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SERVICE AND SELF-DECEPTION

Hon Manning Doherty, Minister of Agriculture in the Ontario Government, in his brief address at the opening of Belleville Fair, gave expression to a sentiment that is worthy of repetition. It was this,—"The world is not now thinking so much about what a man possesses as how well he can serve others."

This idea of service is one that we of late have been hearing much. Within the past few months two organizations have come to Belleville which have as their basic principle community service. The motto of the older association is, "He profits most who serves best."

And the business world has taken up the same notion. The old Latin motto, "Let the buyer beware," is no longer thought to be good business, let alone good ethics.

"He profits most who serves best," may be criticised in the same way as that somewhat sordid old business maxim, "Honesty is the best policy." Both may be appeals to selfishness and the hope of gain rather than to the higher idealism of "Virtue is its own reward." But they, nevertheless, represent great basic truths.

The business man who tries to get ahead by trying to cheat his customers is not only un-moral but a fool.

Better than big business is clean business. To an honest man, the most satisfactory reflection, after he has amassed his dollars, is not that they are many but that they are all clean.

What constitutes clean business? The answer is obvious enough but the obvious needs restating every once in a while.

A clean profit is one that also makes a profit for the other fellow.

That is the most fundamental moral axiom in business.

Any gain that arises from another's loss is dirty.

Any business whose prosperity depends upon damage to any other business is a menace to the general welfare.

That is why gambling, direct or indirect, is criminal, why lotteries are prohibited by law, and why even gambling slot-machine devices are not tolerated in civilized countries.

When a farmer, on Belleville market, sells a housekeeper a bag of potatoes, when a milkman sells her a quart of milk, or the butcher a pound of steak, or the dry-goods man a yard of cotton, the housekeeper is benefitted quite as much as those who get her money. A real need, on the part of the housekeeper, has been honestly served by the farmer or the butcher or the merchant.

That is the type of honest, clean business, the kind that helps everybody and hurts nobody. That is the kind of business that means service.

A man that makes a habit, every deal he goes into, of asking himself, "What is there in it for the other fellow?" instead of "How much can I do the other fellow out of?" and who refuses to enter into any transaction where his own gain will mean disaster to some one else, cannot go far wrong. Any man who makes his money by ruining other people is not entitled to be called decent.

An industrial establishment where workmen are given employment, paid living wages, where health and life are conserved by having the work done under safe, clean, wholesome conditions, is doing more real good in the world than a dozen charitable institutions of proportionate size.

"Lying to others is much less serious than lying to yourself," said Leo Tolstoy in a letter to his niece.

To know this is the beginning of wisdom. Self-deception is the starting point of moral decay. Lying to others may be but a harmless amusement but lying to yourself is sure to mean

inward deformity, the germ-laden fleck that spreads disease through your whole character. Yet it is the commonest, easiest, most subtle of sins.

Every down-an-outer labors to justify himself and trace his misfortune to others. The profligate has said to himself "the world owes me a living" until he believes it. The criminal lays his downfall at the door of society.

But as a matter of fact, no person, since the world began, was ever compelled to do wrong. No rotten stone or cracked beam was ever put into a man's character that he did not put there with his own hands. When we say that others made us do the evil thing, we lie to ourselves. Others may have threatened, cajoled, tempted, pushed, or bribed us but the final step was never taken except by the consent of our own will. One may have to suffer, to be humiliated to endure tragedy or even to die. But no one ever had to do wrong.

Not long ago a man accepted the highest salaried position in the gift of a certain city. It was such a position as gave him an opportunity to make for himself an honorable name and to gain a reputation that would be far more than local. He held the confidence and the good-will of those he was to serve.

But he deceived himself by the belief that confidence and good-will were commodities to be bartered or exploited for his own personal emolument.

Some may admire the ease and deftness with which he transformed confidence into dollars and then got away with the dollars. But any man who barter's honorable opportunity, friendly confidence, neighborly good-will and even his manhood for a few miserable dollars, is himself the worst dupe of all. He has sold the most precious thing that a man possesses in this world for a pitifully small return.

Holland has a new trouble. Like other countries it has adopted heavy income taxes, and the problem is to make the ex-Kaiser pay his share. It is reported that his income has been assessed at 1,500,000 guilders, which at normal exchange would equal \$600,000. But the ex-Kaiser apparently protested that his income varies on account of the fluctuations of exchange, and was allowed a delay, and promised a re-assessment.

If the ex-Kaiser saved \$600,000 a year from the wreck of the war he did not do so badly, and the thrifty Dutch doubtless hope he will live many years to pay income taxes. Meantime many ex-soldiers have no incomes to pay taxes on, and are facing the winter with misgivings.

Over-confidence in human nature is a failing that leans to the side of virtue. But the studied attempt to deceive others gives evidence of basic moral deformity and degraded character from which recovery or rehabilitation seldom or never takes place.

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He pays a most exorbitant price who surrenders decency, honor, fidelity, manhood, character, and conscience, as well as the approval of honest men, to gain a few dishonest dollars.

A BUSY STREET

I love a busy, bustling town. One day they put the pavement down, All nice and smooth and sweet; and then Next day they tear it up again.

From one end of the street back to Its other end, that's what they do: And then they get it smooth and flat, And give it its last loving pat.

And then there is a shriek of fear Comes from the city engineer— He has mislaid his monkey wrench And instantly they start a trench, And toss the pavement all around Until the monkey wrench is found!

And then they tamp the dirt in tight, And get it leveled off all right, And surface it with hard concrete, And make a street as is a street.

By putting sand and bisk on that, And the steam roller makes it flat. Then they pierce that pavement through and through

To lay a line of pipe or two Then they repair that, and it lies Smoothly beneath the summer skies For, it may be a day or two,

Then there's a sewer to run through! Now, when someone you chance to meet Talks of the "busy city street," That's what he means, in this man's town— The street that's getting up and down And rolling over that way, fill

It just seems like it can't lie still. —Judd Mortimer Lewis in Houston Post.

OBITUARY

MRS. D. H. PRESTON.

The funeral of the late Mrs. D. H. Preston was held from her home on West St. on Saturday last at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. A. J. Wilson, of St. Andrew's Church. From the house the remains were taken to the Riverside cemetery for interment.

Mrs. Preston was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Templeton, of Napanee, and the sister of the late Wm. Templeton, of The Beaver. She was married to Mr. D. H. Preston, a well known Barrister, who survives her. All her married life was spent in Napanee. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and for many years the organist there. And until the very last she retained her interest in her music and in all the various organizations and interests of the congregation.

Mrs. Preston had been ailing for some months, and during her illness she was under the constant observation of her son, Dr. Harry Preston, who had only just returned from overseas and remained home in the hope of being able to help his mother. But in spite of all the efforts that were made to restore her health, her heart was not sufficient for the strain, and it collapsed suddenly on Monday last.

Mrs. Preston was a woman of quiet unassuming manner of life, a strong character beneath a quiet exterior, a woman whose personality and influence for good was felt throughout the whole community. The large number that were present on Saturday to pay their last respects to her memory, testified to the esteem in which she was regarded by all classes and the place that she held in their hearts.

Besides Miss Alice Preston and Dr. Harry Preston, who were with her at the time of her death, the other children who were present at the funeral were Mr. J. W. Preston and Miss Janet Preston, of Pueblo, Colorado; Mrs. Davidson, of Leithbridge, and Mrs. (Dr.) Russell, of Ballisboro, Ont.—Napanee Beaver.

DAVID J. WALSH.

David J. Walsh, a retired farmer of Tyendinaga township, passed away on Sunday in Belleville General Hospital after a week's illness. He was born in Tyendinaga 73 years ago and was a son of the late James Walsh and Mary Kennedy Walsh, of Ireland. He was a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Walsh was a widower and leaves a family. The remains have been taken to his home in Read by the Belleville Burial Co.

MOIRA

The W.M.S. held a Union service here at the church on Wednesday. Two services were held, one at 10.30 and at 8 p.m. Very impressive readings were given by Mrs. D. Thompson, Mrs. F. Herity, and Mrs. A. Welsh, also a solo by Mrs. Geo. Hollinger, Mrs. Ed. Pittman and Mrs. J. Morton and other excellent addresses were given. The President, Mrs. F. Vanderwater, occupied the chair. A lunch was served at noon. Ladies were present from Bethel, Eggleton and West Hartington.

Mrs. Annie Elliott happened with a serious accident while nursing a case at Halton. When out in the dark she fell into a hole and striking the knee cap on a sharp stone. Dr. Morgan was at once called and found Mrs. Elliott in a painful condition. She was brought home and will be laid up for some time.

Mr. Roy Sellsbury was thrown down by a horse and has sprained his ankle again. He had only been around a short time from being laid up with the same ankle.

Mr. Stanley Kincaid had an accident while driving some cattle when one of them knocked him down, cutting his head badly. Dr. Morgan was called and it required seven stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. Blake Ketcheson is ill with La Grippe. Her mother, Mrs. Geo. Hollinger, is with her.

Rev. E. A. Tonkin, of Bowmanville, a former pastor here, came to see Mrs. Annie Elliott and Mr. G. Vanderwater on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Burke and Rev. E. A. Tonkin spent Tuesday evening at Mr. S. Ketcheson's.

Mr. Foster Wilson, of West Hartington, spent Wednesday, guest of his cousin, Mr. Stan. Kincaid.

MARRIED.

BROOK — HOLSEY — At St. Andrew's Church on Saturday, Nov. 27th, 1920, by the Rev. A. S. Kerr, M. A., Violet Marion Holsey to Robert G. Brook, both of Belleville.

Miss Cecelia Mott of Frankford is in the city visiting friends.

S. O. S. Observe St. Andrew's Day

"Those Things That Make a Nation Great," was Rev. A. S. Kerr's Theme.

"Today we are thinking of the heritage handed down to the people of Scotland. Our imagination ought to be quickened and our memory strengthened regarding those things which ought not to be forgotten. Yet we must not live in the past. Our lot has been cast in a new land. Canada is the land of our adoption. We are to remember we have duties and obligations to fulfill in this land. It is a pathetic thing to see people come here from the old land in the body but not in the spirit. They have never absorbed nor assimilated the atmosphere of this western land. Just as we think of Scotland as a land of which our children should be proud we must see to it that our children shall be proud of Canada. That is the challenge that comes to every son of Scotland, every son of England, every son of Ireland, every son of the Oriental world in Canada."

With these words the Rev. A. S. Kerr, M. A., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, opened his address on Sunday morning to the Camp Rob Roy, Sons of Scotland, of which he is chief, and the members of the Sons of England Society, at St. Andrew's Church. It was the St. Andrew's Day celebration.

What are the things worth while putting into our national life? asked the preacher. A great nation places moral and spiritual standards before the material. Herein lies our danger in Canada—we boast of our wealth, and our acreage for millions but after all from the soul point of view these must be subordinated to the moral and spiritual. There is a place for wealth and production, but they do not come first. Manly courage is a fine thing but may be misdirected in behalf of an unworthy cause. Many violent deeds were done by the German army but they were performed in the name of a perverted ideal.

The right kind of education will make a nation great. What sort of ideals are we placing before our children in our schools? Russia went to pieces because she had no education. Germany was wrecked because she had the wrong education inculcating the supremacy of the state. "I wonder if our young people are being developed properly," said the Rev. Mr. Kerr. "Is it more intellectual training they are acquiring? Are our boys and girls being taught that it is the right kind of life that wins wealth and attainments or are our boys and girls learning that life is to be lived in service for others. To make a living is not the main thing in life, but to make a life.

"Cannot we say that it was education and the right kind of education that made Scotland what she is. Scotland could not boast of her wide borders, but she always set a proper value of education."

Internal cohesion is a necessity for a great nation. We can never get unity of opinion in religion or in politics, but there ought to be the unity of good will. A family that is quarrelsome is a disgrace to the neighborhood and a nation that is full of strife sinks in the eyes of men.

No nation can be great without God. In other words there must be a spiritual centre in the nation. Beatrice said that the war would only be won when the nation turned to God and Foch expressed the same thought in a Catholic way. He carried in his breast a crucifix and when victory came he ascribed it to God. Taking out the crucifix he said to his friends "It is the Crucified One on the Cross that has delivered France."

Our national flag is sacred. We ought to keep it as our fathers bequeathed it to us. There is another flag—the Bible the Cross—which we must hold sacred.

During the service Miss L. Lobb sang "The Lord is My Shepherd" and the choir rendered an anthem very acceptably Mr. E. A. Monek taking the solo part.

MORE R.O.T.A. PROSECUTIONS

In police court this morning Lawrence Burke was charged before Justice W. B. Riggs and H. F. Ketcheson with a second offence under the Ontario Temperance Act, namely selling liquor. The case was enlarged until Thursday and bail set at \$2,000. James Hughes was charged with a R.O.T.A. and this was also enlarged to Dec. 2nd, bail being fixed at \$500.

NEW INSPECTOR ON DUTY

Liquor License Inspector Francis J. Naphin will be released of his duties in the police department after

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today and will at once enter upon his new office. The police commissioners met yesterday and so decided. They will meet this afternoon regarding the appointment of a successor to Sgt. Naphin.

PIECE OF POTTERY CACHED BY CHAMPLAIN.

Mr. E. Trudeau of Tweed while hunting with the Lessard party on Partridge Creek this fall made a fine bag in the shape of a large black bear. This splendid specimen of the genus Ursus weighed about 550 lbs. and measured 6 ft. 8 in. from tip to tip.

Mr. Trudeau has been extremely lucky on his trips into the north country, about five years ago he found a fine piece of Indian pottery that has been identified as having been cached by Champlain on his cross country trip. And last year he secured a monster timber wolf.

PRAISES FIREMEN.

Last evening Ald. Ponton praised Belleville firemen. The city should be proud of its department.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Those who expected the snow would go off in a few days have been disappointed, says the Marmora Herald. The storm on Sunday was also unusually severe and added considerably to the quantity of snow. The records show that the snowfall

BROKE MOTOR LAW.

Inspector Passmore of the Department of Highways was in the city yesterday and today in the interests of the observance of the Motor Vehicle Act. He and the police had two men before the police court this morning on a charge of infraction of the law. One was a dealer who in taking in an old car on a trade with a new one, allowed the purchaser to take the markers off the old car and put them on the new one. The dealer pleaded not guilty but was found guilty and fined twenty dollars and costs. The purchaser of the car was fined \$10 and costs for driving with markers not issued by the department or its agents for his new car.

CHINESE ARE RELEASED.

The three Chinamen recently taken into custody near Ogdensburg on a charge of illegally entering the United States have been released on bail of \$5,000 apiece, Eddie Becker, of Montreal, alleged to have taken the aliens across the border, is still in Canton jail unable to procure bail. He will be deported.

POLITICS AM

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mine. Yet it appeared that one by one the fourteen points was dropped. Some were lost in Paris, some in Buckingham Palace. The Americans began to wonder if the bad boys in Europe would leave the ship so the President could get home again. Finally they didn't care if he ever came back. When election day came around they worked for Harding like the boys in Samson ward used to work for the late Harry Corby.

Politics comes natural to one who has lived in the city by the Quinte. There was a popular headline that The Intelligencer carried for years: "Another Grit Lie Natted." West Hastings has always been a citadel like the Grif could seldom get over the top. In America they are not so steadfast. If they think it's time for a change they do so and in that they show good sense.

Years ago we had the Marble Hall Club that flourished for a while and then gracefully passed away a victim of too much humor. In that short time a William Jennings Bryan sprang up—the boy orator from Bleecker ward. "Banty" Bennett. His speech on the high cost of the "arch" lights will be found a classic in the back files of The Ontario of 1899. My old friend, "Yankee" Currier, was one of the active members of it and took a great deal of interest in municipal reform. On election day he could not be found. He had no vote. The writer is in the same boat today. It's as natural to take an interest in politics as it is for Harry Day to shoot ducks. Whether you have a vote or not makes no difference for in the recent avalanche one vote would have made no difference.

In reading The Ontario I see that great improvements are being made in the public works department. The tearing up of new pavements is an expensive operation only for big cities like Toronto and Montreal should be discouraged in Belleville. I read an interesting letter of W. C. Mikel and his idea of public meetings is a good one but no one will pay any attention to him when he is serious. He was branded a humorist in his early days with Darius Greene and his flying machine. He will never get over it. Too much economy is also a bad policy. The man who pays big taxes doesn't pay any—the tenant does. You never see any letters signed rent payers and, believe me, Mr. Editor, they are the boys who persevere. If you had to pay rent in Los Angeles you would not feel sorry for the landlord, you would want to shoot him.

Cordially yours,
W. S. MacDermid.

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When he retired, in 1878 he re-entered the political arena as the Conservative candidate for the House of Commons in West Hastings, the constituency comprising Belleville, Sidney and Trenton. On this occasion he met his old opponent, James Brown, whom he as a Liberal had defeated in 1861, but who was now the Liberal candidate. After having been elected in 1867 and 1872 in the Conservative interest, and in 1874 as an Independent. The party affiliations of these gentlemen had thus been reversed during the seventeen years that had elapsed since they first met in the political arena. After this he was appointed Chief Justice of Manitoba, and died at Winnipeg, after a few years' efficient service.

Hon. Lewis Wallbridge, like many other eminent men had a hobby, and his hobby was bees. Of these interesting and industrious insects he had many hives of several kinds in his spacious garden at the corner of Front and Dundas Streets, and which he thoroughly understood, for they seemed to understand him, as he spoke to them as if they were children and handled them in handfuls when they swarmed.

Mr. Wallbridge's return to the Conservative party was owing to the acceptance in the British America Act of the principle of representation by population which had led to his having cast in his lot with the Lib-

erals in previous years.

Personally Mr. Wallbridge was a most lovable man. Those who lived nearest to him speak of him now as "a good neighbor," and many of our older citizens, political friends and opponents alike still reverence his memory.

Miscellaneous Shower Given to Mr. and Mrs. Rosevear

On Monday evening Nov. the 22nd a very happy time was spent at the home of Mr. Blake Biddell, South Cannifton, when some sixty people assembled and gave a miscellaneous shower in honour of Mrs. George Rosevear, a war bride, lately arrived from England, and to honour Mr. Rosevear as a patriotic soldier of the King.

The Rev. J. S. McMillan, called the happy company to order about nine o'clock, when all engaged in singing "When the Roll is Called up Yonder, I'll Be There." After prayer was offered, and other numbers were sung, the following complimentary address was read, and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Rosevear, and was acknowledged in fitting terms.

The entire audience then sang "Blest be the Tie that Binds" after which numerous congratulatory addresses were delivered, a dainty repast was served, and the gathering broke up about eleven o'clock leaving their good wishes and many useful and valuable gifts behind to cheer and materially assist Mr. and Mrs. Rosevear in setting up house-keeping amongst us.

Cannifton, Nov. 22 1920.
Mr. and Mrs. Rosevear

Dear Friends,—
We, a number of your neighbors, and friends, of Cannifton and Corbyville community, hearing of the arrival of Mrs. Rosevear, as a war bride from England, and knowing that you had settled your minds to remain, and live amongst us, have felt it our hearty desire, and Christian duty to call upon you tonight, to express our sincere interest in you, and our prayers, and well wishes, for your future happiness and prosperity.

Having been married far from us, in the old home land of England and under war conditions rendered it impossible at the time, as residents of Mr. Rosevear's old community to meet and present our tokens of esteem and wish you both a prosperous sail upon the sea of matrimony, which we all wish in doing tonight.

Dear Mrs. Rosevear we are not ungrateful at this time of the long voyage you have taken from your old home and friends, far over the seas to join your soldier husband in Canada, the land of your adoption, and set up your new home in our midst. We extend to you the glad hand of welcome, and assure you, that we are happy in receiving into the circle of our friendship and association, hoping that our future days may be made pleasant and profitable by our mutual faith and fellowship.

We cannot forget on this occasion the fact that Mr. Rosevear volunteered for service at the front, on the outbreak of hostilities, and, as a patriotic soldier took his place amid the shot and shell of battle, and endured all the hardships of the conflict that we might live in peace and safety at home, enjoying British institutions and freedom.

We ask you both to accept these numerous personal gifts, not for their intrinsic value, but because of the love that prompted these pres-

ents. If we have succeeded in cheering your hearts and to any degree assisted you in the task of setting up house amongst us we shall be happy.

