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WASTE IN RECRUITING

Ottawa, June 29.—What the shrewdest critics complain of is not the slackness of the Government in recruiting, but the wasteful and inefficient methods it employs. Common sense and an eye to economy are the two things most needed at headquarters just now. The posthumous Kitchener tributes to Major General Sir Sam Hughes are a pale substitute for real ideas on the part of the Minister of Militia. The General opinion is that if Sir Sam did less prancing and more hard work things might get along better.

It goes without saying that no Canadian Government could favor compulsory service of Canadians in a war three thousand miles distant. Our assistance to the Mother Country in this great world war is a true gift of the spirit and how eager that spirit is may be seen by the measure of our help already. To coerce that spirit by compulsory service would be to wrench if not to sever the strongest tie that binds the British Empire together. It is a safe prophecy that there will never be conscription in Canada except in defence of our own shores and then the chances are that it will not be needed. Not to put too fine a point on it, the Militia Act covers the ground already and no further legislation would be needed.

Meanwhile there is no valid reason, why the Government should not inaugurate a system of registration which would serve the purpose of providing a list of eligible recruits and protect workers who are needed at home from the indiscriminate importunities of the urgent. What the recruiters need above everything else is a definite statement of those who can be approached without detriment to the industrial welfare of the country. If the five hundred thousand mark set by the Borden Government is to be anything more than stage thunder for the Germans to hear, it must be arrived at in a reasonable way. The present methods reach too few of this sort and too many others whose real duty and highest usefulness is at home.

Many invidious comparisons have been made as to what this province or that province is doing in the way of recruiting. It has been said, for example, that the West is more loyal than the East because proportionately it has furnished more men for the war. This is only half truth which disappears when we consider that the West is largely made up from young men of the East whom the hazard of new fortunes took to that part of the country. As a matter of fact all the provinces are doing their duty. The fault lies in the system of recruiting, which overworks some parts of Canada and underworks others.

For example, one great recruiting city in Ontario is at present the centre for nine regiments in process of formation. If two regiments instead of nine were recruited at a time, the results would work out much better. Not only would two regiments fill up more quickly but the expense of maintaining a skeleton for the other seven would be cut out until their turn came. As matters stand now the best method has been chosen to kill time and keep Canadian regiments from the front as long as possible. Under this plan some regiments have been recruiting ever since the war started, others have got as far as Bermuda. When one reflects that nothing chafes an

eager soldier like inaction, one can easily see what a depressing effect these stupid delays must have on recruiting.

Another discouragement is the way in which trained regiments from Canada are broken up after they reach England. At St. Julien, Festubert, Langemarck, at the bloody salient of Ypres the Canadians have earned a name for themselves and by the same token they have earned the right to keep that name for their own glory and inscribe it on their own banners. Regiments recruited in Canada should receive some assurance that they will be kept together when they reach the firing line and that chums who enlisted together will not be drafted to different parts of the field. The Canadians have shown their mettle. They need no "steady" from British battalions. They are as good soldiers as any in the world. What's more their officers, lately at least have been thoroughly well trained at all events as the officers. England is now providing for her citizen army, and should be allowed to retain their commands after reaching the front. We have yet to see the Eton boy who is good enough to supplant a husky young Canadian lieutenant who knows his book. The next time Major Sir Sam Hughes goes to England he should discuss this matter with the War Office. It is far more important to Canada than his views on the Ypres salient or his high opinion of Colonel John Wesley Allison.

Another leak that can be stopped is the matter of double pay to M. P. colonels who are supposed to be raising regiments but who are really raising the wind. The difficulty can be solved very easily. A man is an M. P. or a colonel, according to the duty on which he is actively engaged. If his duty calls him the House of Commons pay him his sessional indemnity as a Member of Parliament, if his duty keeps him at the head of his regiment pay him as a colonel of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Separation allowances might also be looked into. Many poor but proud people refuse to bleed their country by taking the separation allowances to which they are fully entitled. But all the people in Canada are not poor and proud. Quite a few of them are rich and greedy and believe in taking all that's coming to them. In one case that I have in mind—and it is only one of many—the mother of a Canadian Officer who is in receipt of his full civil salary of \$9,000 a year while he is on duty at Shorncliffe, draws his full separation allowance and applies it to the rent of an expensive apartment which she keeps locked up while she is in England to be near her son. The Militia Department could save this country a lot of money by paying separation allowances only where separation allowances are needed to keep want from the door. People who regard the separation allowance as extra pocket money handed out by a generous country should be given to understand that the are nothing more than spongers.

Another costly abuse is—batmen. Winston Churchill drew attention to this increasing horde of non-combatants, some two hundred and fifty thousand of them employed in valeting officers when they might be better engaged in fighting. The batman is an English institution. He is a relic of the old days when the British army was officered by aristocrats who were accustomed to a man-servant in times of peace. As the British army is constituted today, an army of citizens, most of whose officers

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

The annual village meeting was held in the Town Hall on Monday evening. Senior Commissioner McCollum in the chair. The first business was the election of a new commissioner, and Commissioner J. E. McCollum was the unanimous choice. Dr. Curtis then became senior commissioner and took the chair.

The minutes were read and approved and the auditor's report was given as follows:

To the Fire & Water Commissioners and Taxpayers of the Village of Hartland:

Gentlemen,—I have the honor of submitting my report upon the accounts and finances of the Village for the year ending June 30, 1916. I am pleased to report that the Village has lived within its income, having at the end of the year a balance on hand of \$274.81. This balance is made up as follows:

June 30, '15, Balance on hand,	\$603.17
Rec'd delinquent taxes,	92.64
" " tap taxes and '15 assessment,	1457.64
	\$2153.45

DISBURSEMENTS

Sinking fund,	\$500.00
Interest on Bonds,	555.00
Repairs on Town Hall,	260.00
Current expenses,	563.64
	1878.64

Balance on hand, . . . \$ 274.81
Included as current expense was \$90 chargeable to capital account, this amount being expended in water main extensions on Hillcrest avenue.

I have audited the books and accounts of your secretary for the year ending June 30, 1916, and find them correct, with proper vouchers and receipts for all money received and paid out.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. KEITH, Auditor.

As little work on mains or other construction is in contemplation the commissioners asked for \$300 less than last year, the assessment for the forthcoming year being \$1200. This will provide for the payment of one five hundred dollar bond and interest on the whole indebtedness and other incidentals. It was decided to put a new steel roof on the Town Hall and to repaint it.

After the session there was a brief informal meeting to discuss the matter of incorporating the village under the Towns Act, and it was decided to hold another meeting of the ratepayers to further discuss this on Monday evening next at the Town Hall.

have been accustomed to button their own suspenders, and lace their own shoes, the batman is an anachronism and a snobbish one at that. And if he is out of place in the British army he is much more so in our Canadian army whose object ought to be to prove themselves good soldiers and stout democrats all through the piece. Nothing can be more ludicrous than some young sprig of a lieutenant, with a fourteen collar and an Adam's apple that works up and down like an elevator, stalking along the street with a big, burly batman ten paces to the rear. What right has a lieutenant, who never had any more valeting before than a Greek would give his shoes for five cents,—what right has he to keep a strong man out of the fighting just to comb his hair for him? A colonel may have some use for a batman—because a colonel has many duties—but even a colonel would be better without one, because pulling on one's own boots is the best extension in the world for improving the mind and taking down the paunch. The batman draws a fighter's pay and he ought to be allowed to do a fighter's work. When this war is over we want our Canadian officers to be good Canadians still, not poor imitations of the British peerage. Cut out the batman.

