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On account of the enlistment of many of our young men, and the interruption of immigration caused by the war, farm help is going to be the Police to the Police Commission- House and shop breaking scarce the coming season. Farmers in need of help are therefore advised ers has been made public. The state. Keep common gamling house.... to leave their names with the Immigration Agent or with Mr. John El-details of the work of the department Malicious injury to property ... be at the said bank daily from 10 a.m.
10 12 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
on the question of traffic and public D. J. FAIRFIELD, Canadian Gov- order. ernment Employment Agent 223 Cole man street, Belleville. 'Phone 460.

FARM FOR SALE.

In the county of Prince Edward. Bloomfield. County road, rural mail, telephone. 191 acres first class fore the Police Court during the year Vagrancy..... chard, out 12 years, all rod winter follows: Solid brick house, 12 rooms, dairy farm. Price rigght for quick Classifications of Offences: R.M.D. No. 1, Picton, Ont.

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That desirable farm, belonging to Breach of City By-Law: he estate of the late Sidney Sharpe, east 1-2 lot, 22 con 4. Sidney, Dog by-law..... containing 100 acres. Farm is in a Drunk no state of cultivation. Large brick Drunk and disorderly residence, good barn, drive-house and Disorderly conduct other outbuildings. Well fenced and Health by-law . . . ered. Spring creek through pas-Billiards without license 5 acre orchard and 12 acres of Cigars and tobacco without and hardwood bush. Rural daily se than 9 miles from Belleville. Peddle goods without license ... Set off fire crackers on street ...

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PATRIOTISM AND PRODUCTION AND THE DIFFICULTIES OF THE WESTERN FARMER

riculture has issued and is distribution an "Agricultural War Book." the how is he to follow Hon. Martin Burchers. purpose of which is to encourage "parell's advice not to sacrifice his livered by triotism. production, more than usstock during the war crisis? With ual." A very commendable purpose, the best will, and the firmest deter-Hacks and livery mination in the world, the farmer un-Hawkers and pedlars . . and one which will have the enthus_ iastic approval and support of the entire country. But how is the purpose to be achieved? It is one of the eastite advice by proceedings and one which will have the enthus-less he gets supplied with seed and Milk.

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Tobacco and cigars

able light, there will be a demand num." stock during the war crisis."

the prominent persons contributing in country?

of seed must be sown.

rom where is it to be obtained?

It is possible there is enough wheat them. Britain "must have food"; From where is it to be obtained? in the country to furnish all require- upon the shoulders of the Dominion ments for seed, but there is certainly Government rests the responsibility not more than enough when the needs and the duty of seeing that she gets MASQUERADE of millers are taken into consideration.

The Dominion Department of Ag- tion. But of what use is seed wheat Auctioneers ...

to be achieved? It is one of the easiest things in the world to establish the farmers that it was making ar-ITIONER after a winter on dry feed. an ideal; cutting out a path to it is rangements "to supply bona fide set not so easy, and the making of paths tlers, who have lost their crop this to ideals is the main practical work of year and are unable to obtain seed, Board to the fact that during the livery to start about the middle of crimes of a serious nature and that In the introduction to this bork, February."- The circular issued by there has been a decrease in the num-Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Ag-ther stated that "In the case of the The new Street Traffic By-law has

> ing tarmers to do their share in neighting to assist the people of Great Britain by preventing them from suffering privation. Do not sacrifice your liveconsideration." They must look to respond in the most effective man-ner to this exhortation. Every farmer has the will, but unfortunately or has it been gradually realized that ber of summons have been issued and not more than half the farmers of the the contract cannot be carried out be- convictions made under this Act. Its west possesses the means of carrying cause there is not enough grain in the enforcement is very essential for the

> "Agricultural War Book" is a- These are questions to which the ware of the deplorable conditions pre-vailing in the west as the result of the oats there are, the germinating quality is not of a high order. Tests of banker, every business man and every bounded by the Scaleston Road of Scaleston Roa made by the Saskatoon Board of only one-half of the acreage ready for ciation which met at Winnipeg in Trade, showed a germination of only crop in this Province is seeded, the 27 per cent. If this represents the loss will be tremendous and will vital large as usual, but the meetings were averages quality of the oats held for ly affect the welfare of the whole very interesting and profitable. I seed in the Province, it simply means community. The farmers must have believe copies of the reports of these that in order to get an average grop seed and feed if the whole business meetings have been mailed to all the nearly three times the normal amount structure of the Province is not to members of the Board. ,000,000 bushels, of which only 3,- its exhortations to the farmers, let it year. 000,000 bushels is graded above feed. set to work with a will and make cer-From the best evidence available 15,- tain that every acre available will be 000,000 will be required to adequate brought to the service of the Empire. ly meet the shortage in seed and feed. Seed and feed should and must be

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

The annual report of the Chief of Horse stealing ott ,Standard Bank. The Agent will but for its suggestions and remarks Non-Support of wife and family

To the Board of Commissioners of Police of the City of Belleville. Gentlemen:

I have the honour to submit this, Sell liquor to Indian The number of cases brought be- Trespass on Railway

Assaults (common) 14 L. Driving cab without license. 199

license Convenient to church and school Selling cigarettes to minors ... Sell during prohibited hours ... Sell to minor...

