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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

PURPOSE OF OIL TANKS.

Editor, The Ontario.
Dear Sir,—The writer noticed an article in Friday's issue of the Belleville Ontario that the British American Oil Company Limited of Toronto, Ont., contemplated the installation of storage tanks on their property at the wharf for the purpose of storing road oil. This is in part an error and misleading.

It is true that our company will erect storage tanks and a warehouse immediately, but they will be used for gasoline, and Coal Oil and Lubricating oils in barrels, and they will in a very short time establish a tank wagon delivery for these products in Belleville and vicinity.

The writer will be pleased if you will kindly correct this error, as it is rather misleading to our customers and to the trade in general, and has been more or less embarrassing to us in making explanation.

The error no doubt came about through the fact that we made efforts before council on Thursday evening to encourage the use of asphaltic road oil sprinkling on city streets this season.

Thanking you in advance, we beg to remain,
The British American Oil Co.,
W. A. R. Schoonman,
Consulting Engineer.

Obsequies of

Late Mrs. Hall

One of the largest funerals in Thurlow in many days took place on Sunday when the remains of the late Mrs. Adam Hall were laid to rest. The obsequies were held from her late residence to St. Andrew's Protestant church on the fifth concession. Rev. Mr. McLeod of Kingston conducted solemn services at the home and at the church in the presence of a large gathering of friends. Many flowers marked the public esteem. All parts of the surrounding district were represented at the funeral. The bearers were five sons and the son-in-law of deceased. Interment was in St. Andrew's burying ground.

CALIFORNIA 1915.

The above is the title of a very handsome publication just issued by the Grand Trunk System, giving information regarding the Panama-California Exposition at San Diego, and the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. The publication is printed on heavy enameled paper, is profusely illustrated with views of both Expositions, scenes along the Grand Trunk Railway System and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and vistas of interesting sights on the Transcontinental lines west of Chicago. A comprehensive and intelligent map is also inserted, which gives a good idea of the new route to California, via the Grand Trunk Pacific to Prince Rupert, thence through the "Norway of Canada" to Vancouver, Vico and Seattle, thence to California by steamship or rail. The descriptive matter is concise and well written and deals with the several attractive routes that are offered. The Grand Trunk System, with 10,000 miles of lines, offers through its varied services and choice of routes, incomparable advantages to the California visitor in 1915. Many of the fares between the east and California, which are included in the publication, are the same via Prince Rupert as via Puget Sound, while a small additional charge is made on the lowest fare excursion via that route and includes charge for meals and berths on steamships between Prince Rupert and Vancouver and Seattle. A free copy of the booklet may be had by dropping a postal card to Mr. H. C. Thompson, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, Belleville.

Bullets Found in Back Yard

Thirteen .32 calibre bullets were found in a back yard on Front St. on Saturday. No one knows whence they came.

LATEST NEWS PARAGRAPHED

ITEMS FROM THE SURROUNDING DISTRICT FOR BUSY READERS

CHEAPER TO SEND CHILDREN TO SCHOOL.

A Campbellford man was last week charged with not sending his children to school. The magistrate imposed a fine which with costs amounted to \$8.35. This should prove a warning to others who are not observing the law in regard to compulsory education.—Herald.

OLD STIRLING RESIDENT DIED IN MICHIGAN.

John W. Green passed away at Almont, Mich., on Feb. 1st, 1915. The late Mr. Green was born March 4th, 1844, in Belleville, Ont. He spent his early life in Stirling and Belleville where he learned the carriage business. When 20 years of age, Jan. 1st, 1864, he was married to Laura Fox, of Stirling, and two weeks after he came to Almont. To this union one child was born, Mrs. Iva Wickling, of Detroit, who with the widow survives. After coming to Almont Mr. Green worked for five years alone, then went into business with John Sullivan and continued this for 18 years. In 1888, he moved to the farm business in Italy City and continued this until his death on Feb. 1st, 1915.

REV. J. J. RAE GOES TO INDIANA.

Rev. J. J. Rae, D.D., a well known Canadian and formerly pastor of the First Methodist Church, Chicago, to become pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Richmond, Ind.

FIRST NORWOOD BOY IN CASUALTY LIST.

Mr. F. W. Wilkins, D.T.S., of this village, was notified by telegraph from Ottawa Tuesday afternoon that a cable had been received announcing that his son, Lieut. Harold O. D. Wilkins, had been wounded on Sunday, March 14th. The extent of his injuries are not known, as no particulars were given.

