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### JUDGE WILLS ACQUITS PROSPER FRECHETTE

#### Retrial Results in Judgment of Not Guilty —Interesting Case Ends.

This morning P. Frechette was found not guilty on a charge of stealing liquor, the property of the Grand Trunk from the local yard on the night of Sept. 18th, 1919. This is a case in which there was a conviction last December in the county court before Judge Deroche and a jury, but a new trial was ordered. Judge Wills heard the evidence in the retail yesterday and at ten o'clock this morning gave judgment discharging the defendant on the grounds that theft in the legal sense had not been committed. From the evidence it could not be shown that there was any moving of the jars in question. W. Carlew for the crown; E. J. Butler for the defence.

#### JUDGMENT:

Judge Wills' judgment follows: "I do not purpose reviewing all the evidence that has been given at this hearing, in fact, much of it could have been dispensed with except in the way possibly of an explanation in laying the foundation for the present charge.

"So far as you are concerned," he said to Frechette, "you were prosecuted last December upon a charge and found not guilty. The lesser charge in connection with the matter is laid under Section 147 of the Criminal Code, being a charge of theft.

"The question arises, did you steal a quantity of whiskey over the sale of it, the property of the Grand Trunk from the local yard on the night of Sept. 18th, 1919. As I have pointed out the charge of relating to the morning of the 13th of September, 1919, was heard and you were found not guilty. I can therefore only take the matter up really from the time in the evening when you and Nicholson came up to the Grand Trunk yards and walked across same to the ditch near the north track of the east end or main switching yard.

"When you two men, who were employees of the railway and off duty and not authorized or required to go upon the company's premises for any purpose, go up to such a part of the railway yard as you did and at such a time at night, it would occur to anyone that it was not reasonable conduct and there must be some motive. We are told in the evidence that the motive was curiosity to find out what Nicholson had noticed in the ditch near the north track that morning. It would seem rather extraordinary to choose this particular time, about 11.30 Saturday evening to ascertain this. How-

### Trenton Plant Will Be Active

#### PRODUCTION OF CHEMICAL PRODUCTS ENTERED UPON BY NEW COMPANY

Acquisition by Chemical Products, Limited, of the plant at Trenton, formerly owned by the British Chemicals, Limited, and operated by the Imperial Munitions Board, will be followed soon by active manufacturing operations. This property was bought several months ago, and plans have been made meaning for additional construction to make the site suitable for the production of fertilizers and pharmaceutical chemicals. The plant will be divided into four units. The first section is a sulphuric acid plant, and it will be immediately operated largely for fertilizer production. The nitro acid plant will be used later with a view to producing for the sale of mixed acids for explosives, dyestuffs, intermediates, etc. "Plant No. 2" will be used for the manufacture of refined nitrate of soda, Epsom salts and general chemicals. In plant No. 3 it is planned to make salicylates of allied derivatives, namely, aspirin, salicylic acid, sodium salicylate, oil of wintergreen, coccinellin acid, etc. The production of ammonia and coke oven by-products is contemplated in plant No. 4, including salomonic, ammonia, carbonate, liquor ammonia, aromatic hydro carbons and whitening.

#### Made-in-Canada Aspirin

Aspirin was successfully produced on a commercial scale during the war by the Chemical Products of Canada, Limited, in its Trenton plant. The market offered for this product is very large, and the President of the new company believes that from 900 to 800 tons per year can be handled from the Trenton plant. With respect to prospective markets it is stated that two connections in England are each willing to contract for delivery of 500 tons annually in bulk. A company in Argentina asked for quotations on 50 tons a year, and Australia will consume 100 tons a year. Russia will be perhaps the largest user of aspirin when that country is again opened up for international trade. China is also a very promising market. Hitherto small quantities in retail packages have been taken for Chinese consumption, but Chemical Products have authoritative information that there is a tremendous field as soon as a manufacturer can offer quantities in bulk at a reasonable figure.

It is proposed to produce salicylic acid in excess of the aspirin and salicylate requirements. This chemical was produced exclusively in Germany before the war. It is used largely in the pharmaceutical trade for remedial preparations and the dyestuff trade, etc. World consumption is estimated at 3,000 tons a year.

With respect to refined nitrate of soda, the Chemical Products management states that it has now on order contracts covering 3,000 tons. Nitrate of soda has replaced the ordinary salpêtre in the treatment and curing of meats.

#### Will Produce Fertilizer

Canadian requirements of acid phosphate are estimated at considerably in excess of 50,000 tons a year. The world's shortage of this product is estimated at 15,000,000 tons, with no possible chance of catching up for several years. Fertilizer consumers predict that the demand for this product for Canadian account will expand greatly in the next few years. Meanwhile export business is declared to be readily available.

It is proposed to produce sulphuric acid in the plant at Trenton, which has a capacity of approximately 120 tons a day. About 60 per cent. of the Chemical Products of Canada output from 1916 to 1918 was for export, and the newly-formed organization plans to follow along similar lines. Those connected with the company include Messrs. T. E. O'Reilly, W. H. Yanwinckel, J. C. Graves and A. H. C. Hettman, the latter being in charge of plant operations.

An American soldier ran short of money in Paris and to get hold of some sold "certain rights in the subway" to a credulous Frenchman. He was arrested.

Sudden acquisition of wealth transforms the family far into jargon.

### Morning Dispatches

#### TURN TO RETAIN CAPITAL

SAN REMO, April 21.—Supreme Council here decided that Turkey shall retain Constantinople as its capital.

#### GERMAN POLICY CAUSES DISSENSION

LONDON, April 21.—The controversy over the policy to be pursued towards Germany is cause of dissension and may precipitate a crisis between Britain and France.

#### BILL FOR REFERENDUM MAY CARRY

TORONTO, April 21.—It now looks as though the McCreary Bill asking for a referendum on the liquor question will have enough votes to carry today.

#### DEATH TOLL FROM TORNADO REACHES 140

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 21.—The death toll last night from the Tornado stood at 140 with millions of dollars in property losses.

#### DETECTIVE SHOT YESTERDAY IN DUBLIN

DUBLIN, April 21.—Detective Dalton was shot and mortally wounded in the heart of the city yesterday afternoon.

### Railroad Strikers Refuse to Vote

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

CHICAGO, April 21.—Striking railroad men in the Chicago district refused today to vote on the question of returning to work. All efforts of the committee of strike leaders to obtain action failed.

### Huns Ask to Have Terms Modified

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

PARIS, April 21.—Germany has asked for a modification of the military claims of the peace treaty so as to enable her to maintain larger armed forces than permitted by that pact. The request was contained in a note handed to the French Foreign Office last evening with a demand that it be sent to the Supreme Council at San Remo. The note set forth that a force was necessary for the maintenance of order in the interior and that furthermore the army would not accept an order for its dissolution. The note asked that Germany be allowed to retain the entire general staff and corps officers which means the framework of an active army.

### French Troops Have Relieved Aintab

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 21.—French troops, equipped with heavy artillery, entered Aintab, Asia Minor, on April 14 and have effectively relieved the situation there according to a statement made public by the French Embassy here. Messages sent from Aintab on April 12 asking for immediate aid for relief workers there were received in this city late last week.

### One of the Most Disastrous Tornadoes in History of South

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 21.—Assistance from the outside world is urgently needed for the relief of tornado sufferers in a dozen Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee counties. With a death list of 166, already reported, and a property loss which will run into many millions, the tornado has taken rank as one of the most disastrous, as well as one of the most widespread in the annals of the South.

### Outlaw Strikers Ask to Be Taken Back

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

MONTREAL, April 21.—The outlaw strike of the typographical staff of the Daily Star has collapsed. Last night the men decided to ask the manager of the paper to take them back at the wages in force before the strike but without discriminating against any of them.

### Tubercular Soldiers Present Their Case

OTTAWA, April 21.—Representations of tubercular soldiers were placed before the special committee on pensions this morning. It was urged that the present scale of pensions is inadequate to provide for tubercular men and their dependents. Other requests were for changes in the regulations governing pay and allowances to patients in sanatoria, the free issue of clothing to pensioners taking S.C.R. training, extension of the training period, reservation of civil service positions for tubercular men fit to hold them, extension of free medical treatment to dependents of tubercular patients while such patients are in sanatoria or while in receipt of full disability pension and several other amendments to the act.

### U.S. Ambassador Attends as Observer

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Ambassador Johnson Atrome was instructed today by the State Department to attend the Allied conference at San Remo as an official observer for the American government. He will not participate in deliberations.

### Lest We Forget

Editor Ontario.—

It is to be regretted that Canada and Canadians generally should have allowed the third anniversary of the battle of Vimy Ridge to pass unnoticed on April 9th. In the Mother Country they were not so forgetful or inconsiderate but found time to commemorate and express appreciation of the valor of the Canadian Corps in capturing what the enemy considered impregnable, the Ridge, in one of the most carefully conceived and brilliantly executed enterprises of the war. The cost of that great fight was large and many of our own citizens, soldiers from Belleville and Hastings County, paid the price of victory on that occasion and what they took they held.

Tomorrow, Thursday, April 22nd, is the fifth anniversary of the commencement of the second battle of Ypres or St. Julien, which lasted to May 5th. Are we, as Canadians, going to allow this day to pass unnoticed and forgetful of those strenuous days that the 1st Canadian Division went through, the result of which the British War Office announced in their official statement "The Canadians saved the day for the Empire?"

I think the citizens will expect the flags to be raised on all the public buildings in the city, and I trust that private individuals will co-operate in this connection also. And would it not be appropriate and advisable for the Board of Education to instruct the principals of the schools in our city to read to the scholars in the assembly halls of the schools the official account of the 2nd battle of Ypres. A great many of the present scholars were not able 5 years ago to appreciate the importance of that great event in Canadian history, on which day Canada became of age and was received by the great nations of the world into full nationhood, after her representatives in France had not only withstood and overcome the enemy against great odds, but successfully vanquished the enemy despite the infernal poisonous gas used by the enemy for the first time in civilized warfare.

The parliaments of the Dominion and the Province will commemorate this event tomorrow by two minutes silence and by appropriate invocation. Let us locally do the same in honour of those who have "gone west" and who made it possible for us to "carry on."

R. D. PONTON  
Belleville, April 21, 1920.

### SPORTS

#### INDUSTRIAL BASE BALL

Five industries were represented at the Y.M.C.A. Base Ball League last night. Steel Co., Marsh Engineering Works, G.T.R., Elliott Woodworking Co. and the Belleville Hardware.

The officers elected were as follows, President, W. A. Elliott, of the Elliott Woodworking Co. Vice Pres., H. Saunders, Belleville Hardware; Sec. Treas., F. H. Henry, Marsh Engineering Works.

The first question up for discussion was the name to be given the league, whether it was to be a city league, which would allow each team to secure players in any plant in the city or to have an industrial league which would allow only bona fide employees of the plant playing on the team representing the plant in the league. The latter was decided on and the league will be known as the Belleville Industrial Base Ball League.

The question of allowing the men of the Central Ontario League to play in the industrial league was the next question up for discussion. This question was discussed at some length, and it was decided that Goyer, Keeler, Whalen be barred as pitchers from the industrial league. These men are allowed to play on the team that represents their plant but not as pitchers. Any man who is a bona fide employee of a plant is allowed to take part in a game provided he is employed by that plant two weeks previous to the game. All players taking part in the last four games of the league must be members of the team and have played at least one game previous.

An entrance fee of \$1.00 will be charged each team entering the league. Each team entering the league is asked to put up a bond of \$25. This bond to be forfeited if they drop out of the league without finishing the schedule. Providing they finish the bond will be returned.

The question of a trophy was next taken up and discussed. Mr. Elliott, president of the league very kindly donated the trophy to the league which would become the property of the team winning it for three years. Mr. Elliott is to be congratulated on this splendid donation to local sport and we are sure that the boys of the industrial league will show their appreciation by making this one of the best base ball leagues we

have had in the city for a number of years. The meeting then adjourned until next Tuesday, the 27th, when each team entering the league will be asked to bring in their registration fee and also the bond of \$25.

### Track Men Urge Delay in Tax

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

TORONTO, April 21.—Hon. Peter Smith was urged this morning by an influential and representative body of race track men to defer the imposition of any provincial tax on race tracks until the Federal Government's decision with regard to the tax on par-mutual machines would be determined. The Provincial Treasurer together with Hon. Manning Doherty, Minister of Agriculture and the Hon. W. E. Roney, Attorney General heard the deputation.

### Children Of All Ages

Children of all ages—whether it be the new-born babe or the growing child—have to be constantly guarded as to their health. Upon the good health of the little one largely depends his strength and usefulness in after years. Baby's Own Tablets are the ideal home medicine for children of all ages. They are a gentle but thorough lavative which are absolutely guaranteed to be free from opiates or other harmful drugs and which may be given to the youngest child with perfect safety and beneficial results. Through their action on the bowels and stomach they banish colds and indigestion; break up coughs and simple fevers; and make teaching easy. Mothers, you can make your little ones well and keep them well by just keeping a box of Baby's Own Tablets at hand and by giving an occasional dose for the baby to keep his little bowels regular and his stomach sweet. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A fast young man is seldom able to keep up with his running expenses.

Some people believe that divorcees are made in heaven and marriages in the other place.

You may have noticed that few business men feel at ease at a polite social function.

### Willard

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THE SPORT OF BOOK-COLLECTING.

The Napoleon of the book action room has just passed away in the person of George D. Smith. Only a few weeks ago nearly every paper in the country told of his purchase for an American collector of a rare volume of Shakespeare—unique in being the only copy known—for which he had paid \$50,000 in an English auction room.

It is an amazing business, this buying and selling of rare books. Both in England and America it has been developed to a remarkable degree, and sales running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars take place all through the season, both in London and New York.

Tastes in book-buying change from year to year, but there are what are known as standards in the business. Elizabethan literature, Shakespeareana and the drama of that period, is always in demand. First editions of the poets bring ever higher prices, out perhaps no class of rare book shows greater advance in value from year to year than those known as Americana, the books and pamphlets dealing with early history and travel on this continent.

There are Canadian books, or, rather, books relating to Canada, that command high figures among collectors. Among the most desirable of this character are the famous Jesuit Relations, the little missionary reports that were sent home to France by the black-robed missionaries on the shore of Georgian Bay.

Book-collecting in such fields as rare Americana is possible only to those who combine a long purse with a real love for the pursuit of such treasures. In other fields, however, there are unnumbered collectors who extract the same pleasure out of picking up items that are more easily secured, and this city possesses some private collections in limited fields that have given satisfaction to their owners in

the collecting, and that may give yet wider benefit if eventually made available for general use.

MAKE THE LAZY WORK.

British Columbia is the latest province to join the movement to provide mothers' pensions, a bill having been introduced before the Legislature there providing a fund out of which married women and widows whose maintenance is not secured shall receive as of right a monthly allowance varying with the number of children. With Alberta and Manitoba already covered by similar laws, and Ontario adopting the plan, there is a large section of the Dominion now under social legislation.

Dr. Riddell is of the opinion that there should be more rigorous laws to compel men to support their families. Anyone who follows the police courts of this or any other city knows that the number of cases of non-support that come to court are few compared with those that are suffered in silence.

Sometimes the criticism is heard that our governments are becoming too paternal, given too much to regulating the life and conduct of the members of society. There is a danger in that direction if the principle is not observed that those who are chiefly to be regulated are the people whose line of conduct is a menace to society.

A Florida paper features the news that "eight insane persons are at large." Pshaw! A real sensation would be in announcing that eight sane persons were at large.

Dr. Clarke, Dean of medicine, says our education system "is theoretically perfect, but practically a dismal failure." A writer in a Toronto paper says: "Everybody knows that the present system of education in this province does not make for true and sound scholarship. There is no originality or initiative. True scholarship should add to the sum of personality, a gift from on high that makes for character in terms of eternity. But we are not building up character in our schools, but, rather, a wobbly, flabby superficiality that crowds out serious scholarships and sound thinking."

THE CRANIAL THESAURUS

The judge asked the witness, "Where were you hurt?" And the witness replied in this language so pertinent: "I was drummed on the dome," and "rammed on my scene," "I was biffed on the bealer," and "wiffed on the skull," "I was bumped on the coco," and "ripped on my hull," "I was cracked on the cranium," and "nalled on the nut," "I was slugged on the belfry," and "bowled on my hut," "I was lammed on my peak," and "knocked on the knob," "I was dinged on the brain box," and "pealed on the cob," The judge roared at the witness, "What's wrong with your head?" "I was hit on the head, your Honor," he said. —Theodore Sharpe.

M.P.P.'s Sheep Sold at \$9.00 and Retailed at \$375!

J. D. Baskerville Knows That Cost of Living is High.

Winnipeg, Feb. 27.—Why is the H. C. of L. so H. J. D. Baskerville, M.P.P. for Emerson, Man., rises to tell the world that he doesn't know why it is so H., but he'll testify in any court on earth that it is H.

Mr. Baskerville walked into a Winnipeg restaurant and, after scanning the menu and chucking a chuckle of appreciation at the menu who had printed across the bottom: "no order served for less than ten cents," decided he'd have some mutton chops.

In due course two and a small fraction ounces of meat were deposited in front of him. The waiter assured him it was mutton and confirmed the price on the menu—45 cents.

Mr. Baskerville took out a pencil and began to figure on the cloth. Only last week he had sold a sheep that weighed about 57 pounds dressed. He sold it on the hoof for \$9 and the hide alone was worth around \$2. At the price he paid for the so-called chops in the restaurant that very same sheep, which wholesaled at \$9, was retailing in that cafe at about \$375.

NAPANEE

Mr. Roy Perry, of Camden East, left on Wednesday for Winnipeg, where he will spend a couple of months with his brother, Mr. John Perry.

Mrs. Robt. J. Robson and Mrs. H. D. Babcock and son, Harold Ross, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Thurston, Sillsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McLennan and son Ralph, of Lindsay, spent Easter week with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kent.

Miss Evelyn Parks returned to her home in Toronto on Monday, after spending the Easter holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parks.

Mrs. J. E. Madden returned on Sunday from spending Easter week with Mrs. R. D. Martin, Montreal.

Miss Ellen Penney, Hinck, returned home on Tuesday after spending a few days the guest of Miss Pearl Hagerman, Bath.

Mr. Clarence Carroll, of Belleville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Herrington for the week end.

Mrs. W. J. Campbell, who has been spending a month in Belleville and Napanee, returned this week to Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loyd and Miss Helen and Miss Mary VanSlyck attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Florence Deller, and Mr. Wilfred Bennett, at Kingston, on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Beatrice Koubert McMullen, with Mrs. A. B. Coates and little daughter Betty, left Florida via New York, where they stayed a week, before leaving for their home in Virginia, Minn.

Miss Diana Miller, Miss Hazel Leonard, and Messrs. Isaac Brisco and Percy Laidley attended the spinners' dance in Belleville on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. D. Lasher and Mrs. H. McCracken and little son Francis, of Roblin, went to Kingston on Thursday where the little boy underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids.

Many friends of Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson were pleased to receive Easter remembrances, in the form of handsome hand-painted cards. Mrs. Wilkinson, who during the war worked so faithfully at Red Cross work in Switzerland, is now making her home in Borden, Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Howie and daughters Alleene and Eleanor, attended a birthday party on Saturday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hagerman, near Bath. It being the occasion of Mr. Hagerman's birthday. The evening was spent in games and music, after which hot maple sugar and other refreshments were served. In attendance and to the satisfaction of all present.

Mrs. J. N. Lloyd has left for the coast. On her way she will make a short visit at Chicago with her two daughters, Mrs. G. McAllyn and Mrs. T. Spence, and from there will go to Vancouver where she will join her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Boyd, and her son, Mr. Raymond Lloyd.

Mr. Springstead who has been assistant to the Representative of the Lennox Agricultural Office for the past year, left yesterday to take charge of the work in Grey county. Mr. Springstead will be missed, as he made many friends both in town and county during his short stay.—Beaver and Express.

Hydro-Electric Grows in Central Ontario

Important Developments in Course or Planned for Several Districts

Cobourg April 18.—The Central Ontario System of the Hydro-electric Power Commission is entering into an important work in electrical development for this district by planning to develop the Raney Falls at Campbellford, where 9,000 horsepower is ready to be harnessed and transmitted to supply needed power, light and fuel to the district.

A new power line from Healey Falls, which will connect the Northumberland county part of the system with Peterboro' and the two powers on the Otonabee River. It is eventually expected also, it is stated, to build a line from Lindsay to Oshawa, thus completing the power circle in this district. A great advantage from this to lake-front towns such as Trenton, Brighton and Cobourg, will be that in the event of a break or accident on the lake front power line, light and energy can be obtained from the connecting line to the west.

The Central Ontario System now extends from Kingston to Whitby along the front, and back to Madoc and Tweed. The past year it has been extended south to Pleton in Prince Edward county.

In the northern part of the district, where the system is being materially extended by the erection of the new power line from Healey Falls to Peterboro'. Norwood has entered into a contract with the Commission for the supply of 300 horsepower. A resolution has been passed by the village council instructing the Commission to proceed with the purchase of the distribution system from the present owners, on behalf of the municipality, and to reconstruct the same.

At Havelock similar action has been taken, where 200 horsepower is contracted for. Bylaws have been passed at Lakeside, and contracts completed for a similar supply of power. At Markara a pole type substation will be installed in the village on the Campbellford-Deloro transmission line. Thus, it will be seen that sufficient electrical development will be carried on in the coming season to materially stimulate commercial activity.

From the pole yards of the system, recently located at Cobourg, the poles, each 75 feet long, were shipped a few days ago to Bala Falls and the price was just \$75 each.

Christ Church Had a Prosperous Year

Congregation Raised Over \$7000 for Local Purposes—New Rectory Now Proposed.

The adjourned annual vestry meeting of Christ Church was held last evening in the Parish Hall. The rector, the Rev. Rural Dean Swayne, presided and opened the meeting with prayer.

After reading and confirming the minutes of the previous meeting, the reports of the various church organizations were presented. The reports showed that much had been accomplished during the year and that a lively interest in the welfare of the church was being taken by all the members. The attendance at the meetings had been large and they closed the year with a substantial balance. The missionary secretary reported that although the appropriation for missions had been increased the amount had been paid in full. The church warden's report was most satisfactory and showed that the church was in a good financial condition. The new altar and reredos had been erected during the year, the remaining debt on the Parish Hall had been wiped out and the congregation had exceeded the assessment in the forward movement by over 50 per cent. The total amount raised by the congregation for local purposes exceeded \$7000.

A vote of thanks was moved to the rector, choir and church warden for the splendid work they had accomplished for the church and to the Womens' Guild, Womens' Auxiliary and Choir Club for the interest they had shown in their various organizations. Election of officers then took place.

Rector's Warden—A. R. Symons. Peoples' Warden—John Neale. Vestry Clerk—Arthur Harman. Missionary Secretary—P. P. Thompson.

Sidesmen—Messrs. Geo. Thompson, W. Harden, L. Carr, E. Geen, H. Dinnitt, J. Hall, Chas. Bishop, Jr., L. C. Wilson, Chas. J. Symons, Geo. Watkin, Bruce Taylor, G. H. W. Field.

STRONG DECLARATION HANDED TO THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT

Virtual Ultimatum That Allies Will Stand No More Nonsense—Food Supplies Shut Off if Disorders Continue.

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

SAN REMO, April 20.—All the Allied powers concerned now have approved of the form of collective representations to be made to the Berlin government regarding execution of the Versailles Treaty. The declaration is regarded as an ultimatum and probably no time limit will be set for Germany's reply. She will be given to understand a how-ever, that as a disagreeable alternative to compliance with the terms of the treaty regarding disarmament, Allies will be unable to continue the relations re-established by the peace treaty. Strong representations will be made likewise regarding continuance of the insurrections in Germany and prospects will be held out of the withholding of food and other necessities in the event of the development of counter-revolutionary movements.

Synod delegates—John Newton, O. H. Scott, G. B. Smith.

A strong committee was appointed to take in hand the obtaining of a rectory. As there is a substantial balance on hand for this purpose the committee were given full authority to either build or purchase. A motion also prevailed to make the church financial year coincide with the calendar year.

The meeting then adjourned after the rector pronounced the benediction.

Champagne For Chemong Cottage Seized in Transit

The villagers of Bridgenorth have been all agog of late over the reported seizure by License Inspector Stewart of a shipment of choice liquors in transit to the summer cottage of a wealthy New York business man who was evidently determined that his ice-box would be well stocked with the refreshments that readily blend with ice and other thirst-quenchers in the hot dry season. Mr. Stewart refused to discuss the rumors except to remark that they were decidedly exaggerated and that they distorted the facts. From Bridgenorth sources it was stated that the champagne, whiskies, etc., had been forwarded from the city from an express office. Some of the cargo had been taken to the cottage at Chemong Park and stored in the cellar. The estimate of this quantity is placed at eighteen cases, some of them containing fifteen bottles. The rest of the order was deposited in a Bridgenorth cellar for safe keeping. Apparently this was a precaution against losing the entire supply if news of its storage in the cottage tempted the unscrupulous to break in and carry it off. From all accounts the cases that had been held in Bridgenorth were seized by Mr. Stewart probably for the reason that they were in a place other than the owner's dwelling. In that case there will be a \$200 fine to be paid during the next two years, according to the opinion of Dr. J. R. Robertson who addressed the Parliamentary Committee on Agriculture and Colonization today. It would take at least two big crops to catch up to anything like normal supplies of breadstuffs, ten years to attain the pre-war status on milk products and four or five years for beef products. Dr. Robertson reiterated his statements that prices were entirely dependent upon world conditions. Announcement was made that the Federal Government intends to send representatives overseas to watch European markets.

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STRIKE FEVER GETS SOLAR PLEXUS BLOW

CHICAGO, April 20.—Strike fever among railroad employees suffered a set back today when thirty thousand railway clerks and eight thousand freight handlers in Chicago district announced their decision to permit the hearing of their wage demands by the railroad labor board at Washington. The freight movement in Chicago district continued to increase today and elsewhere in the Middle West and Far West traffic conditions were returning to normal.

TURKISH TREATY TO BE PRESENTED ON MAY 10.

SAN REMO, April 20.—The Turkish Treaty will be handed to the Ottoman Government on May 10th. France will also insist that Germany be completely disarmed.

Tornado Scatters Death and Disaster

ABERDEEN, Miss., April 20.—Several persons are reported to have been killed and between forty and fifty injured in a tornado which struck Aberdeen early today. Early reports estimated the property damage at approximately two hundred thousand dollars.

Miss Addona Hubble, a young woman of Brazil, Ind., is telegraph operator and station agent at West Union, 60 miles away, but West Union is such a lonely place she prefers to sleep at home and goes back and forth each day by train.

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The Belleville Canadian very properly observes that one of the most successful ways of getting young people interested in the home and the farm is to provide good reading in the home. The minds of children naturally require reading for vigorous, intelligent development and there is no satisfactory substitute. The most interesting games, the most attractive recreation cannot fully compensate for reading in mental training.

Yesterday one of the students of the Belleville High School came to that institution with a loaded revolver, which he discharged out of the window. The performance was the talk of the school for the rest of the day. The offending youth's case has not yet been finally dealt with.

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Here we are again, and want to be taken care of—bon-voyage, street corners, vacant lots, flower beds, urns and parks.

Who should do this work? The City Council, Chamber of Commerce, Board of Education, Ministerial Association, Industrial and business firms, railways, and every citizen.

Those of Belleville's citizens who travel must hear that Belleville is a very clean and pretty city. People would like to come and live here mainly because of the work done by the Horticultural Society, and the citizens who help them and back them up.

Let us all work together this year to make our city brighter, cleaner, and healthier than ever.

One of the finest banquets held in Lindsay for some time was that under the auspices of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Lodge No. 308, at the Elmsure Friday night. It was a choice affair in every respect, and the Elmsure is to be congratulated on the excellent spread and the manner in which it was served.

A feature of the evening was the presentation of service medals to members of the lodge who had served in the cause of freedom and democracy overseas. The number comprised some sixteen fine young men, and the medals are beautiful tokens of esteem and appreciation.

At the opening Mr. Geo. Jobbitt, of Peterboro, took occasion to introduce Mr. J. D. McMillan, the popular Divisional Superintendent from Belleville, who thereupon acted as chairman and did so to the King's taste. Excellent addresses were delivered by His Worship Mayor McLean, while toasts were responded to in able manner by Mr. R. E. Orr, who spoke to the toast of the ladies, and Mr. S. Scott, who responded to the toast of "The Soldier Boys and Our Brotherhood."

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and are delighted to know that at last they are there. Another consignment will reach Kingston within a few days when all the boys numbering 106, will be equipped. With the uniforms came naval signalling flags, the brigade ensign and the new cap ribbons.

A complete band equipment was purchased in Toronto on Wednesday last by Commandant Evans, and the brigade will have a definite bugle band of twenty-one members. In view of the fact that Kingston had brass bands, and was organizing a pipe band, it was felt that a five and bugle band would be a new and novel addition to the city's musical organization. A bandmaster was appointed last evening, and practice will commence at once.

The gymnasium equipment for the boys was also purchased on Wednesday, together with four life-boats of the ten-oared variety for the use of the brigade in local waters.

Many of the students at the O. A. C. at Guelph left for their homes Friday, having finished writing their examinations. They will not return until next September. The fourth year students will remain until some time next month.

Statistics just issued show that Great Britain's war losses in her population are being made good by nature. Births registered during last quarter of 1919 were 228,569, against 114,760 deaths. Births gained 48,202 over the previous quarter and 61,794 over the corresponding quarter in 1916. Birth rate was the highest since 1906, and deaths were the lowest.

A novel method of constructing a coffer dam was employed by a British engineer in India when putting in the foundations for the abutment of a bridge. Piles were formed by joining old 20 foot double-headed rails head to head by iron bands. The lower ends were pointed and the piles driven at six feet distance. Mango plants were pushed behind the piles, and when bedrock was reached, bags filled with clay were used to keep sand and water out of the dam. All the material used in construction was recovered after the work was completed and the total cost was remarkably low.

"Nick Bawif, coach for Queen's hockey teams and all-round athlete, is certainly making good as a lacrosse coach for Cornell University. Bawif's team has won two games, and the thence students say he is the real thing. "Nick" was among the chief speakers at the Cornell lacrosse croquet, held this week. The Cornell Daily Sun gives him a great boost for his work with the Cornell lacrosse candidates.

The supplementary estimates for the province of Ontario for the year 1919-20 total \$4,118,571.66. Kingston is interested to the extent of \$111,200, which is to be spent at the Rockwood hospital, Portsmouth. Of this sum \$7,000 will be spent in purchasing additional property, and \$25,000 will be expended upon the erection of an addition to the nurses' home and \$5,000 for furnishings for the same. The balance of the total amount will be used to purchase furnishings, equipment and supplies for the institution.

Belleville will receive \$79,633.23 which will be spent at the Ontario School for the Deaf. Of this amount \$50,000 will be for the construction of the main building, \$4,500 for rebuilding cottages on the Lewis farm, \$7,000 for completion of houses and workmen \$3,900 for shoe shop machinery and balance for miscellaneous alterations, repairs and supplies.

Mr. Lucius E. Allen is refunded \$16,100 to reimburse him for loss on contract on government highways. A gratuity of \$550 is given to Mrs. W. S. Minns, widow of W. S. Minns, late supervisor of Boys, at the O. S. D.

The strike at the plant of the Ogdensburg Gas Company was broken yesterday when the company placed new men at work to replace the men who walked out. Several of the men were formerly employed by the company and are instructing the other employees. No unusual incident occurred at the plant during the night. Deputy Sheriff Edward McElligott, Patrolmen Robert Rouleau and Leo Blood and Sergeant Charles Harper were on guard. It was stated last night that there is now no danger of a "gas" famine in the city.

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Mr. Cyril McBride who has gone into the grocery business on Victoria Avenue, was on Saturday afternoon presented with a Masonic ring by his associates in the Bell Telephone plant office, with which he has been associated for a number of years. Mr. McBride was taken wholly by surprise, but was able to express his appreciation of the gift.

The excavator of the Standard Paving Company is now at work on Coleman street digging up the surface of the road to have all ready for the laying of the pavement of asphaltic concrete.

A meeting is to be held Thursday night at 8 p.m. in the Y.M.C.A. of last season's G.T.R. ball team, the executive from the city who were recently organized to assist with baseball and all interested in further promoting the team which will represent Belleville this year. Any fan who has not received a personal invitation is invited to be there. Col. Ed. O'Flynn will probably manage the team and Mr. Tom Fogg be secured as coach. Something must be done soon in order that the team may get down to work, so as to be ready for Peterboro' on the 24th.