Supply liquor to prohibited pur-Prohibited persons under influence of liquor Bigamy ... Breach pawnbrokers Breach Motor Vehicle Act Breach Bread and Sales Act ...

Breach Highway Gravel Act Carrying revolver Carnal knowledge . Deserter from H. M. Navy Forgery and uttering forged

Fraudently obtain food and

lodging Fraudently appropriate property

Obtain money or goods by false pretences

Perjury :.... Procuring for immoral purposes. Refuse to pay wages Receiving stolen goods knowing same stolen

Robbery from person

Committed to jail in default of payment of fine and cost ... 42 Committed to jail without option Committed provincial peniten-

Committed Industrial School for formatory for women Sentence suspended or deferred on payment of prosecution

and entering into bonds... Lunatics Committed for trial Arrested on request of other Police Departments and taken back for trial 11

Departed ... Cases stand for judgment

Transient Lodgers: There were 772 transient lodgers accommodated with a night's lodging at Police Station during the year. Incidental Duties: Accidents reported and inquired

Buildings found open and secured 188 11 Runaway horses secured 16 Coroners inquest held; juries

and witnesses summoned to attend by Police Lost children reported Fire alarms given with police in 1 attendance thereat 51 from this locality at their homes.

amount of \$1,438.69 was taken from prisoners at time of arrest, as per prisoners' receipt book.

A number of residence were under surveillance during the absence of the owners from the colleased. pleased to say none were entered.

The Police answered 258 calls to different parts of the city to quell dis_

the force have been giving these infor food that the world will find There is no equivocation, no am- structions in a kindly and friendly

Every effort has also been made protection of life and limb.

The sergeants and men of the force unfavorable crop season last year. ter affecting the whole social and eFully one-half are without oats for seed and feed. And of what seed not only a farmer's question; it is a ly.

Respectfully submitted, Your obedient servant JOHN NEWTON

exandra School. Despite the rainy nation of Count von Berchtold, whether voluntary or forced, and the

Besides the masquerade there was a Bohemia Revolts. program of music in which the Salvation Army Band participated. Mrs Wilmot sang several selections. Miss McDonnell gave a vocal solo as did Miss Matheson, and Mrs. Currie and

program. The costume judges were Mr A. McGie, Mrs. Currie, and Miss Ma- cent issue it apologized to its readers of concluding a peace on a basis theson. They awarded the prizes as

Second Boy - Master John Chapman as "Nurse Girl" First Girl - Helen Edwards - "Japanese Girl'

Second Girl - Donah Boulter -Harem Girl The proceeds amounted to \$19 and them with neglect of duty." It is were in aid of the rink lighting.

Charged With Theft

This morning a youth named Donovan was committed by Magistrate Masson for trial on a charge of theft fact, which accounts for the growing of the contents of a purse.

A purse was dropped on January Austrian Admits Disaster. 31 by a young girl while she was watering at the upper bridge tank a team of horses which she had been is of course suppressed, has contri- Tuesday for Toronto hospital. Mrs. driving. The animals shied and the purse said to contain eleven five doilar bills was shortly after missed Donovan claims to have found the purse but there was no money in it he said.

Mr. Carnew for the accused put in no evidence Donovan was given bail this after-

NORTHPORT.

Too Late For Last Week. The charity concert last week was

great success Mr. J. Laing Stocks paid a short visit to his home here last week, Mr.

The Orangemen will hold their an-

nual oyster supper this week, Mrs. Frank Williams of Rawdon is visiting her daughter. Mrs. C. H 22 David. Nearly all the collegiate students

"DICK" PONTON'S MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM THE FIRING LINE

turbances, etc. Fines and Fees and Licenses Collect- Belleville Officers and Men Participated in Operations Against Germans in France---First Message From First Line of Trenches.

front on Sunday last. Definite information of the I desire to call the attention of the since its entry into the war zone in France was mans. with good clean seed next spring, de- year there has been no increase in received yesterday, and was read amid great applause by Lieut.-Col. Ponton, of Belleville, to morning, read as follows: Waters' Drug Store Sole Agents

