

# ROUSING MEETING IN THE LOCAL ARMOURIES

## One Hundred and Ten Volunteered—Lt. Col. Marsh's Address—15th Ready.

From Friday's Daily

"Little did we think on the tenth of June last at our annual inspection that we should in two months be facing a serious crisis," so stated Lt. Col. L. W. Marsh, commanding the Fifteenth Regiment, at the armories last evening. "No doubt Great Britain is facing the greatest crisis in her career and doubtless she is prepared."

"There is no reason why New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Canada should not be the four whelps alongside of the British lion going into the fight."

"Canadians are loyal. There is no doubt of it, for we are almost all descendants of Englishmen, Irishmen or Scotchmen."

The regiment had not been officially told from Ottawa to do anything. The meeting was held at the request of the officers so that the young men desirous of volunteering could hand in their names and addresses to the various captains (cheers).

"No orders have been received for mobilization."

The captains say they have been almost mobbed with young men and older men.

"Choose the captain you wish to go out with, give your name and address where he may find you, and any information he may ask so as to keep in touch with you."

Canada is raising an army corps to be mobilized near Quebec. It will consist of the flower of the nation. "I would like to see some of the Fif-

teenth there. It will be an honor to be enrolled among the men first chosen for physique, marksmanship, and efficiency."

It is not known whether the corps will remain in Canada. Possibly it will be used for Canadian defence or be taken to Great Britain for garrison purposes.

There may be a call for the Fifteenth Regiment or part to go elsewhere.

"What we want is the regiment to be ready when the call comes."

The greatest applause greeted Col. Marsh's speech. One man shouted, "You can get a thousand men."

The gathering at the armories was one of the most enthusiastic ever witnessed. Hundreds of the members of the regiment and hundreds of others were on the floor and in the offices of the various companies handing in their names. Officers moved about, but did not have to request any one to volunteer his services. Dozens poured into the rooms and gave in their names and as they came out, others went in. Some of the rooms were packed with young men. Among them were some veterans of the Boer war, Canadian and British. E. company had over thirty added names. The result of last evening's meeting was over one hundred and ten volunteers. Dozens out of town desire to enlist and go with the regiment if called out.

Mr. Henry Sneyd, president of the Belleville Rifle Association has tendered to Lt. Col. Marsh and the regiment the services of the members of the club who will attend at the rifle range or at the butts and instruct in rifle practice any and all who desire instruction. Col. Marsh gratefully accepted the offer and notified his officers.

## WELL DESERVED PROMOTION

### W. J. Huffman Promoted to Superintendent of Prudential.

Mr. W. J. Huffman, Sinclair street, who for the past three years has been collector for the city of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, has been promoted to Superintendent of the Eastern Division with headquarters at Brookville. Mr. Huffman will have Brookville, Gananoque and Iroquois under his entire charge. He leaves on Monday next to take up his new duties. During his residence in Belleville, Mr. Huffman has made many friends who will be sorry to hear of his leaving, but at the same time rejoice to hear that his services have been recognized by the company in giving him this well merited promotion. All join in wishing him every success in his new field of labor.

## THIRTY-FOURTH BATTERY READY

### Likely to be Among First Called Out—It is Very Efficient.

That the 34th Battery will be among the first called out in case of contingencies is almost assured, so stated a message received by Sergt. Douch, enroute of the armories of the artillery on Church street. This is on account of the good work of the artillery this season at Petawawa. The battery has been advised to recruit up to war strength.

At the meeting on Tuesday evening provided over by Lieut. (Dr.) J. J. Lett, every one of the boys offered services when appealed to by the chairman.

Sergt. Tett has written from Rosemead near Muskoka, stating that in case Major Rierdon of Madoc is needed, he can be secured by a telegram which he will send to the battery, by immediately rejoining the battery as fast as the train can bring him.

Men are constantly calling at the artillery armories to know if they can sign up for service.

