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### Sir William Van Horne Dead.

Montreal, Sept. 12.—Sir William Van Horne died at ten minutes after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Sir William, who had been in failing health for some years, was stricken down with an abdominal abscess on August 22nd. He was rushed in the middle of the night to the Royal Victoria Hospital, where an operation was immediately performed. The patient rallied well after the operation and bulletins issued regarding his condition reported it as satisfactory. Continued improvement was recorded until Wednesday of the past week, when the patient manifested alarming symptoms.

Sir William's condition grew steadily worse. His temperature rose and his appetite failed. Yesterday morning it was announced that hope had practically been abandoned.

The remains will be interred in Joliet, Illinois, his birthplace. The funeral service will be held at Sir William's late residence in Sherbrooke street here on Tuesday, and the body will then be shipped to Joliet.

### School Fall Fairs.

The following are the dates fixed for the different School Fairs to be held in Leeds County, under the direction of Walter H. Smith, district representative of the Department of Agriculture, with head office at Athens, Ont.:

Elgin, at H. H. Ripley's farm, Cheeney's Corners, on Thursday, Sept. 16th.

Lyn, on Old Ball Field, beside C.N. R. Station, Lyn, on Tuesday, Sept. 21st.

Lansdowne, at Lansdowne Agricultural Grounds, on Thursday, Sept. 23rd.

Plum Hollow, at W. B. Newsome's farm, Plum Hollow, on Tuesday Sept. 28th.

Athens, at S. A. Coon's farm, on Thursday, Sept. 30th.

### Oldest Senator Dead.

Montreal, Sept. 10.—Sir Charles Eugene Boucher De Doucherville, senator and member of the legislative council of the Province of Quebec, died shortly before nine o'clock tonight at the Deaf and Dumb Institute, St. Denis street, where he had resided for several years. He was in his 94th year, having been born in this city on May 4, 1822. He had been in good health, considering his advanced age, until about a week ago, and twenty-four hours before passing away he was able to sit up in his chair for several hours. One son, Mr. Joseph Boucher de Doucherville, K.C., survives him.

Horses and Cattle—Have colic and cramps. Half a bottle of Perry Davis Painkiller will cure them. 25c and 50c bottles.

### Township Council

The Council of Rear Yonge and Escott met on August 14th at 1 o'clock. Members all present; minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

By-law to levy rates was passed with blanks filled as follows:

County purposes	\$2,591 95
Township	3,000
Dog tax	160
Township schools grant	2,727
High school	2,442
High school debenture	243 11
Public School No 6 deb.	29 80
Public schools, Sections No 2, \$200;	
No 3, \$125; No 4, \$50; No 5,	
\$27; No 7, \$200; No 9, \$25; No	
10, \$70; No 11, \$105; No 12,	
\$200; No 14, \$100.	

James Love was appointed Collector with a salary of \$45. \$25 was granted to assist in rolling the road between Athens and Charleston. Councillor Laforty was appointed to look after repairing the railing on the Danby bridge. The clerk was instructed to settle with O. W. Morris for stone crushing, also to engage Mr. Lozo to crush stone at the Mulvena farm. Orders on Treasurer were given to O. W. Morris for repairing crusher, \$7.65; R. E. Cornell, for casting for crusher and shipping charges, \$12.50; D. Sheffield, for stone piled in Div. 10, \$57.59; H. S. Rowson, for amount expended on road in Div. 7 in 1914, \$9.00.

Council adjourned to meet at call of the Reeve.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk

### Soldier Seriously Hurt

Pte. James Poast of the canal guard at Cornwall Fair Friday afternoon. Poast was in a motorcycle race, and when turning the east corner lost control of his wheel and ran into the fence, one of the posts of which broke with the impact. The soldier was picked up and taken to the General Hospital, where it was found that his arm was fractured and his right foot so seriously injured that amputation may be necessary.

### Was Killed in Action

F. S. Johnson, American Consul, has received word from the American Ambassador in Germany that Private W. J. Williams, son of Mrs J. B. Williams, Newboro, was killed in action on May 8th or 9th. The German authorities report that he was killed while fighting with the Canadians on Kesselare Heights.

Pte. Williams who was 26 years of age, enlisted in Montreal in the First Canadian Contingent with the Royal Highlanders, Montreal. He went overseas with the 13th Battalion.

Mrs Williams, mother of deceased, states that he was bayoneted by a German soldier but was not killed. He was carried to a trench but was there only a short time when a shell came and buried him.

The German authorities state that they buried him on the heights.

J. B. Williams, father of the late soldier, died about seventeen years ago. About the end of April, Pte. Williams was reported missing by the British authorities. When the mother was unable to get any information, she asked Consul Johnson to make enquiries.

### Red Cross Work

Following is a statement of the recent Red Cross work of the Athens Women's Institute:

Amount of cash collected by contribution, flower day and penny day, \$102.65. Of this amount, \$50 cash was sent to the Red Cross Society in Toronto.

Money was expended for 80 yards of cotton, 120 yards of hospital gauze, 106 yards of flannel, absorbent cotton, Turkish towelling, tape, safety-pins, etc. To this was added much old cotton and linen kindly donated by friends.

The box shipped Sept. 1st contained the following:

1000 hospital sponges
228 hospital pads
915 yards of rolled bandages
480 compresses
2000 mouth wipes
52 hospital shirts
5 sheets
93 handkerchiefs
84 wash cloths
5 yards of hospital gauze
1 roll of absorbent cotton
1 1/2 yards of cotton
1 bundle of old linen
1 bundle of white flannel

Of the above, 475 yards of bandages, the handkerchiefs and wash cloths were made by our Young Girls' Sewing Club.

29 pairs of socks were shipped on August 25th and as many more are about ready. Several razors have been handed in and will be set to Sheffield, England.

The Institute wishes to thank the young girls for their help and all friends for their money, linen and razors, but above all, for their kindness which is so cheerfully extended.

### Brockville District Meeting

The financial meeting of the Brockville district was held in George St. church, Brockville, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1915, from 10 a.m. to noon, the pastor, Rev W. S. Jamieson, M.A., president of the Montreal Conference, presiding. There were present: Revs. A. E. Runnells, T. C. Brown, John Scanlon, Harold J. Sheridan, Wm. Howitt, George Edwards, George Stafford, Dr. Myer, W. G. Bradford, Thos. Meredith, Dr. Cooper, C. D. Baldwin, S. W. Boyd, E. C. James, Geo. A. Comerford, Geo. A. Adamson.

