

# THE WEEKLY ONTARIO

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### FRENCH SEIZE WOODS IN SOLIENT FOE RETREATING FROM DOBRUDJA

After Twelve Days' Battle With Bulgarians and Russians in Which Enormous Losses Were Suffered—Serbs Drive on Bulgarians—Strategic Value of Combles—Four Thousand Prisoners Taken—British Consolidate New Positions.

#### BRITISH TOOK 4000 PRISONERS: CONSOLIDATE POSITIONS.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—General Haig reports that the attacks by the British yesterday were carried out most brilliantly. The British during the past 48 hours have taken about four thousand prisoners. The new positions are being consolidated.

#### FRENCH SEIZE WOOD IN SALIENT.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—The French War Office announces that the French forces have struck at the southernmost point of the German line from Thiepval east of Verdunville, capturing strongly defended wood which marked a salient. The Germans have made no attempt to recapture the positions taken by the French.

**RUMANIANS ROUT TEUTONS AFTER 12 DAYS' BATTLE.**  
LONDON, Sept. 27.—A Bucharest despatch confirms the reports of a decisive victory for the Rumanian-Russian forces on the Dobrudja front, the whole line of the German-Bulgarian forces in Dobrudja have retreated in disorder after a twelve days' battle after suffering heavy losses.

#### GREEK TROOPS JOIN REVOLUTIONISTS.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Wholesale defections from the Greek army are reported in Athens despatches today. Practically every garrison in old Greece is declared to have joined the revolutionary movement.

#### SERBS BEAT OFF BULGARI ATTACKS.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—The Serbians have it is officially announced repulsed three violent Bulgarian attacks on Kaimakalan heights.

#### NO GENERAL WALK-OUT BY UNION MEN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—No general walk-out by union men was apparent in support of the striking car men this morning and the situation here is reported to be quiet.

#### BEAUMONT HOME DESTROYED.

QUEBEC, Sept. 27.—The home under Monsignor Guscay at Beaumont below Quebec was destroyed by fire early today. Upwards of 200 children and elderly persons were in the building at the time. Some are reported to have perished.

#### CORP. TOM VANCE.



One of Belleville's Heroes Who Gave His Life for the Great Cause.

We are pleased to reproduce a photo-engraving of Corporal Thomas VANCE, son of William VANCE of Concession, who surrendered his life in order that freedom might live. "Some where in France," on Tuesday, August 1st. From The Daily Ontario of Aug. 21 we copy the following report of how he died gallantly fighting the enemies of his country.

"Corporal VANCE enlisted as a private with the Fifteenth battalion at Belleville at the outbreak of the war. He was then serving as a section man with the C.N.R. on the section immediately west of this city and made it his home with his parents who then resided at Jones' Creek, Front of Sidney.

He proceeded overseas with the 1st contingent and took part in the great battle of Langemarck where he received a dangerous wound, a rifle bullet passing through his hips. From this injury he lay in hospital at Shorncliffe for eight months.

During his stay in England he was advanced to the office of corporal and made one of the military police at Shorncliffe camp.

He returned to the front and about a year after receiving his first wound he had another hairbreadth escape

from instant death. A bursting shell completely buried him under the earth but his companions rescued him in time to prevent suffocation. From shell-shock he subsequently spent ten days at the base hospital.

Again he returned to the front and passed through the great battle of Ypres in the early days of June. He was right near his special friend and companion Walter CRAIG when the latter was killed on June 4th. He subsequently wrote letters to the friends of Pte. CRAIG telling how that gallant young soldier came to his end.

Corporal VANCE was very popular with his fellow warriors. Of him Sergt. Gibson said,

"No better soldier ever left Belleville than Tom VANCE. He was every inch a soldier and a man."

He is survived by his parents who reside at Concession, three brothers, William of the Belleville waterworks, Leo of the 15th at Barrieland and Everett on the farm at Concession and three sisters, Mrs. R. Hulme, Galt; Mrs. Warner Wood, Coe Hill and Miss Edna at home. He is also survived by a half-brother and half-sister, John of Detroit, and Mrs. Perry Simmons Actinolite.

Mr. Hiram VANCE, Murney Street, is an uncle and Mr. John Coiden of the waterworks department, is a first cousin of the deceased.

He was 26 years of age and a man of fine appearance and magnificent physique.

Lieut. A. D. Anderson, 194th Battalion, Winnipeg, left yesterday for Ottawa after spending a few days with his uncle, Mr. C. M. Hall, before leaving for overseas service.

Mrs. T. C. Lapp left today noon for Merrickville to see her brother, Pte. C. R. Watts, of the Cameron Highlanders, Winnipeg, who is home on his last leave.

Mr. J. Stewart Carstairs, B.A., a former principal of Stirling High School, and later organizer for the Dominion Conservation party in Ontario, has enlisted in a Toronto regiment.

### DIED ON THE FIELD OF HONOR

Another Belleville Boy, William Post, Was Killed in Great Somme Drive.

Another Belleville boy has paid the supreme price, Lance-Corporal William Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Post of this city. He was killed in action in the great Somme drive on September 11th. The message came this morning in a telegram from Ottawa, and the Rev. Venerable Archbishop, Basil, of St. Thomas Church, broke the news to the deceased soldier's young widow, who lives on South George street.

William Post is another of the gallant 518 C. M. H. men who have been so badly cut up in the many engagements. He enlisted in Belleville a year ago and with him went his brother Bert, who was wounded a few months ago. He was transferred to an infantry unit and went to France a considerable time since.

In still life the late William Post was at one time an employee of the Rolling Mills. At the time of his enlistment he worked for Gilbert's Bakery. He was 31 years of age.

Mrs. Post, who is a daughter of Mr. Angus Dumaine, is left with three small children, the youngest a baby. Also surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Post, and family who live on Front street.

The deepest sympathy will be extended to the bereaved in their sad loss.

#### KILLED IN ACTION.

Gravelier P. A. Lockwood, Ottawa, Andrew Field, Springbrook, Wounded.

Pte. J. M. Lalaper, Queensboro; Pte. G. A. Lunsden, Newcastle; Pte. W. K. Lutz, Sharbot Lake; Pte. G. White, Port Hope; Pte. H. F. Hanna, Campbellford; Pte. S. Henge, Springbrook; Pte. F. Garrod, Newcastle; Pte. A. E. Brewster, Toronto; Pte. J. W. Wharton, Hamilton.

#### PROPERTY SOLD.

The executors of the estate have sold the property on the corner of Commercial and Warehouse Streets, belonging to the estate of the late John Johnston, public school inspector for South Hastings. A gentleman in Trenton was the purchaser. We are informed that it is the intention of the latter to erect three dwellings on the lots bordering on Commercial street.

#### MAMMOTH MELON.

The thanks of the editor are due to Mr. George A. Ketcheson, of Sidney, for a gift of a mammoth melon of the Montreal Nutmeg variety. It is much larger than any we have seen in the stores or at the local fairs. The quality is of the highest excellence.

#### DESSERTERS BEFORE COLONEL.

Two Belleville Soldiers Get Terms For Deserting 155th.

Col. Hunter, P. M., of Kingston, was a busy man yesterday morning when four soldiers appeared on parade before the ex-O.C. 47th (Frontenac) Regiment. Two of the men, Private Leonard Clark and Earl Dinsmore of the 155th Battalion, Belleville, were called on to explain why they had taken unto themselves the clothes belonging to two marines of a local boat which was moored here Sunday and left their uniforms behind a freight car in the C. P. R. yards. The men failed to give a good answer to the volley of questions machine-gunned at them by the colonel and were sent away to jail for five months and twenty days, but not until the colonel had told them in his own copyrighted style what he thought of them. If the colonel had really told them all he thought it might have been worse but owing to the presence of ladies in the chamber he restrained himself.

#### TRAMP PROWLING ABOUT.

The police had a run over to Grove street at one fifty o'clock this morning, for a tramp had been prowling around a residence. He was gone when the policeman arrived on the scene.

Capt. P. H. Wills, 155th Battalion, is in town today.

### LOCAL ARREST: MURDER SEQUEL

Eugene Collins Questioned By Detroit Police on Slaying.

The Detroit police are questioning Eugene A. Collins, 43, who was arrested last Saturday in Belleville, in connection with the slaying of August Diebel, a Detroit saloon-keeper on February 1st.

Collins' wife informed the police it is alleged that he boasted to her that he had two other men named Diebel. The prisoner absconded his wife last August, and it was when she was reporting her husband's desertion that she told of the slaying.

Collins was arrested here on charges of wife desertion and was extradition going to Detroit with a detainer.

#### THERE IS SURELY WORK FOR YOU.

Time—Annie Laurie.

The harvest now is ready  
The plowmen are busy  
And the Master calls for gleaners  
There is so much work to do  
There is so much work to do  
And the Master calls for you  
To go labor in His vineyard  
There is surely work for you.

If you cannot be a worker  
In a far and distant land,  
You can help to send some other  
You can lend a helping hand,  
And the Master calls for you  
To go labor in His vineyard,  
There is surely work for you.

If you can't give gold or silver,  
There is something you can do,  
You can cheer the sad and lonely  
And pray for those who go,  
And the Master calls for you,  
To go labor in His vineyard,  
There is surely work for you.

For a kindly word or smile,  
You can help some soul to heaven  
Just keep helping all the while,  
And the Master calls for you,  
To go labor in His vineyard,  
There is surely work for you.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Fox, Allentonville, Ont.

#### SPIRIT OF GERMANS HAS BEEN BROKEN.

PARIS, Sept. 27.—A semi-official account of the battle of the Somme from its beginning (July 1) and not including the fighting since Sunday, appearing in the Bulletin des Armes, says that the French have conquered 180 square kilometres (about seventy square miles) of territory, captured 30,000 unwounded prisoners, removed 4,500 wounded, and taken 144 cannon, most of them of heavy calibre, 500 machine guns and other material.

It is pointed out that the allies have broken the spirit of the Germans, definitely deprived the enemy of an initiative and turned it in their own favor. Since the opening of the battle, the account says, the Germans have thrown into the battle sixty-seven new divisions and seventeen battalions, of which thirty-four divisions were on the British front, and thirty-three divisions, with the seventeen battalions, were on the French front.

#### NEXT TRIP OF 155TH OVERSEAS.

Belleville residents have somewhere got the idea that the 155th Battalion may come back there for the winter months, but the idea is ridiculed in military circles. The 155th Battalion did splendidly when inspected by Gen. Lessard, and he gave a very direct hint that the next trip of the 155th would be overseas. Belleville had better make the necessary arrangements for trying to recruit, if possible, an equal to Col. Adams' command.—Kingston Whig.

#### DIED.

**FOWERS**—In Belleville, at the family residence, 27 Benjamin street, Nathan Bowers, aged 68 years, 9 months.

Miss M. E. Griffin, Modiste, has returned from New York where she has been in attendance at the Exhibition of Parisian Models. Her establishment is at 280 1-3, Front street, where she will be pleased to meet her customers.

### GERMAN STRONGHOLDS FALL BEFORE ASSAULTS OF ALLIES

Combles Won by Joint Attack—British Take Thiepval—Three Thousand Prisoners Already Reported and British Say They Are Still Coming in—Vast Quantities of Supplies and More Than 100 Machine Guns Fall to the Victors—Combles Full of German Corpses.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Combles and Thiepval fell before the allied onslaughts yesterday. These strongholds of the German line north of the Somme have resisted every attack for the last month. But in the new sweep that has carried the Entente forces beyond the enemy's first systems of defence they were forced to yield.

Combles, the key to the Bapaume-Peronne line, was won in a joint attack. While the British moved into the town from the north, storming the last of the battered defenses, the French advanced from the south. A day of furious combat followed and at its close the Germans surrendered.

Thiepval, a bastion of the front lying south of Bapaume, was carried by Haig's troops in the afternoon in a swift thrust that took them over a high ridge beyond and into the strongly fortified Hohenzollern redoubt to the east. Two other villages were seized in the attack. Gueudecourt was taken by the British, and the conquest of Fregicourt was completed by the French who also took a wood east of the St. Vaast Forest. These lay in the path of the allied drive eastward, which purposes to force a wedge between Bapaume and flank the German positions on the Bapaume plateau.

In the renewed offensive the allied troops have taken more than 3,000 prisoners up to the afternoon reports. A vast store of supplies and ammunition which the Germans had not time to withdraw was captured in underground passages in Combles.

Thus the allied strokes are again hammering east and north. The capture of Combles opens the way for a British advance over the national highway from Peronne to Bapaume, while the seizure of Thiepval clears the path for a British blow up the Albert-Bapaume road, in a direct push northwest. The drive for Bapaume now probably will take on two phases. The first will be a thrust eastward, an attempt to turn the German positions. The second will be a thrust northward. Between these the Germans would be squeezed out, just as they were squeezed out of other villages in the Picardy offensive.

In the move eastward the French made additional progress today. By the capture of three towns they advanced on the St. Vaast, two miles east of Combles, they are now well over the national highway, and it has become correspondingly easier for them to forge forward. Farther south Mt. St. Quentin is seriously threatened by Foch's advance. The seizure of positions east of the Bethune road makes it possible for the French to flank the German positions at this height, which is the key to Peronne. Both Bapaume and Peronne are now almost within the allied grasp.

The fate of Combles was sealed a week ago when Ginchy fell. The final advance was taken yesterday when the British and the French moved forward in an encircling movement. That advance, by cutting the last roads from the fortress, bagged the Germans within it.

British progress on the north should not be faster, with a corresponding advantage to the French south of the river. By holding Combles the Germans were able to menace both allied armies on the flank, thus hampering greatly the widening of the gap they forced in the Peronne-Bapaume road.

The Germans are engaged once more in constructing hastily new trenches beyond the national highway. Their first system has been destroyed completely and they are forced now to improvise what trench works they can. A further retreat seems almost inevitable.

Air fighting on the western front continues on an ever-increasing scale. The allies' supremacy in this fighting has been invaluable during the recent thrust. War planes dropped tons of bombs behind the German lines, while scouts and observers were able to report every movement of the German troops.

Before the war Combles had a population of 3,000 and contained a number of fine buildings and homes. But the shelling of the last few days, described as unprecedented in the Picardy battle, had practically destroyed the whole town.

Berlin admits an extensive allied advance. "But," says the official statement issued at Grand Headquarters, "before all, we must think of our heroic troops who faced the united Anglo-French principal forces and the massed employment of material of the whole world's war industry prepared during many months."

The German capital is grave under the strain of the repeated powerful blows of the allies, not only in the west but on all fronts, according to despatches reaching here, but finds relief in the reviews of military critics, who point out that although the French and British launched their utmost effort in an effort to break through the German front, the lines held, although forced to fall back at points.

**EARLY MORNING FIRE.**—A house in James' He sent in an alarm Fire at about one o'clock this morning practically destroyed the house which was badly gutted and the furniture destroyed. The son Furniture Company's factory Lucas family had gone away yesterday and had not returned. It is five next to the burned dwelling said there was about \$1000 insurance on the contents. The house Lucas, and owned by the Thompson Company, was awakened about five forty by the report of two explosions. Her husband went to investigate and found the Lucas quite slowly.



# Bread Making Contests At Rural School Fairs

Over 1,500 prizes in all will be offered in bread-making contests which will be held this fall at over 250 rural school fairs taking place in Ontario. It will be a great event at the fairs and will stimulate interest in bread-making among young girls between the ages of 12 and 17 years.

## Cream of the West Flour the hard wheat flour guaranteed for bread.

This is a splendid flour which makes the biggest, bulging loaves—whitest, lightest and most wholesome bread you ever baked. Is this not a splendid opportunity to interest your daughters in breadmaking?

**Here are the Splendid Prizes** offered for the best loaf of bread baked at each local fair:

1st Prize—1 paid-up subscription to "My Magazine" for 1 year. This magazine is full from cover to cover every month with articles suitable for young people of all ages. It is published in England. Value \$2.00 per year.

2nd Prize—3 months paid-up subscription to "My Magazine" Value \$1.00.

Extra Prizes—When entries exceed ten a 3rd prize will be awarded of 6 mos. paid-up subscription to "My Magazine". When the number of entries exceeds twenty the judges at the fair will award 4th, 5th, and 6th prizes of one year's paid-up subscription to "The Little Paper". This is a wonderful little publication issued every month in England. Its eight pages are packed with highly engaging information and stories relating to history, nature-study, animals, bird-life, etc.

**Important**—The winners of 1st prizes at the fairs automatically become competitors for the Provincial Prizes. The second half of the double loaf is sent to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, by the district representative in special containers provided. The judging is done by Miss M. A. Purdy of the Department of Breadmaking and Flour Testing at the College.

### Conditions of the Contest

Every girl may compete at the rural school fair in her district, whether or not she attends school, providing that her 12th birthday occurs before November 1st, 1916, or her 17th birthday does not occur before Nov. 1, 1916. One loaf of bread must be submitted baked in pan about 7 1/2 inches and 3 inches deep, and divided into two loaves so that they may be separated at the fair. The loaf must be baked with Cream of the West Flour. One-half will be judged at the fair. The other half first prize loaf will be sent to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, to compete in the Provincial Contest. The local contest at the fair will be conducted under the same rules as all the other regular contests at your fair.

The standard by which bread will be judged will be as follows:

1. Appearance of Loaf.....	15 marks
(a) Color.....	5 marks
(b) Texture of crust.....	5 marks
(c) Shape of loaf.....	5 marks
2. Texture of Crumb.....	40 marks
(a) Evenness.....	15 marks
(b) Softness.....	10 marks
(c) Color.....	15 marks
3. Flavor of Bread.....	45 marks
(a) Taste.....	25 marks
(b) Odor.....	20 marks

Each loaf must be accompanied by the part of the flour bag containing the face of the old miller (impersonal) and an entry form must be signed by the girl and parents or guardian stating date of birth, P.O. address, and giving name of dealer from whom Cream of the West Flour was purchased. The form will state:

Write for free folder giving full and complete information about every feature of this great contest.

Address **Campbell Flour Mills Co., Limited, (West) Toronto**

"Cream of the West Flour is sold by Wallbridge & Clarke, Belleville; J. G. Shaw, Foxboro; S. C. Gay, Foxboro; I. F. Eggleston, Foxboro; E. J. Hodgson, Trenton; John Harris, Campbellford; W. L. Sullivan, Campbellford; Coulter & Co., Stirling; S. B. Rollins, Tweed; W. E. Wilson, Marlbank; Thos. Fleming, Ivanhoe; Henry Harriott, Fort Stewart; Dan Smith, Maynooth; P. E. Burgess, Sins; Vandervoort Bros., Eldorado."