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DEFAMATION

"Dark Lantern Brigader and His Miserable Methods," and "Some Straight Truths" are the choice scare headings the St. John Standard inscribes over a calumnious article sent to it by a "special" Hartland correspondent. "A Decided Frost" is what the Standard deducts is the result of F. B. Carvell's recent meetings at Hartland and Centreville. Outside of the zones from which Mr. Carvell drew his audience, and outside of Carleton county, the Standard's allegation of a "frost" might go down with some of its hide-bound readers. The people of this county know Mr. Carvell was splendidly received, and the fact that many Tories went to hear him, and that none are finding fault with what he said, is indeed significant. Whatever the Standard's "special" brand of correspondent may have said against Mr. Carvell may have been expected. Could he have concocted anything more defamatory he would have done so; had he a solitary personal bolt to shoot against Mr. Carvell he would have let it fly. His article shows the trace of a snake in the grass—a snake who has beaten down the grass and is no longer concealed.

The "special" correspondent goes out of his way to insult such sterling men as J. T. G. Carr, S. S. Miller, C. M. Sherwood, Andrew McCain and others, men of highest honor and integrity and of peerless standing in their communities; men of a class and character which the correspondent may have soul enough to envy, but because of his inborn nature and habit of thought and action, he may never hope to equal.

Referring to Mr. Carr, he has this to say concerning his (Mr. Carr's) motion for a vote of thanks:

"Carr, moving a resolution of this kind, was rather an unfortunate choice. The people could not but think of Mr. Carr's sudden change in the political faith in the election of 1911, a change of faith and heart which was strangely coincident with the sale of a certain piece of property to the Dominion Government, upon the recommendation of Mr. Carvell, at a price which made real estate owners in this town envious."

This is a base insinuation. It is dirty. It will make the Standard's "special" wriggle for fresh cover. Mr. Carr voted for Mr. Carvell both before and after the land transaction, and he did so, he says, because of the men in the field he considered Mr. Carvell the most worthy—and the Standard's "special" brand of serpent dare not say contrary to Mr. Carr's face.

If any are misled by the "special" reference to the sale of land to the Dominion government, it may be said that one lot suitable, except that it was located out of the business centre, was offered at a price about 50 per cent. more than the Carr lot, that another next to the site chosen was offered at almost double the price. Furthermore, Mr. Carr knocked one hundred dollars off the price

which he had set for sale to private citizens.

The best of feeling exists and has existed for years between Mr. Carvell and S. S. Miller, C. M. Sherwood and Andrew McCain.

PEOPLE WILL CHOOSE

A paper supporting the present provincial government says:—"The Carleton Sentinel, F. B. Carvell president, used an eight inch rooster to describe its enthusiasm over the Nova Scotia elections. A much smaller bird will suffice to mirror the Sentinel's frame of mind when its president and owner next appeals to the people of his constituency." Mr. Carvell's opponent is to be J. K. Flemming. In the opinion of the journal quoted therefore, the people of Carleton county would prefer Mr. Flemming to Mr. Carvell. If so, they prefer the wrong-doer to the man who exposes the wrong-doer, and prefer a man who was forced to resign office because of wrong-doing to a man who has done the province and Dominion a great public service. The people of the province at large will not believe it.—St. John Times.

INCORPORATION

The matter of incorporating Hartland as a town is again a live issue, and one which is to be discussed at a meeting of the ratepayers next Monday evening.

Incorporation can be accomplished at slight expense and need not call for any higher rate of taxation. In its favor, supposing we wish no greater conveniences than we now enjoy, or no further improvement, it may be stated that all the work of the four tax collectors at present employed would be vested in one man, and the taxes combined into a single item. The money thus collected would be all spent by the town. Without additional expense, the town would be in a position to enact bye-laws for its governance, laws entirely suited to our needs. If we desire further improvements, a police system or street lights, we should have to pay for them, and of course this would mean an increased taxation. Yet without further improvement the cost of tax collection may be materially reduced and a saving effected.

The small towns of the province that have recently become incorporated would not for any circumstance that has yet arisen go back to the old loose method of government, and reports from all are in effect that the scheme works out satisfactorily.

The only satisfactory method would be to take the whole school district into the corporation, but provision should be made so that only those receiving the benefit of improvements should have extra tax levied upon them.

Let all ratepayers attend the meeting with a mind open to conviction either for or against the scheme.

Jamieson-Wallace

On Wednesday afternoon, June 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wallace, Cloverdale, their eldest daughter, Iva Pearl, was united in marriage to Hosea Jamieson of Cliffordvale, N. B. The bride was attired in a gown of lace over silk and carried a bouquet of roses, and maiden hair ferns. She was attended by her three sisters, one as bride'smaid, one as flower girl, and the other as ring bearer. The groom was supported by his brother Basil, and Mrs. Elias Crabb played the wedding march. As the bridal party entered the room and took their place under an arch of flowers the ceremony was performed by I. E. Van Wart, assisted by Rev. M. Burr.

After the ceremony a sumptuous supper was served to the guests which numbered fifty-two. Many beautiful and costly presents were received.

Clark—Somerville

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Somerville Biggar Ridge, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock when their daughter Charlotte was united in marriage with Douglas Clark of Mount Pleasant. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. J. Quigg in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride looked charming in a suit of cream satin with silk shadow lace trimming and wore a bridal veil caught up with orange blossoms and roses. After the reception the bride and groom left on the evening express for Boston. On their return they will reside in Mount Pleasant. The grooms present to the bride was a gold watch and pendant. We all join in wishing them many years of happiness.

Briggs—Guigey

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Margaret Briggs of Gordonsville on Wednesday afternoon, June 28, when Ella May Guigey became the wife of Benjamin B. Briggs. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. J. Quigg in the presence of about one hundred invited guests. The bride was attired in white dotted silk, trimmed with lace and satin ribbon. Miss Beulah Bell acted as flower girl. The bride was the recipient of many useful presents, the groom's present being a gold bracelet.

River Bank Ripples

James B. Tompkins, a returned soldier from the 1st contingent, was a welcome caller in River Bank. He is some what used up but alive and able to visit his friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell and children were visiting George Elliott and wife on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Foster of Coldstream were at Alice Bideout's last week.

Charles Long from California is spending a few weeks with his cousin, Rupert Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Holmes have been visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

The River Bank supper will be at Mrs. W. T. Hunter's on July 5. The proceeds will go towards paying for the hall organ. All are welcome.

Rev. C. S. Young and family from Plaster Rock are visiting his sister, Mrs. R. J. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Post, Mr. and Mrs. Lillie Post spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smalley.

Victoria School

The result of the Victoria school examination for the school term ending June 30 arranged in order are as follows:

Grade Ia—Harry Albright 90, Robert Hood 85.