Mr. B. A. Sanford, Belleville's well known fish merchant, reached the 50th milestone on life's journey yesterday. In honor of this important event about twenty-five of his friends assembled as unbidden guests at the family residence, Pineapple street, last evening and treated Mr. Sanford to a genuine surprise. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games and music, after which light refreshments were served by the guests who came well provided. During the course of events Mr. Sanford was presented with a briar pipe and case by Mr. Wm. Dingman and a dress shirt by Mr. Herbert Thompson. The gathering dispersed about the midnight hour after singing "God Save the King."

The exceedingly fine weather the past few days is just what the farming community requires. Yesterday morning farmers all over Hastings and Prince Edward counties began active operations on the land. The soil is in admirable condition for working, requiring very little cultivation to prepare the seed bed. If the rain keeps off seeding will be well advanced in all sections this week. This is far different from last year. The excessive rainfall in April made the soil as hard as a pavement, rendering it almost impossible to work into mellow condition. This spring is quite as early as the average and the honest farmer is off to a good start.

The election of the eight new members of the Queen's University Council has resulted as follows: H. A. Calvin, Kingston; Principal W. L. Grant, Toronto; Judge A. G. Farrell, Regina; E. T. Corkill, Coppercliff; Miss Edna Poole, Mallorytown; Alex. Longwell, Toronto; G. F. Hamilton, Ottawa; and Rev. J. W. McIntosh, Prince Albert. The new members will hold office till 1926.

Two trespassers on the Grand Trunk Railway were each fined \$5, and costs or ten days in jail in Police Court at Kingston Saturday morning.

Jas. Gibson and Walter Graham, both of Toronto, pleaded guilty to "hooking rides" on the G.T.R. They got on a flat car at Belleville, and when apprehended were sitting in an automobile which was loaded on the car. Both men stated that they went to Kingston to try to get jobs on some of the boats.

Potatoes showed an increase in price and sold at \$6.00 a bag at Kingston on Saturday, the highest price this year. There seems little prospect of potatoes coming down for a time yet.

Have you bought your overalls yet? City Engineer Mill estimates the cost of paving East Bridge street from Pinnacle street to McDonald Ave. with a 6 inch concrete base, 1 inch binder course and 1 1/2 inch wearing surface of asphaltic concrete to be \$87,418.50. The rate per lineal foot will be \$3.37. The city's share of the pavement would be \$43,315.65 and the property owners \$44,102.85.

The Cornwall town council, which was urging the re-establishment of the Saturday afternoon train on the G.T.R. from Montreal to Cornwall, returning early Monday morning, has been advised by the railroad that re-establishment of the train would be impracticable, as returns from traffic do not warrant it.

If the acquitment of overalls will be an inducement to some people to go to work, the overall epidemic will not have been vain.

Cedar street's proposed asphaltic concrete pavement will cost \$21,194.50 it is estimated. It will be 21 feet wide with a 5 inch cement concrete base, 1/2 inch binder course and 1 1/2 inch asphaltic concrete \$5.

Chief of Police Wright of Midland is in the city today.

Mrs. Myers Gilbert was in Toronto yesterday attending the summer military openings.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Galway, of New York City are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Galway, Burton St.

Mr. Millian Bain, of Sudbury, is expected in Trenton this week to become chief of police succeeding Chief Cottrell. The new chief formerly resided in Trenton.

Mr. Ronald Lewis received word this morning that his little daughter, who with her mother, is visiting in New York City, was seriously ill. Mr. Lewis left for New York at noon.

Mr. Ross Hunter is in the city from Buffalo and is visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. A. Hunter, on George street. Mr. Hunter will soon take up farming in Prince Edward County. Mrs. Hunter will arrive here in a few days.

Charles Dunn, of Lock Haven, Pa., was brought before his brother, the mayor, charged with falling to display a 1920 license on his auto. "This hurts me more than it does you, Charlie, but it won't cost me as much," said his brother in fining him \$5.

About People

Every reader of The Ontario is invited to contribute to this column and assist in making it bright and interesting. If you are going away on a visit or have guests at your home send or telephone particulars to editorial rooms of The Ontario.

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The Parent-Teachers' Association of Victoria school, Kingston, held their regular meeting, Friday evening, April 16, in the school. The association is very much alive and planning great things for the future. Steps are being taken to bring the celebrated bird-man, Jack Milk, to Kingston.

After business routine Dr. Coleman gave an address which was greatly appreciated. His subject was "Where Do We Stand in Education?" Dr. Coleman believed that "practically all the recent adverse criticism of our schools, both from the standpoint of management and from the standpoint of teaching, may be summed up under four heads:

- (1) That our school system is autocratic;
- (2) That it is materialistic;
- (3) That it is inhumane (so far at least as its effect upon many children is concerned); and
- (4) That it is unscientific.

John A. Box, who recently went from Burnstown to Calabogie to spend the remainder of his days in the fine new home of his son, John S. Box, has reached the patriarchal age of ninety-eight years. The old gentleman is in remarkably good condition physically, except that his eyesight has gone wrong. Born in England in 1822, he came to Canada when a boy.

A Carnegie library is now proposed for Kingston. How the times have changed.

Officers in D'Annunzio's army are shaving their heads and growing pointed beards in imitation of the poet. His flying men call themselves "Iron Heads." If they were in Belleville they would probably be called just ordinary "Boneheads."

The newest thing is a "Jazzy Jag." A member of the B. C. Lodge is claiming that a certain flavoring extract sold over there produces what is technically known as a "Jazzy Jag" and he is asking the Attorney-General for information.

What resident of Belleville would suspect the humble smoothing iron of trying up the great Hydro-Electric power system and the Niagara cataract. Just listen to this from The Gospel Herald.

The average householder has very little conception of the large amount of power that is consumed every ironing day by the operation of electric irons. It is so great, however that on Tuesday last the peak load was reached in this city and it is said by the Hydro people that the demand for power runs up very high every Tuesday, which apparently is the day most housewives observe for completing the laundry work.

It wouldn't be surprising if one of these days the municipalities regulated the distribution of power by districts, so that all the ironing wouldn't come in one day. This would involve one section of the city doing its ironing on Tuesday, another on Wednesday, and so on, in this way lessening the demand on which enters into the problem of methods demand a lot these days, that a few years ago were unthought of, and this is one of the things which enter into the problem of the high cost of living.

Friends of Rev. Alfred Brown, now stationed at Picton, learned today that the Senate of Victoria University, Toronto, has decided to confer upon him the honorary degree of D.D. It is understood the degree will be conferred at Toronto some time this month. Rev. Mr. Brown is a graduate of the University of Toronto, and a former President of the London Methodist Conference. He formerly preached in Central Methodist Church, Windsor.

The Toronto Star Weekly in referring to the exchange of pastors between Bridge street church, here, and one of the Toronto churches, has this to say: "In addition to the sending out of the two clergymen—When the 'big shift' of Methodist ministers comes next June, the two pastors pictured above will exchange pulpits, providing the Stationing Committee of the Toronto and the Bay of Quinte Conferences are satisfied. Dr. Cleaver has been the pastor of several of the leading Toronto churches. Dr. Scott went to Belleville from the Pacific Coast and has the reputation of being a strong and popular preacher.

The Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union held its annual meeting Monday morning at Hart House

Toronto, when all matters pertaining to control of intercollegiate athletics were discussed. Representatives from the University of Toronto, McGill, Queen's and Royal Military College were in attendance. Prof. A. T. Delury, University of Toronto, is president of the union; Prof. E. B. Brown, McGill, vice-president; and Prof. O. D. Skelton, Queen's, were the faculty representatives at the meeting.

H. M. Ryan, Newburgh, has disposed of his dry goods stock to Mr. Wright, Port Hope, taking in exchange, on an equitable basis, the printing plant of the Port Hope Times. This disposes of all or nearly all of Mr. Ryan's property interests in Newburgh, and means that he and his family will locate elsewhere. For twenty-seven years, the Ryans, father and son, have carried on business in Newburgh. During that time they showed an enterprise and business capacity which added much to the welfare of the village.

It became known Sunday at St. Johns, N.B., that workmen employed with the Foundation Company on the sub-structure for the new C.P.R. bridge over the reversing falls, say that on Monday, April 12th, they saw the body of a little girl floating through the eddies. They say she had on a pink dress, had her arms extended over her head and apparently one leg was missing. The tide was very strong at the time and in the swirl of the water and the eddies they lost sight of the body.

A potato boycott is on in Hamilton in earnest. The Federation of Hamilton Women, an organization which includes in its membership representatives of nearly all women's organizations in Hamilton, has taken the initiative. Mrs. Rose Cooper, president of the federation, is in charge. The members have all pledged themselves not to purchase potatoes for a month. Each member is pledged to communicate with six other ladies who have not been approached on the subject and pledge the six to also refuse to purchase potatoes. Each lady who agrees also pledges herself to get six others. The favorite method of communication is by the telephone. Those who have no telephone are to receive personal calls or written communications. The movement has got under way in earnest on Saturday and all Saturday afternoon and Sunday the campaign was in full swing. It was not abated at all Monday morning. Industrial Commissioner C. W. Kirkpatrick stated that his home had been communicated with by seven different ladies in regard to the matter.

Gordon N. Maxwell, B.A., of Seely's Bay was graduated in theology from the Montreal Wesleyan Theological College Tuesday evening at the annual convocation, receiving the diploma of associate in divinity. Mr. Maxwell, who is a graduate in arts of McGill University, served overseas with No. 9 Canadian Field Ambulance.

The annual meeting of the Camp Louise Club was held in F. C. Macnee's office in Picton, when the following officers were elected: N. D. Gilbert, president; James H. Porte, vice-president; P. C. Macnee, secretary; S. B. Gearing, treasurer; directors, N. D. Gilbert, Jas. H. Porte, F. C. Macnee, S. B. Gearing, W. J. Carter. A good summer's sport is being looked forward to.

In a county case at Kingston presided over by Justice of the Peace Allison in the absence of Justice of the Peace Geo. Hunter, Mrs. W. A. Stark of the township of Kingston charged Mrs. A. Cawson, also of the township of Kingston, with allowing her poultry to wander on her premises. A. B. Cunningham contended that there was no evidence to show that the accused committed any offence as the defence had failed to produce any by-laws showing that it was unlawful to allow poultry to run at large. T. J. Rigney, who represented Mrs. Stark, contended that there was a by-law in the township of Kingston which forbade poultry to run wild. The court adjourned the case until Thursday when the clerk of the township of Kingston will be called upon to present the original by-law.

The annual meeting of the Frontenac Cheese Factory was held on April 8th. J. E. Howes was appointed secretary and Everett Cronk occupied the chair. The auditor's report for 1919 was accepted.

Total pounds milk received, 975,682; total pounds of cheese manufactured therefrom, 92,405; total amount received for cheese, \$25,137.27; average pounds of milk required to make a pound of cheese, 10.53; average price per hundred pounds milk, \$2.36. The patrons expressed themselves as being well satisfied with last season's report and Simon Jackson was again re-appointed secretary-treasurer and W. A. Cronk, auditor.

The ball tossers of Port Hope are trying out their arms these days working out the old kinks of last winter. Several new faces will be seen on the line-up this summer and Port Hope should prove a real contender in the championship race. Their first game is in Oshawa on May 24th, and the first home game is May 29th with Belleville.

Fire Chief Lagrow, of Stirling, received minor but not less painful injuries to one of his legs by accidentally stepping into an open cistern during a fire in that village. The damage done by fire to Mr. Thompson's restaurant was not extensive.

Police court circles were a blank today. An assault case in which the complainant is City Assessor J. A. Kerr is scheduled to come before the court Friday morning.

Up to this morning rapid progress was being made with the construction of the new sewer on Everett St. and Front St. North.

Today's rain was not at all needed in the agricultural district but will not seriously retard seeding operations unless heavy or long continued. At the same time it will give the meadows and pastures a good start, especially if followed by warm weather.

Mr. T. Blackburn has been carrying out extensive improvements to his lawn on Commercial St. by raising the level around his dwelling about two feet. This will increase the extent of green-sward and further beautify the surroundings of what is already one of the most beautiful places in the city.

Three Holstein cows purchased at the Holstein sale here three weeks ago were today shipped from Belleville. The cattle have been kept here on account of the fact that they were to be shipped to the United States. These animals have been tested by inspectors and their journey to their new home has now begun.

The following report on weather data at the Department of Physics, O.A.C. for the period April 1st to 15th, for the years 1900-1920, inclusive, has been prepared by Prof. R. R. Graham, and will no doubt be of interest. "The figures go to show that April has been a somewhat exceptional month.

There have been eight years of the twenty-one in which there has been a higher maximum than this year, and twelve with a lower maximum, hence in this respect it has been above the average.

There have been only three other years, viz., 1914, 27.41 degrees; 1908, 26.80 degrees; 1907, 27.93 degrees, that have had lower average temperatures. There has been only one other year, viz., 1915, 26.30 degrees, with a lower average minimum. There have been four other years, viz., 1914, 27.41 degrees; that have been lower, and two other just the same, viz., 1914 and 1908.

The snowfall, 8.0 inches, far exceeds all previous years in this respect. Rainfall, 7-10 inches, four years greater than this year, hence this year much below the average. Prof. R. R. Graham of O.A.C. at Guelph is well known in Belleville, being a brother of Mr. R. J. Graham of this city.

News of the greatest tragedy that has befallen Alexandria Bay in many years was contained in a telegram received by Chief of Police James Crabb about 12.30 on Saturday from Port Clinton, Ohio, telling him of the death of three Alexandria Bay men, Arthur Gove, Arthur E. Pearce, and M. J. Roy, in a fire there Saturday. At the same time came word that Carlton J. Frederick, of Alexandria Bay and W. McFadden, of Clayton, had been badly burned.

The five men mentioned in the despatch, accompanied also by Fred Bradway, of Clayton, left Alexandria Bay Thursday night for Port Clinton to work for the season on the yacht which was formerly the Irene, owned by A. B. Peacock, well-known summer resident of the Thousand Islands. They arrived Friday and were asleep in a boat house on the Matthews Boat Company when it caught fire. Before they could escape they were caught in the flames, with the result that three

burned to death and the other two were badly injured.

O. E. Stickle, who has lived on the old homestead all his life, third concession of Sidney, lot 3, relates the history of a remarkable pear tree, which was destroyed by a storm last fall. Mr. Stickle traces his ancestral tree back to 1750, when John Stickle left Holland and settled in New York State. He had three sons, the eldest son, Nicholas J. Stickle, came to Canada in 1780, and in 1800 settled in front of Sidney township. He subscribed to the first Sidney Record Book, giving seventeen half-pennies as his share.

The son of Nicholas Stickle, John N. Stickle, took up land in the third concession of Sidney about 1800, and this farm has remained in the possession of the family ever since. John N. Stickle died in 1843. His son, Addie N. Stickle, succeeded, and died by his son, E. O. Stickle, born in 1837, still owns the old homestead.

As to the pear tree, it was brought to the farm in 1800 when John N. Stickle took land in the then wilderness. The pear tree flourished and bore pears as long as his great-grandson, E. O. Stickle, can remember and he is now eighty-three years old. It bore every year except 1918. In 1919 it again bore pears and in a windstorm the faithful pear tree was blown over in the fall. In one year this pear tree bore twenty-two bushels of pears, which sold then at \$2 a bushel.

The first house erected on this farm was, of course, a log house, as was also the school house, two and a half miles distant. The school house was used on Sundays for preaching, Rev. Dr. Gardiner being one of the first preachers, who also taught school.

At the Brockville police court Alan Kavanagh and Thomas Graham, of McIntosh Mills, appeared on a charge of damaging property lodged by James Warren. The case concerned the breaking of a chain on and the removing of a rowboat, owned by Warren, from a hunting lodge situated on Charleston Lake. The magistrate reserved decision.

The most unpopular thing in the world today is the one thing that the world needs most of all, and that is good hard work.

The Town Council of Acton, Ont., has made a grant to encourage the baseball activities for the season. While the encouragement of all kinds of wholesome sport is commendable, Acton has established a precedent that may lead to trouble. A grant for baseball, why not one for football, hockey, lawn tennis, bowling, golf, lacrosse, or even horse racing?

On Friday Douglas Anglin, engineer for the Public Works Department, Kingston, was busy making soundings in the Kingston harbor. He took soundings around the dock at the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company's plant. It is the intention of the shipbuilding company to extend the wharf for a distance of 75 feet and soundings are being taken for that purpose. Soundings were also taken near the C.P.R. between Brock and Clarence streets for the purpose of seeing if the water is deep enough for steamers to come in at the wharf and load feldspar. Soundings taken show that for a distance of 300 feet out the water is not more than fourteen feet in depth.

The Kingston Whig believes it is the man who takes chances that succeeds and becomes wealthy.

"It is the man who takes the chance who succeeds and becomes wealthy, not the foolish chance, but the chance well weighed. There are men in Kingston today who would not have been worth anything if they had not taken chances on business deals or investments. The late Senator H. W. Richardson used to say that he had to take chances on many a deal that required instant action, but nine times out of ten he found his judgment right and made money. Kingston as a city will never be worth its salt if it does not take some chances in enterprises like its leading business men do, and we might humbly add its newspapers also. An hotel proposition appears to the small folk as an uncertain proposition, whereas the investment in a new hotel would be the beginning of a new era in the city. New life would be injected into the population in having a hotel that would bring big people here. In the bigger cities, contractors take 'chances' in erecting houses, and settling them, and to many people it seems strange that some of our well-to-do contractors have not combined and erected dwellings which would sell like hot cakes, setting them good margins. To men in the building trade there is no risk in these days about putting up dwellings, for buyers are tumbling over one another to get there first. Just imagine what three en-

terprising contractors in various lines of trade could do if they got together. They could solve Kingston's housing problem."

At the Assizes in Perth last week, Mr. Justice Lennox called a spectator to the bar for talking and wearing a hat. At the close of a case, there was considerable disorder as the crowd was leaving and His Lordship called for order, warning the audience that he would certainly fine the first man he saw talking. A second of two later he saw a man talking with his hat on and called him to the bar where he gave him a lecture on court rules. The man apologized and was permitted to go.

The Detroit Free Press announces an increase in its selling price to three cents a copy, beginning next Monday. For twelve years the Free Press has been a two-cent paper, but constantly increasing production costs has forced the management to advance the price, as is being done in other large cities of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDonald, Carleton Place, observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage a week ago. They were married on April 7th, 1870. The old couple have our heartfelt congratulations. Mr. McDonald is eighty-five years of age, and his life-partner is over four score.

Friday morning two young men, Albert See and Victor Peol, appeared before Magistrate Carroll at Gananoque, charged with breaking into five summer cottages on the river front about half a mile below that town, and leading a gully, were committed to Brockville for trial in the next court of competent jurisdiction.

Rev. Mr. Smart, of St. James' Church, Tweed, has been offered the charge of the parish at Athens by His Lordship the Bishop of Ontario. Mr. Smart has not yet decided whether he will accept the offer, but will likely make an announcement in the course of a few days.

Mr. George Miller has tendered his resignation from the Oshawa Ball Club in the C.O.B.A. His reason for doing so has not yet been ascertained, but in his letter to the officers he has given them the assurance that he will give his support to boost amateur baseball in Oshawa.

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Men with soft snags don't realize what a hard work this is.

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FOR SALE MARQUEE SEED Buckwheat, Silver, a bushel, \$2.00. Hay at barn, W. P. Mullett, Mohr, Ont. Phone, 417-412-217.

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FARM FOR RENT LOT NO. E34, 28.1st concession, Township of Sidney known as the Captain John Vanney farm, watered by the bay, 2 1/2 miles west from Belleville, containing of 15 acres. Apply to Emma Vanney, Seven Persons, A114, Box 28. a8-817.

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## Talk of the Town And of the Country

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When a Grand Trunk train ran off the rails near a couple of weeks ago, grounds for a novel damage claim were opened up. A commercial traveller, having a millinery firm of the along with him in his sam, a fine model fashioned in the possession of a head of usually known as Auburn. No one on the train was hurt, but being shaken up, the shawl proved the ruin of the millinery, which remained except a tions of wax still clinging to it.

The millinery firm now claims loss of business through the traveller not having with suitable model upon which play his ladies' hats in a likely to tempt the discerning buyers.

A Toronto woman lately six-roomed house to rent, on skirts of the city, for which were many applicants. Believing man of resource, she conceived a novel idea of putting it up. From her own point of view, the highest bid was \$76 a

The police and citizens of are puzzled over the disappearance of a young girl, Alice Mahoney, from that neighborhood. On Friday, April 10, she was to go to Oshawa. A neighbor is believed to have seen the girl on a bus heading towards the G.T.R. station at Whitby, and that is the last traced father has heard whereabouts. The police opinion of her is as follows: coats, black straw hat, veiled boots, hair, light brown light grey, 5 feet in height

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A commercial traveller, representing a millinery firm of the city, had along with him in his sample cases a fine model fashioned in wax, and the possessor of a head of hair usually known as auburn. Although no one on the train was hurt, barring being shaken up, the shaking up proved the ruin of the model, and nothing remained except some sections of wax still clinging to the wig.

The millinery firm now ask \$35 damages for the model, and also claim loss of business through the traveller not having with him a suitable model upon which to display his ladies' hats in a manner likely to tempt the discriminating buyers.

A Toronto woman lately had a six-roomed house to rent, on the outskirts of the city, for which there were many applicants. Being a woman of resource, she conceived the novel idea of putting it up at auction. From her own point of view the experience must have been satisfactory. The highest bid was \$76 a month.

The police and citizens of Whitley are puzzled over the disappearance of a young girl, Alice Mabel Burt, from that neighborhood. On Saturday, April 10, she was to have gone to Oshawa. A neighbor is said to have seen the girl on a bus travelling towards the G.T.R. station at Whitley, and that is the last the distracted father has heard of her whereabouts. The police description of her is as follows: Brown coats, black straw hat, veil, black faced boots, hair, light brown, eyes, light grey, 5 feet in height and

stout build. When last seen she was carrying a suit case. She is 17 years old.

On Easter Saturday a goose and gander the property of Mr. Thomas Wilson of Ops were shot and killed on Mr. Wilson's farm by a party from town. The same day one of Mr. Wilson's neighbors saw a goose wrapped in a grey sweater alongside his fence. Later in the day a resident of Lindsay was seen going along Elgin St. with the goose wrapped in the sweater. The case has been placed in the hands of County Constable Conquergood and a few days' grace is being allowed the accused to settle before action is taken in the Police Court.

There is a bonus bill now before the congress of the United States, providing for the payment of two billion dollars to about two billion veterans of the war. At that Canada will not suffer by comparison. There is an immense and wealthy population in the United States to bear the distributed burden. Even with such a bonus the United States will not have done as much for her soldiers as Canada is doing and has been doing.

The time for filling up and sending in income tax forms expires with the end of this month. Single men whose gross incomes exceeded a thousand dollars in 1919, and married men whose gross incomes exceeded \$2,000 are required to make these returns. If you are in any doubt about it it is better to give yourself the benefit of the doubt by filling out the forms. The penalty for neglect is a heavy one.

While an unknown man was in a military hospital in Toronto awaiting the clearing up of the mystery of his identity over five hundred letters were received from mothers throughout the country, all written in the hope that the man might turn out to be a missing son. There must be many an aching heart in Canada still over the loss of loved ones who went to the war and returned not.

Rev. O. L. Kilborne, M.D., a graduate in medicine at Queen's and superintendent of Canadian Methodist missions in West China, is to be given the honorary degree of doctor of divinity by Victoria College on April 26th.

Two young men who had been playing a game of pool in Pappa's poolroom yesterday afternoon walked out without paying for their game. The police traced them and the money was put up for the game.

A Vocational Conference will be held on Saturday at the local Y.M.C.A. The speakers from outside the city will be Prof. Brown, of Victoria University, Toronto, Mr. Manson Doyle, Toronto and Mr. Taylor Statton, National Boys' Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. The conference will be especially for the students attending Belleville High School, Albert Col-

lege and the Ontario Business College. The object will be to enable the boys to arrive at a better understanding of what their true vocation in life is and also to place them in touch with business and professional men where they may receive further counsel and advice.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has a pile-driver and work train busy on the task of repairing the bridge on the west end loop line just west of Perth street crossing at Brockville. Piles are being sunk to strengthen the bridge.

The final debate for the inter-collegiate championship took place in Convocation Hall, Kingston, between Queen's and Ottawa College and the honors of the debate and championship were carried off by Ottawa. The debate was on the subject: "Resolved that the nature of the present tariff is preferable to substantial reduction downwards." The representatives of Ottawa College took the affirmative and they were J. W. Callahan and R. A. Cannon. W. A. Irwin and J. S. Prentice, for Queen's took the negative. The judges were Judge Reynolds, Brockville, W. S. Herrington, K.C., of Napanee and Ambrose Shea, barrister of Kingston.

The Ottawa debaters showed greater fluency of speech than Queen's also better delivery and were more particular in their choice of words.

"About the most unusual and at the same time the most spectacular marine happening I ever witnessed was the wreck of the squadron of scows and dredges towed by several tugs on Lake Ontario back in 1879," remarked Zeke Nelson, the Sodus Point veteran, according to the Buffalo Courier.

"Let's see," spoke up Mariner Mills, another Sodus Point product, "wasn't that the time so many persons were drowned when the scows and derricks broke adrift from the tugs?"

"That's the same incident," replied Nelson. "The fleet was bound from Cape Vincent to Buffalo, and on November 17th they encountered a mighty bad sort of gale. When they were close to Oswego a blinding snowstorm set in and it became worse every minute. Meanwhile a big sea was running and a regular hurricane was blowing. The towlines were parted and when the storm cleared away it was found that one dredge, two derricks and ten scows had been wrecked. They were strewn all over the beach down that way."

"I was here in Buffalo when that happened," said Boon Slattery. "I remember the occurrence well, for two old shipmates of mine were lost among the twelve men who perished in that disaster. But it was a good lesson to vessel people about the treachery of Lake Ontario in the late fall season. But the lesson has never been heeded, as has been attested by the subsequent losses of the section of the north-west and other vessels, some of them with human lives sacrificed."

Potatoes selling in Seattle at \$200 a ton have been put under the boycott of the Seattle caterers' association and after Friday will disappear from the menu of every member's establishment, until the price has again reached normal levels. More than 100 Seattle restaurants are represented in the association.

MADOC

Mrs. Higgs and Miss Mary have been visiting relatives in Frankford. Misses Mary McGhee and Margaret Watson were in Belleville on Friday last.

Mrs. Parker Embury and Miss Minnie O'Hara spent Thursday last in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McCoy, Miss Grace McCoy and Mrs. G. C. Moon were in Belleville on Friday.

Mrs. B. Tanner, of Ivanhoe, spent Sunday in town, the guest of her mother, Mrs. T. Embury.

Rev. A. E. Smart, of Tweed, has been offered the parish of Athens by the Lord Bishop of Ontario.

Mr. W. F. Connor and Miss Ruth have been in Toronto attending the funeral of the late Mark Devlin.

Mr. George Bell left last week for Edmonton after spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. Russell Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson, of Striving, and Mr. J. W. Blair, of Montreal, spent the week end with their brother, Mr. W. K. Blair, of town.

Mrs. S. E. Morton and daughter, Isabel, have returned to Belleville after spending a few weeks with Mrs. A. Thompson in town.

Mrs. Harrison and daughter Lucia, who have been enjoying the sultry climate of Pasadena, California, this winter, sent a lovely box of orange blossoms to Mrs. T.

Tumely, of this place.

On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Wesley Vollick, while engaged in papering her kitchen, fell off a chair and struck against the stove, bruising her head so badly that she had to have a doctor's care.

Mr. W. E. Smallfield, of Renfrew, formerly of Madoc, a Past President of the Canadian Press Association, has left on a trip to England and Scotland. He will visit England in connection with family matters, and then go to Scotland to take part in the national temperance campaign there. This will be Mr. Smallfield's second trip across the Atlantic, his first having been about 25 years ago.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mr. B. Richmond on Friday evening last. Mr. Bruce Embury and Miss Izzie Bailey were the guests of honor. There were about forty-five other guests present. Several games were participated in, in the early part of the evening. Then Mr. Embury opened, the presents while Miss Bailey read the numerous verses attached. Great was the laughter at this time. Refreshments then were served and a pleasant evening brought to a close.—Review.

BANCROFT

Mrs. Frank Bouck and children have returned home after visiting the former's parents in Madoc.

Mrs. Wm. Farnham is spending the week in Toronto on business. She is accompanied by Mrs. McCutcheon.

Mr. Wesley McGhee, son of Wm. McGhee, of Turiff, aged 25 years, passed away suddenly Sunday evening, following an attack of influenza pneumonia of only a few days' duration. In his demise the community loses one of its best young men. The sympathy of the people goes out to his aged mother, brothers and sister, in this their hour of bereavement.

During the past week several homes in the surrounding district have been visited by the angel of death. On Monday morning last Mr. Ira Ferrill, of Bromson, departed this life, after a short illness following pneumonia. The late Mr. Ferrill was a life-long resident of Bromson and his demise will be deeply regretted by a host of friends. Mr. Ferrill was seventy-seven years of age and leaves behind a sorrowing widow and grown-up family of six sons and five daughters. The sympathy of the community goes out to the sorrowing family. The funeral service was conducted on Tuesday afternoon at the Presbyterian church L'Amable, by the Rev. Mr. Ferguson.—Times.

POINT ANNE

Mr. W. N. Brann, of Bangor, Me., is spending a few days with his daughters, Mrs. A. G. Bennett and Mrs. J. B. Cowie.

The Quilts Branch of the Women's Institute held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Donald MacDonald. A very entertaining paper was read by Mrs. W. Whyte, also by Mrs. Charles Grass, the President, Mrs. Fred Parrot, and by the Secretary, Mrs. James Garbutt. During the afternoon solos were sung by Mrs. Parrott, Miss Lena Kent and Mrs. MacDonald, the hostess. Refreshments were served. A very pleasant and profitable afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. George Saunders entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday to afternoon tea.

Miss Dora MacDonald spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George MacDonald, Kingston Road.

Miss Ruth, of Toronto, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Jackson, during Easter week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saunders spent Easter Sunday in Picton.

Mrs. W. R. MacDonald returned home after a very pleasant visit with her daughter at Cordova, Ont.

SHANNONVILLE

Miss Bertha Houston, professional nurse, has returned to Detroit, Mich., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Houston, during the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, of Trenton, spent the week end with Mr. Wilson's parents.

The many friends of Mr. E. E. Diamond are pleased to hear he is improving from his recent illness. The story left a wee baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dies, and a little girl with Mr. and Mrs. Dudgeon during the past week.

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Eliza Culbertson, Sunday morning, April 18. Her husband predeceased her some years ago.

Mr. W. T. Dean is quite ill. It is hoped he will soon be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dean and daughter Doris, of Ottawa, are visiting his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Dean.

MARMORA

Mr. J. B. Pearce, of Norwood, was in town a couple of days this week. Mr. Chas. E. Phillips left on Thursday for Toronto, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Emma Grant, with her cousin, Miss Peever, visited friends in Belleville for a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gordon, of Toronto, were in town for the dance on Tuesday night.

Mr. Lazert, of Iroquois, was a guest of his uncle, Mr. Jesse Williams for a couple of days this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Haig were called to Campbellford yesterday owing to the serious illness of their daughter Isabel.

Rev. Arthur Phelps, B.A., of Greenbank, has accepted the chair of associate professor of English literature in Cornell University.

Mr. John McCullough, who has been in charge of extensive lumbering operations north of Sudbury during the past winter, returned home this week.

Mr. Thomas English, Marmora, Ont., announces the engagement of Miss Adelaide Smith to Mr. Heber Goldwin Hawkins, of Oshawa, young son of Mr. S. A. Hawkins, Wyoming, Ont. The marriage will take place the latter part of April.

The marriage took place in New York yesterday of Miss Beatrice Anderson to Mr. E. M. Gladney, a Marmora boy. After their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Gladney will take up their residence in Toronto.

Iva Pearl, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gray, passed away on April 9th, after a couple of days' illness with diphtheria. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, Rev. W. P. Woodger conducting the service at the grave. Mr. Gray is now confined to his home with an attack of diphtheria.

Mr. S. L. Reade, manager of the Dominion Bank, has been appointed manager of the Lindsay branch, and will leave next week to take over his new duties. While congratulating him on his promotion, the people of Marmora and vicinity will regret very much the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Reade from this place. Since coming to Marmora they have won the esteem and friendship of all classes.—Herald.

