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United States Elects Harding President

TREMENDOUS LANDSLIDE FOR HARDING WINS BY AN OVERWHELMING PLURALITY REPUBLICANS CONTROL NEW CONGRESS

Eastern States Cast a Prodigious Vote for Republican Candidate for U.S. Presidency—Democrats Early Concede His Election—New York Will Go for Harding by Over a Million, and Other States Roll Up Unparalleled Republican Majorities—Number of Western States Are in Doubt—Hot Fight for Governorship of New York.

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch to the Ontario)

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—One of the most sweeping republican victories in party history today stood recorded for Senator Harding for President and the Republican Congress. Tremendous and unparalleled republican pluralities beginning with the first count of ballots in yesterday's election, continued mounting today. Defeat in their fight both for the presidency and for the senate was conceded early by the Democratic national leaders on the basis of a crushing republican vote and despite the absence, even early today, of final and official figures.

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The states from which returns were too meagre to justify actually placing them in either the Harding or Cox column were: Arizona, 3; California, 13; Colorado, 6; Indiana, 11; Kentucky, 12; Maryland, 8; Minnesota, 12; Missouri, 12; Montana, 4; Nevada, 3; New Mexico, 2; North Dakota, 5; South Dakota, 5; Utah, 4; and West Virginia, 5, a total of 120.

The states which were certain for returns showing the growing landslide for Harding, Governor Cox's own newspaper, The Dayton News, and Chairman White of the Democratic National Committee, seen after 11 o'clock tonight conceded the election to Harding. Without waiting for returns from the west which four years ago elected Wilson in the face of pluralities for Hughes, through out the east, the Democratic candidate and his chief manager conceded that in the "solemn referendum," which President Wilson declared would decide the League of Nations question, United States voters had preferred Harding who favored "staying out" to Cox who favored "going in."

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At the hour the Democratic concession of Republican victory was made, there were practically no returns to show the trend of the voting on congress. The few returns at hand showed few net changes and these were in favor of the Republican side. The Democratic tide was conceded early by the Democratic national leaders on the basis of a crushing republican vote and despite the absence, even early today, of final and official figures.

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Pennsylvania returns showed Harding leading Cox three to one, and Senator Penrose elected. Massachusetts was promising Harding the greatest plurality ever given a presidential candidate in that state. Boston had gone for a Republican for the second time in its history, and had given Harding a greater lead over Cox than it gave McKinley over Bryan in 1896.

Returns from half of Vermont gave Harding a three to one lead over Cox. Hughes beat Wilson two to one there in 1912.

In the home district of Chas. F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, Harding beat Cox two to one. Maine reported Harding leading Cox by the largest plurality ever given a presidential candidate. Ohio one-fifth complete, showed a growing vote for Harding.

Harding carried two wards in the city of Atlanta, Ga., and two parishes in the Louisiana sugar belt, both Democratic territories.

In the New York senatorial race Senator Wadsworth was leading his Democratic opponent, Lieut. Governor Walker. Senators Brandegee of Connecticut and Moses of New Hampshire, of both of the League of Nations, were expected to be re-elected.

The late closing of polls in the western states, the difference in time, long ballots and a greatly increased vote were the cause of the late returns from the west.

WILL SINK A WELL FOR OIL

Prospects in Trembling Look Very Promising.

Mr. Walter H. Reeves, of London, England, representative of the General Oil Fields Limited, and a geologist were in Trembling, yesterday going over the ground for oil indications a few miles from Lonsdale. Today they are again on the ground. They are highly pleased with the prospect.

It is the intention to sink a well for oil in the area of the thousand acres on which the company has secured leases.

Inquiries are pouring into Mr. Reeves and Mr. Elliott and other citizens regarding the prospects of oil. One letter has come from the Pacific coast.

Bolshevik Bureau Divided in 4 Sections

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Nov. 3.—The Russian bolshevik propaganda bureau, formerly centralized here, has now been divided into four sections, the Dutch newspapers say. One is in South America, one in Berlin, one at Amsterdam and the other at Lisbon, between them, handling bolshevik campaigns for all the world.

Canada's Trade With Bahama Islands Grows

NASSAU, Bahama Islands, Nov. 3.—A report which has just been issued on the trade of the Bahama Islands credits Canada with 4 per cent. of the total import trade of the islands. This is declared to be under estimated, however, for a part of the Canadian goods sent to this market was shipped through the United States and in the government figures was credited to the latter country. Comparison with reports for previous years show that Canada's trade with the Bahama has been growing steadily.

Negro Murderer Lynched Yesterday

ORLANDO, Fla., Nov. 3.—A negro named Perry, who shot and killed two men at Ocoee, after he had been refused a vote, was lynched early today outside the city limits. He was hanged to a tree and his body riddled with bullets. Perry was refused the vote because he had not paid his poll-tax.

Campbellford Visited By Eureka Brethren

Belleveille Masons Fraternised With Golden Rule Lodge—A Notable Banquet

Notwithstanding the rain and the bad roads, over forty members of Eureka Lodge, No. 283, A.F. & A.M. and sister lodges motored to Campbellford last night to pay a fraternal visit to Golden Rule Lodge No. 154. It was a night both pleasant and profitable and one long to be remembered by all who were privileged to attend.

The First Degree in Masonry was exemplified by the following degree team:

W. Bro. Dr. Day, J. F. M.
Wor. Bro. J. O. Herity, W. M.
Bro. L. E. Wainley, S. W.
Bro. H. O. Stewart, J. W.
W. Bro. L. E. Allen, Chap.
Bro. S. McGuire, J. D.
Bro. H. Thompson, I. G.
Bro. B. Doolittle, S. S.
Bro. Ronald Lewis, J. S.

The following also assisted in delivering the lectures and other work of the degree.—R. W. Bro. H. F. Ketcheson and W. Bro. Dr. Kinnear, R. McCrudden, Wilfred Holmes and H. W. Ackerman.

A capable choir under the leadership of Bro. Harry MacKay gave an inspiring musical accompaniment.

Upon the conclusion of the work the members of the team were warmly congratulated by those who had witnessed the exemplification.

After the closing of the lodge the brethren to the number of about 150 gathered at the public hall where a hospitable banquet was served. W. Bro. R. J. Allen, master of Golden Rule Lodge, presided as toastmaster and his droll interjections kept the brethren in a continuous round of merriment.

The toast to the "Grand Lodge and Grand Lodge Officers" was proposed by Bro. Rev. C. E. Clarke in one of those witty and thoughtful addresses for which he has established a reputation.

The response by Rt. Wor. Bro. H. F. Ketcheson brought forth one of the best short speeches of Bro. Ketcheson's career in which humor and sound philosophy were combined with happy effect.

"Canada and the Empire" was a toast fittingly assigned to two brethren who had done their full duty overseas in the great war. W. Bro. Capt. John Bygott, of Lakefield Lodge, now G.T.F. agent at Campbellford, briefly and modestly proposed the toast and the response was by Major Pratt, D. S. O., was a fine example of unassuming eloquence.

"Our Guests," proposed in a witty welcome by Bro. G. A. Kington was responded to in a free and easy manner by a large number of visiting brethren, including W. Bro. Dr. Kinnear, of Mohra Lodge, W. Bro. H. W. Ackerman, L. E. Allen, W. Bro. Holmes and Bro. Mack Robertson of Eureka Lodge and interspersed there were addresses by Bro. Dr. Free and Bro. Dr. Langmore, Caddy, Fisher and Benore.

The musical part of the program was contributed by Eureka brethren. W. Bro. Dr. Day presided at the piano. The Eureka orchestra gave a number of spirited selections at intervals and received an ovation. Bro. Harry MacKay sang two selections to the evident delight of all and Bro. Stewart Rathman's solo, "A Chip off the Old Block" was insistently encouraged.

A splendid banquet and a most enjoyable night was closed by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Co-Operative Movement Steadily Progressing

BRISTOL, Eng., Nov. 3.—The reports presented at the Co-operative Congress, held recently in this city, indicates that the co-operative movement is making steady progress in Great Britain, not only in its distributive capacity but also in the manufacturing or productive field.

The co-operative organization is a complex one and includes various societies which act as distribution agencies to the members, productive and wholesale societies which furnish goods and other manufacturing branches. The total capital involved now amounts to 80,000,000 pounds sterling, while it is estimated that the sales last year reached about 250,000,000 pounds.

An indication of the remarkable growth of the movement throughout the country is given by a list of recent purchases of the English Co-operative Wholesale Society which was reported in the congress. These include Crappenhall tannery at Warrington, lands and buildings at Hull for jam manufacturing extensions, Middleton's wharf at Wapping, the Penner cake mills at Bristol, and land and buildings at a number of other places. The total amount sanctioned for these purchases was 325,000 pounds. In addition a number of societies, both English and Scotch, have considerably extended their agricultural activities and additional farms have been purchased during the past year to the extent of 15,000 acres.

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WIJENGEN, Holland, Nov. 3.—The former German crown prince now has a rival attraction on this little island, the great Zuyder Zee dam which is to reclaim thousands of acres from the sea. Construction work has actually begun, with headquarters here.

Costs \$1,000 to Produce Efficient Telephone Girl

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—It costs \$1,000 to produce a proficient telephone girl in New York. This was the statement of William D. Banks, chief counsel for the Chicago Telephone Company, in his closing argument at the valuation hearing before the State Public Utilities Commission.

The company's attorney talked of "going values," which are part of the valuation of \$97,002,055, placed by the company on property that cost it \$63,977,000.

Among the items of "going values" there is one of \$8,000,000, being the estimated cost of training 3,000 telephone operators of the Chicago district.

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SEOUL, KOREA, Nov. 3.—A secret fraternity composed exclusively of Korean Christians has been disbanded and the majority of its members have been arrested, according to an official police statement.

Bearing the name "The Great Korea National Association," the organization is described as having been formed to aid the Korean provisional government at Shanghai.

The police charge that, taking advantage of a general Presbyterian conference at a mission school, officers were elected and that some 200 copies of a manifesto were printed on a mimeograph belonging to the Pyongyang Anti-Communist school of another American church and were mailed to leading churches in South Prongyong province through which they were disseminated among the people. It was arranged, the police allege, to hold a demonstration "to give space to agitators in custody and to incite the people."

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Dublin has suffered less proportionately than other places, but Dublin's visitors did not take the risk of leaving it for the provinces. There was no danger of life or limb, but the dislocation of the railway service caused by the refusal of the railway men to carry soldiers, police or ammunition made the train service so uncertain that nobody could count safely on reaching or returning from any given destination within the limits of a holiday.

British Toy-Makers Launch Campaign

To Supplant Foreign Toys in the British Markets.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—British toy makers have launched a big campaign to supplant foreign toys in the British markets, and since the war a large number of new firms have begun manufacturing and old ones have extended their production. The campaign is being conducted by the British Toy Association, which has branches in all of the principal cities in the United Kingdom where the toy and game industries are prominent. Special advertisements are being inserted in the leading magazines and newspapers, calling attention to the comprehensive range of toys now being manufactured in Great Britain and urging the British public to give preference to British-made goods.

The extension of this industry means increased industrial activity in many parts of the country. The metal parts of the toys and games are chiefly manufactured in the Birmingham district, while large potteries in the vicinity of Stoke-on-Trent are providing dolls' heads, arms, legs, eyes, and similar parts. The manufacture of toys from wood, wool, or fiber is carried on in a number of cities, chiefly in London.

Immediately after the war numbers of disabled soldiers found employment as toy-makers in workshops established and maintained by private contributions. The plan of training was adopted in a number of Canadian cities. Many of these men have been given steady employment by the toy manufacturers, and through the output of the vocational system of training was not large enough to compete with established firms, these schools proved great benefit in directing public attention to the desirability of buying British made toys and in furnishing a large number of trained workers for the industry.

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SEMENTS

Mr. S. J. Hungerford

Newly Appointed Vice-President of Canadian National Railways.

Samuel J. Hungerford, who has been appointed Vice-President in charge of Operation and Maintenance of Canadian National Railways, is of the type of man, young in years and old in experience. Born near Bedford in Quebec, in 1872, he was only 48 last July, but he has been engaged in the business of the "rolling wheel" for 34 years.

As a boy of 14, at Farnham, Quebec, he first really became acquainted with a railway locomotive. Metaphorically speaking, he boarded it then and has made it carry him from the lathes of the machinist's apprentice to the chair of the Vice-President of what will be, when the Grand Trunk System is included, the world's greatest railway.

Mr. Hungerford is a man of quick action who never seems to be in a hurry. He has a wide circle of friends in the railway world—friends that he made while mastering his various jobs in the Mechanical Department at important railway points clear across the country. Any of these friends, officer or employee, Easterner or Westerner, will say that "S. J. is there with the goods" and that he knows a locomotive and a car from the rails up, and how to utilize them to the best advantage. He has the reputation of being past-master in the art of handling men, of one who cannot be beaten on wage negotiations, and of one who is an all-round diplomat but firm as the proverbial rock when necessary.

In 1910, when the Canadian Northern, having a little more than 3,000 miles of railway in Western Canada, required a head for its Mechanical Department, the management approached Mr. Hungerford, at that time Superintendent of the C. P. R. shops at Winnipeg. The decision was typical of the method of the man in all things. He foresaw a bright future for the new line that was being rapidly extended, and gave up 24 years of service with the C. P. R. to become Superintendent of Rolling Stock of that company's only Western competitor.

He knew the West and also the country served by the C. N. R. He had seen the C. P. R. expand from a system of 4,500 miles in 1884 to one of 11,000 in 1910. He knew also that Canada required a great deal more railway.

The expenses of the Mechanical Department of the C. N. R. increased sharply during the first year of office of its new Superintendent of Rolling Stock, whose motto was in effect "First get your engines in good shape then use them." He watched the operation of the line and provided the power, and his plan was to urge the use of the heaviest engines where traffic was heaviest in order to reduce the train movements, making it obligatory on the Maintenance of Way forces to keep the track to the standard required. The heavy engines went on and the tracks were maintained.

The new C. N. R. official had also a definite idea as to what a real engine on a real railway ought to be. The C. N. R. standard, or 100%, locomotive was of 23,000 pounds drawbar pull, as against the C. P. R.'s 20,000 pound standard, which shows that the new road was nothing if not ambitious. Mr. Hungerford considered that in the light of the rapid development of locomotives these engines were too puny to be classed as 100%, so he, as it were, "hitched his chariot to a star" by adopting for the C. N. R. 100,000 pounds drawbar pull as the requirement, for a locomotive ranking 100% on that road. This is probably the highest standard adopted by any line. The C. N. R. had at that time no engines rating higher than 35% on its new rating, and has not even now any that go as high as 100%, but they have engines that have a drawback pull of 65,000 pounds, which gives them a percentage of sixty five. This rating means that for each 1% there is 1,000 pounds of drawbar pull of tractive energy delivered by the locomotive to the train.

At the end of five years, the Mechanical Department of Western Lines of the Canadian Northern Railway was in first class shape, and S. J. Hungerford's jurisdiction was extended over the Eastern lines of the System in May, 1915. For two years and a half he was Superintendent of Rolling Stock for the System at Toronto, having wider jurisdiction than that of the General Managers, but he built up no departmental walls. Although always a Mechanical Department officer, he was bigger than his limits would have made him, and always realized that engines and cars belonged to the Railway and not to the Mechanical Department, and that the good of the railway as a whole was also the good of any department in it. So he set about the business of standardization of shop

practices and of the distribution of rolling stock throughout the System.

When that work had been completed, a vacancy occurred in the General Management of the Eastern Lines of the Canadian Northern and Mr. Hungerford was appointed to the position, which he occupied until the consolidation of the lines of the Canadian Government Railways with those of the Canadian Northern Railway System was effected one year later. Again there was the necessity for standardization in connection with the shop practices and equipment of those two systems, but the Canadian National management did not deem it desirable to make a separate Mechanical Department. So a new title was created—Assistant Vice-President—and Mr. Hungerford was appointed to it. As such, he was the head of the mechanical end of the great system, and second in command of the Operating and Maintenance forces. This arrangement was continued until the recent appointment of Mr. M. H. MacLeod as Vice-President in charge of Construction for the System. Mr. Hungerford in sequence becoming Vice-President of Operating and Maintenance activities.

The job of Operating Vice-President is one of the most important in railway service, and, as the Canadian National is easily among the biggest of railway systems, S. J. Hungerford's new job may be classed in like proportion.

He will have the direction of forces that spend more than 90% of the total operating expenses of the System, and those on the present mileage (including the G. T. R.) and with the present scale of expenditure amount to \$67 million dollars per annum. It is Mr. Hungerford's business to see that the great expenditures of money day by day on the publicly-controlled road are so made as to insure the largest return in condition of track structures and equipment and the movement of the largest amount of traffic possible. Those who know S. J. Hungerford well, have complete confidence in his capacity. He is regarded as one of those men who, with the President, Mr. D. B. Hanna, will set new standards of devotion to duty and loyalty to employers—in this case the general public of Canada.

Thrown Through Windshield

Alex. McDonald of Picton Had Ear Almost Cut Off on Pinnacle St.

Alex. McDonald of Picton was very seriously injured about twelve-thirty o'clock this morning on Pinnacle street just north of Mr. J. Lafferty's livery when a car he was in ran into the asphalt roller of the Standard Paving Company. The car was being driven northward by Mr. Ed. Alger of Picton, who had with him in the front seat McDonald and in the rear seat Robert Dunlop and Samuel Burns. The driver claimed he did not see the roller. There was a little rain falling at the time. It was said by Mr. Alger that the car was making ten miles per hour.

The sudden stop drove McDonald through the windshield, the broken glass almost severing his left ear from his head. He also suffered a bad cut in the face. Officers Thompson and White carried him to the police station. Officer White stopping the flow of blood as much as possible, while P. C. Thompson was getting the doctors. Drs. Yeomans, Cronk and Robertson arrived on the scene in short time and gave temporary dressing, afterwards having McDonald taken to the hospital. McDonald had bled profusely and the physicians commended Constable White's efforts to stop the flow of blood.

The car was quite badly wrecked. It was No. 13907.

CARMEL

Sunday school was the only service at this appointment on Sunday. Halloween was celebrated on Saturday evening by several of our juvenile friends.

Messrs. Chas. Roper of F. Whitney are on a hunting excursion for a few days.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Kirby spent the week-end at Mr. Vanderwater's. Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Reid visited Mrs. Parks, Mount Pleasant, on Thursday.

Mr. W. S. Gilbert, Cannifton, visited in our neighborhood on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ross spent Sunday at Deseronto.

Several from this district attended the Sunday School convention at Belleville.

Mr. F. Juby, Belleville, spent Sunday at Mr. Reynolds'. Miss Rosalyn Guay is spending a few days with Mr. J. Latourne, Sr.

Mrs. Brintnell and Mrs. Fairman spent Sunday in Foxboro.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Jno. Latourne at the hospital, suffering from an attack of gall stones.