The worst of British luck is that manifested by Mr. John Ross, who arrived only last Saturday from England. He was a policeman and a battery sergeant major in the old country with 21 years' service and five medals as decorations. Sergt. Douch says Mr. Ross would not leave until he had secured a uniform of the 34th as he is an enthusiast. Mr. Ross is a member of the 34th Battery.

The war strength of the 34th Battery in horses will be over 150 animals.

## MURRAY CANAL GUARDED BY THE 48TH HUSSARS

Whether as a precaution or to offset any designs of secret service men, on Wednesday morning, Col. T. D. R. Hemming, in command of the Third Division Kingston, ordered out "D" Company of the Forty-Eighth Hussars to guard the Murray Canal above Trenton.

It is stated this morning that the G. T. R., C. N. R., and C. P. R., received instructions from the Government to watch closely all their bridges.

## When Hearts Were Trumps

It is eight-thirty o'clock of a July night in the good old year of, let us say, 1885, and the sidewalks around the Hospital Lot are black with people—mostly young people, for the 15th Battalion, Argyle Light Infantry is drilling and the band is there and is going to give a concert after the manoeuvres are over.

The boys of the Fifteenth fondly imagine that the crowd is there to watch them drill, but, bless their hearts, not one person out of every ten gives a passing thought to the soldiers. The redcoats are simply an excuse for the people to gather, and, apart from that they might as well be drilling in South Africa for all the figure they cut. I say most of the people are young people. That's the answer. It's the finest place in the world for sweethearts to foregather and for the boys who have no particular girls, to "catch on" to some girls who prefer to have someone to see them home, to going home alone.

It is fun this evening, to watch the crowd promading back and forth from Rear Street, on the Hotel Street side to Hynes' House, on the Church Street side. Up and down, and across and back, back and across, and down and up. Good natured crowding everywhere and everyone having a good time.

The certain pair of boys pass and re-pass the certain pair of girls they have their eyes on, and whom they mean to take home a little later. The boys know they mean to take that particular pair of girls home and the girls know it, yet they pass and re-pass each other all evening, with but the briefest of spoken words, or the most indifferent of nods. They all know the others are simply "playing off."

But now the crowds are thinning out and our boys decide that when they next meet them they will stop

and join the girls. The walk from Conger's house around to Hynes' but no sign of the girls. Then it suddenly dawns upon them that they took one promenade too many, and that some more forehand pair of lads have "cut them out." Curse! And the worst of it is, they know they have no comeback. They were too slow, that's all. The really cruel part of it is, that they know the fortunate boys, and the girls, too, will give them the laugh the next time they meet.

I wonder how many Belleville Old Boys can lay their hands on their hearts and honestly say this never happened to them.

Front Street, on Saturday nights, in the old days, was the great meeting place for boys and girls. There was the same parade up and down, up and down "the fifty cent side," with the same innocent surmises and pleasures expressed when the pair of boys and girls finally stopped and joined out with each other. You'd think they hadn't laid eyes on each other until that very moment, although there probably wasn't a minute that they presented Miss Agate Granthrop with each other. You'd think they hadn't laid eyes on each other until that very moment, although there probably wasn't a minute that they presented Miss Agate Granthrop with each other.

Then, there was the stroll home together up the Station Road; or over the Upper Bridge toward the Grove or over the Foot Bridge and up Yeoman's Hill; or the Shady Walk up Bridge Street or the Kingston Road; or up the Montreal Bank Hill, and on to some destination on Taylor Hill.

I suppose it is no different now, for though kings come up and pass away, and empires crumble, the way of a man with a maid remains the same as it was away back there in the morning of the world, when Jimmy Stonehatchet went over to the rock from the side of which her father had chiseled out his dwelling, and presented Miss Agate Granthrop with a Dinosaur's tooth as a love token.

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## MERCHANTS' FIRST OUTING SUCCESS

### Grand Time at Twelve o'clock Point—Games and Sports

From Thursday's Daily

Under the auspices of the Belleville Branch of the Retail Merchants Association the first annual outing to Twelve O'clock Point Park was held yesterday afternoon. The steamers "Varuna" and "Brookville" brought huge crowds to the grounds from Belleville and Trenton and by the afternoon there must have been over eight hundred people at the park. A large number of automobiles came up and forty or fifty cars were lined up outside the gate.

