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N. Easton Fined \$750 For Breach of O.T.A.

Had Two Suitcases Filled With Bottles of Liquor—Police Arrested Him as He Stepped From Train.

Nathaniel Easton of this city was met by members of the Belleville police force when he stepped off a passenger train at the union C.P.R. and C.N.R. station this morning about 4.30. The officers, Sergt. Nathan, P. C. Trausch and P. C. VanMeer took from him two suitcases heavily laden. Mr. Easton was put under arrest and charged with a breach of the Ontario Temperance Act. The contents of the two suitcases were intoxicating liquor and contained in all 36 bottles.

McAll Mission Work in France

Religious Condition of the French Republic Shown By Rev. W. H. Brokenshire.

That France is a nation which has left the historic church of Rome, that only 750,000 of her people are Protestant, only ten per cent. Catholic and that twenty seven million are without God, was the statement made by the Rev. W. H. Brokenshire, M.A. D.D., at the Y. M. C. A. last evening, who appeared in the interests of the McAll Mission of France. This great mass of the people are non-Christian. France possesses millions working among those who have no religion and millions who have no religion. These are some of the things that are being done in Brokenshire. He will return to Belleville in September in the interest of the Canadian McAll Mission, of which he is field secretary. Next autumn, the Federation of Protestant churches of France and Belgium will put on a campaign in Canada to raise funds to restore the Protestant churches ruined in the Great War.

Mr. Brokenshire went overseas as an educational director of the Y.M.C.A. with the American Expeditionary Force. He told in brief his experiences in France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany. Before he went to France he was the pastor of Wood Memorial Church, Cambridge, Massachusetts. He is a native of Kingston, Ont.

It is a far call from Belleville, Ontario, to Belleville, France. The latter is a suburb of Paris and is famous as the birthplace of the McAll Mission. The speaker told of the visit of Rev. Dr. R. W. McAll, to France in 1871 to the hotbed of the Communist Movement which followed the Franco-Prussian war. Communism resembles Bolshevism, stopping at no cruelty nor bloodshed. The Communists murdered the archbishop in his home for no other reason than that he was an archbishop. They ransacked the streets for priests and shot them down in cold blood. Rev. Dr. McAll had carried some tracts in French to France and these he distributed among the Communists who, strange to relate, received him with open arms. He decided to settle in France. The anarchists who nine months previously had assailed all authority were converted. Two new meeting houses were opened up in other parts of Paris. Dr. McAll's attitude was that there should be no interference with religion or politics. The work spread in the provinces. There are in France today four Protestant branches, Lutherans, Reformed, the McAll Mission and the Salvation Army, with 1000 meeting places, but there are only 750,000 Protestants in France. The Catholic population is only one-tenth and the rest are neither Catholic nor Protestant, but are drifting.

Mr. Brokenshire pointed out the methods of the McAll Mission, bright evangelistic hymns, the use of portable chapels holding 150 to 175 people, floating chapels, (which ply up and down the rivers and canals of France), the use of the mission automobile, travelling from place to place and the work of the colporteur. All the churches have received a new birth from the McAll mission work. Mr. Brokenshire appealed for support of the necessaries in France

Serious Developments Feared in Ireland

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

DUBLIN, April 14—The general strike declared yesterday in protest against the treatment of the Irish hunger strikers in Mount Joy prison continued today with added tendency towards disorder and increased fears of serious developments. Sixty thousand workers in Dublin alone are on strike and a feeling of pronounced excitement prevailed throughout the capital. The day was marked early by a fatality. Constable Harry Kelly was shot dead while on plain-clothes duty in Camden street this morning. The constable's assailant was an unidentified young man. He fired two shots from his revolver and ran away before he could be apprehended. The shooting added to the general excitement. Thousands of people are parading the streets and collisions between the populace and the military are feared.

Strikers Gradually Losing Strength

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

CHICAGO, April 14—Improvement of freight traffic continues in central west today with the insurgent railroad men refraining to work at several points. But the industrial situation in Ohio and Michigan reached a crisis as the result of the stoppage of the fuel supply and in the far west, where a dozen passenger trains were reported to be stalled in southern California. The situation is becoming alarmingly serious. Government agents are taking a close check on the strike situation at the various rail centres and at New Orleans, six insurgent leaders were held on federal warrants charging them with interference with the mails. Following a raid on the strikers' meeting, both insurgent leaders and railroad brotherhood officials said the fight had evolved into a lingering affair but the brotherhood men declared that the insurgents were gradually losing strength.

Unionists Carry Two Seats in England

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

LONDON, April 14—Right Hon. T. J. McNamara was today declared elected for the Northwest Cumberland seat in the House of Commons. He sought re-election on assuming the office of Labor Minister. He obtained 6818 votes. Susan Lawrence, Labor 4733 and J. Carroll, Independent Liberal 3386. In the Basingstoke constituency Sir Arthur Helbrook, Coalition Unionist was elected to succeed Sir Auckland Geddes. Liberal and Labor candidates were second and third respectively.

26 Persons Shot By the Reichwehr

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

ESSEN, April 14—Twenty-six persons were shot dead and two seriously wounded by members of the Reichwehr who got beyond the control of their officers last week in the triangular district between Bottrop, Essen and Mulheim, according to a statement made by Col. Von Baumbach, Reichwehr commander. The troops were incensed by reports that the Red army had mistreated prisoners and also by the abolition of military tribunals by order of the Berlin authorities.

Gen. Bing Becomes London's Chief Cop

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

LONDON, April 14—The Daily Chronicle says that Lord Bing, formerly Canadian commander, will succeed General McCready as Chief of London Police.

Prisoners to Receive Ameliorative Treatment

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

LONDON, April 14—Andrew Bonar Law said in the House today that the Irish government had decided to treat those prisoners in Mount Joy prison, who were arrested on suspicion by competent military authorities, differently from other classes of prisoners and they would receive ameliorative treatment.

Distribute Beef to Check Rising Prices

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

NEW YORK, April 14—Arrangements for the distribution of twelve million pounds of beef under government supervision to consumers here to break the upward trend of prices resulting from the railroad strike was announced by federal agents today. Additional supplies held by the army in reserve also will be released if the strike continues, it was said.

Armistice Declared in Guatemala

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

WASHINGTON, April 14—An armistice between Unionists in Guatemala and the forces of President Estrada Cabrera has been signed and the proposal made that President Cabrera leave the country, according to advices today to the State Dept.

Morning Dispatches

I.W.W. BEHIND SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE

WASHINGTON, April 14—The government has undoubtedly proof that the I.W.W. fomented the switchmen's strike in an attempt to bring about a world revolution.

STRIKERS REFUSE ARBITRATION

JERSEY CITY, April 14—The report of the committee to arbitrate when put up to the men was refused by an overwhelming majority.

RACING TO BE PERMITTED FOR A YEAR

TORONTO, Apr. 14—Ontario will permit racing in Ontario for at least a year but will demand a revenue of ten thousand dollars per day for the privilege.

ALL WIRES TO IRELAND HAVE BEEN CUT

LONDON, April 14—All wires to Ireland have been cut since one o'clock this morning. No disorders were reported up to the time of cutting the wires.

SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE GAINING IN THE EAST

NEW YORK, April 14—The switchmen's strike is gaining ground all along the east coast but the situation is much improved in the west.

PRINCE REACHES HONOLULU

HONOLULU, April 14—The Prince of Wales reached here yesterday on the cruiser "Renown."

Obituary

MR. JOHN BLONDIN

Mr. John Blondin, a well known and highly respected resident of Roslin, passed away on Saturday morning, April 11th, after being in poor health for some months past. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, when the remains were conveyed to Shannonville and interred in the family plot, Rev. J. A. Davies, Rector of Roslin, officiating. Deceased was eighty years of age and is survived by his son, Mr. John T. Blondin, of Chicago.

Victim of Accident Was Laid to Rest

Untimely Death of Raymond Kelly Drew Forth Deep Expressions of Sorrow.

From The Nicholson (Pennsylvania) Examiner we copy the following report of the death and obsequies of Raymond Kelly, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. William Rose, Dundas St. W. in this city. Mr. Kelly was well and favorably known both at Belleville and Trenton. In the latter town he was a valued worker at the plant of the British Chemical Co., in the latter period of the war.

The sad and premature ending of so promising a career is indeed a profound sorrow to his bereaved wife and his many intimate friends.

The Examiner says—The untimely death of Raymond Kelly, which occurred Wednesday, March 31, as the result of being struck by an automobile, at Claymont, Delaware, was a great shock to his numerous friends, and left many grieving hearts. Word came that he had been seriously injured and that heroic efforts were being made at Chester hospital by physicians to save his life; but a few hours later the sad intelligence came over the wires that Raymond Kelly had passed away.

Raymond Kelly was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Manning D. Kelly, and was born in Nicholson in 1896. After his graduation from the High School, he was employed on the cutoff, working with the engineers, and proving himself very efficient in that line. When the cutoff was completed he accepted a lucrative position at Trenton, Canada. He was married to Miss Eula Rose in the city of Belleville, Ontario, and about a year ago he went to Claymont, Delaware.

Deceased was a young man of excellent character and cherished high ideals of life. He grasped every opportunity for advancement and was remarkably successful in everything in which he engaged. He was of a vivacious temperament, bright and alert in his manner, with a personality that won for him hosts of friends. This was verified in a remarkable degree when the call came from among his co-workers, at the chemical plant where he was employed previous to the accident. Two hundred responded, willing to give their life-blood for an operation in an effort to save him. He leaves to deeply mourn his loss his young wife, his parents, one sister, Mrs. Crock; two grandmothers, Mrs. Jane Boyle and Mrs. Lydia Kelly. A depth of sympathy, abiding, inexpressible, goes out to the bereaved family from countless hearts. The funeral obsequies were largely attended from the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Jane Boyle, Saturday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. Rev. Carl Councilman of the Methodist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. S. H. Houser, of the Presbyterian church, who offered prayer. Rev. Councilman spoke words of comfort to the bereaved friends of the subject: "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favor rather than silver and gold." Mrs. H. S. Stephens and Mrs. W. S. Decker added to the deeply impressive services by their fine rendering of "He Knows it All," closing with "Abide With Me." A large concourse of friends followed the remains to the Nicholson cemetery, where all that was mortal of this well beloved young man was laid at rest on the hillside, overlooking the scenes of his happy boyhood. A wealth of beautiful flowers, tributes of friends and relatives, expressed esteem and loving memories of the deceased.

The flower bearers were: Miss Grace Rought, Binghamton; Miss Agnes Donahue, Mrs. Irene Knickerbocker, Nicholson and Mrs. John Higgs, Conshohocken. The pallbearers: J. Simpson Stephens, Geo. B. Rought, Robert Dix, Adrian Quick, Gene Moench, Marcus Hook, Fred Hixson, Scranton.

Among those from out-of-town attending the funeral were: Mrs. Wm. Rose, Belleville, Ontario, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. Manning D. Kelly, Claymont, Del.; Mrs. A. E. Rovers, Geraldine Rogers, Harry Hopewell, Fred Hixson and Mrs. John Burke, Scranton; Gene Moench, Marcus Hook; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers, Claymont, Del.; Mrs. May Dooley and Mrs. Jane Mitchell, New Milford; Miss Madeline Stephens, Binghamton; Mrs. Vida James, Niven; Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Wilkins, Jersey City; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilkins, Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boyle, Peckville; J. Simpson Stephens, Endicott; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Jr., Alford.

W. C. A. NOTES

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.A. was held in the council chamber at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 6th, 1920. Reports from the various committees were given. Lady on duty for Hospital, Miss Yeomans; lady on duty for Home, Mrs. Hearst. Edith M. Willis, Cor. Secy. Gifts to Home. Mrs. Duncanson, turnips; Mrs. Triddy, apples; Mrs. Lazler, clothing; Mrs. Treverton, corn; Mr. S. Farley, cabbage (7); Mrs. Chas. Farley, 2 cans fruit; Mrs. J. Sherry, lettuce; Salvation Army S.S., per Mrs. Brown, 1 doz. eggs; Holloway St. Ladie's Aid, sandwiches; Mrs. Sinfield, onions and eggs.

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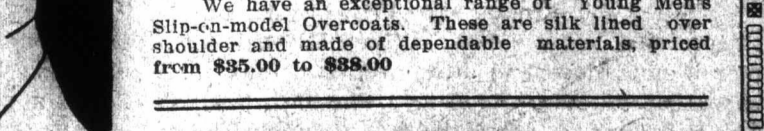
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THE BAY BRIDGE PROBLEM

In view of the fact that last night's public meeting had no authoritative opinion before it as to the present value of the Bay bridge, the general resolution adopted was as far as it was wise or prudent to go.

Last summer, at the request of the City Council, the Department of Public Works of Ontario sent an engineer to Belleville to examine and report upon the condition of the bridge. The engineer made a thorough examination of the property and, we are informed made a report to the department.

Why has that report not been given to the public? Of what value to our City Council, or the municipalities interested, is a report they have never seen and that is kept carefully pigeon-holed in the department at Toronto?

As parties to a proposed transaction to which they will be asked to contribute 60 per cent of the first cost and 60 per cent of subsequent maintenance the people of the City of Belleville and of the Counties of Prince Edward and Hastings are entitled to the fullest information in the possession of the Department and should insist upon getting it. We can see no legitimate reason for shrouding such a matter in mystery.

To determine the value of a structure like the Bay bridge is a task for experts. The opinions of laymen, upon such a subject are mere guesses, based upon wholly inadequate information. The opinion of one man, who can judge in a reliable manner about how much the steel-work has deteriorated in its 30 years of exposure to the elements and how much longer it may be presumed to last, is more to be depended upon than the opinions of ten thousand men who could not distinguish bessemer steel from cast-iron.

Knowledge of the value of the old bridge is the crux of the whole situation.

Before our citizens can act intelligently, they must know what the bridge company has got to sell and what the article they have to sell is worth at present prices.

In a matter involving so large a capital outlay it cannot be expected that those who will be called upon to pay are going to go it blind. They want to have the fullest and most competent advice available.

The old bridge may be cheap at the \$85,000 asked, or it may be worth only \$25,000 or it might be an extravagant white elephant to us if we got it for nothing and were obliged to keep it up. We are in the dark as far as any accurate knowledge goes.

The value set upon the bridge by experts will determine whether it is more advantageous to buy the old structure or erect a new one.

Assuming that we buy the old bridge at \$85,000 and put upon it \$15,000 additional for repairs that may be immediately needed, we would have a capital expenditure of \$100,000. Allowing reasonable amounts for such items as cost of flooring, painting, upkeep and repairs, depreciation, interest on investment, etc. we cannot escape with an average annual outlay of much less than \$21,000. Some with whom we have talked place the annual charges much higher. \$21,000 represents the interest upon \$350,000 at current rates.

Mr. Lucius B. Allen, who is thoroughly informed as to conditions, has furnished a careful estimate of the cost of constructing an entirely new bridge to the east of the present bridge. The total cost of a modern, permanent bridge with 24-foot driveway, and capable of carrying 20-ton loads, Mr. Allen gives as \$853,000.

On the old structure the driveway is only sixteen feet wide and the Prince Edward farmer is not allowed to draw even two tons of cheese across the bridge to Belleville market. The company is not compelled to permit loads in excess of two tons, including weight of animals and vehicle, to cross the bridge.

The tendency of modern traffic is to the motor-truck. Trucks carrying five to ten tons are now common. Trucks, with trailers,

conveying loads up to 20 tons are frequent sights in all large American cities and upon American highways.

The old bridge is entirely unsuited to modern traffic such as will form a large proportion of all future travel upon the provincial highways. And, equipped as it is with wooden flooring, that part of its anatomy can now be renewed only at enormous cost.

Taking into consideration such facts as these it will be seen that the price set upon the old bridge must be an exceedingly modest one to make it a wise investment.

There is no doubt but that the sentiment of the meeting was decidedly favorable to the erection of a new bridge rather than to dabble with the uncertainty involved in acquiring the old. The applause that greeted Mayor Riggs' remarks about building an entirely new structure was so spontaneous and strong as to give an ample indication of the opinion of those present.

Upon one phase of the subject there was absolutely no difference of opinion—that is that tolls should be abolished. Whether a new bridge is built or the old one purchased, the people are determined that such an anachronism as a toll barrier shall be no longer tolerated.

The resolution carried with unanimity at last night's meeting marks a distinct step in advance but the matter should not be allowed to rest there. We should next learn the value of the old structure from engineering experts and then our municipal representatives would be in a position to go ahead and deal with the matter in the light of adequate knowledge.

A particularly gratifying feature of the meeting was the broad-minded spirit shown in the addresses by Mayor Newman and Reeve Hazel of Picton and also by Reeve Baxter of Bloomfield. These men were big enough to view the subject, not in a narrow sectional way, but rather with the enlarged vision of the general interest. Such vision indicates statesmanship rather than parish politics.

Don't worry, the spring suit will be able to come back.

There is a disagreement as to who is boss on the Bosphorus.

The birds this week no doubt felt that they made a mistake in leaving their comfortable summer home so soon.

France has no illusions as to Germany, and it is well for the rest of the world that this is so. There isn't the slightest doubt but that the Ruhr situation was brought on by influences at Berlin in sympathy with the old regime; that and the German determination to evade, if possible, carrying out the conditions of the peace agreement. The sending of troops into the neutral zone in heavy force will silence those who, of late, have been moved by Germany's whines into pleading for less harshness on the part of the Allies Germany every hour since the signing of the armistice has been moving towards just such a crisis as has developed in the Ruhr Valley Only France seems to have realized this. Clemenceau and Foch repeatedly warned the Versailles conference that Germany was unrepentant for her crimes and would do everything to embarrass her conquerors and evade punishment. France insisted passionately upon the most powerful safeguards against a new attack from the north by the establishment of neutral districts, prolonged occupation of some portions of Germany, the cutting down of Germany's army to a mere handful and the retention of strong allied forces at strategic points on both sides of the Rhine. The wisdom of this is spectacularly shown by France's swift occupation of the Ruhr district with a strong army. Germany has been headed off in a bold attempt to elude payment and at the same time secure a position from which to menace France.

The French can be depended upon to keep an iron grip on the Germans until they have paid in full for their crime. The haven't been bamboozled by the skillful propaganda of the Teuton as have some of the other signatories to the peace pact. France has shown herself ready for any move the Germans may make. The Allies should give her every support.

A MISUNDERSTANDING A sailor man he left the sea—he thought it would be grand To start a little poultry farm upon a bit of land. He went and bought a lovely hen and then he brought her home. She was a very tidy hen, she didn't need a comb. He said unto the hen, "Lay to," but till the day was done. Although she did her very best, she only could lay one!

—The Khan, Toronto, Telegram

OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

ONE REASON SOUNDS REASONABLE

Why fee will be high— It was too thick to cut. The snow was too deep. It was too heavy to handle. It was too cold to work out of doors. The dealers need the money—Portland Press.

CORRECTING THE CHILDREN

Out in Saskatchewan, where apparently many things are done well, and where evidently there also exists a need for this special legal department, the report of the juvenile court shows that during the two years of its existence four hundred and fifty-one children have appeared before Judge Ethel MacLachlan. Of this number, one and but three for a third time. The report of the year that has recently closed shows that two hundred and forty-four children appeared before the juvenile court judge, which is a little more than half the total for the two years' life of the court. Of this number two hundred and twenty-seven appeared once, thirteen twice and three made a third appearance. In making her report, Judge MacLachlan speaks with deep appreciation of the efforts of the probation officers to assist the children in "making good" after a first offence. The follow-up work in all social reform endeavors is important, and if its officers are not particularly adapted to meet any situation, the results are bad for the offender and discouraging to the welfare department, whose business it is to correct the existing offences. Judge MacLachlan has a system of small fines, paid by the juvenile offenders, which, she declares, is much more effective than a larger sum, which of necessity must be paid by the parents or guardians. This fixes the responsibility and brings to the child a realization that it is a part of a community and as such must take upon its shoulders the burden of its own offences against laws that were designed to protect, and that cannot be lightly regarded.—Brookville Recorder and Times.

MAN'S 'SUPERIORITY'

Lady Astor may have failed in her attempt to have the Equal Suffrage Act amended by the British Commons by having the age at which a woman can vote changed from 30 to 21 years, but she has at least won what may best be described as a moral triumph. She has, at least asserted the rights of her sex.—The provision as to age contained in the Act in question is a crude and discriminating piece of legislation which any fair-minded man should be ashamed to support. The provision referred to demonstrates the sublime egotism of the average male mortal, the self-assurance with which he deludes himself into the belief that he is one of the lords of creation, a being physically and intellectually the superior of the members of the weaker sex. It is also an outstanding example of a shallow political artifice. According to masculine logic, single women especially will be averse to making the public admission that they have attained the age of 30 years, and this, it is hoped, will keep down the supply of women voters. Why should a man be considered qualified to vote at 21 while a woman has not attained the essential intellectual standard until she is 30? The female of the species attains maturity, intellectually and physically, before the male. A woman is regarded as reaching her majority at 18. When she is 14 she is legally supposed to be able to protect her own moral safety. However, in England the impression prevails that she knows nothing of public affairs, has no ideas on the question of political probity, until she is 30.—Petersborough Review.

FEDERALIZATION IN BRITAIN

Congestion, immense, growing and crushing, must remain quite inevitable so long as a single legislature attempts to deal with all the domestic politics of forty-six million people, besides controlling the defence and the external affairs of about a quarter of mankind. We have quoted before now some comparative figures from the other English-speaking democracies, and remind our readers, how, in the United States, there is on the average, about one government and legislature to every two million people; in Canada, one

to every 800,000; in Australia, one to every 700,000; in South Africa, one to every 1,200,000; and in New Zealand, one to a million. The logic of these contrasts cannot be escaped. We must make up our minds, as a matter of urgency, to the establishment of a system of devolution and federalism throughout the United Kingdom, in which the government's Irish bill should be only the first step.—London Daily Chronicle.

TWEED

Miss Rosaline Hart of Deseronto spent Easter with her parents at Stoco. Mr. E. Jackson, of Cobourg, spent the week-end in town. Mr. A. D. Robertson, of Campbellford paid a business visit to Tweed last week. Miss Jennie and Irene Elliott spent the holidays in Queensboro visiting relatives. Mr. L. Frost spent Easter Sunday in Belleville. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Robertson, of Montreal, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Collins last week. Miss Millie Whalen of Notre Dame Convent Kingston is visiting her home in Stoco. Miss M. Fawcett left on Friday for Mount Forest where she will visit her brother. Miss Annie Frost is spending the week with friends in Belleville. Miss M. D. Taylor, of Ottawa, is visiting her brother Mr. J. D. Taylor. Mrs. Laura LaFontaine, of Toronto, spent last week, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LaFontaine. Miss Madeline Tuft of Toronto was an Easter guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tuft. Miss Winnie Slepper, of Belleville, spent over Sunday in town. Mrs. Doughty and little daughter, Grace, of Peterboro, spent the Easter holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newton. Mrs. F. J. Thompson and Mrs. H. Letch, of Tamworth, attended the funeral of Mr. R. Gray, in Queensboro on Wednesday. Mr. Albert Farrar, of Oshawa, and Mr. J. Farrar, of Trenton, were visitors in town last week. Miss Marion Mouch, of Belleville, spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Mouch. Seventy dollars a month and board was offered the other day to a young farmer if he would remain in the neighborhood instead of taking up other employment. Another instance is cited of \$50 a month, free house, privilege of planting a garden and potato ground, keeping a cow, pig, hens and in fact conducting a farm of his own on a small scale as the tempting bait handed out to a married man. The farm labor problem is said to be very acute and many farmers will get along without hired help.—Tweed News and Advocate.

NAPANEE

Miss Nellies Miln, of Belleville, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Deak. Mr. K. J. Valentine spent a day last week in Belleville attending the Holstein Breeders' annual sale. Mr. Geo. H. Meagher, of "Meagher's", Belleville spent Easter Sunday in town with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meagher. Miss Winnifred Perry, of Albert College, Belleville, is spending the holidays at her home on Adelphi St. Miss Dorothy Robinson is home from Toronto spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson. Mr. Claude R. Young, of Queen's University, Kingston, spent the Easter holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Young. Mr. Fred Parrott and Master Jack, of Belleville, spent the Easter holidays with the former's mother, John street. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Foltz, Miss Helen Foltz and Mr. Harold Barrett, Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Adams, Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walsh, John St. Mr. Reginald Webb, of California, who is attending Upper Canada College, is spending the Easter recess with Mrs. F. P. Miller. Miss Sarah Carroll, of Hamilton, Ont., and Miss Irene Sullivan, of Chicago, are visiting their relatives in Bath and Conway for a couple of months. Miss Walton of Belleville, who assisted at the Musical Club concert on Tuesday evening, was the guest of Miss Hattie Wartman during her stay in Napanee. Mrs. Aikenbrack, Sydenham, spent Easter and the following week in Toronto, and on Wednesday attended the reception given by the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Clarke at Government House to the members of the O. E. B. Nursing Sister Janet Williamson, M.M., and Nursing Sister Lenora Harrington, M.M., Kingston, spent the Easter vacation with Mr. and

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THADDEUS B. SCOTT, late of the County of Hastings, Esquire, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Thaddeus B. Scott who died on or about the Fifth Day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty are required to send in writing to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of May, 1920, or before that date, if he is held by the executor of the last will of the said Thaddeus B. Scott, their claims and surcharges and in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly verified by a 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, and no claim or debt of any kind shall be admitted or allowed against the said estate, and no person or persons of whose claims or debts notice has not been received by the undersigned on or before the 1st day of May, 1920, shall have any right to participate in the assets of the said estate. DATED this 25th day of March, A.D. 1920. F. S. WALLBRIDGE, Solicitor for Executor, wa.15.15.22

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Jena Sine, late of the County of Hastings, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Jena Sine who died on or about the Twenty-seventh day of September, A.D. 1913, are required on or before the 1st day of May, 1920, to deliver to Carrie Sine, Frankford, Ontario, by Statutory Declaration, a true and correct statement of their claims and surcharges and in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and nature of the security (if any) held by them duly verified by a 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 have received notice, and no person or persons of whose claims or debts notice has not been received by her at the time of such distribution shall have any right to participate in the assets of the said estate. DATED this 11th day of April A.D. 1920. F. S. Wallbridge, Solicitor for Administrator, wa.15.22.

4TH CON. SIDNEY.

Service next Sunday evening will be held at 7.30 p.m., Rev. T. Wallace pastor. Mrs. H. Langabeer and son Arthur of Peona, Ill., spent Thursday of last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris. Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood and family spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. Clapp. Mr. and Mrs. F. Vermilyea, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pherson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vermilyea and son and Mr. and Mrs. J. Detlor and son took tea with Mr. R. McPherson on Wednesday of last week. Rev. and Mrs. Wallace and family spent one day last week with Rev. and Mrs. Merrick, of Thomasburg. The concert given by the mission band on Monday evening was well attended. The proceeds of the evening was \$12.40. Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris motored to Hart's, Madoc township on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wood. The weather is very unfavorable for the farmers to get at their spring work.