K. of C. Held A "Stag" Night

Julius Brazil Entertained Local and Visiting Knights

The Knights of Columbus held a most enjoyable evening at their Council Chamber and Club last evening in the form of a "Stag Night." Members of the craft from many outside towns attended including Hamilton, Toronto, Kingston, Brockville, Lindsay and other places. Mr. Julius Brazil, the famous Toronto entertainer, was in charge of the amusements and his programme was a treat from beginning to end. Short addresses were given by Rev. Father Whalen, P. G. Knight J. V. C. Truatsch, Grand Knight C. T. Dolan and Lecturer C. C. St. Charles. The various committees in charge of the function were supervised by Assistant Lecturers Harold Barrett and James Boyle, who came in for many words of praise from the members for the big success of the evening.

Wedding Bells

FAHEY-O'SULLIVAN

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning, Oct. 27th at St. Mary's Church, Marysville, when Rev. Father Meagher united in marriage Miss Estella, youngest daughter of Mrs. Joanna O'Sullivan and Michael Fahey. The bride and groom were unattended. The fair young bride looked daintily in her travelling suit of blue serge opening over a dainty crepe blouse with large black hat and marabou fur. After the ceremony and nuptial mass, the bridal party accompanied by a few intimate friends, motored to the home of the bride's mother where a dainty wedding breakfast was served to about twenty-five friends.

The groom's gift to the bride was a snubnurt of pearls. He also presented Mrs. J. F. O'Sullivan, who played the wedding march, with a gold and amethyst rosary.

At two o'clock the young couple motored to Belleville where they left for Toronto and Niagara. The popularity of the bride and groom was shown by the large number of checks and gifts of cut glass and silver they received. All join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Fahey a happy wedded life.

MOORE-BUTCHER

A very quiet, pretty wedding was solemnized at Trinity Church, on Wednesday, October 27th, 1920, at 3 o'clock, when Miss Elizabeth Butcher was united in marriage with Mr. Charles Moore, of Guelph. The wedding party passed down the aisle to the strains of "Lohengrin's Wedding March." Mr. and Mrs. Will Jaynes of Richmond, acting as groomsmen and bridesmaid. The Rev. Dr. Shorty performed the ceremony, and after the signing of the register, Mr. and Mrs. Moore were given a buffet luncheon at the parsonage, and later at the home of Mrs. Young, the bride entertained a few friends. She wore a most becoming gown of soft grey silk, with panne velvet hat to match. A few friends were present at the church to witness the service, and amid sunshine showers of confetti and good wishes the bride and groom drove to their future home—Naplane Beaver.

CAMPBELLFORD

Miss Alma Saunders of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting Mrs. R. V. Bullen.

Mrs. Geo. Hood and little daughter Jean, and Mrs. Robt. MacDonald, have returned home after visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. John Hall spent a few days last week in Toronto with his sister, Mrs. Patterson, and family, before their leaving for the west.

Mr. Will J. Hall has returned from a visit to his brother in Hornell, N.Y. Mrs. Patterson accompanied him from Toronto.

Mrs. J. Wesley Morgan, of Graton, spent a few days of the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oliver.

Mr. Douglas W. Frederick, who is attending McGill University, was chosen a member of the track team for the International University Tournament, which takes place at Toronto on Friday of this week. D. W. won the half-mile for first and second year men at McGill, instead of the mile race as reported last week.

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Struggle Against Radicals Started

U. S. Textile Manufacturers Are Weeding Out Employees—Workers Are Warned.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 2.—J. L. Benton, managing director of the Philadelphia Textile Manufacturer's Association, in a statement, declared the manufacturers had determined to "free themselves from radical unionism," as well as of a large number of inefficient workers.

"Between 110,000 and 125,000 employees of textile mills in Philadelphia will be out of work this winter unless they watch their step," said Mr. Benton. "The weeding out has already begun. Approximately 40,000 have already been dropped. Whether the remainder will follow depends to a considerable extent upon the workers themselves."

"The textile manufacturers are not opposed to unions. They believe labor organizations have done and will do good. But they are opposed to radical leaders and are going to the mat here and now with them."

Mr. Benton predicted a general stabilization of the textile trades within the next sixty days, followed by a marked reduction in prices to the consumer. "Wages will not be cut," he added, "until purchasing power of the dollar is as near as possible to normal."

There are approximately 700 textile mills in Philadelphia giving employment to about 225,000 workers, with a normal weekly payroll of more than \$2,000,000.

International Sporting Interest Returns

Test Cricket Match Between H.C.C. and Australia Has Been Resumed.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Nov. 2.—The resumption this year of the test cricket matches between the H.C.C. and Australia after a period of eight years signals the return to international sporting interest of this pre-war classic, which was obscured by the outbreak of hostilities in 1914. The English team is at present in this country, having started its schedule last Saturday against West Australia—and during its sojourn in the Antipodes will play no less than twenty-six matches according to its schedule before sailing for home on March 13. The players will have the chance of getting into form before they commence the Test series on December 17, having nine state matches to play in the meantime. Other dates set for the Test matches are December 31, January 14, February 11 and February 25.

Comment is rife among sport critics here as to whether the English side is really as strong as that which last visited this country in 1911-12. Of that team, it is pointed out, J.W.H.T., "Alphabet" Douglas, Hobbs, Rhodes, Woolley, Hoarce and Strudwick are as good if not better than they were then, but two bowlers of the present side, Parkin and Howell, are not considered the equals of F.R. Foster and Barnes, either with the ball, bat, or in the field. Others on the English side include Russell, Makepeace, V.W.C. Jupp, E. R. Wilson, Waddington, P. G. H. Fender, and Hendren.

In previous Test matches two of the players, Hobbs and Rhodes, have already proved their ability to do great things; the former in his twenty-seven innings against Australia has scored 1,320 runs, with an average of 55.00, while Rhodes in fifty-five innings in Test matches has been fourteen times not out, scored 1,397 runs, with an average of 34.07, and taken 97 wickets at 23.28. Thus Rhodes only requires three wickets to complete his 100 in these games. If he gets these, which is highly probable, he will enjoy the unique distinction of being the first English player to make over 1000 runs and capture 100 wickets in Test matches against Australia.

Exactly what strength of the Australian eleven will be is speculative at present, and will not be known until it has been tried in the first Test matches. The probable line up, according to expert opinion, will be: H. Carter, still believed to be the best wicket keeper in this country; W. Bardsley, C. Kellaway, C. G. Macartney, W. W. Armstrong, V. S. Ransford, J. M. Gregory, C. E. Pellow, C. B. Willis, J. M. Taylor and H. L. Collins. Should he have sufficiently recovered from wounds, R. J. Massie will no doubt take the place of Taylor. It is fairly certain, at any rate, the claims of all the above will be carefully considered, and unless some of the young players that have never previously appeared in a Test match get a chance, this year the Australian side for the first game is not likely to differ very much from the above.

While not forecasting a victory for the Australian side, sport critics consider that the Antipodeans will be as hard as ever to beat with such men as Gregory, a great fast bowler and first-class batsman, notable all-round players like Armstrong, Macartney, Kellaway and Collins, and splendid batsmen of the calibre of Bardsley, Ransford, Willis, Pellow and Taylor, included among its personnel. Every man is good for a big score, and every man is a great fielder. The Australians will rely upon Gregory, fast, Collins, left-hand slow, Macartney, left-hand medium to medium fast, and Kellaway, medium pace, with plenty of variety, to do the bulk of the bowling—an attack that will not be easily mastered.

When in England last year playing on the side composed of members of the Australian Imperial Forces, Kellaway in nine innings scored 505 runs, Willis made 1,652 in forty-four innings, Collins in forty-four innings obtained 1,615, and also took 106 wickets. Pellow scored 1,280 in forty innings, Taylor 1,187 in thirty-nine visits to the wicket, and Gregory took 131 wickets and hit 942 runs.

It is considered the variety of its attack may give the Australian team an advantage in bowling, but the batting of the English side should be stronger, and this, providing the fielding is reasonably good, ought to win England the majority of the Test matches.

Trans-Atlantic Airship Service

Vickers' Chief Engineer Outlines Plans For One Sailing Each Way A Week.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Chief Engineer Pratt, of the airship department of Messrs. Vickers, in his book "Commercial Airships," describes his scheme for a trans-Atlantic airship service. He proposes a minimum of three airships, two in use at a time and a third standing by so that each ship could lay up periodically for overhauling.

The journey would normally occupy fifty to sixty hours, so that each ship could make two crossings a week. But he thinks one sailing each way a week would meet all requirements. On each voyage 24 tons of passengers, mails and light freight could be taken. The weight of a passenger is estimated at 170 pounds, his luggage 100 pounds, and food 30 pounds. On this basis 100 passengers would be allowed for, leaving 10 1/2 tons for mails and light freight. The total capital required would be \$2,500,000, which would provide three ships of 14,000,000 cubic feet capacity, costing \$500,000 each, two airship sheds, two mooring towers, land for airbases, offices, workshops, wireless accessories and working capital. The running costs for each crossing are estimated at \$2,250, or \$234,000 for the year's trips, and a total annual cost of the service works out to \$247,400. He adds 10 per cent on capital, assumes that only an average of 83 per cent of the possible paying load would be carried, and finally arrived at a cost of \$77 a passenger from London to New York, and for freight \$575 a ton, or fourpence an ounce, and five shillings and fourpence a pound for mail matter.

The London Times Berlin correspondent who visited the Staaken factory and inspected the new German giant monoplane, says he is informed there is no intention of attempting an Atlantic flight with her.

OBITUARY

BESSIE MAY CLARKE.

Bessie May Clarke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clarke, 105 Yeomans St., passed away on Saturday, Oct. 30, aged 7 years and 5 months. Surviving are her sorrowing parents, two sisters and four brothers. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 at Belleville cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. A. H. Foster, of Holloway St. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke have the sympathy of their many friends in their sad bereavement. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is still. Her place is vacant in our home. Which never can be filled.

Father and Mother.

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Mr. Willoughby Wilkins and family desire to express their sincere thanks to their many friends for many acts of kindness and sympathy extended to them during the long illness and death of wife and mother.

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Chief Kidd on

New Head of Police

Chief Kidd, of Parryville's new Chief Constable in the city at eleven morning. This afternoon introduced by Mayor Riggbers of the police force.

The new chief constable a fine record at Parryville in case of B.O.T.A. record of fifteen months been discovered. The Belleville has secured chief officer is felt by Chief Kidd.

He is a keen, clean-cut and well proportioned to impress the public with the law.

Chief Kidd's wife and son will follow to Belleville early date.

On arrival at the police new chief set to work touch with the local situation.

Tourists From United States Favor

Vacationists From States Visited One Season

TORONTO, Oct. 30.—A summer resort district favored by United States vacationists just completed the number of visits "Highlands of Ontario" now high level during the year. In the Lake of Bays Bigwin Inn, Canada's premier resort hotel, which the reception of guests in had visitors from twenty. These vacation seekers many cases from distant parts Southern and Western States from Seattle on the Pacific and Boston on the Atlantic. More than two hundred stayed at the hotel from State alone. The big hotel guests from practically important point in Canada to Vancouver.

ARMOUR QUITTING MARKET

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H. J. P. Makes Some Excellent Suggestions

Editor Ontario.

I want to congratulate you on the active interest you display at all times in the little matters concerned in the management of the city's affairs. I refer to your very recent, sensible editorial on street naming and the repairing of holes in the pavement and sidewalks. I've often thought the same as you do with regard to neglect in such matters and I'm glad to see you getting after somebody, whoever it is, that is responsible.

While agreeing with you in almost every particular in regard to your suggestions about the street naming, I differ only in one respect, namely, that I do not think it necessary to change the names of John, George, William and Anne Sts., simply because they were named after the Taylor family. I never knew their origin till you mentioned it and I suppose most people do not remember it. But these are names that are quite common to all cities. What city hasn't got its George St. and its John St.? So I think we might retain these names to avoid the inevitable confusion incident upon changes.

The most urgent need is for street signs to be placed at most corners. There are dozens of streets mentioned in the newspapers each night that I have not the faintest idea of ever having seen before, though perhaps I've often walked on them, and not known their names.

We should be constantly taking measures to make our fair city more attractive. We still carry many aspects characteristic of the village and since we are going to be a great and progressive city we should try to emulate other more progressive cities in measures of beautifying the streets and thoroughfares. I believe, sir, that a by-law should be passed prohibiting the indiscriminate pasting and tacking up of advertisements on telegraph poles, fences, etc., and abolishing these unsightly show-posters pasted on a wooden frame that lean against the telegraph poles on the main streets. These certainly do not add to the attractive appearances of our main streets. I also think that it would greatly enhance the beauty of this corner if we had a large cluster lamp in the centre of the street instead of this miserable street policeman that can be blown down by a "tin Lizzy" in the dark.

Trusting that you will continue your good work until we have a city the envy of all in civic autheitics, I remain,

Yours very truly,
H. J. P.

employment in the garment industry is also growing.

"The prospect for labor for, the winter is most gloomy," said Charles D. Preble, of the general advisory board of the Illinois Free Employment Bureau. "We are getting few requests for men and hundreds of requests for jobs."

All grades of labor from highly-skilled down to common day-laborers, and including office help and stenographers, are affected.

Ex-Mayor Marsh Favors New Plan

Editor Ontario.

Your recent editorials regarding the advisability of a change in the methods of City Management are highly commendable. The custom of the annual election of the Board of Directors (or aldermen) to conduct the city's affairs should be a dead issue absolutely. No other type of corporation than a municipality would stand, for a moment, the annual appointment of a large number of new and inexperienced men to conduct its affairs and outline its policies.

One of the greatest benefits in having a permanent or semi-permanent government is the possibility of planning, for a number of years ahead, the necessary improvements and regulating expenditure in a proper way. Had the improvement work which has been done this year been properly planned by a real business government, we should not have had the deplorable confusion that has happened on Coleman street, the two hills on Bridge street, and elsewhere where different civic departments the Bell Telephone Co., and the paving contractors have been trampling on each other's heels and impeding each other to the greatest extent. It has cost the municipality thousands of dollars, and the paving contractors have doubtless suffered as well.

With a government conducted on a modern standard, there would not be the constant complaint that Belleville merchants and manufacturers are being overlooked or side-tracked in the purchase of materials, as tenders would be advertised for in a proper manner. The business men of this city do not favor its government but do ask that every one be treated alike, and that when materials and equipment are required they be allowed to tender for them.

I would go a step farther than the annual election of a board of management and suggest that if the board be composed of say six members (one of them the Mayor) two of them elected for three years, two for two years and two for one year, so that as only two retire annually there will be something of permanence and experience in the Board as a whole.
L. W. MARSH

Tall Skeleton Discovered of Interest to the Historians

Wonderful discoveries are being made bearing out in minutest detail the contemporary account of the Archbishop in 1091, written by Gocelin, of whose work there is a manuscript in the British Museum, at the excavations which are being carried out in the grounds of St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, England. The work is at present held up owing to the fact that a laundry and a mortuary belonging to the Kent and Canterbury Hospital formed a bar to further discoveries. These buildings have been bought lately, largely through the generosity of Lord Northbourne, and the mortuary has been levelled to its foundations. The laundry, however, has yet to be raised and some months must elapse before the excavations can be resumed.

The important discoveries already made include the circular foundation of Abbot Wultric's monastic building and the original portico of St. Gregory, with the tombs of Laurence, Mellitus and Justus, second, third and fourth archbishops, whose bodies were translated in 1091. It is expected, in view of the monk Gocelin's records, that under the site of the hospital laundry will be found, in the nave and south portico of St. Martin, the tombs of King Ethelbert, Queen Bertha and her chaplain, Bishop Leland.

The most recent discovery has been that of the tomb of Abbot Roger II. The mantle stated that there was an iron plate just below the surface of the south transept of the Abbey church. Two feet below the surface the diggers found a slab of Purbeck marble about 2 1/2 feet square, and west of it another, and yet a third west of the second.

The slabs were raised and below was found a single large sheet of lead 17 1/2 by 2 1/2 feet, lying unfastened. When this was raised there was disclosed a grave, faced with cut stone and lined with sheets of lead on the bottom and around the sides, with four flat iron bars across the top to support the lid. In the grave was a skeleton, covered with the remains of a chasuble (of which parts of the gold lace border still cling to the wrists), and with a ring on the right hand and the withered remains of a pastoral staff.

On the breast was a leaden plate bearing the following inscription: "HIC REQUIESIT: DMS: ROGERVS: SECVDS: QVONDAM: ABBAS: HUIVS: LOCI: QVI: OB: IT: ANNO: INCARNACIONIS: DOMINICE: M: CC: LXXII: IDVS: DECEMBR:"

The tomb never had been touched before, and clearly contained the mortal remains of Abbot Roger II, or Roger of Chichester, who, according to Thorn, was elected Abbot in 1252, died on the Feast of St. Lucy, Dec. 13, 1273, and was buried before the altar of St. Katherine under a stone which was a recumbent effigy. Thorn uses the exact description, "abbas huius loci," found on the leaden plate.

The skeleton was that of a very big man, more than 6 feet 2 inches tall, with a very strong lower jaw. The ring, which was very large, was of copper gilt and had a carbuncle in it. The ring, the inscribed plate, a few fragments of the lace and of the texture of the chasuble have been placed in the college museum with the other plates previously found, and after the whole had been photographed, the grave was carefully closed again and the stones were laid on the leaden sheet as before.

Audience Delighted With "The Wanderer"

Splendid Dramatic Spectacle at Griffin's Last Night.

The old, and ever new, story of the Prodigal Son was retold at Griffin's theatre last night in a wonderful dramatic production that carried the audience back in imagination 3000 years to the era of King David and King Solomon when Jerusalem was a world capital and a great center of civilization and culture.

And yet this ancient parable might have been written yesterday for every day the sons are leaving the quiet of the rural settlements to follow the lure of metropolitan cities. It is the way of the world. The boy who goes to the city often wins but while he wins he also loses the fullness and richness of life than can only be attained by communing with nature.

Maurice Samuels has reproduced, as perhaps no other dramatic writer has succeeded in doing, the atmosphere of the ancient orient and the staging by David Beason was in keeping with the reputation of that

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Chief Kidd is on the Job

New Head of Police Department Arrives

Chief Kidd, of Perry Sound, Belleville's new Chief Constable, arrived in the city at eleven o'clock this morning. This afternoon he was introduced by Mayor Riggs to the members of the police force.

The new chief constable has had a fine record at Perry Sound in all branches of police work, particularly in cases of B.O.T.A. He has the record of fifteen illicit stills having been discovered. That in him Belleville has secured a most efficient officer is felt by all who know Chief Kidd.

He is a keen, clean-cut officer. Tall and well proportioned, he is one to impress the public with the dignity of the law.

Chief Kidd's wife and three children will follow to Belleville at an early date.

On arrival at the police station, the new chief set to work to get in touch with the local situation.

Tourists From United States Favor Canada

Vacationists From Twenty-One States Visited One Hotel This Season

TORONTO, Oct. 30.—That Canadian summer resort districts are being favored by United States tourists in an ever-increasing degree is shown by statistics just compiled here.

