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## Talk of the Town And of the Country

Myles' tractors of Deseronto, have been drawing sections of a highway from Perry's field to the C. N. R. tracks. The material will be shipped to Belleville to be used in the construction of a pavilion for Rev. Father Killen.

The police had a call to Pinnacle street, where some suspects were hanging about yesterday at noon. As they were not disorderly they were only ordered to move on.

The following were successful in securing their degree of M.D., C.M. at Queen's University, Kingston, announced Saturday morning:—  
H. F. Preston, M. B., Napanee.  
C. F. Wallbridge, M. B., Picton.  
E. F. Ward, M. B., Foxboro.  
H. W. Whytock, M. B., Madoc.  
R. Glenn Davidson, of Rossmore, received the degree of B. A. having completed combined courses.

On Friday, Allan Stroud, the Kingston Government Employment agent, placed five men in positions at Belleville. The men were working on the construction work out near Westbrook, but evidently did not like the work.

Roy Shaw, a well known farmer living near Hickman, Ky. took 200 pounds of wool to Hickman the other day, which he sold for 30 cents a pound, or for \$60. Then he purchased a suit of clothes for his son, and found that the money he received for the wool was just enough to pay for the suit. He says there are about four pounds of wool in a suit of clothes, and on that basis the wool he sold will make 50 suits, which, if sold at \$60 a suit, would bring the seller \$3,000. Allowing one-half for labor and other materials going into the suit, somebody will get a profit of \$1,500 on a \$60 investment, he figures.

Bread has gone up 2 cents a 3-lb. loaf the price now being 26 cents. In Campbellford, with staple articles of food like bread at 26 cents, potatoes at 7 cents a lb., sugar at 22 cents, the dollar bill disappears like snow before a July sun.

At a preliminary meeting of the Campbellford Lawn Bowling and Tennis Club, Dr. Longmore presiding, it was decided to take steps necessary for the successful completion of the equipment of the grounds which the club leased from the Government a few years ago. The hearty co-operation of our citizens will be appreciated in this worthy project of which the town has been sadly in need.

Rev. Clarence E. Sills and Mrs. Sills, from England, were in Picton last week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ephraim Sills, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sills have just returned from a

trip through Italy. Mr. Sills is a Picton boy, his parents being prominent residents at Picton in the early days. Their home was the residence on Main street east now owned by Mrs. A. W. Hepburn.

Mrs. Wm. Hardy, of Tweed, has just received word that her son, Geo. Hardy, has been made Assistant General Manager of the Everitt Bros. factory in Detroit where auto painting is done. He has worked with these people for the last four years and has made rapid progress to his present position.

The transplanting of tomatoes at the Dominion Canners Farms' green houses at Wellington, was completed on Friday last after seventeen days spent at this work by the number of women engaged with Mr. Clarence Ward reported as carrying off the honors for transplanting the largest number of young plants.

The schooner Newlands is here discharging a load of coal brought from Oswego.

The Idyll Wyld is at the government wharf with 70,000 gallons of molasses for the Industrial Alcohol Company, Ltd., Corbyville. The Idyll Wyld came from New York via the Oswego Canal.

According to an order issued by the United States Secretary of the Treasury recently and taking effect Sunday last all craft plying into American ports on Sundays and holidays must pay a fee of \$10.75 per day for all Sunday and public holiday runnings, the order being to recompense customs officers for extra work involved. The ferry steamer Bigelow comes under the new ruling and on Sunday last Captain Chambers was obliged to forfeit to the customs office at Morrisville the sum of \$21.50 for running on Sunday and Monday, the latter being Memorial Day and a public holiday. It is expected this fee will be further increased on July 1 when the Immigration Department officials will come under a similar law.

Apart from the hay crop everything looks well for a good yield this coming harvest, but rain is needed in nearly every locality. The farmers are preparing for the root crops and during the last few days there has been a wonderful growth. However there are immense clouds of dust indicating there is harrowing on the fields, there is the great need of rain in some places the alkali is going to be very short.

The record for early bathing in the lake is held by Horace and Arthur Smith, of Port Hope. Both young men took a dip in the blue waters of Lake Ontario on May 18 when the water registered only 32°. Wednesday they enjoyed several

plunges from the end of the pier when the water was much more to their liking, registering 64°.

Peterboro was chosen as the 1921 convention place for the Knights of Columbus, Ontario State Council, now closing its session at Port Arthur.