MARRIED

Married at the Methodist Parsonage, Caniffon, April the 7th, by Rev. J. S. McMullen, Mr. Clarence A. Martin, of the fourth concession of Thurlow to Miss Annie Pearl Lawrence, of Caniffon. Mr. Harold H. Lawrence and Miss Alice L. Martin were in attendance. One hundred farms in Northumberland county have changed hands since the crops were taken off them last year. Fire which originated in an overheated grate, did \$200 damage to the home of Dr. D. H. Arnold, London.

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Rastus Meiklejohn's Plight

A Short Story Written For The Ontario by Marthy Meiklejohn.

Last Sunday afternoon Rastus said he thought after that windy shower on Saturday, that he'd take a walk back through the fields and see if any rails had blown off the fences.

Well, he had only been gone a few minutes when "Nicolas Abercrombie came over to see Alziny. They took a couple of chairs out under the oak tree in the yard, and Alziny laid down on the lounge by the window to take a nap.

That's all I remember, for I dropped asleep and was awakened by the greatest commotion behind the house you ever heard.

When Rastus was coming across the pasture, he spied that big red Durham "critter" of Silas Jefferson's in his field. He went to drive him out, but the "critter" spied his red flannel shirt and made straight for Rastus, pawing and roaring.

Rastus thought the sooner he started for home the better, for he is so fat he cannot run very well. He took a short-cut over the fence by the bee-hives, and one of the rails rolled and upset one of the hives. The bees were very indignant, and never thought of blaming that rail for the trouble but blamed it all on Rastus.

Well, those bees tackled him from all directions at once. They stung him on the face, neck and hands. They crawled up his sleeves and

down his shirt-collar. Nicolas and Alziny ran around the house to see what made all the commotion. Nicolas tried to beat them off and get him away from them, but they were thoroughly angry and only saw in Nicolas a new foe to attack.

I seized a pail of water and threw it over him and that sort of dampened them so they did not press the attack so hard. Rastus peeled off his shirt to get the bees out, and said: "Oh, Marthy! fetch the saleratus or something to take the sting out."

I brought out the bluing and some vinegar and painted him till he looked like a huge bluebell. Nicolas got stung on the nose, and it swelled to twice its size; but Rastus had both eyes swelled shut. I told Rastus to lie down on the couch on the verandah where it was cool while I got supper. I whispered to him that I heard Nicolas tell Alziny that he was going to ask him something. Then I went to get supper.

Presently Nicolas came around where he was and started walking up and down the floor. "Mr. Meiklejohn—er—um—ah—" he began, and Rastus sez, "Oh, stop that stumping around like a frozen-footed hen. If you have anything to say, speak up like a man. You'll feel better when you get it off your stomach."

Nicolas was fairly staggered, but he said, "Oh, hang it all anyway; Rastus, can I have your Alziny? I'm pertickler fond o' her and want her for my wife." And Rastus said he didn't know as he cared, if she didn't.

ARE PRICES TO FALL?

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

One of the greatest statistical agencies in the United States has issued a warning to its patrons to go slow in wholesale purchases for the future. "Prices on many commodities already are tobogganing; others still balancing will crash soon; but a third class will hang high for some time," is the announcement which declares.

Federal reserve bank officials are of the opinion that the spot pedal is being, or is about to be, applied and the period of reckless and extravagant buying by the American people is ended, or is near the end. It was a great carnival while it lasted, something that will be written in volumes in the days to come, comparisons to be made with certain periods in Roman history.

The reserve bank headcentre at Washington is the nation's—the world's, for that matter—clearing house. It is the solar-plexus of banking and finance. Whatever of moment takes place throughout the nation is recorded almost instantaneously at that point. If there is a business recession in any one section, headquarters is sure to know it almost as soon as it has happened; if there is an unusual demand in another for more credits to transact a greater volume of business, the central bank knows of it at once. The board's most recent statement is to the effect that the "morning after" has arrived. We are looking back, away back, over three years of irresponsibility due

to the world upheaval. It was inevitable that the public should take a tumble to itself before it was too late. It is this saving grace that is to prevent a crash in business, if not a banking panic. A little while longer on high gear and something must happen. People are beginning to think twice about their commitments; the time may come when wages and salary and income must undergo a readjustment.

Prices have been abnormal. Profits have been abnormal; wages fixed. All but the poor devils on fixed salaries, so-called, have been joy-riding. Things are righting themselves slowly, which is the best way. Labor in certain industries has reached the point where it means gambling with destiny to go ahead under the increase. Factories are limiting their outputs on purpose; customers are being requested to reduce their orders. Many places are going from hand to mouth in preparation for the inevitable adjustments. Wholesale houses are advising retailers to restrict orders on high-priced goods so as not to be in the lurch when the squeeze comes; and retailers are putting a curb on pure extravagance. Eastern seaboard cities are reported piling up in commodities. Western cities are moving with caution. Thrift is in the offing. It has had a long vacation.

The Vice of Gambling

Rev. Dr. Scott of Bridge St. Speaks on This Theme

The vice of gambling was analyzed by the Rev. Dr. Scott in a very earnest sermon at Bridge St. Methodist Church. He based his address on the passage in St. John 19, 23-24 in which the story is told of the Roman soldiers casting lots for Christ's garment. Gambling is very ancient. We find laws against it among the Greeks and Romans. In England 400 years ago, leading to gambling were prohibited. We have had laws for these 400 years to restrain and put an end to gambling for its injurious effect not only on the individual but on the nation. In 1867 a law was enacted prohibiting gambling in bank shares, no trading being allowed unless the stock was actually paid for. Would it not be a wholesome law to apply to all kinds of stock, thus relieving the stock market of much of the gambling?

Chauncey Depew is authority for the statement that 90 per cent. of the cases of embezzlement and fraud in the courts are the result of gambling.

The word gambling comes from the same word as gaming. The preacher pointed out the wholesomeness of recreation and games. He pointed out that there was a distinction between games and gambling. There is a fundamental distinction between games of skill, which cultivate openness, forethought, precision and which have a helpful influence psychological as well as physical and games of chance. But when the element of chance appears, it brings in the spirit of gambling. A man without intelligence or skill may succeed in the game of chance. But the tendency of the game of chance is forecasting the possibilities and then betting on them. We should inculcate the playing of the games of skill and in this way draw the attention from the games of hazard. "Is gambling in itself an evil? What harm can there be in taking

the stake a man is willing to lose?" This would justify you in stealing from a millionaire because he is able to stand it. The same principle leads the public conscience to think it no harm to rob the government or corporations.

Gambling is wrong in itself. It leads to gain without merit or effort. God's law is that through labor we shall produce our wealth. Gambling reverses this law and makes it possible to get money without toil. It becomes such an insidious poison that it is today leading millions of young men from work. Those addicted to it, says Tacitus are the idle or business men in their idle hours.

It is hard to distinguish between the gambler and the thief. Gambling destroys the love of work, which lies at the basis of manhood. Gambling in the principle that would mean the survival of the fittest.

Gambling brings degradation wherever it goes. It is wrong because the winnings are the losses of another. It cultivates a hard egotism and produces a deterioration of character. What is the difference between the highwayman and the gambler? The one says, "Put your hands up," at the point of the pistol, the other says "put up your hands" at the point of a false code of honor.

Unrest today is largely due to the methods of capitalization whereby the laborer does not get his share of his production. Until we get this condition removed—the watering of stock, duplication of shares and so on, there can be no real rest. Capital is not alone in this attitude of taking undue advantage. In the labor world also you find selfishness—men unwilling to give full value of labor. The trouble is that we are not giving equivalent in worth and we stand condemned under the laws of property as expounded in the Bible.

Gambling leads to an unjust accumulation of wealth. The large masses ultimately win, the masses suffer for the benefit of the few. Yet the poor dupes are born in swarms every day.

There were 20,000 bookmakers at the English races, it is estimated the annual turnover of wealth was \$50,000,000 and it was shown that in the main this came from the pockets of the poor into the pockets of the rich.

What happens? This money easily gained, is spent freely in luxuries, substitutes for a lost joy. This causes bitterness in the hearts of the poor. How are we to stay the progress of gambling? There must be education in the home. There must be a public conscience developed. Gambling in its incipient stages is the kindergarten of vice. There are many kindergartens of vice in the homes of our land. It is a matter of common remark that gambling is a vice in the poolrooms. If it is true, the reason it is not put down is that public conscience is not sufficiently developed.

In the name of patriotism, benevolence and charity we have stood much raffling and gambling. This is only gambling at the foot of the cross. How any church calling itself by the name of Jesus Christ could permit such was a mystery to the speaker. Dr. Scott pointed out the dangers facing Canada in gambling at the race track. It is entrenched as a matter of good society. Why should Canada be the dumping ground for the gamblers of the continent? It contributes nothing to the public good. It becomes us to see that we have a representative at Ottawa to represent our attitude in this matter.

Ministers have in confidence learned of broken homes and suicides, the result of gambling and embezzlement. Dr. Scott urged the congregation to see that there may never be an indifferent attitude upon this great moral issue. MRS. FRANCES M. PRESTON The remains of the late Mrs. Frances M. Preston, widow of the late Samuel Preston of the Inland Revenue Department, Bath England, arrived here at noon today via C.P.R. from Alliston, Ont., and were taken to the Belleville cemetery, where interment was made in the Northcott family plot. Mrs. Preston was the second daughter of the late John Northcott, s., of this city.

MRS. ELIZABETH B. HAIGHT The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Beatrice Haight, wife of Mr. J. W. Haight, of Foxboro died on Friday, at her home at the age of 72 years. She had been ailing a little over one year. Mrs. Haight was converted, in girlhood and had lived a consistent Christian life all these years. She was a member of the Foxboro Methodist church. Besides her husband, there survives one brother, Charles, late of Foxboro and one sister, Mrs. Gideon Way, of Murray.

Chinatown, Old and New

San Francisco's Oriental Section is a City Within a City.

The Chinatown of the present, occupying ten square blocks in the downtown district of San Francisco, is quite different from the famous one of earlier days. The inhabitants no longer burrow underground story below story, nor do opium dens and gambling holes defy the police by means of clever devices and trap doors. The San Francisco fire completely destroyed what is now known as "Old Chinatown," and in its stead the Chinese have erected modern buildings which meet the requirements of the city ordinances.

The aspect of the new Chinatown is less striking in its effect than the old one, and tourists visiting it for the first time are apt to go away somewhat disappointed. On the street level it is entirely made up of shops and bazaars, with an occasional restaurant and tea room; its inhabitants swarm in the narrow alleys and its children play on dingy stairways. The sidewalks are none too clean and in the market district the odor none too sweet.

The most attractive feature to the stranger is the art displayed in the show windows of the importing merchants. There may be seen beautiful embroideries of all sorts, ranging from the most patently modern mandarin coats made by the American trade to the most exquisite bits of old work wrought with perfect skill for the use of the temples. Chinaware and potteries in great variety are on display; tea drinking furniture and leather chests are made more sparingly because they are difficult to import, and braced and carved ivory are in every window, where innumerable small objects of clever workmanship intended to tempt the purse of the beholder.

Farther down toward the center of Chinatown are the little merchandise shops where the Chinese themselves trade. Here the windows are hung with strings of dried herbs and roots; fish and ducks, dried and sometimes varnished; piles of ginger and "kunguats," these are of preserves, and bundles of vegetables tied with straw.

In the dim interior a Chinaman cuts a small piece of pork for a customer or he sits over his abacus counting up his sales with deft fingers. Under the counter in a dark corner there are inevitably a few bits of good china. In these shops there is usually one man who speaks English; the others are as ignorant of the language as when they arrived. Some of them have adopted the American dress, but most of them still shuffle about in their felt soles and wear their black skull caps. They are as untouched by the life of the western city in which they live as though they had remained in the heart of Canton. When they came to the new country they brought with them the essential element of the old one, and created their own environment, and there they have lived—some of them for twenty, some for forty years.

Upstairs, above the shops lining both sides of the streets and alleys, are the homes of the Chinese. There the families live, perhaps all in one room, perhaps in a suite of rooms, not determined by the size of the family, but by the size of the purse. Conditions of the utmost poverty exist in some sections of the quarter, and in others comparative comfort. But whatever the status of the home may be, throughout the length of Chinatown the keynote of the life there today is transition; the result of this is usually a blending here of two civilizations. The cutting of the queues marked an epoch in the life of the Chinaman; the old order passed, yet its effects could not be immediately effaced; the new era came in, its aspirations could not be immediately realized. Consequently there is a strange mingling here of the past with the present, and of the orient with the occidental.

The young Chinese girls are undoubtedly the most striking examples of the meeting of the east with the west. Physically and mentally they show the two opposite influences under which they live. Their minds are far more alert and receptive than those of a generation past; their ambitions are higher, and their outlook on life better; yet in many ways they are bound by tradition and by the environment of their homes. In appearance they are unique. They dress in the loose trousers and coat which is the usual costume worn by a Chinese woman, but they add to it American shoes of the latest cut, and the length of the trousers is determined by that of the skirt worn

by their American neighbor. They love furs and corsage bouquets and jade jewelry; and to their simple silk or cotton suits are frequently added a set of white fox and a bunch of pink roses. They dress their hair in the latest American style and on the whole they present a charming picture.

Their conversation is a curious mixture of English and Chinese; out of the native chatter among themselves will flash American slang phrases, to the amazement of the outsider. At home they speak Chinese, for almost without exception their mothers can understand no English; at school they are taught by American teachers with American methods, and by the time they are 15 or 16 years old they know English; at school they are taught tongue. Frequently they speak Chinese fluently but are unable to write it. Among the families who can afford to do so the girls are sent to some teacher of Chinese to be taught to read and write outside of school hours. Invariably they will laughingly declare that Chinese is to hard that they prefer English. But the fathers and mothers have a wishful hope of returning one day to China, and it would never do if the children had been instructed only in the foreign tongue.

The Chinese girl is greatly aided by the social settlement workers, who are sparing no effort to better the condition of the women in China town. To the recreation centre on Stockton and Sacramento streets the Chinese girls of all ages are learning to look for help and enjoyment. What at one time was a saloon of ill-repute has been converted into a charming hall hung in flowered chintz and furnished in brown wicker; a tiny kitchen in white and blue was installed; a piano was moved in and games and books were provided. Here the girls are welcome all day and evening. They come in groups for a visit on the way home from school; they borrow a book; they make fudge in the kitchenette, or come to their kind friend, the secretary in charge, with some difficulty in which they need help. Classes in sewing and cooking are offered to the girls and women in the quarter.

Contrary to the Chinese tradition for women, the girls are slowly but steadily taking their places in the commercial life of the city. The Chinatown telephone exchange is operated entirely by Chinese girls; however, a concession to custom is made by placing a high screen between the operators and the public so that they are entirely hidden from observation. These girls are remarkably quick in their work, and have accurate memories. In many of the shops the girls are appearing behind the counters and not infrequently they manufacture with clever fingers the brocade covered boxes and painted baskets which they sell. Some of them prefer to work in American sections of the city, and in their bright costumes they are to be found in the reception rooms of some of the large hotels where they make a bit of lovely color. In a few small shops for women, young Chinese girls are employed for light tasks, and in this way they are gradually falling into step with the girls of the newer civilization.

During the war there were Red Cross societies formed by Chinese girls who rolled gauze dressings, made garments and knitted socks and sweaters. In all the recent victory parades, units of Chinese girls have marched with the other women's organizations, and have made one of the most unique features in San Francisco's celebrations. To know a Chinese girl well means to know a Chinese man well, and the discovery is made of many delicious meals in which meat, potatoes and vegetables, with knives, forks and spoons, as the American knows their use, have no place. In their stead are bean sprouts and mushrooms found in the dishes of chop suey, and shrimps in an omelette which looks like a griddle cake; dumplings made of rice flour and stuffed with minced pork and bamboo shoots make a noonday lunch, with sponge cake steamed and filled with bean paste for the dessert. There is an endless variety of food with bewitching names that the Chinese girl eats with her chopsticks, and to which she introduces her American friends.—Christian Science Monitor.

His Eminence Cardinal Begin leaves Quebec for Rome on April 20 and will be accompanied by Canon Arsenault.

Auxiliary Was At-Home

Successful Function of Ladies' Auxiliary of B. of R. T. at Johnstone's.

A very pleasant function took place at Johnstone's Academy on Friday evening when the Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. of R. T. celebrated their first annual event. The committee comprised of Mrs. L. E. Jordan, president; Mrs. A. Cole, vice-president; Mrs. E. B. Wilbur, treasurer and Miss S. Johnston, secretary. The ladies were ably assisted by Mr. W. Smith, past president of the Treatment's Lodge 108; W. Adams, secretary of the B. of L. F.; Geo. Naylor, secretary of the B. of L. E. also W. Jordan, A. Cole, E. B. Wilbur, B. Johnston, J. Tanner and W. Haslip, trainmen.

The hall was suitably decorated for the occasion and a very large crowd was present. Dancing was indulged in until about 12.30 when a delicious lunch was served by the ladies of the auxiliary. The music was furnished by the Sills' Orchestra which was appreciated by all. The dance broke up in the wee sma' hours, having been a great success.

There were guests from Brockville and Toronto. Mr. J. D. MacMillan, Belleville, superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway and Mrs. MacMillan, were also present.

TRENTON

Mr. Clarence Saylor, of Toronto, spent Easter in town. Miss Doris Whittier left yesterday to visit Miss Georgina Hoag in Capreol. Mr. Arthur Ireland is home from Port Hope College for the Easter holidays.

Miss Helen McClung, Toronto, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McClung. Mr. Dunlop, of the Molsons Bank, spent the Easter vacation with relatives in Montreal.

Miss Violet Young has returned to Toronto after spending the holidays with her parents. Miss Norma O'Connor, North Bay, spent Easter in town, the guest of Mrs. Kane, Belleville Road. Miss Gladys Ketcheson, Morgans, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ketcheson.

Mr. Ren. Gould, of Deseronto, spent a few days in Trenton visiting at the homes of Mr. J. E. Vassaw and Mr. E. Dingman. Mr. James Hewton of the Bank of Montreal, Kingsville, spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Clark, at the Carrying Place.

Mr. Kenneth Statia left Saturday to spend a few days in Toronto and Streetsville. Miss Gertrude Hennessy, of Notre Dame Convent, Kingston, is in town for the holidays.

Miss Maud McAuley, of Whitby, spent Easter in town with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hennessy. Mr. and Mrs. McGauthie, of Kingston, and little son, were the guests of relatives in Trenton for the holidays.

Mr. Howard Graham, who is studying law at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, spent the Easter holiday with his mother, Mrs. W. G. Graham, Marmora street. Mr. Harold, Dingman, who has been visiting his parents and friends in Trenton, has returned to Niagara Falls, N.Y. His father and mother accompanied him as far as Toronto.

Mr. T. Allen, of Tisdale, Sask., has returned to his home after spending the past three months visiting his sister, Mrs. E. B. Dingman, and family. He also visited his old home in Madoc, better known as "the Allen Settlement."

LATE MRS. J. W. HAIGHT

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Beatrice Haight, beloved wife of Mr. J. W. Haight, Foxboro, took place on Sunday afternoon, Rev. S. A. Kemp officiating at the service at the residence. Interment was made in Longwell's cemetery, the bearers being L. B. Faulkner, J. Eggleton, G. Wickett, Dan Ketcheson, Ira Simmons and J. G. Sills.

A branch post office will be established at Yamouth Height as residents now have to walk two miles. Tugs are dragging the Detroit river for the body of F. Bondy, a young Sandwich man, who was accidentally drowned.

DOWNEY & JONES have started an INDEPENDENT GARAGE at THOMASBURG Work guaranteed or money refunded.

- THIS WEEK WE HAVE Fresh made... Butter Scotch Lemon and Tablets Humbugs Almond Candy (dark) Almond Candy (light) Peanut Crisp Coconut Crisp Fibbert Crisp.

Chas. S. CLAPP

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Wallbridge & Clarke's Fine Blends -Strength, Flavor, Fresh-Roasted -More Cups to the Pound.

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WESTERN AMELIASBURG.

On Wednesday last Wm. Alvea finished moving to Colbourne, to his new home. On Wednesday Mrs. Wm. McDougall and Mr. John Buchanan of Carrying Place were quietly married. On Friday night Mr. James Cassin died after a lingering illness. Mr. John Vandervoort and Mr. and Mrs. George Alvea spent Sunday with S. Humphrey. Mrs. Adelaide Albert Lont, Ameliasburg, spent Sunday at H. Rathbun's. Mr. Delbert Snider had the sawing machine on Friday to cut his wood. Miss Pauline Alvea is spending the week at Trenton with relatives. Mr. Smith Brown's horses had a severe attack of horse distemper. Mr. W. Loveless has returned from his visit at Belleville. Mrs. Ross Chase is slowly improving, with a train nurse in attendance.

AMELIASBURG

Miss Myrtle Weeks, of Melville, spent the week the guests of the Misses Alma and Mary Reid. Mr. Chas. Dolan, wife and children, of Trenton, spent over Easter with his mother, Mrs. R. Dolan. Sorry to report Mr. Claude Wamnamaker under the doctor's care. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kemp are entertaining company from Peterborough. Mr. D. H. Vancott had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow recently. Mr. and Mrs. Norris Dafeo of Hillier were guests of Mr. Chas. Sager and family recently. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reddick, of Wellington spent Easter with his brother, Mr. Will Reddick. Messrs. Raymond Spencer and Harry Wycott are proud possessors of new buggies. Miss H. Roblin, of Roblin's Mills spent Friday with Mrs. Robert Cannon. Rev. G. D. Campbell, of Consecoc, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marshall on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Murphy and son Allan, of Consecoc, spent Easter with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sager. Mrs. Lywood, of Corbyville spent Easter with her brother, Mr. Robert Cannon. Mr. Russell Dixon, of Mountain View is assisting Mr. John Hall in operating the Hyland cheese and butter factory for the coming season. Mrs. Vancott and son Thos. Crofton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Wood on Sunday.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

3RD LINE THURLOW

House cleaning is the order of the day last week on Mr. and Mrs. J. Caswell.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood and family of Sidney spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Clapp.
Miss Mable Latta left on Tuesday last for Toronto.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris, also Miss Elida Wallace of Sidney called on Mrs. H. Langabeer one day last week.
Miss Grace Pound spent over Sunday under the parental roof.
Mr. Arthur Langabeer has returned to his home in Peoria, Ill.
Miss Mable Hinchliffe of 3rd line Sidney is spending a few days with Miss Bertha Fauls.
Mr. A. Brown spent Sunday with friends in Belleville.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris, of Sidney, also Mrs. H. Langabeer and Mr. Arthur Langabeer spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Pope, of Carrying Place.
Mr. E. Hubble and Miss Mable Hinchliffe, of Sidney, also Miss Bertha and Mr. Roland Faul called on Miss Grace Pound on Sunday evening.

CROOKSTON

The weather continues to be cool and not very promising for an early spring.
Miss Laura Faul of 3rd line Thurlow visited her friend, Miss Hazel McGuire last week.
A number from our vicinity attended the debate held in the town hall, Ivanhoe, last Wednesday evening.
Mr. Morley Reid's house is quarantined in with scarlet fever.
Mr. Besse Fleming of Hazzard is visiting her sister Mrs. Cephas Demille.
Mr. Donald Fleming spent Sunday evening with Miss Lily Vincent.
A large attendance from our village and vicinity were in Madoc on Saturday.
The White Lake Cheese Co. held a business meeting on Thursday evening last.
Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers spent Sunday with friends in our vicinity.

OAK HILLS

The Eggleton W.M.S. held their annual meeting for the election of officers on Thursday last. President Mrs. Clarence Pritchett; Vice-President, Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Sarah Stapley, Reg. Sec'y., Mrs. Russell Staples, Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Saries.
Miss Annie Stapley left on Saturday for Heaverton, having spent the Easter holidays here.
Mrs. Baruch Hoard spent the week-end with relatives in Peterboro.
Mrs. R. Wenden visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Y. Bailey on Sunday.
A happy event took place in Belleville, on Wednesday the 7th inst, when Miss Mildred Eggleton, one of our most popular young ladies, became the wife of Mr. Oliver Stapley. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Dr. Scott at the Bridge St. parsonage, in the presence of only immediate relatives.
A short honeymoon was spent with friends in Bowmanville and Toronto. Upon their return a reception was held at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Sarah Stapley.

WEST LAKE

Raymond Wright, of Oshawa, spent his Easter holidays at his home here.
Mr. Henry Greatrix, of Niagara, visited relatives here over Easter.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Brown gave a supper party for a number of their friends Wednesday evening. Lost heir and croquette for the early part of the evening with tables of cakes, pickles, taffy and hot sugar later and a bunch of congenial friends made the evening pass very pleasantly.
Miss Flosie Jackson has been spending some time with relatives at Bloomfield.
Mr. Gould, of Buffalo, is here superintending the work at the brick plant.
The farmers report a poor season for spring.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McConnell were guests at Leslie Dalnord's, Salmon Point on Sunday.
Mrs. J. R. Tabbs had the misfortune to fall and break her arm.
Mrs. Merton Hyatt, arrived last week from Wainwright, Alta. and is visiting her parents.
Our Thursday night prayer meetings are well attended, Mr. McCutcheon explaining the book of Revelations, taking a portion each week. Bring your Bible and come along; you will find it worth while. Any man that is guessing you will be thoroughly threshed out.
Miss Rena Wright and Mrs.

Wright are in Pictou.
Several wagon loads of brick were taken to Bloomfield station on Tuesday to be shipped to Belleville.
The fishermen and trappers are doing well these days.
Miss King spent her Easter holidays at her home in Strathroy.
REDNERSVILLE AND ALBURY
Miss Alice Wilder left on Monday morning for Belleville where she has secured a position.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hubbs and family, of Victoria, spent Sunday at Wesley Sager's.
Miss Beryl Weese, of Victoria, returned home on Sunday after spending a few days with friends and relatives here.
Mrs. Mary Reddick, of Rossmore, was the guest of Mr. T. G. Thompson, on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Woods, of Robin's Mills, also Mrs. Morley Wood and son Earl, of Victoria, visited at G. McMurter's on Friday.
Mr. Bart Russell and daughters Lillian and Beatrice, took tea at Clifford Peck's on Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. James Weese, of Victoria, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Weese on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Robertson, of Massawaga, visited at Gilbert McMurter's on Thursday.
Mrs. Walter Belnap, Mrs. George Gray, Mrs. Mary Reddick, also Mrs. Melissa Instead, of Allisonville, visited Mrs. Elijah Brickman on Wednesday.
Sorry to report that Ernest Redner is on the sick list.
Miss Marie Cronkite, of Rossmore, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Walter Belnap.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Weese, of the Gore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Peck one day recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roseborough entertained company during Easter week.
Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Delong and Mrs. Blanche Gamble and family, of Ameliasburg, spent Sunday at E. W. Brickman's.

