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Renfrew may adopt the daylight sav-  
ing scheme.

Mr. A. T. Robertson has broken  
ground for a new dwelling on Victoria  
street.

The Oddfellows will attend service at  
the Methodist Church next Sunday  
morning.

We regret to learn that Mr. John  
Baird is very ill, suffering with an acute  
attack of pneumonia.

Miss Margaret Hughes, formerly of  
Smiths Falls, died in Toronto, at the  
age of sixty-two years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dolan have been  
spending a week of their honeymoon  
with Carleton Place friends.

Saturday was the first anniversary of  
the Battle of St. Julien, when the Cana-  
dians made a name for glory.

When you are buying that new Bicycle this  
spring, do not fail to inspect my stock. Quality  
and satisfaction "four months." R. W. GORDON.

The C.P.R. Shops extending their  
working time by one hour a day last  
Tuesday, and are now running full time.

Mrs. Walter McIlquham presented St.  
Andrews church with a handsome pulpit  
bible, used for the first time on Easter  
Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Jardine has returned to  
Carleton Place to reside, and has leased  
the Porterfield farm on the banks of the  
Mississippi.

Mrs. R. E. Hall and children, of  
North Bay, are spending a few holidays  
at her home here prior to leaving for  
Montreal where they purpose residing.

Mrs. A. H. Edwards left last week to  
visit friends at Chippewa Falls, Wis.,  
meeting her daughter, Miss Frances, en  
route on her return from Indian Head.

The new May Columbia Records will  
be on sale the first of next week. Do  
not fail to hear them.

Miss Ida A. Paul left on Monday for  
Toronto, as a delegate to the Ontario  
Educational Association convention,  
which is being held in that city this  
week.

Mr. Thos. McCallum, brother of our  
townsman, Mr. N. D. McCallum, passed  
through a few days ago en route to  
Ottawa with the 63rd Edmonton regi-  
ment. Tom makes a fine looking  
soldier.

In the latest Canadian casualty list  
the name of Pte. Donald Woods, of  
Smiths Falls, appears among the wound-  
ed. He was admitted to No. 1 Field  
Ambulance on the 1st of April suffering  
from gun shot wounds in the cheek and  
arm.

Come and look at my new stock of  
Bicycles, just received. A price to suit  
every pocket. R. W. GORDON.

Mrs. M. K. Church, Aylmer, Que.,  
passed away on April 12th. Deceased  
was the wife of the late Dr. M. K.  
Church, Merrickville, and sister of J. A.  
Merrick of that place, and mother of  
Mr. J. M. Church, so well known in  
Carleton Place. The funeral was held  
Thursday at Merrickville.

ST. FILLAN'S CEMETERY.

The Trustees of St. Fillan's Cemetery are  
desirous of improving and beautifying the  
Cemetery, if the cost of the improvements can be  
financed, and with that object in view make an  
appeal to the plot owners for subscriptions. Any  
of the undersigned will be pleased to receive  
these donations. Hoping for a speedy and gen-  
erous response, as much money will be required to  
do the work.

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ST. Mary's Easter Music.

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Morning—  
Prelude, Chopin.  
Vida Aquam.  
Resurrexit (Easter Introit).  
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Gloria, H. Dumont.  
Credo, H. Dumont.  
Offertory, Regina Coeli, L. Bordese.  
Duett, Miss Margaret Wright  
and Mr. E. Nero.  
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Agnus Dei, Leonard.  
Solos, Miss C. Carr and E. Nero.  
Postlude, Quoniam, Mozart.

Evening—  
Vespers.  
Vesper Hymn, Haec Dies.  
Benediction.  
O Salutaris in A, Ludewig van  
Beethoven.  
Ave Verum, Charles Gounod.  
Tantum Ergo, B. Hamma.  
Doxology.

ST. James Vestry Meeting.

The annual vestry meeting of St.  
James church was held last evening and  
was well attended. The reports all  
showed progress and advancement, and  
indicated the flourishing condition of  
the congregation. A feature of the  
meeting was the raising of the rector's  
stipend by \$200, a tribute to the zeal of  
Canon Elliott, who has been for so long  
the spiritual adviser of the people of St.  
James. The following officers were  
elected: Church Warden—J. H.  
Edwards and E. A. Leech; Sidesmen  
—B. Y. Williams, D. R. McNeely, Fred  
Morris, H. R. Bowland, R. E. Keays,  
David McNeely, W. J. Hughes, W. E.  
McNeely; Ushers—Jas. Williams, J. F.  
Duberville, Albert Lowe, Walter Dum-  
mert, Howard Williamson, Meredith  
Fulton, J. Smith, Howard Williams;  
Auditors—C. H. Abbott and E. J.  
Wetley; Lay Representatives—G. F.  
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Sunday was the 300th anniversary of  
the death of William Shakespeare.

The Canoe Club purpose holding an  
assembly in the town hall on Friday  
evening.

The water in the Mississippi here is  
higher at present than it has been for  
some years. The lake is now clear of  
ice.

Attention Mr. Gratanoia or Victoria  
owner! Have you got a copy of the  
new complete catalogue of Columbia  
Records? If not call at this office and  
get yours.

W. H. ALLEN, Local Columbia Dir.

The Water Works Commission have  
started work on the extensions and  
house services and expect a busy season.  
Commissioner Wilson is in charge.

The assessor is very busy getting in  
the finishing touches on his big books.  
The assessment is like to show an in-  
crease in population as well as in values.

The bell donated to the School Board  
by Messrs. H. Brown & Sons has been  
placed in position in the tower of the  
public school, and was heard for the  
first time to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Halpenny, East-  
on's Corners, announce the engagement  
of their eldest daughter, Nella, to  
Edward Matthews, only son of George  
Matthews, Easton's Corners.

In the published list of medical gradu-  
ates from Queen's we observe with  
pleasure the name of J. E. Houston of  
Carleton Place, who obtains an M.B.  
Twenty six of the graduates have  
volunteered for service with the Royal  
Army Medical Corps.

Many of THE HERALD's old friends  
have been renewing their subscriptions  
before the advance in price takes place.  
There are still some who have not yet  
renewed for the current year; to these  
we would say, come in now, and get the  
benefit of the nominal fee.

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ed. Also a fine assortment of  
Accessories. Call in and look them  
over. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
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The report of the town auditors show  
the assets of the town to be \$276,693.02,  
while the debenture debt is \$255,-  
919.07, with all our good roads, pave-  
ments and steel bridge and school prop-  
erties not included in the reckoning.  
The town is certainly in fair financial  
standing.

Mr. Wm. Kenny, for 24 years a citizen  
of Carleton Place, removed with his  
family to Appleton last week, where  
Mr. K. enters the employ of the Boyd  
Caldwell Co. Most of the time Mr.  
Kenny was here he was in the employ  
of the Nichols firm, starting with the  
father and continuing with the son.

Several cities and towns in Canada  
are going to adopt the daylight saving  
system; that is to advance the clocks  
one hour, starting on May 1st and keep  
them so until September 30th, when they  
will be put back again. This means  
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### UNPRETENDING OBITUARIES.

While Easter reminds us of the resurrection it may benefit us to call fresh to memory a few facts regarding the burial of the Son of God.

Joseph that day was mourner, sexton, liverman—had the entire charge of all the occasion. Four people only at the burial of the King of the Universe. Let this be consoling to those, who, through small means or lack of large acquaintance have but little demonstration of grief at the grave of their dead, it is not necessary. Long lines of glittering equipages, two rows of silver handlets, casket of costly wood, palbearers scarfed and gloved are not necessary.

Christ looks down from heaven at a burial where there are six in attendance and remembers there are two more than he had, at his obsequies. Not recognizing this idea, how many small properties are scattered in the funeral rites, and widowhood and orphanage go out to the cold charity of the world. The departed left enough property to have kept the family together until they could take care of themselves, but it is all absorbed in the funeral rites. That went for craps which ought to have gone for bread. A man of small means can hardly afford to die in one of our large cities. Funeral pageantry is not necessary. No one was ever more lovingly and tenderly put into the grave than Christ but there were only four in the procession.

If you have any doubt in your mind as to the good that can come to you by living in the sunshine way, we ask you to try for one day and prove by personal experience whether or not it is worth your while to scatter sunshine. Begin at once by trying to make those about you in your home happier. Keep a sharp lookout for little opportunities of helpfulness. Be courteous and kind whenever you speak or are spoken to. Be pleasant to everyone everywhere. Be willing to sacrifice your own personal enjoyment if by doing so you can make another person happier. Do all this and see when night comes if your own heart is not full to overflowing with peace and joy unspeakable.

We are often very much impressed by the woman who is doing a great and grand work for humanity but the one who retains our respect is the true wife and mother, who presides over her home and children with a heart and head, demonstrating kindness and ability, which puts the blush on the public life.

A home where the golden rule is lived is the nearest possible approach to heaven. The day comes all too soon when the household is scattered—the boys and girls, alas! girls no longer—are gone to make homes for themselves elsewhere; when some, perhaps, are laid away from our sight, out of reach of kind words or helpful deeds. Happy are we if no sorrowful thoughts haunt us, or hasty words and unkind deeds, if any pleasant memories remain. We may, if our means allow, make our

## Canadian Pacific at Lyons

An exhibition is taking place at Lyons, in France, and the pride of place in the Canadian section must be given to the Canadian Pacific Railway exhibit, comprising three stalls, and the painting covering the back wall of the stalls, showing in a pictorial form the principal agricultural, mineral and industrial products of every Canadian Province and of Newfoundland, has attracted much attention. The officials of the French Colonial Office have paid two special visits to study this picture, and the French Government will adopt a somewhat similar method to educate the public in France as to the resources of the French Colonial possessions. On the right of this design is a large painting of the steamship "Empress of Russia," and underneath a panel of lettering in French, pointing out that the Dominion Express Company places the French manufacturer and exporter in touch with the Canadian importer. On the left of the design is a large painting of a C. P. R. train, and underneath a panel of lettering in French giving statistics about the Canadian Pacific. Underneath the whole is a large map of the C. P. R. system, showing its steamboat connections with Europe, Asia and Australia, and paintings of all Canadian Pacific Hotels.

The right side of the stall is taken up with an exhibit from the Province of Ontario, comprising numerous specimens of metals, canned goods, oils, maple's slabs, honey, woods, and—what rather amused the French visitors—bottles of wine produced in Ontario. On the wall three British Columbia pictures showing big trees and salmon were prominent. The right section of

homes beautiful and attractive, and it is well to do so. But without the true spirit of home, it will be but a cheerful and desolate mockery while the humblest cottage where love dwells and kindness reigns, may most beautifully exemplify the sweetness and blessedness of home.

Put home first and foremost; for there will come a time when the circle will be broken, when you long "for the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is still" and when your greatest pleasure will be in remembering that you did all in your power to put a song under every burden to make each other happy.

A pure man is better than a brilliant man any day, and truth and honor make a better crown than cleverness and wit. Set your aim in this world toward the making of happy hearts and homes, as the woman spoken of in the play "Clit," who "made the grass a little greener for her foot passing over it." Strive not so much to be admired as to be loved, and seek to awaken that love in the little ones, whom the Master especially commended to our care.

One may be very happy while he is away from home, but he is very glad to return to it. The plainest old familiar dish is better than the daintiest epicurean bill of fare abroad. One's own little room, with its handy, compact belongings, is preferable to all the marble halls, swept through by silken clad dames.

If men would remember that women can't always be smiling, who have to cook the dinner, answer the bell half a dozen times, get rid of a neighbor who has dropped in, tend to a sick baby, tie up the cut finger of a two-year-old, gather up the playthings of a four-year-old, tie up the head of a six-year-old on skates, and get an eight-year-old ready for school, to say nothing of sweeping cleaning, etc. A woman with all these to contend with may claim it a privilege to look and feel a little tired sometimes, and a word of sympathy would not be too much to expect from the man, who during the honeymoon, wouldn't let her carry as much as a sunshade.

A woman without religion is like a flower without perfume.

The Meredith-Duff Commission to investigate the Kite charges held an organization meeting in Ottawa.

Halifax has adopted the daylight saving scheme. The matter came before the city council and received the unanimous support of that body. Mayor Martin will issue a proclamation, and the new scheme will go into effect on May 1 and continue until September 30.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

the stall is devoted to a Quebec Government exhibit, and comprises two large cases of asbestos manufactures, a case of mica manufactures, mineral specimens, a display of wood samples mounted on a large stand, specimens of wood pulp and other interesting products. On the wall two large Nova Scotia pictures show the industrial development of that Province. At the bottom of both sides of the stall large photographic pictures depict scenes in every Province of Canada and the various activities of the C. P. R. Three special brochures have been prepared by the C. P. R. in French, one dealing with the industrial development of Canada; the second, entitled "La Nouvelle France" dealing with the French settlement of Canada and the cementing of friendly relations between Canada and France in the present war; and the third, deals with interesting points along the C. P. R. The various Provinces also sent a plentiful supply of literature for which there was a great demand.