Enthusiasm reigned supreme. The games were keenly contested, Boys' race 5 to 7. Jack Massey Douglas Marshall Boys' Race, to 10 years. Jack Marshall Wilfred Oretney Boys' Race 12 to 14 years. Wyn Buntun Tracy Walker Girls' Race 5 to 7 years. Mildred Curry May Hays Girls' Race 12 to 14 years. Anita Gauthier Rita Hunter Lady Clerks' Race. Miss McCoy Gladys Rayfield Single Ladies' Race. Anita Gauthier Miss Waite Ladies' Race. Mrs. Reading Mrs. Ellis Milliners' Race. Mrs. Ether Mrs. Tyce Mothers' Race. Mrs. Ether Mrs. Bell Best looking baby boy under 1 yr. Mrs. Davidson's baby Mrs. Bart Babooka's baby Best looking baby girl under 1 yr. Mrs. Clara Wallace's baby Mrs. Ethier's baby Gent Clerks' Race. Geo Kertcheson Tom Barrett 100 yards dash. George Kertcheson C. Osher Delivery and Express Men's Race. W. Buntun A. Bowyer Married Men's Race. George Tyce Cleveland Clapp Fat Man's Race. Bart Russell Suffragette Race. Harold Groves S. Hector Grandpa's Race. E. Russell Largest family on grounds. Mrs. J. W. Wallace's family 17 members being present Printers' Race. Max Herity W. Mills Merchants' Race. J. W. Davison Fred Smith W. G. Huffman

Owing to the lateness of the hour the water events, including swimming races, tub races, duck races, and pillow fight in canoes, were not contested.

Mr. Cameron, of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, was in charge of the events and the picnic in general.

The merchants in charge were—

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## PURELY PERSONAL

### Belleville Club News, Chicago.

W. J. Shanks, of the Belleville Club and Mrs. Shanks are holidaying in Canada. W. J. is taking a canoe trip in Northern Quebec and Mrs. Shanks is visiting relatives in Ottawa. They will stop at Belleville on their return journey.

The Harry Walkers entertained at their LaGrange home this month. Mrs. Fortier, of Minneapolis, Mrs. Walker's mother, is visiting at LaGrange and a party of friends from Chicago were invited out to spend the Fourth of July holidays.

Harry Ellsworth of the Belleville Club was married on June 17th to Miss Helen Staples. The honeymoon outing, including a trip to Belleville and other points East. The "New" congratulates Harry and wishes both young people a long and happy life together.

Dr. W. J. Gibson, of Belleville, was elected to a Fellowship in the American College of Surgeons and was installed at Boston at the Congress of the American College last month.

Mrs. Thomas Waterston and Miss Waterston, of Montreal, formerly of Belleville, visited in Chicago this month on their return from an extended tour of the Canadian Northwest.

J. E. Foley, of the Belleville Club, and Mrs. Foley, visited in Belleville this month.

## Fourth Concession Sidney.

Too late for last week.

Fourth Concession of Sidney, August 1.—Quite a number from here attended the Obedience decoration at Belleville country.

Miss Lillie Gay spent a few days at Mr. L. Bell's recently.

Master Herold Rowers has been spending his holidays at Mr. H. Hubels of the Third.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Redick and Miss Rose and Mrs. W. Phillips and Miss Maud motored out to Madoc, last Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. Ash.

Misses Dord and Lillie Ashley of West Huntingdon and Mr. Herb Gay of the upper North, spent Sunday with Mr. L. Bell.

The harvest is in full swing around here threshing is started.

Mrs. A. Spencer and Miss Mollie spent Wednesday afternoon of last week with Mr. Sidney Sharp.

Miss Etta Bell of Belleville spent over Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. T. Rowan and Miss Annie Rowan spent Monday at Mr. L. Bell's.