Grade Ib—Donald Hoyt 85, Hughie Bradley 85.

Grade II—John Albright 85, George Cook 80, Charles York 79.

Grade IVb—Basil Hoyt 89, Frankie Boyer 85, Arthur Kearney 82, Mary Birmingham 81, Sadie Cook 74, Madeline Oliver 72, Annie Bradley 71.

Grade IVa—Mildred Kilpatrick 84, Sadie Haywood 71, Ralph York 68, Alexander Hood 67, Israel Boyer 66, Della Baker 65.

Kathleen Albright 89, Charles Kearney 83, Mildred Cook 77, Will Somers 75, Hope Somers 74, Albert Boyer 70.

Number of enrolled pupils 34. Average attendance 24.1. Percentage of enrolled pupils 70.9.

Pupils having a perfect attendance for the term are Frankie Boyer, Madeline Oliver.

Hay crop never was better and some of it is ready to cut now. Farmers are hoping the weather will clear to enable them to house the big yield. A four weeks drought would do no damage, commencing right now.

PRESENTATIONS TO MR. AND MRS. GRAHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Graham intend leaving tomorrow for their new home and duties in Sawyer-ville, Que. They will surely take with them the best wishes of a host of friends who will look forward to a possible visit from then at a future time.

On Thursday the ladies of the Red Cross met at their residence and presented Mrs. Graham with an address and a set of wedge-wood ware. Mrs. Carr read the address and Mrs. Graham replied in the way a womanly woman who was deeply affected naturally would.

Mrs. Graham has been an untiring worker for the Red Cross.

On Tuesday evening the members of the Church of England met at the Rectory and presented Mr. and Mrs. Graham with an address expressive of the esteem of the congregation and appreciative of the faithfulness of the worthy couple during the long years of struggling to uphold the church. As a token of their good-fellowship a handsome cut-glass water set was presented to the couple jointly, from the congregation, and a fine pipe and tobacco from the male members to Mr. Graham personally.

On the occasions of these presentations light refreshments were served by the donors and an hour of social intercourse was passed, an undercurrent of regret preventing what would otherwise have been joyous evenings.

The business men of the town petitioned the head office to have Mr. Graham retained here, but to no avail; and it would be unfair expect a man to refuse advancement.

McLean-Lamont

A marriage of more than local interest was celebrated at the residence of William Lamont, East Glassville, on Tuesday June 28 when his eldest daughter, Ethel M. became the bride of Donald MacLean of Florenceville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George A. Ross in the presence of the relatives and immediate friends of the families concerned. The happy couple stood beneath an arch of maple leaves intertwined with ferns—a well-conceived setting for the bride in her artistic gown of white embroidered voile and lace.

Murray Lamont and Miss Jennie Lamont were the attendants. The number of useful gifts brought and sent to the young couple on their wedding day testified to the warm good will felt toward them by their large circle of friends.

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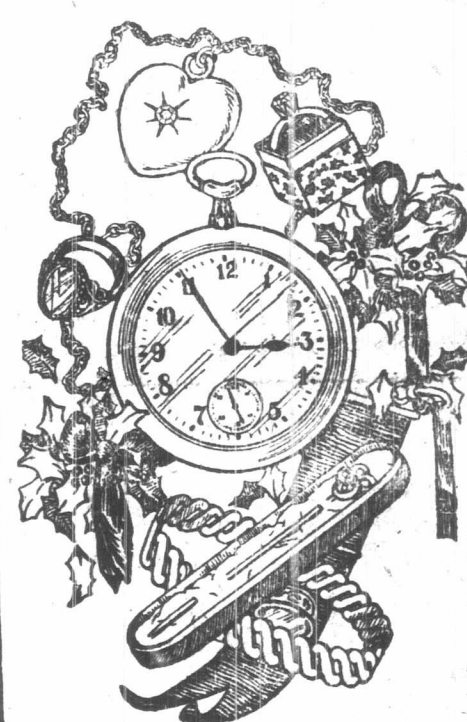
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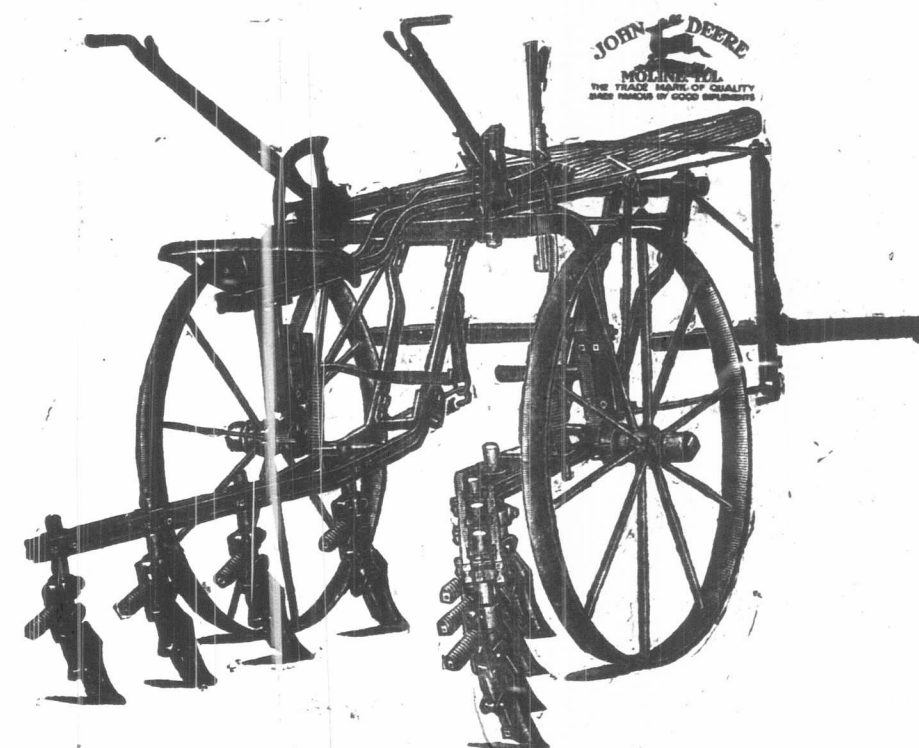
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COUNTY COUNCIL

Coun Gallagher—There are two ferries in Bath and the general public is served by the old ferry. I believe we are entitled to a free ferry.

Coun Carvell—Are you not asking the wrong house for it?

Coun Melville—Sec 14 says nothing in the by-law shall prevent the council from granting a right to ferry in the above named ferries (naming the places.)

Coun Perry—I don't think anyone wants to put a ferry in the parishes of Kent and Wicklow if they don't want it. Coun Melville is talking against time. Is it reasonable to have two ferries where only one will pay.

Coun Melville—The by-law says there shall be a license and this is the old presented route.

Coun Perry—There is not business for the two ferries and the lower one is the old established one.

Warden—We will not be apt to have free ferries unless a reasonable distance is between the ferries.

