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MORTON & HERITY, PROPRIETORS.

NO SERIOUS ATTEMPT MADE TO DEFEND OSTEND

Reported Now to be in Possession of Germans--Germany Has a Million and a Half Troops Facing the Russians--Aeroplanes Busy in Various Quarters.

ONLY A SMALL FORCE IN OSTEND.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Daily Sketch's Ostend correspondent says "Only a small force of Belgians and almost no British troops remain in Ostend. Five refugee boats left here yesterday. A number of transports which were in the harbor also have put to sea."

BELGIAN MINISTERS WELCOMED IN FRANCE.

HAVRE, Oct. 14.—The members of the Belgian government arrived here at eight o'clock Tuesday evening and were received by the Minister of Marine and the local authorities. Military honours were rendered the Belgians and the populace gave them an enthusiastic reception.

REPORT THAT OSTEND HAS BEEN CAPTURED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The New York American prints a cable which says it is reported in London from an authoritative source that Ostend was taken by the Germans on Tuesday.

AEROPLANES OVER KARLSRUHE.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—Hostile aeroplanes appeared over Karlsruhe yesterday and escaped undamaged according to the central news correspondent at Coppenhagen.

GERMANY HAS BIG FORCE IN THE EAST

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A despatch to the Times from Petrograd says "On a conservative estimate the German forces known to be on the eastern frontier number about a million and a half effective men not counting the Austrian troops of whom there are about 270,000 on the Silesian frontier."

BOMBS DROPPED OVER CITY OF NANCY.

NANCY, via Paris, Oct. 14.—Three bombs from German aeroplanes fell yesterday in the railway station near the bridge of the Rue de Non Desert in the southwestern part of the city. The bombs struck a first class passenger coach, cut the telegraph wires and injured three persons.

ROUMANIA TO MAINTAIN NEUTRALITY.

PETROGRAD, via London, Oct. 14.—The Roumanian minister to Russia, gave out a statement concerning the Roumanian attitude in the present war in which he says:

"Owing to the doubt regarding Roumania's attitude, I wish to say that we shall maintain our attitude of neutrality. I know for a fact of the existence of pourparlers between Russia and Hungary regarding the ceding of Transylvania and the guaranteeing to Hungary of national severance from Austria in return for Hungary's withdrawal of her troops from Cracow."

"The latter would change the whole military situation and probably end the war but Hungary's attempts are not seriously regarded by Roumania for we feel sure that as long as the present Russian foreign minister is in office our interests will be safeguarded. We are hopeful of ultimate possession of Transylvania, realizing as the war proceeds the power of the Roumanian army of 600,000 men."

"It is too early to say whether there will be a decided change in the attitude of the Roumanian government but the present ministry probably will remain in power."

FIGHTING AROUND GHENT.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The following despatch dated Monday, has been received by the Central

News from Ostend:

"It is reported that a heavy engagement occurred to-day near Thourout (a Belgian town 12 miles southwest of Bruges). The operations around Ghent have opened favorably for the Allies. The Germans asked for an armistice to enable them to bury their dead, but the request was refused."

"Advancing confidently against what they imagined to be the remnants of a retreating Belgian army, a German column was ambushed by a force south of Ghent. The German soldiers were mowed down in swaths and a bayonet charge completed their rout. Some 600 dead were left on the field while the Allies' losses were practically nothing. The Germans retired precipitately on Alost."

YPRES OCCUPIED PARIS REPORTS.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—The following official announcement was given out in Paris this afternoon.

"In the Belgian field of operations there were some encounters during the night of October 13-14 and during the day of the 15th in the region around Ghent. British and French troops have occupied Ypres."

"First—On our left wing as far as the Oise the operations are developing normally."

"Second—On the centre previous reports of the progress of our armies in the regio of Berry-au-Bar have been confirmed."

"Third—On our right wing there is nothing new."

MESSAGE FROM KING ALBERT TO PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

BORDEAUX, France, Oct. 14.—King Albert of Belgium has sent the following telegram to President Poincare:

"I am profoundly touched by the hospitality so cordially offered by France to the Belgian government and by the measures taken by the government of the republic to assure our full independence and sovereignty."

"We await with unshakable confidence the hour of common victory. Fighting side by side in a just cause our courage ever shall fail us."

"I beg you to believe Mr. President in my unalterable affection."

Signed,
Albert.

RHEIMS LAW COURTS REOPENED.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Paris says:

"The Temps describe the reopening of the Rheims law courts under a hail of shells and says that the public attorney's opening address was almost inaudible owing to the deafening thunder of the guns."

ANNIVERSARY OF GERMAN DEFEAT AT JENA.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—There is hope in London to-day that the anniversary of the battle of Jena in which the French gained a victory over the Prussians and Saxons just 108 years ago to-day, may be celebrated along both battle fronts by events recalling this great and decisive struggle, but whatever the outcome, observers are being permitted to receive only the briefest reports of what is now transpiring in Belgium, in France, and in Russian Poland.

STRICTURES ON CHURCHILL CONDEMNED.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Daily Mail's military correspondent replies in effect to-day to the Morning Post's strictures of yesterday on Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, for sending too small an English force to Antwerp.

"Under the circumstances," says the correspondent, "the act was not only justified but one of brave and honorable necessity. To have refused to go to the aid of the Belgians when asked to do so, would have been an act of selfish cowardice of which no British minister would be capable. Late we may have been but better late than never."

FOXBORO.

Foxboro, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Lesley Ashley and little son of Madoc are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Stillman Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sillit and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. H. on Sunday last.

Mrs. S. Gay, Mrs. Ashley, also Miss Florence Wickett and Miss Clara Youker, were visitors at the home of Mrs. John Gossell jr., on Friday last.

Mrs. Closson of Peterbor was visiting at the home of her daughter's Mrs. Robert Hanthorne.

The Rev. Mr. Jones occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

Mrs. James Stewart and son John, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. C. C. Davis, her sister, Miss Nettie Stewart left for Carleton N. Y., on Saturday to visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Anderson.

Mr. Clarke our School Inspector, visited the school on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gossell jr. spent Sunday in Belleville, at her sister's.

SINE.

Sine, October 12.—The farmers in this vicinity are busy filling their silos.

The anniversary at Bethel was well attended and the desired amount of money was easily obtained.

Miss Mary Ann Morton, is visiting her sister Mrs. Elizabeth McMullen.

Miss Helen Morrison was the guest of Miss Alice Gecon on Sunday.

Miss Gladys Tucker is visiting friends in Trenton.

A great many of the farmers here are digging their potatoes, and all report a good crop.

Mrs. Annie DeWitt is spending a few weeks at the home of her father, Mr. Jas. Coult's.

Miss Pearl DeWitt has returned to Trenton after spending a few days at her grandfather's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Waller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fralick of Stirling were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. Waller over Sunday.

POINT ANNE.

The Thanksgiving dinner held in the school house, Thursday evening was a decided success, the concert was especially good. Mr. W. D. Reid of Fronte deluged the audience with his splendid solos. The orchestra of four pieces being local talent was much enjoyed while Rev. Robeson's talk was much appreciated.

Proceeds amounting to over fifty dollars.

Much sympathy is expressed with Mr. Wm. Rankin, Mr. J. Whitney and Mrs. Wilson over the death of their little ones.

Miss Taylor spent Sunday with her brother Mr. J. Taylor.

BLOOMFIELD.

Miss Myrtle Clinton of Queen's University, Kingston spent the Thanksgiving holidays here.

Mr. Jaak McClelland of Toronto is visiting old acquaintances in the village.

Mr. Ferris of Ottawa is visiting at Mr. George Taylor's.

Mrs. Alex Reid and Nellie are spending a few days in Belleville.

Miss Alma Taylor of Kingston is here spending the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Will Christy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDowell are visiting friends in Cobourg.

Mrs. Wm. Noxon and Bulah of Pictou spent Friday and Saturday, the guests of Mrs. W. L. DeGross.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweet spent the week end in Belleville.

Messrs. Fred Johnson, W. Cooke, and C. Gerow motored over to Belleville on Monday.

Mr. K. Cairns and family intend moving to Belleville this week.

Miss Alice Taylor from here attended the Demorestville fair Saturday.

Mr. R. Looftburrow and family are moving into S. E. Martin's residence on Main street.

Miss Alma Taylor of this village was fortunate enough to win the five Stanley piano offered as a prize by the Pictou Gazette.

AMELIASBURG.

Mr. K. Ferguson and Luella visited at D. Rowe's on Sunday.

Miss Fitzgerald of Belleville spent Thanksgiving at J. Ferguson's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Seeley spent Saturday at Belleville.

A number from here attended the chicken pie supper at Center on Friday evening. All report a good time.

Mr. P. Coburn spent Thanksgiving with his parents at Sutton.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. A. Crosby. It's a boy.

We are pleased to report that Mr. D. Sager is better.

Mrs. A. Harvey was in Belleville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gerow spent Sunday at Mr. Thompson's.

FRONT OF THURLOW.

Mr. E. S. Wallbridge has about a dozen pickers and pickers at work in his large orchards and the trees are rapidly taking on a bare fall look.

Miss Melissa Brown of the 2nd Con. is spending a few days at her brother's, Mr. Noble Brown's.

Mr. Robert Greatrix drove to Verona on Thursday to spend a few days with Dr. and Mrs. W. Geddes.

Rev. R. McWilliams visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Cooper on Thursday on his way to Toronto to attend Victoria University.

U. Mrs. A. M. Leavens and children of Belleville returned home today after spending the Thanksgiving holidays

with Mrs. A. Cizic.

Miss Beatrice Fuller of Shannonville is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Harry Greatrix.

Master James Bell spent Thanksgiving with his brother, Master Willie Bell at Bath.

Master Harley Hall spent Thanksgiving with friends in Belleville.

Mrs. Harold Young of Mountain View and Master Willie are spending a few days with Mrs. A. Palmer.

ZION.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Phillips of Bethel spent Sunday at Mr. J. C. Sills'.

Mrs. Milo Reid and Mrs. J. B. Casey were visitors at Mrs. Wilmen Sills on Sunday.

The W.M.S. met last Wednesday at Mrs. M. B. Spencer's.

Miss Nellie Caverley is visiting her brother, Mr. Percy Caverley.

O. O. R. S. Rally was a great success. One of the special features was that every person enrolled in the school was present. The different addresses were much enjoyed by the school and visitors present.

Mrs. George Little and children of Brighton spent the week-end and Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Fred Denyes.

Miss Georgina Sills spent the holiday under the parental roof.

Miss Mitchell of Albert College spent Thanksgiving with her friend, Miss Georgina Sills.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Wm. Thompson is getting along nicely after her operation. We hope she continues to improve.

Miss Martha Casey of Belleville is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

VICTORIA.

Potato digging is the order of the day and the yield is good.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Weese spent Sunday at Mr. Geo. Weese's.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Brickman spent Sunday the guests of Mr. Fred Bonter's.

Mrs. M. Hubbs has gone to Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. G. French for a few days.

Mrs. A. Adams and E. Brickman spent Thursday at Mrs. J. G. Weese's to help at a quilting.

Miss Bessie Sayers spent the week-end the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. Wilson.

A number from here attended the chicken pie dinner at Center on Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Bonter on Thursday, October 29th.

OK HILLS.

These was a very heavy storm visited us on Saturday night, but no damage has as yet been heard of.

Many from here took in the Madoc fair. All report it one of the best fairs of the season.

Mr. Fred Elliott spent his Thanksgiving with friends in Bancroft.

Mrs. Frank Sarles spent her Thanksgiving in Trenton.

Mr. Hubert Chambers of Toronto spent Thanksgiving under the parental roof.

Miss Lillian Bronson spent a couple of days with relatives in Madoc.

Mr. N. Eggleton was in Belleville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tufts of Tweed are visiting here.

Many from here intend taking in the Norwood Fair.

Rally service was held in the Eggleton church on Sunday last. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Wm. Cook and sisters, Misses Iva and Flossie Stapley attended the photo-drama in Stirling last Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. and Mrs. Geo. McMullen visited Mrs. W. R. Stapley one day last week.

ZION NOTES.

A severe thunder-storm p.s.d. over here on Saturday night but fortunately no damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Casey spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmen Sills.

We are glad to hear that Mr. W. D. Dafe of Belleville has returned to his place at Zion to stay.

A lively runaway occurred on Monday, when Mr. R. J. Gordon's team ran away, throwing Mr. Gordon from the vehicle. They ran for over two miles, when Mr. H. Casey got them under control.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Wm. Thompson is gaining rapidly from her severe illness.

Mrs. B. Reed and Mrs. J. McCann spent Monday with friends in Crookston.

Misses Jennie and Grace Kennedy spent Thursday the guests of their friend, Miss Mabel Townsend of Halloway.

Mr. Clinton Townsend of Montreal is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steinburg spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lloyd.

Mrs. Little and children of Brighton spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Fred Denyes.

Miss Georgina Sills and her friend Miss Mitchell of Albert Coll. g. spent Sunday at home.

The rally service which was held at Zion church here on Sunday last was well attended. Many visitors from outside appointments were present.

Miss Nellie Caverley of Foxboro has returned home after spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Percy Caverley.

Arthur James Gough, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gough of Foxboro died at an early hour this morning.

Mr. Clayton Ross left for Kingston on Monday, to attend Queen's University.

STOCKDALE.

Miss Mabel Fleming is visiting friends at Harold.

Mrs. G. M. Sanborn is spending a few weeks with her daughter at Tichborne.

Mr. W. Connaught and sister of Tabernacle, visited at Mr. A. E. Woods on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. James Benson attended the funeral of Mrs. Benson's mother at Ivanhoe on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Williamson, spent Thanksgiving day at Harold.

A large congregation was present on Sunday morning and listened to a very inspiring sermon by Rev. S. S. Osterhout in the interest of the General Missionary Society. Rev. A. H. Osterhout, also gave a short address.

Mr. Thomas Kilbuck and Miss Elzbie Wood spent Thanksgiving at Havelock.

Mrs. A. E. Wood returned home from Havelock on Friday last, to which place she had been called by the serious illness of her son Mr. Vernon Wood. We are glad to report Vernon much improved.

Miss Olive Johnson also Mr. Jack Johnson of Belleville, were renewing acquaintances in our village for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMurter visited at Mr. Geo. Davidson's on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Frost and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bryant were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace McMurter, on Sunday.

Miss Mabel Wall is visiting at Mr. A. E. McColl's, Weeler.

We are sorry to report Mrs. D. C. Wall, on the sick list.

Mrs. C. Brewer and daughter, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving at Mr. Geo. Weese's.

BIG ISLAND.

Big Island, Ont., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. George Dugan of Northport, visited Mrs. Thos. Mills Sr. on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Minaker, Waupoos, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cole.

Harold Reid and D. Graham of Belleville, spent the week-end with Mr. Geo. Barrager's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wall and son Howard of Coneseon visited Mr. J. M. Cunningham's, last week.

Mr. Edward Kays spent Thanksgiving in Peterborough.

Miss N. Hazel, Bethel, visited on Sunday with Miss Irene Barrager.

FRANKFORD.

Frankford Oct. 13.—The funeral of Mrs. William P. Sharp was held at her home on Trent St. on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Jas. Batstone conducted the service. She leaves a devoted husband to mourn her loss.

Mr. Sharp has the sympathy of the community in this time of sorrow.

Dr. Malone left for Kingston Hospital on Tuesday, where he went to undergo an operation for appendicitis. Word was received on Wednesday evening that the operation had proved successful and that he was doing nicely. Mrs. Malone is at his bedside.

The concert given in the Windover hall on Wednesday by Mrs. Kellogg, eleventh of Buffalo N. Y., was a success.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Smith on Trent St. on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Wessel of Weeler, spent a few days with Mrs. Bowen of town.

Jack Simmons has returned home after spending a few months in the west.

Our Public School teachers attended the Teachers' Convention held at Belleville on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Jack McDonald of Shannonville and Mrs. W. Herrman of Trenton are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murney.

Miss L. Meyers left on the Friday evening train to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Casement of Forest Mills.

The Canning factory is kept bustling between the tomatoes and corn. The corn is being sent here by the car loads from other places.

Mrs. H. H. Herrington of Toronto is spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sarles.

Geo. Clark of Enterprise, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. C. Clark.

The congregation of the Methodist church had the privilege of listening to the Rev. (Dr.) Osterhout on Sunday evening his discourse was on missions of the west, E. C. China, and Japan.

A large crowd gathered to hear an old friend once more. Rev. B. Osterhout of the Manitoba conference, was also present.

LEAD.

Potato digging is the order of the day in this locality.

Quite a number of the young people attended Lonsdale ball on Friday night. All report a good time.

Misses Nellie Mullin and Aggie McDermott, spent Thanksgiving at their homes here.

Miss Maggie Tighe spent the week-end in Belleville.

The teachers from this community attended the convention held in Belleville recently.

Mr. J. Walsh wears a smile. It's a girl.

M. Corrigan of Notre Dame Convent and H. Wring of Belleville High School are home for the holidays.

AUCTION SALE.

One pair good work Horses, Harness and Wagon and Gravel Bottom on Market Square, Belleville, Oct. 17. Sale at ten o'clock sharp.

D. J. FAIRFIELD.
City Auctioneer.
015-11w.21d.

Fourth Con. Ameliasburg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer were called to Oshawa last week to attend the funeral of the latter's niece, Miss Doris Quinn.

Mr. V. Brown is busy hauling hay to Belleville.

Mr. Wm. Maybee made his usual call through here last week in the interest of the Merrill Chemical Co. of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sprung of Pictou also Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Coneseon were recent guests of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson of Pictou were visitors here lately.

Mr. Chas. Carrutte net with decided success in his exhibits at both Pictou and Ameliasburg fairs.

Mrs. Tait of Carrying Place has been a visitor at E. Wannamaker's. A gripe of very prevalent in this locality.

Messrs. R. McMaster and J. Bennis of Weeler took in the fair here, and remained over Sunday at Mr. Chas. Sager's.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Marvin of Sidney paid Mr. E. Parliament a recent visit.

Mr. C. Spencer and Miss Mary Smith were at Mr. Roy Vanocott's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wannamaker of Trenton was visiting at John Wannamaker's last week.

Rev. C. Williams of Coneseon made a number of calls here, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dafe and R. Soper of Hillier were renewing old acquaintances here Saturday.

Mr. Claude Wannamaker is spending a few days at Bancroft.

SCHOOL.

Fourth Quarter, For 18, 1914.

NATIONAL SERIES.

esson, Mark xiv, 32-42. ss, 34-36—Golden Text. Commentary Prepared Stearns.

ful of Himself and His offerings, in a way that understand, He comforted with the incomparable xiv, xv and prayer of John xvii, such a never prayed on earth. Then they sang a out into the mount of 6). He went forth over Iron, because His son red against Him and e Him (Ex. iv, 22; Pa. e cannot but think of id going forth over the ecause his son rebelled i Sam. xv, 23), but as e returned and reigned lison was over, so shall arid return and reign ection is over. ed a garden in Geth- xviii, 1). He said to His ye here while I shall vine eight of them, He d James and John and farther and began to be very heavy (verse 33; l. Putting the three rec- as well as we can, it e like this: He was m the three favored dis- stone's cast, saying to e not in exceeding sorrow- th "Tarry ye here and na." Then He went for- and knelt down and face on the ground and g. "O my Father, if it e this cup pass from me; not my will but Thine e there appeared an angel m heaven, strengthening e in an agony, He earnestly, and His sweat e great drops of blood e to the ground. (Matt. ark xiv, 33-36; Luke xxii.

ame to the three and found and saith unto Peter: "Slt thou? Coudest thou not me one hour? Watch ye t ye enter into temptation, indeed is willing, but the e." He went away the sec- d prayed the same words, d found them asleep- they did not know what to away and prayed the third e the same words. Then e third time to the three eep on now, and take your ough, the hour is come: Son of Man is betrayed nds of sinners." Then He e eight and found them ig for sorrow, and said: ye? Rise and pray lest to temptation." This at- conservative story of that e in the garden may not be n in every detail, but it is n to try to do it. Do it for nd you will be blessed in

as that He prayed three He found them three times ad He sweat, as it were, ood, that an angel strength- that after His agony He e rise up and go to meet e. all we say of the favored e were also with Him at e the ruler's daughter and on of transfiguration and wo- eored to bring to His son- ut their sleeping at His tion (Luke ix, 32), as well garden, and the fact that ry nor suffering can keep us as we are awake? What boasting of Peter and then able to watch one hour? oneliness of it all on His man knoweth the Son save e. "How can He continue ch as we are and ever hope anything out of us? May His with us make us more pa- each other.

His own experience in the e may be quite certain that ot shrinking from death on nor was He asking to be eom that. We know that the d to kill Him as a babe in a and by His own townsmen th and possibly in the storm le, but he could not, for the not come. My own confir- ening His agony and bloody Gethsemane is that it Him e tempt of the devil to blind e time and thus prevent His eace for sin on Calvary. The e is found in Heb. v, 7, "He p prayers and supplications ong crying and tears unto e was able to save Him from d was heard." It is the rec- d third weeping. He prayed ved from death, and He was d therefore saved from death, h in the garden which seem- ent. An angel came to Him ngbened Him that He might e the cross and finish the great nt for which He came to e. Yet He was willing to leave rk unfinished and die in the e His Father should so will it.

W.C.A. ANNUAL MEETING HELD

The Women's Christian Association held its 35th annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the city hall. The first vice president, Mrs. J. C. Moyne, presided.

The recording secretary, Mrs. Lillian E. Mikel read her annual report it showed progress in all branches of the association.

The absence from the meetings of our president, Mrs. Pringle, through the illness and death of her husband caused us keen regret. Mr. Pringle was one of our village members. On his death she has lost in him a warm and sincere friend.

The death of our former president, Miss Mackay, came as a shock to us even though she had not been able to be with us for some months.

A new entrance has been built at Belleville Hospital. Other improvements have included the placing of linoleum on all the corridors and all corridors in the hospital have been repainted.

The corresponding secretary's report showed activity on part of that official. The statistical report read by Miss Greene, superintendent of the hospital, showed:

Table with 2 columns: Patients treated, Patients admitted, Infants born, Patients discharged, Patients died, Patients remaining Sept. 30.

Table with 2 columns: Religion of patients, Average days' stay of outpatients, Hospital Board-Constant endeavor was urged.

Table with 2 columns: Home Department, Patients treated, Patients admitted, Infants born, Patients discharged, Patients died, Patients remaining Sept. 30.

Table with 2 columns: Total, Revenue from the Hospital for 1913-1914, Recd. from paying patients, City patients, Medicine and dressings, Special nursing, Extra meals, Massage, Thermometers.

Table with 2 columns: Total, Receipts, Oct 9, 1913 bal in bank, Bell Telephone Dividend, Hastings Loan, Sale of pigs, Belleville Lodge No. 123 A.F. & A.M., Moira Lodge No. 11 A.F. & A.M., Life membership, Mrs. Sills, cheque, Block day, Hospital garden party, Home garden party, Charity grant per year, Prov. Gov. grant for hospital, Mrs. H. Cooley, Prov. Gov. for Home, Con. from Bell Telephone, Hospital earnings, Membership and fees, Con. from citizens.

Table with 2 columns: Fire insurance, Furnishings, Sundries, Transferred to extension fund, Balance in bank.

Total \$21,469.48. Mrs. Jones, Treasurer. OFFICERS: Pres.—Mrs. G. E. Deroche, 1st Vice—Mrs. J. C. Moyne, 2nd Vice—Mrs. Downey, 3rd Vice—Mrs. R. J. Bell, Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Bonister, Res. Sec.—Mrs. W. C. Mikel, Treas.—Mrs. C. Jones, Custodian—Mrs. L. W. Yeomans.

CITY COUNCIL.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Board of Health be submitted to the city solicitor and that a bylaw be prepared in accordance with the wishes of the Board.

The recommendation of the Board of Health was as follows: That all property owners in the municipality of the city of Belleville residing on or owning property on streets in which sewers have been constructed must make proper connections therewith when requested to do so by the Medical Health officer for said municipality.

That all outside closets be prohibited where sewer connections are available. Mr. Harry A. Thompson applied for the position of electrical inspector for the city.

City Engineer Evans presented a plan and profile for the alleviation of drain conditions on Geddes Street. The cost was estimated at \$225.00. Without tiling, the drain might be deepened for \$60.00 and thus relieve the property.