**NAPANEE.**  
Monday morning, Mr. Silas Woodcock had the misfortune to have the end of his thumb on the left hand cut off, while employed at his work in the Gibbard Furniture Co. factory. The Wm. Davies Co., will open the sawing factory on Wednesday next. Application for help will be received at the factory on Tuesday morning.

Night Constable Walter Exley has tendered his resignation to the council and take effect when a substitute is provided.

A number of box cars have been broken into at the station during the past few nights and some of the contents stolen. Arrests may be made any day.

On Thursday evening last, Mr. Fred Thompson, on going to bed blew out the light, but failed to notice that the flame was driven down into the oil. Shortly after his wife awoke and found the lamp had exploded and the room was on fire. After a few strenuous minutes the fire was extinguished, though not before considerable damage had been done to carpet, bedding and wearing apparel.

The two-and-a-half-year-old daughter of Clayton Card, a farmer who lives near Verona, was burned to death on Tuesday afternoon in a barn which was destroyed by fire. Three of Mr. Card's children were playing in the barn and it is thought they were lighting matches. Two of them got out when the place became enveloped in flames, but the baby girl was evidently smothered and burned. The barn and its contents including much of the season's crop was destroyed.—The Express.

**CAMPBELLFORD.**  
There is a very large attendance at both schools this year. The public school has an aggregate attendance of nearly 600 pupils and the High School about 135. There have been quite a number of families moved in to town recently and consequently the school population has increased.

We are informed that Mr. Alex. Hume's Yorkshire herd carried off many honors at Ottawa. Mr. Hume was in Halifax most of the time the Ottawa Fair was in progress, his son

William, and nephew, Neill Bissounette, of Stirling, taking charge of the herd. Mr. Hume will let the boys go again.

The coming into force of the new Temperance Act made no difference in Campbellford as the retail sale of intoxicants has long been prohibited. There was little excitement anywhere in the province.

The whole of Canada is now practically under prohibitory law. There is still about one-third of Quebec province under license but, apart from this Canada is under prohibition. In this province according to the act a vote will be taken in 1919 after the Province has been three years under the Temperance Act. The people of the province then know whether the act is a success or not.

Messrs. Jas. Irwin, T. Varcoe and P. J. Sarginson had a good day's fishing last Friday between Allan's Mills and Callaghan's rapids. The party landed 12 fine "lunge" and one big fellow—the unlucky thirteenth—was determined to make Jim Irwin break the game law but Jim, who is always a stickler for living up to the letter of the law, after much difficulty shook the big fish off the hook. The party came home in good spirits and with a clear conscience.—The Herald.

**BANCROFT.**  
The Bancroft Board of Education has received a cheque from the county treasurer for \$230.66 for the Continuation School.

The children of St. John's Sunday School held their annual picnic on the Fair grounds on Saturday afternoon.

This section was visited by the first severe frost of the season on Monday night, when the mercury dropped to 27.

The Lord Bishop of Kingston will hold a confirmation service in St. John's church, Bancroft, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 27th, at 8.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McInnes of Turiff, on Sept. 12th when their daughter, Mae Elizabeth was united in the holy bonds of matrimony with Mr. Charles E. Plumley of Bancroft, the Rev. Mr. McLaugh-

lin officiating.

The Continuation School now has twenty-nine students, the greatest number yet attending. Parents are reminded that there are no fees, even for those outside the county. Students are prepared for Model and Normal Entrance, and matriculation. Of the eight candidates recommended by the staff and sent up for Model Entrance or Lower School last June six were successful.

The annual convention of the North Hastings S. S. Association, which was held in Bancroft on Sept. 11th, was a treat to all present. The addresses by the following gentlemen were all up to the standard. Mr. E. D. Otter, of Toronto, gave two fine addresses. The other speakers were Rev. A. McLaughlin, Rev. W. Hall of Coe Hill, and Mr. G. A. Jordison. Officers were elected for the year as follows: President D. S. Campbell, Vice President E. J. Keenan, Sec.-Treas. W. N. Gilroy, Elementary Supt. Mrs. J. D. Payne, Supt. of Adult Classes G. A. Jordison, Supt. of Home Department Mrs. D. C. Doxsee, Supt. of Adv. Grades, C. I. H. Jordison, Supt. of Teacher Training Rev. A. McLaughlin, Supt. of Temperance Rev. W. W. Hall, Supt. of Missionary Rev. D. Piske. District Vice-Presidents: Montague, J. B. Carr; Fort Stewart, David Dodds; St. Ola, T. Hamm; Bancroft, Fred Fisher; Coe Hill, A. Bird; Delegate to Provincial Convention to be held at Smith's Falls, Oct. 25th to 28th, J. B. Carr.—The Times.

**A Pleasant Purgative.**—Paralee's Vegetable Pills are so compounded as to operate on both the stomach and the bowels, so that they act along the whole alimentary and excretory passage. They are not drastic in their work, but gently purgative, and the pleasure of taking them is equalled by the gratifying effect they produce. Compounded only of vegetable substances the curative qualities of which were fully tested, they afford

**BELLEVILLE MEN WOUNDED.**  
Pte. Richard Ashley of 104 Mill street, is today reported wounded. Pte. Robert John Payne, 244 Ann street, is wounded. He enlisted at Trenton.

## BELLEVILLE TREK WILL TAKE PLACE

The trek to Belleville which was changed because of the visit of the Duke of Connaught, and the unsettled state of the weather, has not been abandoned. Arrangements are being made for the troops to visit Belleville, and this will not doubt be done within the next two weeks. The men enjoyed their visit to Gananoque, and are anxious to have a touch of the hospitality of Belleville. When the trek does take place Belleville people will rise to the occasion, and they will show the British troops what hospitality really means.

Lieuts. Herbert A. Fish and Stanley Nurse have gone overseas with a draft of officers.

Lieut. Wilson and Lieut. Cummings, 155th Battalion, have left for Ottawa to attend a course at the School of Musketry. Capt. Vermilyea and Lieut. Scott, of this battalion, have returned from the school.

## C. G. CAREY HAS FALLEN

### Mrs. Carey Received Word This Morning Announcing His Death.

The sad news has just been received by Mrs. Carey (formerly Miss Ida Hamby) that her husband, Lieut. Conrad George Carey had been killed in action on Thursday Sept. 21st. She is portrayed with grief and is in a serious condition.

Lt. Carey and Miss Hamby were married at Lt.-Col. Hamby's residence on August 4th, 1915, and shortly after he joined a western battalion going to the front quite a while ago. About three months ago a child was born to them. Since his departure Mrs. Carey has been living with her father in this city. The child is doing well.

Prior to enlistment Mr. Carey conducted an insurance business in Calgary. He was twenty-four years of age and his home was in Goderich. He has five brothers at the front, but although the latest to arrive on the firing line, he was the first to fall.

**PTER PARK VERY SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.**  
Mrs. Faux, Pinnacle street, has received word that her husband Pte. Jos. E. Faux, had been seriously ill from the effects of shrapnel. He enlisted at Belleville going to the 55th batt. at Kingston. He went to

## MAJOR ROSCOE VANDERWATER MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES

### Gallant Sidney Officer Wins Further Signal Honor in the Great Offensive on the Somme.

Major Roscoe Vanderwater, son of Mr. Chas. Vanderwater, Chatterton, and former deputy-reeve of Sidney, has won further distinction in France in the great Somme offensive. Some weeks ago we published a copy of the order from Major Vanderwater's commanding officer recommending him for the Military Cross for gallant conduct on the battlefield.

He has had the further honor of being specially mentioned in the official despatches from the Canadian General Representative at the front.

In his latest report of the momentous operations on the Somme, in which so many of our Canadian boys have laid down their lives, the representative after the preliminary description of some operations leading up to the crisis of the battle goes on to say—

But these activities, important and commendable though they were, were only preparatory to the great offensive that was to follow. The first assault was undertaken by an Eastern Ontario battalion against a salient in the German line some 500 yards in length. This battalion carried out its task in a manner little short of perfection. Sharp at 4:45 one afternoon in broad daylight and under an almost cloudless sky, three companies under command of

the trenches on June 27th last and this is the first time his name has appeared in the casualty list. Following is the official message from Ottawa.—

Mrs. Mabel May Faux, 8 Church street.

Sincerely regret to inform you that 455108 Pte. Joseph B. Faux, infantry officially reported dangerously ill at New Zealand hospital, Amiens, September 20th from gunshot wounds in hip and shoulder. Will send further particulars when received.

Officer in charge.

**ASHLEY STOCK FARM WINNINGS AT PICTON FAIR**  
Ashley Stock Farm at Picton was very successful at Picton Fair as the following list of winnings will show:

Blood mare with foal, Bessie McNaist 1st, \$5.00  
Blood mare with foal, Philly Winkle, 2nd, \$3.00  
Foal of 1916, Pretty Polly 1st, \$3.00  
Foal of 1916, Bob Carman, 3rd \$1.00  
Yearling, Winkle Girl, 1st, \$3.00.

The total prizes were \$41.00.

**YOUNG MAN ARRESTED.**  
Mr. John A. Armstrong was arrested yesterday by Sgt. Nathan on the charge of having caused actual bodily harm to John Pitterson, when their buggies collided on the Cannifton Road on Saturday evening, Sept. 16th.

Mr. Phil Burke of The Whig, Kingston, is spending a few days in town.

## NEW IN FOR

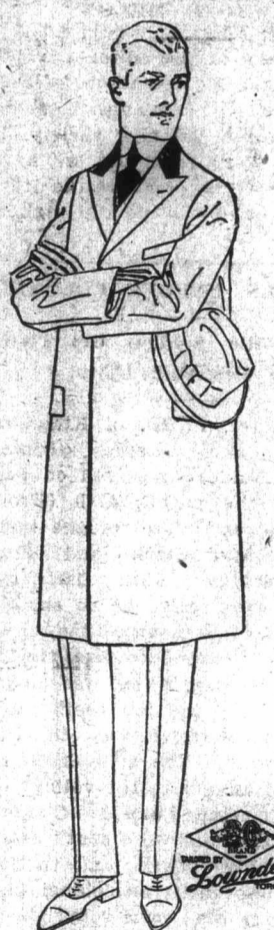
### First Comm. Ferro-Moly Turned Out Works.

Editor Ontario.  
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## NEW INDUSTRY FOR BELLEVILLE

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Editor Ontario.

The first commercial output in Canada of Ferro-Molybdenum required by the Allies, has been made in Belleville during the past week, by M. J. Peter Evans, City Engineer, and his Metallurgists. This is an event of some significance, especially when it is considered in connection with Mr. Evans' successful reduction of titaniferous ores by his electric furnace process, already installed and his manufacture of fine steel, the value of which at present is at a phenomenal premium. For years the rich agricultural surrounding community has been tributary to and (let us be frank) has supported Belleville, we now see a possibility (long regarded with hope) of making the rich and varied metal and mineral deposits of the County of Hastings contribute as a large factor in the future progress of Belleville, which with its unlimited power supply and transportation facilities, only needs substantial encouragement to be given to men of faith, like Mr. Evans, to assure a prosperous and productive result. The balance of emigration has been terribly against Canada, apart from the men going overseas on service, during the last few months, (we blush to acknowledge it) and the only way we can stem the current and stay the exodus, is by municipal and industrial development within, the utilization of our resources (especially our public domain) and the translation of our wishes and hopes into action, when opportunities offer at our very doors as they are offering now is not merely the above, but in other near connections—all links on the chain of potential future prosperity.

Yours truly,  
W. N. PONTON.

### TREK TO BELLEVILLE

The Date Will Probably be About September 28th.

Major Hamilton and Major Ponton and others at the headquarters staff, are making estimates as to the probable cost of taking the soldiers of the camp to Belleville. Owing to the transport arrangements and other incidental expenses, which are bound to occur, there must be estimates made and these submitted to Ottawa, for authority for incurring them. The details for the contemplated trip to Belleville have

not yet been consummated, but it is likely that the troops will leave about September 28th. All depends on the weather conditions, whether suitable for bivouacking.

### PRIVATE M. MAZUREWICZ.

A Galvian Member of 155th Was Up For Examination On His Nationality—Was Very Frank.

Pte. M. Mazurewicz is the way that a private in the 155th Battalion spells his name, though Capt. J. C. Norwell, headquarters staff, had a difficult time pronouncing it. He was charged with being an alien enemy and was before the captain for examination.

In reply to questions the accused talked very frankly and said that he was born 23 years ago in Galicia. He is therefore, almost, if not quite, an Austrian, though he is not at all anxious for people to remind him of the fact. He came to Canada three years ago and since then has acquired quite a fund of English.

Before enlisting at Deseronto with the 155th Battalion, the private in question worked at Sudbury and lived with his sister. He moved to Deseronto and took a job in the cement works there. Though a foreigner he makes an excellent soldier and will very likely be allowed to continue in his ambition to get a shot at the Huns.

### MILITARY NOTES.

Captain Geen, of the 155th., is in the city.

Col. Adams is in Picton on leave. W. T. Farrow, A. Rattray, W. Reber and F. R. Laycoe of the 155th have completed their course at the school of instruction.

Twelve members of the 155th Battalion have been detailed to take a special course and give a bayonet fighting and physical training exhibition at the Kingston Fair.

The machine gun section of the 155th battalion came back to camp on Saturday, but will return to take up its recruiting work among the fairs of Prince Edward and Hastings counties, tomorrow. Private Foot of the "Pats" will return with the M. G. section and a number of good dates have yet to be filled. The work of the section is a big attraction at all the fairs.

Lieut. G. H. Gillespie is presiding at a Board of Officers with Major C. F. Wallbridge and Capt. F. H. Hillis as members for the purpose of reporting on clothing on issue to men of the 155th Battalion.

The band of the 155th Battalion, under the direction of Bandmaster E. R. Hinchey, has been engaged to play at Kingston Fair.

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## ANNUAL CONCERT A FINE SUCCESS

Fine Entertainment at Shannonville Patronized by Large Crowd.

The annual concert of the Tyendinaga Agricultural Society, held in the A.O.U.W. Hall, Shannonville on the evening of Saturday Sept. 16th, was in every way a huge success. The hall was packed to standing, besides

many having to be turned away. The programme was of a very high and varied nature, the artists being Miss Clara Haynes, Toronto; Miss K. Bawson, Belleville; Eddie Pigott, Toronto. Miss Haynes proved herself very efficient in her splendid readings while Miss Bawson was heard to great advantage in her numbers, her clear, sweet voice making itself heard throughout the vast audience. Mr. Pigott by his wit, humor and style of dress brought smiles to the faces of everyone. All responded to many encores. Much of the success of the evening's programme, must be credited to the accompanist, Miss Helen Ketcheson, who performed her duties in her usual skillful and splendid manner. Miss Ketcheson's untiring performance at the piano is deserving of the highest praise. Two most interesting features of the programme were the patriotic duties performed by Mr. F. E. O'Flynn the able chairman of the evening, which consisted of the presentation of wrist watches to Rev. Wm. Maiz, Queens Ambulance Corps, Kingston, and Privates Jones and Coulter of the 155th Battalion, now at Barriefield, all of whom expect shortly to go overseas. Each of the boys responded to the presentation in a neat little speech of appreciation. Also to Mr. F. E. O'Flynn tell the duty of awarding the linen centre-piece, donated to the local Red Cross Society. The lucky number drawn was 385, the holder being Mr. A. E. Mark, Shannonville, who proudly came forward and claimed the prize. Mr. Mark is most deserving in being the winner, as he is a very enthusiastic worker along Red Cross lines, and a most liberal giver. The singing of the National Anthem brought to a close one of the most successful concerts given under the auspices of the Fair Association, and the President and Directors have every reason to be proud of results. Citizens of Shannonville and vicinity have great reason to be proud of their little village for the splendid quiet that was maintained throughout the day and evening, as many had anticipated a "rough time," but Shannonville has plenty of good sense and sound judgment, and the fact that King Bacchus descended from his throne, had no effect on our good-thinking and well-meaning community.

A Power of its Own.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has a subtle power of its own that other oils cannot pretend to though there are many pretenders. All who have used it know this and keep it by them as the most valuable liniment available. Its uses are innumerable and for many years it has been prized as the leading liniment for man and beast.

### DEATH OF ESTEEMED RESIDENT.

Nathan Bowers an old and esteemed resident of this city passed away at the family residence 37 Benjamin street at 8 o'clock this morning. Deceased suffered a slight stroke of paralysis about 18 months ago and on Friday of last week he was seized with a second attack from which he never regained consciousness. Mr. Bowers was born at Wellington, Prince Edward county, being a son of the late Mr. E. B. Bowers. In 1868 he married Miss Margaret Thompson, daughter of the late Wm. Thompson, of Prince Edward county. He is survived by his widow one son and two daughters, also one sister. To the bereaved will be extended the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church.

### FIRE AT WELLINGTON.

On Sunday morning about seven o'clock fire was discovered at the rear end of Mr. Alex. Tait's bakery. The alarm was given by two men in an auto who were the first to notice the blaze. The new fire engine was soon on the scene and the fire was speedily brought under control. Considerable damage was done to the front shop by water and smoke. The loss will be covered by insurance. The value of the new fire engine was well demonstrated for had it not been for the prompt and effective work done by it a serious conflagration might have resulted.

### MILLER'S WORM POWDERS.

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### MRS. GIVINS' FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Givins took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Forin Street, Rev. E. C. Currie officiating. Interment was in the family plot in Belleville Cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. James Moon, J. W. Cook, Wm. McIntosh, P. G. Denke, R. Tuttle and George Barlow. A large number of friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect to an honored lady.

### G. T. R. MAN KILLED.

Young Belleville Trainman, Pte. Hemmings, Killed in Action.

"Killed in action September 12th," read the official message received by Mr. Thomas Hemmings, 22 Amroth ave., Toronto. His son, Pte. Alb. E. Hemmings, of whom the message was written, was born in London, England. He came to Canada about ten years ago, and prior to enlisting was employed with the Grand Trunk Railway at Belleville.

He enlisted with the 59th Battalion. While in camp in Kingston he contracted meningitis, but recovered in time to go with his battalion, when they left for overseas in August, 1916. Upon arrival in England he was transferred to the 39th Battalion, where he took a six months' course in wireless, and signalling. He left for France in July 1916, where he was transferred again to the 3rd Battalion.