The claims on each circuit and minister in aid of the Superannuation and General Conference Funds were received from Dr. Griffin and adopted.

The recommendation to the Mission Board in aid of Bishop's Mills, the only mission in the district, was endorsed and sent to Toronto.

Rev G. A. Comerford and his layman, Mr. Bass, were appointed to aid the chairman in visiting any circuit in the district requiring financial plans.

Missionary arrangements were left to local arrangement under the supervision of the District Missionary Committee.

Social service anniversaries were fixed for the last Sabbath in October, except where the department may send help to any congregation.

Dr. Cooper of Lansdowne, was appointed district statistical secretary.

A committee consisting of Wm. Howitt, George Stafford, A. E. Runnells and C. D. Baldwin was appointed to enquire into the conditions of the District Epworth League.

The next session of the district will be held in Athens in November.

### To Apply for Divorce

Ottawa, Sept. 10.—Ida Woltz, formerly of Toronto and now of Kisbey, Sask., school teacher, has given notice that she will apply for divorce from her husband, Arthur Edgar Woltz, physician, of Toronto, on the usual grounds.

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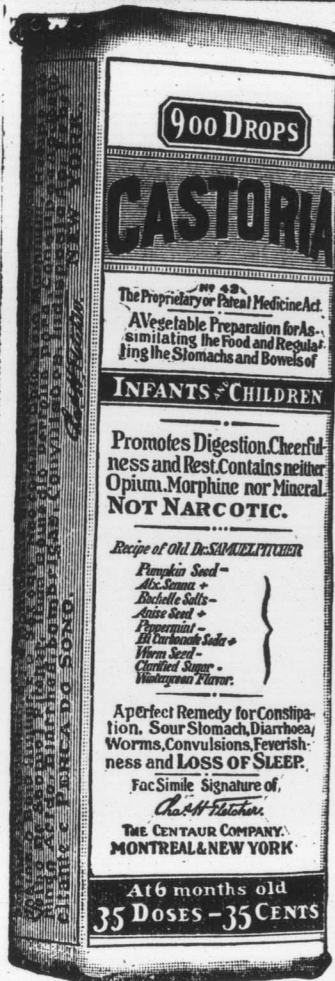
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SUNS AND THE UNIVERSE.

And the Theory of One Great Central Blazing Orb.

That very high, imposing, mathematically proved science—celestial mechanics—demonstrates that there is no necessity for a colossal, dominating central sun. The idea of a central sun controlling the entire sidereal universe was advanced by what are called metaphysicians, totally opposite in nature from mathematicians. For one guesses the other either proves or admits that he cannot.

If the universe is finite it has a precise center. Photos of the entire celestial vault reveal at least 100,000,000 giant suns, our sun being one of the smaller. And these or some of them are known to be two quadrillion miles apart. Mechanics know that the entire congeries of suns has a center of gravity. And it knows that this center of gravitation, even if empty and void, dominates all motions of all the millions of suns around it.

But all suns move as bees in a swarm, and no such immense body has been sensed in space. Kapteyn's discovery of drifting of suns in opposite directions may indeed be the beginning of a discovery of rotation around a center, but the rotation would as well be maintained if the center is an absolute vacuum.

If the universe is infinite it has no center, and the above line of argument backed by rigid mathematics cannot apply.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American.

BABIES IN ASHANTI.

They Go Through a Trying Ordeal in Getting a Name.

When children are born in Ashanti they are at once rubbed all over with a mixture of oil and red ochre, this being repeated every two days. Their mouths are washed with a fiery concoction in which red pepper is the main ingredient, and a crier goes through the town proclaiming the new arrival and claiming for it a name and a place among the living.

Some one else is a distant part of the village acknowledges the fact and promises, on the part of the people, that the newborn babe shall be received into the community. The townspeople then assemble in the streets, and the baby is brought out and exposed to view.

Next a basin of water is provided, and the head man, or chief of the town, sprinkles water upon it, leaving it a name and invoking a blessing upon it, such as, for instance, that it may have health, grow up to manhood or womanhood, have a numerous progeny and possess riches.

Most of those present follow the example of the head man, and the poor child is thoroughly drenched before the ceremony is ended. Every one who participates in the ceremony pledges himself to be a friend to the child.—London Standard.

Let Us Do It Ourselves.

Once the philanthropist set up a drinking fountain. Now there is good city water laid on everywhere. In olden times kind hearted people provided "ragged schools" for the walls of the alleys. Now there are public schools for all. Once the benevolent created funds to provide meals for indigent prisoners in the jails, but John Howard induced the state to feed its prisoners. Time was when the defectives were cared for by charitable groups. Now the state provides for these unfortunate. There will always be opportunity for private philanthropy to render signal services, but a democratic society with a proper spirit of independence will not allow itself to form the bad habit of leaning upon the large private donor, but will take as its maxim, "Let us do it ourselves."—Atlantic Monthly.

Sugar.

The first beet sugar factory in the United States was erected in Philadelphia in 1830. It did not prove a success and was dismantled. The first successful beet sugar factory was built in 1870 at Alvarado, Cal. This factory was in operation until 1913, when it closed down. It is estimated that \$100,000,000 is now invested in the sugar beet industry of this country. The sugar supply of the American people is drawn from three main sources. These are: Domestic beet sugar produced in seventeen states from Ohio in the east to California in the west; domestic cane sugar produced in Louisiana, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines; imported cane sugar produced in Cuba.—Argonaut.

Got Rusty All Right.

"See here!" complained the man as he walked up to the proprietor of the clothing store. "I have only had this suit two weeks, and it looks rusty already."

"Well," said the proprietor, "did the salesman guarantee the suit?" "He did," replied the man. "He said it would wear like iron."

"Well," replied the man, "it did, didn't it?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Slicing Bacon.

To slice bacon properly always place it rind down and do not attempt to cut through the rind. When you have the desired number of slices slip the knife under them and cut them free from the rind, keeping as close to it as possible.

Cause of His Death.