Mr. McCreary did not think mere deepening of the drain would be satisfactory. A communication was read from Mr. F. S. Wallbridge regarding a complaint made to him by a client about a defective walk—Referred.

Ald. Smith asked if Public Works intended to repair injured concrete walks on various streets. Ald. Platt promised to give the matter consideration.

Ald. St. Charles inquired when Victoria Avenue and the manufacture of Front would be repaired. A mud hole exists at the edge of the new pavement.

Ald. Duckworth drew attention to the public dump, on the west side of the river which he thought should be levelled.

Ald. Panter asked if Mr. Brooker were still on the city pay-list. The matter will be inquired into.

Ald. Duckworth asked if public works now demanded the services of an engineer. Mr. McFee said the city should not be without a competent engineer.

Mayor Willis said there were many matters calling for engineer's services. Ald. Platt asked for the benefit of the public as to whether the matter of the purchase of the motor had been discussed in council before it was bought.

Mayor Willis said it had not. Ald. Pitt said Mr. Roblin had presented his account for the motor before the matter had been discussed in council.

The mayor said that machinery was often installed and tested before it was bought. Ald. Panter moved, seconded by Ald. Wallbridge that as the heavy part of the engineering work is completed, the services of Mr. Looker be dispensed with forthwith—Carried.

Ald. Panter moved, seconded by Ald. Woodley that a concrete crossing be built on South John street, south of the railway tracks—Carried.

Ald. Wallbridge moved, seconded by Ald. McFee that the granite block walk on Bridge street between William and George street be put in a proper state of repairs.

The matter was referred to Ald. Platt, McFee, Wallbridge and Woodley. Ald. Woodley moved, seconded by Ald. Smith, that a cement walk be built on Charles street at the end of Forin street. The matter was referred to a special committee.

THE ONTARIO AN THE COLORS

The Ontario is indebted to Mrs. Alice Pyne McDavid of Foxboro, for the following graceful metrical tribute: Here is a paper that is "White," That stands for justice, God and right. The editorials a delight, Religious, breezy, staid and bright; The people oft the pages cite— The Old Ontario.

The "Green" is to this paper dear, Some Irish in it doth appear, 'Tis optimistic, never drear, Dreading no foe man, knows not fear, Proves Ireland is somewhat near The Old Ontario.

The "Orange" con't this paper well, Nor finds here just of cap and bell, But reads of judgment, heaven and hell, Of scholars, and the "college yell," Of city mase and country dell, The Old Ontario.

No streak of "Yellow" e'er is seen, The writers kindly, wise and keen, It finds no room for bitter spleen, Nor to vindictiveness gives rein, —It is—may be, a not-so-swinging rein— The Old Ontario.

Who to the colours e'er will cling Like to the soldiers, poets sing, Long shall its columns clearly ring, And to the right—opinions swing, But—to the dogs, will evil fling! The Old Ontario.

May other papers file in line, And cease to bite, and snap, and whine, But take The Ontario for their sign The Editors, suave, benign— Beyond—the beacon that doth shine, The Old Ontario.

BOER WAR LEADER

A Pacifist Who Was Ready to Fight for His Country.

There is a grim irony in the fact that the brilliant soldier who came unscathed through the hottest fights of the South African War (except for a legacy of rheumatism), and who had intended to accompany the South African Expeditionary Force to the assistance of the Empire, should be killed at this particular time by the bullet of a policeman.

He was, from first to last, a pacifist, but a pacifist prepared to fight for his country to the last breath when fighting became inevitable. He was one of the stoutest opponents of President Kruger and his war policy, but one of his loyalist generals when war was declared.

Delarey was of Huguenot origin, but his father was born in the Orange Free States and took part in the fighting against the English in 1848. The dead general was born in Griqualand West, Cape Colony, 48 years ago. He went to the Transvaal as a youth, became a farmer at Rustenburg, and was elected a member of the first Raid.

His exploits in the war ranked with those of De Wet. His first notable achievement was the capture of the armoured train at Krapian, and he created a great sensation near the close of the war by the capture and release of Lord Methuen, who was wounded at Rooikraal. He had no reason then to feel tenderly towards that officer. "I have also received information," he wrote to his Government in 1901, "that my wife has been driven from her farm by Lord Methuen's column. Our farm has been destroyed, the house has been burnt down, and my wife has been put in a place where no houses are to be found for miles around."

But his chivalrous treatment of his captured foe was characteristic of the man. Two war correspondents entered the Boer lines under a flag of truce to inquire about the fate of a third who had fallen, wounded, into Delarey's hands. He had no objection to a group they saw an old man in his shirt-sleeves peeling potatoes, with a woman at his side. The man was General Delarey, the woman his wife. He was intensely sympathetic when he learnt the circumstances, and the stronger took them to the grave in which their colleague had been buried with religious ceremony, and produced a lock of hair which he had had cut from the dead man's head.

At the battle of Modder River Delarey saw his oldest son a lad of 18, fall mortally wounded by his side. General Delarey accompanied Generals Botha and De Wet to England for the coronation of King Edward.

War, he said recently (and the declaration was consistent with all he has said in the years past), should be avoided where possible; but he regarded German militarism as a menace, and agreed that its power must be taken.

Mr. W. Anderson Reeves of this township acted as chairman, while Mr. H. Ketchum and Mr. Elliott of Belleville, gave interesting talks on their trip through Europe at the time the war broke out. Short and very interesting addresses were given by Rev. C. T. Williams of Concession and Rev. S. A. Morton of Carrying Place. The proceeds were \$118.

Mrs. J. H. Brown has been on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown, spent Thanksgiving in Oakshaws. Mr. R. Snider is spending a few days under the parental roof. Miss Lulu and Nora Rathbun, spent Thanksgiving at home.

An Oil That is Famous.—Though Canada was not the birthplace of the Home's Electric Oil, it is the home of that famous compound. From here its good name was spread to Central and South America, the West Indies, Australia and New Zealand. That is far afield enough to attest its excellence, for in all these countries it is

Busy Trenton. Our daily news letter, furnished by The Ontario's special representative. The latest news of the town and surrounding neighborhood is given in an interesting manner.

Trenton, Oct. 13.—The Mayor has received a communication from the Secretary of the Dominion Railway Commission, in reference to the demand of the corporation, that the railways provide inter-switching facilities.

The C. N. R., we are informed, have already filed an objection, and it is probable that the G. T. R. will do likewise. Every progressive town makes an effort, at least to secure this privilege from the railway companies, and, as in this case the C.P.R. is willing to comply with the wishes of the corporation, it is likely that the matter will be well threshed out, before a decision is reached.

Mr. and Mrs. Bovee Bell of Toronto, are visiting friends and relatives here. Dr. and Mrs. Kidd, of Cobourg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gill. Mr. Lorne Kane, of the Pharmacy College, Toronto, spent the holiday at his home here.

The Thanksgiving dinner and dance given by the young people of the R. C. church, in the Parish hall, last evening, was a most successful affair and was well patronized.

Rev. Mr. Beck our pastor is spending Thanksgiving at Galt. Miss Mable Wickens of New Liskeard is visiting at her home here. Mr. W. Kilpatrick visited at his home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Holland and two children spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Wm. Rollins of Cooper. The sound of the saw mill is heard in our neighborhood this week.

Mrs. Charles Wickens of Maple View spent Sunday here. Miss Earle Post of West Huntingdon spent the week-end with Miss Mabel Twiddy.

Mrs. F. Zufelt of Concession and Mrs. B. L. Stewart, of Belleville, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. G. Vincent. Bishop Bidwell of Kingston occupied the pulpit at the Guild Hall on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dyer and Miss Vina of Port Hope spent Thanksgiving at the home of F. A. Spafford, Sidney Crossing.

Mrs. Arthur Gordanier and her daughter, Miss Helen have returned home after spending a month with friends in Stirling.

Miss Beattie Moon of Clifton Springs is spending a couple of weeks with her father, Mr. Samuel Moon, Moira street.

Keep the date Oct. 26th open, and come of the Fowl Supper and Dr. James L. Hughes' lecture. Tea served from 5.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Mr. A. C. Faulkner and Mrs. Faulkner of Edmonton are here visiting Mr. Faulkner's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Vermilyea, 4th Con. Sidney. They expect to remain for a month.

Mrs. R. Chadwick and two children of Edmonton are in the city visiting Mrs. Chadwick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cook, Charles St.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gilbert of Detroit are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gilbert on the second line of Thurlow.

Bishop Bidwell of Kingston, was in the city this morning. Tramp season has begun. No less than three knights of the road were in the police station for shelter last night.

WEST HUNTINGDON. Quite a number from here attended anniversary services at Moira on Sunday.

Rev. W. A. McKim Young and Mrs. Young of Carleton Place, are visiting at the parsonage. Miss Sara Scott of Craigmont is visiting Miss Emma Fargy.

Misses Flossie Montgomery, Eliza McIntyre, Estelle Kilpatrick and Messrs. Jack Weeks, Harry Thompson and Cameron Montgomery were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Thompson on Sunday.

Mr. J. F. Haggerty of the Standard bank, Belleville, spent the week-end at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Post, Misses Helen Haggerty and Maggie Peete and Mr. Warren Haggerty spent Sunday at the home of Mr. J. C. Moore, Rimington.

Miss Mattie Fargy of Montreal spent Thanksgiving with her parents here. Miss Norah Rushnell has returned to Clarke, Ont., after spending the holiday at her home here.

Mr. Percy Ashley spent Sunday with friends at Napanee and vicinity in Toronto. Mr. David Smith spent Thanksgiving in Toronto. Miss Jennie Fleming of Ivanhoe, visited at Mr. Jas. Dunning's on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Agnew, Toronto, is holding a party at the home of Mr. R. Jeffrey.

Better than Spanking. Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Samuels, Box W. St. Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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PAIN CONSTANTLY TORTURED HIM

Student Became So Ill, He Was Forced To Leave Berthier College. Suffered For Two Years Until Cured By Wonderful "Fruit-a-tives" Tablets.



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"It is a pleasure to me to inform you that after having suffered from Chronic Constipation for 2 1/2 years, I have been cured by the use of 'Fruit-a-tives'." While I was a student at Berthier College, I became so ill that I was forced to leave College. Severe pains across the intestines continually tortured me and it came to a point when I could not stoop down at all. At times, I used to be for three or four days without a single motion of the bowels, and I became so sick that my digestion became paralyzed. Some one advised me to take "Fruit-a-tives" and at once noticed a great improvement. After I had taken four or five boxes, I realized that I was completely cured!"

Many famous physicians have stated that fully 50% of the cases of Kidney Trouble, Pain In The Back, Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Appendicitis, Nervousness, Headaches, Typhoid Fever, Rheumatism and Neuralgia, are found in people who habitually suffer from Chronic Constipation. Surely, you must realize the danger of Constipation "Fruit-a-tives" acts directly on the Liver; stimulates this organ to renewed vigor; enables the Liver to give up sufficient bile to move the bowels and insures the bowels moving regularly and naturally every day. "Fruit-a-tives" will positively cure every case of Constipation, no matter how severe it may be.

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SISTER: READ MY FREE OFFER.

I am a woman. I know a woman's trials. I know her need of sympathy and help. If you, my sister, are unhappy because of ill-health, and feel unfit for household duties, social pleasures, or daily employment, write and tell me just how you suffer, and ask for my free ten days' trial of a home treatment suited to your needs, with references to Canadian ladies who gladly tell how they have regained health, strength, and happiness by its use. I want to tell you all about this successful method of home treatment for yourself, my reader, for your daughter, your sister, or your mother. I want to tell you how to cure yourselves at home at trifling cost, and without the expense of hospital treatment, or the dangers of a surgeon's knife. I want to tell you of the sufferings that women know from experience, what we know better than any doctor; and thousands have proved there is hope even for the hopeless in my method of home treatment. All you suffer from pain in the head, back, or bowels, feeling of weight and dragging down sensations, falling or displacement of internal organs, bladder irritation, with frequent urination, obstinate constipation or piles, pain in the sides regularly or irregularly, bloating or unnatural enlargements, nervousness, depressed spirits, melancholy, desire to cry, fear of something evil about to happen, creeping feeling up the spine, palpitation, hot flashes, warmth, yellow complexion, with dark circles under the eyes, pain in the left breast or a general feeling that life is not worth living, I invite you to send to-day for my complete ten days' treatment entirely free and postpaid, to prove to yourself that these ailments can be easily and surely conquered at your own home, without the expense of hospital treatment, or the dangers of a surgeon's knife. I will explain a simple home treatment which speeds and effectually cures green-sickness (chlorosis), irregularities, headaches, and lassitude in young women, and restores them to plumpness and health. Tell me if you are worried about your daughter. Remember it costs you nothing to give my method of home treatment a complete ten days' trial, and if you wish to continue, it costs only a few cents a week to do so, and it does not interfere with one's daily work. So health worth asking for? Then accept my generous offer, write for the free treatment suited to your needs, and I will send it in plain wrapper by return mail. To save time you can cut out this offer, mark the places that tell your feelings, and return to me. Write and ask for the free treatment to-day, as you may not see this offer again. Address: MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 87, Windsor, Ontario.

Sweater Coats at Bargain Prices

- Great values in Men's Sweater Coats in grey, cardinal and navy blue, made without collars, well made and finished with two pockets \$1.25 and \$1.50 each, on sale..... 75c
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- Special bargain in children's all wool coat sweaters, in navy blue trimmed with cardinal, plain cardinal and scarlet, with and without collars, \$1.00 and \$1.25 each, bargain price..... 75c
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MOVING ON OSTEND

Germans Are Trying to Take Another Belgian Port.

NEW BATTLE LINE IS LONG

Three Hundred Mile Front Is Being Formed Across Belgium and Down Into France—Report Says Germans Have Occupied Ghent on Way to Ostend—Allies Hold Their Ground Everywhere.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Both sides are bending every nerve for the campaign that will decide the fate of Ostend. The possession of this port would be of immense advantage to Germany, of much greater significance than the capture of Antwerp. To drive the assault home the Germans are undoubtedly bringing up every available man, both from Antwerp and such points as their centre and left can spare. Opposing these will be an equally allied army, made up largely, it is rumored, of fresh British, Indian and Canadian troops. The battle may open at any moment and will probably be long and bloody.

A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says a troop of German cavalry entered Ghent yesterday morning and the German colors were hoisted over the Town Hall.

Thians have also arrived at Selsate, a short distance from Ghent, and the commander announced that 4,000 soldiers must be quartered in the village.

The whole German front is preparing to take the offensive along a battle line no less than 300 miles long.

German cavalry has advanced within thirty miles of Ostend; Ghent is threatened by the invaders; Thians, screening a heavy Prussian force, have been driven all through the territory west of Lille.

The first activity of any importance on the centre of the opposing armies that has occurred in some days took place yesterday north of Soissons and east and southeast of Verdun. The French field guns opened on the German trenches in that region and kept up a steady play on their opponents for several hours. Then the French infantry advanced with a rush, and the German lines were broken. In possession of the trenches, the Germans fought with their usual determination, but were compelled to cede ground at certain points. North of Soissons the French won positions of value. The German ground was broken on elevated posts before Verdun, where preparations were under way by the Germans to essay a new artillery attack on the fortress.

Between Lassigny and Roye, where the allies were grounded on Sunday, the Germans fought with great valor yesterday in an effort to retrieve the positions lost. But allied reinforcements had come up in the night, and the advantage of Sunday was pushed into the hands of the French. The German line was broken in the night, and the Kaiser's men.

The capture of Apremont by the French is regarded as a great tactical victory. This point covers the German line of communication to the rear and would be an effective obstacle to a retreat of the German forces now at St. Mihiel.

In Northern France and Southern Belgium great events are transpiring. Cavalry engagements continue to form the outstanding feature of the fighting, large forces of mounted troops participating on both sides.

French Statement.

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Continuation of the activity in the north of France, and repulses of the Germans between Arras and Roye are reported. In the official statement given out yesterday afternoon by the War Office. The statement follows:

"On our left wing the cavalry engagements continue in the region of Estaires. The German line between Arras and the Oise the enemy has attempted numerous attacks which have been repulsed, notably between Lassigny and Roye.

"In the centre we have made some progress on the outstanding ground on the bank of the River Aisne, before Soissons and to the east and southeast of Verdun.

"On our right wing, in the Vosges, the enemy has made a night attack in the region of Bains les Bains, to the north of St. Die, but repulsed."

"The flag captured yesterday belonged to the 6th Regiment of Pomeranian Infantry, No. 49, of the 2nd Prussian Army Corps.

"The fueller brigade was engaged on the 9th and until the morning of the 10th against German forces, which it repulsed, inflicting serious losses. Two hundred Germans were killed and 50 made prisoners. The French losses were 9 killed, 9 wounded and one man missing.

"In Belgium, according to the latest information received from Antwerp, the Germans occupy only the outskirts of the city, the 24 forts on both banks of the Escaut river resisting energetically.

"In Russia the battle on the East Prussian frontier continues with desperate fighting. To the northwest of Lyck the Germans are in retreat, having destroyed the bridges in Southern Poland between Ivanogrod and Sandomir. Artillery duels are in progress."

RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN VIELLED.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 13.—The battle which began Saturday on the western border of Poland equals the battle in France on the Aisne in extent and may equal it in duration. The numbers of the opposing armies are as great as in the western theatre of war.

Semi-official intimations that secrecy is needed for the success of the Russian operations have been published and no information as to the tremendous conflict now taking place has been given out.

AFRICAN TRIBES LOYAL.

Basutos Will Give a Shilling Per Capita—Barotse With Britain.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The King of Basutoland has sent King George a deep expression of his loyalty and adds:

"The chief whether, as my King is engaged in fighting his enemies, I, his servant, will be doing well to keep aloof watching his being attacked? As I am unable to be with the King in person, I beg to know whether I may show my loyalty of the Basutos by giving King assistance, to be raised by calling on each Basuto to pay the sum of one shilling as a contribution to the funds now being raised for the relief of sufferers."

The Basutos and myself are grieved to hear of King attacked by his enemies and that we, his servants, cannot assist him."

This offer has been gratefully accepted.

An expression of loyalty has also been received from the King of the Barotse tribe of Northern Rhodesia.

WANTS SPIES SUPPRESSED.

Lord Charles Beresford Insist That They Are Still a Menace.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Notwithstanding the reassuring statement issued by the Home Office on Thursday to the effect that the spy system established by Germany in this country has been completely broken up, Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, retired, is convinced that it still exists in various forms.

In a letter published yesterday, Lord Charles calls upon his countrymen "to take strong action with regard to the crowd of alien spies in our midst. He says that 'measures be held in every town, and that resolutions be adopted protesting against the present state of affairs and sent to the Prime Minister.'"

Montenegrin Attack Ragusa.

ROME, Oct. 13.—The Montenegrin columns are before Ragusa, an Austrian city on the coast of Dalmatia, according to a despatch from Cetinje. The fall of the city is believed imminent.

The despatch declares that in a battle Friday at Sarajevo the Austrians were defeated. They again attacked at Kalliooki and lost their baggage train and a number of quick-firers.

SAN GIULIANO NEAR DEATH.

Passing of Italian Foreign Minister May Alter Situation.

ROME, Oct. 13.—Minister of Foreign Affairs Di San Giuliano has received his last sacrament and the attending physicians say death is imminent.

Marquis Antonio Di San Giuliano was born in Catania, Dec. 9, 1852. He was appointed senator March 4, 1905, and Feb. 8, 1908. He was again Secretary of Foreign Affairs from the date just mentioned until March 31, 1911, this time in the Cabinet headed by Luzzatti, and again Secretary of the same Department from the last mentioned date till March of the present year in the Cabinet headed by Giolitti, and was again appointed Secretary of Foreign Affairs in the present Cabinet, headed by Salandra.

San Giuliano is strongly pro-German and his death may result in a sharp change in Italy's position.

CRUISER BLOW UP

Russian Warship Pallada Sunk by German Submarine.

ENTIRE CREW IS DROWNED

Armored Cruiser With 573 Men on Board Is Victim of Torpedo in Brush With Flotilla of Submarines—Shots Aimed at Makarovo and Bayan Fall to Find Mark—Bull in 1911

PETROGRAD, Oct. 13.—An official communication issued yesterday announces that on Oct. 11 the Russian armored cruiser Pallada was torpedoed in the Baltic Sea by a German submarine and sank with her crew.

The text of the communication, which was made public by the Marine Department, follows:

"On Oct. 10 German submarines were sighted in the Baltic Sea. The same day, early in the morning the submarines attacked the cruiser Admiral Makarovo, which had stopped to search a suspected bark flying the commercial flag of the Netherlands. A submarine of the enemy launched several torpedoes, which luckily missed the mark and caused no damage whatsoever to the cruiser."

"On Oct. 11 (two o'clock in the afternoon) the submarines of the enemy again attacked our cruisers Bayan and Pallada, which were patrolling the Baltic."

"Although the cruisers opened in time a very strong fire, one of the submarines succeeded in launching torpedoes against the Pallada, whereupon an explosion resulted and the cruiser with all her crew sank."

The armored cruiser Pallada carried complement of 668 men. She measured 443 feet and had a displacement of 775 tons. Her speed was 22 knots. With the Admiral Makarovo and the Bayan she constituted a group of cruisers known as the "Bayer class."

The Pallada carried two 8-inch guns, eight 6-inch guns, twenty-two 12-pounders and four 3-pounders, in addition to torpedo tubes. She was laid down in 1905.

SIEGE ABANDONED

Austrians Send Strong Force to Relief of Przemysl.

GAIN IN EAST PRUSSIA

Gen. Rennenkampf Has Regained Ground Lost to Von Hindenburg and Is Now Pressing on Danzig-Thorn Line of Forts—Fighting Has Begun Along Vistula—Cavalry Enter Hungary.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The following official statement was issued last night by the chief of the general staff in Petrograd:

"On Oct. 11 fighting began on the left bank of the Vistula. In the direction of Ivanogrod and Warsaw."

"There is no change at other points on our front."

"Detachments of Russian cavalry, having passed through the defiles in the Carpathian Mountains, have emerged into the plains of Hungary."

An earlier statement announced the abandonment of the siege of Przemysl for strategic reasons.

From the east came tidings of a decided reversal in form, the despatches both from Vienna and Petrograd indicating that the Austrian army at Przemysl, so often reported surrounded, hopelessly outclassed and on the verge of surrender, had, with the aid of reinforcements turned on the Russians and forced them to retreat.

The first news of this claim emanated during the morning from the Austrian capital. It was followed later in the way by what purports to be a Petrograd admission that the Russians had abandoned the siege of Przemysl for strategic reasons, with the object of drawing up a new line against the Austro-German army in other points of Galicia.

Whatever be the truth of the situation the Russians have been claiming an unbroken series of victories in their sweep through Galicia, and the coincidence of yesterday's despatches, supplemented as they were by more circumstantial accounts from Vienna of a vigorous Austro-German offensive seemed to presage important news.

The most reliable report indicates that Gen. Rennenkampf is now before Koenigsberg, menacing the Danzig-Thorn line of forts. These names are familiar and were featured daily some weeks ago when the Russian advance first drove into East Prussia.

But Gen. von Hindenburg won a victory at Allenstein, which forced back the Russian advance, and are gradually forcing their opponents back. On the Vistula German arms appear to be successful, and the Russians are fighting desperately to affect a passage toward Breslau, and are gradually forcing their opponents back.

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Rondeau Made While Hatched.

If I had time this swartering day to write a wordless roundelay To wait the reader to a clime More temperate, more free from grime And change, then we might all away

Would Go Without Help.

A rising composer wrote an anthem for a celebration in a certain colonial capital.

Toward the end of the ceremonies, when the people were going out a few at a time, the author rushed to the conductor and said:

"Is it over?"

"Practically."

"But, great Scott, man, they have not sung my anthem?"

"Well," said the conductor, "so long as the people are going out peacefully and quietly why sing it at all?"—Stray Stories.

Considerate Beasts and Birds.

The rhino is a funny beast. As sure as you are born. It desire to blow its horn. It never seems to have the time. —Youngtown Telegram.

The elephant's another one. It has an awful hunch. Of weight to carry, but it lets Nobody tote its trunk. —Houston Post.

The pelican's an honest bird. It loves to eat its fill. But never asks its friends, I've heard. To help it pay its bill. —New York Sun.

