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The ice harvest has commenced.
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the demand is far in excess of the supply.

Mr. J. H. Saunders is advertising his
business and property at Prospect for
sale.

Mr. Currie, of Ottawa, rendered a
solo very acceptably on Sunday evening
in Zion Church.

Quebec defeated Ottawa in the hockey
race on Saturday by 3-2, and now leads
in the championship.

Mrs. J. H. Miscener, Moore street, has
returned from Tilsonburg, after a visit
to her mother, who was seriously ill.

Miss Murphy, of Ottawa, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murphy, was a
week-end visitor to town, guest of Mrs.
R. E. Bok.

A very interesting film showing Canadian
Women's part in the making of Munitions, is
expected to arrive for exhibition at the Reg-
Theatre, on Wednesday and Thursday of this
week.

The Street Commissioner has disposed
of one of the town's fine bay horses, and
is looking for a younger animal to match
the team.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sutherland have re-
turned home from a prolonged visit to
their daughter, Mrs. Jos. Lowe, at
Joliette, Que.

Our esteemed cotem has added a
type-setting machine to his office equip-
ment. We congratulate him upon this
evidence of progress.

The Hawthorn Mills, Limited, has
been incorporated by Letters Patent
under the Dominion Companies Act,
with capital stock of \$200,000, in shares
of \$100 each.

The Enactment Oddfellows had a
field night last Friday when nine candi-
dates were elevated to the patriarchal
degree. All were from Almonte. At
the close of the meeting the visitors
were entertained to refreshments.

The ball given by the young men last
Friday evening was quite a success. A
number of visitors were present from
outside. Valentine's orchestra present-
ed an attractive musical programme.
The Red Cross Society will be \$25 a-
head from the proceeds.

Mrs. S. J. Allen has disposed of her
house on William street to Mr. T. C.
Arthur, who moves to town about the
end of March. Mrs. Allen has leased
Mrs. Murphy's house on Bridge street,
recently vacated by Mr. J. C. Jeffrey,
where the Misses Allen will be conveni-
ently located for their music studio.

Mr. G. W. McCreary, real estate
agent, Ottawa, last week negotiated a
sale whereby property on the Market,
consisting of stores and residences
changed hands, the amount of the trans-
action being in the neighborhood of
\$125,000. The property was formerly
owned by Mr. Farah, of Brooklyn, N.Y.,
and was purchased by Jacob Freedman,
wholesale produce merchant, Ottawa.

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Co. Assessment Appeal.

The town of Perth has appealed
against the equalization of the assess-
ment for the different municipalities in
the county as fixed by the county council,
this equalization being made for the
purpose of fixing the county rate to be
paid by each municipality. A pre-
liminary hearing was held at Perth on
Tuesday before His Honor Judge Scott,
and the mode of procedure to be adopted
was arranged, and the matter was
adjourned until Tuesday, February
27th. Mr. J. A. Stewart appeared for
the town of Perth; Mr. J. S. L. Mc-
Neely for the town of Carleton Place,
and Mr. W. H. Stafford for the County
of Lanark.

Pembroke Wins the Tankard.

In the Central Canada bonspiel at
Renfrew last week the Pembroke cal-
lants won the final match and the
championship prize. In the first draws
Ottawa won from Renfrew by 10,
Smiths Falls from Almonte by the same
score and Pembroke from Arnprior by 6.
Pembroke got the bye and Ottawa
defeated Smiths Falls by the unlucky
number, 13. In the final Pembroke
defeated Ottawa by 7. In the consol-
ation contest Smiths Falls defeated Ar-
nprior and Renfrew and won out by 6.
In the single rink competition Smiths
Falls also won out.

Mr. S. Morrison, of Winnipeg, is
spending a few days with friends here.

To-morrow will be Ash Wednesday
and the first day of Lent.

Miss Helene Bangs, of Ottawa, is
spending a few days in town, the guest
of Miss Mary Scott.

The Lanark and Renfrew Presbytery
is in session in Carleton Place to-day,
with a very full docket.

George Sparks, a native of Bells Cor-
ners, died at Carleton on the 12th inst., at
the ripe old age of 89 years. He is sur-
vived by three sons and three daughters.

By the death of Rev. A. A. Scott the
last surviving member who was present
at the organization of the Lanark and
Renfrew Presbytery in 1878 has passed
away.

The firemen had another run yester-
day afternoon for a fine that was aban-
doned at the home of Mr. J. McMullen on
Queen street. The flames were ex-
tinguished without the use of the hose.

Mrs. John Foster, of Smiths Falls, met
with a painful injury when she fell
down the steps from the kitchen to the
woodshed and broke her left arm at the
wrist. It was also dislocated at the
elbow.

SESSIE HAYAKAWA, the great Japanese actor-
in "Alien Souls," also a comedy from the cele-
brated Bray Studio, Wednesday and Thursday, at
the Star.

Renfrew has virtually captured the
upper Ottawa hockey championship. In
the last series they won from Arnprior
6 to 1, whilst the 240th defeated Pem-
broke 9 to 2 and Almonte won from
Carleton Place by 3-1.

Canon G. W. G. Groat, clerical
secretary and registrar of the Anglican
diocese of Ontario, died last Wednesday,
in his 80th year. He was at one time
rector in Carleton Place. Mr. Trevor
H. Groat, of Arnprior, is a son.