TRENTON

Mr. Harold Collier, of Picton, spent Easter in town as a guest of Miss Vera Walker.

Mrs. P. O'Brien and Mrs. Wm. McMahon of Frankford, were in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Coleman is home after spending the winter in Toronto with her son and daughter.

Mr. Manley E. Wilson, of Oshawa, visited friends in Trenton on Sunday and Monday.

Miss Violet Young has returned to Toronto after spending the Easter holidays in town with her parents.

Mrs. Howard Vandervoort and two children visited relatives in Belleville this week.

Mrs. Trot, of Collingwood, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. McQuade, returned home on Monday.

Mr. W. C. Gardner has sold his brick residence on Front street to Mr. P. Purdy. Mrs. Gardner, sr., will move into the family home on the corner of Guelph and Front streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tripp, Hillier, spent Easter week in Ottawa with his daughter, Mrs. W. Ayers.

Mr. J. D. Evans, C.E., has bought the residence of Mr. J. J. McNab on the corner of King street and Lorne avenue.

Mr. Arthur Allen returned to Port Hope College Tuesday afternoon after spending Easter holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Asseltine, of Frankford, Ont., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Amy May, to Mr. Andrew Walde, of Trail, B.C., the wedding to take place the latter part of April.

Mr. W. Johnstone, of Manchester, Eng., who has recently come to Trenton, is very musically inclined, having occupied prominent musical positions as choir master and organist in some of the large city churches. Mr. Johnstone has had the honor at different times of singing with some of England's most eminent musicians. Mr. Johnstone has joined the staff of J. Sutcliffe & Sons of our town.—Courier and Advocate.

ENTERPRISE

The new moon has all appearance of bringing favorable weather for house-cleaning.

Moving seems to be the order of the day. Mr. Charlie Lockwood and wife have moved to Deseronto, where they have bought a home. Mr. B. N. Sparks is moving into his residence lately vacated by Mr. Chas. Lockwood.

Mr. A. E. Smith, traveller for



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Massey-Harris Co. has gone to Tweed to reside. Before leaving the Social Club of the village entertained Mr. and Mrs. Smith in Keeche's Hall and presented them with an electric reading lamp. We wish them success in their new home.

Mr. Walter Fenwick is moving into his residence vacated by Mr. A. E. Smith.

Mr. Mellow will move into the home vacated by Mr. Walter Fenwick.

Measles have been the prevailing epidemic following the "flu." Glad to report all better.

Two of our popular young ladies have married, to reside elsewhere. Miss Gertrude Reid and Leeman Campbell were married in the Anglican church, Napanee, by the bride's former rector, Rev. J. W. Jones, Kingston. The happy couple will reside in Kingston. Their many friends entertained them to a social evening, presenting them with many useful gifts.

Miss Fernie Deline and Mr. Love were married at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday, by Rev. Robeson. Miss Deline before her marriage was also entertained and presented with useful gifts. Miss Deline was very popular, being employed by the Royal Bank in our village for some years, so will be greatly missed. All join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Love a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Miss Beattie Fenwick spent Sunday under the parental roof.

We boast of the service of a barber in town at last, Mr. Ellis, of Belleville. We trust his stay will be permanent.

Mr. F. Sprague, Belleville, spent Saturday with his friend, Mr. Geo. Vandervoort.

Mr. W. S. Gilbert is having his sale on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Pringle, Huntingdon, has purchased the old Gilbert homestead lately occupied by Mr. W. S. Gilbert. Mr. and Mrs. T. Whitney have moved into the Hamilton house on the gravel road.

Mr. and Mrs. Bamber, Anson, have moved on to the farm lately occupied by Mr. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna have been spending a few days with Mr. J. Reynolds prior to their moving to Belleville.

Mr. T. Juby spent Sunday with friends in our neighborhood.

Picked Up Around Town

Belleville has eighteen doctors now, and there are two more to come—Dr. Wallbridge, of Midland and Dr. Hill, of Roslin. This is thought to be the largest number of medical men in the city at one time.

Mr. Chas. W. Hall, of Thurlow, has bought the residence of Mr. Chas. B. Meyers, 189 George street.

The news has been received here of the death of Mr. H. K. Smith, of Toronto, a former resident of Belleville. Mr. Smith was a well known photographer of Belleville about twenty years ago. Lately he had been in another line of business.

Mr. Ralph Morden who served overseas where he was wounded, will look after the transportation matters of the Canadian Steamships Limited here, under the Schuster Co. He will be at the Schuster Wharf.

The Steamer Belleville of the Canada Steamships Ltd., is scheduled to leave Toronto on May 3rd on her first trip east.

A steam barge passed up the bay yesterday for Toronto laden with stone from Point Anne quarries.

Zwick's Island grass and the reeds in the marsh west of the bay bridge approach were affire yesterday at midday.

A 1919 Buick car stolen in Kingston, was found at the top of Murney's Hill yesterday, having been abandoned. The message came here to the telephone centre to Mr. Doolittle who passed it on to the police.

The police have received complaints from Mrs. Delong, Mrs. Brown and Mr. James Freeman, of having bought potatoes on the market on Saturday which were not delivered.

The opening of the Belleville Cheese Board for the season of 1920 will take place on Saturday next, April 24th.

In police court this morning it cost a lady \$100 for taking a boy on the ear. She alleged the young idea had created a disturbance.

Magistrate Mason this morning fined two bicyclists five dollars each for riding on sidewalks contrary to the bylaw.

The case of an alleged infraction of the Ontario Temperance Act was this morning enlarged for a week. The defendant it is alleged had liquor in a place other than his usual dwelling place.

Two first offenders, by the route of intoxication, were let go this morning via the \$10, and cost plan in police court.

Mr. Cyril McBride of the Bell Telephone Company's staff is on Tuesday next, taking over the grocery business of Mr. Wardner formerly owned by the late Archibald Wallace, on Victoria Avenue and will manage it in future. His father, Mr. E. R. McBride recently purchased the residence in connection with the business. Mr. C. McBride has been on the Bell staff and served overseas in the greater part of the war. He will be assured of support in his new undertaking.

A large number of taxpayers have been visiting the city hall the past few days since receiving their assessment notices. The increases in assessments are responsible for these visits. A number have approached the officials who have been called upon to explain them there will, in all probability, be a lower tax rate by reason of the boost in the assessment. It is likely the tax rate will be kept down to 35 mills at the most, whereas it was 33.3 last year. It will likely be midsummer before the tax rate is struck.

The second reading of the bill to reimpose a business tax on the distilleries of Ontario was passed in the legislature yesterday. In 1917, owing to war reasons the business tax was allowed to lapse, as far as distilleries were concerned. If the present bill becomes law, Thurlow township will be enabled to collect between \$4,000 and \$5,000 per annum from the Canadian Industrial Alcohol Co. at Corbyville.

Mr. H. K. Denyse, M.P.P. was in the city today on a route home for the week-end from the legislature at Toronto. Mr. Denyse is a member of the special committee to deal with game laws. One of the hardest problems they have to deal with is in reference to the hunting of deer. Deer are becoming very scarce in many localities and further protection is needed. Many recommend prohibition of hunting with hounds. Others

would forbid killing in the water. Mr. Denyse personally prefers the latter restriction as giving the deer a chance for its life. Exclusive still-hunting, it is feared, would lead to much greater loss of life than at present.

Preparations are well under way for the entertainment of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers who are to favor Belleville with a visit on June 24th next. The party will arrive by special train and will number about 100. They will be taken by motor to Deloro, via the Trent Valley and will be entertained at Deloro for lunch by Mr. Wright, manager of the Deloro Reduction Co. After an inspection of the Deloro plant the party will come to Corbyville where they will go through the plant of the Canadian Industrial Alcohol Co. In the evening it is expected that they will be entertained at dinner at Hotel Quatre prior to their departure for the east. As Belleville is the only city in Ontario that will visit aside from Ottawa, this is a great honor and reflects much credit upon Mr. Lucius E. Allen, president of the Ontario Good Roads Association, who has been responsible for securing a visit from these distinguished professional men.

Personals

Miss Campbell is in Toronto attending the summer millinery opening.

Mr. D. V. Sinclair is in Toronto today attending a meeting of the executive of the Dominion Alliance.

The Lord Bishop of Ontario was yesterday the guest of the Venerable Archdeacon Beamish at St. Thomas' rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doyle and Mr. J. G. Moffatt are among the Belleville Rotarians attending the Buffalo Convention today.

Bishop Browing of Toronto, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barlow during his stay in Belleville, left this afternoon for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Denyse, George street, are leaving shortly for their home in Yorkton, Sask. They have been spending the winter in Belleville.

Mrs. (Hon. Nelson) Parliament who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Toronto a couple of weeks ago is reported to be making rapid and satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Mr. P. J. Lee, the popular manager of the McLaughlin automobile agency and garage in this city, who has not been enjoying the best of health of late, has gone to spend a few days with his brother at Colborne in hopes that the change will result in complete recuperation.

Mr. Charles Kindred has returned from Niagara Falls, N.Y., where he had been visiting his son who was seriously injured, having a fractured skull. Mrs. Kindred is leaving today to visit him also. A phone message yesterday stated that there was a slight improvement.

DEATHS

STORK—At King George Hospital, Winnipeg, on Sunday the 18th of April, 1920, Sidney Edwin, beloved elder son of Charles Moore and Charlotte L. Stork, Belleville.

Transfer in Property

The completion of a deal was recently made in the well known business property occupied by Mr. E. P. Cuffe, who has purchased the store by occupies from Miss M. P. Williams, of Belleville. Mr. Cuffe has also purchased from Miss Williams thirty-one feet frontage immediately west of his store.—Norwood Register.

Warden Maybee on the Job

While in Toronto recently in attendance as a delegate at the Good Roads Convention, from this section, Warden Maybee, Reeve of Murray, had his ear to the ground listening for an opportunity to secure some special privileges for this section of Ontario. Mr. Maybee, as a member of a committee of influential men, approached the Minister of the Government at the head of the Department and pointed out the great benefits to be derived by making the road running from Picton through Trenton and Campbellford and on to Peterboro as a provincial highway.

The Minister promised his consideration of the matter. This would be in line of the present project of having the provincial highway running from Port Hope to Peterboro. We would come in direct line with 1,800 miles of proposed provincial highways every mile of which would be kept up to a Government standard. The cost of placing these in condition is so arranged that the expense is not a burden to any community. The Dominion pays forty per cent, Ontario forty per cent, and the county the remainder, twenty per cent. We hope Warden Maybee's efforts may prove successful. However, in the meantime, he will keep pushing to have the project carried through.—Hastings Star.

Made Gruesome Discovery

HUMAN BONES TAKEN TO CITY'S DUMP ON LOAD OF ASHES

Removed from Boarding House, Where it is Believed Students Had Them for Purpose of Study—Bones Had Been Placed in a Bag

Kingston, April 19.—The man who has charge of the city's dump on Bagot street made a gruesome find on Wednesday afternoon, when opening a bag, which was brought there by a carrier on a load of ashes, he found a number of human bones. They were carried there from a well known boarding house and it is believed that the bones were discarded by some medical students. The matter is being investigated.

It is the custom of the man on the dump to open all the bags brought there to see what is in them. When this bag arrived, he found that it contained a left hand, right foot, a shoulder blade and some other small human bones. The matter was reported to Sanitary Inspector William Carson, and also the police.

It is believed that medical students had the bones in their boarding house for study and that they took this means of getting rid of them. From time to time discoverers of this kind have been made, but it is felt that some action should be taken to stop the practice.

It will be recalled that about a year ago a human hand was found among some garbage taken to the city's incinerator. Upon investigation it was found that the hand came from a local hospital, and that it had been put in the garbage pail by mistake.

Wedding Bells

PARKS—MELLOW

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mellow was the scene of a pretty wedding on April 7th, 1920, when their daughter, Laura Edna, was united in marriage to Ralph M. Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Parks.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was prettily attired in a dainty gown of white marquisette trimmed with beads and white satin ribbon.

After the ceremony congratulations were in order, after which all partook of a sumptuous wedding dinner. The happy couple left for Toronto and other points west on the afternoon train, being showered with old boots and confetti. The bride travelled in a navy suit with fish connecting waist and taupe hat.

After their return they will reside on the groom's farm at Hawley. The bride will be greatly missed in the neighborhood of her former home and on the circuit, being an active church worker, organist of the church and Sunday school, and the President of the Mission Circle.

Hosts of friends join in wishing them both bon voyage through life.—Napanea Beaver.

FOXBORO

A sugar social will be held in the Sunday school room of the Methodist church on Monday night, April 18, under the auspices of the Epworth League. A good program is being prepared. Everybody come.

Mr. Charlie Stewart, of Godolphin, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Walter Wickett is in Madoc attending the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Tom Broad, who died so suddenly on Saturday last.

Mr. J. C. MacFarlane returned to Montreal last week after spending the Easter holidays at his home here.

Mrs. Will Gossell returned home after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Ward, in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Armour Reid, of Trenton, have been visiting Mr. and

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Mrs. Reuben Wait.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Reynolds spent Sunday with the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reynolds, Caniffon.

Mr. Kenneth Prentice and sister Helen spent Sunday last visiting in Tweed.

DESERONTO

Mrs. O. Fitchett is home after a visit to Toronto friends.

Miss Kathleen Prichett is spending a few weeks in Toronto.

Donald Gault, of Moose Jaw, and Thomas Gault, of Toronto, were present at the death and obsequies of their father.

Mr. M. J. Meagher took a few days of last week and visited Detroit.

Miss Gerlie Jenkins, of Kingston, spent the week end with Miss Laura C. Gowen.

Miss Dora Gammon, of Gananoque, spent last Friday with Miss Laura C. Gowen.

Rev. Father Coyle, of Kingston, preached in St. Vincent de Paul Church on Sunday.

Mrs. David Thompson, who spent the past few months in Chicago, returned home last week.

Mrs. Bert Windsor and son Teddy, of Galt, spent Easter with Mrs. Harband, St. George street.

Miss Grace Burt, of Port Hope, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lowry for a few days last week.

Mr. R. H. Gault, of Manlawing, attended the funeral of his brother, Thos. D. Gault, in Deseronto on Saturday, and remained a few days to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pratt are in receipt of a scroll and letter from His Majesty the King. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt's eldest son, Frederick, was killed on the Somme.—Post.

PICTON

Mr. W. S. Hubbs leaves this week to spend the summer at Kenneway, Ontario.

Mrs. (Rev.) Bushell, of Toronto, is with her mother, Mrs. Thos. Shannon, Mary street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hubbs, Belleville, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hubbs, Mary street.

daughter Margaret have returned to their home in Belleville after spending Easter holidays with Mrs. Shannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Root, Mary street, Picton.

Mrs. W. P. Miles has returned to her home in Wellington after spending the winter at the Westminster, Toronto.

Mrs. Charles Pearson, of Belleville was over Sunday the guest of Mrs. H. A. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Calnan.

Mrs. Anna Bowerman, of Wellington, left Portland, Oregon, last week for San Francisco, Los Angeles and Monrovia, California, on her way home.

Major Puffer, who died in Toronto, was brought to the home of his son, Mr. Lester Puffer, Trenton. The funeral services, was conducted by Major H. Frost. Interment was made at Mount Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Arthur left on Wednesday, April 7th, for London, England. Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur and family, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Lambie and daughter, and Mr. Bert Jones and Earl McLellan, motored to Belleville with them Wednesday evening.—Times and Gazette.

Wedding Bells

HAWLEY—BARBER

An event of much interest took place on the morning of Monday, April 12th, at the church of St. Mary Magdalene, when Miss Doreen Osborne Barber, daughter of the Rector, Rev. F. Louis Barber, and Mrs. Barber, was united in marriage with Mr. William Hawley, of Melford, Saskatchewan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hawley of Toronto, the ceremony being conducted by the bride's father. The chancel and communion table were decorated with flowers and ferns, Easter lilies predominating. The wedding music was exquisitely rendered by the organist, Miss Holmes. At ten o'clock the bridal party entered, preceded by the choir, who sang, while advancing toward the altar, "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden." The beautiful bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Frank Barber, of Toronto, was attired in a smart traveling costume of navy blue broadcloth with heron feather, and she wore a bouquet of sweethearts with pink tulle streamers. The bride was attended by Miss Lillias Barker, who wore a becoming gown of blue taffeta with frilled skirt and bodice draped with lace, and a blue mohair and tulle hat. The bridesmaid's bouquet was of pink and white carnations, tied with pink and blue tulle. About three hundred friends had gathered to witness the marriage, the bride being very popular in the church and social circles. During the signing of the register the joyous notes of the organ were accompanied by chiming church bells. Immediately after the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the Rectory, where a dainty dejeuner was served, the wedding cake having place of honor on the flower-bedecked table. Only immediate relatives were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber and Mrs. F. M. Hawley and Miss Louise Hawley, of Toronto, mother and sister of the groom. Among the many congratulatory messages received was one from the groom's father who, unable to be present, wired the following:—"If optimism meant wealth you would both be millionaires. You come into the family with my blessing and a welcome, daughter. Regret I cannot be there to-day. Heartiest congratulations to you both."

Mr. and Mrs. Hawley motored to Belleville, taking city on Wednesday and leaving that city on Wednesday for Winnipeg, whence a few days later they will proceed to their home in Melford, Sask.—Picton Gazette.

How to Avoid Collisions

In a recent salesroom conference, the salesmen were discussing accidents which, during the rainy season, happen every hour. One man called attention to the dangerous practice frequently indulged in by well-meaning but thoughtless motorists. When overtaking another machine on a moderately narrow road, some drivers wait until within a few feet of the leading car before turning to the right to pass. If, as the rear car overtakes and is about to pass the leading car, another vehicle suddenly pops into view, the driver of the fast-running car does not have time or room to dodge back, and a collision follows. When overtaking another car it is always much wiser and healthier for all concerned for the driver of the rear car to turn to the right a few rods behind the leading car, so as to get a clear view of the road ahead. After passing another machine, do not turn abruptly in front of it.

Theology in Camp

"Silver Jack," otherwise John Driscoll, a river driver by profession, and "tough" by nature, was for years well known and universally feared throughout northern Michigan, and served a long term in the State prison at Jackson for a robbery. The incident embodied in this poem was given to the writer, substantially as related, by a former associate of Driscoll:

I was on the drive in eighty,  
Workin' under Silver Jack,  
Which the same is now in Jackson,  
An' ain't soon expected back;  
An' there was a chap amongst us  
By the name of Robert Wait,  
Kinder cute and smart and tonguey,  
Guess he was a graduate.

He could talk on any subject  
From the Bible down to Hoyle,  
An' his words flowed out so easy—  
Just as smooth an' slick as oil;  
He was what they call a skeptic,  
An' he loved to set and weave  
Hifalatin' words together  
Tellin' what he didn't believe.

One day while we all was waitin'  
For a flood, we sat around  
Smokin' nigger-head tobacco  
An' hearin' Bob expound;  
Heil, he said, was all a humbug,  
An' he showed as clear as day  
That the Bible was a fable.

An' we 'lowed it looked that way  
"Miracles," says he, "an' sich like  
Is too rank for me to stave."  
As for Him we call the Saviour,  
He was jest a common man.  
"You're a heart" someone shouted,  
"An' you're got to take it back."  
Then everybody started,  
"Twas the voice of Silver Jack."

An' he cracked his fists together,  
An' he snucked his coat and cried:  
"It was in that thar religion  
That my mother lived and died;  
An' although I haven't allus  
Used the Lord exactly white,  
When I hear a chump abuse Him  
He must eat his words or fight."

Now this Bob, he warn't no coward,  
An' he answered bold and free:  
"Stack yer duds and cut yer capers,  
For there ain't no files on me."  
An' they 'lowed for forty minutes,  
An' the lads would whoop and cheer.

When Jack spit up a tooth or two,  
Or Bobby lost an ear,<  
But at last Jack got him under  
An' he snugged him onet or twict,  
An' Bob straightaway acknowledged  
The divinity of Christ;  
But Jack kept repeatin' with him  
"Till the poor cuss jags a yell  
An' 'lowed he'd been mistaken  
In his views concernin' hell."

Then the fierce discussion ended,  
An' they got up from the ground,  
An' someone fetched a bottle out  
An' kindly passed it round;  
An' we drank to Jack's religion  
In a solemn sort of way,  
An' the spread of infidelity  
Was checked in camp that day.  
—C. H. Pearson.

THE TROUBLE AT SANDY FLAT

He'd jes' come down from Roarin'  
Run, he told the boys he met,  
An' he'd come down to wade in  
"blood an' hev a time, you bet;  
For he'd heard the Flat were some  
on fight an' 'shot an' kill,  
An' that they kinder blowed around  
they thought he'd got his fill;  
But he allow'd 'twould jes' be fun  
Ter swing around a ton-inch gun;  
An' learn 'em all to hev respect for  
men from Roarin' Run.  
He explained he were a cyclone as  
could tear an' snort an' rip—  
He'd then perreed to do it all if they  
gave him any lip;

That when he fit he alays come a-  
sweepin' like a gale,  
An' ef he had an enemy he camped  
right on his trail;  
An, that they'd say he weighed a ton  
About the time the fight begun,  
An' that Harnes's Peak were on 'em  
when they'd done with Roarin'  
Run.

He stepped up to a feller as he 'lowed  
'ud make a bite,  
An' slapped him one, he said, "ter  
inaugurate the fight;"  
But the cuss he swung a billiard cue  
that knocked him on the floor,  
An' then he kicked him through the  
screen as stoked up by the door;  
An' then they 'lowed the fight were  
done.

About the time that it begun,  
An' the terror scouted up the gulch  
that led towards Roarin' Run.  
—Dakota Bell.

The above selections present two modes of settlement, and the first is suggested as more manly (?) than by newspaper sparring in which interested and innocents are compelled to note, partially read, or better, cant aside as delusions, illusions or hallucinations or moon-madness. As to "The Sandy Flat" affair, last named, older ones have seen its similars

He Has Tried Them and Got Results

WHY A. J. MACLEOD PRAISES DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Nova Scotia Man Gives the Reason Why He Advises Sufferers from Kidney Trouble to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

River Dennis, N.S. April 19, (Special).—"Dodd's Kidney Pills helped me wonderfully. My back is better and as I haven't taken any other medicine since starting to take them, they must have done me a lot of good."

In these words Alexander J. MacLeod, a well-known resident here, gives his reason why he praises Dodd's Kidney Pills and why he says "I would advise anybody who has kidney trouble to give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial."

The reason Dodd's Kidney Pills are popular all over Canada is that people have tried them and found them good. Dodd's Kidney Pills have been in use in Canada for more than thirty years. They have been used by thousands of people suffering from various forms of kidney trouble, such as rheumatism, dropsy, sore back, weakness, diabetes and Bright's disease.

Ask any one of these thousands to give you his opinion of Dodd's Kidney Pills. It is on the relief afforded sufferers from kidney trouble that Dodd's Kidney Pills have built their reputation as the sovereign remedy for sick kidneys.

LATE WILLIAM DALE

The funeral of William Dale, who died in Belleville on February 18th was held today to—Roslin Anglican church. The remains had been deposited temporarily since February in the vault in Belleville cemetery as it was impossible at the time to get through the snow on the roads. Interment was made in the Roslin Anglican cemetery.

LATE MRS. CATHERINE NELSON

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Nelson took place on Monday from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Atkins, Albert street, Rev. Dr. Baker officiating at an impressive service. The obsequies were attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances. The interment was made in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. W. G. Bell, J. Fenn, C. Cochrane, R. H. Keitcheson, C. Boyle, C. Delisle. Many beautiful floral tributes had been received.

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Mr. and Mrs. to Visit

Prominent Belleville His Wife on a Tour After Absence of 24

Mr. and Mrs. John at noon today for a tour and visit to their Inverness, Scotland. A large party of Mas from the Moira Chapter the Grand Trunk depot departing couple bon voyage present Mrs. McIntosh tiful bouquet of roses.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh will embark on the "M. Friday for the voyage pond.

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PATSY McAVOY, OF ZION'S HILL, BADLY BURNED

Was Straining Gasoline By Light of Lantern Saturday Night—Gasoline Exploded.

Mr. Patsy McAvoy, of Zion's Hill threw himself to the ground. Mr. Earl Denyes, a neighbor and the hired man ran to the rescue and after considerable effort extinguished the fire in the drive shed by pouring several feet away. The hired man named Turcott was assisting Mr. McAvoy. The fumes from the gasoline coming in contact with the lantern were such as to cause an explosion. The gasoline flew about and Mr. McAvoy was struck in the face and on the hands and his clothing took fire. He was all ablaze and ran for some distance. Finally he

Wedded at St. Michael's

Mr. S. J. Harris and Miss Helen A. Lynch Married This Morning

St. Michael's Church was the scene of a very interesting function this morning at eight o'clock when a well known Belleville girl, Miss Helen Agnes Lynch, youngest daughter of Mr. M. J. Lynch, 131 Burnham street, became the bride of Mr. Stanley J. Harris, of this city. Rev. Father Killean, rector of St. Michael's, celebrated the nuptial mass in the presence of friends of the contracting parties. Miss Marion Lynch, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid, while Mr. Harold Gauthier, of Kingston, supported the groom. The bride was dressed in blue serge with tulle hat and wore emerald fur, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaid wore a blue suit with hat to match. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's father where in the presence of a very large gathering of friends, wedding breakfast was served and congratulations were extended to the happy couple.

formed the duties of a town councillor several times, but of later years had not entailed to judging horses for the government at the fall fairs and fulfilling the duties of game and fishery overseer for his district. The latter position he has held for fourteen years.

He was a Conservative in politics. Fraternally he was a member of the Oddfellows and Orange Societies. He was a staunch supporter of St. Michael's Anglican Church.

Mr. Gault was one of Deseronto's best known and most highly respected citizens. A man of fine physique he not only made friends wherever he went, but he held them by his strong personality. He was a good citizen, the best of neighbors and a staunch friend.

Some twenty-five years ago he married Mary Emma Solmes, who with four sons, Donald J., Thomas, William C. and John A., are left to mourn the loss of a loving husband and a devoted parent. Two brothers, Robert H. and Frank, of Mantowaning, and three sisters, Mrs. Rixen, Deseronto, Mrs. Gore, Toronto and Mrs. Knapp, Watertown, N.Y., also survive.—Deseronto Post.

ed was 72 years of age and would have been 73 years old the 16th of this month. She was a staunch Methodist in religion and attended the Methodist church for 64 years. She was well known throughout the country districts and was much beloved by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, Frederick Riley, seven sons, George and Charles, of Trenton; Frederick and John, of Cobourg; William, of Montreal; and Martin and Arthur, of Kingston; and two daughters, Mrs. W. Gates, of Toronto, and Mrs. C. B. Brosby, of Wooler, Ont. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from her late residence at Cataract to Cataract cemetery. The service was conducted at the house by the Rev. Mr. Kelly, pastor of the Methodist church, at 2 o'clock.—Trenton Advocate.

Peterboro Favors Idea of One Good Baseball Team

Distress Signals Are Beginning To Loom Up in Local Baseball Circles—Players Are Being Handicapped.

Peterboro, April 19.—The appearance of distress signals from two teams in the City League, and the apparent intention of another club to have a hand-picked nine, has created a stir in local baseball circles that will likely lead to a meeting of representatives of the clubs with a view to saving the game from what has all the earmarks of a bad smash-up. Those on the inside say that should the present situation be allowed to continue, a blow-up is inevitable and instead of pastime at Riverside Park, the fans face the alternative of attending band concerts and hearing the band play "I'm forever blowing bubbles" with Peterborough as the horrible example.

Why have the inferior quality when the best is to be had, it is argued. In other words, why go through the agony of the last two seasons, when there is a splendid chance to have the city represented by a team of Ontario championship calibre? Such a team is assured of the strongest backing ever accorded a club in Peterborough. It could be kept intact, and fed from the ranks of a city league. The players in the first team would have an incentive to give their best all the time, and the talent in the city league would be encouraged to improve themselves by reason of the opportunity to land in higher company. The city league could enter the intermediate series of the O.B.A. Such an organization would develop players, and, since it is apparent that baseball is coming back stronger than ever, a policy of united effort in the interest of a one good team, and the developing of young players, appears to be the proper course to take.

Favour one Good Team The clubs can rest assured that the vast majority of fans favor the "one good team" idea, and are ready to accord it a full measure of support.—Peterboro Examiner.

Very thoughtful of Oshawa Central Leaguers to open at home, and finish there too—with the Petes as visitors for the final attraction.—Peterboro Examiner.

Picton Cheese Board Opens 1920 Season

Output Will Be Seriously Lessened By Several Causes.

Picton, April 19.—(Special.)—Picton Cheese Board opened the season of 1920 here Friday. Owing to the backward season and the feeding of calves, no cheese was offered for sale. Information was given by representatives of various factories that the output would be seriously impaired, owing to the opening of two large condenseries, and that the high price paid by butter factories would curtail the output for this season to 60 per cent. of former years. The only solution for the saving of the cheese industry was for the speedy return of the old conditions, whereby exporters are allowed to export when and where they can successfully compete with the present conditions and opposition.

During the service the choir with Mrs. Creagan at the organ sang Mohawk hymn No. 1, then while the offertory was being taken up the beautiful Easter anthem, "He is Risen."—Deseronto Post.

SCHOOL REPORT

S.S. No. 4 Sidney. Marks on nine papers. Sr. IV.—Hazel Grills, 636, Burton Bunnett, 550. Warren Spafford, 533, Bernice Hogle, 483. Sr. III.—Irene Grills, 660, Helen Irwin, 454. Sr. II.—Edith Hogle, 484, Eugene Irwin, 450, John Spafford, 438, Harbigh, Hamilton, 434, Charlie Reid, (absent). II. Class.—Marie Bonisteel, 540, Vernon Penn, 510. I. Class.—Miriam Latta, Helen Atkins. Primer.—Doris Irwin, Marion Atkins, Gladys Page, Willie Jackson (absent). Several pupils attended very irregularly. Jean H. Anderson, Teacher.

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Unveils Memorial to Mohawks

Honor Roll Shows 83 "Went"—23 Sleep in Flanders' Fields

The tablet erected in Christ Church, Tyndinaga Reserve, to the memory of those who played their part in the recent war was unveiled with fitting ceremony.

The tablet, which is brass on oak, is surmounted by the Canadian flag and the Union Jack. Beneath the flag is the inscription: "1914—Roll of Honour—1919, Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. Our Volunteers for King and Country." Under "Our Glorious Dead" appears the names of 23 Tyndinaga young men who will come back no more. Their names appear in three rows with the line: "Their names liveth forever more," below. Under the heading, "Our Valiant Living" sixty soldiers are represented. The tablet is neat, well-constructed, and a fitting remembrance of the glorious part played by the Mohawks against the common enemy.

Christ Church was comfortably filled for the occasion. The Deseronto veterans marched to the church and occupied the front seats. The Rev. A. H. Creagan, the popular rector of the parish, lead the prayers and singing. Then while the congregation stood, the tablet was unveiled by the Rev. Archdeacon Dobbs of Kingston. The choir followed by singing "God Save the King."

In his sermon from the appropriate text, "Greater love hath no man than this," Archdeacon Dobbs paid a tribute to Christ Church as a parish, and the Mohawks as a race. "You have every reason to be proud of their men," he said, referring to the names on the honor roll. "The high percentage of enlistments is an honor to your parish." There was no doubt in Archdeacon Dobbs' mind that these young men were actuated by the lives of their noble ancestors, Tyndinaga and Joseph Brant.

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Mayor Denton Interviews Govt.

Cobourg, April 19.—Mayor Denton was in Toronto for a couple of days last week where he interviewed the Ontario Government in reference to the new buildings at the Ontario Military Hospital here, which is to revert to the Ontario Government about the first of May. Mayor Denton wished to secure the use of the extra buildings added to the old asylum property for the purpose of turning them into apartment houses, in order to relieve the very acute situation in regard to residences for incoming citizens and the many who are searching for houses and are unable to get them.

The Department's reply was that they would give it their serious consideration, but owing to the demand for public buildings they expressed a doubt that they would be able to spare them for the town.—World.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh to Visit Old Home

Prominent Belleville Merchant and His Wife on a Tour to Scotland After Absence of 24 Years.

Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh left at noon today for a four months' tour and visit to their old home at Inverness, Scotland.

A large party of Masonic brethren from the Mofra Chapter assembled at the Grand Trunk depot to wish the departing couple bon voyage and to present Mrs. McIntosh with a beautiful bouquet of roses.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh will proceed to St. John, N. B., where they will embark on the "Minnedosa" on Friday for the voyage across the pond.