"Alkali Ike—Ald so Slippery Sam died with his boots on, eh? Bronchu Bill—No; he died with my boots on. That's how he came to die.—Exchange.

In bad fortune hold out; in good hold in.—German Proverb.

Lost His Arm

Mr James Kane of Ottawa had the misfortune to get his arm badly crushed last Thursday night. Mr Kane and a companion had purchased tickets from Vaudreuil to Ottawa by the Grand Trunk, but Mr Kane missed the train, and as his companion had both tickets he decided to catch the C.P.R. midnight express. Accordingly, at Vaudreuil, he climbed on to the tender of the engine. Somewhere between there and Chesterville, his arm was caught by the automatic coal feeder. At Chesterville he was able to draw the attention of the fireman, when he was released and taken to the Public Hospital, Smith's Falls. When he arrived, it was found necessary to amputate the arm. The wound is now healing nicely and Mr Kane expects to be able to leave the hospital in a short time.

Death of Mrs. George Stevens

Once more the Angel of Death has suddenly appeared in our midst and summoned one of our number, Mrs George Stevens to her eternal home. On the morning of the 10th, the sad news spread rapidly over the village that during the night our friend had passed away.

Although Mrs Stevens had been in our midst but a short year, she had endeared herself to all. She was the second daughter of Mr and Mrs Michael McClosky of Chelsea, and was married to Mr Stevens on the 13th of October, 1914. The deepest sympathy is felt for the husband so suddenly called to mourn his loved one.

Many friends called to pay their last respects, and, gazing upon their friend in her last, long, peaceful sleep, with her angel baby nestled on her breast, felt, perhaps as never before, how wonderful is death.

In the early hours of the morning of the 11th, friends left with the remains for Chelsea, where the burial services were conducted on Sunday at 11 a.m.

Sympathy of friends in both Athens and Chelsea was expressed by many beautiful floral offerings.

Leaves have their time to fall And flowers to wither in the north wind's breath, And stars to set—but all, Thou hast all seasons for thine own O Death!

\$2,100 in Stamps on Will

The \$4,000,000 estate left by the late Mr E. Chandler Walker, of Walkerville, who died in Washington recently, is giving the Canadian Surrogate Courts some work.

It is said that Ontario gains \$500,000 in succession dues on the estate. Law stamps on the filing of the various papers and official records in connection with the estate cost \$2,100. The will is said to be the bulkiest alike in volume of contents and in value ever offered for probate in the province. It has been filed for probate with County Registrar Henry Clay, at Windsor, as the estate is in Essex county.

Persons Inclined to Bronchial or Lung weakness should take the "D. & L." Emulsion whenever run down or after colds, to promptly rebuild their full weight and strength.

Bank Map of Ontario and Quebec.

A striking illustration of the financial progress throughout the two older provinces of the Dominion during recent years, with respect to banking facilities, is graphically shown in a new edition of a Bank Map of Ontario and Quebec which has recently been issued by the Department of the Interior at Ottawa. According to the information which has been incorporated in the publication the number of branches in operation in 1901, the first year for which statistics of this nature are given, totalled approximately 500, in comparison with 2,000 at the present time. This interesting compilation of current banking information is valuable also as a Railway Map showing as it does the location, of all towns and branch lines, together with other general information, makes the publication very useful for reference purposes. A copy may be procured free of charge upon application to F. C. C. Lynch, Superintendent of the Railway Lands Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

Was Sent to Penitentiary

On Saturday, July 24th, Stanley Hammett was arrested in Toronto and brought to Belleville. The accused was treasurer of Toronto Lodge No. 108 of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and was apprehended on the charge that he did misappropriate \$800 which belonged to the Lodge. Hammett was brought to Belleville owing to the fact that the president of the union and other officials are residents of that city, and a warrant for his arrest was issued there. The accused was a brakeman on the G.T.R. line and his home is in Toronto. He had been for some time treasurer of the Trainmen's Union and during that period a considerable sum of money had been intrusted to his keeping.

On Monday, July 26th, he appeared before Magistrate Masson at Belleville and pleaded guilty to the charge preferred against him. A few days ago the case was disposed of by Magistrate Masson who sentenced Hammett to the Kingston penitentiary for a four years and six months.

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Late Ellen Rowsome
The death of Margaret Ellen, daughter of Mrs William Rowsome, occurred at St. Francis General Hospital on Sept 6, 1915.

Anderson—Cook,
Miss Keitha Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cook, of Dulcemaine, was united in marriage to Mr. Gordon Anderson of Lansdowne.

Ferry—Hollingsworth.
At three o'clock on Friday afternoon last, at George street Methodist church parsonage, Brockville, Rev. W. S. Jamieson, M.A., united in marriage Ariston Christopher Perry of Gananoque, to Miss Sarah Margaret Hollingsworth of the township of Yonge.

Brennan—Burns.
On Tuesday morning, Sept. 7th, at the Church of St. Philip Neri, Toledo, Miss Mary Burns was united in marriage to Francis Brennan.

Anemic Women and Children will derive great benefit from the use of Ferravin, the invigorating tonic made from iron, beef and wine.

Soldiers at Lansdowne
Three squadrons of the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles, en route from Brockville to Kingston, arrived at Lansdowne on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

C. N. R. Station Robbed.
Burglars entered the office of the agent at the Canadian Northern railway station, corner of Moreau and St. Catharine streets, Hochelaga, and took the cash box, containing \$500.

An Ill Wind that blows nobody good frequently appears and causes many attacks of coughs, colds and bronchitis. Allen's Cough Balsam is the best remedy for these ailments.

Deckhand Drowned
A deckhand on the Steamer Kingston, named A. Lagekon, aged 18, was drowned Sunday morning shortly after the boat pulled out from Brockville dock for Prescott.

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FRANKVILLE
Mrs Edgers accompanied by Mrs Lyons of New Boyne, are spending a couple of weeks at Carlsbad Springs.

Dr George Dowsley of Gore Bay, is visiting the scenes of his boyhood.

Mrs Anderson of Smith's Falls, has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs David.

Walter Hanton has purchased a new Ford auto.

An enjoyable time was spent by many in Soper's grove last Saturday on the occasion of the Sunday School basket picnic.

Several from here attended Brockville Fair last week.

Mr and Mrs Bert Barber of Plum Hollow, visited their daughter, Mrs P. P. Richards, Lehigh's Corners, on Sunday.