His brother, who is in a munition factory in Birkenhead, Cheshire, received a letter from him in August stating that he had been slightly wounded in the arm. The family at home received no official word of this. Pte. Hemmings, was 24 years of age.

### CURTAIN APRE.

A curtain in a dwelling over Yanover's clothing house caught fire this morning but the blaze was extinguished before it had spread.

### ASSISTED AT FUNERALS.

Mr. E. T. Thompson of the Thompson Company was in Toronto yesterday assisting Mr. A. W. Miles in some funerals.

### LITTLE GIRL'S DEATH.

Florence Rose Cummins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cummins Front street, died last night in her seventh year. The parents have the sympathy of many in their bereavement.

### INTERNAL PARASITES.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by the best worm remedy that can be got, Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure destroy worms in any shape.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1916.

HERESY.

Rev. Dr. Scott, the new pastor of Bridge Street Church, in his remarks in response to the various addresses of welcome at the meeting at his church on Tuesday night last, is reported as having said,—"A pastor should not be confined to the pulpit. He ought to be a man with the courage of his convictions, taking an interest in political and civic affairs."

The popular conception of what a pastor ought to be is strongly at variance with Dr. Scott's ideal.

Generally speaking, we believe the people look for the clergyman to be an etherealised mollycoddle, a hermetical bookworm, a sanctimonious visionary, a funeral purveyor of pristine platitudes, a solemnly impartial distributor of periodical pastoral visits, a conscientious patron of the ladies' aid, the W.M.S., and the band of hope, an antediluvian deliver into forgotten and meaningless theology, a bellicose enunciator of distinctive church doctrines and dogmas, a ponderous and persistent proclaimer of what everybody knows, an eloquent expounder of what nobody disputes, an unctuous trimmer, a theological once-was.

But "politics"! "Civic affairs"! Surely, gentlemen, this is heresy!

The Ontario has been foolhardy enough on one or two occasions to recommend the very thing that Dr. Scott suggests. Although not headed for high treason we have been much anathematised by people who would like to have all opinion cast in the one narrow groove of uniformity and stupidity. We do not worry because of this sort of opposition. We rather welcome it as an indication of nascent thinking upon the part of those with whom thought is considered a crime.

But, honestly now, why should a minister resign his citizenship when he enters the ministry? He has taken a long course of academic training. He is usually well versed in the principles of philosophy. Of all the callings and professions that of the ministry ranks about the highest in education. He has six days in which to prepare, to study, to mature his message before he gives it out on the seventh. He has time for reflection and is sufficiently removed from the practical entanglements of business and politics to view the great movements impartially, critically, reflectively and dispassionately.

Surely the advice and counsel that emanate from such a source ought usually to be mature, reliable and worthy of acceptance.

But is ministerial counsel much prized and sought after? As a rule, we should say not.

If a minister talks about anything more recent than the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah, or closer to present-day interests than the Millennium, he is pretty certain to stir up the ire of some of the dead-at-the-top wooden heads in his congregation. And said wooden heads can cause discord and annoyance out of all proportion to their numbers or importance. They are experts at bulldozing and intimidation. The poor preacher either has to beat a hasty retreat and say he never meant nuthin' by it or run the risk of seeing his usefulness negated by undermining processes that can never be openly met or challenged. The minister would often do his duty and speak out honestly and courageously but bitter experience has told him of dire consequences. He must live.

In conversation with us the other day a clergyman was deploring the marked decline in church attendance that is becoming a most serious matter, threatening the very existence of many once flourishing congregations. He had some theories about the cause.

Our own theory is that the real cause of falling church attendance is due to lack of vital, moving, life-giving messages from the pulpit. Too many preachers are feeding their congregations upon the husks of a barren and outworn theology. They revel in the past; they speculate about the future; they ignore the present. Much of the blame—perhaps most of it—lies in the pew. We have an intimidated ministry. We have been getting the kind of preaching we wanted, or, at least, that some of us wanted.

As Dr. Scott has stated, a minister should

have courage. He must indeed have courage if he would be any more serviceable or influential than a phonograph record, rehearsing arid ritualistic formulas or theological commonplace that arouse no one out of somnolence.

It requires courage and a lot of it to be different, to be original, to say or do things that the mob does not endorse, to take a stand that may be right but at the same time unpopular.

It needed mountains of courage for the Ministerial Association of British Columbia to come out two years ago and sign their names to a document that exposed with all the pitiless logic of irrefutable facts the shameless exploitation of one of the fairest possessions of the British crown. The government of Sir Richard McBride was overwhelmingly popular, but the ministers knew of the criminal spoliation that was going on and the price the deluded people would later be compelled to pay. The ministers never hesitated. They went to their task, believing and knowing they were right. They were held up to public scorn and ridicule. They were the victims of unbridled abuse and billingsgate. They endured it all. A great victory was lately won. The Liberals and Sir Hibbert Tupper have been accorded all the praise. But the real power that aroused the public conscience and set the corrective forces at work was found in the strong-minded, honest, courageous, independent, fearless Ministerial Association of British Columbia.

Were the ministers right? Was what they have accomplished worth the doing?

They are content that others should have the glory as long as they know that the cause for which they labored has triumphed.

About half-a-dozen years ago the clergy of Winnipeg and of Manitoba began to protest against the outrageous political corruption that was causing the name of their province to become a byword throughout the civilised world. Then upon every public platform Sir Rodmond Roblin and his fellow pirates discharged their floods of ditch-water.

But Manitoba was cleaned up and the ministers deserve the lion's share of the credit.

When "Cap." Sullivan and his merry men, taking advantage of the weakness of the Ross administration in Ontario, brought about an orgy of political debauchery, such as tarnished the good name of the provincial Liberal party for years afterwards, it was the ministers of Ontario who spoke out against the spreading and blasting plague and helped to usher in the honest and efficient administration of Sir James Whitney.

We all remember the splendid battle for prohibition carried on by the ministers of Ontario in the election campaign of June 1914, and we also have occasion to remember the torrents of slander and abuse to which they were subjected.

Does anyone believe that Ontario would now have a prohibitory law upon her statute books if the clergy of the province had maintained a cowardly silence in the famous "Abolish-the-Bar" campaign?

In these few familiar instances it will be seen that the ministry of the churches added immeasurably to their usefulness by having the "courage of their convictions" and standing up fearlessly for what they conceived to be right. The public have derived untold benefits and the clergy stand far higher in public estimation.

Religion does not consist of certain mechanical repetitions and genuflections. Religion is a life.

A speaker in one of the church conferences the other day was bestowing great praise upon his denomination because it had had so little to do with bringing about prohibition in Ontario.

We can see nothing to glory about in an attitude of that kind. The milk-and-water route is easy and pleasant to travel over but it never gets you anywhere. Prohibition is a moral question. As such it is either right or wrong. If it is right, no church, as such, can afford to be neutral upon it. If prohibition is wrong in principle, and as it works out in practice, then the church ought to oppose it might and main. There may be independence but there can be no proper neutrality for any church upon moral issues.

We do not consider it wise for the clergy of our churches, as clergymen, or for our churches, as churches, to become political partisans and to incorporate in their programs such subjects as the tariff, the Single Tax, or the regulation of joint stock companies. But wherever a political question comes up, with a moral issue the prominent factor about it, then we believe the ministers could be heard from with great advantage to themselves and to the public at large.

Not insipid, colorless neutrality, but sane and not silent independence is what is required.

The Ontario would oppose to the last ditch any attempt to create a union of church and state in Canada or to extend the temporal power of any denomination. We would even endorse the sweeping away of the compromising favors the churches now enjoy, such as exemption from

the payment of taxes on church property. But we would fain hear from our ministers far oftener than we do upon "political and civic affairs."

All our churches can be filled at every service if the sermonisers will more nearly touch the individual and community life. Give the people something that they feel they need and there will be no difficulty about church attendance.

Aimless reviewing of Jewish history and dismal threatenings about future eternal torment no longer inspire or intimidate. All are agreed that our status in the future depends upon how we conduct ourselves in the present. The life that now is and how we can achieve our highest destiny in that life should therefore be the primary interest and concern of both pulpit and pew.

To preach to men about the lives they are leading requires that ministers "should have the courage of their convictions," and in preaching they may occasionally turn with profit to "political and civic affairs."

Dr. Scott is headed in the right direction.

THE FIELD OF HONOR.

"The 15th of September will ever be a historic day for Canada. Our men have won a signal victory over the enemy. They look confidently forward to others." With these words the "eye-witness" at the Canadian headquarters in France concludes his narrative of the glorious part played by the sons of Canada in the capture of the village of Courcellette which Mr. Frederick Palmer of the Associated Press, and Mr. Philip Gibbs of the London Daily Chronicle two brilliant war correspondents, have signalized as one of the most remarkable achievements of the war. The "eye-witness" narrative, based as it undoubtedly is upon official information, confirms the testimony of those experienced writers and tells how brilliantly the attack was carried out by our gallant boys and how resourceful they showed themselves in overcoming the most adverse conditions and in consolidating and holding the advantage won. The story of their bravery stirs the emotions and fills our hearts. They have added new lustre to the name of Canada. To us in Eastern Ontario it is occasion for special pride that the Battalion which is particularly dear to the hearts of the people of this part of the Province was foremost in the fighting and, as the official report states, played a brilliant part in the execution of the attack. Their countrymen are proud of their valor, and their splendid courage. Major Roscoe Vanderwater and his men did "magnificent work," they fought a good fight, they maintained the honor of the British name. The Canadian soldiers have once more proved their mettle in one of the most desperate encounters of the war. The success they won appears to have been of the highest importance. The cost was heavy, but the sacrifice was not in vain. We salute the memory of Lieut. Allen, Pte. Milton Vandervoort, Pte. Caddick and the other heroes who have fallen on the field of honor. We send to those who "carry on" our grateful congratulations upon the glorious victory that they have won for Canada.

FUTILE "FRIGHTFULNESS."

Hasty generalizations about anything in this war are to be avoided, but the failure of the last Zeppelin raid, in force, when only three of the thirteen raiders were able to approach the outskirts of London and one of these was brought down in flames, seems to confirm the confidence of the British press in the efficiency of the gun and aircraft defences of London. This is not to tempt Providence, for it is always possible that a Zeppelin raid on a big scale may by an unlucky fluke inflict considerable local damage and loss of life. But the Westminster Gazette thinks that there has been enough experience of these attacks to enable it to say with much confidence that the German airship has no serious importance as a military factor operating by itself.

As a scout for the navy its value is undeniable, but as an attacking force in land warfare it is fatally handicapped by its inability to hit its target with any certainty. In war it is hitting, and not the mere discharge of a projectile that counts. The most powerful Dreadnought armed with the largest guns would be mere lumber if it could do nothing better than shoot vaguely at the horizon. It only becomes formidable when behind the gun is the skilful gunner able to spot his target and send his shot home. The Zeppelin throwing bombs out of the mist into the darkness, uncertain whether it is over town or country or even land or sea, mistaking a ploughed field for an arsenal, or a church for a munition factory, can effect no military purposes except by accident, unless its opponent is unwise enough to display his vulnerable points.

The result is seen in repeated efforts on an increasing scale with diminishing results, the damage done by the whole series being altogether negligible and the total casualties less than in almost any quite minor engagement on the front. These conditions are the total condemnation of the Zeppelin as a legitimate weapon of war. Raids on definite military objectives,

by aircraft under control and able to aim deliberately at a visible target, are undoubtedly according to the rules of war; and if incidentally they do damage to the civilian population, that does not condemn them, provided that their object is clearly military. But raids in the darkness by airships which do not know where they are going, which cannot pick out their targets, and which must discharge ninety-nine out of a hundred of their bombs upon undefended towns and villages, are mere exhibitions of frightfulness and ought to be disallowed by any code which admits that the civilian population is entitled to protection.

But, as the Westminster Gazette remarks, the Germans have got Zeppelins on their brains, and their rulers feed them with the most fantastic tales of the results of their raids. To read German newspapers, one might suppose that a large part of London was in ashes, and its population a prey to panic which will shortly result in a humble suing for peace and mercy. The mob became delirious at Hamburg three weeks ago when the aged and homicidal Count Zeppelin addressed them from the balcony of his hotel and said that he had behind him a man "who was over London last night." To the German imagination England is a small country, so densely populated that a bomb can fall nowhere without killing men and women and destroying factories and arsenals. That "vastly the greater part of its area is still rural and that the immense majority of the bombs fall harmlessly in unfrequented fields does not occur to them. After each raid there is an army of neutral observers from England, which they have hastily evacuated as no place for inoffensive foreigners, and eager to tell the German newspapers of the devastation and consternation which have been wrought by German bombs. And so the cry goes up that a way has at last been found of dealing with the hated islanders, and the worst charge that can be laid against the Imperial Chancellor by his enemies is that he wishes to restrain not only the submarines but the Zeppelins. Even the mild theologian Harnack, who has been employed to make speeches for the "honorable peace" campaign, was obliged to explain hastily after one of them that he has no scruples against the ruthless and unlimited use of Zeppelins.

"The German General Staff," says the Westminster Gazette, "must know the truth about this business, but they are hopelessly committed to Zeppelin sensationalism; and we may suspect that the raids are continued not so much with the idea of hurting us as of pleasing the Germans. If our gunners and aviators can repeat their splendid feat of the recent Sunday morning, that may soon become a too expensive luxury."

The close season for Zeppelins in Galicia is over, and from now on we may look for Brusloff's daily bag of war prisoners.

Mr. S. S. McClure, one of the Ford peace pilgrims, is telling shamefacedly of how he was loaded up while in Germany with lying tales of great damage done to Liverpool and Manchester by Zeppelin raids, when, as a matter of fact, as he has now established by personal investigation, no Zeppelin has ever visited either city. Mr. McClure will not be such an "easy mark" for German lies in future.

A PRAYER.

Oh! Father dear, draw near to me and hear  
The humble prayer of this Thy little child  
Help me to feel that Thou art always near  
And make me honest, truthful, good and true

Lord, in the early morning of my life I  
Thee,  
(Oh! hear my prayer) to have my sins forgiven,  
Wouldst clasp my hand in Thine and comfort me,  
When life is dark, and write my name in Heaven.

And when the sun shines bright, no clouds are in the sky,  
When life is one glad song from morning until night,  
Then help me still to feel that Thou art nigh  
And keep the image of Thy Heavenly face in sight.

Teach me to feel another's bitter woe, to hide the fault,  
I see in those whose hearts are wrung with bitter pain,  
To give a friendly hand and try my best to show,  
The sun has always shone again, however dark the rain.

And when at last my earthly toils are o'er, and I can see  
By my declining strength that earth will soon know me no more,  
Then may I gently sink to rest as does the setting sun,  
And be at peace with Thee at last forevermore.

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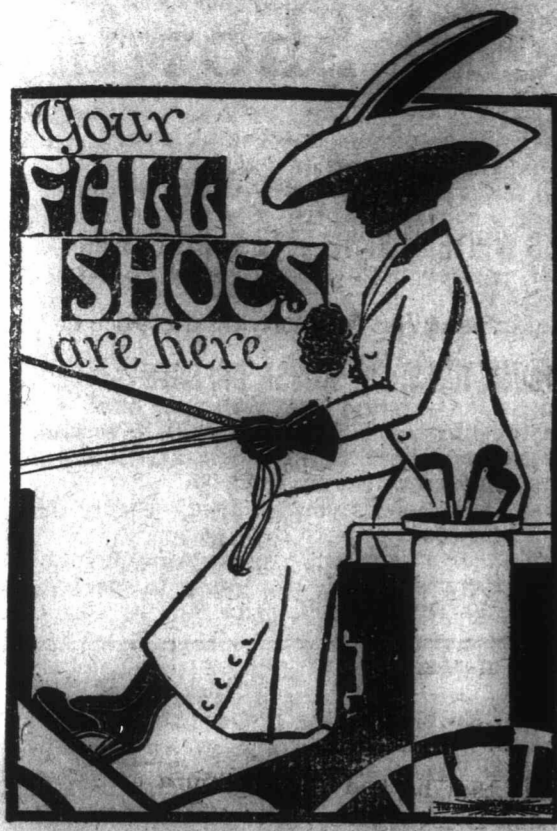
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Word reached that two towns of Capt. A. E. Gordon E. B. in France in movement of water was a Battalion of and had been three months. Bywater took training in England in reference to his injuries on date, but it is many friends of Sergt. Gordon first man to High School. He ton but trained short time before He went across (ingent, 21st B England and on was taken across he has been doing ever since. For from "Somewhere a few weeks ago transferred to where he, with Canadians have injured. Two brothers are both here the former being Gordon recently Fred in England unusual interest when Gordon another while to trenches in Belgium seen one another Gordon's many for further injuries.

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THE latest news of the town and surrounding neighborhood given in an interesting manner. OUR Daily News Letter from this thriving town furnished by The Ontario's Special Correspondent. BUSHY TRENTON

Word reached town yesterday that two townspeople in the name of Capt. A. E. Bywater and Sergeant Gordon E. Burt were wounded in France in the offensive movement of the 39th Battalion of the contingent, and had been in France about three months. His Capt. Bywater took part in the training in England. Particulars in reference to the seriousness of his injuries could be ascertained to date, but it is to be hoped by his many friends that they are minor. Sergt. Gordon E. Burt was the first man to enlist from Trenton High School. He signed up in Trenton but trained in London for a short time before going to Kingston. He went across with the 2nd Contingent, 21st Battalion, trained in England and on the 4th Sept. 1916 was taken across to France where he has been doing his bit, in reality ever since. For months his mail was from "Somewhere in Belgium" but a few weeks ago his battalion was transferred to the Somme district where he, with many other brave Canadians have been killed or injured. Two brothers, Ross and Fred are both serving their country, the former being in Belgium where Gordon recently was placed and Fred in England. A coincidence of unusual interest occurred in France when Gordon and Ross met one another while to and fro from the trenches in Belgium. Neither had seen one another for over a year. Gordon's many friends will look for further word regarding his injuries.