Mrs. McIntosh's mother is still living and much of the time will be spent in visiting her and other relatives.

Mr. McIntosh came to Canada 32 years ago when he was a mere youth. He settled first at Collingwood and came to Belleville 9 years later. Here he established himself in the business that has since become so well known and prosperous. In addition to the Belleville store there are important branches at Kingston, Massey, Campbellford and Cobourg.

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Confirmation at Emmanuel

Bishop Brewing Officiated Last Evening.

Bishop Brewing, of Toronto confirmed a class of eight, six girls and two boys, at Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church last evening in the presence of a very large congregation. The Rev. George Marshall rector, assisted in the service. At the close the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered.

The bishop delivered an address to the young people, basing his sermon on the words of St. Paul: "I have fought a good fight. I have finished the course. I have kept the faith."

Nothing is so inspiring to the young starting out on life as the example of a great victorious life. Paul was a great fighter, a man on fire with a great passion. Paul fought the same old conflict as men have to fight. He called it a good fight, not a great fight. The young man who fights the devil on his own ground in his most terrible form will not get his likeness in the newspapers as the prize fighter does but still his conflict is by far the greater. There is a difference between goodness and greatness in the world's estimation, but there can be no real greatness without goodness.

Saul in his youth fought against Christ in sincerity and in the fulness of all his energy. Possibly the look on Stephen's face as he was being stoned to death brought the change in Saul's life.

He fought against self. Many men have never attempted to kill the beast in their soul. They have followed the line of least resistance, because resistance causes pain in the soul. His fight was weaponless, conquering in the love of Christ. He received many blows and gave none.

The whole problem of industry resolves itself down to a basis of thought—the most real, and vital force in the world.

War never ended war. We were deceived when we thought we were fighting a war to end war. Mexico loves war. What she needs is an army of Sunday school teachers to knock hate out of the Mexican heart, and let love and knowledge in. It is all the ministers and professors who want to Germany to study had taken real civilization and the Gospel to Germany instead of bringing back German philosophy the world would have escaped the horrors of war.

The preacher cited figures to show that out of one hundred young men starting out at 25 years of age, after forty years the financial status of them would be as follows: 1 wealthy 4 independent, 6 earning their own living, 54 dependent on friends and charity.

The removal of the liquor traffic removes one of the greatest obstacles to success. But many have failed because they had no soul, because of social conditions. But the spiritual race is just as pathetic. Out of one hundred Christian professing men, doubtless 54% of them are failures, having lost their joy in Christ.

Paul kept the faith. What if he had fought the fight and won the race if he had not kept the faith. Men have won victories in the field of commerce, love, conquest, politics but have not kept the faith as they have a knowing at the heart in spite of their success.

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Deceased leaves his widow and one young daughter. The parents and family have the deepest sympathy of the public in their bereavement.

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SCHOOL REPORT

S.S. No. 4 Sidney. Marks on nine papers. Sr. IV.—Hazel Grills, 636, Burton Bunnett, 550. Warren Spafford, 533, Bernice Hogle, 483. Sr. III.—Irene Grills, 660, Helen Irwin, 454. Sr. II.—Edith Hogle, 484, Eugene Irwin, 450, John Spafford, 438, Harbigh, Hamilton, 434, Charlie Reid, (absent). II. Class.—Marie Bonisteel, 540, Vernon Penn, 510. I. Class.—Miriam Latta, Helen Atkins. Primer.—Doris Irwin, Marion Atkins, Gladys Page, Willie Jackson (absent). Several pupils attended very irregularly. Jean H. Anderson, Teacher.

DIGESTIVE TROUBLES CAUSE DISTRESS

But They Are Nearly Always Due to Thin Watery Blood.

Do not think that because your stomach is easily upset you are the victim of some serious malady. One of the most common predisposing causes of indigestion is anaemia, or thin, watery blood. In fact it has become generally recognized that health activity of the stomach is impossible unless the blood is rich and red.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been found most valuable in cases of indigestion, nervous dyspepsia and stomach weakness, just because they are a blood builder and nerve tonic. The rich, red blood they make not only imparts a healthy digestion, but carries color to the cheeks and lips and gives vigor to the muscles. One important point to remember is that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no harmful drugs or opiates and are thus to be preferred to preparations that merely stimulate for a time. Before you begin worrying unnecessarily about your state of health, try the tonic treatment of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You will be surprised to see how rapidly your appetite returns and your whole debilitated system roves, as the new, rich blood courses through your body. Here is the statement of one person among thousands who have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to their own great advantage.

Mrs. A. Veniot, Homford, N.S., says: "For about two years I was a great sufferer from indigestion, which seemed to carry with it a complication of other troubles. Every meal I took brought to me misery, as it was followed by pain, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. At other times gas would form in the stomach to such an extent that my heart would palpitate at an alarming rate. These conditions brought on extreme nervousness and irritability, and I found my general health so much affected that the least exertion would tire me, and I slept but poorly. I had been doctoring for several months with no result beyond slight temporary relief, when I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I decided to follow this advice, and I got a half dozen boxes. Good results soon began to show from this treatment, and the further continued use of the pills have made me a well woman. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to similar sufferers."

IVANHOE

Every one is enjoying the fine spring weather we are having and the farmers have commenced work on the land.

Master Milton Shaw is seriously ill with pneumonia. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Percy and Miss Sylvia Bay entertained a few of their friends at a taffy party on Friday evening.

The funeral of the late Mr. John Burrell took place yesterday afternoon, the service was conducted in the Guild Hall, Crookston, and interment made in the White Lake cemetery. Mr. Burrell was one of the oldest residents of this community. He was ill only a few days and his death was quite unexpected.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hagerman and son Carl, of Belleville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Wood.

The Beulah Cheese Factory begins operation this week with Mr. W. J. Moore as cheesemaker for another season.

Miss Lillian Mitz spent Sunday with Miss Cora Prest.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. B. Frederick visited Mrs. Robt. Noyes, of Crookston one day last week.

REDNERSVILLE AND ALBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell and son Hugh were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Onderdonk on Sunday.

Mr. Ross Belnap, of Trenton, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Belnap.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurtter spent Sunday with Mrs. B. O. Adams, of Ameliasburg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Vandervoort, of Bayside, called at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weese, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Robin and family visited on Sunday at Mr. George Weese's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Belnap and children, of Rossmore, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brickman.

Mrs. Wm. Hawkins, of Carrying Place, spent a couple of days with

her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Russell. Mr. Fred Wilson and friend, of Rossmore, spent Sunday with friends at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams, of Melville, were the guests at Mr. G. McMurtter's on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Jeffrey, of Trenton, spent one evening last week with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Sager.

Grace Hawkins, of Carrying Place, spent Saturday afternoon with Olive Russell.

Mrs. J. W. Brickman is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Simon DeLong, at Ameliasburg.

Miss Marguerite Tompkins spent Sunday under the parental roof.

DESERONTO

A number of our young people enjoyed the musical play "Mickadoo" in Napanee last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoag have returned to town for a few days.

Mrs. (Dr.) Campbell, of Trenton, spent Sunday visiting Miss Alice Cole.

Claude Sharpe, of Rednersville, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. Ernest Howard and kiddies spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Luffman.

The young folks of the Methodist Epworth League expect to give their play "Oak Farm" in Picton on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. (Rev.) Bamforth spent the week end in Picton.

The Musical comedy "Turned Up" to be given by local talent and under the management of Mr. W. M. Lowry on April 23 promises to be a great treat.

Miss Arkill has been engaged by the public school board as teacher for class one of our public school.

Mrs. H. C. Chard, of Wooler, visited in town on Thursday last with the Stowe brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradshaw and family spent Sunday with Mr. Herb Windover's, near Napanee.

Mr. Reggie Thompson is home from Detroit.

Harry Young is home from Guelph Agricultural College.

The young people report a good time at the Board of Trade dance given at Summerside, Friday evening.

The Arlington Hotel goes under new management this week, the new proprietor being Mr. Earl Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson and family returned to their home in Montreal last week.

Mr. Ed. Leveque is in Oshawa over the week end.

Mr. Joe Stanfield went to Toronto on Saturday last.

Mr. Henry Dubey is very ill.

Mrs. Chas. Reid and twins are in Belleville visiting.

Mr. Ernest Teney and family, of Point Anne, motored to town for Sunday.

There seemed to be a lot of new cars through here on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Whitton is home again and looking fine.

Mrs. E. Newport was in town this week.

TRENTON

Mrs. S. Campbell has gone to Deseronto for over Sunday.

The Hydro was off Sunday morning, but notice had been given in the local papers so that no inconvenience was felt.

Mr. Joe. Webb has purchased from Mr. C. Dolan the property corner of McGill and McLellan, avenue and will shortly move to his new home.

Mr. J. A. Workman and Miss Gertrude were guests last week at Mr. C. B. Turney's.

Mrs. P. J. O'Rourke is seriously ill.

Mr. Wm. Armstrong has purchased the residence on the corner of Spring and Lorne avenue. Mr. J. A. Evans, C.E., and daughter, Miss A. Evans, who have resided there for several years, will move to the corner of Lorne and King street.

The H.N.S. are giving a ball to-night (the 19th).

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McIntosh (nee Miss Ethel Vandervoort) returned from a short honeymoon trip on Thursday and were tendered a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vandervoort, Spring street.

Another meeting of the Independent Labor party will be held in Carpenters' Hall, Friday, April 23. Important subjects and plans are to be discussed and a large attendance is anticipated.

The body of the late Ed. Matthews is expected in Trenton about April 29.

Mr. Bert Weese had the misfortune to break two bones in his foot last week. The fracture was dressed by Dr. Farley and the patient is progressing as favorably as can be expected.

Mrs. T. Coleman is in town from Toronto.

Mrs. C. Ireland held a sale of her household goods yesterday. Mr. Vasseau being the auctioneer. Also a sale Friday at Mr. Ouyon's, Division street, and at Mr. MacNab's on Thursday.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Mordcau of Rose Hall able to be out after his severe illness.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. James A. Tice of Lake Shore is bet-

ter. Mr. Harry Dafeo shipped a fine load of pigs on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Moy from near Belleville visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. C. McCartney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis and Mr. Wm. Ellis sr., spent Friday with friends at Wellington.

Mr. K. V. Switzer from Belleville was through here in Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ellis and Mr. Wm. Ellis, sr., drove to Melville on Wednesday of last week and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Crutchshanks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McConnell of West Lake were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ryan at the dinner hour on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Moy and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. C. McCartney at Rose Hall on Wednesday.

Miss Ida Morden of Brighton will be at Wellington in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. May and family of Little Kingston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Crutchshanks and family of Melville and Mr. and Mrs. George Newson and son of Lake Shore took tea with Mr. and Mrs. B. Ellis on Sunday.

A number here as suffering from colds and sore throat.

GRAVEL ROAD

Miss Mary Hayes of Napanee spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Caracallen has returned from the West and is visiting her daughter Mrs. F. D. Oliver.

There is some rumor of a telephone line on this street.

Mr. J. F. O'Sullivan spent Friday evening at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Ann O'Sullivan, fourth concession, who is, dangerously ill.

Quite a few from here attended the B. O. T. ball in Deseronto on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Shaughnessy intend taking up their residence on this street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Drumme are rejoicing over a new baby boy.

Mr. Robert White is reported very low.

Mr. A. McGuinness spent a few days in Toronto recently.

One of the leading men of the Condensed Milk Factory in Napanee was through here last week looking for patrons. Quite a number intend sending him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Toppings spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wm. Shang, Slash Road.

Mr. Carrie Campbell was a caller at the home of Mr. Jas. Toppings recently. She intends teaching school again near Ottawa.

We are glad to report that Mr. Joseph arrigan is able to be out again after having an operation for appendicitis.

Miss K. McCarten is on the gain. Th last social held here was a decided success.

FRANKFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osterhout and children of Lovett, spent Monday and Tuesday with the former's mother, Mr. J. Osterhout in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston and Mrs. Harry Johnston spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Baker in Stirling.

Rev. B. F. Byers was in town on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Badgley spent Thursday afternoon and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Reddick Acker, near Hoards.

The annual meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. G. E. Sine on Thursday afternoon. The attendance was an average one. The election of officers was some of the principal business attended to, resulting as follows: Pres., Mrs. G. Benedict, 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. J. G. Hendrick, Sec. Vice Pres., Mrs. W. Moyle, Rec. Sec., Mrs. J. G. Searles, Treas., Mrs. W. H. Weese, Cor. Sec., Mrs. Myers, Strangers Sec., Mrs. C. Powell, Christian Steward, Mrs. G. E. Sine. We have had an increase in nearly all the branches of our W. M. S. work for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Potter spent Friday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pyear, of Glenn Ross.

Mr. Frank Weston left on Thursday for his home in the West, after spending the winter months with his mother, Mrs. Geo. Weston and brother Will, in Sidney.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mitchell was buried on Friday afternoon. Service was held at the home of Rev. T. Snell. The parents have the sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hurlman attended the memorial service of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Nelson in Wooler on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Brien and Mrs. Wm. McMahon spent Sunday

afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meyers spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sandercock in the 2nd concession of Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stickle, of Johnston were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Potter on Sunday evening also attended church in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. F. Cox in Stockdale on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McNeil, Mr. & Mrs. James McCauley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Ray and Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon & daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Barney O'Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Pat. O'Brien also Mr. and Miss McCauley had tea and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCauley on Sunday.

Mr. Fred Cox, of Stockdale, had a second car load of feed from the C.P.R. on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Fred Corey shipped a car of hogs and calves on Tuesday, paying \$19.25 per cwt. for hogs.

6TH LINE OF SIDNEY

The members of the W.M.S. conducted the service here on Sunday.

Mr. Morley Scott and family spent Thursday last, guests of Mr. Geo. Rooks at Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Massey and Mrs. G. A. Ketcheson, of Wallbridge took tea on Sunday night at Mr. J. A. Lott's.

Miss Eva Sine took tea on Sunday night with Miss Bessie Dafeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lott spent Sunday in Stirling at Mr. Wm. Wallace's.

Scott's Epworth League expects to visit Frankfort on Friday night.

Miss Bessie Scott spent Sunday evening with her friend, Miss Grace Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Demille of Trenton spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Demille.

TRENTON

We are sorry to report Mr. Pickle who has been ill is no better.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Matinspruce who have lost their baby.

Ingromit suffer y g B M r n

Envo Browning, of Oshawa is in town holding meeting at the Salvation Army barracks for ten days, beginning on Saturday evening 17th inst.

Mr. Harvey Dafeo and Master Howard spent one day in Belleville recently.

Mrs. Mark Appleby and Mrs. E. Paul, of Sidney were guests of Mrs. Peter Sweet one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dafeo have moved to Belleville where he has secured a good position.

The temperance meeting held in the basement of King St. Church last week was well attended. Lunch was served at the close and all departed feeling the time had been well spent.

Miss Lena Sweet, who has been visiting in Thurlow has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winters entertained company on Sunday from Thurlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wrightman entertained company recently.

GLEN ROSS

The farmers are again working on the land and as it is a bit late, we hope for fine weather till the seeding is over.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bately spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. C. Armstrong. We are pleased to report that Mrs. Armstrong is on the road to recovery.

Miss Myrtle Brown was the guest of Miss A. Seesey on Sunday evening.

The Misses Rada and Retta Carlisle spent Saturday with their aunt, Mrs. C. Sharp of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. R. Fryer who has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. Benson, of Stockdale, returned home on Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Couch of Rawdon were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown.

Miss Nina Carlisle was the guest of Miss Violet Winsor on Saturday. Our lockmaster, Mr. Fraser has moved his family here from Frankford for the summer.

Mr. John Carlisle spent the week end in Belleville with his brother, Mr. A. Carlisle.

FOURTH OF SIDNEY

Service next Sunday evening at 7.30 p.m. It will be the Missionary Service. Rev. T. Wallace, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Phillips entertained a number of friends to a taffy party on Friday night.

Mr. W. Morrison, of Thurlow, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. F. Rikely.

Mrs. M. Harris, of Belleville, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Shorey and Miss Jonny Bowers were Sunday guests of Mr. J. Tucker.

Mr. T. Oliver, of Prince Edward county, called on some of his friends one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris spent Friday last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. H. Langsbeer, of Thurlow.

The farmers in this vicinity are getting busy as some are seen on the land.

Mr. Sam Pope went to Kingston on Tuesday last to be with his brother, Mr. Fred Pope, who underwent an operation at the Kingston hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes motored to Madoc on Monday of last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Tom Broad.

Mr. Geo. Wallace, of Belleville, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

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# "I GO A-FISHING"

## Easter Sunday Sermon Delivered to the Congregation of Victoria Avenue Baptist Church

### BY REV. W. H. WALLACE

But when the morning was now come, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples knew not that it was Jesus. Then Jesus saith unto them, children, have ye any meat? They answered Him, no. And He said unto them, cast the net on the right side of the ship, and ye shall find. They cast therefore, and now they were not able to draw it for the multitude of fishes.—John 21: 4-6.

After Jesus rose from the dead He remained forty days before ascending to the right hand of God. During the forty days He was seen by many of His followers and the remarkable fact is, He only appeared to those who really believed in Him and loved Him. At one time He was seen of five hundred at once in a mountain in Galilee, this was by His own appointment. Up to the time of the story of our text, as near as we can make out, the following is the order in which Jesus had shown Himself openly to His followers, after rising from the dead that first Easter: He appeared first to Mary Magdalene, then to the other women, who were the last at the cross and the first at the grave; after that He was seen of Peter, and many believe it was a personal interview to give assurance of restoration after denial; then He was seen by the two disciples on the way to Emmaus, when Jesus revealed Himself in the breaking of bread and prayer; then follows the sudden appearing to the eleven at Jerusalem, when the door was shut for fear of the Jews; again after a week passed, Jesus appeared to the disciples in the same room; then He appeared to the multitude of those for His unbelievers; the next appearing of Jesus is in the story we have before us, which we will briefly consider.

#### Seven Go Fishing

While the disciples of Jesus were waiting for the appointed meeting in a mountain in Galilee, seven of them stood on familiar ground watching a very common scene. Galilean fishermen were busy pushing out their boats to spend a night upon the lake, with the hope they would return in the morning with their nets filled and boats laden with a big catch of fish. They were to know by experience both disappointment and glad surprise. These seven restless men were Peter, James and John, the sons of Zebedee; also Thomas and Nathaniel and two others, whose names are not given here. Peter is filled with the longing to return to his familiar calling and perhaps with a desire to do something to help maintain those who are depending upon him. So he turns to the others, and in laconic fashion gives expression to his chief desire: "I go fishing." They responded forthwith: "We also go with thee." They immediately launched out into the deep; but although they toiled all night "they caught nothing." When the morning appeared and they were nearing the shore they were startled by a voice full of sympathetic enquiry, "Lads, have you any fish?" They answered, "No." Then that voice from the shore with unquestionable authority commanded them to cast their net on the right side of the ship and they would find. They did as they were told and were not able to draw in for the multitude of fishes. It is interesting to mark the results—how this incident affects these men and what follows. John is the first to recognize Jesus—love is always quick to discern—and he turns to Peter and utters words that stir the depths of that fisherman's soul and gives him a new impulse. Listen to the words and watch the effect. John said to Peter, "It is the Lord." When Peter heard it was the Lord he girt his coat about him and cast himself into the sea. He is ready now to give up all for his Master. This is why Jesus asked him after they had dined, "Lovest thou Me more than these?" Not only once, but three times. Peter was grieved that Jesus asked the third time. "Lovest thou Me more than these?" Peter's answer was "Lord, Thou knowest all things. Thou knowest that I love Thee." The Lord said, "Feed My sheep" and also "shepherd My

lambs." Peter nor John, nor any of the other disciples who were present at the morning meal by the seashore would ever forget that interview. John took pains to record it as an appendix to his gospel.

#### Some Easter Lessons

But the important matter for us this morning is to consider and take to heart, some of the lessons we can learn from this fine Easter story of Jesus appearing to the seven on lake shore of Galilee. We might first ask the question, "Why did Jesus appear so often, and only to His followers, during the forty days?" First, we believe it was in order to complete the gospel record that Christ had risen from the dead and established the fact so that it would be incontrovertible and second, it was Christ's own prerogative to appear to His own. The only probable exception was to be His appearing to Saul of Tarsus for the purpose of his conversion and make him an apostle to the gentiles. This lesson stands out clear in the narrative, that whatever path we may take, even when we choose our own way, Christ watches over us. "He knoweth the way we take." He sees when our toil is fruitless and is ready to help and sympathize. Again the Lord can and will give good success. The chief thing for us to do is to obey Him when He calls, and cast the net on the right side. We are so apt to do things wrong, we need His wisdom and His guidance. And again, we learn that the Lord will surprise us, in times of discouragement, not only with His presence, but also His blessing. He will supply all our needs according to His riches in glory. We also learn this other beautiful lesson in this Galilean story, that those who love Christ best will be the first to discover Him when He comes to do us good. They shall say, "It is the Lord." Above all things, let us make sure that we love Him and be able to say, "Lord, Thou knowest all things." Thou knowest that I love Thee.

We may also learn this lesson and surely it is a timely one. Many see a symbol in this narrative—they see the night of toil for the church of Christ, and surely it is on now—but the morning is coming, and with it comes the risen Lord and He alone can give success in every honest endeavor. Many feel that the church has toiled all night and when the dawn comes there is nothing after all the toil.

But the chief Easter lesson for us is the transforming power of Christ over the lives of men. These men left all for Jesus' sake and loved not their lives even unto death, and the transforming power of Christ's sympathy and love may be realized in our own lives. There is a beautiful story told of a young woman whose character ripened into rare loveliness. Her friends watched her growing gentleness and heavenliness with wonder. They could not understand the secret of it. She wore about her neck a locket, within which no one was allowed to look. Once, however, she was very ill, and one of her companions was permitted to open this sacred ornament, and she saw there the words: "Whom having not seen I love." This was the secret. It was love for the unseen Christ that transformed her life. Christ Jesus our Lord may ask each one here this morning, now and at His table, "Do you love Me more than all else in this world?" What will the answer be?

## The Case of the Teachers

The Literary Digest has for some weeks been offering prizes for the best reason why teachers should have more pay. In a life issue it announces that the first week's prize in the supplementary contest for Canadian teachers has been awarded to Miss Greta T. Bidlake, teacher in the rural school at Upper Covelville, N.B., who contributes this: "The teacher—My mission is holy. I prescribe for the mind and body; battle against heredity and environ-

ment; build statesmen, patriots, thinkers, artists. In return I receive a pittance. I am forced to struggle against discouragement, live in inferior boarding houses, and exist on bare necessities."

Miss Helena V. Booker, teacher in the Wentworth Street School, Hamilton, Ont., wins the second week's prize with this original paragraph:

"The teacher? A preacher. And mother combined; She nurtures the body, The soul and the mind. Her station? Elation. Her status is high; She gives to the nation The things we can't buy. Remittance? A pittance. That labor can beat! The teacher is puzzled To make both ends meet."

## County and District

### A Milk Vendor of Kingston Has Contracted Diphtheria.

### PETERBORO MOTOR SHOW OPENS.

### Brockville C. P. R. Ticket Office Ordered to Not Sell Tickets to United States.

### Three Get Five Years.

Five years in Kingston penitentiary is the sentence imposed by Chief Justice Lathford on Samuel and Kenneth Clark and Alfred Flintoff, who were found guilty of assault with intent to have carnal knowledge with Ina Petrie, a girl under 14 years of age.

The accused men pleaded not guilty and maintained their innocence throughout. The trial lasted practically the whole day on Tuesday, finishing amid heart-rending scenes of the relatives of the guilty men, as they were taken away from the court room about 6.30 o'clock.

The most convincing statement of the evidence which condemned the three young men was given by one of the trio, Kenneth Clark, who elicited information when Chief Justice Lathford himself was probing deep for facts, which corroborated the evidence given by Ina Petrie.

### Navigation Opens Soon.

It is expected that some of the vessels which have been tied up at Kingston during the winter will be able to clear for lake ports in a few days. The coal steamer Jaska will likely be the first, although the Kay line boats are due to clear on the 20th. The steamer T. P. Phelan, of the Canada Steamship Lines, has left the dry dock at Kingston.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

### Better Boll the Water.

The Town Engineer had the out-fall sewer opened Thursday, and the public will be well advised to take precautions with their water supply for a few days until the effects of these operations are definitely ascertained. Engineer Worden and the local Board of Health are both taking samples of water daily for the next few days and the results will be published in The Reformer.—Oshawa Reformer.

### Peterboro Motor Show Opens.

With all the snap and ginger that has characterized the Peterboro Motor Show in other years, the 1920 show got away to a good start Wednesday evening in its three days of gaiety and high class entertainment supplied to the citizens by the Peterboro Health Association.

The armories had a gala appearance for the show with its flags and booths and prettily decorated exhibits. The variegated colours and the surging crowds presented a scene of unusual beauty. The exhibit of cars is wonderful and the new models were scanned by eager and admiring eyes while attentive and courteous salesmen explained their fine points, and many new additions. The fine up of cars is worthy of any city in Canada of this size and include all the well known cars.

The exhibit of motor accessories, oils and supplies, is worthy of the highest commendation and the new appliances and supplies created much admiration and to all motorists was a source of interest.—Peterboro Examiner.

### Hydro Radial Soon.

Indications that it will not be long before the Ontario Hydro Commission commences work on the Toronto

& Eastern Radial Railway are not lacking. Scarborough Council has received a notice from the Hydro authorities asking that a by-law, authorizing the issue of \$800,000 worth of debentures, to cover the township's share of the liability for the road, be passed. After a discussion, the matter was left over till the next meeting, in order that further information might be had.—Oshawa Reformer.

### Back in Kingston Again.

Despite the fact that he has been sent back to his home in Picton on many occasions, by the Kingston police, after being taken in charge for vagrancy, Thomas David, an elderly man, is back in Kingston again. He was given work for a farmer at Wolfe Island, but only remained a short time. Just a few weeks ago he was before Magistrate Farrell on a charge of vagrancy and the magistrate gave him the choice of going to jail or to Picton, and he decided to go back to Picton.

### May Consider It Later.

The report presented to the Kingston Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening by Dr. G. W. Bell, chairman of the agricultural committee, found several members ready to take part in the discussion of points raised by the doctor. Some of these were the milk accommodation for farmers who came to the city present agricultural conditions, such as the need for encouraging production by making farm life more attractive. The doctor was highly commended and as it was recognized that the evening's program would not permit of the sort of discussion everyone desired, the suggestion was made that an evening be set aside for the purpose of dealing with the report in a manner warranted by its importance.

### In Service at Montreal.

Adjutant John C. Harbour, late of Kingston, has arrived in Montreal, having been appointed superintendent of men's social work of the Salvation Army, in succession to the late Staff Captain Cornish, who died in February from influenza. The new superintendent is no stranger to Montreal, as he was there in charge of the industrial department on Chestnut street from 1910 to 1914. He has seen service in Quebec and Ottawa and for the past two years has been in charge of the military hostel in Kingston.

### Taken to Hospital.

The milk vendor of Kingston who recently was prohibited from vending milk by Milk Inspector Bell, as there was a case of diphtheria in his home, was this morning taken to the hospital suffering from diphtheria.

### Held Confirmation.

The Bishop of Ontario confirmed twenty-two candidates in Trinity Church, Brockville, on Sunday morning and preached to a large congregation. In the evening he held confirmation at St. Paul's Church and also preached.

### The Eleventh Contribution.

Toronto Globe: The Kingston Whig sent a further \$164.25 to the Armenian Fund, making the eleventh contribution from their readers, totalling \$2,456.25.

### Weeklies Going to \$2 a Year.

The newspapers of Bruce County have decided to increase the price of subscriptions to \$2 a year, to commence some time during the summer. The \$1.50 weekly is no longer a paying proposition.

### Wee Drop Was Expensive.

After a hard day's work, Thos. Bowden was apprehended on Simcoe street, Oshawa, on Tuesday evening with a six-ounce bottle of liquor in his possession, though it only contained about two inches at the time. Accused stated that he had not drunk any or was not intoxicated but pleaded guilty of having same in his possession. The magistrate had no alternative and imposed the minimum fine of \$200 and costs.—Oshawa Reformer.

### Lost on One, Made Profit on Other.

The Galt Hydro department shows a net profit for the year of \$6,708.97, a decrease, compared with 1919, of \$6,121.77, which is due to reduction in the power load owing to cessation of war work, while there was an increase in the sale of current for light and domestic uses. In the waterworks a loss on the year's operations of \$5,808.36 is recorded, due to increased cost of maintenance.—Oshawa Reformer.

When a mail airplane nose-dived 3,000 feet and struck the ground at Newark, N.J., the two men in it were killed.

## THE DODGE CAR HAS MANY ADMIRERS

### Duffus Motor Sales Showing of the Dodge Car Receiving Many Favorable Comments

Judging from the numerous expressions of approval of Dodge Brothers' car, by those attending the Motor Show, no other car enjoys such an enviable reputation. Scores of owners and others were heard to say that the Dodge is the one car of all cars that is so thoroughly made and so mechanically correct that every owner of a Dodge Brothers' car is not only satisfied, but is truly proud of his car and his investment.

Dodge Brothers never experienced the difficulties that some manufacturers of a automobile did. Being thorough mechanics, and having had a wide knowledge of car building prior to going into it themselves, obviated this usual unpleasant feature. Consequently its good name from the first has made it extremely popular, and the opinion usually expressed is highly commendable.

This, together with the reputation and service of the Duffus Motor Sales, who are its distributors in this section, make it an extremely attractive proposition, and is resulting in many sales.—Peterboro Examiner.

## Pawned Jewelry Purchased Liquor

Oshawa, April 17.—Liquor, jewelry and religion figured in a County Criminal Court case at Toronto yesterday, when Alfred Profit, of Oshawa, was charged before Judge Coatsworth with the theft of valuable rings, bracelets and lockets from Mrs. Joseph W. Jones, formerly of Trenton.

Profit asserted that he had been given the jewelry to raise money to invest in a supply of liquor in Montreal. He had figured out, he said, that the price of liquor was almost sure to go up, and so had decided to lay in a supply.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones denied that it was on this understanding that he had been given the jewelry. They had nothing to do with his financial interests, they said.

Profit stated that they had laid in a supply of 70 or 80 cases of whiskey, outside of Montreal, but as he had no license to sell, he could not legally get rid of it. He had gone to his pastor, he said, and then had decided to give up the liquor business.

"Don't drag the church into this," shouted Crown Attorney Greer, "the church has enough troubles of its own."

Mrs. Jones admitted experimenting with whiskey and paraffin in an attempt to produce a chewing gum with a "kick."

Judge Coatsworth adjourned the case for two weeks in order that the jewelry, which is in pawn in Montreal, might be produced.—Reformer.

## A Harrowing Tale

A rather sad incident occurred at one of the stations in Cobourg last Friday morning. A stranger with three grips got off the early train from Montreal. He was not only carrying a good jag outside, but one inside as well, consequent on his return from the wet metropolis of the east. Going into the station he set his three grips down, and then let himself relapse into slumber. Not long after, several thirsty souls from Cobourg came into the station to take the local. Seeing the grips and the sleeping drunk, they ultimately came to the conclusion that the grips contained just what they required—liquid refreshments. First one grip disappeared, then another, and emboldened by the fact that the kind-hearted stranger still slept on the third grip, was pilfered, taken down the track to the shelter of a box car, and the contents sampled. As the contents were favorable to the taste, they were carried off down town. When the drunk awoke from his sleep all he found was an old pair of overalls, which one of the pilferers had left in place of the grips. He was for immediately calling up the police to try to get track of his valuables, but on it being pointed out to him that his telling what was in the grips would render him liable to a \$200 fine under the O.T.A. he decided to keep quiet. And all he had was a pair of overalls—size about 45.—Trenton Advocate.

### STUCK TO IT.

Too many of the young people of today will begin a task, no matter what it may be, from the preparation of a Latin lesson to the wedding of an onion bed, do perhaps half of it, then stop and begin something else, and probably never think of it

again. It is a mistake for parents to allow such proceedings on the part of their children, but it is also a mistake for the young people to allow themselves to form such habits.

Boys, don't be quitters. Persevering people are the ones who win the golden laurels of success. The great men of our country, our lawyers, our statesmen, our inventors, have achieved their greatness and built up their characters and reputations by persistently keeping at whatever they undertook. A person can never become a great writer or an orator without much perseverance in pursuing his vocation, and by setting high ideals and working for his aim in life.