Signed in behalf of Cannifton Community.

Ed. J. Shorey,
J. S. McMillan,
Mrs. A. Loucke,
Mrs. Ed. J. Shorey.

Address and Presentation

At W.M.S. Meeting.

On Thursday afternoon, Nov. 18, the Massassa Women's Missionary Society held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. D. W. Valleeu, about twenty-five ladies being present. After an interesting program the president of the society, Mrs. A. Hillman, expressed regret that one of the members, Miss Ella Anderson, was soon to leave our neighborhood and Mrs. Davidson read the following address:

Dear Friend,—It is with feelings of deepest regret we have come to realize that you will soon be leaving our neighborhood.

The faithful service you have rendered both in church work and in Sunday school will not soon be forgotten. Words fail to convey to you how sorry we are that Providence has so designed that a separation is about to take place between you and us.

The breaking up of your home is indeed a sad loss in the church, and although you may be absent from us in body, we trust your sympathy and interest will sometimes revert to your friends in your old home church. As a token of the regard in which you are held, we ask you to accept this wrist watch as a loving remembrance from your friends of Massassa. We wish you every happiness in your future home. Wherever your lot may be cast, may God's blessing be with you. Signed on behalf of your Massassa friends,

Mrs. D. R. Davidson,
Mrs. D. W. Valleeu,
Mrs. G. F. Lent,
Mrs. A. Hillman.

Mrs. Valleeu made the presentation. Miss Anderson was taken entirely by surprise and with much feeling thanked the ladies of the church for their thoughtfulness in her behalf. Miss Anderson will be a teacher in the Sunday school and president of the W.M.S. for several years. Much regret is felt that she is to leave the neighborhood.

A delicious lunch, was served at the close of the meeting by the ladies of the neighborhood and a social hour spent.

SHOT HUGE MOOSE

A huge bull moose weighing close to 1,500 pounds and bearing a magnificent spread of antlers, was one of the sights Wednesday morning at the Brockville union station, where the animal was being held pending transfer to the Canadian Coteau Junction yard in the path of National station. The moose was consigned to A. Bruce, Elgin, and sleigh, loaded with two cords of firewood shot in the neighborhood of Wood, stuck on the tracks and all effort failed. The farm-brought down by the same party, or accordingly unhitched the horses the moose is the only one so far to arrive at Brockville this season and in charge of Engineer W. Pars-

was the object of much interest among station frequenters. It took quite a combined effort of four express-men to move the carcass which took up an entire express truck.

W.M.S. Observed Tues. as Day of Prayer

The Women's Missionary Societies of Bridge Street Church, Tabernacle, Holloway Street, Bayside and Aikens, on Tuesday Nov. 23rd, observed a day of prayer in Holloway Street, Methodist Church. Miss Ida A. Martin, President of the auxiliary in that church presided in her usual capable manner. Miss Hawley, of Bridge Street auxiliary explained that the Board of Management had asked this year the fourteenth birthday of our Women's Missionary Society for 40,000 new members, twenty percent increase in funds, and for 20 new missionaries. This can only be accomplished by concerted, enthusiastic, co-operative endeavor on the part of the members. The first hour of the service was under the leadership of Mrs. Sharp, of the Tabernacle, with "The Home Base" as theme. Mrs. Booth, of Holloway Street auxiliary, described a trip across the continent calling at our various Domestic Missions, followed by a round table conference. After lunch and the social hour the subject "Our Missionaries" was presented by Miss Jones, followed by earnest prayer by Mr. Bailey for our workers in Home and Foreign Fields.

The next hour was taken by Mrs. John, and Mrs. Mutton, of Bayside, with "Japan" as theme. This field has asked for seven new workers this year. The needs of China were brought forward by Miss Hawley, of Bridge Street. Thirty-nine new workers are asked for in China, including doctors, nurses, dentists and pharmacists; besides pastoral, educational and special workers. A strong appeal for the organization of more Circles was urged by Miss Morden, there being only two at present in the district. At intervals during the day, fervent prayers were offered beseeching for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the church at home; that God would inspire, comfort and strengthen the missionaries in the Orient, and on the Home Fields; that the great student body in our Universities may realize the opportunity and accept as a privilege the work of missions; that the students abroad may realize God's presence always in circumstances not always encouraging and that the native workers may be abundantly blessed in their labors; that this year our district may have a volunteer for the great work of laboring on mission fields. Several young ladies from Albert College added much to the success of the afternoon session and their earnest petitions were an inspiration to all present.

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SLEIGH STUCK ON TRACK

A few days ago a farmer residing near Coteau Junction underlook to cross the Grand Trunk tracks at the first farm crossing inside the yard limit board at the west end of pending transfer to the Canadian Coteau Junction yard in the path of National station. The moose was consigned to A. Bruce, Elgin, and sleigh, loaded with two cords of firewood, stuck on the tracks and all effort failed. The farm-brought down by the same party, or accordingly unhitched the horses the moose is the only one so far to arrive at Brockville this season and in charge of Engineer W. Pars-

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LIBERAL LEADER TOURING WESTERN CANADA.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, and his party are now coming east after an extended tour along the coast and western provinces and is at present in Winnipeg. The group shows the Liberal Leader and the speakers of his party, from left to right, William Duff, M. P., W. C. Kennedy, M. P., Hon. Mr. King, M. P., and Hon. Dr. Beland, M. P.

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World Tour is Suddenly Ended

Winter Weather Lands Three Toronto Lads in Lockup Here.

Three young lads aged thirteen and fourteen years, started out from Toronto yesterday morning boarding a first class freight at Scarborough Beach. It was a long haul to Belleville, but they "stuck" it arriving here last night, tired and hungry. Fortunately for them, G. T. R. Officer B. B. Harris, who in sight took them in charge and marched them to the fine hostelry maintained by Chiefs Kidd and Newton on the market square. The boys' parents were communicated with and as a result they will be sent home. The youngsters dined last night at the expense of the G. T. R. and this morning breakfasted at the city table, as they had no money.

Camp Rob Roy S. O. S. Celebrated St. Andrew's

Happy Gathering by Sons and Daughters of Scotland.

Camp Rob Roy, No. 43, Sons of Scotland, was at home last evening to the mothers, wives, daughters, and sweethearts of the members of the clan in commemoration of St. Andrew, the patron saint of Scotland. A thoroughly Scottish air pervaded the entire evening with Scottish songs and anecdotes. The hall was filled with guests, who enjoyed the function immensely. The Rev. A. S. Kerr, chief of the camp, presided over the assembly and made an address fitting to the occasion. Mrs. (Col.) Campbell played a selection of Scottish airs on the piano. The skit of the bagpipes was heard in Mr. Billy Grant's numbers. A song by Mr. McIntosh, a reading by Mr. W. Reid, vocal solos by Miss Bell of Foxboro; Miss S. Johnson and Mr. H. Mackay, a violin number by Mr. John Browning, a song by Mrs. Wm. McIntosh, a solo by Miss Lobb, a reading by Miss Phyllis Stewart; bag pipe solos by Past Chief Wm. McIntosh; Pipe Major Albert Johnston made up a delightful program.

The Rev. D. C. Ramsay delivered an address on Scotland and her virtues. Rev. Mr. Galloway, former Presbyterian minister at Foxboro, also spoke.

During the program refreshments were served. At the close of the entertainment, Pipers McIntosh and Grant led in the Grand March. Dancing followed until after midnight. Mrs. Campbell was accompanist for the evening.

Delightful Banquet by Safety-first Men

Heard Address on Scotland by Mr. John McIntosh at Assembly Room of Steel Company.

The "Safety First" club of the local plant of the Steel Company of Canada, spent an enjoyable and profitable evening on Monday night when the members assembled at the assembly room at the plant to hold their monthly banquet and to hear an address on "Scotland" by Mr. John McIntosh.

Mr. Frank Chesher, president of the club, ably filled the chair. He expressed his regret at the absence of their respected manager, Mr. J. A. Higgin, who had been unavoidably called away to Montreal.

He then called upon Mr. McIntosh who gave a most vivid and realistic traveltogue in reference to the tour he and Mrs. McIntosh had taken last year through Scotland.

After the address Mr. McIntosh was finely complimented by Mr. Elvins, Mr. Chown, Mr. Horie and other members of the club.

The "Safety First" club is an organization consisting of the superintendents of departments and representative workers who consider suggestions made by the men themselves for the promotion of safety and better conditions about the plant.

Monthly meetings are held and great good has already been accomplished.

John Bonga, of West Hammond, Ill., is quite an eater and he hired a hall the other day to prove it, interested fellow-citizens providing the food. At one sitting he got away with two pounds of pork sausage, five pounds of beefsteak, three eggs, four dried herrings and one gallon of home-brew.

Wise is the man who is attentive to his wife as he was when she was his sweetheart—only her relationship to him has changed, not her nature.

G. W. V. A. Kiddies Christmas Tree

The following donations have been received by the Great War Veterans' Association, in aid of the kiddie Christmas tree, Griffin's theatre, Thursday, December 23rd, 2 p.m.: Previously acknowledged \$424.75

- G. H. Johns 1.00
- Wm. Hardin 1.00
- Miss Morgan 1.00
- Chas. N. Sulman 2.00
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- Mrs. Spiller .50
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- B. Goodman .50
- Jas. Clement .25
- F. Allore 1.00
- V. Emmerson 1.00
- W. Stuart .50
- S. E. Vermilyea 2.00
- Albert T. Gean 1.00
- Miss V. Wrightmeyer 1.00
- Diamond & Hyde 2.00
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- F. W. Cook .50
- F. E. Palmer .50
- J. Griffiths .50
- A. Gray .50
- M. Hogan .50
- F. Short .25
- J. J. B. Flint 5.00
- T. D. Ruston 1.00
- City of Belleville 25.00
- Total \$540.55

Problems Facing Before Council of Agriculture

WINNIPEG, Dec. 1.—Two important questions, political colonization throughout Canada, and co-operative marketing of grain are to be discussed at a meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculture at Winnipeg on December 7th and 8th and vital decisions may be reached. A number of those who will be present for these sessions will stay over for the public meeting which will be addressed here on December 10th by Premier Derry of Ontario, and Hon. T. A. Crerar on December 17. Dr. Michael Clark is to address a public meeting in Saskatoon on political issues.

"Polly Peete" Leaves Globe

Miss Mona Cleaver Honored by Globe Colleagues on Retiring.

Readers of the Women's Page of the Toronto Globe will learn with regret of the retirement of Miss Mona Cleaver ("Polly Peete") daughter of Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of this city, who yesterday relinquished her position in view of her approaching marriage.

As a token of their regard and regret, her fellow-workers at The Globe presented her with a beautiful oil painting "Autumn Meadows," by H. S. Palmer, A.R.C.A. The presentation was made by the Managing Editor, Mr. Stewart Lyon, who paid a warm tribute to the work done by Miss Cleaver, alluding particularly to her bright personality, which has endeared her to all her professional associates and to hundreds of her public.

Further words of appreciation were spoken by Miss White of the Women's Department and by Mr. Harry Anderson, Assistant Managing Editor.

During the nine years that Miss Cleaver has served The Globe she has become known to many by her articles signed "Polly Peete." Every Monday she appeared as "Mrs. Burylow," keeping the public informed, as to prices at St. Lawrence Market. For two years she was Editor of the weekly page for juniors, "The Circle of Young Canada," and to her must also be credited frequent and valuable notes on "Art and Artists."

In addition to all this she has been an expert reporter, giving most of her attention to recording women's activities.

Cool Convict Makes Escape From Jail

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. Dec. 1.—At Port Arthur district jail at six o'clock this morning Joseph Bushie, an Indian convict under sentence of fourteen months, locked his warden in his cell, took his keys, released two others and then went into the jail kitchen, cooked breakfast, changed clothes and leisurely walked out, leaving civilian clothes tickets on the warden's desk as a reminder.

Film Room Fire in Theatrical district

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Times Square, heart of the theatrical district, was thrown into confusion at one o'clock today when a film room fire broke out in quarters of a motion picture concern in Longacre building. Many extra pieces of apparatus were summoned to check the flames' spread.

Indoor Baseball

Marsh 15—Hydro 14.

The Marsh Engineering Works team led the Hydro boys a merry pace all the way through the indoor baseball game at the Armouries last night and won out by a 15 to 14 score. The Engineers led the electricians all the way by a narrow margin. The Hydro looked like possible winners at the last by scoring seven runs in the eighth, but the Marsh team made six and still led. The line-up:

Marsh's—Smith, c.; Knott, p.; McKenna, 1 b.; P. Cornell, 2 b.; Gillbert, 3 b.; J. Cornell, r. s. s.; Stork, 1 f.; Rushlow, 3 b.; Ethier, 2 f.

Hydro—Olliphant, c.; Leslie, p.; Hines, 1 b.; Langley, 2 b.; Scantlebury, 3 b.; Cronk, s.; Anderson, r. f.; Brown, c. f.; Arnold, 1 f.

Umpires—Meagher and McKenna.

G.T.R. Shops 23—A.L.I. 9

The Grand Trunk Shops proved easy winners over the Regiment last night by a score of 23 to 6. The infantry did not get a look in at the game, the Shops scoring heavily on three occasions. The wind-up was good, however, as both teams failed to score towards the last.

G.T.R. Shops—Symons, p.; Knott, c.; Goyer, 1 b.; Smith, 2 b.; W. Mylne, r. s. s.; F. Miles, r. s. s.; J. Miles, 2 b.; Hunter, r. f.; Randall, (Snider) c. f.

A.L.I.—Moxam, c.; Boyce, 3 b.; Sanderson, c. f.; Delina, 1 b.; McKenna, p.; Goyer, 2 b.; Frost, r. f.; Lloyd, s. s.; Carson, s. s.

Umpires—Meagher and Elliott.

CANADA GETS THE LONDON SUCCESSES BEFORE NEW YORK

New York Managers Realize Canadian Audiences Are as Discriminating as those of New York.

By Ben Deacon.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Canada's position in the theatrical world appears to be gradually assuming greater importance in the estimation of New York. There was a time—when the Dominion was looked upon merely as a convenient burying ground for the New York failure. Then, a good many of the New York producing firms were under the impression that anything—any old thing at all—could get by Canada. Canadians were practically dependent upon productions labelled "Made in the U.S.A." and therefore the theory prevailed that Canadians should be satisfied with whatever New York chose to send them. The fifth-rate companies, and the shows which flitted out after a brief season here were shunted across the border, very often press-agented as the "hits of the season" and "original New York casts." But things have changed. New York managers have discovered that Canadian audiences are as discriminating as those of New York and possibly just a little more reluctant to pay good money to see a poor show. Also, Canada is now less dependent upon New York for its theatrical fare; the importation of English successes direct to the Dominion has given New York producers a certain amount of competition in the Canadian market and rendered Canadian managers less dependent upon New York.

Canada's building theatrical independence is reflected in New York this season. At one time New York had first call upon all of the big London successes. After this city had finished with them, they were generally sent to Canada, but New York first was the rule. This season the old-time procedure was reversed in several cases. "Don't Tell," the Graham Moffatt comedy, for instance, was presented to Canadian audiences before New York was given an opportunity of seeing it. This seems to have been a shock to some New Yorkers. One of the critics, who was unable to grasp the humor of the piece, became rather peevish over it. "The company supporting Mr. Moffatt is imported from the Alhambra Theatre in Glasgow," he remarked. "They have been playing only recently in Canada, which leads to the suspicion that the whole affair was smuggled in secret across the Canadian border." Canada was a whole season ahead of New York in the case of the London comedy "Tilly of Bloomsbury." Last year it was given in a number of Canadian cities; it appeared here under an alias this season. It was presented here as "Happy Go Lucky," possibly because the average New Yorker hasn't the faintest idea where or what Bloomsbury is, and possibly, again, because a new name gave it that bright and shiny, brand new appearance which New York demands. William Faversham, who has long been a favorite in Canada, presented "The Prince and the Pauper" before a Canadian audience before he presented it to New York, and now New York has to wait until next week for Madge Kennedy's play in a speaking role, while Toronto this week was privileged to welcome her back to the stage in "Cornered."

New York is being assured in the advance notices this week that Miss Kennedy is to appear "personally." Undoubtedly there is a great deal of interest on the part of the theatre-going public here in the beautiful screen star's return to the stage. Her somewhat spectacular career on Broadway, followed by her three years of motion picture work have given her a very large following in this city and the thousands who have devotedly attended the movie houses in which her pictures have been shown are very evidently looking forward to the return of the strayed lamb to the "legitimate" fold. A change from screen to stage is an event which is always attended with no little public interest as opening up an avenue for comparison of the two rival branches of the momeitic art. Miss Kennedy believes that she has learned a great deal about acting from her screen work. "I am sure I have improved in gesture and expression," she said in an interview published here. "Screen work has also forced me to keep my mind on my part during every fraction of a second." There are many actors and actresses who would be glad to discover something which would force the audience to keep its mind on their parts, but this is a problem with which Miss Kennedy is not

obliged to cope. She has charm, personality and talent sufficient to accomplish that feat automatically.

A new theatre, a new star, and an addition to the theatrical lexicon were presented to New York by the Selwyns this week. The new theatre, the Apollo, is the second of two theatres which the Selwyns have erected on a bloc on 42nd Street not far from Broadway. Its entrance adjoins that of the recently opened Times Square Theatre, where Florence Reed is meeting with success in "The Mirage." The auditorium of the new playhouse is a block distant from the entrance and is reached by a long lobby fashioned of Rosato and Levantó marble. It seats 1,200 persons, and exactly 1,200 seats were occupied on opening night. The opening of the Apollo gives the Selwyns three adjoining houses in the heart of the theatrical district.

The new star is Frances White. Five years ago she made her first appearance in vaudeville here, and since that time has gone the rounds of the roof shows and the musical comedy stages, adding each season to her train of admirers. Miss White is a comedienne of the pert and petite type. "Jimmie," the vehicle constructed for her fight to stellar heights, was written for her, which means that it was contrived especially to permit her to exhibit her whole bag of tricks. She has opportunity to appear as waitress, cabaret actress, and raganuffin in the first act, as Frances White in the second, and as a successful vaudeville star in the third. She even has a couple of sentimental scenes thrown in for good luck. It took three men to achieve the book of "Jimmie," Otto Harbach, Frank Mandel and Oscar Hammerstein 2nd. According to the local critics' report of the proceedings, at least two of them must be devoted archaists. One man—Hubert Stothart—supplied the score and the general verdict appears to be that he has fitted "Jimmie" out with very useful music.

The addition to the dramatic dictionary, by the way, is "music-comedy"—for that is what the programme declares the show to be. But without the benefit of this information the chances are the average audience would be under the impression it was attending a musical comedy.

An interesting feature of the week was the first performance in English of an actor who has attained celebrity as the star of an east side Yiddish company. He is Jacob Ben-Ami who last season appeared at the Jewish Art Theatre and his vehicle for introduction to an English-speaking audience was an English version of a Danish drama entitled "Samson and Delilah." The original was by Steven Lang and would appear to be an example of the gloomy type of the Scandinavian school of play-writing. An idealistic and visionary poet of jealous impulses has written a modern drama on the Biblical story of Samson and Delilah. Then when the play is accepted and being rehearsed he begins to realize that his character of Samson is himself, while his hardened and faithless actress wife, who holds him in contempt, is the Delilah and a vulgar materialist who has stolen her affection represents the Phillisino. He traps the guilty pair during a rehearsal and then after days of crazed wandering confronts them suddenly in his own home. Finding himself too weak-willed to kill them he turns his pistol upon himself. As this brief outline of the plot indicates, the play is intensely melodramatic with several particularly vivid scenes. The majority of the New York critics lauded Mr. Ben-Ami's portrayal of the highly dramatic role and several acclaimed his appearance on the English-speaking stage as an event of outstanding importance in New York dramatic history.

A third opening night this week was at the Playhouse, where Mary Nash made her first New York performance since she returned from London, where she scored a big hit in "The Man Who Came Back." A play by a pair of unknown writers, entitled "The Name is Woman," was chosen for Miss Nash's return to New York. It's plot bears a strong family resemblance to that of Carmen—Spain, smugglers, jealousy—oh, much jealousy—and the third act alighting of the feminine coquette. In addition to the role played by the star there are only three other characters. A meeting with a reception about equal in temperature to that of Portage la Prairie on a December day.

