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BALKAN STATES REACH AN AGREEMENT AND WILL LIKELY ENTER INTO THE WAR

GREAT STROKE OF DIPLOMACY SEEMS TO HAVE REACHED A SUCCESSFUL PHASE

Greece and Bulgaria Come to Terms--Germans Battle Kovno for Eighteen Hours and Are Defeated With Terrific Losses--"Kultur" Wants Opportunity for Expansion.

BULGARIA LIKELY TO ATTACK TURKEY.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—A despatch from Sofia says, the possibility that Bulgaria will attack Turkey was materially increased today by reports of agreement between the Balkan States; the outlook from the standpoint of the allies is considered bright.

GERMANS AT KOVNO THROWN BACK WITH HEAVY LOSSES

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Petrograd despatches report that after tremendous bombardment lasting eighteen hours by German guns up to sixteen inches, the enemy attacking Kovno were finally thrown back with heavy losses retaining only a small village in the vicinity.

POPE STILL STRIVING FOR PEACE.

ROME, Aug. 11.—The Pope is stated to be considering the convocation of a universal council of the church at Rome in the prayers for victory in belligerent countries will be forbidden and the sacraments refused as responsible for a continuation of the war.

SEVERAL ENGAGEMENTS IN FRANCE.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—The French War Office this afternoon gave out the following:

In the Artois district there was spirited cannonading last night and close to Souchez a German attack with bombs was repulsed. From the Argonne there has been reported a very violent bombardment of our positions to the east of the road from Viennes-le-Chateau to Binerville.

On the remainder of the front the night passed quietly.

"KULTUR" WANTS OPPORTUNITY FOR EXPANSION.

BERNE, Aug. 11.—The Tagwacht prints the text of a manifesto issued by a group of German professors and intellectuals enumerating the ideas of the only acceptable peace terms. These according to the manifesto must ensure the free expansion of German culture, industry and commerce.

Belgium for military and commercial purposes must be subject to Germany. France must cede to Germany all territory north of a line from Belfort to the mouth of the River Somme and pay a large indemnity, while Russia must cede Poland and the greater part of the Baltic Provinces and other territory.

SULTAN FORBIDS DRUNKENNESS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 11.—A special Irade issued by the Sultan today makes public drunkenness a crime punishable by military court martial, the order will be effective for the remainder of the war.

KAISER FEARED THE MINES.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 11.—It was learned from reliable sources here today that the Kaiser planned to enter Warsaw with his victorious troops upon the heels of the Russians, but the rumors which reached the German secret service that all public places in Warsaw had been mined, and agents of the Czar left in the Polish capital with orders to slay the Kaiser cause the cancellation of the plans.

GREECE LIKELY TO SIDE WITH BULGARIA.

SOFIA, Aug. 11.—A message has been received here from the Greek Government which although not made public is declared by representatives of the Allies to contain representations that arouse high hopes that both Greece and Bulgaria may reach an agreement to enter the war on the side of the Allies.

BOMB BLOWS OUT STORE-FRONT IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Aug. 11.—A bomb thrown by a stranger who made his escape blew out the front of the store of James Scalia, 311 Aqueduct St., at 2.15 this morning. No persons were hurt.

AUXILIARY CRUISER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—A despatch announces the torpedoing of the British auxiliary cruiser India of 7900 tons, in the North Sea, while entering Retfjord, Norway. Eighty of the crew were rescued by the steamer Goesteland.

The place of the attack on the India lies along the steamship lane between England and the Russian port of Archangel. Retfjord is a bay six miles long, on the northwestern coast of Norway.

The India was formerly owned by the Peninsula and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, but was taken over by the British Government at the outbreak of the war. She was built in 1896 and was a steel screw steamer, 499 feet in length, and with a 54-foot beam. Her port of registry was Greenock.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY MINE IN NORTH SEA.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The British torpedo boat destroyer Lynx was sunk in the North Sea on Aug. 9 as the result of striking a mine, according to an official announcement made last evening by the British press bureau. Four officers and 22 men of the crew were saved.

The destroyer Lynx displaced 935 tons. The vessel was 260 feet long, 27 feet beam and 9.3 feet depth, and was capable of travelling 32 knots.

The Lynx carried three 4-inch guns and was equipped with four 24-inch torpedo tubes. The complement in normal times consisted of 100 officers and men.

TURKISH AEROPLANE SINKS ALLIED SUBMARINE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 11.—A report says that a submarine of the entente allies was sunk near Bulair on Monday afternoon by a Turkish aeroplane, which dropped bombs upon it. All the crew are reported lost.

Bulair is on the neck of the Gallipoli Peninsula, between the Gulf of Xeros and the Sea of Marmora.

ZEPPELIN DESTROYED IN AIR RAID ON ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—A squadron of German Zeppelins, believed to have contained five of the giant airships of the latest pattern, swooped down upon the east coast of England last night and early today and dropped bombs which killed fourteen and wounded fourteen persons.

Considerable damage was done by incendiary shells. One of the Zeppelins is reported to have been destroyed.

A British aviator was killed in an aerial duel between British aeroplanes and the Zeppelins.

The official report of the raid follows:

"German airships visited the east coast last night and this morning, dropping incendiary bombs. Damage was done. Fourteen persons were killed and fourteen wounded. The fires caused by the bombs were quickly extinguished.

"Of the killed one was a man, nine were women and four were children. Seven women and two children were wounded.

"One of the Zeppelins was damaged by gun fire and is reported to have fallen into the North Sea and to have been towed into Ostend.

"A later report said that the Zeppelin had exploded.

Flight Lieutenant R. E. Lord, of the British Air Service, one of the aviators who engaged the enemy in battle was killed."

The last air raid over England reported by the press bureau took place on June 21.

FRENCH AIRMEN FINISHED DESTRUCTION OF ZEPPELIN.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—A despatch to the Haves Agency from Dunkirk says:

"Allied aviators destroyed a Zeppelin near Ostend this morning. The Zeppelin was first attacked by a British aviator, who according to information reaching here, succeeded in seriously damaging the dirigible, and its destruction was completed by French aviators from Dunkirk.

LOMZA FALLS IN TEUTONS' HANDS; RUSSIANS SAFE.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Lomza, the fortress holding the same relative position on the northeastern flank of Warsaw as Ivangorod on the southeast, fell into German hands today, the outlying defences having been taken by assault yesterday.

The Russians still hold Ostrow, some 25 miles to the southward of Lomza but their only purpose in holding it is to delay as long as possible the advance of the vigorous Germans and to enable the Russian armies to get clear of the widespread net in which the Teutons are trying to envelop the forces of the Grand Duke Nicholas.

That the Russians are getting ready for a further retreat seems clear from the news that preparations are making for the evacuation of the important city of Vilna. This information was quite unexpected in London, as the latest official bulletins from Petrograd conveyed the impression that the German rush in that quarter had been stemmed.

JUDGE INDIGNANT AT HORSE FRAUDS.

KENTVILLE, N.C., Aug. 11.—Remount Department Agent W. P. McKay and the veterinaries assisting him, Drs. Wood and Chipman, appear to have had a partiality for old horses, according to the testimony introduced at today's session of the Davidson war contract commission here. The majority of the twenty horses acquired through the agency of these officials for war service, traced to their original owners today, were between ten and twenty years old.

Sir Charles Davidson grew steadily more indignant as witness after witness testified to selling aged and defective beasts, and at last severely reprimanded two of the farmers, George Forter and P. E. Foster, accusing the latter of perpetrating a fraud and carrying it through with the connivance of a public official.

Reuben T. Morse, Berwick, said he sold Lincoln, a racer, 14 years old, because he wanted him to die on the battlefield. He was paid \$125 for the horse.

Thomasburg Had Fine Celebration

Over 500 people gathered in the beautifully decorated grounds of the church at Thomasburg, on Monday evening and blazing bonfires of white pine erected on concrete pillars like beacon fires, made the scene most romantic and picturesque. Choruses by the choir, solos by Mrs. Dick of Roslin and by Miss Anna Ponton of Belleville accompanied by Mrs. Hill and Miss McIntyre of Toronto, a splendid recitation by Little Miss Beauty, and inspiring addresses by John Elliott, H. F. Ketcheson, L. E. Allen and Col. W. N. Ponton of Belleville and Rev. Mr. Richards of Thomasburg filled the evening with good and satisfying entertainment. The patriotic note that was sounded throughout met with a hearty response and no doubt many of the young men will rally to the colors as soon as harvest is over.

Over \$100 was taken at the gate by the Women's Institute and over \$60 at the booth. Dainty refreshments were served. Mr. Elliott as chairman introduced each speaker felicitously with current comment of his own. Mr. Ketcheson made a rousing recruiting speech appealing directly to the boys to shoulder their responsibilities. Mr. Allen described how the Irish question had been solved last year through the Belleville deputation introducing their ideas of the U. E. Loyalists Home Rule and spoke of the beauties of Belgium. Rev. Mr. Richards is a new asset of the church militant and Thomasburg is to be congratulated on the young and vigorous minister. Colonel Ponton brought the traditions of the past to bear upon the duties of the present. New occasions teach new duties. The greatest service from those to whom most has been given in this our heritage. Canada the granary of the Empire has rendered effective aid to the British Navy and the lusty manhood of Canada have gone forward when needed to the front to fight in comradeship for hearts and homes and to crown lasting peace. Corporal George Wilson now of Vancouver—a 1885 veteran, one of Riel's escorts after capture—signaled his home-coming by a stirring speech and was warmly welcomed. The townships of Hungerford and Huntingdon were well represented at this most enthusiastic gathering which is only one link in a great campaign.

Former Belleville Lady Dead

The death occurred at midnight on Monday of Mrs. Rose Street, wife of Dean J. R. Street of Syracuse University, at the family summer home in The Thousand Islands. Mrs. Street has been an invalid for many years and her death was not unexpected. Mrs. Street was at one time a teacher in the Central School in Belleville, her maiden name being Miss Rose Northcott, Dean Street, her husband received his early education at Albert College here.

Deceased leaves three sons, Lockwood, Walter and Northcott Street, all of Syracuse, N.Y., and three sisters. Mrs. W. H. Panter, wife of Mayor Panter, Belleville, Miss I. Northcott and Miss M. Northcott of this city.

The funeral will be held at Syracuse, N.Y.

WEDDING BELLS

HOWARD—GREATRIX
On Saturday, August 7th at St. Thomas' church by the Rev. Canon Beamish, Miss Elsie Greatrix, of Actonville, to Lance-Corporal Ben Howard, 59th Batt., Barrielfield camp, Kingston.

Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Toronto on a short honeymoon trip. Mr. Howard expects to leave for the front shortly.

Mr. E. Laag has gone on a trip to Detroit.

OBITUARY

Helen Ruth Anderson

The sad death occurred early last evening of Miss Helen Ruth Anderson at the home of her parents, Queen Street. Of late years deceased had not enjoyed the best of health.

The late Helen Ruth Anderson was nineteen years of age and was the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. M. Anderson. She attended St. Agnes School where she had a most successful student career. She was well known and deeply beloved by a wide circle of associates who mourn her demise.

Besides her parents there survive three sisters and one brother. The sisters are Olive N. (Mrs. J. D. Ponton), Edmonton; Violet (Mrs. Henry V. Philpotts) Edmonton; Miss Jean at home; and Capt. Percy M. Anderson, First Canadian Contingent.

The deepest sympathy is expressed to the bereaved family in their great loss.

Cheese Markets.

At the Belleville Cheese Board on Saturday, cheese sold at the following prices.—M. Sprague 12 15-16; T. Watkin 12 7-8; Cook & Son and T. H. Thompson 12 13-16 and J. Alex under 12 3-4. The bidding was spirited. The board was as follows:—

Shannonville	40
Bronk	50
York Road	100
Massesaga	50
Silver Springs	60
Union	60
Belleville	40
Hopewell	50
Hwyden	50
Sidney	130
Aome	70
Wooler	60
Sidney Town Hall	128
Bayside	35
West Huntingdon	40
Meira	60
Zion	90
Foxboro	75
East Hastings	50
Thurlow	186
Painfield	30
Moira Valley	30
Premier	25
Roslin	25
Mountain View	50
Thomasburg	40
Edge Grove	50
Frankford	90
Rogers	90
Moira	40
Kingston	35
Roblin	30
Rock	25
Stocco	50
Tweed	30
Otter Creek	40
Cedar Creek	40
Wicklow	90
Codrington	50
Grafton	110
Avonbank	90

Remove Parts of Bank Walls

Work of tearing down the damaged portions of the walls of the new Bank of Commerce building began yesterday afternoon. Part of the south wall adjacent to the "Palace" has been taken down.

The south-west corner has also been removed to the top of the foundation as well as a section of the wall midway along Campbell street.

The architect of the Dominion Realty Company has been here looking over the situation caused by the disturbance of the walls by blasting in the vicinity.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Doyle on Sunday Aug. 8, a son.

DIED

ANDERSON.—In Belleville on Tuesday August 10th, 1915, Helen Ruth third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. M. Anderson, aged 19 years, 7 months. The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, corner of Queen and Charles streets on Thursday August 12th, 1915 at three o'clock. Service at the house at two thirty. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray will reside temporarily at Point Anne.

Military Notes

Barrielfield War Camp, Aug. 11.

At the "Sing Song" in the mess tent on Saturday night, the gathering was surprised by the genius of one of the Russian recruits of the 59th Battalion who volunteered to give a series of shadowgraph pictures on the lantern screen using nothing but his hands and fingers. The work of the recruit from the land of the Czar surprised everybody, and there were loud and persistent calls for more pictures from his expert fingers. Some of the pictures were of the most amusing character, and could not be beaten by a professional in the most up-to-date place of public entertainment.

Lieut. Clapp, the veterinary officer of the 8th C.M.R., has gone to Nanawee and Belleville for the purpose of making arrangements for the men of the 8th on their route march to Belleville and back. Outside of proving of interest to the 8th the march to Belleville and back will have a good effect on recruiting in the country between camp and the latter town.

Belleville has written to say that it will spread itself to give the mounted corps a good time if it is honored with the proposed visit, which looks quite likely just now.

Thirty-one Russians and two Canadians arrived in camp on Saturday as recruits for the 59th Battalion. The men came from the Ottawa district.

Many cities could learn a most important lesson in sanitation from the camp. The 59th Battalion has over a thousand men in an area of a trifle over an acre, and yet, if this number of men were thrown together to live in a city in the usual way, there would be all kinds of trouble as a result of bad sanitary conditions. The 8th C. M. R. with nearly 600 men and over 300 horses, and the latter all sandwiched in between the lines of the men, is free from obnoxious smells, and all unpleasant conditions.

The camp is kept clean. There is a perfect system, with close inspection, and this is the reason why the camp at Barrielfield is clean and healthy.

The camp is almost free from flies, and so far, the mosquito has not shown its sharp and irritating nose. There is no need to "swat the fly" in camp, for there are no flies to swat.

There is talk in camp of the inauguration of a most energetic recruiting camp in the city of Kingston. Military men are going to take a hand in the work, and even the ladies will be asked to assist in getting hold of the eligibles in the city and persuading them to enlist. The demand will be made all over the city. "Young man, where is your uniform?" Homes will be canvassed, the street will be patrolled, young men will be button-holed in every public place, and the question of their duty at this particular time will be made plain and clear, and their consciences will be appealed to for a response to Britain's demand for more soldiers. At last, there is an awakening of the public conscience to the need of the hour. The campaign should secure a large number of recruits so that the three new batteries authorized for camp, and the new infantry battalion will be filled up in a short time. So far, no agency has been such a factor in getting recruits as the press. Ask any merchant the best way to sell goods, and he will say publicity, and the only publicity that he ventures is the press. The campaign for recruits in Kingston should show results, if properly and thoroughly prosecuted, and with the right means used to reach the young men.

MARRIED

BOWLER—RAY.

Yesterday afternoon, Aug. 10th, Mr. Clement Bowler and Miss Gertrude Ray were married by Rev. A. Martin at his residence. They were unattended.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray will reside temporarily at Point Anne.

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SIMPLE DUTY.

The wild newspaper campaign of indiscriminate abuse and vilification of our young men who have not volunteered for active service at the front, is rapidly subsiding under the nozzle of cool public opinion, which has been turned upon the shriekers.

In all our appeals to the manhood of this Province we have kept steadily in view the vital fact that, being freemen, the sons of scores of generations of British freemen, our people can always be led to see their duty and perform it courageously, but are never to be driven by whip-snapping of any kind much less stampeded by senseless shoutings. They can only be effectively approached along the pathways of reason. They are not to be influenced or induced to act except through their deliberate judgment. We are glad that it is so. We would be far from changing this popular disposition, if we could, even at such a national crisis as the present. The thoughtfulness of our people is a public asset which cannot be over-valued.

Therefore, we have constantly held, and still maintain, that whether he will or will not enlist, is a question for the private conscience of each young man in Ontario and in Canada as well as in the United Kingdom and other parts of the British Empire. How could it be otherwise since there is no such thing as legal compulsion to foreign service in any part of our Empire? There is a modified kind of conscription for local service, in Australia alone of all British countries. To chatter about what might happen to our young men "if they were under German rule" is to outrage their common sense by threatening them with the very thing which they are being asked to enlist to destroy—namely, German Militarism. It is a specious idea—in theory—that "the State" should be able to compel the service of all "its men." But, in practice, "the State" is always one man or a handful of men called "the Government." And conscription means virtually, the enslavement of the people to their ruler or rulers. We want none of it. The Old Country has shown that it neither needs nor will have it. Canada is at least as virile and independent as the Motherland.

Moreover, to assert that volunteering for the war is not a matter to be decided by the individual conscience of our young men is to belittle the sacrifices made, and the splendid personal stand taken by every young Briton who has already gone to the front. If they were induced to volunteer otherwise than by their own enlightened consciences, they did not go as intelligent freemen but as bond-slaves to some power other than their own will. Are they likely to accept without fierce protest any implication that their presence on the battlefield is due to other influence than the dictates of their own patriotic consciences? The suggestion is too absurd for discussion. The appeal of the Empire has been and is solely to the consciences of its sons in all parts of the world.

But our young men must not for a moment get it into their heads that they can recklessly or arbitrarily decide to go or stay as they please. There is such an all-important thing as DUTY to be reckoned with. It may be a man's imperative Duty to stay at home, these times. He should make very certain, however, that such really is his Duty before finally deciding. On the face of things, it is now the Duty of every able-bodied young man who can properly get away from home to volunteer for the front. There are no exceptions to this. The supreme British race appeal is directly to the private conscience of every one of the race. It is the Duty of every man to save another from death, or undeserved suffering, if he can. There is admittedly, no law compelling one to rescue another from say, drowning, at any personal risk.

But who would care to stand before the bar of his own conscience after having permitted a fellow creature to drown without an effort to save him? What young man in Canada, and more particularly in Ontario, would dare to face his own conscience hereafter should he disregard the appeal now being made to him, in a matter of life or death for the world-wide British people—his people, the sons and daughters of his forefathers, his national sisters and brothers?

And, what if the young Canadian's own home and fireside should ultimately fall a prey to Hunnish barbarity, through his neglect of duty? This is a time when every man counts. All Britons now require that every MAN among them should DO HIS DUTY.

WE MUST WIN.

The prolongation of the struggle has been disappointing to the Allies, but it must have been doubly disappointing to the enemy. Speed was the very essence of German strategy. The German General Staff planned a quick dash through Belgium, the capture of Paris, and then a swift return to the eastern front to crush the Russians before they had completed mobilization. That plan of campaign, as we know, has been completely thwarted. The dash to Paris failed. The glorious retreat from Mons saved the situation, and the Kaiser's legions were hurled back at the Battle of the Marne. From that time on the Western front, in which no spectacular gains have been made on either side, although all the while the Allies have been forging ahead.

The cost in men and treasure has been exceedingly heavy. Money has literally been poured out like water. Many beautiful cities have been destroyed, and a considerable section of the country in France, Belgium and Poland has been laid waste. But, after all, Germany has little to show for forty years of thorough, persistent, scientific and deliberate preparation. The main object of the enemy was to crush France by one swift stroke, and to capture Paris. She failed in that objective, and today she is occupying a small section of French and Belgian soil, and a portion of Poland, but so far as the West is concerned, she has a very precarious hold. On the East the Germans are making a tremendous effort against Russia, but it is yet too soon to say what the outcome of this, perhaps, the greatest offensive of the war, will be. If as we all hope, and there is some reason to believe, Russia's armies are not broken and are withdrawn intact, Germany will again have failed to deal a crushing blow to Russia.

It may be—although it is dangerous to prophesy—that after this tremendous effort, Germany will not have much energy left for active operation in the West, and that the Allies may not be called upon to resist any violent efforts to break their lines in the near future. That, however, is merely speculation. Just as all the prophecies made a year ago proved to be futile so today it is idle to speculate as to the duration of the war. Still we feel we have ground for believing that strong as our confidence was at the outset, still stronger should it be today. Britain and her Allies were not prepared for war. Germany, on the other hand, has amazed the world with the power of her military machine. She was able to exert her full strength at the outset. She must long ago have passed the maximum of her power.

So it is always to be remembered that time is fighting on the side of the Allies. They are immeasurably stronger than they were at the outbreak of the war when Germany was able to throw into the field the flower of her army, equipped to the last shoe string, and abundantly supplied with all the munitions of war. In spite of all this, Germany has not accomplished what she planned to accomplish, and the disappointment on her side must be far greater than on our own. We have, in the overwhelming advantage of supreme sea power and in the steadily growing strength of our armies, ground not merely for hope but for the highest confidence.

This is not to say that we underrate the strength of the enemy or minimize the gravity of the task which lies before us. The coming months will be months of trial and anxiety. The crisis of the war is at hand, and we shall be called upon to undergo a sterner test of endurance and to make greater sacrifices than any that have gone before. But, let us not be faint-hearted. Britain will not go down. The light of liberty will not go out. The cause of justice and humanity must triumph. For us the way is clear. It is our duty to do our whole part, to omit no effort and to spare no sacrifice which a just and worthy cause demands. We are fighting for Canada, but above all, we are fighting for humanity, and it is not merely our duty but our privilege as citizens of a great Empire of free men, to do all that in us lies, individually and collectively, which, in the words of Mr. Asquith, may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace.

That, we believe, will be the resolve which will be expressed in firm, confident and patriotic terms throughout the Empire today. The united voice with which the British Union will speak testifying to the unflinching determination of

all its far-flung dominions to pursue the struggle to the end, is the surest omen of victory.

"Are we downhearted?" Not a bit.

The year has proved how true it is that "it's a long, long way to Tipperary."

"For the Allies to will is to do," says M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs. "They will," he adds.

The war's year at sea has proved, as the New York Tribune shows in an editorial review, the foolishness of the predictions of the German naval "experts." Britain's supremacy is more marked and overmastering today than it was when the Kaiser broke the world's peace.

The war has made revolutionary changes, amongst which the change made in language used in describing weddings is noteworthy. There hasn't been a "quiet" wedding for ages that wasn't also "pretty," according to the newspaper reports. "Quiet but pretty" was the recognized description. In Paris recently they had a "quiet but pathetic" wedding.

Leading Frenchmen who have come amongst us have borne witness with one accord to our fixed and immutable determination in this respect. No better or more essential service could now be done to the alliance than a concerted endeavor by French publicists to enlighten their countrymen and countrywomen upon our real attitude. Let them come amongst us and see with their own eyes what we are doing. When they explain it to their readers, all France will know that in this cause we are with her to the death.—London Times.

German big guns are now, it is said, fed with ammunition by an endless chain arrangement, which carries the ammunition through underground passages. The guns are also, it is said, fired automatically by electric devices controlled by officers from an armored post in the distance. By and by guns only will appear in the fighting line, the manipulation of the same being in the hands of men 50 miles away. When one set of guns is put out of action the other side will win.

The year of war has been a costly year for newspaper publishers. It has entailed greatly increased expense in cable and telegraph tolls, while the advertising returns have materially declined. The Ontario has spared no expense to give its readers the best news service at its command, and it is grateful for the many expressions of appreciation of its efforts, which have come from friends near and far. We are proud of the high place The Ontario has won in the favor and confidence of the people of Belleville district. It is our aim to make it of still greater service to them and the cause for which we are fighting.

The New York Independent calls attention to the curious fact that the most pronounced exponents of the idea of Germany over all were obviously not of pure Teutonic stock. Houston Chamberlain is an Englishman by birth. Treitschke was of Bohemian and Nietzsche of Polish descent. But this, as the Independent goes on to say, is not so strange a circumstance as it is thought to be. Napoleon was from the island of Corsica, and Kossuth, the leader of Hungarian nationalism, was not a Magyar but a Slav. Kosciuszko, the Polish patriot, was born in Lithuania. Bernadotte, the founder of the reigning Swedish dynasty was a Frenchman. Alexander Hamilton, the exponent of American nationalism, was born in the island of Nevis, British West Indies. Columbus, who gave a new world to Spain, was an Italian, and Disraeli, who originated British imperialism, was a Jew.

"The real cost of the war," says an American banker, "will not come home to the people until the countries stop borrowing and begin to pay interest on these debts out of current income."

"It would," the same authority wisely adds, "be some compensation for the losses inflicted by the war if out of its experience there might come a better appreciation of the genuine community of interests that exist in the modern world. When this is understood, it will be seen that no nation is in the way of any other nation, or can ever be injured by the prosperity of any other nation. The richer each nation becomes, the more capital it has to invest, the greater its powers of production, the more helpful it is to all the rest of the world."

In the course of a case before the British Prize Court, the Solicitor-General made an interesting revelation. The claim dealt with certain cargoes of lard which were being carried by Scandinavian vessels. It was stated that it has been discovered that glycerine can be made from lard, and glycerine, as everybody knows, is a necessary constituent of many of the pow-

ders used in the war. In the circumstances the enormous imports of lard into Scandinavian countries certainly wear a suspicious aspect. The chemist surely has much to answer for. There are very few things from which modern explosives cannot be manufactured. Wood, cotton, fibrous plants of all kinds can all be made to contribute to the service of the gun, and such innocent additions to the breakfast table as margarine may, with a little chemical change, be turned to the destruction of man rather than to his sustenance.

In addition to the French account of the operations we receive almost daily from Paris a refutation of some of the statements made in the German communications. The frequency with which the German claims are exaggerated or are based on pure invention is a hopeful sign. It indicates the necessity that is felt in Berlin to keep up the spirits of the people and to lead them to believe in successes which are not being achieved. Thus the army in the Argonne was stated to have gained ground and to have captured over seven thousand prisoners in the last fortnight, but the latest news from this sector all goes to show that the big efforts made by the Crown Prince have broken down. There have been small changes in the line on either side, but the desperate fighting has declined to an affair of artillery unsupported by infantry attack. North of Arras neither side is making much advance.

One of the old landmarks that may be destroyed by war is Britain's free trade system. Premier Asquith announced recently that the Chancellor of the Exchequer will shortly consider a plan for the extension of the system of taxing imports. The Conservative members of the Coalition Government can be depended upon, if possible, to give a protectionist cast to these new import taxes.

Premier Asquith also stated that the question of taxing lower incomes, exempt under the present scale, is being considered. One member of the British parliament declares the Chancellor should not consider how much he is taking in taxes, but how much he is leaving to the taxpayer. This member advised taxing higher incomes up to 75 per cent. of the total. During the Napoleonic wars two-sevenths of what the people of Britain earned was taken in taxes. If the present war goes on much longer a like scale of taxation will be again resorted to; and if protection once gets a hold there, the protected interest will take half as much more.

TO UNDERSTAND.

If we would only try to understand

The human failings to which all are prone,

How sweet a place would be this lovely land,

How fewer of us walk its ways alone.

We need so much the sympathy they give

So sparingly that fail so oft to see

The self-same love I need to help me live

Is hungered for by others and by thee.

Intolerant so oft of little things

That one soft word explains away at last,

We bear the wound that festers and that stings,

While we sit brooding on the bitter past.

A little frankness out of kindly love

Would do so much to set all problems clear

And make this world a world like heaven above

For all who suffer and who struggle here.

We look on differences truth might heal

With tragic gloom, and take our way again

With darkling spirit and as hard as steel,

Whether our foes be women or be men.

We miss so much of peace and charm and rest,

So much of gladness in this life so grand,

With which our days might be forever blest

If we would only try to understand.

—The Bentzown Bard.

UNDER THE BLACK FLAG.

They say the buccaneers have passed;

That pirates now are out of date,

That Captain Kidd and such at last

Have all been wiped from off the slate;

Rare humor this—a brand as keen

As any comic opera prance,

As long as in some submarine

A German mongrel waits the chance.

You think the Black Flag out of date?

That "skull and bones" no longer fly?

The murder-loving "second mate"

With love of torture in his eye?

Gone? Yes, but even at his worst

Back in some dim, barbaric year,

No pirate warred on women first

Nor murdered children with a cheer.

Chief of the world-famed buccaneers

To whom the pirates' game is tag,

Foulest beyond unnumbered years

To war beneath the Sable Flag—

Come—come—ye old throat-cutting band—

Ye outclassed Rogers and Lafittes—

Salaam ye now by sea and land

Where your red chief, the Kaiser, sits.

—Grantland Rice in The New York Tribune.

Other Editors' Opinions

DOMINION TAXATION.

The incomparable natural resources of Canada have, in the past, enabled us to compete on a free trade basis with the whole world in the sales of the products of agriculture, our staple industry, notwithstanding the fact that the purchasing power of Canadian currency is greatly depreciated by tribute, in the shape of tariff charges, which our governments by statute law permit industrial profiteers to exact from the consuming public. Under conditions of normal prosperity it is possible, by increasing the tariff, to get some additional revenue for the nation, although the same forms but a small proportion of the total collected by the industrial capitalists who are really in control of all the governments in this country.

The Minister of Finance has, however, discovered, as the veriest tyro in economics could have told him, that in times of adversity this simple device cannot succeed. If prices are increased by tariff taxation in periods of low purchasing power, manifestly the only solution of the difficulty of the consumer is to buy less imported and other merchandise, thereby defeating the purpose the Minister has in view.

If Canada were a democratic country in fact as well as in form, taxation would be imposed upon the people in proportion to their ability to bear it. In that event workmen would not be, as they are now, taxed upon food, clothing, and other necessities of life; taxation which is levied not according to a man's means of payment, but in direct ratio to the size of his family. In other words, the less able he is to pay, because of a large family, the more he is required to pay. It is really for this reason, consciously or unconsciously exercised, that native-born Canadians avoid raising families and entrust the future of the country to the progeny of our immigrant population. If Canada were a democratic country, a large share of the taxation would fall upon the wealthy class which almost escapes in proportion to income, scot free.