Hon. Martin Burren, Minister of Agenta the Separation of the Contain Associated Boards of the Street Traffic By-law has settlers having only patented land, a settlers having only patented la the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, now in duction in Europe cannot approach that of normal years. Looking at the situation in even its most favor-will be a demand on the situation in even its most favor-will yards of the Germans, and after a continual for food that the world will find great difficulty in supplying. Britain bignity about this promise; no reneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribe arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribe arneeds more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribe arneeds more than m needs more than men; she must have striction of the aid to prescribed arfood. We should prepare for a largeas; nor to particular classes of seter surplus this year and next year, I
urge farmers to do their share in help
urge farmers to do their share in help

time rapidly approaching, farmers on
to keep them. I would recommend
that this by law is a condensed form with glory under their baptism of fire, and that there were few casualties. The excellent marks- the message, there was great applause, which There is not a farmer in the countered to their municipality or the Provincial during the past year to enforce the try who is not willing and ready to Government for seed. What caused Motor Vehicle Act, particularly with upon the Canadian artillery corps.

Every enort nas also been made during the past year to enforce the upon the Canadian artillery corps.

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Belleville now know

cific Railway, who quoted from a letter sent to mans.

The Belleville boys of the Fifteenth regi- him from Lieut. R. D. Ponton, a son of Lieut.ment together with the men of Hastings and Col. Ponton, and as he is a member of the On-Prince Edward participated in the battle at the tario Brigade, under the command of Col. M. S. Mercer, it indicates that the Belleville volunteers were among the occupants of the most advanced exploit of the first Canadian expeditionary force trenches and under the continual fire of the Ger-

The cablegram, which was dated Thursday

"Cheerful letter from Richard from France, night 21st inst. Is quite well. First line of trenches within 100 yards of Germans for past forty-eight hours. Canadians behaviour splendid, returned O.K. to billets for a day's rest after baptism of fire, all fit. Very slight casualties among Canadian infantry from snipers. Artillery quite equal to occasion."

George MacLaren Brown.

When Lieut.-Col. Ponton concluded reading

Belleville now knows that her 38 stalwarts The message was received yesterday after- in the Fifteenth have been tested and found true noon by Lieut.-Col Ponton from Mr. McLaren as steel. Perhaps her gallant artillerymen have Brown, European manager of the Canadian Pa-taken part in the operations against the Ger-

SPECULATIONS AS TO AUSTRIA'S FATE

How long can Austria hang out | munication from a correspondent in early three times the normal amount of seed and feed if the whole business meetings have been mailed to all the members of the Board.

The deceased was a member of the Board.

In conclusion I desire to thank your seed and feed if the whole business meetings have been mailed to all the members of the Board.

The deceased was a member of the says: "Hungary than the says in which be says: "Hungary than the says in the says in which be says: "Hungary than the says in th day, the total quantity of oats in ter-subject for pious resolution. If the plies granted and for your many lapse and become a burden on her that every success gained by Austria minal and public elevators is about Dominion Government is sincere in kindnesses extended to me during the ally before Germany herself is bound since the Hapsburg dynasty has ruled least a England to submit is generally admitted; and that from a military point of view she has been the greatest disappointment in modern times is equally certain. From more than a gray. A strong Austria means a weak Hungary, for we have only one adversary in our economic life, and Miss ment in modern times is equally cer- adversary in our economic life, and Chief Constable tain. From more than one source that is our sister state, German Austone source in Hungary The Russian advance in Hungary The Russian advan ly seek a way out of it (were it possible. Long ago she sickened of the disaffection of this portion of the war. The fact that her soldiers have empire, which, long before the war won no conspicuous victory in the past six months, even when pitted against chiefly through the personal populady of 81 years, died in Thurlow at AT Q. A. SCHOOL six months, even when pitted against little Servia, shows that the Austrilarity of the Emperor. ans, who, man for man, are as brave An excellent program was pre-as the Germans, are not fighting with heart and determination. The resig-

theless, we must acquaint our readers thians, and then the surrrender on with the suppression of our articles tolerable terms may be too late. Ausof war to avoid being reproached by German state." easy enough to read between these plaintive lines. The Austrian censors would certainly not suppress news favorable to Austria. blank in the columns of an Austrian paper means thepdeletion of unfavorable news. It appears that the Austrian public is slowly realizing this uneasiness in the Dual Monarchy.

buted an article to a leading Swiss French accompanied him. paper in which he says: "In spite of Several of our young people the state of siege and the silence im- tended the debate in Sidney posed on the press, public opinion, church on Wednesday evening owing to the news that has filtered agitated......For me the situa- Methodist church on Sunday tion is clear; we must make peace. Mrs. Geo. Clark had a narrow es If we were victorious in this war, cape last week when their cutter up-Germany would extract from victory set and she was badly bruised about all the benefits, would probably try the head and face to subjugate us, or, in the best hypothesis, might let us be lost in the inextricable difficulties of the Eastern Mrs. Andrews and Miss Brown question. If, on the contrary, as spent Sunday with friends in Madoc seems unhappily possible, the Dual Mr. Frank Stapley and his mother Alliance collapses under the weight have gone to Lindsay on account of the largest part of the costs of the derman our young people are practis Two of our young men, Percy Mans-field and James Pollard have joined tool in the German game, and that Nellie Bird attended the Holiness the Third Canadian Contingent at she, equally with Italy, was a victim Movement convention in Madoc last of the Triple Alliance.