When you have a lesson to be learned keep at it until mastered. When you have a task set before you, stick to it until it is finished. Don't be a quitter.—The "American Boy."

## LOCAL FACTORIES MORE SANITARY, SO FINDS DR. CLINTON

Peterboro, April 17.—Sanitary conditions in Peterboro factories have improved considerably during the last year, Dr. Clinton, District Officer of Health, said this morning after completing the inspection upon which he was engaged for two days. In some of the shops there is still need for drinking fountains, and in some other respects the sanitation has not reached an ideal state.

Dr. Clinton, however, was pleased with the signs of progress, especially in some factories, superintendents of which have evidently set themselves out to make the sanitary equipment more efficient and protective of the health of the employees. In his visits he was accompanied by Sanitary Inspector Stapleton and left at noon today to investigate a reported outbreak of smallpox.

## Fall Wheat is Reported Damaged

The cool weather of the past week or so has had a detrimental effect on the fall wheat, and also upon the clover fields, according to the reports issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. In many places, however, the snowdrifts were sufficiently plentiful to protect the young shoots from the cold winds. The unsettled weather also put a stop, temporarily, to the early spring seeding.

Reports show that live stock, on the whole are thinner, but are in a good healthy condition. Farmers are undecided what to do with their cattle, owing to the unsettled condition of the market at present, but in the main are holding their stock. Hogs are not so plentiful as they were a year ago. Labor is hard to secure and wages range from \$40 to \$100 per month and board.—Lindsay Post.

### BAYSIDE BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hunt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson of West Huntingdon.

Rev. F. G. Joblin, of Seagrave, spent one day last week with friends here.

The Orangemen have completed the foundation of their new hall and expect to go ahead with the erection of the building immediately.

The Bay-side Cheese Co. will commence operations on Monday next 19th inst.

The Bay-side Knowledge Box is a veritable hive of industry these days. There were sixty-two on the roll today but they weren't all on seat. There are thirteen more to come from Trenton way as soon as Tuesday's washing and ironing is done.

To watch the battalions march by on their way to school one would be inclined to believe that an incubator was in operation up the road, and perhaps there isn't after all. If you want to know where they all come from, ask someone who knows.

The Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. D. Gunn on Wednesday. The officers for the coming year were elected. Mrs. D. Gunn, Sr., who has filled the position of resident for a considerable time was re-elected. Mrs. F. A. Gardner, the veteran secretary, was re-elected by acclamation. The meeting was largely attended. Many questions of public interest were brought before the meeting for discussion and in all likelihood the Institute will enter new fields of usefulness in the adjacent future. The cleaning up of White's cemetery and making it more inviting, the calling in of a trained nurse to examine the pupils of the school regarding health, the installation of individual drinking cups in the school, were among the

more important questions and if carried out would be of far-reaching importance to those concerned. Go to it ladies, it's a good work.

Let's chew your gum till recess? The home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Calman was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday 7th inst.

When Miss Nellie Wilson, who has spent the past five years with Mr. and Mrs. Calman, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. John Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross, of Gilead, Ont. by the Rev. H. H. Stutton. The immediate relatives and a few friends only were present. Mr. Ross has a mind of his own and judging from what transpired during the evening we would term him one of the wise men from the east.

While the assembled guests were enjoying themselves, some one noticed that the newly made bride and groom were among the missing and that a horse and buggy was also gone. A couple of powerful motors were hurriedly called into action and headed for Belleville in which direction the fleeing couple had gone.

Every hotel in Belleville was searched, not a bed in the hospital was overlooked in the search and even the House of Refuge was pecked into, but all in vain. The young couple had apparently dropped off of the earth. The disappointed motorists were finally compelled to return home without even sighting their quarry and spend the remainder of the evening nursing their injured feelings and warning their chilly bones. After a time the young couple returned from their honeymoon and showed their good sense by retiring early, leaving the guests to laugh at their own foolishness.

The people of Bay-side wish Mr. and Mrs. Ross a long and prosperous life.

A young man in the employ of an undertaking firm in Belleville, while driving out to the Belleville cemetery had an attack of heart trouble near the home of Mr. Sharpe. He managed however to reach Mr. Sharpe's where he was given a restorative that started his heart beating at regular intervals. Motor cars and bad hearts are dangerous combinations but we wish him every success in his undertaking.

## Annual Vestry of St. Thomas

### Successful Year Just Closed—Features of Meeting.

St. Thomas' Church held its annual vestry meeting last evening in the parish house, Ven. Archdeacon Beamish presiding. The meeting was one of the most important and most harmonious in the vestry's history. Mr. B. P. Jennings was re-elected people's warden and Mr. Chas. Rogers was appointed rector's warden. The auditors elected are J. W. Davison and A. W. Rowlands. The following side-men were elected: J. L. R. Gorman, J. D. Collip, J. A. Kerr, J. W. Davison, H. C. Thompson, J. L. Simpson, Dr. Ackerill, W. O. Adams, A. A. Lockwood and J. D. Clarke. Mr. Chas. Skeicher was re-elected vestry clerk. The lay delegates to synod are J. Elliott, W. O. Adams and J. A. Kerr.

All societies show substantial credit balances. The revenue from all sources was over \$6,000 and a credit balance remains of \$190.

During the year the congregation gave over \$1,500 to missions and other worthy objects outside the parish.

Prof. Wheatley was given a very substantial increase in his salary as a recognition of his splendid work as organist.

On account of the increased work for the past year, the wardens were authorized to secure a secretary.

The social club, organized some time ago, has done much to bring all parts of the congregation together. Its first year has closed very successfully. It has more than fulfilled expectation and prospects are very bright for the coming year.

## Bastings Pastor Takes Up Farming

Hastings, April 14.—On Wednesday evening last a well filled purse and an address were presented to Rev. T. and Mrs. McKim and family over their departure for their new home near Colborne, where Mr. McKim will take up farming.

A Pill that Proves Its Value—Those of weak stomach will find strength in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful condition of the stomach and the liver, irregularities in which are most distressing. Dyspepsias are well acquainted with them and value them at their proper worth. They have afforded relief when other preparations have failed, and have effected cures in ailments of long standing where other medicines were found unavailing.

A man doesn't have to be a philosopher in order to discover that all eyes in the school, were among the sick girls are handsome.

### County and District

The Cobourg Streets Are in a Bad Condition This Spring

TO PLANT 26,000 TREES

The Man Who Mysteriously Disappeared from Napanea is Still Missing

Streets in Bad Condition

With the frost leaving the ground a number of streets in Cobourg have become a nuisance to those who use them. Elgin street, from the House of Refuge to Pratt's mill, is almost impassable, while King street is also badly cut up. For several weeks the town men have been grading up a bad section of road on University avenue, from George street to Railroad street, and the refuse from the copula at the Dominion Wheel and Foundry Company is being used to build up the road. This is afterwards rolled with the steam roller, and makes a dry, hard roller. Sentinel-Star.

Wants Marriage Annulled

In the Supreme Court of New York at Ogdensburg, Lulu Black is the petitioner in a suit against Emery W. Buck for annulment of a void marriage. It appears that the plaintiff was the wife of one Arthur Fuller and that defendant Buck represented to her that he had obtained a divorce from her from Fuller. Believing that she was actually divorced from Fuller, she went to Prescott and was there married to Buck, with whom she lived until she discovered that she had been deceived and that she was still the wife of Fuller. Hence the action to annul the marriage with Buck. One child, a girl two years old, resulted from the second marriage.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Diseased People Handling Food

It is alleged that persons in Kingston afflicted with disease are employed in public places in that city and the matter is to be reported to the medical health officer. "The question is being asked, 'Why is it that medical doctors who are treating the sick do not have them removed from employment that renders them a menace to the health of the community?' Should a doctor who is called to treat a man who works in a restaurant, cooking and serving food, decide whether the man should be permitted to remain in such an occupation?"

Gets Back for Treatment

Nelson Wilson, who was found guilty by Judge Ward in the county judge's criminal court on Saturday on a forgery charge, was let go on suspended sentence. He was handed over to the Soldiers' Civil Re-employment, he being a returned soldier, for further treatment in the Kingston military hospital.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

To Plant 26,000 Trees

A tree planting day, when 26,000 trees will be planted on the state land at Canoe Point and Waterson's Point, near Clayton, is being arranged for some time in May by the members of the Thousand Island Fish and Game Club. It is expected that a general holiday will be declared and that all Clayton will assist in the planting.

Accused of Murder

Abd Gardner, Syracuse, N.Y., a former resident of Cape Vincent, was taken into custody in connection with the murder of Lewis Carey. He tells the police that he had an argument with the man who is now dead in a saloon and claims that he left that place before Carey.

Miss Willoughby Resigns

Miss Bertha Willoughby, R.R.C. O.B.E., has resigned from the position of matron of the Sydenham Hospital, Kingston. Miss Willoughby was matron of Queen's military hospital in Egypt and France throughout most of the war, and rendered splendid service. She will go to New York to take a special course in hospital management. The appointment of her successor is under consideration, but no names have yet been mentioned in connection with the position.

Is Still Missing

As far as can be learned, no trace has been found of William Allen, the young man who mysteriously disappeared from his home in Napanea a few days ago. It is the general belief now that Allen was drowned in the river. He disappeared on the

day that his father, Bryce Allen, died. He served overseas, and suffered from shell shock.

Big Leagues Start Today

The American and National League opened their season Wed. In the National League Pittsburgh plays St. Louis, Chicago at Cincinnati, Philadelphia at Brooklyn, and Boston at New York; while in the American League New York plays at Philadelphia, Washington at Boston, St. Louis at Cleveland, and Detroit at Chicago.

Liquor Was Expensive

One of the first charges to be laid under the amendment to Section 51-B of the Ontario Temperance Act in 1919, was heard in the Peterboro police court on Monday, when William Johnson, a local man, was charged with procuring by improper means a medical prescription for liquor. It came out in the evidence submitted that he paid another man \$1 to obtain a prescription which he took to a druggist and secured 20 ounces of liquor at a cost of \$2.70. He discovered that such a practice was a rather expensive method of obtaining liquor when he was assessed \$50 and costs, amounting in all to \$54.10, so that his 20 ounces of liquor cost \$57.80.

Underweight Bread Confiscated.

One conviction was made in Cobourg this week for selling light-weight bread. Chief Ruse announces that in future all bread found under weight will be confiscated, as well as prosecution in police court. The penalty for the first offence is a fine of from \$10 to \$100, and for a second offence a fine of \$200.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Went Through a Wreck

Dr. H. G. Belaire, Pembroke, was through a runaway. The tongue was broken, and when it fell to the ground the occupants of the buggy were hoisted upward, landing on the ground, while the vehicle then turned over on Dr. Belaire. Finally the horses broke away, leaving the buggy completely overturned and badly damaged on the roadway. Both gentlemen received a bad shaking up, and the doctor was stunned for a short time.

Landing Field for Planes

George C. Sherman, of Watertown, has offered the use of his property at Steele's Point, near Clayton, as a landing field for airplanes. If the landing field is established, both passenger and freight planes will operate not only between river points, but between Clayton and Rochester and possibly other places. Excursions among the Thousand Islands will be a feature. The field is unusually level and particularly well adapted for the purpose.

May 9th

The date of the graduation exercises in connection with the Kingston Hospital Training School for Nurses has been fixed for Friday, May 9th, in Grant Hall. This is considered the event of the season.

Hotel Refrigerator Robbed

Thieves paid another visit to the refrigerator of the Grand Central Hotel during Monday night and made away with a ham and a small quantity of butter. Following the robbery of the same refrigerator during the winter the management placed a strong lock on the building which is located outside of the hotel. On Monday night the lock was undisturbed but the miscreant cut a hole through a wire screen on the door of the structure and took with him only what he could reach without entering.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Hotel Changes Hands

The St. Lawrence Hotel, Alexandria Bay, N.Y., formerly the Jefferson House, has been purchased from Mrs. Ida B. Childrester by Mrs. Frank Widner and Mrs. Roy Rapelle.

MARRIED IN TORONTO

Miss Mabel Cox, of this city and Mr. T. R. Drew, of Nemegos, were quietly married in Toronto by Rev. A. M. Hubly, 491 Euclid Ave. The many friends of the young couple extend to them many years of happiness.

Nights of Agony come in the train of asthma. The victim cannot lie down and sleep is driven from his brain. What a grateful relief is the immediate effect of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. It banishes passages and enables the afflicted one to again sleep as soundly and restfully as a child. Trust on the genuineness of your nearby druggist.

## Preparations Being Made to Increase Canning Crops

Prince Edward County Farmers Will Devote More Attention to Dairying and Canning Products.

(Toronto Globe.)

There is every reason to believe that the canning crop acreage in Prince Edward county this year, owing to the general success of those farmers undertaking that line of business in 1919, will be considerably increased. Tomatoes particularly will be an exceptionally large crop, according to Mr. M. E. Clark, of the Canners' Seed, Limited, Wellington.

Fancy peas, stated this authority, will not be quite so popular, despite the increase of twenty-five cents a bushel being offered by buyers, on account of the partial failure of the previous season. Tobacco is well established in a limited area of that productive county, and the acreage will be well up to past seasons. Growers received big prices for their products in 1919 and this fact has encouraged more farmers to raise tobacco.

Aid to Mixed Farming.

"Mixed farming has received a big boost," said Mr. Clark, when the writer visited that section of Ontario last week, "since the canning factories have established sales in connection with their factories. Peas, corn husks and cobs are ensiled by these companies, and the product is sold to dairy farmers at half the cost of manufacture for winter feeding. In consequence of this move many dairymen are canning peas, partly for the money and partly to take advantage of the cheap feed available. This fact," continued Mr. Clark, "is ideal for dairy cattle and the sale of which, in my opinion, will encourage mixed farming and winter dairying. The labor problem in Prince Ed-

ward, in common with the rest of Ontario, is becoming acute. Cities and towns miles away are continually draining the young manhood away from the land. Partly offsetting this shortage are the retired farmers living in the villages. The latter left their farms before the dollar began to tumble, and are finding the task of meeting the high cost of living, a serious problem. Consequently, many of these men are available for a considerable amount of day labor.

Farm Property Changing Hands.

Much farm property is changing hands in the "island" county. In the majority of cases the buyers are from the rougher parts of the counties to the north, and are, fortunately, equipped with experience, capital and large families. The old owners are forced to sell on account of lack of help and are retiring to the towns. Prince Edward is well equipped with horses and the sales of tractors and trucks therefore are not so large as in other sections of the Province. The holdings are in the majority of cases small, 80 to 100 acres and the average farmer in this section is fairly well prepared for the long, severe winter, and the feed situation in consequence is not so serious as in other parts of the Province. General farm operation had not commenced when the writer visited the country, but all farmers interviewed were preparing for the spring rush when the weather should moderate. An exceptionally large acreage of fall plowing was completed last autumn, which will materially help the labor situation during the canning season.

## Rice Lake Indians Will Sell Pelts By Auction

Have 15,000 Muskrats and Expect Toronto and Muskrat Buyers to Submit Bids—Price is Reported Down 75 Cents by Local Jobbers—Trappers May Lose.

Holding their muskrat pelts for a "long pull," to use an expression of the group who decided to emulate the methods of the Canadian fur auction recently held in Montreal. From the information received, some of them, after consulting local dealers with whom they have done business for years, decided to sell at \$5 a pelt, delivering them weekly. As a result they have disposed of all their skins, but the other trappers on both sides of the lake have some 1,500 pelts to offer the buyers, who will include not only Peterboro men but some from Toronto. It is understood that the sale will be by sealed bids on Friday afternoon, but with the decline in price reported on Monday, one dealer who has loaded up with nearly four thousand muskrat skins, stated that he would probably attend the sale but was not eager to bid for the 1,500 that have been held for a top price. He said he had all the rats he could handle, and although satisfied at having paid the \$5 which has prevailed up to this week, he was not interested in taking any more at the lower level.

If the auction fails to attract a five dollar price the Indians who held out until the close of the season expecting a further upward swing will experience some of the bitterness that comes to stock traders when hanging on hopefully for a higher level, they discover that their forecasts discounted the bear forces, and that they have to unload at a lower price and take their losses instead of gains.

Facing a Serious Loss

The reports of a declining market were doubly verified by several of

Peterboro's prominent furriers. "We are now paying \$4 a pelt and the price may go lower," said one dealer. "The drop was not unexpected, but we have bought a large supply at the five dollar price."

The obvious inference is that dealers at the present time, unless there is a subsequent recovery in the market prices, are facing a serious loss. The local purchases run into thousands of pelts, and at today's quotations every pelt bought before this week represents the loss of one dollar to the buyer. While an accurate estimate of the total sales already made is not available, it may not be an exaggeration to place the total loss to the trade at \$10,000, that is under the sudden and rapid decline of the last three days.—Peterboro Examiner.

WEST-HUNTINGDON

Miss M. Poste took the train on Saturday for Toronto, and intends going to Niagara Falls on Monday. Miss F. Caverhill, of Toronto, has been spending her Easter holidays in our neighborhood. Miss Evelyn Wilson is visiting friends in Hungerford. Misses Berlicke and Annie Haggerty spent Sunday with Miss Eva Ross, Halloway.

Quite a number attended the concert given at Moira on Thursday evening. Communion services were held in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday and there was a good attendance. Rev. Mr. Hall has accepted a new field of labor and will not be able to be with us much longer.

We are very sorry to report the illness of our mail driver, who has been faithful to his duties for the past six years. We hope for Mr. Mr. John Thompson has been through this part of the country cleaning up grain for the farmers. Mrs. E. Pitman expects to give a quilting to the W.M.S. ladies on Friday, April 23.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society took place on April 1 in the Methodist church. The following officers were elected: Mrs. F. Ashley, President; Mrs. J.

J. Wilson, Vice-Pres.; Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Fin. Secy.; Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Secretary; Mrs. A. E. Wilson, Treasurer; Mrs. Spencer, Superintendent of Christian Stewardship; Mrs. McQuade, President of Mission Band.

### Returned Soldier is Long Missing

G. A. Nelson May be in Kingston and Authorities Are Searching for Him

Kingston, April 16.—Information is being sought which will lead to the finding of G. A. Nelson, an ex-member of the 21st battalion, who was discharged at Montreal on his return from overseas, on January 26th, 1919. Since that date his mother, whose home is in Calgary, has heard nothing from him, and although every effort has been made by the Red Cross and the police to find the man, both in Canada and the United States, only faint clues have come to hand, which show that the boy is wandering from place to place without any knowledge of where his home is.

The authorities in Kingston have received notification of the case of Nelson and are trying their utmost to locate the missing man. There is a possible chance that he may be in Kingston and therefore a complete search of the city and vicinity is being made. The description of the missing man is as follows: Age, 23 years 10 months; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weight, 160 pounds. He has a scar behind the left ear and on the right forearm. The last time that he wrote to his mother was dated February 1st, 1919.

Nelson has been missing since the first of February, 1919, on or about the date on which he was discharged in the city of Montreal. He is suffering from loss of memory, following shell shock, and there can be no doubt that he has also lost his identity. He has aged considerably since the last picture was taken of him and his hair is turning grey. Any information that will lead to the recovery of this man will be greatly appreciated if sent to Mrs. E. E. Nelson, 224 18th avenue, Calgary, Canada.

### Separate School Being Planned in the Factory Town

Gananoque, Apr. 16.—The Roman Catholic population of this town has taken the initial steps requisite for the establishment of a Separate school in this town. The school will unquestionably be an established fact within the next few days. A new building for that purpose will be erected on property belonging to that church, on the south side of Pine street, and will be a splendid site for the building, although not as centrally situated as might be desired.

### Methodist Tribute to Catholic Bishop

Peterboro, April 13.—His Lordship Bishop O'Brien has always appeared to me as a man. Some way or other the man has hidden the bishop, and I see only the man—a simple, testimonial, yet a deeply expressive one of the respect in which he is held, eloquent in its simplicity this tribute paid last evening to His Lordship Bishop M. J. O'Brien by the Rev. F. E. Malott, of Trinity Methodist Church, at the complimentary banquet, under the patronage of the Peterboro Board of Trade, tendered to the Bishop on the eve of his departure for Europe to report to the Holy Father.

### Asks Sir H. Drayton to Oppose the Bill

KINGSTON, April 14.—The Board of Trade has passed a resolution asking the Dominion member for Kingston, Sir Henry Drayton, to oppose the Armstrong Bill, which is designed to place Canadian vessels under the control of the Railway Board. The board also declared in favor of Hon. Mr. Doherty's bill to compel milk producers and sellers to market milk on the butter fat test.

Robt. Herring, who claimed to be the first commercial traveller in Canada, died Saturday in Montreal. Wm. Currier, a hotel porter at North Bay, was found on the street dying, having evidently been clubbed. J. F. Shute was elected president of the Branford G.W.V.A. Phillip Gainsforth, of Wooler, East Northumberland, dropped dead while attending to traps near his home.

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Fine, Dark Usual Color Pelt	40.00 to 32.00	28.00 to 22.00	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 13.00	12.00 to 10.00
	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 17.00	15.00 to 13.00	12.00 to 10.00	10.00 to 8.00
	22.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	12.00 to 10.00	8.00 to 7.00	8.00 to 4.00

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Short	10.00 to 8.00	7.50 to 7.00	6.75 to 5.75	5.50 to 5.00	5.00 to 2.50
Narrow	7.50 to 6.50	6.00 to 5.25	5.00 to 4.25	4.00 to 3.00	3.00 to 1.50
Broad	4.00 to 3.00	2.75 to 2.25	2.00 to 1.75	1.50 to 1.00	1.00 to .75

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### Start Work on Allen's Theatre

Twenty men were on the job this morning and the work of tearing down the house and demolishing the high stone wall was soon well under way. Excavating will commence as soon as the house is out of the way and fifty men will be employed immediately on the first stage of construction of the new theatre.

Word has been received by Capt. C. Butler, London, that the Seventh Regiment's name will be changed to the Ontario Regiment, 1st Battalion.

### "BUSINESS SAYS" "O FATHER"

As was premature a local paper last possibility of "Cameron, who twirled for the Lindsay club fitting up with Hill this season.

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Mr. Ashley spent the of his life on his farm boro in Sidney township to Belleville about ten y has since resided here.

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### Farmers and Income R

Suggestions to Assist in of Returns.

In order to make cle iminium of Canada Income relates to the farming ty, the following may be of assistance to the farm preparation of his return.

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Beef cattle sold, one cow. Less value January 1st. Net gain . . . . . and so on with the balanc stock.

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Hired help.—The labour farm is a direct charge a as item 12. No expense in tion with the residence is

"BUSINESS BEFORE PLEASURE," SAYS "CANNON BALL" SCOTT'S FATHER—WHERE WILL HE PLAY?

As was prematurely announced in a local paper last night there is a possibility of "Cannon Ball" Ed. Scott, who twirled such good ball for the Lindsay club last season, lining up with Hillcrest of Toronto this season.

For some time the local baseball officials have been camping on Scott's trail, and "Scotty" wants to play with the Greybirds in preference to Toronto, but for business reasons it is stated that he will remain in Toronto. Mr. Scott, Sr., is of the opinion that his clever-pitching son should follow in dad's footsteps and take up his business career in the firm. Ed's sporting instincts call him to Lindsay, but business calls him to Toronto, and, according to the common law of things "business comes before pleasure."

Lindsay baseball fans and the players will be heartily sorry to lose the services of "Cannon Ball," who pitched great ball last season, and with good support might have succeeded in winning the pennant for Lindsay. "Scotty" was popular with all. He himself enjoyed his sojourn in Lindsay as it was but a stone's throw to his summer home on Lake Cameron, where he spent considerable

of his time. All winter he has been holding down a good position with a lumber firm in the northern part of the county and is as fit as a veteran for the game this year. He had figured on lining up with Lindsay Greybirds, with whom he is eligible to play in the Central League and in the Ontario championships if it came to Lindsay to have a chance. Officials of the Central Ontario League are watching the movements of "Cannon Ball," and claim that although he may be able to qualify under the "residence" rule to play with Hillcrest, yet if they should win out the City Championships, they would be unable to use Scott in the playdown for the Ontario championship as he could not qualify under the O.B.A.A. Jan. 1st residence rule.

In Lindsay baseball fans, and friends of "Scotty," want to see him in a Lindsay uniform, and even if this is not to be they would like to see him go right through the Ontario championships should he link up with a Toronto team. On top of it all Lindsay fans have not given up the hope of seeing Scott turn out with the Greybirds. Lindsay Warder.

Mr. Hiram Ashley Has Passed Away

Mr. Hiram Ashley, one of our older residents and well known throughout the city and county, passed away yesterday afternoon after an illness of several weeks' duration.

Deceased was born at Foxboro 32 years ago. He is survived by his wife and a family of three sons and two daughters, Chancery, Belleville; Wellington, Niagara Falls, Leslie; Madox; Mrs. Earl Leslie, Haney, B. C., and Miss Echo, of Toronto. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Canniff, of Foxboro.

Mr. Ashley spent the greater part of his life on his farm near Foxboro, in Sidney township, but moved to Belleville about ten years ago and has since resided here.

He was in politics an ardent Liberal and was a member of John St. Presbyterian congregation in this city.

Mr. Ashley was greatly respected by all who knew him because of his upright character, congenial temperament and capacity for friendship. His death removes one of those who by lives of thrift and industry have done so much for the upbuilding of the country.

Farmers and Income Returns

Suggestions to Assist in Preparation of Returns.

In order to make clear the Dominion of Canada Income Tax as it relates to the farming community, the following may be considered of assistance to the farmer in the preparation of his return:

Live stock, other than work horses—The return of live stock during the year less its value at January 1, 1917, or at the beginning of the operation of the Income Tax Act. For instance, a man had a calf a month old on January 1, 1917. Say that the calf was worth \$10.00 on the 1st of January, 1917, and is sold in 1918 as a grown cow for \$75.00. The amount of gain which should show as income would be as follows:

Beef cattle sold, one cow \$75.00 Less value January 1st, 1917 10.00 Net gain \$65.00

and so on with the balance of live stock.

The carrying charge of this stock that is, feed bought other than grown on the farm, will be shown as a deduction in the taxation periods.

Depreciation—Depreciation of 5% in the case of frame buildings other than residences, of the cost value of the buildings, would be an allowable deduction from income, 10% of cost value of machinery and work horses, but the cost of new machinery or work horses bought during the year, should not be shown as an expense anywhere. No depreciation should be claimed on residence, being personal expense.

Hired help—The labour on the farm is a direct charge and shows as item 12. No expense in connection with the residence is an allow-

D.G.M. Ponton Guest of Stratford Lodge

Gave Inspiring Address at Annual Past Masters' Night

Added interest was attached to the Past Masters' Night of Stratford Lodge A. F. and A. M. last evening by the presence of Right Worshipful Bro. Lt.-Col. W. N. Ponton, K. C., Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario, who, however, in no way detracted from the appreciation accorded the past masters who filled the chairs and impressively exemplified the third degree.

The banquet hall, where the brethren subsequently repaired, was profusely decorated in blue and white, while a sumptuous repast, served by caterer Bro. W. G. Brown, was done full justice, following which the evening's program was announced by W. Bro. B. C. Atkins, of Stratford Lodge, who presided in his customary happy style. D.G.M. Bro. Lt.-Col. Ponton's address was preceded by a toast proposed by Wor. Bro. C. A. Mayberry in a characteristically pleasing manner, referring to appropriate words to Col. Ponton as a scholar, a soldier, a lawyer and a Mason, the father of three Master Masons who had served in the great war. Colonel Ponton's speech proved to be a fine exposition of the principles and ideals of the order, and their application expressed with an eloquence which had an inspirational effect upon his hearers, aptly voted in a vote of thanks moved by W. Bro. W. H. Gregory and seconded by W. Bro. E. A. Robertson.

Varied with traditional Masonic wit and wisdom, the evening proved one of the most pleasant in the annals of local Masonry for some time. In his address D.G.M. Ponton emphasized the stand of Masonry in opposition to Bolshevism and radicalism. He expressed gratification that the Prince of Wales would wield the gavel as well as the sceptre as his grandfather had done.

Played Before Trenton Crowd

St. Michael's Dramatic Society Produced "Shaun Roe"

"Shaun Roe" the Irish play which made such a hit at St. Michael's Academy, made its first out of town appearance in Trenton last night with a full Belleville cast. The play was produced in the Trenton opera house and was witnessed by a large number. The audience was delighted with the production and expressed its favor by insistent applause. A number of Belleville people accompanied the players.

The play will be put on again in Belleville shortly.

Provincial Officer Scipion arrested C. Mosher, Halifax N.S., on a charge of bigamy. It is alleged he was married in Queen's county about ten years ago.

An up-to-date picture show theatre has been opened at Atlas Craig.

Rotarians Will Visit Buffalo

Some of the Features of the Two Days' Conference

Ten members at least of the Belleville Rotary Club are making plans to go to Buffalo on April 19th and 20th when more than 3,000 Rotarians representing many cities of New York State and sections of Canada as far east as Quebec, will attend the Fourth District Conference of the International Association of Rotary Clubs.

Med prominently associated in the active business life of the day are associated in the Rotary Clubs in the various cities to be represented at the conference.

Raymond Havens of Kansas City, Mo., International Officer of the Rotary Clubs, will attend the sessions and be a speaker at several of the meetings.

As the International Convention of Rotarians is to be held in Atlantic City, this year, the Buffalo meeting will include preliminary discussion of many of the questions to be finally determined by representatives of all of the clubs affiliated in the parent body.

District Governor F. Austin Ladd, of Niagara Falls will be one of the principal figures at the Fourth District meeting, as will Dr. John Ready of Rochester, who is chairman of the Atlantic City committee.

A. P. Richardson, of Jamestown, a member of the Resolutions Committee, is another well known Western New York Rotarian who will be active in the work under discussion during the conference.

Among the cities to be represented during the two-day meeting at Buffalo are: Auburn; Batavia; Belleville, Ont.; Binghamton; Brantford, Ont.; Canandaigua; Cortland; Elmira; Fulton; Geneva; Hamilton; Cornell; Ithaca; Jamestown; Lockport; Montreal; Que.; Niagara Falls; Ogdensburg; Oneida; Ottawa, Que.; Rochester; Sherbrooke; Syracuse; Tonawanda; Toronto, Ont.; Utica; Watertown; Waverly; Welland, Ontario.

The "High Spots" in the Conference Program Follow:

Monday Morning For the Ladies: 8.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Registration at Hotel Statler. 10.00 a.m. Auto ride around the city.

For the Men: 8.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Registration at Hotel Statler. 9.30 a.m. Conference opens at Hotel Statler.

Monday Afternoon For the Ladies: 12.15 p.m. Luncheon at the Elliott Club. 2.00 p.m. Inspection of Hutchinson High School. 3.00 p.m. visit to Albright Art Gallery.

For the Men: 12.15 p.m. Luncheon at Hotel Statler in charge of Toronto Club. 2.00 p.m. Inspection of Hutchinson High School. 3.00 p.m. Boys' Work Conference at Hutchinson High School.

Monday Evening For the Ladies: 6.30 p.m. Dinner at 74th Regiment Armory. 9.00 p.m. Carnival at 74th Regiment Armory (informal) Dancing, etc.

For the Men: 6.30 p.m. Dinner at 74th Regiment Armory. 9.00 p.m. Carnival at 74th Regiment Armory (informal) Dancing, etc.

Tuesday Morning For the Ladies: 10.00 a.m. Shopping Tour.

For the Men: 8.00 a.m. Round table discussion for presidents for secretaries, for inter-club relations chairman. 9.30 a.m. conference in session at Hotel Statler.

Tuesday Afternoon For the Ladies: 12.15 p.m. Luncheon at 20th Century Club. 2.00 p.m. Theatre Party at Shea's Theatre or trip to Niagara Falls.

For the Men: 12.15 p.m. Luncheon at Hotel Statler in charge of Syracuse Club. 2.00 p.m. Conference in session at Hotel Statler.

The Making of Income Statements

Information for Public on Duty of Filing Returns

The following information will assist the public in arriving at an appreciation of their duty as far as the Dominion of Canada Income Tax Act. There are two classes:

(a) Persons liable to tax. A person liable to tax shall make return of income for 1919 by the 30th day of April. If he fails to do so, when return is secured 25 per cent of assessment will be added as penalty for not having made return.

(b) Persons not liable to tax. A person not liable to tax is not obliged to make return unless requested to do so, but if requested and he does not reply, he is liable to a penalty of \$100 a day for each day in which delinquency continues.