Messrs Ed Richards and L. Livingston spent last week at Toronto Exhibition.

JUNETOWN
Mrs. Peter Ferguson and Miss Laura Ferguson, Yonge Mills, spent one day last week with the former's sister, Mrs M. G. Herbison.

Mrs. N. C. Purvis, Lyn, and Mr. Claude Purvis, Purvis street, were visiting at Jas. S. Purvis' on Saturday.

Mrs Geo Taylor and little son Hilliard, of Winnipeg, who has been the guests of her parents, Mrs and Mrs Thos. Franklin for the past two months, returned home last week.

Mrs Jacob Warren spent one day last week with her son, Mr. Leland Warren, Brockville.

Miss M M Purvis, Brockville, who has been spending her holidays at her home here, enjoyed a few days last week camping at Charleston Lake with her brother, Rev. W. W. Purvis.

Mr and Mrs J. B. Ferguson and Master Willie were visiting at Mr Chas. Truesdell's, Mallorytown, on Wednesday.

Miss Beatrice Avery and Miss Fern Warren of the Brockville Collegiate Institute, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mr Merton Mellow, Sandhurst, motored here last week and was the guest of Mr and Mrs John A. Herbison for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Seeley and children, Brockville, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Norris Ferguson.

Died at Brockville
The death occurred at the General Hospital, Brockville, last evening, Tuesday, Sept. 14th, of Anson Manhard of Vaudreuil, Que., at the age of 78 years.

The deceased up until a couple of years ago, resided at Manhard settlement, north of Brockville, where he had spent his whole life. About two years ago he moved to Vaudreuil, Que. Last week he visited his daughter, Mrs A. R. Brown of this place, and while here was taken ill and he was taken to the hospital where the end came.

He leaves to mourn his death three daughters, viz: Mrs A. Fairbairn of Berthwood, Col.; Mrs (Dr) O. Lillie of Westport, and Mrs A. R. Brown of Athens; two sons, viz. Gordon and Morton of Vaudreuil, Que.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, service in Manhard church, at which place interment will be made.

Dates of Fall Fairs, 1915
Delta.....Sept. 20-22
Frankville.....Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Kingston.....Sept. 28-30
Newboro.....Sept. 23-24
Ottawa (Central Canada).....Sept. 10-18
Perth.....Aug. 31, Sept. 2
Spencerville.....Sept. 28-29

SHERWOOD SPRING
Sept. 11
Mr and Mrs Albert Jordan, Mallorytown, called on friends here on Friday last.

Miss Leta Empey has returned to Brockville to attend the Collegiate Institute there, after a pleasant vacation at her home here.

Mr Ross Carnegie, Kingston, was a guest at the home of Mrs Annie Eligh, on Friday.

Mrs R. Brown and Roy Turner spent Friday with the former's daughter, Mrs George Stewart.

A large number from here attended Brockville Fair on Tuesday and Wednesday but the rain rather shortened their pleasure both days.

Harold Eligh celebrated his second birthday on Sept. 10th.

Mr and Mrs George Stewart were among those invited to join an excursion on the river, given by Mr and Mrs McGraw in their steam launch, "Brockville." Mr and Mrs McGraw have been camping at Jones' Creek, but leave next week for their home in Brockville.

SOPERTON
Sept. 13
Mrs H. Howard was ill during last week.

Mr John S. McConkey, London, visited his mother and sister, Mrs T. J. Frye, last week.

Several from here attended Brockville Fair, Mrs E. J. Suffel being an exhibitor.

Harold Shire and Henry Mattice are attending Ottawa Exhibition this week.

Miss Beryl Davis spent the week-end in Delta.

John Reed, Smith's Falls is a guest at Johnson Reed's during this week.

Myles H. Young Dead.
The death of Myles H. Young, occurred on Friday, Sept. 3rd, at his home near Forfar. Mr. Young will be deeply mourned by his family and missed by a large circle of friends, having been a life-long resident of the vicinity of Forfar.

Although deceased had been suffering from valvular heart trouble for some time, he was confined to his bed for only three weeks.

Surviving are his only sister, Mrs. W. H. Freeland, and his children, Dr. Frank of Seeley's Bay; Gordon, of Athens; Miss Estella, of Hamton, Sask.; and Vernon, Myles, Clifford and Miss Jennie at home. His wife, Margaret Stevenson, predeceased him five years.

The funeral took place from the family residence on Sunday following at 10.30 a.m.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Post Offices Closed.
Rural mail deliveries in Ontario have resulted in the closing of 1,100 small post offices in this province in the last three years. Parcels post in Canada is a success, but the public are not taking full advantage of it.

The following officers were elected: Hon. president, Wm. Hamilton, Uxbridge; president, A. B. Foran, Windsor; first vice-president, A. A. Wright Renfrew; second vice-president, H. Sinclair, Beausville; secretary-treasurer, H. E. Proctor, Aurora.

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Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honour, the Junior Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, at the Village Town Hall, in the Village of Athens, on Monday, the 11th October, 1915.
At half-past Seven o'clock in the afternoon to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Athens for 1915.
Dated this 13th day of September, A.D. 1915.
A. M. LEE, Clerk of said Municipality.

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# NEW VICTORY BY RUSSIANS OVER TEUTONS

### Took 7,000 More Prisoners Near Trembowla, Galicia, and Put Hunts to Flight.

## REORGANIZING

### Capital and Officials Busy in Working Out Aid to the Armies.

London Cable.—An official communication received from Petrograd from the Gulf of Riga to Orlita, to-night announces another big success for the Russians in Eastern Galicia. Following their victory at Tarnopol it is stated that southwest of Trembowla during the 7th and 8th the Russians took as prisoners 150 officers and 7,000 men, and that the Teutons retreated hastily toward the River Strypa.

The communication adds that the Russian captures since Sept. 3 on the Sereth front total 331 officers and over 7,000 men and a great quantity of guns.

A despatch from Vienna says it is officially announced that the Austrian landwehr cavalry entered the forests of Dubno, in the Lutsk-Dubno-Rovno triangle of fortresses, yesterday. Dubno, with a population of some 15,000, is in the government of Volhynia, on the Iwka River, a short distance north of the East Galician frontier. Lutsk, another of the forts of the triangle, was taken recently.