Eloquence Unchecked.

"Our friend makes exceedingly entertaining speeches," said the cautious campaigner.

"I know it," replied Senator Sorghum. "Aren't you afraid he'll prove a rival for leadership in our party?"

"No. Just let him go ahead making speeches while I devote my attention to the real business."—Washington Star.

Difficult Children.

Said his father to Jonathan Sinfur: "My lad, you're as wild as an Injun. Really, you ain't John."

What'd I call a saint, John, And I think that you're in for a swingin'!"

Said her mother to Little Miss Chumley: "You color your hair rather badly. Do it more blondly, Daughter Chalmersley. Don't streak it and freak it so rumly!"

—New York Sun.

She Was Surprised.

"I've got something I want to tell you. You haven't heard about the shocking Billings tragedy, have you?"

"Yes, I've heard about it at least four times. You're late."

"That's funny. It was told at the club for the first time, and everybody there promised not to repeat it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Of Course.

"You know that people feather nests," said Tommy Smith.

"But here's a question for you, kid. What with?"

"That question is a simple one," Quoth Jimmie Brown.

"What do folks use to feather nests?"

"Cash down."—Kansas City Journal.

His Busy Trade.

"Idleness, I suppose, brings most of these men to jail. See the fellow yonder? He looks the picture of lassitude."

"On the contrary, he had work to burn."

"Indeed? What was it?"

"He's a freubug."—Baltimore American.

Made Preparations.

The king was in his counting house, counting up his money. The queen was in the kitchen, eating bread and honey.

"Isn't very queenly fare," said she with satisfaction.

"But if you're going anywhere you must save for vacation."—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

The Trouser-like Fit.

"The women are appropriating our privileges," said Hobson sourly. "I hope they'll find attached some of our troubles."

"They will," Jimson assured him. "My wife was complaining today that her skirt was getting baggy at the knees."—Pope.

It Wasn't Broken.

Said the doc to the maiden from Hocking: "You have broken your leg. This is shocking."

said the girl, "That's a joke. And that leg isn't broken. For you'll find a dime down in the stocking!"

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Primeval Reproaches.

Adam and Eve were leaving the Garden of Eden.

"It's all your fault," said Adam.

"It isn't, either," replied Eve. "It's your fault. You ought to have had us put under civil service so we couldn't be turned out."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Scratch Back.

You may scratch the back of a kindly man. Who scratches your back; but, say, You can't scratch the back of a match. By heck.

Because it ain't built that way! —Lippincott's.

Suits Himself.

"My wife is always asking me what I would like to eat."

"That's kind of her."

"Oh, I don't know. When I tell her she says, 'The idea!' and orders something else."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—Revival of export business today gave the wheat market a decided upward turn. Closing prices were steady at 1 1/2c to 2c advance. Corn finished 1/2c to 3/4c up, oats with a gain of 1/2c to 3/4c, and provisions the same as last night to 1/4c higher.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, fall, bushel.....	\$1.15 to 1.16
Goose wheat, bushel.....	1.10
Barley, bushel.....	0.88 to 0.89
Peas, bushel.....	0.85
Oats, bushel.....	0.82
Buckwheat, bushel.....	0.75

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET.

Butter, creamery, lb. ed.	0.23
Butter, creamery, solids.....	0.27
Butter, separator, dairy.....	0.27
Cheese, new, lb.....	0.23
Eggs, new-laid.....	0.27
Honey, new, lb.....	0.11
Honey, comb, down.....	0.10

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 8.—The market opened strong, 1/2c to 3/4c higher, but firm and closed higher. There was a good cash demand, especially for No. 1 northern, which sold at a premium of 1/4c over the option at one time during the morning. Stocks in interior elevators showed 3,000,000 bushels less wheat than the same date last year. Receipts were very light, and only 600 cars were in sight, and inspections Wednesday numbered 775 cars, against 1,277 last week. Cash: Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.04; No. 2 do., \$1.04; No. 3 do., 95c; No. 4, 84c; No. 1 western, \$1.04; No. 2 do., 95c; No. 3 do., 84c; No. 4 do., 75c; No. 1 N.W.C., \$1.13; No. 2 do., \$1.10.

MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET.

MONTREAL, Oct. 8.—The foreign demand for all lines of grain was poor. It looks to us as if the market was lower in spite of the strength in the market on this side. The local market was weaker. Argentine wheat prices declined three cents per bushel with sales of carlots at 81c to 82c. Oats were quiet and about steady. Ontario choice malting was one cent lower with a sale of 500 bushels at 75c, and lower grades are offering at 14 1/2c to 7c. Flour continues very quiet, both for local and export account. Millfeed is steady. Cheese is firm with a fair demand.

The trade in butter is fair. Eggs fairly active.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.04; No. 1 northern, \$1.04; No. 2 do., \$1.04; No. 3 do., \$1.04; No. 4 do., \$1.04; No. 1 N.W.C., \$1.13; No. 2 do., \$1.10.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.

DULUTH, Oct. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.10; No. 1 northern, \$1.09; No. 2 do., \$1.09; No. 3 do., \$1.09; No. 4 do., \$1.09; No. 1 N.W.C., \$1.13; No. 2 do., \$1.10.

CHEESE MARKETS.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Oct. 8.—At today's cheese board meeting the offerings were 2525 cheddar and 1160 white. The sales were 250 cheddar and 1160 white at 14 1/2c, and 315 cheddar and 89 white at 15 1/2c. The street ruling was 15c.

CATTLE MARKETS

UNION STOCK YARDS.

TORONTO, Oct. 8.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards were 306 cattle, 1500 hogs, 1128 sheep and lambs and 93 calves.

Butcher's Cattle.

Good to choice, well bred worth \$3 to \$3.25; good butchers' at \$2.75 to \$3; medium to good butchers' at \$2.50 to \$2.75; medium at \$2 to \$2.50; common at \$1.50 to \$2; choice cows, at \$1.75 to \$2; good cows at \$1.25 to \$1.50; medium at \$1 to \$1.25; light bulls at \$1 to \$1.25; heavy bulls at \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Prices for stockers and feeders were unchanged about steady. Selects fed and watered sold at \$6.50 to \$6.75, and stockers at \$5 to \$6.25.

Sheep and Springers.

A moderate supply of milkers and springers found ready sale at \$40 to \$48 each, and one extra quality cow brought \$105.

Receipts well modern and price firm. Choice calves sold at \$10 to \$10.50; good at \$9 to \$9.50; medium at \$8 to \$8.50; common at \$7 to \$7.50; heavy rough eastern calves at \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Sheep and Lambs.

Woolen sale at \$5.50 to \$6.50; heavy ewes and rams sold at \$4 to \$5; culls at \$2.50 to \$3; lambs sold at \$7.50 to \$8.10; culls at \$4 to \$4.50.

Hogs.

Receipts were fairly liberal and values remained about steady. Selects fed and watered sold at \$6.50 to \$6.75 f.o.b. cars, and \$7.75 weighed off cars.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Oct. 8.—Cattle Receipts, 500; steady; price unchanged.

Veals—Receipts, 175; active; \$5 to \$10.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,200; active; heavy and mixed, \$8.50 to \$8.65; Yorkers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; pigs, \$3.25; roughs, \$7.75 to \$7.40; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,400; active; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.25.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; market steady; beefs, \$6.50 to \$7.10; Texas steers \$6.15 to \$9; stockers and feeders, \$5.30 to \$5.25; cows and heifers, \$3.40 to \$2.10; calves, \$7.50 to \$11.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market lower; light, \$7.80 to \$8.25; mixed, \$7.25 to \$8.20; heavy, \$7 to \$8.10; rough, \$7 to \$10; pigs, \$4.50 to \$8; bulk of sales, \$7.30 to \$7.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 24,000; market slow; native, \$4.75 to \$5.00; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.45; lambs, native, \$6 to \$7.55.

Horse Shipment Plans.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Oct. 9.—The first definite announcement of the removal of the imperial army was made here yesterday by General Sir Frederick Benson, head of the department in Canada. He said both St. John and Halifax will be used for horse depots and shipping. He expects to see 8,000 horses a week handled.

BASEBALL

Federal League.

Club.	Won.	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn.....	83	67	.554
Chicago.....	87	65	.568
Baltimore.....	83	69	.541
Buffalo.....	86	67	.561
Brooklyn.....	86	70	.553
Kansas City.....	68	84	.447
Pittsburg.....	62	98	.389
St. Louis.....	62	98	.389

Thursday Scores.

Indianapolis.....	4	St. Louis.....	3
Brooklyn.....	5	Baltimore.....	3
Chicago.....	3	Kansas City.....	3
Buffalo.....	3	Pittsburg.....	3

MARKETS

Revival of export gave the wheat market a turn. Closing prices 1% to 2% net advance...

GRAIN MARKET. Bushel... \$1.15 to \$1.20. Dairy Market. 7 lb. can... 0.23 to 0.31.

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Seven Keys TO Baldpate

By EARL DERR BIGGERS

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"Splendid!" laughed the girl. "I believe that Professor Bolton was feeling from the newspapers. I am feeling for the newspapers—to attract their attention, to lure them into giving me that thing so necessary to a woman in my profession—publicity."

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come in through the dining room door. "Well," he drawled. "Mr. Magee," he said, "that letter from Mr. Baldpate asked me to let you stay at Baldpate Inn. There wasn't anything in it about your bringing parties of friends along."

CHAPTER VII. The Mayor Casts a Shadow Before. QUICKLY the girl in the corduroy suit leaned toward Mr. Magee. She whispered, and her tone was troubled: "Stand by me. I'm afraid I'll need your help."

"I haven't much of any right here, I guess. But I had to come." "But your key?" "I fear my press agent—stole it." "Never mind," he said very gently; "I'll see you through."

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CHAPTER VIII. Ghosts of the Summer Crowd. "I was past 10 o'clock and Mr. Magee with his four mysterious companions stood before the fire in the office, each with an eager eye out for the progress of the hermit, who was preparing the table beside them. Through the kindness of Quimby, the board was resplendent with snowy linen."

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SOUTH HASTINGS, BELLEVILLE AND TRENTON TEACHERS' CONVENTION

The South Hastings, Belleville and Trenton Teachers' Institute opened on Thursday morning at 10 a.m. in the spacious assembly room of the new Queen Mary School, with a fair representation of the teachers' presence.

After a few introductory remarks by Mr. M. W. Mott, president of the association, in which he welcomed the teachers to the various sessions of the Institute, Rev. E. C. Currie conducting the opening exercises.

Following the opening exercises the minutes of the previous year's Institute were read and accepted, and after the reading of the Treasurer's report it was submitted to the auditors.

During the morning session the reports of the delegates to the summer school were read. The report of Miss Nichols on the conference of rural teachers held in Guelph August 3-7. This was the first conference dealing entirely with rural school problems ever held in Ontario. Rev. J. McRobb, author of "Rural Life in Canada," delivered an able address on "Ontario's Rural Problems," and "Rural Reconstruction," pointing out that rural depopulation was becoming a serious problem in Ontario. Industrial evolution and the exploration of the land were largely responsible for this and our rural schools really tend toward city life.

H. W. Foght, specialist in rural education, gave a splendid account of the schools of Denmark, where they educate the children especially for farm life. He contrasted the intensive farming of this, where a man supports a family on ten or twenty acres, with our wasteful methods.

Professor McCready, Director of Elementary Education showed that agriculture is gradually but surely taking its proper place in our rural schools despite the fact that its introduction is opposed by the very people it is designed to benefit. The ideal rural school should be the school of all the children of the country, educating in terms of country life. It should be the local beauty spot and it should have a small experimental farm in connection. There should be a rural high school, managed by country people, on the verge of tremendous metamorphosis.

Mrs. Hutchinson followed this address by reporting on the remaining lectures given by the conference. She said many helpful hints were given by the teachers on "School Ground Improvement," by Professor Hutt of the O.A.C. Mr. Statton, secretary of the Boys' Work, talked on "Recreation and Play for the Country." He stated that play is necessary for natural development and that of late years it is beginning to have a recognized place in education. The teacher should play with the pupils, for on the play-ground they are free from the conventionalities of the classroom.

Miss Field, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., New York, who is known as the "Corn Lady" throughout America, delivered two excellent addresses on "How a Country Teacher can give 'Through Leadership' and 'Giving the Country Girl her Chance.'" She said, in Iowa they have corn contests lasting ten days, simply for boys. They also have "Road Teams." The boys build a piece of road, and the children compete in school, county and state fairs.

Dr. Jas. Robertson was the last speaker. He talked on the "Needs of Rural Communities," and said the schools should be more for "lessons" than "books." There should be more play in the school and more linking of the real with their work.

With this address the conference ended, but the impetus given to the science of agriculture can never be properly gauged. The teachers attending this conference returned to their schools to further this great work and the time will soon be here when agricultural education will have a recognized place in our schools.

Following a discussion of the papers given the morning session was adjourned.

The teachers again assembled at 2 p.m. for the afternoon session.

The president gave a short but interesting address touching on the teaching of some of the subjects of the curriculum. He spoke of the length of time devoted to spelling and said that if a few words were learned properly each day there would be fewer mistakes in spelling and the child would acquire more extended vocabulary.

A very interesting address was given by P. C. MacLaurin, B.A., of Belleville High School. He advised the bringing of pet animals to the school to get them interested in pets for Nature Study lessons they must have pets of their own or the lessons are useless practically for them. Mr. MacLaurin emphasized the plan of note-books but led to look upon the pleasures of Nature Study without knowing that they must prepare written accounts of the lesson. The benefits of Nature Study as taught by Mr. MacLaurin were: (1) It teaches the child to make research; (2) Teacher can get better acquainted with pupil than in any way; (3) It does away with the pupil's timidity.

A general discussion followed and all seemed to be of the opinion that more attention should be given to Nature Study.

The next speaker was Dr. Walker, B.A., Principal of Peterborough Normal School. His address was on "General Discussion of Place, Method and Material in Teaching Arithmetic." Dr. Walker said there was no reason for teaching arithmetic because it had always been taught, but that it should consist of inspection of the rural value, its practical value particularly. The cultural value belongs to writing and not arithmetic, as the cultural value is neatness. If we were to study arithmetic for its cultural

It was suggested by some that the composition be made shorter and easier in succeeding years than in preceding years. Arithmetic also should undergo the same change. This discussion was closed by the adjournment of the meeting, and the afternoon session which opened at 2 p.m.

The first speaker was Inspector H. J. Clarke, B.A. His subject was "Literature in the Public Schools." In this he dealt with the more modern ways of teaching literature. He stated that highly colored picture books should be used for the small children, should come story telling, and after story telling should come reading of stories by the children. He stated that the excellent list of books which could be used in supplementary reading for children from the ages of one to fifteen. A general discussion followed, after which Mr. A. D. Macintosh, of Strathroy High School, was called upon. By Mr. Macintosh's address it could be seen that he is working very enthusiastically towards the betterment of the Schools of Hastings County, along the lines of Agriculture. He emphasized strongly the benefits derived from the School Fair, at which numerous amusements for the children takes place, and by means of these Fairs the Agricultural spirit is developed among the children and parents.

He also suggested the organization of a Progressive Club in each of the schools of the county, which might bring the children in closer touch with the Agricultural department.

Following Mr. Macintosh were the short addresses given by those who attended the short course at Summer Schools "On the Benefits Derived Therefrom."

The first speaker was Mr. A. E. Thrasher, who had taken up Upper School work, and ably brought out the opportunities derived from them. Then came Miss Vanderwater, who had taken a course in art, it was chiefly picture study and rapid drawing. The chief result being the development of the artistic powers of observation which are lacking in many. Miss H. Bailey followed, who had taken a course of Physical Training, which consisted of games, dances, swimming, etc., which resulted in the muscular development of the child.

Miss Robin, who attended the O.A.C. at Guelph, followed, who had a course in Art, which consisted of observation towards the birds, flowers, insects, etc., and felt much better prepared to teach the children nature study than before.

Following came Mr. Dockstader, who had taken up cadet drill and told very vividly some of his most exciting experiences while there.

Last came Miss Bell, who had also taken the course in Agriculture. She took up and most of all the accuracy with which it had to be done.

But the prevailing feeling in the reports, despite the heat of July and August was the extreme work which is developed at these schools, and the intentions of many, who heard these reports, are that they themselves shall attend the summer schools next year, if possible.

Then came the report of the Committee and the general business was attended to, after which the convention closed by the singing of the National Anthem. Every teacher went away resolved to carry out many of the benefits, which were so clearly stated by the different speakers.

Prince of Wales's Much Stronger Than He Would Seem

THE Prince of Wales has been a prominent figure in England since the war began. Not only has he been engaged in raising patriotic funds, but he has been wearing the khaki and doing drill with his regiment, the Grenadier Guards. These husky soldiers have now gone to the front to fight the Empire's battle, and the heir to the throne has been left at home, much against his will, say the despatches, and the photograph reproduced above, taken after he had said good-bye to his comrades in arms, would lend color to the statement that he is certainly looking like a keenly disappointed lad.

Prince Edward, although he has the appearance of being very frail physically, and the recent photographs taken in conjunction with members of the giant Grenadier Guards, have tended to emphasize his small stature, is said to be much stronger than he looks. His lack of avoirdupois is more than counterbalanced by his steel-like muscles and nerves. Add to this a whole-hearted love of athletics, for which the prince trains systematically, and you have the secret of his royal highness' remarkable physical powers. For they are really remarkable, and have even astounded the critics at Oxford, who are accustomed to seeing men, whose deceptive appearance led us to regard them as weaklings, perform at times remarkable feats of athletic prowess.

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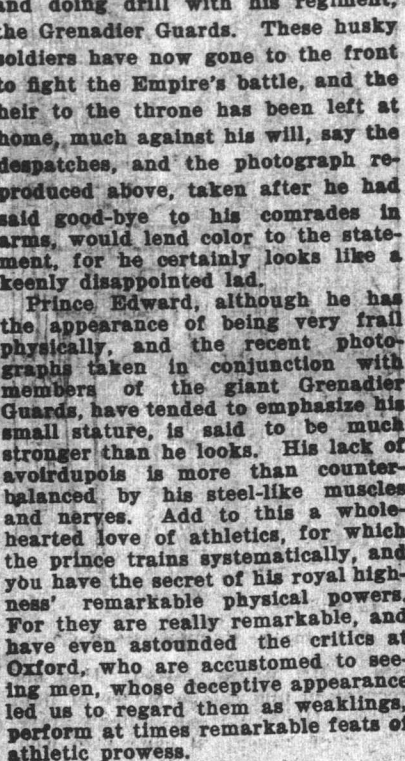
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SPIES IN BRITAIN.

Government Dealt Skilfully With Great German System.

It is officially stated that steps are being taken to deal with the serious question of German espionage. It was clearly ascertained five or six years ago that the Germans were making great efforts to establish a system of espionage in Great Britain. In order to trace and thwart these efforts a special intelligence department was established by the War Office, and has acted in close co-operation with the Metropolitan police department. They were able, in the period of 1911 to 1914, to discover the ramifications of the German secret service in England. Despite the enemy's enormous efforts and lavish expenditure to this end, little valuable information reached them. All the agents known to be engaged in this traffic have been marked and are kept under strict observation.

On Aug. 24 twenty known spies were arrested under the instructions of the Home Secretary. In addition two hundred suspects have been under surveillance, and the majority of those were interned soon after the war began.

It is believed that this action succeeded in breaking up the spy organization established before the war and which apparently has not been re-established. A rigorous search has been made of the houses and clubs of Germans and Austrians, but no effective store of arms, bombs or other instruments of destruction was found. All the Germans and Austrians deemed likely to be dangerous have been placed under arrest. Nine thousand Germans and Austrians of military age are now prisoners of war.

Wrists Slashed.

How German cut the wrists of British wounded to prevent them from using their sword arms again is told in a letter from George Frame, a Montreal boxer, who served as a driver in the Army Service Corps in Belgium, to Elmer W. Ferguson, sporting editor of The Montreal Herald-Telegraph. Writing from London, Mr. Frame says:

"The Germans are very brutal to our wounded soldiers. Hundreds of our wounded British lying on the fields have had their wrists terribly slashed, so that they will not be able to fight any more.

"I saw a nurse of the Red Cross attending a German soldier on the field at Mons near where I was lying wounded. She attended to his injuries and was just walking away when he rolled over on his side, pulled his rifle from beneath him, and, taking deliberate aim, shot the nurse to death. That is the kind of enemy which the British are fighting."

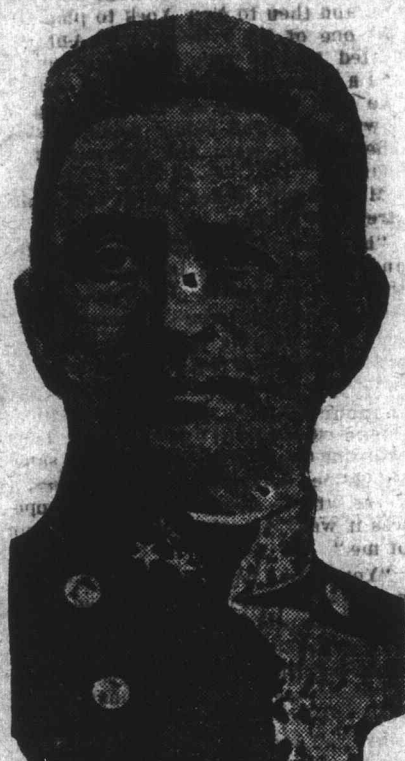
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BARBARITY OF THE HORRIFIES

Outrages Committed by the Kaiser's Legions Are Almost Incredible.

THE only means of preventing surprise attacks from the civil population has been to interfere with unrelenting severity and to create examples which, by their 'frightfulness,' would be a warning to the whole country.

In these official words the German authorities seek to excuse the frightful acts of savagery committed by their soldiers upon defenceless women and children. The murdering of the wounded, the slaughtering of innocent non-combatants, the ravishing of young women and children before their parents' eyes—these and a thousand other unnamable atrocities have been committed by the German soldiers under the direct sanction of the Kaiser.

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Belgian Commissioners Can Prove Atrocities Up to the Hilt.

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SORENED BEHIND WOMEN.

Women and children manacled at the head of troops going into action, in order that they might form a living shield against the bullets of the defenders, and in the hope that the latter would cease firing for fear of killing their own folk.

Three young girls and their mother attacked in their beds at night, mutilated, and defaced.

All the male inhabitants of a village divided into three groups. Those in one group were bound and eleven in another placed in a ditch, where they were afterwards found dead, their skulls fractured by the butts of German rifles.

A Belgian officer, who after an engagement was found so severely wounded that he was lying flat on his back, was murdered by the invaders firing their revolvers into his mouth.

A wounded officer propped up against a tree and shot, and his corpse hacked with swords.

Male non-combatants shot before the eyes of their wives and children, and the latter ravished.

Wounded slaughtered and Red Cross wagons and hospitals fired upon.

CITIES DESTROYED.

Appended are some of the principal crimes against the arts and monuments of civilization perpetrated by the Kaiser's Huns:

Notre Dame Cathedral, Rheims, bombed and destroyed.

Louvain (Aug. 26): Sacked and destroyed. Cathedral of St. Pierre and University buildings in ruins; upper town, full of modern structures, in ashes.

Termonde (Sept. 4): Sacked and burnt to the ground by special machinery spraying kerosene. Churches wrecked and market square in ruins. Malines: Town bombed; towers of St. Rombaut, cathedral, and army camp destroyed.

Namur (Sept. 11): Cathedral damaged by a shell; houses and railway station demolished.

Dinant: Sacked and reduced to ruins; ancient churches burned down.

Tirlemont: Destroyed by fire; only charred walls of houses and public buildings left.

Aarschot: Sacked and burnt down.

Tamames: Church burnt out and town in ruins; only the railway station spared.

Guesse (capital of the Aisne): Shelled three times, and entirely devastated.

St. Quentin: Shelled and partly destroyed.

Leon: Severely damaged by shells.

Soissons: Cathedral and Church of St. Jean des Vignes severely damaged.

A HEROIC MAYOR.

History of the German treatment of Belgium would be complete without reference to the behavior of the Kaiser's officials towards the city of Brussels and its heroic burgo-master, Adolphe Max.

