

SHERWOOD SPRING

Miss Myrtle Clow spent the week end with her friend, Miss Vera Latham.

Mr. G. F. Gainford has returned to Athens after spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. E. P. Eligh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. White, Caintown, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Clow's.

Mr. Arthur Latham and M. Ritchie have returned from the Canadian West where they spent the summer.

Little Miss Elma Clow, who has been very ill is able to be outdoors again.

SOPERTON

Mr. and Mrs. R. Prestor, Chantry, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Whitmore, Athens, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. E. Suffel and Mrs. R. Thompson are ill with lagrippe.

Mrs. B. Livingstone, Athens, who is at present at her father's home, Mr. P. Jarvis, is suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis.

Plans are being made for the annual Xmas tree.

Mrs. Johnson Frye entertained a number of friends on Friday evening last.

CAINTOWN

The Heribson Bros. are having a fine new hen house erected.

Mrs. Jas. Pottenger has been visiting friends in Athens.

Mr. W. R. White has his new stables finished. They are fine.

Mrs. Earl, of Lyndhurst and Mrs. Earl, of Temperance Lake, spent a few days last week guests of Mrs. B. B. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Manhart were in Brockville one day this week.

Mr. Frank Heribson is erecting a new cow stable.

Some of the farmers are taking their milk now to J. A. Ferguson at Ballycanoe.

Miss Beatrice Dickey, of Caintown, has been engaged to teach the school for next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Ferguson, of Ballycanoe, were last week guests of Mrs. Wellington Earl.

Mr. McCalpin, veterinary, Brockville, was at B. B. Graham's on Monday to see a cow that got hurt.

CHARLESTON

Quite a number of our young people have joined the Young People's Club at Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. E. King visited at Chantry on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Boyd was called to Addison on Friday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Hewitt.

Mrs. W. Halliday and son, Leonard, were in Brockville on Wednesday.

R. Foster was in Brockville for a few days last week.

Miss Della Kavanaugh is seriously ill at St. Vincent De Paul hospital, Brockville.

L. Cox was through this section last week dehorning cattle.

H. Webster has purchased a new automobile.

CHANTRY

Mr. Milbert Rowsome has been spending the past week here the guest of his uncle J. N. Davis.

Miss Mable Best has been engaged as clerk by Mr. T. C. Dewell during the holiday season.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, a son.

Chantry school was visited on Friday last by the inspector of this district. Mr. McGuire found our school in excellent condition which is due to Mr. Walter Heath's splendid ability in managing his pupils.

Mr. Thomas Moulton has returned home after a stay of many months in the Canadian West.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Eyre, a daughter.

A number from here attended the Edison Concert at Philipsville on Monday and reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brown of Delta spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Stephen Knowlton.

Mr. J. N. Davis and son Omer spent Sunday at Athens the guest of his mother Mrs. Henry Davis.

Charleston School Report

IV—Elva Spence.

III—Jack Webster, Claude Botsford, Jas. Botsford, George Godkin, Hubert Heffernan, Walter Wool, Evelyn Latimer, Martha Johnston.

II—Anna Webster, Elsie Kirkland.

I—Kenneth Latimer, Raymond Heffernan (equal), Albertus Kelsey.

Prim. Sr.—John Kirkland.

Prim. Jr.—Bernard Godkin, Sam Kelsey (equal), Mabel Covey, Ida Belle Covey, Arden Kirkland.

Net enrolment 20

Helga Troy, teacher

Glen Morris School Report

Sr. IV—Roswell Morris, Albert Ferguson, Kathleen Beale, Vera Hudson.

Jr. IV—Charles Heffernan, Clifford Hudson, Frances Stevens, Winona Morris.

Sr. III—Cora Stevens, Helen Morris, Ernest Ferguson.

Jr. III—Nellie Ferguson, Carroll Beale.

II—Fern Spence

I—Vincent Heffernan, Lloyd Ferguson, Nellie Hawkins Collons Covey.

Pr.—Harold Heffernan, Arden Spence, Ethel Lyng, Hazel Hawkins, Mills Howard, Willie Howard, Elmer Covey.

Average attendance 23 2

Mabel M. Jacob, teacher

GORDON BROWN IN OLD LONDON

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seeing things and at only a fraction of the cost than if I had gone under other circumstances. We probably never realized before what the women are doing for us for all these clubs and Y. M. C. A.'s. are being carried on by voluntary work on the part of the women. The place where I stayed while in London, for instance, the Maple Leaf Annex specially for Canadian soldiers is kept up by the Daughters of the Empire.

London is a crowded city and the best way to travel from place to place is by the underground railways and tubes of which there is a regular network beneath the city.

Here are some of the names of places I have seen and which I would like to describe to you if it could be done: Madame Tussaud's Wax Museum where are lifelike wax models of all the English sovereigns since Wm. I and all the English, French, Italian, German, American, lawyers, soldiers, writer, statesmen, politicians, rulers, criminals, living and dead; Br Parl. Buildings which I saw quite a bit of. I was present for about an hour at the House of Commons while it was in session. Only a few members were present but I saw Lloyd George and Bonar Law tho I did not hear them speak; Westminster Abbey; St. Paul's Cathedral; Buckingham Palace; Downing street; Hyde Park; Kensington Garden and Palace where Queen Victoria was born; the Albert Memorial, a huge and very beautiful monument erected by Queen Victoria in memory of her husband; the Tower of London, I saw some interesting things there; Regent Park and the Zoological Gardens; Charing Cross; Paddington and Waterloo stations; British Museum closed now on account of war; Imperial Institute where the colonial exhibits are kept; University of London; National Gallery where are some famous paintings but the most valuable ones are hidden away to preserve from Zeppelin bombs; Guildhall and Law Courts.