What Hungary Has Lost.

have reached England showing that is, gardens whose altitude is at least the situation in parts of Austria is 4000 feet. Salada tea is composed of

exandra School. Despite the rainy weather, there was a good attendance at the masquerade in which boys and girls took part. The costumes were varied and beautiful and exhibited rainy varied and beautiful and exhibited rainy exist in no other belligerent below. The function of the late of the demoralization of Australia and the demoralization of Australia and gary appears to be approaching a colimax. It would not be surprising monarchy had thrown up the sponge. Beaten at all points, humiliated, beautiful and the late of the late The London Outlook remarks that sensions, there is nothing left for the unhappy Hapsburgs to hope for by Munns took place yesterday from for the outside world to get any insian ambition, there is every reason solemn service at the house. There formation from the Austrian press. to anticipate that Hungary may drop was a large attendance of relatives Vienna Neue Freie Presse, complains The empire is only held together by im nediate relatives, and the remains bitterly of the censorship. In a rea a regime of terrorism. The wisdom for its inability to give them the known to be agreeable to the connews they were entitled to, and requerors, and before Roumania or First Boys — Messrs. Horie and Boyle of the High School in Cinderblanks in our paper in order not to sion of Hungary has been winter. In disturb our readers by such intrusions a few months' time Russia's myriads on the part of the censor. Never- will be swarming over the Carpaon the events in the southern theater tria may be reduced to a second-rate

Death of Child

Every old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. over the gathering which comprised Waddell, 161 James street, passed a- the members of Mr. Jas. Hudgins' way yesterday

MADOC JUNCTION.

Too Late For Last Week

A number of our people went to through from abroad, begins to be hear Mr. Clarke's address in Stirling

refreshments. of European coalitions, we will pay the serious illness of Mrs. Jack Dan-Our young people are practising for

> week Mr. Willie Fitchett is visiting friends near Picton.

Through neutral countries letters Fine gardens grow fine teas; that from this locality spent the week-end at their homes.

The configurate students well nigh desperate. For instance, selected leaves grown at least at such the London Post published a com- a level. Hence its unrivalled flavor.

OBITUARY

MRS. WILLIAM CROSSLEY

(From Thursday's Daily) Caroline Blockley, beloved wife of Wm. Crossley of this city passed away at an early hour this morning deceased was a member of

Viole tat home, also three brothers, two of England, and one of

at early hour this morning. She had been a resident of Milltown. Tyendinaga for many years. She was a

The funeral of the late James Now comes news of a revolt in Bohemia. Of course it is impossible cides to continue as the pawn of Prus Rev. A. M. Hubly, conducting a Mrs. Edwards recited. The children influential newspaper in Austria, the influential newspaper in Austria, the terms independently with the Allies to the deceased. The bearers were included in including the control of the struggle and control of the struggle and control of the deceased. The bearers were included in including the control of the struggle and control of the struggle and control of the deceased. The bearers were included in including the control of the struggle and control of the struggle were laid to rest in Belleville ceme-

FOR SOLDIER

Last evening a presentation took place in Holloway St. Sunday school to Private Morley Rutter of the 15th Regt, who will go with the 3rd con-Richard J. Waddell, nine months tingent. Mr. Martin Derbert presided class of young men and members of the aldies' class. Master Deibert read the address to the departing member of Mr. Hudgins' class, expressing appreciation of his volunteer service for We are sorry to report the ill-to accept a slight token. All felt sure the King and Canada and asking him An Austrian diplomat, whose name ness of Melville French, who left on that he would keep his mind on the King of Kings and fixed Christ as

> Sherman Jones thereupon made the presentation of a handsome wrist watch which he adjusted on Private Rutter's wrist The recipient in reply expressed his thanks saying he would endeavor to do his duty by King and Country

> Addresses were delivered by Messrs A. E. Bailey, Geo. T. Woodley and Rev. A. R. Sanderson Following the presentation the young people spent a social hour the unction ending with the serving of

Cars Smashed in East End

A collision occurred on the railway some distance east of the Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific depot this morning. As a result of the collision a freight car was damaged, it being forced into another freight car. No one was hurt.

DIED

CROSSLEY - In Belleville, on Friday, Feb. 26th, Caroline Crossley, wife of Wm. Crossley, aged 73 yrs and 11 months