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A MESSAGE TO GARCIA

As we are now nearing the time when our schools and colleges will be reopening we reproduce especially for the benefit of the students Elbert Hubbard's masterpiece, "A Message to Garcia"

This was written in 1899, during the Spanish-American war. At that time the New York Central railway printed and distributed two million copies of the "Message." It is said to have a larger circulation than anything else ever written except the Bible.

Since the time of its first appearance a new generation has arisen and we reprint it primarily for their benefit. It is just as true, just as full of sound advice as when it was first written.

We trust that every reader of The Ontario will read it or re-read it and let it sink into the inner consciousness.

Elbert Hubbard the gifted author and his almost equally gifted wife, Alice Hubbard, went down with the Lusitania, when German brutality gave its first spectacular demonstration to the world that its work of cowardly assassination should envelope the sea as well as the air and the land.

In all this Cuban business there is one man stands out on the horizon of my memory like Mars at perihelion.

When war broke out between Spain and the United States it was very necessary to communicate quickly with the leader of the insurgents. Garcia was somewhere in the mountain fastness of Cuba—no one knew where. No mail nor telegraph message could reach him.

What to do! Some one said to the President, "There's a fellow by the name of Rowan will find Garcia for you, if anybody can."

Rowan was sent for and given a letter to be delivered to Garcia. How "the fellow by the name of Rowan" took the letter, sealed it up in an oilskin pouch, strapped it over his heart, in four days landed by night off the coast of Cuba from an open boat, disappeared into the jungle, and in three weeks came out on the other side of the island, having traversed a hostile country on foot, and delivered his letter to Garcia, are things I have no special desire to tell in detail.

The point I wish to make is this: McKinley gave Rowan a letter to be delivered to Garcia; Rowan took the letter and did not ask, "Where is he at?" By the Eternal! there is a man whose form should be cast in deathless bronze and the statue placed in every college of the land. It is not book-learning young men need, but a stiffening of the vertebrae which will cause them to be loyal to a trust, to act promptly, concentrate their energies; do the thing—"Carry a message to Garcia!"

General Garcia is dead now, but there are other Garcias.

No man who has endeavored to carry out an enterprise where many hands were needed but has been well nigh appalled at times by the imbecility of the average man—the inability or unwillingness to concentrate on a thing and do it.

Slipshod assistance, foolish inattention, dowdy indifference and half-hearted work seem the rule; and no man succeeds, unless by hook or crook, or threat, he forces or bribes other men to assist him; or mayhap, God in His goodness performs a miracle and sends him an angel of light for an assistant. You, reader, put this matter to a test: You are sitting now in your office—six clerks are within call. Summon any one and make this request: "Please look into the encyclopedia and make a brief memorandum for me concerning the life of Correggio."

Will the clerk quietly say, "Yes sir," and go do the task?

On your life, he will not. He will look at you out of a fishy eye and ask one or more of the following questions:

Who was he? Which encyclopedia?

Where is the encyclopedia? Was I hired for that? Don't you mean Bismarck? What's the matter with Charlie doing it? Is he dead? Is there any hurry? Shan't I bring you the book and let you look for it yourself?

What do you want to know for? And I will lay you ten to one that after you have answered the questions and explained how to find the information, and why you want it, the clerk will go off and get one of the other clerks to help him try to find Garcia—and then come back and tell you there is no such man. Of course, I may lose my bet, but according to the law of average I will not.

Now if you are wise you will not bother to explain to your "assistant" that Correggio is indexed under the C's, not in the K's, but you will smile sweetly and say, "Never mind," and go look it up yourself.

And this incapacity for independent action, this moral stupidity, this infirmity of the will, this unwillingness to cheerfully catch hold and lift, are the things that put pure Socialism so far into the future. If men will not act for themselves, what will they do when the benefit of their effort is for all? A first-mate with knotted club seems necessary; and the dread of getting "the bounce" Saturday night holds many a worker to his place.

Advertise for a stenographer, and nine out of ten who apply can neither spell nor punctuate—and do not think it necessary to.

Can such a one write a letter to Garcia? "You see that bookkeeper," said the foreman to me in a large factory.

"Yes, what about him?" "Well, he's a fine accountant, but if I'd send him up-town on an errand he might accomplish the errand all right, and on the other hand, might stop at four saloons on the way, and when he got to Main street would forget what he had been sent for."

Can such a man be entrusted to carry a message to Garcia?

We have recently been hearing much maudlin sympathy expressed for the "downtrodden denizen of the sweatshop" and the "homeless wanderer searching for honest employment," and with it all often go many hard words for the men in power.

Nothing is said about the employer who grows old before his time in a vain attempt to get frowsy ne'er-do-wells to do intelligent work; and his long patient striving with "help" that does nothing but loaf when his back is turned. In every store and factory there is a constant weeding-out process going on. The employer is constantly sending away "help" that have shown their incapacity to further the interests of the business, and others are being taken on. No matter how good times are, this sorting continues, only if times are hard and work is scarce the sorting is done finer—but out and forever out the incompetent and unworthy go. It is the survival of the fittest. Self-interest prompts every employer to keep the best—those who can carry a message to Garcia.

I know one man of really brilliant parts who has not the ability to manage a business of his own, and yet who is absolutely worthless to anyone else, because he carries with him constantly the insane suspicion that his employer is oppressing, or intending to oppress him. He cannot give orders; and he will not receive them. Should a message be given him to take to Garcia his answer would probably be "Take it yourself and be damned!"

To-night this man walks the streets looking for work, the wind whistling through his threadbare coat. No one who knows him dare employ him, for he is a regular firebrand of discontent. He is impervious to reason, and the only thing that can impress him is the toe of a thick-soled No. 9 boot.

Of course, I know that one so morally deformed is no less to be pitied than a physical cripple; but in our pitying let us drop a tear, too, for the man who are striving to carry on a great enterprise, whose working hours are not limited by the whistle, and whose hair is fast turning white through the struggle to hold in line dowdy indifference, slipshod imbecility and the heartless ingratitude, which, but for their enterprise, would be both hungry and homeless.

Have I put the matter too strongly? Possibly I have; but when all the world has gone a slumming I wish to speak a word of sympathy for the man who succeeds—the man who, against great odds, has directed the efforts of others, and, having succeeded, finds there's nothing in it; nothing but bare board and clothes.

I have carried a dinner pail and worked for day's wages and I have also been an employer of labor, and I know there is something to be said on both sides. There is no excellence perse in poverty; rags are no recommendation; and all employers are not rapacious and high-handed, any more than all poor men are virtuous.

My heart goes out to the man who does his work when the "boss" is away as well as when

he is at home. And the man who, when given a letter for Garcia, quietly takes the missive, without asking any idiotic questions, and with no lurking intention of chucking it into the nearest sewer, or of doing aught else but deliver it, never gets "laid off" nor has to go on strike for higher wages. Civilization is one long, anxious search for just such individuals. Anything such a man asks shall be granted; his kind is so rare that no employer can afford to let him go. He is wanted in every city, town and village—in every office, shop, store and factory. The world cries out for such; he is needed, and needed badly—the man who can carry a message to Garcia.

REAL POETRY OLD AND NEW

There is undoubtedly a revival of interest in poetry. The generation through which we have just passed cared little for the poetic art. It was thinking more of commerce, railroads, immigration problems and reclaiming the waste places of the earth, than of iambs and trochees.

But a variety of causes has brought about a real revival of interest in rhyme-making. The age through which we are passing is creating a poetic school of its own as was brought out by Rev. Arthur Phelps in his excellent lecture before the Canadian Club in this city last winter.

There is not as yet any such interest in evidence as was manifested at the time of Scott and Byron, whose successive productions were sought after and received with more acclaim than are the "best sellers" among recent novels. But there is now an increasing demand for the works of those later poets who have a song for the twentieth-century ear.

The September Scribner contains some practical observations about the nature of real poetry, both old and new, that are worth considering.

"The present very general interest in poetry, and particularly the poetry of the day and the hour, must cause many a casual reader to ponder the question, 'What is poetry?' To the lover of the art, confronted by many diverse and perplexing theories and performances, this question has become almost a challenge. Now, while this, like most of the rudimentary problems that baffle the mind, must remain imperfectly solved in any ultimate fashion, there is always the hope that the unprejudiced exercise of common sense and the reaction of certain instincts (for the passion of beauty is assuredly an instinct, if not a universally conscious one) may illumine the simplest outlines of a reality much beclouded by purely intellectual conceptions.

"The 'new poetry' has become the watchword of a general tendency, and yet this tendency makes itself felt in many varied, even conflicting, forms and methods of approach. There is, moreover, something a little disturbing about the phase so confidently and specifically applied. Surely, all true poetry is new, whether it was chanted to the lyre of the Greeks or typewritten amidst the walls of skyscrapers of Manhattan and Chicago. The singing heart of man always takes us by surprise whenever it successfully expresses its own, and therefore our own, sincere emotion. In the profound sense all experience of reality is new. Sorrow and love and death, howsoever often relived by the millions that have peopled and people the earth, must be felt again by each of us and all who shall be after us, and come ever as fresh revelations to each individual—as something infinitely strange and overwhelming—whenever thus refelt, whenever thus relived. It is not sufficient that they be apprehended or the idea of them intellectually conveyed, they must be experienced; and it is exactly this experience that true poetry, as well as life, affords. Poetry offers us a universal range of experience exceeding the limits of our individual and often accidental destiny, and in a manner complements the broken circle of our opportunities; such experience of reality in the life of the flesh, or of poetry 'is always new.'"

FLANDERS IS A HARD COUNTRY TO FIGHT IN.

According to Scribner's, Flanders is a most difficult country in which to wage war. Ever since the month of November, 1914, the English army has been engaged in the greater part of Flanders, from Dixmude in the north to La Basse in the south, where the heights of Artois begin. Thus Flanders may be considered as especially the battleground of the British forces, and at first sight no country looks more favorable to the movements of armies. The surface is almost everywhere exceedingly flat; here and there it is broken by low hills, but as a rule it stretches out as a vast plain until its limits melt into the blue horizon, and there are no irregularities of the ground to

hinder the advance of troops, except in two or three districts of limited extent. The country is rich, densely populated, with numerous roads and paths; intensive agriculture has accumulated wealth; meat and vegetables, wheat and beer, may be had in abundance. Innumerable villages, large and small, as well as isolated houses and farms, are scattered over the country in every direction; there are also many railways both of broad and narrow gauge; five lines come together at Ypres, five at Armentieres, six at Hazebrouck, while tramways along the roads add to the network of communication. Furthermore, there are serviceable waterways: the Yser, the Lys, the canal of La Basse. With such surroundings it certainly seems as if nothing could be easier than to move large masses of troops, to lodge, and to feed them.

And yet this is misleading, and, in point of fact, Flanders is an impracticable country, as has been proved by the history of this and also of preceding wars. Large armies have seldom ventured on its territory, and when they have done so it has been the worse for them. As far back as when Philippe le Bel was king of France his adventurous knights came to grief in a canal near Courtrai, and further back still we find the ponderous army of Philippe-Auguste stuck helplessly in the mud in the neighborhood of Ypres—an episode which repeated itself when the Germans were caught by the inundation of the Yser.

The time is here when the faithful and industrious amateur gardener can afford to view with indifference the rising prices of vegetables.

The general admiration with which Samuel Gompers is regarded in his own country and the general contempt with which J. C. Watters is viewed in Canada go to show that a labor leader in order to be popular need not be unpatriotic. Rather the reverse.

In the matter of peace policy, the chief difference between the German Socialists and the Pan-German party is, probably, that the latter are more frank in their avowal of their aims. If the Socialists who are to attend the Stockholm conference were to utter their true thoughts on the question of peace, the conference would not last long. Probably it would be found that their policy does not differ widely from that of General von Liebert, who recently said: "We cannot sign a peace before we have the Flanders coast, a colonial empire, and maritime bases. Should we not realize this now, we must prepare to work for it after the war, in view of the next war."

RULE BRITANNIA!

The following lines were written by the late Prof. James Curtis Ballis and were published in "The Canadian," the semi-monthly paper of the Ontario School for the Deaf, during the period of the Boer war.

The sentiments then so beautifully and forcibly expressed apply with equal force to conditions today.

Prof. Ballis, as most of our readers will recall, passed away suddenly on July 12th, last, at his home on Commercial street.

"Where Africa's sunny fountains Roll down their golden sands," Among her hoary mountains, Are gathered armed bands.

The bravest and the boldest, The lowly and the proud; Of chivalry the noblest, The children of the sod.

From every clime and station, From palace, cottage, mart; Where'er, throughout creation, Beats Anglo-Saxon heart.

They're tolling up the hillsides, They're scouring o'er the plain; They're panting 'neath the noontides, They're chilled with tropic rain.

To wipe away the vestige Of bondage from the land; For progress and for prestige, They there have taken stand.

Beware, ye kindred nations, Britannia's cause is yours; Your boasted civilizations, But live while hers endures.

Where'er her crimson banner Is flung abroad, is peace; Protection for the stranger, Unto the slave release.

No hatred of Europa Shall daunt her onward way She's hostage to Jehovah For peoples 'neath her sway.

Belleville, March, 1900.

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OUR O. P.

(Groaned to the tune of "Tennessee")

Miss Rierdon, George St., received the following rollicking piece of verse from her brother, Lt.-Col. Rierdon, late of Madoc, but now in France with the 41st Division of British Artillery. The song was written by Captain H. A. Coe, an Englishman, also a member of the 41st staff.

I'm so happy! Oh so happy! Don't you envy me I leave today at three for a week at our O.P.;

Duds A.A.C. shrapnel H.E. dropping round me there, As on a table 'neath the gable I crouch down and stare.

Way up in our O.P., just try to picture me, Crouched down upon my knees, with cramp all over me;

All I can think of at night is a bed of snowy white— Roof all leaking, rats all squeaking, Lordy, what a plight!

The mud all round the floor just makes me curse the more, The place is different so from the home I used to know,

For all the rats try to eat me (just imagine how they treat me) In that jet-black—in that jet-black hole that's known as our O.P.

There's no real time for my meal time; have it where I stand, Eat out of my hand, food all grit and sand;

In the mire I try to light a fire—pass ers-by call chaff, There's one loud shout, the damn are goes out And then the fatheads laugh.

(Chorus repeated if audience remains seated.)

Ode to an O. P.

O cursed spot! wherein I sit and freeze, With head bowed low toward my trembling knees;

Whose dim dimensions, meagre, sadly lack Sufficient space to ease my aching back.

Here must I crouch eternally and gaze Out through that white and constant shifting haze,

Toward yonder hill on which men say there run The trenches which conceal the sinful Hun.

O useless and inglorious pursuit! (The light is never good enough to shoot.)

Unaverted, save by vain attempts to hear On a damned phone that's always out of gear.

Roused from my couch each morning ere the sun Knows it is day, I must wait upon the Hun;

Lustful, his mighty laborers to shock (Who wouldn't be if called at five o'clock?)

'Couch' did I say? Art thou in very deed The place whereon I seek the rest I need?

Rude and mishapen, uncomfortable thing! (Nightly I ask of death "Where is thy sting?")

Here where thou rearest thy Ophiian head, Tales are untold of the illustrious dead—

How that they gave their lives—joyed in the giving (Mps! That's all right—but MY special stunt's LIVING.)

Thy visitors are few and far between— I have known days when nobody has been;

And I, unthank'd, have cared for these alone, Called thee with truth, a poor thing—but mine own.

At times, mayhaps, 'from somewhere in the rear' Comes a brass bat—(I scarce forbear to cheer!)

Cons o'er thy beauties, thy vulnerable spots, Stays half an hour, and shows himself—lots!

Headless he is of all my warnings cries; Tells me I'm 'windy'—that makes for no surprise—

Recks not of the machine gun that's laid on, Not that I was to remain here when he has gone!

Yet through the unceasing vigil of it all Comes one sweet thought to ponder and recall—

That when my tour is o'er, and I am through it, Some other chump will have to come and do it.

WESTERN LIBS. END CONFERENCE

Conditions Approved on Which Will Enter Coalition.

(Special to The Ontario) WINNIPEG, Aug. 27.—Western Liberal leaders, who have been in conference here for several days, have left for home. Conditions on which Westerners will enter a National government and Easterners approved as colleagues were agreed to unanimously and a despatch sent to the Premier at Ottawa, carried results of the deliberations. It is said Carvell will be included. Neither Rowell or any from British Columbia will be considered. Conscription will not be enforced immediately, if the Western men join the cabinet.

SOUTH SOLDIER GIVES LIFE Pte. Alp Gave Up Commission And Died of Wounds.

A telegram was received yesterday from the Records Department, Ottawa, by Miss Bessie Alp, a nurse-in-training at the Kingston General Hospital, that her brother, Pte. Alp had died of wounds in France. Deceased was a former resident of Granton, Ont. He went overseas with the 90th Battalion as a lieutenant, but upon reaching England he gave up his commission to get to the front. He is survived by his sister in Kingston and by his father in Granton, who is pastor of the local Presbyterian church. The news of his death was heard with deep regret by many in Kingston who knew both Pte. Alp and his opular sister.

ARE SOME BODIES IN SCHOONER CABIN? Believed That Some of Victims of The Marsh May Be There.

Are some of the bodies of the people who perished on the coal schooner Marsh in the cabin of the vessel? This is a question which has been raised in marine circles, says the Kingston Whig. There is a report that just as the schooner went down, Mrs. Smith wife of the captain of the vessel, ran to the cabin and shut the door and it is believed that some of the children were in the cabin at the time. If a diver was secured, he would soon ascertain whether or not any of the bodies were in the cabin.

STIRLING MOTOR CASE Charles Dunham, brought two charges against Captain J. Downey, one under the Motor Vehicle Act alleging reckless driving of an automobile and one under the criminal code, alleging that through wilful misconduct in the operation of the car bodily harm was caused to Florence Dunham, an occupant of Charles Dunham's car which was in collision with Capt. Downey's machine. The accident occurred on the Marmora Gravel Road two miles from Stirling on August 18th. The defendant pleaded not guilty in police court this morning. The trial was adjourned until this afternoon after the hearing of three witnesses. Mr. W. Carnew for the crown, and W. D. M. Shorey for the defence.

MOTOR ACCIDENT CASE IN COURT Last Sunday evening's motor accident on the Trent road between J. Bargman's car and Herbert George's was to have been ventilated in police court this morning, but was laid over until this afternoon. Mr. Bargman charges Mr. George with a breach of the Motor Vehicle Act. W. Carnew for the Crown; M. C. Mikel, K. C., for the defendant.

POLICE COURT In Magistrate Masson's court today Mr. R. Bargman pleaded guilty through his counsel, Mr. E. J. Butler, to having been intoxicated while in charge of a motor car, and to having had liquor in his possession, in the car. On the first charge he was fined \$10 and costs and on the second \$200 and costs. Mr. W. Carnew appeared for the crown. The charges were laid over one month ago.

DIED TAYLOR — In Hamilton, on Sunday, August 26th, W. R. Taylor, aged 75 years.

BURRELL — In Belleville, on Saturday, August 25th, 1917, Harry S. Burrell, aged 47 years. Funeral from his late residence, 176 Bleeker Ave., on Tuesday, August 28th at 3 o'clock. Interment in family plot, Belleville cemetery.

AVIATION CAMP TO LEAVE DESERONTO The Royal Flying Corps will be leaving Canada in a few weeks and take up new camps near Dallas, Texas. This spring the Royal Flying Corps established two camps near Deseronto. One was on the Mohawk Reserve, which was made into the Mohawk camp, and the other was on the Rathbun farm just back of the town. This has since been called the Rathbun Camp.

CASUALTIES Wounded: G. L. Gordon, Trenton O. H. Loney, Cornwall R. May, Cobourg C. H. Dackins, Cobourg H. Reddick, Rosemore S. Taylor, Peterboro J. Bolderson, Brighton Killed in Action: N. Mumby, Marmora E. H. McNaughton, Cobourg Wounded and Missing: J. J. Alexander, Queensborough Gassed: Sapper M. Simmons, Tweed Sapper H. C. Hayes, Omemee Wounded and Gassed: P. Lanchford, Lindsay.

WILLIAM SMITH WOUNDED Mr. W. J. Smith, proprietor of the Albion Hotel, yesterday received a cable from his son, William, who went overseas with the 155th Battalion, saying he was in Manchester Military Hospital, England, not seriously wounded. Pte. Smith is only 19 years of age. Mr. Smith has had no official communication from Ottawa yet.

CHEESE At the Belleville Cheese Board on Saturday 1500 boxes of white were offered: 781 sold at 21 5-16c, and 330 at 21 1/4c; balance refused 21 1/4c. The board was as follows: Shannonville 80 Bronk 60 Silver Springs 30 Union 50 Eclipse 45 Holloway 50 Wooler 80 Sidney Town Hall 120 Rosebud 50 Bayside 60 Melrose 90 Zion 60 Foxboro 50 East Hastings 50 Mountain 50 Plainfield 50 MBotra Valley 60 Roslin 80 Mountain View 100 Roblin 40 Tweed 25 Otter Creek 25 Wicklow 100 Codrington 50 Grango 75 Burnley 40

BUSINESS MEN IN TROUBLE Two local business men, who had difficulty over their automobiles faced the magistrate today for judgment and sentence. One was fined \$5 and costs for using abusive language and the other \$1 for a technical assault. Mr. W. Carnew and Mr. W. C. Mikel were the opposing counsel.

WORTHLESS BILLS IN PETERBORO Peterboro merchants are warned to be on the lookout for Mexican money, which is being circulated in that city in the form of bills. The money is worthless and will not be accepted by any bank. Mr. L. Potvin, confectioner, has in his possession a Mexican bill, which he received over the counter for a five-dollar bill. The figure five is plainly marked on the bill, and in general appearance the bill resembles Canadian money. At the bank Mr. Potvin was informed that the bill was worthless and at the present time only gold and silver is in circulation in Mexico.—Peterboro Examiner.

FAT HOGS MAKE FAT CHEQUES Messrs. Coulter, Kerr and Ketcheson, the hog kings of this country, shipped out 4 cars of hogs and 1 car of other stock, Tuesday. They paid \$16.75 per hundred. To Mr. Elisha Maynes of Thomasburg, belongs the honor of receiving the largest cheque for a load of hogs ever given in Tweed and certainly the

biggest ever paid out by this firm. The cheque called for over \$900. They were about 8 months old. What will those hogs be worth by the time the fancy bacon bits lie crisp and brown on the plate of the consumer?

It would take only a few loads like that to pay off the national debt of Canada. The last shipment or so ago, Mr. Fred Grey of Roslin, had a fine big batch which netted him \$680. Mr. Grey, earlier in the year, brought in a batch of porkers that almost equalled Mr. Maynes, receiving the record cheque of \$890.

Now then, who is going to beat these two prize hog raisers? —Tweed News

A FINE SWIM At the camp of Mr. T. Allan, at Dalhousie Lake, an exceptionally long swim was accomplished on Wednesday by Miss Lois Allan of Kingston, a student of the Kingston Collegiate Institute. The distance covered from the camp to "White Rock" was 2 1/2 miles, and this was accomplished in the short time of 2 hours. Her swimming partner was Mr. C. W. Taylor of the staff of Dr. C. D. Nash.

ACCEPTS TAMWORTH CHARGE The Bishop of Ontario offered the parish of Tamworth to Rev. S. E. Harrington, of Sydenham, who has accepted. This charge was made vacant as a result of the appointment of Rural Dean Jones to the position of clerical secretary and registrar of the diocese.

TWEED Mr. Jack Hammett, of Queen's Medical School, Kingston, is holidaying at his home here. We congratulate him on the successful completion of his third year's work in medicine.

Mr. Byron Farrar, of Trenton, has been visiting his parents and brother, A. A. here, while Mrs. Farrar has been visiting Peterboro friends. She came down today to spend the remainder of her holidays with friends here.

Mr. David Beatty is spending a week making the rounds of seeing friends in Picton, Frankford, Colborne and Welland. While at Colborne he investigated the municipal fire-fighting appliances and found they had a splendid gasoline fire-engine, such as Tweed is thinking of purchasing. He saw the engine work and he interviewed a number of private citizens and they are all loud in its praise.

Mrs. Jennie Seixsmith returned home Thursday evening from Elk Island, where she has been visiting for about a month. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mabel Thompson, for a week's holidays.

Miss Lella Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Graham is very ill, suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. H. Howson and children, of Toronto, are visiting at her brother's Dr. Kindred. Mrs. Howson is a talented soloist and we hope to have the pleasure of hearing her.

Mrs. W. S. Hinds and little daughter, Eileen, and her sister, Miss Berntha Doonan, of Toronto, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson, of Roslin.

Mrs. Howard Aselstine, of Belleville, and Miss Viva Allen, of Marlbank, were the past few days guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dopking.

Miss Olive Fisher, who attended the Summer School at Madoc, has successfully passed her examinations. Congratulations.

Miss Ella Busby is visiting Belleville friends for a couple of weeks. Mr. Conreiber, of Southern Alberta, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Fisher.

Mrs. J. L. McGowan is spending two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Geen, Thomasburg.

Mrs. A. Fluke and two sons, of Peterboro, are visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Badgley.

Miss Hilda Stout is holidaying with friends at Halloway and Belleville.

Mrs. B. League and son, Desmond, of Belleville, are visiting Mrs. W. G. Arber for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dopking are taking a two weeks' holiday auto tour among Ontario friends.

Mrs. Alger and babe and Miss Agnes are visiting Rev. and Mrs. I. C. Wickwar, Clybne.

Misses Lela and Olive Fisher, of the Lodgeroom, visited Mrs. R. E. Roy, of Trenton, last week.

Mr. Cecil Fletcher and sister, Myrtle, of Rosniore, are visiting at Mr. W. F. Montgomery's, of the Lodgeroom.