The Italians opened the new period of offensive operations against the Austrians in the presence of Gen. Joffre on the occasion of his recent visit. The operation then begun marks a new and more pronouncedly ambitious turn of the Italian campaign and probably will not be decided for one or two days. The Italian general staff has made no reference to it in official bulletins, it being the custom to deal with results achieved and not with movements as they are started. The Austrians, however, have already made more than one allusion to one feature of the operation, the Italian drive of their main trunk railway line in the Southern Tyrol, and it is believed that they are thereby preparing the subjects of the Dual Monarchy for unpleasant duties in the near future.

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Christians Were Held. Tiflis, Trans-Caucasia, Cable.—After the exodus from the Vilayet of Van the Christians fled to the plains of Urmiya and Salmas on the northwest shore of Lake Urmia. In Persia, Armenians, Christians were preparing to leave their homes but their flight was forbidden.

The presence of numerous German agents in Tabriz and elsewhere in Northern Persia is occasioning alarm.

The fact that the Russians could not follow up the victory at Tarnopol was due entirely to the superiority of the Teutonic artillery, it is declared. There is no lack of war stores, according to War Office officials, and the Russian supply of shrapnel is sufficient, but the army was unable to take the offensive against the heavy guns of the Germans.

The check administered at Tarnopol is expected to have an important bearing on operations against Russian positions along the Gorin, Iwka and Stibel Rivers to the northeast, which operations are depending upon support from a German advance at Tarnopol. The Austro-German forces are operating aggressively against these positions, battles developing around Dubno, Rovno and Kremenetz.

The situation in the north has shown little change for the past ten days. From the statements of captured German officers it appears that the Germans do not hope to make marked progress unless Riga is captured, as principal junctions on the Vilna-Grodno front. Rains are making field operations difficult.

# ITALY'S REAL CAMPAIGN ON

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# SHORT ITEMS OF THE NEWS OF THE DAY

### Sultan of Turkey, Fearing British Submarines, is Leaving His Palace On the Bosphorus.

### WEEK'S SUB. TOLL

#### Five-Year Term for Man Who Took 15-Year-Old Sarnia Girl Away.

### Mayor Church laid the corner stone of the new C. P. R. C. N. R. station at North Toronto.

### Dr. D. B. Neely, M. P. for Humboldt, Sask., has joined the 78th Regiment as medical officer, making the eighth member of Parliament to enlist in the forces.

### Bruce County Council increased its patriotic grant from \$1,000 a month to \$4,000 a month so long as the war lasts, Reeve Jolynt announcing his intention of giving \$1,000 a year during the war.

### Hon. W. J. Bowser, Attorney-General of British Columbia, was operated on in Vancouver General Hospital for nasal trouble.

### George L. Gillette, formerly of Mc Gill, has been appointed acting professor of mechanical engineering in Queen's faculty of applied science.

### R. Howing, contractor, while going home Thursday night in Brantford, dropped dead when about a block away from his home.

### Five years in Kingston Penitentiary was the sentence meted out by Judge McWatt to Jacob Stamm, convicted of abducting Alice Weston, a 15-year-old Sarnia girl.

### The Liverpool Munitions Court fined 245 workmen at the Cammell Laird Company's works 20 shillings each for refusing to work overtime.

### Henry Ford announced that the new farm tractor would be made in Canada by his company. He will add 10,000 men to his working force here.

### While workmen were excavating for a sewer on one of the leading streets of Brockville, a skeleton was unearthed. It is thought to be the remains of an Indian.

### Sir Arthur Evans, archaeologist, has been chosen president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science. The association will meet next year in Newcastle.

### An Athens despatch to The Petit Parisien says the Sultan of Turkey is leaving his palace at Dolma Bagiche, on the Bosphorus, for the reason that it is too much exposed to attacks by British submarines.

### A British official statement says: "The ships lost for the week ending Sept. 8 number 10, of a gross tonnage of 37,526; fishing vessels four, tonnage, 124."

# HERO CANUCKS

### Their Valor in Battle Spreads Fame Over Europe.

Ottawa Report.—"The stand which the Canadian troops made at St. Julien and their wonderful bravery is known all over Europe," said Abbe Perrin, Superior of the Canadian College at Rome, who is in Ottawa on a mission to the Papal Legation. An Abbe Gauthier, who visited recently many small villages in both Italy and France. When the people found I was a Canadian they were most enthusiastic. They praised in the most eulogistic terms the Canadian troops, and I myself, just because I was a Canadian, was treated with the honor of a wounded soldier.

The valor of the Canadians is on the lips of all Europe. I was proud, indeed, to be able to say I am a Canadian.

# HUN AIR RAID

### German Planes Drop Bombs On Paris—First in Months.

Paris Cable.—German aeroplanes flew over the suburbs of Paris early to-day dropping a large number of bombs. The extent of the damage is not known.

Paris itself has been immune from air raids for several months, though the French lines are but a little more than 50 miles from the city. Elaborate precautions taken by the Paris authorities have rendered it extremely difficult for German Taubes to reach the city. French airmen patrol the sky nightly, and there is a splendid system by which the coming of enemy aeroplanes is signalled by cities to the north.

# TO ARBITRATE STRIKE.

Albany, N. Y. Report.—An agreement to leave the disagreement between the United Traction Company and its 1,600 striking employees to arbitration, was reached at a conference between representatives of the firm and the company and the commercial organizations of Troy and Albany late last night. The cars on all lines resumed operations at 5 o'clock this morning.

# KOWKASH GOLD

### New Find is Reported to be a Good One.

Cochrane, Report.—Some prospectors who arrived here to-day from Kowkash to purchase a supply of provisions reported that the good discoveries at the new mining camp were the best yet made in the north country and they averred that the western side of the new gold field would prove of permanent value. They were not communicative as to particulars beyond saying that the samples of gold-bearing quartz were abundant and scattered over a considerable area. Time has permitted so far only a meagre amount of exploration, but the rush to the camp has already assumed large proportions, and men are still passing through Cochrane to carry out for a considerable time, so as to do some development work on their claims.