In the course of a conversation as to the practical result of the exhibition, Mr. Geo. McLaren Brown, European Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, showed confidence that there is a good opening for Canadian manufactured goods in France. The feeling of the French towards Canadians is most friendly. This has not only been produced by the bravery of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces fighting in France, but also by the fact that several thousands of French-Canadians are fighting actually in the ranks of the French army itself, and they have done much to tell their French comrades all about Canada.

## About Wedded Bliss

The old fashioned diagnosis of rheumatism is coming into disfavor. Too many distinctly different types of ailments have been classed under rheumatism.

The old fashioned verdict of incompatibility is bound, too, in time, to come into disfavor. Too much of marital infelicity that is caused by selfishness or unrest or unpreparedness for marriage or unpropitious circumstances in marriage is laid at the door of incompatibility.

Of course incompatibility exists. It is present in every marriage in a greater or lesser degree. It is an inevitable concomitant of every marriage. But unless it is pronounced, as in some cases where a man and woman marry in haste, without any community of thought and interest, it does not cause serious trouble.

The average couple are attracted before marriage not only by the call of sex, but by many attributes of mental and spiritual affinity. After marriage it is apparent that they are not as completely in unison as they were before marriage. Traits that were hidden by the glamour of courtship come into the foreground. For husband and wife are each the product of dissimilar environment and heredity, and, being so, many of their ideas, tastes and habits are bound to clash. Then, too, as they are man and woman, their inclinations and emotional natures are fundamentally different. Thus it is to be expected that at times the unlike natures of man and wife should cause discord.

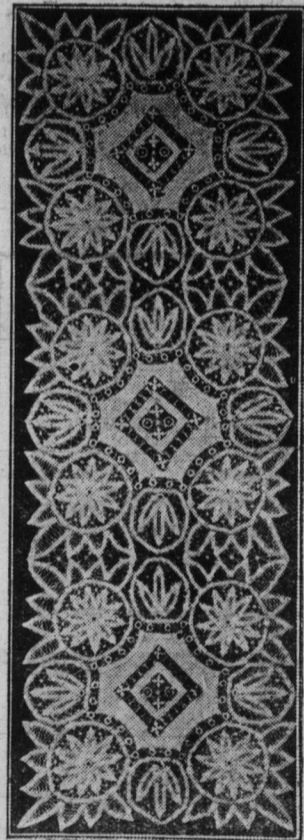
The couple who are idlers or one of whom is an idler find incompatibility a bugbear in their lives. With real work—with something serious to think about and something worth while to do—they would find little time to worry about their discrepancies in opinion and taste.

To those who are unready for marriage, who are bad tempered, eccentric and shiftless in habit and management—to this type of people incompatibility is a scapegoat for all their misdemeanors.

## A RENAISSANCE.

The Battenberg Braids Are Said to Be Coming in Again.

For needleworkers is this attractive design in renaissance braid and buttons. Please notice how cleverly Mexican drawn work dollies have been



A BEAUTIFUL SCARF.

used as centerpieces to build the pattern around. Full sets of work come in the scarf, a centerpiece and six small plate dollies. This scarf may be used for bureaus as well as sideboards.

Oysters Roasted in the Shells. Wash and scrub the shells. Cook in a hot oven or on top of stove over red-hot coals or in a steamer until the shells open. Always place them round shell down to retain the juice. Serve melted butter and vinegar or lemons with them.

Cornmeal Fish Balls. Take two cupfuls of cold white cornmeal mush, combine it with one cupful of shredded codfish, one beaten egg and one tablespoonful of butter. If the fish is too salty it should be soaked first. Drop by spoonfuls into hot fat.

New Zealand's Great Glacier. The Tasman, the greatest glacier in New Zealand, has an average width of 6,270 feet, though at its widest point it is somewhat more than two miles across. The Tasman is eighteen miles in length.

## A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRING

Do not Use Harsh Purgatives—A Tonic is all you Need.

Not exactly sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches, and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

I do not dose myself with purgatives, as so many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in spring is a tonic that will make new blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this speedily, and surely. Every dose of this medicine makes new blood which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children bright, active and strong. L. R. Whitman, Harmony Mills, N.S., says:—"As a tonic and strength builder I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills wonderful. My whole system was badly run down, and although I faithfully took a tonic given me by my doctor I could note no improvement. Then I began Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and was soon restored to my old time health. I can most heartily endorse this medicine."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Want Canadians for Patrol.

A new branch of recruiting is to be inaugurated in Canada. A British party has left for Canada to enlist men for motor boat auxiliary patrol service in connection with the British navy. Hon. Rupert Guinness is head of the party, which is to confer with the Naval Service Department here. These small but swift vessels have done splendid service in coping with the submarine menace since it was inaugurated by the Germans, and the demand for first-class men is growing.

### Georgian Bay Canal.

A mass of information as to the factors which enter into the proposed construction of the Georgian Bay Canal, is contained in a report presented to the House of Commons by Hon. Robert Rogers. Although the report does not dispose of the project in any sense, it can be deduced that there is no likelihood of a start being made on the construction of the canal during the war, and probably not for some time afterwards. The report, however, gives figures to show the extent of Canadian traffic, both east and westbound, some portion of which might be expected to furnish business for the proposed waterway. In 1913 eastbound freight totalled 57,205,853 tons and westbound 20,512,491 tons.

### Presbytery Meeting at Renfrew.

A pro rata meeting of Lanark and Renfrew Presbytery was held at Renfrew on Tuesday, with Rev. S. G. Brown of Almonte as moderator, to consider the resignation of Rev. Mr. Haughton of Beachburg and Westmeath, and to deal with a call from Castleford, Stewartville and Glasgow Station to Rev. Mr. Montgomery. After hearing Rev. Mr. Haughton regarding the matter and also the representatives of the congregations, it was decided to accept the resignation and necessary arrangements were made to carry out the decision. Rev. Mr. Haughton will take up mission work in Quebec province. The call to Rev. Mr. Montgomery was sustained, and provisional arrangements made for the induction of Rev. Mr. Montgomery should he accept the call. A deputation composed of Rev. Messrs. A. A. Scott, of Carleton Place, moderator of Presbytery; E. B. Horne of Renfrew, and Geo. Campbell, clerk of Presbytery, Cobden, was appointed to convey the greeting of Lanark and Renfrew Presbytery to the German Methodist Conference for the Dominion now in session at Pembroke.—Almonte Gazette.

## \$1,000.00 REWARD.

For information that will lead to the discovery or whereabouts of the person or persons suffering from Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Mouth and Throat, Blood Poison, Skin Diseases, Bladder Troubles, Special Ailments, and Chronic or Complicated Complaints who cannot be cured at The Ontario Medical Institute, 263-265 Yonge St., Toronto. Correspondence invited.

A new crisis in Greece is reported as a result of a proposal by the Allies to send the Serbian army to Saloniki.

The plan for the reorganization of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was passed by the Private Bills Committee.

S. S. McClure, the American writer, after a visit to Germany, says the babies there are not starving from lack of milk.

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## SPRING SUITS

At the Easter season when all nature is being re clothed, it is becoming that man too should look to his personal appearance.

The prices of all Woollens have increased and are still advancing, which is one good reason why you should not delay in purchasing your Spring Outfit now. As we bought our season's stock before the last advance our customers will have the benefit of our early buying.

Men's Tweed Suits range from \$10 to \$15

Made up in the Latest Styles and well Tailored.

A limited number of BLUE SERGE SUITS, which cannot be duplicated on account of the advance in the price of dyes.

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Having decided to go out of this line we will dispose of our entire stock at prices that will surprise you. We have an exceptionally good assortment of Boys' Clothing and are willing to sacrifice.

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A file of this paper may be seen at McKim's Advertising Agency, Montreal, and at Gibbons' Agency, Toronto.

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### PRODUCTION AND THRIFT.

The man who produces one pound of anything of value, the man who improves the breed of his own cattle, the man who makes two blades of good grass grow where one grew before, is adding to the wealth of the nation, to the richness of the country. Not alone is that the case, but he is contributing his bit to Christianity and to the welfare of the world. It is given to the farmer and breeder to serve his native land more by his individual effort than is within the power of the ordinary follower of any other occupation. The farmer by his own unaided efforts, except by the gifts of nature, can maintain his wife and family. No other worker in the world's vineyard can say as much unless he is willing to go naked and that he and his should often times suffer the pangs of hunger. And the claims upon the farmer and his fellow, the breeder, in present circumstances are not only urgent but many.

There are people who object to the assertion that the agriculturist in making the earth yield its utmost, in tending his flocks and herds with care, diligence and intelligence, is doing his bit, the same as the man in the trenches. He is not directly placing his own life in jeopardy perhaps, but he is helping to sustain those who are. He is providing a good-sized portion of the ammunition. The fault is not in the assertion itself, but in the use that is made of it by the man who has no spirit for the sight and who, the probabilities are, is doing his full bit neither in agriculture nor in any other form of industry. There are possibly men on the land who would be more use on the field of battle, but one thing is certain if the men who are of value to the soil and to the farm-yard are taken away some means must be found to replace them.

Canada's future lies in the womb of her agriculture. To make the best use of the opportunities that are and will be, to take our rightful place in the world's economies, we must toil without ceasing, we must produce and improve, we must bend all our energies to results, we must utilize waste and, amidst it all, we must focus our eyes upon the future and pay our respects to conservation. Our position is unique in nearness to, and in our facilities for reaching, the best markets. Transportation just now may be difficult and expensive, but it will not always be so, and when the time comes for greater freedom of trade we must be prepared for it. This can be done not alone by industry, but also by economizing; not by hoarding, but by the judicious use of our resources. A truth ever to be borne in mind is that what is wasted by fools is turned into profit by the wise. Even in the midst of its campaign of destruction and ferocity, Germany, so word is flashed across the sea, is devoting attention to education and internal improvement and development.

### DOLLAR WEEKLY PASSING.

The local newspaper in the smaller communities throughout Ontario and in the other provinces as well, have found it necessary to raise their subscription price from a dollar to \$1.50 a year. It is the universal failing of publishers to hesitate about raising their prices either to the subscriber or to the advertiser. Probably there is no class of men contributing to the needs of the people of Canada who are content with such a meagre profit as the men who conduct newspapers. To be a successful editor, requires many years of training, which in other professions would secure handsome financial rewards. A publisher has an investment also, in most cases, greater than the average business man. His plant depreciates more rapidly than any other we know of, and for the expenditure of his time and energy, he gets a bare living, he is thought to be getting all he deserves.

This probably accounts for the fact that the dollar papers have not been raised to \$1.50 long ago. But at last the weekly publisher finds he can carry no longer. He has to pay more for his paper, for his ink, and in wages, which has skimmed the thin layer of cream off his milk and left him a diet which does not contain sufficient nutriment to keep his brain working efficiently. With many a weekly publisher it has become a question of getting more money from the subscribers he serves so earnestly, starving to death, or finding a job in the munitions factory. Some of them have enlisted. There are others who are too old to escape in that way. All of which explains the reason why the rural publishers have raised their prices. —Toronto Sentinel.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## \$3,500,000 WILL BE SPENT BY C.P.R. ON FARMS FOR SOLDIERS

J. S. Dennis Amplifies Announcement Made by Lord Shaughnessy and Upholds Latter's Views on Enlistment, Transportation and Shortage of Labor in the West

The providing of employment for returned soldiers is a question that is demanding nation-wide attention, and it is with great satisfaction that Canadians learn that the Canadian Pacific Railway is to take action in this regard.

Mr. J. S. Dennis, assistant to the president of the C.P.R., has just returned to Calgary, and was asked details of the scheme planned by Lord Shaughnessy. Mr. Dennis replied:—

**LORD SHAUGHNESSY'S DECISION**  
"The decision of Lord Shaughnessy to provide through the Department of Natural Resources of the Canadian Pacific Railway farm homes for our returned soldiers is a further proof, if any were needed, of his willingness at all times to devote his great energy and ability, and the resources of the company, to the solution of the problems facing Canada as part of the empire."  
The extent and magnitude of the work of preparing 1,000 farms will be realized when it is noted that it involves: Building 1,000 houses; building 1,000 barns; constructing 1,300 miles of fence; digging 1,000 wells; breaking and cultivating 50,000 acres; the buildings will require about 20,000,000 feet of lumber to erect. The preparation of these farms will entail an expenditure of about \$3,500,000.

**ENLISTMENT QUESTION**  
"One thousand farms will, of course, provide for an extremely small proportion of returned soldiers who will want to obtain farm homes, and the Dominion Government must adopt some general policy of providing these homes. However, the Canadian Pacific Railway has led the way in trying to solve the pressing and troublesome question and no doubt before long the Dominion Government will announce its general scheme."

**AN IMMENSE PROJECT**  
"The enlistment of the 250,000 additional men called for by the Government, will, of course, double the number to be taken care of after the war is over, and also causes a serious problem. The western provinces have responded nobly to the call of the empire in enlisting men to fight our battles, and already there is a serious shortage of labor of all kinds, due to this enlistment. In the effort to meet this shortage, the Dominion Government is now advertising in some 4,000 papers in the United States for 50,000 laborers to come west and help put in the crop this spring. They find that there is no chance of getting this number of men, and have announced that

### RAISING HIS INCOME.

#### This Farmer Has Cut Down His Farm and Adopted Factory System.

Ten or twelve years ago J. W. Clark of Brant county was living on a 200-acre farm. To-day his farm consists of twenty-five acres. And he is making more clear money on this twenty-five acres than he did on the 200 acres, says Abmiki in The Toronto Globe.