NILES CORNERS. Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Switzer are sporting a dandy new car. The rain on Thursday night was welcomed by all as it was badly needed. Mrs. F. Nease has purchased a dandy new jumptop buggy. Mrs. C. R. Spencer, of Consecow, visited Mrs. C. Ryan on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Ellis entertained a full house on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dafoe and son, Herman, and Mrs. Nease were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Dafoe on Saturday. Mr. Benj. Ellis and Mr. Peter Clapp made a business trip to Peter on Monday. Mrs. Harry Dafoe and son, visited Mrs. Ryan on Monday. A number from here attended the

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Valleur of Toronto spent the past few days at R. Hazard's and H. Valleur's. H. Jose accompanied by H. Huff motored to Ameliasburg on Sunday and took Rev. Webber to Cherry Valley. Roy Valleur and sister, Misses Whiteman and Davidson spent the afternoon and evening at C. Simond's on Sunday. Rhoda Brummel was brought home on Saturday from the General Hospital, all hope for a speedy recovery. The farmers expect a busy week as two threshing and silo filling outfits are booked for in this neighborhood. Mrs. J. Howatson is confined to

FRANKFORD. Mrs. Wessels of Wooler and her friend Mrs. Wensley were in town on Tuesday. Bandsman Fraser of the 155th band is home for a few days with his wife and children. Mr. H. Parry and daughter Lena also Lulu Meyers motored down to Trenton Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. R. McMurray of Elizabethtown were in town Thursday and Friday attending the fair. Our annual fair passed off very nicely, although the earlier part of the day was not favorable in appearance, but as the clouds dispersed and the sun came out, the people began to arrive and there was a large crowd present. Mr. Gunn and Miss Hazel Sanderson, also Mr. Howard and Miss Nina Meyers of Sidney and Mr. Jas. Johnson took tea with Miss Lulu Meyers on Friday evening. Mrs. W. H. Phillips of Belleville was the guest of Mrs. and Miss Bowen last week. The Ladies who were in charge of the Red Cross booth at the fair grounds wish to thank all who so liberally donated for that work, both in the town and surrounding country, also all who patronized them and helped to swell their proceeds which amounted to \$105. Mr. Bert Williams son of Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Williams has been renewing old friendships in town for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Meyers took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Vandervoort of Trenton on Sunday. The S.S. Rally service held in the Methodist church on Sunday at 10.30 a.m., was largely attended and enjoyed by all who were present. Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith also day with friends in Rednersville. Mr. and Mrs. W. Cairnie and children of Ross more were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Benedict on Sunday. Mrs. Weese and little son returned to Rossmore with them. Miss Frederick Tice arrived home on Friday after spending some weeks in Toronto and Muskoka.

VICTORIA. Church was well attended on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Mutton gave a very impressive Missionary sermon. Service next Sunday at 2.30 p.m. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hayko and Miss Tait of Hastings, also Mrs. A. Lont who is returning after a month's visit with relatives, motored down and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Fox. Mr. Huyko of Hastings, picked from his garden two boxes of strawberries which he brought with him and Mr. Fox declares them a real treat for this time of year. The Ladies' Aid will meet at Miss Minnie Weese's on Oct. 12. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodford and baby, also Miss Thrasher of Sidney, were Sunday visitors at Mr.

GRATEFUL FOR SOCKS. Field Ambulance Soldier Writes of Receipt of Comforts. Pie, T. H. Bailey, of the Field Ambulance at the front, has written the following letter of appreciation to Mrs. F. H. Lamont, of Kingsville, (nee Miss Evelyn Conley, of Corbyville) for socks knitted by the women of the Red Cross, Fourth Line, Thurlow, and sent to the front before Christmas, 1915: Somewhere in Belgium, August 16, 1916. Dear Mrs. Conley,—Just a few lines to let you know I received your socks O. K., and would like to thank you very much for your kindness in thinking of us boys so much, that you send socks to us. I must confess that I should have written to you sooner but I only got them last month and then I was so busy that I put your address in my book and forgot all about it till just now when I was looking for something else and happened to find it again, so I am writing to you as you asked that the soldier that got your socks to write to you if I have done so. I am with the Field Ambulance up here. My address is—Pie, T. H. Bailey, 34259, C. Sec. 3rd P.M. Am. 1st Can. Contg., B.E.F., France. N. B.—I hope you are enjoying the best of health and also having a good time down there where you live as we are having a very good time here just now. Well friend, I will close for this time. I hope you will write a few lines an diet me know if you get this letter. I remain, Yours truly, T. H. Bailey.

PAPER PRICE GOES UP. Newspaper subscriptions go up from \$1.00 to \$1.50. Cows from \$25 to \$70. He was from the country and he came in to pay for his subscription to The Mercury. "I suppose it's cheaper this year, because it's hard times?" he said with a sort of winning smile. We had to tell him it was dear because of the increase in paper costs and ink and the other incidentals that had risen. "Well," he said "I suppose we cannot hardly expect it otherwise. We used to get \$28 for a cow and now we get \$70." He paid \$1.50 ungrudgingly. The farmer who isn't willing to pay \$1.50 for 12 visits from a good local paper hasn't been thinking out what is fair. The man who thinks will pay the advanced readily.—Rentreux Mercury. No fair-minded man will deprive his family of the pleasure and benefit of reading one of the best home papers in this country because the price has advanced 50 cents a year—less than one cent a week! He would be a very small-souled man, would he not?—Bowmanville Statesman.

Will Bush's. Mr. and Mrs. H. Montgomery and children took tea at Mr. L. Brickman's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brickman and boys Sunday at Mr. J. F. Weese's. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Calhan, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cunningham and daughters were the guests at Mr. D. Galsan's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Brickman, Mrs. F. Brickman, Misses Vera and Audra took dinner on Sunday at Mr. Fred Bonters's. Mrs. B. White of Sidney, visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Bush on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. N. Weese Sunday at Mr. J. F. Weese's. Mr. and Mrs. G. Gibson visited at Mr. B. Hennessey's on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Mutton took dinner at Mr. Will Hubbs' on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Brickman, Mr. and Mrs. T. Brickman took in Colborne Fair and had dinner at Mr. Leonard Gill's, Colborne on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Stoneburg spent Sunday at Mr. Will Hubbs'.

BURR'S. Mr. Walter Nelson advertised his farm for sale last week and sold it before the week was out. It sure pays to advertise. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson were in town on Monday. Mrs. Dan Bennett, Trenton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bride Hough. Miss May Hough returned home on Sunday after a pleasant visit to friends in Holloway. Mr. Geo. Fox and his daughters Mildred and Georgina visited at Mr. C. J. Wright's, Hillier on Sunday. Among those from here who attended Picton Fair were Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Brason and Miss Letta, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brason, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Doolittle, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Adams, Messrs. Geo. Fox, Hom Jordan, Ewart Harnes and George Valleur, Misses Mildred Fox, Gladys Vanocott, Ida Burkett and Celestia Squire.

WATERBURY MARKET. Fall wheat—New, \$1.35 per bushel; old, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; oats, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; clover, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; timothy, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; alfalfa, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; hay, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; straw, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 25.—Wheat—Spot, 27s 6d; 1st, 27s 6d; 2nd, 27s 6d; 3rd, 27s 6d; 4th, 27s 6d; 5th, 27s 6d; 6th, 27s 6d; 7th, 27s 6d; 8th, 27s 6d; 9th, 27s 6d; 10th, 27s 6d; 11th, 27s 6d; 12th, 27s 6d. CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; market, weak; beefs, \$4.00 to \$4.10; steers, \$3.75 to \$3.85; calves, \$4.25 to \$4.35; hogs, \$4.00 to \$4.10; sheep, \$3.50 to \$3.60. TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Wheat—Receipts, 10,000; market, steady; No. 1, \$1.35; No. 2, \$1.30; No. 3, \$1.25; No. 4, \$1.20; No. 5, \$1.15; No. 6, \$1.10; No. 7, \$1.05; No. 8, \$1.00; No. 9, \$0.95; No. 10, \$0.90; No. 11, \$0.85; No. 12, \$0.80.

Our Weekly Market Reports

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—The Board of Trade official market quotations for yesterday: Manitoba wheat (Track, Bay Ports), No. 1 northern, new, \$1.15; No. 2 northern, new, \$1.10; No. 3 northern, new, \$1.05; No. 4 wheat, \$1.00; Old crop trading 2c above new crop. Manitoba oats (Track, Bay Ports), No. 1 C.W., 90c; No. 2 C.W., 85c; Extra No. 1 feed, 60c; No. 1 feed, 55c. American Corn, No. 3 yellow, 95c; track, Toronto, Ontario Oats (According to Freight Outside), No. 1 white, 55c to 56c; No. 2 white, 52c to 54c. Ontario Wheat (According to Freight Outside), No. 2, winter, per car lot, new, \$1.35 to \$1.40; No. 1 commercial, old crop, \$1.20 to \$1.25; No. 3 commercial, old crop, \$1.20 to \$1.25. Peas (According to Freight Outside), No. 2, \$2.15 to \$2.25. Barley (According to Freight Outside), Malt barley, nominal, 85c to 88c; Feed barley, 40c nominal, 85c to 88c; Buckwheat (According to Freight Outside), Nominal, 80c to 85c. Rye (According to Freight Outside), No. 1, new, \$1.15 to \$1.18. Manitoba Flour (Toronto), First patents, in 48 lb. bags, \$3.60; Second patents, in 48 lb. bags, \$3.10; Strong bakers', in 48 lb. bags, \$2.90; Ontario Flour (Prompt Shipment), New, winter, according to sample, 65.25, in bags, track, Toronto; new, according to sample, 66.25, bulk, seaboard. Bran, per ton, \$27; Shorts, per ton, \$25; Middlings, per ton, \$10; Good feed flour, per bag, \$2.25. Hay (Track, Toronto), No. 1, per ton, \$10 to \$12; No. 2, per ton, \$9 to \$10; Straw (Track, Toronto), Car lots, per ton, \$7 to \$8. Farmers' Market, Fall wheat—New, \$1.35 per bushel; old, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; oats, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; clover, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; timothy, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; alfalfa, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; hay, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel; straw, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bushel.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 7 1/2d. Landed oil—Landed market quotations for yesterday: Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, 28c. WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. WHEAT—Wheat was 1/2c higher at the close today, with October at \$1.55, November at \$1.53, December at \$1.51, and May at \$1.56. Oats were 1/4c higher, with October at \$1.25, November at \$1.23, and December at \$1.21. Export trade was good, inquiry was active, but trade was hampered by the smallness of offerings. Attempts to buy No. 1 northern sent the premium from 8c to 5c, and it was claimed that even over that was paid, but it could not be continued. There was plenty of inquiry for oats, but few cash sales. Trading in futures was speculative. Barley was in good demand and hard to get.

CATTLE MARKETS

UNION STOCK YARDS. TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards yesterday consisted of 205 calves, 4,099 cattle, 321 calves, 216 hogs, and 1,906 sheep. Choice heavy steers, \$3.25 to \$3.50; good heavy steers, \$3 to \$3.25. Butcher cattle—Choice, \$7.50 to \$7.75; good, \$7.25 to \$7.50; medium, \$6.50 to \$6.85; common, \$5.75 to \$6.25. Cows—Choice, \$6.25 to \$6.50; good, \$5.80 to \$6.10; medium, \$5.50 to \$5.75; common, \$4.75 to \$5.25. Canners and cutters—\$3.50 to \$4.75. Bulls—Best heavy \$7 to \$7.25; good, \$6.75 to \$7.00; common, \$5 to \$5.50. Stockers and feeders—\$5 to \$6.75. Milkers and springers—\$5 to \$10. Spring lambs—Choice, \$3 1/2 to 4c lb.; common, 3c to 4c lb. Light, handy sheep—\$4c to 8c lb.; heavy, fat sheep, \$6 to \$4c lb. Veal calves, 6c to 12c lb.

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TWO ZEPPELINS OF LATEST TYPE HAVE BEEN BROUGHT DOWN

Giant Raiders Are Destroyed in Great Britain—Tens of Thousands of Londoners Witness Complete Destruction of One Craft While Other Manages to Land Without Injury to Crew—Ten Other Airships Escape After Considerable Damage in Lives and Property.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Of twelve big Zeppelins which invaded the British Isles Saturday night to deal death and destruction from the skies two today lay stark and black masses of steel and aluminum in the little village of Manford, Essex County. They fell victims of the anti-aircraft defenses of London and outlying districts. One came down a flaming torch, as did the Zeppelin L-21, destroyed three weeks ago; while the second, disabled by gunfire, effected a landing which saved the lives of the crew, who are now prisoners in England. The crew of the first raider died in the consuming flames of their own ship, but they were not so terribly charged as their predecessors. This latest raider to light her own funeral way on English soil collapsed and was consumed much more quickly than the L-21. It is possible, though, that some of the men were still living when the great vessel struck the ground. The captain's body was found some distance from the wreck. The death and burning of the first Zeppelin was witnessed by tens of thousands of London's residents, and the wounding and descent of the second raider was a matter of doubt until Sunday's official statements were given out. Few details are available of this second raider's condition, but it is reliably reported that the crew surrendered to special constables. Many who saw the airship bursting like skyrocket and the invader, which subsequently caught fire, think there must have been several direct hits. Many aeroplanes were aloft, and attacked the Zeppelins from all sides. The raiders took a heavy toll of lives before their destruction, 28 persons being killed and 89 wounded in the metropolitan district of London. Two persons were killed, probably four, and 17 were wounded in the provinces. The property damage, while widely distributed, is confined for the most part to small suburban dwellings and shops, although one railway station was damaged, some empty cars being destroyed and part of the tracks turned up.

The military damage inflicted was negligible, according to Sir John French's reports, which follow: "The latest reports show that probably not more than 13 airships paraded in Saturday night's raid. Police reports from the provinces indicate that the damage done was slight. At one town in East Midlands a number of bombs were dropped and two persons were killed and 11 injured. It is feared two more bodies are buried under the ruins. In this town some damage was caused to the railway station and about a dozen houses and shops were wrecked or damaged. A chapel and storehouse were set afire. With this exception no other casualties are reported outside of the metropolitan area. Although a large number of bombs were dropped promiscuously over the districts visited, the material damage was insignificant. A great number of the bombs fell into the sea and into open places. "The metropolitan casualties are 17 men, 8 women, and 3 children killed; 45 men, 37 women, and 17 children injured. A considerable number of small dwelling-houses and shops were demolished or damaged and a number of fires were caused. Two factories sustained injury and some empty railway trucks were destroyed, and the permanent ways slightly damaged in two places. "No reports have been received of any military damage. Crew of Zeppelin Arrested. The commander and twenty members of the crew of the Zeppelin which was forced to land near an Essex coast town were arrested by the village constable as they were marching along the road in the blackness of the night, according to the latest "eye-witness" accounts. "I am the commander of a German airship that has just come down, and these are my crew," said the leader of the men when accosted by the constable. Then the officer added, "Please allow me to go to the nearest post-office so that I may telephone someone in London who will let my wife know I am safe." Special constables came up and the prisoners were marched to the nearest detention camp, where it was found several of them were wounded.



News Notes From the Countryside

BAYSIDE. Mrs. W. Reddick of Toronto, visited Mrs. F. A. Gardner last week. Miss Alice Wilson has been visiting relatives in Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson attended the Camp Meeting at Ivanhoe. Mr. L. Mallory, Miss Pauline Saries, Miss Marie Brown, Mr. Fred Wilson, Miss Queenie Gardner motored to Ivanhoe on Sunday to attend the Camp Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loveless took in the Frankford Fair, also visiting some of Mr. Loveless' friends. Sorry to report that Mr. Mark Ottery is under the weather.

Wellington. Our little hat shop is busy these days. Mr. and Mrs. George Nobles expect soon to go to visit their sons at Chicago.

CARMEL. Rev. Wilson occupied the pulpit on Sunday last. Rally Service was conducted by Mr. Horton, S. S. Supt., on Sunday evening last.

CENTRE. Mr. and Mrs. Bronson, Foxboro, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Coulter. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Roblin called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stafford on Sunday afternoon.

POINT ANNE. Mr. Fred Wilson of 155th Battalion, Barriefield, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Edith Wilson.

SAW GRAVE OF SON. Hon. Col. Jas. L. Hughes, brother of the Minister of Militia, has just returned to Toronto from the battle front in Belgium and France. It was to visit the grave of his son Lieut. Chester Hughes, who numbers among Canada's brave sons who have made the supreme sacrifice in the cause of righteousness, that Col. Hughes went to Europe.

MARYSVILLE. On account of the absence of rain the farmers cannot get the land ready for the sowing of the fall crops, therefore the average will be small in this section.

LONSDALE. Once more the dark and gloomy days of Autumn are at hand. Mr. Frank Kineer is sporting a beautiful new car. The Misses Mary and Madeline O'Sullivan, Syracuse, N. Y., spent the past week with Mrs. A. O'Sullivan.

GRAVEL ROAD. Miss Laidley is the guest of Miss Lily Drummey. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Harvey, Deseronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harvey.

THIRD LINE BRULOW. We had a S. S. Rally at Bethany church which was very interesting. Mrs. K. Loney and Mrs. Gallagher returned home to South Bay after visiting their sister, Mrs. A. Rutan.

AUTOIST GAVE FIRE ALARM. Shortly after passing Hillier, our first exciting experience occurred. Having passed a large white frame residence, Mr. Basil Tucker, who was driving, saw reflected in the mirror on his car, smoke issuing from an upper window of the dwelling and which the roof was on fire.

HELPER CHILDREN. Will you kindly allow me to make an appeal through your valuable paper to the farmers and citizens of this county and city. This is the season of the year when we all gather in our store for the winter.

TOWNS AFTER THE SEYMOUR TAXES. Port Hope, Sept. 26.—The Mayors and Reeves from all the municipalities in the counties of Victoria, Peterborough, Ontario, Durham and Northumberland met here this afternoon. As a result of the acquisition of the Seymour interests in the Trent district by the Hydro-Electric Commission the municipalities will possibly lose all the taxes on the property heretofore owned by the former company.

OUTRAGE AT COBOURG. One of the maddest men in Cobourg Saturday afternoon was a farmer who had "cached" his supply in his wagon in an hotel yard. When he

officer of the unit to which the late lieutenant belonged, whose name by they way was also Hughes, although they were no relation, took him to it. He found it in a little parish cemetery at Locre in Belgium, about half a mile from the French border. It like the graves of the other Canadians who have fallen, was marked by a Greek cross. This is somewhat from the ordinary one, and many of the units have adopted it for marking the graves of their fallen comrades.

HAVE LOST ALL CHANCE. Conclusion of Danish Military Expert Regarding Central Empires.