A great many persons not liable to the tax will receive requests, as from experience it is found that the only possible way of getting correct returns is to get returns from all persons for two or three years until a perfect record is had of everyone's income. In carrying out this system it is found productive of a very large increase in income tax, and therefore much fairer to all concerned.

Rebekah Lodge Visits Trenton

Thirty-Five Belleville Visitors Were Welcomed.

Thirty-five members of Quintess Lodge of Rebekahs paid a visit to Trenton Lodge last evening and were warmly received by the Trenton Rebekahs.

Trenton put on the degree work, three candidates being initiated. Mrs. Maud Naylor, of Belleville, Noble Grand, presided the work of the degree staff. Other speakers from Belleville were Mrs. Ormond, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. A. Reid, Mr. Frost and Mr. Allison. An enjoyable spread of "asts" was put before the visitors. After this had been partaken of, an informal dance brought the proceedings to a close.

Well-Known Lumber Dealer Passes Away

Frederick Gray Was Well Known in Toronto and in Belleville.

Frederick M. Gray, for many years lumber manager of the Standard Chemical Company in Toronto, and recently connected with the Lister Paper Mills in Belleville, died yesterday in the Private Patients' Pavilion at the General Hospital, Toronto. Mr. Gray was in his 44th year, and was known to lumbermen throughout the Province. He was associated with W. J. Sheppard, the lumber "king" of Wabausheane, whose daughter he married.

He is survived by his wife, three sons and a daughter. George Gray of the Spanish River Pulp & Paper Company, Limited, is a brother. The funeral will take place from the family residence in Coldwater, Ont., on Saturday afternoon.

W. C. Emerson Dead

Walter Cowan Emerson passed away suddenly at his late residence, 231 Quebec avenue, Toronto.

Born in Hastings County, near Belleville, 48 years ago, he conducted a machinery business at Tweed, Ontario and afterwards resided at Guelph for several years. For some time past, however, he had been connected with the firm of Beatty Bros., Fergus, Ontario, for whom he travelled. He is mourned by his widow, Mrs. Emerson, secretary of High Park Avenue Methodist Church Women's Missionary Society; two young daughters, a brother, W. W. Emerson, of Winnipeg, and an uncle, Mr. W. J. Emerson, of Quebec avenue. He was a member of the Guelph Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Emerson was formerly Bertha Holbert of Motra.

DEATHS

ASHLEY—At Belleville, Thursday, April 15, 1920. Hiram Ashley, in his 83rd year.

REID—In Belleville on Thursday, April 15th, 1920, Thomas Millard Reid, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Reid, aged 11 months.

DENTON—In Belleville on Wednesday, April 14, Sarah Denton, widow of the late Matthew Denton, aged 74 years.

Obituary

MRS. URIAL WRIGHT

After an illness of eight months, suffering from paralysis, there passed to rest Mrs. Urial Wright, aged 83 years. Deceased was always cheerful and was very well known. She was a Methodist in religion and attended Princess Street Methodist Church, Kingston. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. E. Chard, of Almonte, Mich., and Mrs. L. Green, of Almonte, Mich.; two sons, Clark Wright, of Watertown, N.Y., Brinton Wright, of Stirling, Ont.; two brothers, William and Alexander Fox, of Almonte, Mich.; and one daughter, Mrs. Estella Bates of Kingston. The remains were sent to Stirling Tuesday for interment.

Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. James Zbudek took place this morning from her home, Wilkins St. Rev. A. H. Foster, of Holloway Street Methodist Church officiated at an impressive service. The burial was made in Belleville cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Nelson Jones, Henry Rowe, Elizabeth Horton and W. A. Williams.

There was a large attendance of friends of the deceased and the floral tributes were testimony of the high esteem she occupied in the hearts of her friends.

Personals

Major Rierson of Madoc was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Crosby and Mrs. Scannell spent Thursday at Belleville.

Mrs. Matilda Crosby, Redneraville is spending a week with her friend Mrs. Scannell at Wallbridge.

Ex-Mayor Dr. Platt, who recently returned from the Pacific coast, where he and Mrs. Platt spent a few months, was in the city today. He is staying at Plainfield.

DEATH OF INFANT

Floresc Jerusha, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens passed away last night at the family home, 112 Canniff Road, after a brief illness of pneumonia. The child was seven months old.

MRS. CATHERINE ENGLISH

The death occurred this afternoon of Mrs. Catherine English, an old resident of the city, at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. C. C. Atkins, 233 Albert street.

NIRES CORNERS

Miss Mabel McCartney, of Rose Hall, has returned home after spending Easter vacation with relatives here.

Very sorry to hear that Mr. Morris Datoe is suffering from asthma. Miss Mildred Baird, of Wellington, spent Easter Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Earl Ellis.

The many friends of Mrs. James Morden, of Rose Hall, will be glad to hear that she is recovering nicely from a severe attack of asthma and throat trouble.

Master Leonard McCartney, Rose Hall, spent Easter week with friends at Massena.

Glad to see Mrs. Claude McCartney able to be out again after a severe sick spell. Mr. McCartney visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellis, on Friday.

Wedding Bells

CONSAUL—CALLUM

At half past five on Saturday afternoon the marriage took place quietly at Rhodes Avenue Baptist Church parsonage, Toronto. Rev. A. A. Kelley officiating, of Miss Della C. Callum, of Sarnia, to Mr. Harry M. Consaul, Toronto. The bride wore a handsome tailored suit of navy blue with blue maline hat and fox trousers and corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas and roses. Mrs. J. A. Consaul was matron of honor, wearing a blue tailored suit, with hat to match, and corsage bouquet of roses. Mr. J. A. Consaul, brother of the groom, was best man. After a honeymoon trip to points in New York state and Michigan, the happy couple will reside in Bloor St. The groom is a former Belleville boy.

The Ilderton Farmers' Co-operative Co. is negotiating with the G.T. E. for a suitable site for the proposed elevator.

ATTENTION!

Mr. Farmer, How about a Plumbing Job in your home? City Conventions in both PLUMBING and HEATING can be installed at a moderate cost. Drop in and talk it over and don't forget we give all our estimates Free. We carry a full line of Stoves and Furnaces, Granite and Tin Ware. "Auto Radiators Repaired" HOWE & HAGERMAN Phone 1265 191 Front Street

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The FINNEGAN CARRIAGE & WAGON CO. BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Picked Up Around Town

Rev. Dr. Baker left his horse and buggy on Front street yesterday near the footbridge approach, the horse being tied to a weight. When he returned the animal and buggy were gone, but the weight and chain remained. Dr. Baker was given the use of a car and soon the missing outfit was found in charge of a seven-year-old boy who was driving it. The horse and buggy were given to Dr. Baker but the youngster was taken to the police station where Inspector Ruston met him. He was then sent home.

Excavating has begun on Everett street for a sewer.

The Board of Education depination last evening interviewed the city executive regarding the financing of the scheme to erect a public school in Coleman ward and a collegiate institute. It is likely the board will bring in a requisition to Monday night's council meeting.

At the Chamber of Commerce luncheon yesterday the directors and the transportation committee were given figures as to the cost of hauling coal to Belleville from across the lake, in connection with a scheme to make Belleville a distributing point for coal for Central Ontario. Captain Eber and Mr. Doty were the guests of the Chamber.

The Peterborough Rangers are coming tonight to play a game of indoor baseball with the Argyll Light Infantry in the Armouries here. Game starts at 7.30 p.m. Seating accommodation on the balcony for visitors.

A city official was called into a shop on Front street today and some hot words ensued as to city business and on a personal remark being made, the official and the citizen got into a mixup, which ended by the latter being aided by a couple of others. A sort of rough and tumble affair ensued on the street in front of the business place. The persons did not all escape minor injuries either.

Late Artemus Reid

The funeral of the late Artemus Reid took place yesterday from the home of his sister, Mrs. Moore, third concession of Sidney to White Lake church where Rev. Mr. Frederick officiated. The interment was made in White Lake cemetery, the bearers being P. Moore, S. Moore, D. Moore, D. Mallory, M. Lidster and G. Fitzgives.

It Will Cure a Cold—Colds are the commonest ailments of mankind and if neglected may lead to serious conditions. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve the bronchial passages of inflammation speedily and thoroughly and will strengthen them against subsequent attack. And as it eases the inflammation it will stop the cough because it allays all irritations in the throat. Try it and prove it.

Ross Patterson and A. Wyatt, both of White's Bridge, were badly injured when the rig they were in was struck by a taxicab driven by Cecil Tuckling, of Londry.

Senator Fowler is appealing against Mr. Justice Latchford's judgment against him for not appearing to defend in an action.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the matter of the estate of Sabra Barrick, late of the Village of Milltown, in the Township of Yorkville, in the County of Hastings, Widow, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 36 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O. 1914, Chapter 121, that all persons having claims or debts against the estate of the said Sabra Barrick, deceased, who died on or about the 27th day of July, A.D. 1919, are required to send by post, or to deliver to me, or to the Public Trustee, administrator of the estate of the said deceased, on or before the 14th day of May, 1920, their claims and surmises and addresses, with full particulars in writing, of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature of their securities, if any, duly verified by affidavit.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 14th day of May, 1920, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims shall not have been received by him, or by his solicitor at the time of such distribution. DATED this 25th day of March A.D. 1920. F. S. WALLBRIDGE, Solicitor for Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THADDEUS B. SCOTT, late of the County of Hamilton, in the County of Hastings, Esquire, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chapter 121, Section 58, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Thaddeus B. Scott who died on or about the Fifth day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty are required on or before the 1st day of May, 1920, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Philip T. Foster, 130 Belleville Ave., Toronto, Ont., the executor of the last will of the said Thaddeus B. Scott, their claims and surmises and addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature of their securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration, AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 1st day of May, 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 he shall then have notice, and that the executor of the said estate will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution. DATED this 25th day of March A.D. 1920. F. S. WALLBRIDGE, Solicitor for Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DENA SIME, late of the Township of Sidney in the County of Hastings, Farmer, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 58, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Dena Sime who died on or about the twenty-seventh day of September, A.D. 1918, are required on or before the tenth day of May, 1919, to deliver to Carrie Sime, Frankford Post Office, Ontario, the Administrator of said estate, their claims and surmises and their addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the Tenth day of May, 1920, the said Administrator 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 she shall then have notice, and the administrator of said estate will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or person whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution. DATED this 6th day of April A.D. 1920. F. S. Wallbridge, Solicitor for Administrator.

A Cure for Rheumatism—A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood, the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Par-mele's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

# MOST BEAUTIFUL MOTOR TRIP IN THE WORLD

## The Journey From Los Angeles to San Diego—150 Miles Over Asphalt Roads and Amid Scenes of Surpassing Loveliness—Racy Description by Mr. F. E. O'Flynn.

Editor Ontario.—Although I have had the good fortune to take many beautiful trips with motor car and coach among other places over the Kerry Mountains from Killarney to Glen Gariff through the Highlands of Scotland and the Trossachs over the Alps from Metrogen to the Rhone Glacier at the summit and on to Brig in the Rhone Valley, I am of opinion the trip by motor from Los Angeles to San Diego, a distance of 150 miles surpasses them all. The roads are all smooth cement covered with a carpet of asphalt so that the car glides along silently and swiftly, the hills and mountains have been graded so that one can ascend without reduction of speed. The roads are of such width that there is no difficulty in meeting other motoring, the law requires motoring to travel on the right side and the speed limit is 25 miles per hour. Leaving Los Angeles at 9.30 in the morning we passed easterly along Stephenson Avenue through Monte Bello, strike the Whittier Boulevard and continue easterly through the towns of Wattler, Huntington Park, pass numerous villages until the traveller passes La Habra, when prominent sign post turns one south towards Fullerton. The first 50 miles is through Orange County, the most noted orange district in California. On all sides can be seen large orange groves laden with fruit, the bright yellow of the oranges standing out with great clearness against the dark green foliage. Residences of mission, colonial and oriental styles of architecture are on all sides and appear their best in such surroundings. Nearly all grounds have pergolas covered with climbing roses and wisteria and along the sides of the roads and between the different properties were hedges of geraniums and roses in bloom.

The roadways and entrances were marked by the beautiful palm trees. All were brightened by the beautiful sunshine, and under a cloudless sky, while all the time during the first 50 miles could be seen the lofty Sierra Madre range 40 miles away. "Old Baldy," the king of them all added to the beauty of the scene with his wide snow-clad summit. At different points could be seen sign boards giving the names of orchards or owners and the way was plainly pointed out by sign posts.

Fullerton is a beautiful town in the centre of Orange County and its public buildings, banks, restaurants and well kept streets are a delight to the traveller and a pride to the inhabitants. Mr. Sydney Ross formerly a merchant and one of the prominent residents of Madoc village has a large orange ranch here and one of the avenues of Fullerton has been named Ross Avenue as a testimony to his progressiveness.

We passed through Anaheim, Orange and Santa Anna, all flourishing cities and towns. We then passed out of the great orange section and for miles we passed through a country altogether different. Large ranches and farms are seen, some having 5000 acres and even the tops of the hills are cultivated and vast fields of alfalfa and vegetables meet the eye on every side. The beautiful green is soothing to the eyesight of the traveller and restful to the wayfarer.

After driving for miles through this country of green fields without orchards, we reach San Capistrano, where a mission was established 150 years ago and being one link in the chain of missions which extended for 1000 miles along the coast of the Pacific Ocean to Ocean Side and in this may be seen many stock ranches.

This is a sudden change from the country already described. The beautifully paved road continues straight over large hills and through valleys and then suddenly passes through a canyon and runs along the strand of the ocean and then again runs up elevated lands. From Ocean Side to San Diego the road is along the shore either along the strand or

where this is impracticable along the top of the high shore. Perhaps the greatest surprise to the traveller going south is Torrey Pines. At this point the road sharply turns inland and ascends the mountain to reach the high shore. The ascent is a long one and the grade is very steep and it is necessary to make many turns to reach the top. When the top is reached a beautiful view is obtained. The grand old Pacific glistens in the afternoon and the myriads of diamonds, the waves break with ceaseless roar at the foot of the cliffs. Here and there fishing smacks can be seen in the horizon. It is a favorite resort for picnics and automobile excursions. From this point to San Diego is most interesting. We pass the noted watering place of La Jolla pronounced La-Hoy-Ah, where there are beautiful caves also Ramona's Marriage Place and the site of the first mission in California and arrive at the City of San Diego after a drive of 150 miles never to be forgotten. San Diego is a great city with beautiful parks, immense out-of-door or garden, magnificent harbor and great fortifications with many beautiful watering places in its vicinity. A gentleman, Mr. Preckles has donated millions to the city for public purposes.

We spent a week there and it was one of the most pleasant weeks of the three months spent in Southern California. I hope this will be of interest to you and your readers and I hope you will pardon me for occupying so much space.

Yours truly,  
F. E. O'Flynn.

## CORPORATION GOES INTO MANUFACTURE OF BUILDING BRICK

Enters Into Agreement with W. H. Wood at Special Meeting—Brick Will be Sold to Housing Commission and Also to Individual Purchasers.

Brockville, April 17.—Satisfied that in municipal operation of the Wood brickyard there was opportunity for the town to be of no inconsiderable assistance in providing additional houses and that the situation presented little chance for financial loss, the Town Council at a special meeting Thursday evening entered into an agreement with W. H. Wood to conduct the brickyard on Park street during the present season.

The agreement calls upon Mr. Wood to operate the brickyard during the season of 1920, to manufacture brick and to deliver same to the town and devote his whole time, skill and experience to the work. In return the town is to pay Mr. Wood wages of 50 cents an hour for a ten-hour day, and, in addition, 20 per cent of the net profit which may be derived from the manufacture and sale of the brick. Should this net profit amount to \$5,000, the town agrees to pay Wood 25 per cent of the net profit.

Mr. Wood is to hire all men with the approval of the town, which shall pay them wages and also pay for fitting up the brickyard and all operating expenses. Mr. Wood is to keep a true record of all the brick sold by him and is to give the town a weekly statement.

The town is entitled to collect all money for the sale of brick and has absolute control of the brickyard and the manufacture of brick therein. Mr. Wood is to be in all respects subject to the orders of the corporation.

## Obituary

### MRS. CATHERINE NELSON

The death occurred on Friday afternoon of Mrs. Catherine Nelson, widow of the late William Nelson, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Atkins, 283 Albert Street. She was born in County Sligo, Ireland, Dec. 15th, 1839 and had lived in Belleville for over 50 years. She was a daughter of the late Jasper Bratt of Sligo. She was a member of Bridge Street Methodist Church. Mourning her loss are four sons, John, Samuel and Jasper of Detroit and William Sault Ste. Marie and three daughters, Mrs. S. Giles, Middleport, N.Y., Mrs. C. C. Atkins and Mrs. Annie Thompson of Belleville. They have the deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

## Marrying Pa rso Will Wed No More

Disgusted at Broken Marriage Vows—Declares Women the Worst Offenders

Muskegon, Mich., April 14.—Marriage today is, to many people, only a passing fancy. Women change husbands as they would automobiles in the spring. William John Purdue, adjutant and head of the Salvation Army here, declared yesterday: "They want the latest model with the disc wheels and all, and when the paint is worn they feel it is time to go to the divorce court. I am through. I would go out and beg a living before I would take money for marriages in the future."

Mr. Purdue obtained a reputation as a marrying man here, but says marriage conditions are going from bad to worse until he is heartily sick of it all.

"The climax came recently," said Purdue, "when a woman dragged her fifth husband to me and wanted me to marry them. I refused. Then a few days ago, a girl, not twenty-one years old, divorced her third husband here. Women are the worst offenders against marriage vows. I do not know what is the cause of the growing evil unless it be the general unrest in the country."

"They get married in the morning and divorced in the evening. They think of dress and dance all night to jazz, and then comes the twilight love and the darker marriage. The discord grows and they find themselves in the divorce courts. It's fascinating probably, but hell today is being paved with trial marriages."

## BURNS AND SHOCK RESULT IN DEATH OF MISS SWANSON

Passed Away at Midnight Tuesday—Conscious Till Last and Thinking of Others

Oshawa, April 17.—As a result of the severe injuries received from burns when her clothes caught fire on Tuesday morning, the death occurred the same day in the hospital of Miss Isabella Swanson, at the hour when the clock was striking midnight. Miss Swanson's death was partly due to the nervous shock rendered to the organs of the body as a result of the catastrophe. That she suffered severely from the shock is certain, but during the short period of life that remained, her attitude was most heroic one, complaining but little and thinking of others. To the last her mind was very clear, and she spoke cheerfully to the loved ones by her bedside and was able to recognize each one to the very end. Her brother George, who arrived from Buffalo at 10 o'clock in the evening was also recognized at once.—Reformer.

## Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Denton took place yesterday from the residence of her son, Mr. M. D. Denton, Bridge St. West. Rev. Wesley Elliott officiating. The interment was in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being A. G. Vermilyea, J. Ratford, W. Eggleston, J. Thrasher, P. Goldsmith and J. McColough. Among the floral tributes were the following:

- Willow—Family.
- Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lindstrom.
- Heart—Miss Jessie Rankin.
- Star—Mr. John Izard and family.
- Sprays—Mrs. C. Thompson, Mrs. Myrtle DeShane, Mr. A. G. Vermilyea.

## DIED

NELSON—in Belleville April 16th, 1920 Catherine Brett, wife of the late William Nelson, aged 80 years and 4 months.

## P. S. PRINCIPALS ASK \$2000 MAXIMUM

### Women Teachers Ask Increase of \$300 For Next Year—Board Passes Requisition on City Council For Proposed Schools.

In a communication from Principal A. C. Wilkin of the Belleville Public School Teachers' Association read before the Board of Education last evening, the opinion was expressed that \$2,000 should not be considered too high a salary as maximum for public school principals and that the principals of the Belleville public schools should receive that maximum.

The women public school teachers asked for next year an increase of \$300 each for teachers now on the staff who will be re-engaged. They recommended that the maximum be \$1500 for all teachers who had been on the staff for over six years.

These matters were referred to the school management and finance committee.

Miss M. Fleming wrote the board asking that Principal Wilkin to state any charges against her or point out in what way she had failed to do her duty as a teacher.

The secretary was instructed to write Miss Fleming stating that the case would be given due consideration.

Mr. McGinnis said Miss Fleming was considered one of the most efficient teachers in the city by a large number of citizens.

Messrs. Ponton and Ponton wrote regarding a proposal to sell a house and lot to the school board south of the Queen Mary School. The figure of \$1,800 was offered. No action was taken as the board did not think it necessary to purchase more land and because the probable purchaser of the property offered to sell a portion of the land to the board if the latter desired it.

Mr. A. Harman wrote the school board regarding the need of a fence between Queen Mary School grounds and his property on Isabelle street. The board referred the matter to the sites, buildings and repairs committee.

Inspector Clarke asked the board for the use of the high school for entrance examinations. The request was granted.

## With Belleville's New Industries

Rapid Progress Being Made by All—Elliott Machinery Co. Cannot Keep Up With Orders—Wood Company Has Begun Operations, Also Toronto Hat Co.—Natural Tread Shoe Co. and A. R. Richardson Co. Rapidly Getting Machinery Into Place—Springer Co. Contemplates Extension.

The directors of the H. A. Wood Mfg. Co. Ltd., held their first meeting here yesterday in which new premises on Pinnacle Street, the machinery is now in operation and the company has started on a production basis, on automobile valves and automobile steering wheels.

The Judge Jones Milling Company's plant is a hive of industry these days, with carloads of grain and flour coming in and going out. Mr. Jones apparently has unlimited capacity for business and we are glad to have an enterprising firm like this locate in Belleville.

The Elliott Machinery Co. Ltd. have only been in the city about six months and when they took over the old Burrell plant last October, it was thought that the premises would be suitable for a long time to come. However they are now using all the available space there and have about 60 employees. Their machinery is largely going to England where there appears to be an unlimited demand for the Elliott Wood-working machines. There is also a large local demand which the company is trying to catch up with.

The Natural Tread Shoe Company and Toronto Hat Co. who are in the main part of the old cannery building are gradually getting their machinery in place, and extensive alterations have now commenced on the back wing to accommodate the A. R. Richardson Mfg. Co. Ltd.

The Springer Lock Mfg. Co. Ltd. are contemplating extending their premises on Coleman street. Their present factory is too cramped for the volume of work going through.

## Disturbance at Service

Boy Pays Cost For Disorderly Conduct

A boy of tender years was tried in police court today for disturbing a meeting of the Standard Church, Bridge street on Sunday last. The lad denied the charge, and Mr. Dolin, the minister of the congregation, testified that the boy had created a disturbance. The defendant said that he had made no noise in the room, but that he did create some noise after he went out as he met another boy. The minister also said he had stopped in the sermon to allow the boy to quiet down.

Magistrate Mason declared "People have a right to their own form of worship and no one has a right to disturb them. The law is very severe for disturbing religious meetings."

Only the costs were levied against the lad, amounting to five dollars and fifty cents. The boy paid up.

## 30 Initiated Into Canton No. 8

Big Program with Patriarchs Militant Last Night

An interesting event in Oddfellowship took place last evening at the headquarters of Canton Belleville No. 8, Oddfellows' Temple, Front St. when the Canton degree team under the efficient direction of Major W. R. M. Gilbert, conferred the Patriarchs Militant degree upon nearly thirty candidates from Belleville, Stirling, Springbrook, Frankford, and Trenton.

After the degree work and the routine business of the Canton had been disposed of, the officers and chevalliers repaired to the banquet hall where refreshment committee had loaded down the tables with all the good things one could well imagine and all took part with enthusiastic zeal in this social part of the evening's program.

After the inner man had been satisfied an interesting program was given. Speeches were delivered by the postmaster Major Gilbert, Capt. A. E. Cole, Chev. G. Way, Chev. J. M. E. Jones, Chev. J. Lindstrom, Epsign E. Juby, Chev. J. M. Clarke, D.D.G.M., Chev. E. S. Bennett, of Stirling, Chev. J. Baker and Chev. J. McEwan of Springbrook, Chev. H. Miller of Frankford and Chev. J. Hill of Trenton.

The program was enlivened by recitations and songs by Chev. E. V. Allen and Chev. Geo. Cornish of Belleville, Chev. Walker, Springbrook and Chev. Andrews, of Stirling.

The ladies found a gallant champion in the person of Chev. S. A. Barclay, who extolled their qualities in enthusiastic terms and extended an invitation to all Chevalliers who had not already done so to make application for the Rebekah degree.

A pleasing event of the evening's proceedings was the passing of a resolution by unanimous vote of the Canton, recommending that the decoration of Chev. J. M. Gilbert, upon Major W. R. M. Gilbert, by his indefatigable labors and unbounded enthusiasm had done much towards bringing Canton No. 8 to its present high degree of efficiency and for services rendered in the interests of the order, Major Gilbert in new well chosen remarks thanked the officers and chevalliers of Canton No. 8 of Belleville for the honor bestowed upon him at the same time modestly disclaiming credit for any efforts he had made in the interests of Oddfellowship and the Patriarchs Militant, asserting that it has been his endeavor ever to be a labor of love, and would ever be a labor of love, for him to continue to do anything in his power to advance the interests of the order and giving credit for the remarkable growth in numbers an efficiency in the Canton to the officers and chevalliers who had so loyally stood behind him and helped to make the Patriarchs Militant branch in Belleville what it is today. He congratulated the Canton on having such an enthusiastic leader for the current term in the person of Capt. A. E. Cole who with Epsign Lindstrom, Epsign Juby and enthusiastic clerk in the person of Chev. G. Way and efficient staff would continue to make Canton Belleville move forward. Canton Belleville is today in a better condition numerically and financially than it ever has been in its history and today it ranks among the largest and most important Cantons in the Department of Ontario, and with the new blood being steadily infused into its ranks, has before it a bright and prosperous future.

Deep regret was expressed by the Canton that the loss they are sustaining by Chev. Kline leaving the city. Chev. Kline has been an enthusiastic worker in all branches of the order and the good wishes of his brethren go with him to his new fields of labor.

After the usual parts of the evening and the singing of the national Anthem, the officers and chevalliers dispersed vowing that this was one of the best nights they had ever spent and filled with a new enthusiasm and optimism for the Patriarchs Militant in particular and Oddfellowship in general.

## Wedding Bells

CALDWELL—COOK

At the residence of the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Robb, 708 Grosvenor Avenue, Montreal, the wedding of Miss Cora L. Caldwell, niece of Mr. and Mrs. S. Burrows, of Belleville, Ont., to Lieut. Joseph George Caldwell, son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Caldwell, also of Belleville, took place Thursday afternoon, April 15th, at half past two o'clock. The Rev. Dr. W. J. Clark, of St. Andrew's Church, Westmont officiated and the bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Burrows. She wore her travelling suit of purple broadcloth trimmed with seal, and a corsage bouquet of tea roses, and had trimmed with flowers. Mrs. William Ludington played the wedding music. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell will spend their honeymoon in Quebec. They will reside in Guelph, Ont. Dr. and Mrs. Caldwell and Miss Caldwell, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Burrows, were in town from Belleville for the wedding.

## Syrup Was in Plenty Today

But Price Stayed Up—Potatoes and Young Pigs High

Maple syrup flowed freely at the market, but the price did not budge much. It ranged from 30c down to 75c and no less per quart. The maple syrup cans remained about the last on the market.

Potatoes were sold at \$3.50 per bushel or \$5.00 per bag generally. No reduction was evident today.

Young pigs struck a high stride at \$20.00 per pair. Butter sold at 50c and eggs at 47c to 50c per dozen were soon bought up. Hay was not so plentiful, selling at \$22.00 to \$25.00 per ton. Baled hay is quoted at \$24.00 to \$25.00 wholesale.

The flower market was a very attractive one. There were daffodils at \$1.00 per dozen; hyacinths at 50c per pot; tulips \$1.00 per dozen; carnations \$2.00 per dozen; roses \$3.00 per dozen and pansies 25c per

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Canadian Miner Launched

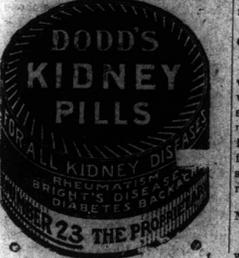
Mrs. Levy McMillan, formerly Miss May Knapp, Brockville, sister to Mrs. W. H. Dowling, minister and sponsor at the launching of the large steel steamer Canadian Miner in the shipyard at New Glasgow, N.S., on April 3. The Canadian Miner, which is one of the finest boats turned out of the Scotia yards, was built under the supervision of Superintendent Levy McMillan. It is 282 feet over all and of 2,300 tons register. Brockville Recorder and Times.

Case of Kidnapping

When Edward Whitford, of South Branch, Glengarry county, died a few months ago he left his two children in the care of his father. This week, it is alleged, Mrs. Whitford and two men, one of them flourishing a revolver, kidnapped the children from near the school house at South Branch in spite of the protests of the teacher, and made off in a buggy. It is thought that they are making for the American side. Mrs. Whitford having purchased a ticket at Summerstown for Valleyfield. B. Whitford and Allan McLennan, of South Branch, have started in pursuit of the abductors and the children. Brockville Recorder and Times.

Kingston's Housing Problem

A citizen, who has very wide knowledge as to building propositions, says that Kingston needs at the present time between three hundred and four hundred houses. Prior to the war an average of one hundred houses were built every year, and during the war there was no construction of any account, carried on, and the deficiency in good houses is now very apparent. His suggestion is that Kingston could very quickly get houses erected if the City Council were to pass a by-law granting exemption of general taxes for five years to all those who build houses. "You would see them spring up in great numbers," was



the final comment of the gentleman, in suggesting the desirability of the by-law to a Whig reporter.

Poles Brought \$75 Each

The price of two poles shipped a few days ago from Cobourg by the Hydro to Bals Falls for construction work there, was just \$75 each. They were 75 feet long. This gives a little idea of the present cost of construction. Cobourg World.

To Have Steamer Trip

In connection with the visit to Kingston in June of the International Deep Waterways Commission, J. M. Campbell, President of the Board of Trade, intimates that he hopes to be able to have a steamer placed at the disposal of the Commission and to give the members of it a close view of the Thousand Islands. The steamer might go as far as Brockville with the Commission, a large number of the members of the Kingston Board of Trade accompanying them on the excursion.

Robbed by Bolsheviks

Aid. Isaac Cohen, of Kingston, has received a letter from his brother, in Lithuania, saying that the Bolsheviks have robbed him of everything they could carry away and then burned his property. He was a man of very much wealth, and was engaged in a wholesale business. His great regret is that in view of his circumstances he would not be able to educate his seven children as was his purpose. He also intimates that a sister who lives in the same province could not be communicated with, and he had not heard from her for a long time.

Freight Car Derailed

Traffic on the Prescott sub-division of the Canadian Pacific Railway was interrupted on Tuesday by the derailment of a car on a freight train between Groveton and Spencerville. The line was not cleared until afternoon. Brockville Recorder and Times.

Navigation Open on Rice Lake

Capt. Harris has the honor of opening navigation for this season on Rice Lake waters by taking the steamer Geneva up the lake and river from Gores Landing. Cobourg World.

Vital Statistics for Cobourg

For the three months ending March 31, 1920, here were 41 births, 15 marriages and 39 deaths registered in Cobourg. In January there were 21 births, 4 marriages and 11 deaths; in February 10 births, 4 marriages and 12 deaths.

Collared Many Rats

Recently when George Merchant, who resides near Cape Vincent, N.Y., went to the barn he heard a loud scratching in a feed barrel that was partly filled with meal. Upon looking into the barrel Mr. Merchant found twenty-five rats, large and small, which had gotten into the barrel and could not get out.

New Locomotive Letting

The Canadian Government Railway locomotives which have been

In service on the Grand Trunk Railway main line for months past are being re-painted at the Montreal shops and emerge with new lettering. In place of the designation "Canadian Government Railways" formerly appearing on the cab, there now appears merely the number of the locomotive in large figures. The words "Canadian National" are spread across the length of the tenders. Brockville Recorder and Times.

The Central League will make its 1920 bow to Peterborough fans on Saturday, June 5, with Port Hope as the visiting club. The local dates are: June 8, Port Hope at Peterborough; June 12, Oshawa at Peterborough; July 1, Belleville at Peterborough; July 12, Cobourg at Peterborough; July 31, Lindsay at Peterborough. Now it is known why Jake Solomon decided against piloting a ball team this season. With his usual eye to business, Jake had his optics on a snow-ploughing contract. Feels as though the peerless one will have a long and remunerative job. Peterboro Examiner.