"My average cash sales from the twenty-five-acre holding for the two years preceding 1915 amounted to \$5,000 a year," said Mr. Clark. "My average expenses were \$2,000 a year for these two years. Besides, what I sold I provided most of the foodstuffs for a family of seven and the hired help engaged."

"How did I accomplish this? By adopting the 'factory system.' The owner or manager of a manufacturing plant does not make his income out of the labor of his own hands. He makes it by the direction and utilization of the labor of others. I endeavor to follow the same system, on a smaller scale, on my farm. I employ as much labor as possible and direct it in the best way I know how."

It is only fair to say that not many men, no matter how skillful they might be, could accomplish all that Mr. Clark has accomplished. He is in a special and strictly limited line and a very considerable proportion of his profits are due to the connection he has worked up. Three-fifths of his income is derived from poultry, much of its fancy stock, some few of his birds having sold up to \$100 each. Few men would have the courage either to pay the prices he has paid for new stock—\$500 for a trio.

Aside from his special department in poultry, however, Mr. Clark derives an income from branches, open to anyone, that would seem large to many men on a hundred-acre farm. He is in three lines—poultry, fruit, and honey.

"My ordinary commercial flock of between 500 and 700 hens gives me," said Mr. Clark, "a return of about \$1,200 a year. My five-acre apple orchard returns \$1,400 to \$1,500. From fifty to seventy-five colonies of bees return \$300 to \$500. From raspberries I have \$150 in a normal season. Pears, cherries, currants, etc., account for the balance."

"But you cannot get returns such as these without work and without feeding. A row of fifty or sixty King trees gave four to six barrels all told before I got hold of them. By pruning, spraying, and feeding I have increased the yield to a carload. Before potash reached prohibitive figures I applied commercial fertilizer at the rate of 300 to 400 lbs. per acre, at a cost of \$42 per ton, to the apple orchard. I applied barnyard manure every third or fourth year, cutting out the commercial fertilizer for that season. I think it a mistake to use too much barnyard manure in a mature orchard. It stimulates the wood growth to too great an extent. In shipping last year I used the 'economy' crate. I consider that the coming package, but I used cleats at the end to strengthen it. These crates hold at the rate of 3 1/2 to the barrel, and they cost 11 1/2 cents each. There is no bruising of the fruit with them; they are easily packed and you can pile them seven high in a car."

"In the honey end of my business I confine my operations to the extracted article. Situated as I am I consider I can make more money out of extracted honey at ten cents per lb. than out of comb at twenty-five cents. If I tried to produce comb I would have to devote all my time to the bees at a season when I require to be looking after other things. By clipping a wing from the Queen at the time of fruit bloom I find my bees require very little attention, and I believe I make more money out of them, for the time spent, than I do out of any other line on the place."

### TABLOID POULTRY WISDOM.

You cannot expect success in the poultry line and have a dozen mixed breeds. Set at the kind you want and don't mix.  
Geese and ducks destroy weeds and thus lighten the expense of cultivation. Turkeys are especially voracious insectivores, birds, and always pay in destroying insect pests. This alone sometimes pays for keeping them.  
Charcoal is one of the very best preventives that can be given to fowls to guard against the many diseases they are incident to, and it can be procured very cheap and every where. A very excellent charcoal can be made by burning corn cobs till they turn red, extinguishing the fire and when dry grinding small enough for hens to eat.  
Chickens are naturally more prone to disease when confined than when at large; therefore all possible preventives of disease should be provided. A dust box, as well as plenty of grit and charcoal, are essential to good health. So also is a plentiful supply of pure water. Water is so often withheld until the chickens become very thirsty; they then drink too much, which is liable to put them out of condition.  
Green food not only aids in the digestion of other foods, but is necessary to the good health of the flock. Cabbage and beets are probably the best green feed when fed raw, and turnips and small potatoes for cooking. Mix a little meal and bran with the latter.

### Keep Henhouses Clean.

Keep the henhouse free of lice if you want the hen to lay and the chicks to do well.

### Cold Water Bad.

When water is ice cold no cow will drink all she needs; furthermore, the cold water chills her entire digestive system.

### Silo is a Success.

Why longer experiment? Corn is a success. Alfalfa is a success. The silo is a success. Live stock farming pays.

### CANADIAN RED CROSS NURSING.

Some of the countries at war owing to the immense amount of wounded, have been forced to enroll in the nursing service, many untrained nurses whose zeal has been greater than their efficiency. The nurses however, who have been sent abroad by the Canadian Red Cross were specially selected and are all graduate nurses with extensive hospital experience. The result has been that the personnel of the Canadian hospital units abroad have made a very enviable reputation for efficiency. Recently Sir Court- hold Thompson, the Director of the British Hospital units in the Mediterranean area, pronounced a very warm eulogy upon the Canadian nurse.

All doctors who are in charge of hospitals bear testimony to the paramount importance of trained nurses. Efficient nurses are of even more importance in military hospitals crowded with patients, suffering from serious wounds often of a very exceptional nature. In recognizing this fact and in providing a nursing personnel of the highest quality, the Canadian Red Cross has shown the same zeal for perfection, which has characterized other departments of its organization.

Like all other forms of efficiency, this Red Cross efficiency is not secured without expense. In fact there are few things more costly than hospital efficiency. The Canadian Red Cross therefore to provide the necessary equipment for its hospital system has a constant call for financial assistance from the public.

The Red Cross commissioner in London has complained of a plague of private parcels addressed to individuals. The Red Cross has no facilities for this kind of postal service. It is not a transportation company. It is a public society for the relief of sick, wounded and prisoners, and it cannot transmit private parcels unless the recipients are sick, wounded or prisoners, and it cannot accept shipment of any goods consigned to individuals in hospitals, consigned to special hospitals or organizations.

"Soldiers Comforts" may, however, be shipped through the Red Cross to the Canadian War Contingent Association, which has a special privilege in virtue of its contribution to the warehouse expenses of the Red Cross.

### One on Mc'her.

"Ma," remonstrated Bobby, "when I was at grandma's she let me have fruit-tart twice."

"Well, she ought not to have done so, Bobby," said his mother. "I think once is quite enough for little boys. The older you grow, Bobby, the more wisdom you will gain."

Bobby was silent, but only for a moment.

"Well, ma," he said, "grandma is a good deal older than you are." —Tits-Bits.

### Economy!

They were a very saving old couple and as a result they had a beautifully furnished house.

One day the old lady missed her husband.

"Joseph, where are you?" she called out.

"I'm resting in the parlor," came the reply.

"What, on the sofa?" cried the old lady, horrified.

"No, on the floor."

"Not on that grand carpet!" came in tones of anguish.

"No; I've rolled it up!"

Navigation is practically open on all the Great lakes now.

German-American papers bitterly assail President Wilson.

Hundreds of Greeks have been massacred in Turkish cities.

Many people are reported killed in a railway wreck at Bradford, R.I.

More Canadian officers were decorated by King George on Saturday.

A German steamer laden with Briquettes was sunk by a mine south of Stockholm.

A special act will enable Berlin, Ont., to vote on the question of changing its name.

The troopship Olympic is reported safe in England with 5,785 Canadian troops.

An American Red Cross official says 150,000 have died of starvation in Albania.

It is likely that the present session of the Ontario Legislature will conclude this week.

The British Admiralty wants recruits in Canada for the navy and the auxiliary patrol service.

Ontario school children presented a motor ambulance to the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Rev. Duncan Cameron, a pioneer Presbyterian minister, died at Oakville in his 95th year.

The Quebec Legislature has been dissolved; nominations to be held May 15, elections May 22.

The session of the Ontario Legislature was brought to a close at three o'clock Thursday morning.

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### House and Home.

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"A house, though but a humble cot, within its walls may hold  
"A home of priceless beauty, rich in Love's eternal gold."

"The men on earth build houses—halls and chambers, roofs and domes—  
"But the women of the earth—God knows!—the women build the homes."

### He Could Do It.

Irish priest, starting sermon: "The Master fed five people with five thousand loaves and three thousand fishes."

Pat Murphy, in front seat: "Sure and I could have done that myself."

The priest continued his sermon without correcting the mistake, but next Sunday he gave out the same text correctly: "The Master fed five thousand people with five loaves and three small fishes," adding: "Could you do that, Pat Murphy?"

"Sure," said Pat, "I would use what was left over last Sunday."

### A Sailor's Experience.

William Gow, says the New York American, will go down to posterity as a record-breaking war victim. This is what has happened to him thus far:

October, 1914, chief engineer of the Roper freighter Colby, of Hartlepool; sunk by the German cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm; taken as a prisoner of war to Newport News; released.

December, 1914, in his home in Hartlepool; had his home destroyed by shellfire from the German cruisers during the raid.

June, 1915, chief engineer of the Roper freighter Gadsby, of Hartlepool; sunk by German submarine U-39 in the week in which twenty-nine other freighters were torpedoed in the North Sea; picked up by a trawler after being in the water six hours.

January, 1916, chief engineer of the Roper freighter Dromonby, of Hartlepool; sunk by a German raider in the Bay of Biscay; brought in the prize-ship Appam to Newport News.

And now Mr. Gow is returning to Hartlepool to get a berth on some Roper freighter still afloat.

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# THE HERALD.

TUESDAY, APRIL 25TH, 1916

COL. ALLISON has turned up at Ottawa, and sensational developments may be looked for as soon as the various investigating committees get down to work.

Canada's enlistments from the outbreak of the war to the 15th of this month have been 309,616. Of these 134,828 were in England and France at the end of March, and more than 10,000 have gone overseas since.

Since the placing some weeks ago of the \$75,000,000 credit by Canada at the disposal of the British Minister of Munitions orders have been placed by the Imperial Munitions Board for \$80,000,000 worth of munitions. The orders now placed will keep most of the munition factories busy until well into the summer. Further large orders are expected from Great Britain in June.

## THE LEGISLATURE CONCLUDES WORK.

Toronto, April 23.—As is always the case, there was a jumble and rush of legislation during the last week of the Legislature. The House never seems to be able to systematize its work, nor to spread it out with even a fair degree of evenness throughout the Session. Always in the last week most important matters follow each other hour in and hour out, until long into the night. This year the Session extended over seven weeks and two days; last year business was concluded in six weeks, but previous to the war the Sessions had been running from ten to fourteen weeks.

### PROHIBITION'S FINAL FORM.

The most important item left outstanding in the Prohibition bill until the very last night of the session, was the question of alcoholic content, or the strength of alcohol which would be allowed. The standard up to the present has been 23% proof spirit. For a week or ten days before the close of the session there were persistent rumors that this limit was to be raised to 4%, which, of course, would have been a serious blow at the whole prohibition movement. The Opposition kept battling for the 23% and announced their out-and-out opposition to the alcohol percentage being raised and the Bill, as finally passed, leaves the percentage as before.

If it had not been for the Liberals' third and final reading of the bill would have passed without any comment whatever. Both Mr. Rowell and Mr. Carter, however, expressed the deep satisfaction of the people of the Province felt at the ultimate passing of what they described as one of the most important pieces of legislation ever enacted in Ontario. There was vigorous and prolonged applause from the Opposition at the passing of the measure, but it was noticeable that only a perfunctory approval came from the Government side. Although it was a Government bill it was evidently considered an Opposition rather than a Government triumph.

### STILL RESTLESS ABOUT HYDRO.

The Government is paying \$8,350,000 for the Seymour Power interests in Eastern Ontario, although Hon. Mr. Ferguson, who negotiated the deal, admitted in the House that he did not know the value of the property, or whether the price was a good one or not. He said the chairman of the Hydro Commission recommended that price, but the chairman was not in his place in the House, either to confirm or differ from this statement.

The Government passed all its Hydro bills, much to the disgust of representatives of municipalities, Conservatives and Liberals alike, (supported by the Toronto Telegram Conservative) and other Conservative papers who maintain that the Government is virtually deposing Sir Adam Beck and trying to make the Hydro a political department of the Government.

### PROVINCIAL RIGHTS.

Mr. Rowell, during the debate on the bilingual question, affirmed in the strongest language his belief that Ontario must control her own school system and his belief that the province had the absolute right to control all matters affecting legislation in the Province. "I stand exactly where Sir Oliver Mowat did," he said, "in maintaining the rights of the Province to manage its own affairs. Personally, I think it is unfortunate that contentions which I think are invalid, should be asserted as rights by certain leaders of the Nationalist movement. Such assertions are unfortunate and can only lead to misunderstanding, which may be harmful to the tranquility of the country." Mr. Rowell thought that a Commission of Inquiry might report on the results of the operation of regulation 17.