REMOVING OLD RAILS. Mayor Ed. Duncan and Mr. Wilbert Pratt have taken the contracts to remove the rails and other scrap iron on the old Cobourg and Harwood railroad. The part from Harwood to a little south of the summit will be taken to Harwood on lorries by gravitation and shipped on scows to Hastings. From a summit southward the rails will be taken to Cobourg by teams for shipment.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. As stated last week, the troops from Barriefield camp who visited Gananoque, brought with them their wireless outfit, which was used during their stay here to keep them in communication with the camp. The Reporter has the distinction of receiving the first wireless message in Gananoque. It was received on Saturday morning from the Kingston Whig, and read as follows:—"Give troops deserved welcome."

CHANGES AMONG C. P. R. OFFICIALS. The following announcements of the transfer of C. P. R. officials have just been made. Mr. M. G. Murphy, District Passenger Agent, St. John, N.B., is appointed General Agent of the Passenger Department at Detroit, Mich., with office at 7 Fort street, west, Mr. N. R. Desbrisay, Chief Clerk in the Passenger Department at New York, Agent at St. John, N.B., with office at 40 and 42 King street, in rooms of Mr. Murphy, who has been transferred. Mr. Desbrisay is a native of the Maritime Provinces. He had been General Travelling Passenger Agent at Montreal for some time before he went to New York.

IAD ALL COMFORTS OF HOME. A soldier at the front writing home describes the German trench taken by them as follows: "The German dugouts are excellent, big, deep and lined with white wall paper, as well as being provided with electric light and shelves for books, among which was a set for advanced bookkeeping, in which a former trench occupant was apparently taking a course, despite the war raging hard by."

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McINTOSH BROS. Special Showing

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HOUSE DRESSES, HOUSE DRESSES. The kind that fit, wear well and look well are here in endless varieties. Never in the history of House Dresses have such values been shown at the prices we have marked them at. All sizes short or long sleeves, prices range from 59c up to \$1.99. If you want a house dress here is your chance. Pretty fall frocks for the wee kiddies and older girls. Mothers you can effect a wonderful saving on your children's outfit for dresses. Here is one we are going to specialize in for this week. Reg. up to \$1.00 values sale price 50c.

NEW GOODS. Blankets, Quilts, Linens, Towels, Sheets, Cottons. Specially priced for Month End Selling. COAT'S THREAD 200 yds. 6 Cord only 5c spool. NEW DRESS GOODS. New Corduroy Velvets, New Hosiery 25c to \$1.50 pr. New Gloves 75c to \$2.50 pr. New Corsets 50c to \$3.00 pr. New Sweaters For Men Women and Children Prices from 50c to \$12.50.

Wims & Co. A very quiet but was solemnized at St. O on Tuesday, Sept. 11.30 a.m., when Miss Lay, only daughter of Plumley, Marmora Str. in marriage to Mr. J. I. Fry, who was given away before only the immediate bride and groom, Vanstone, Toronto and while the groomsmen Fry, also of Toronto.

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Mr. and Mrs. Andy today for an extended trial.

Miss Fronia Guntz Fellow's Temple office the guest of Miss H. Tuesday afternoon, while on her way back bridge, where she had her holidays.

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TRIBUTE TO LT. B. K. ALLEN

Memorial For Fallen Officer at St. Thomas Church.

Tribute to the late Lieut. Bertram Kerr Allen, of the 21st Battalion, who died a heroic death on Friday, Sept. 15th, was paid by St. Thomas church congregation last Sunday evening. A large number of parishioners and others attended the memorial service. Venerable Archdeacon Beamish in his sermon said: "Well may the old boys of Belleville be proud of their sons whose early years have shown the true metal of manhood. Thank God that they were ready to go to serve their country when the call for help came, and that the brother we mourn for tonight did his duty. There are others just as good but none better. This young soldier in his sacrifice, and others who have given their lives may be likened to Him who died on the Cross. So we may well take the message to our hearts that we may be taught the message of the Cross and commit our beloved to His care. How may we respond if He calls upon us to make a supreme sacrifice. "Lift up

our eyes unto the hills from whence cometh our strength." "Our strength cometh from the Lord who hath made Heaven and earth." The burial office for the dead was recited and suitable hymns were sung. "For all the saints" and "On the Resurrection Mornings" were among the number. The March from Saul was played by Prof. Wheatley at the close of the service, the congregation reverently standing while the March was being played. Capt. Allen is the fourth member of the congregation of St. Thomas' to pay the supreme sacrifice. The sympathy of the entire congregation goes out to the bereaved family.

PENALTIES GO TO MUNICIPALITIES

Under the new Ontario Temperance Act, unless the municipality appoints by bylaw an officer whose duties it shall be to enforce the provisions of the Act, all the penalties that might be inflicted by the magistrates would go to the Provincial Treasurer. In order to have the fines go into the coffers of the city, the council last night passed a bylaw appointing Daniel Thompson to the position. This makes the Chief a provincial as well as a city official.—Peterborough Review.

September Brides

On Thursday afternoon last a marriage took place at St. Thomas church of considerable public interest, being that of the Rev. Cecil Winter of Trinity church, Shannonville, to Miss Florence Mitham of Durham, England. The vested choir of St. Thomas' was present and the service was fully choral, the organist and choir doing their part well as usual. The Rector, the Ven. Arch-Deacon Beamish performed the important ceremony. The bride who arrived in the city a few days ago to fulfil her engagement with the Rev. Mr. Winter, had been staying at the Rectory of St. Thomas' in the meantime and secured the liking and approval of everyone who met her. Though the day and hour of the ceremony were not widely known, there were quite a number present to witness it, and its beauty and impressiveness were felt by all. By the wish of the bride who had had quite enough travelling for the present, she and her husband, after refreshments, served at the Rectory, left for Shannonville, their future home, with the good wishes for their happiness of all who knew them. The bride, looking very charming in her travelling

dress, entered the church on the arm of the Rev. J. F. Fraser who gave her away. The happy couple were unattended.

OBSEQUIES OF STEPHEN LYNCH

The funeral of the late Stephen Lynch took place on Sunday from the residence of his brother Mr. M. J. Lynch to St. Michael's church where Rev. Father Killeen officiated at a solemn service. Interment was in St. James' cemetery Rev. Father Hyland officiating. The bearers were Aid. St. Charles, M. Callaghan, John Penny, Matthew Weir, D. J. Corrigan and W. M. McDonald. The offerings were as follows: Spiritual Offerings—M. J. Lynch and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cotter, Mr. Stanley Harris, Edward Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch, J. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Manley, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cummins, M. r. and Mrs. P. F. Chette and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Finnigan. Flowers—Cross, Mrs. T. Lynch and son Gerald, Sheaf-Johnson Bros., John Reeves, Mrs. Banford. Cut flowers—Mrs. J. Taylor.

Mr. W. D. Embury left early this morning for St. Ola to attend the funeral of his uncle the late Mr. P. Clark.

TRENTON, Sept. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hare of Brighton spent yesterday in town.

Lieutenant Lorne Foster spent a few days at his home in town on his way to Ottawa where he will take a musketry course. Lieut. Foster has had charge of a battalion in Calgary.

Rev. Mr. Foster has moved from his room over the Moisons Bank to his recently furnished house on Marmora street. Two nieces and nephews of Rev. Mr. Foster will stay with him, the young ladies keeping house and attending school in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shurie leave today for an extended visit to Montreal.

Miss Fronia Gunter, of the Odd Fellows' Temple office, Toronto, was the guest of Miss Hazard, Front St. Tuesday afternoon and evening while on her way back from Millbridge, where she had been spending her holidays.

Last night an interesting game of basketball was played on the high school grounds, the opponents being the high school girls vs. the ex-high school. The former won by the small margin of 14-13, the half time score being 7 all. The lineup was—high school, Jean O'Rourke, Marie Shurie, Violet Dixon, Angela Keith, Gladys O'Rourke, Anita Ward; the ex-high school, Lucy Long, Gladys Curry, D. Whittier, Georgina Hoag, Evelyn Powers and Lucy Labey.

Upper—Plumley. A very quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at St. George's church on Tuesday, September 19th at 11.30 a.m., when Miss Helen Plumley, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Plumley, Marmora Street was united in marriage to Mr. J. D. Upper. The bride was given away by her father before only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom, Miss Madeline Vanstone, Toronto assisted the bride, while the groomsmen was Mr. George Fry, also of Toronto. After the ceremony the party were entertained to a dainty wedding breakfast at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Upper left at 2.30 by C.P.R. for Detroit, Chicago and Colorado, and took with them the congratulations and best wishes of all.

Miss Alma Easterly, of Woster, was a business visitor to town yesterday.

Mr. Bob Mitchell, formerly of Trenton, is in town for a few days. Bob left town about a year ago and went to Alabama, Mississippi, but is now employed in Hamilton, preferring Canada to the States.

If the person who stole the milk out of the bottle in front of a River Road residence would make himself known the loser of the milk has been kind enough to offer him a little bread which would make a good meal for one in such hard circumstances.

Miss Gannon and Mr. Ray Carr, both of Trenton, were quietly married at 7.30 by Rev. Father Conley at St. Peter's Rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster attended the Picton Fair yesterday.

A most enjoyable evening was spent last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, King street, the event being a miscellaneous shower for Miss Olive Jones, a dear friend of all present. Many pretty remembrances in linen, china and brassware were given. The evening was spent dancing and card playing and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A ball team, representing Trenton, travelled to Frankford yesterday and were successful in winning, as far as the game was played. Rain prevented the home team from a severe trimming than 4-1.

Mr. Fred Markle, whose home is in Trenton, but who has been working in the last year in Fort Nelson, is town the guest of Mrs. Nelson. Mr. Markle speaks well of Fort Nelson as a future harbor and has many curious pictures of the work and inhabitants of that district. Fort Nelson is now thirty miles from the mouth of the Nelson River, where, as soon the route is finished, the grain will be transferred from train to boat and sent direct to England. A year ago Mr. Markle went in, together with 38 others, they travelled as far as had been laid and followed the trail about the balance of the year, about 200 miles, making the latter part of their trip at the rate of 10 miles a day. Since then only about

50 miles more railroad has been laid owing to the collapse of the Armstrong River Bridge, delaying building of a new bridge at Manitou Rapids and forest fires, when fifty miles of grade and all the engineer's residences and caches were burned. At Fort Nelson the river is two miles wide with a bed of sticky clay which makes dredging with their suction dredges. Mr. Markle returned by boat being a passenger aboard the Benmore, a full-rigged ship built in 1870, towed by the government steamer Sheba and took 14 days to make the trip to Sydney, Cape Breton. Head winds and dense fogs hindered much speed. Many hundreds of ice bergs were seen in the Hudson Straits. Two features of that country is that not a drop of liquor is allowed brought in and not a case of sickness was seen in the whole year although a hospital with seven cots is used a great deal for accidents happening workmen. To those having no idea what a trail is like mention could be made here that it is a narrow path, so narrow at the latter part of the season, that one has to throw one foot directly in front of the other in order to travel, thus making one's hips very tired and sore. Mr. Markle expects to go back in March.

Quite a number of Trenton young people attended the Emerald Club Dance on Friday night.

Miss Margaret Hennessy left today for Toronto where she will commence training for a nurse at St. Michael's Hospital.

Miss Doris Whittier left today for Toronto to attend St. Hilda's Ladies College where she will resume her Professional Librarian course.

Miss Mabel Duncanson of Brighton was a business visitor to town Friday.

Mrs. Russell Carney of Coe Hill is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Vanderwort, Spring Street.

Mr. Harold Gannmer of Cobourg visited his parents over Sunday.

Quite a number of Trenton people attended the Frankford Fair on Friday and report it as being ahead of previous years in many respects. Special mention has been made in reference to the Fancy Work Section and thought Frankford people should be congratulated for their thrift in this pastime work.

Trenton has a few less poles on their main street. A number of men on Saturday were busy taking them out. The wires they supported have been transferred to a new arm put on poles on the other side of the street. Would it not improve the appearance of the street 100 per cent. If these all were removed?

Our bridge is now the best in Ontario. The lights were all that were needed to finish it.

On Saturday night at 10.20, an alarm of fire was rung in from the Dutch Settlement. The fire brigade and engine made a hurried run to the scene but the blaze had been extinguished without the aid of the brigade. At the home of Mr. Strong a lamp had upset, setting fire to the woodwork, and burned a small portion of baseboard.

Birth—To Mr. and Mrs. Dave McDonald, Stockdale Rd., on Friday, Sept. 22nd, a daughter.

CANADA HAS TOO MANY OFFICERS.

Canada has a surplus of officers at the present time. It is estimated that there are upwards of two thousand infantry officers in the Dominion who have passed their examinations, but are unattached. In addition these ranks are being monthly swelled by officers returning from England. Few new regiments are being authorized at present, and these super-numeraries have apparently little opportunity of securing appointments. The only hope of their securing appointments is through the heavy wastage of officers in the big Somme offensive now in progress. Recently five hundred officers were sent to England and it is very possible there will be shortly another call for more officers.

RUSSIAN LIBERATED.

Pete Timko, a Rummian arrested at Deloro on a charge of creating a disturbance last week, was brought before Judge Deroche yesterday. The court found no offence was committed and discharged Timko. W. C. Mikel for accused. W. Carnew for Crown.

Advertisement for The Ritchie Company Limited, featuring corsets and floor oilcloths. The ad includes the text 'Five of The Most Famous Makes of CORSETS Are Represented in Our Extensive Corset Stock' and lists various brands like Gossard, Nemo, B. & A. Ladiva, Royal Worcester, Bon Ton, and Brassieres. It also features an illustration of a woman in a corset and a list of floor oilcloth and linoleum products. The company name 'The RITCHIE Company Limited' is prominently displayed at the bottom.

OS. wing that you will be for all this week GOWNS values at 59c, 69c price of Flannel- here in endless have such values All sizes short or Pretty fall frocks in your children's to specialize in s & Co. GOODS Quilts Towels Stions priced for Selling: S TREAD Cord only 5c spool ESS GOODS Toy Velvets 25c to \$1.50 pr. 75c to \$2.50 - 2 50c to \$3.00 pr. Children 50c to \$12.50 S WEAR Cotton Shirts 25 to \$1.50 sizes 14 1-2 to 98c s & Co QUALITY ig out his wet goods His running out in the road and yelling almost impress one to be murder com- SHAR. O. GOODRICH, AP- OR NORTHUMB- LAND. urch of Dundonald, he License Inspector mberland under the act for the last eight appointed License In- am and Northumber- Ontario Temperance provisions of that hich will be required s time to the work Cobourg. Goodrich has per- s diligently and well y prosecuting cases s has done so with careful investigation in a spirit of perse- Enterprise. JUST ONE OF MANY ND NEW HEALTH KIDNEY PILLS. ells How He Suffer- ney Tronque For Found a Quick elete Cure in Kidney Pills. ia Co., C. B., Sept. —Philip McLeod is the many residents ood who have found d's Kidney Pills s." Mr. McLeod ears I had kidney get nothing to help hat Dodd's Kidney r others led me to oxes cured me com- mended Dodd's Kid- y people. I cannot of them." of people who have ter than all the id. Dodd's Kidney nd simply a kidney ave kidney trouble o is to ask others hat Dodd's Kidney u. tell you that Dodd's rheumatism, drop- , diabetes, gravel ase. That is because are either kidney caused by diseased



THOMASBURG.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. M. English had to go to Toronto for an operation, but hope she will return in better health. Mrs. W. Morton has returned home after spending a couple of weeks in Toronto. Mrs. Richards has returned home after spending a week under the parental roof at Westwood. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morton motored to Trenton on Sunday. The frost has done considerable damage in this district and the potatoes are a very poor crop. Mr. Richards has returned home after spending a few days in Toronto. We are glad to hear that Willie Blakely is improving after his recent illness. Our school fair is being held this week at Stoco. Great preparation is being made at our school to make it a success. Filling silos is the order of the day.

STIRLING.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Elliott and Master Stewart, went to Cobourg on Saturday where they will attend the funeral of Mr. Elliott's brother-in-law, the late Mr. Teney. They will also visit their daughters in Toronto before returning. The Misses Cora and Florence Morton attended the funeral of their uncle, the late P. P. Clarke yesterday in Belleville. Miss Margaret Kingston, of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Chas. Kingston. Rev. S. C. Moore of the Tabernacle church, Belleville, was notified in the Methodist congregation here on Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barrigan, of Hastings, motored to Stirling on Sunday and spent the day the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ashley. Rev. Salsbury, Presbyterian minister of Burnbrae, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lagrow, Mrs. F. MacDonell, Mr. Geo. Lagrow motored to Kingston on Sunday to visit Miss Lena Lagrow who is seriously ill at Hotel Dies. A miscellaneous shower was given Miss Maud Ward last evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Ward. Her marriage to Mr. Percy Reynolds takes place tomorrow. Rally Day Service in connection with the Methodist Sunday School, was observed on Sunday morning and the programme given by the pupils deserves special mention. The pastor, Rev. A. J. Terrill, also gave a very enthusiastic address. Mr. Elsworth Caverly has sold his property to Mr. Meritt Sine and will leave for California in the near future. Miss Hazel Caverly has given up her position in Toronto and will accompany her parents also.

WESTERN AMELIASBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snider and family spent Sunday at Mr. J. R. Bonter's. Mr. and Mrs. S. Humphrey spent Sunday at Big Island. Mr. and Mrs. R. Wadsworth and Mr. and Mrs. C. Pearsall attended Picton Fair. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and family spent Sunday at Mr. J. Marvin's. Mr. and Mrs. R. Chase and son spent Sunday with Mrs. Chase's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hayes. Messrs. John Brown and Ray friends. Miss Lulu Rathbun and Miss Alice Parks attended Frankford fair. Mr. John Brown is making splendid progress with the basement of his new house. Mr. L. Whaley of Wooler spent Sunday with Miss Lulu Rathbun. Miss Pearl Humphrey is spending a few weeks visiting friends at Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. John Vandervoort spent Friday at Frankford fair.

MOUNTAIN VIEW.

Rev. Mr. Wetherell of Demorestville, conducted the services here, while Rev. Mr. Webber conducted the services at Cherry Valley. Pte. Tommy Armistead is home on ten-days' furlough. Miss Falkner was at Red Cross at Mrs. Will Clarke's last Tuesday and addressed the meeting. Her talk was very interesting. Mr. and Mrs. Royal and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jones motored to Picton Fair on Wednesday last. Mr. Harry Smith, carpenter from Foxboro, is working at Mr. Jas. R. Anderson's. Miss Lenora Morden is spending a few days at Mr. R. Morden's in Belleville.

