are made of Striped Galatea and Plain Linen in French styles; the collars and cuffs are nicely trimmed and piped with contrasting colors; sizes 2, 4, 6 yrs.; 10 doz. at each **39c**

Children's and Misses' Spring Coats Moderately Priced

Just now we are showing a splendid range of Children's and Misses' Spring Coats, in Serges, Tweed Effects and Panamas. The most popular shades are shown, including Navy, Cardinal, Cream, Fawn, Brown and Grey, sizes from 2 years to 14 years. Some special values at... **\$3.00 & \$5.00**

Others range in price from \$2.50 to \$10.00

We Still Have a Number of Those Ladies' \$10 and Misses' Spring Suits to Sell at - - \$10

Very brisk selling has featured our sale of Ladies' and Misses' \$10 Suits, yet withal we have about 12 still in stock to clear out at this low price. The remaining collection includes such popular shades as blues, tans, greys, black and white stripes and black, in serges, diagonals and chevrons. Some are neatly trimmed, others plain tailored. The coats, although not cutaway, are very stylish, and the skirts have a slight flounce at the sides. Some of these suits sold as high as \$25.00, and none less than \$20. Sensational! **\$10** clearing price.

American Lady Corset (Model No. 505) \$3.50

This is an ideal style for slender and medium figures—very low bust and extremely long down. This corset gives the fashionable unconfined waist effect and the long cloth extension affords a graceful sweeping hip. This corset is lightly but adequately boned throughout, boning being so placed so as to avoid rubbing the hip bone. If you have a **\$3.50** slender or medium figure see this model at.....

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See these lines at the Corset Department

SEE WINDOWS TO-NIGHT

The Ritchie Co., Limited

Sudden Death at Springbrook.

Mr. Geo. Shortt, an aged and highly respected resident of Springbrook died very suddenly on Monday morning. He was around as usual and had just come in from feeding his chickens when suddenly he dropped dead, death being due to heart failure. Deceased was 89 years of age and had been

in fairly good health. For many years he was a successful farmer of Rawdon township and a few years ago he retired and moved to Springbrook where he has since resided.

The late Mr. Shortt is survived by a widow, one son and two daughters. Mrs. Shortt is over 90 years of age and is remarkably active

for her age. They were married over 65 years ago. The son is Mr. Manley Shortt and the daughters Mrs. F. Barton and Mrs. Philip McConnell, all of Rawdon township.

The funeral took place on Wednesday, service being conducted in the Springbrook church by Rev. W. H. Clarke and interment taking place at Rylestone.—Marmora Herald.