

## WATERLOO NEWS RECORD

Remember Dollar Day—March 6th. A host of real bargains at all the leading stores.

Mr. Fred Parkinson of Toronto was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. J. Bartlett of Toronto was a visitor in town yesterday on business.

The tenth car of wood has arrived and has been unloaded.

Mr. R. Gregory of Hamilton was in town yesterday on business.

There was an exceptionally large crowd in attendance at the Waterloo Rink last night. The ice was fine and the band added much to the enjoyment of the evening.

The wires have been connected up, the saw put in place and everything in readiness to go ahead with the harvesting of the ice. The work will be rushed through as speedily as possible and next summer ice supply is now assured.

The weekly meeting of the Waterloo Labor Club will be held to-night when several matters of importance will come up for discussion.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry K. Porter took place from the residence of the Misses Wegman, William Street, on Tuesday afternoon. Interment taking place in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

The special committee of the Board of Park management who have in charge the improving of the park yesterday afternoon and if improvements as outlined are decided on by the Board the park should be a good event producer. It is the intention to fit up part of the basement into a rest room, dressing room for lady bathers and a kitchen which can be used when a dance is held. Lockers will also be installed and other necessary accommodations. The idea is to get the work completed before spring so that there will be no hold up when the season opens.

### Widdifield's Majority Has Reached 324

COMPLETE RETURNS IN THE BY-ELECTION OF TUESDAY IN NORTH ONTARIO RIDING.

Beaverton, Feb. 19.—Complete returns of yesterday's by-election in North Ontario show that W.J. Widdifield, the United Farmers' candidate, is elected by 324 majority. The poll not heard from last night was Bama, No. 43. The vote there has now been received and gives Widdifield 52 and Cameron 12.

### U.S. Senator Objects To League of Nations

POINDEXTER'S VIEW OF WORLD LEAGUE COVENANT.

Washington, Feb. 19.—In the first prepared address on the league of nations delivered in the Senate since the constitution of the proposed league was made public, Senator Poinexter, of Washington, Republican, to-day declared the en-

trance of the United States into the league would mean a surrender of American rights, privileges and sovereignty, the abandonment of the Monroe Doctrine and a violation of the constitution.

The constitution of the league, he asserted, was conflicting, indefinite and uncertain and the ministry which it proposes to set up "similar to the Soviet Government of Russia."

A wireless dispatch to the White House to-day from the transport George Washington, indicated that the ship might drop anchor in Boston harbor on Sunday night. In that event President Wilson would remain aboard until Monday morning and deliver his address in Boston some time during the day.

### The Good of Each Must Work For All President of Waterloo University Spoke Here.

"The good of each must work for the welfare of all," Dr. W. Braithwaite, president of Waterloo University, London, Ont., said last evening before the local Canadian Club. His subject was "Problems of the New Era arising out of the War."

The distinguished guest in approaching the close of his address alluded to the necessity of mutual good will if there is to be a lasting peace. "That selfishness and greed which were responsible for the war and which were exhibited in the extreme in one nation but which were existent in all more or less must be no more," he remarked. "This idea applied not only to individuals but to nations. No nation has a right to legislate for itself only. For example Canada has no right to legislate for itself without consulting the other parts of the British Empire and the United States. And vice versa."

Dr. Braithwaite dealt with the subject under three heads, the New Nation, the New Education and the New Citizenship. Referring to the new nation he touched on possibilities in immigration, trade development, and our resourced. Regarding the matter of immigration he cited the statement of Major A.D. McRae that during the next five years he believed one million British people would come to this country. If the prediction would be realized there would be a large problem in guiding and protecting otherwise the evils consequent to the big influx might outweigh the development that would come.

As to trade development he pointed out that Canada was favorably situated, being near London, the world's market centre, and also near the trade centres of the Pacific. Beside it was the United States. Then also the country had good transportation facilities. The coming of the commercial airplane would make it possible to go around the world in four to five days. People of the world were being brought closer together.

Impressing the need of the proper curriculum in the schools and also of technical education, the speaker said the problem of education is that of problem of democracy. "The only safe way is to have a large intelligent body of citizens," he concluded. The speaker alluded to the widening of the scope of education in the universities in

past years. The number of professions for which the Universities were preparing, had grown from four (the ministers, the doctor's, the lawyer's and the teacher's) to many today. Engineering, science and journalism all were considered professions. Even special training for business was developing. The better intercourse with other people raised the question of modern languages.

There was a general indication that schools should do more than they were.