# TEUTON PLANS GET A CHECK

### Russian Success in Galicia Upset Flank Movement.

### Rain Has Stopped Transport of Big Guns.

Petrograd Cable.—On the Sereth the Russians have won a considerable victory over Gen. von Linsingen's army. The enemy had planned an attack on the Russian positions Wednesday, and for this purpose they concentrated against Tarnopol two German divisions, including Guards and one Austrian brigade, supported by a large quantity of artillery. The Russians forestalled them by a sudden advance Tuesday, routed the enemy's army corps and captured 3,000 prisoners with thirty guns. The enemy had to pour out the ammunition he had accumulated for the attack in order to stem the Russian tide of pursuit of his defeated troops. Then the Russians went back to their positions on the Sereth. Further down the same river at Trembala the Russians took 1,500 prisoners, and on the Sereth at its confluence with the Dniester they captured a thousand more.

This success may or may not mean the turning point of Russia's fortune of war, but the immediate effect is a severe blow to the German outflanking movement to the south. Part of the plan for overcoming the serious obstacle of the Pinsk swamps was to outflank them from the south and north so as to secure possession of the Vilna Rovno railway and divide the Russian army by a line from north to south.

The Russians have just retired from Dubno, in Volhynia, on the Rovno-Lemberg Railway to the positions of Sarny and Iwka, but the setback in Galicia renders his success largely nugatory for the enemy, who in the meantime still is held beyond the reach of Bybro.

As to the Polesia region, with the Pinsk marshes, the Germans are encountering great difficulties. Here heavy rain is falling, making motor transportation and the movement of heavy guns impossible. The invaders have been trying to improve their communications by paving the roads with timber, but progress necessarily is very slow.

The Russians are stubbornly opposing the combined enveloping movement of Eichhorn on the Vilna-Grodno railway and of Gallwitz on the Volkovyskion line. The Russian barrier before Vilna is unbroken, and below, in spite of the arrival of army, the enemy is unable to develop a success on the Dvina. Altogether, to-day's prospects are brighter than usual.

# GEN MAUNOURY

### Paris Pays Respects to the Man Who Saved City.

Paris Cable.—Members of the Chamber of Deputies representing Paris and the Department of the Seine, adopted yesterday an address to General Michael Joseph Maunoury, former military governor of Paris, to be presented to-day, the anniversary of his victory over the Germans on the Ourcq River. After recalling the circumstances and what the achievement meant for Paris, the address says: "On Sept. 10, contemplating the enemy's rout, you said: 'I had waited for that for 44 years.' Your wait had been long, but the gratitude of the inhabitants of Paris will be eternal."

General Maunoury was sent by General Joffre to the extreme left wing of the French army to parry the rapid advance of the German right on Paris. The difficult task of assembling an army transported by rail in the face of an advancing enemy was successfully accomplished by General Maunoury, and his army was ready at the appointed time to deliver the blow that marked the change in the tide of battle. He was wounded March 12 last while inspecting German positions from the first line of French trenches.

# BRITISH STEAMER TORPEDOED.

La Rochelle, France, Cable.—The British steamer Mora was sunk Wednesday afternoon by a German submarine off Penmarch, Department of the Finistere. Her captain and 25 men of the crew were landed here. The Mora was bound from Santander, Spain, for Newport, Monmouthshire, England.

# NO INDEMNITY FOR LIVES LOST ON THE ARABIC

### German Note Expresses Regret, But Claims Submarine Feared an Attack.

# WILL ARBITRATE

### Would Refer Question of Damages to Decision of The Hague Tribunal.

Berlin Cable.—Germany's note to the United States bearing on the sinking of the White Star Line steamer Arabic on Aug. 19, which was communicated to the American Ambassador, James W. Gerard, for transmission to Washington, is in the form of a memorandum under date of Sept. 7, the text of which follows: "On Aug. 19 a German submarine stopped the English steamer Dunsley about 16 nautical miles south of Kinsale, and was on the point of sinking the prize by gun fire after the crew had left the vessel. At this moment the commander saw a large steamer making directly towards him. This steamer, as developed later, was the Arabic. She was recognized as an enemy, as she did not fly any flag and bore no neutral markings.

"When she approached she altered her original course, but then again pointed directly towards the submarine. From this the commander had the intention of attacking and ramming him. In order to anticipate this attack he gave orders for the submarine to dive, and fired a torpedo at the steamer. After firing he convinced himself that the people on board were being rescued in fifteen hours.

"According to his instructions the commander was not allowed to attack the Arabic without warning and without saving the lives unless the ship attempted to escape or offered resistance. He was forced, however, to conclude from the attendant circumstances that the Arabic planned a violent attack on the submarine.

"This conclusion is all the more obvious as he had been fired upon at a great distance in the Irish Sea on August 14—that is, a few days before—a large passenger steamer, apparently belonging to the British Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, which he had neither attacked nor stopped.

"The German Government most deeply regrets that lives were lost through the action of the commander. It particularly expresses this regret to the Government of the United States on account of the death of its citizens.

"The German Government is unable, however, to acknowledge any obligation to grant indemnity in the matter, even if the commander should have been mistaken as to the aggressive intentions of the Arabic.

"If it should prove to be the case that it is impossible for the German and American Governments to reach a harmonious opinion on this point, the German Government would be prepared to submit the difference of opinion to the Hague Tribunal for arbitration, pursuant to article 38 of the Hague Convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes.

"In so doing, it assumes that, as a matter of course, the arbitral decision shall not be admitted to have the importance of a general decision on the permissibility of the converse under international law of German submarine warfare."

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# Dr. BANKS AGAIN

### Retells His Story of British Boat Using U. S. Flag.

New York Report.—Confirmation of the London report that a German submarine was sunk on Aug. 19, while shelling the British steamer Nicolson, was received here to-day, with the arrival of the steamer Lapland. It was also learned that the British patrol boat, which sank the submarine, flew an American flag while approaching the scene. Just before she was ready to open up with her guns, the American flag fluttered down to her deck and the British ensign was hoisted in its place.

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Sir Ernest Cassel, former Privy Councillor, and closely associated with King Edward VII., in his official household, was among the passengers on the Lapland. He said he was in the United States on private business, and would remain here but a short time.

That's best which God sends; 'twas His will; it is mine.—Owen Meredith.

# TURKS REPULSED

### Russians Were Victors On the Caucasus Front.

Petrograd Cable.—The War Office to-day made public the following official communication concerning the operations in the Caucasus: "Sept. 7 in the coastal region a large column of Turkish scouts attempted to cross the Arkhava River. They were repulsed in the direction of Oidi.