Coun Kinney—To my mind the whole thing is this. Different members of the municipality have the idea that privileges are given to Victoria county that are given to Carleton county. We are asking for the right that Victoria county is given. We believe in the parish of Kent that the one ferry is enough. If Mr. Hallett wants to run that ferry he has two boats while the government supplies the wire. Is it right to allow two ferries to go while one man can accommodate the public and give the necessary ferriage three weeks earlier and three weeks later in the fall.

Coun Morgan—Is Mr. Hallett at the place prescribed in the by-law?

Coun Estey—The man who ran the ferry where Mr. Hallett is did not do so according to by-law. The lower ferryman would require all the business to make it pay.

Mr. Eber Kearney, Ferryman, was heard. The Bath ferry, which he ran was right handy to the station. It the Hatheway ferry was run it would cut down the business so it would not pay for either party. He had put good boats on his route and thought he was entitled to protection.

Coun Melville—If your chance is so much better how do you come to lose your trade? I will withdraw my motion but I will not withdraw my contention. I move that the matter lie over till next January session and that a committee of three to act with the councillors for Kent and Wicklow report the whole matter at that session of the council.

Motion seconded by Coun Lamont.

Coun Gallagher, Kent—He moved that we have a free ferry at Bath and that it be charged to the government. Coun Kinney seconded the motion.

Coun Gallagher withdrew his motion.

Coun Melville's motion then carried and the following were appointed a committee:—

Couns Tompkins, Perry and Clark.

Coun Gallagher did not wish to press his motion.

Mr. D. Munroe, Registrar of Wills and Deeds was heard. The accommodation for taking care of documents is not adequate. In about all other counties the wooden drawers and partitions are being done away with and steel supplied in their place. There is ample accommodation for the books, although the wooden shelves are inappropriate and unsuitable. A man may want the old deed that has been registered say 30 years ago. An arrangement should be made whereby this could at once be found. There are some 30,000 bills of sale. These may never be required but again they may be. He would advise fixing up the office with modern methods.

(The council decided to investigate the office and see what improvements were required.)

Upon motion of Coun Perry, seconded by Coun Lamont, it was decided that the matter be referred to the building committee to report at the January session.

Coun Perry moved, seconded by Coun Anderson, that the building committee see that an electric light is installed in the vault of the Registry office.

The council then took up the question of Bills and Accounts, and upon motion by Coun Stevens, seconded by Coun Melville, a committee as follows was appointed to take up the question of bills and accounts and report at the meeting tomorrow morning:—

Couns Gallagher, Alex Bell and Melville.

Coun Tompkins moved that Willard Hunter be added to the list, pound keepers, field drivers, etc. of the parish of Peel. Carried.

Coun Perry moved that John Boone be added to list pound keepers, etc. parish of Simonds.

Gideon Henderson was added to list of surveyors of lumber for parish of Wicklow.

Walter Marsten was appointed a surveyor of lumber, wood and bark and added to list of parish officers for Northampton.

G. D. Perkins was appointed a fence viewer and added to list of parish officers for the parish of Simonds.

Council adjourned till morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a. m. the warden in the chair.

The committee on bills and accounts reported through Coun J. W. Gallagher that they had gone over the bills and accounts and reported that they had O.K. ed those that appeared alright.

The council then went into committee of the whole on the accounts. Following were ordered paid:—

Press Printing Co	\$ 6 50
The Dispatch	1 50
John A. Lindsay	15 50
John A. Lindsay	18 00
John A. Lindsay	23 00
R. W. Cameron	46 65
Carleton Observer	1 50
Albion R. Foster	63 30
Clara Tapley	7 65
Jas. W. Woolverton	25 75
Carleton Sentinel	3 25
S. Wilbur Smith	1 05
Bansford Campbell	1 55
Wm. Armstrong	77 60
Jas. MacDougall	1 50
A. C. Burden (goalie)	198 94
(Vouchers O.K. ed by building committee.)	

Committee reported on bills and recommended as above.

Report was adopted.

Upon motion of Coun. Kinney Robt. Aird was appointed collector for Beaufort in the parish of Kent.

The Sec. Treas. was authorized overdraw to the extent of \$10,000 instead of \$5,000 if it becomes necessary.

This was done upon motion of Coun. Stevens of the Finance Committee.

\$138.00 was ordered paid in road damages and charged to Brighton.

\$13 was ordered paid to George Tedlie, commissioner for Front Brighton, refund of jury fees and charged to Brighton parish.

Upon motion of Coun. Kinney \$25 was ordered assessed; road damages of parish of Kent to be assessed and paid to Tohn Pickard.

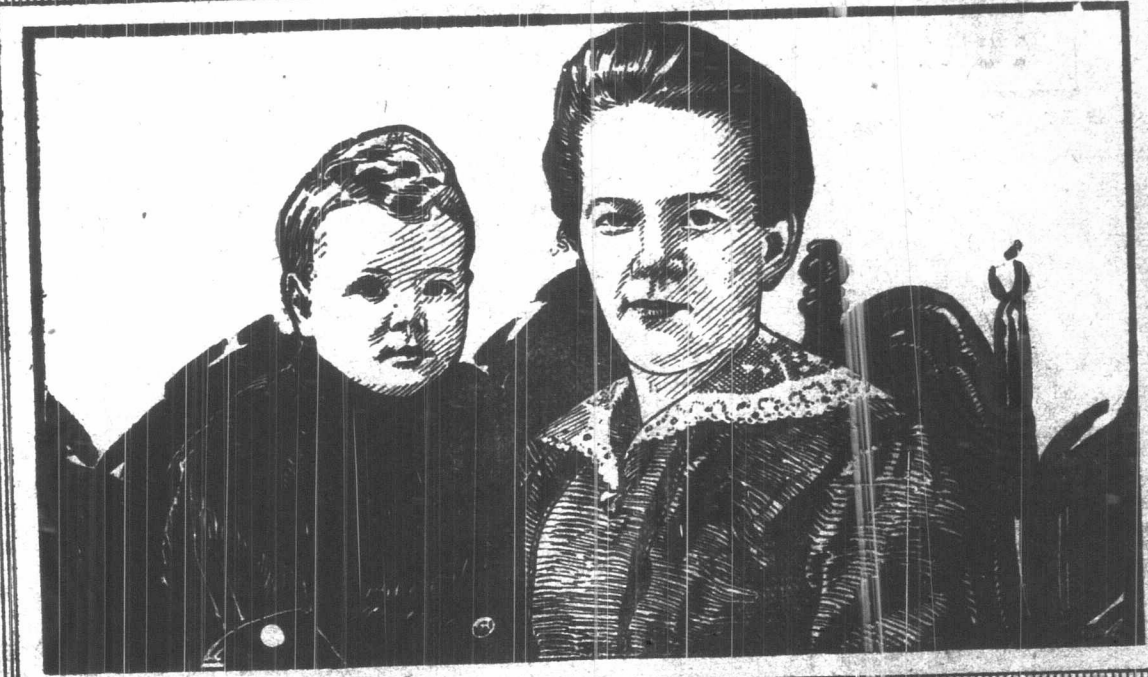
Upon motion of Coun. Lamont the sum of \$25 was ordered paid by the parish of Aberdeen to Wm. J. Lindsay for lease of gravel pit, upon order of the councillors.

Also that \$2 be paid to Hiram Biggar for services as chairman at last parish election and charged to parish of Aberdeen.