WALLBRIDGE

Sunday school as usual Sunday morning. Rev. Foster, of West Belleville Church, occupied the pulpit Sunday evening.
The entertainment in aid of the Children's Shelter was a decided success. A program by local talent was well rendered.
Mr. Sam Nicholson, Jr., of the 5th concession, occupied the chair.
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Hinchliffe visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hinchliffe one day last week.
Mr. Ray Hinchliffe has gone to spend the summer in the West.
The calendar may say so, but it is hard to believe that it is April.
Miss Francis Hinchliffe has returned to Toronto to take up her duties as teacher.
Sorry to report Mrs. Will Kemp and children, of Gunter, are very sick with the "flu."
Glad to report Mrs. H. Bird is able to be around again.
Mrs. W. M. Shorey, of the fourth of Sidney, is visiting friends and relatives in Northport, Prince Edward.
Glad to see Mr. C. F. Chisholm able to attend church Sunday night.
House-cleaning is still the order of the day. Many an enthusiastic gardener wonders what he bought the seeds for.
Mr. T. A. Hinchliffe expects to save the finger which was bitten by a dog recently.
Some of the feathered tribe seem to have made a mistake in coming north. A flock of wild geese alighted on the farm of Mr. Jas. Hinchliffe one day last week and seemed inclined to return south for a while.

TRENTON

The G.W.V.A. held a dance in Quinze Hall on the night of the 12th inst. music by Cooper's Orchestra, Pictou.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke (nee Miss Gertrude Goodsell) returned from a short honeymoon trip to western points on Tuesday evening.
For the summer they will reside in the home of the bride's father, Mr. Thos. Goodsell, Spring street.
Mrs. Jas. Mulligan was in Toronto last week.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Dolan and family spent Easter in Prince Edward county.
Miss Helen McClung, of Toronto, is visiting her parents in town.
The many friends of Mr. Ed. Matthews were shocked on Thursday last when his father received a telegram from Alaska stating that he had died there of heart failure.
The Independent Labor party held a meeting in Carpenters' Hall on Friday evening. Their aims and views were discussed and officers elected. Mr. Galloway occupied the chair.
Mr. Geo. Sprentzall and Mrs. Fred Smith were in Ottawa last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Currie, of Toronto, are guests of relatives in town.

Mrs. MacNab intends holding an auction sale of household effects on Thursday next. Mr. and Mrs. MacNab will shortly leave town.
Miss L. Cumming has returned from St. Paul's after a two months' visit.
Mr. J. Hennessy has moved to King street.
Mrs. Dan Fairman is ill at her home here.
Mr. J. Quinsaven, formerly of the C.N.R. here, died last week in Toronto.
Mr. R. H. Cairns, of the Royal Bank, has moved to Pembroke.
Miss Susan Carroll, of St. David's, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Carroll, Marmora street.
Mrs. Geo. Harrington has returned to her home after undergoing an operation in Kingston.
Miss Marie Cote and Masters Jno. and Jed are spending the holidays with relatives in Lindsay.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly are leaving Monday to live in Toronto.

GLEN ROSS

Mrs. R. Wade, of Brighton, spent a couple of days with her mother, Mrs. M. Anderson, last week.
Mrs. M. Wensley, of Stirling, was the guest of Mrs. W. Anderson last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bell spent part of the Easter holidays at the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. McKee.
Miss Rada Carlisle was the guest of her brother, Mr. A. Carlisle, of Belleville, during Easter week.
Miss Myrtle Weaver has returned to her school after spending a pleasant week in this vicinity.
Mr. E. Abbott has finished moving to Frankford. We wish them all prosperity in their new home.
Mrs. B. Abbott and little grandson are visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. C. Johnson, before leaving for their new home at Frankford.
We are sorry to report Mrs. S. Anderson on the sick list.
Mrs. J. Bailey, who has been confined to her room for a few days, is able to be around again.
Mr. Chas. Vanallen, of Stirling, has been setting up several pieces of new machinery through this section of late. It is well to be prepared when the land is ready for cultivation.
Ernest Carlisle is still confined to his bed with the broken limb. He has our sympathy.
Mrs. Jay Weaver, lost a valuable horse one day last week.
Mrs. W. Anderson spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. H. Farrell.
We are sorry Mrs. Sanford Anderson is not improving. Her sister, Miss Smith, of Campbellford, is with her for a couple of weeks.
Rev. and Mrs. Howard, of Stirling, spent one day recently, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.
Mrs. C. Armstrong is ill with the "flu." Her mother, Mrs. C. Bailey, is nursing her. We hope she will soon recover.
Mrs. D. A. Weaver entertained the Ladies' Aid at her home on Thursday last. There was a good attendance and a profitable afternoon was spent under the leadership of the new president, Mrs. C. Hoard. Among other items of business, it was agreed that the Aid donate \$25 to the Armenian Relief. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. Winsor on May 13, at 2 p.m.
Master Vernon and Miss Clarice Holden were operated on in Belleville Hospital by Dr. McCullough on Saturday last for diseased tonsils and adenoids.

8TH LINE OF SIDNEY

Mrs. F. Foster of Frankford, is spending a few days with friends here.
Rev. Mr. Foster, of Belleville, occupied the pulpit on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clements spent Sunday at Mr. Geo. Bell's.
Miss Florence and Mr. Geo. Acker of Rawdon spent a few days this week with friends here.
Mrs. T. Ketcheson is visiting in Belleville.
Mr. Geo. Wallace and Rev. Mr. Foster took tea on Sunday night at Mr. Wm. Moon's.
The lecture and concert on Monday night was not very well attended on account of the stormy night.
Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, of Concession, visited friends here a few days this week.

FRANKFORD

The funeral of the late W. W. Kelly was held at his home in Frankford on Tuesday afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. I. Snell, who has been a constant visitor of the deceased since his residence here about a year ago. There were some of his old friends and neighbors present at the service from Sidney. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and two daughters, namely Mrs. Denyse, of Odessa and Mrs. C. French, of Belleville, who have the empathy of their many friends in their sorrow

and bereavement. The remains were taken to the White's cemetery on the front of Sidney. The pall bearers were Messrs. P. H. Osterhout, Geo. Potter, R. Potter, C. M. Hendrick, S. W. Meyers and W. H. Bell.
The regular meeting of the Woman's Institute was held in the Public Library on Tuesday afternoon. At the close of the business part, tea was served by Mrs. C. Powell and Mrs. J. B. Ford.
Mrs. Geo. Benedict and Ethel left on Wednesday to visit her daughters, Mrs. J. Scott, of Belleville, and Mrs. C. Reddick, of Rossmore.

The Busy Bee Mission Band met in the Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon for the closing of the year's business, also the election of officers for the coming year. Miss Eleanor Pollard was elected as delegate to the branch meeting held at Peterboro in June.
Mr. Wm. Chalmers and daughter Mrs. Forrester, of Belleville, were in town attending the funeral of Mr. Kelly on Tuesday.
Mrs. Denyse and Mrs. French left on Thursday after attending the funeral of their father, Mr. W. W. Kelly.
The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Ketcheson on Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. Miller and Miss Miller left for their home in Montreal on Thursday.
Mrs. Austin, of Toronto returned home with her son, Mr. Harry Keegan and is spending a few days at the latter's home.
Mr. W. J. Gallagher spent a couple of days in Toronto the past week.
The remains of Mrs. Wm. Turley arrived on the afternoon train on Friday from Toronto and were interred in St. Francis cemetery.
Mr. Blake Stickle has sold his farm near Bigler, Seak, and has arrived in town.

The young people of the League of the Methodist Church intend holding a rubber social in the church on Friday evening, April 23rd. Admission 15c and a pair of old rubbers. A good program is being prepared. Come and help the League by your presence.
Mr. J. Harry and daughter, Mrs. Guy Weese, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Tripp on Saturday.
Mrs. Geo. Rogers, and children, of Peterboro are visiting her parents Dr. and Mrs. Simmons.
Mrs. Wm. Rose and daughter Jean spent the week-end with friends in Belleville.
Mr. Geo. Benedict, motored to Belleville on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott, Mrs. Benedict and Ethel returning home with him.

Our schools re-opened on Monday after teachers and scholars spending the week in holidays.
The Frankford Cheese and Butter Co. commenced the season's work on Monday, April 12th.
Messrs. Wm. Latta and W. D. Ketcheson were in Trenton on Monday.
Mr. P. H. Consaul spent Monday in Trenton.
Mr. C. R. Turley is unloading a car of coal.
Mr. and Mrs. Hector Whitton of Pictou spent Saturday and Sunday in Frankford and Stirling returning home on Monday with a fine new car.
Misses Dela Empey and Blanch Whitton returned home on Saturday after spending Easter holidays in Pictou.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whitton spent Sunday in Stirling.
Messrs. Whitton and Utman shipped 125 calves and a deck of No. 1 hogs on Tuesday, the price being \$19.10 per hundred weight and they expect to load again on Tuesday of next week.

RIVER VALLEY
Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith of Anson were visitors at the home of Mr. T. J. Smith on Saturday.
Mr. Frank Irwin is busy preparing to build a large addition to his barn. There was a small attendance at Sunday School on Sunday owing to the rainy afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr of Anson spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Edgar Bradshaw.
Mrs. John Sager and Mrs. E. Morrow called on Mrs. Clarence Chard on Friday afternoon.
Miss Lucy Bolton visited Mrs. Edgar Morrow on Sunday.
A few from here attended a supper party at the home of Mr. Bert Bedford last Wednesday evening.
Mr. John Sager who has been quite ill, is improving.
Mr. Wm. Robinson intends holding a sale in the near future.

BIG ISLAND
Sawing wood is the order of the day around here.
Grant Quick of Brighton was through this vicinity on Wednesday buying hives.
Austin Sprague spent Thursday with his chum, Norman Kerr.
Mrs. Robt. Jones, of Belleville, spent a few days the latter part of the week with Mr. George Thompson.
Mrs. Stanley Sprague and Miss Clara Sprague were guests on Friday of Mrs. Sherman Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. B. Barker and David of Fairmount spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wager, of Belleville are spending a few days with their son and wife on the farm.
School re-opened on Monday after Easter holidays.
There was a goodly number from here in Pictou on Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Errol Black and family of Solmesville, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peck.
Mr. H. S. Smith of Northport spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. J. M. Kerr.

Mrs. Dick spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Hanna's, Stirling.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, of Anson, and Mr. and Mrs. Cardin, of Beausville, spent Saturday at Mr. T. J. Smith's.
Mr. David Hanna, of Stirling, has hired with Mr. John Sager for the coming season.
We are glad to see the April showers to help the new meadows and fall grain.
The clover mill is again in our neighborhood.

VICTORIA

Gospel Band next Sunday at our church.
The S. S. convention was held at Mountain View on Tuesday. Misses Vera and Audrey Brickman were sent as delegates from our school. A report will be given next Sunday of the convention, during the S. S. session.
Colds seem to be quite prevalent in this locality.
Miss B. Weese spent a few days last week with relatives at Albury.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Hubbs and family and Mrs. Matilda Hubbs took dinner on Sunday with Mr. Wesley Sager.
The Teen Age Class is postponed for this week on account of sickness.
Mr. Stanton Fox has been indisposed with a severe cold but is improving.
Gospel Band next Sunday at our Mr. Amos Wamanaker and Mr. Wesley Loney are all under quarantine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Calnan spent Sunday at Mr. David Calnan's.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brickman and boys; Miss Annie Brickman and Vera took tea at the home of Mr. Wm. Hubbs on Sunday evening.
Mr. S. Wetherall called at Mr. Wm. Pope's on Sunday evening.

OAK HILLS

There was no school at Eggleton on Monday owing to the serious illness of Mr. Milton Bird.
Mr. and Mrs. George McCutcheon visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hoard one day recently.
On Monday evening about fifty friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Eggleton to spend a social evening with their daughter Mildred, in honor of her recent marriage. An address of appreciation was read by Miss Dora Danford and Miss A. Eggleton presented the bride and groom with a handsome collection of silverware. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stapley in a few well chosen words, thanked their friends. Lunch was served by the ladies and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

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SINCLAIR'S SUITS of Jersey Cloth

There is nothing more desirable for utility wear than a Jersey Cloth Suit, and here are a number of models that couple smart styling with the undeniable practicability of their fabrics. Tuxedo coats are in evidence, but there is a good variety of other Suit styles in the most favored shades from which to choose. Prices from \$42.50 upward.

Rich New Draperies

One does not need to be an interior decorator these days to have decorative harmony in one's home. There is no excuse for anything but a cheery atmosphere when one has such gayly colored and beautifully patterned crotonnes and draperies as we have gathered together for your selection. Here we have just received a shipment from which you will not have the least trouble in selecting tasteful hangings to blend with any color combination. Prices are reasonable.



Lingerie Blouses

Blouses, we believe, were never more charming or a selection more varied. Here one may choose elaborate Blouses to accompany fancy suits, or any number of effective lingerie styles.

Raincoats

April showers mean naught to the woman who owns one of these Raincoats for they are absolutely waterproof. One may choose a Coat of rubberized Tweed, Covert, or Cravenette, or a useful Cape of Silk. Prices from \$7.50 up.

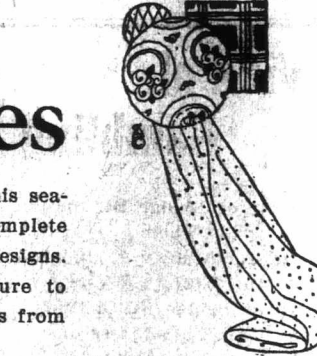
Georgette Crepes

All the colors of the rainbow and many others are obtainable in these fine Georgettes. You will find it easy to match your suit or frock material here. Georgettes at \$5. to \$4.50 yd.

French Ivory

Toilet articles of French Ivory are always desirable and one can find here the necessary pieces to complete a set, or to start a new one.

Dainty Voiles



—are sheer and colorful this season and our displays are complete with the newest weaves and designs. Delightful tones which are sure to please you are shown at prices from 50c to \$2.50 yd.

Colorful Vestings

—are shown in a number of effective patterns, that will add a touch of charm to your frock or suit. Priced \$4.50 yd.

Dress Girdles

All the newest colorings of Spring are shown in these new Dress Girdles. They add greatly to a frock, and at slight expense.

SINCLAIR'S



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Quick Emmanuel Church Parish M

The annual parish meeting held on Monday evening in school-room and was of a very full and hopeful nature, standing that it was a very unpleasant night, there was attendance. After opening hymn and prayer the Rev. George Marshall, then Defair of the officials of the and himself, a hearty welcome present. He referred to a more comfortable and pleasant circumstance under which they met, in that new room, cramped conditions of twelve aged. Looking back over the year, which to himself had been sad and full of encouragement, had, however, secured a year. They were there to hear how those they put to work entrusted to them, all would feel that they had to ask any questions, or to upon the various reports of the Treasurer's report, which was presented to them, and being roughly democratic church were not satisfied they would exactly what to do.

The reports of the various committees of the church were read, and almost without a showed considerable advance. The total receipts of the year were \$3,799.58.
The Rector's report was encouraging.
The Treasurer's report showed income to have more than that of the preceding year.
The Ladies' Aid showed the most advance. The report by Mrs. Naylor, Acting Secretary, and was received with loud applause.
The Society of Christian Workers, and the numerical, by Harris, were considered satisfactory progress as formerly.
The Sunday school report, Secretary, Mr. A. S. Large, eared with interest and enthusiasm. Uninterrupted good work corded through the whole year like those preceding, was shown a cash balance on the side. Two or three new appear to be the greatest this section of the work.
All the reports of the year adopted without dissent and the unanimous thanks of the congregation.
The following officers were elected:
Rector's Warden—Mr. Jealow.
People's Warden—Mr. Thompson.
Vestry Clerk—Mr. Monte.
Church Treasurer—Mr. Thompson.
Ten Vestrymen were elected.
Auditors—Mr. A. S. Large, W. Cook.
Representatives to the Synod, held in this city in the Messrs. A. S. Large, Geo. N.



"Learned in Youth, Remembered in Later Years"

Mothers with grown-up sons send them to us to "dress them up"—wives send their husbands; in fact, the ladies often come along, too—and welcome! Either feminine or masculine eye must be pleased with our smart showing of Spring Suits in W. H. Leishman & Co., Lounde's 20th Century, Bengard Clothes. Ask us to show you the attractive Spring Suits we now have ready and note the novelty of design, good taste in fabrics and workmanship univaled.

Quick & Robertson

Emmanuel Church Parish Meeting

The annual parish meeting was held on Monday evening in the new school-room and was of a very cheerful and hopeful nature, notwithstanding that it was a very wet and unpleasant night, there was a good attendance. After opening with hymn and prayer the Rev. George Marshall, tendered, on behalf of the officials of the church and himself, a hearty welcome to all present. He referred to the much more comfortable and pleasant circumstances under which they were met, in that new room, than the cramped conditions of twelve months ago. Looking back over that period, which to himself had been pleasant and full of encouragement, it had, however, seemed a very short year. They were there that night to hear how those they put into office on that occasion had done the work entrusted to them. He hoped all would feel that they had a right to ask any questions, or to comment upon the various reports to be presented to them, and, being a thoroughly democratic church, if they were not satisfied they would know exactly what to do.

Hundred Farms Sold Since Crops Gathered

Thirty of These in the Vicinity of Cobourg in March Alone

Cobourg, April 12.—That one hundred farms have changed hands in Northumberland county since crops were taken off them last year in regard to a very conservative estimate. Thirty sales of farms were reported in the vicinity of Cobourg in March alone. Added to this the sale of these farms has included dispersion sales of some very fine herds of cattle, several farmers in the locality who have sold their stock having pure-bred and registered cattle. This will no doubt have a beneficial result upon the dairy industry.

As to whether the production on the ten to twenty thousand acres of land that has passed into other hands will be increased or lessened during the coming season remains to be seen. A hopeful indication is that the majority of farms have been taken over by experienced farmers and the sons of farmers, launching out for themselves, with also a percentage of war veterans. Conditions such as are found here exist also in almost every county in Ontario, which shows that a new element has entered into the agricultural industry for this season.

Many farmers in this locality who have sold out gave their inability to secure farm laborers as a paramount reason, and most of the farmers who have sons at home to assist them are adding largely to their acreage.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

Former Belleville Boy Led Cantata

James S. Dyer, Son of Dr. W. P. Dyer, Former Principal of Albert College, Leads Important Musical Organization in Toronto.

Among the numerous productions of cantatas at this Easter season by no means the least noteworthy was the performance of Gaul's "The Holy City" by the Howard Park Methodist Church Choir of seventy-five voices on Thursday evening last. White Gaul's composition is not one of the greatest of its kind, it was sung by the choir in a manner which did it full justice, and which seemed to promise that this organization, which is led by Mr. James S. Dyer, is capable of becoming an important factor in the church musical life of Toronto. The choruses were rendered with a good body of tone and excellent shading, and the outstanding feature was the fine pianissimo effects obtained.

The soprano soloist was Mrs. Marguerite Homuth Craigie, whose admirable tone quality and delicate legato were particularly striking. She revealed fine declamatory qualities in a most artistic rendering of her numbers. Mrs. Parker Liddle took the contralto parts in an acceptable manner, while Mr. George Marks sang the tenor solos with good style. Mr. Dyer is fortunate in having a number of excellent solo voices among his chorists, as was shown by the splendid work of Messrs. A. E. Dyer and N. Vinton, who sang the bass solos in an outstanding manner.

Miss Nina Dunlop presided at the organ and displayed a graceful and judicious command of her instrument, while Mrs. W. A. Garrett at the piano contributed an effective part of an excellent program.—Toronto Star Weekly.

EX-WARDEN OF LEEDS DIES

Brockville, April 12.—George Morris, of Delta, an ex-warden of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, and a very well known resident of the central portion of the County of Leeds, died suddenly Thursday. He resided all his life in Delta and vicinity, and had been repeatedly elected reeve and deputy reeve of the Township of Burgess. He was a director of Delta Fair. W. J. Morris, reeve of the township mentioned, is a son.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Wannamaker, 23 Wharf street, and sister, Jennet Wrightmeyer, gave their father a birthday party on his 79th birthday, April 12. A few friends gathered and brought presents for dear old dad.

MELROSE

Farmers are commencing to think seeding is going to be late again this year.

A little boy has come to stay at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McLaren visited Campbellford on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrenson were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Morden on Sunday last.

Mrs. D. Jeffery has returned after a few days' visit at the home of her nephew, Mr. Fred Bennett, Belleville.

Mr. Robert Sherman has purchased a new piano.

Miss Bernice and Miss Marian Sherman spent a few days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. McFarlane, Belleville.

Mrs. Rollands, of Ivanhoe, has come to stay with her daughter, Mrs. John Weese.

Miss Rogers, teacher in the school here, has had a number of new scholars since the Easter holidays.

MADOO JUNCTION

Certain copies of the Ontario are being highly prized by some of our readers, also clippings.

Miss Alice Harris of Belleville visited friends here last Monday.

Miss Annie Stapley has returned to her school at Beaverton.

Mr. Bert Andrews is spending a few days with friends in Peterboro, where he spent three years as G.T.R. operator.

Rev. G. C. R. McQuade occupied the pulpit here on Sunday afternoon—those who attended report a very helpful service.

Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Haight were the guests of Mrs. Keogan on Thursday.

Mrs. Sara Stapley entertained a number of relations and friends on Saturday evening in honor of the marriage of her youngest son, Oliver to Miss Mildred Eggleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews spent Sunday evening with friends in Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley spent their honeymoon with friends in

KING GEORGE AND PRESIDENT WILSON

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

It is not for the writer of this to draw hard and fast conclusions from backstairs gossip regarding what the King of England said to the Japanese statesman in the privacy of Buckingham Palace regarding the bearing of the American president at the peace table, but if George Rex did not say the things credited to him, he might have done so and been within bounds, always provided they were not said for publication. His reported criticisms bear the mark of verisimilitude. Their publication in Japan by an oversight in the government's official organ, it is claimed, brought a parliamentary crisis there. This part of the story must be taken with a large pinch of salt. The reported sayings of the British ruler "de Jure", however, are in a different category under the rule of evidence.

What is the indictment against his Majesty of England? That he said of our president that the latter exhibited too great a desire to "rule the world's roost," and to have Europe remodelled "along the lines of a Democratic marching club."

Well, is this not what a multitude of people have claimed—aggressively for nearly a year? Did not Clemenceau make the same criticism? Did not Republicans and Democrats in this country put the case in stronger language? Is this not the complaint against Mr. Wilson by his own countrymen and women, that he ignored us all and went to Paris as uncrowned king and dictator?

When Mr. Wilson went to Europe he was given such a reception as was never accorded to man or monarch. Let me quote from an English writer of marked distinction, who has written the most finished and sympathetic article that has yet appeared of Wilson and his part in the great world drama:

"Now the day of judgment had come. The verdict was being delivered on the blood-soaked fields of France. As that verdict shaped itself out of the agonies of the battlefield the two symbolic figures be-

came more and more dramatized in the mind of Europe. It saw them towering to the heavens, summing up across the Atlantic the claim of the divine right of kingship and the claim of the divine right of peoples to possess the earth. It heard deep calling to deep, the thunders of Washington answering the thunders of Berlin. The end drew near. The voice of Berlin began to falter, the voice of Washington to wax in power. One could almost see the figure of Divine Kingship shrivelling to naught, and as it shrank the figure of Plain Humanity standing erect and triumphant over the earth.

"In that moment President Wilson touched the zenith of human greatness. No figure, not even that of Napoleon on the morrow of Jena, ever reached such a height of power in the annals of men. This eminence was not due to the man alone, or even mainly. He was the expression, the summation, of mighty forces outside himself. He was the vehicle of an idea which had come through seas of blood to victory. In him the passing of the great peril that had overshadowed the world was symbolized, and in him the hope that transfigured the future of men burned most clearly. He represented the great, unexhausted potentiality of the earth."

Is this man, who was to Europe the embodiment of the strength and altruism of the American republic, to be blamed if he sought to re-make Europe and portions of Asia on a different plan from that concocted by the old-world monarchies and diplomacies? And is it not natural that monarchs and their courtiers at Paris should resent this attitude of the people's elected from across the Atlantic?

Is it not true that they conspired to break the Wilson hold upon the favor of the people and to bring him within their jurisdiction in the re-making of continents? That they succeeded in part—and in part only—is true. To many this success appears as a tragedy not wholly personal to the American Executive.

Bowmanville

On Monday evening, April 12th, the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Eggleton assembled at their home to express their appreciation of their daughter Mildred and her husband, Mr. Oliver Stapley whose marriage took place last week. Very quietly, just before lunch the following address was read by Miss Dora Danford and presentation made by Miss Annie Eggleton.

Dear Mabel and Oliver: Having learned of your marriage last week we your friends and neighbors wish to show in some manner our appreciation of your genial good nature and readiness to help in all our social undertakings and church work and we felt we could not let this occasion pass without proving to you our feelings are deeper than mere words, so we ask you to accept these gifts of silver as a pleasant reminder of our esteem for you and also of the pleasant evenings we have spent together and as you take up duties in your own home, we wish you all the success and good fortune this old world can give and we hope to see you both doing all you can for the church and the good of others. You Mildred, have been a great help as organist, and we are glad you will not be leaving us and as long as you remain we know that Oliver will not be very far away. Life is before you, from the faded road you cannot turn, you must go over it, meet you what you may. Gird up your souls within you and indeed angels and fellow spirits bid you speed.

Signed on behalf of your friends and schoolmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapley in a few words thanked their friends for their kindness and all present were cordially invited to visit them.

The Eggleton W.M.S. have elected Mrs. Clarence Fitchett as Pres. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews as Vice-Pres for the year.

ARTEMUS REID

Artemus Reid, of Saskatchewan, passed away yesterday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Augusta Moore, of the third concession of Sidney. He was born in Limerick township in 1856 and spent the last thirty-two years in the West. In December last he came east on a visit. He was unwell for several years. Surviving are his widow, four daughters and one son, in Saskatchewan, one sister, Mrs. Moore, and two brothers residing at Gilmore. Mr. Reid was a Methodist in religion.

OBITUARY

W. W. KELLY

The funeral services of the late Mr. W. Warren Kelly were conducted on Tuesday last at his late residence, Frankford, by the Methodist Church pastor, Rev. Mr. Snell. Deceased who was in his 78th year had been sitting for some time. About a year ago he sold his farm on the

2nd Con. of Sidney and moved to Frankford

He was class leader in Whites' Church, Bayside, for many years and leader of the choir for over forty years, also about ten years before moving to Frankford he was class leader at Aikens' Church. He was noted for his excellent tenor voice and in his younger days had sung in most of the churches for miles around. He was for 40 years treasurer of school section No. 4. He leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing widow and two daughters, Mrs. C. French, of Belleville, and Mrs. H. Denyes, of Odessa, also one brother, Mr. Webster Kelly, of Sidney. The bearers were friends of the deceased at Frankford and the remains were brought to Whites' cemetery for interment, where many of his old friends gathered to pay their last respect to a most highly respected friend and neighbor.