In Britain men in receipt of "unearned" incomes now pay one-eighth thereof directly to the National Exchequer in income tax. Large "unearned" incomes pay the same proportion. The man of moderate income earned by his own labor is paying a tax equal to seven and a half per cent. of his income. The average workingman pays nothing because the minimum income upon which the tax is levied is in excess of what he enjoys. Dare the capitalist government of Canada follow this equitable principle in providing for the future needs of the country? We must wait and see. Something will certainly have to be done to broaden the basis of taxation.—Canadian Co-operator.

PROTECTION FOR CAR OWNERS.

That the regulations governing the running of automobiles should be observed is without question, but there should also be some protection for car owners against indiscriminate "spotters." In the case of two local residents who were summoned to Preston and Galt for violations of the act the charge was unfounded and ridiculous, nevertheless they must put in an appearance to defend themselves as falling to do so would at once develop a case against them of "contempt of court." The point we wish to emphasize is this: Why do the innocent have to go to the expense of defending a charge that is grossly factitious. In the event of a "spotter" being unable to hand a conviction he should be compelled to make good all expenses in connections with the case which would afford protection to the public against reckless and too officious officials. A legitimate "spotter" who will come out in the open and do his duty like a man is to be commended, but the sneak who will enter complaint through malice or for personal gain should be closely watched in other walks of life. In this respect we have before our mind a local resident who figures in that category.—Tweed Advocate.

KHAKI IS SACRED

Khaki should be honored as the garb of men who are on active service or who are going on active service.

Khaki has become as sacred in the sight of Britishers as the robes of a priest, and khaki should not be associated with the far from martial forms of purchasing agents and civil servants who will never see a shot fired in anger.—Toronto Telegram.

Floods Broke Dam

The dam of the Salem pond broke away during the heavy storm this week, carrying with it the bridge on the gravel road. Portions of the bridge were carried as far south as the Spilsburn bridge. Culverts were also washed out in several places.—Brighton Ensign.

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WRITTEN

In the City of Fifty-eight and Ninth and Tenth streets, the beautiful and most unique of buildings has been said to be found in New York city remarkable structure.

The buildings sign and architect the philanthropist sacrificing love, present and the future.

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THE ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL

WRITTEN FOR THE ONTARIO BY REV. A. M. HUBLY.

In the City of New York, bounded by Fifty-eight and Fifty-ninth streets and Ninth and Tenth Avenues, stands the beautiful group of buildings which constitute one of the best equipped and most uniquely arranged hospitals to be found anywhere.

It has been said, by men competent of judgment: "The Roosevelt Hospital in New York City, presents the most remarkable structure of its kind in existence."

The buildings are beautiful in design and architecture, and worthy of the philanthropy and ministry of sacrificing love their existence represent and the memory they perpetuate.

As we look across the pages of the World's History, there flash on the mind many evidences of man's desire to perpetuate the memory of human greatness. We see the mausoleums of the mighty, the tombs of the potentates, many of them but reminders of the pitiable vanity of ambitious aims, and false estimates of life's value.

In our cemeteries there are avenues of sculptured and polished marble and granite; monuments of the would-be great; they are as silent as the graves they mark, and as cold, and as unresponsive to the cry of suffering humanity, as the victims of disease and death mouldering beneath them.

But the history, the companions, and everyday ministry of "The Roosevelt Hospital," invest the memory of its founder with increasing value, and as the number of those whose pains are alleviated and whose lines are lengthened within its monumental walls grow larger, the blessed fruit of his thoughtful benevolence is multiplied.

The hospital was founded under the will of the Late James H. Roosevelt, who was born in New York, and lived there the whole of his earthly life of sixty-three years and was translated from the city of his birth, November thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

A knowledge of the good which this hospital is doing, may be gathered from a few paragraphs of last year's report.

"Total number of patients treated during the year, in all departments were thirty-four thousand two hundred and ninety-three." "Daily average of patients in all departments, were four hundred and thirty-three."

"Patients admitted to Hospital during the year were four thousand, seven hundred and ten." "The gross expenses of the Hospital during the year amounted to \$253,682.77."

"The daily average of patients treated free of charge, in the public wards, were one hundred and twenty."

The efficient staff of nurses consists of twenty-two graduates, and eighty-two in training, with seventy-five graduates registered for special calls to service. A very large majority of

those young ladies are Canadians. The seventy-five special nurses for service in connection with the Hospital were paid last year \$62,215.42.

The Directress of Nurses is a lady of large professional experience; and both by her personal appearance and conversation, on the very briefest acquaintance, one is impressed with a sense of her superior fitness for the honorable position to which she is assigned.

The large number of young ladies under the supervision and direction of Miss— hold her in highest esteem and speak of her as meriting their deepest affection, respect and obedience.

Among the many pleasing features of "The Roosevelt Hospital," is the loyalty of the nurses to its rules and regulations, and the goodly fellowship and kindly respect maintained among themselves.

Beautifully sweet, is the atmosphere of the sick-room made by these ministering spirits as they enter with smiling faces and cheery word. We know not how much of self-denial and shutting down of personal daily worries it takes to create even a tiny box of the precious word that fills the Hospital chamber of suffering with its perfume.

From whence came these virtues of graceful and beautiful ministry? One can only think of them as being the effect of exhalations from a thousand continents, distilled like the dew upon the grass, on lowly tempers and finely cultivated dispositions.

The perfume they shed, is like the odor of "Him whose garments smell of myrrh, aloes and sassafras." It was my misfortune to become ill with "suppurative diverticulitis," while in New York. But, it was my good fortune to secure a room with surgical and medical attendance in "The Roosevelt Hospital."

After passing through a critical operation, and seven weeks of confinement in this historic institution, I desire to hear testimony to its general worth, and also to express my grateful appreciation of the many kindnesses which I received from all within its precincts, who had to do with my relief from pain and my restoration to health.

The prompt and cheerful response to every call for Doctor or nurse. Their anticipation of my every need, seemed more human, so that I were less than human, did I not bear in my heart eternal gratitude to those ministers of mercies and gracious comforters.

One has only to meet with the gentlemen of the surgical and medical staff to become ready to place every confidence in them, as men of superior skill and proficiency in their respective callings.

But, to be, for a number of weeks under their sympathetic care and faithful service, is to have written upon memory's page a line of grateful appreciation, of kind attention which shall never be blotted out.

To be so near the unseen world, as to almost hear the beat of its billows, and the throb of its heart, and the whisper of its many voices; then to be helped back to new correspondence with the things of time, by the kindly service of men and women, there is forced upon us the fact that life has higher and nobler purposes than those of the weary round of common ambitions.

Returning health calls one away from this place, where rain and pleasure have mingled so long, both alike ministering to life's enrichment.

Richer in faith; stronger in love; clearer and more assured in hope; we go back to life's duties with a higher estimate of time and what it holds for eternity; and looking with larger and clearer vision, we shall see more that is fair, bright and beautiful; even where the shadows fall!

Long and Useful Public Service

On Saturday, July 31st, the resignation of Mr. William Mackintosh, as inspector of schools for Centre Hastings went into effect. Mr. Mackintosh has filled the position with great credit to himself and profit to the schools for the remarkably long period of forty-one and a half years. He will be followed into his well-earned rest and retirement by the united good wishes of a very great multitude of friends.

Sixty Machine Guns From Simcoe County

At the meeting of the Orillia Town Council this week, the following resolution was passed:—"That this Council respectfully draws the attention of the Warden of Simcoe County to the fact that various municipalities, corporations and private individuals have, with a view of assisting the Empire in the carrying on of the war, donated machine guns to the service, and as this progressive county is the largest

Plenty of Fish

There seems to be an unusual number of game fish in the river this year. The black bass are very plentiful, and the sportsmen who are spending the summer here are landing some big ones. During the past week several large catches of the game fish were made, the largest of which weighed a little over four pounds.

Elke also are in abundance, and several large ones have been landed. A couple of jike weighing nearly ten pounds each were landed by a party from one of the islands while out dragging with live bait. On Saturday last a lunge weighing about twenty the Bostwick Island.—Gananogue Reporter.

A WELL MANAGED FARM

An Ontario Representative Visits the Farm of Mr. James R. Anderson at Mountain View and Records Some of his Impressions—Where Cows are Milked by Machinery—A First-Prize Field of Oats—Thrift and Good Judgment Everywhere Evident.

There is pleasure and satisfaction in the inspection of any well managed business, but there is a very special satisfaction in viewing the operations of a well-managed farm at the producing season of the year.

We availed ourselves of an opportunity last week on one of the fair days prior to the big storm to visit the farm of Mr. Jas. R. Anderson at Mountain View, Prince Edward county. Mr. Anderson is the proprietor of what is generally looked upon as one of the best cultivated and best managed farms in eastern Ontario.

On Friday, July 30th, the cutting of all the grain was completed. All the winter wheat, the peas and nearly all the barley was gathered into the barn prior to the coming of the rain.

Mr. Anderson, this year had three field crops entered into the Field Crop Competition of the Ameliasburg Agricultural Society. Upon the wheat he obtained second prize and upon a magnificent field of oats he won first place. His field of ensilage corn will be judged at a later date. But if present indications are any guide the corn will win first honors for we have never seen a more even, luxuriant and promising crop in the midst of the growing stage.

The judges were especially pleased with the field of oats, which they estimated would yield 70 bushels to the acre. They were a new variety known as the Yellow Russian. The grain is of a golden yellow color plump, and the straw is rank in growth and stands up well.

Mr. Anderson also had a wonderfully good field of barley, another of barley and oats mixture, and another of peas. All will give bounteous yields.

One feature we noted at Mr. Anderson's was the best farm garden we have ever seen. It covers about an acre, and such a collection of small fruits and vegetables as are there is a sight in itself worth traveling a distance to see. Weeds were conspicuous by their absence, and everywhere there was a luxuriance of growth that betokened constant cultivation, rich soil and well selected varieties.

The dairy herd is Mr. Anderson's particular pride. It numbers 37 milkers at present, nearly all being pure-bred or high grade Holsteins. Some months ago Mr. Anderson introduced a Sharples milking machine by which one man can superintend the milking of eight cows or more all at the one operation. Mr. Anderson

is well pleased with the way the machine works, and does not detect any diminution of the milk-flow or deterioration of quality. The cows themselves seemed to enjoy the operation of the milker and we saw no evidence of nervousness or holding up of milk.

The milk was immediately separated. The skim milk is kept at home for the feeding of calves and pigs of which a large number are raised. The cream is disposed of at Belleville Creamery.

The large barns, well ventilated, convenient stables, everywhere give evidence of thrift, and good judgment in the layout and general arrangement. The farm dwelling too is also fitted with modern improvements, and is a model of comfort and convenience.

In fact everything about the residence, the capacious barns and the farm showed that not only a farmer but a capable business-man was in control.

CONSENT RULE ABOLISHED

May Enlist Without Relatives' Permission.

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—According to official announcement by Senator Loughheed, Acting Minister of Militia "My wife won't let me," will no longer be a barrier to would-be recruits in Canada. It has been decided that the regulation requiring married men to obtain the consent of their wives, and single men between the ages of 18 and 21 the consent of their parents or guardians, should be abolished, and a militia order that effect will be promulgated. The order will also wipe out the provision that enabled a man in the overseas forces to purchase his discharge for \$15.

Escort of Eight With Remains

Eight soldiers in the old scarlet tunics and white helmets of the Fifteenth Regiment formed the military escort in command of Lieut. D. M. McFarlane accompanying the late Private John E. Danford, late of the 39th Battalion from Belleville to Coe Hill today. The funeral was held from Tickell & Sons' morgue at noon to the C.N.R. whence the body was shipped by train to Coe Hill for interment.

WAS CAUGHT IN UNDERTOW

Leo DeMarsh Had Narrow Escape Below Dam in River Yesterday

Leo DeMarsh, the young son of Mr. Harry DeMarsh, was yesterday afternoon in a most precarious state at the dam between Cooper's Mill and the Walker Foundry. The boy is a good swimmer and is a strong little fellow, but the recent heavy rains had deepened the water and he miscalculated. Yesterday he did what he had done before many times, jumped from the top of the dam to the bed of the river flowing over the dam and was swept in back towards the framework of the dam by the backward current of water. He did his best to swim out but failed to get out of the maelstrom of water. After a number of unsuccessful attempts his predicament was noticed by his chums and they gave the alarm. Previously they had not thought he was in danger. Mr. Edward Hughes, who is engaged at Cooper's Mill ran out to the rescue and partially disrobing went into the water. The rescuer himself had considerable difficulty in reaching the boy and finally succeeded after having been baffled for some time.

When the little boy was brought out he was in rather an exhausted condition. Great credit is due Mr. Hughes for his rescue of the lad.

49th Recruits For Barrifield

The Forty-Ninth Regiment within the past few days has sent the following recruits to Barrifield camp to vary various units:—
G. H. Crisfield,
W. Donnelly,
D. McConnell,
E. Yaxley,
J. W. Hibbert,
J. Hume,
C. Stonebridge,
J. Ward,
W. H. Henderson,
W. H. Berry,
S. W. Duncaan,
A. B. Hall,
J. Hall,
J. Miller,
J. F. Tyrrell,
H. L. Patior,
B. C. Bunton.
Seven of these left this morning for the camp.

Capt. H. R. Wilson, A.A.G., of the 3rd Division is in town today.

Miss Marjorie McGowan, Nicholl's Hospital training school for nurses, Peterboro, is visiting in the city.

Mr. B. W. Brown, who has been confined to his bed for the past week, by an attack of appendicitis, was able to be out yesterday.

Mrs. James Bailey and daughter returned to the city on Saturday after a pleasant visit with old friends at Harold, Mt. Pleasant and Stirling.

James Roney Passed Away

James Roney passed away last night at the residence of his son, Mr. Harry Roney, Kyle House, after a short illness. He had reached the ripe age of 89 years, having been born in Belfast Ireland. In 1841 he came to Canada, settling at Brockville, where he lived until 1857 when he removed to Napanee. In that town he spent the rest of his life, having only come to Belleville on July 1st of this year to visit his son. Soon after he was taken ill and was unable to be removed to his home. Of late years he had lived a retired life.

In religion he was a Methodist and in politics a lifelong Conservative. His wife preceded him to the tomb. He was an enthusiastic member of the Orange Order and had taken part in Grand Lodge deliberations along with the Hon. Sir Mackenzie-Bowell.

Surviving are two sons, A. F. Roney, of Kingston and Harry Roney of Belleville.

Sad Drowning Near Brighton

Arriving at Brighton from Toronto at 10.25 a.m. Saturday 31st July, apparently in good health and returning at 5.30 p.m., cold in death, were the sad circumstances which marked the end of the earthly career of James Ward, the owner of a summer camp at Gosport, having purchased the camp formerly owned by Mr. J. A. Robson.

Mrs. Ward and her three children came down some time ago and opened camp. Mr. Ward who was an expert machinist in the employ of the Fairbanks Co. in the manufacture of shells had planned to spend a few holidays with his wife and family and was accompanied here by a friend who intended to share the pleasure of the vacation.

Upon arriving at the camp Mr. Ward played with his children for a short time, and after a brief rest appeared to be in good health and returned at 5.30 p.m., cold in death, were the sad circumstances which marked the end of the earthly career of James Ward, the owner of a summer camp at Gosport, having purchased the camp formerly owned by Mr. J. A. Robson.

Being advised by his wife that it would be a short time yet he decided to have a swim in the moon-time. Jumping in the boat he rowed out to deep water and dove off. He was seen to arise and make for the boat which had drifted out of his reach. Nothing was thought of this as he was known to be a good swimmer, but when he sank and arose again in a vain effort to reach the boat the people on shore were alarmed and immediate efforts were made to reach him. Mr. M. L. Butler was the first on the scene and quickly dove and brought the body up. Scientific efforts were at once employed to resuscitate the unfortunate man and a doctor summoned by telephone, Mr. R. B. Scripture rushed Dr. Dure to the Bay by auto in 2 minutes and 24 seconds, the doctor arriving on the scene within 10 minutes after the accident occurred. In spite of heroic efforts life could not be restored.

The remains were taken to the family residence in Toronto, where Mr. Ward's aged father and mother reside, having come out from England to be with their only child. Mr. Ward was a well-known Mason and had gained many friends here, all of whom extend the deepest sympathy to his bereaved wife and family and aged father and mother.—Ensign

RITCHIES

Half Price Sale of Dresses

RITCHIES

Sale of CUSHIONS Half Price

Heart Shaped Satin Cushions Regular \$3.00 for Half Price \$1.50

Satin covered Novelty Cushions with capac filling, a great bargain at half price . . . \$1.50

1-2 Price

In this remarkable Half Price Sale of Dresses you will be able to secure any of our most stunning New York Wash Dresses at a price that you would ordinarily pay for a dress only half as attractive both in style and material. Remember they are all this season's garments, made up in the very latest style tendencies of voils, Embroidered Voils and Rice Cloths. What better time to buy a pretty frock than this week when you can get a \$12.75 Dress for \$6.38, a \$15.00 Dress for \$7.50, a \$17.50 Dress for \$8.75, and a \$20.00 Dress for \$10.00.

1-2 Price

Fine Summer Dresses clearing at \$2.95

In the five dozen lot of dainty dresses there are 15 different patterns all made up in an exceedingly attractive style of such popular and becoming materials as Voils, Muslins, Lace Cloth and Lawn. Every garment a this season's model in fact they were a little late in arriving, thus to clear them out we are making this liberal Reduction. They will not last long at this price, so be on hand early to secure one. Reg. to \$7.50; This Week's Price \$2.95



Heart Shaped SATEEN CUSHIONS

Regular \$1.50 for Half Price 75c

Sateen and Cretonne Covered Cushions, capac filling, clearing this and next week at Half Price 75c

Millinery Shapes 50c

Scores of our season's best Millinery shapes included in this lot, in the best shades, including black—Ladies' and Children's shapes that sold regularly up to \$4.04. Your choice while they last, this week 50c. Millinery Parlor, 2nd Floor.

Millinery Half Price

There are still dozens of pretty trimmed Hats on show in our Millinery Parlors, but we will clear out the balance of them at just Half Price. Hat that at the beginning of the season were 5.00 now \$2.50, \$6.00 Hats now \$3.00, \$7.00 Hats \$3.50, and \$10.00 Hats \$5.00.

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The Summer Home Book of Fashions 20c Including any 15c Pattern (Pattern Counter.)

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And this first consignment is indeed a large one, consisting of yards of all wool British SERGES, GABARDINES AND AMURE WEAVES in all the Best Shades for the coming season, such as Copenhagen, Navy, Green, Wistonia, tan, and Brown, etc. See them at the Dress Goods Counter. (Main Floor, Right.)

Store Hours During August, 8.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Closed Wednesdays at Noon.

Other Editors' Opinions

THE MANITOBA DEBACLE.

The overwhelming defeat of the Conservative party in Manitoba is not only the direct but one might almost say it is the logical and the natural result of the scandalous revelations which ran the Roblin Government out of office under a cloud of disgrace. No party could hope to survive the disclosures which developed in relation to the Parliament Building scandal there, and while it was hoped that the good name of Sir James Aikins, the new leader of the Conservatives, might help stem the tide of defeat to some extent at least, it must have been generally recognized that the party as a whole would have to suffer for the sins and offences of the Roblinites. Nevertheless so sweeping a pronouncement in favor of the Norris Government and against the Conservatives was scarcely expected even by the staunchest Liberals. Evidently however, the conscience of the people of Manitoba was aroused as it never was before and they were determined to take no chances.

And after all who can blame them? Roblin and his crew made the sorriest mess of things that any Provincial Government has made in many years. Their administration at the end was scandalous to a degree and the wonder to us is that some of the members of the government are not now behind prison bars instead of walking in the open, free men. However, that at the moment is neither here nor there. The point is that the Conservative party as a whole has had to suffer because political crooks and grafters dominated instead of honest men.

The lesson is plain. The people of Manitoba want not only efficient government but above all they want clear honest government—government that not only does not steal or mishandle public funds but government also that does not juggle with bi-lingualism and other kindred issues. The lesson will not be without effect elsewhere. The only regrettable thing is that the turn over has been of so revolutionary a nature that at the moment there seems to be practically nothing left of the Conservative party in the Province—an unfortunate situation because a strong Opposition is always a safeguard to the community and for that matter to the party in power.—Kingston Standard (Con.)

A BANNER CROP.

Prince Edward County farmers are this year reaping a banner crop. With the exception of hay, which was below the average in yield, the crop this year is one of the best ever gathered. There was a large acreage of fall wheat sown last year and the percentage of winter injury was very small. In every part of the county magnificent fields have been harvested and the yield per acre will certainly be very large and the sample extra good. Spring wheat, barley, and oats all show an unusually great growth of straw and the yield will be correspondingly good, except in the case of oats, which are badly injured by smut. The farmer who treated his seed has escaped this loss, but the prevalence of smut will mean a materially decreased average yield. Corn and potatoes are looking fine and promise an abundant yield. The fruit crop is also very good indeed. Strawberries were injured to some extent by frosts, but gave a good average yield. Cherries were an excellent crop, and the large growers have found a ready market in the Ottawa Valley and other Eastern Ontario points. Raspberries are now being harvested and are giving an excellent yield—the best in many years. The apple crop will not be large, in fact, it promises to be below the average in quantity. Orchardists who have cared for their trees properly have little to complain of however. Where proper cultivation has been given and attention paid to pruning and spraying the owner will be rewarded with a fair crop.

Pasturage throughout the district is excellent, owing to the frequent rains, and the output of cheese is above the previous year. Taken altogether, this will be a banner year for the Prince Edward County farmer. He is reaping a bountiful harvest, with good prices for all lines of farm produce, and Britain's fleet is keeping the seas clear for the transportation of his products to the British market where it will be all needed. The Canadian farmer is today as never before realizing what British supremacy of the seas means to him. If it were not for England's fleet Canada's great crop this year would stay in the farmers' barns.—Picton Gazette.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

FOXBORO.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wickett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bird. Mrs. George McCoy and children left on Saturday to spend a few days with relatives in Madoc.

Miss Tena Watt of 6th concession of Sidney, is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Mabel Bailey.

A little daughter has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonnell.

Miss Nellie Donovan has returned to her home at Belleville, after spending a week with Miss Lillie Burd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lyons and little daughter Helen of Belleville, spent Friday evening visiting relatives here.

Miss Gladys Stewart and brother John are spending a few days with their aunt at Point Ann.

Mrs. Elder and children spent Sunday with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Snider, Corbyville.

About thirty of our young folks took in the trip to the Islands the 7th inst.

Mr. Claude Hoard of Holloway spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Beattie Hetherington is visiting relatives at Roslin and at Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis and children and Mr. Clarence Lang called at the home of Mrs. James Stewart on Friday last.

Mrs. Potts and daughter Mae, left on Tuesday to visit relatives at Madoc.

Mrs. Walt, of Wooler, is spending a few days with her son, Mr. Reuben Walt.

Mrs. Walter Ferguson of Sulphide is visiting her brother, Mr. Leonard Snider.

FRANKFORD.

Mrs. Jim Carr of town, and Mrs. A. Patrick of Glen Miller, left on Thursday to visit friends in St. Catharines.

Miss Marion Moobe of Queensboro is the guest of Misses Kate and Alice Windover.

The Auxiliary of Trinity church met on Thursday afternoon in the church.

Mr. Young moved in his new home on the east side of the river on Thursday.

Mr. Norman Cox and son of Toronto will be in town on Thursday.

Lillian, Charlie, James and Eileen Batstone, of Colborne, are visiting in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyers spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meyers of the front of Sidney.

Services were held in all the churches on Sunday—St. Francis at 9 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Trinity church at 7.30 p.m.; Rev. Geo. Simmons conducting the service. The Methodist at 7.30, Rev. J. D. P. Knox conducting the service.

Mr. Shepherd, of Bloomfield, spent Sunday in town and Mrs. Shepherd returned home with him on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pipear, Jr., of Glenross, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Potter on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson, of Stockdale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster.

Mr. B. B. Ostrom, Jr., of Winnipeg, is spending his holidays with his father and sister.

Mr. John Windover has so far recovered from his illness as to be able to be down stairs again.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Osterhout left on Tuesday on an extended trip West. They will visit Rev. S. Osterhout in Victoria, B.C., also Rev. B. Osterhout in Manitoba, both brothers of Mr. Osterhout.

Mrs. W. Vandervoort and daughter are visiting at Mr. Jesse Vandervoort's in Trenton and other relatives there.

The citizens of Frankford are very proud of the success of the High school pupils, as seven out of ten that tried were successful and are now ready for the normal school. We extend congratulations to our High School teacher, Mr. J. M. Bell, for the success of his class.

HARVEST HELP EXCURSIONS \$12.00 TO WINNIPEG.

The Grand Trunk Railway System will run Harvest Help Excursion to Winnipeg on the following dates:—

August 19th and 26th, from stations Kingston and Renfrew and east in Ontario and Quebec.

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LATTA.

The heavy rains of late has been a great set back to the farmers for harvesting.

Miss Helen and Miss Leah Gilbert of Carmel have returned home after spending a few days with their friend Miss Nellie Conliffe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mott spent a few days last week with their daughter Mrs. Theodore Parks.

Miss Vera McCoy, of Belleville, spent in a few days last week with her sister Mrs. John Dudgeon.

Rev. Mr. Huffman of Plainfield had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mc Kinnon on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Langabeer and Master Harold spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Cole, Cannifton.

CROFTON.

Mr. Charles Shennigher of Syracuse, N.Y. arrived last week to join his family who are visiting at Mr. Wm. Caughey's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Burr visited at Mr. David Moran's last week.

Mr. Freeman Spencer of Morton was the guest of Miss Addie Horbeck on Sunday.

Mr. Fred Vancoot of Pt. Travers, returned home on Sunday to help his father with the harvest work.

Boys' Brothers commenced threshing operations last Monday.

Miss Gladys McHenry of Toronto is spending her holidays under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Weeks are spending a few days with the latter's parents at Roslin.

Mr. A. B. Calpan has purchased a new Ford car.

Mr. S. R. Munroe is making preparations to remodel his house.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fox spent a few days recently with friends in Madoc.

Sorry to report Miss Glee Noxon under the doctor's care.

Miss Eva Pooley of Bloomfield spent a few days recently at Mr. Marcus Warden's.

Miss Merle Moran is visiting friends in Picton.

WALLBRIDGE.

The little Misses Mildred and Hazel Heath of Stirling are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Barton.

Mr. Adam Kieman, who is teaching in Regina is spending his holidays at his home here.

Miss Agnes Kierman of Buffalo is visiting her grandmother Mrs. J. Kiernan.

Miss Hamby of Belleville spent Sunday with her cousin Miss Eva Kiernan.

Mr. Harold Seely who owns the house occupied by Miss Gledhill is improving it with a new cement cellar and walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tucker motored north to the huckleberry regions and spent a few days returning with a fine supply of berries.

Mr. Chas. Ma. essey and Mr. S. E. Lane accompanied the remains of the late Miss Lucy Massey to Grafton on Saturday returning the same evening.

The programme committee of the Wallbridge Women's Institute met recently and decided to spend the greater part of their time working for the soldiers. The first work meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. W. Lloyd, Wednesday, Aug. 25th.

PLAINFIELD.

The farmers have again resumed the harvesting, after the delay caused by the recent heavy rains.

The quarterly meeting at West Church last Sunday was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster of Moira were guests at the Methodist Parsonage on Sunday last.

Miss Davis of Madoc visited her cousin Mrs. R. Wellman for a few days.

Miss Mabel Hinchcliffe of Stirling and Miss Frances Hinchcliffe of Springfield spent a few days at their uncle Mr. B. F. Hazards.

Rev. A. C. Huffman is spending his holidays with relatives at Gilead.

Mr. Wm. Moore will conduct the preaching service at Bethel and East Plainfield, next Sunday.

Judging from the procession that drove out of Plainfield on Sunday evening last our young people were well represented at St. Andrew's Church, Gilead.

THIRD LINE SIDNEY.

The farmers are busy threshing on this line.

Mrs. M. Denton, Jr., has returned home after visiting friends in Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Logan and Master Allen and Mrs. and Mrs. H. Cordon, Belleville, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris'.

Mrs. W. Phillips and daughter, Maud, from the 4th line, spent one day at Mr. and Mrs. H. Langabeer's.

Miss Lizzie Thrasher is visiting friends in Trenton.

Miss Lena Roblin has returned home from Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Langabeer and Master Harold of Latta, spent one day with the former's parents.

ZION NOTES.

We had a heavy thunderstorm here on Sunday, no damage was done.

Mr. Peter Halliday had a lively runaway on Monday morning, but fortunately no people were injured.

Mrs. M. Carey, of Belleville, is spending a few days with her nephew Mr. H. Carey.

Misses Jennie and Grace Kennedy took in the excursion to the Thousand Islands on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Reid passed through here on Sunday.

Dr. J. P. Kimmel, Osteopathic Physician, 28 Victoria Ave., Phone 299. Office hours from 10 to 4 only during the next few weeks.

SIXTH CON. SIDNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster of Trenton were guests on Sunday at Mr. Charlie Scott's.

Miss Olive Evans is to be congratulated on passing her Normal exam, so high.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clements of Wallbridge visited relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Scott were guests at Mr. Edgar Shorey's of Belleville over Sunday.

Miss Mabel Steenburg of Cordova who has been spending a few weeks with her cousin Mrs. J. A. Lott left on Tuesday to visit relatives in Wooler.

Miss Grace Sine entertained some young friends from Thomasburg on Sunday.

Miss Norma Pearson and Miss Bessie Datoe were guests at Mrs. C. Sine's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lott spent Tuesday in Wooler the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Gainsforth.

Mr. Herbert Dixon of Victoria B.C., and his sister Mrs. Beebe of Sarnia are visiting relatives here.

MELROSE.

Farmers are wearing a different expression on their faces from two weeks ago. The recent rains have damaged the crops to a great extent in this locality especially the wheat crop.

Mr. John McKinney is erecting a new part to his house. Wedding bells are ringing.

Miss Gladys, daughter of Rev. Mr. Joblin, Bayside, former pastor of this place is visiting at Mr. Murney Morden's and renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. Mr. Conrod has returned home. Rev. Mr. Robeson of Shannonville and Rev. Mr. Mair exchanged duties on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Robeson gave a fine address on the conditions of the war at the present time and on closing impressed the fact very forcibly to the people that more men were needed as well as munitions. Would parents object to part with their sons could they know that liquor and all other vices (which are ruining both body and soul) were strictly prohibited from our young men.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McLaren and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sills engaged Mr. Fred Robinson with his auto to convey them to the Sandbanks on Sunday last.