I was present for a little while at two Courts of Appeal the Lord Chancellor's and the Lord Chief Justice's (Sir Rufus Isaacs); Trafalgar Square and Nelson's Monument; Strand; Leicester Square and Piccadilly, district in which most of the theatres are, Thread-needle st. where the banks are; Stock Exchange the Wall street of London; Fleet street where the newspapers are published; Cheap-side prices, at shopping thoroughfare and the Whitechapel where are the slums.

Oh I enjoyed every moment of it and came back well satisfied with what I had seen. It rains here quite a bit but climate seems similar so far to Canada and the huts we live in are very comfortable.

Yours sincerely,
Gordon

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MACKENSEN CHECKED

Russians Drive Foe Back South of Bucharest.

Czar's Troops Are Making Vigorous Effort to Save the Capital of Roumania—Battles Are Now in Progress That May Change Completely the Teuton Campaign Against King Ferdinand.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—While the fate of Bucharest is still hanging in the balance, comes the news that Russia, which has been accused in some quarters of failing to render assistance to its sorely pressed ally, is making heroic efforts to turn the tide of events in Roumania, in addition to exerting vigorous pressure against von Valkenbain in Moldavia, where the Russians have gained a footing at Kiribaba, and the battle is continuing with the utmost energy.

The new Russian effort is visible on the Danube, south of Bucharest, where newly arrived Russian troops are making an important attack on Field Marshal von Mackensen's rear, already, according to the Russian official report, with some success, 26 guns and a number of prisoners having been taken, and the Germans and Bulgarians having been driven from Tuzmana and Gostinari and compelling to retire. The Russians are also successfully applying pressure in Dobruja.

These Russian attacks on the two extreme flanks of the central forces, although they may be too late to save Bucharest, may, if successfully prosecuted, change the complexion of the Roumanian campaign, as there is no indication as yet that the enveloping movement of the central powers has succeeded in cutting off any considerable portion of the Roumanian armies.

Will Fight to End.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Alexander Trepoff, the new Premier, at the opening of the debate in Petrograd Saturday, says a Rector despatch from the Russian capital, reiterates Russia's determination to prosecute the war until victory is attained.

"More than once it has been declared from this place that there never will be a premature or separate peace," the despatch reports the new premier as saying. "Nothing can change this resolution. The whole world must know once more that whatever differences and whatever temporary checks are encountered, Russia and her valiant allies will mobilize to the last man and will sacrifice all their patrimony."

"But the war will be carried on to a decisive end until the German yoke and German violence have disappeared forever. The power of the enemy is slackening and the hour of the demerit retribution approaches even more rapidly."

"Nevertheless immense efforts will be required to definitely break the resistance of the enemy, who is using all his strength against us. The resources of Russia are inexhaustible, but the harmonious and close co-operation of the whole population for the use of these resources is a necessary accomplishment to the desired end, namely, the overthrow of our enemies."

Carried No Troops.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A statement was issued by the Admiralty Sunday night, which makes reference to German wireless messages to the embassy at Washington, promulgating "mendacious reports purporting to emanate from Rotterdam that the ship Britannic had troops on board."

The Admiralty reiterates that a complete statement of all persons aboard the Britannic was published November 24, and adds that British hospital ships carry neither personnel nor material other than is authorized by the Geneva and the Hague conventions.

The British hospital ship Britannic was sunk in the Aegean Sea on November 22. Inquiries failed to establish whether she was destroyed by mines or torpedoes. According to the British Admiralty statement, the Britannic had on board 1,125 persons, of whom 625 composed the crew and 500 were attached to the medical staff of the various Royal Army Medical Corps, including 76 nurses. About 50 persons perished.

High Cost of Living.

BRANTFORD, Dec. 4.—The first definite step regarding the high cost of living will be taken by civic joint committees on Friday next, when the coal dealers of the city will be asked to produce statistics showing the cost of coal to them, overhead expenses, and profits. Following this enquiry it will be determined whether the time is opportune for the establishment of a civic coal yard. Other municipal establishments for sale of natural products will be enquired into.

War is For Liberty.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—President Wilson, speaking Saturday night at the banquet which was the culmination of the celebration in honor of the permanent illumination of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor, declared that he had thought for the last two years that "peace is going to come to the world only with liberty. The peace of the world," Mr. Wilson added, "is not going to be secured by the compacts of nations, but by the sympathies of men."

Four Vessels Sunk.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A despatch from Falmouth to Lloyds says that the British steamer Briardene was sunk on Friday. The crew was landed at Falmouth by the steamer Lunia.

The agency announces that the Japanese steamer Nagata Faru has been sunk and that the Swedish steamer Douglas and the French schooner St. Joseph are reported to have been sunk.

Two Zeppelins were brought down in England during the raid on Monday.

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