M. Max is now in prison at Namur after a vigorous resistance to the methods of the invaders and oppressors of his city. The first action of the German officers upon arriving in the Belgian capital was to demand a war tax of \$50,000,000 to be paid forthwith. In the existing financial situation the exaction could not be met. Burgo-master Max said so and was warned that the city would be punished if it refused the levy. He offered German bonds which Marshal von Goltz, rejected as being worthless to him. In order to save the city M. Max made an effort to get the money, and failed. Then an order was issued deposing him as being unworthy of being mayor, and he was cast into prison.

It is not too much to say that in due time a terrible vengeance will be exacted by civilization, represented by the allied armies, for this blood-stained situation of the Germans, who have perpetrated worse excesses than ever did the Huns under Attila.

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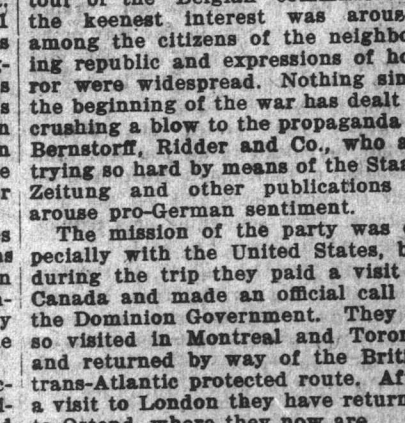
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49TH ANNUAL S. S. CONVENTION

The Sunday School forces of Ontario will meet this year again in Dual Conventions. It is the 49th anniversary. The two sections for 1914 will be (Section A) at London, October 27-29 and (Section B) at Kingston, November 4-6. These conventions of the Ontario Sunday School Association are becoming so popular that 82 applications for credentials (delegates' privileges) were on file in the Association office before any specific advertising material was issued for this year. The plan of program this year is calculated to undertake fewer things and do them more thoroughly. Four phases of the work of Sunday Schools is to be thoroughly dealt with: (1) the Elementary Division (under 12 yrs.); (2) the Teen Age; (3) the Minister, and the Superintendent. The general theme of program is strong on lines of evangelism.

The provincial talent available is supplemented by Mrs. H. M. Leyda, who for over ten years led the elementary work in Illinois State, and Jno. J. Alexander of the International Sunday School force, Chicago, Ill. Mr. Alexander has recently issued three books on "The Sunday School and the Teens" and is recognized as a leader without superior.

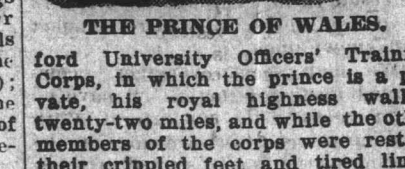
New Rifles

Sergt. Fred McKee has received from Col. Kitcheson of the 49th, four new test rifles, which will be used for practice on the rifle range. To one remembers "bugging" the old Lee-Boydford rifles. This was a real pleasure to handle the light well-balanced Ross and note its smooth working mechanism. It carries ten death-dealing cordless cartridges in its magazine and is sighted up to two thousand yards. This is the rifle that the Germans will have to face when the Canadian boys come in contact with them.

There is to be a rifle practice held on the range on Thanksgiving Day. By all interested are invited to be present and examine these modern rifles.

The Rev. A. M. Hubby, rector of Emmanuel Reformed church saw a beautiful partridge on the fence between the rectory and the church on Saturday.

The police had a call to Pinnacle street where the father of a household was exaggerating his importance to the discomfort of his better half and family. No arrest was made.



THE PRINCE OF WALES.

ford University Officers' Training Corps, in which the prince is a private, his royal highness walked twenty-two miles, and while the other members of the corps were resting in a field he had long limbs, a mean fresh, had a smoke and a bath, and motored to a friend's house to dinner.

If his royal highness had not been heir to the throne he might have qualified as one of the finest long-distance runners and "stayers" in the country. He delights to spend the day in one long round of open-air exercise.

The story of an incident which occurred during his trip in Norway a short time ago is typical of many others which could be told of his powers. On each of the five days he stayed at Flase he had long sking expeditions, and when those who accompanied him told of the distances covered they were not altogether credited.

There have been many solutions offered as the cause of the rumor spread a few weeks ago that a hundred thousand Russians had passed through England en route for France. Here is the latest:

A train with Seaforth's passed through Yorkshire in the night and stopped at a small station. There was a very sleepy porter on duty. A large number of the Highlanders got out to stretch their legs. They were wearing long gray coats and conversed in that mysterious language, "Whare do you come from?" asked the porter. "Ross-shire," answered the Scots. "Let any Scot, highland or lowland, say 'Ross-shire' to an Englishman and nine out of ten will let his lie mean 'Russia.' The porter had the evidence before his eyes, so he passed his knowledge along.

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Allies Probably Block Their Way into Ostend.

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Military Observers Believe That Germany's Movement to the North is for the Purpose of Saving German Right Wing From Destruction—Allies Win Five Battles Along Battle Line.

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The official communication issued by the French War Department last night says:

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The communique issued at three o'clock says:

"On our left wing our forces have resumed the offensive in the regions of Hazebrouck and of Bethune against detachments of the enemy composed in large part of cavalry coming from the front along Bailleur, Estaires and La Bassée."

"The town of Lille, held by a territorial detachment, has been attacked and occupied by a German army corps."

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BATTLE IMPENDING

Russians Have Chosen Ground on Which to Meet Enemy.

PRREMYSL SIEGE GOES ON

Russians Say Their Guns Are Destroying Forts of Galician City—Vigorous German Resistance Has Halted Advance Into East Prussia.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—It is officially announced at Petrograd that the siege of Przemysl is progressing, according to a despatch to a local news agency from the Russian capital. The Russian artillery is rapidly destroying the forts, which, however, continue an energetic resistance. The Przemysl garrison, it is announced, does not exceed 30,000 men.

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OTTAWA, Oct. 14.—Madame Lalla Van der Velde, wife of the Belgian Minister of State, was the guest at luncheon yesterday at the Government House. After lunch their Royal Highnesses gave her checks amounting to \$600 for the Belgian relief fund, for which she is making a special appeal in Canada and the United States. One check for \$250 was given by the duke, another for the same amount by the duchess, and one for \$100 by Princess Patricia. Maurice Gooch, the Belgian consul-general, was also a guest at the luncheon.

Man Scalded in Despatch.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—Thomas Hobbs, 30, was seriously, if not fatally, scalded late yesterday afternoon by the blowing out of a steam valve on one of the boilers at the factory of Green-Swift Co., Ltd., clothing manufacturers, in this city.

IRON HEEL IN ANTWERP.

Civic Employees Have To Swear Allegiance to Kaiser.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The municipal employees of Antwerp have had to swear allegiance to the German Empire says The Evening News correspondent at Bergen-op-Zoom, Holland, in a despatch dated Monday. The message continues:

"The policemen were allowed to retain their arms. The police have been ordered to restore the Belgian houses at night and to leave the doors open. The imperial standard must be saluted when the army is passing through the streets and soldiers have been seen to strike off with their sabres the hats of persons who did not give such salute."

"A thousand of fugitives are returning to Antwerp, and shops are very slowly reopening. Many more thousands, however, are hesitating, apprehensive that the Germans' present friendly conduct might change later."

"Up to this time no war contribution has been exacted, but the town is to supply all requisitioned wares free. For instance, two tons of potatoes were to be provided yesterday. All hardware, including Kingstons, provision dealers not reopening their shops within five days are threatened with stringent measures."

"The Germans say that there are 125,000 of their men in Antwerp, but this figure seems to be exaggerated. A number of the Landwehr troops and marines will probably remain as a garrison."

"Negotiations for the surrender of the city last Friday threatened to collapse because the Germans insisted on having the signature of the Belgian commander. They eventually accepted that of another officer, M. Weerbroeck."

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Miss Mary Ann Clehahan, 54, a former resident of Kingston for many years, residing in Kingston, Burlington, Vermont, was stricken with paralysis.

Ontario's new Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. J. S. Hendrie, will within a few days take up his abode in Government House, Toronto. Sir John Gibson, the master of the ship, is expected to return to the city within a week.

The arts faculty of Queen's University has a scheme to raise a regiment of students from the colleges of Canada for service abroad. The scheme is being discussed with other colleges.

Pat Burns of Calgary, the "Cattle King," has given \$10,000 to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the money being divided among 24 cities and towns in the west in which the company have branches.

The Kaiser Wilhelm Canal, telegraphed the Amsterdam correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Co., between the Baltic and the North Sea, is to be built by the railway traffic for the duration of the war.

Married in 1896 and again in Grand Rapids, Mich., in August last, Louis Roberts, a tailor, is on trial at St. Catharines, on a bigamy charge. He claims that he was a divorcee in Grand Rapids, Mich.

DRASTIC STEP PLANNED.

Order to Austrian Police May Decide Italy's Stand.

ROME, Oct. 14.—(Via Paris.)—The Messenger yesterday published what it claims is a private circular sent by Prince von Hohenlohe-Schillingsfurst, Governor of Trieste, to all the heads of the police in the Italian provinces under Austria. The circular says that in case of war with Italy all male Italian subjects between the ages of eighteen and forty years shall be arrested and sent under close escort to fortresses; that those above forty, and also women and children, shall be ordered to leave the country within 15 hours, and that those suspected of espionage or of carrying on anti-Austrian propaganda shall be summarily tried, and if found guilty, shot. Italian subjects of Austria are also included in the list of proscribed persons. They will be arrested immediately and sent to fortresses. Those from eighteen to forty years of age will be enlisted and sent to the regiments serving in Bohemia.

Italy Lodges Protest.

MALTA, Oct. 14.—(Via London.)—The Austrian efforts to crush the Italian army in Tripoli have met with failure. In Britirre, where an active anti-Italian propaganda has been fomented among the natives by notorious Austrian agent Schwimmer, Abyssinia has been induced to buy arms and ammunition in considerable quantities. It is understood that Abyssinia encouraged an attack on an Italian colony.

The Italian Government has sent troops to Massowah and lodged a formal protest with Vienna.

Cardinal Gasparri Is Secretary.

ROME, Oct. 14.—(Via Paris.)—Cardinal Pietro Gasparri has been selected by the Pope to fill the position of secretary of state, made vacant by the death of Cardinal Ferrata.

MARITZ IN REVOLT

Boer Colonel Has Been the Duke of German Agents.

HAS A SMALL FOLLOWING

Irreconcilable, Who Went Into German Territory After the South African War, Has Declared War on the Union and Wants to Set Up Republic—Martial Law Declared—Arrest Ordered.

CAPE TOWN, Union of South Africa, Oct. 14.—It is officially announced here that a commando, under Col. Maritz, has rebelled in the northwest of the Cape provinces.

Martial law has been proclaimed throughout the Union. The proclamation imposing martial law says that "the Government of the Protectorate of German Southwest Africa, has through a widespread, secret propaganda persistently endeavored to seduce citizens of the Union and officers and members of the defence forces of the union from their allegiance and to cause rebellion and civil war within the Union."

The rebellion among the forces of the Northwest Cape Province has been brewing since the resignation of Gen. Beyers, and commander-in-chief of the Union forces.

As soon as the Government realized this situation it sent Col. Brits to relieve Maritz of his command. Col. Brits then discovered that Maritz was commanding German troops at Maritz, and that he had German guns in his possession. Maritz, who had been given the German rank of general, had arrested those of his officers and men who were unwilling to join the Germans and had sent them as prisoners of war to German Southwest Africa.

According to an official statement an agreement was drawn up between Maritz and the governor of German Southwest Africa, guaranteeing the independence of the Union as a republic, ceding Walvis Bay and other parts of the Union to the Germans, and undertaking that the Germans should invade the Union only if Maritz asked them to do so.

In itself the rebellion of Col. Maritz and his commando in Cape Colony is not regarded as of serious importance. His following is small, and it is situated in that part of the colony where it can be of least value to the Germans in Southwest Africa. Col. Maritz always has been known as irreconcilable and certain to seize any opportunity of making trouble. It is assumed that Gen. Botha will lose no time in having him arrested.

While it is known that Col. Maritz, the leader of the rebels in South Africa, has only a small following, the affair is considered unfortunate at this moment. Maritz is a Transvaal, who fought in the Boer War; but at his conclusion was one of the irreconcilables who crossed over into German territory, where he has fought with the Germans against the natives. Later he returned to British South Africa, got an appointment in the police and worked his way to the command of which he has just been relieved.

FRENCH-CANADIANS EAGER.

More Than a Thousand Want to Join Regiment for Front.

MONTREAL, Oct. 14.—More than one thousand men have already offered their services to the new French-Canadian regiment, which will be commanded by Lieut.-Col. Gaudet, and hundreds of offers are being received by the organizers by mail from all parts of the Dominion.

A mass meeting will be held on Thursday evening at Bohmer Park. The following have been admitted to the list: Lieut.-Col. Gaudet, Lieut. Laurier, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. R. Dandurand, Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, Hon. L. P. Pelletier, Hon. Louis Coderre, Sir Lomer Gouin, Mr. L. T. Marschal and the Hon. Bruno Nantel.

Scheme To Swindle Veterans.

OTTAWA, Oct. 14.—It has come to the attention of the Department of Militia and Defence that in certain parts of the country persons are endeavoring to collect sums of money from those entitled to the Fenian Raid bounty. The claim is put forward on the pretence of assistance in filling up the claim papers. The Department will not recognize any such attempt to extract money from the veterans, and hopes that no veteran will pay a claim of this kind.

Cabinet Arrives at Havre.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—A despatch to the Havre Agency from Havre says that posters were put around the city bearing the signature of the mayor, announcing the arrival of the government and calling on the citizens to receive them appropriately.

Troops in Holland.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A Rotterdam correspondent of the local news agency says that the Dutch Government gives the number of British troops who crossed the Holland border line after the fall of Antwerp at 1,500, and those of the Belgians at 21,500.

HUNGARY PLAYS DOUBLE.

Pourparlers With Russia Under Way Says Roumanian Diplomat.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 14.—(Via London.)—The Roumanian Minister to Russia, C. Diamandy, to-day gave out a statement concerning the attitude of his country as regards the war. The statement says in part:

"In view of the conflicting reports and general obscurity attending Roumanian attitude since the death of the late king, I will say that at present Roumania is prevented from rendering active assistance to the allies by the necessity of keeping troops along the Danube. I know for fact of the existence of pourparlers between Russia and Hungary regarding the ceding of Transylvania and the guaranteeing to Hungary of national severance from Austria in return for Hungary's withdrawal of her troops from Galicia."

Hungary's attempts are not seriously regarded by Roumania, for we feel that so long as the present Russian Foreign Ministry is in office our interests will be safeguarded. Moreover, the Hungarian conversations are not official, but are instigated by Hungarian prisoners in Russia."

Col. Hughes May Lose Auto.

OTTAWA, Oct. 14.—Before sailing for England it is said, Col. Sam Hughes had his automobile shipped to Ostend, so as to facilitate his movements in France when he went over to see war at close range. In view of recent happenings his friends say that it will be a matter of interest to see who enjoys the use of the automobile, the Canadian Minister of Militia, or some of Kaiser Wilhelm's officers.

Nearly a Million in Army.

ROME, Oct. 14.—(Via Paris.)—According to advices received here from the German officers at Constantinople, estimate the Turkish army at 900,000 men.

The estimates made here by figures from reliable sources place the number at between 600,000 and 700,000.

British Air Raid Costly.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A letter received in Amsterdam from Dusseldorf, says The Daily Chronicle's Amsterdam correspondent, declares that in the recent British air raid on Dusseldorf, besides a Zeppelin which was destroyed, four persons were killed and many wounded.

Churchill Criticized.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Morning Post in an editorial yesterday, severely criticized Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, for what it describes as a costly blunder in sending a small force of marines to Antwerp. The newspaper expressed the belief that the British admiral's greater than admitted, and contends that it was impossible to send a large military force to Antwerp, none at all should have been sent, and the Belgians should have been permitted to surrender without bombardment, as they would have done but for British advice, which only resulted in loss of life and hampering the retirement of the British army.

Admiral Storey Goes To Coast.

QUELPH, Oct. 14.—Rear Admiral Storey of this city has received word from the Dominion Government accepting his proffer of service and has been appointed superintendent of naval services at Vancouver Island under the Dominion Government, and is ordered to take charge of his position at 09:00. The position of the Pacific coast has created some alarm in this section of the Dominion, and it is probable that the services of Admiral Storey have been accepted with a view to the adequate defence of that part of the country.

Big Guns at Cattaro.

ROME, Oct. 14.—It is announced by the French ambassador stationed here that on Sept. 22 heavy French guns of long range were landed at Antivari and have now been put in position on Mount Lovchen. They are trained on the Austrian port of Cattaro, in Dalmatia.

To Recruit New Battery.

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 14.—Recruiting will commence to-day for a new battery of field and horse artillery, authorized by the military authorities. There will be 150 of all ranks. International work for home and active service will be the object of the new battery.

Spy With Indian Troops.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Le Temps says the daring of German spies is again shown by the discovery of one of them disguised as an Indian among the troops when they left India and traveled with them to Marseilles, where he was detected and captured.

Paris Now Guarded.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Two French aerial vedettes patrolled the sky above Paris yesterday watching for German raiders. Other French aircraft were in readiness at the aviation posts to take the air if an enemy gives the number of British troops who crossed the Holland border line after the fall of Antwerp at 1,500, and those of the Belgians at 21,500.

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Liberal export sales of wheat, especially at Kansas City, acted as more than a offset today for a decided increase shown by the United States visible supply. According to the market finished at 11c per bushel, corn closed 1/2c to 1/4c up, with a gain of a shade to 1/4c, and provisions varying from 7/16c decline to 1/4c rise.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, fall, bushel, \$1.15 to \$1.20. Good wheat, bushel, \$1.15 to \$1.20. Barley, bushel, \$1.00 to \$1.05. Oats, bushel, \$0.80 to \$0.85. Rye, bushel, \$0.85 to \$0.90. Buckwheat, bushel, \$0.85 to \$0.90.

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET.

Butter, creamery, lb., 20c to 22c. Butter, separator, lb., 17c to 19c. Cheese, creamery, lb., 15c to 17c. Eggs, fresh, doz., 12c to 14c. Honey, new, lb., 10c to 12c. Honey, comb, doz., 10c to 12c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.


Winnipeg, Oct. 13.—Strong market closing higher were the rule following the holiday yesterday. There was a good cash demand for everything. No. 3 and No. 2 northern, which is going into store. Receipts were very light, but stocks in arrival and Canadian visible show big increases, while shipments were only about half those of last year. Exports were good over the holiday, and President Wilson's message guaranteeing safety of American shippers is expected to have a bullish effect.

Wheat options opened 1/2c to 1/4c higher, closing 1/2c to 1/4c higher. Oats opened 1/2c higher and closed 1/2c to 1/4c higher. Flax closed lower, being 1/4c to 1/2c under Saturday's close.

Receipts totaled 10,000 bushels against 17,000 bushels in 1913. Cash prices: No. 1 northern, \$1.10; No. 2, \$1.05; No. 3, \$1.00; No. 4, \$0.95; No. 5, \$0.90; No. 6, \$0.85; No. 7, \$0.80; No. 8, \$0.75; No. 9, \$0.70; No. 10, \$0.65; No. 11, \$0.60; No. 12, \$0.55; No. 13, \$0.50; No. 14, \$0.45; No. 15, \$0.40; No. 16, \$0.35; No. 17, \$0.30; No. 18, \$0.25; No. 19, \$0.20; No. 20, \$0.15; No. 21, \$0.10; No. 22, \$0.05; No. 23, \$0.00; No. 24, \$0.00; No. 25, \$0.00; No. 26, \$0.00; No. 27, \$0.00; No. 28, \$0.00; No. 29, \$0.00; No. 30, \$0.00; No. 31, \$0.00; No. 32, \$0.00; No. 33, \$0.00; No. 34, \$0.00; No. 35, \$0.00; No. 36, \$0.00; No. 37, \$0.00; No. 38, \$0.00; No. 39, \$0.00; No. 40, \$0.00; No. 41, \$0.00; No. 42, \$0.00; No. 43, \$0.00; No. 44, \$0.00; No. 45, \$0.00; No. 46, \$0.00; No. 47, \$0.00; No. 48, \$0.00; No. 49, \$0.00; No. 50, \$0.00; No. 51, \$0.00; No. 52, \$0.00; No. 53, \$0.00; No. 54, \$0.00; No. 55, \$0.00; No. 56, \$0.00; No. 57, \$0.00; No. 58, \$0.00; No. 59, \$0.00; No. 60, \$0.00; No. 61, \$0.00; No. 62, \$0.00; No. 63, \$0.00; No. 64, \$0.00; No. 65, \$0.00; No. 66, \$0.00; No. 67, \$0.00; No. 68, \$0.0

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A man named Merritt and a woman named McDonald, both of Belleville were arrested in Stirling on a Stirling warrant and brought to the county jail last night.

TEACHERS MEET IN BELLEVILLE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Belleville is today visited by over one hundred teachers of South Hastings and Trenton, the purpose of their meeting being the annual convention which opened this morning at Queen Mary Public School in West Belleville. The opening exercises were as follows—Prayer by Rev. E. C. Currie, minutes and treasurer's report and report of delegates to the summer school, Mrs. Hazel Hutchinson and Mrs. J. Nichols.

President M. W. Mott delivered his address at two o'clock this afternoon. He was followed by principal MacLaurin of the Belleville H. School on "Nature Study in the Public Schools." There was general discussion of the place, method and material in teaching arithmetic.

An evening session will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Col. Ponton, chairman of the Executive Board of Education will deliver an address. Meetings will be held tomorrow.

TEACHERS HEAR FINE ADDRESS

(From Friday's Daily.)

The duty and opportunity of teachers in these times of imperial stress were plainly emphasized by Col. Ponton M.A. who delivered an illustrated address on the Empire before the South Hastings, Belleville, and Trenton Teachers' Association in the Belleville High School Auditorium last evening. The hall was well filled and Mr. M. W. Mott president, occupied the chair.

Imperial slides were thrown on the screen. Col. Ponton impressed upon the teachers the opportunity of being centres of useful information. Their is the duty of moulding the young minds of their scholars and instilling patriotism.

Some interesting slides were shown of Belgium war scenes. One of an aged mother, who a little girl, had passed through the Franco-Prussian war and was now riding on a cart as a refugee on her way to a place of safety, others illustrating the work of the boy scouts and the death of a British soldier.

Among the lantern views shown by Col. Ponton during the course of his lecture was a series of twelve received from the Commission of Conservation at Ottawa, showing that it was just as important to look after and conserve men as it was forests or machinery.

Mrs. A. P. Allen sang four songs and a localization of the song "Put down six and carry two" (from "The Song of the Lark" by Helen Ketcheson gave a reading.

A hearty vote of thanks to Col. Ponton and the entertainers was passed on motion of Inspector Clarke.

Afterwards light refreshments were served those present.

CORN HUSKS AND THE STREETS

If the prodigal son were in Belleville he must first get out of town. The police have been getting on the trail of men drawing corn cobs and husks over the market square and front street and those having vehicles not suited for carrying the contents of the street without having the contents spilled on the street. One man was fined \$1 for letting husks drop on the roadway.

Gathering of Home Grown Flower Seeds This Year.

Owing to the War in Europe, flower seeds may be so scarce next year as the year after, in Canada, as a large quantity of the flower seeds that is sold in the Dominion is grown in Germany, and the operations of growing and harvesting the seed there have been such interruptions this year, and may be carried on with difficulty next year.

Canadian grown seed has been found to give very satisfactory results and we should advise every one who has a garden to be on the safe side and save some seed this year, even if there is an abundance of imported seeds it will be interesting to compare this home grown with that from abroad.

W. T. Macoun.

Pacific Coast to Supplant Europe as Tourist Mecca.

A telegram received by the local Grand Trunk Railway officials today confirms the opinion already held by transportation experts that the European war is likely rather to increase travel to the Panama Pacific International Exposition, opening in San Francisco on Feb. 20th, next year than reduce it. The flood of American and Canadian tourists to Europe will be far less than in ordinary years, and the inquiries flowing into headquarters in San Francisco prove that the thousands of travellers who ordinarily flock to the various pleasure resorts of the Continent will turn their faces towards the Pacific Coast in 1915.

