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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Bread has gone down a cent a loaf.
Only a week from next Monday to
Thanksgiving Day.

Capt. Albertson has reorganized his
orchestra for the winter.

Mr. Wm. Taylor's sale on Saturday
was a success. Mr. Hollinger wielded
the hammer.

Smiths Falls is to have a big clock on
the post office, like the rest of the towns
in the section.

THE HERALD to the end of the year
for 25 cents. Send it to your absent
boy or girl or other friend.

Rev. Andrew Smith, of Barrie, will
conduct the services in the Baptist
church next Sunday--morning and even-
ing.

The first monthly meeting of the
Sunshine Y will be held this evening at
7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Bertha
McEwen.

The public school cadets will be
inspected by Dr. Hughes during his
visit here to the Teachers' Convention
on Thursday.

SPECIAL--The Daily Broadway
star, **Marguerite Clark**, in the "Gee-
Gee," Star Theatre, Wednesday and
Thursday.

Mr. Wm. E. Farrell, son of Mrs. Geo.
Farrell, of Perth, has been appointed
chief examiner of the shell department
at Pt. St. Charles, Montreal.

A meeting will be held to-morrow
(Wednesday) evening, in the town
clerk's office, to organize a branch of the
Speaker's Patriotic League in Carleton
Place.

Dr. H. Cole, who is practicing his
profession in Mexico, has been spending
some holidays with relatives in Ottawa,
and incidentally spent a day or two here
with his uncle, Mr. A. H. Edwards.

Mr. Frank W. Fox, editor of the Press
Bureau of the Canadian Pacific Railway,
was in town last week and paid THE
HERALD a fraternal call. Mr. Fox took
some views of the town whilst here
which will likely appear in print later on.

We regret to learn that Rev. Mr.
Scott has been confined to his room
since Sunday night with a severe cold
and is unable for work. As a conse-
quence the mid-week meeting to-mor-
row night will be conducted by Rev. R.
C. H. Sinclair.

The annual convention of the Lanark
East and Carleton West Teachers'
Association will be held in the Carleton
Place town hall on Thursday and Friday
of this week. The programme includes
a paper on "English Drama," by Mr. J.
F. McDonald, M.A., of Queen's (a
former teacher in our High School), one
on "Character Training," by Jas. L.
Hughes, L.L.D., of Toronto, besides
many other good features. Miss Cornell
is president this year, Miss Fife vice-
president and Miss Malloch, of Almonte,
secretary.

Rev. R. C. H. Sinclair is spending a
week's holidays with his family here.

Mrs. R. Latimer, of Smiths Falls,
spent a day with Carleton Place friends
during the past week.

The regular monthly meeting of the
Women's Institute will be held Satur-
day, Oct. 2nd, in the council chamber.

Miss Frances A. Edwards left this
afternoon for Indian Head, Sask., where
she will visit her sister, Mrs. H. Wilson.

The Lanark County (west) Teachers'
Convention will be held in Smiths Falls
on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 7th and
8th.

The Almonte and Renfrew Fairs were
both attended with success last week.
Many Carleton Place exhibitors won
prizes at the former.

Mr. C. W. Bates is carrying one 'arm
in a sling at present, the result of a
fractured wrist. We trust the handicap
may prove of short duration.

The weather on Sunday was very
much against the success of the "Rally
Day" services in the churches and yet
all were fairly well attended.

Miss Blanche Kirkpatrick left yester-
day morning for Ottawa, where she
enters the Ottawa General Protestant
Hospital as a nurse-in-training.

The Ottawa Free Press issued a very
credible "Prosperity Number" on
Saturday, illustrating the industrial
strength of the capital city and the
Ottawa valley in this respect.

The marriage of Miss Florence Bates,
daughter of Mr. W. G. Bates, and Mr.
Fred Stewart, of the Government Geo-
graphical Department, Ottawa, is to
take place to-morrow evening at the
home of the bride's father, James street.

There will be a chapter of instruction
of the Royal Arch Masons in St. Francis
Lodge Rooms, Smiths Falls, on the
evening of Friday, October 15. It is ex-
pected that there will be a large repre-
sentation from outside lodges to take in
this important function.

Dr. Guthrie, who is to conduct Anniversary
Services in St. Andrew's Church, Appleton, on Oct.
3rd, is a brilliant orator and a dramatist of no
mean ability. A number of his dramas were put
last winter by the dramatic club of Knox Church,
Ottawa, with great success. His lecture at the
Monday tea-meeting on "Phases of the War"
will be well worth hearing.

Mr. Harry Robertson and his son
Clarence have enlisted with the Royal
Highlanders, the latter as a bugler.
Mr. Carleton Pattie and Mr. James
Welsh have also enlisted with this
corps. All go to Montreal for their
training. Mr. Sid Bates has also joined
this crack regiment in the metropolis.

The equinoctial gales reached us on
Sunday, and made things lively for 24
hours. Trees and fences were blown
down, old buildings were twisted, and
the leaves were strewn about as though
plucked from the trees. The only
serious damage in town we heard of was
the breaking of the electric wires in the
west section of Dufferin ward, putting
the lights out of commission for the
night.

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The subscriptions received from Mr.
F. McEwen, Carleton Place postmaster,
published on Sept. 14th, also went to
The Citizens of Canada Tobacco Fund.
With this fund the money remains in
Canada and the goods are sent across
the sea.

Not Guilty.

A paragraph in last week's HERALD
regarding Allan H. Bowland, railway
mail clerk, of the Sault, stated that he
was found "guilty" of stealing a regis-
tered package of money. The item
should have read "not guilty." We
make the correction cheerfully, and in
justice to the young man. The item
appeared in THE HERALD as it was re-
ported to the daily press, but was later
corrected.