Miss Sadie Moore, of Queensboro, and Miss Lena Vanderwater, of Sidney, are guests of the Misses Grant, Midland and the paper incorporated as the Midland Free Press.

After forty-five years, the Barrie Gazette published its final issue this week. The plant will be moved to Midland and the paper incorporated as the Midland Free Press.

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Advices The Use of "FRUIT-A-TIVES", The Famous Fruit Medicine.



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Mr. and Mrs. R. Thompson and daughters left Wednesday for a holiday period with Omemee and other friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Rattray returned Wednesday afternoon from a three weeks' holiday at Arden. They report a most delightful time.

Councillors Gartley and Murray, together with fire chief Huyck and Clerk W. W. Garrett, went to Belleville Tuesday where they interviewed Messrs. Marsh & Henthorn re the town's fire-engine. From there they drove to Colborne to investigate that town's fire-fighting apparatus. The town officials gave them a splendid reception and Chief Jameson demonstrated the fine points of the town's gasoline fire-engine. Our representatives were delighted with the engine and its working. It is easy to operate, ready in a minute and powerful in action. Messrs. Marsh & Henthorn stated that the engine looked to be worth putting in good shape. They declared the present tubes had been badly burned and were loose. They will make a report to the council on the engine, estimating cost of repairs.

Earl Bruce Woodcock, son of Mrs. Cornelius Woodcock, of this village, died at the home of his brother, Isaiah, at Peterboro, shortly after midnight of Friday 17th inst. Deceased was in his 23rd year. He had been ill from November, 1916, when he was admitted to Toronto General Hospital where he remained till April, 1917. From that date he was at the home of his mother here up to July 2nd, when he was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterboro, where he was attended by Dr. King. Finding no improvement and desiring a change he was taken to the home of his brother, where death came as a relief from the great suffering. Earl was an industrious boy and previous to his illness had laid by quite a tidy sum of money. He was greatly respected by those for whom he worked. He was with the Peterboro Cane Company two years, and three years with the Fuel & Carriage Company. For over a year he was engaged with the Welland Ship Canal Construction Company. In November, 1914, he enlisted with the 8th C.M.R. for overseas service but was discharged in May, 1915, as medically unfit. He was presented with a wrist watch by Mayor Buller, of Peterboro. He is survived by his mother, four brothers, Pte. George, who is in a hospital in England, Murray and Leslie, Toronto, and Isaiah, Peterboro, and four sisters: Mrs. Files, Mrs. Carney and Mrs. Joslin, all of Peterboro, and Mrs. Quirrie, Killarney, Man. The sympathy of the community is extended to the mother and friends.—News.

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One fruit grower told the writer that he was scared to let the girls go to work for him for fear it would injure them, but he finally had to go and get two or three of them. He put them to work at hoeing and they did remarkably well. He wanted them to go home early in the afternoon and not tire themselves out, but they refused and stuck to the job till six o'clock. The next morning he went after them again to get them to pick berries and he said they came out of the house pretty stiff and sore but with a smile on their faces and the never-say-die spirit in their hearts, and from that day on they have done all his work and done it well. They proved to him that they were not quitters and so they have done with dozens of other growers.

Many of the girls have not sponged at picking fruit and hoeing and weeding vegetables, but have tilled their hand at handling horses and doing cultivating, and to the surprise of the growers, made good again.

Practically all of the girls engaged in this work throughout the district come from well-off families and there are some of them whose parents are in the millionaire class, but they did not let their riches stand in their path of duty and you can see them any day along any of the roads in this district, dressed in bloomers and middie, working in the fields and orchards like little heroes, garnering the fruit and vegetables that the people of Canada and the boys in the trenches might live.

The girls come from all parts of the country; from Montreal and other parts of Quebec and from all points and corners of Ontario. They are all under the control of the Y.W.C.A. and have the finest of ladies as chaperons and matrons of the homes.

Besides working hard on the farm all day, the girls have also found time to give grand parties and concerts, the proceeds from which were turned over to the Red Cross and they have also helped in many ways at other gatherings of a like nature.

Happily they say is the keynote of success and we believe that is one reason why the co-eds have succeeded for they always are happy, at least they give one that impression when he sees them or meets them in the orchards. They always have a smile on their faces and work away as if they had been doing that kind of work all their lives. At their homes they have every comfort that it is possible to provide and as one matron told the writer, "We are just one big happy family, the girls never give me any trouble, they are always happy whether at work or at play and they are mighty proud to be able to do their bit, be it ever so little, in helping to gather the crops that our soldiers might be fed."

It is that happy, never-say-die, determined-to-make-good spirit that has helped to a great extent to carry the girls through the trying ordeals of the first few days in the hot berry patches and fields, and when you find a country whose women exhibit a spirit of that kind, then that country is unconquerable by a foreign foe.

When the college girl fruit picker idea was first suggested, the Independent scoffed at the idea, but now we must admit that for once in its great and varied career "The People's Paper" was in error and we are more than pleased to be able to write this humble laudation of their good work and other great good they have done in this district.

We are proud of our college girls and we hope that they will carry on the good work for many years to come and not stop when the war is over.—The Independent.

SHOT IN SLAUGHTER HOUSE

Christopher Tooley, a Rent-sew farmer, brother of the Rent-sew chief of Folke, is in the hospital in Ottawa as the result of the accidental discharge of a revolver he was using to kill beer with.

BAPTISMS AT OAK LAKE

On Sunday afternoon a baptismal ceremony took place at Oak Lake under the auspices of the International Bible Students' Association. There were eight candidates, three of whom were from Belleville and five from Stirling and vicinity. Baptism was by immersion. Mr. Stewart of this city had charge of the service.

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NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

MARMORA

Messrs. Ernest Narrie, Charles Drennen and a number of others from the Village left for the West on the Harvester's excursion on Tuesday.

Mrs. (Rev.) W. H. Clarke and little son of Cavan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams and friends at Springbrook during the past week.

While there has been a number of very heavy rains in this neighborhood, Marmora has generally been passed by and as a result, gardens are suffering greatly.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Richards of Thomasburg, who have been spending their holidays at the latter's home near Norwood, were guests at the parsonage over Tuesday night.

There was a lot of excitement in town for a while on Tuesday forenoon as a result of a report that Mr. Philip Sopha had been murdered. About fifty rushed in autos out north of the village to round up the murderer, but when they found Mr. Sopha they discovered it was all a fake and that he was totally unaware of the excitement. The report spread to Belleville and neighboring towns but fortunately there was no occasion for it.

The annual Financial District Meeting of the Madoc District of the Methodist church, will be held in Marmora on Friday, Sept. 7th.

Miss Carrie Loveless has returned home from Toronto owing to the illness of her sister, Alma, who is suffering with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. John Farrell and son Rodney, of San Francisco, Cal., are visiting the former's brother, Mr. Hugh Jones.

Misses Nellie and Alma Warren, who have been holidaying at their home here, returned to Toronto yesterday.

Miss Florence McWilliams, who has been visiting in Marmora for several weeks, returned to Toronto yesterday.

Master Forest Dennis is visiting his aunt in Belleville. He went down on his wheel making the journey in record time.

Mr. Casha Boyd is busily engaged preparing to start business again in Mrs. Pringle's store which he formerly occupied.

Miss Ruth Woodger, of Bowmanville, visited her brother, Rev. W. P. Woodger over the week-end.

On Wednesday morning of this week there passed away in the person of Mrs. Jas. C. Bailey, of North Marmora, one of our oldest and most respected residents of Marmora township. The deceased, who has been in very poor health for over a year, was in her seventy-fifth year, having been born on Dec. 25th, 1843. Living as she did all her life in Marmora township, she was well known for her faithfulness and sterling character. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss, three sons, Hugh, of Toronto, Jas. E., and Charles, of North Marmora.

SIDNEY CROSSING

The many friends of Orval Ghent, will be glad to learn that the report of his having been killed in action is untrue as he has not been in France, since the big drive in April when he was seriously wounded and removed to the hospital in England. He was still in England the last letter his wife received from him, just a few days ago. We all hope he may be spared to return home when this cruel war is over.

Congratulations to Miss Jennie Moon, who has completed her course at the O.B.C., Belleville.

Miss Mabel Ketcheson of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manchester Ketcheson.

Miss Phyllis Bonistee has been spending the week with her cousin, Miss Clara Moran, Wooler.

Mr. Ray Moran, Mr. Elliott and Miss Clara, returning home with her on Sunday.

Miss Jessie Rankin, Belleville, teacher at the School for the Deaf, is visiting Miss Mabel McPherson.

Mr. Cameron of Cleveland, O., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Manchester Ketcheson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McLaughlin, their daughter, Miss Ruby, and Miss Alexandra Johnson spent Sunday at Moscow.

Miss Kathleen McPherson is having a pleasant holiday with friends in Belleville.

Miss Alexandra Johnson of Millbrook, is spending the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Seldon Ketcheson.

Mr. Jas. Martin, we are glad to report is improving nicely.

Miss Evelyn Spafford is visiting friends at Garden Hill.

Mr. Melbourne Kelley of Belleville, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Judson Kelley.

Mrs. Thos. Barnard, (nee Hattie) of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Ketcheson, Bayside, and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hyde have bought a home on Foster Ave. Belleville, and will soon be leaving us. Mr. Roy Finkle spent the week-end at Garden Hill.

CARRYING PLACE

Service was well attended in the Methodist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy from Concession, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bonter.

Mrs. H. Myers has returned home after visiting relatives in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bedal and family from Mt. Carmel, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall.

Mr. William Dauphinee has returned to Hornepayne after visiting friends here.

Mrs. S. Bingley spent Thursday with Mrs. S. Burley.

Miss Sarah Pierson spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Will Dauphinee.

Master George R. Harris spent Sunday afternoon with Fred Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rowe and son spent Sunday in Brighton.

Mr. Samuel Burley is on the sick list.

Miss Mabel Hendricks from Rochester, N.Y., is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hendricks.

Miss Jessie Young of Toronto, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. F. Hall.

Master Vernon Westfall is spending a few days at Colborne.

Mr. R. Babcock and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Babcock spent Sunday at E. Adam's.

We are sorry to hear that Beatrice Crouter is seriously ill again.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurter spent Sunday with friends at Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allison and family spent Sunday with E. Russell.

Mrs. Wm. Allison visited her son, Joseph Allison on Sunday.

Gerald Thompson spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brickman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pulver spent Friday at Cleveland Clapp's.

Miss Luella Ferguson, Ameliasburg, spent a couple of days of last week with Hattie Russell.

Mrs. W. H. Brickman spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Way's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Ostrom and A. Shears accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Thompson and family spent Sunday at David Rose's.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ayles, and Mrs. Joseph Devlin, spent Sunday at J. W. Brickman's.

Miss Margaret Davis of Frankford is spending a few days with Mrs. Stanley Bent.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Clapp accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. V. Finkle spent Sunday at Clayton Pulver's.

Mr. Alviria Tompkins and Knight spent Sunday at their home at Rednersville.

Miss Grace Kenney has returned home after spending a few days with friends in Belleville.

Brylena Pulver has returned home after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Cleveland Clapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Leach, Wooler, spent Sunday at J. W. Brickman's.

Miss Riggs, Belleville, is spending a few days with Grace Kenney.

Hattie Russell is spending a few days with Verna Babcock, Charlotte street, Belleville.

VICTORIA

Church next Sunday at 2.30 P. M. The ladies will quilt at the church on Thursday, Aug. 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. H. Adams spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bush, Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alsworth of Geneva, N.Y., returned to their home after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. Brickman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bonter and family with Mr. L. Brickman, Vera and Andra Brickman spent Sunday at Mr. D. Vandervoort's, Wellington.

Mrs. H. Sager was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. Bryant of Wellington, who has been quite ill. Glad she is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weese and Beryl and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lamb motored to Thomasburg on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy.

Vivian Fox is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bush at Wellington.

Mr. L. Brickman, Mr. F. Alsworth and Mr. R. Richardson motored to Trenton on Monday.

Sorry to report Mr. Will Habbes on the sick list, but hope for a speedy recovery.

FIRE FIEND WAS BUSY AT MADOC

Barn of Joseph Shaw Burned—Residence of Fred Curry Damaged—Memorial Service of Sergt. Burns, A Madoc Hero—Other News and Notes Gathered by The Ontario's Special Correspondent.

Monday's electric storm which passed through this district did severe damage to Mr. Joseph Shaw. Lightning struck his barn and fire destroyed his whole crop and buildings. This is a very heavy loss to Mr. Shaw, as he carried very little insurance.

Mr. George Lingham of Dayton, Ohio, visited our village on Wednesday and expressed his appreciation of our fine roads in the northern part of the county. Mr. Lingham is spending his holidays at his mother's home on Dundas street, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chambers of Toronto, are renewing old acquaintances in our village, having been living in the Queen City for the past six years.

The Methodist Picnic which was held at Moira Lake, Thursday, was a decided success. Games and races were held and enjoyed by all. The teachers and officers are more than pleased with the pleasant and enjoyable time that was spent, it being one of the best picnics ever held under the auspices of the Methodist S.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moffat and family of Coe Hill, are visiting friends in Madoc. They also were guests at the Morton-Thompson wedding, Wednesday, Aug. 22nd.

Pte. Bert Powers of the 34th Batt., France, formerly of the 39th Batt., C.E.F., is the guest of Mr. J. Burns, Rollins street.

The lawn social held Friday night under the auspices of the Women's Institute on the lawn of Mr. Geo. Wyman, was a grand success. Refreshments were served to all. There were also booths where tea, cream and lemonade were sold. The Madoc Band was assisted by a number of members of the Sulphide Band which added greatly to the evening's entertainment and they were not afraid to give plenty of music of a high class and well rendered. The ladies wish to thank the friends who assisted in making the social the success it was. We understand the receipts were over \$12.00 and will be used for soldier's comforts.

Miss Ida Lynn of Toronto, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, St. Lawrence street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whytock, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Rollins and son Clarke, motored to Belleville Sunday and took the train from there to the National Exhibition at Toronto. The party expect to remain for a week.

Mr. Harry Butcher, Peterboro, Mr. Will Sinclair, Toronto, Mr. G. B. Foote and son Jack of Madoc, are camping at Stony Island, Moira Lake, for the next two weeks.

A memorial service was held in the Presbyterian church at 11 A.M. Sunday, in memory of Sergt. John Edward Burns of the 24th Batt., France, who died of wounds August 18th, received at Hill 70. The church was filled with the many friends of the deceased, not only from the vicinity but also the surrounding villages. Rev. Dr. MacTavish, conducted the service and William Hacking presided at the organ. The hymns used were "Faithful and True," "Lord, Thou hast been our Dwelling Place," Hymns, "Dear Refuge of the Weary Soul," "Holy Father in Thy Mercy," and "Thy Way not Mine, O Lord."

The pastor took his text from the 33rd chapter of Deuteronomy and the 27th verse, "The Eternal God is thy Refuge and underneath are the Everlasting Arms and He shall thrust out the enemy from before thee and shall say Destroy them."

John Edward Burns was a young man with the brightest prospects before him, three years ago, having been trained in our Public and High schools also in our Sabbath school, where he was always a regular attendant. He also had been for two years, instructor in a public school, but true to himself when the call came for men to fight for God and Country, he answered at once, dropping his prospects, whatever they might have been and hastened to fight for the freedom of his land and people. He therefore trusted in the Refuge of the Eternal God and in the long fighting of twenty months felt that no matter where he was, "The everlasting arms of God" were about him. He was no slacker, but a hero for we find him wounded at St. Eloi, but as soon as possible he was back again in the fight at Courcellette. He was therefore trying to thrust out the enemy from before him, for as the minister said, nothing that any man in this world would say, could justify the enemy in entering this war and I feel confident that God will never justify the Kaiser for the terrible carnage he has caused in bringing on the world such a horrible destruction of homes and lands and sooner or later God will destroy this Militarism and make an honorable peace in all the world. What more terrible picture can you imagine than these young men, well educated and heroes, being shot down, thousands of miles from home with not a relative to say a last "Good-bye" or speak a kindly word just because the Kaiser wants to rule the world. God will surely destroy him.

Miss Ruby Pym sang "My Grace is Sufficient for Thee."

Among those present we noticed, Sandy Grant, M.P.E., for East Hastings, Findlay Houston, Samuel Rollins, Reeve of Tweed, Edward Huyck, Thos. N. Johnston, John Newton, James Murray and D. W. Rollins of Tweed.

It is not too much to say that Madoc has surely been hard hit in the casualty list and all were the best young men she had. The whole community mourns with the family of Sergt. Burns, who died a hero.

The local lodge of I.O.O.F., held their decoration of graves of deceased brethren on Sunday. A large number of members were out also a number of visiting members. The service was interesting throughout, the choir of the Methodist church assisted in the musical part of the program. Each grave of deceased members of Madoc Lodge, I.O.O.F. and Rebecca Lodge was suitably decorated with a service and flowers.

Mr. Campbell Wallbridge and brother, Garvin of Toronto, have begun shipping Fluor Spar from their mine.

The firemen had a call about 11.30 Saturday night to the home of Mr. Fred Curry where the rafters in the roof had taken fire from the chimney. The fire looked real serious at first, but with the engine at work in about five minutes, the fire was soon under control and a beautiful residence saved. The fire fighting service certainly works well and the Council is to be congratulated on such equipment.

TRENTON

Trenton, Aug. 28.—Mr. Alexander Gault has purchased a lot on Queen street, opposite the Roman Catholic convent, from Mrs. Williams, and intends having a handsome residence erected on the property. Work on the building will commence at once.

Mrs. Cuthbert Temple of the Molson's Bank left for a ten days' visit in Toronto to-day.

The Misses Anna and Flora Edsall of Bowmanville are in town to-day on their way home, from a visit to their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Garret in Wellington.

Dr. T. S. Farmcomb, accompanied by his son, Mr. Hugh Farmcomb, Dr. Swanson, chief chemist of the British Chemical Co., has leased the residence on Marmora street, which Mr. C. N. Barclay is vacating this week.

THE LIFE-SAVING RED CROSS OF BRITAIN

Col. W. N. Ponton attended the meeting of the Central Council of the Red Cross Society of Canada, at which His Excellency the Governor General presided, in Toronto, on Monday. Arrangements were perfected for aid to the British Red Cross, whose great work is world-wide.

39th SOLDIER WOUNDED

Mrs. John W. Sanderson, Brantwood Avenue, Peterboro, has received official word from Ottawa that her brother, Sapper William John Hamilton, is officially reported admitted to the 3rd General Hospital, L'Etretport, on Aug. 16th, suffering from severe and multiple wounds.

Sapper Hamilton enlisted in Peterboro early in 1915, with the 39th Battalion, and had been on duty in France for almost eighteen months.

HOMER ON FURLOUGH

Gunner Harold Newton, who left Belleville three years ago with the 4th battery arrived in Belleville this morning on furlough. Since then his brother has been taken prisoner and at the front, and during his absence his father died.

UNCONSCIOUS IN HOSPITAL

Sad Ending of Auto Ride in Foxboro Last Night

Miss E. Miller, Sinclair street, is lying in an unconscious state in the Belleville hospital as a result of an automobile accident last night at Foxboro at the junction of the Madoc and Stirling roads. Mr. Fred Stevens, Coleman street, took out a party of five, including Miss Miller in a five passenger Gray-Dort car. In making the turn at the junction of the roads at Foxboro, the machine struck a telephone post on the left side about midway on the side of the car. The collision was terrific as it tore open the car, smashed fender, running board, and side, broke the wheels, twisted the rear axle and generally strained the car. Miss Miller evidently came in contact with the pole as she was picked up as she lay unconscious on the bottom of the car. Dr. Faulkner was called, and had her removed at once to the Belleville hospital.

Up to 1.30 this afternoon she had not recovered consciousness and grave fears for her are entertained. Her relatives have been at her bedside several times today.

The others of the party escaped with only a few scratches. The car is one of the worst wrecks seen here in many a day.

"BUD" FARROW DIED IN FRANCE

155th Soldier Killed in Action On August 18th.

Private William Thomas Farrow, youngest son of Mr. Edwin H. Farrow, 12 Patterson street, fell on the field of honor on Saturday, August 18th, 1917. Such was the tragic news received this morning by his parents. Universal regret is expressed for "Bud" as he was best known, was a favorite with every one privileged to know him.

He gave up a good position in Oshawa, with the McLaughlin Carriage Company, in order to serve the King. Coming to Belleville he joined the 155th Battalion and for some time was sergeant in connection with the medical branch under Major Dr. McColl. Going overseas he went into the ranks as a private in a well-known battalion. It is thought he fell in the fighting before Lens.

William Thomas Farrow was an excellent type of young manhood. Physically he was to be envied; for he stood over six feet high. He was impelled by the highest ideals at all times. Courteous and gifted with the talent for friendship, he was a favorite with his companions. Had he lived, his natural ability would have shown itself in many ways. He was only about twenty years of age.

He was as a boy a chorister in St. Thomas church choir and remained in Belleville. He was a member of Archdeacon Beamish's boys' brigade and later of the St. Thomas Cadets Corps. He was active in church work and took part in the activities of the A.Y.P.A. A memorial service will be held for him in St. Thomas church on Sunday evening by Archdeacon Beamish.

After receiving his education in the public and high schools here, he was for a time at the Ontario office. He then left Belleville for Smith's Falls, later going to Oshawa.

Both he and his brother G. M. S. Edwin Farrow were at Oshawa with the McLaughlin Company and both joined the 155th. The two brothers went overseas together.

Besides his brother and his parents, he leaves one sister, Miss Dot, of this city. To them the deepest sympathy is extended in their great loss.

ANOTHER MOTOR CAR CASE

Herbert George is today the defendant in a case arising out of a motor accident on Sunday, August 19th on the Trent Road. Mr. Jonas Barzman is the complainant. W. C. Carnew for the crown, W. C. Mikel, K.C., for defendant.

A Real Asthma Remedy. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the cures which it performs. Expect relief and permanent benefit when you buy this remedy as it will not have caused disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

DO YOU LIKE GOOD RACING?

If so, attend the Belleville Fair Labor Day, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 3rd and 4th, 1917.

Events as follows: 2.50 class, 2.30 class, 2.18 class and free for all.

The following horses are among the starters: Dayspring, 2.07 1/4, just arrived home from the Grand Circuit Races, and will positively race here.

Manuella, 2.07 1/4; Montalvie, 2.08 1/4; Minnie C., 2.15; Frost Patch, 2.14 1/4; Dick Bryson, 2.18; Danger, Bobby Hill, Silver Forbes, and many others.

Come along and enjoy some good sports.

A. Jones, President. R. H. Ketcheson, Secretary.

AVIATOR FELL AT PRISON FARM

Machine Is Total Wreck But Cadet Kirkland Escaped Injury.

Cadet Kirkland of Camp Mohawk had a bad smashup with his airplane at noon yesterday when he attempted to land at the Penitentiary Farm, Kingston. He lost his bearings while on his way from Deseronto to Belleville and supposing himself to be near Belleville, he descended. In so doing he lost control of his machine which crashed to the ground a total wreck.

Kirkland, fortunately, was not injured. The machine was shipped back to Deseronto last night, where an attempt will be made to rebuild it. The airman may well congratulate himself upon having narrowly escaped death or serious injury. Spectators of the accident supposed the airman to be killed when they saw his plane fall.

WOMAN STRUCK BY CAR

Cut Face A Little On Broken Glass

Mr. C. A. McLeilan of Whitby, was driving on Front street near Graham's about six o'clock last evening, when a woman stepped out in front of the car. She was carrying a glass pitcher or jug and when the car struck her, she was knocked down, and the glass broken. Her face was cut. The autoist stopped his car and gave his name and permit number and asked here. She did not give it, saying she was not hurt. Mr. McLeilan also offered to bring a doctor, but the lady did not desire any attention. Mr. McLeilan then reported the case to the police.

STIRLING MOTOR CASE

Magistrate Masson this morning handed out his judgment in the charges brought against Captain J. Downey by Mr. Charles Dunham, arising out of an auto accident on the Marmora Road near Stirling. On the charge of reckless driving under the Motor Vehicle Act he was fined \$10 and costs, and on the other charge of causing harm to Florence Dunham by misconduct in driving the car, sentence was suspended. The costs in the case amounted to \$70.05. W. Carnew for the crown; W. D. M. Shorey for the defence.

MILITARY NOTES

It is understood that Lieut.-Col. A. P. Allen, who commanded the 354th Belleville Battalion, will be returning to Canada in the near future.—Kingston Whig.

Pte. Albert Kennedy Mrs. B. N. Padgett, Edison Avenue, Peterboro, has been notified from Ottawa that her brother, Pte. Albert Kennedy, who left here with the 39th Battalion, has been admitted to No. Six Casualty Clearing Station, on August 18th, suffering from gunshot wounds in the side and arm.

Pte. Kennedy was with the 20th Central Ontario Battalion at the front, acting as stretcher-bearer. This is the second time he has been in the casualty list. He was wounded in the head in January last, and returned to the firing line in March.

The last sad rites for the late Harry S. Burrell took place on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Frank Anderson conducted service at the family residence, Bleeker Ave. Interment was in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being relatives of the deceased.

The funeral of the late W. R. Taylor, of Hamilton, was held on Tuesday afternoon from the residence of his son, (Mr. W. R. Taylor, Reed Street. There was a large attendance of friends of the former well-known manager of the former at Corbyville. The Rev. A. S. Kerr, of St. Andrew's officiated at the service. Interment was in Belleville cemetery pany.

Laid to Rest

REPORTS FINE CROP

Ald. Wm. Woodley has returned home after an extended tour by auto through Hastings, Prince Edward and Northumberland counties. He reports the finest crops that he has seen for years. All was harvested in the best of condition, the straw being long, bright and clean. Fall wheat was a particularly good sample, plump and heavy. Spring wheat was not quite so good, having been caught before ripening by the dry weather.

STANDARD OIL GETS GRIP?