### TRIBUTE TO OUR SOLDIERS.

Upon motion of Mr. Rowell, seconded by Hon. T. W. McGarry, a resolution expressing grateful appreciation of the courage and valor of Ontario's sons in the war, both in the Canadian and British armies and in the forces of the Allies, was passed unanimously.

The war committee of the Legislature formed upon resolution of Mr. Rowell, will continue its work in another form under the Chairmanship of Sir John Hendrie.

The arrival of the first detachment of Russians has added greatly to the optimism of the French people.

## CANADIANS IN ACTION

Three Ontario Battalions Engaged at St. Eloi.

Eighteenth, Nineteenth, and Twentieth Held Their Ground Against Heavy Disadvantage, and Also Occupied a Portion of an Enemy Trench — Task of Repairing Trenches a Prodigious One.

OTTAWA, April 24.—Desperate fighting on the St. Eloi salient, participated in by three Ontario battalions, the 21st Eastern, 19th Central, and 18th Western, occurred during the week April 11-18. The Canadian general representative at the front in his weekly communication tells of battles under unprecedentedly difficult circumstances in which the Canadians held their ground and, in addition, occupied a portion of an enemy trench. Many instances of individual heroism are recounted. The communication follows:

Canadian General Headquarters in France, via London, April 23.—The struggle for position in front of St. Eloi was again the dominant interest on the Canadian front. The still weather of the previous week gave way to high winds, brilliant sunshine to a sky overcast with clouds. Occasional downpours of rain added to the burden of a water-logged soil. By day and night the German guns pounded the narrow confines of the St. Eloi salient, the volume of their fire swelling every now and again into bombardments of extraordinary violence. Great shells tore fresh holes in the already mutilated ground, obliterating the landmarks of previous explosions. Shrapnel splashed over the fields. Bursting gas shells poisoned the air and fumes of lachrymatory shells assailed the eyes.

At night innumerable German flares illuminated the darkness, and continuous streams of bullets from rifles and machine guns crashed against our parapets or swept over them far into the country beyond.

In the face of such conditions our men waged the fight, repelled enemy attacks, dug trenches, and maintained their positions.

Under normal circumstances of trench warfare the tussle for so narrow a strip as a few hundred yards would have been quickly over. After loss or capture the trench lines would have been speedily readjusted and new defences built. Observation and reconnaissance would soon have revealed the fresh dispositions of the enemy.

The extraordinary state of the terrain opposite St. Eloi has been chiefly responsible for the prolongation of the fighting. With the Germans overlooking the greater part of the area and with the ground sodden with water, the construction or even repair of trenches was difficult. Only by slow and laborious effort could the desired result be accomplished. With the damp earth ploughed into a veritable porridge and dented with countless pits and holes, with steamy vapors veiling the landscape and blotting from view all familiar landmarks, movement was infinitely hazardous and exhausting, accurate reconnaissance almost an impossibility. In places even the hardest were baffled by the mud. At times even the most skilled mistook their bearings. Undaunted by the difficulties of their surroundings, our officers and men faced the situation with splendid courage and determination.

### BRITISH RETAKE TRENCH.

Lines on Ypres-Langemark Road Now in Original Position.

LONDON, April 24.—Despatches of Sir Douglas Haig from the front last week-end announce that the King's Shropshire Light Infantry has recaptured the trench which the Germans had taken on the Ypres-Langemark road on the night of April 19, and had re-established British lines on their original foundation. British patrols also raided German trenches southwest of Thiépval on Saturday night and captured thirteen Germans. Heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy in this raid by the bombing of his dugouts. British artillery getting the range of a German working party in front of St. Eloi speedily dispersed it Sunday.

There was the usual mining and artillery work on the whole front. The German admission of this loss is thus made:

"German forces were compelled to evacuate newly won trenches on the Langemark-Ypres road on account of high floods, which made the consolidation of the positions impossible.

"A hand grenade attack made by the English south of St. Eloi was repulsed."

### RUSSIANS FOR VERDUN.

Force is Being Hurried to West Front From Marseilles.

LYONS, France, April 24.—The Russian troops which arrived at Marseilles on Thursday for service with the French on the western front passed through here Saturday on their way northward.

They received an enthusiastic welcome here and all along their route. Evidently the allied commanders are losing no time in bringing the Russian troops to the battle front. The fact that they passed through Lyons, 218 1/2 miles north of Marseilles, before 12.40 o'clock Saturday afternoon suggests that they probably left the Mediterranean port some time during Friday night. By going through Lyons the Russians are moving by the most direct route to Verdun.

### Radi Spots Easter Parade.

NEW YORK, April 24.—A cold, drizzling rain at intervals Sunday tended to spoil New York's annual holiday parade. Few ventured out in their new spring raincoat.

## THIRTY DIVISIONS USED

Germans Have Hurlled 600,000 Men Against Verdun.

As Corps Have Been Depleted They Have Been Filled Up and Rushed Back to the Front—French Surprise Attacks Succeeded—Several Lesser German Attacks Were Repulsed by French Friday and Saturday.

PARIS, April 24.—In their attempts to take Verdun the Germans up to Saturday had made use of 30 divisions of troops, amounting roughly to 600,000 men, according to an official statement issued by the French War Office Sunday. The statement indicates that more than this total have been used, since some of the divisions have been reorganized, their depleted ranks filled out, and they have returned to the front several times.

"It is worthy of note," the official statement says, "that the German command seeks to conduct the operations with the smallest number of troops possible, but to maintain them and keep them on this front until they are completely used up. As losses are suffered, it re-forms the units with reinforcements and sends them back to the attack barely reconstituted. It is thus that certain divisions have reappeared on the front as many as three and even four times."

French surprise attacks were carried out successfully Saturday night against German listening posts in the Bois d'Avoucourt west of the Meuse. This is the only infantry activity reported in the Verdun region Sunday. The Germans have not renewed their attacks on the Bethincourt brook, Le Mort Homme front, where they were twice repulsed with considerable losses Saturday. The German artillery was active Sunday against Hill 304, the important position on the west bank of the Bethincourt brook, and there also was a stiff bombardment of the French positions on the east bank of the Meuse and in the Woivre.

An attempt by the Germans Saturday night to capture a mitrailleuse which was causing them trouble west of Vauquois, in the Argonne, failed.

The ravine between Le Mort Homme, on the east, and Hill 304, on the west, was made the object of two determined German attacks Saturday. This ravine is formed by the Bethincourt brook, which, rising in the south between the Bois Bourru and the Forest de Hesse, flows north into the Forges Brook at the village of Bethincourt.

With hill and woods facing them along much of the front west of the Meuse, this ravine forms an open way for a German attempt to force the French lines on this side of the Meuse. But while there are no natural barriers to cross, the ravine is under heavy fire from the French batteries on both Le Mort Homme and Hill 304.

This artillery and mitrailleuse fire stopped both German attacks Sunday before the advancing Germans had approached the French positions. The Germans had sustained considerable losses in both attacks before they gave up their mission and returned to their trenches.

Three important attacks were attempted by the Germans in the Verdun region Friday night. One of these, against Le Mort Homme, won a temporary success, but the Germans were driven out by a counter-attack; the second, north of the Bois des Caurettes, was completely repulsed, and the third on the Vaux sector was checked by the French artillery before the Germans could leave their positions.

The first of the German assaults was a repetition of the effort to regain the positions taken by the French on the slopes of Hill 295, the summit of Le Mort Homme. This assault penetrated the first line of French trenches, but a counter-attack restored to the French all the positions they had previously regained.

The Bois des Caurettes is a small wood between Le Mort Homme and Cumieres. The French lines at this point are situated to the north of the Bois des Caurettes, and between it and Bois de Cumieres. The Germans used liquid fire in their attack on this sector, but were completely repulsed, according to the communiqué of the French War Office.

The German infantry activity on the east bank of the river was preceded by an intense bombardment of the French lines on a front extending from the Meuse to the Vaux Fort. While the bombardment was covering this rather extensive front, the Germans brought up and concentrated a large force on the narrow front between the pond at the western extremity of Vaux village and the old Fort of Vaux to the south of the village. French guns opened fire immediately on these concentrations in the German trenches, and the Germans suffering heavily under the artillery fire, were unable even to launch their attack.

### Mystery Surrounds Death of Goltz

ATHENS, April 24.—It is reported here that the death of Field Marshal von der Goltz was attended by most mysterious circumstances, and was not due to natural causes.

It is learned that von der Goltz arrived in Constantinople a week ago and at the time was in excellent health. He expected to go to Berlin to confer with the Kaiser. He died on April 18.

### Berlin Charges Bribery.

BERLIN, April 24.—"According to reports from Geneva," says the Overseas News Agency, "Great Britain has offered to Spain possession of Tangier if Spain will seize the German ships in Spanish ports and will consent to the closing of the Straits of Gibraltar to all neutral ships except those flying the Spanish flag."

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## BIRTHS.

CARSON.—In Carleton Place, April 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Carson, a son.

STEWART.—In Carleton Place, April 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stewart, a son.

LEACH.—In Carleton Place, April 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Leach, a son (stillborn).

## MARRIAGES.

MCGREGOR-MCWEEN.—At the home of the bride, April 20th, 1916, by Rev. A. A. Scott, M. A., Henry Forbes McGregor to Annie Grace McEwen, daughter of Mr. F. C. McEwen, all of Carleton Place.

## DEATHS.

LEWIS.—In Carleton Place, April 24th, Herbert Edwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis, aged 1 year, 6 mos. and 20 days.

PRINCE.—In Carleton Place, April 24th, Leonard Ross, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Presley, aged 6 months and 9 days.

WATT.—At Appleton, April 23th, Howard D. Watt, aged 36 years.

McDANIEL.—In Carleton Place, April 24th, Elva Maud, daughter of Harvey and Eva McDaniell, aged 1 year and 9 mos.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### CARD OF THANKS.

Pic. A. Tutin wishes to extend his most sincere thanks to the employees of Findlay Bros. furniture store, who so generously pressed him with a wrist watch on the eve of his departure from the shop, after enduring with the 15th battle.

### CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Henry Tetlock and family desire to return their most sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who have been so kind and sympathetic to them during their recent bereavement, aiding in every way possible to lessen the pang of sorrow. These deeds of kindness are as bright spots in a cloudy season and will not soon be forgotten.

### DOG TAXES.

OWNERS of Dogs are hereby notified that the Tax on the same are due and payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Carleton Place on or before May 1st, 1916. The fee is \$1.00 for Dogs and \$3.00 for Bitches. If not paid on time costs will be added.

If owners are also notified that their premises must be cleaned up and scavenging all done prior to May 15th, and default is liable to a penalty.

May 17, 1916. H. MCC. WILSON, Chief Constable.

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## PATRIOTIC MEETINGS

The following meetings have been arranged for by the Speakers' Patriotic League:

**Innisville—Orange Hall,**  
TUESDAY, April 25th.  
Speakers—Major Watt, Messrs. G. A. Burgess and C. W. Bates.

**Appleton—School House,**  
WEDNESDAY, April 26th.  
Speakers—Messrs. Rich. Thomson, D. B. Oliver and Dr. M. H. Steele.

**Ferguson's Falls—School House,**  
THURSDAY, April 27th.  
Speakers—Major Watt, Rev. E. T. Newton and Mr. N. M. Riddell.

**Blacks' Corners—Knox Church,**  
FRIDAY, April 28th.  
Speakers—Lieut. Collingwood, Mr. G. H. Findlay and Mr. N. M. Riddell.

**Carleton Place—Town Hall,**  
WEDNESDAY, May 3rd.  
Speakers—Lt. Col. Malloy, Rev. W. G. Henderson and Mr. Rich. Thomson.

**Franktown—Public Hall,**  
THURSDAY, May 4th.  
Speakers—Lt. Col. Malloy, Rev. J. W. S. Lowry, Rev. J. Osborne and Mr. Rich. Thomson.

Meetings to open at 8 p.m. sharp.

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## AUCTION SALE

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Rolled Wheat, 6 lbs for.....	25c	for.....	25c
Corn Meal, 6 lbs for.....	25c	White Swan Pancake Flour, 2 for.....	25c
Prunes, 2 lbs for.....	25c	Green Peas, in package, reg. 10c, now 3 for.....	25c
Peaches, 3 lbs for.....	25c	Gillett's Lye, 3 for.....	25c
Fresh Cranberries, per lb.....	15c	Washing Ammonia, 3 for.....	25c
Fancy Biscuits, 2 lbs for.....	25c	Seal Brand Coffee, reg. 50c, now.....	40c
Tomatoes, 2 for.....	25c	Corn Starch, 3 for.....	25c
Beans, 2 cans for.....	25c	Seal Brand Coffee, reg. 50c, now.....	40c
Corn, per tin.....	10c	Cream of Tartar, per lb.....	60c
Peas, per tin.....	10c	Honey, per pail.....	25c
Flour, per cwt.....	\$3.50		

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## DISTRICT NEWS.

## APPLETON.

Special to THE HERALD.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McIlraith, of Lanark, spent Friday with Rev. A. D. and Mrs. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Code, of Ottawa, called on friends on Thursday.

Mrs. Campbell and family of Kingston, are visiting with her mother, Mrs. Gilbert.