The warden said that he and the sec. treas. visited the hospital and found that the room given by the warden and councillors officials was well fitted up and ready for occupation at any time.

Notice
The ratepayers of Brighton School District, No. 3, in the Parish of Brighton, in the County of Carleton, are hereby notified that the Annual School Meeting will be held, as required by law, on Monday, the Tenth day of July, 1916, in the School House at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.
All ratepayers are requested to be present, as important business will be discussed.
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Trustees

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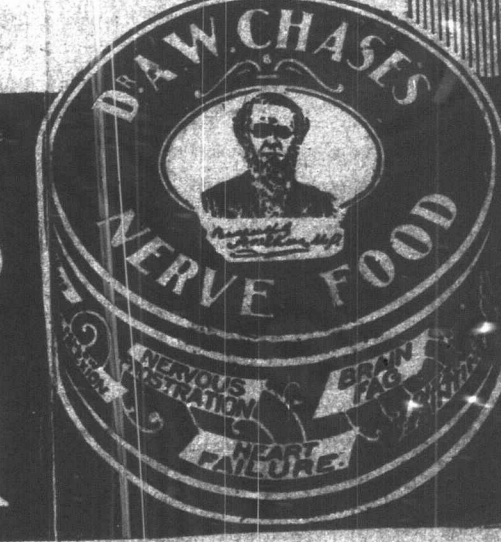
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VICTORIA BOYS GIVE LIVES

On Wednesday Judson R. Tompkins of Perth received a cablegram announcing that their son, Sergt. Spurgeon Tompkins, had been killed in action in Flanders on June 16. The news was more than shocking since a letter had arrived from him a few days before bearing cheerful news that he was still alive and well.

Sergt. Tompkins, scarcely more than a boy, enlisted and went overseas with the 55th. He was highly esteemed in his home town where he worked, at tin-smithing and plumbing with H. F. Stewart.

News has also come that Pte. James Phillips of Upper Kintore is dead. He was first reported missing but a later telegram confirmed the fact that he was killed in action. His parents have the same sympathy of the county that is outpoured for Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins.

Bruce Lovely of Perth is reported dangerously wounded. The Observer has published several letters from this young man. His father, Enoch Lovely, died since he went overseas, and his widowed mother and his relatives have heartfelt sympathy of all who hear of their grief, and hope his recovery may be speedy and complete.

"Brave lads were they gone at their country's call. And yet—and yet we cannot forget that many brave lads must fall."

Glassville Boy Died of Wounds

J. Arch McDougal of East Glassville is reported to have died of wounds in Flanders. Private McDougal has been in the west for some time and enlisted with the 78th Battalion at Winnipeg. When he arrived at Shorncliffe he wrote a letter to The Observer asking to have his address changed so that he would not miss the home paper. The paper has been going to him regularly, including this week. He is the first soldier on The Observer's subscription list to give his life for his country.



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The Peace Kite



It is a sign of the times that Germany is again flying Peace Kites.—From "To-day," London.

FOR QUEBEC RECRUITING

Appeal to Catholic French For France And Church

A spirited appeal by Sir William Peterson, president of McGill University, reads thus: "The published figures relating to recruiting in Quebec and the other provinces of the Dominion show a very marked balance against Quebec; especially as compared with Ontario, the returns for Quebec are the reverse of satisfactory. Both absolutely and relatively. The Maritime Provinces, with a very much smaller population, have done nearly as well as Quebec. There may be something that is soothing to British vanity in the proof that the English-speaking population of Quebec have done fully as well as Ontario. But Quebec as a whole stands in need of some such stirring manifesto as Mr. John Redmond issued to the young men of Ireland. He pointed out to them that 'this was a just war, provoked by the intolerable military despotism of Germany; that it was a war in defence of the rights and liberties of small nationalities, and that Ireland would be false to her history and to every consideration of honor, good faith and self-interest if she did not respond to his appeal.'"

"May not these words be applied with equal force and appropriateness to French-speaking Canada? To the average person, who can look away from local issues to the spectacle of the world's agony, it would appear that Quebec has, if anything, a greater stake than any other province in the issue of victory or defeat. One thing that is certain is, that there should be sounding to-day in the ears of the French-Canadians a call to arms rendered imperative by the dual nature of association. "To the lover of France, under whatever guise he may choose to view her, the duty is clear. For him, when the existence of that France, past, present and to come, is at stake, there can be no excuse, and there should be no hanging back. Has he ever thrilled to read of the greatest soldier and the finest army known to history, to think that both were French? The Imperial eagles are soaring upwards once more towards a fresh Austerlitz and a greater and finer Jena. Is he a lover of liberty, a democrat?—liberty, equality, fraternity—up, for the armies of the first Republic in the world are striving to hurl back the hordes of militant autocracy in a greater Valmy. Is he a Christian—nay, more, 'bon catholique'? Then ten times more should there be no hesitation. The white cross of St. Louis is once more in the field against the infidel. The Cathedral of Jeanne D'Arc has been defiled by the Hun. Happy are those from Quebec Province who have gone and are going forward. May their number be increased! The tide of war is turning now, and now it is time to play a man's part in the final triumph."

COMPLIMENTS TO HUNS

Can Reader Guess What Nation is Mentioned Respectfully?

There is a nation that spits upon international law, upon treaties, upon pledges and agreements. It mistakes for terrifying strength ferocity and a blind, useless maiming and killing of harmless men, women and children; children seem to be its favorite subjects for Zeppelein slaughters. On land and sea, from under the sea and from the air, it kills non-combatants as nonchalantly as an Apache of the old days would scalp a baby or dash out its brains against a doorpost. The madness for destruction which it can satisfy only in part on the monuments of Belgium and French art it feeds fat upon helpless, innocent human beings. The will to power scorns all the "sentimentalities" of honor. Wherever it can it makes a breach in the walls that the nations have slowly built against the old savageries of war. It murders right and left.—New York Times.



PERTH LOCALS

Mrs. Herbert Dionne is visiting relatives in Middle Simonds.

Harry O'Brien of Riley Brook is visiting friends in Fort Fairfield.

A beautiful Emperor moth with an expansion of 6 inches has been added to the school collection.

Mrs. Henshaw, with her son Vaughn, Mrs. A. Ganter returned Wednesday from a trip to Grand Falls.

Lieut. Geo. B. Wootten who was left in charge of the soldiers in the hospital and those on leave left Monday with his men to join the 140th Batt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McCrea are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Sunday June 25.

Little Dorothy Green, Pauline and Ralph Hanson spent the week-end with Miss Fern Inman at Plaster Rock.

Mrs. Hannah Everett, aged 77 years, died at her home in Carlingford on Tuesday June 27, after a brief illness.

Mesdames C. C. Tilley and F. Stinson, Plaster Rock, were guests of their sister, Mrs. J. F. Tompkins Sunday last.

Miles and Robt. McCrea went to Mars Hill on Wednesday to be present at the marriage of Flint McCrea and Miss Gray.

J. E. Mallory and son Spurgeon left Thursday for the Restigouche

where they will guide a party of American sports and build camps.

