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THE CARLETON PLACE HERALD.

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SOCIETY REGISTER

STELLA LODGE No. 125, I.O.O.F. meets every TUESDAY Night in the Hall, 8 Taylor's Block. Visiting brethren always welcome.

A. P. WILLIAMSON, N. D. McALLAN, Sec'y.

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Visiting brethren invited.

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ROBERT WEIR, W.M. ELI CORR, R.S.

DISTRICT NEWS.

APPLETON

Special to THE HERALD.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Code, of Ottawa, called on friends last Friday.

Mr. John Paul, and Mrs. Harvey, of Poland, visited friends a few days ago, also Mrs. M. Paul of Middleville.

Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Jaques, of Bisby, Man., spent a day with their cousins here.

Miss Drummond, of Toronto, called on friends here on Sunday.

Miss R. Teskey returned home to-day from Quebec, where she has been for the last three weeks.

Mrs. Hart with her two daughters is visiting at her home in Poland at present.

Mrs. James Wilson, who has been visiting friends here, returned to her home in Ottawa to-day.

Mrs. James Pye is visiting her daughter in Toronto at present.

Mr. Barnes, of Smiths Falls, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Buchanan at present.

The Misses Paul and Hart returned home on Sunday after a two weeks holiday with friends.

The Messrs. Collins and T. O. Crawford and the Misses Crawford of Hontly and Miss Tessie Forrest and Miss Kadie Sullivan, motored to Pakenham on Sunday and spent the day with friends.

We have quite a lot of campers here again, they are putting up a concrete dam at the woolen mill.

BOYDS.

Special to THE HERALD.

Harvesting is in full swing, and a bumper crop is being garnered in.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Park and family visited at Rev. O. Keganian's.

Rev. O. Keganian and wife and daughter, from New York State, visited friends and old acquaintances here the past week.

Do not forget to come and bring your friends to the Methodist church here on Tuesday evening at 8:30, Aug. 20th, and hear Rev. Crawford, B.A., of Ottawa give an illustrated address in the interests of the British and Foreign Bible Society. The lantern slides are most interesting.

Mrs. John Sturgeon and Miss Marjorie of Carleton Place, are visiting here at present.

Mrs. W. H. Sturgeon, of Carleton Place, is also a visitor here.

Mr. W. J. McCall and wife are visiting over the week-end up north.

Some of our "most-up-to-the-minute" farmers have had their buildings rodded, a protection against lightning it is said.

Mrs. J. Willows, of Carleton Place, visited here Sunday.

ALMONTE

From the Times.

Miss May Eades, of the post office staff, spent the week-end visiting Smiths Falls friends.

Mr. Herb. Gemmill, late of the Davis House, left this week to clerk in a lumber camp about 50 miles west of Cheltenham.

Mr. Wm. Aitken has had a very handsome monument erected in the 8th line cemetery as a tribute to the memory of his son, killed in battle in France.

LANARK

From the Era.

Mr. Howard McIntyre, who went to Hespeler a couple of weeks ago to take a position as inspector of woollen goods for the Dominion Government, became suddenly ill with appendicitis shortly after arriving there. Prompt medical treatment checked the trouble, but Howe is still indisposed and unfit for duty. He came home yesterday to recuperate.

Miss I. A. Wilson Henry left Friday to spend a vacation with friends at Oso. Boyd Caldwell & Co. Limited are having repairs made to the dam at the grist mill and as a result the grist mill will be closed for a week. Water in the river is lowering and the Clyde is but a shadow of its former self.

The marriage took place very quietly at 8:30, Monday morning, July 29th, in the R.C. Church, Preston, of Elizabeth Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Harper, Lanark to Charles A. Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Arnold of the village, Rev. Father Gehl officiating.

Mrs. T. A. Mason has received word from Sergt. Mason telling her of his safe arrival in France. He had a nice trip across the channel and enjoyed it fine. He is in No. 13 Co., and is Orderly Sergt. of his company, and Sergt. of the Rifle Section.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE HERALD

"I'M HAVING A WONDERFUL TIME"

"For goodness sake keep the Y.M.C.A. going," and, "I believe the Peace Bell will be ringing before this year is out" are the messages sent to his home, Valleyfield, Que., in a letter by Lance Corp. Thomas Moir, of the 24th Victorian Rifles. The letter is written from the First General Hospital, Stourbridge, near Birmingham, and the writer gives the highest possible praise to the hospital staff. "Fancy a bunch of nice nurses and sisters to wait on you, lying in bed and having your meals brought to you. Why, it's worth while getting wounded, for this is the best part of the war hospital!" "For goodness sake keep the Y.M.C.A. going," implores Lance Corp. Moir, who in his comfortable quarters in hospital does not forget the discomforts of the boys still in the trenches.