Miss Margaret Brown, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, at present
matron of a hospital in Salem, Mass.,
had the misfortune to have a leg broken
above the ankle a few days ago, on a
toboggan slide. We understand the
fracture is not a bad one, but the
accident is a serious handicap to Miss
Brown in her responsible position.

The British Columbia Bantam Bat-
talion, the 143rd, 983 strong, Lt. Col. A.
Bruce Powley, O.C., recruited as infan-
try and converted into a railway con-
struction unit about six weeks ago, pass-
ed through here last Wednesday, en
route east. Mr. Jos. Powley, of Toronto,
formerly of Kingston, came this far to
meet his brother in passing and wish
him God-speed.

After an illness of some months which
gradually wasted his vitality, Mr. Thos.
Lynch passed away somewhat suddenly
on Saturday, Jan. 27. The late Mr.
Lynch was a son of Michael Lynch and
was born in Ramsey fifty years ago.
When quite a boy he moved with his
parents to Huntley, where he resided
until his death. He was the youngest
of a family of eight. Those surviving
are Mrs. Hugh Kennedy and John Lynch,
of Huntley; Michael of West Port, Cal.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S DEBATING UNION

The Methodists and Baptists Try
Conclusions.

The first meeting of the above society
was held in Zion Church on Friday
evening last, when the comfortable and
commodious Sunday school hall of the
church was well filled by representatives
of the several unions.

Rev. Mr. Newton, President of the
Union, occupied the chair, and after
scripture reading and prayer, explained
the object of the society, its rules, and
announced the subject of the first
debate: "Resolved that the 'Dreamer'
is superior to the 'Doer' as a world
asset."

The debate was between the Metho-
dists, represented by Miss McFadden
and Mr. Dean, who upheld the affirma-
tive; and Miss Schwerdfefer and Miss
Cram, of the Baptist church, who upheld
the negative.

The leaders were allowed 15 minutes
each, and the other two 10 minutes
each, with an extra three minutes for
the leader of the affirmative to reply.

For an hour both sides battled to con-
vince the judges—Mr. R. Patterson, Mr.
J. S. L. McNeely and Wm. Robertson
—that their side should win. At the
conclusion Mr. Newton requested the
judges to retire in order to come to a
decision, during which time solos were
rendered by Miss Jessie Simpson and
Miss Queenie Allen.

Principal Robertson, who was selected
to announce the decision, came to the
platform, and after complimenting both
sides on their excellent presentation of
the case, stated that the decision of the
judges was that the negative side won.

The next debate will be between Zion
Church and St. Andrew's, if the latter
decide to enter, otherwise between Zion
and the Baptists.

The consensus of opinion seems to be
that the union will be fruitful of much
good in bringing out talent that is found
in all to a greater or less degree.

Rev. Mr. Dobson was absent through
illness, but Rev. Mr. Henderson repre-
sented the Methodist body and Rev.
Mr. Newton the Baptist body.

The meeting was brought to a close
by singing one verse of "God Save the
King."

The slight thaw of Saturday afternoon
had the effect of settling the snow some
and consolidating the roads.

At the meeting of Drummond Council
last week a grant of one thousand dollars
was made to the Patriotic Fund.

Sergeant S. Houston, Corps R. Menzies
and W. Coyle, P.M.S. H. Robertson, J.
Corkery, H. Williamson and Signallers
H. Umphrey and A. Houston, of the
Queen's Ambulance Corps, Kingston,
are spending a few days at their respec-
tive homes here.

Mr. Robert Korry who left Perth 36
years ago, arrived here Monday, the first
time he has been back to the place of
his birth since he left. He has covered
almost every foot of the North American
continent in that time. He is a son of
the late Mr. George Korry, who was
noted all over Eastern Ontario half a
century ago by reason of his reputation
as a maker.—Expositor.

Sad Death in Dalhousie.

A sad death occurred in Dalhousie on
Saturday, when Mrs. Robert E. Duncan
passed away suddenly, from convulsions,
succeeding confinement, when a healthy
little baby girl was born. The deceased
lady was before her marriage, 16 months
ago, Miss Barbara Donald, daughter of
Mr. Matthew Donald, and was about
25 years of age. The funeral took place
yesterday, when Messrs. F. C. Donald,
J. D. and C. E. R. Taylor, Thos. Houston
and A. C. Brown drove up to be present
at the obsequies. The bereaved have
the sympathy of many friends in their
sorrow.

To Purchase Storage Battery System.

At an adjourned meeting of Council
last night, the special committee ap-
pointed to visit Smiths Falls to inspect
the electric fire alarm system, reported
very favorably of it and recommended
its adoption here. The report of the
Committee was received and adopted,
and a resolution was passed to close a
contract with the Northern Electric Co.
for the installation of a system, as out-
lined at the last meeting of Council, the
contract price to be \$944. The primary
object of the change is efficiency, whilst
the saving in upkeep will pay for the
plant in a few years.

Sudden Death of Robert McLanahan.

The many friends in Carleton Place
of Mr. Robert McLanahan, a former
resident of the town, will learn with
regret of his death, which occurred
suddenly about 3 o'clock this morning,
at his home in Brockville. The de-
ceased was a man of sterling character
and most highly esteemed by all who
knew him. He was born in Drummond
township. For many years he was an
employee of the C.P.R. shops here,
retiring when attaining his super-
annuation. He was a Presbyterian in
religion, and an elder of St. Andrew's
church. On removing to Brockville he
transferred his membership to St. John's
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