Much excitement has been caused by the leasing of some 16,000 acres in the vicinity of Rockwood, near Guelph, by the Standard Oil Company.

WANTED

A PROTESTANT NORMAL TRAINED teacher for S. S. No. 7, Sidney. Salary \$600 to \$850, according to qualifications and experience. Apply at once to E. B. Lott, R. R. 2, Belleville or phone 428 r 14. a29-3td,ltw

adies Wanted, to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time, good pay; work sent any distance; charges paid. Send stamp for particulars. National Manufacturing Company, Montreal.

FARM FOR SALE

Lot No. 19, Con. 5 in Huntingdon, two miles north west of Thomasburg—200 acres on premises, is good barn 30x50, straw barn and basement stable 48x36, wagon house 24x36. Double frame house, two wells on farm. Good maple bush. Rural mail. If not sold by Oct. 15 will rent. Apply Wm. Adams, R. R. No. 1, Thomasburg. 18-3tw

FARM FOR EXCHANGE

WANTED, a farm of about 15 or 20 acres with comfortable buildings, in exchange for a 50 acre farm in Huntingdon, in good state of Cultivation and good buildings. Apply Box M., Ontario Office. 9-5tw

CHOICE FARMS FOR SALE

147 acres, 7 miles from Belleville, first class buildings, basement barns, 3 acres orchard, 5 acres timber, balance work land. Farm level and square. Buildings in centre. 135 acres, 4 miles from Belleville, all work land and level. Small orchard, 2 sets of first class buildings, basement stables. 110 acres, 5 miles from Belleville, 20 acres orchard, farm level, well-watered, first class buildings. Box 180, Brighton, Ont. Norman Montgomery, Auctioneer. Jly26-6tw

HENRY WALLACE

Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Hastings. Special attention given to sales of farm stock. Phone or write Stirling, I.O. R.M.D. Phone No. 88 r 21.

TO RENT

FARM IN GOOD CONDITION.—Apply to W. T. Giles, Ameliasburg, Ont. 74. a18-5td,ltw

STRAYED

STRAYED FROM MY ENCLOSURE on August 23, 1917, one Bay mare, left hind foot white to fetlock, white rings under fore legs above knees. Finder will please notify L. J. Buckley, R.F.D. No. 1, Roslin, or 140 Front St., Belleville. a29-4td,ltw

STRAYED

Came on my premises about two months ago, from gray coat, four years old, star and white spots on left saddle. Frank J. Knight, Belleville.

WANTED TO RENT

200 acres more or less, good land, good buildings, close to school. For further information apply to William Fitzgibbon, R.R. 2, Frankford. 3tw

EVANS GOES TO TRIAL

In Belleville police court Magistrate Bedford of Deseronto held an investigation into the charge of rape preferred against John Wesley Evans, aged 64 years, by his daughter-in-law, Sarah Ann Evans, and after four hours, the evidence was all in. The accused was sent up for trial. Crown Attorney Carnew took the prosecution and Mr. E. J. Butler defended the accused.

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WANTED

NORMAL TRAINING... S. S. No. 7, Sidney, \$650, according to... E. B. Lott, R. R. 2, phone 428 R. 14.

do plain and light... whole or split... work sent any... Send particulars. National company, Montreal.

FOR SALE

5 in Huntingdon... of Thomasburg... Farm land and base... wagon house 24... house, two wells... maple bush. Rural... Adams, R. R. No. 1, 16-3tw.

EXCHANGE

of about 15 or 20... comfortable buildings... a 50 acre farm in... good state of Cult... Ontario Office, 9-5tw

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es from Belleville... basement barns... acres timber, bal... Farm level and... in centre... Belleville... level. Small or... class buildings... Belleville... farm level, well... buildings... Brighton, Ont... Montgomery... Auctioneer... Jly26-5tw

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LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIERS England, July 25, 1917. My Dear Mother;— I received your most welcome letter and also the box; both came together and I was very glad to receive them.

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL Mr. R. Barrie, the C. N. R. engineer who was brought to the city hospital ten days ago, was able to leave today, after having a bullet extracted from his thigh, from an accident at the hands of a boy's gun at Maynooth. The shooting was purely accidental.

ONE YEAR IN REFORMATORY Two Youths Tried to Break Into Stroud's Store. Bert Wilson and Frank Smith, the two youths arrested two weeks ago for trying to break into the rear of Stroud's tea store, were this morning sentenced to one year each in the Ontario Reformatory. They had nothing to say why sentence should not be pronounced against them.

Pills of Attested Verne.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are the result of careful study of the properties of certain roots and herbs, and the action of such as sedatives and laxatives on the digestive apparatus. The success, he compounds have met with, attests the value of their work. These pills have been recognized for many years as the best cleansers of the system that can be got. Their effectiveness was recognized from the first when they grew more popular daily.

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THE MARKETS TORONTO MARKETS. TORONTO, Aug. 22.—The Board of Trade official market quotations for yesterday: Manitoba Wheat (in Store, Fort William). No. 1 northern, \$2.40, nominal. No. 2 northern, \$2.32 1/2, nominal. No. 4 wheat, \$2.29, nominal. Manitoba Oats (Track, Bay Ports). No. 2, 50c, 50c. American Corn (Track, Toronto). No. 2, 50c, 50c. Ontario Oats (According to Freight Outside). No. 2 white, 50c, 50c. Ontario Wheat (According to Freight Outside). No. 2, 50c, 50c. No. 2, new crop, \$1.15 to \$1.20. Peas (According to Freight Outside). No. 2, 50c, 50c. Barley (According to Freight Outside). Maltine, new crop, \$1.20 to \$1.25. Buckwheat (According to Freight Outside). No. 2, 50c, 50c. Rye (According to Freight Outside). No. 2, 50c, 50c. Manitoba Flour (Toronto). First patent, in 50 lb. bags, \$12.00. Second patent, in 50 lb. bags, \$11.00. Strong buyers, in 50 lb. bags, \$12.00. Ontario Flour (Promo, Shipments). Winter, according to sample, \$10.20, in bags, track, Toronto. No. 10, \$10.00. Milled (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freight, Bags Included). Bran, per ton, \$4.00. Shorts, per ton, \$4.00. Middling, per ton, \$4.00 to \$4.50. Extra No. 2, per ton, \$11.50 to \$12.00. Mixed, per ton, \$11.00. Car lots, per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50. WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. Winnipeg, Aug. 21.—Holders of cash wheat grading from No. 3 downward, who were hesitating out for the possibility of prices advancing closer to the quotations fixed for No. 1 northern, suffered a big surprise this morning when the cash market slumped from 10c to 10c on grades below No. 2. This was one of the greatest of the many sensational experiences in the trading during recent weeks. The oats situation was little changed. There was a bid higher than the moderate offerings. Cash, flat, was in fair demand, with prices easier. In the future market, flax and oats were the only cereals dealt in, most attention being given to flax. Quotations for oats were very little higher than the previous close. Flax prices were several cents lower. October wheat closed 1c higher. Oats closed, October 1c higher, December 1/2c, and May 1/2c lower. Quotations for flax were 1c higher for October, 1c for November, and 1/2c lower for December. Barley was unchanged.

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TRAIN OF 92 CARS One of the longest trains known to have been sent east from Brockville on the Grand Trunk Railway was despatched on Saturday morning. It consisted of 92 cars, the greater part of which were loaded and nearly 20 of which carried coal. To negotiate the grade east of the town it was necessary to use two locomotives in addition to that pulling the train but once up the grade the train was able to proceed under the steam of the one large freight locomotive in charge of Engineer Ray. The train extended from Park street to the eastern entrance of the Manitoba yards, being at least a mile in length and almost double the size of the loaded freight trains usually going east.

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DRINK IS ABOLISHED FOR GOOD IN U.S.

(Agnes C. Laut in Financial Post.)

The passing of the U.S. Food Bill, giving the President and his administrators more autocratic power than any ruler since the days of Joseph, has been marked and is bound to be still further marked by the most unexpected results.

Beers and light wines remain on the diet list subject to the discretion of the President. Whiskey goes off the U. S. map and instead of ruin facing the whiskey distillers, distillers' securities have shot up and are a favorite play on the market. The explanation is two-fold. First, the distillers had three years' supplies on hand when the bill passed, and this liquor is now being sold at advances all the way from 100 to 500 per cent, according to age and quality. When the distillers disorganize—as disorganize they must, or reorganize either on a basis of manufacturing stock feed instead of human stimulants, for whiskey is off the map forever here, instead of handing back worthless stock to their shareholders the chances are they will distribute a dividend many times the face value of the stock. The second reason for the abnormal advance of the securities lies in the fact that the abnormal advance in the price of corn has been directly traced to a former in corn created by the distillers. Ordinarily, when wheat is at \$2, corn rules at below \$1.50; but today with the biggest corn crop in the history of the country, corn is ruling higher than wheat. For stock food in this part of the country it is now worth \$80 a ton. Needless to say, before the operation of Hoover's administration, the distillers were crafty enough to unload on foreign buyers, and how much they cleaned up is purely a matter of guess work.

Purely economically and also morally, of course, the "booze" question has been a puzzle to me ever since I came from the west to reside in a rural community in the East. We have our heavy drinkers in the West, of course. Our frontier towns with the main street facing the railroad, are usually a row of low saloons and lower dives. And the wildly hilarious "shooting-up" of Western cowboys and miners came as regularly as the big pay envelope; but "booze" there was a pastime, not a vocation, and a religion as I am sorry to say it is among the rural workers, mill hands and miners of the East. In the old days in the West, temperance legislation was unknown. Today, temperance legislation is almost universal. Yet, the consumption of strongly alcoholic drinks has increased in a way to create a public nuisance; so that now you find big business—mill owners, mine owners, rail road operators—solidly arrayed against drink purely on economic grounds.

It is of course, idle for the saloon people to declare that the temperance legislation has created the excess drinking, because it is illogical and unregulated. It is just as erroneous or the anti-saloonists to say that temperance legislation has diminished drinking. It hasn't. Drinking has increased to a total that is simply staggering for the year—to a total in dollars equal to a Liberty Loan. When you find an universal economic effect, you will usually find a universal economic cause behind it, and I prefer to go gunning for that fact rather than to swallow ready made arguments. So when the food bill had

inconvertibly proved the universality of the economic cause drinking had become among employers as well as employees, I went straight to the big distillers, laid the facts on the table and asked them why. For instance, in my own case—and nothing knocks home like a personal experience—in the course of working over and bringing up to "the pay strack" an abandoned country place of considerable acreage, I have often had to employ as many as fourteen "loafers"—extra hands taken on, riggers, carpenters, harvest hands, teamsters, thirsty for a check that came weekly, and what could be bought with the check. Of fourteen who got their checks regularly from me and as regularly spent them on highly alcoholic booze, I can count seven out of fourteen who died of a whiskey heart in two years. This does not apply to the regular year-contrast help. Nor were these whiskey hearts what the street vulgarly calls "bums". They were in many cases my very best, fastest, most willing workers, men who worked on their nerves and used their brains in every stroke of work, though the motive was frequently nothing higher than to get through and get the check for the booze. When you bump into a proposition like seven out of fourteen, and see a willing worker kill himself because he is hypnotized into thinking he can't stop, you ask yourself why?

And here is what the distillers and brewers frankly say was the why, to their very deep regret—for it created the anti-saloon leagues and sounded their own death knell. Some twenty-five years ago, the refrigeration of beers came into vogue. The brewers could buy up raw supplies in huge quantities, when the market price was at its lowest, manufacture the beers, ales, stouts and porters and store in great quantities. This induced them to stimulate their market—to offer premiums to buyers, to advertising campaigns, etc., etc. Meanwhile, the whiskey, rum and brandy manufacturers were not going to see beer run away with the entire market; so they, too, began to stimulate a market—one bottle free for every twelve bought, a free supper on certain nights, free lunches, etc., etc., with flaming electric signs girding the earth in a way that never permitted a drunk to get away from temptation.

Now the difference in alcoholic contents between beers and whiskies is the difference between 2 to 4 per cent, and 40 to 60 per cent. To stimulate the market for beers was one thing. To stimulate the market for whiskey was quite another. Instantaneously wherever men centred—more in the East than in the West—in mill towns, in lumber towns, in railroad boom towns, saloons sprang up like poisonous mushrooms; and when the free lunch failed to attract men off the street, more disreputable attractions were added, faro joints and back rooms for poker. The effect was automatic everywhere. Licenses jumped in cost from a few dollars a year to \$1,200 and \$1,500 in big cities like New York.

It was then for a saloon a matter of getting customers in off the street to drink or of being ruined by high license; so the saloon added the most disreputable attraction of all. It became the den of the drunk and the dope addict with drugs to make up their strength. A man would go into a saloon for a hot drink on a cold day or a cool drink on a hot day and would find that instead of assuaging his thirst, the drink had created a double-edged thirst for a second drink and a third and a fourth—from which he would have all the after-depressions of a heavy drug, only he did not know he was being drugged. And presently the evil became so great that it created its own reaction have swept the land of whiskey. Beers and light wines are still on the map and it need scarcely be told their manufacturers are standing together as a man to purge drink of drugs.

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EFFECT OF WAR IN WOODS

LUMBERING INDUSTRY IS WORKING UNDER HANDICAP

Wages Have More Than Doubled, But No Men Are Available—Necessary as Any War at Work

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FISHERMEN REPORT FISH NOT IN ACCUSTOMED PLACES

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SEVEN TOOK FINAL VOWS

At Kingston on Saturday morning in the House of Providence, Mother House of the Sisters of Charity, Kingston, temporary vows were taken by Miss Loyola Malvey of Belleville, (Sister M. Aileen) among others.

Among the eleven sisters who received the habit of the order were Miss Mary McQuiggan, of Perth; Miss Leonora McGrath, Stoco; Miss Loretta Corboy, Gananoque; and Miss Isabella Holland, of Madoc.

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The spacious and beautiful chapel of Our Mother of Sorrows was filled to the utmost capacity, many friends and relatives of the candidates being present. The altar was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the music and singing was most impressive.

PTE. J. J. DEACON IS WOUNDED

Well Known Belleville Boy of 153th Battalion Shot in Right Thigh and Ankle

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TRENTON

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The Governor Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire are serving tea each day and ice cream etc., every night, on the grounds. As the show is under the management of the Returned Soldiers' Association, we feel sure it will be well patronized.

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Mr. John A. Holgate, who has been a very acceptable local preacher for a quarter of a century was the preacher in the evening and although this was his first sermon in Bowmanville it is hoped it will by no means be his last. Pastor Sillery was in disposed and felt unable to take the evening service and Mr. Holgate very kindly came to the assistance of the Board. The audience heard him with great pleasure.—Bowmanville Statesman.

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TRAVELLED IN A SUBMARINE

Craft Was Launched in 1620—Was Propelled by Oars, But Secret of Pure Air Died with Inventor.

The submarine is much older than the German Empire and the credit of being the first sovereign to make a trip in one is given to James I. of England, a monarch who has generally been represented as a man of more than ordinary timidity. Doubtless he was a monarch of more than ordinary timidity. Doubtless he was a monarch of more than ordinary timidity.

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John Conley, a well known former resident of the village of Stirling, passed away on Sunday last at Weyburn, Sask., after several weeks' illness from enlargement of the heart.

Mr. Conley was a native of Hastings county and was about 67 years of age. He is survived by his wife but no family. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. John Collins and Miss Emily Conley of this city. There was one adopted daughter, Mrs. Harry Kennedy of Toronto.

Mr. Conley was twice married. His first wife, nee Sarah Joyce, predeceased him four years ago. His second wife was Mrs. Powers, of Weyburn and she survives.

Mr. Conley spent the greater part of his life in Stirling where for many years he conducted an agency for musical instruments and sewing machines. He was one of the most successful salesmen in the district. While at Stirling he erected a large block and fitted it up with stores on the main floor.

About 1901 he closed up his interests at Stirling and went west locating at Weyburn, Sask., where he took up a large area of land and engaged in farming operations. Here he prospered as a wheat-grower and continued for several years in active farm-work. Later he sold part of his holdings but still retained a section and a quarter. Last winter he visited this district and sent west a shipment of horses.

Deceased was a man of most genial and companionable disposition. He made friends wherever he went and was always a welcome visitor at the homes where he went to find sale for his line of goods. He was very keen in the consummation of a bargain but was always generous and free with his money.

He was a member of the Stirling Lodge of Odd Fellows, Foresters and United Workmen and in politics a Liberal.

The body will be brought to Stirling for interment and will probably arrive about Friday.

IN MEMORIAM

Sergt. J. E. Burns Another Martyr To the Cause of Humanity.

Sergt. John Edward Burns of the 24th Battalion, France, died of wounds received at Hill 70 on August 15th. Such was the word received by Joseph Burns of Madoc, Wednesday, Aug. 22, 1917.

Sergt. Burns was born twenty-three years ago the 25th of November and lived his lifetime in Madoc village. Received his education in Madoc public and high schools. He was a particularly clever student at school, having received his second class certificate long before he was old enough to teach. For two years before the war he acted as teacher in a public school and had a most bright and promising future before him, but the call came for men and he answered and enlisted in the 39th Battalion in December, 1914, and went to England June 23rd 1915, and over to France in December where he has been since, in the 24th Battalion.

He has been through many battles and was wounded at St. Eloi, he recovered in time to fight at Courcellette, all through the Somme, over Vimy Ridge and up to Lens, and for nineteen months he fought the Hun that his friends might have liberty and freedom.

He was recommended for the D. C. M. but did not live to receive it, but as his comrade in the army has said, "What is a medal? He has left a better name." And made greater sacrifice than all the medals in the world. He has paid the supreme price and died a hero. The sympathy of the whole community is extended to his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burns, James, his brother, of Elk Lake, New Ontario and his sisters, Misses Kay and Jean of Madoc.

Eddie was loved by all who knew him as an upright, honest and fair minded young man. He was a Presbyterian in faith and conservative in politics, and we feel that he has died a hero, and when the roll is called up under and we all muster at the great white throne, we shall meet him and know him again.

SHOOTS LYNX NEAR ELMIRA

Charles Herman of Elmira, has shot a large lynx which had been seen wandering in his swamp. The animal was two feet high and measured five feet and six inches in length.

MONEYS ARE NOT ATTACHABLE

Judgment was delivered by His Honor Judge Wills in the case referred to some days ago in which the Dominion Brewery Co. sought to attach certain moneys in the hands of the City of Belleville, the property of Brock Shorey which had been assigned to his mother and notice of which had never been received by the city.

His Honor finds that the assignment is a good and valid assignment, that the effect of service of notice upon the debtor is to prevent the debtor dealing with the debt to prejudice of the assignor or payee of the debt assigned; that notice to the public is not required under any statutory law to make the assignment effectual; that the moneys in the hands of the city are not attachable by the plaintiffs and that they have not acquired the priority over the assignor in consequence of the non-delivery of the notice of assignment and the application is therefore dismissed. W. N. Ponton, K.C., for the Dominion Brewery Co., Wm. Carnew, for Brock Shorey; S. Masson, K.C., for the Corporation of the City of Belleville.

PRaise FOR FORMER BELLEVILLE VILLIAN

The Spokesman-Review of Spokane, Wash., contains a very fine appreciation of Chief of Police William J. Weir, of that city. It was written by Miss Roberta Hindley and appeared in the issue of August 19. Chief Weir was born in Belleville and went west in '88. He is spoken of as "big hearted, sympathetic Billy Weir, the idol of his boys on the force. A plain human man who does not like fine trimmings and furbelows. Brass buttons and a uniform of blue have no attractions for him."

ERECT LARGE GARAGE

Graham's Limited are erecting a large concrete garage on Front St. in front of the Walker Foundry for the storage of their motor trucks and cars.

MOTOR CHARGES ENLARGED

Magistrate Masson late yesterday afternoon enlarged for judgment the charges against Captain Downey, arising out of a motor accident on the Marmora gravel road near Stirling, on August 18. Many witnesses were examined and so great was the interest in the case that the court room was crowded with residents of Stirling and the neighborhood.

HEALTH CONDITIONS GOOD

For the fourth successive week, Sanitary Inspector Thomas F. Wills has reported public health conditions in Belleville to be excellent.

PAVING OPERATIONS UNDER WAY

Bridge Street West pavement operations are under way. The road bed is being graded and rolled, and at the corner of Yeomans street, the western limit of the proposed asphaltic macadam, crushed stone is being deposited.

MISSED AND FOUND

A bicycle was reported missing and was at first thought to have been stolen. This morning it transpires that the bicycle was put in a car in the garage or barn to get it out of the way.

TRIAL ON SERIOUS CHARGE

This afternoon in the Belleville police court Magistrate Bedford, of Degeon, opened a hearing into the charge of rape preferred against John Wesley Evans, a laborer 54 years of age, who worked for some time in Belleville. The informant is his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Ann Evans, aged 20 years. The offence is alleged to have been committed near Melrose.

M'KENNA AGAIN IN TROUBLE

William Patrick McKenna's troubles have not ended. Recently a court case in which he was the defendant ended in his marriage and his release from custody. To-day he again entered into the hands of the police on a charge of non-support of his young wife, Emily Arley McKenna. McKenna was arrested this afternoon by Sergt. Naphin at his curio shop on McAnnany street.

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The Misses Madeline Preston, Myrtle Fawcett and Bessie Beatty were guests of Miss Aileen O'Hara, Moira Lake, last week.

During the electrical storm which passed over the district on Monday night, Chas. Bird, a well-known Hungerford farmer residing near Moneymore, was struck and instantly killed by lightning. Deceased leaves a widow and four small children. The funeral was held on Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Sexsmith spent last week the guest of her cousin, Miss Mabel Thompson, Big Island, Prince Edward County. Miss Thompson accompanied her home and will visit for a time in town.

Mrs. Isabella Emerson, of Thomasburg, accompanied by her son, Mr. Robt. Emerson, of the G.T.R. cars shops, Belleville, and wife, are spending a couple of weeks visiting her son, Mr. Leslie Emerson, Newark, N.Y.

Miss Mabel Burr, of Buffalo, N.Y., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robert Elliott, for several weeks, returned home on Friday. During her visit she was for a few days the guest of Mrs. Rashotte and Mrs. Ashton, at Stoco Lake summer resort.

A valuable horse belonging to Mr. Louis Cournoyea broke its leg in some unaccountable way while out on pasture last week. It was afterwards shot.

The death of Bruce Earl Woodcock, son of Mrs. C. Woodcock, of Tweed, occurred at the home of his brother in Peterboro on Friday, Aug. 17th. The remains were brought to Tweed on Saturday and the obsequies were held on Monday. Service was held in the Methodist church and interment took place in the Methodist cemetery. The deceased was 22 years of age and unmarried. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family.

Dr. Parks' lecture in the township hall on Friday evening last on "Greater Production" was very interesting and instructive. The attendance was not large but those who were there went away satisfied that the time was well spent. Rev. J. H. Clark occupied the chair. At the conclusion of the meeting a committee was appointed to effect an organization here that would use its influence in furthering the interests of greater production in this district.

The town got a fire scare on Thursday afternoon last and the effect was all the more noticeable from the fact that the fire engine was at the time in Belleville undergoing repairs. The blaze was in Mr. A. A. Farrar's barn at the rear of his grocery, but fortunately it was discovered in time and a few pails of water sufficed to extinguish it. How the fire originated is still a mystery.

Our villagers had the pleasure on Tuesday of seeing an airplane as it passed about 500 yards above the town. It is the initial appearance of the birdman in the immediate vicinity, but one was seen flying over Sulphide and Bogart on Monday. It would be a comparative easy matter for them to effect a landing on the park grounds in which event their visit here would no doubt be of frequent occurrence. Why not extend an invitation. We understand the machines are from Mohawk Camp, Deseronto.

The funeral of the late Mr. Healy whose demise occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Hotts, Hungerford, on Aug. 8th, and which resulted from injuries received by falling from a hay stack some days previous when overcome with heat, was held on Aug. 10th, Requiem High Mass being celebrated at St. Catharines church by Rev. Father Quinn, after which the remains were conveyed to Stoco cemetery for interment. The deceased was of a retiring disposition and had a large circle of friends by whom he was highly esteemed. Besides his mother, Mrs. James Healy, of Otter Creek there are left to mourn his loss six sisters and three brothers, namely: Mrs. Jno. Whalen, Belleville, Mrs. Jno. Peterkin, New York City, Mrs. Fred Feely, Peterboro, Mrs. J. Smith, Otter Creek, Mrs. J. Smith, Michikan, Mrs. Jno. Hotts, Hungerford, James, of Clouet, Minn., Daniel, of Queensboro, and William at home. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

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POOR WILL BE THE SUFFERERS THE REGULATIONS NOT DRASTIC FOR TRADESMEN

Around Picton Peas Are a Good Pack—Canned Goods Will Not Be on the Market Until November 1st.

Toronto, Aug. 28.—The consensus of opinion as represented by canners, wholesalers, market gardeners, and agricultural representatives, indicates that the new order of the food controller, prohibiting the use of canned corn, peas and tomatoes until Oct. 15th, is a welcome one. It will not work much hardship, and it is agreed that it will be of real benefit to the producer and the consumer.

Hon. Mr. Hanna did not announce his latest effort at food conservation until he had sounded the businesses to be effected. These men look upon the order as a moderate one, none of its regulations being at all drastic and harmful to the trade.

The great hardship is going to be with the very poor people who have not the means of storing these vegetables. They have to cater for every hardship as it comes. There will be a hardship to them and there will be a good deal of sympathy for them.

Prominent market gardeners and Government officials around Picton, where much of these vegetables are grown, are unable to say just what advantage the new order would be. They were convinced, however, that neither the canners nor the producers would have any complaint to offer. "Peas down here are a good crop," said one man, "and corn won't be on for a month yet. Tomatoes are just beginning now." He said that goods canned this fall would not be on the market until November 1st.