"Just think of coming out of the front line after a hard trip, wet, tired and hungry; never having a hot drink for days, to say nothing of a hot meal, and right up near the line you find the 'Y' with steaming hot tea and a smoke waiting. I don't know what we would do without them. I think if people really knew what the Y's are doing they would give more."

The writer concludes with the prophecy that the war will end this year. "Austria's back is broken, he declares, and Germany cannot spare troops from the Western front to help her ally."

"Dinner time" is the excuse for an abrupt ending to an interesting letter, and the last sentence is the cheerful prediction that "the Peace Bell will be ringing before the year is out."

WHEAT FERTILIZATION

When the wheat seed is sown, the tiny rootlet branches off into the soil, while the young plant sends up its growing leaves. The wheat seed is essentially a storehouse of food and is able to maintain the growing crop just so long as the plant can get out of the kernel the essentials of food—nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash. As soon as this supply is exhausted, the further requirements of the plant must come from what food the tiny rootlets can take up. It is therefore exceedingly important that the wheat crop (especially in a season when it has gone through a hard winter) should be supplied with an abundance of suitable plant food.

The choice of proper plant food to apply has an important bearing on results obtained. If your soil is a medium loam and if you have been keeping up the organic matter of it by turning under clover once in three or four years or if you have been giving it a coating of 5 or 6 loads of manure to the acre every second or third year, the fertilizer you should use will be high in available phosphoric acid, and will contain a small amount of nitrogen and potash, — 10 to 12 per cent. nitrogen to 10 or 12 per cent. available phosphoric acid, and 1 to 2 per cent. potash. If the soil tends to be light, the fertilizer should contain more nitrogen (up to 3 or 4 per cent.) with approximately the same phosphoric acid and potash.—Henry G. Bell, B.S.A.

Four Nonagenarians

In a neatly painted frame house on the seventh line of Fitzroy township—far enough from anywhere to be quiet and peaceful, albeit close enough to the other dwellings of the tillers of the soil to keep them from being lonely, live a remarkable quartet of old people—remarkable in many ways. For one thing the country would have to be pretty closely combed to find four who have withstood the assaults of vigorous life so long. Their combined ages total 379 years and they are all over the nonagenarian mark. Despite this they are all able to move around actively still take an interest in the management of the farm and in what is going on about them. The quartet's long life on the farm is more conducive to a good old age than living in the city? And again whether a person can live longer if unmarried? None of the four has been married. The oldest is Paddy Ryan, the only male member of the quartet, who has passed his ninety-ninth year and is going strong for the century mark. The other two whose names unfortunately could not be learned, are 92 and 90 years of age respectively. This unique family was found by one of the civil servants who went on the farm to do their best during the past month. Mr. Eric C. Jamieson, inspector of systems for the stated branch of the Militia Department, who has been a newspaperman in his early days and has widely traveled came across them when he was at a barn-raising bee at the farmhouse surrounding district. The three old ladies cooked appetizing meals that day for 35 men and although it was oppressively hot the exertion did not seem to bother them a whit, said Mr. Jamieson in telling the story. He said he nearly fell off his seat when he saw Mary, smiling under her 98 years, carrying two big pails of water into the kitchen after pumping it herself at the well.—Renfrew Journal.

A meeting of the Ottawa Valley Press Association was held at Smiths Falls last Friday, when the following officers were elected: D. Jones Pembroke, president; N. G. Dickson, Perth, vice-pres. F. A. J. Davis, Carleton Place, secretary. Two sessions were held at which a number of the problems peculiar to newspaper publishers and printers, and particularly those resulting from war conditions, were discussed, and many helpful suggestions and ideas were exchanged. A committee consisting of Messrs. McKinnon, Davies and W. R. Smallfield was appointed to consider prices and prepare a schedule for the members of the association.

GIVEN LENGTHY TERMS

Conscientious Objectors Sent Down for Ten Years.

Military Authorities Desired to Give Them Life Imprisonment to Terrorize Any Other Draftees Whose Religious Scruples Might Make Them Stubborn, But Original Sentence Was Afterwards Commuted.

NIAGARA CAMP, Aug. 12.—The drastic manner in which the military authorities intend to enforce the Military Service Act was emphasized at Niagara Camp Saturday when ten conscientious objectors, tried by general court-martial, heard their fate. The original sentence was life imprisonment, but this was commuted by the Department at Ottawa to ten years.