Mr. R. Grant, of Smiths Falls, spent Friday with his cousin, Mr. J. A. McGregor.

Mrs. Jas. Newman, of Ottawa, spent yesterday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee, of Almonte, called on Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGregor on Sunday.

Misses Jean and Nettie Horn, of Carleton Place, spent the week-end with Miss O. Lorimer.

Pte. John McClinton, of Ottawa, visited Mr. J. A. Turner for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenny, of Carleton Place, have taken up their residence in the house vacated by Mr. Wm. Owens.

Mrs. Garvin has come back to the village to reside.

Mrs. Jas. Pye is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. G. Glossop, in Ottawa.

Misses M. Matthews and Mabel Houston spent the week-end at Lanark.

Miss Bella Ashman visited her brother in Ottawa over Sunday.

Miss Christina Wilson, from Castleford is spending the holidays with her mother.

Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Campbell and children and Pte. Gilbert spent Saturday at the Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. F. Caldwell left on Sunday for New York.

Misses P. and M. Yenta, Miss B. Neal, and Mrs. Firth spent the holidays in Renfrew. Mr. and Mrs. L. Fumerton and family at Ashton. Mrs. Nichols, Misses Irene and Maud James and Ida Houston at Ottawa.

The Misses Doucet to Smiths Falls. Mr. Wm. Graham, at Huttigville.

Messrs. H. Lush, Joe Lorimer, and W. Cox spent Saturday in Ottawa.

Mr. Jas. Pye spent the week-end in Ottawa.

Miss Mary McFadden, who has been with her sister Mrs. L. Fumerton, returned to her home at Ashton last week.

Miss M. C. Wilson left yesterday to visit with friends in Ottawa.

The H.M. meeting is to be held on Friday evening in St. Andrews church, Rev. A. A. Scott and Rev. J. J. Monds will each give short addresses.

Honor Roll for April in Appleton school: IV Class—1, Ivan Turner, 2, Eddie O'Brien. Sr. III—1, Mac Turner, 2, Ethel Turner, 3, David Lorimer, Jr. III—1, Wilnot Paul, 2, Maggie Kellough and Mary Turner, 3, Winnie Boyle, Sr. II—1, Margaret Gilbert, 2, Estella O'Brien, and Morna Black, 3, Ivy Reynolds, Jr. II—1, Harold Turner, 2, Earle Kellough, 3, Rosella O'Brien, Sr. I—1, Harry Fumerton, 2, Elsie Lush, 3, Yola McDougal, Jr. I—1, Edna Baird, 2, Ross Turner, 3, Harold Fraser, Sr. Pr—1, Effie Paul, Jr. Pr—1, Rachel Baird, 2, Joseph O'Brien, 3, Nicholas O'Brien.

## LANARK.

From the Era.

Mr. Alex. Prentice, who has been seriously ill with pleuro-pneumonia for several weeks, is now well on the road to recovery.

Mr. Kenneth B. Conn, only son of Mr. J. H. proprietor of the Clyde Store, who enlisted with the 5th Princess Louise Dragoon Guards at Ottawa last fall, and who has been taking a course of instruction in the Infantry school, Toronto, was one of the successful students at the examinations held there recently, qualifying as a lieutenant.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Liddle, Fairview Farm, Middleville, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on April 12th, when their only daughter, Annie M., was united in marriage to Pte. Melville Paul, of the 130th Battalion, C.E.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Paul of Poland, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Capt. D. C. MacIntosh of Lanark, chaplain of the 130th.

Lanark Township lost one of her foremost men in the person of Robert R. Affleck, who died at his late farmstead, one mile and a half from Middleville, last Friday morning. Mr. Affleck had been working in the bush, attending to sugar making, and upon returning home he complained of severe pains and a physician was called in who diagnosed the trouble as gall stones. Opiates were administered to relieve the sufferer, which gave temporary relief, but he gradually sank until the end came on Friday.

Dr. B. E. McKenzie, Toronto, died following an operation.

## ALMONTE.

From the Gazette.

Mr. Robt. Waddell, who was called home by the death of his mother, left on Tuesday on the return trip to his home in Delburne, Alta. Mrs. Waddell and the three youngest children are with Mr. Waddell.

Mrs. J. H. Conn expects to go to Lanark for the summer months, and will leave for there about the first of June.

Lieut. William Wylie, of St. Catharines has recently come to Ottawa and is attached to the Engineers. He is a nephew of General Logie.

John McFarlane died at his home in La Grand, Minn., on March 31st, in his 73rd year. Mr. McFarlane was born in Ramsay, Ontario, Sept. 10th, 1843. He went to Minnesota in 1869, and took a claim the farm on which he lived 47 years. He returned to Ontario, and was married on June 17th, 1870, taking his bride to the log cabin on his claim. To this union were born thirteen children, twelve of whom survive him.

From the Times.

One of Mr. Wm. McClymont's children died last night of diphtheria. So far as we can learn, other children of the family were allowed to attend the public school, the parents supposing that the sick child was suffering from a sore throat only. When these facts became known to the school authorities this morning, orders were issued to close the school and fumigate the various rooms.

Mr. James McKibbin, of Pakenham township, was operated on a week ago Tuesday for appendicitis, at one of the hospitals in Ottawa, but he did not survive the ordeal, as he passed away on Monday. The deceased was in his 41st year, and was the eldest son of Mr. Wm. McKibbin, Reeve of Pakenham. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, under Masonic auspices, to the Methodist cemetery, Pakenham, and was one of the largest, if not the largest, ever seen in the township, there being nearly 200 rigs in the cortege.

## PERTH.

From the Courier.

Allan Code, son of Mr. T. A. Code, town, has entered the ranks of the Canadian Grenadier Guards as a private, and left this week to join the regiment at St. John, Que. He held the rank of lieutenant previous to joining the Guards, having qualified at the Provisional School of Infantry, Kingston.

With a view of cutting down expenses, no doubt, the Ontario government is dispensing with the services of assistant representatives of the Department of Agriculture and Mr. E. L. McLoughry will be leaving Perth the last of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Gamble, town, were suddenly bereaved Tuesday morning in the death of their little daughter, Irene, who was but in her sixth year. The little girl was seized with convulsions in the morning, and despite all attention, passed away. Only six weeks ago, a little brother, Willard, passed away, and the death of these two little ones, so near together, is a deep affliction to the stricken parents, in their hour of bereavement.

Mr. T. B. Caldwell, Lanark, has been elected as a trustee of the Board of Mining in connection with Queen's University, Kingston.

## Rounding Up Spies.

The French secret service, which is well organized, has been busy rounding up the German spies in Paris who are working in the hotels and restaurants as "German Swies," waiters, porters, and valets. Two hundred suspects were arrested recently, and half that number has been imprisoned and fined. Those who have been proved to be of neutral birth will be interned or expelled from France when they have completed their term of imprisonment.

No one is permitted to talk over the telephone in France except in the native language, by order of the Government. An alleged Swiss waiter at one of the best known hotels along the boulevards was overheard by a naval officer rejoicing over the telephone to a colleague on the heavy German artillery attack on Verdun. When he was arrested the man proved to be a genuine Boche, but the man he was talking to, and escaped was a German-Swiss, the secret service men said.

## Altitude Lessens Power.

The curious fact has been demonstrated that high altitudes apparently have a marked effect on the power obtainable from a gas engine. Recently one was erected several thousand feet above the sea level, but upon testing failed to give the desired power. An investigation followed, and the loss in power was attributed to the height at which the engine was operating. The general conclusion was reached that a gas engine loses about 1 per cent of its indicated horsepower per 1,000 feet of elevation.—Popular Mechanics.

## Governed by Ancestors.

The Gamos of South Africa believe that their ancestors, whose wishes are interpreted by the sorcerers, direct and govern every act of the people. They find auguries, too, in the flight of birds, particularly in the night hawk and the eagle, the writhing of the serpents, the timidity of the mole, the changing colors of the chameleon, the barking or actions of dogs and foxes and even the circumstance of a pest of flies. If a native shudders involuntarily the act is regarded as a sign that some misfortune is about to befall him.

## BAD HABITS.

Each year one vicious habit rooted out in time ought to make the worst man good.—Benjamin Franklin.

## AFRICAN TOWNS TAKEN.

General Smuts Has Made Astonishing Progress in East Africa.

LONDON, April 24.—Amazing progress has been made by General Smuts in his campaign in German East Africa, and a great battle is now in progress at Kondoa Irangi, over 150 miles across the frontier from British East Africa. Instead of striking along the Tanga railway General Smuts has pushed inland at a tremendous rate, penetrating the Umbugwe and Kondoa Irangi districts. Umbugwe and Salanga are in British hands. It is not generally known that a considerable force of Abyssinian troops are attached to General Smuts' forces.

The official report reads: "Reports from Lieut.-Gen. Smuts (commander of the expedition against German East Africa) state that mounted troops under Lieut.-Col. Vandeventer, after their successes at Lol Kissale on April 4 and 5, continued their advance, occupying Umbugwe, or Kothersheim, on April 12, and Salanga on April 14.

"At each of these places small hostile garrisons were captured or driven off with losses.

"The enemy was encountered in some force near Kondoa Irangi on April 17, and it became evident that a hostile concentration was being effected in that direction. Fighting had been continued up to the time of telegraphing.

"Nothing of importance has occurred in the other theatres in East Africa. Heavy rains have commenced. Excellent progress has been made with the construction of the railway from Voi, which has now been carried forward to New Mochi."

This announcement indicates that the British expedition has penetrated the interior of German East Africa for a considerable distance. About one hundred miles beyond the border is the district of Umbugwe. It is south of Mount Kilimanjaro, which is on the southern border of British East Africa.

## FLOOD CHECKS ADVANCE.

Only One Brigade Can Attack at a Time, Says Lake.

LONDON, April 24.—Further efforts by the British to advance on the Tigris toward Kut-el-Amara have been futile, the failure of an attack Sunday morning on the Turkish lines at Sannayyat being attributed in an official statement issued Sunday afternoon largely to flood conditions which necessitated an advance over a very contracted front. The official statement says:

"General Lake, telegraphing Sunday, reports:

"An attack made this morning on the Sannayyat position, on the left, or north, bank failed. The position had been systematically bombarded on the 20th and 21st at intervals during each night and again this morning. Owing to floods, it was found possible for one brigade only to attack over a very concentrated front.

"The leading troops of this brigade, consisting of a British composite battalion, advanced with great gallantry and penetrated the enemy's first and second lines, through the bog and submerged trenches. A few got up into the third line. The brigade, however, was unable to maintain itself under the enemy's counter-attacks. Other brigades pushed up on the right and left to reinforce, were unable to reach their objectives across the flooded, boggy ground under heavy machine gun fire. Our troops on the right bank were also unable to make much progress."

## ITALIANS MAKE GAIN.

Violent Battle Results in Capture of Carso Positions.

ROME, April 24.—A violent infantry battle, in which the Italians remain victorious, capturing 350 metres of Austrian trenches on the Carso plateau, east of Seltz, was reported by the Italian War Office Sunday night. The battle took place Saturday, when Italian infantry stormed the Austrian trenches, breaking down stubborn resistance. The Austrians at once drew up reinforcements and then launched two furious counter-attacks, wresting part of the lost positions back from the Italians. Saturday in a third attack during the night they retook another section, but the Italians, themselves reinforced by this time, fought bitterly to regain full control of the positions originally won, furious hand-to-hand fighting ensued, lasting several hours, and the Italians finally achieved their aim, ejecting the Austrians and taking 133 prisoners, including six officers and much booty.

The Austrians throughout Sunday concentrated heavy artillery fire on the summit of the Col di Lana, but, according to the War Office, without result.

Chinese Ship Sank With 1,000 Lives.

SHANGHAI, April 24.—Over a thousand soldiers and men of the crew of the steamer Hsin Yu were lost when the steamer sank after a collision with the cruiser Hai-Yun Saturday evening south of the Chusan Islands.

The steamer, acting as a transport, was taking troops to the front. The collision occurred during a thick fog, and only one foreign engineer, 20 soldiers, and nine sailors out of six foreigners and over a thousand soldiers and members of the crew were saved.

The Hsin-Yu was a vessel of 1629 tons. She was built in 1889 and was owned by the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company of Shanghai.

## U. S. Protest to Austria.

AMSTERDAM, April 24.—Press despatches from Vienna report that the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Office has received a note from the United States dealing with the attack on the Russian mark Imperator in the Mediterranean.

President Yuan Shi Kai authorized the organization of a Cabinet Government for China.

Field Marshal Von Der Goltz, one of Germany's ablest military strategists, is dead of spotted fever.

The physician who attended Hon. J. R. Stratton before death has been arrested. Improper treatment is alleged.

After a long illness John A. Moors, Amprior, passed away. He was born in Beckwith township 56 years ago, and resided in Amprior since childhood.

## Everybody's Corner.

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# General Townshend Is Real Hero of Campaign on the River Tigris

It is twenty years ago since General Townshend, who has made such a magnificent fight for Bagdad in the face of forces which far outnumbered his own, accomplished his first great achievement. At the time he was a captain in the Central India Horse, and in 1895 he escorted Dr. Robertson, the British agent, to Chitral, only to be besieged by overwhelming forces of natives.

