

MAY 29, 1917

THE CARLETON PLACE HERALD.

SOCIETY REGISTER

STELLA LODGE, No. 12, I.O.O.F.
meets every Tuesday Night
in the Hall, in Taylor's block.
Visiting brethren always welcome.
H. McLEARY, Noble Grand.
N. D. McLEARY, Sec.-Sec'y.

COURT MISSISSIPPI No. 78, I.O.F.
meets every 2nd and 4th Monday
in each month, at 7:30 p.m., in the
Chosen Friends Hall. Principal attend-
ance of members is requested.
Visiting brethren invited.
F. NOLAN, C.B. J. BENNETT, R.S.
N.E.—All dues must be paid in advance on or
before the 1st of the month. HARMON, F.S.

CARLETON COUNCIL, No. 37, C.O.C.F., meets
in the Chosen Friends Hall, second and fourth
Tuesday Evenings in each month, at 8 o'clock.
Visiting Friends welcome.
J. McFARLANE, C.G. W. H. ALLEN, Rec.

COURT ORION, No. 64, C.O.F., meets in the
Chosen Friends Hall, first and third Monday
in each month. Visiting brethren always welcome.
J. R. ROBERTSON, E.E. W. J. HUGHES, F.S.

O.I. No. 48 meets first Thursday in
each month in the Orange Hall,
two doors from postoffice. Fourth Thursday
for degrees. Visiting brethren
always welcome.
ROBERT WATKINS, W.M. ELLIOTT, R.S.

DISTRICT NEWS.

APPLETON.

Special to THE HERALD.
Miss McGregor and Miss Black, of
Almonte, are at present visiting Mrs.
Oxford.
Mrs. McGill (nee Mary Stewart) called
on friends on Thursday last.
Mr. G. Whyte, of Poland, spent the
week-end with friends here.

Some of the Almonte golf players
called on friends on Saturday, on their
way up to the C.P. golf links.
Rev. A. D. Fraser leaves next week
for Montreal, to attend the General
Assembly which meets there this year,
and will be gone over Sunday, but has
provided supply for his pulpit.
The ladies will sell ice cream on Miss
M. C. Wilson's lawn on Friday evening,
and purpose doing so every second
Friday throughout the summer.

ASHTON STATION.

Special to THE HERALD.
Miss Mary McFadden, of Appleton,
spent the twenty-fourth with her
mother, Mrs. J. McFadden.
Master Austin Hobbs, spent the
week-end with his mother, Mrs. John
Hobbs.

Miss Margaret Switzer, of Carleton
Place, spent the week-end with her
mother, Mrs. Hiram Switzer.
Miss Mary Sullivan and Mr. Jerry
Kitts, of Appleton, were married
Wednesday, Rev. Father Cavanagh of
Almonte, performing the ceremony.
Master Harold Herron, of Carleton
Place, spent the week-end with Mr.
Richard Collins.

Mr. John Forrest took in the Euchre
party and dance last Friday evening at
Almonte.

Mr. Bullis arrived home last Saturday.
He spent the winter months at Mowath
Station.

ALMONTE.

From the Gazette.
Miss Evelyn Lowry is visiting with
Mr. and Mrs. T. Lowry at Perth.

Mr. John Mullin has removed his
family to Braeside, where he has secured
a good position for the summer in
Gillies Bros. saw mill.

Mr. E. B. Dowdall, son of Mr. P. C.
Dowdall, was successful in passing his
first year law school examinations. Mr.
Dowdall is spending his vacation at his
home here.

On May 9th a message was received
by Mrs. R. G. Giles, stating that her
nephew, Pte. Stanley McKay Nesbitt,
was missing since April 9th. A week
later a message came saying that he had
been killed in action.

Reese Scott very kindly took a motor
load of the town golfers who have be-
come members of the Carleton Place
golf club over to the links on Saturday
afternoon, where they participated in a
most enjoyable game. The links are
located on the old Spiers property near
Appleton, which is an ideal place for
such purpose. The old stone house
makes a splendid club house, overlook-
ing, as it does, the Mississippi river.
The course is a "sporty" one just now,
the high water making no less than four
water drives, and if a player is not "on
to the game" there is surely trouble
ahead. The Almonte members are look-
ing forward to a good season's pleasure
with the Carleton Place golfers.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasing
entertainment was given in the lecture
hall of the Presbyterian church, under
the auspices of the W.M.S., Mr. R. C.
Patterson, barrister, Carleton Place,
gave a series of lantern views of pictures,
bearing mostly on the war, with a short
explanation of each. Rev. Mr. Newton,
Baptist minister, of Carleton Place,
gave several vocal selections, which
were so pleasing that he had to respond
to repeated encores. Mrs. Ramsey
also delighted the audience with a vocal
number.

Mr. Geo. Moran of Fort William,
writes, under date of May 17th, saying
that on that morning word had been re-
ceived of the death of his brother, Fred
Moran, who enlisted in the Cameronian
Highlanders of Winnipeg, and was killed
in action on May 6th. Fred Moran
was an Almonte boy. He was born in
Almonte, and lived here until grown to
young manhood, when he left for Toron-
to. He was a lacrosse player of more
than ordinary skill, and was a member
of the Almonte team when that game
was at its zenith here.