"Our scouts near the village of Khost annihilated a Turkish guard corps. In the region of Glasgurd and Van encounters have taken place between our scouts and Kurds. On the southern shore of Lake Van our cavalry scouts had an engagement with a large force of Turkish infantry and cavalry."

# CROWN PRINCE GAINED LITTLE IN HIS DRIVE

### Renewed Effort to Break French Lines in Argonne Ended in Flat Failure.

# HEAVY LOSSES

### And Severe Repulse, Followed His Reply to Allies' Big Bombardment.

London Cable.—The French official reports referring to the new effort of the German Crown Prince to break the allied line in the Argonne admit that the enemy gained a small success, but declare that in most instances they were thrown back with heavy losses. According to the Berlin official statement, the Germans captured trenches over a front of one and a quarter miles, and to a depth of about 300 or 400 yards. They also claim to have taken 2,000 prisoners, 43 machine guns and 64 mine-throwers.

This is the second effort of the German Emperor's heir to win a victory in this region within the last three months, and, although on each occasion he gained a small amount of ground, he is as far from his objective this time as on the previous occasion. Fighting was in progress all yesterday and throughout the night, and was still going on when the last report was issued.

"This doubtless is the German reply to the artillery bombardment which the allies kept up for fifteen days, out which now seems to be dying down without any sign of being followed up, as had been anticipated. Instead, except for heavy gun action south of Arras, bomb throwing seems to have taken its place.

"The artillery duel which has been in progress for several days around Arras, in the region of Roye and on the Champagne front, still continues. Spirited cannonading also is going on at a number of other points on the western front.

# FRENCH REPORT.

Paris Cable.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office to-night: "The artillery struggle continues around Arras, in the region of Roye and on the Champagne front. In the Argonne the enemy attacks were not renewed; the day was marked by a violent artillery duel. The cannonading has likewise been quite spirited in the Woivre at Boisshaut, in the forest of Apremont, and at Bois de Montmaré."

# GERMAN REPORT.

Berlin Cable.—The following official statement was issued by army headquarters to-day: "Western theatre of war: In the Argonne, northeast of Vienne le Chatelain, Wuerttemberg and Lorraine regiments began yesterday an attack which was supported effectively by artillery. The infantry took possession of positions of the enemy at several points of support over a front of more than two kilometres and from 200 to 600 metres deep. We captured 38 officers, 1,999 men, 48 machine guns, 64 mine-throwers and one cannon.

"During Tuesday night and yesterday, docks, as well as other port establishments in London and vicinity, were bombarded with explosives and incendiary bombs. The effect was very satisfactory. In spite of heavy shelling, our ships returned undamaged. A German aircraft squadron has attacked Nancy.

# SERBIA'S REPLY

### Unsatisfactory, is Sent Back by the Quadruple Entente.

Sofia Cable.—It has become known here that Serbia's reply to the Entente powers regarding Bulgaria's claims on Serbia is unsatisfactory to the Entente powers. Although it is alleged that Serbia granted the demands of Bulgaria, the Serbian note proposes a modus vivendi for carrying out a settlement which it is felt by the Entente Governments Bulgaria would not accept. The Entente powers, therefore, it is reported, have referred back Serbia's reply.

Meanwhile the Bulgarian Government is said to have been informed officially of the situation.

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**Local and District News**

We want everybody in this district to read The REPORTER.

Mr W. G. Towriss has purchased the residence on Victoria street, recently vacated by Mrs Cowan.

A concert will be given in the Town Hall, Delta, Sept. 22. A farce, "My Neighbor's Wife," will be put on by the Dramatic Club. Plan of hall at C, Ralph's store.

The "Diamond Jubilee" anniversary service in connection with the Plum Hollow Baptist Church, will be held on Sunday, Sept. 26th. The anniversary supper will be held on Monday evening following.

Probate of the will of Richard Cronkright, late of Athens, gentleman, has been granted to May Maue Bonsteel of Athens, married woman, executrix. T. R. Beale, Athens, solicitor.

The REPORTER extends congratulations to Mr. James Bulloch of Lyn, who on Tuesday of last week celebrated his 91st birthday. He is a brother of the late William and Robert Bulloch of Gananoque, and of Mrs. Frost of Montreal.

On Sunday, Sept. 19th, Mr. Kingston, a graduate of Trinity College, Toronto, who at present is taking the course in Divinity, will conduct all the services in the parish of Athens and Lansdowne Rear. Service in Athens at 7 p.m.

Robert Stewart of Elizabethtown, has been appointed turnkey at the county jail at Brockville, vice Thos. Hayes resigned. Mr. Stewart is a well known farmer residing on the second concession of Elizabethtown at what is known as the Stewart schoolhouse section.

Burton Frost of Smiths Falls, who was out motoring with a party of friends on Thursday evening, met with a distressing accident. Near Jasper he wished to trim up the lights and after putting carbide in the container he lit a match in order to light the lamps and in some unaccountable manner an explosion occurred causing the glass from the lights to blow to pieces, cutting his face and forehead badly. The party returned to town and Dr. Anderson dressed the wounds, finding it necessary to put six stitches in one of the cuts.

The anniversary services in connection with the Methodist congregation of this place will be held on Sunday, Sept. 19th. Rev. Dr. Baker, principal of Albert College, Belleville, will be the speaker. The men's choir at the evening service will be assisted by members of the Athens orchestra.

**Auction Sale!**

There will be offered for sale At the John Wiltse Farm One Mile South of Athens, on Saturday, Sept. 18th, '15

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**Purely Personal Items.**

Miss Doris Kiyne spent a few days with relatives in Alexandria Bay.

Mr and Mrs George Foley of Key Harbor, were in Athens last week.

Mr and Mrs L. Glenn Earl last week motored to Toronto Exhibition.

Mr Sherriff Robinson of Toronto, returned last week to his parents here.

Mr Roy Robinson is receiving medical treatment in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Miss Jessie Percival went on Sunday to Ottawa where she will attend Normal School.

Mr Irwin Wiltse has been on trip to several points in Ontario, including Toronto and New York.

Mr and Mrs J. H. Ackland are enjoying a short visit in Ottawa, guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Taplin.

