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## IF YOU PATRONIZE The Everyday Bargain Store

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made from No. 1 Northern Wheat. Quality guaranteed and price lower than same grade of other flour.

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### S. P. GRANT DIES FROM INJURIES

Early Friday, April 3, at Prescott Private Hospital occurred the death of Simon P. Grant a well known and respected Wakefield farmer. The deceased came to this community many years ago, when he married a daughter of the late Charles Birmingham and settled on the farm still occupied by him at the time of his decease.

Mr. Grant had been away from home for several weeks spending the time mostly with two brothers in Southampton, his native place. A little over a week ago he was working alone in his barn mowing away some straw on a soafold when he slipped to the floor. In jumping to save himself, he miscalculated distance and came in contact with the wheel of a wagon stored on the floor. Injuries resulting from this accident made necessary his immediate removal to the hospital where every effort was made to save him but in vain as the end came on the above time and after days of intense suffering.

Since locating in this community the deceased has been actively interested in all church work and for a score or more years has been deacon in the Victoria United Baptist Church.

Services were held at the home and at the church Rev. L. A. Fenwick being the attending clergyman. Rev. P. J. Trafton was present at the church service and spoke feelingly of the excellent Christian qualities of the deceased. Mr. Grant was sixty-eight years old and in addition to a sorrowing widow and one son he leaves four brothers and three sisters.

Two brothers, Gordon A. and B. Grant of Southampton and one sister, Mrs. Salome Grant Shaw, were present at the final services, as were also more distant relatives Mr. and Mrs. Wright Southampton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo True Woodstock, Dr. and Mrs. Scriber, Portland Me., and others.

The deceased was highly respected in this section for his many excellent qualities as a neighbor and a Christian citizen and will be greatly missed in the community.

Beautiful floral offerings were sent by Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Rankine, Mr. and Mrs. Geo True, Mrs. Salome Shaw and Mrs. C. J. York and family.

### Interesting War Incident Concerning Son of Former Hartland Girl

Mr. Editor: You and some of your readers, no doubt remember my nephew, C. E. Ogden who some 20 years ago was here on an extended visit and when he returned to England, carried away a bride from Hartland, Miss Nellie Sharp.

Their son, now a young man, is a skilled motorist and has enlisted in the Army Transport Corps. He however has not yet been sent from England but is stationed at Colchester where the Germans dropped bombs from aeroplanes a short time ago.

He drives an officers car. I received by last English mail a letter from my nephew, in which he relates an incident in his son's experience which may be of interest:

"Charlie told us of a little episode which happened him. He was called up by telephone about two o'clock one morning and told to take out his car. He was handed twelve rounds of ammunition for his rifle, and had to take in four privates similarly armed. His only instructions were 'follow

the officers car which precedes you'. Of course the boy wondered what was afoot. They drove on through the night until they reached a desolate spot on the East Coast, where the police had in charge three aliens who had been discovered with a wireless instalment nearly completed. They were handed over to the escort, and Charlie drove them back and landed them safely at Colchester. I asked him what became of them, but he shrugged his shoulders and said he didn't know, but I think he did."

Yours truly  
John Barnett

### Grafting In The Name Of The Union Jack

Canada is willing to vote millions for the empire's defence but not a cent for Tory grafters. Ponder over these facts:

1—Every time you put a war stamp on a letter you do so to pay for rotten shoes supplied for the first contingent.

2—Every time you put a stamp on an express or other money order, you are paying for graft on the purchase of horses for the first contingent.

3—Every time you discount a note at the bank or with a money lender, you are paying for graft through the government's purchase of horses at \$172 and selling them for \$55 each, because they were not needed or unsuitable.

4—Every time you issue a cheque, by using a war stamp you are paying for "graft horses," bought, shot and sent to the glue factory.

5—While you are taxing yourself by war stamps, etc., the Tory officials are living at Ottawa in riotous extravagance at your expense; purchasing luxurious sleeping lounges for their offices whilst the brave first contingent volunteers are glad of a bundle of clean straw "at the front" or of a shingle to fasten on as soles to protect their shoes.—Transcript.