EVIL DAYS FOR DOGS AND CATS Signs are not wanting to indicate that evil days are in store for dogs and cats. People no longer accept as a matter of course flower beds ruined by canines owned by neighbors, who would rather have a ronegrel disporting about the place than a few sweet-smelling flowers. And many persons are turning against the cats as lively as against the dogs, contending that they are a nuisance, disease-carrying and objectionable from many points of view. This feeling has crystallized itself into demands for the muzzling and tying up of dogs, and it is now making headway in a cry in various places for the levying of a tax on cats personally. I can see no good reason why there shouldn't be a tax on felines, the same as on canines.

Especially have both these four-footed animals fallen upon evil days in England. There the question of economy is uppermost, and it is interesting to note how the authorities look at the matter over there, where every additional mouth to feed has to be carefully thought about.

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Opinions From Our Contemporaries

LIQUOR ADVERTISING

Hon. C. J. Doherty has followed the precedent he himself made last year as to the form of this legislation, and has made the operation of his present bill contingent upon action by the provinces.

There does not seem to be any good reason for this. Why should not the Dominion exercise its well-defined powers of and by itself? Why should measures passed by the Parliament of Canada be conditional upon or subservient to provincial action? Surely this is derogatory to the dignity of Parliament and subversive of the principles of sound legislation.

The bill, as framed, is clearly an evasion or shifting of responsibility. The attitude of the Dominion Parliament towards this important issue should be to wisely exercise its powers in a decisive, effective way, rather than to do as little as possible. There is no reason why liquor advertisements should be carried through Canadian mails into provinces where the sale of liquor for beverage purposes is prohibited.

Seven of the nine provinces are now under provincial prohibition laws. British Columbia will, in all probability, come under prohibition on October 1st. In Quebec, out of 1,197 municipalities and parishes, 1,098 are under prohibition, and in only 99 are licenses granted. Surely under these circumstances the law should be general in its application and the facilities of Canadian mails denied to a traffic outlawed by seven of the nine provinces of Canada.

The postal service of the people of Canada should not be permitted to a disloyal traffic for the undermining and nullifying of the beneficent law that the people themselves have enacted. The liquor itself has been excluded from the Canadian mails, the sale of liquor has been prohibited, or is about to be prohibited, in all but 10 per cent. of the municipalities of one province. Under these circumstances all liquor advertisements should be excluded from the mails to or from any part of Canada. If, in the judgment of Parliament, Quebec should be temporarily exempted from the operation of the law until it too passes a provincial prohibition measure, that should be the minimum of yielding to the liquor interests.

The reservations and qualifications of this bill should be wholly eliminated and the measure should be made general in its application. If any qualification be made let it be only regarding the few parts of the Dominion under license, not the great mass of the country that is under prohibition.—Pioneer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rushton, Toronto, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Spencer for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Bristol, Madoc, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Redner. Mr. Hall, Peterboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Redner, a few days. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fox, and family, Northport, Mrs. T. E. Stafford, Concession, Mr. C. Gilles, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gilles, Roy Gilles and family, D. T. Stafford and family and Mrs. George E. Roblin, motored to Cohoung on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welsh spent Sunday with their uncle, Mr. L. Dodd. Mrs. G. E. Roblin has rented her farm to Mr. R. E. Tripp, Melrose, for a term of three years.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Wright took place on Sunday, Aug. 13th, in the Methodist church and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Wm. Hall of Strling. Great sympathy was expressed by all to the sorrowing

family. We are sorry to report Mrs. R. Haggerty quite ill. Miss E. Donnan gave a quilting last week, proceeds, \$6.00, in aid of Red Cross work. Miss Libbie is renewing old friends at West Huntingdon. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reddick motored to Lindsay last week to visit with friends there. Rev. Sanderson occupied the pulpit here, in the absence of our pastor Mr. Arthur Thompson has purchased the farm of Mr. Philip Carr. Mr. Carr has bought the old homestead belonging to J. Reid of Ridgeway road. Mrs. J. J. Wilson and Mrs. Geo. Poise packed and sent away 24 flannel shirts and 24 pairs of socks for our soldier boys. Mr. T. Cassidy and family of Sidney, called at Mr. J. Dickey's, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot, Kingston, motored to Toronto to the Exhibition. A number of our young people took in the lawn social held on Mr. Michael Kerby's lawn and report an enjoyable time.

Save Dead Neighbor's Crop An unusual sight for this section of the country was witnessed on the farm of the late Wm. Anderson, second line of Plympton, when the neighbors turned out and cut 25 acres of oats. Five binders and eight stalkers were in operation. The late Mr. Anderson died very suddenly last week, having just made a beginning on the harvesting of his crop.

Early opening of the winter port of St. John is forecasted. It is evident, says the St. John Globe, that the steamship companies plan to have vessels come here a month sooner than the regular time of opening of the winter service, and advice is expected later that they have decided on an early start on winter overseas trade from the Port of St. John.

HORSE FOR SALE

We have a splendid 8 year old horse for sale, in fine condition. Very suitable for farm work.

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DEAF PEOPLE

"FRENCH ORLEANS" absolutely cures Deafness and Noise in the Head, no matter how severe or longstanding the case may be. Hundreds of persons whose cases were supposed to be incurable have been permanently cured by this Remedy.

FALL WHEAT: 585,946 acres will produce 13,548,267 bush, or 23.1 per acre as against 704,867 acres, 14,942,050 bush, or 31.2 in 1916, and 24,737,011 bush in 1915. The annual average for the 35 years was 21.3.

SPRING WHEAT: 585,946 acres, 3,879,954 bush, or 21.2 per acre as against 144,305 acres, 2,213,961 bush, or 15.3 per acre in 1916 and 19,893,129 bush in 1915. Annual average 16.1.

BARLEY: 564,298 acres, 19,363,329 bush, or 33.1 per acre, as against 527,896 acres, 12,388,969 bush, or 23.5 per acre in 1916 and 19,893,129 bush in 1915. Annual average 28.0.

OATS: 2,763,355 acres, 119,949,213 bush, or 43.0 per acre as against 2,688,752 acres, 71,297,528 bush, or 26.5 per acre in 1916 and 120,217,952 bush in 1915. Annual average 35.6.

RYE: 133,077 acres, 2,305,601 bush, or 17.3 per acre as against 148,739 acres, 2,354,410 bush, or 15.8 per acre in 1916 and 3,210,512 bush in 1915. Annual average 16.5.

PEAS: 90,322 acres, 1,635,962 bush, or 18.1 per acre as against 95,542 acres, 1,248,979 bush, or 13.4 per acre in 1916 and 2,043,049 bush in 1915. Annual average 19.1.

BEANS: 114,785 acres, 1,535,693 bush, or 13.4 per acre as against 53,999 acres 583,105 bush, or 10.8 per acre in 1916 and 832,319 bush in 1915. Annual average 16.7.

HAY AND CLOVER: (not including alfalfa) 3,358,579 acres, 6,156,349 tons or 1,833 per acre as against 3,294,419 acres, 6,739,259 tons or 2,046 per acre in 1916 and 3,325,026 tons in 1915. Annual average 1.45.

EVERY WOMAN'S RIGHT

To every woman belongs the right to enjoy a healthy, active, happy life, yet nine out of every ten suffer years of agony, usually from some form of bloodlessness. That is why one sees on every side pale thin cheeks, dull eyes and drooping features—sure signs of headaches, weak backs, aching limbs and uncertain health. All weak, suffering women should win the right to be well by refreshing their bodies with the new, rich, red blood that promptly transforms them into healthy, attractive women. This new, rich, red blood is supplied in abundance in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which reach every organ and every nerve in the body.

Through the use of these pills thousands of women have found a prompt cure when suffering from anæmia, indigestion, heart palpitation, rheumatism, general weakness, and those ailments from which women alone suffer. There is no part of this broad Dominion in which you will not find some former sufferer who has regained health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and this is the reason why these pills have been a favorite household remedy for more than a generation. If you are ailing and will give the pills a fair trial you will find renewed health and happiness in their use.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

GLEN ROSS

The whistle of the threshing machine is again warning out the men while the ladies are preparing the pies and cakes.

Most of our farmers are about through with their harvest. Some have already started the plowing while others are threshing.

A few from here attended the surprise and presentation at Mr. Will Johnson's in honor of his son, Frank, who has lately returned from the front. He was shot through the left lung, the bullet taking the tip of his heart off and passing out at the back. He is able to be around but is somewhat delicate.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Windsor motored to Peterboro on Saturday last spending over Sunday with the latter's son, Frank, and his wife. They continued their trip to Toronto the first of the week, where they will spend a few days taking in the Exhibition and other places of interest.

Mrs. Roberts, of Rimington, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Albert Hagerman.

Miss Vera Hubbel had tea at Mr. Ed. Pyra's last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmes and Miss Alice Broad, of Rimington, had tea on Friday night at Mr. and Mrs. Winsor's.

Prayer meeting was fairly well attended. The meeting next week will be at Mr. J. Holmes'.

Miss Alice Broad, of Rimington, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson, of West Huntingdon, and his mother, Mrs. R. Thompson, visited at Mr. Edwin Abbott's on Wednesday last.

Miss Annie Abbott is spending a few weeks with relatives in West Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irwin, of Rimington, took dinner on Thursday at Mr. B. Winsor's.

We are pleased to report Mr. Howard Holden is improving in health.

CHISHOLM

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campney and Miss Myrtle spent Sunday at Huyek's Point.

Miss Vera MacDonald spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Emma Thomas, Glisad.

Sorry to report Miss Minnie Morris on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. MacDonald and Mrs. R. J. Huff, also Miss Aline Bishop, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunt.

Mr. Wm. Campney and Mr. Fred Hendry have returned home after spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Ed. MacDonald has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

STOCKDALE

Miss Gladys Osterhout took dinner with Mrs. Harry Orr on Monday.

Master Cecil Walt, of S'ring, spent a few days the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Foster.

Mrs. Joyce of Hay Bay, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lewis Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Davidson spent Wednesday evening at Mr. A. E. Wood's.

Misses Mabel and Elsie Wood took tea with Miss Gladys Osterhout on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Wood of Trenton, spent a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wood.

A special meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the Chocoma Friends' Hall, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garbutt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morley David.

A few from our village spent Friday at the river fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips of Sidney, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Bryant.

Mr. A. E. Wood took charge of the Sunday School on Sunday, owing to the absence of the superintendent, Mr. P. M. Anderson.

Harvest is pretty well over in this locality and the hum of the threshing machine can be heard from all sides.

6TH LINE OF SIDNEY

Mr. A. M. McClatchie, M.A., of Belleville, occupied the pulpit on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nobes of Wallbridge, were guests at Mr. J. A. Lott's on Sunday.

Some of our young people attended Foxboro church on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Demille of Trenton, visited at Mrs. C. Demille's on Sunday.

Miss Ida Scott and Miss Bessie Dafeo visited at Mr. Ezra Anderson's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Nowell motored from Detroit, Mich., and are visiting relatives.

Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Scott visited at Mr. C. Pearson's, one day last week.

Mrs. Perry Sine of Frankford, spent a couple of days last week at her brother's, J. A. Lott.

Some of our young people attended Frankford church on Sunday night.

Mrs. W. D. Ketcheson of Peterboro and Miss Addie of Toronto, have been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Walter Scott and Miss Bessie spent Tuesday in Belleville.

MOIRA

The recent showers have done a great deal of good in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sills of Zion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mitts of Ottawa, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hollinger last week.

Mrs. Fred Haight spent last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Wright of Halloway.

Mr. Cleworth Foster spent last Saturday and Sunday with friends in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Welsh visited friends in Shannonville on Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Clare and Mr. Fred Ketcheson are sporting new cars.

Mrs. Walter Salisbury gave a grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleburne, spent a few days at the home of Mr. C. A. Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bronson.

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Miss Laura White has gone to Toronto.

Mr. Ed. and Everett Phillips spent Sunday with Mrs. S. Reddick.

Miss Effie Bell and Miss Annie Rowan and Mr. Hilton Shorey spent Sunday with friends in Tyendinaga.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Shorey spent Wednesday, with Mr. and Mrs. F. Shorey.

Mr. R. McPherson of Corbyville, and Mr. and Mrs. Vene Moore of the sixth, spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. FitzGibbon's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Spencer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bowers.

Miss Mollie Spencer is spending a few days visiting friends on the Hill.

Mr. Harry FitzGibbon visited at his father's, Mr. Wm. FitzGibbon, with his new Ford car.

Miss May Dafeo of Gilmour, visited at the home of Mr. Roberts.

Mr. E. FitzGibbon is spending a few days at Gilmour.

SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets cure these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely harmless even to the new-born babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

BIG ISLAND

The funeral of the late George Peck was held on Thursday last. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sills of Belleville, spent Thursday at Wm. Peck's.

Mrs. J. Morton returned to her father's home after spending a few weeks with friends in Belleville.

The sewing circle was postponed on Wednesday last to meet this Wednesday at Mrs. D. Johnson's.

Mrs. Ralph Boulter of Belleville, visited her mother, Mrs. H. N. Moran last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kerr spent last week at West Huntingdon.

Mrs. D. Johnson entertained company from Napanee last week.

Miss Dorothy Clomont visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleburne, spent a few days at the home of Mr. C. A. Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bronson.

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A very pleasant time was spent at the "At Home," for the Red Cross funds at Mr. Herman's on Friday night. \$25 was taken in.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Utman spent Sunday at Mr. Arthur Scott's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sager of the West, are visiting at Mr. John Sager's.

Miss Fanny Heasman and friend spent Sunday at Mr. Frank Carr's, Anson.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Mr. Ira Pymmer is kept busy at carpenter work. At present he is putting up a new pigeon for Mr. Roy Anderson.

Mrs. (Rev.) Martin and daughter, of Belleville, spent last Wednesday the guests of Mrs. Earle Anderson.

Mrs. Douglas Sprague and the Misses Sprague, of New York, are visiting relatives here, having motored from their home.

Messrs. Will Barber, Gordon East, H. G. Stafford and Jno. Anderson motored to Pictou Saturday evening.

Mrs. Wilder spent a few days with Mrs. Jno. Hall last week.

Mrs. Fred Morton was the guest of Miss Isabel Anderson last Thursday.

Miss Hazel Titus, Toronto, visited her many friends in this, her former home, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lough spent Friday in Belleville.

HAROLD

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Faulkner returned home after spending a week at Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Bailey in Marmora one day last week.

Miss Emma Snarr entertained a number of her girl friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Faulkner motored to Stockdale, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Faulkner and Mrs. Geo. Dafeo.

Mr. David Cotton and family spent Sunday at Mr. Gay's.

Mr. Thos. Laycock and Mrs. J. Laycock spent Sunday at Mr. Harry Heath's.

Mr. Harold Rannels has gone west for the harvest.

Miss Clela Heath has gone west to visit her brother, Mr. W. G. Heath.

Mr. Geo. Tompkins spent the week-end visiting his brother at Eldorado.

OAK HILLS

Nearly all the men of this neighborhood have their harvest in.

Mrs. Harvey Williams, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George McCutcheon.

Mrs. J. Richardson, of Delora, Miss Ida Jarvis, of Sittsville, and Miss Bernice Broadworth, of Peterboro, spent a few days at the home of Mr. C. A. Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bronson.

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CASUALTIES

Killed in Action. C. MacDiarmid, Lindsay. D. G. Acton, Brockville.

Wounded. W. Keschan, Peterboro. C. Campbell, Cornwall. A. T. Roite, Kingston.

W. Jenkins, Cedar Grove. R. W. Luke, Oshawa. J. H. Lee, Oshawa.

W. N. Breston, Halliburton. R. A. Brown, Belleville. F. E. Davern, Napanee.

B. G. Evans, Port Hope. W. L. Brown, Mallorytown. F. Bedore, Cordova Mines, 156th.

W. N. McGehee, Bancroft, 156th. W. H. Cowley, Cornwall. F. F. Cowley, Oshawa.

R. Chapman, Oshawa. G. Carter, Peterboro. T. Russell, Trenton.

R. Gairns, Pictou. W. J. Fry, Marmora. G. P. Dowby, Tweed. W. J. Hamilton, Peterboro.

Gassed and Wounded. A. R. Casement, Coe Hill. Gas Poisoning. A. C. Masters, Deseronto, 156th. E. Greaves, Port Hope.

Li-Col. A. S. Donaldson, Peterboro.

JOHN McLAUGHLIN

A former and exceedingly well-known resident of Kingston died on Sunday evening in the Hotel Dieu, in the person of John McLaughlin.

The deceased had lived in that city nearly all his life, until five years ago when he moved to Bath. Until quite recently he had been in the best of health, and his death came as a severe shock to his sorrowing relatives. Mr. McLaughlin was born in Ireland 74 years ago and came to Canada when a young man. He was a Presbyterian and before leaving Kingston was a member of Cooke's church.

He leaves to mourn his loss four sons, James, Thomas and William, of Kingston, and Alexander, of Belleville, and three daughters, Mrs. E. J. Dunphy, Mrs. D. Robertson, of Kingston, and Mrs. E. Webster, of Belleville. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon from the residence of Thomas, son of the deceased, on Queen street, Kingston. The service will be conducted by Rev. E. R. McLean and the remains will be interred in Cataract cemetery.

Many Kingstonians heard with genuine regret of Mr. McLaughlin's death. During his long residence in the city he had made many friends and the passing of this venerable citizen will be deeply felt.

Miller's Worm Powders do not need the after-help of Castor oil or thoroughness, because they are thorough in themselves. One dose of them and they will be found palatable by all children, will end the worm trouble by making the stomach and bowels untenable to the parasites. And not only this, but the powders will be certain to exert most beneficial influences in the digestive organs.

Rev. D. D. Munro, D.D., preached the last of a series of vacation sermons here Sunday evening that he has been delivering on Millennial themes at the Victoria Ave. Baptist church. The auditorium was again crowded to capacity and many chairs filled all available space at the rear.

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HAS INVENTION AGAINST SUBS

JAS. L. CAREY, OF NEW YORK, NOW IN OTTAWA

Is Former Kingstonian and Has Good Backing

Mr. Jas. L. Carey, of New York, was in Kingston a few days ago on his way to Ottawa, where he will present to the Dominion Government the plans of a device against submarines which he has invented. The invention is a most practical one and consists of spring sponsons which bracket on the sides of the boats with a boom having a universal joint in the centre. To the ends of the boom is attached a steel chain the full depth of the boat from the water line, and having a working strain of 30,000 pounds per square foot. The chain is held a distance of 50 to 60 feet and extends clear around the boat. On impact from a torpedo the sponsons and the chain will recoil 9 feet and return to position and will stop a torpedo running at 50 feet a second, or 3,000 feet a minute in a six foot recoil.

The United States Naval Board and the New York Shipping Board have passed on this device, while Alfred I. Dupont, multi-millionaire of Wilmington, Delaware, the Aetna Insurance Company, and Hamburg-er Bros., of New York City, are backing Mr. Carey in the development of his invention. The Clinton Wire Mesh Company, of Clinton, Mass., manufactured the first chain which was delivered in New York City on July 28th.

A New York City dock has been designated by the New York Dock Commission for the purpose of harnessing the first boat for actual demonstration of the device being attacked by a real torpedo.

Mr. Carey is a former Kingstonian, having lived there while young and attending school there. He has been building amusement parks in the United States, and his invention, which he will present to the Dominion Government, is one of the most practical devices yet invented. The attaching of such a device to a vessel 400 feet long costs \$1,000, and it is very likely that the Dominion Government will favorably consider the invention.

Mr. Carey being a former Kingstonian, his work will be watched with interest, and his many friends will wish him luck in his undertaking.

ADMIRALS SIR ROBERT'S STAND

Somewhere in France, July, 27th, 1917

Editor Ontario:— As I am not in dear old Ontario to have a vote in the coming election I am sending you my opinion of conscription.

I certainly admire and uphold the stand that Sir Robert Borden has taken in this matter. I am sorry that Canada has had to fall so low. It is a disgrace to the name she started with in this war. After sixteen months on active service overseas, I am of the same opinion I had the day that I enlisted and am only sorry that I had not signed up sooner; for are we not fighting for a united kingdom? and where could we look for aid in the time of trouble but to the Motherland?

But we are not fighting alone for the Motherland. We are fighting for peace and liberty to all nations. We are fighting for our very homes and the weak ones, that are nearer and dearer than life to us.

Why should it have come to conscription in Canada? Are the heads of all the homes gone to the front? Not much! How much easier to stem the tide of battle here, and not have our own homes destroyed, our loved ones insulted and slaughtered as in Belgium, France, Russia and Roumania they have been. See what you are doing by refusing to enlist. It seems hard to think that the brave lads who have fallen and those who are still left must be rehearsed by men who are forced to enlist, after being protected for nearly three years of steady fighting. Your wives, children, property, all have been protected and you yourself have had the glorious privilege of comfort and ease with them, while we are far from our loved ones. Our only comfort is the satisfaction that we are protecting them to our utmost.

Again: are men at home entitled to large pay, such as has been paid, Elsie Ewen Preston. Deceased was when we are compelled to be away from home to work for \$1.10 per day? Such should not be the case, survived by her parents and one sister. It seems to me that Canada is having her dark days. But there is a silver lining in the distance. I have no complaints whatever; only glad to be where I am and doing my bit. Hoping this meets with your approval.

W. C. Mikel, of this city.

SMOKE BOMB KILLS TWO IN AEROPLANE

Machine Catches Fire During Experiment at Curtis School Near Buffalo

Buffalo, Aug. 25.—R. H. Mead, Curtis Aeroplane Company instructor, and Charles Wall, of Buffalo, civilian passenger, were killed late today by the explosion of a smoke bomb they were trying when their aeroplane was 200 feet up. The machine caught fire and dived to the ground.

It is not known whether the men were killed by the fall or burned to death under the wreckage. The bomb, it is reported, had been offered to the Government and Mr. Wall was making a demonstration demanded by the War Department when the accident occurred.

There was rather a serious shooting accident near Lake St. Peter on Friday last. John Carr was examining his automatic pistol, which he supposed was empty, when a cartridge which happened to be in the chamber was accidentally discharged and the bullet took the tip of his finger, and struck Russel Berry, a C. N. R. conductor who was standing opposite him, in the hip. Dr. Beeman was called and attended to their injuries and no serious results are anticipated.—Bancroft Times.

MORTON—THOMPSON

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Thompson, Madoc, Ont., at 11.30 a.m. on August 22nd, when their youngest daughter, Tillie Blanche, and Rev. Stanley Edgar Morton, M.A., were united in marriage by Rev. A. E. Smart.

The bridal party entered the drawing room, which was decorated with golden rods, as Mendelssohn wedding march was played by Mrs. Newton Pincock, L.T.C.M. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked very sweet in a gown of ivory silk trimmed with real lace and the wedding veil of Dutch cut. She carried a shower bouquet of pink roses and white sweet peas and wore the groom's gift, a gold wrist watch. Hazel Thompson, a little niece was flower girl. During the signing of the register, Miss Grace Aylesworth sang "Because." A dainty luncheon was served by the bride's girl friends.

The guests from a distance were Mrs. C. E. Waterhouse, of Toronto; sister of the groom, the bride's sister Mrs. Monilays McNeill, of Calgary; and brother, John, of Winnipeg.

The newly married couple left for Muskoka, the bride's travelling suit was navy blue with champagne hat. On their return Rev. and Mrs. Morton will reside at the rectory, Bellevue, Ontario.

LADY BOWLERS ENTERTAINED AT COBOURG

Two rinks of bowlers from the Ladies Bowling Club motored to Cobourg yesterday to play a friendly game with the Cobourg ladies.

Dinner was served at one o'clock at the Durham House, and after playing tea was served on the lawn of the club.

The following played: Mrs. Ackerman, Miss Roberts, Mrs. Duff, Mrs. Ewart, Miss MacLean, Mrs. Skell, Miss Hurley, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Stitch, Miss McKee, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Poe, Mrs. Dolan, Mrs. Delaney.

The Cobourg rinks were 12 up on the whole.

Before leaving Mrs. Lazier, president of the Belleville club thanked the Cobourg ladies for their kindly hospitality, and hoped they would soon play a return game, which they said they would.

Those accompanying the players were: Col. and Mrs. Lazier, Mrs. Leach, Miss Parker, Miss Clare Wallbridge, Miss Daisy Carr, and Miss Greta Stork, F. Sanderson, H. Acker, man, Rev. Mr. Kerr.

OBITUARY

The death occurred at Fort Franco on Friday, Aug. 24th, of Mrs. Elsie Ewen Preston. Deceased was when we are compelled to be away from home to work for \$1.10 per day? Such should not be the case, survived by her parents and one sister. It seems to me that Canada is having her dark days. But there is a silver lining in the distance. I have no complaints whatever; only glad to be where I am and doing my bit. Hoping this meets with your approval.

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MR. ELMER LICK AND HIRED MEN

Interesting Experiences at Oshawa

"One man in this neighborhood had sixty-five acres in hay and grain and he is all alone on his farm. This man went to Oshawa to seek help in the town. He found one man who was willing to engage with him, and to this man he offered \$50 a month and board. When, however, the manufacturer by whom the man was regularly employed was appealed to there was objection at once. The manufacturer said the man could not possibly be spared from the factory, and to prevent removal the manufacturer increased the man's wages by \$5 a week.

"The farmer then started on a fresh hunt, and finding another employer in another factory who had farm experience, the farmer endeavored to meet factory competition in the labor market by offering this man \$65 per month and board. But here, again, it was asserted that it was out of the question to weaken the factory staff, and in order to prevent this the second man's wages were increased seventy-five cents per day."

The above is a quotation from an interview given to a representative of the Globe by Mr. Elmer Lick, of the Oshawa Fruit Growers' Association. The story told by Mr. Lick to the newspaper man, its source and the means taken by the two representatives of the local Organization of Resources Committee to combat it are worth being told. That the statement of Mr. Lick should go unchallenged was not to be expected, and in giving the story to our readers and the source from which we drew it we believed that it would be probed to the bottom.