"Under worst possible conditions," wired Mr. G. H. Perry, Director of "Exploitation for the Exposition," and Canadian tourists to Europe, we have the assurance, from all participating nations now involved in the struggle, that their plans will not be seriously interfered with. We have heard from Exhibits Committees in both Germany and Great Britain within the past few days, requesting that the space originally reserved for them be held and in the case of the German Committee an intimation was given that increased space might even be asked for. Requests for space and for additional space from manufacturers and producers in this country and South America and of European nations not at war, showed marked increase since war broke out.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

(From Friday's Daily.)

At the Teachers' Convention in Queen Mary School, the auditors' report was read and officers were elected this morning. Principal D. A. Walker, B.A. spoke on "Results the pupil has a right to expect." Miss Lena Roblin and Mr. M. W. Mott gave reports on the sessions of the Ontario Teachers' Educational Association. A general discussion on "Examinations" followed.

This afternoon Inspector H. J. Clarke spoke on "Literature in the Public Schools."

Suggestions on benefits to be derived from short courses at the out-of-schools were given by A. E. Thraasher, J. M. Bell, Helena Vanderwater, Hette Bailey, Lena R. Roblin, A. D. Scott, and Alice Bell.

Walter Lasher, a former resident of Belleville, has been committed for trial from Trenton on a charge of stealing a bicycle. Lasher is in jail here.

Baptist Pipe Organ.

The pipe organ for Victoria Avenue Baptist church has arrived and is ready for installation.

AN IMPERIAL MYSTERY.

Wherever Germany and France with their highly centralized and logically wrought out Governments, have contemplated the fabric known as the British Empire they have smiled smiles of disdain.

If ever there was an instance of "muddling along" through decades and even centuries, taking things for granted, avoiding issues, extemporizing expedients, and working always with scant reference to any principle of outward consistency, it is supplied by the history of the making of the British Empire. This is a strange gathering together of Crown Colonies, dependencies, Protectorates and India directly ruled by the Crown Jersey, Guernsey, and the Isle of Man are governed under their own laws, but certain officials are appointed by the Crown. Canada and Australia are both self-governing, but the Senators in Canada are appointed by the Governor-General, while those of Australia are elected. There is a Secretary of State for India in the King's Cabinet. And all gradations of self-government may be found in the more than ninety units of the British Empire.

This fearful and wonderful fabric has no central body. There is no "Bundesrat" or Imperial Council. No collective action of its units is possible. The relation to them of the Mother Country is illogical, ill-defined. To the foreigner accustomed to the federation of the American States or of the units of the German Empire the Government looks planless and ineffective.

All which is preliminary to the observation that there is not at the present moment any more effective institution in the whole world of political fabric than the British Empire. Whatever its machinery lacks appears to be made up for by the defects of its body are made up for by the unity of its soul.

The fact cannot be gainsaid that England, who does not begin to be as logical as Germany or as systematic as France in matters of government, has, nevertheless, the knack of making men step out of their own free will to die for her defence. She has the gift of keeping alive, across tumbling seas, round half a world, the undying bond, that unites the heart to home. She has shown herself indifferent to the possession of taxing power over her Colonies—but what matters it? These Colonies willingly take themselves to send her warships and their sons to fight for her. She has the wisdom to train and guide the swarthy children of alien races, and even the foes of yesterday, that they put their England's enemies. She has a few really splendid theories of government, but her practice of government lays hold on the deepest things in the soul of man.

As we contemplate this wonder of an Empire which is an Empire of the spirit, and Empire whose philosophy is the spirit itself, but for which the costliest things within the gift of man are poured out without stint, we are moved to wonder whether this is a prophecy of the future. Will the States of the coming days make a high bid in the matter of government, but for which the costliest things within the gift of man are poured out without stint, we are moved to wonder whether this is a prophecy of the future. Will the States of the coming days make a high bid in the matter of government, but for which the costliest things within the gift of man are poured out without stint, we are moved to wonder whether this is a prophecy of the future.

PATRIOTIC CONCERT AT THE PALACE

(From Friday's Daily.)

Through the generosity of Manager Scott of the "Palace Theatre," a patriotic concert was given last evening in aid of the Belleville Patriotic and Relief Fund. Mayor Wills presided over the gathering, and thanked the "Palace" for their contribution to the patriotic fund. The receipts of the entertainment would go for that purpose.

Talking on the war he said it had not been a war of today but it had its roots back many years. Many books have been written in Germany as to "the day" when Germany would attack Britain. Canadians had not believed such a death struggle possible between two great nations. But peace has not been the German teaching. If German culture is manifesting itself today, we do not want it and the sooner the earth gets rid of it the better. He found in the titles of the Berlin Press Bureau in scattering false news of the war. A German report recently appeared of seven British ships sunk. The total sunk of battleships and merchantmen was 12 miles 92 German boats have been taken or sunk by British and 97 bottled up. We have 4,000 British vessels trafficking on the ocean. We must be ready to go to the front when duty calls. Our first contingent has arrived but the good old country. Now a second contingent is about to be organized. The response will surely be overflowing. The mayor feared the war would last for a length of time, but right must prevail although might may win at times.

Mayor Wills declared that the patriotic fund was being well taken care of. He thanked the management of the Palace, Bandmaster Hinchey, the orchestra, the entertainers and the press for their services.

Patriotic pictures were thrown on the screen amid applause and some fine films were shown. The musical program was as follows:

Selections by orchestra
Van Trump song—by Mr. W. H. Wrightmeyer
"It's a Long way to Tipperary," sung by Mrs. A. P. Allen and the quartette singing the choros. Mr. W. H. Wrightmeyer, Dujayne, Stallworthy and Mouck.
Quartette—Songs and melodies—encored.
"The Armourer Song" from the opera "Robin Hood," by Fred Rubie.
Song—"Mary of Argyll"—Mr. E. A. Moulck.
By request of the audience, voiced by Mr. R. Tannahill, the song "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" was repeated by Mrs. Allen and quartette. The national anthem brought the entertainment to a close.

Miss Edna Wallace was the accompanist for the vocal numbers.

LIQUOR AND WAR.

What the London Times says.—In issue of Sept. 25th, 1914.

"The trial of the German troops is marked, as innumerable witnesses testify, by myriads of empty bottles. Their once proud soldiery is now typified by the colonel found in a stupor amid his unconscious men beside a cask in Epernay cellar. We may contrast with this picture the spectacle presented by the Allies. Russia absolutely prohibiting the sale of vodka and beer throughout her immense dominions, France forbidding the sale of alcoholic liquors, and the British through the best vineyards in existence, and temperately demanding, as many letters tell us, his cup of tea. The great victory over drunkenness in Russia has received for too little attention in this country. Since China proscribed opium the world has seen nothing like it. We have been well reminded that in sternly prohibiting the sale of spirituous liquor Russia has already vanquished a greater foe than the Germans. Is it fully realized yet that for the Allies, and for the first time in history, this is to all intents and purposes a "teetotal" war. We hope that the indiscreet people who insist on "meeting" the enemy eventually be their. Troops who march obeying the Tsar's Ukase against drink, who carry in their knapsacks Lord Kitchener's admonition to adhere wine, already have an immense moral advantage over armies whose officers set their men the example of looting every cellar they find. In the various excesses of the German forces we see a hint of their coming overthrow."

It is interesting to note that since the publication of this editorial it has been announced in Petrograd that the prohibition of the sale of vodka is to be continued indefinitely even after the end of the war. This order is based principally on the tremendously improved condition of the country since the Emperor issued the edict prohibiting traffic in this liquor. The Russian authorities are so impressed with this startling regeneration of the peasantry that they believe it is likely to have an important effect on the social and economic conditions of all Russia.

OUR daily news letter from this thriving town furnished by The Ontario's special representative.

Busy Trenton

THE latest news of the town and surrounding suburbs is given in an interesting manner.

Trenton, Oct. 7.—We are told that Mr. W. A. Bjoecker is contemplating putting into the Gilbert House several pool and billiard tables.

Mrs. Jaa. Stevenson Sidney Street, leaves tomorrow to visit her sister at Newark, N.J.

Trenton, Oct. 7.—Officials are in town today, witnessing at the Canada Croquet works a testing of some new woods. If the test is successful the wood being tested will be used for railway ties.

The C.N.R. coal chutes are being rapidly pushed to completion and present quite an imposing appearance.

The factory of the Dominion Cannery is the busiest place in town, an unusually large staff being at present engaged. This solves to some extent the unemployment problem and the problem is further solved by the fact, that in order to give employment to more people, the company has, for the time being, discontinued the use of some of their labor-saving machinery.

Mr. Luther A. P. is improving his fine new Sidney street residence, by the addition of a spacious veranda.

There is a chance that a spring race meet may be held in Trenton next year. A meeting will be held shortly to consider the advisability of building a half mile track.

The H. W. Chamberlain Stock company which has been playing at the Wellar opera has given excellent satisfaction and received good patronage. Mr. Chamberlain, formerly with the George Marks Company, is a star of no small calibre, and he is supported by associates of undoubted ability. This company plays in Ottawa the remainder of the week.

Work on the new garage is being rushed, about thirty men being employed to make the building a fire proof, this garage will be the most secure and complete in this part of the province.

The post office is being thoroughly renovated. The new fixtures are an improvement also the tiled floor.

We are glad to be able to announce that Wm. Bain, who has been acting temporarily as bridge guard, has been appointed an officer of the regular police force. The new officer is a former member of the police force of Glasgow, Scotland, and naturally knows his business.

Citizens who ride bicycles on the sidewalks are liable to receive a summons to appear before the P.M. this is just a friendly warning.

Today's papers announce that 28,000 of the Canadians will go to the front upon landing, and that a second contingent of 22,000 men will be raised at once. The new recruits will be received by Canadian militia officers with enthusiasm and from now on brisk recruiting will be the order of the day.

Mrs. W. B. Powers, Dundas street, is giving a social and dancing for Miss Lulu Laby, to-morrow afternoon.

We are informed that the marriage of Miss Lulu Laby to Mr. Jack Kenney will take place about the middle of this month.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnston, have gone to New York for a short visit.

The schools will be closed tomorrow and Friday, owing to the holding of the annual teachers' convention at the Trenton Branch of the Red Cross Society forwarded another batch to the headquarters of the Society at Toronto, yesterday. It cannot be said that the Trenton ladies are shirking their responsibilities in connection with the war, and in fact the women of Canada, generally, are responding to the necessities of the moment, superbly.

The senior and junior basketball teams of the present war, high school will compete with the T.H.S. teams at the Firemen's park on Friday afternoon.

Trenton, Oct. 8.—Mrs. Mark Chase living alongside the Murray Canal, brought to town to-day, eleven baskets of blue raspberries of finest quality, picked from the bushes in her garden, yesterday.

Mr. O. W. Martin, has purchased the old post office fixtures.

Professor Schmidt, who fought with the French army throughout the Franco-German war, out of respect for those who are suffering from the effects of the present war, has given notice that he will not permit dancing at "The Drift" during the continuation of the war. Good for the Professor.

J. Allan Baker, M.P., of London, Eng., a prominent peace advocate, paid a flying visit to his Smithfield farm, this week.

Mrs. M. A. Campbell will shortly open a ladies' massage parlor in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Digby, Dundas street.

Mrs. Farncombe left last evening for an extended visit to Toronto and Niagara Falls.

Mr. C. E. York is creating a very handsome residence in W. Trenton. The Roger Miller Co. tug and scow left for Toronto today.

This fine weather makes walking through the woods delightful. At the

RIFLE SHOOTING.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The members of the Belleville Rifle Association met at the rifle butts yesterday afternoon for a practice shoot. Conditions 21 shots at 500 yds. The scoring was very good, and the weather conditions favorable.

Special attention of members is called to the second annual prize meeting which takes place next Monday, Oct. 12th (Thanksgiving Day), at the butts. Handicap conditions, 21 shots at 500 yards, 2 sighting shots. There will be about 30 prizes about for. No entrance fee. Shooting will be going on all day, commencing at 9 a.m. All members are requested to compete, and shoot as early in the day as possible to relieve the pressure. Shooting at the butts will continue every Wednesday and Saturday during October and at the indoor range, every Monday and Wednesday night from now on during the winter months. Yesterday's scores—

J. Thompson	95
H. Sneyd	92
J. Douch	91
M. Callaghan	90
J. F. Haggerty	85
A. D. Harper	85
H. McGaskie	81
A. Harman	81
J. H. Evans	81
H. C. Thompson	80
E. V. Brown	77
M. E. Evans	75
Col. W. N. Ponton	75
R. Tannahill	75
P. Mel. Forin	73
W. J. Smith	68
M. Wright	68
A. M. Nicol	66
C. J. Symons	65
P. W. Geen	65
A. K. Symons	62
G. W. Anderson	62
S. M. Amedee	60
P. J. Mathison	60
D. Yoise	60
The first practice shoot of the season on the indoor range of the armories took place last night. Conditions 10 shots at 25 yards. Scores—	
J. Douch	92
A. J. Stewart	97
J. Thompson	92
A. D. Harper	90
H. C. Thompson	89
M. E. Evans	80
C. Thompson	89
H. Parks	89
H. Sneyd	88
A. Harman	88
F. Deshane	87
A. Haggerty	86
F. Ford	85
R. Tannahill	83
G. Ellis	82
W. Weese	81
J. MacLellan	78
P. W. Geen	78
D. A. Sclatine	76
D. Pringle	75
W. Alford	52
W. Alford	44

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE

An incident which occurred in the city yesterday may be related to show under what strange circumstances friends and relatives may meet after many years. Mr. John G. Meagher was at the wharf yesterday when the steamer "Belleville" landed on her way down to Montreal. Some of the passengers came ashore and started on a tour of the town for the space of forty minutes at their disposal. Among them were two ladies and Mr. Meagher learning of their intentions from the captain and knowing the city as he does, approached them and offered to act as guide and pilot them about Belleville. They graciously accepted and conversation drifted to the appearance of Belleville since Kingston, and finally the ladies asked Mr. Meagher if he were John Meagher. He had to confess that this was his name and he asked in reply how he knew him. She again asked if he did not know his cousin and then he learned that this lady was his cousin, Mrs. Wright of Montreal. Mrs. Wright and Mr. Meagher had known one another in Kingston twenty-five years ago and had not seen one another nor was each aware of the other's whereabouts for 25 years. Needless to say Mr. Meagher had a still more pleasant time showing the visitors the beauties of this city.

It was learned that Mrs. Wright is returning from Toronto to Montreal. She had recently been in California and prior to that had been in Europe.

It is interesting to note that Mrs. Wright's maiden name was Flossie Sangster. She is a daughter of the Canadian poet, the late Charles Sangster, whose poems are well-known to the scholars of the schools. One of his finest compositions was "The Rapids," beginning

"All peacefully gliding, the waters dividing,
The indolent bateaux moved slowly along,
The sailors light hearted, from sorrow long-parted
Beguiled the dull moments with laughter and song."

Every school boy, every school girl knows the swing of this song.

Boys Were Fighting.

Two small boys were engaged in a game of "tuffits" last evening at nine o'clock on Front street. A police officer sent them home after giving them a warning.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

owe their singular effectiveness in curing Rheumatism, Lumbago and Sciatica to their power of stimulating and strengthening the kidneys. They enable these organs to thoroughly filter from the blood the uric acid (the product of waste matter) which gets into the joints and muscles and causes these painful diseases. Over half a century of constant use has proved conclusively that Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills strengthen weak kidneys and

Cure Rheumatism

15th. REGIMENT.
 Will parade at the Armouries, Friday, Oct. 16th, 1914, at 8 p.m. Weather permitting, there will be a march-out. Armouries are open every evening for the issue of uniforms. All ranks will take notice accordingly.
 By order of the O. C. W. H. Hudson, Capt. Adjutant.

OUR daily news letter from this thriving town furnished by The Ontario's special representative.

Busy Trenton

THE latest news of the town and neighborhood is given in an interesting manner.

Trenton, Oct. 12.—The following are towns visitors to-day:
 Col. J. B. Little, Port Arthur; Harry Leclair, Toronto; Jack Hawley, Toronto; Claude Hawley, Toronto; C. MacGuire, St. Catharines; Miss Nash Toronto; Mr. Hill (C.P.R.), Ottawa; Miss Hazel Bell, Toronto, Mr. Don Fraser, Kingston.
 Mrs. H. A. Thomson left for St. Thomas this morning to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. J. Farley. Leon Schiff, who recently contemplated erecting a film house here, is seeking to have set aside an agreement of sale and to recover \$250,000 paid on ten lots in Murray township, Northumberland county.
 Mrs. Sarah Weller, mother of Mr. R. W. Weller, who has been ill for a considerable time, passed away on Thursday, Oct. 8th, and was interred Sunday, 10th inst, in Carrying Place cemetery.
 The High School sports were well attended and much enjoyed by the onlookers as well as by the participants. The Belleville teams won both basketball games. Possibly we may be furnished later with a list of the winners in the other events.
 Mr. Jack Thomson writes that he

will be home soon with his duds as he has enlisted in the Medical Corps and expects to qualify for the Second Contingent.
 We have recently heard some "Little Englanders" state that they were prepared to fight if Canada was attacked. We do not believe such people would fight under any conditions; but the sure way to prevent an attack of Canada is to send to Europe all the men available in Canada, to reinforce the army now on the fighting line. We believe that Capt. Bywater intends recruiting a company of 125 men in Trenton, and hopes for the honor of Trenton that there will be a better response than there was when recruiting for the First Contingent. Canadians have nothing to be proud of in connection with the getting together of the First Contingent, only 40% of the enlisted men, being natives.
 A lady who has just returned from England, asked us a few evenings ago, why proclamations, similar to those exposed in every possible place in England, calling for recruits to serve in the army, are not posted up here. We could not tell her, but we thought that it was probably because of lack of warmth on the part of Canadians. It is about time that every man who can fight or assist with cash, offers to do so.

HASTINGS COUNTY BOY HONORED

There has come to our desk a copy of "The Life Underwriters' News," the official organ of the Life Underwriters Association of Canada. This is the first issue of a magazine that is to be issued monthly in the interests of the life underwriters of the dominion.
 Upon the front page is a photograph of Mr. A. J. Meiklejohn who now holds the honorable position of president of the dominion association. Mr. Meiklejohn is a native of Rawdon township and a son of Mr. Wm. Meiklejohn of Stirling. After graduating at Stirling he taught the public school at Moira for three years, retiring from that position to attend University. After receiving his degree from that institution he reentered the teaching profession in high school work for several years. He then entered the insurance field and is now manager of the Confederation Life Assurance Company for the Ottawa district.
 He was elected president of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada at the convention held at Ottawa in 1913.

MEN ARE READY

Some Albert College students have volunteered for service overseas with the Second Canadian Contingent for the European war.
 A minister in Prince Edward who formerly saw service in the British Navy, has offered his services to the Old Land and also to Canada.

W.C.A. ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Women's Christian Association took place this afternoon in the city council chamber.

CHILD DEAD

Elsie F. Phillips, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Phillips of the fourth of Thurlow died yesterday of cholera infantum.

Gold Fish Free

McKeown's Drug Store

Commencing at 8 a.m. Wednesday we will give away 200 Gold Fish Globes, each containing 2 Gold Fish and Plant, with each purchase of the following Rexall preparations amounting to 25c or over:

Rexall Liver Pills, Rexall Cold Tablets, Rexall Headache Tablets, Rexall Stomach and Liver Pills.

IMPRESSIONS FROM ABROAD

Canada Should Have 400,000 Men Ready for the Front, Says Rev. A. R. Sanderson

Canada should have 350,000 or 400,000 men ready to go to the front, said the Rev. A. R. Sanderson speaking at Holloway Street Methodist Church on Sunday evening of his impressions of European cities. Little Belgium has put 350,000 men in the field to defend Europe.
 Canadians feel so secure that they fear no danger, but a defeat of England is a defeat of Canada.
 Who are the men being carried to the rear wounded? A young Indian, a young Russian.
 There is no reason why young men without special impediments should not offer their services. Britain is in the greatest war and needs every available Canadian.
 "We do not believe that the Eternal God is with Germany, we believe he is with the nation who have done far more for the world than Germany has ever done. Germany has massed her millions. Today she is offering to sell her goods cheaper than Canadian products. German travelers come to this city. Let our merchants stand by British and Canadian goods. No merchant has any right to deal in German goods while the war is in progress.
 Among the impressions formed a broad were the lessons that life is a struggle, the great hold the Bible on the world, and the hold of Christ on the nations.
 Speaking of good literature, the pastor said that any land where the Bible prevails has the best literature. "Love God above all and your neighbor as yourself." Had this been the Kaiser's motto there would be no war. No trashy book came into Wales where the Bible holds sway. The pastor however feared that good books were covering the Good Book.
 Christ stands preeminently over every name in Europe and the world today.
 The art galleries of the world all bear testimony to the hold He has on all the nations of the earth.
 The pulpit was decked with the Union Jack on which were the flags of Belgium and France. "With these flags we can sweep the world."

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR RECOVERY

Dr. Malone, of Frankford who undertakes an operation for appendicitis at Kingston hospital, the latter part of last week, is, we are informed, doing nicely and prospects for his recovery are bright.

RALLY DAY AT WEST BELLEVILLE

Rally Day was observed at West Belleville Methodist church on Sunday last. In the morning the scholars of the school and the mates of the Ontario School for the Deaf attended the church service in a body. Rev. A. H. Sanderson gave an appropriate address on Thanksgiving.
 The pulpit and communion railing were decorated with flags and flowers. An open session of the school was held on Sunday afternoon, the Superintendent, Mr. A. E. Bailey presiding and addressing the assembly. Rally Day songs were sung. The school-room decorations were flags, flowers and maple leaves.
 The rally day collections were large.

FORMER RESIDENT BURIED HERE

The remains of the late Mrs. Annette Eaton, daughter of the late Amos Proctor of Belleville, arrived on Saturday evening in this city in charge of a brother, Mr. Charles C. Proctor. The interment took place in Belleville cemetery in the family plot by the side of her father on Monday afternoon. The Hinchey Orchestra was in attendance and played three selections at the grave—"Then You'll Remember Me," "Sweet and Low" and "Star of the Sea."
 The surviving members of the family are four brothers, and two sisters, Pembroke Proctor, Rochester N. Y., Frank of Great Falls, Montana; Charles of Great Falls, Montana; Harry of Riverside, Washington, Mrs. Marion Jackson, Wisconsin, and Mrs. Arabella Clarke, California.
 The late Mrs. Eaton will be remembered as a former teacher in the "Central" School, later "Queen Victoria" school.

RESERVISTS' OLD HOME.

Mr. Charles Proctor of Great Falls, Montana is a visitor in the city, stopping at the Quince. He is an old Belleville boy, the son of the late Amos Proctor, a former highly honored citizen. The older Belleville citizens will remember Mr. Proctor and his family.
 It is 34 years since Mr. Charles Proctor was in the city. He notices the remarkable growths and improvements since 1880.

Pleaded Guilty.

Walter Lasher has pleaded guilty to stealing a bicycle at Trenton and was remanded for sentence.



Every Coat is a New Fall Style

When selecting a Fall or Winter Coat it should be a source of satisfaction to know that every Ladies' Coat shown in our store is of this Season's New Style. We have no Coats carried over from last season to offer at greatly reduced prices, but we have the best values we have ever been able to offer in Ladies' and Misses Fall and Winter Coats, every garment being correct in style and made of this season's New Cloths. Our New Fall Coats range from \$7.50 to \$42.50 each.

Ladies' Wash Silk Waists at \$4.00

This is one of the best Silk Waist Values we have been able to offer. These Waists are made of Heavy Jap Wash Silks, in very smart tailored style, in black, navy and ivory, sizes 32 to 42 bust measure. A very stylish Silk Shirt Waist to sell for only \$4.00 each.

New Dress Skirt Styles

We have just placed in stock a fine range of Ladies' Wool Dress Skirts, all New Styles in a variety of Tunic Effects with several very smart styles in combinations of plain and fancy cloths. Skirts are priced to sell from \$6.50 to \$11.50 each.