The commandant of the fort, Captain Campbell, was severely wounded, and Captain Townshend took command and defended the fort for nearly two months, until relieved by Colonel Kelly. So highly did the authorities think of the magnificent defence put up by Captain Townshend that the garrison was awarded six



GENERAL TOWNSHEND.

months' additional pay, while the captain received the thanks of the Indian Government, the C.B., and the brevet of major.

In 1884-5 General Townshend, as a Lieutenant in the Royal Marines, saw active service in the Sudan Expedition, and was present at the battle of Abu Klea, when General Stewart inflicted such a crushing defeat on the Derwishes.

Born in 1861, General Townshend is a grandson of the late Rev. Lord George Osborne Townshend, brother of the fourth Marquess Townshend. He is, therefore, the cousin and heir presumptive of the sixth and present Marquess.

A born soldier, General Townshend came prominently under the notice of Lord Kitchener when, as major, he commanded the 12th Soudanese Battalion and took part in the Dongola Expedition under "K. of K.," ultimately accompanying Kitchener in his advance up the Nile and taking part in the victory of the Atbara, and also in the final overthrow of the Khalifa at Khartoum, his reward being a double mention in despatches and the D.S.O.

In 1900 General Townshend joined the Royal Fusiliers, and since then promotion has followed promotion, until to-day he is regarded as one of the finest leaders in the British army.

## Montenegrin Royalty.

All sorts of ridiculous rumors are being circulated regarding the movements of the King of Montenegro and his family. The real truth is that while Nicholas is moving about and working in co-operation with the Allies, the Queen of Montenegro has gone to Paris with her two daughters, Xenia, born in 1881, and Vera, the youngest of King Nicholas' nine children, who are the only two unmarried.

The Princesses Malitza and Stana married Russian grand dukes; Danilo, the heir-apparent, wedded a princess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz; Helene is the Queen of Italy; Anna is the wife of Prince Joseph of Battenberg; and Miko married a princess of the Royal house of Serbia. The brother of Crown Prince Danilo's wife was a very popular figure in London's gayest set before the war. Good-looking, rich, pleasant, and more English than German in his tastes, he was thought of as a husband for Princess Patricia of Connaught. The only drawback to the match was that pretty "Princess Pat" would not have him.

## Intelligent Anticipation.

On the south side of Blackfriars Bridge, spanning the River Thames, is a remarkable and, presumably, entirely unintentional anticipation of the fact that the Germans in the early part of the twentieth century would cease to be classed in the category of "civilized nations."

Abutting on the bridge is an old factory, which is about to be pulled down, belonging to a firm of patent medicine vendors, established as far back as the year 1824, and the very faded gold lettering over the front of the building and across the wide spaces between the windows announces that the firm has "Agents throughout the Civilized [capital C] world."

There follows a list of countries from which, however, the home of the Hun is excluded.

## Decorations for War Horses.

It is the custom in Paris to decorate horses with a plate attached to their harness announcing that the wearer has seen active service, but has now been sent home as only fit for civilian work.

## BOMB THROWING.

Describing One of War's Most Dangerous Jobs.

Quite one of the present war's most important developments is the recrudescence of bomb or grenade throwing.

Next to the artillery, there is no weapon capable of inflicting greater damage than a well-directed bomb. It is nothing uncommon for one small bomb to kill half a dozen men and injure a dozen more.

Of what, it might be asked, does this deadly missile, which can cause such havoc, consist?

It must first be explained that at the present time there are two special kinds of bombs supplied to our boys at the front. The first, and most dangerous, is known as the "lemon" bomb, so called from its resemblance in shape to that fruit. It is made of cast metal, flattened at each end, and divided by grooves into squares to permit of the pieces bursting easily, the same as a shrapnel shell. Inside is packed a powerful explosive.

At the bottom end is the detonator, which is exploded by pressing a spring. A safety-pin runs through the bomb between the spring and the detonator, and woe betide the unfortunate bomb-thrower who removes the pin and presses the spring before he is ready to throw.

Four short seconds after, the bomb explodes with a terrific concussion; the shock alone is enough to kill a man. This "lemon" bomb is principally for clearing the enemy's trenches. It is handy to throw, and its weight—less than two pounds—makes it possible for a goodly number to be carried in a stout canvas bag, slung at the side.

When a big attack is projected, the crack bomb-throwers—always picked men in a battalion—have what are known as "loaders" and "carriers." These men carry and hand bombs to the crack shot as he goes along demolishing his opponents.

The other type of bomb in use is known as the "long ball" grenade. Its principle is much the same as the "lemon" bomb, except it has a stick about fifteen inches long fastened to it, and a piece of stout tape at the end to act as a rudder. There are practically only two ways of throwing bombs safely. One is the ordinary throw, straight from the shoulder, and the other a round-arm throw. The latter, of course, cannot be done in a trench with safety; the bomb is too liable to hit the back of the trench and explode. In the open, round-arm throwing is much preferable; it saves the terrific wrench of the arm which cricketers know only too well.

Bomb-throwing at the front is—as may be imagined—pretty dangerous, but it is the way to get a Victoria Cross.

Sergeant Oliver Brooks, of the Coldstream Guards, is one of the heroes who won this world-coveted distinction. His cross, like that of many another V.C. recipient, was gained by holding an important part of a trench armed simply with small bombs.

An attack on a trench by bombers is a pretty common occurrence nowadays. Few people have any idea of how it is done. The bomb-throwers lead the way, followed by a party of men with fixed bayonets. Into the enemy trench is thrown a shower of bombs, and all the attacking party drop flat on the ground, waiting for them to explode. They go off together with a nerve-shattering, deafening crash, emitting smoke which hangs in a dense grey-black pall in the trenches.

Now come the fixed bayonets. Over the top of the parapet go the infantrymen, ready to bayonet and shoot at the same time any of the hated enemy still alive. Then come the bombers again. With a fresh supply they jump into the trench, and, accompanied by two men with bayonets, start clearing its numerous ramifications. A bomb is dropped over a traverse; it explodes, and around rush the infantrymen to clear out any occupant.

## Schiller Knew Them.

The following story, which is going the rounds of the Continental papers, including even those of Austria, must make the Germans gnash their teeth. A German and a Dane met recently in Schiller's house in Weimar. As they stood gazing reverently on the scene the German, swelling with pride, remarked to his fellow-visitor: "So this is where our national poet, Schiller, lived."

"Pardon me," said the other; "not national, but international."

"How so?" asked the German, with surprise.

"Why, consider his works," the Dane replied. "He wrote 'Mary Stuart' for the English, 'The Maid of Orleans' for the French, 'Egmont' for the Dutch, 'William Tell' for the Swiss."

"And what did he write for the Germans, pray?" broke in the other.

"Pat came the Dane's answer: 'For the Germans he wrote 'The Robbers.'"

## An Archbishop's Novel.

Dr. Lang, Archbishop of York, is probably the only Archbishop who has ever written a novel. He began writing very early. At fifteen he won a prize for an essay in Young England, the subject being "Athletic Sport: Their Usefulness and Danger."

The following year he carried off the prize for the best "original piece of recitation" with a very creditable poem in blank verse entitled "The Burghers of Calais."

## A Historic Flute.

Mr. William Barrett, the famous Drury Lane flautist, counts among his most treasured possessions the flute-case of the flautist who played in the first performance of "Elijah," at Birmingham, in 1866. Mendelssohn himself conducted. The case has on it now the signatures of scores of celebrated musicians.

## Rich British Women

Are Joining Movement

to Adopt "War Babies"

THE "War Baby" sensation which swept from one end of Britain to the other has in a measure quieted down, and less has been heard of the controversy which raged in the columns of the British press. The problem of illegitimate children is, however, by no means a non-existent one. Although first alarmist figures which would have led one to believe that the country was about to be deluged with fatherless babes, were



AN ENGLISH "WAR BABY."

shown to be gross misstatements, the fact still remains that many thousands of young mothers in Britain are confronted with the task of bringing up little ones without being able to claim support from their fathers at the front. In many cases where such support would have been gladly given, the fathers have given their lives for their country.

In order to lessen the burden on the young mothers many wealthy British women are coming forward to adopt "war babies." This movement has now become a recognized form of charity arising out of the struggle and an organized effort to find homes for the little ones is meeting with great success.

## THEY MAKE GOOD.

Dogs in the French Army Which Do Splendid Work.

One of the most interesting of the subsidiary establishments of the French army is that of the French sheepdogs, which are being employed in ambulance and patrol work. There are only about 25, but their value is generally recognized.

The dogs are of five breeds: Malinois, Gronendael, Bar Rouge, Briare and Berfer Allemand, of which the last is said to be the least intelligent. The original idea was that they should be employed only as ambulance work, but it was soon found possible to use them for taking back messages from advanced parties to the rear.

Training has to be begun when the dogs are very young. The first thing, of course, is implicit obedience. Then it is a question of training them not to fear gun-fire. Once trained, they show themselves absolutely fearless, and so far from recoiling from a shell-burst, they usually rush forward and bark furiously at it.

On ambulance work they perform much the same duties as those of St. Bernard. They are sent out to scour the ground, and when they have found a wounded man they bring back some article of his apparel. A doctor and two orderlies are then detailed to follow the dog, who brings them to the place where the wounded man is lying.

The following story is told of Fanfare, one of the Bar Rouge breed. The dog was carrying a message from the front line to the rear when he was very badly hit in the foreleg by shrapnel. So soon as he had pulled himself together he limped on to his destination on three legs, and then insisted on returning to the front patrol who had originally sent him out. In the course of the evening he was sent to Paris, where his wounds were dressed, and he is now back again at the front.

## Gospel by the Ton.

Eleven tons of Testaments have just been dispatched from Britain by the British and Foreign Bible Society for the prisoners of war in Russia. There were fifty-four cases, containing over 250,000 volumes. The volumes are printed in Polish, German, Hungarian, and Bohemian.

## Hiding in the Mines.

It is stated that since the war 150,000 men throughout Great Britain had left other occupations for the mines because underground workers were barred from military service.

## Just Heard of the War.

The Rev. E. T. Greenshield, missionary, speaking at Eastbourne, said that his parishioners in Baffin Land, North-West Canada, had only just heard that there was a war.

# Production and Thrift

"GAIN or no gain the cause before the farmers of Canada is as clear as it was last year—they must produce abundantly in order to meet the demands that may be made, and I believe this to be especially true in regard to live stock, the world's supply of which must be particularly affected in this vast struggle."—HON. MARTIN BURRELL, Minister of Agriculture.

THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE BASED ON REPORTS CONTAINED IN "THE AGRICULTURAL WAR BOOK, 1916," PUBLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, OTTAWA, ONT.

**LIVE STOCK**—The herds and flocks of Europe have been greatly reduced. When the war is over there will be a great demand for breeding stock. Canadian farmers should keep this in mind.

**MEATS**—In 1915 Great Britain imported 664,508 tons of beef, mutton and lamb, of which 364,245 tons came from without the Empire. Out of 430,420 tons of beef only 104,967 tons came from within the Empire.

The demands of the Allies for frozen beef, canned beef, bacon and hams will increase rather than diminish. Orders are coming to Canada. The decreasing tonnage space available will give Canada an advantage if we have the supplies.

**DAIRYING**—Home consumption of milk, butter and cheese has increased of late years. The war demands for cheese have been unlimited. The Canadian cheese exports from Montreal in 1915 were nearly \$8,500,000 over 1914. Prices at Montreal—Cheese: January 1915, 15½ to 17 cents; January 1916, 18½ to 18¾ cents. Butter: January 1915, 24 to 25½ cents; January 1916, 32 to 33 cents.

**EGGS**—Canada produced \$30,000,000 worth of eggs in 1915 and helped out Great Britain in the shortage. Shippers as well as producers have a duty and an opportunity in holding a place in that market.

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## About Fishes.

Fish are nearly the same weight as the water in which they live, so that they can move in it with great ease. The majority of them also have an air bladder inside of the body, which enables them to go up or down in the water at will. When a fish desires to go down deep it can press the air out of this bladder by means of certain muscles and thus increase the weight of its body, and when it wishes to rise again it takes off the pressure, the bladder fills with air again, and its body becomes light enough to rise.

## Unkind.

"Does your wife wear spats?" "Wear 'em? She starts 'em."—Detroit Free Press.

## Outguessed.

"What size collar do you wear?" "About a half size too small for you."—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

## A Definition.

Little Elmer—Papa, what is hope? Professor Broadhead—Hope, my son, is what we have left.—Exchange.

The C.P.R. has lifted the embargo on the intercolonial Railway.

Turkey admits that one of her submarines recently sunk the Russian hospital ship Portugal in the Black Sea.

Wolf Von Igel, former secretary of Von Papen, has demanded his release from custody in the United States, claiming diplomatic immunity.

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## A Monster Vessel of Olden Times.