Mrs. Wallace Salisbury of Tweed is visiting her parents and relatives of this place.

Miss Bessie McFarlane who has been nursing for some time in Chicago, has returned to spend her holidays under the parental roof. All are pleased to see her again.

Miss Blanche Stafford of Empey Hill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clem Haight.

Pleased to report Mr. Donald Anderson again in our midst.

Miss McCullough of Lonsdale is visiting her cousin Miss Pearl English.

AMELIASBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Dempsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Elvin of Trenton spent Sunday with the former's brother Mr. Wm. Elvin.

Miss Ruby West is spending the week with relatives in Wellington.

Mr. L. Holmes of Picton is spending the week at R. E. Dempsey's.

Mr. Ross Carnrite has started his new threshing outfit.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Murphy on Friday last.

The wind last week made a Friday on D. Snider's barn, partly tearing down a piece of it. W. C. Falver is busily engaged at present repairing it.

A number from here attended the Orange Walk at Roblins on Sunday last.

TURNER SETTLEMENT.

The funeral of the late Mr. Harold Faulkner took place on Thursday July 29th and was conducted from the Town Hall, Wallbridge to Guffin's Cemetery. Death took place on the 28th quite unexpectedly.

Mr. Faulkner was quite a young man, 35 years of age and leaves a widow and mother to mourn his loss. A popular young man, respected by all who knew him. His death came as a severe shock to many of his friends and a large number showed deep sympathy and feeling by following his remains to the grave. A service of a very impressive character was conducted in the Sidney Baptist Church by Rev. A. E. Richmond, assisted by Rev. L. M. Sharpe after which the Masons of Stirling, with whom Mr. Faulkner was associated, conducted the Masonic Burial Service. We extend to the bereaved our heart felt sympathy.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church last week organized a Ladies' Aid with a membership of fifteen. The various officers were fittingly elected and the prospects are most encouraging.

Miss Gertie Broadworth has returned to Belleville after quite a long visit with her sister Mrs. Leonard Frost.

Miss Molly Park is at present visiting in Belleville.

The threshing machine in busy in the neighborhood just now.

The Ideal Vacation Route

The Canadian Pacific conveniently reaches Point au Baril, Lake Massanong, Bon Echo, French and Pickering Rivers, Severn River, Muskoka Lakes, Kawartha Lakes, Rideau Lakes, Lake Ontario Resorts, etc. If you contemplate a trip of any nature consult Canadian Pacific Ticket Agents or write M. G. Murphy, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

STOCKDALE.

Mrs. Lancaster, of Toronto, is spending a few days here.

Mrs. C. Chaez visited her sister, Mrs. L. Richards at Wooler the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bates of Syracuse N.Y., are spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives here. Master Harold Stickle's accompaniment.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maxwell have returned to their home in Rochester, having visited relatives here the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McMurter and Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright visited friends in Prince Edward on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster spent Sunday at Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wood entertained a few friends on Friday evening in honor of their son Mr. L. V. Wood and wife who have been spending a few days visiting friends here.

On Monday morning about eleven o'clock the dwelling of Mr. James Bartley was discovered on fire and before help arrived the fire had gained such headway that all attempts to save the building were useless. The house with most of the contents was destroyed.

We congratulate Miss Thelma Fox also the Misses Gladys, Florence and Mildred Osterhout on having successfully passed their examinations.

Mrs. L. Keene of Madoc also the Misses Robinson of Eldorado visited at Mr. J. Williamson's during the past week.

Mrs. C. W. Wright has returned home after spending several weeks visiting friends in Michigan.

Mrs. W. Drew and little son who have been visiting at Mrs. G. Sauborn's for some time left on Friday to join her husband at Lindsay.

Mr. Thos. K'loank is very low at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Crowe visited his brother on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Johnson and Mrs. J. S. Maybee visited friends at Brighton a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bates visited at Wooler on Sunday.

Mr. Orloff and George Flindell of Smithfield are visiting relatives here.

Reaxal orderlies are a specific for the bowel troubles of ageing people. Sold only by J. S. McKeeva, Front Street, Belleville. The Reaxal Store, 10c, 25c & 50c boxes.

BIG ISLAND.

Miss Charlotte Bowerman of Toronto was the guest of Miss Nettie Cunningham last week.

Mr. Jerry Cole, Bethesda, Mr. Thos. Mills and family of Northport were visitors of Mr. G. C. Sprague on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boulter and Mr. Glen Smith of Toronto and Mr. Sam Smith of Picton were in this vicinity on Monday.

We are glad to report Miss Grace Moran is on the gain.

Quite a few from here attended the Orphan's Picnic in Picton on Thursday and reported a fine time.

Mr. J. M. Cunningham and wife visited on Wednesday at Mrs. Thos. Mills, sr.

Mr. Peter Barragar of Madoc is visiting at his brother's Mr. Geo. Barragar.

Mr. Clayton Sprague and family were callers on Sunday evening of Mr. John Kerr's.

MADOC JUNCTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dickens motored over from Newwood on Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ashley and other friends in this vicinity on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stapley spent Sunday with friends here.

Rev. T. Porter Bennett and family of Pot East Jordan, Mich., arrived here on Saturday evening on a motor trip over the Ontario road.

Several from here attended the service at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The pastor Rev. A. E. Richmond occupied the pulpit and took for his text the commandment, "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor". Gossiping and slandering were given their proper place in no uncertain language. If we had more sermons like this one "friends" would not keep silent and listen to all they hear.

Mr. A. M. St. John called on friends here this week. Mr. St. John is now R.G. T. Agent at Millbrook and has taken unto himself a wife.

Mr. Andrews was in Stirling one day this week relieving the agent Mr. McDonnell who is away on business for the G.T.R. Master Bertie took charge of the station here.

Farmers are feeling uneasy about their grain on account of the damp weather lasting so long.

Congratulations to Miss A. Stapley and Miss Mildred Clarke who both passed Stirling High School examinations this year.

It Rubs Pain Away—there is no limitation so efficacious in overcoming pain as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The hand that rubs it in rubs the pain away and on this account there is no preparation that stands so high in public esteem. There is no surer pain-killer procurable, as thousands can attest who have used it successfully in treating many ailments.

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TREMENDOUS ACTIVITY MARKS THE PRESENT WEEK OF THE GREAT CAMPAIGN

Fifty Hustling Candidates Rushing in the Ten Dollar Clubs That Bring 5000 Free Votes--Big Increase in the Ballot Values For the Rest of the Campaign Will Make it Easy For Those Somewhat Behind to Overcome the Handicap--Tourists Should Not Take Along Too Much Baggage.

The majority of the candidates in the Ontario campaign are not experienced travellers. Some of them have asked for a few hints and directions in reference to what will be required on the journey to California. We have advertised this to be a tour free from worry for the tourists, and it will be none of our fault if the claim is not made good.

In the first place ALL legitimate travelling expenses are paid. Rooms and accommodation have already been reserved for the entire party at the hotels at all the stopping places. A special guide will accompany the party all the way through and it will be his business to look after the tourists not only on the train, but upon every sight-seeing tour in the various places that will be visited. He will also arrange for baggage and bus transports, hiring of automobiles and all the thousand and one details that are a source of annoyance and perpetual anxiety to the unschooled traveller.

To all the tourists we would say—do not take along too much clothing or baggage. Avoid having a trunk, if possible. A couple of club-bags or suit-cases should hold sufficient belongings for the entire tour. There will be an ample stop at San Francisco to have all washable articles of



MASTER GEDDES THOMSON.

Perhaps the youngest member of the band of busy workers who are striving for popularity honors in the Ontario Campaign in Master Geddes Thomson of Trenton. He is the son of Mr. H. A. Thomson, manager of Molsons Bank, Trenton, and is not yet quite fifteen years of age, but expects to reach that important milestone before the close of the Competition.

Geddes is about to enter upon a high school course at Trenton High School, but he thought prior to the commencement of his collegiate duties he could not have a better preparation than a tour across the continent of America and back again. The educational advantages of the wonderful journey of 7300 miles, over which The Ontario party will be conducted are just such as would appeal to a lad at the receptive and impressive age at which Master Geddes has arrived.

He has polled a very large vote at each succeeding tabulation, and since he has many influential friends working in his behalf his chances for winning District V are extremely bright.

Clothing laundered. The climate along the Pacific coast is cooler than it is in Belleville, particularly in the evenings. Pretty cool weather may be experienced in the Canadian west upon the return journey, for it will be after the middle of September. All should therefore be provided with warm wraps or medium weight overcoats as the case may be.

Make the tour a sight-seeing and pleasure excursion and not a dress parade.

As far as actual travelling expenses go, and payment for meals, hotel bills, etc., the tourists do not require to take along one cent of money. But The Ontario will not be responsible for the purchase of chewing gum, souvenirs and presents for the friends at home. If the tourists wish to indulge in these additional luxuries we would advise them to have a dollar or two in their wallets. Otherwise money will be an incumbrance, a useless commodity.

The eight candidates who are fortunate enough to win these wonderful tours may safely leave their pocket books and their worries at home.

There is still another day to bring along those Ten Dollar clubs. Renewals, especially the short term renewals will not be worth so much again.

Fine weather and the prospect of more fine weather have put every-

body in the best of humor again. The farmers were in such a mood last week over the threatened disaster to their fine crops that it was scarcely safe for a candidate to approach one of them for a subscription. But now that the weather-manufacturer at Toronto has promised us a period of bright days every farmer will be feeling so jubilant that he will be keenly anxious to help along some candidate with a good big subscription; just as a sort of thank-offering for deliverance from the flood.

We hear the most encouraging reports from every quarter of the big field. Candidates are everywhere hustling and making their friends to hustle as well. Nearly all inform us that subscriptions now come very much easier than they did a few days ago. And this will prove increasingly true right up to the last hour of the campaign.

Those big values for new and old subscriptions and for long-term and short-term subscriptions have created a most optimistic feeling among some of the candidates who were down somewhat below the leaders in their divisions.

Just think of it! Three five-year

subscriptions in Belleville or four five-year subscriptions to the Daily Ontario outside Belleville would amount to very much more than now stands to the credit of any candidate. There is yet an abundance of time for those at the very bottom of the list to reach the top. A few hours' earnest canvassing among the well-to-do residents of any given locality will land a half-dozen or more of those five-year subscriptions. Try it and see.

See in another column the new Vote Schedule that goes into effect Friday morning, Aug. 13th and will remain in effect without any change to the close of the contest. These high values afford a new inducement to candidates to work right up to the last hour.

The standing of the Candidates will again be given tomorrow night.

Mr. James F. Cretney, blacksmith, left for Barrie today. He will take up the duties of farrier-sergeant to the 8th Mounted Rifles.

The 8th C. M. R. are expected in Belleville at four o'clock Friday and will remain here until Monday evening, when they will depart for their route march.

Countless have been the cures worked by Holloway's Corn Cure. It has a power of its own not found in other preparations.

PRESENTED WITH CANE

The many friends of Mr. Roy White, the popular accountant in the Standard Bank in this city, will learn of his removal with mixed feelings of pleasure and regret. Pleasure that he has been promoted to the management of the Standard Bank at Brechin and regret that so efficient an accountant and so genial a young man is taken from our city. As soon as it was learned that he had received instructions to leave at once for his new post a number of the customers of the Bank appointed a committee and presented him with a gold headed cane upon which was the following engraving—Roy White, Belleville, Ontario, Aug. 9th, 1915. From his friends the customers of the Standard Bank. The gentlemen who presented the cane were W. S. Cook, F. E. O'Flynn, Capt. Hunter, H. F. Ketcheson, W. B. Deacon, H. W. Ackerman, F. S. Deacon, R. J. Graham, M. Sprague, J. E. Walsley, Edgar Vermilyea and John McFee.

Owing to the short time given Mr. White the committee had little time to arrange the matter. Messrs. W. S. Cook, F. E. O'Flynn and H. W. Ackerman made the presentation.

Mr. White has occupied different positions of trust in the Standard Bank at Picton, Toronto, Brantford, Midland and Belleville, having been in the Standard Bank, Belleville, for four years.

Mr. White carries with him the best wishes, not only of his many intimate friends but of the citizens of Belleville.

The staff of the Belleville branch with whom Mr. White is deservedly popular presented him with a signet ring with his monogram engraved.

The following is the address which was presented to him on behalf of the customers—

R. R. White, Esq., Belleville, Ont.
Dear Mr. White,—

Having learned this afternoon that you had been promoted to be the Manager of the Standard Bank at Brechin, the customers of the Bank felt that they would like to express in writing their appreciation of your services while in our midst. Your close attention to business and your unfailing courtesy has always been appreciated. Your splendid management of the Bank during the absence of Mr. John Elliott won our admiration and we feel that you merit the honor which has come to you. We hope that the future will give you many blessings. That the present promotion is merely a step to greater advancement and that amongst the pleasantest memories of a busy life you will place those of your four years in Belleville and that when many events fade from memory the many pleasant associations with your Belleville friends will still be with you. We present you with this gold headed ebony cane suitably engraved as a token of our good feeling for you as a mark of our best wishes and trust that whenever you see it your thoughts will turn with gladness to the Belleville friends in the City by the Bay.

Signed on behalf of the customers,
W. S. Cook,
H. W. Ackerman,
F. E. O'Flynn.
Dated, Aug. 9th, 1915.

CROOKSTON.

Who said it looked like rain? Mrs. J. D. Blue and children have been camping at Moira Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Courtney and son of Rawdon and Mr. and Mrs. M. Lancaster spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sullivan.

Miss Stella Kilpatrick is visiting friends at West Huntingdon.

Our baseball team played with the Ivanhoe Ramblers on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Peterboro spent the weekend with their daughter Mrs. F. Geary.

Mr. Charlie Emerson of Toronto is visiting at his home here.

Mr. Will Collins of Plainfield spent a few days last week with Mrs. T. W. Sullivan.

We are sorry to hear Miss Margaret Wood is confined in the house with the measles.

Master Vernon Haggerty of Stirling is visiting his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Downey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Collins of Fuller spent last Thursday with Mrs. J. Fox.

Died in Thurlow

Miss Angelina Thompson, a native of a native of Ireland aged 87 years, died this morning in Thurlow.

Million Year at Big Exhibition

Directors Very Sanguine Regarding Attendance at Thirty-Seventh Annual Fair.

The Directors of the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, expect that the attendance this year will reach the one million mark. This figure has been touched only once in 1913—and it takes a fine brand of optimism to predict that that record will be equalled in war times. Optimism has been the keynote of the Fair since its inception, and the officials do not feel that they are over sanguine on this occasion.

It will be remembered that the Germans had not been checked on their march to Paris when the Fair opened a year ago. In addition to the feeling of unrest caused by the war, the railroads had refused to grant reduced rates, and this was responsible for thousands of people staying at home when their desires were in the direction of a trip to Toronto. Then, again, the weather was extremely bad, and all these factors put together brought the attendance below 800,000 in 1914.

This year the railroads have restored the old rates and there is more settled feeling as regards the war. But, best of all, from the Fair attendance standpoint, is the prosperity of the farmer. It is to the farmer that the Canadian National Exhibition is looking for a largely increased attendance this year, and the officials are strengthened in their belief that they will turn out in larger numbers than ever before by the demand for space for agricultural exhibits, a sure barometer of conditions in the outside district.

Stage Team Ran Away

Brockville Recorder:— Tuesday morning four men, while driving in the stage between Lyndhurst station and the village, had an experience they do not care to have repeated very soon. The stage had to meet the morning C.N.R. train from Brockville, and was returning to the hotel in the village. All went well until the top of a steep hill just east of the village was reached, when a whiffletree suddenly snapped in two, and the horses immediately bolted. In the rig at the time were W. A. Brown, driver and, three travellers, J. A. Traversy, Brockville; Wm. Leadbetter, Lyndhurst, and L. Smith of Seeley's Bay. The horses, in making the get-away, came in contact with an electric light pole. The force of the impact freed the animals, and the driver, Mr. Brown, was thrown from the rig, and, striking the pole with great violence, received several cuts about the head. His side and knee were also injured. The travellers escaped by jumping, and were more or less shaken up. Mr. Brown was picked up and conveyed to the hotel which is conducted by his son-in-law, A. M. Sweet. Dr. Young, of Seeley's Bay, was called and attended him. For a time his injuries looked serious, but it is now thought that he will be all right in a few days. The horses, once free of the rig, made a furious gallop through the main street of the village, but was captured before any more damage was done.

BETHANY.

We are pleased to see Miss Evelyn Cooley out again after her recent illness and we must also congratulate her on her success in passing her examinations.

Miss Laura Phelps entertained a number of her lady friends at her home on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Clarke is confined to the house with tonsillitis.

The sound of the threshing machine whistle is heard in our locality and everyone reports a large yield to the acre.

Mrs. Morton of Brockville who is a graduate nurse of the hospital there and her daughter Vera, have returned to Belleville after spending two weeks with her sister Mrs. Reuben Ketchepaw and her brother Mr. E. W. Brown.

Miss Isobel Brown is spending a week in Campbellford with her grandmother Mrs. Hall.

Miss Mildred Hamilton will spend a week with Irene Coles of Blessington.

Miss Florence Huffman spent Sunday last with her cousin Mrs. Frank Easton.

The ladies of this community are going to organize a Patriotic Society and hope to do some work for the soldiers at the front.

Our pastor will take his holidays for three weeks in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Brown, of the fourth line, Mr. T. Davis and Mrs. McClelland of Proctor, Okla., spent one day last week at Mr. G. F. Hamilton's.

Asthma Victims. The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

NEARLY 1000 PEOPLE HEARD STIRRING RECRUITING APPEALS

Most Successful Meeting in North East Belleville Last Night--Calls For Men Who Have Not Yet Enlisted

The largest attendance of any of the recruiting meetings in Belleville was that which was gathered last evening on the grounds in front of Queen Victoria School on Pine street. Baldwin and Blocker wards turned out en masse to lend their support to the campaign for volunteers. Fully eight hundred people for two hours and a half listened with rapt attention to the stirring messages by Mr. J. W. Johnson, M.P.P., Mr. F. E. O'Flynn and Col. Ponton, K.C. Mr. E. J. Butler occupied the chair. The Fifteenth Band was in attendance and played a number of selections. The Committee having the meeting in charge Messrs. P. Doyle, R. Tannahill and John Carr were fully rewarded for their indefatigable efforts by the success of the event.

"The three speakers are asking you to do nothing they have not done themselves, namely, give up loved ones to defend the Empire," said Mr. Butler, who welcomed the crowd to the school grounds.

The first speaker, Mr. F. E. O'Flynn made an inspiring appeal. "What is our duty?" he asked. "Ought we to stand quiet? Will we say it is nothing to us? Out on the men who would say such! They are cowards, they are poltroons, unworthy the name of Britons."

"Is it not our duty to do what we can to help the Empire? Is it not better to fight in Belgium than in Canada?"

"The boys who don't rally to the help of the flag and the country will regret it all the rest of their days. We must bring it home to them. Do not imagine I do not think war is a terrible thing. The boy that is ready to give his life is taking the noblest stand any man can take."

"I feel that Belleville has nothing to brag of that the city and county have not been living up to what other cities and countries are doing. Why is this the case? Because surrounded in the beautiful city of the bay with all that is pleasant and needful, we have been so self-centred that we have not realized the call."

"We have many good Canadian boys at home. They must go or they will be 'damned' in a certain sense for ever. I am proud that the Belleville boys who have gone are better than they ever were before. If they die God will reward them."

Miss Anna Ponton sang a recruiting song. Mrs. Duff being accompanist. The Fifteenth Band played "O Canada", "The Maple Leaf" and "The British Grenadiers".

Mr. J. W. Johnson, who returned from Presqu'ile especially to attend the gathering was never heard in a finer address in Belleville.

Mr. J. W. Johnson, M.P.P.

"The anniversary of the declaration of war on August third naturally causes the man concerned about the future of Canada and the Empire to regard with seriousness the mighty task which the allied nations set out to accomplish. Everybody reads the newspapers and knows, so far as we are permitted to learn (and there is wisdom in the reticence maintained) how matters are progressing.

"The British Navy, the Empire's shield and insurer, silent, unsleeping and as yet unchallenged, keeping the stern vigil of the lonely sea, has reduced Germany's great ships of war to the condition of canal boats, and has swept its merchant vessels from every ocean, so that its sea-borne commerce is absolutely cut off. A fine example of the power of our Navy may now be seen in New York harbor where the great passenger ships of the North German Lloyd's company lie idle and useless in their berths, which they dare not leave.

The navy is giving safe convoy to the three millions of soldiers who are being transported across the Channel to the battlefields of France; and is more powerful in men, ships and munitions than at any previous period. Half of the Merchant shipping of the world is British, yet, notwithstanding this enormous target less than one per cent. has been captured or destroyed.

"The British Army, small as it was at the beginning of the war, saved France from the fate of Belgium and put an effective stop log against the seizure of Paris. Its numbers have grown by voluntary enlistment: from 180,000 to 3,000,000 men of all arms, which includes the stalwart men from Canada, who held their ground with a magnificent display of tenacity and courage at the battle of Ypres, where their bearing and conduct saved the day and averted a disaster

which might have led to the capture of Calais and the subsequent invasion of England. They are acclaimed by the Empire and are honored by the world, notably in the press and among the citizens of the United States, who declare that the Canadians engaged in the war have raised the status of Canada to that of a nation; that she has proved her right to exist and is fully and finally accepted. While becoming modesty will cause us here at home to refrain from repeating what has been said abroad, that 'the Canadian is the best fighting man in the European war', we will be content to say, there is no better. He has stood the acid test. In St. Paul's Cathedral in London, the crypt of which contains the tombs of Wellington and Nelson and Roberts, there assembled on a week evening in May one of the largest and most distinguished audiences that ever gathered in that historic church of the British race; the King and Queen were there, surrounded by the great ministers of state within the choir, while under the magnificent dome and crowded into the nave and galleries and extending beyond the doors into the street were men and women representing every phase of the nation's life, all specially assembled to celebrate in connection with the solemn worship of Almighty God the splendid deeds accomplished on behalf of the Empire and for the cause of freedom in the world by the soldiers of Canada.

For the Belleville and Hastings men who responded to the first call and formed part of that marvellous Canadian army that enlisted, trained and was in the midst of the fray, in the thickest of the fight, within a few months after the declaration of war, for those men who represent you and me in the struggle for the continuance of British freedom, and British justice and for the defence of mankind against German tyranny, German atrocities, German slavery, and German oppression, I have formed for every one of them personal esteem, admiration and gratitude. Pat and Ted Yeomans, manly lads from childhood. Capt. Dick Ponton, Capt. Ed. O'Flynn and Jack Panter, who set aside business, pleasure and attractive and happy surroundings to perform their duty, which was no more theirs than others, and mark this everybody, these fine examples of the native born had the consent and blessing of their noble mothers. Other fine fellows I might name who also have a warm place in our hearts, but time would not suffice to mention them all, not even those from the local service of the Grand Trunk who went with the first contingent from the train crews, from the shops, from the road and from the offices; among the latter I am proud to say were half a dozen young men from British Guiana, S. America and the West Indies, graduates of Ontario Business College.

"The men who are risking their lives for us leave their women and children as a sacred trust to the nation, and right well are the Government and people fulfilling that great obligation: This is a war of attrition. Britain has the men, the instruments and the money to wear down the enemy. She is just girding up her loins for the supreme effort that will conquer. There will be a roll call by and by of the men who can say 'I was there'. Get into the game, young men, while there is yet a chance for participation and for honor. When you come back you will easily push aside the slacker and the shirker when competing for the customers, the positions and the possessions that Canada will be offering in every line of industry, not only in business and in the trades but in professional practice and in the service of the Governments. I predict that the man who served will be the man preferred. Liberty is the richest gift that life can give; if you make it sure for us and, in addition, guarantee the possession of our property, the title deeds to our farms and homes, save Canada from invasion, our women from dishonor and our children from cruelty at the hands of a horde of barbarians and a band of incendiaries, if you do all these things who can appraise the national and individual debt that we shall owe to you, and which with the help of God, we pledge ourselves to pay:

"This is a meeting to promote recruiting. As a member of the committee that undertook to make an effort to arouse a greater interest, a necessary interest, I am here to

perform that duty. Plain speech is needed. My appeal is to the native born. You are in the enjoyment of the greatest heritage on earth. Your birthright was secured for you in the distant past by the shedding of British blood, the sacrifice of the British life and the expenditure of British treasure, and you can only retain it, and safeguard it and transmit it, by being willing to repeat the example of the men to whom you owe this land. If, without legitimate excuse you shrink that duty you will deserve the fate of the coward. To the parents of the native born I venture to say with great respect, that you have no right to shelter your sons behind other parents' sons, and if you seek to prevent a patriotic son who sees his plain duty and is eager to perform it from enlisting he will be justified in resisting your authority. The serious peril facing the country is the supreme cause now; nothing else can be allowed to stand in the way of the Empire's defence. Unwillingness to enlist by the native born in the United States during the Civil War was overcome by drafting men for the army by compulsion. Young men, don't wait for the draft. See the recruiting officer tomorrow and get into training at once.

"All we have of freedom, all we use to know, this our fathers taught for us long and long ago."

"At the meeting at which the recruiting campaign was started and also at other meetings of men for patriotic purposes those present were often obliged to ask what men are holding back who should be with us in our efforts. We wondered at the indifference of some of the ministers and still have cause to wonder. It is not too late for their influence to be exerted, the cause needs it and who should render more willing or could render greater service? Now all together, it is victory or destruction. Any sacrifice will be as nothing compared with the conditions that defeat would bring. A man who runs away from such a duty as is now upon this land, can never again be a comfortable companion to himself. If he skulks when he should be fighting or in some way doing his bit he has lost honor and self respect."

Mr. F. Burke sang "Asleep in the Deep" and Mr. J. N. Doyle played and sang "Soldiers of the King".

Lieut. Col. Ponton in his opening remarks paid tribute to the aid of song and music in recruiting. The singers and musicians are doing their duty. "The song that nerves a nation's heart is in itself a deed."

He presented signalling certificates to a number of school boys whose example he lauded as worthy of emulation of young men.

Many new British posters were shown. These were made the basis for many apt appeals by the speaker. He appealed to the ladies to spread the contagion of enthusiasm. "You can speak to the young men with your eyes, with your smiles."

Col. Ponton closed his address with a noble reference to the men already at the front. They their training past like the vigil of the knights of old might say:—

So shalt thou when morning comes
Rise to Conquer or to Fall;
Joyful hear the rolling drums,
Trunk who went with the first
contingent from the train crews,
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LIEUT. GUY DUNSTAN
The first student selected for a commission in the British army from the officers' training corps of the University of Toronto.

SOCIETIES ATTEND DIVINE WORSHIP AT THE SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Capt. Ruston Gave a Stirring and Impressive Address on Friendship

From Monday's Daily. At the invitation of Bro. Capt. Ruston of the Salvation Army, representatives of the Practice Boys, Loyal True Blues, Orangemen and Sons of England attended for Divine worship at the Citadel, Pinnacle Street yesterday afternoon.

The occasion was a unique one, in that it was the first time in the history of the Salvation Army that a church parade of Protestant lodges was held to that denomination.

The procession, headed by the S.A. band, marched from Front Street via Victoria Ave. and Pinnacle Street to the Citadel shortly before three o'clock.

The platform of the hall was decorated with a large Union Jack and banners of white and red roses.

Capt. and Mrs. Ruston prepared and conducted a special programme which was both helpful and inspiring. Well chosen hymns were heartily sung by the men, the band ably accompanying them.

Mrs. Ruston, after singing very effectively "Rock of Ages," welcomed the men in behalf of the mothers, wives and sisters of the Army, and voiced the thanks of the womenfolk for the good that was being done for the dependents of those who had gone to the front. Her remarks were stirring as she spoke of the joy and pride of British citizenship, and urged the men to maintain the high standard of that privileged position. In closing her remarks, Mrs. Ruston exhorted the men to continue their good work for "life does not consist in the number of years one lives, but deeds."

Before the offertory was taken, Capt. Ruston in asking for a liberal response, explained that the collection was to be devoted toward sending five more fully equipped motor ambulances to the front.

Capt. Ruston taking the words of St. John 15, 14: "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I command you," chose the topic of "Friendship" as the keynote of his address.

The speaker in a clear, forceful manner presented the various phases of friendship. "We must live up to the principles of this great friendship of Jesus Christ, the basis of which is not compulsion, but love."

The matter of friendship is often regarded slightly, as a very common thing of life, a happy chance if one happens to fall into it, instead of being a thing of importance as entering into the substance of life. No mistake could be greater. Friendship is most important in either the making

or ruining of our character and life. Dante has defined friendship as, the "common aspiration." There is no true friendship which does not derive its strength from a common faithfulness, to high ideals. A common service in a great religious cause, make that your first reason for your friendship.

We grow like our friends, and influence one another for either good or evil.

So in the same way our friendship with Jesus Christ ought to make us like Him in character, pure in heart, holy, kind, loving, gentle. In copying Him our lives will become beautiful in love, words and deeds, and the world will know we are living with Jesus.

We shall be sympathetic towards those in sorrow, humble and self-denying.

A writer has said "Whosoever does not persecute them that persecute him, whosoever takes an offence in silence, he who is cheerful amid suffering, these are the friends of God, they shall shine forth like the noon-tide."

In warning the men to be careful in forming friends, the capt. said it was evident the Germans had abused the friendship of England who opened wide her ports to German commerce, thus enabling that country to obtain the means for the providing of such an abundant supply of munitions of war. Our abuse of the greater friendship of the Master was, the capt. stated, his firm belief why the war was permitted. "We have forgotten the friendship and lost the love that that friendship to God should create, and God is punishing us."

In illustrating the power of true friendship, the preacher quoted the Boers—who in the course of a few years, had by England's friendship, been changed from bitter enmity to staunchest loyalty.

The captain concluded his address by pleading for that "obedience that will obtain and retain the friendship of Jesus Christ," and for a continued manifestation of true friendship to others that will one day be repaid by the words, "Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of one of these my brethren, ye did it unto me."

During the afternoon a piece entitled "His Love Can Ne'er Be Told" was delightfully rendered by the S.A. Songsters, under the capable conductorship of Mr. Parks.

The service was closed by the singing of the National Anthem.