The whole problem would have to be dealt with carefully and thoroughly.

Before Women's Canada Club. In the afternoon Dr. Braithwaite spoke before the Women's Canadian Club in the Y.W.C.A., speaking on the Woman in the coming era. Among other things he stated one might look for a far greater development in the future than ever before. This was based on the principle that transitions in life which caused the greatest joy were in the midst of the greatest progress. The war with all the sufferings caused by it occasioned such a joy. Woman's Construction Work in a period when men were engaged with destruction marked the beginning of the new woman.

Dr. Braithwaite outlined his thoughts in three divisions, namely, education, politics and social welfare. The development of education was certain although perhaps few realized this.

As to women in politics he mentioned the coming of woman's suffrage. "We as men ought to think ourselves in debt because we thought that she didn't earn it before," he pleaded that intense partisanship be got rid of and a broader view of matters be taken. He believed woman's entry into politics would work towards the end desired. An encouraging sign in the war period was the fact that people did not vote party.

As to social welfare women perhaps could put first things first better than men. The latter also were more identified with material things and interests. Woman's closer attachment to children and the home would have a helpful influence in the new era in which woman would take a bigger part. All resolved itself into the spirit of service, the practical application of making conditions a heaven on earth. Some conditions, he said, could be such that each could be made more of a hell than a heaven. The important point was to get the viewpoint of others.

The last appearance of "The Better 'Ole" at the Allen tonight. Better phone early for your seat and make sure of it.

### Tariff Discussion Likely This Session

POSSIBLE THAT GOVERNMENT MAY DECIDE TO ABOLISH WAR-TIME CUSTOMS ADDITIONS

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—Proceedings in Parliament tomorrow will be brief. As usual members of the Commons will meet at the bar of the Senate to hear the speech from the throne delivered by the governor-general. But for the time being consideration of the legislative program therein outlined will be deferred. In the House a formal motion will be made that consideration of the speech be adjourned until such time as the House has paid full tribute to the life and work of its most famous member. There will be a number of the formal motions incidental to opening day and the presentation of the proforma bill respecting oaths of office. The House will then adjourn till Tuesday afternoon in re-



This steamer was cut in half and turned on her side to get her through the Welland Canal.

spect for the dead. There is evidence on every hand of the sorrow in which Parliament will meet. Crepe is hanging over the entrance to many Government buildings where Sir Wilfrid had his office as premier for 15 years. Flags are at half-mast.

Following a reference to the international situation, resulting from the conclusion of an armistice with Germany the speech from the throne will lay down the Government's sessional program.

The main features. Chief among its features will be measures in regard to reconstruction, measures to deal with post-war problems, schemes of soldier settlement on the land discussed at the provincial conference will be referred to. There will probably be reference to new franchise legislation and prohibition and the necessity of validating legislation in regard thereto will be intimated and there will be reference also to measures of the Government in regard to housing to extension of the Canadian National Railway System and to the shipbuilding program, to the success which has attended the Government financial measures, especially in regard to the war loans and the credits to cover the purchase of foodstuffs in Canada.

Some lengthy debates are expected on these subjects.

It is believed that tariff issues may any time spring to the front. With a financial balance sheet regarded highly satisfactory it is possible that the Government will decide to abolish the special war tax of five per cent (British preference) and of 71 per cent (intermediate and general) added to the tariff in 1915.

Succession to Sir Wilfrid Laurier as leader of the opposition continues to be a topic of speculation. Mr. Fielding's name is apparently most in favor, although there is some disposition to question whether he would be acceptable to French members, who would constitute a majority in the party caucus. A suggestion is made in some quarters that some form of dual leadership—with Mr. Fielding and Mr. Bennett—might be arranged for the session.

### A Company of Girl Guides Organized

Under the direct control of the Young Women's Christian Association, a Company of Four Patrols of Girl Guides has been organized in this city.

The Girl Guide Movement is not a new society as the Charter of Incorporation was obtained in 1915. The Movement has grown steadily until today it takes its rightful place amongst other large societies dealing with girls. The Guide organization was founded by Agnes Baden-Powell, sister of Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell, for the purpose of making girls useful and self-reliant, efficient, future women doers, good home keepers and mothers.

Every new movement requires some financial support at its beginning. In order to meet some necessary expenses, such as books, uniforms, etc., the Girl Guides of Kitchener are having a Tea Room in the parlour of the Young Women's Christian Association on Saturday February 22nd.