The number of visitors to the "Highlands of Ontario" reached a new high level during the past season. In the Lake of Bays district the Bigwin Inn, Canada's largest summer resort hotel, which opened for the reception of guests last summer, had visitors from twenty-one States. These vacation seekers travelled in many cases from distant points in the Southern and Western States, including New Orleans and Pasadena; from Seattle on the Pacific Coast and Boston on the Atlantic coast. More than two hundred guests registered at the hotel from New York State alone. The big hotel also received guests from practically every important point in Canada from Halifax to Vancouver.

ARMOUR QUITTING CANADIAN MARKET

Montreal, Nov. 2.—Armour is quitting the Canadian market trade. Apparently Canada is not big enough for this meat-packing firm.

Sister of MacSweney is a Nun in Japan

TOKIO, Nov. 1.—It has been learned here that a sister of the late Lord Mayor MacSweney of Cork, is living in Tokio, raised from the world, devoting her life as a Roman Catholic nun to teaching young Japanese. She is a member of the French order of Saint Maur, which maintains a large convent not far from the imperial palace.

Professor Loses Life by Falling Into Deep Mine

PEEKSKILL, N.Y., Nov. 2.—Prof. H. C. Schmidt of the Hackley School, Tarrytown, fell 275 feet into a deep shaft of the abandoned Manitou copper mine in the sight of Ernest Pierce, another teacher, and 60 students.

Pierce reported the accident to the police yesterday. He said no report was previously made because the attention of all was taken up with the attempts at rescue. Shortly before noon Willis Delamater of Peekskill was lowered into the shaft in an attempt to recover his body. There was water in the bottom of the shaft.

The two teachers were instructing the students in geology at the mine when Prof. Schmidt lost his balance and fell.

Some Shortage of Cars is Reported for Wheat

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—While the western movement of grain is on the whole regarded as satisfactory, there being no signs of congestion, some complaints are being received daily by the government as to the shortage of cars. In the majority of cases they are from the smaller points of shipments. All complaints when received are at once referred to the department of railways, which is co-operating with all the railways in an effort to have the crop moved with as little inconvenience to western farmers as possible.

ENGINEER AT STONE QUARRY KILLED

Lindsay, Nov. 2.—Robert Wilson, engineer at the Britnell Stone Quarry was killed by an explosion at the boiler-house crusher.

ANOTHER OUT IN SUGAR PRICES

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The Dominion Refinery has made another fifty cent cut, making sugar \$15.50 a hundred.

London, Nov. 2.—The Armenian town of Hadjin has been captured by the Turks who massacred ten thousand Armenians.

Labor Situation Growing Gloomy

Few Requests for Men And Hundreds For Employment in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—A gloomy winter for the laboring man is foreseen in Chicago and its vicinity. Wages have dropped and the prospects are they will continue to drop. Hundreds of skilled and unskilled laborers have been laid off in Chicago and there is practically no demand for labor of any kind.

This, in brief, is the summary of the labor situation in Chicago as winter approaches. The summary is made by officials of the Chicago office of the Illinois Free Employment Agency.

Signs of growing unemployment in Chicago cropped up in many quarters. One large department store reported that more than 700 applicants for clerical jobs lined up at its employment office this morning. It had not experienced any such rush in the last eighteen months. On the west side of Chicago, sackless of

"The Bloomin' Old Rag Overhead"

A SMALL Union Jack rippled amid the tree tops. There seemed something "float" about it, a rag, you heard its history.

A doctor at the Mackay Free Hospital for Consumptives was talking. "The rag thing is, it's young people, say, had working boys and girls, T.B. attacks usually—those who make the best Canadian flag. The fellows in that pavilion were determined to have a flag. Each contributed the little he could. They got the rag, but poor chap, they're disappointed. It's so tiny. Yes, they do among the towering pines, but suddenly proclaiming 'What we have we'll hold.' And in the cold beneath the weak and ill, but battling for health, and whose precious pennies bought 'the rag overhead,' are echoing its dauntless spirit. 'What life we have we'll hold.' Lads worth saving surely!

Contributions may be sent to Sir William Gage, 14 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, or to Geo. A. Reid, Treasurer, 333 College Street, Toronto.

Late Mrs. W. Wilkins

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wilkinby Wilkins took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 63 Octavia street to Christ Church where an impressive funeral service was held. The bearers were Messrs. Alf. Symons, Geo. Pauley, J. Reid, John Fenn, J. Simpson and S. McGuire.

The floral offerings were as follows: Pillow—Family. Wreaths—Mrs. and Mrs. Ackerill, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Porter, A. Lloyd, J. Bird, W. Merritt, T. Amans.

Crosses—C.N.R. express boys, Geo. and Jennie Irvine, Christ Church parish, Guild and W. A. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Adams.

Star—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Youker. Sprays—Leona Rebekah Lodge No. 83, Toronto, Mrs. J. Fitzsimmons, Cobourg, Mr. and Mrs. G. Vance, Mrs. D. Davidson and Mand O'Connor, Mrs. W. A. Merritt, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Penny, Mrs. A. Wrightmyer and Miss V. Wrightmyer, Mrs. West and Mrs. A. Youker, Mrs. Mary Holland and Mr. Holway, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. Olphand, Mrs. (Dr.) McColl and Mrs. Thomas, West Belleville War Workers, Mrs. R. Black, Misses Miller, Miss B. McDowell, Mrs. J. J. Robert, Cobourg, Mrs. G. Pamey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wallace, Letter Carriers' Staff, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schoener, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Davidson, H. Belsey and family, Mrs. Irvine and Mrs. Bottum, Mr. Thos. Blain and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Schoener, Miss Brickman, Mrs. Beal, Mrs. J. Simpson, Miss Scrine.

875 CONFIRMED.

The sacrament of confirmation was conferred on 875 candidates Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, by His Grace Archbishop Spratt, assisted by the priests of the parish.

great artist who never does anything except on a lavish and comprehensive scale.

The company that presented "The Wanderer" was almost identically the same as that which appeared in the production at the Royal Alexandra, Toronto, two years ago. Too often, in cases of this kind, inferior companies are substituted after the big cities are rounded up and the barnstorming begins at Belleville and other places along the line.

The first scene in rural Palestine was made most realistic by a flock of real sheep and the scenic effects and the costume. The second scene in the court of Nadius at Jerusalem was gorgeous in its eastern splendor and redolent with languorous voluptuousness.

The closing scene was a repetition of the first. The title role by Frederick Lewis was indeed a masterly portrayal of the varying positions and moods of the prodigal, first filled with the ardent hope of the visionary country then the amorous appeal of and the

unsuccessful resistance and finally the return of the broken and dispirited wanderer.

It was all carried out with a dignity and restraint that can only be displayed by the masters.

The other members of the cast were equally satisfactory in their less important, though essential roles. The house was filled practically to capacity and the audience went away with that satisfied feeling that comes to those who have been spending their time in a pleasant and profitable manner.

PORTLAND MAN DEAD.

Portland village lost one of its oldest residents when Thomas Bolton passed away after a short illness from jaundice. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, four sons and one daughter. They are Edmund, of Brockville, Herbert, Tacoma, Sherman and John, at home, and Mrs. Adelbert McEwan, of the Union Bank, Portland. The funeral, which was held at Emmanuel church, was very largely attended.

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THE ELIA CENTENARY

Among the literary centennials of 1920 that of Charles Lamb's Elia essays stands out prominent. It was in the autumn of 1820 that these essays began to appear, on the whole, the finest in the English language.

Bacon's essays may have more dignity and weight in appearance at least; Lamb's have not the philosophical substance of Emerson's, but for humor, personal charm, quaint novelty, godless grace and rich, juicy humanity, where can Lamb's work be paralleled? Not to speak of the mad glory of "Roast Pig" (the madness in the Lamb family was almost an ornament apart from the one great tragedy of the house), who can forget the fun of the "Two Racers of Men," the debtor and the creditors? The paradoxical praise of the former, the superman, leaves a lasting sweet taste in the mouth. You fondle the ideas in memory.

Lamb was one of the friendliest of authors, perhaps so most of all. He is the very genius of fellowship. The virtue blossoms in his dust with gathering fragrance year by year. Elia is the rarest literary perfume in our English annals of imaginative prose. After a hundred years the Elia brand bids fair to improve its bouquet yet more and more in the lapse of further centuries.

Some will, however, prefer the letters of Lamb to even the wonderful essays. The fun is there, less meditative, more unrestrained. The letter dissuading his friend, the expert in Chinese subjects, from going to Tartary; the letter apologizing to a friend (at Mary Lamb's orders) for being carried home drunk the night before from his house (it is not an apology but a justification); and the letter telling of poor Tommy Bye and the cut in his salary at the India House, how Tommy half recovered from last night's intoxication and taking on a fresh load in the morning, was like one of those Eastern trees that have blossom and fruit and falling fruit all at once, and his dazed brain or sensorium in one place called his "nonsensorium," these are wonders of the epistolary art; we can only thank God for them. They were not of an age, but for all time, interesting, not to Lamb and his correspondents alone, but a joy for ever. It may be remembered that in one of the letters Lamb tells of Mary and himself out walking on an afternoon, both in the dumps (Charley no doubt sympathetic as always), and he likens themselves to "toothache and gum-bull-keeping-company." Such an imagination might dissolve even liberal toothache, which Shakespeare says defies all philosophy.

"There goes the last man that called me Charlie," cried Lamb on hearing of his friend Coleridge's death, only a few months before he himself was called away. And Mary, the beloved sister, went on living, in and out of madness, long after her brother's death. In his lifetime he sacrificed love and many other things to take care of her. Once he said laughingly that he intended to "cut the age and write for Antiquity," alluding to his taste for old books and their style, which to some degree he copied. But he lived and wrote for Futurity as well.

A DELICATE SITUATION

Because Canada has in British Columbia a problem that offers more or less similar possibilities to those which have developed in California in connection with the Japanese, a little more than particular interest is being taken in many quarters in the results of the vote in California on November 2. Not knowing either of the presidential candidates well enough to get fighting mad over them, and not having reached her usual state of high pressure over the Senatorial campaign, California is primarily interested in the election because it will afford opportunity for a referendum on whether aliens shall be permitted to own or control California land.

This question is the thing that interests California right now more than anything else. And it is a particularly lively question because the Japanese Government, the administration at Washington, propaganda by Japanese now living in the state, and all the newspapers have tak-

en vigorous positions on it and even the threat of war has hung over the issue from time to time. In 1913, under the gubernatorial dictation of Hiram Johnson, California enacted her first alien land law. The intent of that law was to prevent aliens who are ineligible to citizenship from owning land in this state. It, however, does not prevent American-born children of ineligible alien parents from owning land.

Such ineligible aliens could and did resort to the expedient of purchasing land in the names of their American-born children and thereby acquire entire control of the land thus purchased just as effectively as if purchased direct by themselves. Furthermore, under the old Johnson law it was necessary to procure a guardian for such alien-born children to act for each property-holding minor until he or she had reached legal age. And it has been found that many lawyers have acted in this capacity, using their talents the while toward securing land for aliens.

Tokio hints that California is heading toward war. Sacramento replies that California and she alone will decide whether it is war today in Tokio or tomorrow in California. Californians are to decide whether to stand with Sacramento or to abide by the wishes of Tokio and Washington. And, at this time, it looks as if Sacramento, which is the state centre of legislative action, will get the vote, unless Washington vigorously and effectively intervenes.

It was shocking and distinctly disappointing to learn that Sylvia Pankhurst had gone over bag and baggage to the Bolsheviks, heading a conspiracy to bring on a Red revolution in England. In these times of social unrest and change nobody imagined that the militant Sylvia was sitting back and leisurely tating or idly picking at a ukelele, but that she should have carried her well-known passion for "starting something" to the point of linking up with the infamous Lenin was not expected. The most of us rather admired Sylvia for the brave and spectacular fight she put up as a grand champion of woman suffrage. We were all with her on that occasion, even when she was gumming up the empire's mail matter or dropping malodorous drugs in the House of Commons. She was resourceful, courageous in an excellent cause. Furthermore, her rillings and goadings of the Government contributed a most joyous note to the gayety of nations. Every day we were tense for something amazingly fresh and original in suffragette "outrages," and Sylvia never failed us. But it's a far cry from a campaign to ridicule and harass Parliament into passing a measure that was due decades ago, to a conspiracy to throw a nation into Red disorder. The people of the United Kingdom have no intention of permitting the bullet to take the place of the ballot, and Sylvia has been given six months to ponder this cold fact.

One thing about Sylvia encourages us to believe she is not altogether lost to redemption. She announces that hunger-strikes are futile and foolish. This shows her possessed of common sense and reasonableness that may yet direct her dynamic personality into channels rational and entertaining. We are sorry about Sylvia's lapse, but do not despair of her.

THE SONG OF THE AIRMAN

I sit alone
 On a flying throne,
 And spurn the crumbling world.
 I mount with a rush
 In the dotting hush,
 And shout to the clouds unful'd,
 And the clean, cold breeze
 Of the ether seas
 Is whistling through my hair—
 And the love of life,
 And the love of wife,
 Are naught to the love of the air!

I skirt the edge
 Of a fleecy ledge
 And perch on a purple dome.
 I hurtle through
 The purple-blue
 Where the sky-children have their home;
 Then swooping down
 I gasp and drown
 In a gulf of golden glare—
 And the love of life
 And the love of wife
 Are naught to love of the air!

I drink the light
 At awful height,
 My eagle spirit burns.
 The world inane
 Is shot with pain.
 The brooding stillness churns
 And sights and sounds
 Of the outer bounds
 Allure me on to dare—
 And the love of life
 And the love of wife
 Are naught to love of the air!

—Mowbray Percy.

OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

LET PRISONERS HELP THEIR FAMILIES

In Toronto the other day a deputa-tion from the organized women of Toronto waited on the Hon. W. E. Raney, provincial attorney-general, and laid before him various proposals for the betterment of Ontario conditions. Among these they urged that prisoners ought not to be kept in idleness or compelled to perform useless work, but should be employed at profitable labor and that at least half what they earn should go towards the support of their families or dependents. This request embodies a valuable principle in penal methods and is, indeed, so reasonable and commendable in itself that it is not surprising Mr. Raney should have indicated himself as favorably impressed. Work of a really valuable kind is beneficial in itself, and the knowledge on the part of the prisoner that he is assisting his near of kin, who might otherwise be suffering want or hardship, would become an important element in restoring and maintaining his self-respect. Nor is the suggestion without precedent in the province, for those in confinement at the prison farm have been permitted to pass on some of their earnings to their dependents.

Writing on this subject in the New York Globe, Alfred Lewisohn, who has been an exhaustive student of penology, laid the greater stress on improved methods as contrasted with personal interest in individual cases. He pointed out that while great strides have been made in the industrial and economic fields, the treatment of prisons and prisoners is only beginning to be improved. In his opinion, there is much talent and genius lying dormant and therefore wasted in the prisons which could be made of use and benefit for the prisoners themselves, for their families and for the community generally. Mr. Lewisohn believes that the way to cure them lies in setting them to work, and that they should be paid for whatever work they perform. "A wage for prisoners," he writes, "is not only just, but, to my way of thinking, is exceedingly good business. I do not, however, believe that a wage should be paid unless it is honestly earned. I believe that part of the wages earned by the prisoner should be used for his maintenance and part for his family or dependents." We think that after consideration, Mr. Raney will be viewed presented to him by the Toronto deputa-tion is sound and should be embodied in the prison system of the province.—Oshawa Reformer.

CUSTOMS TAX ON PRICE REDUCER

A retail firm in Vancouver attracted the attention of federal officials recently for selling sugar at reduced prices. The merchants incurred the wrath of the government, according to the Vancouver Sun, by committing the heinous offence of importing sugar from Java. Apparently the merchants discovered that sugar could be bought from Java at a favorable price in the interest of the Canadian consumer. But when the sale of this Java sugar commenced at reduced cost to the consumer, something promptly moved the minister of customs taxes to step in. The Vancouver customs officials were ordered to impose an additional duty of about two cents per pound on sugar imported from Java. Vancouver Sun says that the retail firm, instead of being applauded for their enterprise, were "rewarded with a penalty of \$1.87 per hundred, because they were buying and selling too cheap." Some very harsh things are also said, in accounting for this latest government act. But the government can doubtless account for it with bureaucratic simplicity. Or it can give no accounting with equal simplicity, as it has done with former Commissioner Murdoch's charges of the Government's complicity in keeping up the cost of living.—Oshawa Citizen.

Secretary of the National Wheat Growers' Association in the U.S. says strike of members to hold out for \$3 wheat is in full force. He predicts desired price will be reached within 90 days.

Mrs. Sophia Saranaky, New Haven, who killed her husband with a carving knife last June, was liberated. The State showed she acted in self-defence after her husband attacked her with a chair.

Hold-up men robbed a Cleveland policeman of his bag, watch and 75 cents.

Rich, Red Blood Necessary to Health

When the Blood Becomes Weak and Watery a Tonic is Needed to Build it Anew.

Why are we being continually told that good, health-giving blood must be bright red? What has color to do with the quality? Just this—the oxygen in the air is the great supporter of all organic life. One function of the blood is to take the oxygen from the air—which it meets in the lungs and deliver it to the tissues of the body. When the blood, filled with life-sustaining oxygen, is sent out by the heart, it is bright red. When it returns, impure and deprived of oxygen it is dark.

You will see, therefore, that there are two prime requisites of health, pure air and bright red blood—the pure air to furnish the oxygen, the rich red blood to carry it where it is needed. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make your blood rich and red because they increase its power to carry oxygen, actually making it so much more able to carry increased life and strength to every organ in the body.

Pale, anaemic people whose nerves are on edge, whose cheeks are pale, and who tire out easily, should try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and note the steady improvement that follows their use. A case in point is that of Mrs. J. P. Rolston, South River, Ont., who says:—"About two years ago my system was in a badly run down condition, and I kept growing worse all the time until I could hardly do my housework. I had severe headaches and pains across my back and under my left shoulder. I did not sleep well and would feel just as tired when I got up in the morning as when I went to bed. Life seemed a burden. I had taken doctor's medicine for a long time, but it did me no good. Then as a result of reading about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I decided to try them. When I had taken a couple of boxes I felt much better, and when I had taken five boxes more I felt that I was again a well woman. I have not since felt any return of the trouble and I advise all women who are broken in health to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial."

These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

IVANHOE

Owing to the absence of our pastor, who is on his holidays the Epworth League had charge of the services on Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Blackburn and boys who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wood for a couple of weeks returned on Thursday to her home in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Reid, of Toronto, are visiting at the home of Mr. R. Martin. Mrs. Reid was formerly Miss Lillie Martin, and her many friends wish her bon voyage through life.

The threshing machine is making its final trip for the season through our vicinity.

We are glad to report that Master Reginald Reid, who has been confined to the Belleville hospital for the past week with ear trouble, is improving.

Mrs. Walter Gauley of Marmora, spent a few days last week under the parental roof.