Ptolemaeus Philopater, one of the ancient kings of Egypt, is said to have built a vessel 420 feet long, 56 feet broad, 72 feet high from the keel to the top of the prow and 80 feet to the top of the poop. She had four helms of 60 feet. Her largest oars were 50 feet long, with leaden handles so as to be more easily worked. She had two prows, two sterns and seven rostra or beaks. On both poop and prow she had figures of men and animals that were fully 18 feet high. She had 4,000 rowers, 400 cabin boys or servants, 2,820 marines to do duty on deck, besides being provided with immense stores of arms and provisions.—Westminster Gazette.

## The Burden of Golf.

Golfer (with a full bag, looking for a caddy)—I say, my friend, do you happen to know of any one who—Near-sighted Villager (testily)—No, I don't. All the folks round here does their own umbrella repairin'.—Puck.

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# GRAFT

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## SECOND EPISODE

The Tenement House Evil  
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 Author of "The Lone Wolf"  
 And "Nobody"

### SYNOPSIS.

Dudley Larnigan, district attorney of New York, attacks the liquor and vice trusts. He is killed by an agent of a secret society, the committee of fifteen. His son, Bruce Larnigan, is elected district attorney and takes up the fight. Bruce is in love with Dorothy Maxwell, whose father is head of the insurance trust.

**B**RUCE LARNIGAN had won the first battle in his fight against the fifteen, a mysterious graft syndicate which, composed not of cheap politicians, but of great business men, had strangled New York in its nefarious grip and was planning to spread its activities to cover the whole country. But Bruce had no illusions. A final and despairing attempt to beat him on election day itself by attempting to prove that he had accepted a bribe from the liquor interests to secure lax enforcement of the law had failed, thanks partly to his own cleverness and partly to the help of Dorothy Maxwell, his fiancée.

But Bruce knew that the real fight was only just beginning. The graft syndicate was entrenched in power. It had warned his father, Dudley Larnigan, that death would be his reward if he did not desist from his efforts to expose its corruption. It had made good the warning, and Bruce had sworn not only to finish his father's uncompleted work, but to avenge his death as well. To Bruce, Stanford Stone appeared to be a great capitalist, a distinguished financier, a man justly honored by the community and worthy of respect and confidence. Yet Stanford Stone was the head of the graft syndicate. It was Stanford Stone who had decreed Dudley Larnigan's death and Stanford Stone who had led the assault upon Bruce himself. Moreover—and this Bruce did not suspect, either—a personal motive lay behind Stone's enmity for him, for Stone was in love with Dorothy Maxwell.

Bruce had determined that his first move must be to strike at the evils of the tenement house district, which his father had been planning to take up. "I want the man higher up," he told his mother. "I know there is one, and



"Look at this," said Bruce, showing Stone the letter.  
 It is he that I must get. I don't know yet who he is, but I'm going to find out!"

He was at home when he said that, leaning over his mother's chair. And even as he spoke a tiny dart whistled by his ear and was buried in the back of his mother's chair. So faint was the sound, so tiny the missile, that his mother knew nothing of it. Bruce got it out and found that around the dart was wrapped a note. He read it. It was brief:

"Warning: Stop investigating the tenements. The Fifteen."

Bruce smiled grimly; there was a drawing of a skull on the note. He stepped to the window, hoping that whoever had thrown the dart might be within sight. But no suspicious character of any sort rewarded his searching glance; instead he saw Dorothy Maxwell and Stanford Stone approaching the house. They looked up and waved to him.

"I certainly didn't expect to see either of you!" said Bruce, laughing. "Have you seen any suspicious looking character around?"

"No one except you—you look pretty suspicious!" laughed Stone. "Why?"

"Nothing—no matter," said Bruce. "Come in and see my mother, won't you?"

"I'll tell you why I asked you that question, Mr. Stone," said Bruce when they were alone. "Look at this."

He handed him the note, first drawing a line through "The Fifteen."

"Only fourteen now," he said. "I got rid of Murphy! I'll run them down and get even with my father's murderers!"

Outside they separated, Bruce and Dorothy to go downtown, Stone to hurry to his office, his face set in lines of grim determination. He strode rapidly toward his office. And there he called a meeting of the fifteen. Anton Dow, head of the tenement house trust, appeared, angry because of newspaper stories about Bruce's determination to get the man higher up in the tenement evils. Dow knew, as Bruce did not, that he himself was the man higher up, and his nervousness was uncontrolled.

"We've got to strike at him before he can hit us," said Stone angrily. "Our whole position is menaced by this one man. Dow, you are the one chiefly interested. You own some property in the tenement district of a—well, a questionable sort?"

"I suppose I do," said Dow. "I'm not responsible for my tenants."

"Well, trap Larnigan with a woman in one of your houses."

"Yes—that can be done," agreed Dow, after a moment's thought. "We'll plan the details later, Stone."

There was more talk, and then Dow had to hurry home to lunch. Dow was a model father and husband. He was devoted to his wife, and his love for his two children, Harold and Lillian, knew no bounds.

And meanwhile, even while Dow played with his own children in his luxurious home, Bruce and Dorothy were seeing other children in a house that was also owned by Dow. But this house was a tenement that disregarded law and decency alike. There were no fire escapes; the heating system was out of order, and there was running water from only one tap on each floor. Dorothy and the woman's two children went to look over the building. Bruce, sickened, went to the street. Other children came to talk with him, and he sat down on the stoop and played with them. Across the street was a saloon, and from this emerged a burly, ill-favored man, at the sight of whom the children shuddered.

"Key, youse! Beat it! We don't want no duds reformers down this way—see?" said the fellow, whom Bruce recognized as a cheap ward politician named Black.

Bruce smiled, took out a pad and made a note. Black shook his fist in his face and, turning, made a signal that set several roughs across the street in motion. Bruce started to rise; Black knocked him down, and the gang came tearing over.

"Kick him till he's a stiff!" yelled Black.

But a sudden and remarkable intervention came to Bruce's aid. As if by instinct the children flung themselves upon him, covering him with their soft bodies. The gang stopped; even their brutality shrank from attacking the children. Bruce had time to draw his revolver and rose, the weapon in his hand. Black turned and ran; the gangsters drew guns and looked for shelter. But the children's screams had brought the police, and Bruce was safe for the time.

From that moment Bruce went to work with redoubled energy. And Dorothy, painfully impressed by what she had seen, had helped by trying to do what she could for the tenement children. She knew she could not do much for the whole city, but in that one house she improved conditions vastly. One night she was visiting the Dows, old friends of her family, and described the class she had established for the children of the tenement house.

"And tonight," said Dorothy—"tonight we're going to have a Christmas tree for them down there. I'm going down now to give out the little presents."

"Mother, can't we go and see?" cried Lillian.

"Oh, yes—please!" echoed Harold. Mrs. Dow hesitated. But they pleaded so eagerly that she gave in at last, and Dorothy took them with her. On the way she stopped and telephoned to tell Bruce and ask him to join her. His voice as he answered was excited.

"I'll come if I can—as soon as I can," he said. "Dorothy, I'm on the trail at last, I do believe! Tonight I've got a chance to get the evidence I need."

What had happened was that that afternoon a woman had come to Bruce in his office, a woman whose profession no one could mistake.

"Say," she said, when she was with him alone. "You want to get the goods on all this tenement stuff, don't you?"

Well, you come down to my place to-night, and I'll see that you get it. You've got to come to the house."

Bruce laughed at her.

"Do I look as easy as all that?" he said. "Do you suppose I can't recognize as obvious a trap as that?"

"Aw, I know it wasn't any use!" she said. "I told them you wouldn't come. But I'll get the devil—the main guy's going to be there!"

"What?" said Bruce sharply. "He is, eh? Well, that might make a difference!"

He hesitated, questioned her sharply. But in the end he decided to go—taking certain precautions.

The time came, and Bruce, still hesitating a little but determined to face the risk that he saw could not be avoided, went with the woman to her house. The whole thing filled him with disgust; the woman herself and the girls he saw in her house revolted him.

"You see, you can find out what's going on here," said the woman. "It's plain enough—my God, what's that?"

There was a thunderous knocking at the door. Heavy blows fell against it, and it came crashing in. A squad of police followed.

"They double crossed me—the joint's pinched!" screamed the woman.

Abruptly Bruce saw what had been planned and went white. But just as a policeman stepped up to him another man in plain clothes appeared.

"Officer, leave Mr. Larnigan alone," he said. "He's here to get evidence. Arrest the woman—no one else."

"Yes, Mr. Commissioner," said the man, saluting.

This was Bruce's counterstroke. He had arranged for the police commis-



"There's one of your houses—burning up!" he cried.

stoner to accompany any raiding party and had told him his plans in advance. His reputation was safe.

But now a new factor came into sight. Anton Dow, furious at the frustration of his plans, suddenly appeared. "Arrest both those men!" he cried. "I demand it!"

"Anton Dow!" cried Bruce. "So you are the main guy here! You are one of the Fifteen—one of my father's murderers!"

Dow realized his mistake. But he tried desperately to secure Bruce's arrest. Only a sudden commotion outside the house checked him.

"Fire!" yelled some one at a window. "In the house across the street!" Bruce was over to look. Flames were pouring from the door and the lower windows of the house, which had no fire escapes! He understood the full horror of it in a moment. Dorothy was there! He turned frantically to Dow.

"There's one of your houses—burning up!" he cried. "No fire escapes! Dorothy Maxwell is there, trying to help the children you oppress! And with her are your own children!"

Dow, stricken, never doubting, collapsed. Bruce raced to the street. The policemen followed. Firemen were arriving. Ladders were going up. Bruce knew the window where Dorothy must be. He was up the first ladder and found her with the two Dow children. He brought them to safety and then helped in the work of rescue. Dow, stampeding, incoherent, came to Bruce.

"I've been wrong—I've been a sinful man!" he said. "But I see my wickedness. I will reform every building I own. And tomorrow morning I will give you the evidence against the rest!"

"Come to my office at 9 o'clock," said Bruce.

Neither saw that Black, lurking near by, heard. Neither knew that Black got word to Stanford Stone.

Bruce was up all night. On Christmas morning, when he had done all he could for the fire sufferers, he went to his office to wait for Dow. He looked at the clock—8:30. His mother called him up. She begged him to come to her at once—said that she must see him. He hesitated, then scribbled a note. "Dow," it read, "I will be back at 9:30. Wait."

Outside his office he met Dorothy. "I was afraid," she said. "I wanted you to come home."

"Come with me," he said with a laugh. "I must hurry back, but I'll have breakfast at home with you and mother."

Dow came, found the note and sat down to wait. He had gone to pieces. The escape of his children had unnerved him. He glanced at the clock. Nine o'clock.

In his own office Stanford Stone, too, looked at his clock. He watched the minutes pass slowly till five had gone. And at the fifth minute, when, as Stone supposed, Dow would just be beginning his revelations to Bruce, an explosion shattered Bruce's room. A bomb connected with the clock was set off, and Dow was instantly killed. Only an accident had saved Bruce from sharing his fate.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson V.—Second Quarter, April 30, 1916.

### THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xii, 1-11. Memory Verse, 11—Golden Text, Ps. xxxiv, 7—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

If the words "about that time" of verse 1 refer to the last four verses of the previous chapter, then it was about the time that Barnabas and Saul were in Jerusalem with the financial help from the believers at Antioch for the saints at Jerusalem. This would appear to be so from the last verse of our lesson chapter, so that we may think of Barnabas and Saul being at the prayer meeting in the house of Mary, who was sister to Barnabas (verse 12; Col. iv, 10). How often the first words of Gen. iii, 1, come to us as we read the Bible story or the story of the world in the daily papers or our own life story? "Now the serpent," for we are reminded by Peter that our adversary, the devil, walketh about seeking whom he may devour (1 Pet. v, 8). Satan himself confessed to the Lord that it was his custom to go to and fro in the earth and walk up and down in it (Job i, 7; ii, 2). Paul tells us that our conflict is not so much with what we see as with the invisible powers of darkness, and therefore we need the whole armor of God (Eph. vi, 10-18).

Herod was a good servant of the devil and did quite a bit of work for him when he killed James and put Peter in prison (verses 1-3). On that last night ere our Lord was crucified, He told His followers that they might expect to be put out of the synagogue and even killed for His sake and would surely have tribulation (John xvi, 1, 2, 33). From heaven He sent word, after He had been some time there, that the devil would cast some of them into prison, but being faithful, even if they died for it, there would be a great reward (Rev. ii, 10). James, being killed, had the gain, the far better, absent from the body present with the Lord, the rest from labor, while Peter, being only imprisoned remained still where the devil could reach him if the Lord should permit. Many, however, would prefer the prison to being killed. As far as soldiers were concerned, Peter seemed to be well guarded, with no possibility of escape, but how often He that sitteth in the heavens laughs at the schemes of men when they take counsel against Him! (Ps. ii, 1-4).