A party composed of Mrs. Sarah McCrea with her sons Flint and Montford, also two young ladies' all Mars Hill, motored to Perth Sunday and were guests of the cousin, Miles McCrea.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Armstrong, Mrs. B. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bishop of Kilburn, motored to Somerville Wednesday last.

Mrs. George Clark entertained at the tea hour Wednesday. Mrs. James Chesley, Mrs. Marshall Armstrong, Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell and Miss Ruth Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Clark and son Verdell and Mrs. Mary Howden and daughter Glenna of Presque Isle were guests of Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell and Miss Harper on Sunday.

Schools closed on the 30th. On that occasion the pupils gave a concert to their parents and afterwards refreshments were served. A fuller account will be printed next week.

The school children had a jolly picnic Tuesday. They went up Maliseet on the Tobique train and lunched near a refreshing spring. They were accompanied by their teachers also Mesdames Wright and Dickison.

S. Raymond has returned from a fishing trip up the Tobique. Percy Murphy and Raymond Wright also returned from a fishing trip on the Dead Water back of Sisson Ridge. They brought some fine specimens of their catch with them.

Mrs. Archie Hanson accompanied her father, Neil McAskill, Riley Brook, to Woodstock Friday where he consulted an eye specialist. He received encouragement that in a short time an operation could be performed which would partially restore his sight.

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Local News and Personal Items

S. J. Parsons of Woodstock was here on Monday.

James Rogers of Hartland is advertising for sale his grist mill and wood working factory.

Mrs. L. R. Hetherington has returned from her pleasant trip to Regina.

Full line of ladies' underwear, hose and La Diva and D & A corsets at Baird's.

A son of Joseph Whitely, the well-known piano tuner, has been killed at the front.

Archie Stevens of the Royal Bank, Woodstock, spent the week-end at his home here.

Dr. J. E. Jewett's office at Hartland will be closed until July 31 and at Bath until Aug. 2.

Miss Grace Thompkins of Perth spent Dominion Day with friends at Hartland and East Florenceville.

Ziba Orser is giving closest prices on cracked corn, middlings, bran and corn meal. Buy for cash and save cash.

Miss Jennie Paget, teacher in Hartland school, will spend the summer in Vancouver with her brother, Willie Paget.

At the bride's home at Howard Brook on June 28, Miss Emily Long was married to Claude Orser of Mainstream, by Rev. Earl H. Giberson.

Mrs. J. W. Doucette arrived from West Upton, Mass., on Saturday and will spend the summer with her brother, James Hobbs at Knowlesville.

On July 11 there is to be a picnic at Windsor to raise money for the Soldiers' Comfort Association. There will be the usual program of picnic sports, and a splendid supper.

The strawberry crop is exceptionally good and berries were being offered on Saturday at 10 cents a pound. They sold the week before high as 25 cents.

Misses Sadie and Mame Glass, registered nurses in Massachusetts have arrived to spend several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Glass at Windsor.

The Observer is always glad to publish, without charge, notices of church services. Such should not be left for the editor to guess at but should be phoned or handed in not later than Wednesday forenoon, early as possible.

At Stickney on Wednesday, June 28, Norah G. Tompkins, daughter of J. B. Tompkins, was married to Willie Ebbett of Peel. Rev. E. C. Jenkins performed the ceremony in the presence of a few friends and relatives. They will reside at Peel.

Last week Mrs. Annie Billings, accompanied her mother, Mrs. Thomas McCrea, and her brother-in-law, who is an invalid, arrived from Butte, Mont., and is stopping at her former home at Bannock. Mrs. McCrea, who is an elderly lady, recently suffered a severe attack of paralysis.

There was a joyful event at the home of Michael Mulheron on Wednesday of last week, the occasion being the wedding festivities of their daughter, Rose, who in the afternoon was married to James Dugan of Moose Mountain. The ceremony was performed in the R. C. church at Lakeville by Rev. Father Bradley.

C. S. Baker, the new manager of the Bank of Montreal arrived in the village today and will at once assume his duties. Mr. Baker is a native of Woodstock and married Miss Zula Hay of that town. She died only a few weeks ago leaving five young children. He will reside in the Graham residence.

The fact that Woodstock celebrated the 1st on the 3rd will probably be taken by the people of Hartland and the other upriver towns as an invitation to stay at home when there are "big doins" in the shiretown. The whole country outside of Woodstock took the historical and proper date for the observation of Dominion Day and had to go back to work on Monday.

The annual meeting of the Primitive Baptist denomination was held with the church at Wilmot from Saturday to Monday. There was a large attendance and practically all the ministers being present. The services were inspirational and full of power. The people of the district proved to be capital entertainers. A more complete report will appear in these columns at a later date.

Selling hats at cost at Baird's. Mrs. Wm. Kerr is visiting at Moncton.

Miss Glenn spent the week-end in Woodstock.

Get your Footwear at Carr's and save money.

Miss Julia McCallum visited Perth a few days last week.

Mrs. A. Y. Dickinson has been visiting friends at Fort Fairfield.

Miss Kierstead is spending the week at her home in St. Stephen.

75 cent shirts for 50 cents. \$1 and \$1.10 shirts for 75 cents at Baird's.

Abner M. Sipprell of Victoria, a man well along in years, is in a low condition of health.

Keith & Plummer Ltd., are paying 25 cents for fresh eggs and packed butter.

Mrs. G. W. Boyer and Miss Annie Davis returned today from their visit at Millinocket.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seeley left on Monday for ten day's visit to Beulah and St. John.

An attempt, likely to prove successful, is being made to bring in the remainder of Sayre's drive.

Miss Etta Stevens spent Saturday to Wednesday in Houlton with her brother, George Stevens.

Miss Elsa Sipprell has returned from Fredericton where she has been attending business college.

J. T. G. Carr is paying 25 cents for Fresh Eggs; the same for Butter packed or in one-pound bricks.

Mrs. G. E. Boyer is contemplating the erection of a dwell the work to commence at an early date.

Rev. A. A. Rideout of Dorchester, Mass., arrived here yesterday for a brief visit among his many friends.

Should Hartland be an incorporated town? Attend the meeting on Monday evening and hear the pros and cons.

Mrs. Hatfield of Boston and Mrs. A. W. Richardson of Fort Fairfield have been visiting at the home of H. J. Aiton.

Ladies' shirt waists 25 and 50 cents each. Splendid values in new waists, \$1 and \$1.25, at Baird's.

Yesterday, July 4, ordinarily one of the hottest days of the year, The Observer kept a good fire all day in order to keep warm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gillin and two friends motored from Woodstock on Monday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillin.

Service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening at 7.30, conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. S. Helps, B. A. A hearty invitation is given to all.

Lost—a carpenter's level between Hartland and Carey Dickinson's at Simonds. Finder will please leave with L. E. McFarland, Hartland.

One of the finest lines of fruit and confectionery in this town is at Ziba Orser's. If you buy fruit, why not from him who needs your trade so much?

J. H. Barnett has returned home. After a course at Truro Agricultural College he took the school at Salisbury which he has been teaching since February.

Word has been received by his friends here that Hayden Tracy, a native of the village, but who has been in New York state for some years, was recently married.