Mr. Geo. W. McLaughlin, the representative of the Organization of Resources Committee, immediately took Mr. Lick to task over the telephone for his statement, and the latter confidently asserted that it was gospel truth, giving the name of the farmer and the manufacturing firms offered to have made the men the offer to remain with them. The Malleable Iron Company was mentioned and they at once denied that such an occurrence had ever taken place.

Determined that the farmer 'victim' should give his version, Mr. McLaughlin, accompanied by Dr. Kaiser, set out to have the story from the farmer's own lips, the old British maxim that "hearsay is no evidence" being fully acquiesced in by them. Mr. Lick had retailed the story given him in the first instance without investigation as to the bona fides of the men who had hired with Mr. Black, the farmer in question, while the latter had accepted without reserve the statement of the men whom he had met on the streets of Oshawa, instead of going to the Secretary of the Resources Committee, which had provided numbers of other farmers with adequate and satisfactory helpers. That the men who presumably hired with the farmer and who were stated to be foreigners thought to extract more wages from the latter or else wanted to get out of keeping their promise, is plainly evident. But that the story should be cast broadcast that the manufacturers of Oshawa were not living up to their agreement, on authority of a man well-known all over the County of Ontario, without his going to the proper organization to verify it, was more than was to be expected from anyone occupying the standing in the community of Mr. Elmer Lick.

TODAY'S MARKET

Today's market was the largest in many weeks, with reasonable offerings in great abundance.

The new potato crop was greatly in evidence and some very fine lots were offered. There was a tendency towards easier prices, \$1.50 was the ruling price, but many took \$1.40 before the market closed. One lot was offered as low as \$1.25 a bushel. Quite a number were offering in bags at \$2.00 to \$2.25.

Apples were shown in great profusion and prices were very reasonable. Some were sold as low as 20 cts. a peck, and very good ones too. The better quality was priced at 25 to 40 cts.

Butter was rather scarce today and was all sold in a short time. Prices ranged from 45 to 50 cts.

Eggs were offered in great abundance and the price was pretty well maintained. By the basket they sold at 38 cts. to 40 cts.; by the single dozen, 40 to 42 cts.

Chickens were also numerously offered and prices easier. Eighty cents to \$2.00 a pair, depending on size, were the prices. Tomatoes were also cheaper and

are apparently a good crop; 50 cts. a peck was the prevailing price. No hay was offered.

Now oats are now coming in. The price is 55 to 57 cts.

The new wheat has also begun to move; \$2 to \$2.05 is the price for actual sales.

Local dealers are offering \$1 a bushel for barley, but the farmers prefer to feed the grain to their hogs than to take the price.

Young pigs were also largely in evidence; \$11 to \$14 a pair were the prices asked.

Meat prices still show an upward tendency. Pork is quoted at \$17 five weight, and \$22.50 by the carcass. Beef by the quarter \$13—hinds \$15; fronts \$12. Mutton by the carcass \$18. Lamb \$23. Veal \$14 to \$15.

THE BUCKET BRIGADE

Twas Pat Labe and his pond of clay, That brought out the Bucket Brigade. As the fire swept fast through the Spreading sheds, The engine and tile yards grey.

Pat had worked right hard in his pond of clay, And erected a fine new kiln. Sixty thousand tile these kilns would bake Nine times throughout the year.

And Pat was honest, brave, and true As steel in a Soldierly way. For he watched by night and he worked by day In the same old tile yard grey.

But the fire broke out in the cool of day, When all hands had gone away, Smoke raised on high, there arose a cry 'Tis the tile yard, hurry away.

Then came the Bucket Brigade, Two lines firm, from creek to shed, Two hundred buckets strong; With willing hands the work was piled.

Through the flames that spread o'er roof and shed, With the engine at full speed (—go; check the power) A hero, hand through flame and head, —turned the valve of dread; And saved, an explosion grave.

Who formed the Brigade? We not dismayed; There were girls in their very best, With silks and trills and pumps and curls, All rigged out in evening dress.

But nothing loath they took their stand, For Pat and the tile yard grey, They worked for hours till their strength but failed. 'Mid the clang of bucket and pail, And strong men bent in a soldierly way, All black and grim with smoke and clay That the fire beat might be stayed, And Pat's heart beat with thankfulness To his friends that he could not speak.

They won at last and Pat, brave boy Will long remember the day, When his plans streamed up on the scorching flames, But were saved by the bucket brigade.

A Neighbor

INDULGING IN JOY-PRODUCER

Mr. Clement Ellis and Mr. Patrick Keegan were last night engaged in an animated conversation in the Downey coal sheds. Near them was a bottle labelled "Corby's Mastic Whiskey." Whether or not the contents of this bottle had produced the animation of conversation and exhilaration of spirit, was not established to the satisfaction of Mr. Ellis for intoxication, and \$10 for a similar offence against the statutes on the part of Mr. Keegan.

SIXTH LINE SIDNEY

Quite a number from here attended the Baptist Church Social on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wilmut Scott spent Wednesday at Mr. Chas. Pearson's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lott spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. M. Sine who has returned from the Belleville hospital.

Miss Bessie Scott spent the weekend with Miss Mabel Ward.

Masters Harold and Gerald De- will have returned home after visiting in Tyendinaga and Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonesteel and two sons, Masters Kenneth and Norval, are visiting at the residence of Mr. Bonesteel's brother, Mr. Geo. Bonesteel, Octavia street.

U. S. PLANS BILLION BUSHELS

Preparations Under Way to Ensure a Record Crop in 1918

Production of over one billion bushels of wheat and over eighty-three million bushels of rye, through the planting of 47,337,000 acres to winter wheat, and of 5,131,000 acres to rye this fall is the immediate war agricultural program for the American nation announced at Washington by David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture. This record winter wheat acreage, an increase of 18 per cent. over last year, would yield 672,000,000 bushels if the average yield for the ten years is equalled, or under a repetition of the favorable conditions of 1914 would give 830,000,000 bushels. In either case, with a spring wheat crop next year equal to that of 1915, the nation will have more than one billion bushels of wheat for domestic use and for export.

This vastly increased production of wheat, needed in any case, will be absolutely essential to prevent a serious shortage of breadstuffs next summer should the growing corn, now behind the season, be much damaged by early frosts.

A Fair Price Fixed

The estimates, the department states, are made with the knowledge that there is some shortage of the fertilizer supply, but with the understanding that there will be no general shortage in the supply of seed or of farm machinery which is necessary in the production of the wheat crop. It is understood, also, that ample transportation facilities will be provided, and a fair price of wheat will be established. These factors have been assumed as fixed and satisfactory. If any one or more fail to be adjusted in good time, no person can tell how serious will be the effect on the total crop.

The planting of approximately 47,337,000 acres to winter wheat on the basis of an average yield for the last ten years, indicates a total production of 672,000,000 bushels which exceeds all previous winter wheat crops harvested in the United States, with the exception of the crops of 1914 and 1915, when the acreages harvested and yields per acre were both about normal. If the extremely favorable conditions under which the winter wheat crop of 1914 were grown are again experienced, the yield of winter wheat next year will be 830,000,000 bushels, or by far the largest winter wheat crop ever produced, and even larger than the total of both winter and spring wheat crops for all last year's except two.

Over the Billion

It is too early to determine the area which should be sown to wheat next spring, but if this is equal to that sown in the spring of 1917, or 19,000,000 acres, and the yield is up to the average of the last ten years, a crop of 251,000,000 bushels of spring wheat will be harvested and if the yield per acre should equal that obtained in 1915, the crop will be 250,000,000 bushels; the same as the greatest spring wheat crop ever produced. Thus, the total yield of winter and spring wheat would amount to one and a quarter billion bushels. A medium who expects a rake-off on the transit of these apples from tree to table? Let him be knocked upon the head.—Canadian Courier.

INDECENT LANGUAGE CASE

Mr. Jonas Pope, of Thurlow Township, charged his landlord, Mr. A. E. Sheffield, with using indecent and abusive language towards the plaintiff. The case came up for hearing this morning before Magistrate Masson. It appears there had been ill-feeling between the two parties for some time owing to disputes over the management of the farm for which Mr. Pope has a three-year lease. The case was settled in an amicable way by Mr. Sheffield agreeing to pay the costs, amounting to \$8.40. Mr. Carney for the plaintiff, and Mr. Sharkey for the defence.

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Upon this Parcel is erected a frame house about 16x24, one and one half storeys, with addition about 12x12 and a small barn about 16x28, all in fair repair.

The north half of Lot No. 9 in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Southworth in the District of Kenora in the Province of Ontario, a Veteran Grant.

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Terms of Sale: The purchaser shall pay down a deposit in the proportion of \$10 for every \$100 of the purchase money and the balance within one month without interest.

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WHY HAS COAL GONE UP?

Can See No Reason For Increase Of Fifty Cents Since Spring

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WATER POWERS APPRECIATED
Their Use Has Minimized the Effect of Fuel Shortage

The inestimable value of Canada's water power resources is being more and more emphasized and the large amount at present developed and utilized is attracting much attention outside the Dominion. A recent article in a New York technical journal pays a high tribute to this wealth, stating that while electrical central station managers in the United States have been rather reticent since the war was declared, wondering how they would weather the approaching storm, Canadians have passed through the crisis unscathed. The principal difficulties feared were that of financing and securing coal. In Canada, however, as almost all the electric energy is generated from water power, the scarcity and high price of fuel have not affected the industry materially. The low hydro-electric rates prevailing are a strong incentive to industrial extension and the per capita consumption of electricity in Canada is enormous. While the manufacture of munitions has helped to swell the figures, the total exclusive of munition manufacturing is still very large.—Conservation

PUBLISHERS CANNOT BEGIN TO MEET THE DEMAND FOR BIBLES

New York, Aug. 24.—With publishers falling daily behind in their orders, the war has created the greatest demand in the history of the nation for Bibles. Publishers here say that anyone who possesses a set of electrolyte plates for the New Testament, pocket size, owns something almost as valuable as a steamship. Many of the publishers report their presses running from 15 to 18 hours a day, but they are still several weeks behind orders already received.

NAPANEE'S NEW SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. W. J. Trenouth, who resigned his position as principal of Norwood Public School, has taken the principalship of the Napanee school at an initial salary of 1,200. During their residence of eight years here Mr. and Mrs. Trenouth made many friends and devoted much time to the welfare of village institutions. As a teacher Mr. Trenouth was successful in maintaining a high standard for the local school. The best wishes of their friends will go with them to their new place of residence.—Norwood Register.

ASSAULT CASE ENLARGED

An abusive language case and a counter-charge of assault, preferred by two business men, occupied the attention of his honor, Magistrate Masson for more than an hour this morning.

The ill-feeling was occasioned by the placing of automobiles on the street and thereby causing annoyance by getting in one another's way.

To the abusive language charge a plea of guilty was entered. In regard to the assault charge a vigorous defence was made. There was no actual assault committed but merely a threat of assault with a belligerency of attitude meant to indicate possible trouble. Mr. Mikel the defence contended that there was no assault within the meaning of the law unless the defendant was actually in a position to carry out the assault at the moment the threatening attitude was assumed. He desired permission to quote authorities to this effect and the case was accordingly enlarged till Monday. Mr. E. J. Butler represented the defence.

The magistrate in commenting upon the case said that it would soon be necessary for the city to take more drastic action in reference to the storage of automobiles upon the main thoroughfares of the city. No one had the right to leave cars there any longer than a reasonable time for the loading or unloading of passengers or freight. He also deemed it very injudicious on the part of the council to grant permission for the placing of gasoline tanks on the street.

WARD STOLE MONEY AND DE-CAMPED.

Capt. Ruston reports that a boy by the name of Neff, a ward of the Children's Aid Society, has decamped from his foster-home in the 4th of Thurlow and at the same time carried away a sum of money, the property of his foster parents. He disappeared about noon yesterday and his whereabouts have not since been discovered. The boy is 13 years of age, slender in build and wore a suit of blue overalls and a straw hat.

NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

PICTON

Mr. T. N. Martin will manage the Bloomfield flour and feed mill which has recently been purchased by Mr. W. H. Edgerston.

Sergt-Major H. E. Lowry and Flight-Sergt. Chambers, R.F.C., Mohawk Camp, were in town for the week-end.

The steamer Syracuse, formerly the Geronia, of the Canada Steamship Lines, which has been making weekly trips from Toronto to the Saguenay and Chicoutimi, met with an accident on her last trip, in the Split Rock Rapids, and as a result will be out of commission for the remainder of the season. The Geronia was built for Heppburn Brothers and in her early days met with a series of mishaps.

Mrs. George Vandewater and son Jewell, Bellevue, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Robbins. It is ten years since Mrs. Vandewater was last in Picton.

A reception was given at the residence of Mrs. S. E. Woodrow, West Main street, in honor of Frank E. Harrison and his bride from Baltimore, United States, at which a dinner was served early in the evening to a few of the near relatives. After dinner was served, an address of welcome was read to the bride by Lieut. Harry Clark from Mr. and Mrs. A. Harrison and Miss Helena Harrison, to which the bride and groom each ably responded. Then Mr. John Harrison was called upon by Lieut. Clark. He delivered an eloquent address on matrimony, he himself having lived a married life of fifty-nine years. After enjoying some fine musical selections, and sociable conversation, all retired to their respective homes at an early hour.

Misses Dora Hiskey, Carrie Davis and Isabel Welsh returned to New York on Saturday, after three weeks vacation at their homes.

Miss Margaret Wickham and Miss Lou Ehrhart have returned to Rochester, after having spent their holidays with Miss Lena Goodwin.

Rev. Fr. Goodwin of Mervin, Rev. Father Carson and Mr. D. J. Goodwin spent Tuesday evening at Mr. James Goodwin's, Elmbrooke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Easterbrook of Toronto, are spending holidays with friends in Prince Edward county and are visiting at Powers Kerr's Gilbert's Mills.

Mr. Clarence Tripp, Pointe-Petres, had twelve ewes which in March gave birth to thirteen lambs. The lambs were sold in June to Murphy & Peeling, Picton, for \$130. On the 15th of August one of the ewes gave birth to a second lamb and another followed suit on the 19th. The second crop of lambs are large, thrifty youngsters. The lambs and the wool brought very satisfactory results from this branch of farm industry.

J. N. Bailie and Nixon Welsh on Friday caught a 24-pound maskinonge in the vicinity of the Orphanage.

Miss Helen Weaver, Trenton, and Miss A. Nichol of Whitby, were the guests of Miss G. Worrell on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Bailie and her daughter, Mrs. R. Church, Watertown, are the guests of Mr. Nelson Bailie at his camp on the bay shore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kinney and family left on Monday for Toronto en route to their new home in Winnipeg. They will remain in Toronto until Saturday and will sail from Saranac to Saturday.

Mrs. Kinney says they spent "five weeks of the best time they ever had in that wonderful county of Prince Edward."

Dr. Alfred Nash, one of Joliet's oldest physicians, a practitioner at Joliet, Ill., for 37 years and believed to have been the oldest living graduate of Michigan University, died at his home 111 Lincoln street. He would have been 89 years old had he lived until Aug. 12. Death came after six weeks of illness with the infirmities of old age.

Dr. Nash was born on Amherst Island, near Picton, Canada, in 1828. He entered the University of Michigan in 1856 when 24 years old.

On Wednesday of this week the barn belonging to Mr. D. R. Ellsworth just north of the corporation of Picton, was burned to the ground. The fire occurred about noon, when the barn and contents were entirely destroyed. The cause of the fire, has at the time of writing, not been ascertained.

Miss Mildred Thompson who was last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Calnan, returned to Toronto on Saturday, to assume her duties as principal of the Harris Court Branch of the Central Business Col-

lege, Toronto. Miss Margaret Graves is the guest of Miss Rebecca Heppburn at West Point.

Miss Mary Graves left on Tuesday to visit friends in Niagara and New-ton Brook.

Miss Mabel Foster of Toronto, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Foster, Bloomfield, last week.

The steamer Thousand Islander brought in a large excursion from Alexandria Bay, yesterday.

Mr. Wm. Vosburg, of Waupoos, sold four hogs last week, about four months and a half old for \$155.

Mr. W. S. Morden of Toronto was in town on Tuesday in attendance at the funeral of his uncle, the late David R. Morden.

The death occurred at his home, Irvine Gore, Hallowell Township, on Friday, August 17th, of Percival Morris, after an illness of some duration. The deceased had a severe attack of pneumonia February last from which he recovered, but after a relapse tuberculosis developed, which ended in his death at the early age of 32 years.

Percival Morris was the eldest son of Mr. Wm. J. Morris of Hallowell, and was highly respected by all his acquaintances. He was a hard-working, industrious citizen and will be missed in the community in which he resided. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and baby girl one year old. The funeral was held at St. Mark's church, Gerow Gore, on Monday, August 20th at 1:30 p.m., Rev. V. O. Boyle officiating. Interment in Glenwood Cemetery.

Mr. W. H. Edgerston, who recently purchased the Atlas Flour Mill at Bloomfield from W. J. Campbell, has been very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Nelson Martin, (late proprietor of the Glenora flour mill) to act as general manager. Mr. Martin's thorough knowledge of the business, his long and favorable connection with the public, square dealing and general manner, bespeak continued and increasing popularity and expanding business for the Atlas under his management.

Early on Sunday morning last, Aug. 20th, the death of David R. Morden occurred at the family residence, Christian street. The deceased had been in failing health for some months but the death was due to pneumonia following an accident, which resulted in a broken hip, which occurred some weeks ago. Mr. Morden was 73 years of age and was born and had always resided on the farm where he died. The deceased was a brother of the late Jonathan Morden of Hillier, and Dr. James B. Morden, of Picton. Of four sisters two are deceased, Mrs. Alfred White and Mrs. James Calnan. The surviving ones are Mrs. John Calnan, of So-phiasburg and Mrs. Wm. Glenn, of Ameliasburg. Mr. Morden was a member of the Society of Friends and was a strong Conservative in politics. He leaves to survive him his wife and four children, three boys and one girl. The children are Mrs. Frank Grant, of Chicago, Rev. D. N. Morden, of St. James Square Presbyterian Church, Toronto, Clayton Morden of Picton and Arthur W. Morden of the homestead. The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the residence, Christian St., Rev. Mr. Craig, of Demorestville, officiating. Interment in Glenwood cemetery.—The Gazette.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson of Toronto are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eby.

Miss Annie Mullett, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. E. A. Stratton, at Scott, Sask., returned on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Shaughnessy and baby boy spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Labarge, of Faraday.

Mrs. Saunders, of Campbellford, and her son, Thos. Saunders, of Sioux Falls, were visiting the former's niece, Mrs. James McCaw.

Miss Flossie Davy has returned to Toronto after spending her hol-

days with her aunts, the Misses Cleak, at their cottage at Baptiste lake.

Pte. Herb Maxwell, son of Mr. Thos. Maxwell, who went overseas with the 39th battalion has been reported, suffering from gas poisoning. He is attached to a machine gun section.

In a letter from H. C. Zabell, of Malta, Mon., formerly of Bird's Creek to a friend in Bancroft he states that throughout Montana and western Dakota crops are a complete failure. The season has been so dry and hot that not half the seed sprouted and the greater part of the balance was not high enough to cut for fodder. Southern Saskatchewan and Alberta likewise suffered from drought and hail. Many farmers are leaving.—The Times.

CAMPBELLFORD

Pte. G. E. Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart, of town, is officially reported suffering from gas poisoning. His brother, Pte. Robt. Stewart, enlisted with the 21st Bat.

On Monday evening a severe electrical storm occurred in this district. Large hail stones fell for a few minutes, some of them measuring as much as an inch and a half in length.

Miss Laura Smithson, M.A., of Peterboro, was the guest of Mrs. W. E. Carnahan over the week-end.

Mr. T. C. Smith, of Kingston, a former principal of Campbellford High School, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Garrett and family, of Toronto, have been spending the past two weeks with friends at Percy Boom, and are at present in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Irwin. We are pleased to see R. J., who is a former local business man, about our streets again.

Miss Jennie Atkinson, who is now completing her course as nurse-in-training at Utica General Hospital, Utica, N.Y., is home on a three weeks' visit.

Miss F. C. Pearce, nurse-in-training at Lowell Corporation Hospital, Lowell, Mass., is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Brown, of Hamilton, are spending a few weeks in town with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown.

Mrs. Bugler, of town, has accepted a position on the local staff of the B.N.A. Bank.

Corpl. G. Winstanley, of Hoard's Station, and Pte. R. Chapple, of Ver-nonville, are reported wounded. Both went overseas with the 139th Battalion.

Mr. George W. Clark, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Clark, of Jacksonville, Fla. formerly of town, has made application and been accepted in the Aviation Corps of the United States Army. Mr. Clark enlisted through the big aviation camp at Mineola, Long Island, but doesn't know just where he will be sent for training. At present he is in New York City awaiting orders. Mr. Clark is one of the most popular young men of Jacksonville's social set, and his many friends here will be interested to learn of his enlistment.

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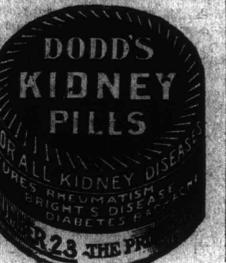
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GOOD RAIN LAST NIGHT
Last night's rainfall while not as abundant as many would like, sure to express their sincere thanks will do a lot of good. The Belleville section has not been treated quite fairly in the matter of rain distribution this last six weeks. To the west and north of us they have had many their son, Thomas Hunter.

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3rd Local Prize—"British Overseas," a big handsome bound book with many colored pictures, interesting stories and descriptions of the countries and the peoples of Britain's world-wide Empire.
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3rd, 4th, and 5th Prizes—"Canuck" Bread mixers. This simple, yet well-made machine, takes the hard work out of bread making. Instead of laborious kneading of the old method, you just put in the ingredients, turn the handle, and the dough is thoroughly and more evenly mixed.

Read Carefully Conditions of Contest

Every girl who competes at the rural school fair in her district, whether or not she attends school, providing that her 15th birthday occurs before November 1st, 1917, or that her 16th birthday does not occur before Nov. 1, 1917, is eligible to compete in the District Contest. The judging will be done by Miss M. A. Purdy, of the Department of Breadmaking and Flour Testing. The local contest at the regular contests at your fair.

- The Standard by which bread will be judged will be as follows:
- 1. Appearance of loaf 15 marks
 - (a) Shape of crust 5 marks
 - (b) Shape of loaf 5 marks
 - (c) Shape of crumb 5 marks
 - 2. Texture of Crumb 40 marks
 - (a) Evenness 10 marks
 - (b) Siftiness 10 marks
 - (c) Color 10 marks
 - (d) Flavor of Bread 10 marks
 - 3. Flavor of Bread 40 marks
 - (a) Taste 20 marks
 - (b) Odor 20 marks

Important—Each loaf must be accompanied by the part of the form containing the name of the girl and parents or guardian, stating date of birth, and the name of the dealer from whom Cream of the West Flour was purchased. The flour must be used in the bread. The name of the girl entered in the competition. The decision of the judges is final. Not more than one entry per town made by each girl and not more than one local prize will be awarded to the same family.

The Campbell Flour Mills Company, Limited

Cream of the West Flour is sold by the following dealers: Wallbridge and Clark, Belleville; Reynolds and Maxwell, Bancroft; Reid and Thompson, Bancroft; Vandervoort B. Os., Eldorado; S. C. Gay, Foxboro; J. G. Shaw, Foxboro; W. B. Powell, Frankford; W. J. Park, Hoard's Station; Jos. Whytock, Madoc; Wm. Flynn, Marmora; P. E. Burgess, Sney; R. P. Coulter, Stirling; M. J. Qutan, Sulphide; H. J. Hodgson, Trenton; S. B. Rollins, Tweed; James Dryden, Deseronto.

TWEED
Miss Maggie Tooke of Barrie is the guest of Miss Ethel Frost.
Miss Myrtle Fawcett has returned home from visiting Detroit friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson of Roslin, spent Sunday in town with their daughters, Mrs. E. M. Juby and Mrs. W. T. Hinds.
Misses V. Squire, Josephine and Isabella Gormley of Montreal, spent Monday with Mrs. M. Morton, enroute to visit Queensboro friends.
Mrs. Edward Carter of Thornburg, who has been very ill of pneumonia for the past week, is reported to be slightly better, as we go to press.

Mrs. A. Wallace and two daughters, Misses Emma and Mary, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. G. Wilson of Belleville.
Mr. H. D. Finley who has been spending the past two months at his home at the Lodgeroom, left on Saturday afternoon to take up his former position as fireman on the G.T.R. Railway at Regina Jct., Sask.
Mr. A. W. Wright of Toronto, Vice-chairman of the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Board, was in town from Saturday to Monday, visiting his brother, Mr. W. G. Wright, father of Mrs. (Dr.) Volume. Mr. W. G. Wright has been ill for some time and is now compelled to keep his bed. We sincerely trust that he may be restored to his usual health.
Mr. A. W. Wright is an old newspaper man and has occupied other important positions. He has a wealth of good humor at his command and we spent a very enjoyable chat with him.
The members of Tweed L.O.L. No. 127, attended divine service at St. James' church on Sunday afternoon. A number of visiting brethren were present from Queensboro, Sulphide and Lodgeroom.
Archdeacon Beamish of Belleville, was the preacher for the occasion and he delivered a very strong address. The Archdeacon prefaces his sermon with a few words of greeting to his brethren, indicating the real pleasure he had in being permitted to address them.

"We are in troublous times," he said, "not only for the Empire, but right here in our beloved Canada."
The basis of his address was the act of the people of the city of Merop, one of the cities of refuge, which closed its gates for its own protection against its Canaanish enemies and refused to lift a hand to help their fellow countrymen against the enemy and as a result, the curse of God came upon them. See Judges 5, vs 23.—News.