2ND. CON. SIDNEY.

Fall ploughing and filling silos

seem to be the order of the day. A number from this neighborhood attended Belleville Fair on 15th of this month. Mrs. H. Houble, Mrs. Sellburn Westover and Mrs. May spent Thursday last at Mr. S. Baker's. Mrs. Robert Francis is away on a visit. Mr. Volney Finkle has been on the sick list. Mrs. N. B. White and Percy drove over the bay on Sunday and Mrs. White spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Bush of Rednersville. Mrs. J. Clapp is on the sick list. The Queen Alexandra Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Fred Spafford's on Wednesday of last week.

READ.

A very successful meeting of the Women's Institute was held last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Katie Callery. Mrs. J. Hayes and Mrs. F. Peabody, Chicago, spent a few days of last week guests of Mrs. Jos. Pitt. Mrs. J. Kennedy and family, of Belleville, are visiting her mother Mrs. A. Williams. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father McCarthy in St. Patrick's church, Richmond, last Sunday. Miss L. Farrell, Marlbank, spent the week-end with Miss Joanna Corrigan. Mr. Jos. F. Buckley has returned home after spending the summer in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. J. Keegan, Stoco, Miss Anna Mulrone, nurse-in-training at St. Vincent de Paul's Hospital, Brockville, Mr. and Mrs. J. Corrigan, Marysville, and Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, Lonsdale, visited with Mrs. A. Williams on Sunday last. Miss Rose Power spent a few days of last week the guest of Mrs. P. O'Ray. Mr. and Mrs. M. Corrigan are spending a few days with friends in Belleville. Miss Rose Buckley, Belleville, spent Sunday at home. The Misses Estella O'Sullivan and Mary McAuliffe, Lonsdale, were the guests of Mrs. J. Ford last Sunday. Mrs. W. Power was at home to a few of her friends last Sunday afternoon.

FOXBORO.

Mr. Kenneth Prentice left on Monday for Bowmanville after spending a week at home on account of the death of his grandfather, Mr. Wm. Gowell. Mrs. Utman and Mr. and Mrs. P. Utman of Stirling, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daniels. Mrs. Daniel Wickett and Mrs. W. E. Wickett and son, Alfred, spent Sunday with relatives in Belleville. Mr. Gordantier of Belleville, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Shaw. Mrs. Reuben Walt and Audrey is spending a few days at her home at Moira on account of the illness of her grandmother. Mrs. A. Yates, of Michigan, visited at the home of her cousins, Mr. Neil Davis on Sunday and Monday. Miss Gladys Stewart spent Sunday afternoon at her home. Mrs. G. Youker, of Trenton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jim Youker. Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Robert Anderson, Belleville. Our deepest sympathy is extended to her sorrowing husband and children. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Prentice and family also Mr. and Mrs. John Gowell, Jr., and Everett spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Gowell. Rally Service which was held in the Methodist church was well attended. Our evaporator has started again for another year.

HILLIER.

A large number from the village attended Picton Fair last week. Sergt. A. Ratray is spending the week at his home here. Mrs. King Terry spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster. Master Ronald Guthrie is on the sick list. Miss D. Young was in Trenton on Monday last. Miss Helen Gilbert spent the week-end with Miss Doris Stevenson, Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell have moved into their new home. Miss Effa Campbell was the guest of Miss Vera MacDonald, Wellington, last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Lord attended Frankford Fair on Friday last. Mr. Lorne Campbell has gone to Belleville to spend the winter.

MELROSE.

Dry weather still prevails in this

locality, impossible for farmers to do much plowing. Miss Pearl Morden has returned home after an extended visit with friends at Empey Hill and Napanee. Mrs. Sargeant and children of Ormsby Junction are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Howard. Mrs. Adams of Toronto is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Seymour.

MADOC JUNCT.

Mrs. F. S. Poilard, of Keene visited friends here and in Frankford last week. The W.M.S. tea at Mrs. Frank Stapley's was well attended last Wednesday afternoon. Lunch was served at five o'clock to several visitors as well as the members and all enjoyed the social hour. Among the visitors was Mrs. Jarvis who has settled here just recently and the W.M.S. were delighted to meet her and make her welcome. Mrs. Barker left on Friday to visit her relations at Niagara Falls and Buffalo. Our pastor Rev. C. S. Reddick took charge of the Rally Day service here and gave the Sunday School an excellent address with suggestions and reasons for the need of advancement in these days. Mr. and Mrs. George McMullen and Mr. and Mrs. Andrews spent Sunday evening in Frankford with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eggleton. Mrs. Edward Bennett was called to Belleville again on Monday on account of the serious condition of her sister who is not expected to recover. Mrs. Sam Danford has returned from a visit to friends in Toronto. Miss Annie Stapley who is teaching school in Sidney spent the week-end at her home here. The school children here seem delighted with Miss Bird their new teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Ashley and Miss Lottie motored to the Sandbanks last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton of Rosemore.

HALLOWAY.

Our Sunday School here held its 'Annual Rally' last Sunday conducted by Mr. Geo. T. Woodley of Belleville which was a great success. Mr. Sam Elliott is visiting in our midst after a year's absence. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMullen and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowery motored to Trenton on Sunday. Several of our men took a flying trip last Tuesday evening to the disastrous fire at Mr. R. N. Bird's. He has the sympathy of this vicinity in his great loss. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bird and son Claude of Foxboro visited the home of Mr. T. J. Kelly last Sunday. The Red Cross Society is still carrying on their great work and meets at the home of Mrs. J. Lowery this week. Mr. Harold Skillom who broke his leg some weeks ago is progressing favorably. Mrs. C. Wilson and little son spent a day recently visiting her aunt Mrs. S. Rise. The farmers of this locality have very busy filling their silos, although it has been of a short duration owing to the shortage of the corn crop. Mr. and Mrs. W. Lidster and family motored to Plinton last Sunday. Master Ivan Garrison had the misfortune of cutting his hand very badly in the combinder one day last week, it was severed so that one finger had to be amputated. Mr. and Mrs. A. Salsbury attended the Sills-Salsbury wedding at Moira last Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Ross visited the former's mother on Sunday evening. Mrs. Clayton Denyes has been very ill, Dr. Faulkner is in attendance. Our miller is very busy grinding grain and making cider these days. Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson and baby visited at the home of Mr. L. Snider of Foxboro last Sunday evening.

AMELIASBURG S. S. NO. 13.

Mr. B. O. Adams has purchased a new Ford. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adams attended Picton Fair. Mr. and Mrs. S. Spencer, Consecow, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. DeLong entertained company from Trenton on Sunday. Messrs. Jas. Dempsey and Edgar Aleya spent Thursday last in Belleville. An old and much respected resident of this neighborhood in the person of Mrs. Phoebe Ann Cummings passed to her reward at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Knox Graham of Roblin's Mills on Sunday last. She leaves two sons and five daughters to mourn her loss. Mrs. Edgar Aleya returned home on Thursday last after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Burton Aseltine of Belleville. Messrs. Burton and Everett Adams with their wives motored to Belleville on Sunday and were guests for the

day of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brickman. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kemp and Gordon visited on Sunday at Geo. Aleya's. Mr. E. Blakely's house is nearing completion. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Adams one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. Aleya spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sager, Victoria. Mrs. S. L. DeLong returned home on Friday last from an extended visit with friends at Napanee and Hay Bay Mrs. David Adams has been visiting her daughter Mrs. J. Weir, in Oshawa. Mr. James Dempsey spent Sunday evening at Mr. B. Hickerson's. Mr. and Mrs. John Elvin, York Road, spent a recent Sunday with his brother Wm. Elvin. Miss Flossie Carrington of Trenton High School spent the week-end with her parents.

STOCKDALE.

Several from here attended the School Fair at Wooler on Wednesday. Mr. W. N. White is putting in a cement floor in his barn and is also building a foundation for a new woodhouse. Messrs. Rosebush and Son doing the work. A very pleasant event took place on Wednesday Sept. 20th at the home of Mr. Samuel Orr when his daughter Allie was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. J. Johnson. The young couple left amidst the good wishes of their friends for Toronto and Niagara Falls. On their return they will reside near here. We wish them a happy married life. The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hinds took place on Wednesday. Thos. Wm. Frost of Frankford visited at Mr. S. Powell's on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Powell were in Belleville on Saturday. Several from here took in the fair at Frankford on Friday. Mrs. Wm. Weir of Warkworth spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Davidson. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Graham visited at Mr. John Williamson's on Saturday. Mrs. G. Sanborne spent Friday at Mr. Alvin Fox's on Preston Hill. Mr. Morley Davidson was helping Mr. Harry Potter in the barber shop during the last day of Frankford fair. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurter of Rednersville spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. R. McMurter. Rev. Mr. Kennedy M.A., of Toronto preached here on Sunday evening in the interests of the Dominion Alliance. Mr. and Mrs. E. McCall of Wooler called on Mr. and Mrs. N. Bates on Sunday.

BIG ISLAND.

A goodly number from the Island attended Picton Fair on Wednesday and Thursday and enjoyed the exhibit. Rev. Mr. Blunt of Milford preached the missionary sermon here on Sunday. Mrs. Beth Barker of Northport spent last week at her home here. Pte. Harold E. Cobourne of Barriefield camp spent a recent week-end at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spelman of Pittsburg returned home after spending the summer with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Morden. W. H. Maybee agent for the Merrill Co. was through this vicinity recently. Sorry to report Mrs. Geo. Sprague on the sick list.

TURNER SETTLEMENT.

Rev. W. S. Barber preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday. Rev. A. E. Richmond much to the regret of the community has resigned the pastorate of the Sidney Baptist church and has left for New Haven, Conn., with Mrs. Richmond, where he is attending the Yale School of Religion. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Park and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Hamilton motored to Bloomfield last Sunday. Mr. A. E. Richmond M.A., a former pastor of the Baptist church, spent a few days at the home of Mr. W. E. Griffin while on his way to Toronto. The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. L. D. Reid, Thursday Sept. 28th at 2 p.m.

6th LINE OF SIDNEY.

Mr. Wills of Belleville is expected to occupy the pulpit on Sunday. The tea meeting that was held on the evening of the 18th was a grand success, proceeds amounted to about \$90. Mr. Stephen Gainsforth and family and Mr. Clarence Cole and family of Wooler spent Sunday at Mr. J. A. Lott's. Mr. and Mrs. D. Ketcheson of Frankford were guests at Mr. Morley Scott's on Sunday. Miss Clara Lane of Wallbridge spent Sunday evening with friends

here. A large number from this way attended Belleville market on Saturday. AMELIASBURG. A number from this neighborhood attended Picton Fair on Wednesday and Thursday. Gladys Aleya and Flossie Carrington visited Ruby West on Sunday. W. C. Pulyver and family and Mrs. W. Carrington visited at C. Clapp's Rednersville, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. L. Murphy also Mr. and Mrs. C. Spencer and baby Beryl spent Sunday at Ell Smith's. Miss Ruby West returned home from Wellington Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. Aleya spent Sunday at D. Snider's. B. O. Adams has purchased a new Ford car. Henry Ayrhart spent a few days last week at B. O. Adams'. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. Carrington also Mr. L. Holmes motored to Picton Sunday.

REMINISCENCE OF WALLBRIDGE FAIR.

On the 5th of October, in the year '92, A large crowd assembled at Wallbridge to view The wonderful things that were to be seen, At that annual fall show; you've been there, I ween. But for fear you were not there to witness the fun On that 5th of October, I'll tell you each one Went and gazed at the cattle, the sheep and the geese, And all sorts of grain, from fall wheat down to peas. There were turnips and carrots and beets and potatoes, And onions and cabbage and beans and tomatoes, And the pumpkins and apples would make anyone stare, Who never had been to a 'Mill-bridge Fall Fair.' There was horse-racing too, to see whose horse could go, The fastest of all, at the Millbridge Fall Show, But for fear you should think I have told you of all, I'll say, there was fancy-work too, in the hall. Then the brass band from Madoc was there on the ground, And to hear it's fine music, the crowd gathered round. There was Edison's phonograph at Golding's hotel, And 'twas said of its sounds that they all liked it well. Then the 'wheel of fortune' was there on the spot, And when brought out for guessing things became very hot. A man from near Millbridge threw it over the fence, And then told its owner, he must follow it hence. But the owner soon showed him that was not to be, and pounded his face till he hardly could see. And then after tea they nearly all home did go. Except those who stayed 'tripping the light fantastic toe'. Mrs. Geo. W. Fox, Allisonville, Ont.

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Summit.—On Monday, Sept. 25th, 1916, Florence Rose Cummins, daughter of Mr. John Cummins, aged 6 years and 5 months.

NEW LAW FORCE.

Messrs. B. B. Fraleok of Belleville and A. Abbott of Trenton have opened up a law office in Belleville in the East Robertson block under the name of Fraleok and Abbott. The former has had a long judicial experience in addition to his practice and Mr. Abbott is known as an able practitioner at the bar.

Lieut. W. O. Tower, who is attached to the Tunnelling Corps, of the Canadian Engineers, has returned to Valcartier after spending a few days with his parents.

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New Advertisements

AUCTION SALE.

Auction Sale of valuable Hotel Furniture at the Victoria Hotel, consisting of Bedroom, Diningroom and Kitchen Furniture, Saturday, Oct. 7. Norman Montgomery, Auctioneer; F. Allore, Owner.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mrs. W. W. Reid, Shannonville, wishes to inform the public that the business of buying and shipping live stock, as conducted by her late husband, will be continued by her with Mr. George Reid as buyer. Mrs. Reid will appreciate a continuance of the patronage and good-will accorded the late W. W. Reid. 25-3td&w

STOLEN OR TAKEN.

Stolen or taken in exchange from the Albion Hotel, Shannonville, Sept 18th (Fair Day), a McLaughlin covered buggy, painted black; three years in use, in very good repair; two of three new bolts in right part of reach; leather dashboard. Whoever holds same will return at once to Belleville police and get their own buggy. 25-3td itw

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GEO. A. MATTHEWS DIES OF WOUNDS

Another Gallant Belleville Boy Pays the Price of Freedom

A host of friends in Belleville will learn with deep regret of the death from wounds of George A. Matthews of Calgary, and until about three years ago a resident in Belleville. He was the eldest son of Alfred Matthews, former yardmaster of the Grand Trunk in this city. About three years ago the family moved west and George, being an expert mechanic, entered the employ of the C. P. R. at Calgary. Here he remained until the opening of the war when he and his brother, Raymond, enlisted. The latter was killed in action some time ago and now the last remaining brother and son has also answered the last roll call. George was born and educated here and for a time served with the Grand Trunk. He was exceedingly popular both with the railway and his fellow workmen.

Mr. Roland Duke, only son of Rev. Richard Duke and nephew of Dr. J. S. Sprague, George St., has enlisted in one of the Toronto regiments. Mr. Andrew Smith, a well-known printer of Toronto, is visiting friends at Foxboro and Bayside, yesterday afternoon he favored The Ontario with a call.

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This honey is of  
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MORE PROBATIONERS COMING

The Infantry School of Instruction will have thirty more probationers added to their number on Monday next.

Among the Belleville visitors

at Frankford Fair yesterday were: Mayor H. F. Ketcheson, P. J. Lee, Harry Hitchon, Arthur Rodbourne, Sam Curry, Arthur Chapman, Alex. S. White, R. H. Ketcheson, B. R. Splen, T. J. Hurley, Chas. N. Sulman, Hiram Ashley, W. Simmons, George Bonsteel, R. Colling, J. Archibald, George Reid, Jonathan Latta, and family and the Misses Rose.

The Italian Minister of Industry

and Labor, Giuseppe di Nada, has issued a decree forbidding excessive injuries in feminine apparel during the length of the war.

"ON TO OTTAWA" THE SETTLER AND THE SPECULATOR

(Special to The Ontario.)
TORONTO, Sept. 29.—The failure of the Ontario Government to adequately deal with the burning questions arising in the North Country as between the bona fide settler and the land speculator, is causing an upheaval among the hardy sons of the North, which spells defeat for the government nominees in these northern districts when the voters are next called to the polls.

Every province in Canada save Quebec—and 84 per cent. of that province is without bars—has, by inaugurating prohibition, shown that the winning of the war is a task for sober men. It is now up to the authorities in Ottawa to come out against the manufacture and importation of liquor, and thus reflect the splendid spirit of the Canadian people in this world crisis.

Yukon a Victory.
"We didn't lose in the Yukon," continued Mr. Spence, "although a majority of three makes prohibition for the moment difficult. In that whiskey-ridden community of Dawson City, with a bar for every one hundred of the population, there was a majority of only 76 against prohibition. Outside of that centre there would be a majority of 73 for prohibition, and mark this, the soldiers who had left the territory were not permitted to vote.

The conditions surrounding the voting in the Yukon appear rather peculiar. There was no voters' list. The men simply went to the poll and made a declaration that they were British subjects, and lived one year in the territory, and one month in the voting district. A ballot was then obtainable. At one place the deputy returning officer, who was to take charge of the voting in a certain settlement, thought he would go to another place instead, so he took the ballot box into where a road gang were working on the winter trail between White Horse and Dawson City and there established his headquarters.

Like Ontario Law.
With regard to the prohibition law in British Columbia, Mr. Spence pointed out that the measure was identical with that in Ontario, except in the matter of penalties, punishment for infractions being more stringent. Imprisonment for six months, without the option of a fine, is prescribed for first offenders, whereas for the first offence in Ontario, the magistrate may impose a fine of anything from \$200 to \$1,000.

Do you think the soldiers' votes will show a majority for prohibition? "We claim that they will," was the answer, "although the results will not be declared until Oct. 12."
Surrounding Area Dry.
The cities of Vancouver and Victoria gave majorities for prohibition, he continued, "and the province now surrounded by Saskatchewan and Alberta dry on the east, and the States of Idaho, Oregon and Washington on the south, is likely to set an example in well enforced prohibition."

It is now up to Ottawa, concluded Mr. Spence, "and there need be no conflict of authority or questions of provisional rights raised. The Dominion Parliament is empowered to legislate with regard to all inter-provincial matters, and a law from that sovereign body concerning the manufacture and importation of liquor will be all that is needed to banish the liquor traffic forever in all its forms in this Dominion."