Irene Douglas and Gladys Kilbern, graduate nurses of Brockville General Hospital, have left for Red Cross service at the front.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Parish of Brockville were week-end guests of Mr and Mrs W. G. Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Percival motored to Ottawa the first of the week, where they spent a few days.

Mr Ernest Trickey, Williamsburg, called on friends here last week en route to visit relatives at Elouisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Earle of Athens, spent the week end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Johnson.—Smiths Falls News.

Miss Ella Deming spent a few days at the Lake, a guest of Miss F. Edwards and Mrs H. Knowlton at the Jacob cottage.

Mrs. W. J. Connerly was called home from Chelsea, Que., after spending a couple of months pleasantly with friends in Montreal.

Mr and Mrs L. H. Nutting of New York have recently been here on a visit to the latter's father, Mr Wm. Johnston, I.P.S.

Mrs James Wallace underwent an operation in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, last week and is reported gaining nicely.

Robert Swayne returned to Belle ville to-day to attend school. He spent the summer holidays at the Rectory here and at Charleston Lake.

Miss Mina Donnelly of this place and Mr Hibbert Donnelly of Kingston, were Sunday guests of Dr and Mrs C. B. Lillie at Charleston Lake.

Mrs W. A. Johnston is ill at her home here. Her daughter Miss Gladys Johnston who is attending her is having her classes in Public School taken by Miss Doolan.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Smith returned on Saturday from Chatham where they spent their honeymoon. They will take up residence in the Hamblin house, corner of Main and Mill.

Mr Clarence Washburn, who has been firing on the steamer Riverside during the summer, returned to his home here on Wednesday, the boat having been laid up for the season.

Mrs John Hunter of Riverside, Cal., was for a few days last week a guest of Mrs Irwin Wiltse. She left on Sunday for Toledo, her former home, to spend a few weeks with friends and relatives there.

Mr Gordon Rappell of Buffalo, was a recent guest of friends here. He made the trip in company with George and James Morris, Buffalo, who spent a day amid scenes of their boyhood at Lake Elouisa.

Rev John Johnston of Verdun, Que., was in Athens last week on a visit to his parents, Mr and Mrs Wm. Johnston. On his return he was accompanied by his two daughters, Fern and Mary, who spent the summer at Bertha Island, Charleston Lake, with their grandparents.

The service at St. Paul's Presbyterian church will not be held on Sunday on account of the Methodist church anniversary.

**Five Years for Abduction**

Sarnia, Sept. 15—Five years in Kingston penitentiary was the sentence meted out by Justice McWatt to Jacob Stamm, convicted of abducting Alice Weston, a 15-year-old Sarnia girl. Stamm ran away with the girl and married her in Chicago. On their return to the city he was arrested on complaint of the girl's parents.

**Ogdensburg Fair.**

Ogdensburg Fair will be held this year on September 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, and the management has made special effort this year to present a program of great attractiveness. The premium prize list amounts to \$10,000 and there will be many extra attractions with the trotting races as a special feature, comprising a thousand dollar stake race each day, beside the class races. There will motor cycle races and the Midway will be larger than ever, besides special performances before the grand stand. The horse show will be a special feature as usual and this year there will be an automobile show as an added attraction.

**Local and District News**

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Mrs. R. C. Drew of Smiths Falls, was drowned by the capsizing of a boat from which she was fishing near her summer home on Star Island, Rideau Lake.

—For Sale—A rubber tired buggy, almost new. Can be seen at the garage of The Earl Construction Co., Athens.

Rev. J. McLean, B.A., pastor of the Smiths Falls Baptist church, has resigned and purposes attending the Colgate Theological Seminary at Hamilton, N.Y.

The duck-shooting season opened this morning, the distant "pop-pop" of shot guns on Wiltse Lake coming faintly to the ears of residents in the southern part of the village.

The girl students of the A.H.S. held their annual initiation night on Monday at which the freshettes were ceremoniously rendered fit for the arduous duties of the current term. Light refreshments were served.

Each member of the Athens Epworth League executive is requested to be present at a meeting to be held Friday evening, Sept. 17th, in the basement of the Methodist Church, at 7 p.m.

Mr. R. Camp, of "Dick's Bazaar," Athens, is making some alterations in his business building, which when completed will give a good deal more floor space and also enable the proprietor to show his goods to better advantage to the buying public.

In the absence of Rev. F. Dealtry Woodcock as a delegate to the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada which meets at Toronto this week, Rev. W. G. Swayne, rector of the parish of Athens and Lansdowne Rear, will conduct services in Trinity church, Brockville, on Sunday next.

A Patriotic Concert, under the auspices of the Athens Women's Institute will be held in the town hall, Athens, on Thursday evening, Sept. 23rd. An excellent musical program is in course of preparation, as well as some specialties. Admission 25c. Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8 o'clock.

The annual Harvest Thanksgiving services in the parish of Athens and Lansdowne Rear will be held on Sunday, Sept. 26th. The Rev. Walter Cox, rector of Gananoque, will be the preacher. The rector will conduct similar services in Gananoque on the same date.

Ladies remember that Sept. 25th is the date of the next Institute meeting. Come and listen to a good program, which will include the lecture on the manufacture and use of aluminium. Become a member of the Institute and receive the gift of a quart aluminium sauce pan. Membership fee, 25 cents. Every lady invited.

An exchange remarks: Don't sleep on your left side, for it causes too great a pressure on the heart. Don't sleep on your stomach, for that interferes with the respiration of both lungs and makes breathing difficult. Don't sleep on your back, for this method of getting rest is bad for the nervous system. Don't sleep sitting in a chair for your body falls into an unnatural position, and you cannot get the necessary relation. Don't sleep standing up, for you may topple over and crack your skull. Don't sleep.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors, both far and near, who extended to us so many acts of kindness during the death and funeral obsequies of my wife.

GEORGE STEVENS. MRS. W.B. CONNERTY

**REWARD.**

A reward of Twenty Dollars will be paid for information that will establish the identity of the person or persons who, accidentally or otherwise, broke a plate glass in the window of H. H. Arnold's Store, on or about August 10th, last. The identity of the informer need not be made known.

FRANCIS BLANCHER, Villager Officer. Athens, Sept. 7th, 1915.

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