Still another feature of the week was the opening of the season of opera and opulence at the Metropolitan. The New York newspapers on

the average devoted a quarter column of space to the former and a column and a half to the latter, faithfully recording the list of boxholders and telling the palpitating public the value of the jewelry which was in display.

Canadian audiences are to have an opportunity of hearing Joseph Hislop, the Scotch tenor of the Covent Garden Company. Announcement was made that at the end of a ten weeks' season in Chicago he will tour the principal cities of Canada and the United States before returning to the Old Country. Details of his engagements in the Dominion have not yet been announced, but it is likely that he will be in Canada toward the latter part of January.

FOR SALE FARM FOR SALE.

103 ACRES, 3RD LINE SIDNEY, 2 miles from Belleville, 1.2 mile east of Centenary church and school. 20 acres fall wheat, 30 acres ready for spring seeding. 5 acres maple and balance pasture. 2 never failing wells, frame house and barn. Machine house, hen house, drive house, pig pen, telephone and C. P. R. mail stop with or without stock feed and implements. Apply to G. C. Wilson on premises or R. R. G. Belleville. dl-d&wt

GOOD GRAIN AND STOCK FARM, better east half of lot 11 1st concession Huntington, about 1 1/2 miles south of Moira, consisting of 100 acres in good state of cultivation. Good house, basement, barn, drive house and other buildings, small orchard and well watered. Will sell with or without stock and implements. Rural mail and telephone. Further particulars apply to J. W. Savers, R. F. D. Moira. 11-d&wt

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PRIZE-WINNING CHAMPIONSHIP Sheep. Have a few choice Spring Rams, also yearling Rams from best Martin & Sons, Glasgow, R. R. No. 1, Hastings, P. O. 20, 23, 27, 30, 33, 40, 10, 13, 17, 51w

FARM OF 100 ACRES, 2ND CON. of Thurlow, without house, all no crop and stock, consisting of 11 cows, 4 horses, 20 pigs, 8 calves and machinery. Owner must sell owing to ill health. R. F. D. 2, Belleville. 11-21d&wt

WANTED A Bookkeeper Sec. Treas., opportunity for investment and first class position in progressive Limited Co., of Belleville. Must have good references and be well educated. For further particulars apply to Box T. Ontario Office. D1-4t 11w

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NOTICE Dr. G. F. Deryes wishes to announce that he has taken over the office and practice of the late Dr. Moore, Shannonsville, from Nov. 29, 1920. d2-6d,11w

NOTICE

The executors of the estate of the late Dr. John Moore request that all outstanding accounts be paid in promptly by Dec. 17th.

The accounts can be paid to Mrs. (Dr.) Moore or Mr. J. S. Kerr, Shannonsville.

ALEX. MOORE, H. K. DENYES, Executors. n2-7td,11w

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Thurlow Cheese & Butter Co. will be held at the factory on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10 o'clock.

R. M. MITCHELL, President. d1-1td,11w

NOTICE

Applications will be received by the undersigned for the position of constables for the Belleville Police Force. Not less than 5 ft. 10 inches and not over 35 years of age.

ALEX. KIDD, Chief Constable. d1-8td,11w

WRALECK & ABBOTT, Barristers, etc., Offices Robertson Block, Front Street, Belleville, East Side.

B. B. Frawley. A. Abbott.

W. H. MABEE General Agent for Canadian and American newspapers and magazines. I will be at the Standard Bank each Saturday, commencing on Sat. Dec. 4th. n19-d&wt

A sentence that he be clean shaven for the six months he must pass in jail was imposed on James Furry, convicted of vagrancy at Santa Ana, Cal. Furry's beard, the justice said, was the chief reason for his "oneryness and shiftlessness."

WHAT SHALL I DO?

Answered by VIRGINIA PAGE.

MAKE IT A STAGE PARTY.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: My husband wants to entertain the men in his store, but there are two girls and he is afraid they will feel hurt if they are not invited. He would like to do something for them, too, but he thinks the men will have a better time if the girls don't come. What do you think?—An Employer's Wife.

A.—Why not let your husband invite the men to a stag party, and then the next evening you invite the two young women to dinner at your home and to the theatre or motion picture show afterwards—or if Saturday afternoon is a holiday with you, ask them to be your guests then and for tea afterwards at some nearby tea room.

A WOMAN'S PRIVILEGE.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: Will you settle this question for us? Should a girl ask a man to call on her or should she wait until he asks to come?—The D. O. D. Girls.

A.—The custom differs in various parts of the country, I believe, and it is always wise when in Rome to do as the Romans do, you know. Generally speaking, however, a man may ask a married woman for permission to call upon her and her family, but should wait for an invitation to call from an unmarried woman—or her mother, if she be a very young woman. This is to protect a woman from being placed in the embarrassing position of having to refuse an undesirable acquaintance.

If the woman only suggests that a man call, however, without mentioning any particular time, he should not consider this an invitation at all but merely a formal courtesy upon her part which her graciousness probably demanded at the moment. And on the other hand, if a man should in the slightest way evade her invitation, a woman must of course refrain from any suspicion of urging.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Page in care of the "What Shall I Do?" department of The Daily Ontario, will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the questions.—The Editor.

Trial Is Inexpensive. — To those who suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, rheumatism or any ailment arising from derangement of the digestive system, a trial of Parlee's Vegetable Pills is recommended, should the sufferer be unacquainted with them. The trial will be inexpensive and the result will be another customer for this excellent medicine. So effective in their action that satisfaction can certainly be traced to their use.

Dr. McCullough will be at his office, 47 Campbell St., every Saturday for consultation on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. 9-11-f

The Kind of a WATCH You Want

Our long experience in selling Watches has taught us that men demand first of all service—a watch that will keep accurate time over a long period, with the minimum of upkeep cost. Next they value appearance—a good looking watch that does credit to their taste. And they want both service and appearance at a fair price—full value for their money.

So deal only in movements of established reputation for satisfactory service, in thoroughly well made, carefully fitted cases that protect the watch and satisfy pride in appearance, making our prices values that honor purchasing judgment. Gruen Verthinn

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T. Blackburn Jeweler & Optician

Children's Serg heavy, with be skirts and collar, red, si for \$2.50 each

Ladies' Under heavy Sateen at bottom, in for \$1.95.

Ladies' Under Silk Lustre, in accordion pleat, fancy made, Brocaded Silk for \$2.50 each

Boy's Coats, Chinchilla, in belt all around

Goods may be exchanged for other merchandise but money will be refunded

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Specials For This Week

12 Lines Which Have to be Cleared.

You Couldn't Buy The Raw Material for the price we are asking for the ready-to-wear. The early customers will get the bargains. Check each item over carefully and see what big value there is

Children's Serge Dresses heavy, with belt, pleated skirts and colars embroidered in red, sizes 4 to 8 for \$2.50 each.

Ladies' Underskirts, of heavy Sateen with frill at bottom, in black only for \$1.95.

Ladies' Underskirts of Silk Lustre, in grey with accordionpleated bottom fancy made, or a fancy Brocaded Silk Lustre for \$2.50 each.

Boy's Coats, made of Chinchilla, in blue with belt all around at \$5.95.

Children's Teddy Bear Suits, brushed wool or knitted, for \$1.95 each.

Ladies' Silk Waists, made of heavy Habituau Silk, with sailor collar, sizes 36, 38 and 40 at \$1.79 each.

Ladies' Voile Waists, round neck or V neck for 98c each.

Ladies' Smocks, made of Georgette Crepe, short sleeves, all colors at \$3.95 each.

Ladies' accordionpleated Skirts, stitching at the bottom, with belt, for \$5.25 each.

Ladies' High Top Boots made of genuine Kid, brown or black with high heel and turned soles, positively worth \$10 pair sizes 4 to 7, to be sold at \$4.95 per pair.

Men's felthouse Slippers with 1 buckle, brown or black, at \$1.95 per pr.

Ladies' Pullover Sweaters all wool, flared cuffs, all colors \$4.95 each.

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Mr. Charlie Stewart spent over Sunday in Campbellford. Miss Grace McDonnell and friend, Mr. Haines, of Colborne, spent Sunday at Miss Lena Watt's, 6th con. Mrs. Wilmut Rose and daughter, Doris are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis, 6th con. Master Jack Davis took tea with his cousin, Master John Stewart on Sunday.

SHANNONVILLE

Dr. Denyes has taken up his residence here—the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Moore. The many friends of Mrs. (Dr.) Moore regret that she is leaving the village and purposes moving to Belleville. Miss Ethel Reid who has been visiting friends in Colborne has returned home. We are pleased to hear Miss Hazel Stratton who has undergone an operation for appendicitis in Belleville Hospital is improving. Mrs. C. Garrison, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Stanley MacDonald. Mrs. Elmer Coyle, of Colborne is spending a few days under the parental roof. The deer hunters have all returned and some have proved to be good marksmen. The many friends of Miss Marion Doreen, of Toronto, regret to hear of her death. She was very popular among her school-mates when a resident of our village.

TABERNACLE

Miss Edith Rogers took dinner at

Mrs. Geo. Wright's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McQuoid, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leach were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hubbel on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith, were called to the bedside of his aunt, Mrs. Davis, of Frankford, on Sunday morning. Mr. Stanley Whitey is home for a few days visiting. Mr. Stanley Whitey took dinner on Sunday with Ray Moran.

LITTLE KINGSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Gibson spent a recent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hickerson. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook and children, of Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Terry on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Myres and daughter Kathleen, of Eldorado, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Clapp spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Terry. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mastin, of Toronto, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mastin during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. David May and family spent a recent Sunday at Rose Hall, guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Terry spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weeks at Coneseon. Mrs. David Calnan, of Victoria has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. F. Hickerson. Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson entertained relatives from Kingston

for a few days last week.

Mr. Will Hamilton returned from his hunting trip with a fine deer. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Terry were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David May at the tea hour Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hickerson Coneseon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hickerson. Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Demeral attended the funeral of the late Mr. Vangesson at Gardenville on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Murphy visited Mr. and Mrs. Saylor Smith on Sunday.

VICTORIA

Church next Sunday at 10.30. Mr. and Mrs. Merris and Miss Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Redner and son, Ralph, took dinner at L. R. Brickman's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox and children visited at Fred Launders' on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weese and children visited at J. F. Weese's on Sunday. The measles have broken out in our school and quite a number of the children are on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weese drove to Trenton on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. E. Brickman and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fox and children took tea at L. R. Brickman's on Monday evening. Mr. Keller of Chicago is visiting at Mr. Amos Wannamaker's. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wannamaker visited their daughter at Foxboro on Friday.

Messrs James and Ralph Loney also Tom Wannamaker, have gone to Fort Stewart for a three weeks' outing.

Mr. Albert Lout and Mrs. Adelaide Lout took dinner at S. Fox's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weese called at J. F. Weese's on Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. Bertha Sayers, of Belleville, motored to H. Lomb's on Sunday.

Mr. J. Wilson and H. Lomb called at N. M. Wilson's on Sunday. Mr. N. M. Wilson called at E. Brickman's on Monday.

CROOKSTON

We are enjoying a little winter and the sleighing is fairly good. A number attended the shower held for Miss Laura Emerson, who was quietly married to Mr. Frank Chambers of Bannockburn, on Nov. 17. Mrs. Chambers received a number of useful and valuable presents and the best wishes of her friends go with her to her new home. Rev. Mr. Swayne has returned from his hunting trip and we were glad to have church on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. M. Tummon, of Ivanhoe, visited relatives in our village and vicinity last week. Mr. Will French spent Sunday with friends in Stirling. A number of the friends of Mrs. Harry McCreary spent a social time with her on Wednesday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Tummon. We certainly were glad to have Mrs. McCreary with us for a couple of weeks' visit, and to spend a social evening in her company. Mr. Andrew Downey and Miss Frances Sullivan were callers at Mr. B. Tanner's, Ivanhoe, on Thursday evening. The Standard Church are holding revival services in their new church. Miss J. Tanner was a visitor of Mrs. Ethel Emerson on Wednesday last. Mrs. C. Hubble, of Holloway spent last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. J. Elliott, of Tweed, spent a day last week with their daughter, Mrs. W. S. Tummon. Mrs. Frank Geary is visiting relatives in Peterboro. Mr. Henry Wallace, of West Huntingdon, made his annual trip through our locality last week delivering the tax bills. He is not a very welcome visitor.

MADOC JOE

Those who attended the Day of Prayer at Moira last Wednesday by the W. M. S. report a very impressive service. Members from other places who assisted were Mrs. (Rev.) G. C. R. McQuade, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Pitman, Mrs. Arthur Andrews and Mrs. Frank Ashley. The invitation from Moira was more than appreciated by those who attended and all who took part expressed their desire to be more fully concentrated. Mr. Bert Andrews has returned to his duties at the G. T. R. station, Napanee, after spending his holidays with his parents, also a few days in Toronto and Peterboro. All who attended the drama in Stirling Opera House "The Reward of Virtue" one evening last week are of the opinion it is worth seeing over again. Our pastor preached a sermon that appealed to all last Sunday on the great need of repentance and remission of sins in our churches today. Those who missed the Sunday evening service in Stirling Methodist Church missed hearing a very helpful sermon on the "Second Chance" by the pastor, also excellent music by the choir and a well rendered solo by Mrs. Haight. Rev. E. A. Tonkin of Bowmanville, visited friends here one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett spent Wednesday, the 24th, with friends near Corbyville.

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Misses Edna and Bertha Badgley and Mr. Perry Badgley spent Sunday at Mr. J. Hanna's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Phillips visited at Mr. J. Ritz's on Sunday. Mrs. W. Yateman entertained company Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Bruce Martin had the misfortune to run a pitchfork in his foot on Saturday last. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leaverton spent Friday last at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. S. Cooley's. Misses Irene Cole and Greta Bradshaw spent the week-end in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Badgley of Caniffton, spent Sunday evening at Mr. Wm. Badgley's.

Mrs. Sarah Kethapap spent a few days last week at Mr. Wm. Badgley's.

Mr. D. Yorke, of Foxboro, visited at Mr. Blake Way's on Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cole took tea at Mr. G. Babcock's, Belleville, on Sunday evening.

A meeting of the cheese factory directors was held on Thursday last and hired Mr. M. Rose as cheesemaker for the coming year. Miss Letta Rose spent Friday afternoon in Stirling.

We are glad to note that Mrs. B. Leslie, who underwent a serious operation in Belleville hospital for appendicitis a few weeks ago has returned home. Mrs. M. Tummon, of Ivanhoe, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Townsend, who is in very poor health again.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Thompson and family spent Sunday at E. W. Brickman's. Mr. Wm. Russell was the guest of his son, Mr. Elijah Russell on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wannamaker and Ena, of Exel, Alberta, are spending a month the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dempsey. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Russell, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell spent Sunday in Trenton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Allison.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the sale of Miss Ella Anderson on Wednesday. Mrs. Rilla Brickman was the guest of Mrs. Gilbert McMurrer on Thursday.

Miss Clara Ridley, of Belleville, is spending a few days with Mrs. Elijah Brickman. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Giles of Centre, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurrer.

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CARRYING PLACE

The Ladies' Aid held a chicken pie supper in St. John's Hall on Wednesday evening, Nov. 24. Proceeds amounted to \$45.00.

The Kenny Music Company came over from Trenton and held a concert in the Hall on Friday evening. Everyone seemed to have a good laugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Garbutt spent the week-end in Belleville. The funeral of Mr. Wm. Vangesson was held on Saturday afternoon. Interment was made in Carrying Place cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Daughine from Hornspayne are spending a few days at Mr. Smith Row's.

Mrs. Vangesson and Miss Bush took dinner on Sunday at Ernie Bonters.

Mrs. Alf. Dymond and Mrs. O. Moynes called on Mrs. Hicks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones and family called on Mrs. Vangesson Saturday evening.

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Messrs. Wm. Daughine and Fred Rowe spent Friday afternoon at Harry Allison's.

Mrs. Frank Young and family are taking a month's vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Orser are moving to Trenton.

WELLINGTON

Mrs. Eliza Cooper, of Westlake, paid a short visit to Wallace Garrett's during the week end. She has now gone to visit her son, Mr. Sherman Cooper, Cobourg, where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. Monica and Mrs. Porter of Picton, are staying at the Hotel Wellington for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Parker, of Imperial, Sask., are visiting at Joseph Jenk's.

Wilfrid Callow, who unfortunately had a chip of a stone fly into his left eye about seven weeks ago, is still compelled to wear an eye-shade. He has had it examined at Toronto under the X-Rays and he may have to go to a specialist at Belleville.

That great interest is being shown by our community in the proposed Consolidated School for the district including Hollowell and Hillier was evidenced by the good attendance of men at a special meeting of the rate-payers, called by School Inspector Smith, for nominations for Trustees at the Masonic Hall on Monday night.

Mrs. Alice Cronk, who met with an accident through falling from a wagon, will be pleased to hear of her improvement, so that she was able to visit her mother, Mrs. Amos Garrett, on Sunday.

Jennie Osborne Byers was slightly indisposed last but is able to out again. Miss Olga Webster made an unfortunate slip on the ice last week and badly wrenched her back.

IVANHOE

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Jas. McKee is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Rollins spent Sunday afternoon with relatives at Holloway.

The fowl supper at St. Andrews on Monday evening last was well attended. The Beniah S. S. intend holding a Xmas concert on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21st, in the Town Hall, Ivanhoe. Miss Pearl Newton, secretary of Toronto, has been engaged for the evening.

Mr. S. Prest spent Sunday out of town. Mr. Thos. Tanner and family, have moved into our neighborhood from Thurlow. Mr. Richard Seeley and family, have moved to their old home here.

CARMEI

Sunday School was well attended at this appointment on Sunday. Miss Prindle gave a splendid report of the Sunday School convention which was held in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Daros spent the week end with friends at Fuller. Mr. and Mrs. Pitman visited at Mr. Gilberts on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howe spent Sunday with friends at Foxboro. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds and family spent Friday evening at Mr. Tummons, Eighth Line.

Several of our young people attended the drama at Bethel last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Pitman visited at Mr. Owen Roblin's, Salem, on Sunday. We are sorry to report very little improvement in Mrs. Bennett's condition.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective, is mild.

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APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Belleville, to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario at its next session for an Act...

To carry into effect the By-law Number 3288 of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Belleville passed on the 19th day of November, 1920, without obtaining the assent of the electors...

The existing debenture debt of the said City of Belleville is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Consolidated, Public Schools, Water Works, Gas Works, Overdraft and County Line, Bridge, Wood Chemical, Patriotic, Marsh & Hawthorn, New Albert College, Local Improvements, Pavements, Sewers, Sidewalks.

3. The reason for requiring the issue of the said Debentures is that the said City of Belleville, by the Honorable Mr. Elgie, Minister of Public Works and Highways on behalf of the Province of Ontario, have agreed to purchase the said Debentures for the sum of \$85,000.00...

and said Debentures are required to be issued for the purpose of raising the money to pay the city's share of the purchase of the said Debentures. Dated at Belleville, Ontario, this 20th day of November, A. D. 1920.

City Clerk, N.S.-47w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF William Buckley, late of the Township of Tyendinaga in the County of Hastings, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56, that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said William Buckley who died on or about the twenty-fifth day of July in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty, are required on or before the 27th day of November, 1920, to send by post prepaid or deliver to John Buckley, Corbyville, Ont., the executor of the last will of the said William Buckley...

TAKE NOTICE that after the 27th day of November, 1920, the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the executors of the said estate will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

F. S. WALLBRIDGE, Solicitor for Executor. Dated this 21st day of October, A.D. 1920.

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 56, of Chapter 121, R. S. O., 1914, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said John Wesley Haight, deceased, who died on or about the 22nd day of July, 1920, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the executors, on or before the 4th day of January, 1921, their Christian and surnames and addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims, and statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 4th day of January, 1921, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them or their solicitors at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 30th day of November, 1920.

Eliaser Thompson Williams, Gideon S. Way, Executors. Messrs Porter, Butler & Payne, 219 Front St., Belleville, Ontario, Solicitors for the Executors D2,9,16,23

LAID TO REST

The funeral of the late Mrs. Parry took place on Monday afternoon from her home in Sidney to Atkins' Church where the Rev. Wallace conducted service in the presence of many friends. Interment was made in White's cemetery, the bearers being C. Hess, D. McNary, F. Grills, G. Westover, T. Himehelfs and H. Hubbell.