Escaped from Cobalt

George Rotka, a foreigner who escaped from Cobalt lock-up last week and came to visit his brother in Oshawa, was arrested by the police here on Monday. He was held in custody here until Wednesday, when P. C. McGillivray came from Cobalt with the handcuffs for his man. Oshawa Reformer.

To Be Installed in Kingston.

The new "despatch system" has been installed at Ottawa in connection with its long distance telephone calls between the Capital and Toronto, and it is understood that the new system to be inaugurated will be between Ottawa and Kingston, over which lines there has been a great deal of business. The "despatch system" is a new thing in telephone service, and prevents delays in securing calls.

Arrested and Fined

On Saturday a resident of Kingston purchased a bushel of potatoes on the market, paying \$3 for the purchase. The seller, an Augusta farmer, delivered the potatoes and collected another \$3 from the lady of the house whose husband had made the purchase. Chief Burke of Kingston was advised of the occurrence and a short time later had accused under arrest, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. He appeared before Magistrate Pease and was fined \$16.50, which he paid.

**Mrs. Frank Morden Called by Death**

At Picton Hospital, on Monday morning, April 12th, there passed away Mabel Jones Foster, beloved wife of Frank R. Morden, of Fish Lake, Southampton township. Mrs. Morden, who was 47 years of age, had enjoyed her usual health until a short time ago. On Wednesday last she underwent a serious operation at Picton Hospital and for a few days she seemed to be recovering, but after a turn for the worse on Sunday evening, she passed away the following morning.

Mrs. Morden was the youngest daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. Alfred Foster, and her early life was spent in the neighborhood, and on the farm where she had lived until the time of her death. Her mother died about a year ago, and her youngest father survives.

Mrs. Morden was a woman of a bright and cheerful disposition, and was beloved by all who knew her. She was of a most unselfish disposition, and her life was spent in loving service to those about her. Mrs. Morden has two sisters and one brother, all of whom survive. They are, Mrs. R. Robinson, of Kingston; Mrs. W. C. Gorbline, of Picton, and Mr. W. Asa Foster, of Bethel. Beside her husband and father, she leaves a family of two boys, Leland and Roland, aged eighteen and twelve, to mourn her taking away.

The funeral service was held from her late residence, on Wednesday, at 2 p.m., Rev. J. J. Mellor officiating. A large number of friends and acquaintances gathered to pay their last tribute of respect and esteem to the departed. Interment in Glenwood cemetery. Picton Gazette.

**CHURCH HAS COSY CORNER FOR LOVERS**

Place Reserved for Them in Gallery and Lights are Turned Low

While the elder parishioners of the Immanuel Baptist Church, in Chicago, are raising their voices in harmony with the clarion peal of the organ to that patriarchal hymn, "Let the Lower Lights be Burning," the juvenile generation, cuddled comfortably in "Lovers' Loft," is paraphrasing the lyrics in a whispered appeal to the janitor to "Let the Lights be Burning Lower."

Has Dim Corners

All the conventional comforts of ages of Cupid who can't find refuge home are guaranteed to these hostages in other quarters.

A library, a piano, floor lamps, stationery, writing desks and other "non-essentials" in little Danny's lexicon of success are there, together with such absolute requisites as downy downports, a myriad of soft pillows and adjustments on the lights that permit of a graduated shading of illumination. If you have arrived at an advanced stage don't choose to "Brighten the Corner Where You Are"—don't summon the electrical engineer, but manipulate the lighting effects to suit your convenience. There are no cheap crowding.

Pastor 'Always Ready'

The "Lovers' Loft" is open to the matrimonially ambitious swains of the community all day and every night of the week. In real desperate cases the janitor has been advised not to invoke the closing law.

There is a beaten path of soft carpet leading from the "social rooms" to the pastor's study, where, for a nominal fee, the "sunshine in your soul" and "joybells in your hearts" may be perpetrated by a few appropriate remarks from Dr. Myers. "I always have heartily approved of the idea of making the church an attractive rendezvous for the young people," said Dr. Myers.

No Chaperon Needed

In our congested urban life there are many respectable young girls living in hall bedrooms and splendid young men similarly situated, who have no appropriate place. The church should provide just such a haven.

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**Canadian Invents New Gas Burner**

Oshawa, April 17.—W. E. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, Mary street, Oshawa, and now a well known Charlotte, Mich., jeweler, has invented a gas burner attachment which has for its primary object the provision of an attachment which will be readily applied to gas burners of various forms to enclose the same and thereby increase the efficiency of the burner by preventing the products of combustion and rays of heat from escaping before reaching the pan or other utensil positioned above the burner.

**HAVANA TEEMING WITH LIFE, SAYS WHITBY DOCTOR**

New York 4 Graveyard by Comparison—Dr. Bascom Tells of Trip

"Havana with its 600,000 inhabitants is humming with life. New York is a graveyard in comparison," said Dr. H. Bascom in an interview with The Reformer. The doctor returned to Whitby last week after a few weeks spent on business in tropical Cuba. He states the weather was 88 to 90 degrees in the shade, and it was getting so hot that he was glad to get away. He found a striking contrast when he reached Canada covered with a blanket of April snow.

Great Boom On

Referring to business life in Cuba, Dr. Bascom states that there is great prosperity evident there. Real estate is enjoying a wonderful boom. For instance, 16 1/2 acres of land five miles from Havana sold for \$750,000, or \$49,000 an acre. Thousands of tourists and visitors are coming and going daily and hotels are always filled with a cosmopolitan throng of business men and pleasure seekers. Money is no object. Everybody seems to have lots of it and to spend lavishly. The horse races which are just over for the season attracted enormous crowds from all parts of United States and Canada. Dr. Bascom states it might be true that American boozers congregate there, but there is little appearance that it has become a haven of refuge for the thirsty ones. All the time he was there he saw only two American women and two negroes under the influence of liquor.

Havans, Dr. Bascom states, has the throttle open wide and is a second Monte Carlo, where pleasure is king and where casino and roulette tables have been installed for the benefit of the leisure class. Gambling of all kinds is permitted under license.

No Speeding Laws There

Local speed kings would do well to visit Cuba, where the doctor says the sky is the limit and they seemingly have no traffic laws regarding the side of the street a car has to be driven on. "However, the system of one-way traffic for each street is being inaugurated, which will solve a lot of difficulties. Automobiles, especially Fords, are as thick as flies, and drive with the exhaust wide open.

As far as the high cost of living goes, the returned visitor asserts, Canada is a paradise compared to Cuba. He states the visitor to Havana, unlettered in Spanish and a stranger to the city, pays from \$8 to \$15 per night for a bedroom alone. Meals in the hotels and restaurants are in proportion. To make successful headway in Cuba, he states, knowledge of Spanish is a great asset.

Sugar Crop Enormous Value

Sugar-making, the national industry, is in a thriving state. Last year at five and a fraction cents a pound the output yielded \$900,000,000, the crop being not so large as one year ago. This year at 13 cents a pound, the output will sell for \$1,100,000,000, the crop being not so large as one year ago.

Dr. Bascom has disposed of some of his property in Cuba but still has substantial holdings there. Oshawa Reformer.

HALLOWAY

The church service was held in the morning on Sunday last, owing to the funeral of Mrs. Haight in Foxboro on Sunday afternoon.

Some of the farmers of this vicinity are busy working on the land.

There was a bee at the cheese factory on Tuesday last.

Mr. J. C. Daros spent Sunday last at the home of Mr. A. Salisbury, near Shannonville.

Mr. S. Townsend had a bee on Monday last week loading a calf with baled hay in Foxboro.

Masters Harold and Malcolm Bird, of the third line, were guests of Kenneth McMullen on Sunday last.

Our cheesemaker, Mr. Morris Rose, of Foxboro, has moved to the factory.

Mrs. T. Kelly is entertaining some ladies to a quilting on Thursday of this week.

The residence of Mr. W. Vanallen, near Bethel, was burned to the ground on Wednesday morning of last week.

Mr. R. Townsend attended the induction meeting and licensing of some students of Queen's College at Kingston on Friday last.

Mr. G. H. Rose is erecting a new store building in connection with the store.

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Mrs. W. Cadman and Mrs. E. Lovery spent Wednesday last at the home of Mr. S. Rose.

No Tickets Issued

On account of the temporary suspension of business on the United States railways in the vicinity of Pittsburg, Pa., and Lake Erie points, the G.P.R. city ticket office here was notified yesterday afternoon not to issue tickets to that district until

her appearance.

Further notice.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

The day of the struggling young physician who worked for years on a scanty income while he built up a paying practice is past, says an Illinois prohibition enforcement officer. Present regulations limit doctors to 100 prescription blanks a month. Chicago doctors charge from \$1 to \$5 for the blanks.

Never Judge a woman's looks by her appearance.

# Farmers of Prince Edward County Are Talking Consolidation

## School to Serve District Around Village of Wellington Will Likely Be Established This Year—Many Meetings Being Held—Review of Consolidated Schools in Manitoba.

Though the failure at Guelph placed consolidation of the rural schools into disfavor in Ontario for a time, the setback was only a temporary one. Strengthened by the unqualified success of the schools of Manitoba, the supporters of consolidation here are rapidly increasing in numbers. Indeed, in several districts where the school houses will have to be rebuilt in the near future a vote will soon be taken on the question to decide whether one building for several districts will suffice or whether the old system will remain in force.

One of these districts is that of Wellington, in the county of Prince Edward. This section is particularly well situated for the adoption of the consolidated idea. At present there is a rather large village school, near the end of its days, and two or three one-roomed affairs within a few miles of the village. In order to get a high school education it is necessary for the children of Wellington and the surrounding district to move to the town of Picton, over ten miles away. In this latter respect this district is quite similar to the majority of rural sections in Ontario.

Consolidation has been a live topic for conversation in Prince Edward county for a number of years, but until some of the school houses had to be rebuilt this movement amounted to little. A week or two ago, however, a vigorous campaign was started by F. P. Smith, Inspector of Public Schools for that county, and A. P. McVannell, the Agricultural Representative. The object of this campaign was not simply to win a majority of the people in the Wellington district over to consolidation, but to prove to all the ratepayers by facts and figures that such a step is necessary. Local and outside speakers were brought into the section for this work, and as a result opposition to consolidation is dying down.

From observations during the twelve years I have spent in this county I believe that there is no one thing that will do more to advance the interests of the community here than a real up-to-date consolidated school," stated A. P. McVannell in opening one of these meetings in the village of Wellington last week. "Education has become most important from a farmer's standpoint," continued Mr. McVannell, "and in this part of the county particularly agriculture is by far the most important industry."

The speaker contended that knowledge and training were needed in farming just as much as in other lines of work, but that under the present system boys and girls were being educated away from the land.

Transportation Problems  
Transportation of the children from their homes to the school has long been the bugbear of consolidation, and in some cases has been the shield behind which the anti-consolidated ratepayer has hidden. Mr. McVannell, while not going into details, disposed of the transportation question in a few words: "It seems unreasonable to me, at least," he said, "that we with our good roads and long experience should let this thing stand in our way when the people of Manitoba have found that this is one of the least important of their problems in the establishment of over one hundred consolidated schools."

Mr. Smith, the Public School Inspector, gave the educationalists' side of the question. He claimed that under the present system it was impossible to retain the services of the average teacher in one school for a complete year. "Sixty per cent of the teachers in the public schools of Prince Edward change teachers at least once a year," he said. "What progress can we make under these conditions?" Mr. Smith claimed that owing to the present antiquated system of education in the country schools pupils from the latter institutions were invariably behind their more favored urban cousins during the first two or three years when the

two classes met in competition in the high schools. In concluding his brief address this speaker made a strong plea for improvement in that district. "We change our methods of farming when we see a better system," he stated, "yet we are content to let a system one hundred years old be responsible for our greatest asset: the children."

Practical Side of It  
The practical side of the question was discussed by Mr. Wm. Iverach, President of the Rural Manitoba School Trustees' Association, and a prominent farmer in the west. Mr. Iverach was brought into Ontario to enlighten the people of this province regarding consolidation by the Provincial Government.

In discussing the question from a national standpoint this speaker made a significant assertion. "If we keep on as we have been doing," he said, "within the next hundred years all the agricultural land in this country will have passed out of the hands of the English-speaking people." Mr. Iverach claimed that the present system of education lacked permanency because the teaching profession was quickly passing into the hands of women. "We have lost the men teachers because we have lost the job for them. We have not adapted our educational system to the ever changing conditions around us."

In supporting his statements regarding the rural depopulation of the English-speaking people this speaker explained that on account of the difficulty of educating their children in the country many parents were forced to move to town. "In every case," he said, "these are the very best class of farmers we have, men who have made a success of farming and who were usually leaders in their community. Their farms are sold to inexperienced men who must struggle along on inadequate capital, and who have little time for public questions affecting the section. Under consolidation, this movement would be checked," continued Mr. Iverach. "The children would receive a competent public schooling and three years of high school education in their own neighborhood. They would spend every night at home during this period, where they would add to the social life of the district and incidentally be under the eyes of their parents."

Consolidation in Manitoba  
According to this authority, without exception all schools that have adopted consolidation in Manitoba have remained consolidated despite the increased expenditure. Though the winters there are admitted to be much more severe than in Ontario, and under consolidation children living ten and twelve miles away are driven to school, the attendance of these pupils is twenty-five days more per year than that of the children who live in the village within a few minutes' walk of the schoolhouse. Mr. Iverach stated that despite the bad state of the roads in the winter time in his district, the twelve covered vans operating in connection with the school had not averaged losing one trip apiece during the last seven years.

In the winter these vans which convey the children to the schools are heated by coal stoves, which make them as comfortable as the school rooms. The stoves are bolted to the floor to prevent fires, in case of the rig upsetting. The vans, which are driven by contractors, call at the door of each house along the route, and by law are not allowed to wait more than two minutes for any child. In summer lighter vehicles are used.

Some of the Advantages  
The expense of keeping up a consolidated school is naturally higher than the cost of maintaining the three or four schools under the old system, but the change is certainly worth it. Where one large building is used to serve the locality, fewer and better teachers can be procured. One instructor will not be responsible for the training of children in

all grades from the lowest to the entrance class. A high school education can be given which will fit the young people for university without going away from their own home. With a central seat of instruction, more agriculture may be taught, with the result that the country boy may learn something regarding the theoretical side of his father's business. With van routes established, general good roads will soon follow. Consolidated schools materially add to the value of farm lands in the neighborhood.

The children are almost universally in favor of consolidation, but some of the older people are not. The chief antagonists to the movement, which will cost more money and will not return dividends in the form of cash immediately, are men who do not really value education themselves, and who, in the majority of cases, have no children of their own. These people do not look to the future. The country districts are being depopulated; we need some way of keeping the young people on the farm, or all remaining social life in rural Ontario will vanish, and with its departure the gradual passing of the agricultural land into the hands of inexperienced foreigners. Consolidation will undoubtedly help to check this movement.

Several 800 people intend to take part in the trip. The Michigan Pike Association has asked the Ontario Motor League to cooperate in seeing that the route of the Canadian part of the tour is properly marked. The O.M.L. will send out a roadside car to see that this is done.—Peterboro Examiner.

## Vandals Abused Pastor's Horse

Oshawa, April 15.—Throughout East-Whitby, great indignation is felt over an act of vandalism committed on Rev. Mr. Simpson's horse at Raglan. Mr. Simpson, who lives in Columbus, had gone to Raglan to address a meeting at the church and as is customary, had tied his horse in the church shed. While in the church, some young bloods started to work and cut the tail and mane, and clipped one side of the animal. While suspicious as to who the guilty parties are, no definite information has as yet been secured. Members of the local police force were at Raglan last week and looked up a couple of suspects, but the pair proved a perfect alibi, and were not arrested.—Reformer.

## Succumbed to Operation

Mr. Gray Passed Away in Toronto Hospital.  
A message reached the city this morning that Mr. Gray, proprietor of the Paper Mills in Thurloe, just south of the city, had passed away in Toronto General Hospital, following a serious operation. The news came as a great shock to his many friends. Mr. Gray had not long been a resident of this city, where he lived on Foster Avenue, but he had made himself very popular. His friends had been called to his bedside.

## Big Motor Carnival Will Tour Ontario in July Next

Band Concerts and Open-Air Speakers will be Feature of 900-Mile Camping Trip of Michigan Pikers' Association  
A motor caravan, big and spectacular as a circus, with a band and open-air speakers in the cause of good roads, will be seen in Toronto on July 16 and 17. The Ontario Motor League has received a letter from the manager of the Michigan Pikers Association giving details of the tour. The latter association is an organization whose object is to promote construction of highways and to carry on education propaganda, the principal feature of the tour of which is an annual automobile tour of two weeks. This year the trip will take in 800-mile stretch from Sault Ste. Marie to Toronto.

Last year when a trial trip of the route was made the bridge on the Blind River at Algoma Mills was not finished and autos had to be changed. The government has given assurance that the bridge will be completed and open for traffic by July.

The manager of the association in his letter says that the prospects are that 40 cars and 13 motor trucks will take part in the tour, comprising a caravan of between 200 and 300 people. The party will be self-contained. Some of the trucks will carry complete camp equipment. One of them will be fitted out as a complete kitchen, another will carry

provisions; a third will be an automobile repair shop and so on. It is expected that 30 or 20 "camp-followers" in unofficial cars will trail the party. These will be welcome, and their number will be encouraged.

The party will leave Detroit on July 14. They will reach Hamilton on July 19, and leave for Toronto in time for dinner. They will move from here next morning.

It is hoped that the Ford Company's band, considered one of the best in the United States, will be able to accompany them. The Ford company's moving picture department is expected, both taking pictures and giving displays in the different towns of a good roads nature. Shows will be made frequently along the route and open-air addresses delivered and band concerts held. The whole thing is expected to result in a whirlwind raising of goods roads sentiment.

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## OBITUARY

### MRS. SARAH DENTON

Mrs. Sarah Denton passed away last night at the home of her son, Mr. Matthew Denton, 29 Bridge street west, at the age of 74 years. She was born in England and was a daughter of the late William Izzard. Her husband predeceased her several years ago.

Mrs. Denton had lived in Canada for 49 years and for the past year in Belleville. She was a faithful member of the Methodist Church. For many years she had been in poor health. Surviving are four sons and five daughters, the sons, William of Ontario, Harry of Edmonton, Charles of New York and Matthew D. of Belleville and the daughters, Mrs. A. Floyd, Toronto, Mrs. E. Simmons, Alberta, Mrs. Wesley Parmenter, of Massachusetts, Mrs. Alfred Anderson, of Alberta and Mrs. W. Jeffrey, of Sidney.

## A Little Talk About Baseball

The teams in the Willowdale League this year are stronger than ever. President "Ray" Hunt says that this league will enjoy the best season since its inception. All clubs have announced their line ups, and present indications are that the race for the E. G. Saylor Trophy will be a tough one. If "Gannonball" Scott and "Duke" Hennessey work on the points for Hillcrest's "Pitt" the fans are going to see the best battery that ever worked together. Scott is rated as the best amateur ball pitcher in Ontario, while Hennessey has no comparison in the amateur ranks. He has gained thirty pounds in the last three months.—Toronto Telegram. It will be pleasing news when Scott finally announces where he intends to summer. So much of this same kind of twaddle about Scott was carried on last year that it was a forgone conclusion in the Central League that Lindsay was the only team that had a chance for the championship. But "Gannonball" proved easy picking for all the Central Leaguers and should be even easier this summer.—Oshawa Reformer.

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## AN INTERNATIONAL MANIFESTO

Written for The Ontario by  
Clas. M. Rice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado

The Western world, through economic necessity, is linked in a common bond; its nations must hang together or hang separately, to use the Benjamin Franklin phrase. They must stand together in the adversity following the great war of devastation or fall into the abyss of anarchy, one by one—and that abyss is not so very far off.

This in substance is the effect of the Allied Supreme Council which was published a few days ago, a document that will be made much of in history, envisaging as it does the internationalism embodied in the League of Nations instrument. It separates more distinctly than anything that has come from the society of nations the new world from the old.

The memorandum, as it is modestly termed, asks us to forget the bitterness and enmities of the recent conflict, to bind the wounds of war, to pick up the defeated foe and help it to regain its independence. Humanitarianism may be, but is it not a marked departure from the old, unwritten covenant law? A necessity it may be, and doubtless is, but it illustrates the modern interdependence of nations upon nations. It is a necessity for those who have the power of life and death over the defeated to lift the latter to its feet if the world structure is not to crack.

Germany and Austria, the Allied Council declares, must be given material support; they will be invited to trade with the outer world and encouraged to resume manufactures. Economic madness and new republics and monarchies must be buttressed by the stronger. There is no nation so strong, not even our own, that can remain unscathed if the other nations go down in the welter. The war is over. It lasted so long and brought such exhaustion to both victor and vanquished that there is extreme danger to our common heritage. The war to put down mankind's enemy so endangered the whole foundation of society that we cannot afford the luxury of revenge. Punishment must be kept within bounds.

A treaty of peace, imposing terms upon the greater enemy nation, signed and sealed a few months ago by European and Asiatic powers, is down stairs at that hour and apparently did not notice that her clothing was burning till it had made its own headway.

Her brother, Mr. D. A. J. Swanson, who has just recently returned home, heard her calling for assistance and quickly hastened to her aid but by that time her clothes were a mass of flames. Although it was only a matter of thirty seconds or so till he was able to smother the flames, she was in a very critical condition.

## Little Chance of Success

FOR PROPOSED UNITED DAIRY CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY.  
Cheese Factory People Think the Season Too Far Advanced to Change Their Arrangement.  
Kingston, April 15.—Referring to the proposal to link up all of the cheese factories in the province of Ontario into one company, to be called the United Dairy Co-operative Company, it is stated by a man prominently connected with the movement that there is little prospect of completing the work this season. Had the promoters toured the dairy districts during the winter months preliminary work would have been accomplished and the farmers would have been prepared to consider the matter. The season is now too far advanced to change any arrangements that have been made for handling the season's output and the farmers have not time to give attention to the business connected with the issue of stock, etc., etc. Last year the proposal was started at Peterboro, and despite the continued agitation on the part of those promoting it nothing was done.

A prominent Wolfe Islander when informed of the scheme said that he would not ship his cheese without knowing what price he was going to get for it, and he could not see how it would be acceptable to many of the patrons of the cheese factories. He thought the idea of a central purchasing committee a very good one, and thought that this might be undertaken first.

## New Industry at Orillia

Orillia, April 15.—A by-law voted on to grant a free site and ten years' fixed assessment to the Glasscock Sewer Pipe & Conduits, Limited, was carried by a vote of 608 to 61. Another by-law to guarantee \$6,000 bonds for the purpose of assisting in the erection of a Soldiers' Memorial Hospital was defeated, the vote being 378 for and 220 against, and 583 favorable votes being necessary to carry the by-law.

## Women's Missionary Society John St. Ch.

The Women's Missionary Society of John St. Presbyterian Church held their annual Easter meeting last evening in the lecture room of the church, with a good attendance. The auxiliary president, Mrs. S. Russell, presided. The program which was exceedingly interesting and instructive, was given entirely by the members of the "Home Helpers" department. The offering was the largest at any Easter meeting, in the history of the society. There was also one new life member. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour spent.

## Men Who Have Marrying Manias

Kid McCoy, the famous boxer, is a hero of the ring in a double sense, in that he is just getting married for the seventh time.

The myrtle number seven, by the way, seems to be about the limit in matrimonial ventures as regards men.

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That is to say, there are several cases on record of seven brides having been led to the altar by the same individual, but there is no instance of this number having been exceeded. Of course bigamists do not count in this connection, otherwise the notorious Witzoff, with his two hundred odd "wives" romps home an easy first.

Probably the best known example of a much-married man is afforded by Sir Gervaise Clifton, the historian of Jamaica, who married seven wives. Five of them being domestic servants, from his own household. His matrimonial ventures all turned out happily.

Nat Goodwin, the actor, was married five times, and was about to repeat the experiment for a sixth time when he died, early in 1919. Not long before he wrote and published a book entitled "Why Beautiful Women Marry Nat Goodwin."

Curiously enough, it is women, and not men, however, who are most prone to indulge in many marriages. There are plenty of American ladies for instance, who have exceeded the seven limit; the record probably being held by Mrs. Townsend, of Nebraska, who in 1917 wedded her fifteenth husband.

## The Overall Style Spreads

Newspapers Ignore Request of Clothiers to Suppress News About Movement  
Birmingham, Ala., April 14.—Birmingham newspaper publishers have flatly denied the request of a committee of retail clothiers that news of the "overall" movement throughout the South be suppressed on the ground that it was damaging the retail clothing business.

The publishers informed the clothiers' committee that their papers would continue to report the overall movement, which they considered legitimate news.

The "Tampa idea" of wearing overalls as a means of fighting the high cost of clothing has spread to many cities throughout the South, where business and professional men as well as other workers are going about in blue denim. It was reported here Saturday that when the demand for overalls began, some retailers had raised the price from two dollars to six dollars a pair.

Mass meetings and public demonstrations are being presented in connection with the movement in many places throughout the South. It was reported that there were 4,000 members of the Overall Club in Birmingham alone, all pledged to wear blue denim until the price of clothing comes down.

## Olds' Agency

It is interesting to note that other automobile agency has established in Kingston. The car to be handled is the Olds Eight, and Mr. Neil Stewart, the General Motors Corp. will be the local agent. Mr. Smith, and is very well known thought of both in Kingston

## County Disasters

Kingston Has a New "Oldsmobile Eight" Train at Brockville

## Now Oppose Hydro

The Scott Farmer represented at the meeting on April 10, their own behalf against steps being taken in the Hydro-Electric ship. The Hydro ceases to be a power source, they are afraid the hydro, with an additional per cent, in the matter involve every farmer contract, into quite a instead of the Hydro is going to be an encumbrance since has been a number of names sign are opposed to any further of the line. A delegation to Toronto on Thursday the Hydro Commission effect—Oshawa Reformer.

## Date for Deer Hunting

The first sitting of the Game Committee of the took place last week. Biggs was chairman. Interesting to local sportsmen that it was decided not to date for killing deer this date being the 5th day of the 20th day of November inclusive. The quacking dogs for deer hunting contravention nature as over until the next meet further information men.

## "Doctored" the Coal Bill

Mrs. Alex. Ernest, wife of dealer at Walkerton, had to changing the weight of her husband's customers, the weighing them all the pounds as she appeared. Judge Klein and was fined costs and sentenced to 20 days in jail. As her husband was fined \$100 and sentenced to 60 days imprisonment for the same offence, the court sentenced her to 20 days in jail for the same offence. Interesting cases which ended a docket in Bruce Oshawa Reformer.

## Entertained Newcomers

The party of Scotch boys arrived Saturday at Fairbank from overseas were entertained in a most hospitable manner last night by Young People's Association Methodist church. The entertainment, following from 7:30 o'clock, supper and entertainment was given in the school hall. Walkerton, and addresses were given by Rev. W. A. Hamilton, Rogers, Miss Ruby Dawson, Herman Fowles played a first movement of the G minor by Beethoven, and F. Dyke, of the staff of the Free Hospital, gave a lecture dealing with that institution. James O'Connell, of the guests, gave an address and at the close of the evening Capt. W. Douglas, in charge of the boys, on their return from Scotland, in a new tank the Y.P.A. for the tally.—Brockville Recorder Times.

## Steamer Columbia Damaged

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## Building permits issued in

Building permits issued in Windsor this year show an increase of over \$500,000 over the same period last year. The Catholic Church house at Herring Cove, N.S., was badly damaged by fire, which started by a spark falling upon the roof. Wallaceburg chief of police has notified tobacco dealers and restaurant keepers that the use of the

# County and District

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#### ENTERTAINED NEWCOMERS

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The Scott Farmers were fairly represented at the Scott Council meeting on April 10. To intercede on their own behalf against any further steps being taken in the construction of the Hydro-Electric in the township. The Hydro certainly cannot be excelled for light or power, but they are afraid the high cost of material, with an addition of 20 to 30 per cent in the material, is going to involve every farmer who holds a contract, into quite a debt, which, instead of the Hydro being a benefit, is going to be an encumbrance. A petition since has been drawn up and a number of names signed to it who are opposed to any further construction of the line. A delegation is going to Toronto on Thursday to interview the Hydro Commission to this effect.—Oshawa Reformer.

#### Date for Deer Hunting

The first sitting of the Fish and Game Committee of the Legislature took place last week. Tom F. C. Biggs was chairman. It may be interesting to local sportsmen to know that it was decided not to change the date for killing deer this year, the dates being the 5th day of November to the 20th day of November, both days inclusive. The question of using dogs for deer hunting was of a controversial nature and was left over until the next meeting to obtain further information from sportsmen.

#### "Doctors" the Coal Bills

Mrs. Alex. Ernest, wife of a coal dealer at Walkerton, has confessed to changing the weight bills of her husband's customers, thereby short-weighting them all the way from 100 pounds up. She appeared before Judge Klein and was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to 24 hours in jail. As her husband was previously fined \$100 and sentenced to a week's imprisonment for being implicated in the affair, the punishment inflicted on the woman is the closing episode of one of the most interesting cases which ever decorated a docket in Bruce county.—Oshawa Reformer.

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Fire broke out late Saturday afternoon in the hold of the steamship Columbia, which was tied to the pier at the rear of the Continental building in Ogdensburg. The firemen boarded the vessel and with chemicals fought the flames. The blaze was in a dangerous section of the ship and only quick work saved the vessel from absolute destruction. The firemen after a hard battle finally succeeded in checking the flames and ultimately smothering them. The damage done was not considerable.

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#### Ex-Lieut. McIntosh Dead

The death took place at the home of his mother in Dundas, Ont., of J. S. McIntosh, ex-lieutenant Canadian Engineers and formerly officer in charge of the cadets of the Engineers' Depot at Brockville. Mr. McIntosh, who was a graduate in engineering of Queen's University, succumbed to heart failure.

#### Both Feet Amputated

Reeve George Woodward, of the village of Cannington, has recently undergone an operation and has had both feet amputated as the only means of saving his life from an attack of an insidious malady.—Oshawa Reformer.

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#### Wife Deserter Came to Oshawa

Samuel Stevens, of Belleville, couldn't agree with his wife's way of running the household and deserted her on Monday of last week. He came to Oshawa to hide his identity and secured work in the Pedlar plant. Samuel's stay in town was short-lived, however, for at the instigation of the Belleville police he was apprehended on Friday and returned to his home city for trial.—Oshawa Reformer.

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#### Need for River Travel

The Brockville Trades and Labor Council passed a resolution requesting the Board of Trade to communicate with the Canada Steamships Lines, Limited, in an endeavor to have a vessel placed on the Brockville-Thousand Islands route. It was felt that there was the greatest need for steamer accommodation on the river such as existed in pre-war days.

#### Rev. Stephen Bond Dead

Rev. Stephen Bond, a pioneer of Canadian Methodism, died at Toronto Tuesday in his eighty-third year. For fifty-three years he was in the active ministry, retiring ten years ago. He was stationed in Ganadogue from 1855 to 1886. He was ordained in Kingston.

#### Month's Mind Mass

Rt. Rev. Mr. Murray, administrator of the archdiocese of Kingston, was at Merrickville Tuesday morning where he presided at the month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of Rev. Father W. A. McDonagh, formerly pastor of St. Ann's Church there.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

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#### Million Husbands Needed in Britain

There can be no real social rest without feminine contentment, and in England, where women form the bulk of the population, the effect of their preponderance seems to be wholly injurious. This was the subject of a lecture before the Institute of Hygiene delivered by Dr. R. Murray Leslie.

Dr. Murray-Leslie declared the female excess was greater in Great Britain than elsewhere, and the war had aggravated this disturbing factor, because the men who had fallen all belonged to the age-group which represented either potential or actual husbands and fathers. There is now a surplus of 4 million women eligible for marriage.

The social effects of sex disproportion were demonstrated in the crumbling of the old ethical standards. Dr. Murray-Leslie said the freedom of modern independent girl from the supervision of her parents; the tendency to rebel against discipline and conventional trammels; the cry for pleasure for pleasure's

#### President Wilson's Condition

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

Mr. Wilson has not left the White House grounds for some time and rumor has been extremely busy, as it is wont. Wall Street had it the other day that he had suffered a relapse, which was promptly denied by his physician. To account for his failure to continue his drives about the city and suburbs, correspondents write that he is disappointed with his reception from citizens and curiosity seekers.

The disappointment is deeper. Never in his life has Mr. Wilson paid attention to the passing whim of the public. It cannot be charged against him that he is demagogic or a seeker after applause. Unlike another of his party that might be named, he can live without this. By nature he is a recluse; in recent years he has lived much in the future. He bears with the present and the politician who is living for the present.