### Man Murders Wife and Five Children

TERRIBLE CRIME OF WEST INDIAN AT NIAGARA FALLS

Niagara Falls, Ont. Feb. 19.—Frederick Fountain, aged 30, who came here from the West Indies about five weeks ago, killed his wife and five children, aged 5 and 3, at an early hour this morning by cutting their throats with a small clasp knife. Then he slashed his own throat and wrist with the knife, but not deep enough to cause death. He is now at the hospital and will recover.

The police think the motive of the triple crime jealousy, because they say Mrs. Fountain had threatened to leave her husband. She did so a few weeks ago, but came back after two days.

An empty whisky flask was found in the room, which Fountain is believed to have emptied after murdering his family.

He appeared dazed when the police arrived, but it may have been from the loss of blood.

### Liquor Now Rushing Into Michigan State

RESULT OF COURT DECISION ON THE "DRY" LAW.

Detroit, Feb. 19.—Liquor is pouring into Detroit and other Michi-

gan places from Ohio over the Dixie highway by motor truck, racing automobiles, by trolley car, and even by specially chartered cars, and all just because Michigan Supreme Court has ruled that it is not unlawful for one to be in possession of liquor in this state. It was also declared illegal to search persons suspected of having liquor.

Not only has the court shot the Donnan and Wilky liquor laws full of holes, but it will take the State Legislature at least a week to enact a law that will prevent liquor being shipped into the state. Meanwhile the "rum runners" are busy, and whisky that yesterday cost \$60 a case of dozen bottles is offered freely to-night at from \$30 to \$35.

Fifty men held in the county jail here for violations of the act were ordered released this afternoon. Hotels and cafes in the city accepted reservations for tables to-night and all were shopped up in a hurry.

### Change of Venue Not Granted Webber

JUDGE SAYS HE MUST STAND TRIAL AT OWEN SOUND.

Toronto, Feb. 19.—An effort to change the venue of the trial of Reeve Joseph Webber, of Neustadt, charged with several offences against the M.S.A., and convicted by the magistrate at Owen Sound of making unlawful statements, failed at Osgoode Hall, to-day, with Chief Justice Sir William Mulock throwing out the motion in a lengthy verbal judgment in which his lordship held that the accused would receive as fair a trial inside Gray County as anywhere else.

D. O'Connell, appearing for Webber, made the application on the ground that the hostile attitude exhibited by Owen Sound citizens recently, and which hostile feeling, counsel declared, was general throughout the whole county, would preclude his client from having a fair trial by a jury at Owen Sound at the next assizes.

### Cross Was Discharged

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE AGAINST GODERICH AUTO-DRIVER FAILS.

Goderich, Feb. 19.—The assizes court opened here yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Chief Justice Lennox, of Toronto, presiding.

Much interest was manifested, as the case of E.T. Cross, charged with causing the death of J.H. Colborne on December 23, was one of the cases to come up. The courtroom was filled both afternoon and evening. The jury considered the case all afternoon and evening, coming in at 10 o'clock at night with the verdict of no bill against Cross. Justice Lennox then addressed the jury and also Mr. Cross on the necessity of safeguarding life on the highways and the streets of towns and cities. Cross was then discharged.

Another case that came before the judge during the afternoon was J.J. Mermer, M.P. vs. McKillop Mutual Insurance Company, an



THE HEADGEAR COUNTS, domestic service now offers really excellent opportunities for women workers, both as regards rewards and conditions of employment. Many object only to the cap. Certainly the cap need not be unsightly. The mistress is quite likely to take to such dainty ornaments should the maid discard them.

### QUEEN ANNE CHAPTER I.O.O.E.

Statement from February 12th, 1919 to February 17th, 1919

Receipts	
Balance on hand	315.84
Baking sale	56.30
Government Slides	79.47
Easter Dance	59.50
Teas, Collegiate Teachers	60.55
Miss Thompson Concert	114.00
Rummage Sales and Old Rubbers	217.23
Furniture and Furnishings Veterans' Home	46.75
Khaki Club Furniture	28.50
Victory Loan Luncheon	144.46
Individual Effort	104.43
Sales of Tires	25.60
P.A. McKenzie Lecture	306.93
Canadian Club Banquet	57.37
Tea Danzants	228.51
Sock Measures	2.40
Donation Prisoners of war	12.75
Fees	48.50
I.O.O.E. Badges	8.00
Interest on Victory Loan	5.50
Small Sums	10.73
	\$193.40