MR. NORTHRUP GAVE ADDRESS.
Mr. W. B. Northrup, K.C., M.P., was the leading speaker last night at "Canadian Night" of Zetland Lodge, Toronto. This was the chief event of the year in the Queen City. Four hundred members were present. Mr. Northrup and Rev. H. MacOrdren of Pembroke took the place of Premier Hearst who was announced to reply to the chief toast of the evening.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Logue, at General Hospital, Belleville, a son on Tuesday, September 19th.

MARRIED.
Kennedy-Byrne, Ed. born Oct. 1916, at St. Basil's church, Toronto by the Rev. T. J. Hayes C.S.B., D.M.P., daughter of Mrs. L. V. Byrne, of Toronto, to James F. Kennedy, of Ottawa, formerly of Belleville.

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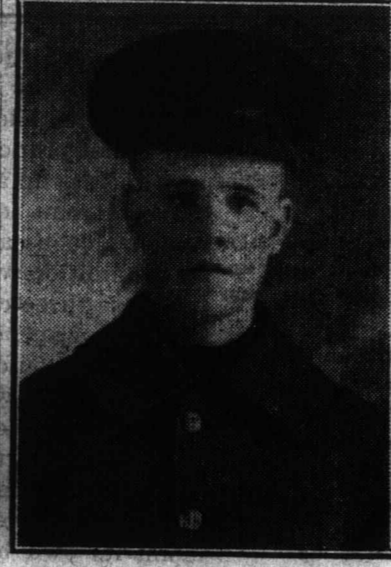
Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by the best worm remedy that can be got, Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms in any shape.

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Lt. B. K. Allen

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Three West Huntingdon boys appear in the late casualty lists—Ptes. George and Percy McTaggart, and Gunner Chester Sills. The McTaggart brothers enlisted with the 39th battalion and Gr. Sills went with the First Contingent from Belleville as a member of the 34th battery. Pte. George McTaggart is suffering from both shrapnel wound and gas. He is confined to No. 10 Military Hospital in England. Pte. Percy's injuries appear to be of a more serious nature. His one arm has been badly shattered and it is feared amputation may be necessary. He will likely return home as soon as he is in condition to undertake the journey.

VERY LARGE MARKET

Melons, Grapes and Plums were sold in the plentiful market today. This morning's market, exceeded recent markets in attendance and quantity of produce offered. Plums were in their element, many farmers offering them for sale. Melons were another big feature, wagons upon wagons bringing these precious things to market.

THIRD ARREST FOLLOWS

In connection with the arrests at Belleville of Donald Beach and Benjamin Dickson on charges of theft, an arrest was made yesterday at Brockville of Conductor Robert A. Dickson, father of the latter on a charge of receiving stolen goods. The three were remanded.

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LT. B. K. ALLEN GAVE HIS LIFE

Well Known 21st Officer From Belleville Killed On Sept. 15th

On a gloom for Belleville in which four soldiers well known here had been recorded among the fallen, came the notice in a "press" despatch that the 21st battalion had suffered heavily in the recent fighting on the Somme, losing four officers by death and fourteen wounded, among the former Lieut. B. K. Allen. The despatch originated in a private source, but it was feared that Lieut. Bertram Kerr Allen of Belleville is the young officer mentioned. His parents, brothers, and sister had no word as late as this morning to confirm or refute the report, Major A. P. Allen of the 155th battalion, brother of "Bert" Allen, endeavored to get into communication with Ottawa this morning but did not succeed.

PAYING THE HEAVY PRICE

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—The casualty total in the Canadian's big engagement on the Somme now amounts to about 4,000; the dead numbering approximately 900. In addition to the numbers announced yesterday, reports today indicate between 480 and 500 killed, 1,700 wounded, 300 missing.

CANADIANS TAKE 1200 PRISONERS

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—The Canadian general representative at the front sends the following account of recent important operations participated in by the troops from the Dominion, including the capture of Courcellette and adjacent positions: Canadian Corps Headquarters in France, Sept. 22.—The Canadian troops have been actively participating in the great battle of the Somme. Already, in a series of brilliant attacks, they have forced the Germans back for over a mile beyond their original line. They have captured Monquet Farm, having finally overcome a desperate resistance; they have attacked and carried the sugar refinery and its lines of connecting trenches, and then following up this success with a boldness of plan and action of execution not exceeded in this war they have on the same day organized and delivered from attacks which made them masters of the whole village of Courcellette.

MRS. CATHERINE S. WOODS

Catherine S. Woods died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Mills, Cannifton. Surviving are six sons and two daughters, the sons being J. F. of Buffalo, W. J., Alfred B. Frank J., of Sidney, George A. of Saskatchewan, and Harry R. of Alberta, and the daughters Mrs. C. Mills, Cannifton, and Mrs. F. Diamond of Cooper. Two brothers and four sisters also survive.

REVENUE OFFICE HERE UNDER MR. IER

"Bert" had been a member of the 16th battalion as a boy, but did not resume his relations after his return, until after war broke out. In November, 1914, he entered an officers' training class conducted in Belleville by Col. (then Major) Barragar. He qualified for his lieutenantcy and very soon after recruiting for the 39th battalion began, he was appointed to that unit. No more enthusiastic officer could be found than Lieut. Allen. Once he was on duty, his sole thought was his obligation to his country. He was an efficient leader of men and was well liked. In June, 1915, he left for England. There he underwent a further course of training after which he joined the 21st battalion on the firing line. Recently he was promoted to a captaincy.

AN OFFICER SPEAKING OF HIM LAST EVENING

said he was an intrepid soldier, actuated by the highest sense of patriotism. It was never a case with him of leaving his duties undone, but rather of sacrificing himself too much in their performance.

HE JOINED THE MASONIC ORDER SHORTLY BEFORE GOING OVERSEAS

He was a member of The Belleville Lodge 123. The deepest sympathy will be extended to his bereaved parents and their family, Major A. P. Allen, 155th battalion, Lieut. W. P. Allen, 155th and Miss R. Allen.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1916.

**THE HOTEL SITUATION.**

The hotelkeepers of Ontario deserve great praise for the loyal manner in which they have accepted the legislative verdict and changed their course in order to meet new conditions. There was very little disorder in our own city or elsewhere in the Province to mark the exit of King Alcohol. Where minor disturbances did take place they were not due to the connivance of hotel proprietors.

All the specious arguments in the catalogue cannot disguise the fact that many of the hotelmen are hard hit in a financial way. To a considerable proportion the prohibitory act will come as a positive hardship. It is true there are many who have made their pile, and there are many more who really kept saloons instead of hoteliers, and still others who were flagrant law-breakers and who deserve no sympathy. But there has unfortunately been a minority amounting in the whole province to considerable numbers who had lately invested in hotel property or licenses and these will see much deterioration of value in the purchases they have made. No such change as prohibition could be brought about unless with occasional losses of this kind, except we had granted some measure of compensation. No statesman has yet been wise enough to devise an equitable means of compensation and unless it were equitable public opinion would not support it.

Generally speaking we do not think hotelkeepers will make so much money under prohibition as under license. But it does not follow that under prohibition we will have worse hotels. We will certainly have fewer hotels in Belleville, but what remain may average up better than the more numerous dispensaries that flourished under license.

The first few days under prohibition do not encourage the view that the two-per-cent brands will prove overwhelmingly popular. They lack the punch and fail to hit the right spot. A single lemon, with sufficient pink coloring matter, may suffice for a five-gallon keg of lemonade on circus-day, but such toned-down extractions arouse no enthusiasm with the experienced lemonade connoisseur who is accustomed to the real goods.

Some of those who have tried Star beer, and some of the other choice brands that have made Local Option famous, profess to like it and assert that they cannot distinguish it from its more puissant brethren. Others again claim that they find it insipid, with no kick as it gurgles downward.

We regard it as inevitable that bar-receipts will shrink. Our experience in a number of the largest local option towns in the Province does not strengthen the belief that bars, minus the tanglefoot accompaniment, are shining financial successes. We ascertained that many of the better hotels in local option towns and cities had cut the acquaintance of the bar altogether. Others, more as an accommodation for guests, kept a diminutive descendant of the longitudinous bar of the happy days of yore. In no case did the sales from the bar afford sufficient steady exercise for a single bartender.

Under prohibition it is somewhat different. The Standard hotels have a monopoly on the sale of non-intoxicating drinks, cigars, cigarettes and tobaccos over the hotels that have no license. Of what actual value this monopoly will be remains to be proved.

If hotelkeepers find the sledding too difficult under present conditions we believe public opinion would support our law-makers in extending the monopoly privileges under their licenses still further. Experience will light the way to many things that are only dimly realised at the present time.

Hotelkeepers must necessarily become better business-men than they were before and pay greater attention to costs and economies such as every other line of business has been compelled for many years to practice. Big bar receipts meant big, easy profits but bad business training. The smiling opulent boniface cared not a whit whether dining-room or sleeping-rooms showed profits or not as long as the benevolent multitude thronged the bar. Meals and boarders were irksome appendages of a license of whom he asked no odds except that they should not absorb too much of his valuable time and attention.

Three of the best and largest and most efficient and most prosperous hotels in North

America are the three Hotels Statler, located respectively at Buffalo, N.Y., Cleveland, Ohio, and Detroit, Mich. All three have bars but the bar is not pranced out to the front of the building and set up as a god to be worshipped. You have to hunt to find it. It is an unimportant, inconspicuous adjunct of the whole institution. If prohibition were to be put in force in any one of those three cities, Hotel Statler management would not spend one minute in worrying about it. They would go right on doing business in just the same way. Every branch of their system is conducted according to business principles. Each part must show its profit, whether it be the bar, or the grill or the dining room or the rooms for travellers. Each tub stands strictly upon its own bottom. Each employe fits into the great machine with the utmost precision. Everywhere there is order, system and efficiency.

We have lately been shown a pamphlet, written by Mr. E. M. Statler, president of the hotel company, giving a talk to his employes. It contains so much straight commonsense, applicable not only to hotels but to every line of business, that we quote a few paragraphs for the benefit of our readers.

A hotel has just one thing to sell. That one thing is Service.

The Hotel that sells Poor Service is a Poor Hotel.

The Hotel that sells Good Service is a Good Hotel.

It is the object of Hotel Statler to sell its Guests the VERY BEST SERVICE in the world.

The Service of a Hotel is not a thing supplied by any single individual. It is not Special Attention to any one guest. Hotel Service—that is, Hotel Statler Service—means the limit of Courteous, Efficient Attention from each Particular Employee to Each Particular Guest.

Hotel Statler is operated primarily for the benefit and convenience of its guests.

Without Guests there could be no Hotel Statler.

These are simple Facts easily understood. So then it behoves every man and woman employed here, to remember this always, and to treat all Guests with courtesy and careful consideration.

Any member of our Force who lacks the intelligence to interpret the feeling of Good Will that The Statler holds toward its Guests cannot stay here VERY LONG.

New Customers are just as valuable to us as Old Customers—remember that; for each New Customer is an Old Customer in the making.

See that you do your part to make him want to come back here, with his family and his friends.

Impress upon him the fine good-fellowship of the place; the "No-trouble-to-help-you" Spirit.

Never be perky, pungent, or fresh—the Guest pays your salary as well as mine. He is your immediate benefactor.

Snap Judgments of men oftentimes are faulty.

A man may wear a red necktie, a green vest and tan shoes, and still be a gentleman.

The Unpretentious Man with the soft voice may possess the Wealth of Croesus.

The stranger in cowhide boots, broadbrim and rusty black, may be President of a Railroad or a Senator from over the Ridge.

You can not afford to be superior or sullen with any Patron of this Hotel. I said so.

Have every one feel that for his money we want to give him more sincere service than he ever before received at any hotel.

The employee who helps to perpetuate this plan is never out of a job, nor does he escape the eye of the Man Behind the Scenes—the Boss.

At rare intervals some perverse member of our force disagrees with a Guest as to the rightness of this or that. He maintains that the meat is well done—when the Guest says it isn't.

Or that THIS sauce was ordered when the Guest says the other.

Or that the Boy DID go up to the Room.

Or that no Party called.

Or that it was a ROOM reserved, and NOT Dinner for Six.

Or that the trunk wasn't there.

Either may be right.

But these are PERMANENT INSTRUCTIONS: No Employee of this Hotel is allowed the Privilege of arguing any Point with a Guest.

He must adjust the matter at once to the Guest's satisfaction, or call his Superior to adjust it. Wrangling has no place in Hotel Statler.

The Statler is a successful Hotel.

Men and women of Taste and Refinement, from all parts of the World, name the Statler their Home while in Buffalo, Cleveland or Detroit.

The Reason is, that every Waiter in this Hotel, every Hall-Boy, the Chambermaid, the Clerk, the Chief, the Chef, The Manager, the Boss Himself, is working all the time to make them FEEL "at home."

Each member of our force is valuable to us only in proportion to his ability to serve our guests.

**HOW TO READ THE GERMAN REPORTS.**

The German official reports have never been reliable, but of late particularly since the beginning of the present offensive, they have been in many cases, notoriously misleading. The "artist" who compiles them is compelled to resort to many devices in falsification in order to conceal from the German people the fact that their armies are being steadily smashed back on all fronts; and, of course, to continue the futile attempt to deceive neutrals and persuade them that Germany is winning. The British military authorities do not consider it worth while to expose the German falsifications and misrepresentations from day to day—all the world now knows that the Germans are on the defensive and are losing everywhere—but they have furnished through the Press Bureau a general guide for the reading of these daily official reports from Berlin which is useful.

During the first fortnight of August the author of the German official reports concocted for home and neutral consumption again did wonders. During that time two considerable changes were made in the war map of the Western front. Both changes were clear gains to the Allies. One was to the north of Pozieres, where the Australians and an English division made an advance of 500 yards along a front of 3,000 yards on the night of August 4, carrying the main line of trenches in the German second system of defences. After some days of give-and-take fighting, they deepened this dent in the German line on August 9 by a further advance of 200 yards along a front of 600 yards.

The other change in the map was a large one. It, too, was made in stages. On August 7 and 8 the French troops on the immediate north of the Somme advanced a quarter of a mile along a front of nearly four miles, carrying the whole of that length of German second-line trench. The usual days of consolation ensued, and then, on August 12, the French went on to attack the German third system of trenches along a line of six and a half miles, from a point east of Hardecourt to a point opposite Buscourt on the Somme. They carried the whole of it, took a thousand prisoners and thirty machine-guns, and advanced for a distance varying at different parts of the front from 600 to 1,000 yards. There were other changes, all in the Allies' favor, but these two were the chief.

They were somewhat bulky facts to suppress. But the author of the German reports did not shrink. On August 5 he said nothing whatever about the British advance of the night before. He vaguely reported fighting "on a wide front and against strong English forces," and said that these forces had been "repulsed with heavy loss" on the west of Fourreaux Wood (High Wood). As a matter of fact the fighting had not been on a wide front, and there had been no attack, and therefore no repulse, anywhere near Fourreaux Wood. Next day, again, he admitted nothing. The only admission was made on August 7, in a discreetly casual reference to "portions of trench which the English had temporarily captured near Pozieres." On its own small scale this is as much as if he were now to refer to "portions of France which the Allies had temporarily recaptured" by the Battle of the Marne.

When the Australians made their further advance on August 9 the German historian seems to have simply looked the other way, that is eastwards, and imagined an abortive British attack near Bazentin-le-Petit. None was attempted. So that all that neutrals were told, by Germany, about a considerable British advance, thoroughly made good, was that "portions of trench which the English had temporarily captured near Pozieres were retaken from them yesterday in a counter-attack." Conjurers have made rabbits disappear before now, but this German conjurer attempts it with a rabbit too large and too lively.

Now for the French advance of August 7 and 8. Of the first day's fighting the German report (August 8) said that the enemy had "continued his violent attacks," that they led at single points to fierce hand-to-hand fighting which "in the main" went in Germany's favor, and that, except east of Hem, they were now over. Next day, August 8, it improved on this by saying that they "were shattered." That was the whole story—so the neutrals were asked to believe. In the same way, when the French made their still wider and deeper advance on August 12 the first German report was that "a violent attack by the French broke down;" the second, a day later, that "severe hand-to-hand fighting" was "still in progress;" the third, on August 14, that "two very strong French attacks broke down." No one who read only the German wireless would suspect that within a week the French left wing had advanced enough to align itself with the main army south of the Somme.

It should once more be noted that this mass of official German untruthfulness is quite unsystematic. A false general impression is produced by certain devices which have become almost rules. It will be noticed that for several days after each unadmitted advance of the Allies

German wireless announces daily "strong attacks" or "violent attacks" by the Allies, whether any attacks are made or not. Precisely the same thing was done after the fine French advance of July 30.

On looking back to the German wireless news from Verdun last spring, one notices that whenever the French troops gained a valuable point the German historian dealt with it in an almost stereotyped way. On the first day he said the point had not been lost. On each of several succeeding days he said it was being violently attacked. After a week or a fortnight he incidentally referred to it as a part of the French line, as if it had always been so.

That is how the news is broken to readers of the German wireless. They might expect after a while to see the British positions north of Pozieres and the French line from Maurepas to Buscourt referred to, quite by the way, as British and French, as if German troops had never held and never lost them.

**THE LATEST JUTLAND STORY.**

Little stories of the great naval battle off Jutland continue to be told, and this one is by the London correspondent of the Nottingham Guardian:

"One concerns a British lawn tennis player who was famous some years ago. He had been having a "knock up," ashore at a naval base, and before returning to his ship paid a visit in his white flannels to a brother officer on duty on another vessel. Whilst the two were chatting on deck the order came for the ship to move immediately to a certain station. The order was urgent, though it gave no indication of the duty to be performed, and there was no time to put the lawn tennis player ashore. Soon afterwards a wireless message was received that a battle was imminent, and the squadron to which this particular ship was attached was commanded to a place off the German coast. Meanwhile the lawn tennis player had gone in his flannels to a post assigned to him, and he had the distinction of taking an active part in the greatest sea battle in his strange attire. Some day the identity of the hero of this episode will be revealed."

Unity of action along the united front, as the Premier of France puts it, spells certain victory. That is no longer doubtful.

The Bulgars are on the run with the re-equipped Serbs hot on their heels, while the Entente forces are harassing them at every point. The "old fox of the Balkans" is being run to earth.

"Victory must bring peace worthy of France and worthy of her sacrifice and heroism," says the French Minister of Finance. The Allies will be as one in supporting this resolve. France must be repaid for all that she has suffered and sacrificed.

Lloyd George generously gives Colonel Winston Churchill the chief credit for the evolution and employment of those great armored cars which have wrought such havoc among the German trenches. Winston has "made good" at the front in an unexpected way.