Officers elected were:—State Deputy, L. V. O'Connor, Lindsay; State Secretary, J. R. Boyd, Windsor; State Treasurer, R. A. Jeffery, Amherst; State Advocate, T. P. Battle, Niagara Falls; State Warden, Louis Gignac, Penstang; Chaplain, Bishop Fallon, London.

Delegates to the Supreme Convention at New York in August are H. L. Humphrey, Hamilton; J. R. Boyd, Windsor; J. J. Duffus, Peterboro; R. A. Jeffery, Amherst; F. J. McCarthy, Fort William.

The May professional examinations of the College of Physicians and Surgeons were held in Grant Hall Tuesday and Wednesday. About twenty students representing Queen's and McGill, are writing. Dr. J. F. Sparks presided. The oral tests were held Thursday forenoon at the General Hospital. Similar exams. are being held at Toronto and London.

The estimates for the year 1921 passed by the Legislature during the session that closed on Saturday, total \$17,941,557.15. It is found upon examination under departmental divisions that no provision was made for the continuance of the Faculty of Education at Kingston, but this does not mean that the city loses anything by this. As a matter of fact it gains by the greatly increased grants to Queen's University and the special hospital grant. The grant to Queen's University Faculty of applied science is \$42,000, Queen's University special hospital grant \$80,000, Rockwood Hospital \$247,750, additions and repairs \$6,000.

A man representing himself as "King George's cousin," attempted to land off the ferry at Cobourg one night last week, but the immigration officials, with no fear of gaining the disfavor of H.R.H., refused permission. The man, who was deranged, was sent back to Rochester under guard.

By a score of 12 runs to 4 the Oshawa Central League baseball team defeated the Lindsay team in the opening game of the playing season in that town on Wednesday afternoon. Although the Oshawa boys got away to a bad start in the first two innings, owing to a long drive out, they came through with five runs in their half of the third which proved to be enough to win the game and while holding the Greyhounds scoreless for the balance of the game they added more tallies to their list and won out by a big margin.

Motorcycle riders and auto speeders should occasionally slow down to a mile a minute so they can get some idea of where they are going.

At the meeting of the Frontenac Cheese Board, Thursday afternoon over 700 boxes of cheese were boarded, all selling at 29 1/2 cents. The election of officers was scheduled for Thursday's meeting, but was postponed until the next meeting.

A motor truck load of furniture from Pontypool met with a mishap when nearly arrived at its destination in Westmont at an early hour Wednesday morning. The load was too heavy for the wooden bridge over the ditch on King street, Oshawa, leading into the Butt property and the bridge went through, letting the truck wheels into the ditch. The load had to be taken off before the truck could be gotten out.

Hugh Macdonald, Renfrew, paid what he thinks is a record price for hogs, when he gave one farmer a cheque for \$175 for two animals and another one \$150 for three. One of the last bunch weighed in the neighborhood of 500 lbs. and had it been sold singly it would have brought its owner about \$95.

George Laturney, Jr., Kingston, who won first place in the Olympic road trial Thursday, is a youthful rider who gives promise of some good work. He is aged thirteen and a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Laturney. He has made a good start in his father's footsteps, for some years ago George Laturney won many races in that district. The lad on Thursday rode a wheel which his father rode in races twenty years ago. It weighed ninety pounds, being much heavier than the class of racer now in use.

Several letters have come to Chief Friend of Oshawa's police force in the last few days, asking them to be on the lookout for various men. One of these is a murder-

er from Montreal, another a man charged with embezzlement, another murderer, and other criminals, including one who jumped his bail in Boston.

Mr. Alex. Burk, Ingolby, near Lindsay, received a surprise one morning in the shape of a large moose which he found among his horses in the pasture. The horses were driven up to the house and the moose unfraid, stayed with them, giving the family a good view of it. However as it was frightening the horses badly, out onto the road he was sent and there he waited until the cows were lead down the road to pasture. Again the moose was denied admittance and for two hours passed the time by walking between the pasture and the house. But an auto coming from one direction and a wagon from the other were too much for him and, after standing his ground till they were quite near he cleared the fence and soon disappeared.