Revival services have been going on at Cloverdale, held by Adventists. On Sunday there was a baptism and a number of Hartland people motored or drove out.

Proceeding with his series of sermons on Married Life, Rev. George Kincaid will on Sunday evening take for his theme "The Relation of Husband and Wife." All are cordially invited.

At a meeting of the Church of England congregation at the Rectory on Monday evening plans of a building were submitted and it was decided to call for tenders immediately.

The tennis tournament between Andover and Woodstock clubs, which was held on the Andover courts on Dominion Day resulted in a victory for the local club. Seventeen events were played and the local club carried off the honors in eleven sets. Following the match the visitors were entertained at tea by the local club.

Bargains in Shoes at Baird's.

The Observer has read a letter from Clifford Dickinson, son of H. L. Dickinson of Windsor, who recently was wounded at the front. He received a charge of shrapnel in the ankle and is now at a hospital in London. He will be laid up for several months but hopes then to get back to the front.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Drost of Bath died at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clark, Mount Pleasant, on June 30. Services conducted at the house by Rev. P. J. Quigg. Interment in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery. Much sympathy is felt for the parents in their sad bereavement.

The Observer has a splendid position for a bright smart boy and desires to secure the type of boy who would be fit to enter the services of a bank or railway station. The pay and chance for advancement is equally good. Should prefer that he be 16 years old and he must contract to remain five years, after three months trial. Apply at once, in person, after 6 p. m.

Fort Fairfield is planning a grand historic pageant old home week and centennial celebration for Aug. 8, 9, and 10. It will surely be an event of importance and practically every family in Carleton county will be represented. Read the large advertisement in this issue, look for future locals and advertising matter. Plan your vacation and work so as to take in this big event.

Unheralded and unadvertised, an excursion train of nine empty coaches passed through Hartland yesterday morning. It transpired that the was bound for Fort Fairfield where the Glorious Fourth was especially well celebrated. Had the people of Hartland known they were to have special train facilities to reach the Fort yesterday many would have gone up. It pays to advertise.

On Monday afternoon, July 3, Miss Eva Fern Craig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Craig of the Windsor Hotel, was married to Orran Hovey of Woodstock. The ceremony was performed at the Baptist parsonage, East Florenceville, by Rev. E. C. Jenkins. Mr. Hovey served for a number of years as salesman with the John McLaughlin Co. at Hartland and recently was called to the headquarters store at Woodstock where he has an excellent opportunity, and the ability, to make good. Mrs. Hovey is one of The Observer's most valued employees serving in the joint capacity of compositor and accountant. To the newly wedded couple the staff of this paper extends every good wish for a happy future.

Be Progressive—ADVERTISE

Tenders for Church

The undersigned will receive, up to July 20, 1916, tenders for the construction of a church at Hartland from plans and according to a form of agreement which may be seen at the residence of Harry Large. The lowest nor any tender not necessarily accepted.

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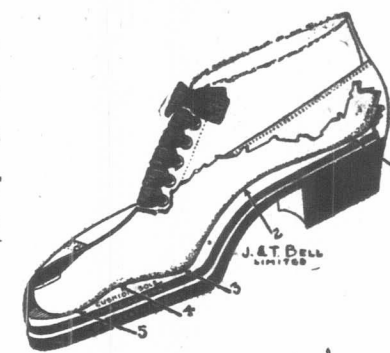
the equal of which is not on the market today. There are Pickles, Sauces, Beans, Beets, Corn, Tomatoes, etc., and the latest **Spaghetti!** thing out:

for which we can scarcely keep up with the demand. And the beauty of the thing is the prices are exceptionally low. Better try some while they last.

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THE LOST YEARS

By Edna Deane Merriam

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"You can't do better. I've handled dozens of men in your fix. Look here, you owe society a grudge. The world has robbed you of name, fortune, the best years of your life. Pay them back. I offer you the chance."

"Thank you, no," said John Thurston, simply and turned on his heel. The tempter, a man who financed criminals and made them his slaves, sneered decidedly. John Thurston went on his way, dejected, unhappy, hopeless.

A month to a day he had been released from the penitentiary after serving a five-year sentence. The man he had just left had sought him out, had tried to induce him to join his colony of burglars and petty thieves whose services he would repay with money and protection.

It was the injustice of his punishment that had galvanized the proud spirit of John Thurston, clerk in a country bank, all but engaged to sweet Alice Lisle, life all before him, the abstraction of a package of money had been laid to his charge. He had been arrested and sentenced.

When he came out of prison he found that a relative had left him a small legacy. He secured this and came to the city to begin life all over again. He had learned that Alice Lisle had long since left the little village where they had once both resided. Of course she had forgotten him. Even if not, what would she have to do with a convicted thief?

And now, wherever he had applied for work his record had come to the front. Even the criminals had located him and strove to influence him as one of their hateful guild.

"I am a marked man!" breathed Thurston bitterly. "I give up the struggle."

Dark thoughts came into his mind and they ended in the resolve of suicide. He reached a pawnshop and



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viewed with grimness its array of weapons. A velled woman was bawling at the counter inside. He waited until she had left. Then he entered the place.

Thurston was about to state his intended purchase of a revolver, when he happened to notice the article upon which the pawnbroker had just made a loan. He started. His whole being thrilled.

It was a locket. It bore two portraits. One was himself, the other of the only woman he had ever loved. Six years since he had given that keepsake to Alice Lisle.

The pawnbroker started strangely as he noticed his emotion, for Thurston had reached out and had seized the locket and was inspecting the initials upon its outer case.

"Tell me," he spoke, his voice in a tremor, "did the woman I noticed just leave this here?"

"She did," responded the pawnbroker. "What is your interest in knowing?"

"Because—because—did you see her face? It is not curiosity. It is vital that I should know."

"Yes, I noticed that she resembles her picture there. Mine is a hard business, my friend, but we money leeches, as they call us, have a heart—sometimes. I pitied the poor girl, for she looked poor and sad, and she kissed the locket at leaving, weeping and begging of me not to sell it if she could not redeem it soon."

"Did you get her address?"

"I always ask that. You are interested and you look straight. There it is."

Hurriedly John Thurston copied the name and address on the pawn-ticket. "Miss Lisle." Then she had not married! He thanked the pawnbroker, forgetting all about suicide now, and hastened from the place.

The address he had received led him to a poor tenement building about a mile distant. He made cautious inquiries to learn that Miss Lisle occupied a rear attic of the building. Five minutes later, standing on a roof stairway, Thurston looked through an open transom into a wretched room.

A fire was burning, evidently just started, and some parcels on a table indicated that they had just been purchased, probably with the proceeds of the loan made from the pawnbroker.

Upon a bed lay the wasted form of a woman. She was weeping, while her hands were outstretched in love and gratitude towards Alice Lisle, who was bustling about the room and cheerily making it more comfortable.

"Oh, you are breaking my heart, you are so good to me!" sobbed the woman on the bed. "Here for a month

you have cared for me, a stranger, half-starving yourself, and at last parting with a lost love memento, the locket."

"Better times will come, dear," interrupted Alice comfortingly. "I shall surely get work, and you, too, when you are well. We shall redeem my poor cherished token of a happy past," she added sadly, "for I would not lose it for anything. Be brave, dear, there will yet come to your patient soul showers of blessings."