Three Children Burned to Death.

While their parents were engaged
gathering a corn crop, the three small
children, aged five and three years and
three months, of Mr. and Mrs. Cory
Hollister, of Aultsville, were burned to
death Friday when their home was
totally destroyed by fire. It was not
known by the neighbors, who endeav-
ored to extinguish the fire, that the
children were in the house, nor were
they aware of the whereabouts of the
parents, but A. C. Fotherly, of Cornwall,
who happened to be motoring in the
vicinity, located them in a field almost
a mile from their home. Mr. and Mrs.
Hollister were distracted when they re-
turned and found their little ones had
perished. It is supposed that the
children had been playing with matches.

Col. MacKay Doing Good Work.

Our old friend, Col. MacKay, former
townsman, now located in British
Columbia, has been doing splendid work
as a recruiting officer since the war
broke out. Three times he has offered
his services for overseas, but has not as
yet obtained a commission, but he has
done his bit in another direction. He
has enlisted 969 recruits and has orga-
nized an entire eight company regiment
that is now overstrength. He still hopes
to go to the front, for the British pluck
is strong in him and he is anxious to
get into the fray. We congratulate the
Colonel upon the splendid work he has
done so far.

A new metal flag staff is being placed
on the tower of the town hall.

Pte. Hugh McPhail, of the No. 2
Ambulance Corps, Valcartier, spent
Sunday in town.

Mr. J. H. Saunders, of Prospect, left
this afternoon for a trip to the west and
will go as far as Calgary.

The Ottawa Collegiate Institute
building was damaged by fire a few
days ago to the extent of \$40,000.

Mr. James Ferris, one of the oldest
conductors on the C.P.R. for some time
on the retired list, well-known all along
the line, died at his home in Ottawa
yesterday, aged 74 years.

Pte. Sidney F. Bates, of the 73rd
Royal Highlanders, is spending a few
days at his home here, and will be
pleased to receive the names of recruits
if any wish to unite with this crack
regiment.

Mr. Putman, of Ottawa, public school
inspector, is to speak at the school
convention this week on the important
topic of "Pensions," which is at present
receiving the attention of the Depart-
ment of Education.

Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Smiths Falls,
announces the engagement of her only
daughter, Annie Jessie, to William Lang
Tait, D.D.S., only son of Mr. and Mrs.
A. H. Tait, Pakenham, Ont. The mar-
riage to take place early in October.

The Lanark District of the Indepen-
dent Order of Oddfellows has again
been reorganized, Smiths Falls and
Merrickville lodges being added. This
makes a district of six lodges, almost
1,000 members, and is very compact.
A meeting of the district committee
will be held shortly to organize.

Every man and woman is entitled to
the most that his dollar will buy, but
in these times, especially, he is a poor
patriot to his home community who
will send money to outside places if he
is not absolutely sure that the same
goods cannot be procured from his
home merchants, as good, as fresh and
as cheaply as elsewhere, after postage,
time and express charges are accounted.

High School Cadet Officers.

As a result of the withdrawal of some
of the senior boys to positions or univer-
sity the High School Cadets have had
to appoint a number of new officers, and
as a consequence some promotions were
made. The following is the new list:

Company Leader--W. Watson;
Sen. half Co leader--H. Sinclair;
Jun. half Co leader--H. Menzies;
Col. Sergt.--W. F. Findlay;
1st Sec. com.--C. Warren;
2nd com.--O. Gorman;
3rd com.--P. Dunlop;
4th com.--H. Bailey.

The Company will parade for inspec-
tion during the Teachers' convention at
the end of the week.

The Late George Cunningham.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. George
Cunningham passed away at his home
on the Town Line, aged 74 years. The
deceased was a native of Drummond
township. For some years he lived at
Franktown, then at Pakenham, where
he was married, his wife being Rachel
McAdam, who survives, and some
twenty years ago he came to Carleton
Place, where he has since made his home.
Two sons also survive--George and
Ernest--both of whom are residing in
the west, and will be home for the
funeral to-morrow. Deceased was a
Conservative in politics, in religion an
Anglican. A member of the Orange
Order, the funeral to-morrow afternoon
will be under the auspices of L.O.L.
No. 48. It is fixed for two o'clock to
St. James church and cemetery.

A Card from Belgium.

Mr. A. F. Stewart received a card this
morning from his son Herbert, who is
with the Railway Construction Corps,
and now in Belgium. The card is dated
September 10, 1915.

Dear Parents,
Received your letter of August 17th,
and pleased to hear all are well. Did
not get the parcel you sent yet, but it
may still be in England. We are in
Belgium, at work, and are feeling fine.
Had a letter from Annie and one from
Bob same mail. Well, there is nothing
much I can write about, as I explained
in my last letter. Use same address
with the exception of camp name.
Remember me to all,
Your loving son,
HERB.

Auto Smashes Electric Light Pole.

Last Thursday evening, about 8:30
o'clock, two Amurpior sports, who had
driven over here in an automobile from
Almonte--endeavored to "zoom" the
electric light pole in front of Moore's
drug store--with their car, with rather
unfortunate results--the pole was
smashed clean through, the car was
damaged with a bent axle, a broken
spring, some lamps broken, guards, etc.,
and the occupant of the car that did not
have the steering-wheel to hold to went
through the wind shield, necessitating a
number of stitches to close the wound
in his scalp. The driver escaped injury.
The chief pinched the latter, and the
following day he was called before the
p.m. to answer a charge of "reckless
driving on a main street" and fined \$20
and costs, in addition to which he was
also assessed \$20 for damages to the
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