The men sentenced were: Pte. Eric Kitcher, Pte. Samuel N. Sullivan, Pte. B. G. Calma, Pte. W. D. Calma, (all of the First Depot Battalion, First C.O.R.), Pte. N. H. Bailey, Pte. A. T. Grimley, Pte. J. G. Phillips, Pte. A. E. Scott, Pte. T. G. Wilkie, Pte. F. T. Bradley (all of the First Depot Battalion, Second C.O.R.).

These men were among the first lot of conscientious objectors to be tried by general court-martial since that form of trial was authorized to replace the district court-martial, the maximum sentence under which was two years' imprisonment. The change to general court-martial resulted in much longer sentences, the sentence in each case as decided by the court being penal servitude for life.

In consideration of the fact that these were the first men to be tried by general court-martial, the Minister recommended and the Governor-General-in-Council agreed with his recommendation, that the sentences be commuted to ten years' penal servitude.

All units in camp were drawn up in a hollow square when the parade was called to attention by Col. M. Laren, camp commandant, and the sentences were read by Major A. C. Lewis, brigade major.

The scene was very impressive, and the men were all much affected, several of the men in the ranks fainting under the strain.

Upon conclusion of the parade the men were despatched to Kingston, where they will serve their sentences in the Kingston Penitentiary.

BLOW AT AUSTRIANS.

French Troops Victorious In Minor Engagement.

ROME, Aug. 12.—French troops penetrated deep into the Austrian entrenchments on Monte Sismole, capturing 250 prisoners, according to an official statement by the War Office.

The official statement issued by the War Office on Friday says: "The Chinese in the Valley and at Asiago, the British and French have carried out raids. On Thursday in the Giudicaria region the Chinese were surprised a party of the enemy on the southern slopes of Dosso del Mort, and took 21 prisoners."

"This morning French troops penetrated deeply into the enemy's strong points on Monte Sismole, destroying part of the garrison and forcing the remainder to surrender. Two hundred and fifty prisoners and eight machine guns were taken. From our positions on Monte di Valbella, Col de Rosso and Col di Chele we succeeded at various points in passing the enemy lines and inflicting heavy losses. We took 59 prisoners. Our losses were light."

Face Chronic Famine.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Germany's unrestricted U-boat warfare could neither keep the army of the United States from taking part in the battles on the fields of France nor break the will of the Allies to continue the war, is the admission made by the Munich Post, a copy of which has been received here. In a review of the situation at the beginning of the fifth year of the war the Post says: "Eighteen months of unrestricted submarine warfare could not break the enemy's will to war nor prevent Americans putting a well-equipped army of a million men on the western front. Hopes that after the conclusion of peace in the east the final struggle in the west would be decided in favor of Germany and bring a general peace have proved deceptive, and the eastern peace itself is a disappointment, and not only politically."

Turned Down King.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 12.—The bill providing for the election of a King of Finland was rejected on the third reading in the Finnish Diet because it failed to receive the necessary five-sixths majority vote, there being 75 votes against and 38 for the measure, according to a telegram from Helsingfors to the North German Gazette of Berlin. The bill cannot be revived until after the general elections.

Bolsheviki Defeated.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 12.—Gen. Semenov, the anti-Bolshevik leader, with the help of Chinese artillery, has defeated the Russian Red Guards on the Chinese frontier and dispersed them, according to a Moscow telegram to the Rheinische Westfaelische Gazette of Essen.

Friends of the Hun.

PEKIN, Aug. 12.—The Chinese Government has declined to receive Monsignor Petrelli, recently appointed Papal nuncio to China, on the ground that he is a personal friend of Admiral von Hinte, German Secretary of Foreign Affairs, and late Minister of Peking.

Try Another Parson

A Yankee soldier was being shown over an old church in the motherland where hundreds of people were buried. "A great many people sleep here," said the guide, indicating with an eloquent and official wave of the hand the inscription-covered floor. "So I said 'Summy' same way over in our country. Why don't you get a more interesting preacher?"

The Only Polite Thing to Do

In the scarcity of food from which the whole world suffers, we have heard while meat suggested as a palatable addition to the bill of fare. When that suggestion is acted upon, the answer of the school child who, as an English periodical says, was one of a class that showed extraordinary ignorance on the subject of whales, may seem less amusing.

"Come! come!" said the teacher patiently, when no one of the class was able to tell her anything about whales. "What do we do with the whalebones?" There was a silence, and then a small hand was raised.

"Please, teacher," a timid voice ventured, "we leave them on the side of our plates."

Still the Same

Citizen—Unless I'm mistaken, you are the party I gave ten cents to yesterday.

Beggar—I am, sir. Did you think a dime would make a new man of me?

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