Our public school scholars intend holding a concert in the Town Hall, Ivanhoe, on Nov. 21st. Don't miss it as a good programme is being prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. D. Sarles'.

HALLOWAY

The little folks of our village celebrated Saturday night for Halloween and had an enjoyable outing.

REPAIRING AND UPHOLSTERING

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BLOOMFIELD

There was a good crowd of buyers at the auction sale of Andrew M. Dorland's household furniture on Saturday. He has sold his family residence on Main street to Horatio Cleave, who took possession of the house on November 1st, and Mr. Dorland and wife are going to Toronto to live.

BIG ISLAND

Surely everybody can glow after the recent rainfall. Hallowe'en passed very quietly in this burg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth took tea at Mrs. L. Williams' one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerr.

Our sportsmen are polishing their rifles in anticipation of deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Caughey are moving to their new home at Demorestville.

Several from the island took in the sale at Mr. Gerow's, High Shore, on Monday.

Captain and Mrs. Black of Solmesville, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peck.

NORTHPORT

Plowing and apple picking are the order of the day around Northport. We can hear the fishermen's motor boats once more on the bay, fishing for white fish and herring.

Mr. Duetta conducted the services in this circuit Sunday, while our pastor, Rev. Wickware, was at Newburgh helping with special services.

Mr. Harry Smith and bride have settled in their new home. This vicinity wishes them long life and happiness.

Mr. Delbert Johnson is putting a new cement floor in his paint shop. Hallowe'en passed off very quietly around the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Smith and baby, Ila, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Potter, Solmesville.

Alton Rowe attended the S S convention held in Belleville last week. Mr. Edward Rabbie is busy raising the roof of his house and putting in a new garret.

HAMILTON BIRD

Mrs. Mary Wright spent over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Haight.

Garrance Bird spent over Sunday with Elmer Wilson.

WEDDING BELLS

BEATTY-BRETHOUR On July 17th Mr. George Alexander Brethour, of Toronto, and formerly of Ottawa and Montreal, led to the altar Miss Donetta Gertrude Beatty, also of Toronto but formerly of Melrose, Ont. The Rev. Mr. Easton, of Dovercourt road Presbyterian church performed the ceremony at four in the afternoon. Miss Enid Wiley and Mr. Herbert Whealey being witnesses to the happy uniting. The newly married couple left for a two week's wedding trip to Ottawa, Montreal, Melrose and Belleville. Mr. Brethour is a graduate of the Mackay School at Montreal and Mrs. Brethour of Belleville School for Deaf.

They are living in Toronto where they are very popular among their friends. Mr. Brethour is steadily employed at the Taylor Safe Works.

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LATE C. NORMAN BOYD

The funeral of the late Charles Norman Boyd, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd, 44 Catherine Street, was held on Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. W. Elliott of the Tabernacle church, who conducted the service was assisted by Rev. A. H. Foster and Rev. W. H. Wallace. Many relatives and friends from a distance attended the obsequies. Mrs. (Rev.) A. H. Foster sang a solo The bearers were four of his boy companions—Austin Walters, Francis Carter, Allan Skinner and Charles Harris. The floral tributes were as follows:

Pillow—Family.
 Anchor—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hogie.

Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Windover, Raymond Wheeler, Second Belleville Troop Scouts and Willing Workers Class, The St. Charles Motor Bus Company, Allan and Douglas Thompson.

Sprays—Staff and Students of the High School, Col. Barragar, Mrs. Barnum and Mrs. Annie Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Skinner, Mrs. C. J. Priory and Mrs. H. A. Thompson. Mrs. Barnhardt and Mrs. Gardiner.

Archie and Ila Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. E. Post, Allan and Clarence Skinner, Harry Holland, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Faulkner, Miss Wilson and Miss Rathbun, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Wotten, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walmesley, Charlie Harris and Francis Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thorpe of the 9th of Murray and Mrs. spent Sunday in Springfield. Mrs. Bateman remained. Friends at Eldorado and Melrose. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston. Thrasher had dinner with Mrs. Myers on Sunday.

The Canada Boxboard Co. are preparing to build two houses on their land for those who are working for them. The near future, there will be a better erected.

The Free Methodists have chased a lot from Mr. Peck and have their cellar dug for a house for their minister. Mr. Tom Murphy of Toronto former tinmith and plumber Foster and Latta, was reacquainted here on Saturday.

The services were conducted usual in the different churches. St. Francis of Church mass at 11 a.m., T. a.m. and the Methodist 10 and 7.30 p.m.

A number from here are rounding country attended of Mr. Richard Haggerty on afternoon in Murray. Hallowe'en was celebrated on Monday night and seemed off quietly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Sims moving into their new home.

Childhood A

The ailments of childhood—stipation, indigestion, etc.—can be quick through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild laxative which instantly softens the bowels and sweetens them. They are guaranteed safe. Concerning the child Lepage, Ste. B. writes:—"Baby's Own Tablets are of great help to my baby. They regulate her bowels and made her plump and healthy. Tablets are sold by mail at 25c a box. Williams' Medicine Co., Ont."

MELROS

Mr. John Hawley, a student of this place has written:—"We are pleased to have again."

Hallowe'en was celebrated old and young on Saturday. We join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Charles Osborne, Blanche Stafford) who was married.

Mrs. John Dossy of Melrose has been visiting old acquaintances in this vicinity for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Worm Powders which will expel all worms from the system. They may cause vomiting, but this need cause no anxiety, because it is but a manifestation of their thorough work. No worms can long exist where these Powders are used.

GLEN RO

The remains of the late Abbott who passed away last at her late residence after a few weeks illness to rest on Sunday afternoon at the Melrose cemetery. Service at the house, the Rev. B. Stirling officiating. The mourners were the Rev. B. Stirling, the deceased are and one son, of St. Catharines.

We are pleased to report Hubbel able to be around. Mr. S. Holden has returned. Hubbel's farm has been it along with his own. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. W. on Mrs. H. Hubbel on Sunday. Dr. Benedict has passed Maxwell car.

Mrs. R. Fryer spent recently with her daughter Benson, of Stockdale.

FRANKFOL

Mr. and Mrs. Herman spent Monday and Tuesday with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Murney, also Mr. and Mrs. Herman, Sr., in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne H. Miss G. E. Sine were in Belleville Tuesday and in the afternoon ladies attended the Provincial Convention at Bridge St. Church.

Mrs. Heagle of Hoar Thursday afternoon and with her grandparents, Mr. S. A. Badgley.

The ladies of Trinity Guild met at the home of Carr and quilted two of their missionary box on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Bush has been under the doctor's care for a week. We hope she will soon be well.

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**Talk of the Town
And of the Country**

CROWDS MASQUERADED.

Hallowe'en was celebrated last night by the younger element. Masquerading was enjoyed by a large number and some clever make-ups were seen on the streets. The usual noisy, boisterousness of youth found full scope in tearing things to pieces. Awnings were pulled down and such like pranks were indulged in but really little damage was caused.

POLICE COURT.

In police court this morning A. G. Kibbourne was fined \$10, and costs for being found in an intoxicated condition.

CAR STOLEN.

Last evening a Baby Grand Chevrolet car belonging to Mr. T. Manley, was stolen from in front of the Opera House, and had not been recovered up to this morning. The marker was No. 153487 and the car was locked.

Mr. Manley's car was later found at the foot of Church St. Hill.

RAINCOAT STOLEN.

A brown raincoat is reported stolen from an automobile left in front of the Opera House.

THE STATION BEAUTIFUL.

The management of the Grand Trunk has forwarded a message to all station staffs and track forces of the railway expressing appreciation of their efforts in caring for the flower beds and lawns around stations and tool houses during the past season. A large number of stations and surroundings have been beautified under the direction of the company's head gardener, William Glass, and the employees have taken the greatest interest in maintaining the work. This is especially true at Belleville Grand Trunk station where the magnificent flower beds and neatly kept surroundings have been the talk of travellers who have passed this way.

CANNING FACTORY CLOSES SEASON.

The Frankford Canning Co., of whom Mr. Charles Gossens is superintendent, has closed for the season, after a most successful summer's work. The output will be slightly smaller this year owing to the scarcity of cans, but still a great quantity of corn, peas and pumpkins have been used. 5,000 cases of pumpkin, 20,000 cases of corn, and 20,000 cases of peas, is the result of the season's work.

GIFTS FROM PUPILS.

The Napanea Public Schools contributed \$43.41 to the Navy League Fund.

WON THE DAILY CUP.

G. P. Carr, Manager of the Dominion Bank, Napanea, won the Daily Cup, for the year 1920 in the recent golf contest.

CHANGED OCCUPATION.

W. Gaulin, who has been on the Deseronto Post office staff for some eleven years, will enter the employ of the Thompson Powder Company.

50 BARRELS APPLES IN ONE DAY.

Miss Kate Florence Bedford, formerly of Deseronto, is the champion apple picker of Trenton district. On Saturday, October 23rd, this young lady picked 50 barrels of apples. The largest picking for one hour was 7

barrels, thus beating the record set by the York Road gentlemen pickers who will have to give way to the new record. The apples were picked out of Mr. Manchester Ketcheson's orchard.

WAR TROPHIES.

Town Clerk H. R. Bedford, Deseronto, has received the shipping bill of the war trophies allotted to Deseronto. The shipment includes a machine gun and a trench mortar. Upon arrival the guns will likely be placed on the post office corner until a place is found for them.

TRAINS WHISTLING.

City Solicitor Masson has written the council regarding the whistling of the C. N. E. and C. P. R. trains passing the hospital.

"I do not know that it is necessary to obtain any letter from the hospital authorities. I presume that they have been making complaint and in writing the railways simply tell them that the hospital authorities and other parties have made complaint to the city council concerning the excessive whistling of trains passing the hospital and that the city council had instructed you to communicate with them with a view to having the whistling stopped. If you write a letter to each of the railways along these lines it would be sufficient to call their attention to it."

CLOSING AVENUE.

Regarding the motion to close McDonald Avenue, City Solicitor Masson states that there would be required both a city and a township bylaw. As it is understood to be an allowance for road reserved in the original survey leading to the bank of the bay it would require to be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-council. Both bylaws would require to be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

HALLOWE'EN DANCE.

At the Johnstone Dancing Academy last night a special Hallowe'en dance was held, a large number of young people taking in the function. The girls were presented with hats suitable to the spirit of Hallowe'en. While the young men wore black caps, masks and decorations of witches and imps. Johnstone's novelty orchestra, composed of Miss Rainbird at the piano and Mr. W. Grant drums and traps furnished the music. Refreshments were served at 11.15 and dancing was continued till one o'clock.

The decorations were in black and orange. Pumpkin lanterns with witches inside were plentiful and black cats, witches and owls hung from fancy cut paper.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

A Hallowe'en party was held last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, West Bridge St., by Miss Lillis and Master Colin Brown and a number of their young playmates. During the evening the happy young folks masqueraded around the streets and after thoroughly enjoying themselves, they repaired to the residence of Mr. Brown and all joined in a couple of hours' festivities. Refreshments were provided and needless to say all did ample justice to the good things. The happy young party broke up all by voicing the sentiments that Miss Lillis and Master Colin made an ideal host and hostess.

ELECTRICITY FOR HALIBURTON.

After many delays and much discussion as to how it might be accomplished a move has at last been made towards installing electric lights for the streets, public places, stores and residences of Haliburton. For the present, power will have to be generated by steam or gas engines, but it is hoped to arrange soon for water power which should not be allowed

to run to waste before our eyes. A small gang from Lindsay is on hand to wire up inside work while potes have been set up over most of the ground to be covered.

FRATERNAL VISIT.

The brethren of Eureka Lodge, No. 434, A.F. & A.M., are paying a fraternal visit to Golden Rule Lodge Campbellford, tonight. They will exemplify the work of the First degree in Masonry, about 40 of the Masonic brethren from this city are in attendance.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Rural Dean and Mrs. Byers, Stirling, Ont., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Dorothy Buell Moore, to Robt. Ross Dougan, Newburg, the marriage to take place early in November in St. John's church, Stirling.

SHOT LARGE MOOSE.

Captain Munro, R.N., and Joseph J. Penny of Port Hope have returned from a most successful moose hunting expedition to Grand Lake, Sheet Harbor. Capt. Munro shot what is said to be the largest moose shot in that section for a score of years. The "monarch of the forest" weighed over one thousand pounds (eight hundred and forty pounds dressed) while his horns had a spread of 53 inches, with 28 points. Mr. Penny also shot a moose, weighing about five hundred pounds.

ALBERT HINES ACTING BETTER.

According to reports from the jail, Albert Hines is acting much better since he made the confession of the murder of his two-year-old son, by cutting his throat. When he was first admitted to the jail he would walk up and down the corridor, not speaking to anyone, and carrying a piece of bread in a tin cup. For a time he went on a hunger strike, but soon got over this. Now he appears to act quite sane, and with the confession off his mind, he is more talkative. He spends most of his time writing confessions.

GUNS AND DECOYS SEIZED.

Fish and Game Overseer, Tomer, of Gananoque, last week seized a number of guns and a large number of decoys among the islands. Among the guns seized were two belonging to a prominent citizen near Alexandria Bay.

THE KEYWEST RELEASED.

The Donnelly Salvage and Wrecking Company's tug Frontenac has been successful in releasing the steamer Keywest, which went ashore on Chataque Shoal on Lachine Lake in the heavy gale on Thursday afternoon. The boat reached Lachine at ten o'clock Saturday morning.

RASPBERRY BUSH YIELDS THREE CROPS.

A. G. Mitchell, Third avenue east, Owen Sound, has a raspberry bush that is beating all records. It has just come across with its third crop for this year. It bore the first crop in July, and the second crop early in September.

ADDRESS BY DEPUTY GRAND MASTER.

At the regular meeting of Eureka Lodge, A. F. & A. M. tomorrow night the deputy grand master, Lt.-Col. W. N. Ponton will deliver an address at the "Fourth" degree descriptive of his recent trip through western Canada. A pleasant and profitable evening is assured and a large attendance is looked for.

AT THE ROTARY.

The Rotary Club luncheon yesterday was made notable by the appearance of two of Canada's foremost entertainers, Mr. Jules Brazill of Toronto, and Mr. Sandy MacGregor, of Montreal, the Canadian Harry Laud-

er. Vice-President Billy Deacon presided and George Appelle as chairman for the program. Five new members, Benny Doyle, Bob Wray, Harold Wallace, Howard Clarke and Herb Wilson were introduced with fitting ceremony and received a Rotarian welcome. The unique entertainment by Jules Brazill kept the Rotarians in a roland of hilarity, as a fun-maker, Mr. Brazill is in a class by himself. He is all pep and ginger, and is all over at once. He is also a master of the piano. His acts, songs and stories were unmitigated. Mr. MacGregor who chanced to be present was persuaded to sing the "Scotch song," "Roamin' in the Gloamin'," which he did with fine spirit and then he told some Scotch stories that fairly convulsed his audience. The two entertainers received the warmest thanks of those present.

Says She Cannot Praise Them Enough

MRS. GAUVIN TELLS OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

She Says Her Back Was so Weak She Could Hardly Walk. But Now She is a Different Person.

St. Jeanne d'Arc, N.B., Nov. 1st. (Special).—Among those in this neighborhood who are enthusiastic in their praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills is Mrs. Joseph Gauvin, a highly respected resident here.

"I cannot praise Dodd's Kidney Pills enough," Mrs. Gauvin states. "My back was so weak I could hardly walk. I took six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I feel a different person."

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me a tremendous amount of good." Of the many persons paying their tribute of praise to Dodd's Kidney Pills, it is noticeable that the great majority are women. The reason is given for this is that the great majority of women's ills come from directly on the kidneys. Healing and strengthening them, they enable the kidneys to strain all the impurities out of the blood. Pure blood is the foundation of health.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not help weak or sick kidneys.

The Story of Canadian Progress

The history of Canada is a history of constitutional progress without violence. In past years there were occasional risings which formed an exception to this rule, but they were insignificant when compared with the important movements that were carried on by the peaceful advocacy of reform. It is useful to bear in mind when considering the disturbed state of public opinion and feeling in our own day, and the remedy for unrest. Those who are in doubt as to the course they should pursue ought to examine the chart which history affords. They will find in it both encouragement and guidance. They will realize that Canadians of an earlier day were neither afraid of progress nor prone to violence. They did not dam back the stream of progress but turned it into orderly, constructive channels, like the man who uses Niagara Falls to turn the wheels of industry.

Responsible Government. When Lord Durham came to Canada some eighty years ago he advocated responsible Government as a remedy for discontent and unrest. A similar policy had been advocated by Canadian Reformers, as Liberals were then called, but they gladly accepted Lord Durham's support, and recognized in his famous report couched in clear eloquent language a valuable means of persuasion. Under the leadership of broad-minded statesmen such as Baldwin and La-

Fontaine, they stood firm against misrepresentation, and worked patiently for the reform which brought about the system of self-government which is now an established principle. That principle has been proved to be good not only for Canada, but for Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. It is, combined with British sentiment the strongest bond of union of the British Empire. It has stood the test of peace, and it has stood the test of the most terrible war in history. Canada was not a little country when this great reform was achieved, and occupied a place in the world's eye, smaller than that of many an insignificant European Kingdom. But it was quietly making history on a tremendous scale. Its pioneers turning the wilderness into farms, and its peaceful advocates of reform were laying broad and deep the foundation of a nation and of the British League of Nations.

Moving Toward Confederation.

As time went on, defects appeared in the scheme of Union advocated by Lord Durham. It gave us Canadian autonomy but not provincial autonomy. Upper and Lower Canada, Ontario and Quebec were then called, formed but one Province with one Legislature and one Government. Upper Canada was inhabited mainly by people tracing their descent to the British Islands; Lower Canada, mainly by people tracing their descent to France. Upper Canada was chiefly Protestant; Lower Canada was chiefly Roman Catholic. Their customs were different, their outlook upon life was different. They disagreed upon many things. Each section had an equal number of representatives in the Legislature without regard to population. When Quebec was the more populous, the arrangement was unjust to Quebec. When Ontario overtook and passed Quebec a population, the arrangement became unjust to Ontario. Hence arose George Brown's famous agitation for representation by population. Others advocated dissolution of the Union. The remedy that was at last found was to federalize the Union—to have one Government and Parliament for matters of common concern, and local or Provincial Legislatures and Governments for local affairs. It combined the advantages of Union and Local freedom. It not only helped to remove causes of friction between Ontario and Quebec, but it substituted as a rigid bond, a bond so elastic as to allow Canada to expand eastward to the Pacific.

Evolution, Not Revolution.

It is most important to bear in mind that this great change was effected by peaceful discussion and political action. At the same time the United States were rent asunder by civil war. George Brown the great Liberal advocate of confederation, noted the contrast. "We are striving," he said, "to settle forever issues hardly less momentous than those that have rent the neighboring Republic and exposed it to all the horrors of Civil War. Have we not then great cause for thankfulness that we have found a better way for the solution of our troubles? And should not every one of us endeavor to rise to the magnitude of this occasion, and earnestly seek to deal with this question to the end; in the same candid and conciliatory spirit in which, so far it has been described?"