HALLOWAY
A couple of aeroplanes passed over this vicinity on Saturday last.
The Rev. Mr. Kemp addressed the children of this congregation on Sunday last which proved very interesting to all present.
The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. J. Wilson on Wednesday last. An excellent dinner was served by the ladies and an enjoyable and profitable time spent.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Chard were guests at Mr. B. McMillan's on Sunday last. Mrs. E. Elliott attended the funeral of her father at Mohr on Sunday last.

Mr. E. Hough's horses ran away with a load of grain but nothing serious occurred.
Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross, of Stirling, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. M. Ross.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Bryant and daughter, of Gananoque, are visiting her mother, Mrs. D. Hough.
Miss Myrtle Dafee, of Foxboro, is visiting her aunt, Miss Nellie Dafee.

Miss H. Stout, of Tweed, and Mr. H. Stout, of Ivaahoe, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. H. Townsend.
Quite a number from this vicinity attended the Presbyterian church at Foxboro on Sunday evening and heard the Rev. J. Hall, of Stirling.
Mrs. Clarke has returned home to Odessa after visiting her niece, Mrs. S. Bird.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowery attended the funeral at Hastings last week of his mother.

Mr. S. Irvine has disposed of his farm to Mr. Fitchett, of Madoc Jct.

MELVILLE
In the fields where stand in shocks the golden grain.
The harvesters are tolling all day long.
Bearing the harvest gold in loaded wain.
While cheerily they chant the harvest songs.
With thankful hearts the sheaves are garnered in.
Each wagon creaking with its weight of gold—
While Death in Flanders reaps his harvest grim.

TRENTON
Trenton, Aug. 22nd.—Mrs. Nelson Simpson of Toronto, arrived in town on a visit to Mrs. James Simpson, from a month spent with Dr. Cevin's family at their summer home at Sturgeon Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bleeker and Mr. and Mrs. James Shurie have gone on a motor trip to Rochester, and other cities in the States.
Mr. Eben-James was in Belleville, yesterday.
Mr. Wheatley of the British Chemical Co., has rented the house here, 1915, below Lorette there is a hollow in the hills, through which the Souche brook runs, but beyond the crest, four or five miles long, is called the ridge of Vimy. As the altitude of this ridge is

considerable—five hundred feet on the west and three hundred and ninety on the east—it dominates the plain by three hundred and two hundred feet. The slopes are not symmetrical; on the southwest (the side where the Canadians made their heroic attack) the ascent is rather gradual; to the northeast the slope falls away abruptly to the Gohelle. The villages of Vimy and Earbus are settled at its foot. It looks as if the Canadian attack must have been comparatively easy, because they went up the more gradual slope, but in point of fact the position gave the Germans great advantage. Their batteries were established at the foot of the slope, where they were masked and protected by the debris from it, and in its side they had made large and deep shelters, strong enough to resist any bombardment, from which their men were intended to rush out as soon as the enemy's artillery was followed by that of his infantry. By infinite toil and patience, they had made the ridge a impregnable. What made its capture possible was the lightning speed of the Canadian attack. These splendid fighters sprang forward before the Germans had time to come out of their shelters and in a few minutes the magnificent dash of this strong position, although at a heavy cost.

And fields are red with sacrifice untold.
—Helen B. Anderson.
The Red Cross meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Carley on Wednesday last. The attendance was unusually good.
Mrs. J. Kinnear, Mrs. W. H. Anderson and Mrs. C. H. French, Ottawa, enjoyed a pleasant visit at Hull's Island on Tuesday, the guests of Mrs. Lewis Wallbridge.
Miss Aggie Kirk, Trenton, spent last week with Mrs. L. K. Leavens, Niles Corners. At the close of the summer holidays Miss Kirk will have charge of a school near Trenton.
Miss Helen Alexander has been engaged as teacher of Salem public school, S.S. No. 15, Ameliasburg. We wish these young teachers every success.
Miss Luella Mastin, Belleville, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. W. E. Davidson.
Miss Luella Young spent last week in Wellington with her grandparents. Mrs. Thos. Alexander has recovered from an attack of pleurisy.
Mrs. Fred Weeks, who has been very ill, is slowly improving.
Mrs. M. Johnson, Mount Pleasant, is again enjoying her old home at Melville.
Mr. and Mrs. Rowe, Carrying Place, spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chase.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Young and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Young Wellington, motored to Picton on Saturday.
Mr. E. W. Carley, having sold a valuable horse to Mr. Thos. White, Trenton, delivered it on Thursday.
Mrs. Harston and Miss Alice, Madoc, are this week the guests of Mrs. G. Osborne and daughters.
Miss Myrtle Spencer Ameliasburg, spent a few days last week the guest of Miss Stella Palmer.
Miss F. Osborne, Miss Alice Harston and Miss E. Chase enjoyed a picnic in Wellington park on Saturday.
Mrs. Albert Davern is entertaining Mrs. Kemp and daughter, of Toronto.
Mr. and Mrs. Breeze, Brighton, were recent guests of friends here.
Miss Kathleen Morton, Montreal, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. Kinnear.
Miss Leapha Woods, Nanabee, is visiting at Mr. Jas. Locklin's.
Miss Ruth Vincent, Belleville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Zaufelt.
Mr. Vermilyea, Belleville, occupied the pulpit here on Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor Rev. H. H. Mutton.
Recent guests: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Spencer Ameliasburg, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weeks on Sunday; Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Harston guests of Mrs. J. Kinnear Saturday; Arthur Kinnear in Belleville Saturday; Chas. and Albert Morton in Picton Saturday; Myrtle Weeks guest of Miss M. Spencer, Ameliasburg, this week; Mrs. Miller is guest of her son, Alva Miller; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davidson, Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Goodmurry, near Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Young called on Hillier friends on Sunday; Mrs. Hiram MacDonald, Gilead, visited friends here on Thursday.

CENTENARY
Considerable excitement prevailed in this locality on Tuesday evening, when as an aeroplane was passing, the aviator lost his bearings and decided to alight and find out his whereabouts. After circling round several times he alighted in a field on Mr. D. A. Thrasher's farm. The ground being uneven the machine plunged its nose into a knoll and turned completely over. The occupant wriggled out without injury, the machine was damaged to the extent of a broken propeller and the tail and wings bent and misplaced. A crowd soon gathered. People came for miles from all directions. The authorities at Deseronto, were communicated with and gave instructions for passing the night. In the morning, officers and mechanics arrived, the machine was repaired and made its flight about noon in charge of a pilot.

AMELIASBURG, S. S. NO. 13
A very interesting event occurred on Saturday evening at the Methodist Parsonage in Coneseon, when Mr. Ercus Blakely and Miss Dora Stapleton were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. G. Campbell. Congratulations and best wishes for a happy and prosperous wedded life are extended to them by their many friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens of Montreal are spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Adams.
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Spencer called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weeks, Melville, on Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Aleya were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Pulver, Victoria.
Miss Lulu Pymmer of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Aleya for a few days.
Miss Myrtle Weeks of Melville, is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Myrtle Spencer.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bonter and Mr. and Mrs. Smith Brown visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Adams on Sunday last.

ANDREW McILQUHAM DEAD
Death Came Suddenly To Prominent Horseman
A highly respected resident of Kingston, died suddenly yesterday, in the person of Mr. Andrew McIlquham. The deceased had been in the best of health until this morning when he was suddenly taken ill and died at his home, 241 Victoria street, shortly after. Mr. McIlquham was born in Kingston, 67 years ago and has lived here his entire life. He engaged about three years ago, he was engaged in the livery business on Princess street, in the establishment now occupied by J. D. Godkin. The deceased was a Presbyterian and a member of St. Andrew's church. He is survived by his wife, Bella, and by four sons: James, Roy, William and Frederick, all of whom live in Kingston. A brother, James, also lives in the city, while three sisters, Miss Sarah in New York City, Mrs. E. Spencer and Mrs. J. Kirkpatrick in Ohio, also survive.
Mr. McIlquham was well known in Kingston and the large circle of his friends and acquaintances will mourn the loss of a dear friend.
The late Mr. McIlquham was one of the best known horsemen in this district. No one in the city knew more about the life history of the horses in this district than he did. He loved and always owned and drove a good animal and in his long career, he handled many of the best of them. His passing in the prime of a useful life will be particularly mourned by all horse lovers.

VIMY RIDGE, WHERE THE CANADIANS WON THEIR GALLANT FIGHT
The heights of Vimy are at the southern extremity of the hills of Artois; little by little they become a narrow crest, the end disappearing before one reaches the Scarpe. To the northwest, they form the group of Notre Dame de Lorette, which is three hundred and fifty feet above the plain of Gohelle. In order to get into the plain, the French were obliged to carry this strong position, which they were only able to do after a year's hard fighting from September, 1914, till September, 1915. Below Lorette there is a hollow in the hills, through which the Souche brook runs, but beyond the crest, four or five miles long, is called the ridge of Vimy. As the altitude of this ridge is

considerable—five hundred feet on the west and three hundred and ninety on the east—it dominates the plain by three hundred and two hundred feet. The slopes are not symmetrical; on the southwest (the side where the Canadians made their heroic attack) the ascent is rather gradual; to the northeast the slope falls away abruptly to the Gohelle. The villages of Vimy and Earbus are settled at its foot. It looks as if the Canadian attack must have been comparatively easy, because they went up the more gradual slope, but in point of fact the position gave the Germans great advantage. Their batteries were established at the foot of the slope, where they were masked and protected by the debris from it, and in its side they had made large and deep shelters, strong enough to resist any bombardment, from which their men were intended to rush out as soon as the enemy's artillery was followed by that of his infantry. By infinite toil and patience, they had made the ridge a impregnable. What made its capture possible was the lightning speed of the Canadian attack. These splendid fighters sprang forward before the Germans had time to come out of their shelters and in a few minutes the magnificent dash of this strong position, although at a heavy cost.

CUBA HANDS OVER FOUR GERMAN SHIPS TO UNITED STATES
Havana, August 24.—President Menocal yesterday signed a decree transferring to the United States Government four large German steamers, the Bavaria, Ollivant, Adelheid and Constantia, of an aggregate 20,000 tons, which were seized as prizes of war by the Cuban Government on the day this country declared war against Germany.
It is announced that the United States Minister to Cuba, acting as the representative of the United States Shipping Board, will take possession immediately. When asked the amount the United States Government was paying for these ships, the Minister replied, "Absolutely nothing."

MILLION ACRES WILL BE SOWN
Ontario has launched a big drive to plant one million acres to fall wheat this autumn. This means an increase of 40 per cent. in the winter wheat acreage over last fall, when 690,000 acres were seeded.
Eighty tractors are at work throughout the province and ten more have been purchased by the Government and will be busy within ten days. They will provide the additional acreage which will be got ready for the fall planting of wheat.

HOW A LITTLE SAVED MOUNTS UP
The new vogue of carrying parcels home as a means of practising war economy is becoming popular in many cities in America. Some powerful organizations of women have taken the matter up with the idea of getting merchants to make prices slightly more favorable for those shoppers who carry their own parcels.
Sometimes it is necessary for the shopper to have some or all of her purchases delivered at her home. The woman with children or with a long shopping list involving a lengthy walk cannot be expected to burden herself with parcels, many of which are heavy. But very often small parcels can be carried in the hand without inconvenience or discomfort. To remember to do this, in war-time, is to feel the thrill of service for the cause.
At a hundred stages of each day's experience there are opportunities for economizing. It is a happy duty to buy War Saving Certificates with money saved by reversing certain habits acquired in ante-bellum days. A little saved here and there soon mounts up to a lot.

WINNERS IN FIELD COMPETITION
Prize winners in the standing field crop competition conducted by the Ameliasburg Agricultural Society, 1917. Crop oats. Judge, Geo. Bradley.
1. Jas. R. Anderson, yellow Russian 90 1/2
2. Jas. S. Wallbridge, Banner 83
3. W. H. C. Roblin, yellow Russian 81 1/2
4. C. R. Parliament, yellow Russian 78 1/2
5. Harold Young, yellow Russian 77 1/2
6. John A. Walker, yellow Russian 76 1/2
7. L. Wallbridge, Ligova 71

AEROPLANE WRECKED AT CAMPBELLFORD
Aviator From Camp Mohawk Met With Serious Mishap When Attempting to Raise Machine
On Saturday morning about eleven o'clock, two aeroplanes from the Deseronto Flying School arrived in Campbellford and after flying over the town at a rather low altitude, landed on the fair grounds. About two o'clock in the afternoon, one of the planes attempted to rise and met with disaster, striking a stump fence on the east side of the grounds and crippling the machine badly. As the ground was very uneven it was difficult for the driver to get up enough speed for flight and a particularly bad rise in the ground caused the wire fence to tip enough to catch the strike inside the track and then strike the stump fence. Fortunately, neither of the two men in the machine were hurt. The other machine which was driven by Aviator Wm. Boyd of town, was taken back in the evening by an expert who arrived here by motor shortly after the accident. The damaged car was taken back to Deseronto on a truck, built for the purpose.
Quite a number of people were on the grounds when the accident happened, they having gone up to view the machines. The crowds received all the thrills of seeing the planes, even to an up-to-the-minute wreck. Naturally there was a big chase for souvenirs, and all the splinters about the damaged machine were picked up a few moments after the wreck.

GIANTS ARE UP TO OLD TRICKS AGAIN
John McGraw Once More Buying Players Wholesale to Cinch Pennant
John McGraw is at his tricks again. Not content with the substantial lead the Giants now enjoy, he has waved yellowbacks in the faces of rival owners and obtained two seasoned players.
They are Al Demaree of the Cubs, and Outfielder Wilhoit, of the Braves. McGraw needed an experienced man on his staff and Demaree will fit in nicely. Wilhoit, too, should be a valuable man for him.
It is not hard for the manager of the New York ball club to succeed when he has so much money behind him to buy any player that enters his mind.
In the last two seasons, the power of gold has fetched the following seasoned players to the polo grounds: Infielders Zimmerman and Herzog; Outfielders Kauff and Wilhoit; Catchers McCarthy, Rariden and Gibson and pitchers, Sallis, Anderson, Perritt, Benton and Demaree.
That's pretty nearly the entire strength of the team, isn't it?
And yet, with all his extravagance, McGraw, the cold-blooded pennant buyer, doesn't win the championship every year anyway.

PROF. CAMERON WRITES FROM FRANCE
The following extract from a letter received yesterday from Prof. Dan A. Cameron, formerly vocal director at Albert College and choirmaster at Bridge St. Methodist Church refers to boxes of cheer and comfort provided by a few of his pupils at the instigation of Miss Eva LaVole.
The letter dated, France, July 29, contains this reference "My great joy at receiving so many gifts in such a kindly spirit has been materially added to by the pleasure of doing as I was told, in following the various instructions printed therein, covering 'the disposal of same.'"
They have taken me back many days to dear old Belleville, to the days when I tried hard to follow a clear light, to live up to a strenuous ideal and I am prouder now than ever before that I did.
It's a far cry from a piano stool and ease to a trench and bully-beef, but my memory is good and my recollections of the happiest I pray you to accept my deepest thanks for your kindnesses and the very friendly spirit behind them.
If when you side your throats are as open as your hearts, you'll be fine and on the right road. Don't forget! I won't.
Dan A. Cameron.

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and family wish to thank their kind friends for sympathy extended to them in their sad bereavement, also for floral and spiritual offerings.
The swine sections at the Canadian National Exhibition are 70 in number.

HEAT LINEN \$5.00
Suits we are these - You one.

shy of the Bay night's rain the garden soil, but more is the ground

HANKS
Hunter do sincere thanks friends who by acts and tributes the sudden death of enter.

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\$2 House Dresses for 90c
\$1.50 Lingerie Blouses for 90c
\$1.25 White Wash Skirts for 79c
\$1.75 White Silk Blouses for \$1.25
\$2.00 Silk Sweater Coats for \$1.50
\$3.00 Crepe Kimonos for \$1.50
\$1.50 Middies for 90c

MEN'S SHIRTS
\$1.25 Sport Shirt for 90c
\$1.25 Negligee Shirts for 90c
\$1.25 Work Shirts for 90c

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SOME ASSOCIATED EYE TROUBLES

Dr. F. Park Lewis, of Buffalo, says "A dilated pupil is often associated with myopia (near sight). Astigmatism is the turnstile, through which the eye passes in achieving myopia. Exophoria (imbalance of the internal muscles) and dilated pupils are definitely correlated, and this combination works such disaster in the eyeball as often to be nerve wrecking. Eyes organically unlikes, in an endeavor to blend images in the cortex, will cause nausea, vertigo (dizziness), hyperacidity of the stomach, and intestinal indigestion."

As an illustration of the above, an accountant in an adjacent town, consulted me some months ago who had been treating for three years for distressing headaches, and dizziness, his physician suspecting some form of eye strain sent him to the local optician who was unable to find anything wrong with his eyes, subsequently his physician advised him to consult me, I found in addition to lack of balance of the internal muscles of the eyes (that turn the eyes in), a spasm of the muscle of the right eye which turns the eye down, all of these muscles being in use constantly at his work, I gave him glasses to rest and give proper balance to the internal muscles, and also to relax the spasm of the other muscle at fault, the result, was immediate relief from the headaches, and distressing dizziness, and in a report from this gentleman a few days ago, there has been no return of the former trouble. Alexander Ray Opt., Exclusive Eye-Sight Specialist.

PTE. ROSS ALLEN BROWN HAS BEEN WOUNDED

Mr. D. W. Brown, R. R. No. 3 of Belleville, received word on Saturday that his son, has been wounded. He went to France fourteen months ago with the 5th Battalion. Following is the message he received:

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 24th. Sincerely regret to inform you that 454874, Pte. Ross Allen Brown, admitted City of London Military Hospital, August 20th, gunshot wounds left thigh, back. Will send further particulars when received.

TOO MUCH FOR MEALS

Constable McAvoey discovered two young lads from Toronto preparing to spend the night in the bar, just west of the post office and he escorted them to safer quarters at the Town Hall. The boys had a diary in their possession and it is evident they have been doing up the country. Their impressions of Peterboro, according to the diary, was that there was paid too much for meals. Conspicuous in the diary were the names of a couple of Port Hope's fair maidens whom the knights of the road had met. They are at present in the county jail and will come up for trial here next week.—Guide.

McGRAW SELDOM CALLS MAN BACK

Demaree's Return is Another Evidence of Giant Manager's Eccentricity

Al Demaree's return to the Giants is another evidence of the eccentric whims of John McGraw, writes Jack Velock.

When Demaree went to Philadelphia, in a trade with the New York club, Gotham fans thought they had seen the last of him in a Giant uniform, for McGraw seldom turns a player loose unless he is satisfied that the player has outlived his usefulness as a Giant, and he seldom calls a man back.

Because of this Demaree's "come-back" marks a peculiar turn in the administration of the Giants. Only a few times in the history of the Giants under McGraw's management has a player been sold or traded and later brought back to the fold.

Charley Herzog is serving his third term as a Giant. He was brought back from Boston and later turned loose to manage the Cincinnati club. After his firing as manager in Cincy, Buck figured in the trade for Mathewson. Red Murray came back, having been sent to the Cubs, but at that was not considered as a likely candidate for a regular job.

FORGER ALMOST CAUGHT

James Henderson, who is wanted by the police in Brockville and Ottawa for forgery, was almost captured in Watertown, N.Y., while engaged in what is evidently a habit. Mr. Henderson was staying at a Watertown hotel and endeavored to have a cheque cashed by the clerk.

The latter, however, had just read an account in the Watertown Standard of Henderson and his nefarious work on this side of the river, accompanied by a detailed description of the man. Asking Henderson to wait, he called for the police, but the alleged forger in the meantime became suspicious and made his escape. A lively chase followed and at one time a capture was nearly effected, but the culprit got away.

FRIENDS INDEED

A conspicuous feature of the procession at Ogdensburg on Saturday, when company D marched away, was a British flag held flat by a number of marchers, sandwiched in-between two American flags held the same way. Private Eugene Paige, a returned Canadian veteran, two British officers and three members of the famous Canadian Black Watch (13th Highlanders of Canada), also were in the line of march.

CUT THE ROPE

While leading a bull from the barnyard of his son's farm, Mr. Geo. Robinson, Athens, was severely injured in the leg when his foot became entangled in the rope. The animal pulled him against the barn, where the rope caught against the corner, and the result would have been much more severe than it was, had not his son with quick presence of mind cut the rope.

A LAUGH ON NAPANEE'S MAYOR

Mayor S. Casey Dennison, who is wooing fresh health and strength among the wilds of Muskoka, has a fine fish story which he is not very likely to repeat unless pressed to do so. We have it from a friend who was present and it is too good to keep. One day last week, Mayor Dennison and his cousin, Mr. S. M. Clapp, were trolling for "Mascoo" in Georgian bay—as Mr. Dennison can handle some other things better than a trolling line, he was advised if his line caught on a snag, to throw the line overboard with a float attached, and go back afterwards and pick it up. Sure enough, Mr. Mayor thought he struck a snag and as per instructions, threw over his line and float. His surprise was great on going back to pick up his line to find that his "snag" was a twenty pound "Mascoo" which he secured after some fight.

SOLDIER SHOCKED; WILL RECOVER

Pte. J. Pelow, of the Special Service Company, who was knocked unconscious by lightning during the storm on Wednesday night, has now almost fully recovered, although he still feels the effects of the shock. Pte. Pelow had a very narrow escape from being killed, and he remained unconscious for two hours after being struck. Major Mundell and Capt. Elliott of the Army Medical Corps, gave him treatment and he is back with his unit although rather shaky, yet.

SIFTON AND LAURIER

(“Silas Marner” in Detroit Saturday Night.)

Sir Clifford, for public purposes, is a win-the-war Liberal who favors a union government with anybody but Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the head of it. Providence may order it that Sir Clifford is the Saviour, but if Sir Clifford Sifton doesn't look like the Second Coming to good Liberals—and he surely doesn't—then he is willing that anybody else should be it so long as it isn't the Old Man.

Sir Clifford is a good hater. He hates Sir Wilfrid up and down, across and clear through. This hatred of his dates back twelve years, to 1905, when Sir Wilfrid let him out of his cabinet ostensibly on a difference of opinion over separate schools in the new provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

At that time Sir Wilfrid gave Sir Clifford a dagger poke under the ribs. Sir Clifford took it, but he never forgave it. Some people say that Sir Clifford was glad to find a soft spot to fall on in 1905 because the opposition had a salty story it was about to spring. But this was mere gossip. The outstanding fact is that Sir Clifford fell out with Sir Wilfrid Laurier twelve years ago and has remained very much out ever since.

Out of friendship, let me add—not out of pocket, for Sir Clifford is one of those lucky men who found politics a stepping stone to fortune.

His riches may be said to have synchronized with his regime as minister to the interior, which was a fruitful period for Canada, the Yukon gold fields and liquor concessions being opened up and immigrants pouring into the west by hundreds of thousands. Sir Clifford's savior faire has grown with his wealth. When he came to Ottawa as poor as a church mouse, in 1896, he was in the habit of wearing a silk hat with a sack coat and tan shoes. He knows better now, being in all respects an English gentleman with a nice taste for sartorial detail. He rides to hounds and dances the latest dances.

Sir Clifford is credited with making three million dollars in wheat since the war began; also another million in horses for the French army. He is one of the men who can always put the pay in patriot. Having made all he can out of the war, he is now ready to win it, by means of a union government that will kill Laurier and put Sifton on top.

Sir Clifford fed his hate fat in 1911, when he rounded on the Liberal party, organized Canada for the Conservatives, made a dead set against the Liberal cabinet ministers, which defeated all of them, fought reciprocity—although he is a free trader at heart—and did more than any other man in Canada to put the Borden government where it is. For that little bit of work he got a knighthood.

GUELPH TO IMPORT CARS OF COAL

Guelph Board of Trade Prepared to Avert Shortage of Fuel

Guelph, Aug. 27th.—The Guelph Board of Trade is actively interested in the coal question, and rather than see any shortage this winter is prepared to import cars of coal and sell them to the public. After making careful investigation of the situation, the coal committee of the board was able to offer to the

FISH PRICES WILL BE LESS

Government Will Sell at Slight Advance on Cost to Protect Dealers

Toronto, Aug. 27.—That the Ontario Government's action in co-operating with the food controller in supplying fish to take the place of meats that should be saved, so that a plentiful supply can be sent to the Allies, will mean an increased demand for fish throughout the province goes without saying.

But because the demand will increase, it will not necessarily mean that the price of fish will go up. The Government does not intend to sell the fish at cost and thus put the dealers out of business, but it will regulate the price in such a way that it may be reduced a little.

The securing of fish from Lakes Nipissing and Nipigon means practically the doubling of the supply of fresh fish in Ontario. The establishing of hatcheries means that the lakes will not be depleted, as they otherwise would be.

The Government does not intend to supply fish to places which are in a good position to handle the fish properly, and there will be no chance of the dealers selling stale fish.

The Government is using the regular channels for the distribution of fish, and the price of fish will be placed at such a figure that the dealer will be able to make a fair profit for handling them.

HUNS ARE DOCILE WHEN CAPTURED

Are Easily Handled and Give No Trouble Says Wounded Canadian

London, Aug. 25.—Capt. H. W. Campbell and Pte. E. J. Thomas have reached London. They were wounded in the great advance and were both carried out from the firing lines by German prisoners.

"Hidden in a shell hole the Boche will snipe you," declared Thomas, "but once we have them, they are the nicest little boys you ever saw." Pte. Thomas hails from Winnipeg and has been in France six months with the Canadian Scottish Battalion. We are getting more prisoners than the papers give us credit for, he added.

Sergt. Honan, another roommate was using part of the breach of a gun as an ash tray. "That's what they took out of me," he remarked laconically. "We were making a little dash over seventeen hundred yards of Boche trenches when I got mine. I had been there two and a half years, and this is my first trip to Blighty." Honan says the Germans still fight stubborn even when our gun fire has knocked out all their defences.