Mr. Wilkins had just left the village, Tuesday noon, on business, but he was forwarded to him by the family here. He was away from morning he had received two letters from his son after an interval of three weeks or so. These are referred to elsewhere in this issue.

Lieut. Wilkins, who is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, holds a commission in the front of the English regiments at the front. He left Norwood early last fall upon receiving his appointment from the War Office.—Register.

CRUELTY TO CATTLE.

A man residing in North Monaghan was charged this week with ill-treating a number of cattle. The case is being heard before County Magistrate Langley in the County Court. County Constable Moore testified that he visited defendant's premises where he found a number of cattle that, in his opinion, were in an impoverished condition. A long list of witnesses were called, including a number of neighboring farmers and a veterinary surgeon.

LOOKING FOR A DESERTER.

Two members of the military Police force from Kingston arrived in town yesterday afternoon in search of a deserter. They enlisted the services of the local police and began a search for their man. It was ascertained that the man sought had left town supposedly for Ottawa after deserting from his military garrison here.

The visiting military police, in the course of their investigation about town, rounded up two other deserters who were here. One of them, H. W. Morgan enlisted at Picton, and left Kingston recently while under the influence of liquor. He expresses regret at his action and is anxious to return to his military unit. The other deserter captured has been quarantined under two names. At Kingston he enlisted under the name of Hugh Davis in the artillery, deserter from there and came to Brockville where he enlisted under the name of Cunningham, and was fined in the police court Monday last for using abusive language to a lady. Both men were taken up to the police headquarters while the military police proceeded to Ottawa in search of the man they originally left Kingston to find.—Brockville Times.

ENTRANCE EXAM. JUNE 21st.

The date for the high school entrance examination this year has been set for June 21st. The examinations will last for three days. The pass matriculation will start on June 11th and will be over by June 30th. The honor and scholarship matriculation will begin on June 9th and the upper school entrance into the normal schools will start on June 24th, winding up on June 30th.

The supplemental examination for those who did not pass or try to pass in June will begin on the 7th of September, winding up on the 17th.

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WORKMAN RECEIVES COMPENSATION.

Mr. Wilbert Reid on Monday received a cheque from the Workmen's Compensation Board, which is probably the first money paid in town under the new law. Mr. Reid was injured on Feb. 8th, while at work in the Pulp mill.—Campbellford News.

SMALL EGGS.

The pullets which are sending small eggs to town ought to be shown what their money can do. To pay present prices for eggs is almost enough to make a pigeon laugh is no joke to the man who has to earn the money.—Campbellford News.

NEED A FIRE INQUEST.

In the opinion of a great many of our citizens a fire inquest should be held to place the responsibility for the fire that occurred on Saturday morning last. No one believes for a moment that the blaze originated itself, and the only logical conclusion is that the bug was the cause. We have had a great many fires lately, some of which caused the loss of the houses concerned, while the others were only saved by the exceedingly good work of volunteer fire fighters. If nothing is done in the case referred to above nobody will feel safe from fire bugs and it may be that the insurance companies would feel justified in expelling risks in Havelock or raise their rates to a stiff figure. It is certainly up to the Council to hold an inquest in the interests of all our citizens. What about it gentlemen?—Havelock Standard.

TWO MORE HOUSES GONE.

Fire broke out in the empty frame house, opposite the Methodist church, on Saturday morning about 3 o'clock and by the time the flames were no longer under control the building was a pile of ruins. It was owned by Mr. H. Dobson of Trenton, and it is said that there was \$1000 of insurance on the building. The adjoining house, which was also empty, with the exception of Mr. C. Post's furniture, was saved, but the building was damaged and was totally consumed. It was owned by Mrs. D. Neal of town, who had \$600 insurance thereon. Mr. Stillman's garage was also in danger for some time, but escaped with a scorching.—Havelock Standard.

LIUET. DOXSEE LEAVES HOSPITAL.

"Lieut. Doxsee was discharged from the hospital on March 11th" was the cheering message in a telegram received by Mrs. Doxsee yesterday from Ottawa.

SALE OF BELLEVILLE HOLSTEINS.

Eighty high-class Holsteins will be put up for sale by the Belleville District Holstein Breeders' Club on April 1st, at Belleville. This sale is always an important one in Ontario's dairy industry, and the line of stock being put up this year is said to be equal to any year in the past. These cattle are all from the Belleville district, where Holstein breeding has been standardized through the work of this lively club, which has a continent-wide reputation.

EARLIER CHEESE SEASON.