On Wednesday evening at the Assembly Hall of the Hotel Dieu Hospital Kingston, a very pleasing event took place when eleven nurses graduated. The graduation exercises were scheduled to start at eight o'clock but long before that hour relatives and friends of the graduating nurses filled the hall to the doors, making it necessary for the doors and windows to be left open in order that those on the outside might also witness the exercises. Sister Carmel Hopkins of Tweed, was among the eleven in the graduating class.

Although burning of brick at the municipal brickyard on Park street Brockville, has not yet commenced the burning of a kiln containing 100,000 brick will be commenced on Tuesday next. W. E. Driscoll, chairman of the Housing Commission, said Friday morning. When the plant is running at capacity within a short time, 20,000 bricks will be turned out daily.

On Tuesday evening a call was received from Grifton by Chief Ruse, of Cobourg, asking him to come down and get a crazy woman, who had been hanging around that village for several days, and was then hiding in the swamp. She is believed to have come to Grifton from Belleville.

Bert Airhart, an employee of the Board of Pensions Commission, Ottawa, was sentenced to two years in the Portsmouth Penitentiary, on each of several counts of embezzling and forging pension cheques. The sentence will run concurrently.

Mr. Jesse Bradford and Mr. S. M. Scott of Lindsay, who have heretofore carried on a law business in the Hopkins Block of that town, under the name of Bradford & Scott, have entered into partnership with Mr. P. D. Moore, K. C., and the business of these two legal offices will hereafter be carried on by these three gentlemen in partnership under the firm name and style of Moore, Bradford & Scott. The new firm will hereafter carry on business in the offices formerly occupied by Moore & Jackson over the Dominion Bank.

Major-General J. H. Elmsley, C. B., C. M. G., D.S.O., the new general officer commanding M.D. NO. 3, arrived in Kingston, on Monday, to take over his duties. He visited the armories, and was met by all the officers of his staff. He returned to Toronto Tuesday to complete arrangements for his permanent residence in Kingston. Major-General Elmsley was a Lieut.-Col. of the R.C.D. and general staff officer, M. D. NO. 2, in 1914. He went to France with that unit in the 1st contingent. There he commanded the 3rd Infantry Brigade in the 3rd Canadian Division, until his appointment to command the Siberian expeditionary force, when he returned to Canada, organized the force and proceeded to Vladivostok, where he remained until the force was recalled upon demobilization. Major-General Elmsley is one of the youngest Canadian officers to attain the rank of Major-General, being but forty-three years of age. He was appointed Lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Dragoons June 15th, 1898, and served on the staff of the 1st Mounted Infantry Brigade in the South African war.

On Saturday in Cobourg police court, Chas. H. Seguire, of Codrington, was fined \$200 and costs for having liquor other than in his own private residence. Some time ago Seguire got in 15 cases of liquor, which he stored in a bee-house, as he did not want his parents to know of it. The liquor had not been touched when his place was searched by Inspector Goodrich. No disposition has as yet been made of the liquor.

The next of kin of every Canadian soldier killed in the war, or who may

die within the next six years, from causes attributed to his service during the war, is to receive a handsome memorial plaque and scroll, accompanied by a message from his Majesty the King. An announcement to this effect has been made by the militia department at Ottawa.

Mr. Leonard T. Hwang, a native of China, passed through Picton last week. He stopped at Globe Hotel Thursday night. Mr. Jack Lim Chu, Mr. W. H. Brown, Mr. Chong Smith, Mr. Sam L. Chong gave him a hearty welcome and Mr. Jack Lim Chu drove him to Demorestville. Mr. Hwang has been in Italy, Switzerland, France, Belgium. He studied Economics in London University. At present he is pursuing his theological course and the course of philosophy in Wycliffe College and University College in Toronto. He intends to preach the gospel to his own people in China. He is helping the U. C. B. S. for this summer. His purpose is to study the Christian spirit of this country and to bring home to the Canadian people the urgent spiritual need of China. He says that the opportunity for preaching the gospel to the Chinese is simply unprecedented; if we let the chance slip by it will be very much more difficult to convert China in the future. He also says that the new menace to China is the materialism and worldliness of which Japan is trying to convert her. The responsibility rests with those who are true and earnest Christians, and who have a far sighted view of this world at large.

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening an interesting ceremony was held, that of the ordination and induction of Elders. Messrs. Isaac Sills and W. M. Leslie are the new Elders. Mr. R. Templeton who was previously ordained as Elder was inducted last evening. The Rev. A. S. Kerr, M.A. officiated at the ceremony.