### Successful Recruiting for 55th Battalion

Recruiting for the 55th battalion is going on well. Fifty-nine have enrolled at Woodstock and others are ready for the medical examination. Dr. Gardiner, the regimental examiner, did not reject a man in this contingent, which speaks well for the type being selected. Lieut. Graves went to Perth this week on a recruiting tour. Major J. J. Bull doing the work in this county. Uniforms and shoes for the men are expected this week.

During last week the following were enrolled: Joseph E. Willett, Grand Falls; Ensign Clement, Four Falls; Perley Graham, Eel River Lake; Thomas Green, Debec; Earl Morris, Kilburn; Edward Donley, Bath; A. Vandine, Centreville; John Banks, Arthur Barrett, Northampton.

#### Royalton

Fred Cronkite of the U. N. B., spent his holidays with his parents here.

Mr. Pratt of Carlisle is visiting at the home of Elisha Crawford.

Mrs. Carey Shaw has so far recovered as to be out again.

Clarence Cronkite of Mars Hill was a recent caller here.

Several teachers were home for their Easter holidays.

C. C. Burr finished unloading a car of fertilizer.

Perry and Clair Crawford are very busy in the maple sugar business.

C. C. Shaw attended the Liberal convention at Andover.

### LIEUT. W. B. SHAW AT THE FRONT

In France, Mar. 18

Dearest Mother and all:  
Letters and parcel received O. K., and such a treat! Just like a Christmas stocking and the same expectant feeling when opening the box.

Both our sections have now taken up position forward and have done a good deal of shelling. We fired a good deal yesterday. We have also been getting shells in return the last few days but none of them have been close enough to damaged the guns or give any casualties. The position is, perhaps, further forward than any battery in the division, within rifle fire range of the German trenches.

I am going up observing tonight to a new observing station which we may use permanently.

Mr. Taylor and Capt. Stewart observed from there this week and found it very interesting. An advance has been made which you will read about.

The people here are left far from attractive in their habits of life, but the sun is shining, the roads are dusty, everything is rosy and nothing to worry about.

Love to all and God bless you all,  
WENDELL

### Result of H. S. S. Easter Exam.

Following are averages made by pupils of Intermediate Department of Hartland School Superior school on Easter Examinations:

Grade 7—Daisy Nason 80.6, Alfred Trafton 72.9, Dorothy Trafton 72.2, James Sipprell 66.1, Ruth Sipprell 54.3, Clara Boyer 32.1, Mary McMullin 38.7, Vera Carr 37.1.

Perfect attendance: Clara Boyer, Alfred Trafton.

Grade 6—Evelyn Rogers 88.5, Reta Hatfield 55.1, Sadie Ginson 54.8, Ellen McGoldrick 54.4, Percy Morehouse 48.2, Mona Orser 44. Perfect attendance: Sadie Ginson.

Grade 5—Emma Trafton 77.6, Alex Miller 77.3, Carl Rigby 76.7, Gerald Hammond 69.8, Ida Loupin 32.1.

Perfect attendance: Emma Trafton, Alex Miller.

Grade 4—Jennie Kearney 73.1, John Thistle 55.4, Victoria Irving 63.6, Walter Morgan 64.5, Kenneth Irving 61.8, Zeko Sipprell 60.8, Arden Nevors 56.1, Irene Featherstone 54, Winfred Craig 54.8, Mildred Luskey 51.5, Maud McGoldrick 36.3, Hughie Smith 35.7, Jennie Grant 35.5, Bessie Goodwin 35.1.

Perfect attendance: Jennie Kearney.

Following are the names, in order of merit, of those in the advanced grades:

Grades X and XI, Division I (70% or over)—George Branscombe, Ben Wallace, Arthur Shaw, Rita Murdoch, Archie Stevens, Kathleen Kennedy, Pearl Rideout, Anna Murdoch, Vernon Simms.

Grade IX, Division I (70% or over)—Nellie Nixon, Dean Hammond.

Grade VIII, Division II (under 70%)—Herbert Rogers, Roy McGee, Jean Miller, Frank McAdam, Mabel Morgan, Carrie Noddin, Clare Thistle, Edna Allen.

### Jubilee Singers Coming

The coming of the Canadian Jubilee Singers on April 22 will be an event in the musical line that should not be missed. The band is bringing this attraction here and their enterprise will no doubt meet with the reward it deserves.