Here's What a New York Paper Says About Velvets

One of New York's leading Fashion Papers, in its October issue has this to say regarding the Velvet season:—
 "Velvet is the leading fabric of the present Fall Season, giving second place grudgingly to Broadcloths of a high shear and to dull Velour, or finished suede-like fabrics. As Velvet leads, so its twin sister, Velveteen is well to the fore, being almost preferred as a fabric for a street costume or smart walking and street suit. Velvet and Velveteen are worn noon, afternoon and evening—Velvet Coats, Velvet Wraps and Velvet Dresses have first place for the present Fall and Winter Season."
 In this connection we would add, that in Plain and Fancy Velvets and Velveteens we have a stock of more than Two Hundred Pieces to select from. Prices 50c to \$5.00 yard.

Sinclair's Ladies' Special Suit Value "Northway Make" at \$17.50 **Sinclair's**



Hastings Liberal Club

The Annual Meeting will be held in Club Rooms, West Robertson Block on Thursday Evening, October 22nd, at 8 p.m. Election of Officers will take place and other important business. Every Liberal is cordially invited. F. E. O'Flynn, President. Joe Tomperton, Secretary.

We Never Sleep THE HOGAN BURIAL CO. Leading Undertakers

Our exclusive lines of caskets and several new additions in the line of funeral equipment makes our parlors one of the most up-to-date in Canada. Open day and night. Phone 774. 189 FRONT ST. BELLEVILLE

Norwood Girl Chosen.

Miss Gertrude Squire, Norwood Ont. one of the nurses of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, has been chosen for Queen's Canadian Military Hospital in London, England. Miss Squire's professional services have been twice requisited during the serious illness of the duchess of Connaught, once when her Royal Highness was a patient at the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal and during her second attack when Miss Squire accompanied her to England.—Register.

Fire in Thurlow.

On Saturday evening during the severe thunderstorm which swept over this district, a barn belonging to Isaac Mayes on the fourth of Thurlow was burned with contents. Fifteen hundred bushels of grain was destroyed.
 Dutch bulbs have arrived in the city for the winter use. These have had an exciting experience, having been brought over on a steamer which was stopped in mid ocean and detained for some time.
 A local shipper said yesterday that the war was affecting his aleisk business this fall, Germany is the great market for our aleisk and the war has cut off this trade.

Rednersville and Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Clapp spent Sunday with friends in Belleville.
 Mr. D. Bellon and Miss N. Liddle visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurtre on Sunday.
 Miss Nellie Delong and Mr. C. E. Brown and Ross Brown spent last Sunday with Irene Brickman.
 Mrs. Charlie Leach and Hazel DeLong spent a few days of last week with Mrs. J. W. Brickman and Mrs. E. Brickman.
 Mrs. Robert Delong of Napanee is spending a few days in this vicinity.
 Mrs. Malcolm Allen of Madoc spent last week with her mother Mrs. John G. Weese.
 Mr. Wesley Weese and Gladys drove to Demorestville last Friday.
 Miss H. Dempsey spent a couple of days of last week at Picton attending the Teachers' convention.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. Matnes of Ameliasburg spent last week at Mr. W. R. Russel's.
 A number of people from this vicinity attended the supper at Centre on Friday evening last, and all report a good time.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Russell spent Sunday in Point Anne with their daughter Mrs. Earl Phillips.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weese spent Sunday evening at Mr. Charlie Babcock's.
 Mr. Marley Wood spent a few days of last week with his uncle Gilbert McMurtre.
 Miss Gladys Tompkins has gone to Trenton to spend the remainder of the fall and also the winter.
 Maud Bovay of Crofton spent a few days of last week at Charlie Dakins.
 Mr. Jas. W. Brickman lost a valuable horse last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Leach and Hazel Delong of Frankford spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brickman.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Russell spent last Sunday in Shannonville.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is the report of S.S. No. 14, Tyeindings for September.
 Senior IV. Beatrice McMechan.
 Junior IV. Edan Henderson.
 Senior III. Mabel McLaren, Jim Lazier.
 Junior III. Arthur Miller.
 Senior II. Harold Chapman, Gerald Swan, Clifford Hagerman.
 Junior II. Malcolm McLaren, Helen Hagerman, Clarence Hagerman I. Franklin Sherman, Irene Cole.
 Senior Primary. Clarence Milligan, Carman Milligan, Clara Corrigan.
 Junior Primary. Bruce Sherman, Kenneth Reid, Jack Beel.
 Margaret Anderson, Teacher.

CENTRE.

Our Chicken Pie Thanksgiving dinner was a decided success, and, after dinner, Travel Talk given by Rev. Sanderson, Belleville, was appreciated by all. Receipts of dinner \$80.85.
 Mr. J. H. Howell and family attended the Demorestville Fair.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Giles spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amon, Somersville.
 Mrs. J. S. Carnita, Ameliasburg, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Giles.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Stafford attended the Demorestville Fair, and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. R.

Rednersville and Albany.

Fox, Northport.
 Gerald Congress, Winnipeg, called at W. N. Redners on Friday.

GILEAD.

We are being favored with splendid weather these days and every body is taking advantage of it by hustling along with their fall work. Silo filling and apple picking is the order of the day in this vicinity, and talking about the war is the main topic of conversation. A Patriotic Service was held here on Sunday last at the Church was appropriately decorated and Rev. Mr. Sanderson of Belleville was the speaker for the occasion. There was a large congregation present and all enjoyed the service very much. An offering in aid of the Patriotic Fund was liberally responded to.
 Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Lloyd of Frankford visited on Friday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Embury.
 A number from here attended Tuesday Fair on Thursday last.
 Mr. Marshall Bogart and wife of Napanee visited friends here last week. Master Arthur Belcanel is ill at present with typhoid fever.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known, to these medical fraternity, Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
 Address P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
 Sold by all Druggists. 75c.

RIVER VALLEY.

There was no church on Sunday on account of the funeral service at Stirling.
 Mr. Clayton Herman took in Madoc Fair on Wednesday last.
 Mr. Raymond Cooney entertained his friend, Mr. Rudder of Belleville over Sunday.
 A severe storm passed over on Saturday night but no damage was done in this neighborhood.
 Mrs. Mary Vandervoort and Miss E. Bush visited at Madoc a few days last week.
 The last Institute meeting was held at Mrs. B. Hatfield's. A large crowd was there and all enjoyed the meeting.
 Owing to sickness the pie social was postponed until Oct. 30.
 Mr. Stocker of Montreal is visiting his parents in the city.
 Miss Helen Taugher of the Peterborough Normal school is home for Thanksgiving.
 Mr. Byrnes of Toronto was in town yesterday.

Big Paint Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Ramsey's Paint

The Right Paint to Paint Right
 which regularly sells at 60c a quart, special price for these days
40c qt.

Lattimer's Cut Rate Drug Store

SUIT FOR DAMAGES AGAINST BROCKVILLE

Youth Put His Hand on Live Wire and Expired Immediately.
 (Brockville Recorder)
 Notice of trial has been served by Porter & Carnew, of Belleville, solicitors for William Hewitt, of this town, in an action against the town asking \$10,000 damages for the death of his son, John Mooton Whitney Hewitt, which it is alleged by plaintiff was caused by a defective electric light wire a year ago last March. The death occurred on Amy street after a severe storm with sleet which broke down the wire. Hewitt was going back to work after his dinner and grasped the live wire, death resulting shortly after. The service of notice of trial would indicate that the case will be placed on the calendar for trial at the assizes which open here on October 13. The town will be represented by Hutchinson & Driver.
 Mr. R. S. Bell of Kingston was in the city over night.
 Mrs. (Dr) Walker has done on a visit to friends in Napanee and vicinity

ONTARIO HOUSE WAS DAMAGED BY FIRE FIEND

(From Saturday's Daily.) The old "Ontario House," Front St. was badly damaged by fire, which broke out at nine o'clock last night. Three hours' work by the fire brigade had the blaze extinguished but not un- der the upper story had been des- troyed and stock and furnishings burn- ed and damaged.

The Canadian Thanksgiving

An original poem written for The Ontario by Alice Fyde McDevitt.

The people have been careless, The church has wandered far, The standards have been lowered, Thine anger draweth near.

Our harvests have been granted, Our barns with grain are filled, We praise the Lord of all the earth, That has these blessings willed.

TALC IN MADOC.

A large body of talc, known as the Henderson talc mine, is located on the southern outskirts of the town of Madoc, its position being shown on the map of the area.

HUNTINGDON COUNCIL

Moira, Oct. 5.—Council met. All members present. Minutes of last meeting read and on motion adopted.

Fifteenth Competition.

At the regular Friday night shoot- ing competition of the 15th Regiment which takes place after drill, the following were successful prize winners.

Fifteenth Regiment Drill.

Sergeant Instructor Gillic last even- ing drilled the Fifteenth recruits at the armories. A large number were in line, notably the sergeants of the regiment, who were very numerous.

Surrogate Court.

Estate of John L. McGuire, late of the village of Madoc, in the county of Hastings, deceased. Letters of ad- ministration granted to Elsie E. Mc- Guire, widow of deceased, J. E. Stewart, solicitor for administratrix.

Y.M.C.A. Notes.

The following secretaries accompa- nied the Expeditionary Force to Eng- land: H. A. Pearson, of Toronto; H. Whiteman, of Quebec; A. W. Forgie, of Toronto; C. Graham, of Amherst, N.S.; O. D. Irwin, of Collingwood; A. E. Pequegnat, of Stratford.

THANKSGIVING MARKET.

(From Saturday's Daily.) It was a real Thanksgiving market which was held in Madoc on the morn- ing of the 14th. The sight of plenty could create the impression of thanksgiving, then the farmers and citizens must be grateful. Fowls, eggs, ducks, geese and the turkeys, were offered at 25c per dozen. Butter brought 33c.

Baptist Social.

The Outlook Club of the Victoria Ave. Baptist Church held a very pleasant and unique social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, Albert St., last evening. Some time was spent in guessing contests, after which the unique feature of the evening was put on, consisting of a Mock Auction Sale.

Stirling Case in Court.

William Merrill and Mrs. McDonald of this city appeared before Magistrate Shannon on Monday afternoon on a charge of trespassing in Stirling and were remanded until next Friday.

Farmers Instructed.

The police are today instructing the farmers in the provisions of Belle- ville's new traffic bylaw, particularly with regard to the streets leading to the market and Front street and Bridge street corner.

TYENDINAGA AGAIN RALLIES.

At Melrose last night in the Town- ship hall some very practical and at the same time inspiring addresses were delivered to a large audience, which gathered in the center of the prosperous township of Tyendinaga to complete the organization of the township begun at Shannonville a short time ago for the purpose of putting Tyendinaga in the front rank among the municipalities contribut- ing to the Red Cross, the Patriotic and the Belgian funds.

Colonel W. N. Ponton appealed to Tyendinaga not merely for money but for manhood and materials but also man- hood. The living fighting power of the Empire is now called upon as well as the wealth of the Empire.

THANKSGIVING.

(Written for The Ontario by Miss Jennie Osborne.) Thanksgiving Day, what does it mean to me to you, what have I to be thankful for? Money is hard to earn. Most of my friends are dead.

The Right Kind

The Twined News says—The writer was at Bancroft on Monday evening of last week and while he was there a charivari was in progress. They were having a fine old time. We after- wards learned that the happy group consisted of the boys and girls of the boys did a thing, that so far as we know is unique, they put a little more with it and brought a set of dining chairs and presented them to the bride and groom.

Belleville Cheese Board.

Cheese or Belleville board on Satur- day, Oct. 10th brought the figure of 15-15 and 15-1-1 Bids of 3-16 were refused by some, although others ac- cepted. Nearly the whole board sold.

THE CALL.

The following stirring appeal has been sent us by a gentleman whose name has seldom appeared as a con- tributor to the local press. He is by no means a pessimist or an altruist, but a person of sane judgment who has taken a deep and loyal interest in military affairs. He earnestly would have us enjoy it! Under German rule we would have separate schools; we would have freedom of speech; we would have the French in Quebec have their language, schools, religion, courts, etc. Under German rule every man, fit, when he came of age would have to serve his time in the army. Have to serve it, without any chance to get away from it. That is why Germany has such a tremendous army today, trained and efficient. So strong that it will require the com- bined effort of several nations to con- quere it.

FOOTBALL.

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SHEEP. Cotswold (registered) Ram aged—1 C. U. Heath and sons. Ram yearling—1, 2 and 3 C. U. Heath and sons.

Leicester (registered) Ram aged—1, 2 and 3 E. Maynes. Ram yearling—2 and 3 E. Maynes. Ram lamb—1 Geo. Hendy, 2 and 3 E. Maynes. Ewe aged—1 and 3 Geo. Hendy, 3 E. Maynes. Ewe yearling—1 and 2 Geo. Hendy, 3 E. Maynes. Shropshires (registered) Ram aged—W. A. Martin and sons, C. H. Curtis.

Dedicated to all smokers and good citizens, who are learning that "Tobacco hearts," "cigarette fiends," and "whiskey brains" the army doctors are now rejecting as unfit and undesirable men for our sea and land forces. Men, not slaves are wanted!

Those who when fears attack Bud's them avant and black Care at the horseman's back Perching, unseated. Sweet when the moon in grey. Sweet when they've cleared away Lunch; at close of day —Possibly sweetest.

I have a liking old For thee; though manifold Stories, I know, are told Not to thy credit. How one or two to most Drops make a cat a ghost. Useful, except they're cleared away —Possibly sweetest.

How they who use fuses, All grow, by slow degrees, Brainless as chimpanzees, Meagre as lizards, Go mad and beat their wives Plunge, after shocking lives, Razors and carving knives Into their gizzards.

Confound such knavish tricks. Yet know I five or six Smokers who freshly mix Still with their neighbors. Jones—who, I am glad to say, Aaked leave of Mrs. "J."— Dally absorbs a cigar. After his labors.

Cats may have had their goose Cooked by tobacco juice. Still, why deny its use. —Thoughtfully taken! We're not tobacco eaters. Smith, take a fresh cigar— Jones,—the tobacco jar. Here's to thee, Bacon!"

The author of this poetry is W. S. Calverley, an old time Cambridge man and he illustrates very wittily man's ability to formulate an excuse or an apology for many of even one of the minor evils or temptations that do so easily and frequently beset us—slowly but effectively under- mining the health—man's best pos- session—and the cause of the re- jection of a large number of re- cruits—for it is not they, nor the spawn of such as these, who de- spond or will defend us on the sea- or lands. No, there is no room on earth for the cigarette fiend, the cocaine fiend or the chocolate sol- dier. The world has always called for men, and there are no virtues en- couraged or envied by whiskey or tobacco. Debauchment and degeneracy are in its fumigations; manacles and umbrellas are the debts.

Yet, with Colverley, and John Adam, of Glasgow, we must, and will agree that there are occasions: "When sitting by the fire alone, And 'worldly cares crowd on the brain Why have I fit to bear the strain? The task is thine. To take my man an' soothe his pain. Miss Nicotine.

Street corner orators declaim Against thy worthy, honest fame, But 'broad an' butter' is their aim, I ken't for fine; They're mar to pity than to blame, —Miss Nicotine.

Come to my arms, my bonnie doo, An' twine thy curls about my brow; Another 'sweet one' on the mou, —Oh, bise divine! Life's no worth leavin' wantin' you, —Miss Nicotine.

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—J. S. S.

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GERMANY'S USE OF THE KIEL CANAL.

In his address to the departing Canadian soldiers, Colonel Hughes mentions a most interesting fact in connection with this war, namely, that its beginning followed immediately upon the completion of the Kiel Canal. It was only in July last that this great waterway connecting the North Sea with the Baltic was given its finishing touch and Germany was thus provided with an inland, protected passage for its warships from one sea to the other. The significance of the event, in its bearing upon Germany's war preparedness, does not seem to have been generally appreciated at the time, yet within a month Germany had declared war and the completed Kiel Canal was proving of more strategic value than any port or harbor or railway in the empire, for it was not only completely sheltering the fleet but was the means by which it could be swiftly moved to the quarter where danger threatened.

The German fleet has remained safely sheltered in the Kiel Canal ever since the outbreak of war. To-day it is reported that the waterway is nothing more or less than a great naval basin where the ships of the Kaiser are being fitted with a new type of Krupp gun and are being otherwise prepared for fighting which they may undertake. It hardly needs to be stated that while they remain in the canal the German ships are as safe from attack as if they were on the top of Mount Ararat. They cannot be "dug out," to use Winston Churchill's phrase, and if the Germans are prepared to surrender the complete supremacy of the sea to Great Britain during the war, there seems no reason why Germany could not, if she wished, come out of the war with her navy intact, even though her armies were defeated on land.

The course pursued by Germany with regard to her navy has been more or less puzzling. The world looked for a great naval battle within the first two weeks of war, a naval battle that would probably decide the whole struggle, but in more than two months of war there has been nothing more than minor engagements between less powerful vessels, in which the honors, however, have been with Great Britain. It has been claimed that the German policy is to wear down the British strength by the destruction of such vessels as may be cut off from the main fleet or reached by submarines. Yet, that policy of attrition has been quite as destructive to German naval strength as to British naval strength, and, at the rate at which it has been carried out, it would be years before Germany would be anywhere near Britain in strength, even though she lost not one vessel herself.

It is to be remembered, too, that Britain's building activity has become even greater since the war began. In shipyards all over the United Kingdom there is being carried to completion the program of ships laid down in the last two or three years. These include two of the giant battle cruisers of the Queen Mary type, as well as smaller cruisers and a huge flotilla of submarines and destroyers. In addition, there are the two giant battleships which were building for Turkey in English shipyards when the war began and which were immediately taken over. All these ships will be coming into commission at regular intervals during the next year and will not only more than make up all the wastage that may occur from the risks of war, but will also be of more modern type than the ships which they replace.

ADMIRAL SCOTT JUSTIFIED.

It will be remembered that, on May 31st last, Admiral Sir Percy Scott published in The Times a letter on the changed conditions of naval warfare which occasioned much comment in all parts of the world. That Admiral Scott is a great naval authority no one attempted to deny. The Times said, in prefacing his letter:

"Admiral Sir Percy Scott is a naval officer who has not only shown himself on several occasions able to think ahead of his contemporaries, but has made good his prophecies. To him we owed the presence of the naval guns at Ladysmith, which saved the situation,

if not South Africa. He it was who made possible the advance in marksmanship with heavy guns which has been such an important feature in naval efficiency of late years. To him, too, it is due that the navy recently was provided with a 'director' which has enormously increased the possibilities of hitting at long ranges, and enabled broadside salvo firing to be carried out with a precision heretofore unknown."

This, it will be admitted, was an extremely good certificate of character and ability for Admiral Scott from a paper which, editorially, declined to accept his views as set forth in the letter which it printed. It is not only interesting but instructive to recall the Admiral's letter now, in view of what has since happened. It is beginning to look more and more as if Sir Percy knew exactly what he was talking about. What account has the dreadnought given of itself at sea up to the present time? The war has now lasted more than two months, and not a shot has been fired by any battleship of any of the fleets of the nations involved. Practically all the effective work that has been done by the British or any other navy has been accomplished by cruisers and smaller craft. A number of German cruisers and other smaller war craft have been destroyed by British cruisers and submarines, while three British cruisers have been sunk by German submarines. Sir Percy Scott wrote:

"The functions of a vessel of war were:

(1) To attack ships that come to bombard our ports.

(2) To attack ships that come to blockade us.

(3) To attack ships conveying a landing party.

(4) To attack the enemy's fleet.

"The submarine renders 1, 2 and 3 impossible, as no man of war will dare come even within sight of a coast that is adequately protected by submarines; therefore the functions of a battleship as regards 1, 2 and 3, both defensively and offensively, have disappeared.

"The fourth function of a battleship is to attack an enemy's fleet, but there will be no fleet to attack, as it will not be safe for a fleet to put to sea. Thus has been demonstrated in all recent manoeuvres both at home and abroad, where submarines have been employed, and the demonstration should have made us realize that, now that submarines have come in, battleships are of no use either for offensive or defensive purposes; and, consequently, building any more in 1914 will be a misuse of money subscribed by the citizens for the defence of the empire.

"In war time the scouting aeroplanes will always be high above on the lookout, and the engines of a fire station. If an enemy is submarines in constant readiness as are the sighted the gong sounds, and the leash of a flotilla of submarines will be slipped. Whether it be night or day, fine or rough, they must go out to search for their quarry—if they find her she is doomed, and they give no quarter; they cannot board her and take her as a prize, as in the olden days; they only wait until she sinks, then return home without even knowing the number of human beings that they have sent to the bottom of the ocean. Will any battleship expose herself to such a dead certainty of destruction? I say No."

As already remarked, the war has now been in progress more than two months. Whom have its events justified, Admiral Scott or his critics? Not a single German dreadnought has left harbor. The British dreadnoughts have gone sailing—but where? Up in the north of the North Sea, far away from Germany's submarine bases. Of course, the German fleet has been kept in quarters, but could not that have been accomplished by much less expensive means, as suggested by Admiral Scott? All the effective work of the war has been done, and is being done, by comparatively small and inexpensive cruisers. The Niobe is of more practical value to the Empire at present than the biggest dreadnought.

QUEBEC IN LINE.

It is gratifying to have the positive assurance, if indeed assurance were needed, that the French Canadians of Quebec are vying with their English-speaking countrymen in their desire to go to the aid of Great Britain on the battlefields of Europe. In spite of the complaints and the taunts which unfortunately have been heard in some quarters that the French Canadians were not responding to the call for volunteers, French Canada is already splendidly represented in the first Canadian expeditionary force. Col. Sam Hughes stated at Ottawa the other day that there were about 2,500 French Canadians enlisted and on their way to active service.

But the patriotic people of Quebec are not content with this contribution, and a movement under the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Rudolph Lemieux and other leading French Canadians is on foot to organize a French Canadian contingent to be sent to the front with the next Canadian force. The proposal is to organize a brigade of four regiments, containing about 5,000 men. A private contribution of fifty thousand dollars has been already made toward the

project, which has the backing of leading French Canadian of both parties in the province of Quebec. An influential delegation appointed to forward the movement waited upon the government at Ottawa a few days ago and urged that the raising of this contingent be immediately undertaken.

WAR POETRY.

Despite the avalanche of poetry which has attended the war, the world refuses to be satisfied and impatiently awaits something which it considers worth while. So far, none of the great poets have lived up to their reputations. Robert Bridges, the poet laureate, from whom the public had a right to expect a masterpiece, had no reputation to live up to, but the great Kipling had, and Kipling has failed to please. Whether England's famous Rudyard will redeem himself before the end, remains to be seen.

Since the earliest days, war has almost invariably inspired notable literary efforts in verse and prose. The civil war in the United States produced remarkable music and poetry. The struggle in the Crimea, in which two of the present allies fought with the third, before Germany had found a place on the map of Europe or among the European powers, produced a plethora of songs and poems of high merit. From that titanic struggle emerged "The Charge of the Light Brigade," which lives in history. The Boer war marked the return of Rudyard Kipling to poetry and to himself at his best. To-day the world witnesses the most stupendous struggle of all times, but so far none of the world-famous poets have proved equal to the occasion. The conflagration is young, however, and the world has reason to hope that out of the terrific clash of arms will yet come something that will immortalize the author and remain imperishable in literature. Kipling may not be favored of the Gods, but a new light in the world of letters may arise. His advent is eagerly awaited.

The Boston Herald remarks that "General von Kluck discreetly refrains from crowing."

The Germans are making a noise in the direction of Antwerp merely in order to make conversation in Berlin.

If the Olympic games are to be held in Berlin in 1916, it is time for Kaiser Bill to be preparing his abdication papers.

With nearly 1,500,000 men under arms and the great masses clamoring for war, Italy is finding it harder and harder to remain neutral.

If you have not yet acquired the apple habit now is the time and the occasion to benefit yourself and serve your country by using one of its best products.

"My chivalrous enemy in war and my true friend in peace." This is a fine tribute which Field-Marshal Lord Methuen pays to the late General Delarey, whose prisoner he became when wounded in the South African war.

The battle of the Aisne has mystified the war prophets and most of the war experts by its length, but there seems no reason to doubt the confidence expressed on the Allies' side that the longer it lasts the better it will be for the cause of freedom, and the worse for Prussian militarism.

A Berlin military expert says that the Germans in allowing their right wing to be pushed back to the Belgian frontier are luring the French and British forces away from Paris. But the "luring" seems to be the kind to which our lamented friend Kuropatkin gave such vogue a few years ago.