Two discoveries overwhelmed the mind of the watching Thurston at that moment. The first was that Alice Lisle was loyal to his memory. The next was that she was sacrificing herself for a poor invalid fellow creature. He reached within an inner pocket and drew forth a dozen or more bank bills that represented part of his legacy. It was a vivid, irrational impulse that caused him to fling the precious money through the transom—a shower of blessings indeed!

Somehow a rare joy took possession of his soul as he fled from the spot. He wandered about the streets, thinking, thinking. Ah! here was an object in life at last to watch over in secret this devoted first love, to see that she did not suffer. He would never become known to her—ah, no! with the convict stain upon his life!

A hand touched his shoulder and Thurston turned to confront a policeman. The latter held a photograph in his hand. Thurston recognized it as one of himself, taken when he entered prison.

"I believe you are Mr. Thurston?" spoke the officer, quite respectfully.

"Yes," answered Thurston, his heart sinking. On the threshold of new hopes, was he to be hunted down by the police as he had been by criminals? Would you step to headquarters with me, sir?" pursued the officer. "It is something important—had orders to locate you for a week."

Dejected, anticipating all kinds of dreadful trouble, Thurston entered the presence of the chief of police a few minutes later.

"I have some strange news to impart to you. The son of the banker who sent you to prison has just confessed, dying, that he, and not you, was the guilty criminal. His father has written a statement exonerating you. He has also placed in my charge thirty thousand dollars, which is the amount you would have earned during your ten years' unjust imprisonment."

"Give me the statement!" cried Thurston excitedly. "At last, at last, light, hope, happiness."

There was nothing to hide from his love now! Back to the poor attic room and its bewildered inmates John Thurston hastened. Its bare walls seemed those of a palace as her lost lover renewed with sweet patient, Alice Lisle the broken troth of the dreary years ago.

DON'T WASTE TIME

Many Men Have Accomplished Wonders in Their Spare Moments

Great men are economical in their use of time. They not only work hard for hours together, but they also save the spare minutes which most persons waste in profuse employment.

As the distinguished naturalist Cuvier rode from place to place he read and thought, and the results of his saving these odd quarter hours are seen in his books.

Napoleon, as he hurried over Europe in his camp carriage, was busy in planning for the government of conquered countries and in contriving new conquests.

Milhu Burritt learned no less than eighteen languages and twenty-one dialects by the economical use of time. While he worked fourteen hours a day at his trade of a blacksmith he found a few minutes to study Latin or French.

His Greek grammar would fit into the crown of his straw hat, and as he stood at his furnace, waiting for the fusing of the metal, he would catch it up and commit to memory a part of a Greek verb.

Sir William Jones, the Oriental scholar and a judge in the supreme court of India, had so well improved his time that before he reached the age of twenty-one he knew Greek, Latin, several modern languages and the Persian. His use of the spare minutes made him both leader and famous.

John Webster said: "Never be unemployed; never be triflingly employed; never while away time."

Be careful of the minutes, and the hours will take care of themselves.

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At a recent meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute in London, the president read a paper on by-products in steel manufacture. He discussed the utilization of blast furnace gases for operating gas engines and for illumination and heating, and the later developments in making nitric acid from these gases, and also the manufacture of bricks and cement from slags. A new idea was presented looking toward the synthetic production of India rubber from coke oven gases. The president's words were: "It was being sought to obtain from the hydrocarbons, the derivatives of which were found in India rubber, and experiments that had been made permitted the foreshadowing of the manufacture of artificial rubber."

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UNLESS BRITAIN AND UNITED STATES UNITE

No Hope in the World Without Alliance Urges Famous Editor—Praise For Canada

Walter Lippmann, of the New Republic, strongly urged the United States to unite with Great Britain as the best bulwark for the peace of the world in a speech in Philadelphia at a session of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. The break-up of British sea power, he said, would plunge the world into endless conflict. This power, he urged, was beneficially wielded and it is to the interest of the United States to support it, neither taking up a policy of isolation nor trying to build a fleet equally formidable.

He said in part: "Though there will be competition between American and British merchants and capitalists, the imperial interests of Great Britain are not concerned with conquest in Latin America. The Empire is almost as much concerned as we are in the successful reform of Central and South America. On all vital issues there the United States and Great Britain are in a position to cooperate; a fact which ought to prejudice our policy in a decidedly pro-British way."

The German Choice

"We have reached a point where we are emerging from our isolation. Foreign trade is drawing us into the outer world; we are lending capital abroad, planning a merchant marine and naval program. Wherever we go, we cannot help meeting that organization of one-quarter of the human race which is known as the British Empire. We cannot ignore it—no world power can. And we have got to choose, and choose soon, between antagonism and friendship. Germany made the choice about twenty years ago. She chose to challenge the mistress of the seas and brought down upon the world an unthinkable calamity. We have to make the same choice. Surely if there is any wisdom and humanity in us we shall seek a self-respecting friendship with the British Commonwealth."

"I do not need to remind you of Canada, touching us at the noblest and longest frontier in the world, or of Australia and New Zealand, so like ourselves in democratic hope, subject to the same fears about the Orient. It seems to me that if two states so parallel in interest as America and England cannot find the way of co-operation then, there is little hope in the world. I realize the prejudices which fight against it—prejudices fastened upon us in school where children are taught to regard Indians and Red Coats as their natural enemies; prejudices cultivated not a little by trade competition, and kept alive as a political issue by fanatical Irish and German politicians. But our future, and I think the future of the Empire, depends upon the conquest of that prejudice, and it is altogether intolerable that racial memories should be permitted to thwart and distort our efforts to come to an understanding with the British."

"Conspire Against Liberty"

"Are we to follow the advice of our militarists, and build a navy to compete with theirs? If we do, we are preparing a disaster and conspiring against liberty. A scheme of the English-speaking world would leave all its parts exposed to attack. It would leave us in a state of armed and terrified isolation. It would drive the British either to misalliances with the conquering empires of the East, or lay them open to destruction. For if liberalism divides its forces in the next generation it will be cutting its own throat. England cannot alone continue to pay the financial and human cost of defending the Empire. We cannot pay the cost of isolation in a world where we have no ally. Whether we desire merely the safety of our own territory, or the safety of this hemisphere, there is, it seems to me, no choice but to come to a definite agreement with Great Britain."

Men Got Own Chaplain

If the 99th Essex Battalion is fortunate in the type of men in its ranks, it is also especially favored in its officers. The chaplain Capt. G. W. Flew, is an Englishman and a graduate of English universities, but who after preaching in Methodist parsonages in the State of Michigan for some time, enlisted as a private in the Essex Battalion, and so endeared himself to the men that they insisted upon him being their chaplain.

Yale Graduate a Hero

Second Lieut. Arnold Whitridge, of Yale 1914, son of F. W. Whitridge, of New York, was among those receiving the Military Cross for gallantry in continuing to direct the fire of his battery in the face of some of the hottest fighting experienced, and with the enemy trenches but a few hundred yards away. Whitridge is one of a group of young American college men who joined the British artillery early in the war.

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