MRS. JAMES ZEBEDEE

The death occurred last evening of Phoebe Ann Zebede, wife of Mr. James Zebede at the family residence, 4 Wilkin street. Deceased had been ailing for some time, but was taken seriously ill about seven weeks ago. She was in her seventieth year and was born in the county, all her life being spent here. She was a daughter of the late Thomas Jones. Mrs. Zebede was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband and three brothers, Jacob, of Jamestown, N.Y., Ryan, of Vancouver and David, residing in the States.

A branch post office will be established at Yarmouth Height as residents now have to walk two miles.

Tugs are dragging the Detroit river for the body of F. Bondy, a young Sandwich man, who was accidentally drowned.

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Wedding Bells

MCINTOSH—VANDERVOORT
The marriage took place at Trenton on Monday afternoon of a well-known Belleville young man, Mr. Jack McIntosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh of this city, to Miss Ethel Vandervoort, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vandervoort. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Canon Armstrong, of Trenton, was of a quiet character, and the happy young couple were unattended. The bride was attired in a suit of brown broadcloth with beaver shawl and wore a cinnamon colored straw hat. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh left on their bridal trip to Toronto and other places. They will make their home in Belleville. The best wishes of their many acquaintances will be extended to them for a long and happy wedded life.

Y.M.C.A. BOWLING

On Tuesday evening the Elliott Company and G.T.R. shops met and as a result was a win for the shops with a score of 2137 to 1905, both of which are good, healthy scores and will stand some careful scrutiny on the part of the other teams.

Harvey of the G.T.R. shops was high man for the game with a total of 595, he also took the single string score with a total of 194 for the third string.

On Wednesday night the G. T. R. office will meet the Ritchie Co. Employees for the single and doubles and the blaze occurred.

STEAMER COLUMBIA NEARLY DESTROYED

Ogdensburg, April 12.—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. A general alarm was rung in and the entire fire department responded. Preparations were being made to place the craft in shape for navigating and the boilers had been fired up. A pipe near the small boiler used for pumping water out of the vessel became overheated and the blaze occurred.

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 and ultimately smothered them. The damage done was not considerable.

Mass Meeting Endorses the Principle of Freedom From Bay Bridge Tolls

Large and Representative Gathering of Citizens of Belleville, Hastings and Prince Edward Deals With Bay Bridge Problem—Resolution Adopted Takes Into Consideration Building of New Bridge—Address by the Deputy-Minister of Public Works on Suburban Area Scheme—The Bridge Co. Offers to Sell for \$85,000.

RESOLVED that this meeting representative of the parliamentary, municipal and commercial interests of the Counties of Hastings and Prince Edward and of the City of Belleville declare itself in favor of the acquisition by purchase of the bridge spanning the Bay of Quinte and connecting the municipalities of the City of Belleville and the Township of Ameliasburg provided that such purchase may be made at a price that is considered fair and reasonable after having had the benefit of expert advice.

"And further be it resolved that in the event of failure to come to terms with the present owners of the aforesaid bridge that this meeting declare itself in favor of the erection of a new bridge, provided that such erection can be carried out at a cost within our means and proportionate to the services rendered.

"And further be it resolved that this meeting declare itself unreservedly in favor of the abolition of all tolls whether the old bridge be purchased or a new one erected."

This resolution, moved by Mr. C. M. Reid, seconded by Mr. J. O. Herity, passed at the close of the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held in the city hall last evening to discuss the bay bridge problem, crystallized the opinions of the gathering of four hundred citizens who were present. It carried without a dissenting voice.

Figures were submitted on the calculations of Mr. E. L. Allen, C.E., showing that a new modern bridge erected to the east of the present structure would cost \$55,828. Mr. E. Guss Porter, K.C., solicitor for the bridge company offered to sell the structure for \$85,000 to the municipalities interested and hinted at a possible shading of that figure.

Deputy Minister W. A. McLean of the Department of Highways discussed the suburban area plan and said the department would contribute 40% of the purchase price of the bridge if reasonable. Prince Edward County was largely represented and showed a most generous spirit in their attitude towards the purchase of the bridge.

Meeting Largely Attended
Alderman Bone, president of the Chamber of Commerce occupied the chair. Those on the platform were Mayor Riggs, Belleville, Mayor Newman, of Picton, Warden Hazel, of Prince Edward County, Reeve Baxter of Bloomfield, Town Clerk E. M. Young, of Picton, Grant Sprague, of Mountain View, Mr. E. Guss Porter, K.C., M.P., W. H. Ireland, M.P.P., Deputy W. A. McLean, of Highways, H. K. Denyes, M.P.P., C. M. Reid and D. V. Sinclair.

Ald. Bone declared that deputations had been well received by Hon. Mr. Biggs. The meeting was large but had the weather not been in element, Ald. Bone declared there would have been a great many more present from Hastings and Prince Edward.

Suburban Area Commission Plan
Deputy Minister McLean said: "When you find me turning out to a meeting like this, you can see that the city is interested in roads. It indicates that the new form of locomotion has its effect on our roads. The good roads question is one that has a great many aspects—the financial, the organization and construction. This evening you are interested in one little piece of highway known as the bay bridge."

"The good roads of the States to the south of us are an inspiration to us. The cities are paying for them uniformly with the county. The state highways in New York State are paid for on the state assessment. As the cities of New York State have 85% of the assessment of the State, the cities have 85% of the cost to bear. The same is true of Wayne county and Detroit. As compared with the States, we have a weak point in Ontario in that our cities are separated from the counties. Municipal boundaries are purely arbitrary for convenience sake. Because they were defined fifty years ago, we cannot say where the interest of one ends. In Europe the

state of the bridge. "I understand the traffic is restricted to three tons which would indicate that it would not meet the demands of modern traffic."

The deputy minister pointed optimistically to the future of the provincial highway system.

Outlines Bay Bridge History
Mr. E. Guss Porter appeared, he said, first as a citizen having the very best interests of Belleville at heart and also in another capacity, as solicitor for the Belleville-Prince Edward Bridge Company. It had been said that his interests were conflicting and that therefore he ought not to be solicitor for the bridge company. He could not see the problem that way. He thought he could be loyal to both.

Mr. Porter said he had, as member been asked to present the bill for the increase of tolls on the bridge. Then he told his clients that he had better not take charge of the bill and Mr. Kilmer, K.C., was chosen to handle the bill. If he found that the interests conflicted he would give up the solicitorship of the bridge company. He had always been in favor of a free bridge. It should not have been constructed by private enterprise but by the municipalities. The bridge company is ready to sell the bridge. He knew from the balance sheet that bridge was not a paying investment. The net earnings of that bridge were only slightly over 2% to the owners up to a little over a year ago. It has been operating since about 1888. Then it was under the management of able men. They invested over \$118,000 in the bridge. They borrowed \$35,000 from the late Alex. Sutherland to complete the structure and that was not enough to complete it. They got \$18,000 more, and again \$4,900. The Sutherland estate had \$45,000. It was operated for five or six years and the management was never able to operate it and pay the interest on the mortgage. The executors of the estate foreclosed the mortgage, no one bid, the Sutherland estate bid \$40,100 and bought it in. There were expenditures, bringing the total capital investment to \$96,000 without interest.

Dr. Sprague operated the bridge for years, but he was not able to earn enough from it to pay 2% increase tolls. Under this increase rate of tolls the Belleville-Prince Edward Bridge Company was unable to earn 2% on the investment until the last increase in tolls. Since that bill was passed, it is paying a fair and reasonable return. For that reason the company is not so ready to sell as they were a year ago.

Offers Bridge for \$85,000
The Chamber of Commerce wrote asking the company for a figure on the bridge.

Mr. Porter interviewed his clients. "I was advised to offer the bridge for \$85,000."

Some time ago the price was put on of \$72,500 but the time of the option elapsed.

The government would contribute \$34,000 of this. There remains \$51,000 to be made up by Belleville, Hastings and Prince Edward. As citizens, we cannot afford to allow this second opportunity to pass by. The company is willing to consider any proposition the municipalities wish to lay before them.

Judge Frazer asked what was the debt on the city of Belleville.

Mr. Bone said the debt of Belleville is about \$1,400,000, the debt of which is an improvement. The debt is not alarming. He did not know what the government considered a fair valuation on the bridge.

Trenton Bridge
Mr. W. H. Ireland, M.P.P., thought there was another way to get more money from the government than the 40%. Trenton had a bridge problem on its hands for years and secured a grant from the Dominion Government for \$99,000 towards the bridge. Trenton paid the balance. He thought Mr. Porter's remarks indicated that the company would "ease up a bit." The question in good minds is: "Is the bay bridge in good condition?" The government would not be a party to taking it over, unless the bridge were sound. Why should Belleville be tied up to an antiquated system of toll gates?

Warden Hazel Favors to Free Bridge

Warden Hazel of Prince Edward declared any decision made at the meeting would be taken by him to the county council of Prince Edward. He was personally in sympathy with Ameliasburg, and would be willing to help them in making the bridge free and relieve them of the heavy burden of tolls.

Mayor Riggs could not understand why the price of the bridge was growing, like that of a violin. (Laughter.) Today's traffic requires stronger bridges. The bay bridge, he understood, would not stand a concrete flooring. To put the bridge in a modern condition would be expensive.

"I myself prefer to build a new bridge. (Amplified.) You may think I'm extravagant, but if it is economy in the end, it seems to me we could build a new up-to-date bridge unless we can get the bay bridge at a reasonable price. Everybody will vote for a free bridge, but there is difficulty to find how to go about it."

"I understand by filling in and by constructing a few spans it could be done."

Estimate on New Bridge
Secretary Ernest P. Fredericks read a report of Mr. L. E. Allen, C.E. as to the probable cost of a new modern bridge. The government would pay 40% of the cost; the Province, \$141,531; Belleville, \$106,148; and other municipalities \$106,148.

Mayor Newman, of Picton, declared the people of Picton had bonused a ferry to give service. Prince Edward had four outlets. He knew Picton was ready to pay a fair share towards making the bridge free.

Why should not the department give 40% towards the cost of the bridge? He thought the U.F.O. government was a fair one and it would be willing to pay 40%. He thought the price of the bay bridge would continue to grow. Prince Edward has no provincial highway and he hoped that by the united efforts of Belleville, Picton and Prince Edward, there would be a large grant to the bay bridge and that Prince Edward would be given a portion of the provincial highway.

Mr. D. V. Sinclair complimented Mr. McLean on his able presentation of the government's attitude on roads. Belleville is what it is by reason of the surrounding counties of Hastings and Prince Edward. As president of the Retail Merchants, he said the association believed it would be in the interest of all concerned to remove the toll gate between Belleville and Prince Edward. What we want is co-operation.

Mr. Geo. Duesberry told of work on the piers by his father, Mr. Fred Duesberry. He referred to the shifting of the piers. It is felt that there should be a new bridge. The present bridge at \$30,000 would be expensive.

Wanted Government's Report
Ald. DeMarsh asked for the government's report on the bridge's condition.

Ex-mayor Panter asked whether the provincial engineers had made an examination of the bridge and whether the offer was positive.

Mr. Maclean said the offer was a positive one of a fair valuation. The company had examined the bridge. Under the inspection of the Department at Ottawa, certain repairs were made at the department's instruction. There remains one pier that requires some repairs. Mr. Porter referred to the statements in the letter of Mr. Duesberry. These referred to conditions at the time of the building of the bridge.

Reeve Baxter of Bloomfield said a portion of Prince Edward was deeply interested, viz. Ameliasburg. He was very much in support of plans to do away with the tolls on the bay bridge.

No Provincial Roads in Prince Edward
County Clerk Ed. M. Young declared it is time to do away with the work of barbarism—the toll bridge. The government would contribute 60% of the upkeep. He thought the company would take \$75,000. The Federal Government should also contribute. Mr. Young criticized the Ontario Government for giving none of the trunk road to Prince Edward and only a small part of the 1800 miles of provincial highways of Eastern Ontario. Ontario Government could afford to pay the whole cost of the bridge. Mr. Porter should get after the Ontario government to give a portion of the \$8,000,000 towards the removal of the toll gates. He believed the county of Prince Edward would do as well as Hastings in any grants to the bay bridge purchase. (Applause.) Col. Lester thought Belleville willing to pay its fair proportion of a free bridge. He was not prepared to

speaking on the question of the condition of the bridge, as to its condition. If the engineer's report says the bridge is strong enough, then buy the bridge; if not, then there should be a new bridge constructed. Col. Lester congratulated the broadmindedness of the Prince Edward representatives. Hastings County should likewise do its share.

Thought Report Favorable.
Mr. C. M. Reid declared that the expert opinion of the Provincial Government should have been before the meeting. We did not come here expecting to buy the bridge, but we came here to get the opinion of the public. He had had a private talk with a government engineer who inspected the bridge and who said that the bridge was not the tumble-down structure, some had called it. What the revenue from the bridge was, was not known. All the toll from the bridge did not go to the company, for the tolls had been leased.

Mr. Porter had not mentioned the depreciation of the bridge. The present demand was not for ten ton trucks. He thought the bridge a good purchase at a reasonable figure with the co-operation of the government, Prince Edward and Belleville. The taxation upon the municipalities would not be great. The resolution adopted will be taken up by a committee at once.

DESERONTO
Work at tearing down the iron Work begins on Monday morning.

Mr. Chas. Froste spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. Ernest Howard spent Sunday with his wife and family. There is some talk of having a permanent air force here. Here's hoping it comes here.

Mr. Fred Bradshaw has purchased a new Chevrolet.
Miss James Post has moved from Edmund street into the brick terrace on Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Potter and children spent part of Friday and Saturday with Mr. Potter's sister, Mrs. A. E. Sharpe.
Mrs. George Kerr, of Belleville, spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. A. G. Galt.

Mrs. Windsor and son Teddy are in town for a few days. Mrs. Windsor has been disposing of some household goods before going away again.
Miss Helen Cronk who went to Toronto at Easter has taken a position there.

Mr. Alex. Wilkes has purchased the house and property on Edmund street. He bought it from Messrs. Frank and Fred Johnson and Mrs. Earl Dettlor and is moving there this week.

Mr. John Freeman is moving from Mrs. Lloyd's house on Second street across the street to the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Windsor.
Mr. Wm. Howard has purchased the house and property on the corner across from the Methodist Church and is moving there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe spent part of Saturday and Sunday at Frankfort. Mr. Sharpe intends helping at Sharpe's garage.
Mr. Frank Whitton returned home on Saturday night. We all join in wishing him the best of health again.


Mr. Thomas Richmond of Robin, spent a day last week visiting Mr. G. H. Richardson, who is still very ill. Mr. Ernest Newport of Napawan visited here one day last week.
The funeral of the late Thomas Gault took place from his residence on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. He has been a resident here for a number of years and well highly respected. He belonged to the Orangemen and Oddfellows. The lodges attended the funeral. Much sympathy is extended to the wife and family in their loss of a loving husband and father.

The body of Mrs. Amelia Snider, was brought in on Saturday night from Vancouver where she died at the hands of her son, Mr. George Snider. Mrs. Snider lived with her daughter, Mrs. R. N. Irvine until she died, and then went to make her home with her son. Mr. Snider was a jeweller here for years until about ten years ago when he left. Mr. Edward Snider of Belleville is a son also of the deceased. The funeral took place from the Methodist church at 1:30 Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. WORLD-WISE

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Children's Spring Coats \$3.25 to \$4.50
Boys' Wash Suits... 98c to \$1.49
Children's Sateen Undershirts \$1.49
Children's all wool Sweaters \$1.75

Children's Gingham Dresses \$1.50 to \$4.98
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Children's Overall... 50c to 98c
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Ladies' Colored and Black Undershirts from... \$1.49 and \$3.00
Ladies' Silk Undershirts at... \$3.50 and \$9.00

Ladies' Silk Gloves... \$1.25
Ladies' Chamo Suede Gloves \$1.00
Ladies' String Belts... 25c
Ladies' Silk Venus Hose... \$1.50
Ladies' Silk Hose, all colors... \$1.50
Ladies' Silk Lisle Hose... 50c

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Obituary

HENRY EDWARD MATTHEWS

A very sad death took place at Anchorage, Alaska, on April 7th, when Henry Edward Matthews passed suddenly to rest. He had been in Alaska for about a year, engaged in gold mining. He was 29 years of age.

The late Henry Matthews was a B.Sc. of Queen's, and went overseas as a sergeant with Queen's engineers after he graduated. He received his commission on the field for gallant work and was later awarded the M.C. He was in Alaska only a short time and had planned to bring his wife (formerly Miss Jean Johnson of Kingston) there later. She was preparing to go to meet him when the news of his death arrived.

While overseas Lieut. Matthews was gassed and since that time he suffered from heart trouble, which is given as the cause of his death. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Matthews, of Trenton, and was a most popular young man. While he was at Queen's University he made hundreds of friends by his congenial manner and the sincere sympathy of his many friends is extended to his parents and sorrowing wife.

Immense Profits by Coal Owners

Increase of Miners' Wages No Justification for Raising Prices Now

New York, April 11.—The first "fire-works" that have occurred before the committee which is negotiating a new anthracite wage agreement developed here yesterday when the mine workers submitted data purporting to show that wages paid the miners were not responsible for the high price of coal to the public. The mine owners entered vehement objections to the introduction of such data, questioning the right of the workers to draw into the controversy the subject of their profits. The debate was long and stormy, the miners proceeding with the reading of their figures into the records, despite the protests of the mine owners.

The miners' figures, it is understood, showed that wages in the past four years have advanced but 4.7 per cent, while the cost of the coal to the public has been increased 167 per cent.

These figures, the miners declared, indicated that the workers' wages were not a basis for the high prices levied on the public by the operators and their various agencies.

The mine profits have been collected by the operators through their control of the railroads and selling agencies in addition to the mines. It was reported.

Appeal is Allowed

The appeal of License Inspector Joseph Lemieux against a judgment rendered by Magistrate Lawlor, of Hawkesbury, dismissing a charge of illegal possession of liquor brought by him against the mayor of the town, Ameliasburg, has been sustained by Judge Constantineau, at L'Orignal. In rendering judgment the court held that Sabourin's conduct had no redeeming features and that he had deliberately evaded the laws of the province for some time past. He was fined \$700 or six months in jail. The seizure of the liquor was carried out during the past winter by License Inspector A. G. Sykes, of Brockville, with the assistance of other license officers.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. Frances Preston, of Alliston, was held yesterday on the arrival of the C.P.R. train from the west, to Belleville cemetery, interment taking place in the Northcott family plot. The Rev. Forbes Robertson of Weston and Mr. W. T. Reid, of Alliston accompanied the remains here.

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Ravages of Matrimony
The first to marry well on the stage was Miss Texmith original name was Smith, a case from Texas. Her husband Isaac Hall, of Paterson, N. J., wealthy silk manufacturer, left a couple of years ago, leaving her a property to his widow, who incessantly managed his mill until he was lured away was Miss son, who landed no less a prize the "Freddie" Gebhard had long ago convinced himself he was not a marrying man; her marriage Mrs. Gebhard well known on Wall Street. She played tips given her by K. Keene with such success to amass a three-quarters of a million dollars. Mrs. Gebhard built a fine country home in Virginia town house in Washington husband died in 1910. White Texmith and Miss Wilson were first to leave the stage on a of marriage, they were not of the sextette to acquire a husband that honor belongs to Miss who at the time of the production was already secretly married to Ham Davis Holmes. On the day of the opening of "Floradora" New Haven, four nights before New York premiere, her husband dropped dead in the Hoffman Later on Mrs. Holmes became wife of Albert Stokes, a New York stockbroker.

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"Floradora," one of the most successful of modern musical comedies, is to be revived in New York, and the fact is taken advantage of by the Sun and New York Herald to comment upon the extraordinary success of the original sextette in making wealthy marriages. The "Original Floradora Sextette" was probably the most famous since Lucia. One would gather from the name that it was composed of six people, but if all accounts are correct, it was composed of not fewer than sixty. Every now and then an item crops up referring to somebody who was a member of the "original Floradora sextette." The ambition to be known as a member of the original six is due to the fact that the young ladies were famous for their beauty. Thus the numbers have swelled. Girls who were in the original chorus, after the lapse of a few years persuaded themselves that they were in the sextette which sang the popular "Toll Me, Pretty Maiden." Others may have been in the original sextette on the occasion of its visits to Rochester or Hamilton. And if there were second companies, then each one of them would possess half a dozen young ladies representing themselves as the "original."

The Rage of Broadway Moreover, this does not include the original six when the piece was originally produced in London, and one would read the Sun article with-out ever suspecting that the piece was written by Englishmen, and played first by English actors and actresses. One gathers that it is as American, as chicken is Maryland and the Fourteen Points. The originals, so far as the United States is concerned, were Vaughan Tex-smith, Daisy Green, Agnes Wayburn, Marie Wilson, Marjorie Rolfe and Margaret Walker. The show was a tremendous hit, of course, and all the girls were good looking, well trained and had extremely tuneful music to assist them, they became the rage of Broadway. They received the approval of Stanford White, the architect, later on murdered by Harry Thaw; Freddie Gebhard, and Tom Clark, known as "the Three Musketeers," famous men about town and acknowledged connoisseurs of feminine pulchritude. It was considered very fashionable to get one of the girls to dine in a restaurant. Sometimes the six would go together with six escorts who thus earned a life-long reputation for "devilishness."

Ravages of Matrimony. The first to marry well and leave the stage was Miss Texsmith, whose original name was Smith, and who came from Texas. Her husband was Isaac Hill, of Paterson, N.J., a wealthy silk manufacturer. He died a couple of years ago, leaving his property to his widow, who now successfully manages his mills. The next to be lured away was Miss Wilson, who landed no less a prize than the "blaise 'Freddie' Gebhard, who had long ago convinced himself that he was not a marrying man. After her marriage Mrs. Gebhard became well known on Wall Street where she played tips given her by James K. Keene with such success that she amassed three-quarters of a million dollars. Mrs. Gebhard built herself a fine country home in Virginia, and a town house in Washington. Her husband died in 1910. While Miss Texsmith and Miss Wilson were the first to leave the stage on account of marriage, they were not the first of the sextette to acquire a husband. That honor belongs to Miss Rolfe, who at the time of the production was already secretly married to William Davis Holmes, a nephew of Andrew Carnegie. On the evening of the opening of "Floradora" at New Haven, four nights before the New York premiere, her husband dropped dead in the Hoffman House. Later on Mrs. Holmes became the wife of Albert Stokes, a New York stockbroker.

Nan Patterson Was There. Miss Wayburn was also married before "Floradora" was produced, her husband being Ned Wayburn, the stage director. Their divorce took place after the show had been running a short time. Later on she married a man from Johannesburg. Daisy Green did not become a wife when a member of the sextette. It

was after she had gone to London where she sang with Alice Neilson, afterwards becoming a star in "With the Money," that she met her doom in the shape of a man from Denver. What fate befell Margaret Walker is not disclosed, beyond the dark hint that she continues to live in Atlantic City. Others connected with "Floradora" have attained fame of varying grades. For example, Edna Goodrich was in the chorus. She is known as one of the wives of Nat Goodwin, but just which one we cannot recall offhand. She succeeded Miss Relyea in the sextette, and has since distinguished herself on the stage and on the screen. Nan Patterson was another who worked her way into the sextette in time, and had a narrow escape from working her way into Sing Sing a few years later, when she was twice tried for the murder of Caesar Young, a bookmaker.

Becomes a Peccator.

Camille Clifford, another member of the cast, became Mrs. Harry Lyndhurst Bruce, her husband being a son of Lord Aberdeen. She was a beautiful and talented woman. Frances Belmont, daughter of a New York workman, and later with "Floradora," is now Lady Ashburton. It is worth noting that in the days of "Floradora" the fashion was for dark girls. Blondes were a drug on the market, whether chemical or not. The chorus managers insisted that girls for the piece should weigh 130 pounds, be five feet four inches tall, long waisted, and of willowy build. If they were not dark or brown, they could be red headed. Those who applied for positions were told that it was not necessary they should be dancers. Dancing could be taught them, but the management refused to dye them. The prevailing taste to-day is more in the direction of fair hair, and of the eight girls who compose the sextette—count them—eight—three are blondes, two are titian haired, while only two are dark. The other one will probably be prepared to double in brass and produce any color effect that the occasion may demand.

HANNIBAL, TOWN WHERE MARK TWAIN SPENT HIS BOYHOOD

Census Shows That it is Still on the Map and is Growing—A Place of an Atmosphere All of Its Own—Twain Remembered it "As the White Town Drowsing in the Sunshine of a Summer Morning."

The census reports as printed in a despatch from Washington contained the interesting announcement that Hannibal, Missouri, has grown in population to be a place of 18,950 persons. This is an increase of 609, or 3 per cent. over 1910. The particular interest is the fact that Hannibal is the community where Samuel L. Clemens spent his boyhood 70 or more years ago. The world remembers it principally by reason of the fact that this Missouri town has offered the scenes for many of Mark Twain's best stories. It is the scene of Huckleberry Finn and of fully as many adventures of Tom Sawyer. The best description of the town of Hannibal that Mark Twain knew as a boy is presented in Albert Bigelow Paine's "Mark Twain, a Biography," published by Harper and Brothers. An extract follows:

Hannibal in 1839 was already a corporate community and had an atmosphere of its own. It was a town with a distinct southern flavor, though rather more astr than the true southern community of that period; more western in that it planned though without excitement, certain new enterprises and made a show, at least of manufacturing. It was somewhat (a slave town could not be less than that), but it was not wholly asleep—that is to say, dead—and it was tranquilly content. Mark Twain remembered it as "the white town drowsing in the sunshine of a summer morning." The great Mississippi, rolling its mile-wide tide along; the dense forest away on the other side.

The city was proud of its scenery and justly so; circled with bluffs, with Holiday's Hill on the north, Lover's Leap on the south, the shining river in the foreground, there was little to be desired in the way of setting.

The river, of course, was the great highway. Rafts drifted by; steamboats passed up and down and gave communication to the outside world; St. Louis, the metropolis, was only one hundred miles away. Hannibal was inclined to rank itself as of next importance, and took on airs accordingly. It has society too—all kinds—from the negroes and the town drunkards ("General" Gaines and Jimmy Finn; later, Old Ben Blankenship) up through several nondescript grades of mechanics and tradesmen to the professional men of the community, who wore tall hats, ruffled shirt fronts and swallow-tail coats, usually of some postive color—blue, saff-brown and green. These and their families constituted the true aristocracy of the southern town. Most of them had pleasant homes—brick or large frame mansions, with colonnaded porches after the manner of all southern architecture of that period which had an undoubted Greek root because of certain drawing-books, it is said, accessible to the builders of those days. Most of them also had means—slaves and land which yielded an income in addition to their professional earnings. They lived in such style as was considered fitting to their rank, and had such comforts as were then obtainable.