Military Notes

Barrieffield War Camp, Aug. 10.—A few recruits are coming into the camp every day, but the number is far from satisfactory. Scarcely one half of the recruits necessary for the new 77th Battalion have been received to date, and even out of this number, before the battalion has actually been mobilized, the commanding officer has been asked to furnish 254 men and officers for an early overseas draft. The 59th Battalion is thus its base company, and in addition to this will require 254 more men to fill up the gap which the ordered draft will make in its newly formed ranks. A battalion to take the place of the 38th is yet to be formed, and for this, there are few recruits in sight at present. Plenty of young men visit the camp to see what is going on among the men who are wearing uniform, only to leave again, prompted purely by curiosity to visit the camp and seemingly never touched with the necessities of the moment or the real seriousness of the hour. It is very evident that the real successful method of recruiting has not yet been discovered and pursued.

Colonel Hemming, accompanied by Lieut. Col. Munro, of the 8th C.M.R., returned from Peterborough yesterday, after attending the big rally which was addressed by Sir George Foster. Both officers speak in the highest terms of the organization perfected by the committee, and the effort made by Sir George to secure recruits. Peterboro's recruiting was taken in hand by all classes of citizens who organized the meeting. To secure results from the meeting, the city has been divided into wards and districts, and in these business men and ladies will make a house to house canvass

for recruits. Young men will have the proposition put plainly to their faces, and if they refuse, they must bear the responsibility of refusing to play their part in the defence of the British Empire. Recruiting officers from various units are already in Peterborough to assist the committee, and the greatest possible publicity is being given to the work by the press. The officers of the camp feel that a most vigorous local campaign should be inaugurated, and the city thoroughly shaken up on the necessity of enlistment.

The Machine Gun school in command of Lieut. Stethem did some excellent practical work yesterday in gun drill and in carrying the gun into action. A position 85 yards from where the school was paraded was selected, and the class divided into teams which were compelled to run into action with the gun over the distance of 85 yards, mount, load, sight, fire, dismount, and return to their proper place and position. The competition was a keen one, and everybody entered into the spirit of the test, giving a good account of themselves. There were many amusing incidents connected with the carrying of the gun, and in some cases the competitors were put out of action because they lost on their way the pin which secures the gun to the tripod. Without the locking pin the gun would be useless. In rushing German trenches, the machine guns are carried out of the British trenches over open ground swept by the fire of the enemy, and a way is cleared for a charge by infantry. This is what makes machine gun work dangerous, and exposes the machine gun section to great risks.

The 59th Battalion undertook a route march yesterday which covered in all about 18 miles. The battalion

left the camp in the morning at nine o'clock and marched to Lamoine's Point, a distance of nine miles. The battalion arrived at the Point at 12.30 after breaking the march with frequent periods of short rest. At the Point the men spent the time in swimming and having a good time in general. Dinner was served at 1.30, and this was cooked in three field kitchens which the battalion carried with them. One of these has been presented to the 69th and the other two were loaned for demonstration purposes. The men declared that they were given the best meal yesterday they have had since they enlisted. The battalion started back for camp at 3.30 o'clock, and reached their lines at 6.20 p.m. very few of the battalion being any worse for the long tramp. A few suffered from blistered feet, but the most of them stood the march well, and fully enjoyed the change from the every day work of camp drills. Only three officers were mounted, the rest walking with the men. Lt.-Col. Dawson was pleased with the march, and will arrange for more of this work for his battalion.

The 59th Battalion and the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles will each receive the sum of \$250 from Peterborough Council.

The 8th C.M.R. is now over strength with about 600 men. No stop however will be made in the recruiting campaign. Lieut. Rodger, who has been in Belleville, left for Peterboro to assist Lieut. Hull in securing more recruits for the regiment.

It is expected that another Battery unit will be recruited in Peterboro within a short time. At the armours there were rumors to this effect, but as Captain W. C. Ackerman was not in the city it could not be learned what information he had received on the subject. Mr. Ernie Lowes, who passed the examination yesterday, was the first recruit for it. If the Battery recruiting is not carried on at once he will likely go with the infantry and seek a transfer at Kingston to the artillery.

HAVE A GOOD COMPLEXION THE FLOWER OF GOOD HEALTH

The true secret of complexion lies in the blood. Keep it rich, pure, nutritious, and, above all, keep the system regular. No aid to complexion compares with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They tone and enrich the blood, clear the system of waste products, promote good digestion, and, in short, establish sound health, which after all, is the keynote to all happiness and well-being. Don't delay; the charm of a lovely complexion and all the blessings of health are yours, once you employ this old-time family remedy. All dealers sell Hamilton's Pills in 25c. boxes.

Pte Danford. Passed Away

Private John E. Danford, of the 49th Battalion, passed away on Saturday at Belleville Hospital after a long illness. The soldier had been taken ill in March suffering from gangrene of the lung. The immediate cause of death was exhaustion from septic poisoning. The remains were taken to Messrs. Tickle & Son's Morgue and prepared for burial. They will be shipped tomorrow morning at six-thirty to Coe Hill near which the parents of the young man reside. His mother who has been in the city for some days will accompany the remains. A military escort will also attend. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Danford, being 26 years of age and single.

Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. R. Lorne McAfee was the hostess of a miscellaneous shower assisted by her sister Mrs. Frederick C. Stewart, 388 Sunnyside, Toronto, given in honor of her sister Miss Gwendys Garth Bailey whose marriage takes place Saturday to Mr. Stanford E. Daek. After the presents had all been opened a musical evening was spent, after which a dainty luncheon was served from a polished table centred with pink roses on a lace cloth. The beautiful presents showed the esteem of many girl friends of the bride-to-be.

Swamp Fever Epidemic

Mr. Robt. Vansickle of Oak Lake lost a valuable mare and colt as a result of swamp fever. A number of horses at Cordova Mines have also died from the same disease. Dr. Lumsden, V.S., stated that he had about twenty cases within the last year. The disease is a contagious one and there are dangers of it assuming serious proportions. The chief government inspector was in Marmora last week and visited a couple of cases with Dr. Lumsden. He advised isolating the affected animals, but there is no legislation regulating or effecting the disease.—Marmora Herald.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Gray's Worm Expeller will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

PARALYSED AND HELPLESS

Prominent Merchant Restored to Health by "Fruit-a-tives"

Burlington, N.B., July 25th, 1914. "I had a stroke of Paralysis in March, and this left me unable to walk or help myself and the Constipation was terrible. Finally, I took 'Fruit-a-tives' for the Constipation. This fruit medicine gradually toned up the nerves, and actually relieved the paralysis. By the use of 'Fruit-a-tives' I grew stronger until all the palsy left me. I am now well and attend my store every day."

ALVA PHILLIPS. Fruit juice is nature's own remedy and 'Fruit-a-tives' is made from fruit juices. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

ITALY'S STRATEGY IS SURPRISE

EVOKES WARMEST PRAISE FOR ITS BRILLIANCE

Enemy Outgeneraled—Advance of Invading Army Impeccable in Its Military Exactitude.

London, Aug. 10.—Italian military efficiency is evoking the warmest praise, not only for its brilliancy and success, but for a soundness of strategy and tactics, and appreciation of the task in front of it, and is presenting to strategists in other armies models to copy. The extraordinary mobility of the Bersaglieri and Alpini, far exceeding that of anything opposed to it, has only been equaled by the admirable work of the Italian artillery. The entire equipment is as perfect in detail as Germany's. At the opening of war the Italians swept forward with an energy and promptness that snatched the offensive from the Austrians to whom it belonged by right of position. Having secured the frontiers the campaign plans of General Cadorna are now developing steadily. From the outset scientific use of material at hand and development of the offensive by skillful manoeuvring upon excellently planned lines, have surprised the allies and astounded the Austrians. Clever manoeuvring the Italians naturally inherit from the Romans. The advance of the Italians is impeccable in its military exactitude. Its artillery has been put to more profitable and less wasteful use than that of any army now fighting. Altogether an irrefutable answer has been returned by Italy to Teutonic opinion before 1914, that Italy could not be a vital factor in a modern European war. General Cadorna's latest report shows that the Italian plan of campaign co-ordinates over the whole front. Whether the Tarvis group of fortifications will fall first or those of Tolmino and Gorizia, the result will be the same namely, the Austrians' line of defence of the eastern frontier from extreme Carnia right down to the Adriatic shore must suffer collapse. If Gorizia first succumbs the Austrians will be obliged to wheel around to the east with their right wing under cover of the Tarvis forts, to make another stand, first on the River Idria and thereafter on the River Save. That would mean the abandonment of the land defence of the entire Istrian Peninsula, and reliance solely on the front between Fiume and Agrum for stopping the Italian invasion of the Hungarian plain.

It, instead, Tarvis should fall, the Austrians would then perforce retreat to the Drave River in order to block the road to Vienna. Moreover, the Austrian armies now operating along the middle and lower Isonzo would thereby be compelled to fall back considerably so as to avert the grave danger of being surrounded. Cadorna allows the fact to become known that Fort Hansel, less than a mile outside Malbarghetto, is tottering and soon the communications on the great Austrian highway between the Carinthian and Trentino provinces may be severed.

2nd Concession Sidney. The friends of Mr. W. Eggleton are pleased to hear he is getting better. Rev. Mr. Joblin was making pastoral calls along this line on Thurs. Mrs. F. French is visiting friends in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cassidy of Cooper, called at Mr. Eggleton's on Sunday. Miss Mabel Jeffrey spent a few days last week with Miss Ethel Eggleton. The storm of Tuesday and Wednesday did considerable damage in knocking the oats and corn flat, but we are no worse off than other localities, so we read. Some of the farmers were fortunate in having the most of their wheat in the barn. New seeding of clover which is a good "catch" this year will be greatly benefited by the rain. Quarterly Service at Wesley church Sidney circuit, on Sunday 8th. Sidney Farmers' Club meet Monday night. Miller's Worm Powders are sweet and palatable to children, who show no hesitancy in taking them. They will certainly bring all worm troubles to an end. They are a strengthening and stimulating medicine, correcting the disorders of digestion, that the worms cause and imparting a healthy tone to the system most beneficial to development.

239 W 11th St. Erie, Pa.

LAI D TO REST

The remains of the late Charles Frederic Payne were on Friday afternoon laid to rest in the family plot in Belleville Cemetery. The funeral was held from the family residence Burnham street to St. Thomas' church where the Rev. Canon Beamish assisted by the Rev. J. F. Fraser conducted a solemn service. The bearers were Messrs. H. Sneyd, H. Luffman, D. Young, S. Hraball, J. K. McCargar and A. Brown.

The following beautiful floral tributes were received:—Mrs. W. Bird, Mrs. M. Stork, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Shane, Crosses—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dewar, Staff of Banking institutions in the city. Wreath—Mr. and Mrs. H. Sneyd. Star—Manager and Staff of Merchants Bank. Bouquets—Mrs. Corter, Mrs. Kerry, Roses—Mrs. A. G. Sanford.

LUCEY ANN MASSEY The funeral of the late Miss Lucy Ann Massey took place on Saturday morning from the Massey home at 5th of Sidney, Rev. L. M. Sharp, conducting an impressive service at the home. The remains were brought to the G. T. R. depot here and shipped to Grafton, Ont., for interment in the Massey burying ground near Grafton. The body was accompanied by Mr. Massey and Mr. Lane. The bearers were Messrs. B. Sine, W. Sine, J. Hinchcliffe, F. J. Bird, G. A. Ketcheson and J. Phillips.

Lost Four Houses in Erie Floods

The disastrous floods which swept Erie, Pa., on Tuesday, August 3rd caused the loss of at least 25 lives and millions of dollars worth of property, former Belleville residents being heavy losers. The heavy precipitation of rain had caused the dawns to burst letting out a flood of water that filled the main business streets to a depth of five feet and in some sections reaching to the second story windows of dwellings. Some fifty houses were washed away. Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Dench, 239 West Eleventh street, formerly of Belleville, lost four houses swept away in the flood. Mrs. J. E. Parks of this city received today the following graphic story of the disaster—Dear Sister Anna, I just got your letter and am sending a line right back. We are all well but lost very heavy in the flood. Four of our houses went down and no insurance. Those houses brought an income of \$979 per year so you can see what a loss it is. It was the awfullest night of horror that I ever went through. We heard after supper there was a flood and (it is only a meekly old creek) we all got in the car and started out to see it, never dreaming that it would be serious. When we saw how bad it was we went to see how our houses were standing. It was a corner property and one cottage stood right on the bank of the creek. All the tenants were out and we drove somewhere else to see the flood. In a little while we returned to find the water away up and surrounding the houses. We were across on the opposite shore on State street. The electric lights were out and the firemen and police were working in darkness. They could hear someone across calling for help. We turned our car up on the curb and threw our electric light on the roof of our houses. There on the roof of the largest house was the Chief of the Fire Department and three other firemen. We stood there furnishing light until the water was surging around our car and before we went we saw the cottage next to the creek float away like a canoe and in about three minutes the big house lifted off its foundation and pitched right over throwing those men in the foaming river. I tell you it was a horrible scene. Then we had to make our escape, but we went from one place to another furnishing light to the men who were trying to rescue the drowning. You cannot imagine the horror of it all. We could hear them calling for help in the darkness. It is an awful sight now to see the destruction.

Ladies' Summer Shoes - AT - 1-2 Price. White Newbuck Boots, Pumps and Oxfords, \$3.00 for \$1.50. White Canvas Boots and Pumps, \$3.00 for \$1.50. Patent Colonials, Grey and Sand Backs, \$3.00 for \$1.50. SEE WINDOWS & TABLES FOR OTHER GOOD SHOE BARGAINS.

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AMONG OUR CORRESPONDENTS

WELLINGTON.

Miss Marvin and Miss Horsay were at Picton on Thursday.

Our hotel, Alexandra, has guests from Palmerston, Toronto, Belleville, New York and various points east and west. We hear every room is now taken. A. A. Ferguson is the one who will please his guests.

Mr. Hal Pettengill, of Gilead, was in town yesterday.

Apple barrels are going to the country, lots of apples to be packed.

Mr. Fowler has moved to Mr. Bush East Wellington.

Last Friday evening our Methodist young folks took in new members.

A number of prayers went up for our soldier boys on Wednesday last. Not all church members prayed for our soldier boys at the front.

Glad to see Archie Haight of Toronto here on Monday last.

Our public school teachers will not be changed after holidays.

Mrs. Gibson is still confined to her room through lameness, sorry to say. Miss Zuefelt has returned to Midland.

A number will remove to farms in Country this Fall. Farmers' work help.

Mrs. F. A. Burlingham entertained company on Sunday.

Mrs. Jones of Brigalia, N.Y., is a visitor here.

Mrs. John D. Stinson has arrived home from a visit at West Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Baley, from Toronto, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ward at Gilead last week, also called on Wellington friends.

Miss Campbell, of Hamilton, is guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Noxon, here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Noxon, of Ameliasburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Noxon.

Mr. George Hardy and Mr. Percy Wilson, of Hillier, were in town Thursday.

Mrs. E. Pettengill spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Mr. Colliver will have plate glass windows in his store.

Mrs. M. Haight visited at Frankford last week.

Mr. Wallace Garratt has been in the country working for Mr. Frank Thomas.

Our Sabbath School, Methodist, picnic will be decided where to go this Sunday.

Miss Cockburn glad to report is getting better.

A number of our boys and girls are getting ready for to attend Picton Collegiate after holidays.

Mr. Gunter of Belleville, visited his sister Mrs. N. Main Price last week.

Our Upward League picnic was attended by many last week.

The Dr. Morden family, of Brigen, N.Y., are enjoying their visit here, also in country.

Inspector and Mrs. Minns will soon

move to Hastings or Madoc.

Mr. Thomas Hopkins, of Guelph, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Waids, Gilead, last week.

Miss Young, of Toronto, is a visitor in town.

Our friends will come on old Boys and Girls excursion from Toronto soon.

Miss M. Haight and Miss G. Pettengill arrived home from a visit at Picton.

Miss K. Macdonald visited a day at Waupoos last week.

Mrs. M. Clapp is still away at Hillier.

A large number went to Picton on Thursday to Orphan's Home picnic.

Mrs. Maude Vanalastine of Port Hope, will sing at Methodist church, Sunday evening, August 15th.

Mr. Albert Bowerman has arrived home from Brighton.

Our Friends Sabbath School picnic was postponed last week on account of such rainstorms.

Mrs. Geddes and daughter, of Toronto, are at Mr. George Baycas.

Mrs. Earl Staley had visitors from Toronto.

Mrs. A. Wilson has arrived home from a visit at Belleville.

Mrs. George Beaton and two daughters of Markham are in town. Picnic parties are the order of the day in this vicinity.

A number of Belleville people are boarding in Wellington.

Mrs. Hazell has arrived home from a visit at Belleville.

Mrs. Harry H. Osborne and three children who are visiting here from Chicago, at A. M. Osborne's, spent a few days at Picton last week.

At our Methodist Bazaar \$100.00 was made—our ladies worked very hard to make it a success.

WEST HUNTINGDON.

The buzz of the threshing machine is heard again in our burg.

Miss Bessie Bell Wright entertained a few of her chosen friends on Friday last.

Mr. Jno. Woods, of Crookston, spent Sunday with Mr. Wallace McInroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Benson, spent Sunday at Mr. Peter McInroy's.

Mr. Henry Wallace called on Mr. Alex. McInroy on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Montgomery, Mr. Robt. Fletcher spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sills.

OAK HILLS.

Congratulations to Miss Annie Stapley who passed her matric. She is now spending a few days with her friend Miss Lenora Williams, at Anson.

Miss Irene Gallivan entertained friends on Sunday.

The heavy rain last week did a lot of damage in our vicinity.

Mr. Milton Bird of Oak Lake was

helping Raymond Chambers on Monday.

Miss J. Gould of Napanee is visiting Mrs. S. Danford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hamilton of Turner Settlement, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. VanAllen and little son, Lucas, of Belleville, visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bronson, on Sunday.

Mr. Arnold Wannamaker, of Philipston spent Sunday evening at Mr. N. Eggleton's.

Messrs. J. Bronson and N. Eggleton visited the Hospital and House of Refuge on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gallivan called on Mr. and Mrs. M. Welch on Sunday evening.

Many of the youngsters were in Stirling on Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. Stapley and Annie visited friends on Thursday last.

Mr. Robt. Chambers was in Stockdale on Monday.

MARYSVILLE.

The rain last week put a stop to all farm work.

The County road men are at the east end of Gravel road making culverts.

Mr. Archie Campbell was at Deseronto on Tuesday for a load of planks.

Mr. D. Harvey spent Wednesday at Belleville.

Miss Carrie Campbell has purchased a fancy dog.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Sullivan spent Thursday in Deseronto.

Mrs. M. Kenny and son Leo, of Westbrook, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Meagher.

Mrs. S. McAllister and son John went to Belleville to visit friends on Thursday last.

Mr. Leo Kenny and Mrs. J. C. Meagher spent last Friday in Deseronto.

Mr. Prince Gartland, Deseronto, was calling here last week.

Mr. Ross Vrigge of the Military camp, Kingston, was here to say goodbye to his friends before going to Bermuda.

HALSTON.

Rev. J. G. Robeson of Shannonville, took charge of the Quarterly Service at Mt. Pleasant on Sunday. Glad to see Mr. J. Boldrick able to be around again after having blood poison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fox and baby of Lonsdale, spent one day last week at Mr. A. Crawford's.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks of New Jersey were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Parks on Thursday.

Master Clarence Goodman, of Dalkeith, is spending his vacation at his grandfather's, Mr. W. Goodman. Miss Helen Gilbert of Carmel visited friends in this neighborhood last

MOUNTAIN VIEW.

Messrs. Wallbridge and Hubbs have begun threshing here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. Armistead and Mr. and Miss Conklin and Miss Austin made a happy picnic party to the Sandbanks recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Koble and Mr. and Mrs. Juby called at Mr. and Mrs. Cairns, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Howard Anderson, Toronto, is visiting in this neighborhood.

Miss Mary Morden, Saline, Mich., and Miss Carol Kemp, of Ypsilante, Mich., visited Miss Lenora Morden last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stafford. W.M.S. meets at Mrs. Eva Potter's tomorrow at 2.30 p.m.

The Women's Institute held no picnic owing to the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roblin and Mrs. Leonard Parks and children of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stafford this week.

Miss Lottie Post spent a few days last week visiting in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Moy and sister visited Mrs. Geo. Spencer, Sunday.

The Misses Sprague from New York are visiting at Mr. L. F. Sprague's.

STIRLING.

Miss Mina Reynolds has gone to Muskoka for 2 weeks camping, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Phillips, of Toronto.

A number of soldiers were in town last Saturday night.

Miss Edith Bush took tea at Miss P. Herman's on Sunday.

Mr. Elgin Chard and his friend were the guests with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Smith, on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Hulin, of Morton's Drug store, is taking his holidays now.

Miss Lucy Williams has returned home after a few weeks' camping at Crow Lake, Marmora.

Sorry to hear that Master Clifford Barragar, Oak Lake Hills, who was accidentally hurt on his foot is not any better.

ALBURY.

The hum of the threshing machine is beginning to be heard around here once more.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peck are spending a few weeks at their cottage at the Lake Shore.

Mr. Isaac Wilson has treated himself to a new covered market wagon.

Nurse Peck, of Canton, Illinois, is spending her holidays under the parental roof of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck.

Mrs. J. P. Johnson and daughter, of Trenton, are at their cottage here.

We are very glad to know that Mrs. S. P. Peck is gradually getting better and is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant for a time.

Rev. and Mrs. Rowland are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck.

Messrs. Wesley and George Weese have been purchasing some thoroughbred Durham cattle. They must think it about time for a change as both have nearly pure-bred Holsteins now.

We have only two automobiles owned in our town, so have not many retired millionaires living here and spending their plunder gained elsewhere.

Miss Myrtle Roberts of Trenton is the guest of her friends, Miss Gretta and Marie Weese.

Miss M. Foster, of Trenton is spending a few days with Mrs. Johnson and Miss Edna at the cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace McMurter, of Frankford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weese.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weese spent Thursday last with Mrs. Harry and family.

Mr. Orby Aleya is putting his evaporator in order for the coming season's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Crouter on Sunday evening.

Miss Edna Weese spent a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. R. Roblin, last week.

Mrs. A. E. Crouter is visiting her daughters in Belleville for a few days.

Miss Helen Dempsey has gone to Colorado Springs to visit Mrs. Harry Dempsey.

Mr. Bill Way intends starting his new threshing machine this coming week.

IN MEMORIAM.

In Loving Memory of Mrs. Wesley Weese, who died on Wednesday, Aug. 6th, 1913.

Two years have passed, our hearts still sore,

As time goes on we miss her more, Her cheerful voice, her welcome face, No one can take our mother's place.

Her memory is as dear today, As at the hour she passed away; When days are dark and friends are few,

Dear Mother, how we long for you, Husband and Children, Albury, Aug. 6th, 1915.

RIVER VALLEY.

Misses Lena McIntosh and Marion Frappé spent Tuesday last with Bessie Rosebush.

Miss Janet Richardson is spending her holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Richardson.

We are sorry to hear Gladstone Parks is on the sick list.

Mr. B. Hatfields is putting up a fine new addition to their house.

The farmers are glad to see fair weather again as some of the cut grain had started to sprout after so much rain.

Miss Bessie Rosebush spent a few

days visiting at Mr. Wm. Bush's.

Mrs. Phillips from the States, visited at Mr. Frank Carr's last week.

The Institute meeting was largely attended on Thursday at Mrs. Hiram Rosebush's. We were glad to welcome a number of visiting ladies.

We are glad to hear Mr. John Sager is improving after an attack of Rheumatism.

CARMEI.

Mr. J. H. Derbyshire had the misfortune to have his team run away. Happily no damage was done.

We are sorry to report Mr. Geo. Vandewater on the sick list.

Miss Irene Roblin Demorestville, is visiting her friend, Miss Wanda Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gilbert spent a few days last week at Mr. L. Brown Carrying Place.

Mrs. Chas. Horton and family are visiting in our neighborhood.

Miss Irene Homan, Belleville, spent a few days at her aunt's, Mrs. Harvey Homan.

Mrs. O. Mather visited at her aunt's Mrs. C. Rose, Sidney, a few days last week.

Miss Moore spent the week end at Mrs. W. C. Reid's.

Master Geo. Garrison and Miss Geraldine Garrison visited at Mr. Geo. Vandewater's on Sunday.

Mr. Hanna, Cooker, made a business trip through our neighborhood last week.

Mr. Joe Bryant, Foxboro has been painting at Mr. Jno. Pitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vandewater and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gilbert took dinner at Mr. J. B. Robinson's, Corbyville, on Sunday.

Miss Pearl Honeywell, Cannifton, made several calls through our neighborhood on Monday.

Mr. W. Coulter is visiting at Mr. Vandewater's.

Some of our neighbors are taking advantage of the drilling machine, which is in our midst, to have their wells deepened.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clarke, Belleville, who have been visiting friends here have returned to the city.

WEST HUNTINGDON.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sarles and daughter, May, of Stirling, and Mrs. N. Sarles motored to Trenton on Sunday last.

Mr. Charlie Welsh spent Saturday evening in our town.

Miss Kate Sills spent last week visiting Miss Flossie Montgomery.

The Misses Helen Haggerty, Nellie Temple and Tena Wilson and Messrs. Morley, Warren and John Haggerty and Foster Wilson spent Sunday at the Thousand Islands.

A young farmer has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cooke. Congratulations.

Miss Annie and Bernice Haggerty are visiting at Molra and Tweed.

Mr. Ernest Alcott spent Sunday at Foxboro.

Mr. Tom Montgomery and family Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher spent Sunday with Mrs. E. A. Sills.

New Advertisements.

Read Finnigan's Advt. on page four, for big discounts during August.

WANTED.

All kinds of damaged grain, high grades first patents flour, three dollars fifty cents per 100 lbs.—Cannifton Mills. Wm. H. Lingham.

VALUABLE FIFTY ACRE FARM FOR SALE.

In township of Murray, lot 20, cu. B, midway between Brighton and Trenton, along line of Canadian Northern. This farm is suitable for grain, dairy, fruit, or gardening. Good barn, fair house, and dairy large orchard of apples and other small fruit. Excellent shipping facilities.—J. Francis Flindall, R.R. No. 2, Brighton.

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Masters George and Nelson Sarles took dinner with Albert Ashley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Downey of Thompsonburg spent Thursday with Mrs. Jany Kingston.

A BETTER FARM BARN.

At the Canadian National Exhibition, just east of the Poultry Building is a Model Steel Truss Barn. Built upon a wall of concrete and hollow tile, it defies wind, rain, fire and lightning. It is a metal-clad barn with more conveniences than any other known type. Steel Trusses take the place of old style cross timbers, thus giving one-third more storage space.

In the basement is a complete equipment of steel fittings, milking machines, and watering systems. Floors are of cement and cork brick. Sunshine is supplied through sash. Metal-clad doors fill the openings. On the main floor will be found feed cutters, grinders, threshers. Just outside is a tile silo, and also an ensilage cutter.

All machines are operated by hydro showing the value and convenience of this power on the farm. Farmers should avail themselves of this opportunity to see this fine display.

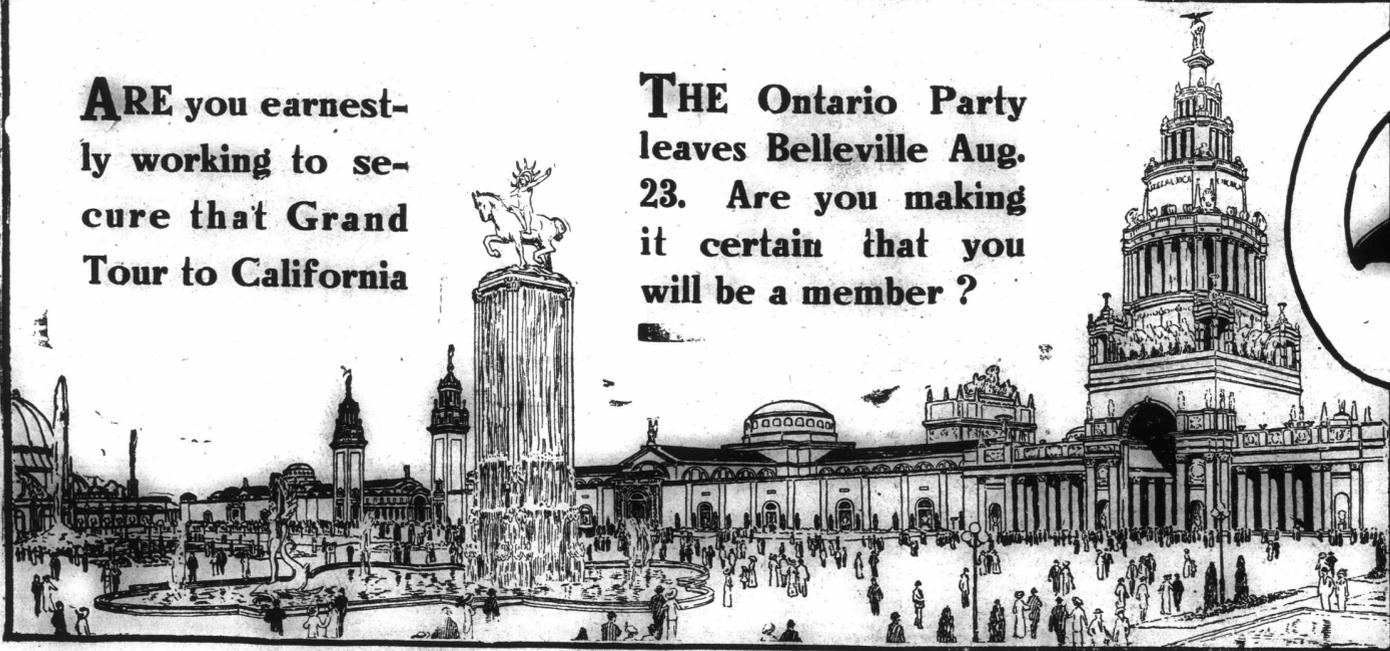
Mr. J. C. Dafeo of Holloway, who is agent for this barn expects to go to Toronto with several farmers around here especially to examine this display.

APPETITE OF YOUTH QUICKLY RESTORED

Appetite is useless unless digestion is good. Dr. Hamilton's Pills make tremendous appetite and keep digestion up to the mark as well. The liver, bowels and kidneys are stimulated, the stomach strengthened, and robust health quickly follows. Dr. Hamilton's Pills instill vigor and snap into the system, make folks feel youthful and happy. You'll forget you have a stomach, forget your days of sickness if Dr. Hamilton's Pills are used. Insist on having Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box, no other medicine.