## DR. ROBINSON WAS IN WATERTOWN

### Photograph Recognized by Hotel Men.

Dr. C. K. Robinson, the missing Watworth physician, wanted in that place on a charge of having murdered Clarence Young, was in Watertown, a despatch from that city states, Thursday, July 16th until the following Monday and stopped it is thought, at the Arcade street hotel. A photograph of Dr. Robinson was shown Mr. Fletcher, proprietor of the hotel, who recognized it as a likeness of a man who stopped at the hotel. Inspector Miller, of the Toronto police, while there last week, unearthed a number of facts concerning Dr. Robinson's movements after he hurriedly left Kingston for Cape Vincent.

There are several in that city, who claim to know Dr. Robinson by sight. Inspector Miller endeavored to locate and talk with as many as possible who were one time residents of Kingston, and who might have noticed Dr. Robinson.

Just why the physician should remain in Watertown and court discovery is not clear to many, although Inspector Miller said that it frequently happens that criminals (hang about the scene of their crime, interested in developments. At the time that Dr. Robinson was in Watertown, there was no intimation that murder had been committed, the general belief being that the girl had eloped and that possibly Dr. Robinson was a party in the affair. As matters became warmed, the doctor probably decided to move on, and left for one of the larger American cities.

There is also the possibility that the wait in Watertown came about through a need of funds which were not available when he deamped from Canada, but which were later raised among his friends or relatives, and brought to Watertown and delivered in person.

Descriptions of Robinson have been sent broadcast during the last day or two. Before leaving for Canada Inspector Miller appeared confident that Dr. Robinson's apprehension would be a matter of but a short time.

## BELLEVILLE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

The members of the local rifle club certainly had their eye in the gutter, when they met at the butts for their weekly shoot and competition with the result that all records for the ranges were well broken. Conditions favorable per man at 200, 500 and 600 yards. Highest possible 105.

D. J. Corrigan ..... 100  
James Thompson ..... 97  
J. Douch ..... 97  
A. Haggerty ..... 94  
A. J. Stewart ..... 94  
A. Harman ..... 91  
J. Gibby ..... 90  
W. J. Andrews ..... 90  
J. W. Davison ..... 89  
W. Ridley ..... 88  
J. J. Shea ..... 88  
D. Asseltine ..... 85

Two rapid firing competitions also took place under service conditions. 7 shots at 500 yards in one minute. Highest possible score 35. Some excellent scores were made as follows—

1ST COMPETITION

J. Douch ..... 33  
A. J. Stewart ..... 31  
J. Thompson ..... 29  
H. Haggerty ..... 26  
D. J. Corrigan ..... 25  
W. J. Andrews ..... 20

2ND COMPETITION

H. Haggerty ..... 33  
J. Douch ..... 29  
J. J. Stewart ..... 21  
D. J. Corrigan ..... 21  
W. J. Andrews ..... 20

## Crookston.

(Too Late For Last Week)

Crookston, Aug. 3.—The sound of the threshing machine will soon be heard in our locality, as some of the farmers have their grain partly harvested.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Jas. Chambers is ill with malaria fever. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Margaret Sullivan returned to Belleville O.B.G. this morning to take the shorthand and typewriting course.

The congregation of the English church intend holding a lawn social on the church grounds on Wednesday evening.

Master Elmer and Miss Annie Wood are visiting their cousin, Mrs. Fred Blackburn, of Healey Falls.

The Misses Haggerty of West Huntingdon are visiting with Miss Estella Kilpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Evans of Actinolite spent the week-end with their sisters, Mrs. Lancaster and Mrs. Francis.

A few young people from West Huntingdon and one from Moira, attended church here on Sunday evening.

The suffragette and Fifteenth Regiment bands were on the grounds and furnished the music of the day. One old Scotchman on the grounds sat on the step of the stand and urged the band to play "Rule Britannia." This they did and the Scot took off his hat and cheered and said "Listen" and repeated the refrain of that great war song of the sea. He finished by requesting some Scotch music.

The merchants think their outing should be an annual affair on the civic holiday.

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