Fourteen Years On Local Force

F. J. Naphin is Now License Inspector for This District.

Although the announcement had been made from Toronto it was not until Saturday afternoon that Sergt. Francis James Naphin of the Belleville Police Department received official notice from the Liquor License Department of the Province of his appointment as Liquor License Inspector for the southern part of the County of Hastings and of Prince Edward in succession to the late Inspector Richard C. Arnett. The new inspector's many friends will be pleased at this recognition of his ability and of his integrity as an officer of the law, although sorry to lose his services as a police sergeant in Belleville.

A meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners is being held this afternoon and it is expected Sergt. Naphin will be released at once to enter upon his new duties about the first of the month. License Inspector Naphin is a native of Tyendinaga and of Irish extraction. He was born in the year 1885. His boyhood he spent on his father's farm. On July 3rd, 1906 he joined the Belleville police force as a constable. On Jan. 1st, 1910 he was appointed sergeant. For ten years he has been a constable for the county of Hastings. He has done considerable duty in connection with constable work at Point Anne.

Sergeant or now Inspector Naphin has had a record on the local force which does credit to his abilities as a detective. He is tireless in the performance of duty, gifted with a natural bent toward the detection of crime and a native shrewdness. His record throughout his fourteen years police service has been clean.

Pleasing Entertainment

Last Friday evening the members of the Junior Union of the Victoria Avenue Baptist Church delighted a large and appreciative audience with the following pleasing programme: Hymn. Prayer—Rev. Wallace. Piano Solo—Alex. Gordon. Chatsman's Address—President, Arnold Orr. Recitation—James Cook. Dialogue—Miss Canada and Missions. Chorus—Juniors. Recitation of Part I of the Memory Course—Juniors. Address by Mr. P. C. MacLaurin, B.A., who presented Memory Course Certificates to the following Juniors: Edna Blackburn, Joe Blackburn, Bert Orr, Grace Cook, Florence Caddick, Alex. Gordon, Mary Cook, Annie MacDonold, Clara Prest, Laura Cook, E. Gastrell, Rev. Wallace, Amy Cooke, Eugene Hitchon, Arnold Orr, James Cooke, Eileen MacLaurin, Gladys Pomeroy, Mildred Lloyd, Miriam Pomeroy, Orloff Lloyd and Gertrude Fisher.

Solo—Miss Clara Prest. Recitation—Florence Caddick. Piano Solo—Amy Cooke. Solo—Edna Blackburn. Dialogue—The Enchanted Boxes. Trio—Eileen Wardlaw, Bessie and Elsie Doolittle. Debate—"Resolved that the World is Getting Better." Affirmative Side—Arnold Orr, Evelyn MacLaurin; Negative, Joe Blackburn and Clara Prest. Recitation—Mildred Lloyd. Chorus—Juniors. Judges' Decision—Miss V. Handley, Mr. Rich and Mr. Looker were the judges. In announcing their decision Mr. Rich complimented the young orators on their excellent delivery and splendid arguments and said that after a lengthy consultation they had decided in favor of the affirmative. Alex. Gordon made a very efficient accompanist. God Save the King.

Provincial Officer For Hastings County

Part of Reorganization Plan for the County Constabulary

Provincial Officer Ward has arrived in Belleville as representative of the Attorney-General's Department for the County of Hastings. This office is in the nature of an innovation in connection with the reorganization of the county constabulary. Crown Attorney Ornew was in Deseronto this afternoon on business.

Mr. Peter Stringer, Postmaster, at Fort Stewart, was in the city yesterday.

OBITUARY

MRS. ELIZA WICKETT.

The death occurred last evening at Mrs. Eliza Wickett at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Stocker, 29 Charlotte St. Mrs. Wickett was 93 years and seven months of age and was born in Suffolk, England. She was the widow of the late James Wickett, one of the best known of the past generation in Belleville. She was a daughter of the late James Chinnery. Mrs. Wickett was always a staunch Methodist and was possessed of a strong personality. Surviving are three sons and two daughters, John Wickett, Toronto, Dr. Thomas Wickett, Hamilton, George A. Wickett, Ohio, Mrs. E. J. Stocker, Belleville, Mrs. Anna M. Lockerty, New Haven and Mrs. J. W. Splau, Toronto. Mrs. Wickett resided in Belleville for 77 years. She had been ill but three weeks.

WM. KENNEDY

A very sad death occurred at Cloyne on Nov. 5th when William Kennedy was called to his eternal reward. The deceased had been in failing health for the past year, a sufferer from heart trouble. A few days previous to his death he contracted a severe cold which rapidly developed into pneumonia and from the first his life was despaired of by his physician. The late Mr. Kennedy was fifty-two years of age and lived all his life on the old homestead, he had always been a highly esteemed member of the community.

He left to mourn his loss, his wife, one adopted son George, also a brother, John, living in Alberta and one sister Mrs. A. Murphy, Nanapanee. The deceased was a Catholic in religion. The funeral took place on Monday was largely attended. The remains were placed in the R. C. Cemetery, Flinton, May His Soul Rest in Peace.—Tweed Advocate.

W. L. Campbell's Death Purely Accidental

No Blame Attached to Any One by Inquest July.

The jury empanelled to inquire into the death of Wesley Leigh Campbell, find that he came to his death at the Belleville Hospital (on the night of 24th of November) from injuries received while performing his duties on train 1039 in the C.P.R. yards and we find his death was purely accidental and no blame can be attached to any one.

This verdict was delivered by the jury last evening to Coroner Dr. H. A. Yeomans after hearing the testimony of a number of witnesses as to the accident. Crown Attorney Carney examined the witnesses. Evidence was given by Stephen Garvin, C. N. R. Operator; Engineer J. R. Campbell; Conductor John Hart; Brakeman Eford Mackie; Signaller Stephen Cross; G. T. R. Fireman Alex Hall and Dr. Robert Fisher.

The engineer said Train Campbell was engaged in coupling and he last saw Campbell as the cars were coming together. He was to receive a signal from the trainman when the coupling was completed but this was not given.

The train was a way freight from Smith's Falls to Trenton. After switching at the east end the train came up to the interswitch and was backing with four cars from the north track to the south track to couple on to a car. It was when the coupling was being made that fatal injuries were received by Campbell.

COAL SHORT IN WATERTOWN

Inquiries from various shippers indicate that the car situation in Northern New York is easier. Shippers are getting practically their full quota of cars required for loading, and apparently Watertown concerns are not suffering from car shortage. The improved conditions are due to concerted efforts to relieve the situation on the part of the railroad, shippers and consignees, in loading and unloading promptly. Hard coal is still short in Watertown. Small shipments are coming in to dealers, but the sudden appearance of winter weather is intensifying the demand for coal. Soft coal is being received in larger quantities than anthracite. The coal pile of the St. Lawrence division in the Pine street yard is growing steadily, about a third of the winter's storage being on hand.

Prof. and Mrs. Coleman and their daughter, Mrs. McAllister, moved into their pretty new bungalow at the corner of Burton street and Highland avenue.

Drowned in Lake Burial Made Here

Body of Chas. W. Dukas Laid to Rest.

The remains of Charles William Dukas, aged 16 years, who was drowned off Kew Beach, Toronto, from a canoe on Oct. 4th, arrived here at noon yesterday. The body had just been recovered from the lake. Friends accompanied the casket to Belleville. Interment was made in the Belleville cemetery, Rev. Mr. Mutton officiating.

Veterans Xmas Tree

Subscriptions Already Received by G.W.V.A.

Subscriptions have been received as follows for the Kiddies' Christmas tree on December 23rd, 2 p.m. Griffin's theatre, under auspices of Great War Veterans' Association, Belleville branch. Subscriptions received at all banks in the city, G.T.R. shops, yards and offices and Great War Veterans' Association.

Table listing names and amounts for the Veterans' Christmas tree. Includes Mrs. G. W. Dawes (1.00), H. A. Pulker (1.00), Mrs. Denton (1.00), Dr. J. A. Faulkner (1.00), E. D. Kellaway (1.00), C. F. Robinson (1.00), Gus Holt (1.00), R. W. Hay (1.00), Friend (1.00), Mr. La Gault (1.00), E. D. O'Flynn (1.00), J. D. O'Flynn (1.00), W. J. Diamond (1.00), John Huddleston (1.00), Leo Barrett (1.00), Dominion Stores Ltd. (1.00), Friend (1.00), Holmes & Murdoch (2.00), Lois Gorman (1.00), Chas. J. Symons (2.00), Col. D. Barragar (1.00), A. McGie (1.00), Mrs. Sillis (1.00), J. C. Patrick (1.00), A. Allen (1.00), T. Dolan (1.00), B. L. Hyman (1.00), E. Gus Porter (1.00), R. H. Ketcheson (1.00), Samsy Grant (1.00), W. C. Mikel (1.00), A. L. Johnson (1.00), J. A. Kerr (1.00), J. Bryer (1.00), J. Smith (1.00), W. Greatrix (1.00), P. Donovan (1.00), R. Irvine (1.00), Mr. Pomeroy (1.00), Mr. Markie (1.00), Mr. Jenkins (1.00), Mr. Milner (1.00), Mr. McGie Jr. (1.00), A. Martin (1.00), Mr. McGree (1.00), E. Bateman (1.00), J. Rigby (1.00), W. H. Nugent (1.00), R. Milburn (1.00), H. Izzard (1.00), H. B. Stock (1.00), H. F. Ketcheson (1.00), John Newton (1.00), C. M. Wilkins (1.00), R. Oliphant & Son (1.00), Earle & Cooke (2.00), Dr. Neilson (1.00), J. A. McFee (5.00), W. S. Clarke (1.00), M. Maude Campbell (1.00), Oak Hall (1.00), S. V. Ray (1.00), D. V. Sinclair (3.00). Total to date \$424.75.

PLAIN TALK TO STUDENTS.

Queen's Journal: In view of the fact that the hockey season is near at hand and that the students through their hockey executive are again requesting that a training table and training quarters be established, and that a professional coach be employed, the Athletic Board of Control wishes to make its position clear. They consider that until such time as we are willing to sacrifice self to the good of the cause, a training table is nothing more than a bill of expense, both in money and time. Also that a training table, or in fact, a competent football team, is absolutely impossible unless the players and students themselves help out. Neither the coach nor the trainer should have to constitute themselves detectives to see that the training rules are followed. Until we get a team composed of men, all of whom will willingly follow proper conditioning rules, we would be better to eliminate sports entirely.

FIRE BROKE OUT.

Fire of unknown origin which broke out in the top of the rear elevator shaft of the store of the Cressman Company, limited, on George street, Peterboro, shortly after 9 o'clock Friday evening, was prevented from spreading to the store and perhaps getting beyond control only by the fireproof walls of the elevator shaft. Comparatively little damage resulted, and Saturday the store was "carrying on" as usual.

Presentation to Retiring Secretary

Bill Doyle Presented with Handsome Club Bag by Brethren of Belleville Rotary Club on Occasion of His Retirement.

Bill Doyle, the genial and popular secretary of the Belleville Rotary Club has been compelled to resign that honorable position because of heavy duties elsewhere that demand his undivided attention. His resignation and retirement were made the occasion for presenting him with a handsome club bag by his brethren of the Rotary Club at yesterday's luncheon.

President Guss Porter read a resolution expressive of the regret felt by the directors because of the prospective loss of the secretary's services and their appreciation of the good work he had done in building up the organization in the first months of his life.

The president then called upon Rotarians Charlie Reid, Lorne Marsh, Bob Tennant, Bert Jennings, Vince Doyle, A. G. Davie, Bill Deacon and others who also gave fitting expression to the general regret. The retiring secretary, on rising to accept the token modestly disclaimed any particular excellence in his work. He had received so few of the good things in this life that he wouldn't turn down the proffered club bag. (Laughter.) But judging by the lightness of its weight he didn't think it contained much of the good spirits referred to by the president. (Renewed laughter.) Rotarianism made no particular profession in regard to being good or saintly but nevertheless it contained the basic principles of religion. Under its joviality there ran a vein of seriousness. The man who was willing to give without any thought of return must have a good spot in him somewhere. He hoped to see established in Belleville one of the strongest Rotary Clubs anywhere.

The speaker was greatly applauded on resuming his seat. The directors, after accepting Rotarian Doyle's resignation, appointed Oswald Scott to take his place for the balance of the term. Vote of Appreciation for H. K. Denyes.

A cordial vote of thanks was passed to express the appreciation of the members of the club of the persistent efforts of Mr. H. K. Denyes, M.P.P., in securing from the Ontario Department of Public Works consent to make the road from Belleville to Foxboro a full Provincial highway.

The hope was also expressed that at an early date this highway would be extended to Peterborough. The directors, after accepting Rotarian Doyle's resignation, appointed Oswald Scott to take his place for the balance of the term. Vote of Appreciation for H. K. Denyes.

A special committee consisting of President Guss Porter, (Judge) Frank Willis, Bill Schuster and Owen Herby was appointed to consider the great problem of reforestation and to investigate what practical steps might be taken to secure a reforesting of the timbered areas of North Hastings.

CARGO OF LIVE EELS.

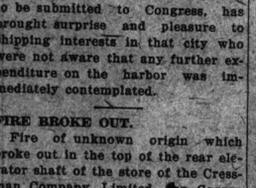
Owing to the heavy wind storms on Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence river, many lake going boats have been forced to remain moored at the Cape Vincent breakwater. Among the boats there is the Ethel Q. a Canadian steam tug, which has a tow of four canal barges. The canal boats have an unusual cargo of live eels, which were shipped from Quebec, and are en route to New York city for export among the Italian element in the city. The four boats hold together a cargo of 175,000 pounds of the eels.

WILL IMPROVE HARBOR.

An item for \$99,000 for harbor improvements at Ogdensburg contained in the River and Harbor bill to be submitted to Congress, has brought surprise and pleasure to shipping interests in that city who were not aware that any further expenditure on the harbor was immediately contemplated.

Slippers! Slippers!!

Our stock of Comfy, Bedroom and Boudoir Slippers in all the popular shades, now ready for your inspection. All sizes, Ladies, Misses and Children's



Secure them today, before sizes are broken. Prices The Lowest. The Haines Shoe Houses.

Advertisement for The Haines Shoe Houses, featuring illustrations of slippers and text: 'Slippers! Slippers!!', 'Secure them today, before sizes are broken', 'Prices The Lowest', 'The Haines Shoe Houses'.

Advertisement for Earle & Cook Co. featuring text: 'SPECIAL VALUES IN LADIES' COATS', 'We are offering our entire stock of Ladies' Coats at very special prices.', 'Kimonos', 'Navy Serge', 'Moire Underskirts', 'EARLE & COOK CO.'

Advertisement for Dr. G.A. Morton, Dentist, featuring text: 'Dr. G.A. Morton - DENTIST - X Ray Equipment Office Burrows Block Front St. City Phone 452.'

Advertisement for WALLBRIDGE, CAMERON & CO., featuring text: 'WALLBRIDGE, CAMERON & CO. (Successors to the late F. S. Wallbridge), Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries Money to loan Dominion Bank Building Cor. Front & Bridge Streets, Belleville, Ontario.'

Advertisement for E. H. FRALECK, B.A., featuring text: 'E. H. FRALECK, B.A. Barrister, Solicitor, etc. Robertson Bldg. 219 Front St. Belleville Money to Loan. n19-3m'

Advertisement for S. J. FISHER, featuring text: 'S. J. FISHER Auctioneer, will sell from stock and implements as follows: Dec. 1. Miss Ida McDavitt, Lot 26, Con. 8, Thurlow Twp. Dec. 2. R. J. Maxwell, Lot 23, Con. 1, Hungerford Twp. Dec. 3. Mrs. (Dr.) Moore, Shan-nonville, Ont. Dec. 7. Wm. A. Phelps, Lot 23, Con. 3, Thurlow Twp. Dec. 8. John M. Boyd, Lot 2, Con. 3, Thurlow Twp. Dec. 9. G. N. Phillips, Lot 31, Con. 3, Thurlow Twp. Dec. 14, at 9.30 a.m., G. P. Van-Allen, Lot 35, Con. 6, Sidney Twp. Lunch at noon. Dec. 15. Charles Grass, Lot 21, Con. 1, Thurlow Township. For particulars see posters or phone 168. Office 19 Campbell St., Belleville, Ont. DIED WICKETT—In Belleville on Monday Nov. 29th, 1920, Eliza Wickett, relict of the late James Wickett, aged 93 years, 7 months.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE Farm Stock, Implements, Grain & Household Effects

The Undersigned Auctioneer has Received Instruction From

MR. DAVID HASLIP

To Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at his Premises, LOT 23, CON. 4, SIDNEY Township on

Monday, Dec. 6th, 1920

At 12 o'Clock Sharp, The Following:

- 1 Percheron Colt, Rising 3 years, 1200 lbs; 1 Bay Brood Mare, in foal, 8 years, 1200 lbs. 1 Gray Mare, 9 years; 1 Bay Horse, good worker; 1 Black Horse, 10 years old; 1 Light Gray Mare; 11 Choice Holstein High Grade Cows, in calf; 1 Brood Sow; 6 Pigs, 10 weeks old; 4 Shoats, about 100 lbs; 40 Hens; 30 Choice Ducks; 1 New Binder, Massey Harris, 6-foot cut; 1 New Mower, Massey Harris, 5-foot cut; 1 New Disc Seeder, Frost & Wood; 1 Set Discs, Massey Harris, new; 1 Set 4-Section harrows, new; 1 Oliver Sulky Plow, new; 1 Cockshutt Sulky Plow; 1 Horse Rake; 2 Spring-Tooth Cultivators; 1 Scuffler; 1 New Massey-Harris Separator, cap. 500 lbs; 1 Roller; 1 Walking Plow, nearly new; 1 Set Gangs, nearly new; 3 Lumber Waggon, all nearly new; 1 Set New Bobsleighs, Finnegan; 2 Sets Sleighs, 3 Gravel Boxes; 1 Stock Rack; 1 Fanning Mill, Chatham, new; 1 Set Scales, capacity 1200 lbs; 1 Large Grain Box; 2 40-Gallon Milk Cans; 1 Cooling Tank; 1 Set Power Clippers; 1 Cutter; 2 Top Buggies, 2 Sets Waggon Springs; 1 Large Work Table; 1 Vise; 1 New Lawn Mower; 3 Sets Heavy Double Harness; 1 Set Heavy Single Harness; 1 Set Single Harness; 1 Large Cooler; Quantity of Cement; 20 Ribs Chicken Wire; 1 Roll Hay Wire; Number of Barrels; 300 bushels Oats; 100 Bushels Barley; 1 Barrel Churn; 1 Hardwood Butter Mixer; 1 Fruit Cupboard; 1 Earthen Dash Churn; 2 Kitchen Tables; 1 Stair Carpet; 1 Roll Oilcloth; 1 Kitchen Cupboard; 1 Happy Thought Range; 1 Oil Heater; 1 Sheet Iron Camp Stove and Pipes; 1 Rifle, 30-30, new; 1 Hammock; 1 White Enamel Bureau; 1 White Enamel Bed and Springs; 1 Wash Bench; Also a number of Forks, Chains, Shovels, Hoes, Whittlers, and numerous other articles.

Absolutely no Reserve as Mr. Haslip has sold his farm. TERMS OF SALE:—\$10.00 and under cash; on all sums over that amount there will be 11 Months' Credit given by Purchaser furnishing Approved Joint Notes bearing interest at Six Per Cent. per annum.

Norman Montgomery, Auctioneer BOX 180 —BRIGHTON— PHONE 101

War Bond Coupons Cashed Free

The Merchants Bank will cash all War Loan coupons or interest cheques when due, on presentation, without making any charge whatever for the service. If you have not a Savings Account, why not use your interest money to open one with this Bank?

THE MERCHANTS BANK Head Office: Montreal OF CANADA Established 1884 BELLEVILLE BRANCH, N. D. McFADYEN, Manager.