It need occasion no surprise that the New York German publication, "The Fatherland," has been refused transmission in the Canadian mails, says the Toronto Star. In no country in the world but a British country would the enemy have been able to use the mails even once with such a publication, and in no British country but Canada could the enemy have used the mails to circulate several issues.

It is only a few years ago when certain people were denouncing the British government for its gift of free institutions to the conquered Boers of South Africa, and in particular, were deploring the fact that the future of British rule in South Africa has been entrusted to the hands of General Louis Botha. But to-day Botha is in the field leading his army against the enemy of Britain, and the free South African government is one of the strong right arms of the Mother Country.

THE HARVESTERS.

The Kaiser he went harvesting one golden summer morn,
He rode upon a cannon to go and cut the corn.
He tore away the fences about the ripening wheat,
He trampled down the barley beneath his horse's feet.
And as he goes a-galloping along his trail he leaves
All prostrate in the stubble a row of silent sheaves.
And all these sheaves are dead men, to home and country lost;
He shocked them up at sundown in one great holocaust.

Oh, we went forth a-harvesting one August morning sweet;
We rode upon our binders to cut the ripened wheat,
And round and round our fields we went beneath the summer sun,
Strewing all the land with sheaves until the day was done.

We drank of oatmeal water whenever we were dry,
And maidens came and gave us cake, our sweet-hearts gave us pie.
All among our golden sheaves a binder beats a Krupp,
And as the sun was going down we turned and shocked them up!

Oh, the Kaiser he went harvesting upon a smoking gun;
He cut ten thousand acres before the day was done.
His horses went a-galloping, he strewed the land with sheaves,
The world looks on his threshing floor, its stricken bosom grieves.
How much of all this heaped up grain will to the grist mill go,
To grind it into agony, to suffering and woe?
The Kaiser he shall learn this truth—he'll learn it well this fall,
"The mills of God grind slowly, but they grind exceeding small!"

As boys we went a-harvesting on binders made of steel,
To furnish man and beast with flour and shorts and bran and meal;
To heap a million tables with piles of buns and bread,
That all the hungry people—friend and foe alike—be fed.

For cake the little children this winter shall not sigh,
And all shall have their doughnuts and everyone his pie.
None other mills shall grind our wheat—none other mills but Thine,
Thy mills O God, grind slowly, but they grind exceeding fine."
—The Khan in The Toronto Telegram.

OUR SOLDIER LADS—A PRAYER.

O Thou! To Whose omnipotent decrees
The winds and waves a glad obedience yield,
At Whose command the low'ring clouds disperse,
And tempests cease! Who walketh on the deep
And rideth on the storm!
We pray Thee to protect our soldier lads,
As now they voyage cross he mighty main
To that fair Isle! that wondrous Motherland
From which their fathers came in bye-gone days—
The shrine of liberty!
Safeguard them from the perils of the sea,
From blast of tempest and from shot of foe,
And convoy them to their appointed port;
That they may valiant knights of freedom prove
In this: "The Nations' War!"
Forth have they gone at call of King and hearth
To battle for the right! Maintain their cause
O Thou, the God of Battles and of Peace,
And crown their arms with glorious victory,
Their campaigns with success!

Keep Thou the sheen upon their armour bright—
Let it not sully'd be by barb'rous deeds
Nor dimmed by wanton acts of violence—
Their flags are blazoned with th' Incarnate's Cross:
Symbol of sacrifice!

Bless Thou their enterprise! And may their deeds—
Their battles in the cause of righteousness,
Their struggles on behalf of brotherhood—
Hasten "The Day" when swords shall broken be
And men shall war no more!
—J. M. B.
The author of this fine poetry is John M. Black, son of the late John S. Black, Stirling. His mother and sisters still reside there, which is the birthplace of J. M. B. connected with the Montreal Standard.

Apartment House Life.
They have next door apartments.
They meet once in awhile.
When ten years flew
They ventured to
Exchange a passing smile.
Years ago; they have been neighbors
Almost two decades now,
So now and then,
Like friendly men,
They venture on a bow.
For years they have been meeting
At morning, night or noon,
And you'll agree
Are apt to be
Quite well acquainted soon.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

His Mistake.
"Look here," yelled the customer,
"didn't you tell me it would be safe
for me to carry those six dozen eggs
home in my suit case?"
"I did," replied the produce man.
"Well, look at this mess," yelled the customer.
"Every dingbatted one of them is busted."
"Well," replied the produce man,
"you must have forgotten to hard boil them."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In G Minor.
She failed to observe the poor man,
And down on his carcase she sat.
Said the man: "Hully gee,
The world's down on me!
I'll stand 'em, though I'm glad as a
smat."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

She failed to observe the park sign
Upon the new bench made of pipe—
"Look Out For Fresh Paint!"
And she cried, "Hully salt,
I've ruined this new dress of mine!"
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Full of Meaning.
"The count thinks our American
slang is so picturesque and means so
much. He said he was going to study
it up and surprise us by his command
of it some day."
"Did he?"
"Yes. At the supper at Mrs. De
Styler's last night he said to her, 'Lead
me, little one, to the cats!'"—Balti-
more American.

Modest Marjorie.
Now prouder little Marjorie
Elin Phillips-Hopper
Sits in the lap of luxury
And thinks it not improper.

But in the lap of Poverty
She'd sit—not, it's a clincher,
'Twould never do at all for her,
For Poverty would pinch her.
—Puck.

She Had Made a Mental Note.
Instructor in Latin—Miss B., of what
was Ceres the goddess?
Miss B.—She was the goddess of mar-
riage.
Instructor—Oh, no! Of agriculture.
Miss B. (looking perplexed)—Why, I
am sure my book says she was the
goddess of husbandry!—Philadelphia
Ledger.

One Drawback.
The rain is good for thirsty ground,
For seeds that seek the air,
For roots the frost has tightly bound,
For snowdrops dry and bare;
It paints the flowers in red and blue
Or any shade you wish;
But, ah, it's bad for lady shoes
That swish, swish, swish!
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Sequel.
"My husband sees, sink elephants
when he drinks."
"Mine has a worse delusion than
that. He sees green dogs. It's very
expensive too."
"How's that?"
"Why, he goes and buys licenses for
'em."—Buffalo Commercial.

That's the Limit.
I don't mind the wis of the passing
—Mrs. M.
And I cheerfully scramble and dodge,
But it galls me to feel
That the man of the street
Calls his remodeled harness "sardines."
—Detroit Free Press.

Qualified Enthusiasm.
"Don't you think he is awfully cute for
anything?" asked the proud young
mother, referring to her baby.
"Oh, I don't know," replied her sev-
enteen-year-old brother. "He's cute
enough, I guess, but I never did think
much of people who hadn't any teeth."
—Chicago Record-Herald.

Wu! I
"I don't like my wife," said Bill Dadder.
"Her talk makes me madder and madder.
I'm a frenchiee bookkeeper,
But to make me feel cheaper
She calls me her old spotted adder."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

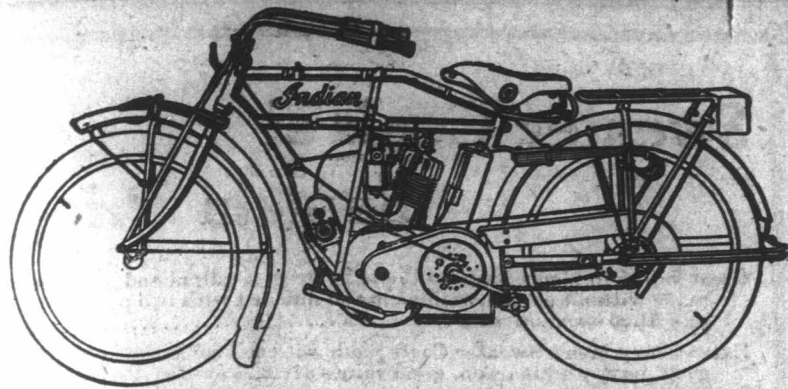
Cause For Rejoicing.
"Your wife used to like to sing, and
she played the piano a lot. Now we
don't hear her at all. How's that?"
"She hasn't the time. We have two
little children."
"Well, well! After all, children are a
blessing!"—Dallas News.

Her Predicament.
Poor mother hangs around the aisle
With deep distress to voice.
The hats are always out of style
Ere she can make a choice.
—Kansas City Journal.

Folled!
Mr. Crimsonbeak—I see a novel de-
parture has been made in New South
Wales by starting plowing at night.
Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Just think! There
is a new excuse for you to try and put
over for staying out late at night!—
Yonkers Statesman.

Personal Exception.
On patience we put special stress.
All projects should commence with it
'Tis something others should possess
While we ourselves dispense with it.
—Washington Star.

She Knew a Way.
He (after the proposal)—My salary is
\$1,000 a year. Now, dearest, what is
the least you think you can live on a
year?
She—Well, how much credit can you
get?—Sacramento Union.



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Englishmen Found Travelling Cheap in France—Received Many Kindnesses and Was Welcomed Everywhere—Saw British Stragglers in Quaker Attire.

London, Oct. 6.—Returning travellers from the Continent say that travelling there is cheaper than before the war. One artist, who has just come back from France told how he started out with \$10 and returned home with \$125 after spending a week in the war zone. His week's travel cost him just \$8.75. He said: "I have just spent a week in France and Belgium, have travelled scores of miles on foot and by rail, when, a day ago, I got on the boat at Ostend with a jealously-guarded return ticket. I still had \$1.25 remaining from the \$10 which represented my financial resources when I landed on French soil. Touring on the Continent just now seems to be cheaper than in times of piping peace, thanks mainly to the delightful disregard of French and Belgian railway officials for such mundane things as fares or tickets.

"Eight days ago I found myself in Boulogne, a stranger in a strange land, and with no idea of the language. Boulogne was like Glasgow on a Sunday. I tried to get through to Paris, but it was impossible, so I decided to go to Ostend. Grim tales of U-boat patrols were told me. Railway fares were out of the question. I had not then thought of the possibility of free rides, so I set out to walk.

"A day's tramp saw me at Calais. Three times I was stopped by French soldiers. The only French word I knew was 'Anglais,' but that was enough. 'Anglais,' I said, and waved my much-thumbed passport with all the assurance of a tourist with a Baedeker. It had a marked effect. 'Smiles, smiles, and good replaced the farseeing challenges of a moment before.

"The early success of 'Anglais' brought inspiration at Calais. The stationmaster, ticket collector, booking clerk, board and smiled at the magic word. 'No one dreamt of my paying for a ticket to Dunkirk.

"But having boarded the train, I thought my luck had turned. The ticket collector followed me into the compartment and settled himself as for a journey. Visions of arrest rose up, born perhaps of a guilty recollection of having once travelled from the Mansion House to 'Chartwell' Cross in command ordered up to retreat and we parted back.

"On the way we passed a deserted Maxims. There was a Lancashire chap who knew how to work it. 'Long boys,' he shouted, and made a dive for the gun. A few moments later I looked back. There he was, pumpin' lead into the mass of 'em, laughin' for all he was worth and yellin' out: 'Look at 'em droppin' like flies, and get 'em droppin' like the last I saw of 'im.

"At Ostend I fell in with nine more stragglers. One of them was a braver Yorkshireman. His chief grievance was that he hadn't been allowed to go and how he was getting on. 'Tha sees lad,' he remarked in perfect seriousness, 'th' missus knows that now and then I drink one or two more glasses than I ought to, and she'll be 'avin' my head for the wall. A few days before he had been in a terrifically hot engagement, yet the only thing that worried him was the fear that the 'missus' might be anxious about what he called the 'tootalary.'

LORD KITCHENER'S WORK.

Great Work Accomplished by the New Head of the War Office.

It is about eight weeks since Lord Kitchener took charge of the War Office, and he has accomplished some remarkable work. Canada has had in the dispatch of her expeditionary force of rather more than one division some idea of what an undertaking and fitting out of an army is. Some paragraphs from a recent issue of London Truth give some idea of what the mother country, under Lord Kitchener's guidance, has been doing. The army council has now completed the organization of the new army. It is now they have done it. The 6th division has at last gone abroad, leaving Sir John Jellicoe to take care of invasion. This two new divisions, the 7th and 8th are being formed out of regular troops unattached to Sir John French's six divisions, together with the units which have been brought home from South Africa and the Mediterranean. When the artillery and transports for these two divisions arrive the Field Marshal will have a fourth army corps under his command, the 5th corps and a third cavalry division being on their way, if they have not already joined him, from India. Judged by the quantity alone, to say nothing of quality, this force of 200,000 men hardly answers the German Emperor's description of a contemptible little army.

Now about the new armies. The police had a call last evening to a place where there was fear that some men were planning to break into a house. The officers found that instead of two burglars talking together, it was one old wet drunk who was talking to himself as he was trying to find a bed in the barn.

Why is it that an ordinary level-headed man can't resist making silly speeches when a girl in the legitimate discharge of her duties comes in his way?

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W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

Fifth Annual Convention of the Counties of Hastings, Lennox & Addington, Held in Trenton on October 1st and 2nd.

The convention opened Thursday morning with a good attendance of county officers and representatives from the different Unions. The president, Mrs. Gibson of Napanee, who was in the chair, conducted the devotional exercises.

After the appointment of plan of work, resolution and courtesy committees, the county officers reported on the work done during the year.

The corresponding secretary in her report showed a growth in membership and in pledges and a deepening interest in the work. Total money raised \$478.85. The superintendent of Fruit and Flower mission gave details of the excellent work done in the Belleville "Y" and also in the Belleville "W".

The superintendent of Mothers' Meetings reported having given several addresses showing the importance of the work. The department of Anti-Narcotics, including cocaine and morphine showed an awakening interest and the report contained many helpful suggestions. One Union gave leaflets to school children and had essays prepared from them.

After hearing the report of Parlor Meetings, all agreed that this was a particularly good department in which to specialize; many could be reached in this way. The Dept. of Temperance in Sabbath Schools, said that temperance was taken up thoroughly in Napanee with good results.

In the report of the press department special mention was made of the work done in the Belleville "Y". The Medal Contest superintendent pointed out the educative value of holding contests and their far-reaching influence.

The evangelistic superintendent emphasized the great need of prayer urged upon the workers to take more time for devotional exercises.

Mrs. Miller of Frankford led in noon-time praying of the afternoon session, Mrs. McKee, Provincial Hon. President, was introduced. Several excellent papers were then given in interesting and instructive discussions. Two of the papers read are "Parlor Meetings" contributed by Mrs. John Williams of Belleville; and one "Essentials to Success" by Miss E. Farley of Belleville.

A paper "The Lost Bylaws" showed the need of enforcing good laws already on our statute books. This was followed by another paper pointing out where other laws were needed. The necessity of Loyal Temperance Legions was emphasized as in this work an opportunity was given to mould the character of the young-people of the country. It was deemed by some the most important branch. Ninety per cent. of the children who sign the pledge keep it.

At the evening session, the chairman, Rev. Mr. Foster conducted the devotional service. Their rendering of welcome were given. Mrs. (Dr.) Goldsmith delighted the audience with two selections. Miss Foster rendered a solo very acceptably. Mrs. McKee was the speaker of the evening. She impressed upon her hearers the great need of workers and how much there was to be accomplished not only in the fight against the drink habit, but also the increasing use of narcotics and the social evils claim our most earnest efforts. She spoke of the

war and of the interest we take in our boys in their fighting line. We must take as deep an interest in our boys at home who are fighting greater evils. She gave the quotation "It is good to die for our country, but it is better to live for our country." Addressing herself to the girls, Mrs. McKee impressed upon them their responsibility in exerting a helpful influence over young men. The moral standard should be the same for both men and women. Women can wield a great influence by wearing the little "bow of white" the emblem of purity. Although women have no vote they cause their influence to put the right man in power, men who will fight the evil in our land. One of the greatest means, Mrs. McKee said, of furthering our cause was through the press. Next to the ministers the newspapers could wield the greatest influence for good. The meeting closed with the national anthem and benediction. Friday morning session was opened by devotional service led by Mrs. (Rev.) Rogers of Trenton. The officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President—Mrs. John Williams, of Belleville. Vice Pres.—Mrs. Gibson, Napanee. 1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. W. S. Miller, Frankford. 2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Rockwell, Napanee. Cor. Sec.—Miss Lucy Anderson, of Napanee. Rec. Sec.—Miss E. Farley, Belleville. Treas.—Miss Maud Reeves, Belleville. L.T.L. Sec.—Mrs. O. R. Ladley, Napanee.

The following superintendents of departments were appointed: Religious, Mrs. T. A. Dunwoodie, Newburg; Flower and Fruit Mission, Miss F. E. McClatchie, Belleville; Moral Education, Mrs. M. J. Bennett, of Belleville; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. A. Ray, Belleville; Law Enforcement, Mrs. D. G. Dufour, Madoc; Franchise, Mrs. Helen Paken, Belleville; Anti-Narcotics, Mrs. Rockwell, Napanee; Medal Contest, Mrs. E. Farley, Belleville; Press, Mrs. J. H. Hodge, Napanee; Loyal Temperance in S. S., Mrs. Schryver, Belleville.

The question box was then taken up by Mrs. McKee and County Work discussed. The closing session of the convention opened at two o'clock. Mrs. McKee gave another excellent address, which appealed strongly to all who heard her. The Union was formed in Trenton, with a large membership and full list of officers.

The following plan of work was adopted for the coming year— 1 That we take up the distribution of literature and personal way, and that we have a literature depository in our country. 2 That in view of the wide field that is open to us through the holding of parlor meetings and the educative influence we can exert through them, we desire to specialize along this line. 3 That considering the evils arising from children being allowed on our streets at night, and attending questionable places, we turn our attention to end avoring to enforce our laws regarding the guardianship of children, specially emphasizing the curfew bell. And that we take the Loyal Temperance Legion work with greater vigor. 4 That we endeavor to draw attention to the evil effects of Narcotics including cocaine and morphine, upon mind and body, and that we urge the authorities to curtail the manufacture and sale of same. 5 That provincial superintendents be advised to write a letter of instructions to any county or local superintendent of her department when asked to do so and not to send blank form only.

RESOLUTIONS Resolved that we heartily endorse and will faithfully work for local option and license reduction, believing that for the present these methods are the best methods with which to fight the prohibition battle. Resolved that as a county we cooperate with the Dominion W.C.T.U. by using our influence towards the passage of the Cigarette Bill now in the committee stage in the House of Commons.

Resolved that we place ourselves on record as approving of the stand taken by many newspapers of to-day in their refusal to print liquor advertisements and hope that many others will soon follow their example. Resolved that we extend our sincere thanks to all those who in any way have contributed to the success of this convention.

RUSSIAN WOULD SET ASIDE SALE Leon Schiff, recently arrived from Russia, seeks to set aside an agreement of sale and to recover \$250 paid on ten lots in Murray Township, Northumberland County. Acting for Schiff, Alexander MacGregor has issued a writ against the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada, trustee for the vendors.

CANADIAN CLUB ANTHEM The version of "O Canada" by R. Stanley Weir, was at the last annual meeting of the Association of Canadian Clubs held in Vancouver was officially adopted as the standard Canadian anthem for Canadian Clubs. Mr. Weir's version is as follows:— O Canada, our home, our native land True patriot love thou dost in us command We see thee rising fair, dear land The true north strong and free And stand on guard, O Canada We stand on guard for thee.

CHORUS— O Canada, O Canada, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. O Canada, where pines and maples grow Great prairies ariad and joridy rivers flow Thou art the land, O Canada From East to Western Sea, The light of hope for all who toil The land of liberty. O Canada, beneath thy shining skies May stalwart sons and gentle maidens rise; And so O Canada, From East to Western Sea, Where'er thy pines and prairies are, The true north strong and free. The local Club holds its first gathering of the season next Thursday at 6.30 when the Rev. Mr. Adam Sherr, C.M.G. of Ottawa.

Axle Snapped. Mr. Reuben Cooper while driving his automobile on Front street about ten-thirty last night met with a slight mishap at the corner of Victoria Ave. last night. In turning, the axle snapped off at the left front wheel and let that side down. No one was injured.

Arm Hurt by Roller. A little girl living on Catherine St. had a narrow escape from having her arm broken yesterday afternoon about five o'clock. Some children were playing on the slope of the Queen Mary School grounds near the corner of Catherine and Isabella street when a little girl ran in front of it to stop it, and fell, her left arm being run over by the heavy roller running up half way between the elbow and shoulder. She screamed with pain and some children rolled the roller back. The elbow fortunately was not broken but was bruised.

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Belleville branch of the Hastings Liberal club has been postponed for one week and will be held on Thursday evening Oct. 22 instead of Oct. 15 as previously announced. This was thought advisable owing to the fact that the Canadian club had previously arranged to hold its first meeting for the season on the evening of the 15th.

ent House Life. Next door apartments once in awhile in years few entered to a passing smile. They have been neighbors for decades now, and then, kindly men, are on a bow. They have been meeting at night or noon, and will agree to be acquainted soon. Belleville Courier-Journal.

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st Marjorie. a little Marjorie Pipe-Hopper lap of Luxury is it not improper. lap of Poverty not, it's a chicken. we do at all, you see, try would pinch her. —Puck.

made a Mental Note. Latin—Miss E., of what godness? was the goddess of marriage, no! of agriculture. king perplexed)—Why, I book says she was the husbandry—Philadelphia

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Aspects of Thanksgiving and the Holiday, One Turns to the Thought of What is New to Wear

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New! Holiday Neckwear and Notions

Each holiday seems to bring out some new feature in Neckwear and this one is no exception. Some very pretty novelties have made their appearance already and in Ribbons a profusion of bright and pretty colors are found. Some really smart new Pocket Books are to be had with all the very newest accessories included in them.



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and fortunately this season has given us some exceptionally pretty and decidedly good patterns both in made up cloths and in Table Linen by the yard, a feature of which is the napkins to match most of the patterns by the yard, and at prices which are lower than formerly and qualities equally as high.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. P. J. M. Anderson went to Deseronto today

Miss Laura Biteman of Peterborough Normal School was home for the holidays.

Miss Irene McLaren was home from Peterborough Normal School for Thanksgiving.

Mr. George Meyers of Toronto, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walters and son Austin, spent Thanksgiving Day in Napanee.

Mr. Roger Porter spent the holidays at home.

Mr. Frank Parker of Toronto was home for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Geo. Taylor bought a bag of potatoes on the market, but they were not delivered.

Quiet Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Day was quietly spent in Belleville. For some it was sadder than a year ago owing to the absence of soldier friends in Europe. For the others generally the day was spent in home reunions and anti-winter preparations. Motoring, hunting and rifle shooting were the sports of the day.

Thanksgiving Sermons.

Thanksgiving sermons were delivered in all of the city churches on Sunday last. The congregations were large in all the churches. References to the war and Canada marked nearly every discourse.

Bancroft Man in Trouble.

A man named McMurray has been committed to the county jail for trial from Bancroft on a charge of writing threatening letters. He will come up on October 20th.

Upper Bridge Reopened.

The upper bridge was reopened for vehicular traffic this morning. Both walks are now closed while repairs are being made. The reconstruction of the piers is about completed.

Vaudeville Season Was Anspiciously Opened.

There was a capacity audience at Griffin's last night to witness the opening of the vaudeville season for the winter. The big crowd was delighted with the entire program. The Lawrence sisters with their graceful Scottish dances, spirited singing, and playing of the bagpipes received an ovation of applause. The pictures shown were very timely. One reel showed Kaiser Wilhelm in his hunting forest bringing down big game heard in various parts of the house as the well known features of the War Lord were recognized. Other reels from the seat of war depicted scenes in France, Austria and Great Britain.

The same pictures and vaudeville artists will be seen again tonight and tomorrow night.

MADOC JUNCTION.

Many from here attended the Bible drama pictures in Stirling Opera House last week. Those who would not go missed an opportunity of seeing pictures that every reader of the Bible ought to appreciate.

The Sunday school rally here last Sunday afternoon was not as well attended as some had hoped it would be. The church was decorated with fruit and grain and the children took part in the program. The address by our pastor was much appreciated.

Mrs. James Robinson of Belleville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lake. Several of the members of the W. M. S. here, expect to attend the convention at Phillipston this week.

Mr. Arthur Wilson and Miss Wilson of W. Huntingdon, also Master S. Coulter of Stirling, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrews.

Miss Brown our P. S. teacher, spent the holidays at her home near Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stapley are receiving congratulations. A little boy baby arrived last week.