This is the spirit in which our problems have been faced in the past, and in which they should be faced today. It is the Canadian spirit, and it is the Liberal spirit. By this it is meant that it is monopolized by the Liberals, but it is Liberals who have taken the lead in expressing the Canadian spirit. They are entitled to all the credit for the establishment of responsible government. They are entitled to a very large share of the credit for confederation. It was George Brown who, by relinquishing a party advanced on the defeat of a Conservative Government, and offering to assist the Conservatives in federalizing Canada, made the question practical. It was the Liberals

who were champions of the federal system as against the unworkable system of legislative union, which would have meant one Parliament for all Canada and no Provincial Legislatures. Such a system today would result in an enormous congestion of business at Ottawa, and probably in deadlock.

After confederation the chief work of establishing Provincial institutions in Ontario was done by the Liberals under Edward Blake and Oliver Mowat. The latter had to fight for the territory, the resources, the freedom and authority of the Provincial Legislature against the encroachments of the Conservative Government at Ottawa, which favored the unworkable system of centralization as opposed to local freedom.

Laurier and the Golden Age.

Coming down to later times we find the Liberal party under Sir Wilfrid Laurier associated with great material prosperity, and with something of still more importance—harmony and good will among people of all races and religions in Canada.

The Liberal Party is therefore, as shown by its history—(1) a constitutional party, (2) a constructive party, (3) a party of Canadian unity, harmony and good will.

True to Its Tradition.

It is today true to its history and traditions. It has faith in our British institutions and in the constitution. It believes in ordered liberty and progress, along constitutional lines. It believes that in such progress lies the remedy for the unrest and discontent which exists in Canada today. It has no quarrel with any Province, with any race or religious faith, with any class. It is pre-eminently the party which is fitted to unite all classes of the people in a common effort for progress and for building up the Canadian nation.

A Constructive Tariff Policy.

Its tariff policy is constructive, aiming at increase of production, repression of profiteering, reducing the high cost of living, relieving the consumer and encouraging the producer by removing the taxes on the instruments of production. In 1896 Canada was plunged into depression. The results of the last census had been disappointing in the extreme. The west was stagnating. Its vast fertile lands almost idle. What a change took place under the Laurier administration. Immigration poured in; the settlement of the west made marvellous progress; the production of wheat and other grains made Canada the wonder of the world; population increased as much during ten years of Laurier Government as in the previous thirty years. Our country last come to its own. It was Canada's golden age.

The Liberal party today is animated by the same spirit as that of 1896. New problems have arisen; new issues have taken possession of the minds of men and women. The problem of statesmanship is to examine these upon their merits, reject those which are impractical or destructive, and make use of those which are constructive and will conduce to the welfare of the men, women and children of Canada. The Liberal Party is proud of its history, but it does not rest its claim on history alone. "New occasions bring new duties." But new problems may be solved by principles which have stood the test of time. Methods change, but the spirit is the same as that which animated the Liberals who won responsible Government, the Liberals who had so large a share in bringing about confederation, the Liberals who placed Provincial rights on a firm basis, the Liberals who stood for peace, unity and good will among men and women of all races and creeds, the Liberals who in 1896 brought Canada out of the slough of despond into the sunlight of prosperity.

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American Girls English Schools

Girl Students From America Through English Universities.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A remarkable feature of next term at British universities will be the number of women students from abroad, and residents in university towns are now continually receiving requests to take in foreign guests.

Ever since the war great numbers of women from Scandinavia have attended lectures at Oxford. They will soon be much outnumbered by women students from the United States, who are anxious to enjoy the atmosphere of the older universities. There is no room in the residential colleges, which are refusing up to 60 per cent. of the applicants; and most of these very intellectual and already learned women do not desire a full three years' course.

So they become home students; and their quality is so high and their zeal so great that it is becoming the duty of the universities to cater for them by special lectures and to take steps to find them congenial homes. They are immensely popular, with their hosts as with their fellow students. "Their influence," said a woman lecturer at Oxford, "is of the best possible sort. They widen our outlook and vitalise our intellectual life."

As there is every sign that their coming is no spasmodic fashion, but that rather more will come each year, it is held by many that the more definite steps should be taken to put the home students in touch with university life and to make it easier to find homes for them.

Lads Stole Car, Then Deserted It

After Car Had Stalled Near Hay Market, Thursday Night.

KINGSTON, Nov. 2.—Three young lads stole a car belonging to Gus Lemmon, Kingston, while it was parked on Clergy Street, on Thursday night, but when the car stalled a short time later, near the hay market the youngsters got "cold feet and ran off, leaving the auto on the roadway. Luckily the car had not been damaged. The theft was reported to the police. The lads, after making their way to the hay market, could not operate the car very well, and it stalled. While they were endeavoring to get it to run, a soldier happened to come along and approach the car. The boys were of the impression that the soldier was the owner of the car and they bolted. Mr. Lemmon was notified shortly afterwards about the car and took possession of it.

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UP THE TRENT VIA TRENT VALLEY

A Trip by Motor Y., to the Georgian Bay

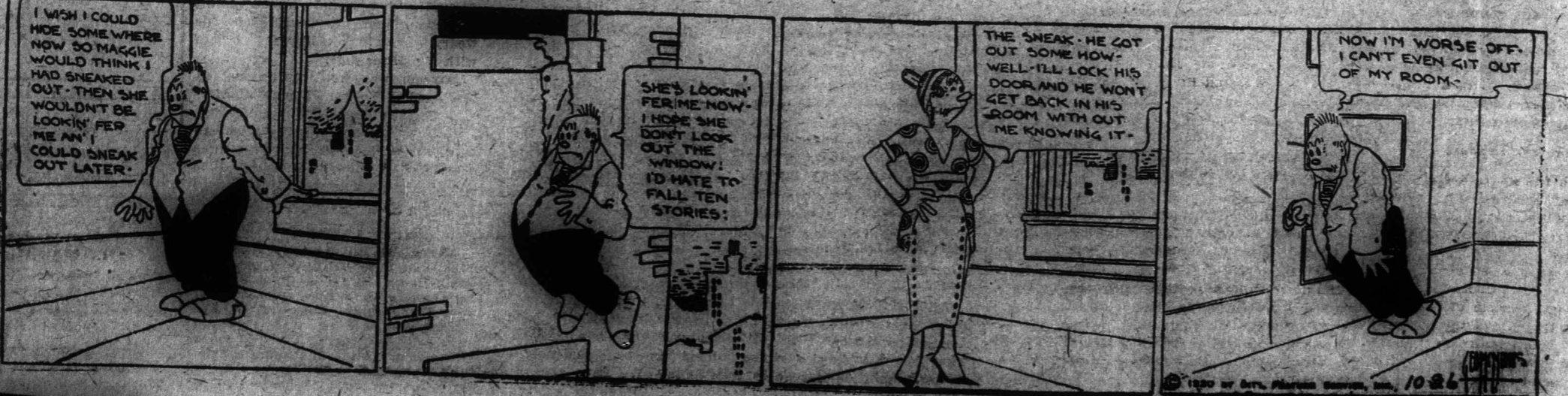
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UP THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL VIA TRENTON AND FRANKFORD

A Trip by Motor Boat From Buffalo, N. Y., to the Bay of Quinte, and on to the Georgian Bay.

This letter, written by Mr. W. H. Snider of Buffalo, N.Y., who took a trip up the Trent Valley Canal, this summer, appears in the Trenton Quinte Sun.

From 1899 to 1900 the writer camped on the Lake Ontario end of the Trent Valley Canal. For the last fifteen years he has camped on the Georgian Bay end.

During all these years it has been his dream that he might some day travel through the canal connecting the two. The completion of the Washaga section of this canal on July 9th of this year made it possible to realize this dream.

Accompanied by my son, our boat "EEEE" and John Holmes and Mr. B. Durham in their boat, the "Idlewild," we left Buffalo on July 26th, following the Niagara and Chippewa Rivers to the Welland Canal. Here we were held up for nearly two days at lock six, due to a broken gate at lock four, and while the delay was tedious, ample opportunity was afforded to watch the hanging of a lock gate, which is an interesting operation. It seems that the Government has a duplicate of every gate on the canal constantly on hand, otherwise delays due to broken gates would be much longer. The gate above referred to was broken by a liner loaded with 75,000 bushels of grain smashing against it. I was given to understand that a vessel thus loaded will break a gate if it travels but a few inches after coming in contact with it, so great is its momentum.

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Having finally passed safely through the Welland Canal, we followed the shore of Lake Ontario to Olcott, a distance of thirty miles. At Olcott we were delayed for thirty-six hours due to a storm, so had plenty of time enjoying the entertainments which this up-to-date summer resort supplies. The storm having subsided, we sailed north across Lake Ontario, under convoy of my friend Mr. E. Hedley, who operates a 45-foot cruiser, the Alberta, at Olcott, arriving near Oshawa. From here we fol-

lowed the north shore, rounding Presqu'Isle Point, through the Murray Canal and the Bay of Quinte to Trenton.

In former days, while camping along this section, I used to wonder how much of a fall the Trent River had from Frankford to Trenton, a distance of seven and a half miles. This is now accurately determined. There are six locks with a lift of one hundred and nineteen feet.

We spent a day in Frankford enjoying the hospitality of my wife's brother, Mr. Parker H. Conaun, and family, Oh, the fond recollections of former days this day brought back! I recalled that sentimental poem in the old third Reader that I had so often taught to my classes and the lines of which I can still repeat, entitled "Some Twenty Years Ago."

Changes in Frankford. Twenty years have wrought many changes in the village of Frankford, not so noticeable perhaps to those who have remained there, but very apparent to one who has been away and has returned. Old landmarks gone, many replaced by new ones, but more conspicuous than this, the absence of familiar faces (many of whom will never return), their places filled by a younger generation.

After a day spent among the haunts of years ago, even taking a plunge in the old pond, we were ready on the morning of August 2nd to continue to the end of the long-wished-for trip through the Trent Valley Canal. During the first ten miles we were still on familiar ground. After that, the territory through which we were to pass was known to us only geographically. The trip proved most interesting.

Picturesque Waterway. Words fail me to describe the picturesqueness and beauty of this interesting waterway, as each turn of the wheel brought a fresh panorama into view.

The route consists of the Trent, the Otonabee, the Talbot and the Severn rivers, and a chain of lakes, including the group known as Kawartha Lakes. Kawartha is an Indian word signifying "Bright waters and happy lands," which proves to one who has seen these lakes that the Indian vocabulary is very expressive.

The summit lake of this group—Balsam Lake—is 330 feet above sea level and 600 feet above Lake Ontario. Its clear waters and cool breezes fairly breathe "welcome" to the hay-fevered and weak-lunged sufferer of Humanity.

It would probably be interesting to describe the rest of this enchanting group—Cameron, Sturgeon, Pigeon, Buckhorn, Lovelock, Stony, Clear, Katchanooka and Rice—would space permit. In passing I will simply mention that Stony Lake, with its many islands—380 in number, I am told—surpasses in attractiveness the Thousand Islands.

Into Lake Simcoe.

Passing through the canal from Balsam Lake, a distance of 19 miles, you reach Lake Simcoe. Having crossed the divide, you are now entering a gradual decline of 300 feet to Georgian Bay. Crossing the eastern end of Lake Simcoe, a distance of 22 miles, you pass through the "Gap" into Lake Couchiching, from there through Washago into the beautiful Severn River, where the natural conditions are still of a somewhat primeval character. After passing through Sparrow Lake with its fine summer resorts and cottages you again enter the Severn River, and after passing over two marine railways you enter Gloucester Pool, then Severn Lake and through a lock into Georgian Bay.

There are 44 locks and two marine railways on the route. These include two lift locks—one at Peterborough with a lift of 65 feet, the other at Kirkfield with a lift of 50 feet. Pages might be written about these locks alone, but I will forbear.

Possibilities of Trip. The entire trip can be made in the utmost comfort, progressive towns being continually passed and there being hardly a spot along the entire route that does not afford solid ground for camping as long as fancy may please. I am wondering as I write this if the Canadian people are alive to the possibilities of the finest motor boat trip on the American continent.

The writer feels that he cannot close this article without paying tribute to the uniform courtesy of the officials with whom he came in contact as well as that of the lockmen along the entire route. I had the pleasure of calling at Peterborough and meeting the superintendent, Mr. A. L. Kilaly, whose name was kindly received. On leaving he said: "There is only one question I want to ask you: how are the men using you along the way?" I was indeed glad he asked this question, for I was able to tell him that the treatment by his men had been uniformly courteous and kind, and should Mr. Kilaly see this article I would like him to know that this treatment was continued during the remainder of our trip. The management is to be complimented on the very excellent service they render to motorists, and this without toll or price.

I also want to express my appreciation of the pleasant afternoon sightseeing in the thriving and fine city of Peterborough, in company of Sam Newhall, one of the Government's detectives, and Dan Boyd, formerly of Buffalo, now one of Peterborough's "finest." They are two efficient and entertaining officers, and I want to thank them again for their efforts in making our stay in Peterborough so enjoyable.

We made the return trip in five days, and a half, which I believed to be a record. On the return trip we crossed Lake Ontario alone in a 20-foot boat.

We are looking forward to next year, when we intend to again make this interesting trip.

W. H. SNIDER, D.D.S.
Buffalo, N.Y.

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OBITUARY

WILLIAM MARRIGAN.

The Knights of Columbus escorted the remains of the late William Marrigan, who died in Port Arthur a week ago Sunday, from the C.N.R. station last Wednesday evening to the home of a niece, Mrs. C. J. Brennan. The funeral took place to Deseronto cemetery on Thursday morning. Rev. Mr. Hartigan was unable, through illness, to conduct the services. The pallbearers were George A. Houle, M. Hart, C. Flood, F. McNeill, W. Wilson and M. J. Meagher. The floral and spiritual offerings were in keeping with the high esteem in which deceased was held.—Deseronto Post.

FOXBORO

Sunday School was well attended here in the morning.

Rev. S. A. Kemp occupied the pulpit in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melzer Homans spent Sunday in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gossell, Jr. and son, Everett, spent Sunday in Stirling.

Miss Pearl Spencer of Ion Hill is the guest of her friend, Miss Myrtle Prentice.

Hallowe'en passed off here quite lively. All seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mr. S. C. Gay is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daniels and daughter, Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Utman of Stirling.

The Epworth League convention will be held in the Foxboro Methodist church on Nov. 5th, afternoon and evening sessions. Lunch will be served in the Sunday school room of the church. Fee 35c. Everybody welcome.

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Mrs. Roy Blakley spent a few days recently with Mrs. John Blakley.

Miss Keitha Henderson and friend spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Henderson.

4TH LINE SIDNEY

Quarterly Service was well attended on Sunday morning at this appointment.

Service next Sunday evening at 7.30 p.m., Rev. T. Wallace, pastor.

Mr. H. Hookes spent Sunday with Mr. R. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Irvine took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. S. Lloyd.

Mrs. Mitts of Marsh Hill, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Detlor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cassidy entertained a number of the young folks at a Hallowe'en party on Saturday evening and all report a good time.

A baby girl has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Whitfield.

The rain that came last week was much appreciated by the farmers as ploughing was getting rather hard.

A number from around here attended the chicken tea a Centenary on Wednesday night last.

Mrs. Harry Swedie of Thurlow, spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Pope.

CENTRE

Mrs. N. Parliament spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. D. V. Stafford.

Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Giles and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Calnan, Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kollip and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Giles took dinner with Mr. Amos D. T. Stafford on Sunday.

Tribute to a Sainly Life

Memorial Service at Bishop Strachan School on Monday.

Relatives, friends and former pupils filled the chapel of the Sisterhood of St. John the Divine, Toronto, to overflowing Saturday morning at seven o'clock to pay their last tributes of respect to Miss Rose J. E. Grier, whose saintly life had left its impress upon all who knew her and whose passing had brought to them great sorrow.

Flowers heaped the casket, the offerings, many of them from former students in Bishop Strachan School, of which Miss Grier was principal for seven years, from the lady principal and pupils at the present time and from the president and council of the school.

The beautiful and impressive service, choral throughout, was conducted by the Very Reverend Dean D. T. Owen, of Niagara; Rev. Dr. William Grier, of New York, singing the celebration. Three surviving sisters were present, the Mother Foundress of the Sisterhood of St. John the Divine, Mrs. R. P. Jellett and Miss Isabel Grier, all of Toronto.

Following the service, the body was taken on the nine o'clock train to Belleville, where the interment took place in the Grier family plot at noon. Rev. Dr. John Mockridge, of Philadelphia officiating.

The pall bearers were six nephews of the deceased, Mr. J. M. Jellett, Mr. John Grier and others.

This morning a memorial service arranged by the former girls of Bishop Strachan's will take place in the chapel of the Convent of St. John the Divine.

An eloquent tribute to the long and beautiful life of Miss Rose J. E. Grier, with a sketch of her activities and reference to the influence she exerted during the twenty-three years she held the position of Lady Principal of Bishop Strachan's School, were features of the oration delivered Monday morning by Provost Mackenzie, of Trinity College, on the occasion of the memorial service held at nine o'clock in the school chapel. In addition to the students of the school who attended in a body the members of the faculty and immediate relatives and friends, many Bishop Strachan old girls were present to pay their tribute of honor.

Rev. James Broughall assisted in the service, the school choir singing the hymns.

FOXBORO

Mrs. Melzar Homan spent over Sunday with relatives in Belleville.

Mrs. Walter Wickett returned home from Madoc, after visiting relatives there for a short time.

Master Jack Davis visited his cousin, Master John Stewart, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carter and little son, Lorne, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ross on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Bell spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. S. C. Gay is still on the sick list and hope he may soon be quite well.

Sorry to report Mrs. Susan Gossell on the sick list, her daughter, Marie, of Belleville, is taking care of her.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Watt, 9th con., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Herbington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ross and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis on Monday evening last.

Miss Helen Davis attended the Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Helen Prance on Sunday evening.

WESTERN AMELIASBURG

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rathbun took dinner with Stanton Fox and attended Mr. E. Redner's sale.

Mrs. Wilson Stoneburg returned home on Saturday after spending a week with her cousin at Stirling.

Quarterly service next Sunday at Consecration at half past ten.

John Vandervoort had visitors on Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Ayles attended the masquerade dance at Roblin's Mills on Saturday evening.

Mr. Ross Adams spent Sunday with Mr. Earl Rathbun.

The weather and roads being nice cars were numerous on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Lout, Mr. H. Rathbun took dinner with Clayton Pulver's on Friday.

The apple packers were in the neighborhood last week putting up apples for Mr. Morris Ayles and T. Aythart.

WEST HUNTINGDON

The farmers are very busy ploughing after the recent rains that helped considerably.

Mr. Sam Donnan took a trip to New Ontario to visit friends.

Mrs. G. R. Poste is spending a week at Cooper visiting her brother.

Mrs. E. Sharpe and Marjorie are visiting in our neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wright have a baby girl.