Rev. Milton Bayliss, occupied the Methodist pulpit on Sunday in the absence of our pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morden, Melrose, visited at the latter's home on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Carter spent Sunday at Mr. James Hutchinson's. Mr. Harry Wallace, Belleville, spent over Sunday under the parental roof. We had quite a fall of snow on Wednesday which started the sleighs running and caused us to think that winter was indeed here. Mrs. Wm. Crozier, Westport, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Yorks. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Roslin, have moved to our neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Clarke, Carleton Place, on Thursday at Mr. B. Livingston's. Mr. Will Collins, Latta, took dinner on Sunday at Mr. Albert Larronsou's. Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Prindle, Carleton Place, visited at Mr. Fred Yorks's on Sunday evening.

day at Mr. J. J. Reid's. Quite a number attended the institute meeting at Miss Eva Sine's on Thursday and hear the report of the Institute Convention that was held in Toronto, the report was given by Mrs. J. Beatty, which was very much enjoyed.

Mrs. F. Demille spent Sunday in Frankford at her sister's, Mrs. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace, of Striding called at Mr. Ernest Lott's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cadman visited at Mr. Walter Scott's recently. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dufco spent Sunday in Frankford, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Sine.

FRANKFORD

Mr. Garfield Latta, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Latta, in town.

The Frankford Auxiliary of the W. M. S. held Wednesday, Nov. 24, as the day of prayer, by holding their afternoon prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. G. V. Sine.

Mrs. Benedict arrived home on Wednesday evening from Belleville where she has been with her daughter for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Peter Tripp, of Belleville, spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tripp and other relatives in town.

Miss Sager of Belleville, was the Sunday guest of Miss Cecil Mori.

Ethel Benedict spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Jas. Johnston.

We are pleased to know that Miss Alice Winslow is home again from Belleville hospital where she has been for the past week having her throat treated. We hope she will soon be able to resume her class in the Public School.

The W. A. of Trinity Church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Hendricks, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thrasher of the 5th con. of Sidney, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jim Carr, and son, Ralph.

The Graham Co., evaporator finished their season's work on Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nicholson and son, Grant, of the 5th line of Sidney, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Badgley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair spent Sunday with friends in Sidling.

Mrs. Cora Vandervoort, of Trenton, spent Monday and Tuesday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Myers.

Mrs. Davis, widow of Mr. Willist Davis, passed away on Monday afternoon at her home near the Box Board Co. She was stricken on Saturday with a stroke and never regained consciousness.

Miss Luffman spent Sunday with her parents in Wellington, returning on Monday.

GLEN ROSS

St. Pleasant Church being closed on account of small-pox, a number of their good people attended service at Oarwell, on Sunday last where a good sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Archer.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Elizabeth Rosebush, relict of the late Tobias Rosebush. The deceased was in her 85th year. The remains were interred in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Wensley, of Striding, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. Anderson, who has been confined to her bed for the past week on account of falling health. We hope she will improve soon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden entertained company Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holgate spent the week end with friends here.

Mrs. W. Anderson took dinner on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wheeler, of Striding, spent Sunday in our midst.

Miss Edith Hubbal, of Bancroft, spent the week end recently guest of Mrs. H. Hubbal.

WEST HUNTINGDON

Rev. McQuade preached at Marsh Hill as Rev. Jones preached anniversary services at Moira on Sunday.

Mr. W. Tufts and family of Holloway took dinner at Mr. Post's on Sunday.

Miss Lulu Saries spent the week end at Moira.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS!

We have received this week a number of articles without the signature of the sender. We wish again to remind our correspondents that it is against the rules of The Ontario to publish any article which is not signed. This applies to our regular correspondents as well as occasional contributors. So therefore, if the sender of "Hunting Party Has Returned" will supply me with the name of the sender, we will be glad to publish it.

draw's Church were well attended on Sunday despite the weather. The fowl supper was a great success on Monday evening, the program was good and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. The proceeds amounted to \$150.00.

Quite a number attended the funeral of the late Stephen Noleon of Sterling on Tuesday.

The young men of Ivanhoe gave an informal dance in the new hall on Friday evening. All enjoyed the evening to the utmost.

The West Huntingdon W.M.S. ladies have accepted an invitation to Moira on Wednesday next to join them in their day of prayer which has been fixed for that date.

Quite a number have been shipping potatoes in our neighborhood, paying \$1.50 per bag.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church held their monthly meeting at Mr. H. Rollins' on Thursday.

Mrs. Joe English spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. S. Parago.

A miscellaneous shower was given Miss Mary Doman on Friday evening prior to her marriage.

Miss Lulu Saries spent last week visiting friends at Moira.

Miss L. Richardson spent Sunday at Mr. R. Haggerty's.

Mrs. A. McIntroy entertained a number of people on Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Wilson and family spent a day last week at Stockdale.

Rev. E. A. Tomkin, our old friend and minister visited some of our friends at Fuller last week.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson entertained company on Wednesday.

On the evening of Nov. 15th a number of friends from lower Bay-side met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Pine and family to spend a social evening with them before their departure for their new home in Maryland, U.S.

After a pleasant interval of social chat Mrs. D. Gunn, senior, asked their hosts to be seated and in graceful language assured them of the high esteem in which they were held on account of their social qualities and also for the help which they had rendered in all the efforts of the neighborhood, especially during the war, assuring them of the regrets their departure was causing their friends and wishing them every happiness and success in their new venture.

At this juncture Mrs. C. Hall presented them with a beautiful fern-dinner and mahogany serving tray with brass handles.

Mr. and Mrs. Pine were considerably surprised, but made suitable acknowledgment and informing those present of the deep regret it was causing them to leave so many kind friends and thanking them for the very kind expressions given.

Refreshments were served after this and a most pleasant evening was spent by all.

Among those present were Mrs. Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hogle and Mr. and Mrs. A. Cannon.

WINTER NEWS. Winter has set in in earnest. Bells are heard on every side these days.

Miss Helen Doyle was "at-home" to a few of her friends on Sunday evening last.

Mr. M. O'Neill of Westport, is visiting his daughters, Mrs. P. and Mrs. J. Doyle.

Mr. Joe Brennan spent a couple of days in Toronto recently.

Mrs. Henry McCullough spent a couple of weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, of Napanee.

Men's Banquet at John St.

Enjoyable Function To Observe St. Andrew's.

St. Andrew's Day was observed by the men of the congregation of John Street, Presbyterian Church last evening, when a magnificent spread was placed before a large gathering in the church parlors. The session and board of managers made possible the function and the ladies of the congregation put on the banquet. Mr. Mac Robertson occupied the chair and addressed the meeting. Other speakers were Mr. D. V. Sinclair, Mr. R. J. Graham and Rev. D. C. Ramsay. The gathering was informal and its purpose was to bring the men of the church together in a social way.

Secretary Morley Expresses Gratitude

Associated Boards of Trade Grateful For Entertainment.

Mayor Riggs has received from Secretary-Treasurer Morley the following expression of thanks from the Associated Boards of Trade which met here last week.

Toronto, 30th November 1920. His Worship, the Mayor, Belleville, Ontario.

I am directed by the Executive of our Association to enclose herewith copy of Resolution which was unanimously adopted at the close of our session last Friday. May I add my personal appreciation for the many courtesies extended. Speaking from an experience of nearly ten years, since inauguration, I can assure you that the delegates left Belleville with the feeling that this must be considered as the best yet.

My kind regards to you, your colleagues and the citizens in general. Yours faithfully, F. G. Morley, Secretary-Treasurer.

Moved by Mr. A. J. Young, seconded by Mr. J. G. Elliott that the thanks of the Ontario Association of Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce, be tendered to the Corporation of the City of Belleville for placing at our disposal their Council Chamber for the purpose of holding the Seventh Annual Meeting of the Association, and also for their kind hospitality to the Delegates during their sojourn in Belleville.

Carried, Belleville, November 26th, 1920. F. G. Morley, Secretary-Treasurer.

This is the time of the year when school houses all over the country are beginning to look like so many beehives, and it is up to the small towns where the children lack the sophistication of the city, to see that these schools produce clover instead of barley honey. In other words, it is better not to work at all, than work in the wrong direction.

The poor schoolteacher is much in the position of the farmer who only has a whack at the bees outside the track. Flattering as it may seem, the families of the children represent the queen bee. So insist on more painstaking accuracy in your children's speech and ideas. You can pass over exaggerated comparisons of a million or so, but when a High School Junior says Columbus discovered America in 1492, it is time for something more stringent than that old song, "In 1492 Columbus sailed the ocean blue." Such jokes are in class, but they rather lose their point in examination. The child may appear to understand perfectly in class and then say away from school and repeat an entirely different story. Just watch how correctly they are absorbing their information, and not how much they cram into their little heads, right or wrong. And when you catch them in an error, insist on correction. That is the best way you can cooperate with the teacher, and you will earn her everlasting gratitude.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

Mr. Roy B. Duffin and family are leaving for Toronto on Thursday and intend residing there permanently.

Mr. Wm. Rose, Commercial street, arrived home from the west this morning.

Talk of the Town And of the Country

DISPOSES OF BUSINESS.

Mrs. Myrtle DeShane has disposed of her news and tobacco business on Front Street to the United Cigars Stores, Limited.

ENGINEER BADLY INJURED.

John Flaherty, senior engineer on the Barrie district of the G.T.R. is out of service at present with a very sore hand. He was standing beside his engine when the fireman threw out a large clinker from the fire box which struck Mr. Flaherty on the shoulder and arm, cutting his hand badly and severing an artery. As it was over a mile to the nearest doctor he lost a large quantity of blood before he reached the office.

APPRECIATES STORY.

The Belleville Ontario is publishing a serial entitled "Roughing It in the Bush," written by the late Susanna Moodie, a pioneer settler of Ontario. This story gives a vivid account of the early life and struggles of the pioneers and would prove an attractive, interesting and profitable book for a school library, says a correspondent to The Picton Times.

It might be that the younger generations would prize their noble heritage more if they realized the arduous toll and hardship which Ontario's early settlers endured when they blazed the trail in the unbroken wilderness for following generations.

Frequently, it is observed, that boys and girls proficient in British and even Ancient History have little knowledge of and fondness for the history of their own country. This is not as it should be, and stories, legends, etc., with local color, should be carefully preserved, that the younger Canadians may become by this knowledge, loyal and patriotic citizens proud of the fact that "they were born in Canada beneath the British flag."

DELIGHTFUL EVENING.

The Belleville Club, assisted by the Ladies committee, gave a most enjoyable "At Home" last night at their spacious and comfortable club rooms. In response to the invitations about seventy members of the club, many of them from out of town, enjoyed the entertainment provided.

Cards and dancing were the principal features. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock. The decorations were beautiful clusters of chrysanthemums. The party broke up at 12 o'clock, all feeling that the ladies' committee who were so usual indefatigable in their efforts to make it a success.

"GET-TOGETHER MEETING."

A "Get-Together" meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow, (Thursday) night at the City Hall. All who are interested in the progress of Belleville are cordially invited to attend. Everyone will be given an opportunity to offer suggestions for the new program of work for the coming year. Mr. R. J. Graham has kindly consented to occupy the chair. The general public, whether a member of the Chamber or not, will be welcomed. A large attendance is looked for and an interesting evening is assured.

CLEAN AUTO MARKERS, OR—

An autotail for driving with his car markers so obscured by mud that the number could not be read, was fined \$5, and costs in Police Court this morning.

TABERNACLE BAZAAR.

At the Tabernacle church school rooms yesterday the annual Christmas bazaar was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the church. The sale was attended by a large number of people and the many booths did a flourishing business. The entire auditorium was a hive of activity. All classes of fancy goods, candies, home-made cooking, were sold in abundance. The decorations for the event were appropriate to the Yuletide season.

SMALL BLAZE.

Fire was reported at 2:10 this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Beeson, corner of Tremans and Benjamin streets. The blaze caught upstairs but was fortunately under control before the firemen reached the scene, the neighbors having carried water. The main damage was by water and smoke. The origin is unknown. The fire was made a fast run, the first arriving in just six minutes' time in spite of the poor road conditions.

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WE HAVE IN AN EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT of Tom Smith's Christmas and Party Crackers. These mirth provoking crackers should find a place at every home gathering at Christmas, 70c to \$2.50 a box, (one doz. in a box). Ask to see them.

Chas. S. CLAPP

Obituary

MICHAEL KELLEHER.

The death occurred early this morning at the General Hospital of Michael Kelleher. He was born in Belleville in 1854 and spent his entire life here. He was a son of the late Michael Kelleher. In early life he was in the service of the Grand Trunk and latterly had been with the Elliott Co. Surviving are three brothers—William and Charles of Belleville and John of Trenton. He was a widow. Mr. Kelleher belonged to the Methodist Church. The remains were taken to the home of his brother, Mr. Charles Kelleher, 108 Dumas street. He had been ill but a few days.

Internally and Externally it is Good—The crowning property of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is that it can be used internally for many complaints as well as externally. For sore throat, croup, whooping cough, pains in the chest, cold, and many kindred ailments it has curative qualities that are unsurpassed. A bottle of it costs little and there is no loss in always having it at hand.

Wedding Bells

BEFORE—PETS

A quiet wedding took place in the Methodist church on Tuesday forenoon when Miss Mary Potts, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Potts was united in marriage to Wilbert Bedore, also of Marmora. Rev. W. P. Woodger officiated. The contracting parties were unattended. Only the immediate relatives and a few friends were present. After the ceremony a dainty wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride, and the happy couple left for a short visit to Toronto. The bride and groom are popular in Marmora and they have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy wedded life.—Tweed Advocate.

Asthma No Longer Dreaded. The dread of renewed attacks from asthma has no hold upon those who have learned to rely upon Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. So safe do they feel that complete reliance is placed on this true specific with the certainty that it will do all that its makers claim. If you have not yet learned how safe you are with this preparation at hand get it today and know for yourself.

Miss Mary Sheehan, a former resident of Belleville, died this morning in Montreal, and the body will be brought here Thursday. Further particulars tomorrow.

MR. JOHN ELLIOTT

Associated Board of Belleville Man-Meeting.

Mr. John Elliott of the Chamber of Commerce, was elected President of the Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce. The other officers follow:

Honorary Presidents, Lt. Col. W. N. Ponton, K. C. J. Young, North Bay.

R. Home Smith, Toronto. Wm. Taylor, Owen Sound. President—J. Elliott, Belleville. Vice-President—Col. F. Toronto.

2nd Vice-President—G. C. Hamilton. 3rd Vice-President—M. P. Collingwood, Executive.

Geoff Bethune, Ottawa. John Ferguson, North Bay. A. B. Carscillen, Wallaceburg. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P. Br. K. J. Dunstan, Toronto.

Donations to Xmas Tree

The following donations soldiers' kiddies Christmas tree: der auspices Great War V. Association, Belleville Branch. Members' Christmas tree: der auspices Great War V. Association. All subscriptions be acknowledged through the Association. The association subscribed \$ balance from last year \$66.00 fund grow.

G. W. V. A. Balance from last year. Toronto Hat Co. Geo. Oliver. J. Bone. E. J. Follwell. T. Hallam. T. G. Wells. S. H. Turner. G. H. Dobbis. H. Stanley. A. A. Tapp. L. F. Green. A. G. Bowyer. H. W. Barrett. Reg. Brockhurst. H. Hottel. Mr. Wheeler. Friend. W. S. Clarke. B. J. Black. Jonas Green. Mrs. R. Gulliver. S. Mayhew. Miss LaLonde. R. A. Buchanan. J. P. Hinchey. Friend. J. Kay. J. Grotto. Edgar Stapley. Friend. S. Bonnard. Ed. Thomas. W. Cook. George Ellis. Mrs. LaRue. R. Hulley. Mr. Belsey. John Roach. Friend. Frank Wilson. Robert Bogie. H. Hall. Mr. McFadyen. D. M. W. Friend of the kiddies. J. S. McKeown. G. H. Griffin. R. D. Ponton. Geo. A. Stitt. E. A. Blaind. W. D. Embury. Chas. Eden. J. R. Smith. Green & Co. Friend. Howe & Hagerman. Geo. Wallbridge. Col. R. Vanderwater. E. C. Yeomans. H. A. Ross. Front Moorman & Co. Srgt. Napkin. Friend. Friend. Friend. Chas. Clapp. B. Brooks. H. C. Thompson. P. Rosetta. Royal Cafe.

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Associated Boards of Trade Honor Belleville Man—Brantford Next Place of Meeting.

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Arthur Hewitt, Toronto; E. A. Horion, St. Thomas; T. J. Hannigan, Guelph; John G. Henry, Sudbury; J. A. Hussey, Sault Ste. Marie; G. C. Martin, Hamilton; G. F. McKinnin, Smith's Falls; J. A. McInnes, Iroquois Falls; H. M. Bell, St. Catharines. The retiring president, Mr. W. Taylor, asked the new president, Mr. John Elliott, to take the chair. Mr. Elliott expressed his thanks to the Associated Boards and to Mr. Taylor for his kind words. It had been a pleasure to work with Mr. Taylor as president. Mr. Elliott promised his best co-operation in the work and asked the co-operation of every board and member. Mr. Taylor was asked by Mr. Elliott to resume the chair. Mr. John Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. J. A. Hussey a resolution of thanks to the retiring president, Mr. W. Taylor, which carried. The place of meeting in 1921 will be Brantford.

Donations to Xmas Tree Fund

The following donations to the soldiers' kiddies Christmas tree, under auspices Great War Veterans' Association, Belleville Branch, have been received. Citizens are requested to leave their subscriptions at any bank in the city, G.T.R. shops, yards and offices of Great War Veterans' Association. All subscriptions will be acknowledged through the press. The association subscribed \$200.00; balance from last year \$66.00.

- G. W. V. A. \$200.00; Balance from last year \$66.00; Toronto War Co. \$5.00; Geo. Clark \$2.00; J. Bond \$2.00; W. J. Folwell \$1.00; T. Ballant \$1.00; T. G. Wells \$1.00; S. H. Turner \$1.00; G. A. Dobbs \$1.00; H. Stanley \$1.00; A. A. Tapp \$1.00; L. F. Green \$1.00; A. G. Bowyer \$1.00; M. W. Barrett \$1.00; Reg. Brockhurst \$1.00; H. Holton \$1.00; Mr. Wheeler \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; W. E. Clarke \$1.00; B. J. Black \$1.00; Jonas Green \$1.00; Mrs. R. Gulliver \$1.00; S. Mayhew \$1.00; Miss LaLonde \$1.00; R. A. Buchanan \$1.00; J. F. Hinchev \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Mr. Kay \$1.00; J. Grotto \$1.00; Edgar Stapley \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; S. Bonnard \$1.00; Ed. Thomas \$1.00; W. Cook \$1.00; George Ellis \$1.00; Mrs. LaRue \$1.00; R. Hulley \$1.00; J. R. Calhoun \$1.00; Mr. Belsey \$1.00; John Roach \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Frank Wilson \$1.00; Robert Bogle \$1.00; H. Hall \$1.00; Mr. McFadyen \$1.00; D. M. W. \$1.00; Friend of the Kiddies \$1.00; J. S. McKeevan \$1.00; G. H. Griffin \$1.00; R. D. Ponton \$1.00; Geo. A. Stitt \$1.00; E. A. Blaind \$1.00; J. C. Cordes \$1.00; W. D. Embury \$1.00; Chas. Eden \$1.00; J. R. Smith \$1.00; Green & Co. \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Howe & Hagerman \$1.00; Geo. Walbridge \$1.00; Col. R. Vanderwater \$1.00; L. C. Yeomans \$1.00; H. A. Ross \$1.00; Front Moorhead & Co. \$1.00; Sergt. Naphin \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Friend \$1.00; Chas. Clapp \$1.00; R. Brooks \$1.00; H. C. Thompson \$1.00; P. Rosatte \$1.00; Royal Cafe \$1.00.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Total to date \$355.00.

Obituary

LINDSEY D. ELLIOTT. The city of the death of Mr. Lindsey D. Elliott, which took place in Calgary, Alta., on Saturday last. He had been in poor health for a long while ever since his return from overseas, as a member of the 21st Alberta Reserve Battalion. Born in Hungerford township, near Tweed, he spent the early part of his life there, being a son of the late William Henry Elliott. Later he bought the William Henry Ketchum farm on the Front of Sidney, where he lived for many years until his removal to Carbon, Alta., where he was engaged in ranching for a time. Of a genial, likeable disposition, he was known by many residents of Belleville and Sidney township, who will learn with regret of his passing. Two sons, W. Brock Elliott and Lindsey C. Elliott, both of Carbon, Alta., are left; his wife, who was a daughter of the late Isaac Brock Ostrom, of Sidney, predeceasing him some years. A sister, Mrs. Charles Green, of Belleville, a brother, Mr. Samuel Elliott, of Tweed, and other relatives survive.