TOWN CHANGES NAME

Hoosiers Resent "Kaiser Name" of Post Office

Chicago, Aug. 27.—The name of East Germantown, near Richmond, Ind., has been changed to Pershing. The change was made officially on application to Postmaster Frank Gipe because the residents did not enjoy the German name. The town was settled 100 years ago by Pennsylvania Dutch.

News of the change brought hope to some of the residents of Chicago's "Kaiser streets"—streets named after German cities and war lords. Among the streets with German names, other than those of poets, musicians, and the like, are: Berlin Street, Frankfort Street, Germania Place, Bremen Court, Hamburg Street, Bismarck Place, Mecklenberg Road, Coblenz Street, Rhine Street, and Cologne Street.

COW IN CISTERN

There is a big cistern under the stables at the Huyck House and this (Thursday) morning as the proprietor, Mr. Wm. O'Keefe's cow was entering the stable, the flooring gave way and she was precipitated into the cistern which contained about two and a half feet of water. A larger opening had to be cut in the floor and she was lifted out by block and tackle, apparently but little the worse for her adventure.

OFF TO INDIA

A card received from Mr. W. W. Allison, late general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in this city, conveys the information that he is leaving England for India, where he will continue in the overseas work of the "Y."

STIRLING

Mr. Frank Zwick, Corp. Minns, Misses Helen Zwick and Florence Brown spent Sunday at Trent Bridge. Mrs. (Dr.) Potts has a cactus of the night blooming variety. Last night, early in the evening, three buds started to burst and at 11 p.m. were in full bloom. The flowers, a delicate shell pink were perfect and the perfume exquisite. At midnight or toward morning the blossoms gradually begin to fade and die, lasting only one night.

The lawn social held last night on Michael Kerby's lawn, West Hunt-Ingdon, was well attended, crowds were there from far and near and the Belleville Orchestra always popular, gave a number of selections. The ladies in charge of the booths and refreshment tables catered splendidly to the large crowd, and everyone seemed in a merry mood.

Mr. James Meraw and party of Tweed, narrowly escaped serious injuries last night near Fuller. They were motoring to the lawn social at Michael Kerby's, when the steering gear went wrong and the car turned turtle in a ditch. The occupants were badly bruised and shaken up and one wheel of the car smashed.

Private Frank Johnson No. 907258, son of Wm. Johnson, 4th concession of Rawdon, who is back from the front, was given a reception at his home on Tuesday evening. There was a very large gathering of friends and neighbors for many wives around to welcome him home.

He enlisted in March, 1915, with the 195th Battalion at Regina, Sask., and was wounded at the battle of Vimy Ridge. Private Johnson is a most respected person and was a former pupil of Stirling High School. Reeve Montgomery acted as chairman and ably filled the position. During the evening Pte. Johnson was presented with a purse of twenty dollars. After short speeches were given and lunch served, the gathering, which was a very enjoyable one, broke up at 11.30.

The reception held on Friday evening, Aug. 10th, at the residence of the Misses Judd, in honor of their niece, Sister Ethel Anderson, who was home from overseas on short leave, will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present.

Miss Anderson enlisted for Overseas Service in March, 1916, and is one of the Nursing Sisters in the Ontario Military Hospital, Orpington, Kent, England.

She gave an excellent talk on the work carried on in the hospital and by request she explained what was needed in the way of comforts for the wounded soldiers. She also said that the wheel chairs sent her from Stirling for the use of the wounded, were greatly appreciated, the money for which was collected in various ways by Mrs. C. Reynolds and Mrs. R. Fletcher.

Nursing Sister Anderson is deeply interested in her work and Stirling can well be proud of her.

Soloes were rendered by Mrs. Potts, Miss M. Currie and R. A. Sutcliffe and instrumental selections by Miss G. Caldwell of Madoc, and Bob Parker. A dainty lunch was served during the evening.

Miss Anderson expected to report on the 20th, but she received word on Saturday and left that evening. Mrs. Anderson and Miss Judd motored to Belleville with her and her sister, Mrs. Oakley of New York, who came here expressly to meet her and accompanied her as far as Montreal. In her work she will not be forgotten by her many friends in Stirling, who wish her a safe voyage and God speed.—Leader.

ORDINARY BETTING LEGAL IN CANADA

The use of the expression "prohibition of betting" in connection with the reports of the operation of Sammy Holman's Maisonneuve meeting, indicates a complete misunderstanding of the situation. Betting on horse races, commodities, values, produce, elections or anything under the shining sun is not prohibited in Canada and never was. The order-in-council referred to, did nothing more than withdraw the protection afforded to organized betting on racetracks during the periods fixed by the Miller bill. This left the situation as it originally was, and there is no law or prohibition of any kind against betting on any possible eventuality. On a racetrack or off, is all one now. People who go to Maisonneuve can bet all they want to and be within their legal rights, but no one can make a business of it, nor carry on his trade there, or elsewhere.

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HAD TO TRAVEL BY STEERAGE

AND WAS EXHAUSTED WHEN HE REACHED FRANCE

The Hardships Suffered by the Late Prof. Lanos—An Incident he Told About Losing a Passport.

Only a few of his intimate friends were aware that the late Prof. J. M. Lanos, of the Royal Military College, who died last Sunday from the immediate results of his trip to France to respond to the French colors, had to make the trip from New York to Bordeaux on the steamer "Rochambeau" in the steerage. All cabins had been reserved for civilians and the Canadian officer, whose naturalization as a British subject twenty-five years ago the State Department had not the courage to back up, had to cross the ocean in company with the lowest types of humanity. And it is no wonder that in his condition of health he reached Bordeaux exhausted owing to lack of sleep and the poor fare with which steerage passengers are served. No wonder his friends in military and college circles were angered when they became aware of the way he had been treated by the French consul at Montreal, and his condition on his return. It is hinted that this consul is liable to be removed owing to the way he bungled matters in insisting that Prof. Lanos go to France when as it turned out afterwards, he was not liable for service at all and that he had made the trip at the price of his life.

An incident of the late professor's stay in Bordeaux while waiting for his discharge from the French army was told the writer by himself. One day he was sitting writing at a desk in a public place. His passport book was before him and attached to a document was his photograph. He became aware that a French girl was peering over his shoulder. She reached for the photograph and exclaiming "Oh I do love the British officer," she tucked the picture within her waist and away she went. The professor was so amazed that he did not go after the fair daughter of France, and he was minus this particular passport.

Mrs. Lanos received a letter this week from her son, Flight Lieutenant Victor Lanos, of the Royal Flying Corps, who was in hospital in England as the result of an injury he received to his nose when his machine was brought down by German gunfire some time ago. He intimated that he might get furlough, and his home-coming now would be a source of great consolation to his mother and young brothers and sisters.

FISH SOLD OUT EARLY

On Friday last a two-hundred-pound consignment of salt water cod and haddock was brought to Cobourg, and sold out in quick time. The fish weighed from three to ten pounds each, and sold at ten cents per pound. So great was the demand that the merchant has obtained 500 pounds for this morning's sale, and it should sell readily. It is expected that fresh water fish will soon be sold here at 12 cents per pound, and the demand for it will doubtless be greater than for the salt water fish. Fresh water fish caught in this vicinity has lately been selling at 18 cents per pound. Last Friday's fish came here in good shape, and these consignments will help to solve the meat shortage.

SCHOONER "ANDREWS" SUNK

Was at Dock at Oswego—Crew Safe Will be Raised

The schooner "Abbie L. Andrews" of Kingston sank at her dock in Oswego harbor. She had 600 tons of coal on board, and was owned by Capt. James Oliver, of Kingston. Her decks are above water and it is thought that it will be an easy task to raise her.

YOUTHFUL BURGLARS

During the past fortnight or so the warehouse of the J. A. Johnston Co., Brockville has been entered during the early part of almost every evening, and each night sums of money ranging in amounts from ten to ninety dollars have been missing. Two boys, named Guerin and Hutton, twelve years old, were remanded and pleaded guilty and were remanded. In all about \$416 was stolen.

TRENTON MAY PURCHASE WATERWORKS SYSTEM

A large number of citizens met in the Town Hall, Monday evening to discuss the question of purchasing the Waterworks System of the town from the Hydro. The Mayor presided.

Mr. Ireland, representative of the Hydro Electric, laid the whole scheme before the meeting. They offer the system to the town for \$20,000 and agree to accept the bonds of the town for same at 5 per cent for three years. From the present revenue, as far as the yearly interest and principle charges, the system would carry itself and allow a good substantial margin for extensions.

Mr. Davis, of Davis-Dirk Co., addressed the meeting on the need of more houses. He pointed out that the British Chemical Co. was here to stay, as it would continue to manufacture chemicals etc., after the war was over.

It was moved and seconded that the council submit a by-law to the people, which was carried unanimously.

YOUNG LINDSAY GIRL SOUGHT BY POLICE

The Lindsay Warder says: A young Lindsay girl is very much wanted by her parents and the police of town have vainly endeavored to locate her, though using their greatest efforts.

The story told concerning the youth who is less than fifteen years of age, was to the effect that her parents lost control of her and she has wandered at will to those places wherever her fancy led. She was a truant and loiterer, according to reports, and she kept company with people of doubtful character. The downward path of life she apparently sought to tread, and of late has been getting from bad to worse until finally she floated away with a document of passage, who has the unenviable reputation of being a deserter from His Majesty's Canadian forces. A coward, who has taken the nation's money, who when the inevitable arrived skulked away like any rodent. This act for which the sentence of death could be passed upon him, was not full evidence of his cowardice, but with the nerve begotten of contemptible manhood, he allures away a little girl of 14 years of age; takes her from her parents, and defies the law.

The girl had been arrested about one week ago by Night Constable Parkes, but allowed her freedom after promising that she would return home. This she did not do but visited certain resorts wherein deciduous plants live and disspate. It was in one of these places that she met another young woman of her own calibre, and both left for the Cross Creeks in a skiff with the deserter and a strange man.

Constable Conquergood was informed of their romancing on the banks of the Scugog, living under canvas, so he went up on Tuesday, but found the birds had flown. Traces on the shore gave evidence of the parties having camped there, but that was all the information the constable could glean, so he returned to town in the evening. To the Warder he stated that they may have retreated into the heavy woods that is near by or gone on towards Cassara, but he is determined to keep up the search till the youth is found and on him, was not full evidence of his cowardice, but with the nerve begotten of contemptible manhood, he allures away a little girl of 14 years of age; takes her from her parents,

TWO TRENTON MEN COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

For Stealing Auto Tire from George Turpin's Car at Cobourg

A rather nervy theft was pulled off on Saturday night at Cobourg. About ten o'clock George Turpin left his auto in front of his store previous to closing up for the night. Another auto with three strangers in it drove up and backed up against Turpin's car. While one of the occupants went in and engaged Turpin's car, the other two cut a brand new spare tire from the rear brackets and all drove off when the "talker" came out.

After stealing the tire the three men went on to Toronto, and returning on Monday were noticed by Mr. Turpin. Chief Ruse found who the parties were and on Tuesday two of them were arrested and brought to jail here. Both are young men, named Charles Schuman and Roy Howard. They appeared in police court yesterday morning and elected to be tried by a judge. After waiting examination Police Magistrate Davidson committed them both for trial. A. Abbott, of Trenton, appeared with the prisoners, and A. J. Armstrong acted as crown attorney. The tire, which is valued at \$44, Chief Ruse recovered.—Sentinel Star.

NAPANEE

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kellar, Sharp's Corners, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Pearl, to R. Ray Valentine, Kingston. The marriage will take place quietly the latter part of August.

PROGRESS IN SMITH'S FALLS

Smith's Falls prepared the way on Wednesday for hydro power and a municipal light and power system. There were two hydro bylaws submitted to the ratifiers, one to authorize the purchase of the two local electric plants, and another called the enabling bylaw to enable or empower the municipal Council to buy power from time to time from the Hydro Commission. There were only a few in the town who opposed the bylaws.

Pills of Attested Value—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are the result of careful study of the properties of certain roots and herbs, and the action of such as sedatives and laxatives on the digestive apparatus. The successful compounds have met with, attests the value of their work. These pills have been recognized for many years as the best cleansers of the system that can be got. Their excellence was recognized from the first when they grow more popular daily.

STIRLING

Miss Sarah Hawkins, of Toronto, is home for her holidays.

Miss Mollie Grayne is home from Oshawa on her holidays.

Mr. W. A. F. Campbell of Port Hope, spent Sunday in Stirling, in the guest of the Misses Judd.

Mrs. Fred Vandervoort, Wellington, was the guest of Mr. Jas. Vandervoort a few days this week.

Mr. Y. D. McCann and family returned from Hornell, N.Y., and are guests of his mother, Mrs. Wm. McCann.

Rev. L. S. and Mrs. Wight, of Keene, were in town last week and called on a number of their friends.

SUMMER FOOTWEAR

NOTWITHSTANDING THE STRONG ADVANCE OF THE COST OF SHOES OUR LINES OF WOMEN'S PUMPS AT \$3.00 IN PATENT, KID AND GUN-METAL ARE SPLENDID AND UNUSUAL VALUES. SECURE A PAIR WHILE WE HAVE YOUR SIZE.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Lasher, of Herkimer, N.Y., who have been visiting the bride were a costume of grey at Hugh Morton's and other relatives of Mrs. Lasher hereabouts, have match. A buffet luncheon was afterwards served at the bride's home on Foster Ave. The couple left immediately after for a trip West by motor amid showers of confetti, the bride travelling in a navy blue suit, with blue hat trimmed with roses and French wings. The bride received many handsome and useful presents, the groom's gift being a pearl sun-burst. Mr. and Mrs. Doxtator will be at home in Wallaceburg after Sept. 1st.—News-Argus.

An Always Ready Pill.—To those of regular habits medicine is of little concern, but the great majority of men are not of regular habit. The worry and cares of business prevent them out of the irregularity of life comes dyspepsia, indigestion, liver and kidney troubles as a protest. The run-down system demands a corrective and there is none better than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills.

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When you pay the price of first quality sugar, why not be sure that you get it? There is one brand in Canada which has no second quality—that's the old reliable Redpath.

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CATHOLICS AND CONSCRIPTION

Rev. Father Minehan's Vigorous Reply to Attack of Christian Science Monitor

Editor Ontario:— Will you oblige me by inserting the reply of Rev. Father Minehan to that dished-up rubbish of the Christian Science Monitor?

Editor of The Star: One of the favorite tricks of the crafty scoundrel is to introduce his slanders with a declaration that he received them from a good authority. In this way he seeks to evade personal responsibility and at the same time win a reputation for moderation. In its issue of August 13th, the Toronto Star has adopted the same procedure. As it would be too vulgar and rabid to follow the lead of some of its contemporaries by directly charging the Catholic Church with hostility to conscription, the same purpose was more craftily and artistically attained by quoting to this effect the organ of the worst hodge-podge that ever assumed the name of religion—the Daily Christian Science Monitor.

Using Cardinal Begin for its text, this journal proceeded to charge the Catholic Church with hostility to conscription in the allied countries. The foundation for the charge is a protest by this personage against the inclusion of Divinity students, those, namely on the threshold of entry into the priesthood, under such an enactment.

Now this is not, in the first place, hostility to conscription. A person can be a most ardent and consistent conscriptionist and at the same time advocate such a measure of exemption as the cardinal pleads for. In the next place, Cardinal Begin is not the Catholic Church, even in Canada. Even were he opposed to conscription—an attitude he has not taken—this would not show that the Catholic Church in this Dominion is hostile to such a measure.

Ignoring both these points, the "Eddy" organ sets out to establish its case with even more than the customary drive of its kind. Of course it has to bring Ignatius of Loyola and his order on the stage, for does not every disciple of Eddyism and a thousand other "isms" know that Ignatius of Loyola and his disciples are responsible for every unpleasantness from the battle of Bull's Run to the odors of the Morley Street sewage tanks? In this instance the doughty founder of the Jesuits is represented as salting out into the streets of Venice, mounting on the nearest stone, waving his hat to stop the passersby, and pouring out a mingled jargon of Castilian and Tuscan. As the streets of Venice are canals and the popular dialect not Tuscan, it is no wonder that none of Ignatius' biographers has recorded this truly Eddyian performance.

After this it excites no surprise to be told that "wherever the influence of the Roman Catholic Church is the strongest, a tremendous campaign has been waged to prevent the recruiting of men in the allied countries for the war." And Ireland, Australia and Canada are brought forward to support this statement. Now everyone not blinded by ignorance and prejudice knows that the opposition to recruiting and to conscription in these countries is due to racial and political antipathies, and that Catholicism as such has no plant in Port Hope have been in Coting whatever to do therewith. The Catholic Church is very strong in Boston, where its adherents number considerably more than half of the population, yet that centre of the Eddy cult has no more thorough-going advocate of the American system of conscription than Cardinal O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston. If you want to follow at some distance in the tracks of your Baymen

BIG SHIPMENT FOR OVERSEAS

Shipped Overseas During June and July The Following Supplies

For Rednersville Women's Institute:—Pyjamas, 32 pr.; Socks, 56 pr. Mrs. Alex. Anderson, President, Mrs. J. Phillips, Secretary.

For West Belleville War Workers:—Socks, 48 pr.; Foot powder 36 tins; Acid drops, 36 pkgs.; Soap, 128 cakes; Dusters, 28; Tobacco, 4 tins; Wash cloths, 128; Cigarettes 20; Gum, 1 pk.; Oxo, 1 tin; Personal property bags, 110; Writing pads, 110; Envelopes, 880; Pencils, 110; Triangular bandages, 24; Hospital shirts, 28; Hot water bottle covers, 42; Pyjamas, 11 pr.; Towels, 12; Handkerchiefs, 33; Ward ties, 6; Mrs. W. A. Woodley, Secretary, Mrs. R. McMullen, President.

For Massasaga Red Cross:—Silings, 132; Pyjamas, 12 pr.; Socks, 110 pr.; Soap, 110 cakes; Candles, 110. Mrs. Howard Huff, Convener.

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CUTTING DOWN WASTAGE

Kingston Garbage Collectors Have Favorable Report to Make

That the people are paying more attention to good food placed in the garbage cans, and that there is a uniform effort to curtail the wastage is the opinion of the Kingston garbage collectors. Some time ago it was stated that there was a good deal of food placed in the cans that could be utilized, and complaint was made about the matter. Now, however, comes the report that there is not the amount of wastage, and this shows that the people are working to help win the war.

At the different hotels the bread scraps are being saved and are sold to the keepers of poultry, and this alone does away with a great deal of the stuff which under ordinary circumstances goes into the garbage cans.

Prof. E. A. Dale Appointed to Department of Latin at Varsity

Prof. Ernest A. Dale, acting professor of Latin at Queen's University during the past session, has resigned and will take a permanent professorship in the department of Latin at the University of Toronto, which has suffered through the deaths of Prof. G. W. Johnson and Prof. Fletcher recently.

During his short stay at Queen's University Prof. Dale has rendered eminently satisfactory service and his departure will be regretted by members of the staff and students. No successor has been appointed to the professorship which has been vacated by Prof. Alfred E. Codd, who is still on leave of absence, and whose position was so successfully filled by Prof. Dale.

Lieut. "JACK" GOOCH KILLED IN ACTION

Former Frontenac Star Pays The Supreme Sacrifice in France

The sporting fraternity in Kingston was grieved to learn of the death of "Jack" Gooch, who played with the Kingston Frontenacs two winters ago. It was just after "Reg" Crawford met with his serious accident that Gooch took his place and won the confidence of the hockey fans in Kingston.

WILL UNDERTAKE CATCHING OF FISH

Ontario Government to Secure the Extra Supply for the Province

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Hon. G. G. McDiarmid announced today that the Ontario Government will undertake the catching of the entire extra supply of fresh fish for the Province of Ontario under its plan of co-operation with Food Controller Hanna.

Heavy fines do not seem to have a prohibitive effect upon some of the men who take long chances with the prohibition law. Last night Belleville police made three arrests for intoxication. Upon one of the gentlemen, it is alleged, a bottle was found.

Kingston, Aug. 23.—James Fallbrook had a cancer on his tongue, and was told he could get no relief. A young lady advised him that tea made from red clover tops or blossoms was efficacious. He drank this for several weeks, a cupful several times a day, and is now cured.

One of the strangest stories of the war is that told by Pte. J. W. Walter, who recently returned to his home on furlough from the front.

For nearly a year and a half, Pte. Walter was working in the Ypres salient and on one occasion was camped in an old house with quite a body of soldiers. As the men were talking a shell struck the building, completely tearing it to pieces and burying all the inmates in the ruins.

Two were killed outright and another injured, but Pte. Walter was unhurt. That night the burial of the two men was to take place, but the bodies had to be taken over the shell-hole area. Pte. Walter, a young chaplain, and two or three other men in a car with the Canadian soldier driving, ventured out. A shallow grave was dug when they reached their destination, several rods away from the ruins of the old building.

Reverently the bodies were lowered close beside the grave, while supposedly safe in the distance, the shelling of the enemy went on. In the silence, the words of the service sounded distinctly from the chaplain's lips. "He had just repeated the words: 'In the midst of life, we are in death,' when with terrible suddenness the German fire was turned upon them. Some of the men fell, one going into the open grave. Pte. Walter seized the chaplain's arm and pushed him into the car, and with a comrade or two, raced through the rain of fire till safety was reached.

Pte. Walter was himself wounded and a few weeks afterward was in an English hospital ward. One day two ladies stopped near him and one began telling of her son, "a chaplain in France" who had been standing near an open grave and had just reached the words "In the midst of life, we are in death" when the German shells began flying about them. She ended her story with the words, "The driver of the car saved my son's life."

HARVESTING NEARS THE END

Yield in Hastings and Prince Edward will be Large — Dry Weather has Favored Operations

The continuous dry weather in this section is not favorable for big crops of potatoes but it is permitting the farmers to take care of their harvest in record time. James R. Anderson of Mountain View and quite a number of the other farmers of the district have not only finished cutting but now have the entire crop safely housed.

All reports that we have heard are uncommonly optimistic. Barley, fall wheat and rye are fine and the oat harvest will be considerably above the average. The latter is now by far the most important cereal produced in Ontario. It was feared that the extreme heat in the latter half of July would seriously injure the oat crop from premature ripening but that fear does not seem to have been realized to any important extent. The yield will be uncommonly heavy and the weight of the grain itself very satisfactory.

Ensilage and other corn has made remarkable progress in the dry, hot weather and fully recovered from the stunting process caused by the unseasonable coolness of the early summer. Corn will be fully an average crop.

A trip through the country districts does not disclose much evidence of hay being left to rot in the fields as was reported by the Kingston papers as being common in Frontenac. An occasional field of hay may be seen where the farmer has not been able to get it harvested. Towards Peterborough, in one or two fields the hay that had been raked into windrows has been burned. But these things are very exceptional. Nearly all available hay has been harvested in good season and the quality, where not over-ripened, is particularly good—much superior to the coarse, unripened hay of the season of 1916. More stacks of hay are to be seen in Hastings and Prince Edward than was probably ever the case before. Much of the hay of 1916 still remains unused.

SIDNEY CROSSING

Rain is badly needed here; every potato is dying up. Corn and late potatoes suffering most.

News came to Trenton on Sunday night that Mr. Orval Ghent, of Bay-side, had been killed in action in France. He left with the 155th Battalion, having signed up in Trenton. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss, who have our deepest sympathy. This is the second Bay-side boy to make the supreme sacrifice for King and Country. Mr. Belle Donaldson has been injured, but not seriously.

Mrs. M. Spafford has returned from spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Stocker and family, of Toronto, at their summer cottage at Presque Isle. Her granddaughter, Miss Doris Stocker, returned with her for a few days.

FRANKFORD

Mrs. Geo. Clarke, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mrs. and Miss Vigoux, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. J. McNeil.

Lillian Batstone, of Colborne, is holidaying with her friend, Cecil Mott.

Ola Tripp, of Trenton, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tripp, of town.

Miss Margaret McLaren, from the West, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLaren.

Mr. Fred Corey left for Toronto on Friday on the night train.

A large number of the townsmen spent their Wednesday half holiday with the farmers in the harvest fields returning home hungry and ready for their evening meal.

The regular meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. They on Thursday afternoon. There was a large number present and the meeting was very interesting and instructive. Mrs. Solmes gave a very interesting talk of their mission work in Spokane, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Solmes, of Spokane, Wash., are visiting their aged mother, Mrs. Solmes, and sisters in town.

POTATOES ON THE DECLINE

\$1.50 a Bushel Price on Market Today — Good Offering of Seasonable Vegetables and Fruits

Today's market was uncommonly large for Thursday. The offerings of ripe tomatoes, apples and garden vegetables were numerous and of uniformly good quality.

The price of potatoes is gradually descending from the clouds and is approaching the region where common people reside. But there is still some distance to drop before the aristocratic spuds will be out of the class of luxuries. One farmer who had some nice, smooth tubers in bushel boxes soon sold out his load at \$1.50 a bushel or 45c a peck for potatoes not quite so nice in appearance, but there were not many enthusiastic buyers to be seen.

Tomatoes were very much in evidence and large and smooth in appearance. They should soon become cheaper. Eighty cents a peck was the price asked for small lots. One dealer, who had quite a large load, was offering to sell at \$2 a bushel.

Cooking apples of the duchess and other late summer varieties were well represented. Some good lots of duchess could be had as low as 25c a peck, but the majority of the loads were on sale at 30 cents. One lady was asking 40 cents.

A single load of whitefish and salmon was sold out in a few minutes, the price being 15c a pound for the whitefish and 16c for the salmon.

Vegetables of all kinds were out in tempting array. The prices for this class of goods are now very moderate.

Green corn of the early varieties was offered for 20c the dozen.

ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

John Wesley Evans, a laborer, sixty-four years of age, was arrested shortly after midnight this morning by Sergeant Naphin and Harman at his home, about a mile west of Melrose, and brought to the city and lodged in the cells at the police station. Magistrate Bedford came up from Deseronto today for the preliminary hearing. The prisoner was remanded until Tuesday without taking evidence.

WEDDING

Young O'Brien

Wedded

Married couple who quarrelled

Hubby remarried

Relative from Toronto

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ON DECLINE

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SOCIETY WEDDING AT KINGSTON

Chamber's church was yesterday the scene of a pretty and fashionable wedding when Dorothy, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carruthers, "Annandale," was united in marriage to Major Charles Stanley Hanson, C.F.A., second son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hanson, Montreal, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. M. McGillivray, D. D. The church was lavishly decorated for the occasion with white flowers, ferns and palms and the choir was in attendance. Long before the appointed time, 11 a.m., the sacred edifice was crowded and in the interval the organist, Mrs. J. R. C. Dobbs, played appropriate music. Precisely at 11 o'clock the wedding party arrived and moved up the aisle to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march. First came the ushers, Mr. Black and Major Bristol. Then followed the bridesmaids, Miss Edith Carruthers and Miss Madeleine Hanson, (Montreal), who were becomingly gowned in pale pink tulle with shadow lace and black picture hats and carried bouquets of garden flowers, the gift of the groom. Next came Miss Kathleen Carruthers, niece of the bride, a charming little flower girl, with a dainty frock of white point d'esprit over pink tulle and carrying a basket of garden flowers. Last, but not least, came the charming and lovely bride on the arm of her father, who gave her away. She looked a picture of loveliness and sweetness and grace in her gown of white satin enlaid with crystal trimming and old point lace, the gift of her mother. Over her pretty soft hair fell the Brussels net veil surmounted by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and sweet peas and wore the gift of the groom, a diamond and pearl pendant set in platinum. The groom was supported by Capt. Nation as best man. The strains of Lohengrin's march were followed by the choir singing the hymn "The Voice that Breathed of Eden." At the close of the ceremony proper, before the concluding prayer, the choir sang "O Perfect Love," Miss Tweddell singing the second verse as a solo. While the bridal party were signing the register, the organist played wedding music, after which the happy couple passed down the aisle to the joyous strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march. "Annandale," the home of the bride's parents, was beautifully decorated with white asters and gladioli and quantities of ferns and palms. A sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of by the many guests, the bride's table being centered by the wedding cake and artistically decorated with white roses and sweetness. The bride cut the cake with her husband's sword. The happy couple left for their honeymoon amid a shower of confetti and good wishes, the bride wearing a smart taupe coatdress with satin collar and cuffs and a becoming chic hat to match. The presents were numerous and handsome from far and near and testify to the popularity of the fair young bride.

Wedded less than year, a young couple who reside in Frontenac had a quarrel and parted. The bride, who formerly lived in Toronto, has packed off to her relatives while hubby remains here. The case came to a head on Tuesday afternoon when the wife complained to Justice of the Peace, George Hunter that her husband had threatened to shoot her if she got a man to come into the house to help her pack up her belongings. Relatives of the wife came down from Toronto in an automobile to take her back to Toronto, but following hubby's threats, a warrant was taken out for his arrest. Constable Ernest Clarke made the arrest and the accused, his wife and the latter's sister, with the officer of the law, made the trip to Mr. Hunter's office in the automobile. Col. Hunter tried to have the couple re-united and asked both to "forgive and forget," but his efforts proved in vain. The couple agreed to disagree and live apart, and the husband was told that he must not interfere with his wife in her taking away her belongings. He must also keep the peace.

WEDDED LESS THAN YEAR YOUNG COUPLE AIR TROUBLES BEFORE COL. HUNTER AT KINGSTON

Wife Declared That Husband Threatened to Shoot Her When She Was About to Pack Up Her Belongings to Leave Home—Decided to Part

THOUGHTS BY THE WAY

Thoughts. Written for The Ontario by "Wayfarer."

Nameless as meadows on another star, Fleeting as white birds at a black cave's mouth, Distant as north is from the dreamy south, As near as thoughts inseparable are. So are my thoughts, at once my boon and bane; Sweet as dear love and never more defined; Strange as slow sorrow stalking in the mind, 'Mid uncommunicable moods of pain. Yet are my thoughts the empire of myself; They are the fashioned glory and the worth, They are the enduring thing when all the earth Sundered to drifting nothing on the shelf. Of some blown wind of God, moulders and dies, With Shakespeare's brow and Dante's withered eyes. —Arthur L. Phelps.

Did you ever stop to consider, friends of mine, what influence our thoughts have on life's every act? When we realize the diversity and immensity of our thoughts for one brief day, we are appalled. Someone has said: "Guard well thy thoughts, thy thoughts are heard in heaven." For that reason we should endeavor to keep pure in heart. Another reason for guarding our thoughts is given by Solomon when he says "As he thinketh in his heart, so is he." From this we infer that we would see that some mother, old and heart-broken, sitting up and waiting for the staggering footsteps of her boy, might in her loneliness and grief and trouble curse the white hands that gave her lad his first drink. Women make life hard for other women because they do not think.

In another place she writes: "There was a picture in one of the popular women's papers some time ago, which taught a significant lesson. It was a breakfast scene. The young wife, daintily frilled in pink, sat at the end of the table in very apparent ill-humor. The young husband, quite unconscious of her, read the morning paper with evident interest. Below the picture was a sharp criticism of the young man's neglect of his pretty wife and her dainty gown. Personally, I sympathize with the young man and believe it would be a happier home if she were as interested in the paper as he and were reading the other half of it instead of sitting around feeling hurt. "But you see it is hard on the woman, just the same. All our civilization has taught her that pink frills were the thing. When they fall, she feels the bottom has dropped out of the world—he does not love her any more and she will go back to mother! You see the woman suffers every time. "Women must think if they are to make good in life; and success in marriage depends not alone on being good, but on making good. Men by their occupation are brought in contact with the world of ideas and affairs. They have been encouraged to be intelligent. Women have been encouraged to be foolish, and later on are punished for the same foolishness, which is hardly fair. But women are beginning to learn. Women are helping each other to see."

Should Women Think? During the past quarter of a century, the question, "Should women think," has been much before the world. The higher education which is now allowed to women, or which women have claimed authoritatively as their own rightful privilege, has proved most unquestionably that women can think. The honors won by women in the higher schools and universities of our land prove that women are capable of as high a standard of thought as men, and in many cases their ability in study and deep thought surpasses that of men. The woman that thinks is the woman that is needed today, in times like these. The days are past when men must fight and women must weep. The present war has revealed the power of our women to think and to do. The weeping, clinging kind of woman is going out of fashion and is giving place not to the mannish woman, (may that never be!), but to the woman of thought and action, a helpmeet for man. In her book, "In Times Like These," Mrs. Nellie McClung has given the following ideas on the subject, "Should women think."

Rev. Father Grant Dead Rev. Father John Grant, Ph.D., professor of moral theology at St. Augustine's Seminary, Toronto, died suddenly on Monday afternoon. The late Father Grant was born in Kingston archdiocese near Napanee and received his early education there. Later he attended the grand seminary at Montreal and finished his studies for the priesthood at Rome. He was for a time, the assistant at St. Paul's church, Toronto, and was also in the parishes of Midland and Penlang. The funeral took place yesterday at Toronto.

CIRCUS HELD UP The Patrick circus train was held in Smith's Falls yards nearly all day Monday waiting for clearance orders to go to Brockville. It appears that the railways are at present not permitted to haul circus trains, but this one was to be an attraction at the Brockville fair.

SOLD LIQUOR FINED \$3000

Stiff Penalties Handed Out to Trenton Couple at Brighton Yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Bergevin, of Trenton were yesterday handed out extremely stiff penalties by Magistrate George Dewry of Brighton for violation of the Ontario Temperance Act. The charges were preferred by Inspector Arnott of this city, who made a seizure of whiskey and gin at the Bergevin home near Trenton on Monday afternoon. This was fully reported in Tuesday's Ontario. As this was the second charge against Bergevin and his wife and they appeared to be carrying on an illicit trade in wet goods, the magistrate imposed the full penalty in each case. Bergevin himself was fined \$1000 and costs or six months in jail for selling. He was also fined \$1000 and costs or six months for keeping for sale. His wife was also fined \$1000 and costs or six months for selling. Mr. Wm. Carney, K.C. of this city was Mr. Arnott's solicitor.

SCHOONER "GEO. A. MARSH" TO BE DISMANTLED

The Donnelly Salvage and Wrecking Company Tug Has Left for the Wreck. The tug "Frontenac" of the Donnelly Salvage & Wrecking Company's fleet left on Wednesday morning for the scene of the wreck of the schooner "George A. Marsh," which foundered several miles out from Kingston on August 9th. It is the intention of the crew of the tug to dismantle the vessel sufficiently so that it will not be a menace to navigation. The spars will be taken off, and any loose material that can be reached by the divers will also be removed. As neither the vessel nor the cargo is of sufficient value to have the boat lightered and raised, the cargo of four hundred and fifty tons of coal will be left on the vessel.

DOLLAR DAY CROWDS

More Dollars Were to Be Made by Farmers at Home Dollar Day did not attract as large a crowd as previously to Peterboro Wednesday. Early in the morning some of the stores did a lively business with bargain hunters. The farmers did not come to any great extent as the weather conditions were too unfavorable for the harvesting at home.

LIEUT. ERNEST SLITER IS TAKEN PRISONER

His Aeroplane Dropped Within the German Lines on 19th of July E. O. Sliter, principal of Kingston Collegiate Institute, has received word from the records department, Ottawa, that his son, Flight-Lieut. Ernest Sliter, of the Royal Flying Corps, who was reported missing on July 13th, is officially reported a prisoner in Germany. No mention is made of his being wounded. The news will be gladly received by Lieut. Sliter's many Kingston friends. It was while flying with a British squadron over the German lines on July 13th that the machine in which Lieut. Sliter was observed seemed to be struck by German gunfire. However, the pilot was able to make a descent and the machine was noticed to drop within the lines of the enemy.

A PATRIOTIC CLERGYMAN

One of the ministers of this district who is doing his utmost to assist the farmers in harvest is Rev. W. G. Bradford, Methodist minister at Mallorytown, who has spent three weeks on the farm of Albert Root and has done the pitching for 102 loads of hay.

COWS IN THE GARDEN

A lady whose home is along the Station Road reports that some cows entered her vegetable garden and helped her to harvest the crop of vegetables. She did not require any bovine assistance and may put in a bill to the owner of the cows for the damages.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. J. T. Gunn and family, Belleville, Mrs. Geo. Graber, and daughter, Agnes, Chicago, were recent guests of Mrs. W. L. Keys, Bowmansville.

THE BEST EQUIPPED ARMY IN EUROPE

Col. Winston Churchill Tells of Work Done for British Troops

London, Aug. 22nd.—Col. Winston Churchill, Minister of Munitions, has begun the reorganization of the British Munitions Department. In a statement he says the department is now employing 2,000,000 persons, and the headquarters' staff 13,500, and that it is controlling an expenditure of between £6,000,000,000 and £700,000,000 a year. Col. Churchill says the work the department has done has made the British Armies "the best equipped and most admirably armed in Europe." "But," the minister adds, "after these great efforts, and in the fourth year of the war, we no longer are tapping stored-up resources of the national energy or mobilizing. We are applying them for the first time to the war. The magnitude of the effort and achievement approximate possibilities. Already in many directions the frontiers are in sight and it is necessary therefore not simply to expand, but to go back over the ground already covered and by thrifty and harmonious methods glean a further reinforcement of war power." For this purpose, Col. Churchill says it has been decided to form the 50 departments of the ministry into 10 groups, each to be presided over by an experienced officer of the ministry, who will constitute a council, the functions of which will be similar to those of the Army Council.

SCHOONER STILL ON ROCKS

Middlesex is Likely a Complete Loss Dunn Has Been Raised Capt. James Peacock, who was on the schooner Arthur when she went on the rocks in the St. Lawrence river has returned to Port Hope. The captain states that the Middlesex is under water and is practically a complete loss with insurance only on the cargo. The Dunn was raised on Monday and part of her cargo transferred to a barge. The damage to the Dunn is slight. The Arthur is still fast on the rocks, but will be sold at auction on Friday. The Union Lumber Company of Toronto, have insurance of \$5,000. The McNaughton Towing Co., which had charge of the towing of the three vessels, have an insurance of \$75,000 against accidents. It is likely that the Union Lumber Company will sue the McNaughton Towing Company for the damage of the Arthur, as it is alleged that the man in charge of the towing was not competent.

OTTAWA GIRLS FOR LINDSAY ARSENAL

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—Girls of Ottawa who are anxious to work for their country have now an excellent opportunity according to Major G. I. Campbell, Chief Recruiting Officer for this district, who is in the city. He is prepared to accept applications from girls and women to work in the big munitions factory at Lindsay and could place one hundred girls at least right away. Applicants, if accepted, would find good rooming and boarding accommodation in the Victoria County town and reasonably good pay, according to Major Campbell, who has just arrived from where he and a committee of ladies have been looking into the housing question most thoroughly. Many applications from Ottawa girls and women, some of them rather prominent in the social life of the city, are in Major Campbell's hands. Others desiring to work in the arsenal are writing him at the British and American Block, Kingston.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS SOON TO LEAVE DESERONTO

The Royal Flying Corps will be leaving Canada in a few weeks and take up new camps near Dallas, Texas. This statement will prove very interesting though not pleasant for thousands of people in this district who during the last few weeks have made friends at the Deseronto camps. This spring the Royal Flying Corps established two camps near Deseronto. One was on the Mohawk Reserve, which was made into the Mohawk Camp and the other was on the Rathbun farm just back of the town. This has since been called the Rathbun Camp. Last year the aviators near Toronto tried flying in the cold weather. The high altitudes proved so disagreeable that the camp was moved across in the number of men to be Florida. This is the reason for the change and to save any loss of time the arrangements will be completed as soon as possible.

PRISONERS OF WAR FUND

Donations received for Prisoners of War by Quilte Chapter, I.O.D.E., for August.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes: Dr. J. J. Farley 2.00, Mrs. J. W. Gibson 2.00, Miss Helen Rathbun 2.00, Miss Edith Anning 2.00, Miss Stewart Masson 2.00, Mrs. R. J. Graham 2.00, Mrs. W. C. Springer 2.00, Mrs. Fred Deacon 2.00, Mrs. J. F. Dolan 2.00, Mrs. D. M. Waters 2.00, Mrs. E. G. Porter 2.00, Mrs. Stewart Masson 1.00, Mrs. W. W. Boyce 1.00, Mrs. H. Conby 1.00, Mrs. Carlaw 1.00, Miss M. Fralick 1.00, Miss I. Falen 1.00, Miss Helen Falen (Toronto) 1.00, Mrs. C. M. Stork 1.00, Mrs. S. Phippen 1.00, Mrs. Fred B. Smith 1.00, Mrs. E. B. Fralick 1.00, Mrs. S. Bongard 1.00, Mrs. A. Abbott 1.00, Miss Kate Laxier 1.00, Mrs. Thos. Ritchie 1.00, Mrs. Fred S. Anderson 1.00, Mrs. W. C. Mikel 1.00, Mrs. J. W. Kinnear 1.00, Mrs. S. Robertson 1.00, Mrs. J. W. Johnson 1.00, Mrs. A. McGinnes 1.00, Mrs. C. Bogart 1.00, Mrs. John McKeown Sr. 1.00, Miss Eva Panter 1.00, Miss K. Sillis 1.00, Miss Holden 1.00, Miss Smart 1.00, Mrs. Denmark 1.00. Total: \$620.50

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes: Chapter, I.O.D.E., for Belgian Relief for August. Previously acknowledged \$403.00, Miss Edith Anning 5.00, Miss Mary E. Stapley 5.00, Miss Harriet Stapley 2.50, Miss Stewart Masson 2.50, Miss C. A. Miller 1.00, Mrs. M. Conners 1.00, Mrs. John Williams 1.00, Miss M. S. Hamilton, Rossmore, 1.00, Mrs. W. Lattimer 1.00, Miss Helena Lynch 1.00, Mr. C. C. Stewart 1.00. Total: \$420.15

CHICAGO WILL HAVE TO PLAY GREAT BALL

If It Wants to Capture the American League Pennant Beginning right now, the White Sox are at home. The Red Sox will be on the road. Finishing the series with Cleveland, Red Sox will go home for a stay until Sept. 3rd, when they play a double-header with Detroit. Then they hit the road for the rest of the season, with the exception of three days scheduled at home. They manage to slip in some postponed contests on off days in that period, but they will not be enough to count for much. During the same period the White Sox are at home the Red Sox will be on their last big trip, although they are scheduled for a so-called swing later. Boston will finish the season at home, a fact which is a decided advantage for Jack Barry's men. There are still left two clashes between the two clubs, one at Chicago and one at Boston. The latter will be the series that will decide the race, for it will be played in the campaign's closing days, beginning Sept. 24th. Every eastern club and two from the western wheel will visit Chicago in the home series they are about to start. Later they will entertain another of the westerners for a brief period. The Red Sox should be favorites if the race sticks to anything like a close decision, for they are driving, nerveless finishers. They beat out the White Sox and the Tigers last year while crippled and while on the road. The Chicagoans are stronger this year, but they have yet to prove the consistency under stress of a tight windup.

OFFICERS TO BE DISMISSED

An Ottawa dispatch states that announcement is soon to be made of the dismissal from the military service of a number of officers now employed at Barrfield camp. The decrease in the number of men to be down on the various staffs, particularly that of the instructional work, there are five officers named who are "billed" for evil life.

BRITISH TO SOLVE DIVORCE PROBLEM

LAW TO GRANT DECREE AFTER THREE YEARS OF SEPARATION OPPOSED BY CHURCH

But Her Influence Is Not So Potent Just Now As Formerly London, Aug. 24.—That there are from 250,000 to 300,000 persons in Great Britain legally separated yet not divorced is one of the statements in the report of the royal commission which has lately been investigating the divorce problem. This moreover is only a beginning. Other multitudes of men and women who have been married continued not only married but without even legal authority to live apart, though they don't and could not, live together. Probably this second classification is larger than the first. After surveying these conditions and their results, parliament has established a joint committee to promote the cause of marriage and divorce reform. For many years the question has been before the public. Determined opposition by the church and other agencies prevented accomplishment in a moderate measure; the tide of human misery was dammed up; and now it is likely to be let loose with a much more radical measure than a decade ago would have sufficed. The joint committee has undertaken to obtain passage of a law permitting absolute divorce in most of these cases of hopeless separation. Judicial separation orders are now issued on account of cruelty, desertion, drunkenness and many other offences but these do not constitute divorce. Commonly the husband is required to pay maintenance fixed by the court; often in cases in which the husband has been grievously wronged. If he doesn't pay he can be and often is locked up. But, however greatly husband and wife may wish to separate, they cannot be divorced unless there has been adultery on the wife's part; or adultery and also cruelty on the husband's.

Almost a decade ago an effort was made to obtain legislation providing that in cases of legal separation the court, after five years, should on application of either party, make decree of absolute divorce. That bill was smothered. The new measure, which is likely to become law before the war's end is much more liberal. It permits the decree to be issued after three years separation, whether the separation was by consent, by court decree or otherwise. Even advocates of easier divorce in some cases fear that the measure would make it too easy. But the people who have investigated do not. They describe immoral conditions widely existent because of the present difficulties of getting divorce. Illegitimacy and a fearful number of cases of bigamy are enumerated. Husband and wife legally bound to each other yet legally separated, forced to live lives of celibacy, lose all moral standards. The fact that they are commonly poor makes the results yet worse. It is a question largely concerning the poorer people, for at best it costs more to get a divorce than most people can pay. The story has been often repeated of the cynical judge who said the divorce laws of England were perfectly even, handed as between rich and poor; either rich or poor petitioner might have a divorce if he had a case and about £500 for expenses. The church has been especially antagonistic to remedial legislation; but the church influence is not so potent as formerly. The war has brought conditions in which the need of meeting this emergency is more pressing than ever, while at the same time it has weakened the hold of the church owing to the attitude of most of the higher ecclesiastics on many war issues.

RED CROSS PENNY-BAG STOLEN

A theft of an unusually contemptible nature was committed last night at the Royal Cafe, The Red Cross Penny-bag containing about fifty cents in coppers was carried away, so the proprietor, Mr. J. S. Tom, informed the police.

CHILD BITTEN BY DOG

Mr. H. Kniff who resides in Doyle's terrace informed the police that his little child had been badly bitten in the face last night by a dog belonging to a neighbor, who resides in the same terrace.

ANOTHER ENLARGEMENT

The case of Safe vs. Stringer came up for hearing this morning but was again enlarged for another week.

AUTO MEET WAS GRAND SUCCESS

"The coolest spot" when the weather is hot. The automobile meet of the Picton Motor League held at the Alexandra on Thursday was a decided success...

DESERONTO

Mr. Harold Harvey recently had the misfortune to break his wrist and has been confined to the house. Miss Jean Wiggins, Belleville, was the guest of the Misses Jennie and Alice Cole over the week-end.

CONSCRIPTION OF FOOD POPULAR AT EDMONTON

From the Edmonton Bulletin we have read a most interesting report of the recent mass meeting held under the auspices of the Consumers' League of that city.

Would Commander Supplies A popular note was struck by Miss Julia Ponton, who represented the Red Cross society, when she called for conscription of food required for the men at the front.

BUSY TRENTON NOTES

Daily Happenings in The Thriving Town of Trenton as Supplied by The Ontario's Special Representative

Trenton, August 24.—Mrs. E. G. Sills entertained a number of Trenton friends this afternoon at auction bridge at her cottage at Twelve O'Clock Point.

Was a Nervous Wreck But is Now Well Again What Dodd's Kidney Pills Did For Alberta Woman Miss E. M. Shannon Suffered for years from a score of ills and Found Quick Relief and Cure for All of Them in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Belleville Fair LABOR DAY!

Monday and Tuesday, September 3-4, 1917. Li Stock Show of the highest class and honest trial of speed. DON'T FAIL TO SEE THE EXHIBIT FROM THE EXPERIMENTAL FARM, OTTAWA.

DEATH OF MR. H. S. BURRELL

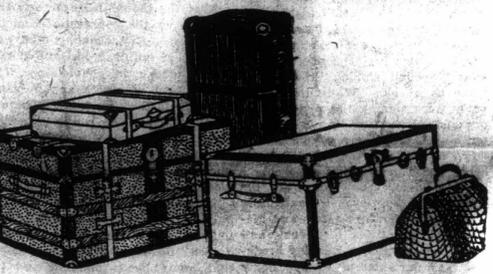
Well Known Young Business Man Succumbed Suddenly Death on Saturday removed a prominent Belleville manufacturer, Harry Stephen Burrell, president of the Burrell Rock Drill Company.

McINTOSH BROS. Rousing Sale of CHILDREN'S SCHOOL DRESSES

Mothers with girls to fit out for school opening, will welcome this news, as it places before you a great range of desirable dresses at just about half price.

School Books! School Books! You will find our stock complete in every detail at lowest prices and best values.

Sacrifice Sale! Trunks Club-Bags and Suitcases



In order to make room for our fall goods, we are putting on sale the above goods at remarkable low prices.

Vermilyea & Son Store of Quality and Service

Why Not Enjoy Yourself? We Have The Goods To Help You. Fishing Tackle, Golf Clubs, Base-Ball Goods, Hammocks, Velocipedes, etc.

BRITISH MADE SUCCESSFUL RAID TODAY LONDON, August 27.—The war office statement says the British made a successful raid this morning east of Ostaverne and secured a number of prisoners.

GERMAN ATTACKS BROKEN BY FRENCH FIRE PARIS, August 27.—French war office announces strong German attacks were made last night on the Aisne and Verdun fronts.

RUSSIAN GENERAL GIVES HIS LIFE PETROGRAD, August 27.—General Poyoski was killed while leading his division in fighting on the Sereth.

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT'S PROTEST TO HUNS HAVRE, August 27.—The Belgian government has entered a strong protest against Germany's arresting Belgian officials who refuse to serve under the German regime.

Mr. K. P. Morden, wife and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geddes, of Toronto, are camping at Garratt's Island, enjoying a well earned rest.

Mr. Milton Goldsmith of Carleton Place, Sask., has returned home having spent several enjoyable weeks visiting friends and renewing old acquaintances of his childhood days.

Trenton, Aug. 25.—Dr. and Mrs. Farley returned yesterday from a trip to Port Arthur. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hawley, of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived in town today and are the guests of Mrs. Myra Spencer, Henry street.

W. R. Taylor, Manager of Corby's Distillery, Died in Hamilton W. R. Taylor, for thirty-five years manager of the Corbyville distillery for the late Senator Corby, died yesterday at his home in Hamilton.

SUCCUMBED TO OPERATION

Mary E. Hutchinson Died While Her Twin Sister Was Successfully Operated Upon. Mary Evelyn Hutchinson, a bright thirteen year old school girl, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson, of the fifth concession of Thurlow, died very suddenly this morning in Foxboro, collapsing while undergoing an operation for tonsillitis.

WAS MANAGER FOR 35 YEARS

W. R. Taylor, for thirty-five years manager of the Corbyville distillery for the late Senator Corby, died yesterday at his home in Hamilton, at the age of 76 years.

BOY IS ACCUSED

The police have in their care, for the Children's Aid Society, a boy of thirteen years, who is accused of stealing some money from his employer, Mr. William Waterhouse.

CALL TO CREAMERY

The police had a call on Sunday night at eleven o'clock to the Belleville Creamery. It was reported that some one was trying to force an entrance. An officer made an inspection but found no one.

BIRTH SCOTT — At Belleville Hospital, on Sunday, August 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Oswald H. Scott, 11 Queen street, a daughter, Margaret Isabel.

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