An atmosphere of tragedy surrounds the White House. Despite his will-power, which is unusual, the physical condition of the executive must have a bearing upon his mental state, for mortal man in his present development must be subject to the physical body. Mr. Wilson has been unable to appeal in person to the people; it is impossible to converse with his delegates in Congress; he sees nothing of his Cabinet with a possible exception. His position must be irksome to a degree.

At this time his party is drifting on the rocks. He is the titular head of it. If he falls, the party falls. His enemies say he has deserted the party more than did Cleveland. His leadership, his supremacy, has been challenged. Mr. Bryan is campaigning to undo Mr. Wilson's authority, to defeat him on a question that is nearest and dearest to him, on which he has staked his all for the present and posterity. Other men in the party, opportunists, are praying that Mr. Wilson's spirit be broken sufficiently to open the door of compromise, to him a very hateful word. The party is at sea, rudderless. The primary elections are proving this.

#### TRENTON

April 12.—Mr. and Mrs. John Webb visited the latter's uncle in the 3rd concession of Murray on Sunday last.

Mrs. Pernell is still on the sick list. We hope she may soon be well again.

Mrs. McConicke has returned to her home in Wooler after spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. W. Hubbell, who was very ill.

Mr. W. Grosilan was accidentally hurt at the Crescote on Monday when a tile fell on his hip.

Miss Sweetman our public school teacher has returned to resume her duties again after spending her holidays under the parental roof.

We are sorry to report little Manly Hyatt is still suffering from appendicitis.

The W.C.T.U. meets in the basement of King St. church on Tuesday at 8 o'clock. Capt. Clarke gave a lecture on his trip through France.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews received a message one day last week that their son had dropped dead.

A funeral procession passed through here on Monday from Prince Edward to Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Albert Chard has her niece, Miss Wannamaker from Rednersville staying with her for the summer.

We are glad to report that Jack Vanastine is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reid who have spent the winter at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. Smith are all settled in their own home again.

Mrs. Bush has returned home to Brighton after visiting here.

April 14.—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kemp were in Belleville on Monday.

Mrs. F. W. Barry, who has been confined to her room for some time was taken to Toronto for another operation on Monday.

Mrs. W. Simmons, Joseph St., who has been ill for a few days, is improving.

Miss Ethel Bush, 4th concession is serving her first season in Miss McDonnell's millinery parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dingsman and family, Dufferin street are moving to Oshawa. Mr. Dingsman has sold his house.

About four o'clock on Sunday afternoon, there passed into rest, Mr. Walter Dempsey, Wooler Road. Mr. Dempsey had apparently been in his usual health. He was seized with a spasm of the heart and before his friends could reach him he was gone. At the time of his death, he was with his brother-in-law, Mr. Graham, 4th concession of Sidney. The body was moved from there to his home on the Wooler Road. Mr. Dempsey was a Methodist in faith, and a Conservative in politics. He was at one time president of the Fruit Growers' Association and always an active member of this society. He belonged to the U. P. O. and was most enthusiastic. In all societies tending to the betterment of his fellowmen, he was ever a faithful helper.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and three children, Mrs. Escot Manaker, Wooler Road, Mrs. R. E. Kemp, Trenton and Peter C., at home. The funeral will be held at his late home, on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the family plot at Albany.

The school teachers have all returned after spending delightful holidays with friends.

#### Motor Accidents

### Becoming Common in Peterborough

#### Increasing Number of Cars Largely Responsible—Police Comment

Peterborough, April 18.—The motor accidents are increasing each year without a doubt, the Chief of Police told the Examiner when questioned on the matter. Forty-three accidents are on the police records for 1919, several more than in 1918. Two deaths resulting from injuries received in accidents occurred during the past year in addition to many being severely injured and shaken up. That there are not more accidents is the only mystery to the policemen who have to watch closely the cars and traffic and report on all accidents.

Sergeant James Reid points out that most of the increase in accidents is due to the increase in cars, faster driving, and carelessness, and the extent to which these have grown of late years are reflected in the cases appearing in Police Court. In 1919 there were three arraigned under the Motor Vehicles Act, and in 1918 seventy-two, and last year sixty-seven.

That the increase in accidents is traceable to the increase in the number of cars in the last few years is an accepted fact. In the past there were fewer accidents because there were fewer cars and their number increases each year. Will accidents keep on increasing?

Only by more careful driving and strict adherence to the law will danger to human life be minimized and the Ontario Safety League are doing meritorious work in urging carelessness and thoughtlessness.

What to Do

If there is an accident between your car and another vehicle stop the car at once. If either the one responsible or the other drives off he is considered guilty by the police and commits a breach of the Motor Vehicles Act. Give your name, the number of your car, and all particulars to the policeman or to the man whose vehicle sustained injury and report the accident to the police.

Many accidents are caused by the driven cars for years, and since they have never had any accidents they form the opinion that their fine driving, coupled with kind fate has guided them safely. They drive fast, taking the corners on two wheels, and perform other eccentricities, and

#### Two Inches of Soot Scraped Off Hotel

#### London Building Now Stands Out in Beautiful White

London, April 18.—As a result of an unusual treatment with carborundum, the stone front of the Victoria Hotel, in Northumberland avenue, S.W., presents a beautiful white facade, in which the carvings stand out in bold relief. The facade of the hotel is 300 feet long and 121 feet high. No less than two inches of soot and dirt were scraped off. The process of cleaning the front of Victoria with carborundum, a mixture of coke dust, sand, salt and sawdust, called "into small" hard blocks, took three months and a half. During the war Victoria was occupied by the Ministry of Munitions.

#### IVANHOE

Mr. Joseph Rollins entertained his Sunday school class of boys on Friday and a very pleasant time was spent.

Mr. C. A. Mitz and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hollinger, of Moira.

Misses Lottie Moore and Mabelle Jackson visited Miss Lyla Ray on Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Wood is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Wilbert Jones, of Lyndhurst.

On Thursday of last week a number of the young ladies, also Mr. Harry Loveland and Mr. Will Dugan, spent the afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin Reid, and all report a good time.

Mr. F. J. Blackburn, of Orillia, spent the week-end with relatives here.

#### NOTICE

We the undersigned are the owners of that part of the marsh land between Huts Island and Macassa Point, fronting on Lots 11 to 10 inclusive and 60 to 64 inclusive and the marsh lands fronting on lots 11 and 65 as indicated by lines of posts in the Third Concession of Ameliasburg, hereby give notice to the Public that hunting, trapping and fishing upon the said marsh is forbidden, and that trespassers thereon will be prosecuted and their traps removed.—P. B. Hamilton, W. J. Barber, W. S. Black, E. E. Wallbridge, G. L. Huff, Fred Motley, Thos. Nightingale, John Hatfield, J. S. Wallbridge.

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**Chas. S. CLAPP**  
**His Own Dog Killed Sheep, But He Gets Damages**

Lindsay, April 16.—Some rather drastic action must be taken against the increasing destruction of sheep by prowling dogs, according to discussion at the Agricultural Committee of the Legislature at Toronto. The revenue from dog taxes in most townships, according to members, is away below the value of the sheep killed. Last year more sheep were killed than in any previous year.

W. McLeod, of Stormont, introduced the question to the committee. In his own township the value of sheep killed was \$2,500, while the dog tax revenue was \$654. To get the benefit of the dog taxes to the townships in which the sheep are killed, Hon. Manning Doherty suggested that the law be changed to permit dog tax money to be paid into the county treasury and the damages for sheep killed be paid out of that. The idea was favorably received, and Mr. Doherty promised to bring an amendment before the committee at a later meeting.

Some strange incidents came to light. One member told of a farmer having sheep killed by his own dog, and yet he collected damages. It was suggested that all dogs be tagged. Hon. Geo. Henry thought this should be optional with municipalities.—Lindsay Warrier.

"SPIRITISM"

In your issue of the 5th inst. Mr. A. Robinson indulges in a very long and tedious reply to an article of mine on the above subject, but fails to mention the subject or to throw any light upon it. He contents himself again, as in his previous efforts, to a discussion of the conditions of the wicked in the next world, and quotes every biblical text which quints at annihilation, and endeavors to smooth over every passage which upholds the doctrine of eternal punishment.

Perhaps the writer of this is a little at fault for answering his challenge to quote a single passage in opposition to his views. But only the citations were given and little or no comment was indulged, preferring to let the texts speak for themselves, well knowing that to enter into an expostulation of these texts would fill every column of your valuable paper, and much more.

But Mr. Robinson is in error when he charges me with the argument that because Plato and the world at large believed in the immortality of the soul, therefore, it must be true. Now Mr. Bice made no such argument but simply refused to the fact that the whole world at that time (and still, for that matter) believed in the life after death, which had its influence on the writers of the Scriptures. My aim was to show the evolution of this belief, starting, as the Old Testament does, with the almost nothing on the subject of the hereafter, or even about rewards and punishments in the world to come, and coming down to the Christian Era where the writers begin to show a recognition of the doctrine if they do not expressly teach it. They expressly recognize the life after death, and that is all that Spiritism demands. The words "heaven" and "hell" occur often in the Old Testament but neither of these words means there, what we are used to associate with those names in the modern theological sense. There is no instance of anyone going to hell for bad deeds done here, and only two cases of their going to heaven for good deeds, but these are very vague traditions. The narrative says of Enoch: "God took him," and the account of Elijah is almost as brief. Yet, we find cropping out all along in the lives of the common people (Hebrews) a belief which at last takes us a little way across the border. But the people believed in ghosts and that the spirit of Samuel (et al) was in a sort of comatose or unconscious state in the crude and indefinite underworld which was the first stage in the growth of Spiritism. This is anything but clear still. It is the beginning of the belief in Sheol, though the priests frowned upon it at first, and had a law passed making it a crime to have anything to do with the dead. Job describes the place as the "land of darkness." The soul did not go into extinction, but went down into the shadowy underground world where there was a suspension of real life, and very little of consciousness. There is a passage in Psalms, though we do not know its author, which reads: "Thou wilt not leave my soul in hell (sheol), neither wilt thou suffer this holy one to see corruption." Here is the beginning of the dawn of hope for deliverance from this underworld. In another place a touch of the Arabic and Oriental doctrine of Absorption, and not a personal immortality. "Thus shall the dust return to the earth as it was, and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it." And there is a noted passage in the duties of Sheol that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life and some to shame and everlasting contempt," which implies the immortality of the wicked as it does of the righteous. This is about all the Old Testament has to say on the subject of spiritism, and its recognition is plain and emphatic.

But while the early Hebrew was very ignorant, being at the outset nature-worshippers, sex-worshippers with rites often very obscene, and believers in human sacrifices, the ethical sense was bound to spring up among them as it does in all nations, after becoming sufficiently enlightened. They began to reason: If God is righteous there must be a reward for goodness, and punishment for wickedness and wrong somewhere, and if not in this world, then in the next.

Hell comes from the same root as Sheol, meaning a hole, and at first meant only an underground cavern. Afterwards it was narrowed in thought and came to be regarded as a place of punishment. The prayer-book says "Christ descended into hell," but does not here mean a place of torment but the place where Jesus went and preached to the wicked during the three days after His crucifixion, and before His resurrection. Now these wicked

must have been alive, at least spiritually, to have received the preaching of Jesus. The fact is the Jews had about the same belief in the underworld, and of life after death, that the Greeks and Romans had, and so there grew up in the minds of the people a belief that the good, at any rate, in sheol, should escape. This led to the doctrine of the resurrection, not necessarily of the body; it means a "coming up again." This was to be at the time of the coming of the Messiah, who was to sit enthroned on Mount Moriah—the trumpet was to be sounded and the dead were to come forth or up out of sheol—those who had been good and served God were to rise first and were to reign with the Messiah on the earth for a thousand years. Some believed that the good and bad were to be raised out of sheol—others that only the good were to be favored. Some believed that the bad were to be cast into age-long punishment, others again that they would be destroyed—in what is called today "conditional immortality."

This accounts for the variety in the texts of Scripture on this subject. It all depends upon the sect to which the author of the text belonged. All the dead went down first into sheol, the good to paradise—the bad to Gehenna, but they were so near together they could see and converse with each other as stated in the parables of Jesus—notably in that of Dives and Lazarus.

Paradise, Gehenna, Sheol or Hades did not appear in the letter of the Old Testament at all, but was a later growth of the Hebrew faith. And so at the time Jesus was born we find three phases of belief: First, the Sadducees, who were not skeptics but were the old staid, respectable, mossback, conservatives (Jews) and claimed always to stand by the Mosaic law, and believed in neither angel nor spirit nor in a future world. Second, the Essenes, or philosophical Platonists, who believed in a future life, but not in the resurrection of the body. They believed that the spirit was imprisoned here for a time in the body, but by and by, through death it escaped and entered into the place prepared for it. Third, but the great popular party among the Jews were the Pharisees. They held that the traditions of the elders were of equal authority with the old-time Mosaic teaching. They had borrowed from the Babylonians the whole angelic hierarchy, and of evil spirits as well. So they held not only to immortality, but of innumerable evil spirits and good spirits.

Now these beliefs all existed when Jesus came, and they comprised the entire Jewish people. Jesus, it seemed, belonged to the Essenes sect, and His teachings are colored thereby, although this is denied by some authors. Paul taught the resurrection. The Mosaic law could not save and must be abolished, and the kingdom of grace set up in its place, and he Christ abolished the law and "brought life and immortality to light," so said St. Paul. He was a universalist and taught that all souls, good and bad, Jews and Gentiles, bond and free are to be gathered at last into one fold with one Shepherd. Then will come the climax when Christ shall deliver up to God His Kingdom. But He must reign until He has put all things under His feet—except God, and then deliver up to God the whole business and be subject to Him.

We do not know exactly what Jesus taught. It is said He brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel, but it is strange that this claim is made in the face of the universal belief in immortality which prevailed in the world. Paul did not seem to know of this universal belief, and so to him it did appear that Christ was the first who brought life and immortality to light. We have not a letter or word that Jesus ever wrote, and hence we do not know about His exact beliefs. Those who quote Him colored His sayings according to the belief of the sect to which they belonged.

Jesus said nothing about the abode of departed spirits, but He makes vague allusions to it, indicating that He shared the popular belief, as on the cross when He said to the thief, "paradise," and again "be with me in paradise," and again in the parable of the rich man and Lazarus—Dives was in Gehenna, in torment, wanting a drop of water, etc., and he looks and sees Lazarus in Paradise.

Mr. Robinson's explanation of these texts is puerile and unworthy the general good sense that characterizes his writings. The changing of the position of the comma, if allowed, does not alter the sense of this passage.

Today neither Heaven nor Hell are places, they are only states—a temporary, not a place. The true Gehenna is a polluted heart, not a burning place. And so with Heaven; it is not as some meadow of asphodel beside crystal waters, or a golden city in

the far-off blue, but an extension, development of continued righteousness and peace and joy in believing. It means holiness, principle, or one with God.

To claim that either Heaven or Hell is a place in which the spirit is to dwell or be confined is the height of absurdity, as though an immaterial principle without substance or parts could be circumscribed to any material habitation.

Chas. M. Bice, Denver, Colorado, April 10, 1920.

Frankford Musicians Gave Fine Recital

The pupils of Miss Edith Pitcher gave a recital in Windows' Hall, Frankford on Thursday afternoon, April 8. Pupils from the Intermediate, Elementary, Primary and Junior grades took part in it. After the program, lunch was served, forty being present and nine absent.

The program was as follows: Piano solo, "Dance on the Green" (Presser)—Miss Eileen Merritt. Piano solo, "Vesper Bell" (Krogmann)—Miss Olive Moyne. Piano solo, "Merry Bobolink" (Sinding)—Mr. Wilbur Reid. Piano solo, "Santa Claus Guards" (Krogmann)—Miss Marion Rodgers. Piano solo, "Minuet in A" (J. S. Bach)—Miss Ruby Sneider. Piano solo, "Bohemian Song" (W. Aletter)—Mr. Max Malone. Piano solo, "Pink Flowers" (Lichten)—Miss Lorena Kemp. Piano duet, "Valse" (Read)—Misses Ketha Sine and Emma Cory. Piano solo, "Mill Wheel" (Krogmann Op. 49)—Miss Marjory Badgley.

Piano solo, "At the Fountain" (Ducelle)—Miss Maude Preston. Piano solo, "Bells Do Ring" (Presser) Mr. David Cory. Piano solo, "An Evening Story" (A. Teller)—Miss Margaret McAuley. Piano solo, "Queen of Roses" (Ducelle)—Miss Lorena Kemp. Vocal trio, Selected, Misses Maude Preston, Marjory Weaver and Lorena Kemp. Piano solo, "Allegro" (Clementi)—Miss Helen Patrick. Piano solo, "An Evening Melody" (Presser)—Miss Kathleen St. Clair. Piano solo, "April" (Miss Lillian Osterhout).

Piano solo, "Robin's Lullaby" (Krogmann)—Miss Ethel Benedict. Piano solo, "Apple Tree Swing Waltz" (Spencer)—Miss Emma Cory. Piano solo, "Gavotte in C" (Holst)—Miss Marjory Weaver. Piano solo, "Mazurka in F. Op. 40" (Krogmann)—Miss Evelyn Osterhout. Piano duet, "Moonlight Reverie" (Allen)—Misses Marjory Weaver and Lorena Kemp. Piano solo, "Waltz" (Zlicher Op. 57)—Mr. Gerald Sneider. Piano solo, "Song Without Words" (Holst)—Miss Lorena Kemp. Piano solo, "Waltz" (Krogmann)—Miss Evelyn Reid. Piano duet, "After School" (Presser)—Misses Clea Reed and Helen Rodgers. Piano solo, "La Scintella" (Gottschalk)—Miss Maude Preston. Piano solo, Selected—Miss Ethel Maybee.

Sir Oliver Lodge, Mary Pickford and Others

Editor Ontario: I have heard Sir Oliver Lodge lecture. I have visited San Bernardino, Riverside, and travelled 220 miles over the plains of Southern California. Sir Oliver impressed me greatly. His style was so easy and familiar. His firm belief is that ether, which permeates all things, and is indestructible, will remain unchanged by death. Ether fills all spaces. He hears nothing about either heaven or hell. Our spirits remain unchanged, and as a man dies, so his spirit remains; but evil is gradually eliminated.

Young soldiers are keen to resist the earth. The old are not so desirous. He has no doubt but that spirits of departed revisit the earth. Great audiences greet the greatest scientists of the present age.

Next in rank is the renowned Maeterlinck, now visiting America. He is a theosophist. Maeterlinck speaks of a discovery of ode emuvia. Ode is the magnetic fluid which emanates in unobstructed waves from bodies. Ruckhback discovered astral light, that sensitive persons can see in the darkest obscurity. It waves vary with the state of mind. It is a bluish color on the right side, yellow on the left. Men, animals and plants possess it. It can be photographed. It is magnetism. Tables with hands laid upon them only move because the odic rays converge from the hands. Remove the hands, and the table drops. It can move the hands of a clock enclosed entirely in glass. It can move a table

of 200 pounds weight. It can be collected, and substances charged with it. Mesmerism can infuse it in another person. It cannot be destroyed. It is this power infused by the mesmerizer that makes people act entirely under control of the operator. This fluid may be the means used in many spirit seances.

It is now complained that people are giving up their belief in religion, and consulting only boards instead. Cardinal Mercier, in a speech quoted in a Los Angeles paper, said that the belief in hell should be ignored, and treated as nonsensical. He told of a priest he heard say in his sermon, describing the torments of hell, that he had seen the intense heat of the blowpipe fuses iron and lead, and he said, down there they use this red-hot fused metal as merely a dressing for the flames underneath.

I have all of the mediums who work for money are frauds. But aside from these are the masses of evidence which has accumulated for many years.

The late Sir Mackenzie Bowell loaned me a book written by the celebrated Florence Marryatt, daughter of the famed writer of sea stories, Captain Marryatt. This book detailed her experiences with spirits. If what she stated was false, then she outclassed Aphantus and Saphira, because she said her dead children came to her, caressed her, and sat on her lap. She told of other spirits who habitually came to see her, one being a deceased officer. Hundreds of incidents were narrated.

Sir William Crookes, the greatest inventor and savant the world has ever seen, declared that the spirit of a young girl frequently came into his own library, conversed with him. Allowed him to clasp her hands, and continued this for months. In the presence of many other persons. Could such a man be deceived? Could Lord Dunraven, Admiral Watson and another be deceived fools when D. D. Home went out of a window 70 feet from the ground, floated in the air and entered at another window?

The many experiments made with Mrs. Piper, running over many years, made in the presence of the greatest scientists of the day, could these men be deceived? The great Hypnotist, and the world renowned astronomer, Flammarion, I were convinced of the truth of spiritism. Judge Edmonds, one of the greatest judges of America, wrote books giving his personal experience and detailed conversations with his deceased wife. Of course, the "know-all" laugh and say, "I don't believe it." They have done this all down the centuries. They would not believe a message could be sent by telegraph or wireless. They will only believe what their keen intellects tell them.

Humbly, fraud, lies abound. Astrologists, fortune-tellers and all of that trash are frauds. Yet is a matter of history that an old negro woman, poverty-stricken, told Josephine, the wife of Napoleon Bonaparte, that she would be an empress and rule the world. Josephine being at the time a young girl living in Corsica.

I have read exhaustively on this subject. The best book I think is one written by Professor Crawford of the University of Dublin. He is professor of mathematics and "a hard-headed man" as the Toronto Mail and Empire described him, believing nothing without the strongest proof. He experimented in his own house, with his own family and the young daughter of a neighbor. The result was that he became an avowed spiritualist. His own experiments convinced him that spirits exist.

Take Dr. Watson, of Toronto, the Methodist class-leader. What of him and his wonderful book? Read the Bible, and the wisest fail to understand much about heaven. The Aecylopsy does not present us with any idea that human intelligence can understand. It may be metaphor. But human imagination fails to find a belief in a perpetual enjoyment of standing around the throne, dressed in white and chanting praises to God. Language is intended to be believed as described, but poor human minds cannot reach the exaltation required.

I heard the editor of the Los Angeles Times, Mr. MacGrohart, read two of his poems on California. There is one question that every tourist will be asked on arriving: "Have you seen the Mission Play? You must see it." Mr. MacGrohart wrote this play which for nine years has been played every day and night in the old Mission House in San Francisco. Frederick Ward, seventy years of age, has played all this time. He likes the character of Father Julipero Serrero. The play describes the advent of the pious monks and Spanish soldiers to California. The monks had but one object, namely, to save the souls of the Indians. They nearly starved and were about to return to Spain when a relief ship came in. Ward is a great actor. About seventy-five people

We have strawberries, and every kind of fruit, vegetable, and nuts. The weather is beautiful; the sun is so dainty, killing people every day. Poor David Warnell, the actor, in the hospital with leg broken in two places. The Rev. Mr. Smith pronounced the benediction, stepped out of the church and was killed in two minutes. The fault rests very much with the people. They will take chances.

Sweetheart Mary Fairbanks is ill from nervous strain, over a possible New Window Curtains, extra wide insertion and lace edging. \$8.00 pair. Muslin Curtains, Cream and Ecru with wide insertion \$5.00 Children's Middles 75c to \$1.49 Children's Gingham Dresses \$1.50 to \$4.50. Boys' Wash Suits 99c to \$1.49 Children's Rompers 50c to 99c Children's Sateen Undershirts \$1.49 Children's Overall 50c to 85c Children's White Night Gowns 75c Children's Rubber Balls 10, 15, 25c Ladies' House Dresses of quality from \$2.25 to \$3.00 Ladies' White Night Gowns reduced \$1.25 to \$2.50 Ladies' White Voile Dresses arriving daily from \$1.49 to \$3.00 Ladies' Colored and Black Undershirts from \$1.49 to \$5.00 Ladies' Silk Undershirts \$1.75 to \$8.50 and \$9.00 Ladies' Silk Gloves \$1.25 to \$1.50 Monarch Floss 35c ball 3 for \$1.00 Ladies' Chamo Suede Gloves \$1.00 Monarch Down, 2 oz balls 60c Ladies' String Belts \$1.25 Woolen, all colors 40c ball Ladies' Silk Yarns Hose \$2.50 Knitting cotton, white at 15c ball Ladies' Silk Hose, all colors \$1.50 Angarinas, all colors at 15c ball Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose 50c Ladies' Hose a special at 35c pair

The police are getting a shake-up here because of so many burglaries and hold-ups and no arrests. Four sergeants have been suspended. Property has jumped 100 per cent here in one year. The population now is 689,000. People are tearing down large houses and building great auto factories. There are 87,000 autos in the city.

J. J. B. Flint.

Cobourg Teams Were Defeated

There were two games of basketball at the Y.M.C.A. Friday evening, the first being between the Cobourg Collegiate girls vs. the O.U.R. Club. The second game was between Cobourg Collegiate boys vs. St. Michael's.

The first game resulted in a win for Belleville by a score of 18 to 7. This game was fast and exciting all the way. The Cobourg girls did everything in their power to win but were unable to check the two fast shooting forwards of the O.U.R. team. The half time score was 8 to 5 in favor of Belleville. In the second half the game was a little easier for Belleville and they scored ten points to Cobourg's two. In the game at Cobourg some time ago the Belleville girls had a score of six points so that in the two games they have a margin of 16. Teams follow: Belleville: Anna Laferty, 10; M. Rooney, 5; Helen Hurley, 8; G. Kimmel, 2; Mary McLehlan, 1; Irene Kellee, 1; E. Cooke; Gyneth Allroy; B. McMillan; Stella O'Rourke; E. Reipert. Total: Belleville 18; Cobourg 7.

Referee, Miss Haycock. In the boys' game, Cobourg started out like winners and scored the first basket almost immediately from the throw up. In fact the first ten minutes was all Cobourg as they put up a very conservative game and had Belleville in trouble a good deal of the time. Towards the end of the first half the Belleville boys came up a little and finished the half score 15-11 in favor of Belleville. After the rest Cobourg came back strong again and overcame the lead of the Belleville team and for a time looked as though they would win, but again the Belleville boys got together and ran in several baskets and with Welp back on the defence tucked the game away for the local team. Allen, of the Cobourg team played an excellent game all the way, scoring five baskets and seven foul throws and everyone of his team worked hard and they are a team that should be heard from if they stay together. Hurley and Meagher were the big scorers for St. Michael's team. Hurley got six baskets and Meagher five. The game was fast and clean all the way and was one of the best games that has been seen here this year. The final score was 37-27.

Belleville: Allen, 17; Meagher, 13; Miles, 6; Schreiber, 2; Field, 2; Rooney, 2; Welf, 4. Total for Belleville 37; Cobourg 27.

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ANOTHER EXCURSION IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Mr. F. E. O'Flynn Gives Another Glowing Description of the Beauties and Wonders of the District About Los Angeles.

The second trip we had after our arrival in Southern California was given to us through the kindness of an old and well known Belleville boy. On the evening of the day of our arrival at Los Angeles our telephone rang about eight o'clock and a well known voice, that of Mr. J. R. Finkle, welcomed us to Los Angeles, and invited us to take an auto trip the following day.

On the next day Mr. and Mrs. Finkle called at one o'clock by appointment and took us for a drive we will never forget. Leaving "The Abbey" at Eighth and Figueroa streets, we proceeded north up Figueroa street, crossed Seventh street, one of the heaviest traffic points in the city. A notice was up at the corner asking motor drivers and pedestrians to be careful as there had been 1,189 accidents at this corner during the preceding year. We continued north on Beaudry street for two miles and then turned west on Sunset Boulevard. Figueroa and Beaudry streets from our starting point were made up of business blocks, residences and apartment houses. Sunset Boulevard is a very broad street, about 100 feet in width, and sweeping along the foothills westerly and southwesterly to the Pacific Ocean. It passes through deep canyons, over high hills, and along elevated plateaus. To the north are the Coast Range mountains, laid out with streets half way to their summits, built up with white residences which presented a beautiful appearance in the bright sunlight of the early afternoon. To the south in the large plain could be seen the city of Los Angeles extending to the horizon. We drove for miles westerly. The valley is called the Cahuenga Valley, and the mountains extending east and west on the north side of the valley are known as the Santa Monica range. We passed from the city of Los Angeles westerly into the city of Hollywood and still running along the Sunset Boulevard.

Hollywood is a beautiful suburban residence section about half an hour's ride from the business centre of Los Angeles. It has sprung up in a few years, with artificial residences surrounded by beautiful grounds and miles of fine boulevards. It has been consolidated with Los Angeles. Hollywood is the home of many of the

thousands of persons who are engaged in the motion picture business, and whether the residences are large mansions, spacious bungalows or modest homes, they all display a novelty of architecture, a symmetry and beauty of design, and are all either white or in delicate colors, the grounds being decorated with pergolas, in many instances covered with roses, bougainvillas or wisteria in bloom. We passed many of the well known studios, where many of the pictures, popular with the Belleville audience, were prepared. Continuing westward we passed the beautiful residence district of Beverly Hills, the Los Angeles Country Club, the Soldiers' Home with its three thousand members and the Beverly Heights Hotel. This magnificent hotel is situated on a rising slope overlooking the Cahuenga valley. In front of it are grounds and gardens laid out with flowers, shrubs and palm trees, and the streets and avenues approaching the hotel are lined with beautiful palms. We then proceeded southwesterly about fifteen miles to the city of Santa Monica, on the shores of the Pacific Ocean; then down along the beach to Ocean Park and continued to Venice, where we heard the noted band which gives a program of music every afternoon. Venice is equipped with many amusements, and crowds assemble at this well known resort. We then returned to Los Angeles, eighteen miles distant, by passing through Culver City, where the noted Goldwyn motion picture studios and many others are situated, and as the afternoon sun shed its light on the valley we passed along West Adams street with its palatial residences, Western avenue with its flowers and trees, and along West Eighth street to the Abbey Hotel where our hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Finkle, left us in safety after enjoying a drive of sixty miles and having visited one of the most interesting sections of lower California.

Mr. and Mrs. Finkle are always doing something to make it pleasant for their Canadian friends, and the splendid welcome they gave us on the second day after our arrival will never be forgotten by us, and gave us a taste of our own home-folks that made our hearts glow with pleasure and reminded us of "Auld Lang Syne."

ESTABLISHED Notable at the Brethren of Welcome Symons and Craft—Lad

Last night was a notable history of Madoc client Free and Accepted was the occasion of the social visit of the district grand master, Chas. J. Belleville, and the district Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott, Bridge Street Church, ing the district deputy leading members of the only from this city, by Preston, Marmora, Del Thomasburg, Ivanhoe, tation and other points the district.

For the occasion, the room prepared a splendid perfect in its arrangements high excellence in the program. The feast was the presence of the ladies gave to the scene an appropriate brightness and vivacity of lacking in the some functions where mere mere.

The officers of Madoc amplified the first degree in the presence of deputy and were strongly mented by that official work was concluded. The are the officers of the local station Allen, W. M. Eric Smith, I. R. M. Grant Fraser, S. W. T. H. Hall, J. W.

W. H. Brooks, Treas. Alex. S. Cochran, Secy W. E. Connor, Asst. Secy F. Curry, S. D. F. Vandervoort, J. D. Chas. N. Whytock, D. D. John Bailey, J. S. Field Allen, J. S. A. H. Parnell, Tyler. W. J. Hill, I.G.

If required the full extensive spacious main floor of the hall to accommodate the semblage of guests. The appropriately decorated with floral decorations and hunting hung suspended ceiling.

After all the good thing bill-of-fare had been tested most-fareful manner W. J. Hill assumed the duty of master and carried forward tentative program with tact and precision. Delightful music, during and at intervals throughout the program, was supplied by excellent three-piece orchestra consisting of piano, drums and Miss Beale Cox presided, and, her brother, Mr. Clement handled the drums and Mr. Coma, a very capable performer on the violin.

To the toast "The Grand and the Craft" appropriate posed by W. Bro. Geo. Watson was made by D.D.G. ones and three past district Rt. W. Bros. H. F. Ketches Newton and F. E. O'Flynn Belleville.

R. W. Bro. Symons expressed appreciation of the cordial he had received and gracefully complimented the ladies for their in preparing so tempting a feast. He explained, for the benefit of those who were present, that the district deputy rector Madoc, he has elsewhere strong compliments upon his exposition of the principles of the craft.

R. W. Bro. Ketcheson referred to his residence in Madoc as a student at the Model School as appreciation to Madoc's host. Chief Newton expressed that Madoc would soon have of the Eastern Star establish that the ladies too might become Macons.

R. W. Bro. O'Flynn made references to the old town