MRS. GRISDALE DIES

Mrs. Laura Grisdale, wife of Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, died suddenly last night at 11.30 o'clock at the family residence at the Experimental Farm. She was in her forty-eighth year. She was a daughter of the late Albert and Mrs. Jane Vipond, of Hudson, Que. Besides her husband she leaves five children; three sons, Hume, attending Macdonald College; Albert and Simpson; and two daughters, the Misses Helen and Caroline, at home. Dr. Grisdale attended Albert College here several years ago and two years ago addressed the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Convention in this city. On this occasion, he was the guest of his cousin, Mr. F. H. Henry, Charles St. Mr. and Mrs. Henry visited at his home in Ottawa a year ago last winter.

MRS. MARY ANN PARRY

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Mary Ann Parry after a few days' serious illness from dropsy and heart failure at her home, third concession of Sidney. She was born 83 years ago in England, and came to Canada at the age of six years. For 61 years she had lived in Sidney. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Mrs. Parry's husband, Wm. H. Parry, predeceased her. Surviving are one son, George W. Parry, of Sidney, one daughter, Annie Jane Parry and three sisters and two brothers.

The Condition of Ireland To-day

Report by a Committee, The Society of Friends.

(Reprinted from The London Times) At its September meeting the Executive Committee of the Society of Friends had before it the disturbed condition of Ireland. After serious consideration it was decided to send a deputation to visit the country to gather facts and impressions and report to a subsequent meeting as to the possibility of relief, reconstruction, and reconciliation. The deputation numbered three, of whom the writer was one. It may fairly be claimed that they went with open minds, anxious to receive light from whatever quarter it might shine. It is thought that some account of what was seen and what impressions were received may be of general interest. The chief centres visited were Dublin, Belfast, Limerick, Cork, visits being also made from these to places in the neighbourhood. Our interviews were with men of every shade of opinion—Unionists, Nationalists, Sinn Feiners, Protestants, Orangemen, Catholics, Labour leaders. They included members of Parliament, Bishops, business men, university professors, members of the Sinn Fein cabinet, Sinn Fein Judges, Journalists, working men. Altogether we had about 60 interviews besides attending groups and conferences. Everywhere we were received with unfailing courtesy and kindness, and every facility was given for carrying out our commission. First of all as to what we saw: On the surface Dublin was quiet, but while we were in the north Mr. Lynch was shot in a Dublin hotel and one or two encounters took place between the Irish Volunteers and the military. It was in Dublin that we had our first experience of the curfew, and received particulars of the burning of the 17 co-operative creameries. There, too, we found that there are two governments in Ireland—that of the Crown and that of the Irish Republic. Each has its Cabinet, its Executive, its armed forces, its courts of justice. It is no exaggeration to say that 60 per cent. of Ireland regards allegiance to the Irish Republic, whether willingly or unwillingly, and that in that regard the majority of the British Government rests upon force and not upon consent. In Belfast, we saw something of the ruin caused by the recent outbreaks, but it was not until we visited Lisburn, a short distance from the city, that we began to understand how fierce the violence had been. House after house, shop after shop, burnt out completely, in some cases not even the outer walls left standing. The marvel was how the flames had been kept from spreading and the whole town saved from destruction. In the outskirts were all that was left of one or two good houses standing in their own grounds—bare walls and heaps of debris. Going to Limerick we found several ruined houses, where the work of destruction had been carried out with extraordinary completeness. Painted in large letters on the walls left standing were such sentences as "The work of the Black and Tans," "The work of the R.I.C.," In Kerry-street, which had been raided but not burned, we found that practically every window, both glass and woodwork, had been smashed, doors burst open, and furniture, ornaments, earthenware, in fact everything breakable, included in one common destruction. The accounts given were most graphic. Here it was a woman shows the remains of cherished ornaments and looking glass, there another lamenting over the shattered remains of a wardrobe, and again another pointing to a plaster cast of the Virgin and rejoicing that it had been spared. Leaving this Via dolorosa it was not surprising to find on the walls of some neighbouring buildings such inscriptions as "Sorrow to England," "Damn England."

Ruined Villages

From Limerick we made a long round by motor-car to visit three villages which had just been "shot up." These were Ennistymon, Lahinch, and Milltown Maloy. The first sign of trouble was out (telegraph wires). This had been done on two places. On entering Ennistymon the acrid smell of burning met us everywhere. Some of the ruins were still smoking, and here and there flame was flickering over the ashes. A man who had been present during the raid told us of the frenzy of the attack, the wild shouting, the blazing houses, the bullets whizzing past his head as he tried to bring two women from the street into a place of safety, the shooting of a man and the hurling of the body into the flames.

As we left the village a jerry passed as manned by armed police, and carrying on the floor two coffins. Presumably these were for two of a party of police ambushed and shot a day or two before. Lahinch had suffered more than Ennistymon. "Come this way, sir," said a man. We followed. There at the back of the houses in a low poor shed was a comparatively small chest covered with a white cloth, and on the top a few flowers. "He was burnt, sir, in one of the houses. He was a stranger; we don't know who he was." This was all that was left. Now we are talking to a woman—"When they came to my house I begged and prayed them not to burn it. The man at the door was tall and fat. I could see him plainly, for it was bright moonlight, and there was the light from the burning houses. I pleaded hard, 'Don't burn this house; there's no one but women and children in it!' And he went away and did not burn it."

Again we are questioning a man who had succeeded in putting out the flames in his house, a small inn. "I carried the water up here. I was afraid they would see what I was doing and shoot me. But they were not so bad off after all. There were some visitors upstairs, and they helped them out with their luggage. They said, 'It's not women and children we want. It's men we're after. We're out for blood.' And now we leave the houses to go into the main street. A crowd is moving slowly from the farther end. A coffin, carried shoulder-high by the men of the village, is being borne to the cemetery. With bared heads we join in the march. It is the funeral of one of those killed in the raid. A short interval, and then a change. A motor-lorry, carrying six or eight soldiers with trench helmets, bayonets, and rifles at "the ready," passes through the village. I stand looking hard at this symbol of physical power. The soldiers' eyes range over doors, windows, and doorways, their fingers are on the rifle-triggers. I think of the charred remnants of the stranger a few yards away in the shed, of the coffin carried shoulder-high, my eyes rest on the ruin left by the fire, and I cannot deny that a feeling of fierce anger flares up within me. And then, like a flash, comes the recollection of the men we have seen leaving Ennistymon, with its armed policemen guarding the way, and I think of the murdered policemen, their widows and little children, and then, as in columns of flame, the conflict and the tragedy of Ireland is before me.

Potatoes Are Slow Sellers

Butter Slumps Somewhat—Eggs Advance—Hides Market Low. Potatoes were rather slow today. They were held higher but did not result in sales. Potatoes sold down to \$1.75 and \$1.50 per bag. A few sold early at \$2.00. Pork sold at 20c per pound by the carcass. The live hog market holds at \$15.00 per cwt. "Lamb is not selling," said a butcher today. The nominal price is 25 cents. Beef hind quarters bring 16c and forecs 12 to 15c. Butter sold at 60c and down to 55c today in consequence of the closing of the factories. Eggs went up a little in price at 80c per dozen. Loose hay was scarce today. Baled hay is quoted at \$26.00 per ton. Apples sold at \$1.25 to \$2.00 per bushel. Cider 35c per gallon; pumpkins 15c; citronns 10 to 15c; onions and carrots, etc., sold at regular prices. The grain market is slightly easier, wheat selling at \$1.85; buckwheat \$1.00; oats 60c; barley \$1.00 to \$1.10. Beef hides are quoted at 4 to 50c per pound. Owing to the congestion of the fur market, consequent upon the high prices paid for raw furs last winter, no prices have been issued by Canadian and U. S. firms. No raw fur sales have been made in Belleville yet.

A Sinn Fein Court

In Cork we had the opportunity of attending a Sinn Fein Court. Three young men sat on the Bench, and there were about 40 people present. The cases related to the licensing laws, and the proceedings were conducted in a quiet and businesslike manner. From many quarters we received testimony to the efficiency of these Courts and to the impartiality with which they administer justice. They deal with criminal offences, questions of rent, ownership, and occupation of land. So much for what we saw. Now for a few impressions. The old ir-reconcilable Unionism except in Ulster is dead as a policy. The old constitutional Nationalist Party has gone also; one former Nationalist M.P. told me he doubted if he could find enough supporters to fill in his nomination papers. Everywhere men talk of a Republic, a liberal measure of Home Rule or Dominion Home Rule. It is not that Unionists think Home Rule the better policy, but that they regard something of the kind as inevitable. A measure of the kind which would have been fought five years ago would now at most certainly be accepted by Unionists with thankfulness. The Parliamentary Nationalist

policy was discredited because it was found to lead only to disappointment, broken Government promises, Bills withdrawn, Acts suspended. No one could trust the Government. In consequence, practically the whole of the Nationalists following has gone over to Sinn Fein. We gathered, however, that while the extreme Sinn Feiners are apparently irreconcilable and will accept nothing short of an independent Irish Republic, there is a large mass of moderate opinion which would accept a well-conceived liberal measure of self-government. Several expressed the opinion that the bestowal of this would kill the agitation for independence. However, this may be I must repeat that deeds, not words, are needed. Government promises are simply disregarded. Broadly speaking, the courses before England seem to be limited to three: Repression and yet more repression, and all that this involves. The gift of a liberal measure of self-government, including fiscal and financial control. An independent Irish Republic. I am inclined to think that England will rule out the first and third of these. What of the second? And what of the stopping of police reprisals, the withdrawal of the armed forces of the Crown as a pledge of the good faith of the Government, whose good faith also stands in need of some guarantee of this direction. But action must be prompt and decisive. Tempers are hardening. The door of opportunity is closing. Will the Government have the courage to act before it is again "too late?" The members of the deputation were: John Henry Barlow, J.P., of Birmingham, Chairman of the Society of Friends in Great Britain from 1913 to 1919; Roger Clark, of Street, Somerset, the present Chairman of the Society; and Edith M. Ellis, daughter of the late Rt. Hon. John Edward Ellis.

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WHAT SHALL I DO?

Answered by VIRGINIA PAGE.

JULIA O'GRADY AND THE COLONEL'S LADY.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: I am employed by a prominent man in our town, whose wife I often meet outside of the office—because this is not a large city. We are both members of a Y.W.C.A. committee and a Girl Scout organization, and we even meet socially at times. And I am always at sea to know how to act. She is not very pleasant, and I never know whether I should make the first move or wait for her to do so. Will you tell me?—A. Secretary.

A.—I am sorry your employer's wife is not cordial, for I know how embarrassing this is for you and how unjust it seems to you. In the office a pleasant businesslike manner is expected of you; you should greet her graciously, as you would any other frequent caller, and offer to assist her if possible.

When you meet on committees, you meet as equals and should act as such. You have both been chosen for special ability or connections, and are both workers in the movement. I would endeavor then, if I were you, to forget that she is your employer's wife and to consider her merely as any other member of your committee.

Socially, it is a different matter. Because she is the older and a married woman, as well as the wife of your employer, you must wait for her to make the first advance. If she fails to do so, then you must call tact and dignity to your aid, and remember we all like to choose our own friends. You are acquaintances only, until she chooses to seek your friendship.

Mrs. E. F. S.—I'm sorry that I cannot help you, but recipes are out of my line, and I don't happen to know the one you have in mind.

A PAPER ANNIVERSARY.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: Will you tell me whether there is any special name and entertainment for the first wedding anniversary? My husband and I will soon have been married a year, and I want to have a little dinner party for some of the people who were at our wedding.—A. Recent Bride.

A.—My congratulations and best wishes! The first is the paper anniversary—which should afford you wide scope for an entertaining party. Why not have a semi-plenic supper, served in paper plates and cups? Use a paper table cover and napkins, and paper decorations. Get suggestions for paper favors from the art department of your local department store or stationery store. There is no special form of entertainment, except such games, contests and so on as you can easily arrange with paper. Think of tissue paper, writing paper, newspapers, the word "paper"—it will amaze you how many jolly ideas will crop into your head for the party.

FOR THE UNUSUAL GIFT.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: I want to give a friend of mine a Christmas gift, something different from the ordinary things I can get here in our little town. What would you suggest?—Mary.

A.—I'm sorry, Mary, you didn't say whether your friend is a man or a woman, so it is impossible for me to make any definite suggestions as to the gift. If I were you I would buy the Christmas Gift Number of one of the high class magazines, and pick out something suitable for your friend from its pages. Then you can send for the gift direct from the place where it is sold, or through the shopping bureau of the magazine.

MAKING PLEASURE POSSIBLE

Q.—Dear Miss Page: My husband and I have had quite an argument. Will you please tell us which is right. We were invited to a neighbor's to spend the evening, and when we went over we found some others there and they insisted we play cards. Now, our neighbors know that we do not play cards and it was a most embarrassing evening because they insisted that we try anyway. My husband says it was all right, that we ought not to go out if we can't do the things other people do. But I say that our neighbors ought not to have invited us if they wanted to play cards.—Mrs. L.

A.—I find it very interesting and pleasant to assist my letter-friends in every way I can with their problems of etiquette and social conduct, but there are two things I dread to be asked—to arbitrate between a husband and wife, and between a mother and daughter. It is both embarrassing and apt to be dangerous!

However, in this case, I must say I think you are quite right. Your hostess was very impolite to place you in such an embarrassing position. The first duty of a successful hostess is that she know her guests, invite them in such groups that they can understand and enjoy one another, and in so far as possible provide them with entertainment to their liking.

COLORS IN STATIONERY.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: I'm going to ask my brother to give me some nice stationery for Christmas. What color do you like best?—Sis.

A.—My personal preference is always for pure white letter paper. It is perfectly correct, however, to use pale blue, gray or tan if you like. Other shades are fads of the moment from time to time, but the more fastidious people do not go in for fads in their stationery.

WILL HE ALWAYS TREASURE IT?

Q.—Dear Miss Page: A boy friend of mine wants me to give him my picture and Mother says she doesn't think I ought to. Do you think it would do any harm?—Agnes G.

A.—No, I don't suppose it would do any particular harm, but I think your Mother has an idea, a good one. It's this, that the young man might misinterpret the meaning of your gift, and in any event that you probably will be more comfortable a little later on if you don't give it.

While it is not now considered the grievous offense against the conventions it once was to give a young man your picture before you are engaged to him, it is still to be carefully considered, and done—if at all—with caution. Like letters, pictures are easier to give away than to get back again, and too often they become embarrassing remembrance or evidence of an interest that did not last.

ABOUT INTRODUCTIONS.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: About introducing people, should I introduce my wife to my employer, or him to her? And should she shake hands with him?—Young Husband.

A.—The general rule is to introduce men to women, and the younger person to the older where any marked difference in age exists. Persons of great consequence, celebrities, should have introductions made to them.

In the case of your wife and your employer, if he is a much older man and you are a good ways down the list of the staff, you could with propriety ask if you could present your wife to him. Otherwise, say that you would like him to meet your wife. She should not offer to shake hands, but merely bow pleasantly and make some appropriate remark.

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which are coming to me asking for advice in the selecting of Christmas gifts, I think that all over the land there must be a great, though silent chorus of voices sighing, "Christmas is coming, oh dear, oh dear!"

And usually it is the gifts for the family of very close friends which seem to bother the most. This is my suggestion—Christmas lists. Don't you think that most of the Christmas worrying and fretting would be eliminated if all of us would make lists for our families of the things that we would like to have Santa Claus bring us—and then our friends could ask for a peep at our lists, too, if they wished.

If you are in distress as to what to get for Brother Bob or Sister Susan, Dad or Mother or Grandma Brown, why not ask them all to make "Santa Claus lists" this year? There'll still be surprises on Christmas Day, for they won't know how many of their relatives and friends are using their lists—nor whether those who are, will decide upon the automobile or the pocket handkerchief!

And you won't need to worry any more— And they will find just what they want most in their stockings on

Christmas morning— And there won't be any white elephants around the house next year. Don't you think it's a good idea?

THE VOGUE OF VEILS.

Q.—Dear Miss Page: Is it right to wear a veil in the evening?—Joy.

A.—A face veil is only to be worn in the daytime, but evening hats are much draped with fancy veils this season.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Page in care of the "What Shall I Do?" department of The Daily Ontario, will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the questions.—The Editor.

INJURED WHILE DYNAMITING.

While Mr. Jim Ronnie, of Cannington, was dynamiting roots on the Sackville farm he was hit by some of the debris and severely injured, having several ribs broken and internal injury, the extent of which is not definitely known yet. Mr. Ron-

nie suffered great pain during the week-end. Up to the present, no serious effects are anticipated, but owing to the severity of his injury recovery will be a slow process. He was fortunate to have escaped with his life.

LITTLE UNEMPLOYMENT IN COUBOURG.

It is gratifying to know that the unemployment situation in Cobourg is not of nearly as serious a character as it is in many neighboring towns, although there are probably few openings for outsiders, says the Cobourg World. The Cobourg Branch of the G.W.V.A. acting as an employment agency has placed about twenty men, this being the major portion of those making application for work. So far they have received few applications.

Any person or industry desiring employees are asked to communicate with the president of the G.W.V.A., Lieut. Best.

IS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

With a fracture of the left arm above the elbow and severe lacerations in the same region, Clarence Tye, aged 17, residing near Lynd-

hurst, is a patient at the Brockville General Hospital as a sequel to the accidental discharge of his shotgun while he was on a squirrel-hunting expedition. Both charges of the gun passed through the youth's clothing and entered the arm. The fracture is a serious one.

CURLERS FOR SCOTLAND.

Prof. J. A. McCrae, of Queen's University staff, who is conducting research work for the British Government in Manchester, Eng., has sent a cablegram to Mr. T. M. Asselstine, regretting his inability to accept his nomination as a candidate on the Canadian curling team which is going to Scotland this winter. Mr. Asselstine, as president of the Ontario Curling Association, had selected Prof. McCrae as a member of the team. Prof. McCrae was a well known player of the Kingston club and Mr. Asselstine will again favor the Kingston team in appointing another man to fill the vacancy. If a Kingston player be not available Mr. Asselstine will select a player from the waiting list for the whole province. The team sails on Dec. 30th and completes its itinerary in Scotland on Feb. 15th.

BRINGING UP FATHER

BY GEORGE McMANUS

IF THAT DOCTOR THINKS HE'S GONNA MAKE AN INVALID OUT OF ME—HIS THINKIN' DAYS ARE OVER—I'M GON' TO GIT UP RIGHT NOW.

I'LL GO TO HIS OFFICE TO SHOW HIM I'M ALL RIGHT.

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Crew of John Randall Swam in a Blinding Snow Storm to Shore

Capt. Harry Randall Gives Thrilling Account of the Wreck of Steam Barge on the Main Ducks—Boat Total Loss—Sailors Storm-Bound For Nine Days at Light-House Crew in Belleville Today.

The crew of the steam barge, the John Randall are safe. This was the message flashed across the wires from Prince Edward late yesterday afternoon to Belleville and Kingston. The vessel is a total loss lying broken in two on the rocks of the Main Ducks in Lake Ontario. The cargo of coal for the Downey Company of Belleville, can be salvaged.

The crew composed of Capt. Harry F. Randall, J. Brady, G. Smith and J. Smith arrived in Belleville last night by Spott's motor bus from Pictou and spent the night here at the Queen's Hotel. They were met by Mr. John Downey, Jr., of the Downey Company. They left this morning at 11 o'clock for Kingston.

Captain Randall was seen last night by a reporter of The Ontario and gave a graphic account of the shipwreck.

Sheltered Under Main Ducks.

"We left Oswego at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday (Nov. 16.) and were off the Main Ducks when the wind freshened and stormed from the northeast. I did not think I could make the shore and thought I would pull under the Main Ducks. We dropped under the pier (I think it is Coly's pier) and lay there nice and tidy until 1:30 o'clock in the morning (Wednesday). Breaks in Two.