Word was received yesterday by Mrs.
J. H. Conn of the death of her brother,
Mr. Harry Burns, at Detroit, Mich. No
particulars are given, but the death
must have been very sudden, as no
intimation of illness had been received.
The remains are being brought to

Almonte, for interment. Mr. Harry
Burns was the second son of the late
Dr. Burns, and was born in Almonte.

From the Times.
The sad intelligence was received on
Tuesday that Pte. John Holland, son of
Mr. Geo. Holland, Union street, had
died of wounds recently received in
action in France. He enlisted here
shortly after war was declared in 1914,
and went overseas with the first contin-
gent.

The store in the Forge block, which
is being renovated and improved for
Mr. G. Okilman, of Carleton Place, who
will occupy the premises as a dry goods
store, will likely be finished in the
course of a week's time. The plate glass
windows were put in this week.

On Monday evening of last week a
serious accident befell Mrs. Percy Wright
(nee Miss Maud Gilmore) of Hamilton,
through being thrown from the side seat
of a motorcycle which her husband was
driving. As a result she received a
fractured skull and collar bone when
the machine skidded. An urgent mes-
sage was received on Thursday morning
by her father, Mr. John A. Gilmore,
and he immediately left for the city,
accompanied by his daughter, Miss
Mary Gilmore. Word was received on
Monday that Mrs. Wright was much
improved, and that it was highly prob-
able that she would recover.

WARSHIP FIGHTING TOPS.

They Are Now Mainly Used For Sentry
and Signaling Work.

Lord Nelson was killed by a musket
ball fired from the cross-trees of his
French antagonist. Because of this
fighting tops came into existence and,
being developed to keep pace with
other parts of naval construction, con-
tinue to be a traditional feature of the
world's navies.

A century ago, when fighting men—
marines, boarding parties, gun crews—
crowded the upper decks of a warship,
a sharpshooter posted aloft picked off
many a man. But a big battleship in
action today shows not a mark to the
man in the fighting top.

In the days when it still remained
possible for boatloads of armed men
to swarm up the sides and board a
fighting ship plunging shots were drop-
ped from the fighting top. But with
great steel walls overhanging the
waves and never an accommodation
ladder swung out for their welcome it
is impossible for uninvited guests to
set foot on the modern deck.

The captain of the fighting top is
usually in control of flag, semaphore
and heliograph signaling, leaving the
wireless to an invisible operator in-
terned somewhere in the ship's vitals.
He is the sentry against small inquisi-
tive craft and may enforce his orders
by the rattle of a light quick firer.

He has the outlook, reports and ques-
tions passing ships and has virtues as
a detective against spies. His func-
tions, however, are limited. He is not
high enough placed to see the subma-
rine creeping along a score of feet be-
neath the waterline, nor note its wake
of broken water.

The fighting top is in big cruisers
quite a massive affair and no longer
the tiny breastwork behind which the
picked riflemen of the ancient knigh-
tly kept there and used to check off
the work of the experts in the fire con-
trol tower. There are light quick firers
and machine guns, possibly also a high
angle gun or two for use against air
craft.—Pearson's.

An Outrage.
When Major General Sir John Mc-
Neill, V.C., was badly wounded at Es-
salam in the Ashanti war he emerged
from the bush exclaiming in angry
and indignant tones as if some one
had deeply insulted him, "An infer-
nal scoundrel out there has shot me
through the arm!"

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Topics where given are for the following Sabbath

Baptist Church

REV. E. T. NEWTON, Pastor.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
A.M.—
P.M.—Christian Baptism.

St. Andrews Church

REV. J. J. MONDS, B.A., Pastor.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
A.M.—
P.M.—No Fasting; No Forsaking.

Methodist Church

REV. W. G. HENDERSON, Pastor.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
The pastor being absent at Conference
a member of Conference will
occupy this pulpit next Sabbath.

St. James Church

REV. CANON ELLIOTT, Rector.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Zion Presbyterian Church

REV. W. A. DOWSON, B.A., B.D., Pastor.
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
A.M.—
P.M.—Memorial Service, in honor of
those of our men who have made
the supreme sacrifice.

CHECKED TEUTON ADVANCE.

Paris Tried Fiercely, But in Vain, to
Retake Ground.

PARIS, May 28.—German troops
made another futile effort in the
course of Saturday night to regain a
footing on the Chemin-des-Dames, in
the vicinity of the Moulin de Laf-
faux, the loss of which they feel
acutely. The French, however, bit
into the position so hard that the
Germans were unable to shake them
off anywhere, despite the fury of
their assaults.

All along from the Moulin de Laf-
faux past Hurtebise Farm to Cra-
on, which are the three most promi-
nent positions on the Chemin-des-
Dames, the artillery in both camps
thundered throughout the night.
Everywhere the French occupy the
military crest of the plateau, and
continually make further small ad-
vances and maintain their pressure.
The amount of territory gained in
these minor actions, which always
are minutely prepared and generally
fully successful, appears small when
looking at the map, but the tactical
strategic advantages cannot be esti-
mated on that basis.