ARE you earnestly working to secure that Grand Tour to California

THE Ontario Party leaves Belleville Aug. 23. Are you making it certain that you will be a member?



You may visit California after this year, but you will never again enjoy the opportunity of visiting Two World's Expositions at the Same Time. The Daily Ontario Gives You the Chance to Go Without Cost to Yourself. A Special Tour, a Special Pullman Car and a Special Guide.

Toronto Fair Best

Directors Planning Scale Commensurate Record Attended

There never was thirty-seven years of the Canadian National Exposition more real entertainment than the addition to the marvelous manner in which the is taking care of his in the way of increase that the patriot at the the wherewithal to keep the battleline, there features of patriotic significance.

The big war spectacle the Grand Stand with most elaborate pageants by the Fair, while tary Camp, aeroplane mining and torpedo harbor, supple trophies, will be a revolution.

The new Giant M army of spiclers, ne more diversified list while the Hippodrome front of the Grand triumph in the amuse

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GREAT SALE OF PANAMA HATS

For the next few days we offer the choice of any Panama Hat in the store for only

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Lots of Summer Yet to Wear One

Oak Hall

Toronto Fair Best on Record

Directors Planning Programme on Scale Commensurate with A Record Attendance.

There never was a time in the thirty-seven years of its history when the Canadian National Exhibition promised more real instruction and entertainment than this year. In addition to the marvellous proofs of the manner in which the patriot at home is taking care of his responsibilities in the way of increased production that the patriot at the front may have the wherewithal to keep his place in the battle line, there will be special features of patriotic and historic significance.

The big war spectacle in front of the Grand Stand will be quite the most elaborate pageant ever presented by the Fair, while the Model Military Camp, aeroplane flights and the mining and torpedoing of ships in the harbor, supplemented by the war trophies, will be a revelation.

The new Giant Midway, with its army of strollers, never presented a more diversified list of attractions, while the Hippodrome and Circus in front of the Grand Stand will be a triumph in the amusement line. The

Fair this year in all departments promises to excel any previous one ever held at Toronto.

The Directors are looking forward to a repetition of the "Million Year" and are planning their programme on a scale to fit this immense attendance.

Generous Contributions to the Patriotic Fund

Think of Port Perry, a village of 1,100 raising, in two days' canvass, \$7,200 for the Patriotic and Red Cross Funds. This amounts to \$6.64 a head of the population—men, women and children. Port Perry, we believe, in this generous contribution leads the Province, if not the Dominion.

The above is from the Orillia Packet. It is perhaps not altogether a matter to boast about, but still Renfrew holds the record, \$37,000 from 4,200 people, or \$8.80 per head.—Renfrew Mercury.

Mr. Metcalf of the E. C. Metcalf Canning Co. laid on our desk a sample of pea vines taken from the pea harvest of Mr. W. W. Maracle, of the Reserve, the length of which was seven feet eight inches. On an acre of ground Mr. Maracle reaped a harvest of 4638 lbs. valued at \$81.15.—Deseronto Post.

Stole Horse and is Now in Napanee Jail

Napanee, August 4.—Hugh Carr, aged forty-five, who has a criminal record of about twenty-five years, having served two terms of six and seven years in the penitentiary and several lesser terms in the Central Prison for theft and horse stealing, was before Magistrate Rankin yesterday on a charge of stealing a horse from H. Lasher, Richmond Township. Accused went into Mr. Lasher's pasture field on Wednesday night last and catching the animal rode it away and made his way to Tweed where he tried to dispose of it, but could not succeed. He then proceeded to go to Hungerford and succeeded in trading the horse for another one, getting one dollar to boot from Peter Lust at whose house he was arrested by High County Constable Van Koughnet on Thursday night. He waived examination before the Magistrate and was committed for trial.

Joseph Brady, appeared to answer a charge for stealing a horse and buggy from Mrs. Clement. Whilst under the influence of liquor he took the horse and buggy, which was tied to the fence near a wild berry patch. Mrs. Clement being engaged in picking berries, and drove away with it. The police were notified and High County Constable Van Koughnet started out after him and succeeded in placing him under arrest. The horse had been driven furiously and was covered with foam, when the Constable came up with him. He was brought before Magistrate Rankin and remanded for one week.

Invisible Aeroplanes

Germany possesses invisible aeroplanes, according to the Cologne Gazette. The wings are made of a clear transparent material called Cellon, which is the invention of a German engineer named Knaebel. Cellon, which is manufactured from cellulose and acetic acid, is tough, pliable and non-inflammable and is used instead of canvas. A machine covered with Cellon is said to be virtually invisible above an altitude of 3,000 feet. Herr Knaebel made his first experiments with the material two years ago.

Died From Paralysis

The funeral of Mr. David Sagar, of Trenton, uncle of Mr. John Sagar, of River Valley, took place on Thursday afternoon last, from the home of Mr. Blake Ketcheson, Sidney Tp., to the White Church Cemetery, Bay front, the Rev. B. F. Byers officiating.

Mr. Sagar has been in poor health for some time and came to Mr. Ketcheson's for a visit when he was seized with a paralytic stroke and died in a few hours.

He leaves a widow and two sons to mourn his loss.—Stirling Leader.

STRONG RECRUITING APPEALS MADE AT THE MURNEY WARD GATHERING LAST EVENING

Queen Mary School Was Scene of Assembly—Brilliant Addresses by Prominent Residents of the Ward.

(From Friday's Daily)

No more successful ward recruiting meeting has yet been held in Belleville than was gathered together last evening in Queen Mary School. The spacious assembly hall of the new institution of learning, which crowns the Acropolis of West Belleville, proved all too small for the large audience of parents and young people who answered the call of the Murney Ward Committee of which Mr. W. A. G. Hardy is chairman and Mr. H. L. Ingram secretary. The enthusiasm was pronounced throughout the evening. Although there was a marked absence of the young men of the ward, the gathering was otherwise a representative one. Some four hundred or more citizens formed the assembly.

The school was prettily decorated with flags and bunting. The Fifteenth Band was on hand and played a number of patriotic airs on the terrace before the building.

Mr. W. A. G. Hardy made a most genial chairman. His remarks of welcome were short and appropriate. After the singing of the National Anthem, Mayor Panter arose to address the gathering.

Sacrifice is Great, But Need is Greater. The chief magistrate of this city paid high tribute to the loyalty of West Belleville. Great Britain has stood in the breach and prevented Germany's advance. Up to the present, the allies have made superhuman sacrifices. "I believe they have munitions now. They are appealing for men. I believe the Canadians will answer the call. I appeal to the young men to go, to the mothers and fathers, not to put any obstacles in their way. I know what a great sacrifice a parent has to make (applause) but the need also is great."

"When they come back they will wear the crown of victors on their brows."

Mr. Ernest Mouck sang by request "Rule Britannia."

Appeal For Defence of Liberty.

Ald. Dr. E. O. Platt, the next speaker made a stirring appeal for the defence of British liberty:—"I am sure we all heartily agree with the spirit of that song. Britons have had that spirit for one thousand years, and we never shall be slaves. We have been fighting the world's battles.

"Seven centuries ago at Runnymede Britons wrote Magna Charta and made their king sign that document of British liberty. Then again in 1588 Philip II thought to conquer little England with his galleons. Britons dropped their religious differences and again by the defeat of the Armada was safe. Napoleon thought to conquer Europe but he met the British fleet and it downed him as it will down the German Emperor. (Cheers). You remember how Nelson waited for three long years on the sea for the fleet of Napoleon and at last found it. Once again England was free. For one fifth of the race she had kept liberty. Must this empire die? No, a million Canadians will answer. Canadians are not shirkers and will give their homes and lives to the Empire's cause.

"Britain has produced, great poets, great leaders such as Cobden, Bright, Lloyd George; explorers, social reformers, religious reformers. We find in British history these men who have given their lives entirely to their calling.

"Oates who walked out into the dark in the southern snow and ice, was one more hero for dear old England's sake, such another was Scott. Shall the British Empire fail like other empires? No, it stands on liberty and righteousness and cannot fall because God says these principles will never die."

Dr. Platt urged the mothers to put no obstacles in the way of their

sons. We shall come out more than conqueror.

Col. W. G. Ketcheson, 49th Regiment declared "I am here because I feel I am a citizen of Belleville, because I have been here for seven months (applause). Perhaps in a short time I shall be away, I will soon be doing my bit."

The colonel explained the government pay and allowances.

"I would like to see the German prisoners at Fort Henry put to work on the roads. They are too well cared for. I think we should pay them back as they treat our prisoners."

Mr. Stallworthy sang "Marching out to war."

The Rev. Dr. Blgrave, rector of Christ Church, said "The work we are engaged in is most important. It is without comparison in history. It is every man's duty to do his utmost for his country. Those who are accepted for service are particularly blessed and privileged. Those who cannot go will find their duty in securing recruits, for recruits will come when the truth is known.

"We at the end of a year can have some idea of the seriousness of the conflict in which we are engaged. We are now much wiser than a year ago. We are wiser as to our resources and as to the enemy's power.

"When we see that the French and British lines are just holding, that Italy has made little impression on Austria, that the Russians have been driven out of the third greatest Russian city, we appreciate somewhat the gravity of the situation and the duties resulting from it. In the last resort, it comes to the individual to lay to heart the need of doing the best and utmost for the sake of the empire.

"The ancient Hun is the ancestor of the German and we know from experience and history his strength. The Hungarian has surprised us by his fighting qualities. Germany once the land of the philosopher and rigorous teachers suddenly awoke. The old Hun in the German arose with his ambition for sway. The speaker traced the cohesive methods of German empire building in Denmark and Austria. All German idealism and science were made subservient to the military glory of the nation. So she stands a wonder in the world today, devoted to one ideal, unequalled since the day of Sparta. Germany of "blood and iron" has lost her idealism, her soul. The German ideal is now that all stand aside for the military power, the individual is swallowed up in the state. This is the Germany that has been fighting for a year. Every German is an agent for this idea, wherever he may go. It is the power that is threatening the world's liberty. Germany has no regard for the thing that Britain holds sacred.

"Canada the richest country in the world, the heir of all the ages, has felt the thrill with her young idealism with her British blood, with her heart strings true and pure. Canada has done well. And she will have to do more if her young greatness is not to be crushed. Canada stands today in the line of the world's nations by the death of her sons in Flanders.

The Dead in Flanders Call Us.

"Brothers, it is the dead that appeal to us and to every man."

"Unless we go willingly we may have to die ingloriously."

"What will you say, Johnny" was sung by Miss Anna Ponton. As an encore she rendered "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

"It is a solemn pleasure to be here, recruiting," said Col. Ponton, "willing men are those we want, not those who are cajoled, we cannot get away from the drum.

The bugle's call from Windsor's towers, Is answered round the earth."

In the next few weeks there will be a remarkable showing in Canada. We must fight to protect our own fire-side. We must not wait till the Hun comes to our shores.

"We are met to show support to those who have enlisted, pledging the honor of the city, and to strengthen those hesitating.

"In courage keep your heart... In strength, keep up your hand." Our volunteers are going to keep Canada for the Empire and the Empire for Canada.

"Speaking should not be necessary. The air should be charged. It is

your duty and it is your pleasure to charge the air. Murney Ward is the strongest in Belleville and from much much is expected.

"The best recruiting that ever was done was done in the trenches. Keep the fires burning for the boys and the boys will come home sooner if they are fed with men. We want the gallant men of Belleville, not to die, but to live and if need be, die.

"The sense of justice calls you, the faith calls you."

NEED OF RIFLE SHOOTING

"There ought to be ammunition fired from nine in the morning until night at the butts."

We want colors to rally to here. "If the officers of the Fifteenth Regiment don't do their duty we'll get officers who will do their duty."

Germany has got a piece of Belgium, a piece of France, a piece of Poland, but what have we got? 450,000 square miles of German Colonies, territory, and not a German flag on the seas.

A large number of apt British recruiting posters were shown.

Mr. B. Guss Parter, K. C., M. P., the president of the patriotic league, explained the purpose of the ward meetings. "I have never felt that the boys of Belleville were cowards, but that they had not been sufficiently impressed with the need of enlisting.

"The efforts that have been put forth thus far and that will be put forward will bear good fruit."

"Every one of you should consider yourself a recruiting sergeant for the British Empire until victory comes upon the cause of Empire. If you will only take up the work individually, no matter what your neighbor does get into the bush, you will soon not be working alone.

"Where are the young men of Murney ward? There are a lot of young men in Murney ward.

"Out of the list of 900 young men prepared, 15 have been enlisted. Are you proud of this? They don't understand the importance. The boys in this ward, believe their homes are as safe as they were ten years ago. The truth is our homes are in jeopardy at this moment. We believe the Empire will come out victorious, but there is only one way to make it absolutely certain, that is for every available young man to enlist. You have got to have the man behind the gun, and the man to get behind the gun is the young man because he can better do the service, and because he has not the associates to break nor the sacrifices to make.

"To stand on the street corner, to play pool, or do nothing, is in the situation that confronts us today, a disgrace. They have the opportunity to be heroes. Will you be a hero and do your duty or be disgraced as long as you live.

The British Empire stands alone without forcing men to go. "Of course we have a right to persuade you, you cannot go to the firing line but there is no greater power on earth than you with the man who says go to the front."

During the evening Mrs. Col. Campbell and Mr. H. L. Ingram were the accompanists for the singing.

Mayor Panter moved, seconded by Col. Ponton a vote of thanks to the 15th Band—the entertainers of the evening.

The resolution carried and after the singing of "God Save the King", three cheers were given for His Majesty, his army and his navy.

Our Duty to the Blind

From Vienna, from Paris and from Montreal come reports of arrangements that have been made for the assistance and instruction of soldiers blinded in the war. The French report states that a larger proportion of the combatants have been, and will be, made blind in this war than in any previous war, on account of the difference of weapons and in the character of fighting. Ontario has provided amply for the instruction of blind children, but has not been a leader in provision for ameliorating the condition of the adult blind.

With the added claims of the soldiers who will come home from Europe sightless, action in this matter cannot be long delayed. Our blind soldier and fellow citizens must not be left to wear out their lives in idleness and sorrow, when timely aid and proper instruction can enable them to resume their places as useful members of the community. The Ontario School for the Blind at Brantford is maintained for the education of children whose sight is so defective that they cannot be taught in the regular public schools. This school is not intended for adults, and it cannot do what is required for the class above referred to, without reducing if not destroying, its efficiency as an instructor of the young. Bona fide residents of Ontario, between the ages of seven and twenty-one, who cannot see to read ordinary type without injury, are admitted to the School without charge for board, tuition or books.

Applications should be made to the Principal, H. F. Gardiner, Brantford, in time to have all arrangements completed before the opening of the session in September.

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Paint on Putnam's Corn Extractor tonight, and corns feel better in the morning. Magical the way "Putnam's" eases the pain, destroys the roots, kills a corn for all time. No pain. Cure guaranteed. Get a 25c bottle of Putnam's Extractor to-day.



Lightning's Work At Burnt River

Fenelon Falls Gazette.—We are indebted to Mr. Sam Suddaby, of Burnt River, for the following account of the results of the electric storm that visited that village on the 22nd inst.

"There was some heavy thunder here last Thursday, the 22nd. There was one flash that appeared to fill my office with flame, and at the same time there was a sound like the report of a pistol. Several fuses in the telephone apparatus were burnt out. Just a short distance from here there was the hardest 'hit' I have ever seen. The current, or bolt appeared to me to have struck the ground near a wire fence, and from there for sixty feet in a straight line there is a furrow six or seven inches deep and from twelve to fourteen inches wide. Quite large stones were thrown out and one stone broken. The partly covered shell of a decayed pine tree that had been propped some time in the distant past and was lying on the ground, was thrown in all directions, pieces lying on one side 30 feet away and on the other side 34 feet. About 15 feet from the top of where the pine was there lies the carcass of a fine steer, which was the property of Mr. J. Handley and was killed by the shock. I have never seen such a demonstration of force of lightning, and I doubt if anyone else has seen such a furrow in the ground.

Warns the U. S.

Judge Ray, of the United States Court a veteran of the Civil War, in a recent public address, said:

"It would be a simple matter for the Japanese to land 300,000 men on the Pacific coast, take Washington, Oregon and California and occupy all the land east to the Rocky Mountains before our own soldiers could be half prepared to resist the invasion. England, too with comparatively little resistance, could rush her fighting force across from Canada and with our present unpreparedness for war, we would face a situation, which, to say the least, would be staggering."

Judge Ray recalled to mind the struggle to free little Cuba from the throes of Spain. He said that it is most patriotic to be prepared for war. Every boy should be taught how to fight and love of country and of the flag should be instilled into the heart of every young American, he declared.

"The present war will teach us patriotism and love of country and will also teach us that it is best to be prepared for war. We fear no man and no nation but they could easily do us much injury before we could resist them. A nation worth saving is worth being prepared to defend itself."

More Soldiers From Campbellford

During the past fortnight the following enlisted at Campbellford and were sent to Cobourg, as members of the 40th Regt. for Overseas service

Clarence Long, Lee O'Brien, Earl Johnson, Earl Varcoe, Isaac Smith, Dan H. Martin, Alex. Martin.

THIRD LINE SIDNEY.

The hay crop is all gathered in and the prospects are good for a nice harvest.

Mr. Charlie Vancott spent Sunday with Mr. A. Jordan.

Mrs. M. Denton, jr., is visiting friends in Prince Edward.

Mr. Oscar Pierce of Trenton has been visiting his grandmother Mrs. J. Waite.

Misses M. and Gladys Pope is spending a few days with Miss Bessie Langabeer.

Mrs. H. Tucker and family from Montreal is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris.

Fifty Eligibles

There are at least fifty young men in and about town, without very binding ties, eligible for enlistment, but who have not yet volunteered. There are but two reasons why they do not enlist—either too indolent to sacrifice for the cause of the Empire, or are c— (well, we hate to use that word)—Campbellford News.

Unreasonable Story

A Westwood man who was recently fined for being drunk in a local option municipality came before County Police Magistrate Langley at Peterboro on Saturday, after a remand, and was asked to tell who furnished him with the whisky. He pleaded that he did not know the person only by the name of "Doc." This story sounded far from reasonable to the magistrate, who intimated as much and said that in future he would strictly enforce the law and impose \$40 fines instead of \$20, if the liquor laws were to be thus violated. The accused was allowed to go after agreeing to pay the costs incurred by License Inspector Williams.

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Funeral of Late Mrs. John LaFevre

The funeral of the late Mrs. Martha LaFevre wife of John LaFevre, South Church street, took place yesterday morning to St. Michael's Church where the Rev. Father Killeen officiated at a solemn requiem mass. Many friends attended the last sad rites and many floral tributes and spiritual offerings had been sent in respect to her memory. The interment was made in St. James Cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. Asterline, Rooney, Mattis, Finny, Mattis and Burke.

KEEP CHILDREN WELL DURING HOT WEATHER

Every mother knows how fatal the hot summer months are to small children. Cholera, infantum, diarrhoea, dysentery and stomach troubles are rife at this time and often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours' illness. The mother who keeps baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of the Tablets prevents stomach and bowel troubles, or if trouble comes suddenly—as it generally does—the Tablets will bring the baby safely through. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Unexpected Death

Of Mrs. John Healy, of Stoco, at Hotel Dieu.

The unexpected death of Annie Harrison, beloved wife of Mr. John Healy, of Stoco, occurred at Hotel Dieu, Kingston, on the 19th inst., resulting from a weak heart after an operation for appendicitis. She passed through the operation, and for a week appeared to be gaining nicely, but a sudden change came over her, attributed to a weakness of the heart and her unexpected demise followed.

The deceased was 46 years of age and was a daughter of the late Angus Harrison, of Tamworth, who predeceased her just one week. She is survived by her husband and two stepchildren, who will mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and kind and loving parent. Three brothers and three sisters also survive her, namely: Messrs. John, Isaac and J. Edward, of Tamworth, and three sisters of the Monastery of the Precious Blood, Toronto.—Tweed Advocate.

WITHIN RANGE OF HEAVY GUNS

Of Enemy For Five Months Says Capt. O'Flynn—News of Belleville Boys

Letters have been received this week from Captain O'Flynn, dated 20th of July. He says that the Belleville boys with him are all well and that some of them had leave on the day he was writing, among others Sergeant Hutchinson of this city. He says they have been in trench duty with regular relief steadily and that they have not been out of the range of the heavy guns of the Germans for five months. He also says that Milton Vandervoort had returned to his duty and that Charlie Gibson had also recovered and that while the work had not been as arduous as it was at Ypres, the enemy keep them wide awake by regularly shelling them and by the use of rifle grenades. He said that they have been fortunate in reference to gas as they had not been bothered with gas since Ypres so that the Belleville boys had escaped that danger. The Captain sent some photographs of his friends among others Captain Birdsall, of Birdsall, Ont.; Lieut. A. Brown, of Winnipeg, Manitoba; Captain R. D. Ponton, of Belleville; Captain Geo. T. Richardson, of Kingston; and also Captain L. F. Guttman, of Queens University. The photographs are good ones and must have been taken before Capt. R. D. Ponton became ill. Captain Ponton looks very thin and evidently the strenuous tasks were wearing on him at that time. The Captain sent his best wishes to his friends. A cable was also received on Saturday last congratulating his sister Mrs. Doyle on the anniversary of her birthday and containing the information that the Belleville boys were all well.

Many Russians Now Enlist in Canadian Army

By arrangement between the Department of Militia and the Russian Consul-General, Russian reservists liable to military service are being encouraged to join the Canadian forces. Already some hundreds of men have been enlisted. A battalion at Kingston is largely composed of Russian subjects, and an Ottawa battalion is likewise made up in large part of Russians. The suggestion was made in the first place that a battalion composed exclusively of Russians should be formed, but for the time being at any rate it is regarded as a preferable course to enlist the men with the Canadians. Three able-bodied Russians went from Belleville yesterday to Kingston to enlist.

Chas. Payne Dead

Charles Frederic Payne passed away at five o'clock this morning. He was born Aug. 23rd, 1850 at Deddington, Oxfordshire, England. He was married on his 29th birthday to Miss Elizabeth Annie Proctor, of Grimshurst, Northamptonshire and came to this country in April 9th, 1888. He is survived by his sorrowing widow and two daughters, Mrs. D. M. Dewar, of Toronto and Mrs. A. G. Sandford of Belleville, whose husband is at the front fighting for his country, also two sisters, Mrs. T. Freemantle, of Fellows, Ont., and Mrs. J. H. Bell, of this city.

The funeral will take place from the family residence 158 Burnham street at three o'clock tomorrow the 6th inst.

Cadet Examinations

This morning Lieut.-Col. W. N. Ponton received certificates for the cadets who took the course in signalling recently held in this city. Fifteen boys passed the examination in semaphore and one of them Master C. S. Sneyd also completed the course in flag signalling. These boys although too young to enlist have felt they should do something in this trying time and have shown their good spirit in taking up the work of signalling.

Arrangements will be made for the presentation of the certificates at a meeting to be held shortly, probably at a recruiting gathering. The successful cadets are:—
Semaphores:—
Cadets E. Maidens, E. Van Buskirk, R. B. Lazier, F. Deacon, A. H. Haskill, S. Beatty, H. Carleton, S. G. Robertson, T. Y. Willis, B. Tower, R. Colling, W. Robinson, J. Trawley, W. Wallbridge.
Semaphores and Flag:—
Cadet C. S. Sneyd.

Miller's Worm Powders are sweet and palatable to children, who show no hesitancy in taking them. They will certainly bring all worm troubles to an end. They are a strengthening and stimulating medicine, correcting the disorders of digestion that the worms cause and imparting a healthy tone to the system most beneficial to development.

Three Mighty Calls to Men of Empire

"The greatest call of all is the call to go. It is a tremendous situation to face—to go out into a man killing contest. Yet there are different ways of warring, different ways of killing men. . . . One exemplifies the spirit of Christ, the other that of Anti-Christ. There is such a thing as killing for conquest, but I think we can safely say that most of our men who go to the front are ready to kill if killing is necessary, or be slain, for the cause of great liberties."—Rev. Bishop Brewing at Emmanuel Church.

At the war anniversary service at Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church last evening, Rev. Bishop Brewing of Toronto preached one of the most striking addresses ever heard in Belleville. With the clearest of vision, he glorified service in the cause of righteousness. While his message was not a recruiting address yet no more affecting words could have fallen from any patriotic speaker's lips on the recruiting platform as he pointed out the way of duty. The service opened with the hymn "O God, Our Help in Ages Past," prayer by the bishop and the hymn with the refrain, "Give Peace, O God, give peace again."

We can scarcely realize that we have been one year at war, said the Bishop, a year filled with horrible events. We are pleased that Britain did not rush into the conflict, but she entered the struggle to save the national honor. Whatever motives impelled other nations, Britain went in to the fight voluntarily to preserve the trust the nations had in her. A year of bitter war has somewhat subdued the high spirits of the British race, to this measure have the people been strengthened and so far is the war nearer its end.

Germany is not fighting against the world. There are three mighty allies—Germany, Austria, Turkey. We must remember war has been Germany's business for one hundred years. But it was not so with the allies of the Entente. Britain and her allies were not ready and were forced to fight on an emergency. Some critically ask, What has Britain's navy been doing? It has swept every German flag from the seas and the only way Germany has been able to fight has been by assassination under the water. The joyousness with which the British sailors in the North Sea have undertaken the painful duty of vigilance, will never die.

In Lamentations the city of Jerusalem is personified as a widow in tears, crying "Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?" It is the broken-hearted cry of the broken-hearted patriot and has its modern echo in Belgium. Today there thousands of widows sit by their devastated hearths and cry "Is it nothing to you?" Thank God it was something to the world. "Distance does not alleviate the cry and pain across the sea. We are citizens of the world and no man can be slain nor child slaughtered wantonly without our blood tingling."

The call is, What are we going to do? First of all we can pray. Whose prayer will be answered? The nation whose prayers are untinged with bitterness and selfishness, is the nation whose prayers will be heard. Prayer is as necessary to the soul as air to life. A German philosopher once made the significant remark, that although he was not clinging to Jehovah, he was trusting in Odin (the god of war).

It is a pleasure to read that Sir John French once said, "God won Waterloo."

Never in any one year has so much been given in the cause of help as this year. Yet there are sad things, while some are giving money and others their lives, some are using the opportunity in Canada and under the name of Canadians, to fill their pockets, using the nation's great need to carry out their own selfish aggrandisement. The poorest soldier who dies will rise in judgment against the man who feasts upon his country's need. The greatest call is the call to serve. One boy in Toronto told his mother when he was anxious to enlist "other mothers' boys are there." He was unwilling that any other mother's boy should win with the price of his blood liberties he was to enjoy.

"I doubt if any preacher has ever been able to preach greater sermons on atonement and sacrifice than the thousands of men at the front are preaching. I sometimes think that men even if indifferent to the claims of Jesus, somehow come to know from their experience something of what the sacrifice of Christ meant." There are three calls to the men of this country and this empire. The new graves—little remote places in France and Flanders now treasured because baptised in Canadian blood—beckon to us. The men in the trenches send the call for more men. What a joy for them to know that others are coming. Canadians are calling from German prisons and camps

lonely, hungry. Is it anything to us Canadians if they are there.

"Every man who enlists helps to unlock the German prisons and bring our boys back again."

"The man who is willing to give his life does so for a great cause that is not out of harmony with the cause of the Lord Jesus Christ."

"I believe we ought to discourage any evidences of conscription in our country." The liberty of freedom we ought to keep inviolate.

This war will mean the failure of error and falsehood. Over the graves of Europe truth will walk after this year. Life has lost some of its superficial glamor already. It had too much of it. The foundations of our life were not deep enough. We will think more deeply. Death has been glorified, in the words of St. Paul, "Death has been swallowed up in victory."

The bishop pleaded against retaliation. Any nation is likely to rise more glorious from the struggle than by dipping her hands and arms in the villainess of her enemies. May our nation be clean. "Let us go on to a more glorious and larger conflict."

Rev. A. M. Hubly, the rector, prayed for the righteousness of the nation that comes from faith, for humility, and purity. "While we pray for peace, we pray that our prayers may be unselfish, pure and holy, and bring such answers as the Father is waiting to give the world." The rector asked a blessing on the offering.

The service was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Kingston Man Saved Soldier from Drowning

To the heroic work of Mr. Howard S. Folger, of Kingston, Howard Folger, of the R. C. H. A., owes his life, for had not Mr. Folger plunged into the lake fully attired, yesterday morning, shortly before noon, Folger would have been the victim of a watery grave. Folger, who resides at Scarborough, Ont., and has been a member of the R.C.H.A. since February, was enjoying the breezes of the lake along with a companion when the canoe capsized. Mr. Folger was sitting on the verandah of his home on Emily street when the accident occurred and immediately rushed to his private wharf. Other persons also hurried to the scene.

For some reason or other Folger struck out for the shore, while his companion clung to the capsized canoe. Folger soon became exhausted under the weight of his heavy military attire and had great difficulty making any headway. Mr. Folger stood on the wharf encouraging him and finally threw a life preserver which fell about ten feet short of the unfortunate fellow, who by this time was very much exhausted. He sank for the first time and although boats were putting out from shore to render him assistance, Mr. Folger, without waiting or rid himself of any of his attire—for the emergency was great—unhesitatingly dove in and grasped the man as he came up. With some difficulty he brought him to shore. Folger was in a serious state of exhaustion when landed and would certainly have drowned but for the timely and heroic efforts of Mr. Folger.

Folger's companion was brought to shore by persons who put out in boats.

It was Mr. Folger's first swim of the season and one which he will have occasion to remember with pleasure. He was the recipient of numerous congratulations for his great bravery, but accepted all in his usual modest manner.

A Young Hero

While bathing with other lads off McDonald Park, Kingston, yesterday afternoon, Jack McDonald, son of the principal of St. Mary's school, a boy of 13 years of age, found himself in deep water and shouted for help. Joe Kent of Johnston street, who is about the same age as his chum went to the rescue only to be drawn under by McDonald. Young Kent stuck to the task, however, and after a game struggle brought his companion to shore.

LAI D TO REST

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Evans, who suffered death from burns on Monday afternoon took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wilkins, Grier Street. Many beautiful floral tributes and a large attendance of mourners bore testimony of the sorrow of the community at her sad death. Rev. Alex. Hubly of Emmanuel Reformed Church conducted services at the house and at the grave in Belleville Cemetery.

Countless have been the cures wrought by Holloway's Corn Cure. It has a power of its own not found in other preparations.