"The wind switched to the east and blew a gale. Things began to become very uncomfortable about that time and she dropped between the seas, hit the boom just about under the engine. When she did she broke her main steam pipe from the boiler to the engine. We all went forward for fear we would get scalded to death and we let go the lines of the pier thinking she would drop into the cove and land down on the beach. Instead the back surf carried us out more into the lake and we landed on a shelf of rock. As she struck on the rock she was tilted as a result of the bump she got on the bottom. She landed about midships on the rock, her stern lapping out in the deep water. Her stern sank down with the seas. The "Randall" broke in two, the waves washing her after cabin and life boats off, but in the meantime the sea was rising and coming over so that we could not go back to the lifeboats. All this time we were getting a gale out of the east with snow and rain and it was so dark we could not see anything. This was about three-thirty on Wednesday morning.

Swam Ashore in Blinding Storm.

"We all stayed in the pilot-house and when daylight came there was nothing left to go ashore with but the lifeboats. We waited there until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, hoping some one would come along to find us in our peril and as no one did we put the lifeboats on and swam about a mile to the shore in a driving snow storm and a big sea. It took us an hour to reach the shore, the back surf washing us back almost as much as we went forward.

"The lighthouse keeper's wife did not discover us until we were near the shore. She and her son helped us to the lighthouse about a mile and a half across the land. They gave us warm clothing. Fred Bongard, the keeper, is the best lighthouse keeper I know. He spent three nights and days through snow and rain blowing the horn.

"Fred Bongard, lighthouse keeper at the Ducks, was very kind to us. We spent nearly ten days with him and his family. They would not have been kinder to their own children than Mr. and Mrs. Bongard were to us fellows." The crew remained there for nine days, unable to leave for the mainland on account of heavy sea.

"It is too bad that the government does not pay such a man an adequate salary, as he is quitting this fall on account of his small pay," said the Captain.

Had Narrow Escape Yesterday.

"The weather was so bad that the crew were not able to leave the island until late yesterday morning at eight o'clock. We crossed to South Bay Point and motored to Pictou.

"Yesterday when the party left the Main Ducks Capt. Randall and J. Brady started out in a small motor boat. A heavy sea was raging and the men only make the mainland twelve miles in three or four hours just by the skin of their teeth. Had the engine stopped the boat would have been swamped as the bow was almost upright. The Smith brothers followed in a larger boat.

Condition of Wreck.

The cargo of 350 tons of coal for the Downey Co. of Belleville, can be recovered, but the boat is a total loss. The John Randall was worth \$10,000 and was only protected against fire. Captain Randall said: "I have sailed her for the past fifteen years. I have owned her only about four. My father owned her before me. The boiler is partly under water. If the ice does not come back, it may realize \$2,000 out of the boiler and of the things on the deck."

The Main Ducks.

The Main Ducks are two islands out in Lake Ontario, south of Prince Edward County mainland. The crew landed on the 100 acre island, the other island (known as York-shire) contains 250 acres. Nine miles to the northwest are the False Ducks (25 or 30 acres). The Main Ducks belong to C. W. Cole, of Cape Vincent. There are 15 fishing huts on the island but they were vacated for the season.

"Under the Ducks, it is safe for any boat. There is a good anchorage in any gale from the west, but boats seem afraid to go in," said the captain.

"The new tangled life preservers were," Captain Randall thought, "a danger. They were lashed on to us and we could not get rid of them.

Before leaving Oswego the barge had been held up for ten days by winds.

Mr. John Randall, father of Capt. Randall, did not give up hope of his son's safety and was yesterday in South Bay searching. Mr. John Downey, Sr., a few days ago said he would not give up hope.

The safety of the men was the cause of rejoicing among friends of the crew in Belleville, Kingston and Seely's Bay.

Bridge Street Church Bazaar

One of the Finest Bazaars Ever Held in Bridge St. Church.

The Ladies' Aid of Bridge St. church held a most successful bazaar yesterday afternoon and evening in the parlor of Bridge St. Church. The decorations were exceptionally pretty and showed that a great deal of time and thought had been given in their arrangement.

In the centre of the room a maypole was erected with all the colors combined radiating out in a circle. The tea tables were placed around the maypole which made the tea room look very attractive. Mrs. F. S. Deacon was convener of the tea room.

The camisole and boudoir cap both looked very dainty in its colors of blue and yellow. Mrs. Richardson was in charge of this booth.

Green and white were the colors of the booth where the nightdresses were sold. These were very beautiful in their workmanship. Mrs. French presided over the booth.

Mrs. Borbridge had charge of the sweet things. The candy booth looked very pretty in purple and white. The fancy work booth and handkerchief booth combined looked very nice in their colors, orange and white, with touches of black. Mrs. Moon was in charge of the fancy work booth and Mrs. Wray the handkerchief booth.

The doll booth, which interested all the kiddies was decorated in pink. Mrs. Bongard was in charge.

The baby booth was very appropriately decorated in blue and many lovely little baby things were displayed. Mrs. McKimmon presided over the booth.

Purple and mauve formed the combination colors for the apron booth over which Mrs. Hunter presided.

The home-made cooking table where all the good things were displayed was decorated in yellow and white. Mrs. S. Clarke had charge of the table.

Dr. Cleaver opened the bazaar by singing the National Anthem and offering prayer.

Much praise is due the conveners of each booth, their helpers and Mrs. W. B. Deacon and Mrs. Ackerman who were conveners of the whole bazaar and to Mrs. McCoy, who is president of the Ladies' Aid. It was through their work the bazaar was such a success.

WOOLEN MILLS WORKING TO CAPACITY.

The Bancroft Woollen Mills is at present working to its full capacity, and expects to continue to do so right to the end of the year. This year has been a record one for the Bancroft factory and the management are looking forward to an even better one next year.

A \$6 BOTTLE OF WHISKEY BROUGHT A \$200 FINE.

In police court Cobourg, Tuesday, Albert Dewey, of Belleville, was fined \$200 and costs by Justices of the Peace W. R. Coyle of Rosemeath and W. H. Floyd, of Cobourg, for breach of the O.T.A. He was charged with having a bottle in his possession in Alnwick township over a month ago, the charge being laid by Constable Brisbin of Rosemeath. The fine goes to the government, however, as Brisbin had not been appointed by the township as an officer to enforce the O.T.A. Dewey admitted paying \$4 for the bottle, which he purchased in Cobourg, and it was suggested that the charge be dropped against him if he would tell from whom he purchased the bottle.

Albert Dewey, who was Tuesday given the option of a \$200 fine and costs or three months in jail for breach of the O.T.A., was unable to get the money, and had to take the time.

SHIPMENT OF MANTLES

Messrs. Tickle & Sons' Company shipped today a consignment of mantles to Mr. A. K. Mills, of Ottawa. These mantles are the product of their local factory.

HEADQUARTERS MOVED TO CORNWALL.

The headquarters of the supervision of track, fifth district, Grand Trunk Railway, comprising the territory between the Montreal terminals and Brockville, will, it is understood, shortly be moved from Brockville to Cornwall, where the supervisor of track W. Bibby, resides. This office has been in existence in Brockville for a number of years and is being moved to Cornwall in order that more direct supervision may be given it by Mr. Bibby.

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS ARE NEARING COMPLETION.

With a few more days good weather Pillsworth & Daly expect to complete their contract on twenty-two concrete bridges and culverts on the provincial highway between Brighton and Coburne. The Hyland Construction Co., of Toronto, which have the construction of bridges between Cobourg and Coburne, will hardly finish their contract until spring.

GETTING RID OF TOLL ROADS EXPENSIVE.

Getting rid of the toll roads that hemmed in Cobourg on three sides has been an expensive piece of business for that town, though no one can but admit that the expense is well merited. On the purchase of the Cobourg and Port Hope toll road both towns paid 10 per cent. of the purchase price of the road, or \$720, and on the purchase price of the Cobourg and Baltimore toll road Cobourg paid \$742.50. The purchase price of the Cobourg and Granton toll road will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000, and of this Cobourg will likely pay at least \$2,000.

TOLL ROAD CO. APPEALS EXPROPRIATION PRICE.

Before the appellate division at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, last Thursday, the Cobourg and Granton Toll Road Co. appealed from the award of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, which in July last awarded the company \$18,454.22 and costs of the arbitration and award as compensation for the road expropriated by the province as part of the provincial highway. Judgement was reserved by Chief Justice Meredith and Justices Magee, Hodgins and Ferguson. The expropriation price will effect the town of Cobourg, the townships of Hamilton and Haldimand, which will pay 40 per cent., and the province 60 per cent. On the purchase of the Cobourg and Port Hope toll road the town paid 10 per cent. of the price paid by the government.

DEER CLOSE TO CITY OF KINGSTON.

On Friday afternoon five deer started residents in Cataract district by passing south of the village at a fast rate, headed eastwards. The animals were making good time over the fences and through the fields, and were later reported as having passed north of Kingston Mills. At Seely's Bay they were sighted and the chase was taken up there by a spaniel, which gave tongue and alarmed a hunter just north of the village, who succeeded in getting one of the animals a splendid specimen. The other four got safely away. It is thought that the animals had been driven out of the north woods by the hunters, who were plentiful this fall.

ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Orville Thompson, the seventeen-year-old Arden lad, who was charged

with being a party to the theft of several hundred pounds of wire from C.P.R. telegraph poles near Arden, was tried before Judge Lavell on Saturday afternoon. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was let go on suspended sentence. Mr. T. J. Rigney defended the prisoner. The company has recovered the stolen wire.

TO RECEIVE EQUIPMENT.

The Cobourg armories are being prepared to receive equipment for both the heavy and the field batteries Lt.-Col. Elkins, of the R.C.H.A., is also expected there to consult with Cobourg artillery officers and help reorganize artillery units in that district. It is understood.

FARMERS REGISTERED IN DENMARK.

In Denmark the farmers are registered, and required to number and initial each egg sent to market. If one or two eggs are bad, the farmer is fined; if three are bad, he is boycotted.

\$1,100 WAS SUBSCRIBED.

Upwards of \$1,100 was subscribed in Brockville graduates of McGill University in the centennial endowment campaign of the university which was brought to a close on Saturday. Considering the limited number of graduates residing here, the subscription of this sum towards the university's funds reflects their loyalty to Alma Mater in a marked degree and bestows much credit upon Dr. R. A. Bowie, who was in charge of returns from graduates here, some 15 in number.

WAS SEVERELY INJURED.

When a small building that he was moving at Thousand Island Park, on Friday, slid from the skids, Charles Cuppernall was struck on the head and shoulders by the brick chimney which toppled off the building. He received scalp wounds, a broken nose, a fracture of the upper jaw, with four teeth missing, his chin was nearly torn from his face and his right shoulder blade broken. It is likely that he will recover.

BATTERIES RE-ORGANIZE

Questions of organization were dealt with at a meeting of the officers of the re-organized First and Second Batteries, held at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, Ottawa.

Quarters for the batteries have been secured in the O.A.A.C. building at the corner of Laurier avenue and Elgin street, and a mess will be started as soon as possible. Ottawa district has been divided into two areas for recruiting n.e.o.s, men and horses. Brigadier-General C. H. MacLaren, C.M.G., D.S.O., presided over the gathering. Other officers present included Col. MacParland of Toronto; Major A. B. Gillis; Capt. G. H. Davidson; Lieut. McMahon, Bate, Morphy and Williams.

Major F. Alderson, an officer of the R.C.H.A., Kingston, has been placed permanently in charge of the organization of the batteries, and is making arrangements for equipment etc.

SEVEN CARS LEFT TRACK.

A broken tie-plate is supposed to have caused the wreck of the Haliburton train on Saturday afternoon. The accident occurred three miles north of Geisler at 3:50 p.m. The engine, six freight cars and an express car were thrown from the track. The passenger coach, the last on the train, alone remained on the track. The box-cars, loaded with logs, pulpwood, etc., were badly smashed up. No one was seriously hurt. The auxiliary lifted the cars into the ditch where they will lay until reloaded. The track was not cleared for traffic for several hours.

WELL-KNOWN MINISTER DEAD.

Word has reached Brockville of the death at Victoria, B.C., on November 11, of Rev. William Sheridan who was half a century minister of the Wesleyan Methodist churches at Spencerville, Merrickville, and elsewhere in that district. Mr. Sheridan was superannuated at Kingston in 1884 and had spent the last 20 years in British Columbia. The late Rev. Mr. Sheridan was received on trial at Prince Albert, Ont., in 1858 and prior to being ordained was stationed at Cartwright, Bowmanville and Merrickville. Ordained in 1862, he took charge at Minden and thereafter was stationed as follows: Fensel Falls, Lakefield, Boscorgeon, Spencerville (1869-71), Merrickville (1874-74), Pittsburg, Bath, Orestia, Amprior and Kingston. After superannuation he lived from 1885 to 1894 at Beamsville, in the Niagara conference, and from 1895 to 1903 at Hamilton. Since then he had been in British Columbia. The funeral was held at Victoria.

OUTLINED GOVERNMENT POLICY ON HIGHWAYS

Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Highways, Addressed Associated Boards at Banquet at Hotel Quinte Last Night.

Belleville Chamber of Commerce were the hosts at a banquet to the Associated Boards of Trade at Hotel Quinte last evening.

The spacious dining hall of the Quinte was crowded with delegates to the convention and members of the Belleville Board of Trade. The main speakers were the Hon. F. C. Biggs, who spoke on good roads, and Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P. of Brantford.

The musical program was unique. Prof. Hunt was accompanist, quartette, Messrs. Moorman, Burrows, LaVoie, Mouck and Wrightmyer sang some of their festival rhymes. Mrs. Whitmot, Miss Anna Ponton, Mr. John McIntosh and Mr. W. H. Wrightmyer sang a number of songs.

Mr. R. J. Graham occupied the chair and was in his happiest mood. He expressed the pleasure Belleville had in having as its guests the delegates to the seventh annual convention of the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce. He paid particular reference to the presence of the ladies.

The toast of "The King" was honored in royal fashion, the National Anthem being sung by the assembly. "Canada in the Empire" was the toast proposed by Mr. E. Guss Porter, K.C., M.P. for West Hastings. He referred to Canada's unique position in the world today. We have a loyal people, Mr. Porter drew a picture of what Canada might be with its great seacoast—with its more than one-third of the fresh water of the globe—its mines—in the hand of an intelligent and patriotic people. But none of these resources are inexhaustible and it behooves every one to conserve and foster our natural heritage.

In his response Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., for Brantford, said Canada in the Empire was just as free as any part of the earth that the sun shines on. He was against the cutting of any one of the remaining ties binding Canada to the Empire. Not one part of the Empire wished the cords broken. Britain with all her faults, we love her still. The war called for great sacrifice, we gladly gave it. Those heroes who gave their lives "are in the place where loyal hearts and true stand ever in the light." The British Empire is built with three objects—to be a place for emigration, a place for trade and to carry the Christian religion to the benighted. In the latter alone, we have not done the noblest. This is a certain weakness—that we have failed to live up to our spiritual advantages. This is no time to rock the boat. The old political parties have had their faults but have been true to the Empire. The benighted and the native tribes testify to Britain's fair play. It is too much for us to ring true to British principles?

Mr. John Elliott, proposing the toast of the Province of Ontario, declared that Belleville was desirous of having the Associated Boards return here. Mr. Elliott referred to the Bay of Quinte cheese of which over \$4,000,000 worth is exported annually overseas. He asked the delegates to the Associated Boards to help introduce Belleville old cheese in the Ontario cities and towns.

"We have in the province of Ontario still the banner province of Canada as far as agriculture is concerned," stated the Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Highways in his reply. He thought that it was the old political parties who were rocking the boat as Mr. Cockshutt had said. (Laughter.)

More Labor for Farmers.

Hon. Mr. Biggs launched into the matter of good roads. The Associated Boards can assist in the solution of unrest. There will be unrest until there is enough labor to produce on the farm. This demands better rural conditions. We want good roads. They are not an expenditure but an investment.

"We want Hydro energy in the rural districts. The government of Ontario is solidly behind Sir Adam Beck in the matter of water development. There are hundreds of available power sites. These with the St. Lawrence scheme will lessen the flow of money to the United States for coal. We want better rural education." He favored, if necessary, a direct tax to support rural education and prevent the influx of the young into the city from the country.

1850 Miles of Highways.

There are 1850 miles of provincial highways in Ontario. Every foot is now under inspection. The province takes over the entire mileage and brings it up to a standard of maintenance until the road can be rebuilt.

"We want the cures and grades safe, a wide roadbed and sub-grade properly drained and built for many years to come. Seventy-five per cent. of the work has to be done before the surface is put on.

Next week we hope to advertise over 100 miles of top surface to be laid next year. These pavements will be built in the area around the urban centres, which contribute in motor licenses largely to the upkeep of the road. This will mean pavements in the cities and the area of their surrounding market."

Mr. Biggs said good roads will increase efficiency. This will more than pay for the cost of the new roads. Good roads increase the value of the abutting property. The portion paid by municipal councils is more than made up by taxes on property due to increased assessment.

Under the highway system, the government paying 80%, the county councils can designate more county roads. The townships have now less roads to look after.

If the Associated Boards of Trade can solve the difficulty of getting out of the control of the cement merger, it will be a good piece of work, he said.

This Year's Expenditure.

The work of this year cost the province of Ontario about \$4,500,000, but there are refunds from Ottawa and from the county councils. Up to date the county councils spent nearly \$17,000,000 on county roads, receiving back about \$6,500,000, leaving about \$10,000,000 that has been paid by the rural sections in the past. The highways will serve every organized municipality and every county town. The counties this year built 68 miles of permanent roads. Mr. Biggs referred to the work on township roads. He hoped one more road should be built—from Severn to Manitoba.

The last toll gate in the province of Ontario is about to disappear on the bay bridge. (Cheers.) Next year we hope to have the Pictou road improved up to a standard. He referred to the taking over of the Belleville-Poxboro road next spring.

Col. Ponton proposed the toast of the guests in a brilliant speech, replies being made by a number of the delegates. Mr. Dunstan, of Toronto, Mr. Oppley, of Hamilton, Mr. A. J. Young, of North Bay, Mayor Newman, of Pictou, Mr. Byrne, of Collingwood, Mr. McCullough, Hamilton and Wm. Wm. Taylor, of Owen Sound, the toast to the local Chamber of Commerce was responded to by President Aid. Bone and Aid. Ponton. Mr. J. D. Allen, Toronto, proposed the health of the chairman. The assembly broke up shortly after midnight.

WALLBRIDGE

Mrs. C. F. Chisholm has gone on an extended visit to her son, Sam, of Winnipeg, and other friends in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Col. W. Ketchum is having his house, barn and other out buildings wired for electric lights.

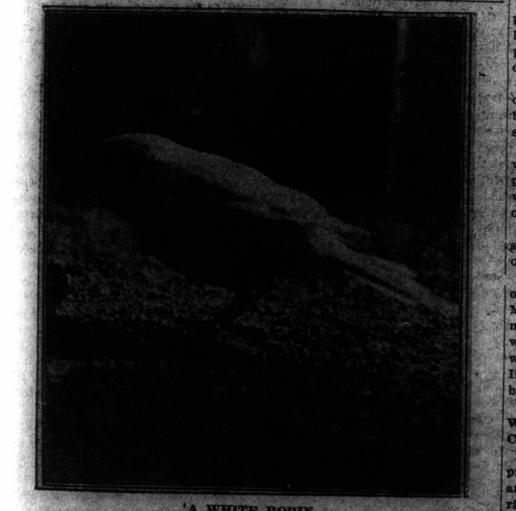
Mrs. Jno. Hinchliffe has returned home after spending a week visiting Mrs. Jno Kemp and other friends at Springbrook.

Mr. T. Mills is laying a hardwood floor in Sidney town hall over the cement floor.

Well Mr. Editor, the hunters have all returned home after the hairbreadth escapes, some in the right place to kill and others got sight of the flag of truce but were able to put up the cash. Mr. Jas. Hinchliffe, Sidney and Mr. A. Wilson of River Valley returned on Saturday with two fine deers. Some of the hunters had to leave their autos on account of the heavy snow storm and take the old reliable train for home.

BACK FROM A HUNT.