An epidemic of measles—the black deadly kind—was ravaging Hannibal and he (Sam Clemens) yearned for the complaint. He yearned so much that when he heard of a playmate, one of the Bowes boys, who had it, he ran away and, slipping into the house, crept into bed with the infection. The success of this venture was complete. Some days later, the Clemens family gathered tearfully around Little Sam's bed to see him die. According to his own after confession this gratified him, and he was willing to die for the glory of that touching scene. However, he disappointed them, and was presently up and about in search of fresh laurels. He must have been a wearing child, and we may believe that Jane Clemens, with her varied cares and labors, did not always find him a comfort.

"You gave me more uneasiness inside of the prison walls. There have been many sales of houses, and the prices, while not excessive, have been quite firm, showing that there is a steady demand for suitable property.

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HYDRO FOR ATHENS

A Smith's Falls Druggist Was Held Up by Masked Man Who Ordered Contents of Till

Kingston Labor Situation

W. A. Stroud, local manager of the Ontario Employment Bureau of Kingston, when asked concerning the labor situation, stated that Kingston had not enough industries in operation during the winter months to employ all available labor in the city. When summer came, with construction work of various kinds, a large number of men were engaged at out-door work, but as soon as the weather grew cold in the fall hundreds were affected injuriously in enforced idleness, because there was no industries at which they could work. The situation is now rapidly improving, but there is still much labor available.

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Was Tortured for Nearly Two Years

THEN MRS. MCNEIL USED DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Nova Scotian Suffering from Rheumatism Tells of the Benefit She Got Through Using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Hillsborough, N.S., Apr. 12, (Special).—"For nearly two years I suffered the tortures of rheumatism and could get nothing to relieve me. At last I thought of Dodd's Kidney Pills and commenced to take them. "Before I had used two boxes I felt better. I have been using them for nearly six months and feel ever so much better. I will continue to use them until my rheumatism is gone."

Mrs. James McNeil, who lives here, makes the above statement. She feels that she owes it to other sufferers from rheumatism to tell them how she found relief from her suffering. She is always ready to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Other sufferers from rheumatism told of pains relieved and health restored through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They act directly on the kidneys. They strengthen the kidneys and put them in shape to strain the uric acid out of the blood. Uric acid crystallizing in the muscles causes the pains known as rheumatism.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not heal and strengthen the kidneys.

CAMPBELLFORD

Miss Verma McKelvie spent Easter with friends in Peterboro.

Mr. Charles Ackerman spent the holiday season in Toronto.

Miss Gertrude Watson is spending the Easter holidays in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell, of Frankford, spent Easter with their son.

Mr. Roy Bell. Miss Clara Sargison spent the holidays with her cousin, Margaret O'Connor, in Seymour West.

Miss Hazel Brown, of Peterboro, visited her friend, Miss Annie Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, of Picton, spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Gibson.

Miss Lily Smith, who has been on the staff of the Bank of Montreal, has accepted a position with the Trent Valley Woollen Manufacturing Co.

Miss Mabel Anderson, who for some time has been employed in the office of the Trent Valley Woollen Mill, has resigned her position and leaves this week for Ottawa, where she has accepted a situation.

Mr. Earl Stephens, who has been attending Queen's College, is home for the holidays, also his brother Oliver, of Peterboro.

Among the young people who were home for the Easter holidays were: Miss Ruth Carnahan, Toronto; Miss Helen Moore, Civil Service Department, Ottawa; Mr. Jos. Irwin, Dental College, Toronto; Mr. Harold McGuire and Mr. Donald Graham, Queen's University, Kingston; Mr. Thomas Chaplain, Toronto Normal School; Mr. Chas. Payne, Belleville; Messrs Chas. and Douglas Frederick, Toronto; Miss Jennie Ballantyne, Miss Nellie Davidson, Faculty of Education; Miss Lillian Benor, St. Hill's College, Toronto; Mr. Ernest McKeel, Toronto; Miss Carl Shaw, Toronto; and Mr. Percy Morton, Dental College, Toronto.—Herald.

MARMORA

Miss Cora McCracken, of Toronto, was a guest of Mrs. Wm. Flynn over Easter.

Gracie Mackenzie, of Toronto, is spending the holidays with friends in Marmora.

Miss Ruth Woodger, of Kleinburg, is visiting her brother, Rev. W. P. Woodger.

Rev. P. L. Jull, of Lakefield, was in Marmora this week for the funeral of Rev. Gray.

Mrs. D. E. Bell and daughter Loraine left today to visit relatives in Picton for a few days.

Mr. Robert Southworth left today for Toronto and expects to go to Niagara Falls in a day or so.

Fine Diamonds

Each Blackburn diamond has passed a rigid examination as to color, structure and cutting. On each point it has been rated as a highly desirable stone to own.

We tell you just how each stone is graded and why. You know its exact condition, and that if you ever have it examined, it will grade the same as you have always known it to be.

Values are extra good, and there is wide selection at \$20.00 to \$275.00 and upwards.

T. Blackburn Jeweler and Optician

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bowen will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage next Monday, April 13th. Their many friends unite in extending congratulations.

Dr. R. E. Lumsden, formerly of Marmora, in writing from his home in Rocanville, Sask., states that they have had a very severe winter and are still experiencing regular winter weather.

Mr. Michael McFarlane was home over the holiday. On his return to Toronto on Wednesday morning he was accompanied by his sister, Miss Agnes, who intends to enter a nurses' training school.

Mr. John Laycock, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Laycock, has recently been appointed assistant general manager of the big American shoe firm of Hanan & Son. He has full charge of the company's stores in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Buffalo, and is assistant manager of the other stores throughout the United States, with his office in New York. His salary runs into five figures.—Herald.

McFEE'S EYE TALKS

THESE ARE FEW NORMAL EYES IN THE WORLD

MYOMETROPIC eyes meaning those that are normal in youth are rare. Most eyes have not the proper focusing accommodation. When these defects make themselves apparent no time should be lost in consulting a competent authority. Our optometrist will search out for you in scientific fashion the eye troubles that are interfering with your vision and we will make glasses to correct them.

ANGUS McFEE OPTOMETRIST M.F.E. OPTICIAN

RELIABLE Garden, Flower, Lawn and Farm SEEDS Bishop's Seed Store 92 Front Phone 283

County and District

Sixty-Four Orphans Arrived from Scotland at Brockville Saturday

THEATRE IS DESTROYED

A Large Powdered Milk Factory is Anxious to Locate in Gananoque

Theatre Is Destroyed

The Theatre Grand, a frame moving picture house on Spring street, Westport, owned by Steele Brothers, was totally destroyed by fire which broke out through an unknown cause at midnight Saturday.

Orphans' Party Arrived

A party of 64 boys from the Bridge of Weir Orphan Home, Scotland, arrived here on Saturday and are at present at the Fairknows Home here.

Houses Made Sanitary

As a result of the work of the Kingston Board of Health many houses in that city which were unfit for habitation have been cleaned up and now present a very good appearance.

Deer Jumped in Sleigh

It was a sad story of elasticity in the law that Andrew W. Gray, M.P.P. for Leeds, told the fish and game committee of the Legislature on Friday.

"Caught on the Fly"

After being fined \$500 and costs at Lindsay for selling liquor or the option of going to jail, Mrs. Mary Rosenfeld, of Toronto, secured Mr. H. Applebaum to get her bondsmen.

Hunting for Muskrats

Reports received in Kingston from the Mud Lake district say that Messrs. Jacob Jackson and Albert McDonald have secured about one hundred muskrat skins, with prospects good for many more.

Went Electric Railway

The Gananoque Board of Trade has appointed a committee to organize a deputation composed of representatives from the townships of Frontenac, Front of Leeds and Lansdowne, rear of Leeds and Lansdowne, Bastard and Burgess South, and the town of Gananoque to wait upon the Ontario Government to interest them in the Hydro-Electric railway which it is proposed should be built from Gananoque to Elgin station on the C.N.R.

Leaving Kingston

T. Graydon, who has been foreman at Angrove's garage for some time, is leaving this week for Trenton, where he is going into business since coming to Kingston Mr. and Mrs. Graydon have made many friends, who will be sorry to see them leave.

Want Match Tax Reconsidered

The Prescott Town Council has placed itself on record as being opposed to the continuation of the federal tax on matches and asking for its immediate abolition.

Opening of Service

Service on the Toronto-Rochester-Montreal division of the Canadian Steamship Lines, Limited, commences this year on June 5, according to advice received by the local agent, George E. McGlade.

Pembroke's Board of Trade

Pembroke has organized a Board of Trade, and it starts off under good auspices. The officers are: President—E. A. Danlop; Vice-Pres.—James S. Fraser; Secretary—Alexander Millar; Treasurer—M. J. Howe.

New Gananoque Industry

A large powdered milk factory is anxious to locate in Gananoque, and it given a free site and 1,000 loads of gravel by the town, will erect a plant costing \$85,000.

Report Steamer Sold

It is reported that the steamer St. Lawrence has been sold by the Canadian Steamship Lines, Limited, to the Kingston Navigation Company, composed of members of the Kingston Board of Trade, which will place the vessel on the Kingston-Ogdensburg route this summer.

Big Shipment of Calves

Aylesworth Bros., of Cataragui, shipped six carloads of calves to Montreal, en route to Boston and New York, last week.

Aristocratic Oats

W. J. Patterson of Perth roller mills, paid \$136.86 for thirty-three bags of 1919 oats to one of our Drummond farmers.

Daylight Saving carried in both Houses of Massachusetts Legislature.

Healthy Children Always Sleep Well

The healthy child sleeps well and during his waking hours is never cross but always happy and laughing. It is only the sickly child that is cross and peevish.

Electric Light Plant at Lakefield Burned

Lakefield, April 12.—The power plant of Mr. S. J. LeGott which has supplied Lakefield with power since that village had electric power, was burned to the ground Sunday night at about 7:30 o'clock.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, April 13.—Options at the Union Stock Yards differed as to the market in hogs, some averring that it was steady to strong, others that it had risen at least a quarter of a cent.

CATTLE MARKETS

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, April 13.—Cattle, 2,500; killing yearlings mostly 2 to 60 higher; Top \$14.75; other best steers and the stock about 25c higher; bulk steers, \$11.50 to \$13.00; best heavy steers, \$11.25; butcher cows, largely \$8.50 to \$11; canners, around \$8; bulls, usually to lower; demand narrow; veal calves, \$1 to \$2; lower; bulk to packers, \$12 to \$12.50; no trade in stockers and feeders.

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EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK

East Buffalo, N.Y., April 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 550; heifers, \$11 to \$2 higher; butchers, \$8.00 to \$12.50; heifers, \$7 to \$12.50; cows, \$4 to \$12.50; bulls, \$7 to \$12.50.

Boy Scout in West Gains High Honor

Ottawa, April 13.—The bronze cross, the highest decoration and can be obtained by a boy scout, and regarded as the Victoria Cross of the movement, has just been awarded to a young member of the Minto troop.

Personals

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

Quietly Married

At St. Thomas' Rectory on April 7th, 1920 by Rev. Archdeacon Beasly, John Buchanan to Miss Orville McDougall, both of Carryville Place. The young couple were unattended.

Safe and Efficient Home Treatment

Many Weak and Ailing People Who Have Been Helped Strongly Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Vital Statistics of First Quarter

The vital statistics of Belleville for the first quarter of the year are very illuminating. City Clerk Holmes in his report as Secretary of the Board of Health, shows that in January, February and March, births, marriages and deaths all increased—Deaths by "flu" and Diphtheria.

Deaths Classified as to Years

Under 1 year—15. From 1 to 10—8. From 10 to 18—2. From 18 to 30—7. From 30 to 50—9. From 50 to 70—14. Over 70 years—22.

Comparison with Months January, February and March, 1919.

Table with 3 columns: 1919, 1920, Increase. Rows: Marriages (19 vs 39), Births (59 vs 90), Deaths (40 vs 37).

Young Men of Peterboro Urged to Marry

The young men of Peterboro are not getting married fast enough, according to Bishop O'Connell at High Mass in St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday.

Latest News Events in Busy Trenton

Mr. Clarence Saylor returned to Trenton on Thursday after spending a most enjoyable holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Saylor, Hiram street.

Does Not Renounce Rank

BENEVA, April 13.—Prince and Princess Christopher of Greece, the latter being formerly Mrs. W. B. Leeds, widow of an American diplomat, has just been reported that he and his wife were content to become simply a Danish count and countess.

Japanese Capture Usuri Railroad

HONOLULU, April 13.—The Japanese have captured the entire Usuri Railroad between Vladivostok and Khabarovsk, according to a cable dispatch received from Tokyo by the shipping line.

2,200 Passengers Arrive in Canada

HALIFAX, N.S., April 13.—Immigration officials handled nearly 2,200 passengers on Saturday and Sunday, and five special trains were despatched for western points.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS. TORONTO, April 13.—Quotations on the Board of Trade Saturday were as follows: Manitoba Wheat (in store Ft. William) No. 1 North am. \$2.30.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE FOUR REGISTERED Holstein Bulls, one year old, S. N. Fluke Foxboro, \$12.50 each.

CHEVROLET "BABY GRAND"

Touring, Latest 1920 model, only used a little. Can be seen at A. J. Hendrick's Garage, Frankford, Ont. Phone, 251-150.

WANTED

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED ATTRACTIVE WAGES TO BRING BOYS AND GIRLS TO THE LOCK BARBER AND PINNALE ST.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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both wholesale and retail, we handle all kinds of home-grown and foreign goods.

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both wholesale and retail, we handle all kinds of home-grown and foreign goods.

We Handle all Kinds of Fruit

You will always find our store everything in Fruit line fresh.

Our Experience in the Hardware Trade

In Belleville prove us that good goods are cheapest in the long run.

A Word to Hardware

Just consult us first prices, and you will see we sell you a line of Self Heavy Hardware that will save your money at home.

If in Need of Hardware or Anything

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Stafford Hardware Co

267 Front

Smith Hardware

214 Front

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Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people whose ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Belleville.

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Our Drug Department is fully stocked with a line of 100% Pure Drugs, and a big line of all Proprietary Medicines. Our Book and Stationery is complete in all kinds of Books and Office Supplies. It will pay you to buy here.

Geen's Drug Store,
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A Test of Fifty-Five Years

In business is good proof of the satisfaction we have given to the public in all kinds of Footwear, Trunks, Suitcases, Travelling Outfits. Our stock of Boots and Shoes are bought right and sold right—Trade in Belleville.

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CHEAPEST NOT ALWAYS BEST

Person Who Buys From Catalogue-Home Sees Only the Price and Forgets That Value is Thing That Counts.

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When you spend your money you naturally want to get all you can in return. No one can criticize you for having that desire. Only those who are commonly referred to as having "more money than sense" throw their money away. All others are careful to see that they do not get the worst of any bargain. But one has to be able to look farther than the end of his nose if he is to be sure that he is getting the most that he can get for his money.

That is the defense of the man who buys from the mail order house instead of patronizing the merchants in his own town. He says he can get more for his money when he buys from the mail order man than when he spends his money at home. But in arriving at that conclusion he certainly has not been able to look farther than the end of his nose.

In most cases the man who buys goods from a

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Automobilists Attention!

We can repair any kind of broken parts on automobiles or remove carbon from cylinders. Consult us before buying new parts. Also vulcanize and agents for V.D.L. Tires and Tubes.

The Belleville Welding & Vulcanizing Co.,
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We can compete with anyone anywhere in Dry Goods and Clothing. Our buying power enables us to meet all competition. Full lines of Clothing for both women and men, and boys. It will pay us all to Buy at Home.

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Make Up That Order for Groceries

Bring it to us, and you will be convinced we can save you money. We can compete with anyone anywhere. Our goods are always fresh and wholesome.—Buy at Home.

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E. E. DeVault,
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Pure Drugs An Essential to restore health. Our line of Drugs and Sundries will meet with your requirements. There is nothing in the line of Proprietary Medicines we do not have in stock. Physicians' Prescriptions promptly filled.

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How About Your Fall Boots

and Shoes? Our stock of Boots and Shoes never was more complete. Ladies' Fine Shoes in all colors. Bring along the kiddies, too; we can fit them nicely. We want your trade and you want our Boots.—Buy at Home.

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E. C. Sprague,
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We can SAVE you a lot of MONEY if you are thinking of buying FURS. Next Season's prices will be very much in advance of this year's. We would be pleased to have you call on us before purchasing.

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Our Long and Continuous Study

of the Dry Goods business enables us to carry a stock that will please you in High Class Goods. You will find our prices will be an object lesson on Buying at Home. Big stock and variety to select from.

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We Specialize in Pure Drugs

and carry a full stock of everything usually found in a First-Class Drug Store. Big stock of Sundries, Toilet Articles, Rubber Goods and sick room Supplies. We will do our best to serve you right.

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Note the Savings

We stand back of all our goods and carry a line of the highest grade of all kinds of Footwear, Trunks, Bags, Etc., and proper attention is given to see that you are correctly fitted.

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Judge Jones Milling Co.

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T. Blackburn,
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It Has been Our Aim to

carry a line of Dry Goods and Ladies' Wear that would not only meet with the approval of the public in quality, but prices that would command their trade, and we propose to stick to this system.—Buy at Home.

D. V. Sinclair

It Is Our Aim

to make prices on Groceries and Provisions that will be an object lesson on trading at Home. Get the other fellow's prices, then get ours and just see the difference. It will pay us all to Buy at Home.

J. H. P. Young,
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DOLAN, THE DRUGGIST

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Dolan's Drug Store,
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Just Stop and Consider the

Boot and Shoe situation. Of course Shoes are high—and so is everything else. But one thing sure, you can get a big assortment of the best shoes at our store at a low price. We handle Shoes for all the family.

Adams, The Shoe Man

For Fancy Goods of all kinds

you will find at our store anything in Fancy Yarns, Knitwear, Ladies' and Babies' Wear, Fancy Blankets, Art Good of all kinds, Hemstitching, and all kinds of Silk Threads for fine crochets work. Our store is exclusively a Ladies' Bazaar.

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We have the finest line of fine Fur Sets in Belleville—all the best and up-to-date styles. It will pay you to stop in and examine our stock before deciding. Big line to choose from. Buy at Home.

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Kroch Bros.,
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Bring to us Your Out-of-Town Catalogue

and we will not only compete in prices, but will save you money on Groceries and Provisions—make us prove it. Buy at Home and build up Belleville.

H. E. Fairhead,
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the "Nyal" Stores, you are getting the benefit of an International service in Pure Drugs and Special Formulas. We carry a full line of Sundries and Toilet Articles and sick-room requisites.

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When You Buy Shoes

at our store, you can be sure of getting a selection of the highest grade and best line of Boots and Shoes in Belleville. Our prices are right, and we stand back of everything we sell.

Holmes & Murdock,
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When You are Looking for the best Bicycle on the market, just try the Brantford Red Bird, then you will know you have the best. All kinds of Tires and Bicycle Accessories. Repairing of all kinds done on short notice. Keep us in mind.

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We have every facility to execute your work. All our help are expert mechanics. We do all kinds of Sanitary Plumbing; carry a big stock of fixtures. Get our estimate first. We can please you.

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We are Headquarters for Fruits

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If Prices and Quality Has

any merit our Boot and Shoe stock will surely appeal to you. Our line is well balanced in fine Footwear. We are boosters for Belleville, and believe this Buy at Home movement is a big idea.

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Get Our Estimate First

on all kinds of Plumbing, Steam, Hot Water and Hot Air Heating. We have a big stock of Hardware in general; also agent for Imperial Oxford Stoves and Ranges.

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We Handle all kinds of Fruit

You will always find at our store everything in the Fruit line fresh. We handle home-grown and foreign goods. Our knowledge of the Fruit Business assures you the best of service. Try us out.

S. Domenico,
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All Our Fall and Winter Clothing

ready for your inspection. We have all the latest up-to-date styles in Men's and Boys' Wear. Our Gents' Furnishings are full of pep and miff. Come in and look. We can please you in prices and quality.

Quick & Robertson,
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Buy Your Bacon At OLIPHANT'S Attractive Prices

To Be Sure of the Best Results

use L. E. Cooper's Household Pride for bread or our Swam and Daisy Flour for pastry. You will be delighted with either; they are made in Belleville. We also do Custom Grinding.

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Make Our Garage the Home

for your Auto. We are distributors of the Ford Cars and carry a full line of Ford Parts. If your Auto needs repairing, we can do it quick. Big line of Tires and Accessories.

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Have your house wired for Electricity. Get our estimates first. We carry a large stock of Electric Supplies, Motors, Etc., and install them at a price that you can't afford to be without them.

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You Can Always Find

bargains in our store for used goods—Furniture, Stoves, Jewelry, Boots and Shoes, Etc. We also carry a full line of New Clothing both for women and men. Big line of Suitcases, Bags, Etc. Save money and see us.

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For All Kinds of Books

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Just consult us first on prices, and you will see we can sell you a line of Shelf and Heavy Hardware that will keep your money at home. A big stock of Paints, Supplies for the Farm and Garden.

Stafford Hardware Co.,
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Water Will Find Its Level

So will Clothing, if it is made on honor. You will find at our store a line of Men's and Boys' Suits that is up-to-date in fashion and made from the best material. Big stock of Gents' Furnishings, Hats, Caps, Etc. Buy at Home.

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The recognized Prest-O-Lite Service Station. Canadian made Batteries. We repair and recharged. Winter storage a specialty. Leave your car with us for Winter Storage.

At Parking Station, Market Square

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The greatest improvement in riding qualities since the introduction of pneumatic tires. Now on exhibition at our Sales Room, 348 Front St. Call and test. Demonstration.

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catalogue, then consult us, and note the saving in Farm Harness and Horse Supplies, Blankets, Robes, Etc. We are repairing as well. Get all your Horse Supplies here—it will pay you.

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No Need to Send Out of Town

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in the line, you will find the best assortment in Belleville at our store. Big stock of Stoves, Tinware, Enamelware, Cheese Factory Supplies, Farm and Garden Tools, Plumbing and Heating, Etc., Bicycles and Sundries.

Smith Hardware
314 Front St.

Don't be Mislead and Deceived

by big out-of-town concerns. Consult us first for your Fall and Winter Clothing. You will find just what you want at our store, and our prices will be convincing you can do better at Home. Try us out first.

C. J. Symons,
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We Do Everything Electrical

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Chas. J. Popplin,
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We do Merchant Tailoring

and carry a full stock of Domestic and Imported Woollens and Tweeds. One thing sure, if we make your Clothes you will be well pleased as to fit and finish; and we will have it finished when promised.

Arthur McGie,
208 Front St.

Jury Recommends Overhead Crossing On Kingston Road

Evidence at Inquest Into Death of Mrs. (Dr.) Robertson—Gibson's Crossing on C.P.R. Extremely Dangerous, Jurors Say—C.P.R. Should Lower Grade of Track—Watchman Suggested For the Meantime.

At the close of the inquest into the death of Mrs. (Dr.) Robertson, the jury after nearly five hours' session from 8 o'clock last night to twelve forty-five this morning brought in a verdict with a strong recommendation for an overhead crossing where the C.P.R. crosses the Kingston Road near Gibson's. The jury said that pending this necessary improvement a watchman be maintained forthwith by the C.P.R. both day and night.

Coroner Dr. Yeomans and the jury had a large number of witnesses before them, and from these were gleaned facts of the tragedy and of the condition of the crossing.

Mr. W. Carnaw represented the crown and examined the witnesses. Mr. J. Q. Mansell appeared for the C. P. R. and Col. O'Flynn was present in the interests of Dr. Robertson.

Dr. Robertson's Account.
Dr. J. J. Robertson, whose wife, Henrietta Robertson, was the subject of the inquest, was first called. He testified that he had practised in Belleville for three years. He knew the crossing and had crossed it on March 25th previous to the accident. On his return about 200 or 300 yards east of the crossing, he had met some friends and waved to them. His wife who was rather timid about trains suggested that she look at the track to see if it were clear. He brought the car to a standstill at Gibson's gate. Mrs. Robertson looked back and said the track was clear. He started up the car. Just as it was about to cross the track, Mrs. Robertson said "the train is on us". He endeavored to ditch the car but the ditch was not wide enough. He tried to turn the car so as to save the side on which Mrs. Robertson was sitting (the right). The engine struck the car to the back and to the left. After the train struck the car, the train did not stop. After the accident, Dr. Robertson who found himself in the ditch tried to get up. He was blindfolded by blood and dirt. He searched for his wife and found her a little west. He managed to crawl to where she was and saw that her skull was fractured. Then he faintly but did not know how long he was in that condition. He "managed" to crawl back to the crossing and again fainted. The next thing he remembered was when he was in Mr. Gibson's house. He did not remember going to the hospital.

Always Crossing Care at Crossing.
It was a crossing he always approached very cautiously. Unless a person should get out of his car and look around it was impossible to see the track at the north east. The Maxwell car he was driving had the driver's seat a little forward of the other and on the left side.

Mrs. Robertson was somewhat near-sighted. She always wore glasses. One night recently his chauffeur mistook the track for the highway. There is a bell at the crossing. His experience was that trains blew very rarely going either way at this crossing. He did not hear the engine whistle or bell on that day, but heard only the roar of the engine.

Dr. Robertson thought the Gibson crossing and the crossing in front of St. James and Belleville cemeteries the most dangerous in the vicinity. If the crossing at the west is protected by a guard, why not the Gibson crossing?

Dr. Robertson identified the watch and ring exhibited by the crown as belonging to Mrs. Robertson. The watch stopped at 2:25 o'clock. It was in good running order at the time of the accident.

Was Not Speeding.
At the time of the accident, the car was not exceeding 15 miles per

hour.
To Mr. Mansell—The car curtains were not up but the top was. The crossing bell sometimes rings when no train is in sight. Dr. Robertson did not look out as Mrs. Robertson did so. He could not do so for the back of the car, unless he got out. On the crossing he put on the brakes as well as trying to turn. Part of the car was on the track and part on when he was struck. If the ditch had been wider he thought he could have escaped.

Witness did not hear the train whistle. He was prepared to say the whistle and train bell did not sound when he was struck.
To Mr. McCree—He was probably eight or ten feet from the crossing when he was first aware of the train's approach.

John Easterbrook, C.P.R. operator at Shannonville station was the second witness. The passenger train No. 19 passed Shannonville at 2:20, 30 or about 35 seconds late.

Engineer Holman
Thomas Holman, Smiths Falls, fireman on No. 19 declared that he knew the lay of the country through this section. Engineer O'Hara has been in ill health since a short time after the accident. O'Hara was taken ill at Trenton and was removed to Smiths Falls. The engineer was a most efficient man and was about 50 to 53 years of age. The train was due at Belleville at 2:28 p.m. The engine No. 2630 was in good running order.