Mrs. (Rev.) L. M. Sharpe visited her boys at our general store for a few days last week.

Mr. Peter McInroy and Mr. A. B. Fargy attended the banquet given the chessboard on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Fargy has secured a position in the city and expects to go on Monday.

Several attended the funeral of the late Benson O'Hara in Madoc on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. McQuary and boys are spending a couple of weeks with her mother on the Ridge Road.

Miss S. E. Wilson attended the Provincial Sunday School convention held in Belleville last week.

A party of youngsters had a merry time on Hallowe'en night as they were dressed for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson visited friends at Thomasburg on Sunday.

Several attended the anniversary in Stirling on Sunday following was a fowl supper.

Miss Jennie Adams spent the week end at her home here.

BLESSINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snider accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McFarlane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McFarlane of Belleville.

Miss Mabel Blakley spent Thanksgiving at Madoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McLaren spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Badgley of Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cole of Bethany spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McLaren and Mr. and Mrs. S. Badgley took tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stillman Haight.

Miss Grace Balcanquell, 5th line, spent Thursday night with Mrs. Walter Snider.

Hallowe'en passed very quiet here with lots of candy and apples to eat.

Mrs. Alva Hagerman took dinner on Monday with Mrs. Geo. Badgley.

MADOC JCT.

A number from here went to hear Rev. Dr. Shorey of Napanee who preached in Stirling on the 24th, and report an inspiring sermon in the evening, and excellent music by the choir, also a well rendered solo by Miss Mae Sarles.

Miss Gertrude Keegan, of Belleville, visited her parents here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett entertained friends from near Picton recently.

Miss Florence Bronson, of Stirling, visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews were in Toronto on Tuesday attending a wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Andrews spent a couple of days in Peterboro recently.

Several from this circuit attended the S. S. Convention in Belleville, and report splendid addresses and singing.

Mr. Cox of the G.T.R. staff, Lindsay, has been here for a few days.

PICTON

Miss Thelma V. Clark of the Union Bank staff left on Monday last to spend the week with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hubbs and children, Belleville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hubbs, Mary St.

Mr. James Caughey of Big Island, has rounded Mr. George Farrell's farm, Demorestville.

Mr. E. W. Gordon, of Campbellford, was in town for a few days.

Mr. Charlton Metcalfe has bought the Guy Johnson farm on the East Lake Road.

Mr. Wash Gordon, of Campbellford, is in town this week.

Mr. W. J. McCormick is confined to his home on Queen St. through illness.

Mrs. C. E. Shortt has returned home after spending two weeks with her daughters in Toronto, Mrs. R. Outwater and Miss Geraldine Shortt.

Mr. W. H. Way, of Kingston spent the week-end with his brother, Arnold D. Way, also called on other friends in his old home neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Earle and Miss Olive Earle, Ferguson St., left Tuesday morning for Victoria, B.C. for a two months' visit with their son, Mr. Charlie Earle.

Mr. Arthur Bessell and daughter, Miss Grace Bessell, of Brockville, have been the guests of Mrs. James H. Johnston Paul street, Mrs. K. McKenzie, Queen street, and other relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. John Burns who went to Florida recently intending to stay for the winter, has returned having decided the conditions there at present did not warrant investment in fruit lands or the engaging in building operations.—Picton Times and Gazette.

Miss Irene Fairbairn, of Ottawa, Ont., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. B. Findlay, of West Bridge St.

MARMORA

Mrs. Vandervoort, of Norwood, has been visiting her niece, Mrs. F. N. Marett, for the past week.

Mr. D. Stimmans returned to Oshawa on Tuesday after spending a few days with his family here.

Mr. Geo. MacQueen returned home last Thursday after spending several weeks with Rev. E. V. Forbes in Matiland, Nova Scotia.

Mr. D. E. Bell is in Montreal this week in connection with his duties as local chairman of the Toronto Railway Telegraphers.

Miss Miller who has been employed by the Pearce Co. for the past year as stenographer, has accepted a position in Niagara and left Tuesday accompanied by her sister Teresa on a short visit to her brother.—Marmora Herald.

PRESENTATION MADE.

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Shakespeare's Old Home Casts Spell of Peace

The poet of Shropshire has given his high metrical authority to the statement that the quietest places under the sun are in that country; but he refers to places only, and obviously is not thinking of towns, of which the quietest under the sun is surely Stratford-on-Avon. It assimilates its visitors without noise, much as Shakespeare himself comprehends the heights and depths of human life easily as to the manner born.

There were plenty of strangers there during the past summer, but they did not make a crowd and their voices were not lifted in hilarity. Perhaps they fall under the softening spell of genius. The nearest approach to merriment I have yet noticed, however, was in front of the birthplace. It was already full of sightseers, and a little throng awaited entrance on the pavement. Among them was not one "in the learned way" as Boswell puts it, but the whole company bore the plain, sturdy bucolic stamp. Dressed in their customary Sunday suits of solemn black they revered the immortal Memory with contrasted cheerfulness.

In the train from London a Frenchman on holiday asked me for advice on motor travelling between Stratford and Leamington. Having just four hours to spend in Stratford, he was proposing to see all the sights, to attend the summer festival matinee of "As You Like It" in the Memorial Theatre, and to catch a glimpse of Warwick on his way back to the railway. Evidently Americans are not the only folk who can hustle. He might have been reassured on the motor question. Such is the enterprise in this direction that it is calculated that sixty chas-a-bancs and the like stay in Stratford every day. They take their passengers to the many delightful towns and villages in the neighborhood and bring in the inhabitants of spots which would otherwise be remote.

A large proportion of the audiences at the summer festival are villagers, who have learned to rely on the motor as a means of conveyance, and they do, I am assured, really appreciate Shakespeare, having his tradition in their blood. Not only that, but they possess an inborn aptitude for Old English dances and pageantry. The stories one hears of Maypole and Morris dancing in some of the villages suggest either that Shakespeare's England has never died, or has been revived by the agencies that aim at resurrecting the drama in the countryside. But it should not be concluded that these village festivals are manufactured by artistic labor. On the contrary, they are described as the spontaneous sports of the young in which the old are not afraid to join.

Stratford itself has more than one open place to which a Maypole would seem no alien addition. From time to time much has been said and written of its commercialization. With some, the memory of Shakespeare may have become a trade, like aluminum or anything else. Others have shown how little they fear the intrusion of a factory. Yet the town remains a very passable vestige of that in which Shakespeare was born. The spirit of the Elizabethan village still broods over its timbered houses and spacious streets, and the business in mementos has not succeeded in destroying their meaning. No town can get peace for the asking, and it is peace which Stratford has secured by some semi-divine right and retains in spite of every provocation to barter the possession.

The Warwickshire meadows are as smooth and green as ever, while the river glides at its own sweet will with the placidity of other streams but none of their dullness. One wonders whether it is only for Shakespeare that the whole world comes

to Stratford, or whether some part of the compulsion is not that desire for retreat which he has expressed in many a remembered passage.

FULLER

A meeting of very much interest took place in the Methodist Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon regarding the co-operative movement. The two speakers, Rev. Brown and Rev. Barnes gave very interesting addresses. Besides Rev. McQuade and Rev. McDonald, Rev. Mr. Merrick was present at the Methodist church.

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A Veteran River Man

In the re-exploration of previously traversed, almost forgotten country, the penetration of new and the opening to settlement of that great region of Canada north from the North Saskatchewan River to the boreal limit of wheat cultivation, and west to the northern extension of the Rocky Mountains separating Yukon Territory from the Northwest Territories of Canada, there has been for the last eighteen years, following the Klondike movement a steady influx north and west of Peace River and Lake Athabasca. Spite of the modern motor, and rail extensions ever and persistently northward, the primitive equipment of trader and voyager still holds its place, and travel routes still follow the waterways. Transportation of goods on the rivers of the north though occasional steamboats there be, is still by bateau, barge and scow, poled or towed up, or run with the current downstream, under deft management of pole, sweep and bow and stern line at the rapids.

Among the great early explorers of the northwest, the names of Samuel Hearne and Alexander Mackenzie are first connected with Great Slave River, which in its two-hundred-and-sixty-five-mile course northwest connects Lake Athabasca with Great Slave Lake, out of which flows again the Mackenzie River, two thousand five hundred and twenty-five miles northwest to the Arctic Ocean. Samuel Hearne ascended Great Slave River for forty miles in December, 1771, on his return from exploration to the mouth of the Coppermine River. Seventeen years later Alexander Mackenzie came down it from Athabasca on his way to the Arctic Ocean, on which he was to discover the river that bears his name.

The rapids of the Slave River are on the boundary line between Alberta and the Northwest Territories, and constitute a stretch of sixteen miles between Smith Landing and Fort Smith. From here the river is continuously navigable to the lake, itself traversable by steamers of deep draft.

A veteran river man, speaking of running rapids, said: "It's not so much the rock dead ahead, though the rush of water seems to be taking you right on to it, you have to guard against. The side rush of the current where it splits on the rock is strong

enough to sweep the craft to one side before it can strike. You watch logs running through a rocky rapid, and notice how seldom they strike a rock end-on. The really important thing for us is the possible sideways of the hull aft, by pressure of water on the stern, after the bows have cleared. The meanest thing is the half hidden or covered rock with slow water. On successive trips you have to allow for all sorts of variations. A bit more or a bit less water coming down makes a difference in the way you have to handle a boat, same as in any other navigation. But direct the same height of water in the river, and each trip you can say pretty certainly at each point of the rapid just which way the barge is likely to head, and be ready for its next move."

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pounds a year, as the colony has contributed the proceeds of a special war tax, in addition to this provision from the general revenue).

Sarawak—5,000 pounds sterling annually for six years beginning April, 1919.

In addition to the above, the Protectorate of Nigeria offered to pay, if the financial situation should permit after the conclusion of peace, the charges for interest and sinking fund on a share of the imperial war debt amounting to 6,000,000 pounds sterling. The Colony of Jamaica has promised 40,000 pounds sterling per year for 40 years from the termination of war to be applied in reduction of the war debt of the United Kingdom.

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Western Farmers Building Silos



It is to be anticipated that before many years have elapsed almost every farm in the Canadian prairie provinces will have its silo. The growth of the dairy industry would naturally bring this condition about in course of time, but the movement is being expedited by the success farmers are having in growing sunflowers. Small fields of from three to thirty acres have been planted in various parts of the three prairie provinces of Canada. The yields are proving more satisfactory than the farmers generally dared to hope, and each acre yields on an average from fifteen to thirty tons of ensilage.

Many farmers have erected silos on their farms during the summer to take care of this crop, but most of them have under-estimated their requirements and will have more crop than they can put in their silos.

Sunflower silage is due for a more extensive trial this winter than it has had before. The results in previous years have been very satisfactory but only comparatively few farmers have grown the crop for silage previous to this year. If in its more extensive use the crop proves to be as satisfactory as it has already proved in the few cases where it has been tried, it is safe to say that in a few years the farm without a silo will be an exception in Western Canada.

Since last year's results have become known, considerable interest has been shown in silos and ensilage in Western Canada and several hundred silos have been erected during the past summer. Typical of this movement is the Cardston district in Southern Alberta, where eight silos have been erected this year and where about fifty acres of sunflowers were planted. The crop has proved

so successful that it is predicted that one hundred silos will be built in the district next year and more than a thousand acres of sunflowers planted.

Similar plans are being made in other parts of Western Canada, and the already rapidly growing dairy industry promises to grow much faster with the general acceptance of the sunflower as a silage crop. Another evidence of the value of sunflowers as a forage crop will be the big gain in finished steers. Many of the larger livestock raisers are growing sunflowers and erecting silos for this purpose. Thus will be considerably increased the finishing areas of Canada, which, hitherto, have been somewhat restricted, compared with the large leading areas throughout the country, and the livestock industry in the West will be placed on a sound basis.

SOME FREAKS OF LIGHTNING

Scientists are inclined to pool the idea that lightning makes "pictures" on the bodies of its victims occasionally, a further example of which was quite lately quoted. A man was struck while sheltering under a tree and the newspapers told how at the inquest it was reported that a photographic likeness of the tree was imprinted on the man's skin.

Four people were sitting in a room, when they were all rendered unconscious by a flash which cut in half a tree outside. They all recovered eventually, but one of them, a child, was found to bear on its body the imprint of the whole tree. Every limb, branch and leaf, even the severed portion were said to be visible. In a month's time the impression had totally faded.

Sometime ago the Lancet discussed this subject, and incidentally gave some interesting instances. Of course it was skeptical. It mentions the case of a woman who was struck when minding a cow. The cow was killed, and the woman rendered unconscious. On her breast was seen a representation of the cow. The paper remarks: "Here, a healthy skepticism is reasonable, for the picture of the cow was seen by peasants. But a still more interesting story is told. It appears that in the summer of 1865 a doctor was returning home by train, and he found on alighting at his wayside station, that his purse was missing. It was of tortoise shell. On one side it had a monogram of two D's intertwined.

Some days later this very doctor was called to see a stranger who had been found unconscious under a tree struck by lightning in a recent storm. To his surprise he found imprinted on the man's thigh his own monogram, the intertwined D's. Instead of jumping to the conclusion that there was something "spooky" about this occurrence, the doctor asked the hospital authorities to look in the man's pocket, and they would probably find his lost purse.

The guess proved correct, and the Lancet observes: "The monogram, being of metal, was a good conductor, so we can imagine how its image was impressed in the skin. Similar cases are recorded of the imprinting of money and other metallic objects on the skin by lightning strokes, and it is common to find on the body over metallic bodies, such as watches.

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Miss Rose Grier Dead, "Sainly Life" Ended

Leaves Indelible Imprint Upon Countless Minds Which Came Under Her Control

Miss Rose J. E. Grier, who was one of the best known of the former principals of the Bishop Strachan school, Toronto, died Thursday at St. John's Hospital on Major street.

Death of A. MacDonald

Mr. Allan MacDonald, who passed away at Carleton by the Sea, Monterey, California, on the 14th of October, 1920, was born near the village of Wellington in the County of York, Ontario.

Royalties on Pelts and Furs

For the information of trappers the following is published: Section 11 b of the Ontario Game and Fisheries Laws, 1920, provides: It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to ship to any point outside the province or attempt to take or ship to any point outside the province, any raw or undressed skins or pelts of fur-bearing animals or the skins or pelts of protected animals or to have such skins or pelts taken to a tanner to be dressed or plucked or treated in any way, without first having obtained a permit from the department.

Claims Vaccination Preventive of Smallpox

OTTAWA, Oct. 30.—That of 111 cases of smallpox reported to the department since October 1, there was not a single case in which the patient had been vaccinated during the past seven years was one of the outstanding statements made at a meeting of the Ottawa Board of Health held at the City Hall yesterday afternoon.

Fire attributed to night riders destroyed \$5,000 worth of cotton, valued at \$600,000 at Earle, Ark.

The Late E. Metcalfe

Death came suddenly to a well known Pictou resident on Saturday morning last when Mr. Edward Metcalfe passed away from heart failure at his home on Mary Street.

Bogus Cheque Man Sought by Police

Sammy Cohen, said to be from Brockville, Wanted in Ogdensburg.

The Ogdensburg police are looking for a man named Sammy Cohen, said to be from Brockville, who is charged with passing bogus checks upon Ogdensburg junk dealers and with using a blind newsboy in that city as a tool for his operations.

Convict Was Silent for Ten Long Years

Ended 25 Years Sentence—Says He Can't Talk Now.

BOSTON, Oct. 30.—Patrick J. ("Corkey") Hanley ended a 25-year sentence at the State Prison yesterday against his will, and maintained the last a silence begun ten years ago.

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A Series of Talks on Music

By Prof. C. C. Langer, Mus. Bac., Sarnia.

NO. III.—PERT REMARKS. The cheery concert singer said to his friend, "I am thinking of touring South Africa next year."

IN MEMORIAM

In fond and ever loving memory of Nurse M. Thelma Crosier, dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Crosier, of Pictou, who entered into eternal rest on Oct. 31st in the Belleville hospital.

WEST LAKE

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More Autocracy in Russia Under Present Regime

Mrs. Chambers Says the Bolsheviks Are Ruling in License.

The following extract from the Calgary Herald, will prove of interest to many in our city. Mrs. Chambers will be remembered as Miss Bradley, Deaconess and Social Worker here for some time. She was also well-known in Musical Circles, for her ability and talent as a pianist and while in Poland availed herself of instruction from a famous teacher there.

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FIRST MORMON TEMPLE ON BRITISH SOIL STANDS IN SOUTHWEST ALBERTA

Typically Grecian in Architecture— It is Said To Symbolize To Members of Latter Day Saints' Church The Permanence of Their Institution in Canada.

LETHBRIDGE, ALTA., Oct. 28.—Set upon a hill, the highest point in the town of Cardston, in the extreme southwest of Alberta, stands, like the Acropolis of ancient Athens, a Mormon temple, the first such structure to be erected on British soil.

There has been nothing of hurry to get the job finished; modern contracting methods for beating the time limit didn't enter into the undertaking; the result has been accomplished somewhat as the ancients must have constructed the pyramids.

Everything within the temple symbolizes something. In the very centre on the ground floor is the great baptistry with its baptismal font supported on the backs of twelve lifelike oxen done by the famous sculptor, Tertius Knappus.

\$100 Donation to Navy League

Bellelille Cheese Board Supports the Campaign

The Cheese Board voted today one hundred dollars to the Navy League fund of the Patriotic Fund of the Board. Messrs E. W. Dickson and R. L. Inefft made the appeal for the grant on behalf of the Navy League.

Trades and Labor Council

Mr. George E. Foster Elected President at Organization Meeting

Bellelille Trades and Labor Council held their organization meeting on Tuesday evening when the following officers were elected: President—Geo. E. Foster of Local No. 6, Steel Workers.

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Still Owner Fined \$200

John Johnson Admitted Offence Under Inland Revenue Act

John Johnson, who was arrested a few days ago was this morning fined \$200.00 for having an illicit still in his possession. Magistrate Mason ruled the bench.

Ex-Ald. Robinson on Municipal Affairs

Editor Ontario: I read your editorial headed, "Better Government for Bellelille," which appeared in yesterday's Ontario, with a great deal of interest.

Man with several little managers under him would be a complete success.

But our present "capable" council of ten men should be "able" to procure a proper man to fill the position of general municipal manager, in that case, we would not have to adopt the drastic change that you suggest.

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Hair-Cut \$1.00; Shave 35c

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—The Central Executive Council of the Master Barbers' Association representing 27,000 barbers in the city today decided upon a rate of \$1.00 for hair-cut and 35 cents for a shave to become effective January 1. The explanation given was the increased expense of operating a barber shop.

IN MEMORIAM

GOBSENS—In loving memory of Ray Gossens, (Frankford, who we miss him in our play-ground.

Dear little Ray! Just passed away with his playmates all around.

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SEPTICIA STILL SPREADING

There have been 23 cases of diphtheria reported to the Oshawa health authorities to date. Of 528 swabs taken in the public schools so far, 31 carriers have been detected, and these have been isolated. The work of swabbing of the children's throats has been approved of jointly by the Board of Health and Board of Education.