John M. Theobald, Kingston returned on Friday evening from a two weeks deer hunt. He brought home his allotment as did each member of the party. He had a fine time. The weather last week was very cold and there was over a foot of snow. On Friday morning the camp equipment was drawn on a sleigh to the railway station. The camp was located near Barryvale.



A WHITE ROBIN.

This newcomer to the Riverdale Zoo, Toronto, is looked upon as rather an outcast by the redbreast family, which refuse to fraternize with it in any form. This photo was taken a few days ago.

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UNNAUGHTY

of the late Alexander took place yesterday. McKell and Sons, Belleville Cemetery, on Swayne officiating.

BAROLD

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ard, of Landseer St., is visiting at the er, Mrs. J. W. Barlow

OPTIONAL SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT ENDORSED

Ontario Associated Boards of Trade Approve of Legislation Giving Municipalities Authority to Decide on Form of Municipal Government—Provincial Museum Suggested.

The Associated Boards of Trade on Friday afternoon unanimously approved of a resolution submitted by the St. Thomas Board of Trade in favor of legislation providing for the optional system for municipal government. The resolution follows:

Whereas in view of the fact that a number of the cities in the Western Provinces, also in the Maritime Provinces in this Dominion, having worked out a system of Municipal Government which is apparently giving every satisfaction;

And whereas in view of the fact that some cities are under a commission form of Government and some are being managed by a city manager;

And whereas we believe that a better system of municipal government can be arrived at, than is at present in effect;

Be it therefore resolved that the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce recommend to the Provincial Legislature that they provide for an optional system of municipal government for cities and towns in this province, viz. to consist of a council with its present legislative authority, or a city manager, or a board consisting of the mayor and such of the permanent officials as the council shall appoint to administer the affairs of the municipality as a whole.

Mr. E. A. Horton, of St. Thomas, represented St. Thomas Board in presenting the resolution. Cities wanted relief from the obsolete manner of government for cities under 50,000. Larger cities have their boards of control. Smaller cities can only get relief by private legislation. Belleville may seek a private bill to authorize the change of form of municipal government. There are 345 cities in the U.S. under the commission form of government or run by a city manager. There is a similar law in Alberta and New Brunswick giving such authority.

Citizens regret the waste of money under the present system. St. Thomas could have saved thousands of dollars by having a city manager.

All that was asked by the resolution was to let the people of a municipality have the authority to determine whether they wanted to be run by a city manager or commission. The mover thought it a step in the right direction.

Ald. Bone seconded the resolution. Belleville council was, he said, submitting the question to the ratepayers in January. The council favored the city manager plan.

S. H. Kent, of Hamilton, said the municipality had power now to appoint a manager. They have not the power to elect a manager or change the form of government. It would be necessary to have legislation. He had never been in favor of the commission form of government. We never had in Canada the graft and corruption of American cities. He blamed the citizens for the lack of interest in municipal affairs. Who are the men elected today? Those who are practically self-nominated.

Nobody voted against the resolution.

Mr. Waddle introduced a resolution regarding bounty to manufacturers by securing an equivalent to the drawback.

Mr. G. C. Martin, of Hamilton introduced a resolution regarding allowing officers to demand naturalization papers if they are found not of British or Anglo-Saxon birth that they be forthwith deported. The matter was referred to the executive.

"That the Ontario Government should consider the far-reaching value of a Museum of Natural Products of the province so arranged as to show such products in their natural and finished states with full information as to their extent and location, available power transportation facilities, their various uses and such other facts as will be of value to investors and manufacturers," was the import of a resolution from Toronto Board of Trade, introduced by Mr. C. J. Dunstan. The resolution was approved of, believing that this would be of material assistance in the development of the province.

Col. R. McCullough, of Hamilton, introduced a resolution from Hamilton Board relating to fostering of trade with the West Indies by the visit of representatives of the various boards of trade to the West Indies. Mr. Waddle, of Hamilton, supported the resolution. Much of the goods made here are not suitable for the West Indies, but our grain, flour, cement and fruit are desired. A large trade can be built up. The resolution was adopted.

A resolution relating to the luxury tax from Belleville was withdrawn by Mr. C. M. Reid, as the act relating to luxury tax would be radically changed.

Mr. George H. Smith, of Cochrane spoke in support of a resolution on the North Bay-Cochrane highway. The boards decided to suggest that the proposed highway be included in the general provincial highway scheme.

Notes of thanks to the mayor, the city council, and the members of the Belleville Club for their courtesy to the delegates, were passed.

The convention came to an end at 4.30 p.m.

The Associated Boards of Trade yesterday adopted the resolution of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce regarding the development of Hydro Electric Power, introduced by Mr. R. J. Graham. The resolution follows:—That in the opinion of the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce who believe that herein they are the interpreters and exponents of the public opinion of the Province, the government should utilize all water power and encourage and substantially aid in the development of every possible unit of electrical energy at reasonable cost.—(1) for manufacturing and mining purposes; (2) to supply the lack of coal and render Ontario less dependent for supply from United States; (3) for municipal and local household purposes, including distribution among the agricultural community, as far as possible.

Mr. Graham referred to the development still possible of 4,500,000 H.P. There are three dams on the Trent River, which are having water run over the tops. He referred to the difficulty between the government and the Hydro.

Mr. Hall, of Parry Sound, spoke of misapplication of funds by the Hydro. There were people who think that the Hydro should be absolute in control and make a sink hole of money. He did not think so.

Mr. Hall said he had heard with regret of the shortage of hydro power throughout the province. Let us use the powers for people, not for exploitation by a man who is dreaming.

Mr. Burgoynes thought not the Hydro but the people had fallen down in not providing funds for development.

The resolution carried.

Torrens System of Land Titles.

Ald. Bone introduced a resolution from the Belleville Chamber on the Torrens System of Land Titles, which was adopted.—That in the opinion of the Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce of the Province of Ontario, the development of the province agriculturally and the providing of homes for workmen, and the dealing with real property, will be greatly facilitated by the adoption in this province of the Torrens System of Land Titles, where practicable.

Mr. Cocksbutt, M.P., of Brantford, and Col. Ponton spoke in favor of the resolution from Toronto board regarding the judicial committee of the Privy Council.

The Associated Boards placed on record their strong protest against any suggestion that would tend towards the abolishment of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, or with any interference with the time-honored and inalienable right of His Majesty's subjects to take their disputes to the foot of the throne for disposition and protested against any move that might in the last analysis, seem to have the effect of lessening our connection with the Mother Country, and possibly create in foreign countries the false impression that Canadians wish to weaken the ties which bind them to the great commonwealth of nations known as the British Empire.

Associated Boards were emphatically opposed to the proposal that the appeal (so far as Canadians are concerned) to the Judicial Committee

to the Privy Council be abolished.

The resolution carried, the speakers looking on the Privy Council as the unalienable right of every subject.

Hamilton Board of Trade supported a levy of 25c per capita on membership of boards to raise a fund in order to make the Associated Boards function throughout the year. The resolution was referred to the executive to report upon at the next annual meeting.

K. J. Dunstan, Toronto, introduced on behalf of Toronto Board of Trade a resolution on assessment and taxation. The per cent method of assessment and taxation throughout Canada constitutes discrimination as between merchants carrying on the same kind of business in different places. It was urged that there should be greater uniformity so as to eliminate or reduce this discrimination. Toronto Board's resolution was that the Boards request some competent authority to take the necessary steps to call together in conference recognized experts from the various provinces to discuss this important problem and make such recommendations to their respective governments as will tend to standardize the methods of assessment and taxation throughout the Dominion, and that the executive be instructed to confer with the Dominion and Provincial Governments with respect to bringing about such conference.

Mr. J. G. Elliott moved, seconded by Col. Ponton, that the Associated Boards regret the condition of health and pressure of work render it impossible for Mr. Arthur Hewitt, first vice-president of election, to take on the duties of president.

A resolution was passed expressing thanks to Dr. Coughlin, superintendent of the Ontario School for the Deaf for the reception of the delegates and praising the work done in the interests of the deaf.

Albert College Social at Y. M. C. A.

Gym Games Held Attention of the Students.

On Friday night the Albert students and faculty spent a social evening at the Y.M.C.A. Gym games were indulged in for the greater part of the evening during which time the students had a great deal of fun and enjoyment under the direction of Mr. Chas. Keeber who had charge of this part of the program. Prizes were presented to the winners in each event, the ladies receiving a box of chocolates and the gentlemen were presented with useful but valuable gifts. The popular view of the evening was that of Miss Gardiner and Prof. Staples when they handily won the one minute walk. No doubt Prof. Staples' musical training assisted in this event as his sense of time was very evident. At the close of the program refreshments were served by a group of young ladies of the "Y" who were assisted by members of the senior auxiliary. Thanks are due to the young people of the Epworth League who supplied the sandwiches. After some complimentary remarks from Mr. Mason, representing the student body and Messrs Broekel and Keeber of the "Y" the group gathered in a fellowship circle and sang "Auld Lang Syne" and "The King".

Splendid Lecture on Newer Canadianism

Col. Chas. R. McCullough, of Hamilton, addressed Women's Canadian Club of Belleville.

Col. Chas. R. McCullough, founder of Canadian Clubs, and honorary president of the association of Canadian Clubs gave a very interesting lecture on "The Newer Canadianism" to the Women's Canadian Club of Belleville in the High School Assembly room last night.

Col. McCullough reviewed the early history of Canada and read extracts from the fathers of Confederation. D'Arcy McGee and Mrs. Susanna Moodie which showed the vision that these people had for Canada at that time which has materialized as they foresaw it.

Men from Montreal and Quebec are bringing their sons to Toronto University to learn English and the sons of Ontario men are going to McGill University to learn French, thus bringing closer together upper and lower Canada.

In the Notre Dame Cathedral, Montreal, there is a book called "The Record of Ages" in which the noble deeds of twenty-two Frenchmen in fighting the Iroquois in 1660 is written. They fought for the love of their country. The men who fought in the great war had the same spirit as the gallant twenty-two had in 1660.

WEDDING IN CLOUDS.

A wedding in the clouds, with eight guests in addition to the clergyman, and a bow man, took place last month in an aeroplane flying over Ontario. The ceremony of the marriage of Miss Vera Gower to C. H. Mann took place according to the Ontario Statute, when the machine was a mile from the ground. Captain F. R. Stackard, a friend of the bride and groom, was at the wheel and the Rev. J. G. Easterbrook was the officiating clergyman.

Four Liquor Prosecutions

Yesterday the Belleville police and Inspector Connor made arrests for alleged breaches of the Ontario Temperance Act, defendants were admitted to bail, and the cases were enlarged to next Thursday. Thomas Cornish is charged with selling; Mrs. Verba Williams and Miss Cecilia Barnhardt are accused of keeping for sale. Mr. R. Burke is also charged with B. O. T. A.

A considerable amount of liquor was brought to the police station yesterday by officers.

Escaped Through Furnace Room

John Williamson Found Bed Afire in Hotel.

"The man who set the Crystal Hotel afire on Saturday night," was the way in which Chief Kidd introduced a young man, John Williamson, of Toronto to Magistrate Mason this morning.

John had an interesting time since Saturday. He claims to be afflicted with rheumatism. Arriving at the Crystal on Saturday night he rented a bedroom and went to bed. He awakened up to find the bedding afire. He rushed to the window and broke the glass in order to get air. P. C. White saw smoke issuing from the window, ran in a fire alarm and rushed upstairs. The mattress was thrown out into the gangway and then John got into the limelight. The officer accused John of intoxication and took him to the police station.

Yesterday at the police headquarters John began to groan and yell with pain. The officers let him out into the parade ground in the cell room and a doctor was sent for and went into the office. Suddenly there was a little noise and on investigation Williamson was found gone. He had gone down into the furnace room and opening the door used for taking out ashes, was this enough to crawl through.

G. T. R. Officer Donovan met him on Bridge Street, all covered with ashes and brought him back.

Magistrate Mason this morning took his plea of guilty and remanded him for a week. The accused wanted to be let go home at once to go into a Toronto hospital. The court thought he was addicted to drugs but Williamson said he was drinking iodide of potassium for the rheumatism. Being so protive in his references to the Deputy, the Magistrate told him that if he did not cease another charge of using profanity might be put against him.

The blaze at the Crystal did not spread beyond the bedding.

WILL MANAGE STORE at Campbellford

Mr. Duncan Montgomery Appointed Manager of McIntosh Bros.

Mr. D. A. Montgomery, who has been for the past five months connected with the McIntosh Bros' store here has been transferred to the Campbellford branch as manager. Before entering the employ of McIntosh Bros., Mr. Montgomery was for eight years with the Ritchie Company, having come here from Stirling. He is very popular and courteous as his rapid promotion would indicate. Mr. Montgomery served overseas with the 80th battalion as signaller till the end of the war. He is a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Mr. Montgomery will be greatly missed in town, but his many friends are much pleased at his promotion.

Magistrate Jones Saves Belleville

Youth Saved From Toils Because He Was Born Here.

Saturday a.m., 10.30 by the clock the city of Belleville was saved from eternal disgrace by Deputy Magistrate Jones, of Toronto. It happened thus. A neatly dressed young fellow said to be a university student, was in the dock for drunkenness, and his counsel, G. C. Eglie, explained that the young gentleman was sorry, wouldn't do it again, and added that he came from Belleville. The think looked normal enough until the name of Belleville slipped over the clerk's rail and hit Magistrate Jones' ear.

"Belleville!" exclaimed his Worship in pained surprise. "I come from Belleville. I don't want Belleville disgraced. The charge will be withdrawn and I'll have a talk with you after court."

It is now in order for the Mayor and Corporation of Belleville to hail Deputy Magistrate Jones as the saviour of the city, to send his Worship an illuminated address, and finally to hang his Worship in oils, says The Toronto Telegram.

Deputy Magistrate Jones is interested in the "Big Brother Movement."

BOY'S EYE REMOVED.

Master Stuart St. Michael, the five-year-old son of Hector St. Michael, should give way to a filtration plant. The Provincial Board of Health, he was at once called and is doing everything possible to save the sight of Stuart's eye.

MOBILITY RECORDS.

There has been no perceptible increase in mortality in Kingston during the past year. The total number of deaths registered from January 1, 1920 to Nov. 16th was 413. During the same period in 1919 the number was 409, and for 1918, 548. In 1918 the flu epidemic came in October and lasted until well into the new year. There was a slight return of it in 1919, but it has not appeared this year, although we have had much diphtheria. The prevailing fine weather during October and November this year was beneficial to all aged and delicate persons, and retarded the progress of the death rate this fall.

LARGE NUMBER OF APPLES STORED AT COLBORNE.

A large number of apples have been stored in the fruit houses at Colborne for re-packing for winter shipping. A few were lightly touched by frost last week, but nearly all that were in barrels have been stored safely. There are a good number of apples in the country not in barrels. The barrels have been hard to get and have been expensive, running from \$1.25 at first of season to as high as \$2.50 per barrel.

VISITING AT HOLYOKE, MASS.

Rev. Father A. J. Hanley, rector of St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston; Rev. M. McDonald, of Portmouth, and Rev. T. P. O'Connor, of Napanee are in Holyoke, Mass., attending the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Passionist Order. The Passionist Fathers of Holyoke have frequently preached missions in St. Mary's and have many friends in the city of Kingston.

ON PROVINCIAL POLICE.

E. A. Rae, Toronto, has been appointed to the staff of the provincial police and will be in charge of Leeds and Grenville. The new officer will make his headquarters at Brockville.

GANANQUE BOYS' PROMOTION.

James F. Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson, Gananoque, has been on the staff of the Muskogee, Mich. Daily Chronicle for some months past. Recently he was promoted to the position of sporting editor of the paper, and is well qualified to fill it. This paper is owned by the Booth Syndicate, and is one of the many dailies controlled by them in the states of Michigan, Ohio, Illinois, and Indiana.

FURNITURE FACTORY OPENS IN JANUARY.

The installing of the machinery at the Langslow-Fowler Company plant at Cobourg, will be completed very shortly and it is now expected that everything will be in readiness to commence operations about the first of January. The first activities of the new industry will be directed to the manufacturing of school desks and also the manufacture of canoes, and the latter at the new plant, which has absorbed what was formerly known as the Rice Lake Canoe business of Gore's Landing.

The foundation for the new canoe manufacturing building is laid and it is expected that it will be completed about the beginning of the new year.

COMPELLED TO LEAVE OWING TO ILLNESS.

The many friends of Mr. W. A. Ward, of Bancroft, will regret to learn that he has been compelled through illness to leave his position at the station and seek restorative health in a hospital at Peterboro. Mr. Ward, accompanied by Mrs. Ward, left on Friday. His many friends in Bancroft trust that medical assistance will completely restore his health and that he will be able to resume his duties at an early date.

KILLED FOUR BEARS.

In a lively chase lasting a day and a half, Messrs Roy and E. Sears of Bird's Creek, shot and killed four bears one day last week. Farmers in that vicinity have been missing sheep of late and in the extermination of this family believe the mystery has been solved. Bears are plentiful in the north this fall. Several hunting parties had the luck of bagging one or two.

TAXES WELL PAID.

Havelock tax payers took advantage of the three per cent discount to such an extent that the sum of \$15,500 was paid in to Collector Mc-Nicol on Saturday night last. A little over \$18,000, and those still owing the town would be well advised to pay up before the 8th of this month, as after that date five per cent. will be added.

McIntosh Bros.

THE TIME IS NEARLY HERE WHEN WE CONSIDER THE BUYING OF XMAS GIFTS. ALLOW US TO SUGGEST TO YOU A FEW IDEAS

Fancy Bath Towels from 75c to \$2.00 Ea.

Boxed sets consisting of 1 large towel, 2 small towels, 2 face cloths at, per set..... \$3.50

Boudoir Caps in Jap Silk, lace Crepe de Chine, at from 40c to \$2.98 ea.

Beautiful showing of sideboard scarfs, doilies, etc. all moderately priced.

We have a large range of silverware, consisting of Knives, Forks, Spoons, Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, etc., specially priced for the Xmas shopper.

Don't miss seeing our display of Cut Glass. There are some things for everyone in the family.

FOR THE KIDDIES

You are invited to visit our Doll Department, the largest and complete display in the city.

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CANADIAN POU

Forty-Five Mill Grain Slipped While U. S. the Embargo Ships Leave

DR. WILLIAM, Ont., while the United States is talking about an embargo on grain, exporters have moved over the border 45 bushels of "Western Canada" N. M. Patterson, prominent and grain man here, is reported for the statement.

The record wheat rush cut in the departure from this the past 24 hours of fifteen all laden to the coamings with and bound for United States notably Buffalo, practically ing any more that southern may take to save their home markets from the Canadian product.

Of 72,584,000 bushels ree

Chas. Thompson New Care

Public Building Successor to E. Haight.

Police Constable Charles Thompson of the Belleville Department received this morning from Ottawa, the following announcement: His appointment as chief of the Public Building Department has been confirmed. He will be appointed on Monday, Dec. 6, 1920, at once from Mr. McDonald, as by wire when you will do Donald wishes to hand a equipment, etc., over to you immediately.

"Gregory," "Architect in Charge of Y. M. C. A. Bldg."

P. C. Thompson is a native of Ontario and has been an officer of the Police Force since January 1910, with the exception of two years and a half overseas, first the 33rd Battery, C.E.F. and instructor on the staff of the Canadian School of Gunnery in England. He came to Canada in 1906 and spent three years in the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery at Kingston. Mr. Thompson's family is composed of his wife and a young daughter. His friends are delighted with his appointment.

Three Men Lost Their Lives in House

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from the Press Ltd.)

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Three men lost their lives in a rooming house fire at three o'clock this morning when the house was destroyed. The dead are Tom Freeman, a prominent member of various War Veterans organizations; Mr. J. Martin, and one unidentified person. Bodies were found by firemen as the fire had been got under control.

Parliament Opens First Week in

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Parliament will probably open in the first of February. The definite date has not yet been determined however.

DIDN'T WANT THE CHANCE

The members of the Hamilton County Council had an opportunity to express themselves in a manner in the matter of the Bridge purchase but took an action to meet the city council. If the county favored assistance in a laughing matter and took action this morning.

Unless they are aided over present period of price depression thousands of tenant farmers driven from the land, Governor Kelvie, of Nebraska, stated.