That the cheese making season will open up as soon as possible in the spring is the opinion of Mark Sprague, a leading cheese buyer of Belleville. As soon as sufficient cows come in he will see the factories commence making cheese, and to the end of the year he believes there are slightly more cattle than a year ago, as a number had been sold off the province when the American tariff was lowered. The high cost of milk might cause some to go out of dairying, save on a small scale, but this would be unwise. It would be a case of working today only. In the past very often the cows were turned out to pasture to pick up what they could and then what milk could be got was taken. This year more care and better methods will be followed.

Mr. Sprague, who is one of the best silos in the Province for practical purposes, 31 years ago, in Prince Edward County. "That was when we sold cheese at 7c a pound," said Mr. Sprague, "and we made it pay."

BREACH OF PROMISE.

Miss Mary Ann Frederick, of Toronto, has entered action against Horace Hennessey, of Trenton, to recover \$10,000 damages for alleged breach of promise to marry.

CHEQUE ARTIST UNDER ARREST.

Trading on the uniform of a lieutenant to ply his business, a young man who swindled several Peterboro merchants out of various sums of money, has fallen into the hands of the police at Port Arthur and is being held there on a charge of passing counterfeit money.

It appears that his mode of operation was to tender cheques, usually drawn on the bank of Commerce, to merchants in payment of purchases, but these cheques, upon being presented for redemption, proved worthless. By this plan he strung merchants in Peterboro for amounts ranging from ten dollars to \$100.

The young lieutenant travelled under various aliases, some of which were James C. Gillespie, Harry F. Finlay, Harry R. Ferguson, Harry Kirby, William McKenzie and Wm. C. Marsden.

CHILD PASSED AWAY.

Ethel Bernice Knox, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox, Church street, died on Sunday

Busy Trenton

The Board of Education of the little city of St. Thomas is asking the city council for \$82,000 for ordinary current expenditures for 1915. Of the total amount asked, \$73,000 will be for teachers' salaries. What about asking the rate-payers of Trenton to pay \$60,000 for the purpose of providing healthy school quarters for advanced pupils. We were surprised to find that the city of Trenton is in the County that our schools were excellent. The High School staff is one of the best in Ontario, but the school and equipment could scarcely be worse. We have a lot of faith in the ability of Councillor O'Rourke to obtain results, and he has positively stated that we will see the Carnegie Library under way this summer so we may take it for granted that he will make good his promise. He also assures us that there is no possible reason whatever why a new High School should not also be built, as the library will not cost the rate-payers anything, and that the bug was the cause. And, by the way, what is the matter with having a new bridge also? A meeting of the Liberal Association is being called for an early date to select a candidate for the next Dominion election. Why bother about it?

A young man named Herman, of Frankford, a member of the 2nd Battalion, C.E.F., is reported killed in action in France, in to-day's casualty list. The funeral of the late Mrs. Jesse Funnell was largely attended to-day. The funeral services were held at the home of the late Mrs. Funnell, 1111 St. James street, at 2 o'clock. The funeral was held at the home of the late Mrs. Funnell, 1111 St. James street, at 2 o'clock. The funeral was held at the home of the late Mrs. Funnell, 1111 St. James street, at 2 o'clock.

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GIVEN YEAR FOR INDECENT ASSAULT.
Constable Rabey of Haliburton County, brought down a prisoner from Goderham, named Lawrence Barr on Thursday and had him placed in the county jail. He came up for trial a week ago on a charge of indecent assault on a young girl, and Magistrate Delamare sentenced him to a year in the Ontario Reformatory. He will be removed to that institution shortly.—Lindsay Post.

Local Patriotic Association
The Treasurer begs to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions since added to the lists published up to 13th March, 1915.
The total cash received up to 20th March amounted to \$6,239.84.
D. M. Waters \$50.00
Miss Anning 3rd con 10.00
J. J. B. Flint 3rd and 4th con 10.00
C. M. Stark, Esq. 5.00
H. LaVoie, March 5.00
There were many contributions in kind.
D. & D. staff, etc. for Feb. 47.50
Mrs. R. P. Davy has gone to Montreal to attend the funeral of her brother, the late George Grant.

CITY COUNCIL VOTES

Hearty Epaig

A hearty endorsement of the City Council's decision to lay the main sewer line at 9.30, some twenty-five representatives marched to the City where they were kind enough to lay their proposition. F. Wills, Col. Lazier, F. E. O'Flynn, Wm. Ponton, R. Tannahill of the Belleville Council, example of the number of citizens throughout Ontario, the passing of the Fund, authorized by special

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