TO REOPEN LINDSAY ARSENAL

It is reported on excellent authority that the Dominion Arsenal at Lindsay, which practically suspended operation a couple of months ago, will resume operations on November 15, with it is understood, a full staff. This announcement will be hailed with pleasure not only by those who were laid off, but also by the citizens generally.

SEAPLANE WAS BUSY

All day Sunday Capt. D. Vitalis and Lieut. Post in charge of the big Huff-Daland seaplane, which was at Kingston, were busy taking passengers in the air. Every passenger stated that the trip in the seaplane was much more delightful than in an ordinary airplane, while the excellent handling of the big boat by Capt. De Vitalis was favorably commented on.

MAY LOSE AN EYE

Struck by the back-fire of a rifle while shooting at a mark in the vicinity of Belknap's Mill Harry Lingstaff, Kemplville, received injuries which may result in the loss of an eye. He was struck in the eye and cheek by burnt powder and pieces of the cartridge.

LETTERS OF TWENTY PIGS

Last spring a ewe belonging to R. J. McGovern, township of Oxford, gave birth to four lambs, and this year a sow on the same farm gave birth to a litter of twenty pigs.

BLESSINGTON

The Women's Missionary Meeting was held at Salem Church on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balcanquhall took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leslie on Monday evening.

WAS BADLY GASHED

On Sunday last, Mrs. M. Holmes of Kingston, while at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lois Mouton, West of Athens, met with a painful accident, while walking through a low door she struck the top of her head and cut a gash to close which required eight stitches.

A ROOM FOR LINDSAY

Negotiations have been opened for the re-opening of the Canadian Cereal Flour Mills at Lindsay. The firm sustained a severe loss in the destruction of their Tilsonburg mill, which was a member of the firm has stated that arrangements will have to be made immediately for the resumption of business, as there are a large number of orders on hand to be filled.

SHOULDER AND ANKLE INJURED

John H. Brown, Brockville, an employee of the James Smart Mfg. Co., was injured at work Monday and is now resting at his home under the care of Dr. E. B. Moles. While being unloading a heavy pole from a wagon and the timber swinging struck Mr. Brown on the shoulder and then dropped on to his right ankle. He suffered considerable pain during the night. An X-ray examination will likely be made to determine the exact extent of the injuries.

LOSES FARM BUILDINGS

Monday evening the farm buildings of Mr. William M. Horsey, police magistrate of Bowmanville, were burned to the ground. Being situated on the latter limits, across the valley west from the Canadian Pacific Railway station, the fire brigade was unable to render any assistance. There was an insurance and the loss exceeds \$4,000. Some valuable carriages and furniture stored in the building were also burned, also a large quantity of hay and straw. The buildings were probably set on fire and suspicion is attached to the fact that the fire was started at the farm.

LOAD CAR WITH 18 TONS CABBAGE

A car is being loaded at Oshawa with 18 tons of prime cabbage from the Broughton farm, east of Whitby, for a customer in North Bay. A ton and a half of cabbage on a farm wagon on the streets of the town is getting to be a common sight as they come up to the city to be weighed. The heads are of more than ordinary size and are smooth and uniform in shape. They are very firm and of fine quality which

Special Sale of Young Men's Overcoats

We have placed on sale, about 100 young Men's Overcoats, sizes 35 to 40 Not all sizes in every line, but a good assortment in every size

Choice \$25.00 The styles are all new, Belted, Ulsters, Waist Line and Close Fitting Models. The Coats were priced up to \$40.00. You may take your pick at \$25.00. Step lively now for first choice, they will not last long.

OAK HALL

WHAT LLOYD GEORGE EXPECTS OF AMERICA

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Biee, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado

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Dairy of President Declared Banquet and Dairy Special and Mr. John

That Mr. John Elliott, dairying as a native in his encouragement of the business of useful kind and has counteracting some of the effects of our industry thereby showing himself a man and a good citizen. The statement made by B. Reynolds, of the O.A. at the fourteenth anniversary of Mr. Elliott's dairy, at Hotel Quinte, Tuesday, at Hotel Quinte. Two representatives of the dairy industries sat down to spread as the guests of the manager of the local "Standard Dairy".

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Talk of the Town And of the Country

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Atkinson, Campbellford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennie Isabella, R.N., to Dr. Glenn Aldrich Wood, Syracuse, N.Y., son of Dr. J. A. Wood, Constantia, N.Y., the marriage to take place the middle of November.

CHOOSE YOUR OWN TIME.

As a result of the action of the Kingston city council, the people of Kingston will have the opportunity of fixing their own time next summer. They will have the option of saying whether or not the city will observe daylight saving, or go by the old time. The vote promises to be an interesting one.

LIKELY TO BUY BRANCH NOW.

It is reported that T. W. Crowley, the superintendent of the St. Lawrence division, and other railroad officials, have made several visits to Massena and over the Grand Trunk branch, looking over the ground. It is known that the Central has been anxious to purchase the branch of the Grand Trunk for many years, but as possession by the Central would give serious competition to the Grand Trunk lines to the west the Canadian railroad was loath to part with it. Now that the railroad has been taken over by the government, it is reported that the government is willing to sell. The branch is not regarded as a paying proposition by itself.

PLANS SUMMER RESIDENCE.

George Miller, of New York City, is having plans prepared for the erection of a large summer residence, with boat-house, ice-house, dock and other buildings, to be built on Little Gremdier Island, near Rockport, next summer. The entire layout is expected to cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

A WEATHER FORECAST.

November will be unsettled. Bad weather until the 18th. Last part will be more favorable. It will be a hard old winter. So says Frank Doe, long distance weather forecaster of Ogdensburg.

AFTER TROU.

The river guides and others who have plover boats are now trolling for trout at Chazy shoals and South Bar. Some excellent catches have been made, as many as fifteen and twenty per catch.

ACCEPTED NEW POSITION.

Mr. David Nicholson, who for the past three and half years has been organist and choirmaster of St. Andrew's Church, Campbellford, has accepted a similar and more remunerative position in Bowmanville Methodist Church. Mr. Nicholson has been very successful in his work at Campbellford as is evidenced in the choir of the church of which he was leader. He is moreover, an excellent citizen whom our townspeople will regret to lose. We wish him every success in his new field of labor.

CALLED TO THE BAR.

Our readers, says the Campbellford Herald, will be glad to learn that Mr. Ray Merrill, B.A., LL.B., was called to the bar last week. Mr. Merrill was attending Queen's University when he enlisted for overseas service, and after four years service, returned and completed his arts course at Queen's. He then entered Osgoode Hall and is now a full fledged legal practitioner. Mr. Ross Strike, son of Rev. A. J. H. and Mrs. Strike of Perth was also called to the bar on the same day.

ONE APPLE WEIGHED I POUND.

From the orchard of Iva K. Emory, Rockport, Ont., comes apples of the Baldwin variety, one of which weighs an even pound. The tree from which it was picked yielded 10 barrels, seven of which were gathered from the tree without the pickers leaving the ground. One hundred and thirty-three of these apples filled a barrel. Mr. W. W. Emory of Cherry Valley, helped to pick and pack these apples. Mr. Emory has a choice lot of apples in his own orchard at Cherry Valley. He brought to The Picton Times office a sample of Talman Sweets which are beautifully colored and of fine flavor.

HORSE BROKE ITS LEG.

On Saturday evening a horse belonging to Stanley Mulrooney of Marlborough bank slipped on the pavement in

front of Beatty's butcher shop Tweed, and broke its leg. After lying on the road for probably half an hour Constable Godfrey fired a couple of bullets into its head from a 22 calibre revolver, and then some one undertook to finish the job with an axe. The poor beast was still alive and groaning with pain when it was dragged away on a stoneboat some time later on.

A MONEY SAVER.

Here's a tip to potato growers. In putting away potatoes this fall in cellars or pits, put a bushel of lime to a hundred bushels of potatoes and positively stop all tendency to rotting. In small quantities put not more than half a pint of lime to bushel of potatoes. This has been thoroughly tried out and proven to be an effective preventative of potato rot.

NAMED CHIEF INSPECTOR.

D. J. Cameron, of Peterboro, who joined the staff of the Dairy and Cold Storage branch as Sanitary Inspector of Dairy products in 1915, has been promoted chief inspector of dairy products. Mr. Cameron is a practical cheese and butter maker and is a graduate of the Eastern Dairy School, Kingston.

BIG LUMBER TRACT SOLD.

The Rickdon Company, Limited, has purchased over 1,125 square miles of timber lands and water powers, on the Quince river, near Lake Temiskaming for a consideration of between \$1,250,000 and \$1,750,000 from Senator M. J. O'Brien, Renfrew.

FARMER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Frank Greer, of Bishop's Mills, had a narrow escape from death while he and some others were excavating about a large stone in a field and the logging chain broke and pry hit him on the head with such force as to render him unconscious for some time. Medical aid was summoned and except for a few bruises he is rapidly recovering from the result of the accident.

DOCTOR MOVING.

Major J. Victor Williams, M. D., who has gone permanently into the C.A.M.S., has moved from the corner of Bagot and William streets, Kingston to the residence of ex-aid. George Wright, on Gore street. Dr. Harold Angrove will move into Major Williams' vacated office. Major Williams accompanied "C" Battery to Winnipeg.

WILD DUCKS SCARCE.

Wild ducks have been off the bill of fare at Rice Lake for nearly two weeks. This change in the temperature will be appreciated by the hunters.

FINED FOR MISUSING CATTLE.

Mr. R. C. Smith, Cobourg, Inspector of the Humane Society was in Peterboro last week. He laid information against Barney Navin, who resides two miles west of Peterboro, for ill-treating his cattle. The case lasted all day and Navin was fined \$20.00 and costs.

AN EVENT AT PICTON.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Seeds, Toronto, were in Picton for the celebration of the fifty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Seeds which occurred on Sunday.

NEW ARMPRIOR MAGISTRATE.

David Craig has consented to take the office of police magistrate of Armprior. The office has been vacant for a long time. His father, the late George Craig, was police magistrate for thirty-five years.

GASHED ABOVE THE KNEE.

A man by the name of Smith engaged at the Bancroft Lumber Co.'s Mill at Paudash Lake, met with a painful accident on Saturday last. His right knee came in contact with the slab-saw, inflicting a nasty gash just above the knee. He is likely to be on the casualty list for some time.

RIFLE DISCHARGED.

Fred Peever, of Bancroft, had a narrow escape from being fatally wounded one evening last week, when he and a number of other boys were playing with a 22 rifle. In some way the rifle was accidentally discharged, the contents lodging in his ankle. He has much to be

thankful for as the bullet might have found a more vital spot. Boys of tender years should be punished for carrying firearms within the age limit.

MRS. MIKEL ADDRESSES W. I. MEETING.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Institute held at the home of Mrs. A. Davy's, Bancroft, on Thursday evening last, the Institute listened to a very interesting and instructive address given by Mrs. W. C. Mikel of Belleville. After lunch had been served the ladies departed to their various homes.

THIEVES MADE SMALL "HAUL".

Tuesday night thieves broke into the store conducted by Mr. James Bryant at the corner of Albert and Johnston streets, Kingston, and made off with nine dollars' worth of stamps. Entrance was gained to the store by removing the upper sash of a window. The till was rapped from counter but Mr. Bryant reports no further damage. So far, the police have secured no clues of the robbery but they are working on the case.

TWO LADIES ATTENDING THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE.

The faculty of the Queen's Theological College, at a meeting Wednesday night, granted the applications of two lady students to the university, Miss Marion Dickson, of Niagara Falls, and Miss Margaret Wootton, of Maynooth, Ont., to take classes in the Theological College. This is something of an innovation at the college, though Miss Currie, daughter of Rev. Mr. Currie, of Sunbury, attended some of the classes last year. The two young ladies expect to go on mission fields next summer.

A CARLOAD OF GOODS RETURNED TO PRISON.

It was learned on Wednesday afternoon that a carload of government goods, belonging to the Portmouthe penitentiary, and which, it is alleged, were stolen from the institution, was returned to the prison on Monday. It is stated that the return of the goods was brought about by government detectives, who have been working on the case. The goods, it is stated, were in the possession of a Kingston second-hand dealer, who has thrown up the sponge in regard to the matter, and is ready to give evidence on behalf of the crown.

CAR STOLEN.

A Ford car was stolen near Marjora on Friday night, according to a report made to the police on Saturday afternoon by Mr. W. A. Farrier of Markham, the owner.

JOY RIDERS HAD IT.

Mr. Joseph Emerson's Chevrolet car was taken by joy riders from in front of the Opera House last night and was found at the corner of Bridge and George streets by the police.

BICYCLE STOLEN.

On Saturday evening, Mr. Fred B. Smith left his bicycle on Bridge street east and soon it was missing. He notified the police of the theft.

EXCITING BEAR HUNT.

This week we had hoped to give our readers a thrilling account of an adventure with a bear, says the Stirling Leader. A few nights ago one of Stirling's citizens heard a noise at the rear of the house. Looking out he saw the shadow of a huge bear quietly eating apples in the orchard. He became greatly excited and sent for help to expel the intruder. In short order a number of men and boys arrived on the scene armed with all kinds of weapons expecting an exciting adventure. To their disappointment, upon investigation the bear turned out to be a stray cow. The party then wandered by their way home.

SOLD FARM FOR \$12,000.

Mr. Harry Dawson has sold his one hundred acre farm east of Belleville for \$12,000. Wednesday Mr. George Caldwell, of Port Hope, disposed of the farm stock and implements, and the receipts exceeded the five thousand dollar mark. The binder sold for \$235, which was a bigger figure than its cost when new. The driller brought \$100, and a set of barrows \$40. The first mare sold for \$240, and the first four horses averaged \$200 each; 12 cows, including three 2-year-old heifers, averaged \$110.

VALUATING PETERBORO G. T. R. PROPERTY.

During the last couple of weeks the valuation of the G. T. R. properties, building, equipment in the Midland district, even the value of

the culverts and spikes in the ties have been underway by government valuers. It is understood that the valuation for that district is now nearly complete. Experienced engineers are doing the detailed work which must be completed before the winter sets in. On the reports of the valuers over the entire system the arbitrators will give their decision to the government on a fair purchase price for the G. T. R. railway.

EPIDEMIC OF SORE THROATS.

Port Hope Doctors tell that there is quite an epidemic of sore throats and many citizens are confined to their beds.

CALLED TO THE BAR.

Mr. Jos. McCarthy, B.A., of Hastings, and brother of Rev. Father McCarthy of Norwood, was among the number of graduates of the Law School sworn in last week at Toronto as barristers-at-law before Mr. Justice Orde at Osgoode Hall. Mr. McCarthy was also sworn in and enrolled as a solicitor of the Supreme Court and appointed by the Provincial Secretary a Notary Public for the Province of Ontario. His many friends who were associated with him when he attended Norwood High School will join in extending congratulations.

GOT BADLY SHAKEN UP.

Mrs. Hattie Hubel and daughter and Mr. Ed. Pyear's little daughter met with an accident while driving to church at Stirling on Sunday. At Frankford Corner the horse shied at something on the roadside throwing the occupants out on the pavement in front of Mr. John Tanner's. Dr. Alger was sent for and found that Mr. Pyear's daughter had her collar bone fractured and Mrs. Hubel's daughter's hand was cut and badly bruised. They were all badly shaken up.

PAIR ARRESTED.

Police Officer J. M. Truatsch on Sunday arrested Miss Mary Lott on a charge of the theft of clothing from Mrs. Martha Foster, Dundas Street. Later he took in charge McQueen Cosgrave, aged 6 years, on a serious charge. The two were remanded to jail until Friday.

SHOT AN EAGLE.

There are eagles deploying over the Burnt Lands, and farmers have been missing chickens lately. Evidently the eagles have been getting them. James Hogan, Almonte, shot one of the eagles. Mr. Hogan was hunting foxes on the Burnt Lands on Thanksgiving Day when he saw an eagle circling over his dog, and endeavoring to snatch it up. When he approached it the eagle soared and Mr. Hogan brought it down on the wing. The bird, which is of the common bald-headed type, measures over six feet from tip to tip.

INDIANS FINED.

In police court this morning Joseph Corby and Samuel Corby, two Indians were fined \$10 and costs each for having been found in an intoxicated condition.

DEATH OF CHILD.

Bessie Clark, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, Yeomans St. died Saturday afternoon at the family residence.

VETERAN CONDUCTOR DIES.

George Sydenham, aged seventy-nine, for thirty-one years a conductor in the service of the G. T. R. between Brockville and Belleville, died in Brockville yesterday. He is survived by three daughters and one son.

CHIEF ARRIVES TOMORROW.

Captain Kidd, Belleville's new police chief, did not arrive today to take on his new duties. In a letter received by Mayor Riggs this morning, he stated that he would be here tomorrow.

REMODELING PROPERTY.

Work has begun on remodeling of the old Taylor hotel property opposite No. 1 Fire Hall. This is to be opened shortly as the Chevrolet garage. Large extensions are in process of construction, which will be completed shortly. Mr. J. T. Warren, the local agent for the Chevrolet car, will, when it is finished, have one of the finest automobile agencies and service stations.

HYDRANT STRUCK.

On Sunday afternoon an automobile struck a hydrant at the upper bridge, both antagonists being somewhat damaged. The car had to be removed to a garage.

QUIET MALLOW-EVEN.

Hallow-e'en received less atten-

tion than usual this year, as it occurred on Sunday night. A few boys and girls celebrated the occasion on Saturday evening by parading the streets in costume and in visiting the houses. A few rougher spirits undertook little depredations.

OBITUARY

C. NORMAN BOYD.

C. Norman Boyd, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd, 40 Catherine street, died on Sunday afternoon as a result of an affection of the heart. He was 15 years and 5 months old and had been ill for some time with cardiac weakness. A week ago he was taken seriously ill. Last June he passed the entrance examination but was not able to take up his High School studies this autumn. He was a bright, ambitious boy and his chums will deeply regret his demise. He was a member of the Methodist Sunday School. His parents, one brother, Mr. Ashley Boyd, of Detroit and one sister, Mrs. Jay Faulkner, Belleville, survive. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents and family.

WILLIAM BLACK.

Mr. William Black, one of the best known citizens of Belleville, died on Sunday evening at his home, 240 George St., after an illness of two months. Latterly no hope had been entertained of his recovery. He was born in Kingston in the year 1843 and came to Belleville as a boy residing here ever since. For the greater part of his life he was engaged in the fishing business. For many years he was engaged in the export trade. He was an attendant of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. He was a lifelong Conservative. During the Fenian Raids he served with the local company. Surviving are a widow, three sons, W. G., of Belleville, Fred E. and A. Dalhart, of Chicago, and two daughters, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, Belleville and Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Toronto.

BORN.

BURNS—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burns, (nee Elsie Vallance), 14 Commercial street, on Sunday evening, Oct. 31st, 1920, a son.

MARRIED.