DRAFT FROM 59TH GOING OVERSEAS

Rank and File Will include 254 Men—Draft From the 77 is Also Going

Orders have been received by Lt.-Col. Street of the 77th Battalion, and Lt.-Col. Dawson, of the 59th Battalion to prepare an overseas draft at once. The draft of each battalion will be made up of 5 officers, 8 sergeants, 8 corporals, and 233 men. The officers of the 59th who will go with the draft are Lt. W. F. H. R., Lieut. M. Hoch, Lieut. Stagg, of Kingston. The non-coms and men will be selected today and the draft made ready as quickly as possible.

The draft will be sent as reinforcements to battalions now at the front who have suffered in the recent fighting. The 59th Battalion was just beginning to get nicely in shape and the work of organization is far from completed, and it will feel keenly the loss of 233 officers and men at this early stage of its existence.

How to Promote Recruiting

It has been suggested that in all meetings for the purpose of recruiting that men in uniform and only men in uniform be used for speaking and appealing to the young men to enlist. "Use the officers and men in camp" said an officer, "to appeal to young men to enlist in the meetings arranged, or use men who have in the past given themselves unstintingly to the Empire, and who are no longer able to fight for such a glorious cause." This same officer thought that the press was the most effective means that the militia department could possibly use to awaken the national conscience, and stir the young men of the country to enlist. If the advertising and publicity genius of the press was properly organized by the military authorities of Canada, the problem of enlistment would soon be solved. In elections, the press is considered the greatest vote getter, and if it can get votes, it can get recruits. With the 77th Battalion to fill up, the 59th Battalion, and the 8th C. M. R. drafts to make good, and a new battalion to take the place of the 38th needed, recruits in large quantities will be needed, and the most energetic campaign will have to be inaugurated in order to secure them.—Kingston Standard.

Brave Napanee Lad

Horace Ward, Aged 14, Saved Young Lady Bather at Bon Echo

Bon Echo summer resort in the Ontario Highlands, about 30 miles northwest of Tweed, was the scene of a very happy event instead of what might have been a tragedy. Miss Mary Armstrong went in bathing alone on one of the beaches, and waded out beyond her depth, and being unable to swim, she went down. Fortunately a lady guest saw her and called for help. Master Horace Ward, aged 14, son of the late Dr. G. T. C. Ward, of Napanee, was near at hand and the first to respond. He is a good swimmer, and dashing into the water brought Miss Armstrong safely ashore.

The guests of Bon Echo Inn were so impressed with the cool bravery of the lad, that an impromptu fund was given in his honor around a huge bonfire, and Judge Madden of Napanee, in an eloquent and touching address, presented Master Ward with a purse on behalf of Bon Echo and its guests.

Pockets Picked of \$200

Yesterday morning, while watching the Fire Department exhibit on King street about eleven o'clock, R. L. Joynt lost the sum of \$200 from his pocket. There were thirteen ten dollar bills in the roll and two Montreal bank checks. The loss of the money was not reported to the police until late in the afternoon and the thief had ample time to make a get away.

Howard Bissell was also in the crowd at the Broad street corner and lost a pocketbook from his hip pocket, but it contained no money, only certificates and papers of a non-negotiable character. No other losses were reported to the police up to noon today.—Brookville Times.

Eva Flaro Missing

Has Been Away a Week and Her Sister is Searching.

Eva Flaro, aged 18, left her sister's apartment in Lakeview Mansions at Sunnyside, Toronto, just a week ago yesterday and has not been heard of since. A search is being made for her but no clue has been discovered as to her whereabouts. The girl wore a green suit with a black girdle and black buttons, and a black hat trimmed with a wreath of roses. She has fair hair and brown eyes, with a cast in the left eye. She was a former resident of Belleville.

LITERARY TONE AT THE 1000 ISLANDS

Several Prominent Writers are Attendants at Various Island Resorts

It would seem that the social life of the Thousand Islands is to have more or less of a literary influence from now on, as there are numerous writers, prominent editors and publishers already at Alexandria Bay, with more scheduled to come. Arthur Brisbane, the editor, who draws the largest salary in the editorial world has the Nathan Straus cottage on Cherry Island. Mrs. Brisbane and their two children are with him, and Mrs. Brisbane's father, Hon. Seward Carey, J. A. McKay, the publisher of The Spur, has a cottage at Kingston, where he and Mrs. McKay are spending the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Mills, of Clayton, have been their work a number of week-ends during July. Mr. Mills is the general agent for the Canadian steamship lines at Clayton. Frank A. Munsey of the Munsey company, will arrive early in August, to be the guest of Commodore and Mrs. Wheeler at Wau-wink. About the middle of August Robert Hobart Davis of New York is expected to arrive at the Thousand Islands Mr. Davis and Commodore Wheeler will go on a fishing trip on the Commodore's yacht, The Empress J. A. Studley of the New York Times spent the month of July at the Thousand Island House, and Frederick J. Willock, editor of The Housewife and originator of the New York Times' pictorial supplement, was at Mrs. Willock, during July. There are numerous others prominent in the literary world of New York, who are now at the Thousand Islands, or are expected within the next week.

UNKNOWN MEN FIRE ON SENTRY

At Fort Henry Who Returned Shots and Parties Retreated—Orders Issued

A decided sensation was created around Fort Henry, Kingston, shortly after midnight Monday night when several unknown men fired on one of the sentries doing duty at the Fort. Fortunately the sentry kept his head and quite coolly levelled his rifle at his assailants, whom he thought he saw crouching behind some rocks and returned their fire, with the result that the men, whoever they were, beat a hasty retreat and were seen no more. Whether the sentry's shot took effect is not known, but that the men disappeared without a word is certain.

In this connection Lt.-Col. Ferguson, the officer in charge of the Fort, announces that anyone who ventures too near the Fort after dark, without authority or business, must be prepared to take the consequences. The authorities are determined that no nonsense from anyone will be tolerated.

BIG ISLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Bristol, are visiting the former's sister Mrs. S. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Fox and daughter Winifred, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner and Muriel visited on Sunday at Albert Wagars.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peck, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Goodmurphy motored to Brighton on Sunday.

Miss Coral Morden returned to her home at Brighton after spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. S. Fox.

Mrs. L. E. Mills of Shannonville visited at Miss Nettie Cunninghams last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hough of Demonestville spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peck jr. Mrs. D. Johnson and Miss Oneta Hicks spent Wednesday afternoon at J. M. Kerr's.

Mrs. D. Barrager and daughter Theda, of Belleville and Mrs. G. Barrager and daughter Irene spent Tuesday with the latter's aunt. Mrs. R. Dunning.

A number from this vicinity attended Quarterly Service in Demorestville on Sunday.

C. E. Johnson spent over Sunday at Greenbush, the guest of Mr. J. Hick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kerr took dinner on Sunday at Mr. Clas. Peck's.

A few of our young people attended the Song Service in the Methodist Church at Demorestville on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Partelle, of yesterday and has not been heard of since. A search is being made for her but no clue has been discovered as to her whereabouts. The girl wore a green suit with a black girdle and black buttons, and a black hat trimmed with a wreath of roses. She has fair hair and brown eyes, with a cast in the left eye. She was a former resident of Belleville.

A deserter from Kingston was arrested in Belleville this morning. He was in civilian clothes, having made away with the khaki.

CLEARING SALE

House Dresses worth \$3.00 for \$1.50
 House Dresses worth \$1.25 for 79c
 Blouses worth up to \$1.50 for 89c
 Boys' Sweaters, sizes 22 to 32 for 25c
 Men's Shirts, worth \$1.00 for 69c
 Men's Shirts worth \$1.50 for 99c

Silk Yoke Blouses worth \$2.75 for \$1.75
 5 doz. Ladies' Drawers, made of good white Cotton some trimmed with embroidery worth 40c, on sale 19c pr. doz.
 5 doz. Crash Towels regular price 25c pair, on sale at D. & A. Corsets 50c, 75c, \$1.00 \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$3.00, the best corset in the trade.

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50 pieces Print, fast colors 10c yd
 5 doz Children's Dresses 39c ea
 5 doz Overall Aprons 49c each
 2 pieces Table Linen, 29c yard
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Belleville Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund

The Treasurer begs to acknowledge with thanks the following payments since added to the lists published up to July 31st.

R. C. Arnott	5.00
E. V. Brown (July Payment)	1.00
T. A. Gardiner	5.00
Employees of The Ritchie Co'y	17.75
E. F. Milburn (Aug. payment)	5.00
W. W. Knight (Aug. payment)	4.50
W. B. Deacon	20.00
John Elliott	5.00
Geo. I. Thomas (July paym't)	5.00
Merchants Bank Staff (July payment)	5.00
Robert Bogle	15.00
A. Cumming	5.00
J. Munro	4.00
Arthur McCoy	10.00
Greenleaf & Son	5.00
Postmaster, Officials and Letter Carriers (July)	23.00
A. R. Walker	5.00

During the month of July there were included in the list of beneficiaries 145 children of soldiers, 72 wives of soldiers, and 29 mothers of soldiers, (either widows or whose husbands were unable to work). Contributions to the amount of \$995.85 were received, and 180 cheques were issued during the month amounting to \$1,897.05.

Subscribers to the fund who have still some payments to send in are requested to refer to their date cards and make sure they are not in arrears. A number of payments have not come on the dates on which they were promised, and some are several months in arrears.

\$100 REWARD, \$100

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

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
 Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Huckleberries Plentiful

In line with other crops the berry crop is also a bountiful one this year. Hundreds of pairs of huckleberries and wild raspberries are being picked in the north country. In the Kagiadogmoo Lake the berries are an extra good crop, and the lake itself is just teeming with bass.—Warkworth Journal.

Assails the Memory of the Lusitania Dead

Semi-Official Cologne Gazette Refers to Victims as "Filipino Americans"—Song on the Sinking Steamship is Heard in German Music Halls

London, Aug. 9.—The Daily Telegraph quotes the Cologne Gazette as saying editorially:

"We shall neither do Herr Wilson the favor of condemning the action of the commander who sank the Lusitania, nor shall we offer any compensation for the lives of the filippino Americans who were drowned on the Lusitania. We shall, of course, continue our submarine campaign, as we have done during the last two months and previously, for it is an error on the part of Herr Wilson to assume that we have lately made a change in this respect.

"We shall also accord to American ships and passengers the consideration we promised, and we hope, of course, that events will not render more acute our relations with America, but our primary duty is that of self-defence, and in the future we shall do whatever that duty demands. The Cologne Gazette is generally regarded as a semi-official organ.

Lusitania a Music-Hall Theme.

The Morning Post's Amsterdam correspondent forwards the text of a German music-hall song entitled, "The Destruction of the Lusitania," described as a marching song by Rudolf Kuhn. The verses tell the following tale:

"She sailed for England from New York with contraband. She invited thousands to travel on board. But our submarine smelt a choice dish. The Lusitania sailed merrily along her criminal course; but the submarine was on the watch off Ireland's coast. She carried Americans, Englishmen, Frenchmen, Greeks, and Dutchmen to the dance of death.

"The submarine hit true. Those who were not suffocated were drowned. Vanderbilt was among them. It is a pity that Minister Grey was not there too."

After references to complaints by mermaids at being disturbed by so many explosions and by vile gases emitted by the American ammunition the poem continues:

"So there the dead lay. Most of them with their jaws burnt, England's sons and their companions, Oh, how quiet they have become!

"So join now in the funeral song. Build submarines as fast as possible. Sink the enemy into a cool grave so that Germany may have peace."

Each verse has a rousing chorus.

Shell Shock Gives Him "Lost Personality"

Strange Effect of Injuries on British Soldier Amazes Physicians—Power of Hypnotism.

London Aug. 9.—Two distinct personalities, one of which can be called out by hypnotic influence only, are possessed by a soldier now back home from the front. No. 1 is his personality since the date of regaining consciousness in Manchester, whither he was sent after being rescued from a trench in which he was buried by a shell explosion.

"Shell shock" robbed him of all memory of everything he knew before No. 2 is his old personality, endowed with all the memories of his past life and of his experiences in Flanders up to the date of his injuries. This second personality is re-awakened only under hypnotic influence. There are several points of difference between the two personalities.

In state No. 1 the patient's manner is somewhat jaunty and inclined to be cocksure. In state No. 2 he appears more modest and altogether less loud in manner. He speaks with a faint but distinct Lancashire accent in state No. 1. In state No. 2 there is no trace of Lancashire, but his speech much more resembles the West Country dialect (he was born in Wiltshire).

His writing also differs slightly. Persons seen and known by him in his state No. 1 are always complete strangers to him in his state No. 2. When he was taken to the Zoological Gardens he tried to stroke one of the lions. He failed to recognize his parents and former friends in state No. 1.

When hypnotized into state No. 2 he greeted his father with every sign of pleasure and affection. Except for the ability to play the euphonium (the patient was a bandsman) when in either state, there appears to be no connection between the two personalities. As the hypnotic treatment quite failed to improve the patient's memory when not in a state of hypnosis, it was discontinued. Thus the case, says Dr. Felling, who describes it in the Lancet, becomes that of a lost personality rather than a double personality.

Military Notes

Barrieffield War Camp, Aug. 7th.—After two days rain and storm the sun is shining today and is fast drying out the tents, contents and grounds of the camp at Barrieffield. The long and incessant rain played havoc in the tented city, and even the best protected tents suffered from wind and rain. The storm is no respecter of persons, and falls just as heavy on the tent of the officer as it does on the tent of the humble private. Beds, bedding and clothing are all out in the sun today getting dried out, and a few hours under the rays of old sol will soon undo all the work of the storm king.

There are 40 officers taking the course of the provisional school of infantry. Major Barragar is assisted in the instructional work by Sergt. Dryden and Sergt. Gillicie of the camp instructional staff. Both instructors have had long experience in instructional work and are very capable men.

Slight defects in hearing have been common causes for rejecting recruits who have been sent to the camp from outside places. Good hearing is essential to a soldier. A defect in hearing may cost him his life, as well as the lives of many others. Some men are merely word deaf. They can hear sounds quickly and distinctly, but they fail to catch some words spoken. As long as a recruit is not defective to the extent of being unable to hear the word of command given, he is not rejected on the score of word deafness, but he must be able to detect sounds quickly. The number rejected for defective hearing has been very much reduced within the past few months, and most of the applicants for enlistment in camp have good hearing. Varicose veins are the most common cause for rejections. Cases of hernia also come under the ban, but many of these can be surgically corrected, and applicants willing to submit to an operation are accepted.

It Rubs Pain Away.—There is no salve so efficacious in overcoming pain as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The hand that rubs it in rubs the pain away and on this account there is no preparation that stands so high in public esteem. There is no surer pain-killer procurable, as thousands can attest who have used it successfully in treating many ailments.

BY THE SEASHORE.

A holiday by the seashore is the form of vacation most appreciated by thousands of people from inland centres. Portland and its environs abound with attractions to suit all tastes, from the quiet retirement of Cape Elizabeth and Cushings Island to Old Orchard and Kennebunk, popular chiefly for the attractiveness of their beaches and surf bathing. "Mountains of New England and the Sea," just issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System contains full information, complete list of hotels and boarding houses, etc., and may be had on application to C. E. Horning, D.P.A., Toronto, Ont.

Belleville District Library Meeting

Belleville District Library Meeting was held at the Public Library, Stirling on Wednesday, August 4th. Eight branches were represented. W. R. Nursey, I.P.L., Toronto, was present and took part in the discussion. The representatives from the different branches were:—Mrs. Malone and Mrs. Howell, Frankford; Alex. Walker, Pres. of Dist. Belleville; Miss Holmes, Picton; Mrs. Kennedy, Kingston; Miss Edwards, Napanee; H. H. Harley, Sydenham; Miss Ora Haig, Campbellford.—Stirling Leader.

Middle School Normal Entrance

The results of the Middle school examination for entrance into the Normal schools are given below. The certificates of the successful candidates, and the statements of marks of those who failed, will be mailed to the principals or inspectors in the course of a few days.

The appeal examiners have already reread the papers of each candidate whose marks would appear to justify an appeal. Where such a candidate has still failed the statement of marks will be stamped as re-read and no further appeal will be allowed. In all other cases of failure appeals will not be refused, if made before September 1st, and accompanied by the fee of \$2.00.

A candidate after whose name a Middle school subject is indicated in brackets, is required to rewrite said subject with another departmental examination, for which he is eligible and which he requires to take. Such a candidate cannot be admitted to a Normal school this year.

Successful candidates who desire to attend the coming session of the Normal schools are notified that their applications for admission must be made to the Deputy Minister of Education not later than Wednesday, August 25th. The Normal schools will open Wednesday, September 1st, at 9 a.m., at which time all candidates must present themselves. Applicants are required to be at least 18 years of age before October 1st. Further information regarding the conditions of admission may be obtained from the syllabus, copies of which may be obtained on application to the Deputy Minister of Education. No candidate will be admitted who does not comply fully with the conditions prescribed therein.

Native of Prince Edward Passes Away

On Friday of last week death claimed for his victim Walter Stewart Post a well-known resident of West Seymour.

Deceased was born in Prince Edward County fifty-five years ago. As a child he went with his parents to Brighton and about thirty years ago came to Seymour to reside. About thirty-six years ago he married Miss Matilda Peterson of Brighton who survives.

The late Mr. Post was a man of sterling qualities, honored and respected by all who knew him. He served the township as assessor for three years. In religion he was a Baptist but was a regular attendant of the Methodist church. Besides his wife one brother, Irvine, of Brighton, and two sisters, Mrs. James Snelgrove, Smithfield, and Mrs. Fred Simpson, of Saskatchewan, survive.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon, service being held at the home by Rev. C. Demille, the remains being laid to rest in Maple Leaf Cemetery, Havelock.

—Campbellford Herald.

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Marmora Debentures Sell Above Par

Marmora Herald.—The Village has been successful in disposing of their debentures for fire protection. They will bring a fraction over par, which is an exceptionally good sale, considering the present condition of the money market. This will enable the council to proceed at once with the proposed scheme for fire protection, and in future, losses as a result of fire should be very small.

Assthma Victims.

The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to be suddenly seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

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The Grand Trunk Railway System will run Harvest Help Excursion to Winnipeg on the following dates:—
 August 19th and 26th, from stations Kingston and Renfrew and east in Ontario and Quebec.
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Pictorial Fashion Book

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The Latest Patterns are in Stock

14 Year Old Tried to Enlist

Running away from a home in which he had been placed near the city, having been sent out from a Brockville Home, a fourteen-year-old lad, of Scottish parents, arrived on Kingston on Tuesday afternoon, and tried to enlist for overseas service, but of course was too young to be taken on.

The boy declared that he had one brother killed and another wounded at the front, and that he was very anxious to get to the front to kill Germans.

The youngster was rounded up by the police and taken to the police station. W. H. Wylie, inspector for the Children's Aid Society, was notified, and he is holding the boy here, awaiting word from the Brockville Home to have him sent back there.

The youngster cried bitterly while he was at the police station.

—Kingston Whig

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Fruit-Raising and Canning Are Followed.—Nearly Six Dollars a Head From Cheese During June—Country Naturally Favored.

J. E. Munro in Toronto Globe.

In Prince Edward they tell you the country is very similar to what the Garden of Eden was before Eve made the fatal error. The difference is that in Prince Edward County there is no forbidden apple. All of them are marketed. However, after making all due allowance for a little bias aroused by very hearty local patriotism, Prince Edward is a garden, at any rate. It is the king-pin county in eastern Ontario, taking everything into consideration. This year it is up in front again, and with such splendid crops in other sections the crop here had to be extra fine to keep in the lead.

Prince Edward doesn't attach her "democrat" to a single star, but to several. She goes in for fruit and canning truck, but, after all, if the same old cow wasn't on the job there wouldn't be half as much money made in Prince Edward as there is. Prince Edward county was a "charming place" so the old cows got into some of the fine pastures and can't be got out. The farmer doesn't want them out, either, nor with the assistance of fine pasture fields they get a grip on one hundred and twenty-five thousand good dollars during the month of June, for cheese alone. Nobody could give an estimate of what they made in butter or for the young stock raised.

Prosperity Due This Year.

However, all the prosperity was coming to the farmers of Prince Edward. For four or five years things have been on the down grade. The farmers, however, pinned their faith on the cow, and, believing in the truth of the old adage that it is a long lane that has no turning, kept at it. The reward has come this year, and prospects are good for some more rewards. There is a population of about 22,000 men, women and children in Prince Edward, so the average "cheese income" for everyone during June was nearly \$6.00.

No place in the world is more conveniently laid out than Prince Edward. They can get through bills of lading for ocean ports from Prince Edward. Some of the cheese exported from here arrives in England without ever being on a train. The milk crop this year is a little ahead of last. All the cheese factories are running.

Farmers can make money on milk by selling it at \$1.25 per hundred-weight, and this year it will probably average from \$1.40 to \$1.50. The better farmers always supplement their pastures with green feed of some kind, corn, peas and oats or millet, when they become poor. Thus the milk flow is kept up.

The canning industry will suffer this year in Prince Edward, according to Mr. Cundick, Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Picton, and a man who knows the agricultural situation in the county thoroughly. He estimates that there weren't 20 per cent. of the tomatoes there were last year. Half the farmers used to grow a few acres of tomatoes, but many haven't grown any this year, and very few as many as formerly. Many early tomatoes were wiped out by frost, and what there are are ten days behind. The apple crop is about half, according to general estimate, but the cooper shops are making more barrels than this estimate would indicate they would make.

NO Prettier Country in World.

The evaporators are buying up apple orchards already. In some cases the crop, they claim, is very good, but in others poor. Other canning goods, such as peas and corn, are not grown as largely as in former years. The Globe representative had a 50-mile auto drive over the fine roads of the country. There is no prettier country in the world. At no part is it very far from the water, and there are innumerable inlets from both the bay and lake. The country looks like a gigantic park, dotted here and there with nicely painted farm buildings. Good crops brought forth no exclamation from the auto party, but about every two miles a poor field of grain would be seen and greeted with the remark "Too bad." That is the kind of crops there are in Prince Edward this year. Some fine tobacco was seen, although there isn't much of it this year. The rye was being harvested, and there are thousands of acres of splendid grain. Root crops and corn are fair.

However, after all, the dairy cow is the big thing in Prince Edward, and "Miss Bossie" looks well and is doing well. With the counties to

the north, Prince Edward lost a lot of its cows to western Ontario during poorer times, but they are hanging on to them now. Factories are not paying for milk by test. This is the one great thing that the Government and Dairy Associations want them to do. Sanitary conditions are good, due partly to the rigid inspection by the Government and partly to the desire of the cheesemakers to make their products worth while. Picton is the big town of Prince Edward, and depends strictly upon country trade for its existence. The trade has been so good that Picton "doesn't know there is a war," except through the fact that so many of its young men have gone to the front. Prince Edward county is favored naturally. It is a beautiful place to live. It is a fine place to farm, and it is farmed well. Perhaps no rural county in Canada is more wealthy, and with such months as June there will be an appreciable increase in the wealth.

LETTERS FROM THE FRONT

Capt. Ferguson writes of the Death of Russell Young of Picton.

Trenches, Belgium, July 4, 1915.

Dear Mrs. Young.—Your letter of the 11th received the other day, regarding poor Russell I was talking to Bruce Cole the other day and he gave me the following account of your boy's death. Russell was within two yards of Bruce when they made the charge. It was on the morning of the 23rd of April that they made the attack on the German trench. On account of the German defensive they were unable to reach the German trench, neither could they get back to their own until the night of the 23rd. It was while lying out there during the day that Russell was killed. There were many wounded lying about, and one chap named Morgan was crying for water, it was practically suicide for anyone to make the least move. The men nearest Morgan made no move to give him a drink, then Russell said: "I am going to try my best to get a drink over to poor Morgan." He had moved probably a foot when he said "I am hit." This shot evidently made him forget his surroundings, as he deliberately got up and started to walk back. No sooner was he up than he was shot through the neck and killed instantly. It was necessary for the boys to retire the next day and they were unable to bring in any dead bodies. However, our Adjutant saw with his glasses where the German had buried our dead. A German prisoner also told us that all the Canadian bodies were buried. As you say Mrs. Young, it certainly is a hard load to bear, and I extend to you my deepest sympathy. War is a terrible thing and those at home suffer as much or even more than those actually engaged. It has caused a great deal of sorrow and self-sacrifice not only in Canada, but throughout the whole world and it is to be hoped it may come to a speedy finish.

Again extending my deepest sympathy, I remain, Yours sincerely, K. D. Ferguson, Capt. 2nd Batt., 1st Bg'd., 1st Canadian Exp. Force, France.

Two Near Drowning Accidents Averted

There came very near being a drowning accident off the park at Cobourg on Sunday afternoon. Glenn Stacey and Harry Johns were out in a canoe, when the latter upset the boat. Stacey, who was unable to swim, got away from the boat, while Johns struck out for shore. But for the presence of mind of Mr. John Lavis, who got a boat and reached Stacey quickly, grabbing him as he went down for the last time, he would certainly have drowned. Mr. Lavis in the past has done much good work around the lake in saving lives, and this case was just as commendable. On Monday afternoon Jack Huycke and Miss Clarke were out in a canoe, and off the end of the east pier, the boat upset. Miss Clarke who is a good swimmer, stuck to the canoe, while Huycke started for the pier. Both were rescued by another boat.—Sentinel Star.

Grain's Sprouting Farmers Report

Wheat is sprouting badly. Such is the general complaint of farmers attending market today. In some instances it has sprouted from one-half to one inch. Barley has sprouted and oats in some districts also. Perhaps only fifty per cent. of the wheat crop is in the barn. It is likely that a great part of this has been rendered unfit for grinding and its value now will consist in feeding. In some portions few complaints are heard as to the wheat and oats are not showing signs of sprouting. The storm did not take any of the apples off the trees, owners of orchards state.

An Account of How Lieut. Doxsee Came to His Death

The following letter to his sister, is from Pte. Jas. W. Deremo, son of Mrs. Jas. Deremo, of Campbellford, and who enlisted in Toronto, as secretary to Brig. Gen. Mercer:

At the Front, July 17, 1915. My Dear Sister Helena.—Am just writing a few lines tonight, as we have been quite busy of late. Am in the best of health and spirits. Have just succeeded in obtaining a full account of Mr. Doxsee's death from a man who was with him when he was killed. The man himself was afterwards wounded, and has just returned from hospital. His name and address is, Pte. F. J. Hawkins, No 5 Platoon, No. 2 Company, 2nd Canadian Battalion.

It was on the 22nd of April that the Germans launched their attack with the aid of poisonous gas. Lieut. Doxsee's Regiment, the 2nd Canadian Battalion, went into action that night. During the following day and night, the 23rd April, this Regiment working with the 10th Canadian Battalion, had driven the Germans back over part of the ground lost on the 22nd. It was at the very place, where the Canadian guns were re-captured by the Canadian Scottish.

On the morning of the 24th April, Lieut. Doxsee and a number of his men were stationed in the attic of a ruined farm house near a wood. They were sniping from a hole where some bricks had been misplaced. The Germans were again trying to advance. Mr. Doxsee and his men were now doing valuable work. Men who were there at the time positively state that Mr. Doxsee, himself, accounted for a number of Germans. He laid down his rifle, smiling with satisfaction at the work done. He then picked up his binoculars to observe, when a rifle bullet struck the glasses and penetrated his head just between the eyes. His death was instantaneous, he never murmured, nor did he suffer any pain.

In the evening he was given a short but very respectable burial service, in spite of the heavy attacks on at that time. The burial service was read by an officer of his regiment. Am very sorry that it is not possible for me to give you the exact location of his grave at the present time, however, Mr. Doxsee's relatives will receive that information at some future date from the Graves Registration Committee.

You will no doubt remember Mr. Doxsee was wounded last March, but had returned to his Regiment before his wound was healed.

He was loved by his men, and by all who knew him. I have no hesitation in saying that he was one of the most popular officers at the front. There was not a man in his company who would not follow him through anything. You would always find him in the most dangerous fighting. He was afraid of nothing. It is a great loss to the Regiment and to the Brigade to lose such a brave officer. He worked for his men and for his Regiment, and was always cheerful even in the most painful circumstances. It was a notable fact that he would never ask his men to do anything or take any risks, when it was possible for him to take them himself.

His family must be very happy to know how brave a member they had. We all offer our deepest sympathy to them in their sorrow, which we share, but should like to let them know that, although a great number of the boys have gone to that land where there is Eternal Peace, there are some left to avenge the death of their pals in this great fight for the liberty of the world against the inhuman German hordes.

Campbellford can be justly proud of her hero. We are confident she will send many more to fill the ranks of the fallen brave and to take the brunt of the battle, shoulder to shoulder with the boys who are lucky enough to be here. We patiently await their arrival.

Now, sister, I must be getting busy, plenty of work these days you know. With love, and all good wishes, as ever, Your loving brother, JIMMY.

Soldiers Disappeared With Horse and Buggy

Up to a late hour this afternoon the horse and buggy that two soldiers rented at Bruce's Livery, Kingston, on Tuesday morning for half day, and which they failed to return, had not been recovered. Last night it was found that the two men drove to Bath and had their dinner there on Tuesday afternoon. They left there after dinner and it is not known what direction they took. The men drove the horse at a lively rate when they made Bath in a few hours. It is expected that the outfit will be located as the police in several centres have been notified.—Kingston Standard.

Mrs. Maclaren Brown Tells of the Needs for a Military Hospital

In a Grateful Letter to Miss Hurley for Donations From Belleville.

Miss A. M. Hurley, Secretary Women's Patriotic Red Cross Society, 46 Queen Street, Belleville.

Dear Madam,—I am directed by the Ladies' Committee of this Association to convey to you their very grateful thanks for the splendid consignment of five boxes which you say were shipped to us on the 21st, inst.

The socks forwarded by you will be of the greatest possible use to the troops and as I have written you before they are sent out in large numbers each month. Of course the things that are forwarded depend almost entirely upon the requisitions received from the officers commanding the different units at the front. Wound dressings, with the exception of socks, have been almost entirely omitted for the last month or two. A piece of the mullers, caps etc., which went forward in the water moccasins we are sending increased quantities of, such as towels, soap, toothbrushes, etc., also our regular supply of soap, which I am directed by the Committee to thank you most gratefully for your splendid contribution to our supplies. Thus as I think, the third time, we have thanked your Society for the generous support of our hospital.