Expenditures	
Prisoners of War	300.00
France British Aid Society	10.00
"French Blind"	10.00
Canadian Nurses' Residence	50.00
London	350.00
Red Triangle Y.M.C.A.	50.00
Salvation Army	50.00
Princess of Wales Chapter I.O.O.E. Returned Soldiers' Ed	100.00
Donation Dorcas Club	10.00
Dresses French Refugees	28.65
Flowers, Soldiers' Decoration	5.00
Day	5.00
Easter and Xmas Treats Freeport	22.30
Soldiers' Xmas Boxes	176.64
Sailors' Comfort Bags	7.60
Expenses Government Slides	12.20
Easter Dance	20.10
Tea Room & Baking Sale	8.29
Miss Thompson Concert	71.85
Victory Loan Banquet	22.53
Canadian Club	17.92
P.A. McKenzie Lecture	227.70
Tea Danzants	50.26
Yearly Fees National Chapter	24.25
I.O.O.E. Badges	3.50
General Expenses	21.03
Total Expenditures	1639.82
Balance on hand	293.58
Victory Loan Bond	\$100.00
	\$393.58

Assets  
Balance on hand \$293.58  
Victory Loan Bond \$100.00  
Total \$393.58

action brought by Mr. Mermer against the insurance company to recover insurance on grain lost by fire. The action was dismissed without costs in case an appeal was made, but with costs in case of an appeal.

### Conciliation Board Holds Conference

In Order To Adjust Stratford Matter.

A Board of Conciliation appointed by the government is sitting here today in conference with furniture manufacturers in the city and other places. The object is to secure facts and an insight regarding conditions affecting furniture matters so that the Board will be better able to adjust a matter between the woodworkers and Stratford furniture manufacturers.

The Board consists of Judge McGibbon, Mr. J. Orr of Stratford on behalf of the Stratford manufacturers and Mr. Marsh of Niagara Falls on behalf of the employees. The conference was held in the City Hall. Besides manufacturers from the city and Waterloo there were companies from the following places represented, Elmira, Preston, Hespeler, Milverton, Hanover, Hamilton, Strathroy, Woodstock, Stratford, Elora and other places. The joint conference is one for southern manufacturers following a joint meeting held in Hanover recently.

The Stratford dispute involves the question of hours, wages and overtime wages.

The purpose of the investigation as outlined by Judge McGibbon is to enable the Board to arrive at a fair and equitable adjustment between the Stratford parties.

### VICTORY BONDS

All issues bought and sold whether partly or full paid.

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### SOME PEOPLE YOU KNOW

It is our aim to make this column interesting. If you are going away or have friends visiting you, drop us a line or phone 305 or 306.

Mr. Chas. K. Smith is a business visitor to Mitchell today.

Mr. James Baird of Plattsville is a visitor in the city.

An At Home in behalf of the Odd-fellows Home in Toronto for which a centennial fund is being raised was held by the Rebekahs this afternoon in Grand Union Lodge quarters.

Mr. R. Mason of London is a business visitor here.

Mr. Thomas D. Watt, Toronto, organizer of the Bakers Union, is registered at the American Hotel and will remain in the city until Saturday noon. His purpose is to organize the journeymen bakers and with the assistance of the master bakers to obtain legislation affecting the trade at the forthcoming session.

A meeting in the interests of the ladies of the Independent Labor Party was held in the T. and L. Hall yesterday afternoon.

### 100 Late to Cassidy

Wanted—Fireman with certificate. Apply the Walter G. Rumpel. Felt Co. 2-20-31.

For Sale—Eight new sewing machines at wholesale prices. 274 Frederick St. 2-20-31.

Wanted—Ladies to take information for the city directory must be good writers and spellers. Apply Mr. Edmunds 23 N. Queen St. room 41 top floor between 7 and 8 p.m. 2-20-31.

For Sale—1917 Chevrolet Touring any reasonable offer will be considered, new tires, motor A1 condition. Apply 104 Charles St. 2-20-31.

Auction sale of Army Blankets on Saturday Feb. 22, 1919 also for sale at 68 East King St. all wool washed and disinfected. One week only, store open now. J.W. Davey Auctioneer. 2-20-31.

To Let—Three unfurnished rooms. Apply 172 David St. 2-20-31.

Incubator for sale cheap. 331 W. King St. 2-20-31.

### Princess Waterloo

Tonight, Friday and Saturday. Pathe presents Baby Marie Osborne in "THE VOICE OF DESTINY" 5 Acts.

Pearl White in "THE FATAL RING" Episode 13.

Harold Lloyd in "HERE COME THE GIRLS"

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