The believers prayed without ceasing to God for Peter, but there seemed to be no answer until the very night before Peter was to be brought forth, probably for execution. The Lord may seem to delay, but when He purposes to do a thing He is never too late. Heaven heard, and the angel came. Peter was asleep chained to two soldiers, and how two kept the door of the prison. How perfectly fascinating to see an angel work! Soldiers and doors and prison walls are no hindrance. The prison is entered; the angel awakens Peter; the chains fall off. Peter puts on some clothing by the aid of the light from the angel and follows his guide, gates and doors opening before them of their own accord, until Peter is at least one street away from the prison, thinking it all a beautiful dream or vision.

The angel, having fulfilled his commission, went back to heaven. Blessed ed ministry and, oh, how wonderful! The God of Israel doeth wondrously. Peter soon came to himself and knew that he had been in very deed delivered by a messenger from heaven who never waited to be even thanked for his great kindness. They serve generally unseen and always unthanked.

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The air men came down to safety, but as they had no more gasoline in their tank they were unable to set fire to their machine, which fell into the hands of the Germans.

## Steel Houses.

The Allied Powers, it is said, intend to erect vast numbers of portable steel dwelling-houses for the use of soldiers at the front, and also as homes for the inhabitants of territory which has been devastated by the war. France plans to build 100,000 such dwellings.

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#### Death at Appleton.

After an illness extending over many months, Mr. Howard D. Watt passed away at Appleton this morning, aged 36 years. His ailment was cancer of the bowels, for which he underwent an operation ten months ago, but he never regained his strength. He is survived by his wife and two daughters. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at Lanark, where deceased was born.

#### Payment for Sheep.

An amendment has been made to the Dog Tax and Sheep Protection Act by the Legislature which will permit the full payment of damage done to sheep by dogs instead of two-thirds, as it has been in the past. The Act reads as follows: "The owner of any sheep killed or injured by any dog, the owner of which is not known, may within three months after the killing or injury apply to the council of the municipality in which the sheep was so killed or injured, for compensation for the injury; and if the council is satisfied that he has made diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the owner or keeper of such dog, and that he cannot be found, they shall award to the aggrieved party for compensation a sum equal to the amount of the damage sustained by him; and the treasurer of the municipality shall pay over to him the amount so awarded."

#### Hymeneal—McGregor-McEwen.

The home of Mr. F. C. McEwen, Queen street, was the scene of a quiet wedding last Thursday morning, when his second daughter, Miss Grace, was united in marriage with Mr. H. Forbes McGregor, one of our popular young men. Sharp at 9:30 the bride entered the drawing room, which was tastefully decorated with flowers for the occasion, leaning upon the arm of her father, and took her place beside the groom, the young couple being unattended, whilst Mr. J. W. Given played Lohengrin's bridal chorus. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. A. Scott, M.A. During the signing of the register Mendelssohn's wedding march was rendered. The bride looked most charming in a gown of pale blue Liberty satin, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and lily-of-the-valley. After the ceremony breakfast was served and the young couple left immediately by the 10:55 train for Toronto and other Ontario points, and on their return will settle down in their new home on Frank street. The bride's travelling suit was of navy blue serge with tulle hat. Many beautiful and costly gifts attested to the popularity of the young couple, who have the best wishes of hosts of friends for a long life of conjugal bliss.

#### Another Old Citizen at Rest.

By the death of Mr. Henry Tetlock, which occurred on Tuesday last, Carleton Place has lost another of her oldest citizens, deceased having come to reside here in 1869. Mr. Tetlock was born in Drummond township in April, 1840, and so was 76 years of age. Last summer he had a very severe illness, from which he never fully recovered, although he was able to be about until a fortnight previous to his demise. In 1864 he married Maria Code, who with four sons and three daughters survive. Two little ones died in infancy, and one son—Nelson—met a tragic death on the C.P.R. some years ago. The sons are Rufus, Cecil and Lloyd, in Carleton Place, and Herbert M. Tetlock of Detroit, who reached home for the funeral. The daughters are Mrs. C. B. Moore, Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. W. J. Porter and Miss Eva, in town. Mr. Tetlock witnessed many changes in Carleton Place during his long residence, and took a pride in the advance and welfare of the town. He worked about the sawmills for a long time, but left this for the C.P.R., with which corporation he remained until receiving his old age pension. He was a member of the L.O. Foresters until reaching the age limit and the Can. Order Chosen Friends. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, and was largely attended. The service at the house was conducted by Rev. Mr. Henderson, of the Methodist church, the pallbearers being Messrs. W. H. Saunders, Thos. Houston, David Henry, Rich. Duffy, James Burrows and P. N. Frizell. The remains were placed in St. James vault.

Mrs. Mary Mundell died at her home on Arch street on Tuesday last, was eighty-three years of age. Her mother died when she was very young, and soon afterwards her father, James Gardiner, brought her to Canada, settling in Kingston, where until his death in 1849 he kept store. She was a resident of Kingston for over seventy years. She is survived by three sons: Drs. John and D. E. Mundell and William Mundell, barrister, and one daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) G. F. Cliff, of Morthack, Sask., all graduates of Queen's.

#### SUMMARY OF NEWS.

Two convicts at Sing Sing prison made their escape.  
The Paris economic conference will begin on Thursday.  
Twenty people were killed by an explosion at Bordeaux.  
Only four people were arrested in Toronto on Good Friday.  
General Smuts reported notable progress in German East Africa.

Eleven persons were killed by tornadoes in Missouri and Kansas.  
Prohibition is to go into effect in New Brunswick on May 1 of next year.

Richard Harding Davis the American author, left an estate of \$250,000.

A big plot to start a revolution in India has been checked by Britain.

The Kaiser narrowly escaped being killed by a French bomb at Verdun.

Thos. Farrow, ex-M.P. for Huron died at Collingwood at the age of 83.

The scarcity of sugar is causing the German Government serious concern.

Germany has issued posters calling boys of seventeen years to the colors.

The allies have established a naval base at Suda Bay, on the Isle of Crete.

Rev. Father Frachon, who was the oldest priest in Toronto, died last week.

The commander of the destroyer of the Sussex was decorated by the Kaiser.

The marriage license fee was increased from \$2 to \$5 by the Ontario Legislature.

Disgraced by his arrest, Louis Kaplan hanged himself in the Toronto police cells.

Lieut. Col. G. W. Bruce, K. C. died on a train near Chislehurst, en route to Toronto.

Kelly, the Winnipeg contractor, lost his fight in the United States against extradition.

The Russian Government may acquire the Canadian Car & Foundry Co's plant at Fort William.

Great Britain has prohibited Danish owners from making contracts to carry oil in their ships.

The carrying of matches into any place where explosives are being manufactured is prohibited.

Mr. E. H. Sothern gave \$1,548 to the Canadian Red Cross, the profits of his company's week's engagement in Toronto.

The Italians and Austrians fought a sanguinary engagement near Selz. The Italians captured 360 metres of Austrian trenches.

Ray Hunter, nine years old, ran in front of an automobile driven by her brother William in London, Ont., and was killed.

Thrilling stories are told of the bravery of Ontario battalions in the weekly report of the Canadian General Representative at the front.

W. R. Basset, formerly a prominent farmer of Whitechurch Township, dropped dead at his home in Newmarket, aged seventy years.

The progress of British relief corps endeavoring to lift the siege of Kut-el-Amara, has been delayed further by floods along the Tigris River.

Wm. T. Shannon, Manager of the Standard Bank at Chatham, a Treasurer and Past President of the Board of trade is dead at the age of fifty-six.

Hon. James R. Stratton, ex-M.P., and ex-M.P.P. for West Peterborough, and former Provincial Secretary for Ontario, died at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Lieut. J. M. Hazen, son of Hon. J. D. Hazen, was killed in action, the first son to fall of some scores of sons of members of Parliament serving at the front.

Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell is to return to Labrador this month from France, where he has been on war service since last fall with Harvard surgical unit.

Col. A. D. Davidson, Land Commissioner for the Canadian Northern Railway, died at Rochester, Minn., whither he had gone for an operation.

The French have been "nibbling" at the German line to the west of the Meuse and report further progress in a hand grenade attack north-west of Caurette Wood.

South and north of Regina, and between that city and Winnipeg, floods from melting snow have been the worst experienced in Saskatchewan and Manitoba since 1914.

In the Balkans a French aeroplane made a 400-mile flight from the Allied lines to Sofia and return, dropping four bombs on a Zeppelin shed. Points in the Dorian region also were bombarded.

Italian, French, Russian and other soldiers of the allies who were residents of Canada before the war and who left here to join the colors in their native countries, will receive the same treatment upon their return to Ontario, as native born Canadian or British soldiers.

#### SEED POTATOES.

The man who grows good potatoes when potatoes are needed is a public benefactor.

According to present production and consumption in Ontario from twenty-five to thirty people or from five to six families are supplied with potatoes for one year from each average acre of land which the farmer plants with this crop. An increase of fifty per cent. in yield would mean an increase in the amount of potatoes produced on each average acre of land sufficient to supply about one dozen people for twelve months. In most years Ontario imports potatoes from the Maritime Provinces and at the present time a part of our supply is coming from the Provinces of Alberta and of British Columbia. Ontario is well adapted to the production of potatoes of excellent quality and should supply at least her own demands.

The potato crop of Ontario could be decidedly and economically improved by a more general use of pure, well-bred seed of a few of the best varieties, by the adoption of better methods of culture, and by a more complete control of insects and diseases. It should be the aim of every grower to produce large yields of uniform potatoes free from disease and at high table quality. Varieties of potatoes differ greatly not only in yield per acre but also in freedom from rot and in cooking qualities. For instance, in the trying season of 1915, the varieties of potatoes grown under uniform conditions at the Ontario Agricultural College varied in yield per acre from 13 to 366 bushels, in amount of rot from less than one to over seventy per cent., and in table quality from 36 to 63 out of a maximum of 100 points. Some kinds are found to be very susceptible to rot and others to be almost immune. The table quality of potatoes varies far more than many people realize when mealiness, flavor and appearance of different varieties are taken into consideration and are carefully determined.

There are far too many varieties of potatoes grown on the farms of Ontario. This is one of the greatest weaknesses in the potato industry of the Province. It is a defect that should be remedied as soon as possible. If Ontario would confine herself to a few of the best varieties of potatoes the annual crop would be increased in yield, in quality, and in commercial value.

There are over one thousand named varieties of potatoes in North America, and fully four hundred have been grown under experiment at the Ontario Agricultural College. Many of these are quite inferior, even though they have been extravagantly advertised; some are old varieties under new names, and comparatively few are worthy of general cultivation by the farmers of Ontario. If these few were grown to the exclusion of fully eighty per cent. of the kinds now under cultivation better results would be obtained, whether the potatoes were produced for home use or for commercial purposes.

Some of the varieties of potatoes which have been prominent in the experiments throughout Ontario are the Empire State, the Davies' Warrior, the Rural New Yorker No. 2, the Green Mountain and the Chautauk No. 1 of the late, and the Extra Early Eureka, the Early Ohio, and the Stray Beauty or Bliss Triumph of the early varieties. In appearance there is a similarity between the Green Mountain and the Delaware varieties and also between the Extra Early Eureka and the Irish Cobbler varieties. In the experiments at Guelph, however, the Green Mountain and the Extra Early Eureka gave the best results in yield per acre, in table quality, and in freedom from rot. The three varieties of potatoes which have made particularly good records in the co-operative experiments throughout Ontario in productiveness, table quality, and popularity with the experimenters are the Davies' Warrior, and the Empire State of the late, and the Extra Early Eureka of the early varieties.

In the average results of all the varieties grown in the years 1905, 1906, 1910 and 1915, in which there was more or less rot in the potato crops at the College, the Davies' Warrior, the Extra Early Eureka, and the Stray Beauty produced the smallest and the Extra Early Ohio the largest percentages of rotten potatoes of all varieties grown under uniform conditions.

It has been found to be good practice to use smooth, well shaped, sound tubers of good size and of the best varieties. These can be cut by hand into sets from one to two ounces in weight, each set containing two, three or, even better, four eyes. It is an advantage to throw the freshly cut potato sets into finely ground sand plaster and to plant them immediately after being cut. Good results have been obtained by dropping the pieces separately from twelve to fifteen inches apart in the rows and by having the rows twenty-eight or thirty inches apart. The potato sets can be planted from three to five inches deep, depending upon the character and the condition of the soil. Level cultivation frequently gives the best results on a light soil, and ridged cultivation on soil of a heavier nature.

It is often an advantage to expose whole seed potatoes in a subterranean light in a warm room about three weeks before planting. Especially is this true if the potatoes are to be grown for early use. The production of short, thick, green sprouts before planting helps to hasten the growth and to increase the yield.

C. A. ZAVITZ.

Ontario College, Guelph, April 20th, 1916.

A new clause in the Ontario prohibition bill provides for the licensing of standard hotels, and for the termination of leases of licensed premises on three months' notice.

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The Ontario Government will appoint a Commission to inquire into fire insurance rating.

Premier Hearst introduced a bill to organize the resources of Ontario to help win the war.

The Canadian Government Hospital in Paris has been inaugurated. Wounded soldiers from Verdun are being treated there.

The Italians have captured Monte Fume Pass from the Austrians and taken the extreme western peak of Monte Ancora.

#### IMPORTANT TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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