I have received so many enquiries from different societies throughout Canada asking for information about the future needs of the troops. In case this information may be of use to your Society, I venture to enclose a copy of hints in this connection. By it you will see that certain comforts may be made in a certain way so as to prove of the greatest possible use. As for hospitals are concerned (I speak at least for ours) surgical dressings, absorbent cotton and surgical gauze dressing are the principal things. We are also exceedingly grateful at the Hospital to receive consignments of maple syrup and Canadian jam. Why the Canadian people, who eat Canadian jam when the delicious English jam is at hand I cannot say, but Canadian peach and strawberry jam is in constant demand. I am glad to say the our gift of maple syrup and maple sugar have been able to satisfy their requirements in that line.

Such things as tobacco, soap, tooth brushes, sweets, etc., are needed in large quantities in most hospitals and the purchase of these things adds very greatly to the cost of maintenance. To buy soap, for instance, for an ordinary family is not a very serious matter, but when you have to purchase it for about 200 people, it becomes an item to be considered. Of course the objection may be raised that such things as I have mentioned are cheaper in England than in Canada and it seems absurd to go to the cost of transportation, etc., when at much less cost they can be supplied here. That contention is, of course, true in a sense, but I am sure you will agree that it is better to send what is really needed than a great many things for which there is not an urgent necessity.

I spent last week-end at Folkestone and visited the Hospital several times partly on business connected with the work of my Committee and partly to see the wound men. The latter I am pleased to say are all doing remarkably well. One patient had had about 60 pieces of shrapnel taken out of his body, whose cheek was blown away and whose chin was twisted round almost under his ear. He is now up and marvellous as if may sound, comparatively little disabled, and in time will I think be almost normal.

On Saturday afternoon 28 of the convalescents were taken in our motor vans to Folkestone there to enjoy an entertainment got up for the benefit of convalescents at Folkestone, and on Sunday there were taken out again in the same way to a concert given by Canadians for the benefit of the Belgian Red Cross. These outings are a godsend to the men. It may seem strange when you are nearly well, they long for the excitement of up and doing business which attended their lives in the camps and trenches at the front. One would think that the very idea of going back would be a horror to them. Such is anything but the case. Our patients have been peculiarly free of such things as pneumonia and gastric troubles, diseases which so often follow wounds and exposure. I trust this long letter will not prove a burden but I thought as you had been so very good to our Hospital you might like to know something of what is doing.

My friend you that owing to the need of every available inch of room in the Hospital for patients, all supplies of whatever kind should be forwarded to the Ladies' Committee, Westminster Palace Hotel, Victoria Street, London, S. W. Here the cases can be unpacked as soon as received

To Recognize Services

A meeting of the committee who were appointed to devise some plan of public recognition of the services rendered by those from Colborne who had volunteered for active service, was held in the Council Chamber on Friday evening. Reeve Dudley acted as chairman and W. L. Payne, K.C., as secretary. After discussing several schemes it was finally decided to ask the Council to make a cash grant to all who were in active service or who have been invalided home, and also a similar grant to all citizens of Colborne who might enlist in the future.—Colborne Enterprise.

Accused a Former Resident of Picton

Mr. Alfred E. Studdards, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Nancy Job, Kingston, and is now in the county jail there awaiting his trial, was for a time employed in Picton, having been engaged on the Armories. He was married here, but returned to Kingston with his wife.—Gazette.

and the contents counted, checked, and prepared for forwarding either to the front or to the Hospital as required. With the very grateful thanks of the Ladies' Committee, Sincerely yours, Eleanor Maclaren Brown, Hon. Sec. Ladies' Committee, C.W.C.A.

A Horse Thief

A chap by the name of Clark, riding horseback, pulled in at the home of Peter Lusk and wanted to trade horses. He claimed the horse was his own, that he had got it on wages. A bargain was struck for a dollar in his favor.

On Thursday night Constable Vanoughnet of Napanee in company with Chief Molyneux located Clark at Lusk's and arrested him bringing him to Tweed. It seems that Clark had appropriated the horse to his use without the knowledge and consent of the owner.

The horse was sent to Marlbank next morning where the owner met it and the prisoner was taken to Napanee. Vanoughnet said that was the second horse thief he had taken that day.—Tweed News.

He Could Not Make One Step

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Walter J. Roberts

Newfoundland Man Finds a Firm Cure After Suffering Ten Months of Torture—Doctors and Other Medicines Failed to Help Him.

Lewisport, Twillingate District, Nfld., Aug. 9th, (Special).—A thrilling story of a splendid cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills is told by Walter J. Roberts, a well known resident of this place.

"My trouble started from cold after measles," Mr. Roberts states. "For nineteen months I was confined to the house, and for ten months I could not make one step. I tried many doctors and medicines but got no relief from them. The trouble was in my feet, legs and arms, and at times was almost unbearable. I could not feed myself for those ten months.

"At last I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, taking twenty-eight boxes in all, and am glad to say they made a firm cure of me."

Mr. Roberts' troubles were caused by diseased kidneys. That is why Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him. Diseased kidneys fail in their duty of straining the impurities out of the blood and the consequence is trouble all over the body. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure diseased kidneys.

Death by Fall From Hay Rake

An old and well known resident of East Northumberland passed away on Sunday, August 1st, 1915, in the person of William Wade, who died as the result of injuries received in a fall from a hay rake some few days before he was raking the field when the seat broke, and he fell over backwards, receiving severe bruises. He was a prominent Conservative and was for many years President of the E. N. Association. He once unsuccessfully contested the Riding against the late J. B. Ferris. He had held many responsible offices in the Brighton township and for several years had been Treasurer. He is survived by one son, Dr. R. J. Wade of Brighton.—Colborne Enterprise.

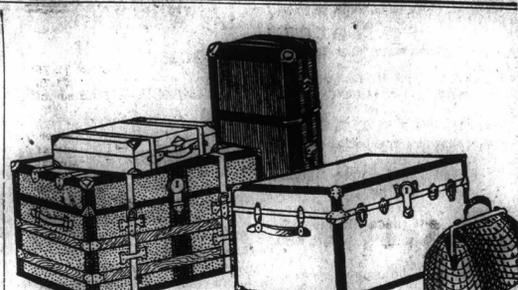
Protestant Societies Will Attend Service

Special service will be conducted in the Salvation Army Citadel, Pinnacle Street, Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., by Captain Ruston. All members of the S. O. E., L. T. B., L. O. L., and kindred societies are cordially invited to attend. There will be a parade at L. T. B. Lodge Room at 2.15 p.m. A collection will be taken in aid of Motor Ambulances for the front to be donated by the Salvation Army.

Cigarettes For Sending Overseas

Players Murads Richmond, Straight Cut Benson & Hedge's No 1 Benson & Hedge's Fine Benson & Hedges Virginia Oxford Pall Mall Artistades Vafiades Capitan Etc., etc., etc. Also high-grade American and English Tobaccos in tins, and packages at close prices.

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Mid-Summer Sale

Trunks and Travelling Goods

Our annual sale of these lines is now on. Our stock comprises the largest in the city. Good strong Fibre or Canvas Covered Trunks, with or without straps. All prices up to \$10.00.

Suit Cases and Club Bags in all colors and sizes. Prices \$1.25 to \$15.00. Also Lunch Baskets suitable for picnics or other outings, 50c and 80c.

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Advertisement for DRY CLEANED AND PRESSED New Method. Telephone 784. 874 Front Street.

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Advertisement for COLLIP FLORIST. NIGHT PHONE 175—DAY 201. All kinds of Out Flowers and Plants in Season. Wedding and Funeral Designs a speciality. Shipped to all parts. Front Street opposite Geen's Drug Store.

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Military Notes

COL. KETCHESON MAY COMMAND NEW BATTALION.

Barrie field War Camp, Aug 5.—It is said that two new battalions will be organized at once in connection with the camp.

Major Barragar is conducting the lectures of the provisional school of infantry.

Lieut. Thompson and 100 men of the 59th Battalion were detailed for duty at 7.45 yesterday morning for the purpose of cleaning up the lines of the 38th Battalion.

Yesterday morning the 8th C.M.R. received 150 more horses. The horses were shipped from the remount depot in Toronto, and are of a good cavalry type.

It will be some time before the 8th C.M.R. will be able to undertake a route march to Belleville, as 250 of their horses are new, and not yet broken to their work or hardened to such a road task as a route march to Belleville and back.

The most pathetic sight on the camp grounds yesterday was to see "Major" who was so strongly attached to the 38th Battalion, lying near the mound which marked the guard tent of the battalion during its stay in camp.

Y.M.C.A. Camp Notes.

The big boys and the smaller boys who were out to Camp have all returned. This is a general announcement. We put it this way because we have no right to take up a whole column in the Personal Column.

Mr. Gifford has gone with Mr. C. R. Powers, Physical Director, of the Kingston Y.M., to the Summer School for leaders at Lake Couchiching.

- C. M. Copeland, Territorial Secretary, Toronto. Harry Ballantyne, Territorial Secretary, Calgary. R. R. Blackney, Educational Secretary, Buffalo, N.Y. Jno. Bradford, Community Secretary, Montreal. J. M. Dudley, National Railroad Secretary, Montreal. A. S. McAllister, Territorial Secretary, Halifax. A. S. Morgan, Railroad Secretary, Schreiber, Ont. Dr. Jno. Brown, Jr., International Committee, New York. Dr. J. B. Modisette, Physical Director, Detroit. Dr. Geo. A. Smith, Physical Director, Montreal. Fred J. Smith, Physical Director, Toronto. P. J. Lee, Physical Director, Toronto. T. W. Stafford, Physical Director, Toronto. Fred W. Young, Swimming Instructor, Toronto. Ed. Burford, Pianist, Toronto. Taylor Statten, National Boy's Work Secretary, Toronto. T. H. Hutchinson, General Secretary, St. John, N.B. J. P. Hagerman, Boy's Work Secretary, Toronto. A. M. Miller, Secretary, East Toronto. W. J. Lamb, M.A., Harbord Street Collegiate Institute, Toronto. W. H. Wood, Community Secretary, Brockville.

Battle With Waves at Scarboro; J. Hickey Tells Story

Mr. John Hickey, one of the Belleville men who was a member of the crew of the ill-fated Alexandria which met its fate on Tuesday afternoon on the rocks of Scarboro Bluffs, arrived home at nine thirty last evening.

John Hickey who is a young man and a good swimmer did not leave the wreck until three o'clock yesterday morning, he and his father and several others including the captain, William Bloomfield being among the last to reach the shore.

Joseph Hickey who was one of the three men to jump into the boat, graphically described in Toronto the desperate struggle of the three sailors to keep the boat from turning turtle.

"Suddenly we heard a shout quite close to us. It was hard to believe that any person could be in that roaring water beside us, but we thought first that some one had been washed overboard, and we looked around, thinking that we were hearing calls for help.

"We caught him and his line at the same time, pulled him into the boat, and snubbed the line under the thwart. Then we all shouted, and we felt a steady pull on the boat. The men on shore were tugging away, and finally hauled us into the bank.

"Hickey then described the fight to get back to the boat. He told of how the men tried time after time to get a line aboard the freighter. Cast after cast of the line was made, and each time it fell short.

Among the crew besides Messrs. Hickey, father and son, and Sam Seiver were:—T. Twoddall, wheelman, Picton; Elgin Post, Coe Hill; Harry Elliott, walter, Belleville; and Clinton Brody, Trenton, walter.

Deckhand Was Drowned

Hit On the Abdomen as He Jumped From Window.

A sad drowning occurred at Alexandria Bay on Sunday morning when the steamer St. Lawrence was leaving the wharf for her ramble among the islands. Robert Carr, deck-hand, aged twenty-six years, had been up street, and the boat having moved out from the wharf some few feet, he made a jump for one of the open windows.

Died

PAYNE—Died in Belleville on Aug. 5th, 1915, Charles Frederic Payne aged 65 years.

Austrians Drilling Near Watertown N.Y.

Watertown, Aug. 5.—As a result of the conditions found among some of the organizations of foreigners in Herkimer county, there may be a wholesale investigation of the foreign military societies of the State.

Wednesday Gov. Whitman learned that there was an organization of Hungarians and Austrians in Herkimer county whose members were fully armed and were holding military drills. He immediately telephoned Sheriff William H. Stitt, who conducted an investigation and confiscated 47 rifles, said to be of the Mauser type.

There is a society of about 250 Austro-Hungarians in Watertown, but whether or not they are armed and hold military drills is not known.

'Reindeer' to be Broken Up

The old steamer Reindeer, which for many years plied between Napanee and Picton, until it went ashore about a mile and a half down the Napanee river some three years ago, where it has been lying ever since, has now been sold and will be broken up. Work has commenced and in a few days the old boat will have disappeared.

Building in Kingston

Record for the Seven Months of the Year.

The records at the office of the City Engineer at Kingston show that for the seven months of the year ending July 31st permits were granted for building value at \$130,922. For the month of July, the amount was \$12,428. For the month of July, 1914, the amount was \$58,108. For the first seven months of 1914 the value of building was placed at \$234,180. The falling off this year is due to the financial stringency and the war. In July last year the Reliance Molding Company's factory was erected, and also the military stables, which helped to swell the amount.

Illicit Still Works

Out at Ardoch, in the county of Frontenac, there are settlements of Indians and Germans. For some time there have been complaints from the other peaceable and law-abiding residents about the unusual drunkenness and disorderly conduct of certain undesirable residents. Whiskey was procurable and being distributed, but no efforts could lead to its being procured in the regular way by express or freight. Strong suspicion pointed to the Indians. They always had ready money, and were buying both wheat and corn throughout this district. This was considered suspicious. On the 28th July a picnic was to be held. Complaint was made to Magistrate Donaldson and to Constable Keller, and both were asked to be present. The "juice" was certainly on tap, but the Indians under suspicion made a quick get-away to the Blueberry Hills, confirming by their absence the suspicions of the complainants. The whole matter has been reported to Inspector Wheeler, Tamworth, who will no doubt make a thorough investigation for the illicit still.

Express Company Charged With Selling Bad Fruit

Mr. Fred Skitch, agent for the Canadian Express Co., at Peterboro, was the defendant in a case tried before Acting Magistrate Rush Saturday afternoon, when he was charged with violating the Pure Food Act in selling fruit that had been refused as unfit by Mr. N. Minicola, the Hunter street dealer. It appears that a consignment of cherries came through for Mr. Minicola over the Canadian Express Company's line. Mr. Minicola rejected them, claiming that they were mouldy and sour. The cherries were taken to the Canadian Express Company's office, and there put in as part of his defence that he did not sell them as healthy fruit. He pleaded not guilty to the charge. The evidence of Sergt. Brown, Mr. Minicola and Dr. Amys, Medical officer of health, was taken, and after hearing both sides of the case judgment was reserved until Tuesday.

DEATH WON RACE ACROSS OCEAN

Miss Jeffreys Reaches Soldier Lover's Bedside Too Late to See Him in Life.

Galt, Aug. 5.—Miss Grace Jeffreys, fiancée of William Cassels Buchanan, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, who with Miss Ruth Buchanan sailed from New York on the Orduna, July 22, reached the Duchess of Cornwall Hospital in Cliveden, England just a few hours too late to see her soldier lover before he died. This information was contained in a cable received here yesterday by relatives informing them of the death of Sapper Buchanan.

He was born in India, the only son of the Rev. Dr. Buchanan, Foreign missionary of the Presbyterian church, but lived in Canada for a number of years, receiving part of his education at the Galt Collegiate Institute. He later was graduated with honors from Queen's University Kingston, and it was in that city he enlisted soon after the commencement of the war.

At Salisbury he met with an accident which necessitated amputation of a leg. When his condition became serious he expressed a desire to see his sister and his fiancée, and they started on their race with death across the Atlantic, only to be a few hours late.

The funeral takes place in England. The mother and father of the deceased are at present in India.

Miss Jeffreys and Miss Buchanan are also graduates of Queen's.

THE ACCUSED GOT IN WRONG HOUSE

DID ALBERT SUDDARD INTEND TO GET IN ANOTHER HOUSE?

Was Not Acquainted With Mrs. Job. —Has Made No Public Statement On His Behalf.

Albert Suddard, now in the county jail at Kingston, on the serious charge of murder, has made no public statement, but still claims that he had been drinking, and was doped, and that he remembers nothing whatever about going into Mrs. Job's home.

Although Coroner Mundell stated at the inquest on Saturday night that the accused could make a statement, he had nothing to say, and his counsel, D. A. Givens, did not put him in the witness box.

Some reports were going around to the effect that Suddard was a relative of the dead woman, but this is not so. He was not even a friend, and as far as can be learned did not even know the woman.

What motive had Suddard for going into the home? Was it his intention to go into another place, and get into Mrs. Job's place by mistake? As he has made no statement, it is of course difficult to tell, but many are inclined to believe that he got into the home of the aged woman by mistake. As far as is known, the accused young man was never seen around her home at any time.

The prisoner, when first taken in charge and arraigned before the Court, was recorded under the name of Alfred E. Studdard. Coroner Mundell states that his name is Albert E. Studdard.

Peterborough Strike Ended

The Lock Works moulders who have been out on strike for some time, occasioned by a reduction in pay made on May 1st last, returned to work this morning. The arrangement, however, under which they returned to work is only temporary, but it is hoped by the management and the representative of the men Mr. Lucas, that a permanent and satisfactory arrangement can be arrived at. The trouble was occasioned by the management cutting off the 7 1/2 per cent. bonus which the men enjoyed up to May. They were working on the piece system, and the cutting off of the bonus made a difference of about 22 cents a day in their pay. The average wage earned under old pay was about \$3.25 per day, and the men claim that this is lower than any other place in Ontario for like work. They go back to work to endeavor to demonstrate to the management of the Lock Works what really constitutes a day's work under their new plan.—Review.

Tresspassers Punished

James Irwin and Wm. Henry, a colored man, were arrested in a G. T.R. car yesterday and charged with trespass. They pleaded guilty and were fined \$10 and costs or 10 days. "We have got to stop the men from trespassing on the railroads," said Magistrate Masson after imposing sentence.

Entrance to High School

The results of the Examination for Entrance to High School, held June 21, 22, 23 at the Belleville High School, have been approved by the Minister of Education and are now made public as per regulations. Certificates have been mailed to the successful candidates and a statement of marks to each unsuccessful candidate. Honors are indicated by "H" after the name.

After careful consideration the examiners find that Miss Alice Colling of Queen Victoria School and Miss Katharine Simmons of Queen Mary School are tied for the Governor-General's Medal.

The successful candidates are arranged in alphabetical order with the preparatory school attached in each case.

- Anna Adams—Q. M. S. Pauline Allison—Q. A. S. Grace Armstrong—Q. A. S. Harry Asley—Q. A. S. Florence Barlow—Q. V. S. Jack Barlow—"H" Q. V. S. David J. Batecher—Q. A. S. Howard Black—Q. M. S. Roy Black—Q. M. S. Denna Boulter—"H" Q. A. S. Roy Buck—Q. M. S. Dorothy Burton—St. Agnes School. Ruth Case—Q. V. S. Marion Chapman—"H" Q. A. S. Arnold Cherry—Q. A. S. Nora Clarke—Q. A. S. Alice Colling—"H" Q. V. S. Harold Copping—Q. V. S. Bruce Currie—"H" Q. A. S. Mary Davidson—St. Mich. Acad. Evelyn Derocho—"H" Q. A. S. W. Clarke Diamond—Q. V. S. Harold Doollittle—Q. M. S. Alice Doyle—St. Michael's Acad. Ford Edwards—"H" Q. A. S. Jean Evans—Q. V. S. Ross Farrell—"H" Q. M. S. Murch Fleming—Q. A. S. Mary Foster—Q. M. S. Myrtle Foster—Q. V. S. Helen Frost—Q. V. S. Anita Gauthier—St. Michael's Acad. Ada Gay—Q. M. S. Mary George—Q. V. S. Grace Graham—"H" Q. A. S. Fred Grainger—Grier St. Sch. Kenneth Gribble—"H" Q. A. S. Stella Haney—"H" St. Michael's Acad. Francis Hart—St. Michael's Acad. Don Hearst—Q. M. S. Herbert Hector—Q. M. S. Willie Hinds—Q. M. S. Jean Hitchin—Q. V. S. Irene Homan—Q. V. S. Mary Jones—Q. A. S. Marguerite Keeler—Q. V. S. Jean Kerr—"H" Q. V. S. Anna Lafferty—"H" St. Mich. Acad. Marie Lawson—Q. M. S. Ernest C. Leavens—Q. A. S. Maude Lee—"H" St. Mich. Acad. Helen McCullough—"H" Q. V. S. Irene Lynch—"H" St. Mich. Acad. Ronda McGown—Q. A. S. Ewart Maidens—Q. V. S. Lillian Manley—St. Mich. Acad. Harry Moore—Grier St. Sch. Mabel Moray—"H" Q. V. S. Donald Morton—"H" Q. M. S. Lawrence Murphy—St. Mich. Acad. Harold Naylor—Q. A. S. Reginald Neal—Grier St. Sch. Pearl North—Grier St. Sch. Anna O'Neill—St. Mich. Acad. Stella O'Rourke—St. M. S. Marjorie Ostrom—"H" Q. V. S. Doris Pauley—Q. M. S. Norman Phillips—Q. A. S. Verna Plue—St. Mich. Acad. Ethel Prest—"H" Q. M. S. Helen Robinson—Q. V. S. Helen Rogers—Q. V. S. Bessie Shannon—St. Mich. Acad. Katharine Simmons—"H" Q. M. S. Charles Skelcher—Q. V. S. Clement S. Sneyd—"H" Q. A. S. Winifred Stapley—Q. V. S. Mary Thompson—"H" Q. A. S. Evelyn Tilley—Q. V. S. Thelma Vermilyes—"H" Q. A. S. Russell Wallace—Q. V. S. James Walmsley—Q. M. S. Willie Warkam—"H" Q. M. S. Esther Wegner—Q. A. S. Edward Welch—Grier St. Sch. Leland Willis—Q. A. S. F. J. Wims—St. Mich. Acad. Fred Woodley—Q. M. S. Keatha Wooton—Q. M. S.

Two Queens Honor Dr. Edwards' Daughter

Miss Sadie Edwards the brilliant daughter of Dr. J. W. Edwards, M. P. for Frontenac County, and a musician of great talent, has been signally honored by the marked attention with which her first musical composition "To Arms, Canadian Boys" has been received. In addition to many congratulatory and complimentary letters from distinguished people in Canada and the United States, Miss Edwards has received a congratulatory letter from Queen Mary of England and another from the Queen of the Belgians. This is a marked and striking compliment and tribute, and shows that Miss Edwards' genius has made a profound impression in the highest circles. Miss Edwards' Composition was sung at Albert College Convocation in June.

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THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA Quarterly Dividend Notice No. 98 Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Thirteen Per Cent. Per Annum upon the Capital Stock of this Bank has this day been declared for the quarter ending the 31st of July, 1915, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office in this city and its branches on or after Monday the 2nd of August, 1915, to shareholders of record of the 23rd of July 1915. By Order of the Board, G. P. SCHOLFIELD, General Manager, Manager Belleville Branch. JOHN ELLIOTT, Toronto, June 22nd, 1915. Shannonville Branch open Mondays and Thursdays. Foxboro Branch, open Tuesdays and Fridays. Rednersville Branch open Wednesdays.

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HAVE COMMENCED COURSE OF MACHINE-GUN INSTRUCTION

At Barrifield Camp - A Most Effective Weapon That Mows Down Whole Battalions at a Time.

On Monday the machine gun school will commence its course of instruction which was interrupted by the O.C. the school, Lieut. Stethem, being called away to Carleton County to do some recruiting work. Every soldier is interested in the machine gun. When the machine gun sections are organized in camp, every soldier in the battalion wants to get into the machine gun section, notwithstanding the fact that it has been christened in France and Belgium as "The Suicide Squad."

The machine gun section of the 5th Battalion is not yet organized, but when it is, it will have the best of it. Lt. Col. Dawson can select for its composition, and it looks as though there was going to be no lack of machine guns for the use of the 5th Battalion. The machine gun fever is spreading among localities and societies, until the 59th Battalion has now fully six machine guns sight outside of the government allowance of four guns for the section.

The number of machine guns allowed for every British or Canadian battalion is four.

CAMP WHERE THE BELLEVILLE BOYS ARE IN TRAINING

Excellent Description of Shorncliffe by Pte. Stuart Richards of Cobourg

Mrs. Richardson, of Cobourg has received the following letter from Private Stuart Richards, who writes from North Caesar's Camp, Shorncliffe, England. "No doubt you already know that we shipped from Montreal on the 24th June and arrived at Plymouth after a very good voyage of ten days on the ocean, the weather being very calm. There was a British torpedo destroyer met us about 200 miles out and escorted our ship into the English channel, where we were met by other British destroyers, which encircled us as we sailed up to Plymouth. It was a source of relief to many on board when we saw our escort come along beside us. We laid in the harbor after arriving there about noon until the following morning, which was Sunday. Then we disembarked and went straight from the boat to the train and travelled over some of the most beautiful country between Plymouth and London and then from London to Shorncliffe. It is all new to me. I was all just like a park, the fields all green, and every field having a hedge around it, and the trees, one would imagine they were planted. The whole country seemed to be one immense park, and as we travelled along you could see hundreds of rabbits and pheasants on the edge of the woods.

not so large, but I imagine it will have at least fifteen thousand. We see flying machines flying around almost every day. You know we are right on the shore of the channel and those airmen are always scouting the coast for the enemy. On Tuesday they spied a German submarine close in to the shore. They came in and a British destroyer was notified by wireless. She went out after the submarine and sank it. You may have seen an account of it. We can see France from our camp. It is only 22 miles across the channel to France and you can see it on a clear day. It hardly seems possible that one is so near to the battle line, but it is true nevertheless.

It was only last night that a vessel came into Folkestone with 60 or 70 wounded soldiers. Some of our men who saw them said that it was a hard looking sight. Of course they are home on leave of absence, some with arms off, others with one leg gone. Some shot through the face. Some of our battalion thought that the food that they were getting at Belleville was not up to much, but have found since coming here that they did not know when they were well off. The meat is good enough, but the bread is not. It is made by the Army Service Corps, and I think they use a very poor grade of flour. The butter is oleo-margarine, the cheese is white in color and does not taste like cheese at all. The jam is good. We have had no potatoes as yet. Besides there are not the conveniences we had in Canada. But there is no use complaining. We will have to put up with it now.

I do not think that we will be sent to the front for three months. At least, that is the opinion here. Our drill so far is not any harder than when we were in Belleville, but I think that after a while it will be and that we will have to drill nine hours a day, instead of eight, which was our day's work in Canada.

The officers we had in Belleville were in command of us here. There are a couple of thousand soldiers at this camp. We have a good smooth ground to drill on, which makes the work easier.

I saw the White Horse which is of chalk. You likely have heard your mother speak of it. It is on the side of a very high hill, and as the train is passing you look out of the window and this picture looms up in front of you in the distance. It is a perfect model of a horse.

STUART G. RICHARDS.

Alexandria Had Been in Commission Nearly Fifty Years

The Kingston Standard gives the following additional particulars in regard to the wrecked Alexandria.

The Alexandria left this city on Sunday night about midnight and cleared for Toronto. Her route took her up the Bay of Quinte and out onto the lake. She made several stops to pick up passengers and freight there being a fair cargo on board. Capt. Bloomfield, who sailed her, is a Kingstonian and a very skilled navigator.

For years the steamer Alexandria was a regular arrival in the port of Kingston. She was built at Hull in 1866 and at that time was called the Alexandria. For a number of years she was used as a freight carrier and in 1883 she was taken to Montreal where she was built up and a cabin put on her. The craft passed through a number of hands and finally was taken charge of by the veteran lake captain, Capt. Smith of Picton. The steamer was cut at Picton and lengthened thirty feet. He sailed the vessel for a long period of years. After a few years the Alexandria was lengthened and was placed on the Rochester Quebec route during the summer months and during the rest of the season was in service from Brighton to Montreal.

Money-Making Craft. The last owners, the Ontario and Quebec Navigation Co., sold the craft to the Canada Steamships Lines and it is stated she was one of the best money-making crafts on the lake. The name Alexandria was known far and wide and to many tourists the mentioning of the name recalls some very enjoyable days spent on the boat.

In the earlier days when the vessel commenced to go down the turbulent waters of the St. Lawrence river rapids it was guided through the dangerous passages by Indians from the reserve across the Lachine. This was a feature of the craft, as before entering the rapids the big Indian chiefs would board from war canoes. Gradually this custom was dropped and finally Capt. Rinfret was placed in command. He piloted the steamer through the rapids for a number of years and conveyed to his son, Capt. Jos. Rinfret, now of the steamer Quebec, the secrets of the rapids.

Description of Boat. A number of important changes have been made in the Alexandria since she was first built. She received two different sets of engines, and new cabins were added. In 1904 the craft suffered heavy loss when near Sorel the piston of the large beam engine fell and the boat was out of commission for the summer. The Alexandria was of light draft, and this was a feature. With large passenger lists she was able to go down the rapids with ease. On the Canadian register the craft was No. 85,768, being 173.7 feet in length, 30.6 feet in breadth, and 8.4 feet in depth. Her gross tonnage was 863 and her registered tonnage 508. She was propelled by paddle wheels and her engines were 80 horse power. Her maximum speed was thirteen miles an hour.

Chief Engineer Boyd of the Alexandria has figured in a number of marine disasters. He was on the steamer Hero when she came to her end and was on the Chiffian when that vessel was rammed in the lower St. Lawrence about five years ago. He was a member of the crew of the old steamer New York which foundered in the lake.

Say Bell Should Be Louder

Complaints are being made that the electric bell at the Canadian Northern crossing on Front street cannot be very distinctly heard on the approach of a train. Autoists going over the crossing are said to be unaware of its ringing and a possible accident is feared, as motors cross very quickly, even while gates are near the closed position.

Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late John Adam Mastin took place on Thursday afternoon from the family residence, William street, Rev. S. C. Moore of the Tabernacle conducting the service at the house and the last sad rites at the grave in the family plot in Belleville Cemetery. Mr. Ernest Riddle sang a solo at the house service and favorite hymns of deceased were rendered. The bearers were Messrs. E. Aselstine, W. Soule, H. Moorcan, C. Campbell, A. Bennett and S. McGuire.

All that was mortal of the late Arthur Carlisle was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in Belleville Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Boyce of Napanee, formerly of Smithfield conducted a solemn service at the residence of Mr. Alfred Carlisle Charlotte Street brother of the deceased. Rev. R. N. Adams assisted in the obsequies. Many beautiful floral tributes rested upon the casket and a large number of mourners followed the hearse in the funeral cortege. The bearers were Messrs. Sharp, Bonisteel, White, Morrice, Chisholm, and Stocker.