In the county court list of actions one of the cases, Megow vs. Rathbun Co. was wrongly given in Saturday's issue. Messrs. Ponton and Fonton represent the defendant company and not Messrs. O'Flynn, Diamond and O'Flynn.

The annual meeting of the Campbellford Cheese Board was held on May 18th, Mr. W. M. Stephens in the chair.

The treasurer presented his report showing a balance on hand of 8 cts. On motion the report was adopted. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—W. M. Stephens.  
1st Vice President—Wm. Grills.  
2nd Vice President—Fred Barnum.  
Secretary Treasurer—G. A. Kingston.

Auditors—Local Bank Managers. On motion of Messrs. Ruthemord and Cook the secretary was instructed to send a letter of condolence to the family of the late John Elmhirst. There were 385 cheese for sale, Mr. Bird getting 145 at 31 cents, the balance being unsold.

After the board adjourned most of the salesmen disposed of their cheese at the above price.

On Sunday morning at one twenty o'clock, Police Constable Charles Thompson found a man walking through the Fruit Machinery Company's premises with a bag over his shoulder. He stopped the stranger who said the articles, soap, syrup and about half a bag of potatoes had been given to him but finally admitted that he took them from the Albion Hotel kitchen. The man gave the name of William Joseph White, night man at the Albion. The constable placed him under arrest. This morning White pleaded guilty to stealing from his employers and was remanded.

A Toledo woman spied a handsome gold and silver dog collar on her husband's desk and thought what a nice necklace it would make. She snatched it around her neck to try it, then she learned that her husband had lost the key. Being game, she made the best of it, wore the collar on a shopping tour and went with her husband to a fashionable restaurant and to a theatre that night. The next day a key-maker took the collar off.

Gen. Rose, of Kingston, and well known in Belleville, is a member of the legislature committee to consider the whole question of Ontario Temperance Act amendments and the possibility of improving the act and its operation.

Because of the water being so low in the lakes and river, the big freight steamers are navigating with the greatest of caution. Practically all of these steamers are loading from one to two inches less than the

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14 foot mark which they have previously loaded to, it is reported that some of the heavy draft United States shipping board steamers have recently pouched quite heavily going through the Rapide du Plat.

Captain Luke M. Allen, of Morrisburg, has fitted out the tug Mark R. to help vessels swinging into the Morrisburg canal at the head of the Rapide du Plat on account of the low water.

Fishing in Lake Ontario this summer is the best in years, and all the fishermen, T. J. McMahon, V. A. Roach and Elliott Bros., of Port Hope, are reporting big catches of white fish. After supplying the Port Hope demand, Mr. Roach ships to Chicago and the Elliott Bros. ship to New York.

Some person or persons entered the new Citizens' Dairy, on Coleman street, last night and stole two five-dollar parcels of silver. The police are working on the case.

Frank Dunning reports to the police that last night while out driving in an automobile with others, he lost his watch. Whether it was stolen or not remains to be seen.

The city council tonight will take up urgent financial matters, including the question of letting further paving contracts and will deal with the problem of the Pinnacle street agreement. Tonight's meeting is an adjourned meeting.

Saturday afternoon and night brought a blessing to the drying earth in this section in a good down-pour of rain, which penetrated the

soil. Fortunately yesterday was a cool and dull day—a condition which will prove of untold benefit to the crops.

Mr. Sam Howes, who served with the Imperial Forces in the Great War, left Belleville this morning for Kingston where he will enter the military hospital for ear treatment for a few days.

At Cobourg on Saturday the Belleville G.T.R. champions added another scalp to their belt when they defeated Cobourg Central Ontario League team by the score of 12 to 7. The feature of the game was Catcher Mill's home run.

Havelock baseball team will play in Belleville on Friday, June 11th against St. Michael's Club of Belleville in the opening game here of the Trent Valley League, which is affiliated with the Intermediate O. B. A. A.

On Sunday morning the Argill Light Infantry and the G.W.V.A. and veterans of other wars, paraded to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church where the Rev. A. S. Kerr, M.A., addressed them on the subject of character building. His discourse was followed very closely by the soldiers, the veterans and the congregation.

LUXURY TAXES MAY BE AMENDED

OTTAWA, June 7.—The luxury taxes may be amended. Rumors of changes in the schedules are current here.