Mrs. F. S. Pollard and little daughters Anna and Jean of Gananoque, visited friends here, last week.

Mrs. Phil Hamilton was the guest of Mrs. H. S. Ashley, on Friday.

Mrs. Irvin of Foxboro, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bennett.

Rev. C. Reddick gave an excellent lecture on the war last Friday evening. Rev. W. A. Young of Manitoba, occupied the chair. The church was decorated with maple leaves, flags etc, in honor of the occasion.

SINE.

Rally day service was well attended on Sunday Oct. 4th. The ladies of Bethel church are preparing a good program for their Thanksgiving tea on Monday evening Oct. 12th.

Rev. Mr. Terrill of Stirling will preach the anniversary services on Sunday, Oct. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Green visited friends in Campbellford on Sunday. Miss Alberta returned home with them at the evening, after spending about a week there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wannamaker of Stirling visited at Mr. C. M. Sine's on Sunday.

Filling bins in the order of the day. Mrs. S. Denke has returned home, after spending a week with friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Waller and family Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Green and Miss Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sine attended the wedding of Miss Bertha Sine and Mr. Arthur Wood on Wednesday last.

HALSTON.

Everybody is enjoying the nice warm weather. The Dominion Alliance man from Toronto gave an address at Mount Pleasant on Sunday.

Some of the people from here attended the Melrose on Oct. 4th. Rev. F. G. Joblin our former pastor was the preacher for the day.

Miss Anderson visited her sister on Sunday.

Mr. James Goodman of Rochester has been visiting his brother Mr. W. Goodman.

Mrs. Palmer of Peterboro is spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. Theodore Parks.

Mr. Alex. Crawford had the misfortune to get hurt with his horse. Do not forget the rally service at Mt. Pleasant next Sunday night.

LATTA.

The rain which fell on Friday night and Saturday will be welcome by the farmers as it will make plowing much easier.

Apple picking and potato digging is the order of the day.

Mr. John Braden is erecting a fine new house and will soon have it completed.

Mr. John Dodgeon has again hired for his fifth year to manufacture cheese in the Silver Spring Cheese factory.

Rev. Sanderson of West Belleville church gave an interesting discourse on the war in Ghend church last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. H. Mott who has been visiting friends in Cannifton and Belleville has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Freary, Mr. A. Hogie and mother visited at Mr. Chas. Treverton's on Sunday.

Mr. J. McCoy and daughter Vera of Belleville visited at Mr. John Dodgeon's on Sunday.

SIDNEY CROSSING.

Oct. 12th.—Rev. Mr. Sanderson of West Belleville church gave a most interesting address on his travels in Europe at Wesley church Bayside on Monday evening last. He is a most fluent speaker and held his audience spell-bound for over two hours.

He touched on his visit to Val Cartier and vividly related his experiences in Germany after war had been declared.

His listeners have a better insight of the cause and results of the war up to present time than they ever had and will be more interested in the war news from the front.

Rev. Mr. Banner of Trenton filled the pulpit at Aiken's church yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Vandervoort of Port Hope are visiting at the home of his father, Mr. W. R. Vandervoort.

Mrs. Martin and daughter Sarah of Trenton are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gribbon of Belleville spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Lawrence.

Mr. Judson Kelley spent the week end of last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Phillips Robinsonville.

A young son has come to make his home with Rev. and Mrs. Joblin at the Baptist parsonage.

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Sweater Coats at Bargain Prices

Great values in Men's Sweater Coats in grey, cardinal and navy blue, made without collars, well made and finished with two pockets \$1.25 and \$1.50 each, on sale..... 75c
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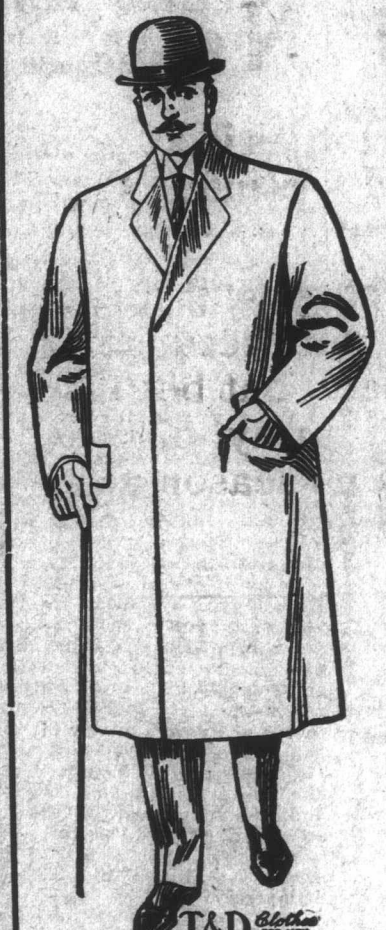
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\$10, \$15, \$20

Oak Hall

LARGE ATTENDANCE AND FINE EXHIBITION VERDICT OF THOSE WHO ATTENDED MADOC FAIR

Madoc Agricultural society yesterday amply sustained their reputation for producing one of the very best local exhibitions in eastern Ontario. The fine weather particularly in the afternoon, no doubt contributed to the attendance, but the reputation of Madoc fair rests upon a more solid foundation than mere weather conditions. In every department there was a display of stock or products worth going many miles to see.

And the people came, conservative estimates placed the attendance at 4,000. They were dispersed all over the spacious grounds, the majority having a good time visiting with their friends many critically examining the exhibits in the different parts of the grounds.

Others watching with keen interest the varied attractions of a genuine "midway" and a multitude of others surrounding the ring where the "trials of speed" were taking place. Everybody seemed to be having a good time, and to be satisfied with themselves, with the fair and the world generally.

There was a large, varied and excellent showing of horses. The agricultural class was most in evidence, but in heavy and particularly in the large classes some very fine animals were to be seen. In heavy draught horses leading exhibitors were Wm. Miller, Madoc; Gilbert Wannamaker and F. A. Comerford, Madoc; and J. H. Maynes, Thomasburg.

Agriculture was shown by Jno. Trotter, and W. K. Ellis, Madoc; W. H. Hubbell, Marmora; Robert Fry, Camp-Hillford.

Chariots and driving horses were shown by a great number of the members, in the majority of cases one of two entries only being made. We noticed some particularly good ones that were shown by Geo. A. Rose, Frankford; Stevedore, McGuiggie, Belmont; Clayton Tucker, Stirling; Murray Couther, W. L. Ketcheson, and J. E. Bateman, Thomasburg; A. J. Fitzgerald, Tweed; and W. J. Fanning, Lindsay.

The showing of cattle was not so large as at some of the other fairs, but those shown were of a high standard. The fine herd of Jas. A. Caskey was much admired, F. A. Comerford of Eldora, K. C. of another fine herd of Holsteins. Two choice herds of ayrshires were shown by Hector Wood & Son, Crookston, and Jas. Hill, Madoc. E. W. Brooks and sons, Stirling were the only extensive exhibitors in the beef-making breeds.

Sheep and ewe classes were both well filled. E. Matnes, Thomasburg; W. A. Martin & Sons, Giesed; F. A. Comerford, W. K. Ellis, Madoc; Hector Wood & Son and C. U. Heath, Harrow were the more prominent exhibitors.

Madoc Fair enjoys the reputation of having the best poultry exhibit in eastern Ontario. Yesterday's showing was sufficient to confirm that estimate, for such a large, varied and uniformly excellent exhibit has seldom been seen at any district exhibition. The Plymouth rocks, and Leghorns varieties appeared to be the favorite breeds, but Spanish, Minorcas, Brahmas and Orpington were well represented by some very meritorious birds. There were also many crates of turkeys, geese, and ducks in the display. Such well known breeders and fanciers were represented, A. H. Watson, J. C. Barton, and W. E. Connor, Madoc; E. S. Walte, Belleville and J. D. Narrie and W. H. Hubbell, Marmora.

Madoc fair has also had the reputation of bringing together the best exhibition of cheese in the section. This year there were thirty entries and competition extremely keen. Mr. Morden Bird of Stirling was the expert judge and pronounced the cheese uniformly of high quality. The Madoc Cheese Board special was captured by Fred. Rimmington, maker at Cold Springs factory. The Bank of Ontario silver medal and the Dominion bank special were both captured by W. C. West of the Maple Leaf factory, Springbrook. The society's first prize for white cheese went to Mr. C. Law of Springbrook factory.

The butter, too, was of a superb quality and the display fairly large. The Corby special was won by Mrs. Wm. Tunely, Madoc, while Mrs. Archie Thompson of Madoc carried off premier honors for the society's prizes for prints and rolls.

We do not think we have anywhere seen so large an exhibit of large potatoes as we saw at Madoc yesterday. The district around Madoc has long been known as one of the best sections in the province for the culture of this great household necessity but this year they seem to have passed the uncommonly good and reached the extra ordinary and the mammoth. The

same remark applies to turnips, mangels, carrots, and other garden and field produce. The corn and field grains were also of high quality.

Passing to the Ladies department the display was of amazing variety, large extent and high quality. Particular mention should be made of the great array of fancy work shown by Mrs. S. A. Lookwood, Belleville, and Mrs. Robert Logan of Renfrew.

In the less ornate but perhaps not less attractive department of home-made bread, pies and pastry there was a display such as would make any man howling hungry right after a full meal. The exhibits in this class were most creditable and of them several paid a high tribute to the section. Particular mention should be made of the culinary skill of the ladies who patronise this fair.

NOTES

W. B. Northrup, K.C., M.P., and Robert Cook M. P. were interested visitors.

Mr. W. E. Tammon, reeve of Huntingdon, is president this year and his enthusiasm and energy did much to make the fair a success.

The Ontario representative is much indebted to the secretary, Mr. Will J. Hill for his kindness and courtesy in volunteering information about the various departments of the fair. This is Mr. Hill's first year in the secretaryship and he seems to have fallen into the pace without any difficulty. He has introduced a new system of book-keeping, using numbers instead of letters for the entries, much effort and arriving at greater accuracy.

Could not the society arrange with the Grand Trunk to hold the afternoon train until a later hour on the last day? The opportunity afforded visitors from the south to see the fair between the arrival and departure of the trains is too limited to do justice to all the sights.

This year's entries reached the very satisfactory total of 1750.

Mr. Wm. Hawthorne, Madoc, had a very attractive and ingenious exhibit of modelling in clay. Mr. Hawthorne has remarkable talent for the production of this class of work.

Foxboro band supplied the music during the day. Their patriotic and spirited selections seemed to be in keeping with this war year. Under the leadership of Mr. D. W. Ketcheson, Foxboro band has developed into one of the finest musical organizations of the district. Their work at a number of fairs around the district has been greatly appreciated.

The officers of Madoc Fair for 1914 are:

Hon. Presidents, Dr. W. Harper, Jas. A. Caskey, President, W. E. Tammon, 1st. Vice-President, T. H. Moore; 2nd Vice-President, F. A. Comerford; Secretary, Will J. Hill; Treasurer, Denis H. Heath; Directors, Jno. Stewart, C. J. Smith, A. H. Forrestill, Jas. Kincaid, Hector Wood jr., W. T. Harris, Geo. A. Ketcheson, Jno. A. Ketcheson, T. H. Thompson, Angus Nicholson, Jas. English, Samuel Hollins, Alex. Glover, Geo. W. A. D. Dewney, Jno. G. Woods, A. H. Watson, Christopher Wright, W. H. Kells, Jas. B. Hill, J. C. Barton. Auditors, W. E. Connor, A. Kincaid.

OBITUARY.

MRS. JOHN SMITH

The sad death occurred in Toronto on Monday, Oct. 5, of Margaret McMahon, wife of the late John Smith. The deceased was born in Kingston 76 years ago, and spent her girlhood there, then moved to Belleville, where she lived a number of years. She has resided with her daughter, Mrs. Ham in Toronto. There are left to mourn her loss three sisters, and one brother, also one daughter, Mrs. Ham, of Toronto, and one son, John Smith, of Kingston. A very sad part is that the late Mrs. Smith is the grandmother of Miss Eva Smith, the young Kingston girl, who mysteriously disappeared some time ago. Her many friends of the deceased will be grieved at hearing of her death.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Strange Procedure on Part of the Council.

Editor of The Ontario.—I read Ald. Platt's letter in Tuesday night's Ontario and must say that I was not much surprised at what Ald. Platt says in reference to the Public Works department, for the indications all along have been that we have a very weak council that has been managed in a very unaggressive manner. The chairman of this department has not asserted himself sufficiently. He has hardly ever been heard from in his capacity as an alderman. When it was decided that applications were to be advertised for to fill the position of city engineer, this matter was not placed in charge of the Public Works committee, as it should have been, and which heretofore has been the practice. But the chairman of public works was passed over and treated with contempt, whose prerogative it was to look after this business. Did Dr. Ald. Platt resent this? No, he did not even attempt to assert his rights as I think he should. Perhaps there is a good reason for the officials in the Public Works department taking matters into their own hands and running the show. If Ald. Platt was cognizant of wrong doings and could not get them righted why did he not let the taxpayers know the facts through the papers? But "it is better late than never."

A. Robinson.

RED CROSS.

The fortnightly meeting of the Red Cross and Supply Committee in connection with the Belleville Patriotic Association was held on Monday evening of this week. Reports of committees were heard and and were most interesting. The camp supply as keeping up its work in giving out material to be made up. The Finance Committee under Mrs. Mac-Cole and her assistants have under development their large entertainment to be held in the armories on the 30th and 31st of this month. The ladies look for this to be a huge success.

The Treasurer, Mrs. (Dr.) Gibson, begs to acknowledge with thanks the following subscriptions and receipts since last meeting—

Mrs. Gordon Smith	\$2.00
Mrs. Newberry, St. Louis	1.00
Signed—Red Cross	1.00
Mrs. S. D. Lazer	5.00
Mrs. Smart	5.00
Mrs. J. M. C. C. C.	5.00
Money box Johnny Sherry	5.12
Sale of Candy	7.00
Membership fees	4.75
Total	\$31.87

The committee is handicapped by not knowing what funds they can rely on and would be glad if any one would give them a hand for the benefit of the Red Cross work going on in their contributions to Mrs. Gibson so that the work can go on satisfactorily.

As there are several people who would gladly make articles for the Red Cross if they only knew the directions, it has been considered advisable to have the following directions printed in the daily papers. These directions come from the Canadian Red Cross Society and are as reliable as can be had. Donations of any articles made up can be given to Mrs. O'Flynn or her assistants at the committee rooms, 44 York street on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 4.30 o'clock and on Saturday mornings from 10 to 12 o'clock.

KNITTED GOODS

Knitted Chokers Belts—Cast on for 150 to 200 stitches, No. 13 steel needles, knit three inches ribbed, knit on to No. 9 bone needles, and knit eight inches plain; knit on to the steel needles again, and rib for three inches. Sew up the back. Cast on and take off loosely. Bechwa finger yarn No. 5. Cast on and cast off very loosely.

Boots—With heels, in large sizes; ribbed legs. Grey or khaki 3-ply yarn not red or purple. Use No. 14 steel needles. Use soft wool. Make foot 11 inches.

Scarfs—72 inches long, nine in wide, in grey or khaki. Loose stitch. Sleeping or Balachava Cap—A very simple pattern. Ribbed, knit two inches, 4-ply yarn in grey or khaki. Begin with 48 stitches and knit two flaps of 48 stitches each, two inches deep of two and two rib. Then join the flaps by knitting on to four needles. Knit ten inches of two and two rib. Cast off thirty stitches to leave a space of two and one half inches deep and about four inches wide. Then cast on the 30 stitches again and knit as before six inches before finishing the top. Be sure that this is large enough to slip over a man's head.

Wristslets—Grey or khaki, 4-ply fingering, No. 14 needles, knit about sixty stitches, rib for nine inches. Cast off loosely. A hole for the thumb may be left if desired, so that the wristslet can be used as a mitt.

Mitts—30x of 4-ply yarn grey or khaki, 6 needles, No. 14. Knit like ordinary man's glove, but cast off fingers and thumbs after knitting 2 inches, leaving tops open.

COUNTY COUNCIL AND BRIDGES

Owing to the present state of the finances in the country, it has been decided by the committees of the county council of Hastings not to proceed with bridges which had been planned to be rebuilt, except those under construction. The bridges action on which has been delayed, are in Tyrindanga. These can be straightened for the present, it is believed, and next spring it is likely they will be the first to be replaced. All the outlined work except in these two or three cases has been completed.

GENTRE HASTINGS CONVENTION

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The annual convention of the Centre Hastings Teachers' Institute opened today in the Methodist church at Marmora.

At this morning's session Mr. A. D. McIntosh district representative delivered an address on "Home Gardens and School Farms," while J. A. Micklejohn A.R. A. M. reported on the Rural Teachers' summer conference at the O. A. S.

This afternoon, F. F. Macpherson, B.A. of the Normal School, Hamilton, spoke on "History," Miss Carroll on "Composition with third and fourth classes" and Inspector W. Mackintosh delivered an address in the town hall there will be given interpretive recitals by Principal F. H. Kirkpatrick Ph. D. School of Expression, Toronto, based on Sir James M. Barrie's "Little Minister."

Friday's business will be election of officers, addresses on "Literature" by F. F. Macpherson B.A., and "Economy of School Time" by E. T. Williams, "School Room Games" by Miss Moran "Art in the Public School," by O. S. Haig, and discussions.

Mr. Sam Munroe, Mrs. Jerry Covert and daughter, Miss K. Covert of Crofton were in town today.

HOME GUARD ON PARADE

Rounds of Applause Greeted Home Guards and Highland Band Last Evening.

(From Friday's Daily.)

Hundreds upon hundreds crowded the streets last night to witness the parade of the Belleville Home Guard. The old city is again assuming its war-spirit. Pipes playing the stirring airs which would give even the faint heart spirit in the charge, students among "Down with the Kaiser," and the veterans and home guards marching with precision, recreated the scenes of eight weeks ago when the infantry and artillery began to mobilize for the first Overseas Contingent.

Money for wages was due to the march-out of the Home Guard with the Johnston's Highland Pipe Band. Thus, the second parade of the home guards was the first of their appearance with the pipes.

Shortly before eight o'clock the Highland Pipe Band in full strength in command of Pipe Major Albert Johnston began the march down Front street. They were joined by the best of the students of Albert College walking abreast in college fashion with the hand on the shoulder of the youth ahead. First came the stirring martial music of the Scottish Highlands, followed by cheering of the students and "Down with the Kaiser," set to music. At Bridge street corner the procession was given a cheer as it marched by.

At the armories there was a scene of busy activity. Long before eight o'clock, the guards no matter what their age, young or old, appeared on the scene full of enthusiasm and vim. The stores were opened and rifles given to the members. After a preliminary drill by Lt. Col. Lazer and Lt. Col. Stewart, the men marched out.

The way along Front street was like a triumphal march, and the veterans, the thoroughfare was by this time crowded, and as the sturdy veterans and other members of the home guard appeared they were given an ovation. Their route lay down Front to the upper bridge and returned as far south as the market and back to the armories. They exhibited in their parade the various formations, march in sections, fours and twos.

There were between sixty and seventy members of the guards out for the drill. Cois. Lazer and Stewart complimented the men very highly on their appearance and accomplishment.

After parade some manoeuvres were executed at the armories. The music of the Highland band was much appreciated by the home guard and corps reserve.

Regrets could not be better said one who witnessed the parade. Not a man was out of step as the home guards were played into the armories on the return.

The pipe band gave its valued services gratuitously.

HOW MANY FOR SECOND CONTINGENT?

The announcement of the second Canadian contingent of 22,000 men for overseas service in the European War was received with deep interest here, but owing to the fact that no orders have yet been received, there has been little positive discussion. How many Belleville and Hastings men would of the 22,000 is still purely hypothetical.

The Fifteenth Regiment has been doing considerable recruiting work for the past four or five weeks and at last drill about 75 men were put through military exercises by Sergeant Instructor Gillice.

The news was received quietly and the military enthusiast in this old United Empire Loyalist town has not yet had time to manifest itself. The number of men in the contingent, the time of enlistment, the number required, and other circumstances will influence the number enlisting.

Belleville, Trenton, Frankford and Hastings contingents sent 270 men to Valcartier of whom 249 have gone to the front. Following out the same proportion this district might be expected to send 175 or 200 men to the front. Whether this number will be reached it is impossible to say as conditions have not advanced enough. It must be remembered that the artillery, the strong arm in the army that left here is nearly all represented at the front.

The Kingston press considers that between 350 and 500 will be offering themselves for the historic Limestone City.

Word is expected at any moment in Kingston by Col. T. D. R. Hemmings, officer commanding the Third Division in regard to recruiting for the second contingent.

It is said that this contingent will take much longer to organize than the first as there will be much time spent in training the men, many of whom it is likely never before served in the volunteers.

Child Reported Off.

Mrs. Groon reported to the police yesterday that a three-year-old child had wandered away from 43 Gordon street from 10.30 o'clock in the morning. The juvenile was found on Mill street.

Boys Throwing Stones.

On Albert street yesterday some boys were throwing stones. They had departed when the police arrived.

VISITING EXPERT HAD HIGH PRAISE FOR CANADIAN RAILWAY

Mr. A. E. Goff, of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, has just concluded a tour of the Dominion. He declares that he has been greatly impressed with the progress made by Canadian railroads, and by the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific in particular.

The immensity of the Grand Trunk System's mileage and the unlimited possibility of further extension first impressed him, he says.

Next, the remarkable engineering obstacles of bridging and tunnelling have been overcome in linking up so huge a system, apart from the nature of the undertaking at a time when the present rapid development could hardly have been foreseen.

I was particularly struck with the good understanding which exists between the executive and the staff. The former noticeable feature that impressed me not a little was the unselfish efforts made by one and all to see that traffic, not merely in a concrete sense, but in individual merchandise, was expeditiously transported. This regard for commerce has evolved itself into a system known as the "unselfish freight service" whereby it is within the region of possibility to keep an eye not only on each whole train load of important merchandise but on each car load as well, from the moment of despatch from shipping point, as they term it in Canada, to destination.

The Belgian Consul of Ottawa, having made a strenuous appeal to the Canadian people for help towards alleviating the dreadful distress among the Belgian people caused by the German army in Belgium, a very generous and ready response has been made by the people of the Dominion in gifts of money, clothes, etc., and he now appeals to the people of Belleville with their usual generosity for any gifts that they may be disposed to give such as clothes for men, women and children, or even money gifts, but clothes are preferable. He feels that Belleville citizens will recognize the noble and distinguished services which this little nation has performed for Europe and the World in general in their gallant stand against the enormous armies pitted against them.

FOR DESTITUTE AND SUFFERING BELGIANS

A Local Appeal For Aid For The Splendid People of Warscourged Belgium.

To Belgium Canada owes much, and its duty is to show its appreciation in no small way by doing everything possible to help Belgium in its hour of need.

The men, women and children of Belgium are in dire distress for clothes which are impossible for them to get in their war-devastated country. Anything Belleville can do to help them will be for a noble cause. Contributions of clothing, boots, etc., will be received by Mrs. P. J. M. Anderson at her residence 64 Queen St. or will be called for if notified by card or telephone; who will forward them to the Belgian Consul, Ottawa, for shipment to Belgium.

Contributions of money can be paid in to Mrs. Anderson and all contributions will be acknowledged in the local papers. Please have donations in by October 21st.

This movement is under the auspices of Quinze Chapter Imperial Daughters of the Empire.

Patriotic Concert.

Tuesday evening the ladies of Carrying Place gave a patriotic concert in their town hall in aid of the Red Cross Society. The hall was packed to its capacity from the surrounding country. Mr. Wiloughby Anderson, reeve of township of Ameliasburg was chairman and filled the position in a very acceptable manner.

After several songs and recitations speeches were delivered by Mr. John Elliott, manager of the Standard bank and Mr. H. F. Ketcheson, president of the Board of Trade. Their speeches were intensely interesting and inspiring and listened to with rapt attention by the large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holton rendered an instrumental duet in a most pleasing manner. Mr. Douglas Holton rendered in fine voice one of John McCormick's popular selections, which brought forth an encore.

The ladies have organized a branch of the Red Cross society and are now busy at work making comforts for the soldiers going to the front.

B.H.S. Boys in Trenton.

Belleville High School boys are going up to Trenton today for the Trenton High School games.

Five Schooners Here.

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G. P. Scholfield,
General Manager.

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