Pulmotor For Use in Emergency

The Trenton Electric Company have on exhibition in their window on Bridge street a pulmotor. This was procured primarily for the sake of the safety of their own employees but on case of any accident of drowning, asphyxiation or electrocution will be put at the service of the public. The Electric Company's staff is trained in its use and in methods of inducing artificial respiration and a call by phone will bring an expert and the pulmotor to the scene. The Scymore Company have five of these pulmotors in this district the other four being at Oshawa, Peterborough, Port Hope and Trenton.

Donations For Shelter For July 1915

- Mrs. Brant-Onions. Mrs. Weir-Strawberries, one peck beans. Mrs. McGowan-Radishes. Mrs. Buchanan-Strawberries, lettuce. Tabernacle Church-Potatoes, Lettuce, bread. Christ Church-11 1-2 bread 4 jars pickles. Mrs. Jas. Wallace-15 doz. buses. Mr. B. J. Black-2 boxes sandwiches. Mrs. McBride-Clothing. Mrs. Wm. Maybee-Cookies. Mrs. Job. Lingham-5 jars fruit, 1-2 pk. hickory nuts. Mr. Seeley-Shank of beef. Mr. Huff-1-2 bushel beans. Mr. Garnett Dobbs-1 pk. beans. Mr. Davidson-1-2 pk. beans. Miss Sutherland. Forin street - 6 boxes of berries. Home-Flowers.

Gooseberries Big as Hens' Eggs

Mr. Isaac Barlow of town, not to be outdone by Burbank, is the proud possessor of a gooseberry tree that is producing fruit of enormous size this year. He has left samples on our desk that measured 3 1/8 inches by 4 1/4 inches in size, and are as large as some hen eggs we have seen. -Havelock Standard.

Imposing Upon the Charitably Disposed

For very many years I have been familiar with the very important duties and labors of love performed by the charitable ladies of Belleville connected with the dispensing of assistance to worthy poor families in Belleville. During this time I have found in many cases that these good ladies were imposed upon by a class of people whose whole efforts were to prevent the ward visitors from learning the truth regarding themselves and their families, and the actual necessity for relief. The result has been that not infrequently funds donated by the city for charitable purposes have been given to unworthy people. This state of things was not the fault of the ward distributors; and I sincerely trust that I will not give offense to any of these good ladies, who have given their time and their means and used every reasonable effort to distribute the money only to deserving persons. But the great difficulty exists today and always has existed, in the past, that it was absolutely impossible in many cases for these good ladies to learn the truth. These professional beggars are unworthy falsifiers. They prepare themselves and their children and their houses in such a manner that the visitor discovers squalid poverty and is deceived and gives money where it would not have been given had the truth been known. Time and again I have warned visitors against people who were receiving relief when they did not deserve it. Let me give one instance. A certain family was visited at Christmas and the visitor found in that house five baskets of Christmas cheer which this family by their falsehoods had extracted, and I regret to say also that in my opinion and with my knowledge of that family that they should not have received any relief. The city is now employing Miss Bradley, a lady of well known efficiency. My view is that one or two things should be done by the city. First I believe that before the charitable funds are awarded any family that the matter should be laid before Miss Bradley by the distributor of that fund with a request that she examine into the state of the family and discover whether it is worthy of support, and that the ward distributor should act upon that report.

The reason I assign is this. Miss Bradley, being a city official, can communicate with the police officers, she will have many modes of making efficient enquiries, and from this information and personal visits, ascertain the truth as to the existence of the necessity. No ward distributor or any number of the ladies can properly find out the facts as Miss Bradley can. Or possibly the ladies might prefer to place the whole matter of giving in the hands of Miss Bradley, who invest and report directly to the Council or to the ladies as might be suggestive.

I am strongly of the opinion that with this war upon us, the heavy taxation that we shall necessarily be subjected to that it is necessary for the Council to take all reasonable steps to provide for the proper and wise distribution of the charitable preparations.

We all acknowledge with the deepest gratitude the self-sacrificing labors of the ladies, but the powerful fact is that there is so much imposition and fraud practiced by designing and imposturous people that it certainly needs the careful and energetic action by some capable official. John J. B. Flint.

SOLDIER SAVED WOMEN'S LIVES

Guard at Petewawa Prevented Bathing Guards at Petewawa, whose home is at Frankton, has distinguished himself at Petewawa by saving two women from drowning. It appears that Mrs. C. J. McDonald, with her children, and a younger sister, were bathing in the river, when the ladies rolled a log from the shore to play with in the water. Unfortunately for the bathers, none of whom could swim, the log drifted out into the stream where the water was 15 to 20 feet deep, and the current took it quickly toward the rapids. Corp. O'Shea was on the bridge at the time and seeing the danger of the women he jumped over at once and seizing a small boat that was on the shore put out after them, and by herculean efforts fought against the current and got both women into the boat, but it was not until a riverman came to the gallant Corporal's aid that the boat and its inmates were got to shore. Both were greatly exhausted, and it took some time to restore them to consciousness. The prompt action of the brave soldier undoubtedly saved the lives of the ladies.

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Autos and Vehicles Burned at Garage

Early Morning Blaze Caused Damage at McLaughlin's - Firemen Save Building and Contents From Destruction - Two Cars Destroyed

What would have been a most disastrous fire broke out at five fifteen this morning in the McLaughlin Garage, corner of Bridge and Coleman streets. Had the firemen not acted quickly and with the good judgment which Chief Brown and his men possess, there is no doubt the building and all its contents would have been destroyed. Shortly after five o'clock this morning Mrs. C. F. Robinson, wife of the proprietor of the Windsor Hotel was awakened by breaking glass. She called Mr. Robinson who on looking out found smoke pouring from the double windows of the charging room of the McLaughlin building on the upper floor. He at once gave the alarm and within five minutes the firemen were on the scene and had water pouring into the building. Three leads of hose were run into the building by Chief Brown. The flames broke out of the other windows on the north side and the situation looked bad for a time, so dense was the smoke pouring from the upper part of the building. So well did the firemen fight the blaze that within an hour they had extinguished the conflagration.

Almost all the damage was wrought in the charging room and the repair shop. The charging outfit worth about \$500 was destroyed. The other property destroyed was: Mr. Wm. Thompson's five passenger automobile, insured a total wreck. Lieut. G. O. Bateman's five passenger car, a total loss. It is thought to be not insured. Lt. Bateman, of Rawdon left here with the 39th Battalion.

A body of a car without chassis. Two new cutters in crates. One cutter uncrated. One new buggy. Col. S. S. Lazar's carriage. One used buggy. Other articles including dies, shafts etc.

Mr. Patrick Lee, the local manager of McLaughlin's estimated the loss at about \$1000 to the building, owned by the company and insured, and about \$2500 on the contents. He praised in the highest terms the work of the fire brigade. The garage proper and the automobiles in it were not damaged except by water. At the time of the fire there were fifteen motor cars in the building. The show room was not damaged nor was the stock of buggies. Mr. Richard McPherson, who has a cabinet shop over the southern part of the building, luckily escaped loss by reason of the excellent fire wall and fire proof door, dividing his premises from the repair shop. The garage resumed business this morning. The cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

Car Pitched Out Buggy's Occupants

Between five and six o'clock last evening a seven-passenger six-cylinder car driven by Earle Graham struck a buggy on Mill Street near Marsh & Henthorn's old foundry. The occupants, a man and lady, were pitched from the buggy to the roadway, but were not injured as they alighted on their feet. The front axle of the buggy was broken. This was the sum total of the damage. The accident is said to have been caused by the driver of the buggy turning across in the direction of the water tank and the autoist being unable to "brake" his car within the short distance as the move of the buggy was unexpected.

Death of Miss Lucy Massey

At noon on Thursday, Aug. 5th 1915 Miss Lucy Massey, who had been in failing health for some time, passed peacefully away at the home of Mrs. Levi Massey, on the fifth concession of Sidney, where she had resided for several years. Deceased was born in the Township of Haldimand on Dec. 28, 1832, where the greater part of her life was spent. Aunt Lucy, as she was familiarly called, in early years married, cast in her lot with the people of God and gave her name to the Methodist Church of which she remained a faithful and zealous member until the summons came. It is enough, come up higher. On Saturday morning the memorial service will be conducted by her pastor Rev. L. M. Sharpe and the remains taken to the old Massey Cemetery near Grafton for interment.

A Thorough Pill.—To clear the stomach and bowels of impurities and irritants is necessary when their action is irregular. The pills that will do this work thoroughly are Parmentier's Vegetable Pills, which are mild in action but mighty in results. They purge painlessly and effectively and work a permanent cure. They can be used without fear by the most delicate constitutions, as there are no painful effects preceding their gentle operation.

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FARM SALE.

In order to close an Estate there will be offered for Sale by Public Auction on Tuesday the 31st day of August, 1915, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in the City of Belleville, the desirable Farm Property known as the Issiah McKim Farm, and being Lot No. 13 in the 8th Concession of the Township of Thurlow, containing 200 acres more or less.

Upon said property is a good brick house; two large barns; drive house, and other out buildings; a good block of 30 acres of wood land is upon this farm, in which is a considerable quantity of valuable hemlock and pine timber. This farm is situated in a part of the country about 2 1/2 miles northwest of Plainfield; 2 1/2 hours close by; convenient to Church and Cheese Factory.

TERMS OF SALE.

10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of Sale and the balance thereof to be paid within 30 days thereafter. For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to Henry A. Rowe, Executor of Issiah McKim Estate, Belleville, R. F. D. route No. 2, or to F. S. Wallbridge, Barrister, Belleville. F. S. Wallbridge, Vendor's Solicitor 8th July 8

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NOTICE TO BREEDERS

I have for service the following standard bred horses, which will be at the Belleville Driving Park barn next to the Grand stand, driving season of 1915: Day Springs, No. 5748; record 2 yrs. old 2:27 1/4, 2:17 3/4, by Moko, to insure \$25; Arthur King, No. 56280, by King Belline, age \$15. A. Ball, Wallace Parks, Manager. Owner. 13-8 t.w.

FARM FOR SALE.

In the county of Prince Edward, six miles from Picton, and one mile from Bloomfield, County road, rural mail, telephone. 191 acre first class lands, no stone, 200 acre apple orchard, out 12 years, all red winter fruit. Solid brick house, 12 rooms, banked barns, hipped roofed in good repair. Never failing water supply. First class fruit, grain, vegetable and dairy farm. Price right for quick sale. Write G. F. Hepburn, owner, R.M.D. No. 1, Picton, Ont.

FOR SALE.

Large House with modern conveniences for sale or will exchange for farm property. Address Box H, Ontario Office. 22 4tw

WANTED.

Wanted a Maid for general housework, Toronto. Two in family, must be strong and willing. Apply by letter stating full particulars to Box G, Ontario Office. 1td, 1 tw

Took Dive From The High Brige

From time to time reports come in of diving from great heights and occasionally flaring circus bills announce that "Caplan Santiago" will dive from a telegraph pole into an inch of water, more or less, but one of our local young men, Russel Hardwick, has this eclipsed. A day or so ago he took wing in his bathing suit from the G. T. R. Iron bridge and described a graceful curve to the far-distant water below, alighting unfortunatly on his stomach with a resounding whack. He came up smiling, and announced that it was a treat sensation trying this new aquatic stunt. Personally we prefer quiet approach into our own little tub on Saturday night and will not try to wrest the title of sky diver from anyone. -Lindsay Post.

Former Northport Resident Killed in Auto Accident

James D. Kennedy, aged 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, 954 Cortland avenue, Syracuse, formerly of Northport, was fatally injured when an automobile in which he and another young man, Donald Glavin, were riding crashed into a telephone pole on the Cicero road, one mile and a half north of North Syracuse.

From the Syracuse Post-Standard the following particulars are taken: Kennedy was rushed to the Hospital of the Good Shepherd, where he died at 11 o'clock without regaining consciousness. His parents were at his bedside when he passed away.

Glavin was taken home in an automobile. He suffered considerably from shock and was badly bruised.

The two young men were employed by Loggie Brothers, dealers in automobile tires. They left the office, No. 324 South Clinton street, about 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon to deliver tires at Central Square. Kennedy was driving the machine. They passed several automobiles and at Buros Crossing approached a wagon going in the same direction. The driver of the wagon, according to witnesses, turned to the cross roads suddenly and Kennedy, in an effort to avoid striking the wagon, steered his machine to the side of the road.

The state of the road at this point is being repaired and the machine struck a deep rut. The sudden jar caused Kennedy to lose control of the machine. It ran into a ditch and then crashed into a pole belonging to the New York Telephone Company. The machine turned over in the field and both men were thrown clear of the wreckage. Kennedy landed only a few feet away, but Glavin was hurled about forty feet into the field. Persons living in the vicinity were attracted by the crash which could be heard for some distance and they ran to the assistance of the men.

Glavin was able to get up, and the farmers directed all their attention to Kennedy. Dr. E. S. Sampson of North Syracuse was called, and he hurried to the scene. In the meantime Dr. Francis L. Scanlan arrived, and he at once took charge of Kennedy. The physician saw the man was in a critical condition and ordered him removed to a hospital.

Rev. Francis Rusin of the Sacred Heart (Polish) Church and several other priests were passing at the time and last rites were administered to the dying man. He was then placed in an automobile and removed to Syracuse.

Physicians at the hospital performed an operation at 8 o'clock in a final effort to save his life. Examination showed that he suffered a fracture of the skull and internal injuries. Glavin was dazed by the fall, but walked to North Syracuse, where he was picked up by a passing automobile and taken to his home. He said that all he could remember of the accident was being thrown into a field and later seeing a large crowd of persons standing around Kennedy.

Coroner Crane was notified of the accident immediately after the man died, and he had Superintendent Herbert E. Lozett remove the body to the County Morgue.

Kennedy had been employed by the Loggie Brothers for many years and members of the firm said that he was considered a good chauffeur. The machine he had was a runabout which he had driven for many years. The car was demolished.

The telephone pole was struck with such force that it was broken in three pieces. The wires were thrown across the highway and traffic at this point was held up for nearly an hour. Several telephone connections were broken and repairs were not complete until 9 o'clock last evening.

Mr. Kennedy was educated in the grammar schools and later attended the Technical High School from which he was graduated. Upon the completion of his High School work he entered the employ of the Chase Motor Truck Company and later was engaged by Loggie Brothers.

Besides his parents he is survived by one brother, John A. Kennedy. The funeral will be held from the family home.

In Prince Edward county Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy have many friends who will deeply sympathize with the family in their bereavement.

An Immense Crop

Huckleberry-pickers report an immense crop of berries this season. One man, who has a genius for counting makes the statement that during one forenoon 152 rigs passed Cooper on the way to the huckleberry rocks, and so far as learned all came back satisfied with their gathering.—North Hastings Review.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

TELLS OF CARING FOR THE RAVAGED BELGIAN WOMEN

Mr. Peter Henshaw, Late of Peterboro' Writes of Use of Big Estate for this Purpose

YET SOME DISBELIEVE

Some citizens refuse to believe the reports of the depredations and worse of the German soldiery. Their mental attitude embrace something of the brotherly trust which Britain placed in the host of Germans who visited and resided in all parts of the Empire. Stories of atrocities are repeated without number, and in spite of their magnitude many persons withhold belief in the worst phases of these accounts.

In this connection a friend of Mr. Peter Henshaw, late tenor soloist in the choir of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Peterborough, wrote recently to a local friend. He is now engaged in making munitions in one of the coast cities in England. He wrote that near the town is a large country estate which has been handed over by the owner to the authorities for hospital purposes. Mr. Henshaw said that it was full to capacity practically all the time, not with wounded soldiers, but with Belgian women and girls who had been the victims of the lust of the German soldiery. In their motherhood they had to be cared for, and at this place they were being received to the number of thirty and forty a week. Many of them had to be closely watched as their condition had driven some of them to the border of insanity.

EARLY CLOSING OF KINGSTON BARS

NEW REGULATION COMES INTO EFFECT MONDAY.

Will Continue in Force Until Nov. 30, If Ineffective, More Drastic Action Will Follow.

The new liquor legislation regarding the closing of the bars in Kingston at 7 o'clock will go into effect next Monday and continue in force until November 30th unless otherwise rescinded, according to an announcement made by the Provincial License Board today. It will affect all taverns and shops in the city. The clause "unless otherwise rescinded" would mean that should the camp be moved away with and the old hours of closing will prevail. Should the camp continue here it is likely the board will extend the regulations beyond November 30th.

Chairman Flavelle of the board stated in Toronto yesterday that the legislation had been ratified by the Lieut.-Governor-in-Council. He stated that the board was forced to do something in Kingston and if the closing of the bars at 7 o'clock did not accomplish the objects of the board more drastic action would be taken.

The action of the board seems to have met with general approval at Kingston, although there are some people who think the board did not go far enough and that the bars should have been closed at 6 o'clock instead of 7.

Seriously Injured

On July 22nd Mr. Schilling from Ohio who was holidaying at Bon Echo Inn met with a serious accident while he was awaiting his train preparatory to going home, at Kaladar.

It appears that Mr. Schilling understood that the train pulled in on the second track and as it was in the middle of the night he was dosing away. When the arrival of the train was announced, he being in a more or less of a comatose state, grabbed his valise and jumped on the track directly in front of the oncoming train. The engine struck him on the platform. Owing to Mr. Schilling's age the shock was so much the greater. He is still at Kaladar, but expects to leave for home in a few days.—Tweed News.

Arrested for Theft

On Wednesday of last week the county constable from Napanee came to Tweed in search of a man named Clark, who it was supposed had stolen a horse and was endeavoring to dispose of it. He was directed to a neighboring farm where a man answering the description was putting up for the night. In company with Chief Molyneux, the constable went as directed and succeeded in finding the accused and also the stolen animal. The thief was put under arrest and taken to Napanee that evening, and the horse was taken down the following day.—Tweed Advocate.

"GOING TO ENGLAND TO SEE MAMMA"

But Child Will Be Told the Truth Before Landing.

New York, Aug. 6.—Rumping on the decks of the steamship Morro Castle, of the Ward Line, on a trip here from Mexican ports was an attractive five-year old girl, who interested the passengers vastly. "I am going to England with my papa to see my mamma," she told all she met. "Mamma has gone on ahead of us. The bad Mexican men were fighting so much around our place at Tuxpam that she could not stand it, and papa sent her away."

Behind the statement of childish innocence lurked a tragedy, as revealed by the child's father upon the arrival of the Morro Castle today. The little child is the five-year-old daughter of Thomas Mallard, an Englishman, and manager of the Eagle Oil Company at Tuxpam. The Mallard home was in the path of furious fighting between the Mexican belligerents, in which on June 6th Mr. Mallard's wife, her five months old baby and a neighbor were shot to death, while Mr. Mallard himself was shot through one thigh and laid up in a hospital for five weeks.

The Mallard home was riddled with bullets. The little daughter who arrived with her father today escaped injury, and the knowledge that her mother had been killed was kept from her.

"It was a terrible experience," said Mr. Mallard, in speaking of the tragedy. "I cannot say any more about it."

He will have to tell his little girl the truth on the way to England.

Few Berries on Today's Market

From Saturday's Daily. The big rain storm which has held Ontario in its grip for the past five days with a few lull intervals of sunlight, had its effect on Belleville market and the attendance this morning. The outer market was about half its usual size and the variety of produce was naturally very restricted. Few people had been able to get into their fields to reach the produce. The indoor market was also restricted, only the staple commodities were dealt in, eggs, butter, chickens.

The berry is a wreck after the storm. "It is ruined," said one farmer this morning, berries are all rotten. In most districts not a berry has been picked this week. The result was that today very few berries were exhibited and the berries were not of a very good quality. A few black berries were sold at high prices. Gooseberries were very limited at 5c per box.

The rainfall didn't injure the root crops and vegetables. They are rapidly growing in size. Cabbages sell at the rate of 2 for 5c and 3 for 10c. Peas were quoted at 15c per quart. Potatoes are worth 15c per peck. Carrots and beets of fine dimensions being 5c per bunch. Peas sell at 5c per quart.

New corn was on the market for the first time this year, although the price was rather low, 20c per dozen. In Picton it is selling at 13c. Tomatoes are quoted at 10c per quart box. Eggs sold at 21c per dozen. The market was full of them. Wholesale prices reflect the abundance of eggs better than the market. Egg buyers are paying 18c.

Vegetable marrow and squash sold at 15c each. Hay sells from \$12.50 to \$14 per ton. There were four loads sold today. Baled old hay brings \$19 wholesale and baled new hay \$14 to \$15. Hides are worth 13c to 15c, deerskins 70c, horsehides \$3, sheepskins 60c to 65c, veals 14c to 15c, cake tallow 6c. Hogs today brought \$8.50 to \$6.60 live and \$12 dressed.

Cheese Men of Frontenac May Give Machine Gun

A stirring appeal for aid in some form for the cause of the Empire was made yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the Frontenac Cheese Board by the Secretary, Mr. William Pillar. In his address he told the members of the board that something should be done for the soldiers at the front. He told that he had been in communication with the authorities on the matter of procuring a machine gun for the 54th Battalion and it was found that the board could not finance one.

It is likely that assistance will be secured from the factories in the vicinity and that the cheesemen will be represented on the firing line by a splendid machine gun from the cheesemen of Frontenac.

A Big Swim

Mr. Frank Jarman performed rather a creditable stunt at Trout Lake on Saturday when he swam the entire length of the lake. He was one hour and twenty minutes in the water.—Bancroft Times.

Women's Patriotic and Red Cross

The adjourned meeting of the Women's Patriotic and Red Cross Association was held in their rooms Front Street on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Lasher the President, presiding. The Secretary's report was read and adopted. The Treasurer's report showed balance in bank, \$1086.09, expenditure for the month, \$149.56, total balance, \$934.53.

The Women's Patriotic and Red Cross Society acknowledges with thanks the receipt of \$309.53 from the Belleville Locomotive Engineers, the proceeds of their picnic held at Massasauga Park on the 21st of July last.

The Engineers are to be congratulated upon the financial success of their annual outing, and upon their patriotism in donating the whole proceeds of their entertainment to be expended for the comfort of our soldiers and for the care of the sick and wounded. The Triangle Club, composed of small boys and assisted by Mrs. H. A. Yeomans, donated the badges to the Committee of the Grand Trunk Picnic. The committee expressed their appreciation and intend keeping them as souvenirs.

The Association is grateful for the assistance they received from the Men's Patriotic Association in moving the following resolution:—

"Moved by Mr. A. R. Walker and seconded by Mr. R. Tannahill, That this committee have learnt with great pleasure that Division No. 189 of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have decided to have a picnic on Wednesday, July 21st, the proceeds for patriotic purposes and that this committee earnestly recommends that the proceeds be given to the Women's Patriotic Committee for Red Cross work, and that we pledge ourselves to do everything in our power to assist the B.L.E. in making the picnic a thorough success."

Mrs. O'Flynn, convener of camp supplies, reported on hand 738 pairs of socks. It was decided not to send any more socks until the last shipment was acknowledged.

Mrs. Yeomans convener of the knitting circles, reported 397 pairs of socks for the past month and \$119.60.

Miss Green, convener of Hospital Supplies reported that three boxes had been sent to the Toronto University Hospital containing one hundred sheets, one hundred pillow cases, 30 slip sheets, 55 hospital nightshirts, 24 dressing gowns, 24 nightgowns, 188 towels, 12 abdominal binders, 31 hot water bottle covers, 90 surgical towels, table napkins, handkerchiefs etc, 660 cotton bandages, 130 surgical dressings.

Mrs. S. D. Lazier, convener of the Forget-me-not circle reported one box sent to Toronto University Hospital containing 100 absorbent dressings, 350 machine rolled bandages, 48 sterilized gauze bandages, washcloths, safety pins and cases 20 dozen, 15 wotton shirts, 10 white flannel shirts, 35 pairs of socks.

The President received a letter from the University Hospital supply association, Toronto, saying they had received the boxes for the University Overseas Hospital sent by the Ladies Patriotic and Red Cross of Belleville.

The Patriotic and Red Cross have decided to have a shower of luxuries comprising cigarettes, tobacco, gum, chocolate, games, etc., for our boys in the near future, of which further notice will be given.

SOLDIERS OFF TO HARVEST FIELDS

Overseas Men at Barrfield Permitted to Leave For Farms

Barrfield War Camp, Aug. 6.—On Saturday twenty men were permitted by Lt.-Col. Dawson to go to various places and work on farms for one month and then return to the battalion in camp. Yesterday eight more applied for similar permission, which was granted. The Government furnishes these men with transportation to and from the place where they will work for a month. The actual time of absence from the battalion is 23 days. They must report their arrival at the place where they are going to work, and on their return they must bring back from the farmer that they worked for the period of their release from military duties. Before securing permission to go they must prove that their intention is a bona fide one.

While away they must wear a fatigue military uniform in their work on the farm, and when off work must wear the regular uniform for all walking-out purposes. The men are allowed to go to places within 300 miles of the mobilizing point of the battalion, which will confine the men of the 59th to the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Before leaving yesterday Lt.-Col. Dawson cautioned the men against overstaying the period of their furlough, and pointed out to the men the seriousness of such an act. He also advised them to do recruiting and at

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the close of the harvest to persuade other young men to rally around the flag, and become soldiers of the King. Many others are expected to ask for the privilege of working one month on the farm. The military pay of these men will be given them on their return to the battalion.

Capt. Ruston at Campbellford

Captain Ruston of Belleville, who is the guest of Mr. E. Skitch during his vacation, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church on Sunday evening and delivered a forceful address, the text being, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today and forever."—Herald.

Kingston Bars Will Close at 7 o'clock Each Night

The Mail and Empire, recognized as the official organ of the Provincial Legislature, states today that in the near future all bars in Kingston will be closed at 7 o'clock each night until such time as headquarters for the militia are removed from here. It is stated that although the Provincial License Board's order has not been dealt with formally by the Cabinet its passage is regarded as certain. Hon. T. W. McGarry stated that the matter had not been dealt with yet but would come before the Cabinet.

It is claimed that the stand taken by the License Board is the result of Vice-Chairman Dingman's visit to this city last week. It is stated that Mr. Dingman is convinced there is room for improvement. In fact he practically made the statement while in this city.

It is claimed that the closing of the bars will not work a hardship to the soldiers, but will eventually be appreciated. It is also claimed that the closing of the bars will meet with the favor of the military authorities.

Col. Hemming is out of the city, but Col. Ogilvie, when spoken to, stated that when Mr. Dingman visited the city he asked for suggestions from the military authorities, but so far as he knows none were given by the officers.—Standard.

Awaiting His Trial

This morning Constable F. I. Wormworth, Ardendale, and Children's Aid Inspector, W. H. Wylie brought to the county jail Charles Parks, twenty-eight years of age, who is charged with a serious offence against a fifteen-year old girl at Ardendale. The prisoner was apprehended yesterday after having been away from Ardendale for about a month. He appeared before the Justice of the Peace at the latter place and was remanded for trial.—Kingston Standard

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

Busy Trenton

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

Trenton, August 7th, 1915. The following letter has been received by Mr. Robert Weddell from the Acting Minister of Militia:—

Ottawa, 5th August, 1915.

Dear Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge with thanks your letter of the 31st ultimo, enclosing cheque for \$1000, for the purchase of a Machine Gun.

A large order for Machine Guns to provide for the many gifts the public are making has been placed and when delivered a gun will be purchased and sent as your gift to the 39th Battalion now in service Overseas.

We shall also be very glad to carry out your wishes as to the inscription on the gun.

I am sending under separate cover a booklet descriptive of the Gun which the Department has now adopted for use.

Thanking you for your generous and

patriotic donation. Believe me, Yours Faithfully James A. Loughheed, Acting Minister.

R. Weddell, Esq., C.Z.R. Weddell & Co., Trenton, Ont.

Mr. James Fairburn, of the C.P.M. Stores Department, Trenton, was this morning presented with a wrist watch and sum of money by the local O.P.A.R. employees, on the occasion of his departure for Overseas service with the 8th Mounted Rifles. He leaves today for Braniffield.

Mr. Robert Weddell is enjoying a short trip to the Thousand Islands. Mr. Robert Whyte, Principal of Trenton High School, is to be congratulated upon the excellent showing made by the pupils who tried the Normal entrance, of the 12 who tried the examinations all passed, two of them with honors.

Mr. W. O. Lott, formerly in the real estate business, Regina, has taken a position with the Mowat Hardware Co.

SAVES FIVE GIRLS FROM DEATH IN ST. LAWRENCE

Robert E. Reade, Rescues Them at Point Salubrious

Watertown, Aug. 9.—Five young women of Trinity parish, who with a large party of other girls, chaperoned by Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin, have been camping at Point Salubrious, on the St. Lawrence, and who returned from their outing yesterday, came near losing their lives while bathing on the lake shore there one day during their vacation, it was learned after their return, being rescued by Robert E. Reade, physical director of Trinity House.

The five young women, Miss Dorothy Eason, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Francis W. Eason; Miss Mary Howes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Howes; Miss Adelaide Sherman, daughter of the late Chas. Sherman; Miss Mildred Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Williams, and Miss Gertrude Tooley, were bathing in front of S. D. Lansing's cottage, a short distance down the shore from the Girls' Home of Trinity Church, where the party was staying. The shore there slopes gradually for a distance, and then a ledge drops suddenly to deep water. A heavy sea was rolling in from Lake Ontario.

Mr. Reade, who was watching to see that no accident occurred, heard a shrill cry, and looked to see that Miss Tooley had disappeared, having walked off the ledge, only her hands being above water. He swam to her as-

stance but she clung to him so tightly that only with great difficulty was he able to bring her ashore. Just as he succeeded in carrying her up on to the beach he heard more cries for help and found that all four of the other girls had been carried by the breakers off the ledge.

Securing a boat Mr. Reade rowed to the aid of the four girls struggling in the water, and assisted Miss Eason, who had been keeping up, but was just sinking, into the boat. He next rescued Miss Howes who had managed to keep afloat, while Miss Sherman, who was able to swim a little was next helped into the boat. When Mr. Reade looked for Miss Williams she was nowhere to be seen, and he rowed about for a minute or two trying to locate her. Noticing something far down in the water that had the appearance of lake weed, he dove, and ascertained that what he saw was the long floating strands of the young woman's hair. When he at last succeeded in getting Miss Williams into the boat she was unconscious, and Mr. Reade rowed hurriedly for the shore.

Meanwhile the alarm had been given, and other cottagers were soon on hand. Dr. H. B. Stowell and others worked over the young woman, who had come nearest to drowning, and soon had all the party out of danger.

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