PHILLIPS—BROOK—On Saturday, Oct. 30th, 1920, by the Rev. A. L. Geen, Doris Mary Brook to Ernest L. Phillips, both of Belleville.

DIED.

BOYD—In Belleville on Sunday, Oct. 31st, C. Norman Boyd, younger son of William Boyd, aged 15 years, 5 months.

BLACK—In Belleville on Sunday, Oct. 31st, 1920, William Black, aged 77 years.

Secretary Chamber of Commerce Resigns

Resignation of E. P. Fredericks Accepted — President Jamieson Bone Will Look After Office Temporarily Until New Secretary is Appointed — Preparing Program For Entertainment of Associated Boards of Trade.

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce have had some differences of opinion lately with their Secretary, Mr. E. P. Fredericks, and finally have decided to accept his resignation, to take effect forthwith.

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New arrival of Blue Flannel Smocks, corded and beaded trimmed at from \$7.50 to \$10.50

If interested in a new coat visit our ready-to-wear department; lovely showing of ladies and misses coats from \$15.00 to \$27.50

We have a beautiful line of imported Tweeds, Coatings, Suitings, etc., priced from \$2.00 to \$5.00 yd

Your Inspection Invited

Special purchase of a range of Ballantyne's Sweater Coats, Pullovers, and scarfs at greatly reduced prices.

Fenman's Black Cashmere Hose (seconds), 45% less than regular prices, priced at 50c, 59c, 75c, & \$1.00 pr

McIntosh Bros.

IMLAH and ARMSTRONG

Belleville Burial Co. Undertakers

14 Campbell St. Next Y. M. C. A. Phone 774 Motor Equipment—Charges Moderate

Investigation of Oil Possibilities

Mr. Reeves and Geologist Go To Tyndinaga Tomorrow

Tomorrow Mr. Walter H. Reeves of London, England, and a geologist will go down into Tyndinaga and make an exploration of the oil possibilities near Londale in the interest of the General Oil Fields Ltd.

Mr. Reeves stated this morning that he had many inquiries from would-be investors in any oil enterprise that might be undertaken, but he said "We do not intend to get any capital from America. It is purely a London enterprise."

The past ten years have seen many oil company's experts on the field looking for indications of oil.

Why Not a Real Estate Owners Association?

Editor Ontario.—As the time is not far distant when nominations will take place for the purpose of electing our municipal council for the year 1921, the walter feels that it would not be out of place for him to offer through The Ontario, one or two important suggestions in relation thereto.

When it is taken into consideration that we have had in existence among us, for nearly a year, an important organization, composed of between three and four hundred of our enterprising citizens, known as the Chamber of Commerce and that this honorable body has not apparently, up to date, been able to accomplish, on the whole, anything very beneficial to the taxpayers at large, it is probably an opportune "time for a change."

Or, in other words, it is an opportune time to introduce some plan or scheme that would be a real benefit to the real estate owners of the city, who, as a class, are carrying the very extreme financial burden of our corporation.

What I would propose or suggest is an organization for the purpose of representing the reasonable and best interests of the owners of real property in our city. This organization could be appropriately called, "The Real Estate Owners' Association." The membership fee would probably not need to be more than fifty cents a year. My object in suggesting only fifty cents is to make it possible for every individual no matter how poor, who is an owner of real estate, to become a member of the association. Under this condition I feel that there should eventually be a membership of from ten to fifteen hundred at least. The expense of the association would not necessarily be very

great. Its purposes would be, primarily, to protect the interests of the real estate owners in matters especially relating to the actions of the council in municipal measures. Such an association could, if thought desirable, affect the policy of our municipal government by tendering advice to that body in the interest of all the taxpayers. The association, as often as found necessary, could come together and discuss municipal matters in which the association were interested resulting in definite conclusions by vote, and then by deputing present the opinions of the association to the council, and there is no doubt but what the opinions presented would have weight. But if the council would not accept of reasonable advice from the association this body could, by standing together, elect a council at the election following, that would listen to reason and act accordingly, with the result that such incapacity, mismanagement and extravagance as we have had to put up with the last two or three years would be greatly minimized.

All ladies who own real estate would be eligible as members of this proposed association as well as men. Now, Mr. Editor, I trust that with your permission others who may read this will express their opinions regarding this matter so that if the proposition herein stated is thought advisable it could be gone on with and matured in time to take a hand in the approaching municipal election.

A. ROBINSON. S. Russell McCreary, B. Sc., M.D., C. M., resident surgeon Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. John and Miss Julia Murphy of Hamilton, are visiting their brother, Mr. Jerry Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynch, of 131 Burnham St.

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OTHER VICTIM RHEUMATISM

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WRIGHT. The fair was celebrated at Miss Evelyn Wright to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lawson Township. The was performed by Rev. Byers, M. A. The fair looked lovely in a gown of satin with Geordies and coat of brown with hat to match. The were unattended. A very nice dinner was served at the home of Bronson, Stirling, after left midday showers of a motor trip to Toronto Western points.

EST—LUMMISS

but pretty wedding took place at Stirling, Stirling, on Sunday morning, October 27. Adelia, daughter of Jas. Mary Lammiss, Stirling, the bride of John N. Reid, both of Belleville were attended by Geo. and Esther Cufe. On their their honeymoon they on George St.

AFTER TROU.

The river guides and others who have plover boats are now trolling for trout at Chazy shoals and South Bar. Some excellent catches have been made, as many as fifteen and twenty per catch.

ACCEPTED NEW POSITION.

Mr. David Nicholson, who for the past three and half years has been organist and choirmaster of St. Andrew's Church, Campbellford, has accepted a similar and more remunerative position in Bowmanville Methodist Church. Mr. Nicholson has been very successful in his work at Campbellford as is evidenced in the choir of the church of which he was leader. He is moreover, an excellent citizen whom our townspeople will regret to lose. We wish him every success in his new field of labor.

CALLED TO THE BAR.

Our readers, says the Campbellford Herald, will be glad to learn that Mr. Ray Merrill, B.A., LL.B., was called to the bar last week. Mr. Merrill was attending Queen's University when he enlisted for overseas service, and after four years service, returned and completed his arts course at Queen's. He then entered Osgoode Hall and is now a full fledged legal practitioner. Mr. Ross Strike, son of Rev. A. J. H. and Mrs. Strike of Perth was also called to the bar on the same day.

ONE APPLE WEIGHED I POUND.

From the orchard of Iva K. Emory, Rockport, Ont., comes apples of the Baldwin variety, one of which weighs an even pound. The tree from which it was picked yielded 10 barrels, seven of which were gathered from the tree without the pickers leaving the ground. One hundred and thirty-three of these apples filled a barrel. Mr. W. W. Emory of Cherry Valley, helped to pick and pack these apples. Mr. Emory has a choice lot of apples in his own orchard at Cherry Valley. He brought to The Picton Times office a sample of Talman Sweets which are beautifully colored and of fine flavor.

HORSE BROKE ITS LEG.

On Saturday evening a horse belonging to Stanley Mulrooney of Marlborough bank slipped on the pavement in

DIED.

In Belleville on Friday, Oct. 31, 1920, Mrs. Willoughby, aged 72 years.

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NOT A ONE-MAN GOVERNMENT

Upon all sides The Ontario hears warm commendation expressed in reference to the proposal to adopt the City Manager plan of government in Belleville. The adverse criticisms heard are extremely few and these are based upon an entire misconception of what the City Manager plan really is.

The objection most frequently heard is that the Manager scheme is a one-man system of government, a sort of dictatorship, opposed entirely to Anglon-Saxon ideals of democracy.

Nothing could be farther from the truth. The City-Manager plan, if adopted in Belleville, would be a 2,500-man government, or a government by as many men as there are electors in the city. Those 2,500 men annually elect a board of directors that we may call aldermen or commissioners, as we choose. That board of directors hires a man specially skilled in managing municipal affairs the same as a bank or railroad or industrial corporation hires a man skilled in banking, or railroading or factory operation to carry out their general policies and do the technical work that neither directors nor stockholders have the time, the skill or the inclination to try to do for themselves. In exactly the same way a board of trustees engages a school principal. There is not a minute of the year that the principal is not directly responsible to the trustees and through them responsible to ratepayers and electors.

If we went out every year and elected, by popular vote, a group of butchers and bakers and candlestick-makers to manage and teach our schools, we would be doing identically the same foolish thing as we are doing now in electing a group of amateurs to manage and superintend the working out of our policies of government in our city municipalities.

Little wonder is it that we run into such lotchery as we have seen exhibited on Murney's hill the past two seasons where a dozen cooks have been adding expense and contributing to waste by their conflicting plans and hodge-podge methods.

We repeat what we have said before, the members of this year's city council are all capable men in their own private business or profession. They are honest men and have endeavored to be faithful to the trust reposed in them by the electors but they have been trying to work under a system that is incapable of producing anything better than waste, extravagance, inefficiency, slovenliness, confusion and towering debts.

We are now beginning to see by the light of expensive experience that mere honesty is not sufficient in our city government, that business or professional men, no matter how successful in their private affairs, are only amateurs when it comes to carrying out the highly technical work of city administration.

When ten men are thrown into the municipal pond every year and told to swim whether they have, or have not, had any previous knowledge of how to keep afloat is it any wonder that there are collisions, floundering, much stirring up of mud, wasted energy, and costly accidents. The amazing thing is that such features are not more pronounced.

It is safe to say that if Belleville business men managed their private affairs with the same indirection, lack of purpose, divided management, opposing counsels and disregard of business principles that it would be only a question of time until all would be asked to come forward and make a settlement with their creditors.

This municipal system of government we have at present is not a sacred thing, divinely ordained.

It is merely an evolution from something more crude that went before. The evolutionary process is not yet complete.

Government is not something apart from the rest of our lives. It is merely a method of doing in another way what we would otherwise have to do individually.

Government is simply an organization of the people for the purpose of doing those things which the people cannot do for themselves, of doing those things which the people cannot be permitted to do for themselves or those things which can be better done collectively than individually.

Individually we could not have protected ourselves against German aggression. We have to have organized government to protect ourselves against foreign enemies.

A man may buy a shot-gun and sit down on his front door-step and protect his family and property from harm at the hands of other people. But in the interest of society as a whole, it is not well that men should do that sort of thing. It leads to needless feuds and killings. For such purposes we have found by experience that it is better to have an organized police force and delegate to them the duty of keeping order and enforcing the claims of justice.

A citizen may presumably provide a water supply and light for his own house.

Belleville merchants might cart all their goods by horse trains from Montreal to Toronto and be independent. But it is more convenient and economical to have public transportation lines than for each man to be his own carrier.

It is just such simple things as the supplying of water, gas, light, sewerage, parks, police protection, roads and sidewalks that a city government is organized to do. When it fails to do them or does them inefficiently or expensively the whole community suffers.

Get these two primary considerations clearly into your mind.—In the first place government in a democracy must be so organized as to express the will of the people with a reasonable degree of accuracy and promptness. In the second place government in a democracy should be so organized that it will efficiently execute the will of the electorate once that will has been expressed.

Government, whether of city, province or dominion, is concerned only with two things—legislation and administration.

"For forms of government let fools contest: Whate'er is best administered is best."

This opinion from Pope's "Essay on Man" has been fruitful of a lot of bad political doctrine. The "Essay on Man" is poor poetry but its political science is much worse.

Had Alexander Pope read the history of his native land with the least discrimination he would have discovered that the entire struggle for political liberty in England centered around forms of government.

There was the struggle to get parliament recognised as an established institution of government. There was the struggle to get power away from the king and into the hands of parliament. Next there was the struggle to bring the executive under the control of parliament and particularly of the house of commons. Just prior to the Great War, we witnessed the successful effort of the house of commons to become the dominant factor in British government by reducing the house of lords to a body having a mere suspensive vote on legislation.

We have heard Pope's fallacy expressed in our own day in words like these.—"The form of government is of no importance. Any form of government will work well if you get the right men to run it."

Only last week The Ontario published a somewhat ironical letter from which one would gather the impression that Belleville city council would be all right and would not make mistakes if we had chosen different men for mayor and aldermen.

If a man walked into the local plant of the Steel Company of Canada and informed Mr. Higgs that it made no difference how he organized his business as long as he got good men in to it, that it would come out all right if he paid no attention to the placing of machinery to conserve labor, if he had a dozen workmen getting in one another's way and not co-operating or co-ordinating their efforts, if the buying and delivering of raw material was carried on by a score of different agencies, none of them working with any regard to the others or to general instructions, if the marketing of the finished product was equally unmethodical, Mr. Higgs would probably question the man's sanity and if Mr. Higgs were a frank and brutal person he might even put his thought into words.

It is a well known fact in commercial life that with the right kind of organization you not only can get better men to come into your business but you can get better service out of the men after they are in it.

The principles of successful business are precisely the same as those that bring success in government.

We have already stated that there are two

essential functions of government. The first of these is the expression of the will of the people. The second is its execution.

These two functions are essentially separate and distinct.

The first function has to do with policies regarding which there may be proper and sincere differences of opinion.

On the other hand administration has to do with the execution of policies once they are agreed upon.

In administration the only legitimate consideration is the best and most effective method of getting the work done.

For instance there may have been legitimate differences of opinion among the electors and the members of the city council as to the wisdom of buying the waterworks plant but when once the plant was purchased there was no difference of opinion as to getting the work done in the most efficient manner possible.

Why is it that we cannot choose good executives by popular election?

When we choose men for the city council we must now have in view this dual function of the legislative and executive.

But it is practically impossible to get the kind of talent required for successful city administration to stand for election to our own city council or to devote the necessary time to the work even if elected.

The administration of city affairs, the actual carrying out of the policies adopted is a most difficult task calling for as high qualifications as any profession of which we know. It calls for the same type of ability as that required for the management of any large or successful business. The men who are really competent to act as executives in the affairs of our cities are likely to be pretty busy in their own occupations and do not care to run the gauntlet of a popular election.

The City Manager plan comes nearer than anything yet devised to fulfilling the fundamental requirements of popular government. A city government so devised will effectively express the popular will and express the will efficiently when expressed. It provides a type of government that makes it possible for us to secure the maximum of democracy together with the maximum of efficiency.

The primary purpose of City Management is not a lower tax-rate. Though lower taxes will follow greater efficiency in administration just as certainly as effect follows cause. The main advantage of efficient city government is that it will bring to the great masses of the people service and advantages of which they would otherwise be deprived and thereby make life for them safer, pleasanter, more convenient and more profitable.

Wages and tobacco may soon be supplied to prisoners at Kingston. When that becomes the rule one may expect to hear many eloquent appeals in court to be sent to the "pen" rather than to one of those common jails, where no other amusement than playing "How Dry I Am" on a stone with a sledge-hammer is available.

OUR COUNTRY FAIR

Sylvester Smythe, a city kid,
 Boards at our farm this year,
 And I am sure 'twould make you grin
 If you could only hear
 Him brag about the city sights,
 The Hippodrome and Zoo;
 But when he piles it on too thick,
 I do some bragging too.

I ask him if his hippodrome
 Or zoo has ever shown
 A pair of well-matched Devon steers
 That draw two tons of stone;
 And when he says it can't be done,
 I cross my heart and swear
 Six Jones' steers do just that stunt
 Out at our Country Fair.

I ask him if the museums
 He praises up sky-high
 Show pumpkins big as wagon wheels
 And every kind of pie;
 Or patchwork quilts all made by hand,
 Of tiny blocks cut square;
 We've shown these things for twenty years
 Out at our County Fair.

I s'pose he has seen lots of things,
 But so have I, b'gosh!
 And country pumpkins just as good
 As any city squash.
 He never praises anything
 Out here—except the air;
 But you just watch he'll change his tune
 Out at our County Fair.
 —Floyd Schoonmaker Armstrong.

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Meditation About Bancroft Fair

Here's how a Cee Hill correspondent writing to the North Hastings Review, Madoc, sizes up the Bancroft Fair:
 By Jinks wife, I'm cross as a bear,
 I've just arrived home from Bancroft Fair,
 My expectations were very keen,
 Considering what I have really seen,
 It was boosted and boomed in papers galore,
 'Till we surely expected something more.
 And when at the gate a half dollar was charged,
 My anticipations were greatly enlarged.
 At Toronto's Ex. a quarter we pay,
 Which gives us the sights for all the day.
 The day was sunny and very bright
 But, oh wife, those races were a sight.
 The midway sports which were advertised,
 Were few in numbers and small in size,
 The wheels of fortune were quite a joke,
 Not to mention the men they broke,
 The people seemed happy and very cheery,
 But the day to me seemed long and dreary.
 So next year wife, I'll surely go
 To a somewhat different Country show.
 Where the races are better and more up to date,
 And they do not charge at such a rate.
 The Madoc Band played many an air
 And saved the day for the Bancroft Fair.

Port Hope Man in Trouble

Was Arrested in Cobourg—Made Cobourg Jail Unhabitable.
 Four young men from Port Hope motored over to Cobourg Wednesday evening and gasolene was not the only fluid which the car carried. And as it invariably happens gasoline and the other liquids refused to mix. On the main street in Cobourg something went wrong with the car and one of the quartette became so boisterous that he was placed under arrest. The jail quarters did not appeal to him and he started in to raise rough house. He tore the lavatory out, turned over the stove and disconnected the steam pipe. Fortunately the attention of the night-watchman was attracted by the noise and when he reached the jail the whole place was flooded and the prisoner was standing in water up to his knees. He was removed to the Counties jail and next morning was remanded until Monday for trial.

Found the Skeleton of a Nine-Foot Man

PITTSBURG, Nov. 1.—Excavation of a mound near Greenburg, by Dr. W. J. Holland, curator of a Carnegie Museum in this city, has disclosed the skeleton of a man who in life was almost nine feet in height. The mummified torso, according to Dr. Holland, was buried more than four hundred years ago and was, he believed, that of a member of a prehistoric race inhabiting North America before the Indian.

ESTABLISHED BELLEVILLE

At the Annual ed Boards City Hall, Of the 28 Presented Chamber of

One of the most interesting things that has ever taken place in Belleville will be the convention of the Association of Trade and Chambers of the Province of Ontario held in the City Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 3 and 4.

This is the first time that the meeting place of this important organization, which has the best thought and commercial and industrial province.

It is largely out of our own ranks that we have secured such active members of the Association as Lt.-Col. Ponton, Mr. John Elliott, president, Mr. R. J. Grant, Mr. Marsh and others that convention is being held. There are, in all, 28 chambers and boards, and more than eight are submitting resolutions to be presented to the Belleville Chamber of Commerce.

Following are the resolutions presented by Belleville:—

Development of Hydro-Electricity
 Resolved that, in the interests of the Province of Ontario, the Associated Trade and Chambers of Commerce and Industry should petition the Government to encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity, and to encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity, and to encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity.

Immigration
 Resolved that immigration be fostered and encouraged by the Government of Ontario, and that the Government should encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity, and to encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity.

Resolved that the Ontario Government should encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity, and to encourage and assist in the development of hydro-electricity.

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