The definite results of the pre-
sent fighting may first become appar-
ent weeks afterward. What is known
now is that the French can see and
can effectively bombard the German
big gun batteries in the valley and
on the plateau beyond. The German
position in this valley is precarious,
although the Teutons still hold the
western end, when they can engage
the low-lying ground and render the
task of the attackers difficult.

Caonne itself now is scarcely re-
cognizable as a town. Nothing re-
mains but a heap of stones and
bricks, while front, on the sharp
slopes toward the crest, the ground
is as badly holed as that around
Verdun. The capture of this place
was a feat of the highest military
daring in the face of strong posi-
tions armed with dozens of machine
guns, but as one of the French com-
manders said: "Our men marched
forward as though going to the
theatre."

One hundred and fifty Frenchmen
captured the same number of pris-
oners, besides inflicting awful losses
on the German defenders. The sides
of the plateau, which were assaulted
and taken later by the French, were
bored with tunnels leading to the
other side of the hill. These tun-
nels now are so many graves, in
which lie hundreds of German
bodies. The ends of the tunnels
have since been bricked up, making
permanent sepulchres.

CHANGES IN CABINET.

Reconstruction or Coalition May Fol-
low Latest Crisis.

OTTAWA, May 28.—Radical Cab-
inet reconstruction and a further
pause for reflection and well-con-
sidered counsels before invoking con-
scription, are the week-end develop-
ments in the political crisis at the
Capital.

Whether Cabinet reconstruction is
to drift into coalition, through the
exigencies of political uncertainties
on both sides and a sense of the wis-
dom of united effort by both parties
to meet the problems arising through
the conscription proposal, or whe-
ther it is to be undertaken by Sir
Robert Borden as a party and Gov-
ernmental necessity, is still problem-
atical.

There is a strong move on for
coalition among members on both
sides of the House. Whether the
practical difficulties in the way of di-
vergent party politics, affiliations,
and personal diversity of views will
prevent the carrying out of the coal-
ition scheme is uncertain. Sir Robert
Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier are
keeping their own counsels on the
subject, although there is reason to
believe that there has been an ex-
change of views between the two
leaders.

More Baby Killing.

LONDON, May 28.—Sixteen Ger-
man aeroplanes raided England on
Friday night. The report of Field
Marshal French merely locates the
scene in south-east England, but, ac-
cording to Berlin the cities attacked
were Dover and Folkestone. The
casualties were heavy, 76 being kill-
ed and nearly 200 injured. Nearly
all of the victims were women and
children. At the time of the raid the
streets were thronged. The raiders
were pursued and three of them were
brought down in the English Chan-
nel and off the Belgian coast.

If it had not been for hazy weather
and cloud-flecked skies, most Britons
believe their anti-aircraft defences
would have accounted for the air
raiders on England and the damage
would have been insignificant. As
it was the bombs were dropped over
a limited area, mostly in one town.

Not only were the 16 or so raiding
aeroplanes turned back after this, with
Royal Flying Corps men in hot pur-
suit, but naval planes of the Dun-
kirk station were instantly called
into service and engaging the enemy
on his return, shot down three ma-
chines. The raid occurred Saturday
evening in broad daylight.

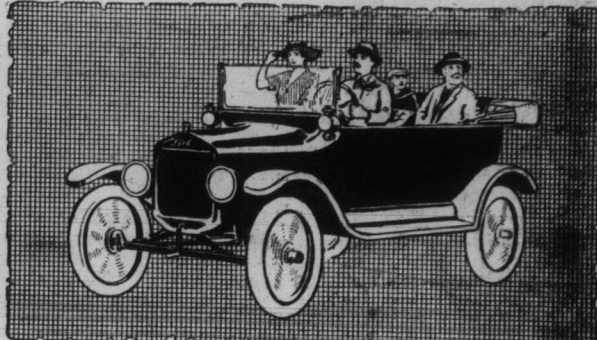
At one town were 14 women,
seven children and six men were
killed, the casualties were mostly of
those who huddled in the streets,
gazing aloft and striving to pierce
the low-hanging clouds through
which the deadly explosive bombs
were dropped, and locate the aerial
assassins above.

Japanese Rescued Troops.

TOKIO, May 28.—An announce-
ment issued by the Admiralty Sat-
urday says that the British troopship
Transylvania, which was torpedoed
in the Mediterranean on May 4th,
was being escorted by Japanese de-
stroyers. The destroyers engaged
the submarine. The Japanese re-
scued 2,800 out of the 3,000 troops
on the Transylvania, winning the
praise of Japan's allies by their
bravery.

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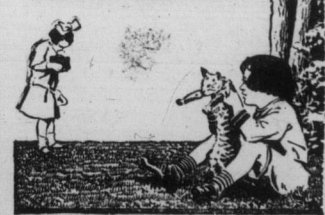
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