Heard Unusual Noise
The train whistled at the whistle post about 80 yards from the crossing. Just then Holman was engaged so that he had no view of the rails ahead. His watch said 2:25. Then he heard an unusual noise. He jumped up and looked away from the engine. He looked forward and found a little damage to the pilot. Witness looked back and saw nothing for dust. He took it for granted a crossing plank had been ripped up. At the depot signs on the engine and cars showed an accident had occurred. He had at first thought there had been a rock struck. After the discovery at the depot the train backed to the crossing. The train was going about 45 miles per hour—the usual speed on regular time.

To Mr. Mansell—Mr. Holman declared he was a qualified engineer since 1913. He had run trains as engineer. The automatic bell was ringing from Shannonville westward. It was ringing as the crossing was passed. The whistle was blown for the crossing. He could not hear the automatic bell as the train ran on the crossing as he was on the opposite side. The bell was ringing when the train backed to the crossing.

Condition of the Ditch
At the crossing the ballast is trimmed sloping to the ditch ten inches from the end of the ties. There is a one degree curve in the highway at the crossing and there is a dip in the highway at the crossing. Witness could not tell the angle of the crossing. East of the crossing there is a cut of about 3 feet for the track. The batteries of the automatic bell were charged on Friday, March 25th. Witness could give no reason why the return fence at the south was at the exact edge of the ditch.

To Mr. Mansell—As far as 260 feet east of the crossing one can see the track for one and three quarter miles east.

It is not possible for the track to pass under the highway? asked Mr. McCree.
"It would mean a tunnel for a great distance east and west of the crossing."

Obstacles in Way
To Coroner Yeomans, witness admitted that there were obstructions to the view of the track once one came in range of Macdonald's barn and buildings.
Henry Frisco, section foreman, had made some repair work at the crossing since the accident as the rails had spread at the crossing. The automatic bell had never been out of order. The ditch was not deepened this year.

To the Coroner—The car had torn the boards away covering the wires.
The coroner said he had seen a man coming with a shovel to rearrange the wires and the coroner told him to leave it alone.
To Mr. Mansell—The crossing bell was in order on Saturday, Mar. 27. W. B. Thompson one of the section men took a shovel on a handcar to the scene on Sunday afternoon. Sunday morning at 8 o'clock the bell was all right.
T. Holman recalled, told Juror T. F. Willis that his duty was to be on the lookout unless otherwise engaged. He was otherwise engaged.
Fred Sandford testified that he found the watch exhibited.

Traffic Over Crossing
Lawrence Hall, steam shovel engineer at Point Anne, testified that he was living in George Macdonald's about 350 yards east of the crossing. He was on Sunday, March 28th on the road smoking. He saw the train No. 19 pass westward. The crossing he thought ordinary except for the angle. He usually, almost stopped his car if he is driving west. He had to do this to make sure the track was safe. He had never had trouble at the crossing.

Obstructions to the View
George Macdonald testified that the railroad crosses his farm at an angle. His house is south of the road and the barn is between the highway and the railroad east of the crossing. He knew of spills at the crossing. Last fall he drew an automobile out of the ditch just where Dr. Robertson's car was thrown. The automobile had struck the rail and had been turned over in the ditch. Democrats had been caught there and the wheels had been torn off by being caught between the rails and planks.

Bell Rang Seven Hours Once
The crossing bell at the crossing rang for seven hours one day a year ago last summer.
"I say those ditches right at the crossing are dangerous."
"Did you hear the bell of the engine ring?"
"No." He could not say if it did not. The same was true of the whistle. Two years ago his daughters reported that they had nearly got

caught by an engine from the east, which did not have a light. The crossing is more dangerous from the east.
Heavy Traffic on Highway
The highway is much travelled. He had about eight years ago kept track of the traffic from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. for a week. This showed a great amount of traffic.
"How would you pronounce the crossing?" asked Mr. Carnaw.
"I would pronounce it dangerous."
The bell was a protection but it would be a great help to have a guard or gates at the crossing.
The cut for the track on his farm is about 4 feet deep.
Dr. Robertson was travelling at an ordinary rate—not recklessly driving.

Eyewitness Tells Story.
Mr. Beaufort Gilbert swore that he was on the railroad track, calculating to visit Mr. Gibson's. He was walking east. He saw the train when it was 100 feet from the highway. He had heard the whistle blow. He had felt the vibration previously. After the whistle he heard the crossing bell. Then he heard the crash. He first saw the motor car when it came out from behind the fences. It was then heading straight across the track. The autoist turned the car sharply to the left. Dr. Robertson started the car down the track a little, but was struck on the right rear end of the car. The back end of the car was lifted right up and went about 15 feet in the air and it was again struck and then went to pieces. After the train passed the culvert where Mr. Gilbert was standing, Mr. Gilbert ran down the track to the scene of the accident and found Mrs. Robertson dead.
The crossing he thought a dangerous one.
The engine bell was not ringing as the train passed him.
To Mr. Mansell—"The auto was running very slow."
Mr. Ernest McCormack identified three photographs exhibited. They were taken at the crossing.
Mr. Holman recalled, could not say whether the engineer could see the car on the track.
James Gibson, who lives near the crossing, had seen conveyances stop to let one another by at the approach to the crossing caused by the narrowness of the road and the way that the track crossed the highway.

Some time ago Dr. Robertson's car had got into the ditch near the crossing.
The bell often rang without any train being on the track. A man in a car travelling on the highway last week stopped hearing the bell, but no train came along. There is heavy traffic on the road.
The crossing is not a good one. It is not safe, he thought it dangerous.
Coroner Yeomans stated that Engineer Stephen O'Hara had been taken seriously ill. It is said he had had an apoplectic seizure, and when he could be available for evidence was not certain. Undoubtedly he could offer nothing further to explain the tragedy.

Coroner's Remarks.
Dr. Yeomans said the question of the safety of this crossing had given the people a great deal of trouble. There were two other crossings on the cemetery front and on the bay bridge approach—on which watchmen had been put.
Now there had been the sad death of Mrs. (Dr.) Robertson at Gibson's crossing. Dr. Robertson was evidently not taking any great chances on the crossing.
As the government had decided on the building of the Provincial Highway, there is an implied invitation to tourists to use that highway. A man from New York is not to be expected to know anything of the conditions on either side of the crossing.
Likely the railway men used the ordinary presentations. Dr. Robertson might easily be mistaken as to the whistle or bell. The railwaymen were evidently not watching the crossing as none of the crew saw the accident.
The jury had had the benefit of viewing the crossing. The view of the track was obstructed by trees, barns and the fact that the train was coming from the rear.

Jury's Verdict
After half an hour's deliberation, the jury brought in a verdict that Mrs. Henrietta Robertson had died of injuries received at a crossing of the C.P.R., known as Gibson's crossing on the Kingston road in Thurlow, by being struck by a Canadian Pacific passenger train No. 19 while a passenger in a car accompanying her husband returning to Belleville. The following recommendation was added:
Lower Grade of Railway.
"Your jury are of the opinion that the crossing in question is an extremely dangerous one for the public travel and as a solution towards the elimination of such danger we recommend that the grade of the railway be lowered sufficiently to permit of an overhead crossing for the highway traffic and that pending this necessary improvement a watchman be maintained forthwith by the railway company both day and night."
"We further direct that a copy of this finding be forwarded to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada."

St. Michael's Bazaar Closes
About \$3,000 Realized From the Easter Sale.
St. Michael's bazaar was brought to a very successful close last evening. The returns so far available show about three thousand dollars as the proceeds of the sale. This is a remarkable showing in the face of the adverse weather conditions and of the influenza epidemic which a month ago had plans and work.
All the booths and the tea room were most successful. Among the drawings were the following:
Pillow cover, embroidered, donated by Mrs. Paley, won by Mrs. Wm. Belair.
Crocheted yoke, donated by Mrs. Rockwell Huffman, won by Mr. O'Neil.
Crocheted nightdress, donated by Mrs. (Dr.) Coughlin, won by Miss Anna Doyle.
Silver spoons, donated by the Misses Jordan and Milne, won by Mr. Sheldon Moran.
Cut glass dish, donated by Mrs. F. S. Anderson, won by Mr. F. Fitzpatrick.
Child's embroidered dress, donated by Mrs. D. V. Doyle, won by Miss Mary Macdonald.
Table runner, donated by Mrs. Philip Flagger, won by Mrs. T. J. Hurley.
Crib bag, donated by Mr. F. P. Carney, won by T. W. Roberts, of Cobourg, No. 274.
Skirt, donated by Mrs. Alex. Milne, won by Mr. Allen Mesinger, No. 99.
Kiddie car, donated by Thompson & Co., won by Miss Margaret Lee, No. 28.
A dress, donated by Mrs. Wm. Dolan, won by Mr. James Alexander, No. 36.
A box of cigars, donated by Mr. Wm. Belair, won by Mr. Wm. Kyle, No. 25.
A ham, donated by Donovan Bros., won by Miss Greta Flagger, No. 1.
\$10 gold piece, donated by Mr. J. C. McCarthy, won by Mrs. T. Brown, \$5 gold piece donated by Mr. T. Daly, won by Dr. Coggner.
Centre piece, donated by Miss Lafferty, won by Mrs. Stentall.
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\$5 gold piece, donated by Mrs. F. S. Anderson, won by Mr. Walter Parks.
\$10 pair boots, donated by Mr. Holmes, won by Mrs. Deben.
Box of cigars, donated by Mr. J. V. Jenkins, won by Mr. E. L. Brewer.
Table scarf, donated by Miss Davis, won by Miss Gladys Bryce.
Tapestry runner, donated by Miss Margaret Graham, won by Miss Loreta Doyle.
Rose sweater, donated by J. V. Quinn, Montreal, won by Mr. Joe Kennedy.
Yellow sweater, donated by Miss Cavanagh, won by Miss Alice Descon.
Hand painted pillow, donated by Miss Ford, won by Miss Nora Drumm.
Owing to the out-of-town tickets not being in, the wrist watch at the Children of Mary booth will be drawn for at a later date and the name of the winner published.

Farm Help Will Arrive
Information has been received by the Salvation Army Immigration Department, Montreal, that a number of married men, who desire to secure positions on farms, will arrive in Canada from Great Britain with the opening of the St. Lawrence river to navigation this season. These people are of a splendid type, men who have served their country during the Great War, and who are now coming to Canada to find a home on the land, with a view of learning Canadian methods and eventually securing farms for themselves and their children. Farmers who desire married help and accommodation for a man with family should communicate with the Salvation Army at Montreal with a view of securing this very desirable class of help. We also understand

that there will be a few single men in the party. During the month of June or July the Salvation Army will probably bring a number of orphan children of school age to Ontario for adoption.

Quinte Chapter Card Party
Successful Event at Armouries Last Night.
Last evening in the Armouries in the lecture hall, a progressive euchre party was given in aid of the Soldiers' Memorial, the Belleville General Hospital and the Children's Shelter, under the auspices of the Quinte Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. The function was attended by about eighty and was quite successful.
The officers of the chapter are: Mrs. P. J. M. Anderson, regent; Miss Greene, 1st vice-president; Mrs. S. D. Lazier, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. S. A. Lockwood, treasurer; Miss Cregan, secretary; Mrs. Hope McGinnis, standard bearer. To these officers and the members of the chapter is due the success of the evening.
The prize winners were: 1st prize, (lady)—Mrs. Young, Mrs. Hamilton. 1st prize (gentleman)—Mr. G. A. Bonisteel. Lone hand prizes—Mrs. Cronk, Mr. Bonagard, Mr. McMillan. Consolation—Mrs. Yeomans, Mrs. Bonisteel, Mrs. Leavens and Mr. F. B. Smith.

Eight Cases Confiscated
Proceedings Under O.T.A. Taken Today
As a result of proceeding in the police court today Inspector R. C. Arnott came into possession of eight cases of liquor which will be shipped to the Board of License Commissioners in Toronto. Three were of Irish and two of Scotch whiskey shipped to Thurlow station and addressed to Shannonville. The consignee was not located. The three other cases were left at Belleville unopened for.

Conducted Parties to European Battlefields
An interesting announcement has been made by the Immigration Department of the Salvation Army to the effect that arrangements have been made to conduct visitors to the battle fields of Flanders during the present summer. The conductors will be experienced officers of the Army who served in the Great War and who are conversant with all the principal points of interest. Suitable accommodation has already been secured and special attention will be given to the comfort of the visitors.

Laid to Rest
The funeral of the late Mrs. Isaac Murdock took place this afternoon from her late residence, 291 Pineville street. The Rev. Mr. McMullen of Camilton conducted the last and rite in the presence of a large gathering of friends. The bearers who are all members of the Veterans' Association of which the bereaved husband is a member, were Comrades E. H. Liddle, J. J. Shea, J. T. Clarke, A. A. Tapp, S. Howes and G. L. Gregory. The interment was made in Belleville cemetery.

Laid to Rest
The funeral of the late Joseph D. M. Lloyd took place yesterday from the residence of his father, 67 South George St. to St. Michael's Church where Father Killen officiated. Father Whelan officiated at the grave in St. James' cemetery.

The History of Eureka Lodge
The meeting of Eureka lodge on Wednesday was of unusual interest. There was a large attendance of members and visitors. At the "Fourth" degree, the venerable secretary of the lodge, Bro. W. J. Diamond, gave a history of the lodge from the date of its institution in 1872 to its attainment of its majority in 1893. Its subsequent history will be resumed at a later meeting. The early history of the lodge showed many interesting variations from present-day practice.
Many of the members expressed their appreciation of Bro. Diamond's able resume of Eureka's history.

Canadian Women and Music
At the recent congress of the National Council of Women of Canada a number of resolutions were passed dealing with the question of music. Among them the following points were brought out:
1. Music is a necessity not a luxury.
2. Every child has an inherent right to a musical education.
3. Unity through music is a means to civic improvement.
4. Patriotism is developed by music.
5. The spirit of comradeship, regardless of race or creed, is induced by music.
6. Music is the most useful medium in constructive work in a community. With the saloon and dance hall abolished there must be established in their stead places of clean amusement.
7. Music tends to encourage a higher form of citizenship.
8. Music is a powerful curative for mental, moral and physical ailments.

NOTICE
We the undersigned are the owners of that part of the marsh land between Huffs Island and Massassaqua Point, fronting on Lots 1 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 Amherstburg, 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. m10,17,24,31,61w

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Dr. Chas. A. Martin, Ottawa's oldest dentist, died at his home, aged 83.

Mortgage Church
The mortgage on the church parish hall was burned ceremony last evening at in the building. To the congregation goes the paying the debt. Christ stands entirely free of the banquet, served by the P to the men of the congress Rural Dean Swayne, rector parish presided. Among present were Rev. Dr. grave of St. Mark's, former rector under whose money the parish house and Mr. W. E. Griffith, former Sunday School student. There was a good of the men of the congress viands prepared by the the choicest and were joyed. Mr. O. H. Scott warden, conducted the gram.

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Mortgage on Christ Church Parish Hall Burned Last Night

The Church is Now Free of Debt—Fine Address by Dr. Blagrave—The Parish Guild Banquets Men of Congregation.

The mortgage on Christ Church parish hall was burned with due ceremony last evening at a meeting in the building. To the ladies of the congregation goes the praise of lifting the debt. Christ Church now stands entirely free of encumbrance. The meeting took the form of a banquet, served by the Parish Guild to the men of the congregation. Rev. Rural Dean Swayne, rector of the parish presided. Among the guests present were Rev. Dr. R. C. Blagrave, of St. Mark's, Toronto, the former rector under whose incumbency the parish house was erected and Mr. W. E. Griffith, of Toronto, former Sunday School superintendent. There was a good attendance of the men of the congregation. The viands prepared by the ladies were the choicest and were greatly enjoyed. Mr. O. H. Scott, people's warden, conducted the song program.

The toast to "the King" was honored in true style, all rising and singing the National Anthem.

Mr. William H. Nugent proposed the toast "Our Guests," coupling therewith the name of Rev. Dr. Blagrave and Mr. W. E. Griffith. Mr. Nugent referred to his experience with Dr. Blagrave, whom he remembered in North Hastings as rector of Coe Hill. He also referred to his friendship for Mr. Griffith.

The gathering pledged the toast with musical honors.

Dr. Blagrave referred to the friendships he had made at Coe Hill and Belleville and congratulated the parish of Christ Church on its splendid progress under the Rev. Rural Dean Swayne. He was happy to see the building free of encumbrance. The parish had raised \$4,546.50 for the Forward Movement with an objective of \$3,000.

He recalled the preparation of the plans ten years ago for the parish house, Mr. Walter Alford and he himself being the architects. He paid tribute to those faithful workers now passed away—Walter Alford, Dr. MacColl, Alex Elliott and Fred W. Millard.

The members of the parish who gave personal guarantees were—Dr. Blagrave, Willford, John Newton, F. W. Millard, F. P. Thompson, T. Marshall, C. J. Symons, Dr. A. E. MacColl, L. B. Cooper, Samuel Cornelius, Chas. McMullen, E. T. Cherry and J. L. Ticklel.

Referring to the financial success of the Forward Movement, Dr. Blagrave emphasized the spiritual needs. People need an objective in life. The unseen objective is through the personal Christ.

The world today needs help. There is no use getting pessimistic. Unrest today is a natural reaction from the war. But public speaking and writing seems to emphasize that unrest. The public has taken it up sympathetically and people today think themselves greatly abused. This is a time to possess our souls in patience and keep our nerve. High prices are natural. We should be glad that we are allowed to subsist. There is no institution today that can do so much towards steadying the conditions in the world today. This call of service to the citizen is a very high call.

Rev. Rural Dean Swayne expressed his pleasure at the visit of Dr. Blagrave and Mr. Griffith.

Mr. D. J. Batchelor sang several songs with fine effect. Miss Bishop gave a recitation which was much appreciated. Miss Mann sang two favorite songs, "A Perfect Day" and "My Little Grey Home in the West," in excellent style. Mr. Aylsworth sang "The Helmsman" and an encore to the pleasure of the meeting.

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County and District

The C.P.R. Have Decided to "Scrap" the Freight and Cattle Sheds at Almonte

QUESTION OF POWER RATES IN KINGSTON

Chief of Police at Cobourg Found Some Bread Underweight

Council Received Letters

Letters requesting the Peterboro Council to adopt daylight saving during the summer months were received last night from F. McKinley, secretary of the Peterboro Football League, the Peterboro branch of the Canadian Manufacturer's Association and the Board of Trade. The manufacturers stated that the factory employees had voted by a large majority in favor of a daylight saving to extend from May 1st until September 1st. This question will be dealt with by the committee of the whole.—Peterboro Examiner.

Some Bread Was Underweight

Chief Ruse last week made an inspection of the weights of bread sold in Cobourg. Of the six different makes sold in Cobourg, two were found to be slightly underweight, while the other four were all right. Those underweight varied from 1/4 of an ounce to 2 1/2 ounces short on a single loaf. Another inspection was made this week and the bread was all found up to weight.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Question of Power Rates

The enlargement of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company's plant at Kingston, and the growing demand for electric power in that city, again raises the question of rates, and it is not unlikely that strong representations will be addressed to the Ontario Hydro Commission with a view to the development of water-power in Eastern Ontario. It is recognized that the Commission has power to expropriate any existing generating systems for the general benefit of the public and this will be asked if it is deemed necessary to the reduction of rates to do so.

Blow from Tree Kills Farmer

Charles Marshall, of Kitley township, who received internal injuries on Saturday, when struck by a falling tree on his farm, died in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital at Brockville. His wife and two daughters survive.

Redwood Plant Sold

Holmes Brothers have sold their electric light plant at Redwood, N. Y., to the Northern New York Utilities, Inc., and the new owners are to take possession as soon as they can furnish power from their Alexandria Bay plant. Holmes Brothers, who also operate the well known steamboat line, were about to enter a contract with the Theresa Power Company for electrical energy when the more favorable offer of the Utilities was received.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Prospective Industry for Pembroke

There are prospects now for a new industry in the Pembroke Iron Works buildings, which have been idle since they were dismantled following the signing of the armistice. Some gentlemen representing outside interests were here last week and looked them over with the idea of locating in them a new textile plant, to give employment to some 250 hands, and the hope is general locally that a deal may be finally concluded.

Freight Sheds to be Scrapped

The C.P.R. has decided to "scrap" the freight and cattle sheds at Almonte in the near future and to erect more convenient and more commodious buildings. The C.P.R. freight traffic with Almonte is understood to have made a very great increase during the past year.

It is Sir George R. Parkin

Dr. George Parkin, representing the Rhodes Scholarship Trust, has just received his K.C.M.G. from his majesty at Buckingham Palace. Sir George Parkin is father-in-law of Principal W. L. Grant, is an educationist, and is now a prominent supporter of a new movement in Oxford called the Oxford University British American Club, whose aim is to strengthen the ties between the English-speaking peoples.

Simplified Spelling has been dropped by the Modern Language Association of America.

Will Science Be Able to Turn Energy Into Matter?

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

It may be said that science is largely built on the law of conservation of energy and force, which means in plain English that there is just so much matter and so much energy in the universe, and that all that man can do will neither create nor destroy matter or force. He is powerless to alter or change this eternal equilibrium.

We know that science has divided matter into some eighty elements, and these are supposed to be made up of atoms, or inconceivably small particles of matter. The elements are simple substances whose atoms are all alike in each element respectively. That means that there is nothing in iron but iron atoms, nothing in gold but gold atoms, and so on through the eighty odd elements. We can melt and break and grind iron, but it will always be iron, and every fragment will be the same as the original piece.

That was the law of conservation, and it held undisputed sway until radium was discovered. Science decided that radium was an element of a peculiar kind that seemed to break all the rules heretofore applied to simple matter. Instead of obeying the established rules, radium snapped and hissed in a miniature volcano of light.

Bolled down and simplified with everything of orthodox science eliminated, here is the summing up of the thing in a nut-shell. Radium destroys itself. It is constantly giving off energy, and science cannot understand why there should be energy in it, or what becomes of radium unless that matter is not a constant as has been universally thought, after all.

Now, if that is true, energy is probably the only constant in the

Invaluable Advice for Young Vocalists

For sensible and well-known physiological reasons a girl should not begin the study of singing until the age of sixteen, or in very exceptional cases, fifteen. It is true that some celebrated singers, a very few, have studied at fifteen or even at fourteen, but they became coloratura, bird-like sopranos, with voices rather attenuated, perhaps by too early study (see Adelina Patti). Girls of thirteen may amuse themselves by singing about the house, moderately, and without throat effect, but they should on no account study singing. They should also be very careful in their high school class singing never to sing out of their compass and never to indulge in loud singing.

Owing to the change which takes place about this age, a boy ought to give up singing directly the change begins to occur and not study singing until about the age of eighteen. In this he may be guided by a competent teacher, because much depends upon his physical development and state of health. During this period of waiting both girls and boys should make good use of their time by studying piano and music (self-teaching and theory). This will prove a great advantage to them when they begin their vocal studies. Because a singer should be complete (or more complete) a musician as well as an instrumentalist—and then some, literature and languages for example.

Self-Expression in Playing

While the physiological study of the playing apparatus may seem unnecessary to many, still a general idea of the functions of our muscular endowments is necessary; but after all the sensations arising from the proper use of them will be the best test for self-discipline. The need of muscular relaxation is indeed felt by all, and we see many ludicrous illustrations of it. Especially in all kinds of arm gyrations and hand darnings, more noticeable than the direct results of their playing. They forget that a thorough mastery of the use of the muscles conceals all external demonstrations, and that it is not what they do after the tone is struck, but the conditions of the arm before the sound emission, that will produce a beautiful tone, and that the tone will answer their slightest wish, if it is properly treated before percussion.

The aim of all pianists should be to express a musical thought in an artistic way, and the technique is, therefore, simply a means to this end. The requirement of this beautiful technique can also be a most artistic accomplishment in itself and with a more foundational study of the subject the coming generation will be able to express themselves in a musical way that will not over-tax the requirements of their instruments.

IVANHOE

Miss Pearl Fleming, of Toronto, spent a couple of days last week with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jones, of Lodgecroft, spent Good Friday with their son, Mr. Arthur Jones.

Miss Bishop, of Bishop's Mills, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Rowe.

Miss Bessie Fleming spent the week end with friends at Hazard's Corners.

Miss Laura Moore, of Belleville High School, is at home for Easter week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sine, of Halloway, visited the latter's parents on Sunday.

Mr. Albert Tammon, of Trenton, spent the week end in town.

Miss's Worm Powders prove their value. They do not cause any violent disturbances in the stomach, any pain or griping, but do their work quietly and painlessly, so that the destruction of the worms is imperceptible. Yet they are thorough, and from the first dose there is improvement in the condition of the sufferer and an entire cessation of manifestations of internal trouble.

Protests against Sunday funerals were registered at a meeting of the Springfield, Mass. Ministerial Association.

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Smocks to Match

OAK HALL

C.P.R. Train Left Rails Will Advertise Trent District

Two Passenger Coaches Were Ditched

No One Was Much Injured—A Woman with a Baby Was Among the Passengers

Kingston, April 9.—It is only an intruder that several people were not seriously injured on Tuesday morning when the Canadian Pacific train left the track at Kingston at 9 o'clock. One mile and a half south of Godfrey station.

Two passenger coaches and one box car loaded with wood left the tracks and turned on their side in the ditch.

It was thought that the accident was due to the rails spreading. It is certainly very fortunate that the train was not running at a very fast rate of speed or some of the passengers would have likely been seriously injured.

When speaking to people at Verona on Tuesday morning the Whig learned that in one of the coaches which turned over, was a sick woman with an infant in arms.

As soon as the accident happened the wrecking crew from Smith's Falls was summoned and the work of clearing the track was commenced. It is expected that this will require some time, as when the cars left the rails they tore up about ten rods of track.

An engine and caboose were sent out from Kingston and all the passengers were placed into this car and brought to the city. They arrived about 11.30 o'clock. R. J. Reid's ambulance removed the sick woman and her baby to the General Hospital.

SCHOOL REPORT

S.S. NO. 20, SIDNEY

Class IV., Sr.—Clare Finkle, Helen Boardman, Gladys Lough, Alton Sine, William Rodgers, Stanley Roblin.

Class III., Sr.—Percy Marshall, Ina Horton, Bert Spencer, Gerald Demill, Herald Demill, Emory Demill.

Class III., Jr.—Althea Sine, Vernon Curry, Dorothy Connor, Mostyn Lancaster.

Class II.—Grace Connor, Edith Bird, Wilbur Lough, Many Hannah.

Class I.—Frank Titterton, Leitha Curry, Alfred Titterton.

Primer—Grace Titterton, Ray Sine, B. Goudge, Teacher.

Four Towns Contribute \$550 to Spend in Motorboat Magazines

A fund of \$550 to be used in advertising the Trent and Kawartha waterways in the May and June issues of three prominent magazines devoted to motor boating has been subscribed as follows: Barrie \$100, Orillia \$150, Midland \$150 and Peterborough \$150.

Peterboro's contribution was passed at Tuesday night's meeting of the Council. The advertisements will be prepared by the Peterboro Board of Trade, and from the publicity which will thus be given the Trent highway it is expected that substantial returns will accrue to the district and especially to the towns that have united in this community effort.—Peterboro Examiner.

DESERONTO

Mr. G. R. White, of Trenton, was in town on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pritchett spent Easter with friends in Napanee.

Mr. Ted Large, of Queen's University, Kingston, is spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Vera Naylor spent Good Friday with relatives in Napanee.

Father Coyle, of Kingston, was in charge of the services in St. Vincent de Paul Church on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Leveque is in Oshawa where he has secured a position with the McLaughlin Company.

Mr. W. G. Johnston, of Gananoque, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnston.

Mr. W. S. Smith and two daughters, Misses Myrtle and Helen, of Toronto, spent over Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Will Alexander, Marysville.

Mr. Earl V. Brennan, who has been spending the past three months in Chicago and Willard, Ohio, has returned to his home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. T. Jarratt, of Trenton, transacted business here Saturday. Mr. Jarratt lived in Deseronto in the days of the Belleville Sun. A newspaperman, he will start a new paper, The Sun, in Trenton in the early future.—Post.

President Wilson is having difficulty in finding men willing to give up their business to serve on the Railroad Board as representatives of the public. The jobs carry a salary of \$10,000.

A veteran fire-horse, sold by the Muskogee, Mich., fire department, refuses to work unless his driver wears a fireman's uniform.

St. Mary's, Spring Fair will be held on Thursday, April 8.

Brooklyn Lodge

Eureka lodge on of unusual interest. Attendance of visitors. At the the venerable sec. Bro. W. J. Dia. of the lodge its institution in of its major subsequent history at a later meeting. of the lodge showing variations from

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Women and Music

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LENINE AND EBERT
A Transposition

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

Not since the day of the Mad Prophet, the founder of Islam, some fifteen centuries ago, has there been such a movement as is now being witnessed in Eastern Europe. The Red army of Bolshevism is inspired with the same sort of fanaticism that made the army of Mahomet perform miracles and conquer a nation and then finally a continent in a manner which has baffled historians and strategists to this very hour. Carlist leadership and carlist soldiers are part of the new army of propaganda by the sword. The brains of it come from the great war, but his work is much easier now because the men are ready to do the impossible under the inspiration of their new-found saviors at Moscow.

Correspondents of various newspapers, on the ground, and at Berlin, are impressed with the strength of the Bolshevist movement, even in Berlin. They quote at length the view of a German of the Old Guard to the effect that his country will be in the throes of Bolshevism in three months. At the present rate of progress it will not take that long to invade not only Germany, but the new border states created by the peace council.

Germany is very close to Russia at this moment. The present German government is semi-Bolshevist in order to hold office. It was returned to place through the influence of the doctrine of Bolshevism. The workers went on strike as directed by the founder of the religion seventy years ago, against a return of Prussian militarism, and it became a question of Germany starting or Ebert back in authority. The Spartacans became dictators. The Marxian doctrine has a number of allures.

The strikers made demands for a number of reforms which are promised in all sincerity by the deposed president in return for his office. If adopted by the government, Germany will be under control of the proletariat.

Bayside Briefs

Consisting of Kitchen Showers, Matrimonial Alliances and Other Events Equally Thrilling.

The gathering at the home of Mr. Robt. Jeffrey on Thursday evening last was something more than an event. Hundreds of people seemed to suddenly appear from nowhere and fill the house. From the crowded streets of Belleville to the explosion-scarred suburbs of Trenton, and from the rivers unto the ends of the earth they came bringing their gifts with them.

Before the evening was over there was a shower, and not being accustomed to showers in March, it proved very embarrassing for Miss Myrtle Jeffrey, in whose honor the shower was brought about.

Mr. H. R. Hunt, Township Treasurer and a young man of many accomplishments, called the vast multitude to order and the following address was read:

Dear Myrtle:—

The knowledge of your intended removal from Bayside in the near future brings with it a note of regret. Going as you are to a neighboring community, the ties of friendship that bind you to your friends of Bayside will not be altogether broken, but your Christian influence and willing participation in every line of useful endeavor will be a great loss to your many friends here. By your bright, sunny disposition and adherence to those things that go to make up strong Christian character you have not only won the respect of all, but you have endeavored to follow the example of Him who went about doing good.

We want you to know that the loyal and unselfish service you have rendered in every branch of the church's work, especially the choir, Sunday school and Epworth League, has been a great inspiration to your associates and appreciated to the full by all.

In appreciation of your work and worth, we ask you to accept this shower as a token of the esteem in which you are held and of our best wishes for a long and happy married life.

Natural indeed it is for young people, and sometimes old ones, too, to fall in love, and since marriage is naturally and more frequently the outcome of a love affair, it is always

MADOC

Mr. G. M. Wallbridge, of Toronto, was in town a few days last week. Mr. W. S. Ludbrook is spending the Easter vacation with relatives in Oswego, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brooks were in Belleville on Sunday.

Misses Blanche Dufosse and Aileen O'Hara spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Miss Grace Burnside, of Guelph, is spending her holidays with her parents in town.

Mr. M. Vandervoort, of Harrowsmith, was the week-end guest of his uncle, Mr. P. Vandervoort.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryden motored to Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Bulpit, of Ottawa, was a week end guest of Mr. S. Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Eby, of Bancroft, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. Merton Vandervoort, of Harrowsmith, was the week end guest of his uncle, Mr. Frank Vandervoort.—Review.

PICTON

Miss Hilda Tait, Hillier, spent the week end the guest of Miss Marion Street, Picton.

Mr. Albert Collier has purchased the James B. Jenkins farm, south side of South Bay.

Mr. Wilbert Mehn, Toronto, is spending Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mein.

Mr. H. J. VanVlack of the Bank of Nova Scotia, has been transferred from Montreal to Ottawa as accountant.

Mr. Mal. Worden has bought the home of the late Mrs. John Ostrander on Main street. The price paid was \$4,500.

The body of Major Fitz Horrigan arrived at Vancouver March 27 and is expected at Picton the latter part of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Gibson are spending Easter holidays at Campbellford, visiting the Doctor's parents, and will return the first of the week.

Mrs. Belle Collier gave a family dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Caniff Haight and their daughter Hester, before they left Picton for their beautiful home in Toronto.

Miss Laura Seth, who has been spending the winter with her mother, left on Tuesday to resume her travels with the California Perfume Company of Montreal, Que.

Mr. H. O. Richardson, Wellington, who has been confined to the house for the past four weeks, is able to be out and expects to resume his duties on the C.N.R. in the near future.

Miss Beattie Shaver, of Queen's College, Kingston, will be the guest of Miss Rosemond Carter at her home on Hill street for the Easter vacation.

Gerald McCaw, son of Mr. Ed. McCaw, had his arm broken Sunday night in putting on a belt to pump water for the stock. The arm was broken at the wrist and dislocated at the elbow.

James Grimmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grimmon, Picton, whose serious illness caused alarm, has so far recovered as to be able to dress and be about the house. Mr. and Mrs. Grimmon appreciate the kindness of friends during the illness of their son.

Mr. Peter Lowry, of Kingston, was in town this week in attendance at the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. Dulmage.

Mr. James Wainman, of Milford, has purchased the B. R. Heppburn house on Main east, now occupied by Mr. C. B. Beamish.

T. M. Caton, of Cherry Valley, in order to be in the running for Picton's big poultry show next January, has ordered from the Canadian Poultry Yards, the largest in Canada, the following: purebred baby chicks—75 White Wyandottes, 25 Rhode Island Reds, 25 White Buff Orpingtons. The exhibitor who wins (in any of the above strains) will certainly have to go some if they beat out Mr. Caton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham and son, of MacLeod, Alberta, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith, Wellington. They are returning home from the Old Country where they have been spending the winter months visiting in England and Scotland. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham will spend a few weeks more leaving for their home and will visit friends in Toronto and Whitby on their way west.—Times and Gazette.

TWEED

Miss Sarah Craig is spending the week with friends in Belleville.

We are pleased to see Mr. Fred Foster out again after an attack of the "flu."

Mrs. Hinchey, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Clare, left Tuesday for her home in Arrowhead, P.C.

Mr. Jack Flynn, C.N.R. operator at Coe Hill, has been transferred to Ottawa on relief work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mahoney, of Queensboro, were guests of her sister, Mrs. Jos. Rashotte, last week.

Miss Molly James, saleslady at Ritchie's, Belleville, returned home last week accompanied by her mother, who has been visiting her.

Mr. Benedict Farrell and sister, Mae, of Maple Ridge, were visitors to town on Saturday.

Mr. H. Morton and H. Martin, of Stirling, paid a business visit to Tweed on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moraw and baby, of London, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moraw, for the past week.

Miss Lillian Cobb, of Belleville, spent the week end with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ferguson, of Toronto, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Huyck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garley and family, of Belleville, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlam Plus, of North Bay, are visiting at her home in Bogart.

Mr. Frank McGrath, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Stoo.

Mrs. Wm. Cook, of Peterboro, is visiting friends in Tweed and Hungerford.

Messrs. S. S. Elliott, F. E. Brown and W. E. Craig attended the Holstein sale in Belleville on Wednesday.

Mr. J. F. Stokes left on Monday for Gowganda, New Ontario, where he has accepted a position in connection with electrical construction work for the Cobalt-Frontenac Mining Co.—News and Advocate.

Wedding Bells

CAMPBELL—WATTS
A quiet but pretty Easter wedding was solemnized in Dominion Methodist Church, Ottawa, on Monday, when Mabel Lusala, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. O. Watts, of Merrickville, became the bride of Mr. C. Elmer Campbell, of the Finance Department, Rev. J. W. Alkens, D.D., officiating. The bride was attired in a tailored suit of dark chiffon broadcloth with a mole-skin fur and a becoming hat of silk mohair to match. She wore a bouquet of pink georgette crepe with a corsage bouquet of pink roses and forget-me-nots.

Miss Alida J. Lapp, as bridesmaid, was dressed in a suit of blue georgette broadcloth, shell pink georgette blouse and picture hat of mohair trimmed with French flowers. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The groom was supported by Mr. Karl B. Conger, formerly of Belleville.

Following the ceremony a dainty wedding luncheon was served at the Chateau Laurier, after which Mr. and Mrs. Campbell left for the afternoon train for New York and New England points. They will return via Buffalo and Toronto, and will take up residence at 395 MacLaren street.

Owing to a recent death in the groom's family only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony.

Miss Watts was quite well known in Belleville and vicinity, having taught school at Blessington and Bloomfield for a number of terms.

STAPLEY—EGGLETON

On Wednesday afternoon the marriage took place quietly at Bridge Street Methodist parsonage by Rev. Dr. Scott, of Miss Mildred Florence Eggleton, of Sidney township, to Mr. Walter Oliver Stapley, of Rawdon township. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony.

CLARE—ROBERTS

At the apartments of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Reddick, 283 1/2 Front street, a happy function was celebrated at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday when Miss Nellie Roberts of this city was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur V. Clark, of Trenton. The ceremony took place before a bank of ferns and roses, the decorative scheme throughout the hall being pink and white. The bride was gowned in navy blue tulle and carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses. Mrs. Reddick, the cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a blue georgette and carried an arm bouquet of roses.

The wedding march, the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin was played by Miss Nellie Rogers of Clinton, Michigan. Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott, of Bridge street Methodist church performed the ceremony.

Immediately after the wedding ceremony, a full course dinner was served in the dining room which was decorated with roses.

Latest News Events in Busy Trenton

Wednesday afternoon and evening saw Waller's Opera House filled to capacity. Numbers were turned away in the evening. Why? The great film, "The Great Shadow," filmed in Trenton last season, was the attraction. Several Trentonians are shown in this production and scenes in and about Trenton play a prominent part in the make up of the film.

Trenton's wonderful canal is shown in several scenes. This picture has caused wide discussion and many and varied are the opinions of those who have seen it. Trentonians like it anyway!

On Monday evening the Trenton Choral Society met in King St. Church at 8:30 o'clock for the final summing up and closing of business. After all expenses were deducted, the sum of thirty-four dollars and a few cents was realized from the concert. This was presented to Mr. Geo. Kenyon, whose untiring efforts made the programme a success. It had been decided to continue the society, and to study secular music for the next concert.

The school board met in Dufferin St. Public School on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The usual business was transacted.

Mrs. Spicer, of Peterboro, who has been a pupil of Mr. Geo. Kenyon for the past seven years was in town for Easter Sunday and took the solo parts in the Easter anthem at St. George's church.

Mrs. Spicer is possessed of a splendid voice, and was much enjoyed by all who heard her.

Major Puffer, who died in Toronto on Monday, was brought to the home of his son, Mr. Lester Puffer, Lorne Ave. The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday and the service was conducted by Major H. Frost. Interment was made at Mount Carmel.

Mr. Mary Graydon, of Oshawa, who broke his leg about four weeks ago, is spending a few days in Trenton. He is able to walk with a cane, but is still quite lame.

Donations to Children's Shelter

Permit me on behalf of the Management Board of the Children's Aid Society of Hastings to tender our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends for the following donations to the Shelter during the month of March:

The Nile Green Knitting Circle, clothing; Mrs. Manley Fox, Eldorado, stockings; Mrs. Edward Laundry, Bancroft, clothing; Mrs. McCarty, 39 Pine street, clothing; Mrs. W. J. Norton, clothing; Mrs. Ruston, 1 sweater, 2 prs. stockings; a friend, of the children, 1 bag marbles; Blanche, Women's Institute, clothing; Mrs. W. A. Hubble, Bancroft, clothing; the Nile Green Sewing Circle per Mrs. Waddell, clothing; Thomasburg Women's Institute, clothing; Mrs. Bottom, Jap marmalade; Mrs. J. Williams, Charles st., pall honey; Mrs. Chford Launing, Shirling, clothing; City Mission, cake and sandwiches; Mrs. Jones, pair stockings; Mrs. Harris, clothing; All For Jesus Mission Band, Ivanhoe, 1 quilt; Mrs. Madden, cake; Mrs. Ketcheson, 1 pillow, clothing; Mrs. Laundry, Bancroft, 1 small suit; Mrs. Leslie, knitting stockings; Women's Missionary Society, Ivanhoe, clothing; Front Road Ladies' Aid, 1 quilt.

T. D. Ruston, Supt.

DEATHS

TURLEY—At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, April 7, 1920, Mrs. Minnie Turley, widow of the late William J. Turley.

A few sips of hot water given a two-months-old baby at Mount Clemens, Mich., sealed the child's fate and caused death.

Postoffice clerk at New York found the body of an infant in a package mailed by parcel post from the State of Washington.

Aleghing a sting from a bee caused his son to lose the sight of one eye, a Michigan farmer is suing a neighbor beekeeper for \$10,000.

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OBITUARY

MRS. ANNIE MOORMAN
Mrs. Annie Moorman, beloved wife of Mr. J. J. Moorman, second concession of Thurlow, died early this morning after an illness of one year's duration. She was a native of England and was 75 years of age.

Mrs. Moorman was a member of the Methodist Church and had resided in this vicinity since girlhood. Surviving besides her husband are one son, W. H. Moorman, Belleville, and one daughter, Mr. W. J. Huntman, Brockville. The deepest sympathy will be extended to them in their great loss.

HENRY WESTERN LANGABEER
Henry Western Langabeer peacefully crossed the border into the Home Land at his home on the Third Line of Thurlow in the 67th year of his life. He was born in 1873 in England, and in the year 1878 he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Ann Beer and their wedded life proved a happy one. After several years he came to the land of the Maple Leaf, in 1880 with his wife and two children, Albert G. and Annie, the latter having predeceased him twenty-three years ago. Since his arrival in Canada the most of his life was spent in the townships of Sidney and Thurlow, Hastings Co. and the people with whom he had to do, learned to love and appreciate him for his individual worth. He was a man quiet in manner and heart position, with a large warm heart and a genuine, helpful spirit and his friendship once made remained constant and true. He was an ideal husband and father, industrious, providing, kind, affectionate, loving and lovable and the impress of his life as a man, husband and father, cannot be forgotten, not simply by his family, but by all who were privileged to know him for all reverse his memory.

For several years he did not enjoy robust health, being a victim of a weak heart; but he would rally again and again and apparently be himself. So that when his family was called to his bedside, some were impressed that it was another attack of his old trouble, but for two weeks he gradually grew weaker and three days prior to the day of his death, he suffered intense pain. On the morning of March 29th, 1920, he lapsed into unconsciousness and about 7 p.m. without a struggle his earthly tabernacle was dissolved and the loving spirit took its departure to the building above.

There are left to mourn his loss a sorrowing wife, three daughters and five sons, Albert G. of Belleville; Mrs. Wm. Pope, Prince Edward Co.; Mrs. Frank Harris, Sidney, Harry W., Belleville, Arthur J., Illinois, Walter, Belleville, and Frank and Beattie at home.

On the morning of Tuesday, March 30th, the funeral service was conducted at the home by the pastor, Rev. J. S. McMullen in the presence of a large concourse of people, preaching from 2 Cor. 5:10. Mrs. McMullen during the service beautifully and effectively rendered a solo entitled, "The Homeland."

With his five sons and son-in-law Mr. Frank Harris as pall bearers, his body was conveyed to Belleville cemetery where all that is mortal awaits the voice of Him that will bid the sleeping dust to arise.

Arthur Henderson, aged 26, arrested at New York for begging, told the judge he had taken in \$12 of the \$13.85 found on him in one hour at a subway station.

Jack Tillman, a returned soldier, aged 37, was drowned in the Ottawa River.

Town League Again on a Working Basis

Cobourg, April 9.—The town baseball league was reorganized at a largely attended meeting held in the grand jury room on Tuesday evening. The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$61. Teams have until April 16th to enter. The following teams have signified their intention of entering: Fair Co. Dye Works, Matting Co., G.W.V.A., Station Tigers and Bankers. Managers were given until May 1st to sign players, each team being allowed 14 players. A committee was appointed to see if arrangements could be made to have the Munson Cup put up as a trophy for competition in the town league. A resolution was passed asking that the council pass a by-law, in order that games may be played in the evenings. The following were the officers elected:

President—Henry Forler.
Vice-Pres.—Roy Dodge.
Sec.—Treas.—C. R. Gummow.
Executive Committee—The Officers, W. Skitch, C. A. Pringle, P. Duncan, and a representative from each team.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Wedding Bells

MARTIN—LAWRENCE
A quiet wedding took place in Cannifton, April 7th at 2 p.m. when Allie Pearl, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lawrence was united in marriage by the Rev. J. S. McMullen to Clarence Atwood Martin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, of Thurlow. The young couple then left on the International Limited for Toronto and points west, where they will spend a few days with friends. The bride's dress was blue silk messaline and her traveling suit was sand color with hat to match. They were assisted by the bride's brother, Harold H. Lawrence and the groom's sister, Miss Alice L. Martin. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl necklace and the bridegroom a pair of gold cuff links. Upon their return they will reside in Thurlow.

County and District
Picton is to have a Foot This Year.
OGDENSBURG BOY IS
Nurses Alumnae Assoc
Kingston Realized
Peterboro Hen Out to Beat
Cost of Living.

The only element in the city as yet discovered which is a Plymouth owned by Mr. R. T. Hoed Edinburg street, which, tied with having continued the 25th of December at the 25th of March, missing three and thereby supplying a now changing her activities entering to sit. Her owner to be a record hen.—Examiner.

Ogdensburg Boy Drowned
Warren Arthur Morley, years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morley, No 55 Lake street, was drowned at 3:30 afternoon in the canal at the rear of Hackett's four 100 feet from the home of Mrs. Capt. J. C. Howland of the pump factory near the screams of the child a child out of the water. The boy had been submerged only a few minutes.—Brockville Recorder and Examiner.

Louisa Hurlbert Davis away at the residence of James A. Davis, Richmond St. 25th, Mrs. Davis was Cape Vincent, N. Y., on Oct. 29, and came with her parents to Canada when thirteen years of age. She was born in Ontario, Ont. on Oct. 23rd, 1865, she was on Gilbert M. Davis, who lived in South Fredericksburg, about twenty-three years ago. Deceased was a member of Trinity Methodist church. Leaves one son, James A. Davis, two daughters, Mrs. John Bath, and Mrs. Wm. E. Minneapolis.

Purchased an English Road
Brig-Gen. B. R. Heppburnston has purchased a fine about thirty miles south of Eng., on the way to Wind manding a view of the Wind

Wanted at Ottawa.
Monday morning Chief B requested by a telephone from the detective department to keep watch here for a man who hired a horse and carriage on Thursday following the robbery of the street branch of the Bank Scotia. One of the men is five feet and seven inches and wore a dark gray overcoat. The horse is a small dark grey and the harness is brass mounted. The driver is a man of about 40 years of age. Cannot Get a Craft.

The Canada Steamship having trouble in securing passenger steamer to carry on between Ogdensburg, A Bay and Clayton, as all the of Canadian registry with the of the steamship St. L and would not on that account be to coast, that is, an engers from one American another American port. The St. Lawrence, as in past season, being between Clayton and A Bay, making the afternoon among the islands and the light excursions in the event this reason the St. Lawrence unavailable for Ogdensburg.

Rich Consignment.
Seven carloads of China valued at over \$200,000 arrived in Prescott Saturday after the C. P. R. from the Pacific after a fast transcontinental. The consignment was taken to Ogdensburg on the ferry Lyon Sunday and after being 91 by the customs agents, packed to New York in a train guarded by railroad men.—Brockville Recorder and Examiner.

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The Royal Military Col

County and District

Pictou is to Have a Four-Day Fair This Year.

OGDENSBURG BOY IS DROWNED.

Nurses Alumnae Association of Kingston Realized \$805.

Peterboro Hen Out to Beat The High Cost of Living.

The only element in the community as yet discovered which is striving to bring down the High Cost of Living, is a Plymouth Rock hen owned by Mrs. R. T. Housell, 232 Edinburgh street, which is being kept in a cage...

Ogdensburg Boy Drowned.

Warren Arthur Morley, aged four years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Morley, No. 55 Lake street, Ogdensburg, was drowned at 3:30 Saturday afternoon in the canal at a spot at the rear of Hackett's foundry only 100 feet from the home of his parents...

Passed Away at Nananee.

Louisa Harbert Davis passed away at the residence of her son, James A. Davis, Richmond, on March 25th. Mrs. Davis was born at Cape Vincent, N. Y., on Oct. 1st, 1839, and came with her parents to Canada when thirteen years of age...

Purchased an English Residence.

Brig-Gen. B. R. Hepburn of Kingston has purchased a fine residence about thirty miles south of London, Eng., on the way to Windsor, commanding a view of the Thames.

Wanted at Ottawa.

Monday morning Chief Burke was requested by a telephone message from the detective department, Ottawa, to keep watch here for two men who hired a horse and buggy in Ottawa on Thursday afternoon following the robbery of the Rideau street branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia...

Cannot Get a Craft.

The Canada Steamship Lines is having trouble in securing a fast passenger steamer to carry passengers between Ogdensburg, Alexandria Bay and Clayton, as all the fleet are of Canadian registry with the exception of the steamer St. Lawrence, and would not on that account be allowed to coast, that is, carry passengers from one American port to another American port...

Rich Consignment.

Seven carloads of Chinese silk valued at over \$200,000 a car arrived in Prescott Saturday night via the C. P. R. from the Pacific coast, after a fast transcontinental trip. The consignment was taken across to Ogdensburg on the ferry steamer Lyon Sunday and after being inspected by the customs agents was dispatched to New York in a special train guarded by railroad detectives...

Will Hold Dinner.

The Royal Military College, ex-

sumed.

Whiskey Stolen at Lindsay.

Some unknown persons broke into the Canadian Express office at the G.T.R. station at Lindsay and removed therefrom three cases of whiskey which were stored there. The lock of the storeroom was forced with a jimmy and the party or parties withdrawing this liquor replaced the lock. The police are not on the case. Chief Skort made the remark that some people would go through more for whiskey than for gold dust.

The Kingston-Ottawa Highway.

Last week deputations of citizens from Perth and Smith's Falls visited Toronto and waited on the Hon. Mr. Biggs to press their claims for the Kingston-Ottawa highway. The route from Kingston to Ottawa starts from Barrfield Hill, where you branch off to the left and take the road to Seely's Bay, and the local part of the construction is under the supervision of R. H. Fair. This route passes through Smith's Falls, and makes the journey to Ottawa just fifteen miles shorter than the route proposed through Perth. No matter what the outcome of the battle between the two contending factions may be, Kingston will not be affected, as the highway must pass through here. The route through Seely's Bay and Smith's Falls is regarded as the only logical route because of the shorter mileage, which means a substantial saving in the cost of construction, maintenance and length of the journey. This is considered something that Perth cannot overcome, as it must be regarded as an undertaking of such magnitude.

Appointed New Manager.

W. L. Macfarlane, who was at one time superintendent of the St. Lawrence Power Co., at Cornwall, and who served overseas with the 23rd Battalion, has been appointed manager of the Cornwall Street Railway Company, succeeding C. U. Peeling, who resigned to accept a position in Illinois. The appointment was made by the Sun Life Assurance Co., which owns the railway.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Violet Day Realized \$805.

As the result of the sale of paper violets on the Kingston streets on Saturday the Nurses' Alumnae Association of Kingston realized about \$805 for the General Hospital. The sale was carried on only a few hours.

Were Drinking Canal Water.

In spite of the fact that Cornwall advertises its water supply as "the purest in the world," it has recently developed that for some months the town has been drinking water from the canal there instead of from the St. Lawrence. This situation was discovered when the water supply irregularly was found to be due to a blocking of the intake pipe. The Cornwall Freeholder calls on action being taken by the town council and the Board of Health to fix responsibility for the incident.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Renfrew to Hold Four-Day Fair.

The Renfrew Agricultural Society has made a radical departure by deciding to hold a four-day fair this year and advance the admission fee to thirty-five cents. All other county fairs in this district last for three days, and the price of admission is twenty-five cents. Renfrew fair has so grown and developed in recent years that three days are scarcely sufficient to carry out the program.

New Knitting Machines.

Harold Bradshaw, the super-knitter at Hawthorn, Carleton Place, left for Tacoma, N.H., for the purpose of purchasing half a dozen or more of the last-word machines in knitting and to take a post-graduate course in the great industrial establishment of Scott & Williams, in that city. Mr. Bradshaw was already highly skilled in his profession, but he had ambition to probe into the deeper knowledge of the subtle science from the applied point of view.

Nut Shelling Industry.

The Boves Company, Limited, Toronto, have purchased the egg warehouse formerly occupied by Flavell & Clemons, of Port Perry, and will operate it as a nut shelling factory, and for the manufacture of fruits and syrups for use with ice cream and soda fountain accessories. Mr. James McNeill, who is the representative of the Boves Company in Port Perry, states that if the requisite help can be secured, the factory will be put into operation within a couple of weeks if possible.—Oshawa Reformer.

W. E. Smallfield Going to Britain.

W. E. Smallfield, of Renfrew, 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. He being a member of Renfrew Town Council, his fellow-members formally wished him bon voyage and a safe return. This will be Mr. Smallfield's second trip across the Atlantic, his first having been about twenty-five years ago.

To Close Cobourg Hospital.

Major Ernest H. Young, who commands the Ontario Military Hospital at Cobourg, and who has been in Kingston General Hospital for treatment, expects to leave in a day or two for Cobourg to arrange for the closing of the hospital there by May 1st. The Ontario Hospital, under Major Young, has a splendid record.

R.M.C. Teams Leading.

In the first two matches held by the Canadian Rifle Association, the results of which have just been announced from Ottawa, the Royal Military College is leading in the Miniature Rifle military shoot, with a mark of 1,935, and is also third in the same shoot, with 1,863.

To Run Brickyard.

Subject to the provisions of the amendment to the Ontario Housing Act, the Brockville Housing Commission is arranging to operate a brickyard to manufacture brick, which will be used in the construction of some forty or fifty houses to be erected by the commission this summer. The scarcity of building material has necessitated this move on the part of the commission.

Three Burglars Caught.

At Brockville, on Wednesday, the police caught a trio of burglars red-handed in the store of D. W. Downey. They turned out to be Clifford Steacy, Melvin Dale and Daniel Blair, local characters with criminal records. For a month or more Brockville has experienced a wave of thieving from business places, and to the police the three men, following their arrest, are alleged to have confessed to entering seven other stores. The prisoners have been committed for trial.

Will Place Pilots.

Captain George Fleming, of Ogdensburg, has taken the contract for placing pilots on U.S. Shipping Board vessels on the river this season. There are about 75 boats to come down the river from the Great Lakes shipbuilding plants this summer, including a dozen tug, to go into season trade for the American Government.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Chief Operator Leaves.

C. W. Moat, who has been chief operator of the St. Lawrence division of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission at Cornwall, has been transferred to Toronto and has been succeeded, temporarily, by J. F. Anderson, of Belleville.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Sent Down for Three Years.

A sentence of three years with hard labor in Kingston penitentiary was imposed on Frank Sullivan by Police Magistrate Hind on Wednesday morning. He was found guilty on a charge of breaking into a freight car and stealing 18 pairs of rubbers.—Oshawa Reformer.

GREEN POINT.

Our neighborhood was filled with excitement on Saturday noon when the news went over the wire that the home of Aubrey Osborne was being destroyed by fire. On account of the high wind, the fire had gained such headway before the family knew of the fire, that nearly all the house and contents was burned to the ground. Much sympathy is extended to Mr. Osborne and family as the building was only partly covered by insurance.

Free Methodists Purchase Church.

The Free Methodists of Harrowsmith, who have become quite a strong sect in that community, have purchased the former Presbyterian church and grounds in that village. On Sunday the church will be rededicated to their worship.

Has Served its Purpose.

The Salvation Army Hostel at Kingston, which has been taken over by Harry Cochrane, of Kingston, will be run as a hotel under the former name, "British-American." Ad-Justant Harbor, who was in charge during the past twenty-three months, will return to Montreal with Mrs. Harbor, and resume his former service in the social and prison gate departments of the army. Captain Foster, who was assistant manager, has been directed to report to headquarters in Montreal. Adjt. Harbor expresses his warm appreciation of the patronage of the citizens of Kingston. He says that of all the hostels operated by the Army for the purpose of providing cheap accommodation for soldiers has been filled, and much good work was done. In the local hostel 250,000 meals were served and 80,000 beds provided at the cheapest rate, and the environment was a safeguard to men away from their homes.

Dairy Instructor Resigns.

W. G. Gardner, dairy instructor and sanitary inspector in the Kempsville district, has resigned to represent A. A. Ayer & Co., of Montreal, as a cheese buyer and sales agent for factory supplies. The Kempsville district factories will be in the hands of F. Brown's syndicate and Thomas Hicks, of North Gower.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Prescott Likely to Get Industry.

Abraham Cooper, president of the

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Easter holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Adams. Mr. and Mrs. Percy White spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Adams, returning to their home in Sidney on Monday.

Mr. Thomas Airhart has moved from Wellington to the farm on the second line which he recently purchased from William Alyea. Mr. W. Alyea has purchased a home in Colborne where he and Mrs. Alyea will take up their residence. May they enjoy a well earned rest.

NAPANEE.

Mrs. W. B. Cronk spent Wednesday in Belleville, the guest of her brother, Mr. C. H. Meagher. Mrs. C. A. Anderson was in Belleville on Wednesday attending the funeral of the late Mr. Fordward.

Mrs. J. G. Hooper and Miss Dorothy Hooper, of Ottawa, will spend Easter in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Wilson. Miss Margaret Robson, Westbrook, and Miss Kathaleen Smith, Storms' Corners, were the guests of Mrs. Wm. Macole, Deseronto Road, for a few days.

Mr. R. P. Lochead, Manager of the Merchants Bank, Tara, Ont., is spending the week end the guest of his mother, Mrs. C. H. Lochead, Centreville. Mrs. Jan. B. Miller returned home on Friday after spending the winter visiting Rev. and Mrs. Wickert, Tyrone, and other friends in the West.

Mr. and A. L. Taylor and family have moved to the house they recently purchased from Mr. Dupont. Mr. and Mrs. Dupont are boarding at the Paisley House until their house in Kingston is vacated. Mr. Will Kemp left on Tuesday for his home in Louisiana, after visiting his sisters, Mrs. George Forward, of Ernestown, and Mrs. Fred Amey, of Bath; also his brother, Fred, at the old home, Millhaven, after an absence of twenty-two years.

Miss Olive Walsh, of Kingston, arrived home on Monday to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Walsh. Mrs. Wm. E. Gillespie, of Minneapolis, arrived in town on Friday to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Blakely and daughters, Erma and Elnora, of Leaside, Toronto, will spend Easter week with friends in Deseronto and vicinity. Mr. R. J. Galt returned home on Monday, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Miller, Peterboro, and her niece, Mrs. A. Choate, Warsaw.—Beaver and Express.

BANCROFT. Mr. J. C. Drummond was in Peterboro on business this week. Miss E. McMillan, of Nananee, is spending Easter week under the parental roof. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sicker have returned to Deloro, after spending a holiday here the guest of friends. Mr. Chester Wilson, ex-governor of Carlow, who has been under the weather for some time, left this week for Rochester, N.Y., in quest of better health. His many friends hope to hear of a speedy recovery. Miss L. Hartwick, of Toronto, spent the week-end the guest of her parents at Beechmount. Mr. I. A. Eby was in Madoc this week putting through a deal for a new car. From what we hear, Mr. Eby will be the first in the north to drive a Ford sedan. Mr. Corey Vallon, a former resident of Beechmount, now a representative of the Trenton Creamery, was through this district this week canvassing the farmers for cream. Mr. Vallon states cream prospects are bright. The marriage of Mr. Nesbitt Rutledge, an old Montague boy, to Miss C. Stirling, of Montreal, took place in that city on Wednesday, last Mar. 24th. His many friends here wish he and Mrs. Rutledge "bon voyage" through life. Mr. Herb. Welch, a prosperous Montague farmer, while in town on Tuesday formed a deal whereby he will hold the wheel of a "Ford" this summer. No doubt he had in mind the fall exhibition, having taken first on his span of blacks last fall, he will likely invite competition with his Ford.—Times.

At a police auction of unclaimed property in Philadelphia, an old grand piano sold for 25 cents. That a New York Woman last year made a profit of \$7,000,000 is shown by a report to the State income tax bureau.

RHEUMATISM FOR OVER 16 YEARS

No Return Of The Trouble Since Taking "Fruit-a-tives"

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P. H. McHUGH, 50 a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Everyone Wants Money's Worth

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mall order house does so because he thinks he is getting the goods for less money than he would have to pay for them at the store in his own town. He thinks he is looking out for No. 1 and he says it is not his fault if the merchant in his town cannot make any money and is forced to go out of business. He overlooks the fact that he is likely to be as hard hit as anyone else when that merchant closes his doors but, leaving that probability out of consideration, the chances are about 10 to 1 that the buyer has really lost money on his deal with the mail order man.

Price Not Only Consideration.

If buying an article of any kind, whether it be a house and lot or a paper of pins, the price is not the only thing to be considered by any means. You are not in the habit of going into a store when you want to buy a suit of clothes and saying to the storekeeper: "Give me the cheapest suit of clothes you have in the house." You want the best suit of clothes you can get for the price you pay for it, but you don't usually want the cheapest thing you can find.

A man may delude himself into believing that when he buys a suit of clothes from a mail order house for \$10 he is saving money, but what is there to justify him in such a belief? The mere fact that he is getting a suit for \$10 does not mean that he is saving money. The chances are that if he should go to the man who runs the clothing store in his own town and ask for it he could get a suit of clothes for \$10 and the chances are also that it would be just as good if not a better bargain than the suit which he could get from the mail order house for the same sum. It is not the price he pays that shows whether he is getting a bargain or not. It is the quality of goods that he gets for his money that counts.

Can Undersell Mail Order House

The home merchant can sell as cheaply as the mail order man if he sells as cheap goods as the mail order man sells. His expenses are not as heavy as those of the mail order man. He pays less rent in proportion to the business he does, his taxes are less in proportion to the capital invested. His advertising bills are less than those of the mail order man in proportion to the volume of his sales. He can undersell the mail order man any day in the year if he wishes to sell only goods of the same quality and style of those sold by the mail order man, but he doesn't do this because he knows that the majority of the people in his town do not want that quality and style of goods. Therefore he keeps in stock goods of all qualities and all prices. He has the \$10 suit for the man who thinks that he can get more for his money by buying a suit at that price than he can by buying a suit at that

price than he can by buying a better one for \$20, but he tells the customer just what he is buying.

The next time you think about buying something from a mail order house, if you ever do think of such a thing, go first to your home merchant and ask to see the article which you are thinking of buying.

Ready to Compare Prices.

Your home merchant is a business man. He gets the best values he can for his money when he buys goods and he does not expect his customers to do anything else. All that he asks, in return for the favors he does his customers and the things he does for the good of his community is that he be given an opportunity to meet the insidious competition of the mail order house. He is perfectly willing to have his prices and his values compared to those of the mail order house, but he has a just complaint when he is not given a chance to make this comparison.

If all buyers would take the value as well as the price of the article they are buying into consideration, the mail order houses would all go out of business tomorrow.

County and District

New Penitentiary Officials for Portmouth Penitentiary Have Arrived

FOUR YEARS FOR THEFT Kingston Police Are on Lookout for Man Who Wandered from Home in Napanea

University and Commerce

Dr. O. D. Skelton, Queen's University, Kingston, on Wednesday afternoon at the O.E.A., Toronto, gave a paper on "University Courses in Commerce" before the commercial section of the O.E.A. "Current economic problems," he said, "have shown the necessity for a more general knowledge of business and commercial problems. Public service is making greater demands upon men's capacity, and with so many specialists in demand the universities must provide adequate commercial courses. So far the principles of business have not been collected in suitable form for teaching, but ultimately more business training will be provided in the university curriculum."

Speeders Are Busy

Kingston residents on upper Princess street continue to complain about speeders on the pavement between Barrie and Alfred streets. Residents have taken the names of certain citizens who persist in the practice and intend to hand them to the police if the speeding is not stopped.

Want Boats on Trent

Towns on the Trent Valley Canal are desirous of a daily boat service the coming season, believing that it would be of great use in opening up the district commercially, and in every way. The scenic beauties of the canal are expected to allure many tourists and much motor boat traffic to the locality. The practicability of bringing coal up the Trent Valley waterway by large boats from Lake Ontario is another advance step that is suggested, as it is believed that this would cheapen transportation rates.

Conferring About Waterworks

President Smith of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company arrived in Kingston from Montreal Thursday to take up negotiations with the industries committee of the City Council and the Utilities Commission with a view to the acquisition of the city waterworks site and wharf. The meeting opened in the mayor's office at 4 p.m.

Peterboro Ready With Big Cheque

We hear from good authority that the deputation who were here from Peterboro to attend the Langslow-Fowler by-law meeting stated to a prominent citizen that if Cobourg ratepayers did not put the by-law through that Peterboro had a cheque for \$50,000 ready for the Langslow-Fowler people. This looks as if the people of the Electric City think Cobourg has landed a good thing, and would entice the industry away if possible.—Cobourg World.

Suffers Great Pain

Mrs. Catherine Murphy, who was removed from the C.P.R. train to the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, on Thursday, suffering from broken legs, is in a very painful condition and on account of her advanced age (83 years)

her chances of recovery are not so high. Both legs are broken below the knees.

Penitentiary Officials

The new chief keeper, Mr. Tucker and chief warden, Mr. Clayton, have arrived at the penitentiary from Edmonton Penitentiary to take over their positions here. These two gentlemen came to Kingston with a reputation for efficiency in their work.

Shipbuilding Employee Injured

Mr. Goldup, an employee of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, Kingston, sustained a painful accident at the plant at 11 a.m. on Thursday when he was struck in the leg by a steam pipe, sustaining a laceration and severe bruise. R. J. Reid's motor ambulance was called, and the injured man was conveyed to the General Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Mylks. It was at first thought that the leg was broken, but this did not prove upon examination to be the case.

Placing Pilots

Captain George Fleming, of Ogdensburg, has taken the contract for placing pilots on the U.S. Shipping Board vessels on the River this season. There are about seventy-five boats to come down the river from the Great Lakes shipbuilding plants this summer, including a dozen tug, to go into seacoast trade for the American Government.

Queen's Navigation School

Some interesting facts concerning the Navigation School at Queen's University are contained in the communication sent by Dean Clark to the Board of Education. The school is now completing its fifth term, under the instruction of Capt. A. Barrett. It has an enrollment of 18 pupils. Eight have already secured certificates and three more are completing their term. Since 1915 32 men have graduated from the school, and are qualified for various grades of certificates. The school is operated on grants from the Provincial and Dominion Governments.

Four Years for Theft

In passing sentence of four years in Portmouth Penitentiary on David G. Carter and Sidney Marchant, for the theft of 128 cattle skins from the C.T.R., Judge Costarow, in the Toronto sessions, remarked on the seriousness of the offence of which the prisoners had been found guilty and the unrepentant demeanor of the prisoners during their trial. Joseph Wigley, who was charged, along with them, was found not guilty by the jury.

Machine Guns for Peterboro

Captain L. Fraser, commanding officer of the Peterboro Machine Gun Company, has received two Vickers machine guns, and it is expected to commence technical training at once. This is only part of a lot of twenty-four guns which will be sent as required.

Labor Will Assist

Organized labor in Peterboro will cooperate with the city in the house building program. All that is asked is for Council to furnish the money and carry on the work itself instead of through a contractor, thus eliminating the profits of the latter. The different building trades will furnish all the labor required and it is suggested that the new houses, as an economical measure, be built in groups instead of upon isolated lots.

Shell Shock Case Missing

The Kingston police have been asked to be on the look out for Mr. Wm. Allen, who wandered from his home in Napanea about midnight Thursday night. The missing man is suffering from shell shock. He is given as 36 years and he is described as being about five feet, six inches in height, clean shaven, wearing soldier's boots and khaki sweater.

Headquarters of 4th Battery

Captain Douglas Haycke May Be Commanding Officer

Peterboro, April 12.—To the boys who fought in France with the 4th Battery it will be glad tidings to know that the new battery which is being organized in Peterboro will be known as the 4th Battery, adopting a name which is covered with the traditions of all of the big battles and "shows" of the war from Ypres 1915 to the end of the war. Peterboro is honored in being assigned as the home of this battery in recognition of her many sons who served with it.

The re-organizing of batteries throughout Canada has been going on since January, and under Major-General Sir H. W. B. Morrison, deputy inspector general for artillery for the Dominion. Much progress has been made and great success met with by the units. Major-General Morrison was in the city Thursday in connection with the re-organization.

Wedding Bells

McCoy—Lighterness

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Miss Ann Cross on Tuesday, the 8th of March, when Miss Prudence Lighterness became the bride of Mr. Robert McCoy, one of Madoc township's rising young farmers. The house was tastefully decorated, and the ceremony was under an arch of cedar boughs. Miss M. O'Hara played the wedding march. The bride looked very sweet in her travelling suit of navy blue, with a cluster of beautiful pink roses.

About twenty guests sat down to a bountiful wedding dinner, after which toasts were proposed by Dr. MacFarish and Mr. Angus Nicholson, and responded to by the groom and Mr. Wm. Cross, L.L.B. The happy couple took the afternoon train for Kingston and other points east. Among many other presents, the bride received a case of silver cutlery from the ladies of St. Peter's Church, in recognition of the willing service she has always rendered in the choir, the Sunday School and the W. M. Society.—Madoc Review.

Town Had "Go" in Early Days

Orilla Packet.—April 14th will be clean-up day in Lindsay. When the writer first knew the town, the only cleanup day Lindsay had was the day on which the printing office tower was washed, and Tom Jellette suffered his annual haircut. There was one exception—the big fire in 1881, which "cleaned up" the entire business part of the town. That was a costly experience, but a bigger and better Lindsay rose on the ashes of the old, with amazing rapidity. Lindsay had "go" in those early days, as it has today.

Local Company for Canadian Militia

Lt.-Col. Bywater, Trenton, Officer Commanding 39th Battalion, the militia unit for Prince Edward and Hastings Counties under the new organization, was in town Monday organizing the nucleus of a company. At an informal meeting in the Armouries those interested in the matter were consulted. In calling upon the co-operation of former officers in the C.E.F. the Colonel strongly urged the patriotic duty of maintaining a soldier force that could be immediately available in time of trouble. The following ex-active service officers accepted his invitation to "carry on": Capt. E. Hudgin, O.C. of the Company; Capt. Arnold Adams, second in command; Lt. Sherman Young, Platoon Commander; C.M.S. J. Mercer, who possesses Aldershot and Shoreline Training School certificates and is eminently qualified; will act as Company Sergeant Major. Those appointments give good promise of a crack company from Peterboro and vicinity in the new 39th, which now takes the place of the old 16th.—Picton Gazette.

MT. ZION.

The recent snowstorms remind us of winter again.

Mr. G. Arnold, sr., is visiting his son and family here.

The saying machines have been busy in this vicinity this week.

Mrs. G. Way was called to Foxboro recently, her sister, Mrs. W. Haight being seriously ill.

Mrs. S. Harrington's family all have the whooping cough.

Mrs. Hicks of Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. Way.

Mr. S. Potter entertained company on Sunday.

Mrs. B. Reddick and daughter Evelyn are visiting friends here.

The Stockholders' Aid held a very profitable and enjoyable meeting at Mr. P. Way's on Wednesday.

Mrs. George Arnott attended her niece's wedding at Victoria recently.

One of Town's Old Landmarks

Cobourg, April 12.—The Taunton House, which has just been sold and will be remodelled into a modern building, was built by the late Mr. John Field, who came to Cobourg and established the dry goods business now carried on by the Field & Brock, in 1835. A few years after his arrival in Cobourg, as accommodation for travellers was much needed, he erected this hotel and named it after his native town, Taunton, in the old country. The building was erected similar to the old style hostels in England, with its arched driveway, and was for many years the finest hotel not only in Cobourg, but in this part of Ontario. This was in the days when a shipbuilding industry flourished here, and when there was a commercial bustle and stir about our harbor, of which the present generation has little conception, but more of this later. The name of the Taunton House was later changed to the Rochester House, and it was a popu-

lar stopping place for many years for the travelling public.—World.

Store Officers Held Meeting

Peterboro Institution That Has Made Great Progress

Peterboro, April 12.—Another milestone in their fifteen years of progress and continued success has been passed by the J. M. Greene Music Co., of Peterboro, an institution that has grown from a small and inconspicuous beginning to be the leading musical instrument company of Central and Eastern Ontario, having the head office in this city and branches in Lindsay, Belleville and Kingston.

On Wednesday their annual convention of branch managers and salesmen from outside branches convened with the six local salesmen and heads of the company to discuss business conditions and company matters of mutual benefit to all.

For some ten years this has been an annual event, and has done a great deal in advancing the firm to its present position. Co-operation and a better understanding amongst the managers and salesmen grew out of these get-together meetings held in conjunction with the general meeting of the company, which was held Wednesday, and the staff leave after the convention with increased confidence in themselves and the firm which they are proud to represent.

The get-together meeting in the afternoon was followed by a dinner at the White House in the evening, at the conclusion of which the general meeting was held in the offices of the company.

Relused Double Paid for House

Cobourg, April 12.—Real estate sales still continue active in all parts of the town. More properties have changed owners the last month in Cobourg than in any previous similar length of time in the town's history, and still the deals go on. A number pending at the present time. During the month of March, The World chronicled sixty sales in Cobourg and vicinity. As far as transfers of farm property are concerned the situation has now pretty well settled down until crops are off another season, at least, but in the town buying and selling is still going rapidly on.

Recently Mr. Alfred Lestham purchased Mr. Joseph Pearson's house and three acres of land in Division street north.

During the past few days he was offered just double the price he paid for the property, by a man anxious to purchase a home, but refused the tempting offer.—Cobourg World.

Two Harrowsmith Men Were Arrested in Ottawa for Theft

They Are Charged with Breaking into a Store and a Residence

Ottawa, April 8.—Two brothers, Clifford and Clarence Woodruff, of Harrowsmith, pleaded guilty in police court here today to having broken into the store of J. D. McPhail and the residence of W. L. Scott. In both cases they were scared away before having secured anything. They claim to have come here two days ago looking for work. Sentences were suspended until their past records can be investigated. The arrests followed an exciting chase by the police, one of the two escaping from a detective on the street, only to be arrested later in railway yards preparing to board a freight train.

Nights of Apomy come in the train of asthma. The victims cannot lie down and sleep is driven from his brain. White's Asthma Remedy, the immediate effect of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, it banishes the frightful conditions, clears the passages and enables the afflicted one to again sleep as soundly and restfully as a child. Insist on the genuine at your nearby druggist.

Faith demands action, not tears. The end of our study is not knowledge but conduct.

The master in the ship is judged by directing the course aright, and not by the fortune of the voyage.

Easter means style—the creation of new ideas—the breathing of new hopes. If you'll tog your toes out in the smart shoes awaiting you here you'll stay into your place in the Easter parade as if you belonged there. If you intend to call you'll find our prices as right as your intentions.

VERMILYEA & SON Store of Service & Quality - 264 Front St. Phone 187.

Town Had "Go" in Early Days

Orilla Packet.—April 14th will be clean-up day in Lindsay. When the writer first knew the town, the only cleanup day Lindsay had was the day on which the printing office tower was washed, and Tom Jellette suffered his annual haircut. There was one exception—the big fire in 1881, which "cleaned up" the entire business part of the town. That was a costly experience, but a bigger and better Lindsay rose on the ashes of the old, with amazing rapidity. Lindsay had "go" in those early days, as it has today.

Store Officers Held Meeting

Peterboro Institution That Has Made Great Progress

Peterboro, April 12.—Another milestone in their fifteen years of progress and continued success has been passed by the J. M. Greene Music Co., of Peterboro, an institution that has grown from a small and inconspicuous beginning to be the leading musical instrument company of Central and Eastern Ontario, having the head office in this city and branches in Lindsay, Belleville and Kingston.

On Wednesday their annual convention of branch managers and salesmen from outside branches convened with the six local salesmen and heads of the company to discuss business conditions and company matters of mutual benefit to all.

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Was Held Up on the Road

TWO HUSKY FELLOWS DEMAND MONEY FROM J. HENNESSY Handed Them Dollar Bill, But Big Wad Tucked Away in His Pocket—Police Looking for Highwaymen

Kingston, April 12.—The county and city police are on the lookout for the men who have been breaking into stores and residences throughout the county. Last week reports were received that burglars had visited Yarker and Sydenham and in each case had secured money. On Wednesday the third case was reported to the police.

According to the story of John Hennessy, who resides at Cataract, while he was returning from the city on Saturday night, and was on the point where the Bath road meets the main Kingston road, two men halted him and demanded that he "come across" with some money, as they were very hungry. Hennessy, seeing that he was "up against" two pretty husky men told them that all he had in his possession was \$1, and he would gladly give it to them. The men took the money which he gave them and went away.

It is very fortunate for Hennessy that the men did not search him, as he had about \$94 in bills tucked away in another pocket.

552 Pupils at Peterboro Detective

The report of the Peterboro school nurse, Miss May Jory, showed that 557 examinations of school children made by herself and the school doctor since November last, 552 had been found defective, and of these only 257 had been corrected. During the month she had found 20 cases of scabies, 7 of vermin, 3 of small-pox, 6 mumps, 2 diphtheria cases, and had made 35 calls.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

It is safer to hear and to take counsel than to give it.

Lips however rosy must be fed. Listeners hear no good of themselves.—Spanish Proverb.

No life is so short that it has no time for good and kindly deeds, nor so long that it can delay their doing.

ESTABLISHED JUDGE PRO

Retrial Result

In

This morning P. F. found not guilty on a stealing liquor, the grand trunk from the night of Sept. 18th is a case in which the victim last December court before Judge Deary, but a new trial Judge Wills heard the retail yesterday a clock this morning discharging the defence grounds that theft in the had not been committed evidence it could not be there was any moving of question. W. Carrow for B. J. Butler for the defence.

JUDGMENT

Judge Wills' judgment "I do not purpose reviewing the evidence that has been this hearing, in fact, I could have been disposed in the way possible explanation in laying the for the present charge."

"So far as you are concerned last December you found not guilty, charge in connection with was laid under Section Criminal Code, being a theft."

"The question arises what quantity of whisky was in the property Grand Trunk from the night of Sept. 18th, 1919. As I have on the charge of retail morning of the 13th of 1919, was heard and you not guilty. I can therefore the matter up really from the evening when you and came up to the Grand T and walked across same to near the north track of it or main switching yard."

"When you two men, employees of the railway, duty and not authorized to go upon the company for any purpose, go up part of the railway yard, and at such a time at night occur to anyone that it is reasonable conduct and there some motive. We are to evidence that the motive ostry to find out what Nic noticed in the ditch near track that morning. It is rather extraordinary to a particular time, about 11 day evening to ascertain

Would Brand All Sell German

OTTAWA, April 20.—S made by German-made goods because hundreds of of Canadians have the feel they want never again to an article made in Germany.

Senator Lynch-Staunton introduced a bill which proposed the Criminal Code "every person who knows in goods, wares or merchandise which are in whole or in part of German or Austrian origin, shall keep posted in letters legible over every outside to his premises the words 'German Goods,' and shall said words prominently in advertisements and stationery and reading was given the afternoon."

The penalties proposed "months' imprisonment or \$ or both. The law is not to goods in stock at the time passing of the act. Senator Staunton said he had in and the Senate had adopted lar bill at a previous session had not reached the Committee to be dealt with with House. He proposed now the bill to the final stage thousands of Canadians, who himself, object to purchas-