At any other time the performance of Lee Axtworthy in trotting a mile in an even two minutes would be of world-wide interest, but even now it is a noteworthy feat which will arouse the enthusiasm of all lovers of the royal sport of racing.

**SEPTEMBER MORN.**

From The Chatsworth News.

Old Father Hubbard went to the cupboard To get him a bottle of beer, But when he got there the cupboard was bare Alas! Prohibition was here.

He went to the tavern to purchase some ale, But when he got there the place was for sale.

He went to the shop for a bottle of gin, But when he got there he couldn't get in.

He ordered some whiskey—for use scientific! They sent him wood spirits; the smell was terrific!

He went to a Vet to prescribe for a calf; Some brandy would do—say a pint and a half.

He found on returning the Vet played him false; The bottle contained only water and salts.

He went to a doctor for rum for a boil, But Doc prescribed sulphur and sweet castor oil.

He went to a druggist without a prescription, So couldn't get liquor of any description.

He sought a blind pig as his only resort; But when it was raided he landed in court.

He went to the farm out at Guelph for a rest; He thought when released, prohibition was best. He's glad to be freed from King Alcohol's power, So now he goes thirsty or drinks lemon juice.

**EXPERIENCE THE**

80th Battalion Writes to certain

**ACTIVITIES**

Men Were On from German Star

Mr. George L. receipt of a letter M. Johnston, who the 80th bulge be that "left left Bell who was an Ottawa of wide experience Somewhere

Dear George:

Your letter of ed me O.K. and I from you as a prelates news from been in France o our first rest cam coast we had got the sea. From the twenty-four hour door" pullmans to miles of the tren France a most b esting country. A our seventh camp yet. We had thr in the trenches a opened some. It of the war in the small; participat way to apprecia game is going on unnerved going I there my heart w our battalion cas luck—no one kill minor casualties. the front trenches from the German fighting is done shells or sky rock sides to illuminat ches and it is then whiz by or above trenches the slope ous." It was curi and I guess it ha dlers too. It is h show one's head, as Fritz has prov shot. From 10 p ing parties are d duties and the fr a party filling a night I was with a to the front of a were under open a star shell wou German lines we the ground and narrow escapes I was on sentry for morning and got of course don't k about noon one da guns away to our heavy bombardm lines and contina hours and you ca I say there was ad had some excitin German trench me once you learn ho a bunch of ex who put us wise English Tommy a and great fighte for the Canadian

A piece of shir ter of us and it boots, stockings of ing while in the ter by most of the b self) met with frie closer than a bro bath and change came out soon ri pests. We used a ways carry two well prepared for Our aeroplanes daily we see the shell them in the high up not one of business yet. Eighteen (18) of like a bunch of many Perth boys Gerald Brown and long to a bicycle or nearly every nig been Jack Enright land, but I know is a private as it him to be reduc Band was disban Brass Band rende before Sir Sam E and he was so ple strengthen to 50 been reduced to 3 would appear bef up to 50 strengt have made more I got a package Jack Steele recee from home, but fixed for smoker of it every Sunda How is Mrs. L You can tell Mrs and happy, but I



### EXPERIENCE IN THE TRENCHES

80th Battalion Newspaper Man Writes to Friend Concerning Front

#### ACTIVITIES AT NIGHT

Men Were Only Seventy Yards from Germans—Use of Star Shells.

Mr. George Lee of this city is in receipt of a letter from Pte. Arthur M. Johnston, who was drummer with the 80th big band last spring when it left Belleville. Pte. Johnston who was an Ottawa newspaper man of wide experience writes as follows: Somewhere in France

Dear George: Your letter of some time ago reached me O.K. and I was pleased to hear from you as a soldier always appreciates news from friends.

We have been in France three weeks and at our first rest camp somewhere on the coast we had good sport bathing in the sea. From there it required a twenty-four hour railway ride in 'side door' pullmans to get us within a few miles of the trenches and we found France a most beautiful and interesting country. At present we are in our seventh camp and it is the best yet. We had three days' experience in the trenches and we got our eyes opened some. It is all right to read of the war in the papers but to personally participate in it is the only way to appreciate what an awful game is going on.

I wasn't the least unnerved going in but at times in there my heart was in my mouth but our battalion came out with good luck—no one killed and only a few minor casualties. Our platoon was in the front trenches only seventy yards from the German front. Most of the fighting is done at night and star shells or sky rockets are used by both sides to illuminate each other's trenches and it is then you hear the shells whizz by or above your head. In the trenches the slogan is "Don't be curious." It was curiosity killed the cat and I guess it has killed many soldiers too. It is anything but safe to show one's head above the parapet as Fritz has proven himself a crack shot. From 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. working parties are detailed for various duties and the first night I was with a party filling sand bags. The next night I was with a party digging earth to the front of a new trench and we were under open fire and every time a star shell would shoot up from the German lines we would fall flat to the ground and we sure had some narrow escapes from getting hit. I was on sentry for an hour early one morning and got over a few shots but of course don't know the result. About noon one day the British heavy guns away to our rear commenced a heavy bombardment of the German lines and continued for nearly two hours and you can believe me when I say there was something doing. We had some exciting fun dodging the German trench mortars but it is easy once you learn how and we were with a bunch of experienced Imperials who put us wise to everything. The English Tommy is sure a fine fellow and great fighter and can't do enough for the Canadians.

A piece of shrapnel fell close to two of us and it was almost red hot. We weren't allowed to remove our boots, stockings or any of our clothing while in the trenches and naturally most of the boys (including myself) met with friends that stick (eth) closer than a brother but a real hot bath and change of apparel after we came out soon rid us of the pesky pests. We used steel helmets and always carry two gas masks and are well prepared for any gas attacks. Our aeroplanes are wonders and daily we see the Germans trying to shell them in the air but they keep so high up not one has been put out of business yet. Yesterday I counted eighteen (18) of them and it looked like a bunch of wild ducks. I see many Perth boys from time to time. Gerald Brown and Stan Hudson belong to a bicycle corps and I see them nearly every night. They haven't been to the firing line yet. Haven't seen Jack Enright since we left England, but I know he is over here and is a private as it was necessary for him to be reduced when the Bugle Band was disbanded. I heard the Brass Band rendered a great concert before Sir Sam Hughes in England, and he was so pleased he told them to strengthen to 50 pieces, as they had been reduced to 35 and he said they would appear before the King when up to 50 strength, so you see they have made more than good over there. I got a package of tobacco from Jack Steele recently and also some from home, but we are always well fixed for smokes as there is an issue of it every Sunday.

How is Mrs. Lee and the family? You can tell Mrs. L. that I am well and happy, but I long to get sitting down at her table and enjoy a good "square." Also remember me to any of my many friends whom you may see. We haven't any idea how long this business will last but it seems to me if we get back to Canada in time for the spring ploughing, we will be lucky.

Hope you find business "pressing" all the time and that your bank account is fattening. Try and answer soon as a letter here is worth more than words can tell. Will try and keep you posted of our doings. Kind regards.

I am, Yours respectfully,  
Pte. Arthur M. Johnston, 219698  
D. Co., 78th Winnipeg Gren.  
Canadian Contingent,  
Brit. Ex. Forces,  
Army Post Office,  
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P.S.—Haven't any more cards for the kid just now.—A.M.J.  
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By Lightning and Car Burned—Poultry Was Suffocated.

Last night's sharp electric storm caused one fire in Belleville. At twenty-five minutes to ten o'clock as Mr. James Skinner was passing through the footbridge gangway, there was a flash of lightning and all at once he saw flames bursting from the automobile shed of Mr. John Hart of the Anglo-American hotel. The alarm was given and the firemen arrived upon the scene in a few minutes. They found the car shed and car ablaze. The garage was of corrugated iron construction. Flames spread to the hen shed and invaded the straw shed. There the fire's career was stopped. Nearly twenty barnyard fowls were suffocated, a few surviving the smoke and escaped when the door was opened. The baled straw was considerably damaged.

Nearly everything that could burn about the auto was destroyed. The gear, engine and body however, escaped.

The car was of Lorist make and was a very fine machine. It was an expensive vehicle and was partially covered by insurance. The shed was not insured.

### ANOTHER VICTIM PAYS THE PRICE

Pte. Milton Vandervoort Pays the Supreme Sacrifice—Last Remaining Member of His Section.

The community was greatly shocked to ascertain this morning that Pte. Milton Vandervoort, a bright, popular West Belleville boy, son of Mr. Addison Vandervoort, Deputy County Registrar, had been killed in action on Sept. 9th. A brief message, conveying the sad intelligence was received by his father this forenoon.

Pte. Vandervoort was one of the first to volunteer his services at the commencement of the war. He left Belleville with the others and after a brief training at Valenciennes proceeded overseas. He took part in the majority of the important engagements after his arrival at the front. He was wounded in the arm with shrapnel at Ghenvich and some months ago his name again appeared in the casualty lists as suffering from shock.

He was the last remaining member of the section commanded by Sergt. Chas. Gibson, all his companions having been killed or wounded. Sergt. Gibson when he learned of Pte. Vandervoort's death this morning was deeply affected and spoke in enthusiastic terms of the heroism and devotion of his young comrade-in-arms who had answered the last roll call.

Capt. E. D. O'Flynn, when informed by the Ontario that another of the original company had been summoned, was also deeply moved.

"He was as fine and brave a boy as ever left Belleville," said Capt. O'Flynn. "He was enthusiastically devoted to duty and no sacrifice was too great, no post too dangerous, and no part of the work too arduous for him to undertake. He was always ready, always willing, always on the job. The second battalion has lost one of its most gallant members and Belleville one of her most patriotic sons."

"There are now only four left at the front of the original fifty-five infantry men who left Belleville in August 1914," added Capt. O'Flynn reminiscently.

Milton Vandervoort was about 22 years of age and a native of Belleville. He attended Octavia Street school where he became captain of the cadet corps and received the rudiments of military training from Lt.-Col. Barragar. After graduating from the public school he attended Belleville High School for a term of one or two years and completed the lower school work. But he preferred industrial to academic life and on quitting high school he served an apprenticeship with the Belleville Hardware and Lock Mfg. Co., becoming an expert mechanic.

He was a member of Holloway St. Methodist church and of the church choir. In addition to his parents he is survived by two brothers, Gerald, electrical engineer for the Hydro-Electric Power Commission at Healey Falls, and Sergt. Wilfrid of the 155th and two sisters, Misses Marion and Dorothy at home.

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### SPLENDID BAND OF THE 155TH

Headquarters Want it as the District Band for Recruiting Purposes—Band One of Best.

The band of the 155th battalion under Bandmaster Hinchey is acknowledged to be one of the best that ever represented an overseas battalion. Headquarters thinks the same way, and it is understood that there is a movement to try and persuade Lt.-Col. M. K. Adams to allow it to remain in this military district. Headquarters could use it to good advantage for recruiting purposes, and the idea is to keep it where it will do the most valuable work.

The band may, however, go into the new battalion of Hastings and Prince Edward as it would then be remaining in the district in which it was organized.

Because of its value to the battalion, Col. Adams would naturally not be inclined to allow it to go any place but where it would be a real value to the country, and for this reason its disposition has not been definitely decided on. Every person seems to want to get this splendid band, but the 155th will keep it for the present at least.

If it is made a district band it will be necessary to give the 155th an equal number of men to take the place of the bandsmen, and also to purchase the instruments which belong to the 155th battalion. As bands are of little use overseas, even while the units are in England, such a change might be made with some benefit, providing it could be done without robbing an overseas unit of forty men, and appropriating their instruments for which a battalion had to pay.

Several from here attended the social at Albany on Thursday evening. Mr. N. Parliament visited his sister Mrs. E. Adams on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Elvin of Murray visited at Wm. Elvin's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. Ayrhart and daughter Alice spent Sunday at R. E. Dempsey's.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ayles and Mr. J. Dempsey were at Wellington Thursday visiting Mrs. R. Dorland. Several of this vicinity are adding improvements to their buildings. R. O. Ayles and Miss Gladys attended Shannonville Fair.

W. C. Pulver and family went to Sydney on Sunday and spent the day at F. Pulver's. Miss Ruby West spent last week at Wellington. Several of this vicinity spent Saturday evening at Trenton. Mr. D. Adams called at A. H. Snider's Sunday afternoon. W. Locie entertained a number of guests Sunday.

Asthma No Longer Dreaded. The dread of renewed attacks from asthma as no hold upon those who have learned to rely upon Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. So safe do they feel that complete reliance is placed on this true specific with the certainty that it will always do all that its makers claim. If you have not yet learned how safe you are with this preparation at hand get it today and know for yourself.

### ECONOMIC QUESTION IS INVOLVED HERE

Relief Work Among Belgians Will Have a Tendency to Shorten Period of War.

It is important that the English-speaking public realize the importance of Belgian resistance to the enemy's efforts in requisitioning war labor, not only from a moral but also from the economic and military point of view.

This is part of a message recently sent out by a Belgian correspondent, discussing the methods employed by the German government in the occupied part of Belgium, the object of which is to press Belgians into German service to release Germans for military duty. One of the most effective means used by the Germans is the taking away of any possible means of livelihood from these Belgian workmen as well as denuding the country of anything that could provide food for them.

The resistance of the Belgians to this has reached the point where it is necessary for false arrests to be made and then the Belgians are shipped into Germany and forced to work.

The one great means of combatting this—a means that will doubtless help in shortening the war—is to provide these Belgians with the one great thing they need—food. Food sent to Belgium by the Belgian Relief Committee cannot be touched by the Germans but it can keep Belgians from the necessity of deciding between death by starvation or obedience to the "first law of nature," self-preservation.

There is a Belgian Relief Committee branch near you. Help shorten the war by sending your contribution to it or to the Central Belgian Relief Committee, 59 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

Weather Man Says He Does Not Believe in Them.

If you are contemplating an ocean voyage next week do not telephone the Weather Man to ask him if it will be safe to cross the Atlantic or would it be better to wait until the equinoctial gales are past. If he is in good humor he will probably only laugh at you, whereas if he feels otherwise he may not be so good humored.

"I expect that we will have people ringing up all next week asking us if they may expect heavy storms on the ocean," said the Weather Man this morning. "They do that every year about September 21st. Why they should do it I really do not know. It is so hard to knock old ideas out of their heads. There is no ground for the belief that we should have very bad weather about that date, but still despite all that may be written or said they will inquire about these equinoctial gales. As the season advances the weather becomes more stormy, but not noticeably so until the month of November. There is a common belief that March is the windy month, but as a matter of fact there is more wind in January and February. That, I think, disposes of the belief in the equinoctial gales."

NEW LIQUOR VENDORS Privileges go to Two Firms—Mystery of a Third.

T. Ambrose Woods & Co., and James G. Giles of Toronto, have been awarded licenses as liquor vendors by the Ontario Government, through the Ontario License Board. Their business will be to supply liquor to druggists for medical purposes, to hospitals and institutions, and to persons needing it for sacramental, manufacturing or scientific purposes. They can only make the sale on the production of proper affidavits by the purchaser and must keep a register of all transactions.

R. H. Howard & Bros. were originally appointed by the License Board and a license issued to them, but before the Government passed any order-in-council a Cabinet Minister is said to have complained to the board of statements made by a member of the Howard firm. As to this Chairman Flavell will not say anything, but he gives the assurance that politics did not cause the board to cancel Howard's license.

STEPHEN LYNCH DEAD. Stephen Lynch, a well known resident of Belleville, died this morning after a short illness. He was found in a sick condition on Monday last and no hopes were held out for his recovery. He survived however, until this morning. He was about fifty years of age, and a Roman Catholic in religion. "Three British aeroplanes," says a British official statement, reporting military operations in Egypt, "again bombed El Mazar."

### PTE CADDICK SLAIN IN ACTION

Well Known G.T.R. Fireman of 59th Battalion Killed Sept. 9th.

Mrs. Elizabeth Caddick, 26 Earl Street, received a telegram from Ottawa this morning announcing the death in action of her husband who was a member of the 59th battalion. He was killed on Saturday Sept. 9th. He leaves a family of three children, one about eight years of age, another six and a baby.

Private Caddick was a G.T.R. fireman whose run was from Belleville to Brockville. He was English by birth.

### LIEUT. MAUND HAS BEEN SLAIN

Left Belleville in June 1915 With 39th Battalion.

Official word was received yesterday by Mr. W. H. Maund, Toronto, that his brother, Lieut. F. C. Maund had been killed in action. Lieut. Maund left Belleville with the 39th Battalion in June, 1915.

### September Brides

WALKER-DENIKE At the parsonage, Cannifton, at four o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, September 20th, the marriage of Mr. F. L. Walker, eldest son of Mr. Stanley Walker of the fourth concession of Thurlow, to Miss Nina May Denike, also of Thurlow, daughter of the late Isaac Denike, Esq., of Cramache, took place. The marriage was performed by the Rev. M. E. Wilson, M.A., minister of the contracting parties in the presence of near relatives. Immediately following the ceremony the happy young couple took the train going north at Belleville, for their wedding trip. Both are very much esteemed and respected in the community, and their many friends are pleased to know that upon their return they will reside upon the third concession of Thurlow, in the midst of a wide circle of relatives and friends, all of whom most cordially join in wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous voyage through life.

CAPT. McQUEEN KILLED IN ACTION Many friends in Belleville will deeply regret to learn that Capt. McQueen who had charge of the Y.M.C.A. branch of the 39th battalion has been killed in action. He was a native of Guelph and was a brilliant student at Toronto university. He had graduated with the degrees of M.A. and Ph.D. During his residence in Belleville where he had charge of the Y.M.C.A. tent he made a host of friends. He was a man of fine physique and animated by the highest principles of patriotism.

BARN AND CONTENTS BURNED NEAR MOIRA. The large barn together with its contents, belonging to Mr. Edward Welch, Second concession of Huntingdon, was burned shortly after the noon hour yesterday. How the fire originated is a mystery but it is supposed that it must have been ignited by a spark from the chimney at the house. The barn was filled to the roof with the season's crop. One threshing had taken place and the threshed grain was still in the granary. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$2500 with only a small insurance.

MILITARY NOTES Capt. Gilmore and Capt. Noble of the 155th are taking the field officer's course at the School of Instruction. Arrangements might be made for the band of the 155th battalion to be made the band of the new battalion proposed for Hastings and Prince Edward counties. About one hundred members of the 155th battalion were given leave to attend the Picton fair Wednesday. These men were all from Prince Edward county. The machine gun section of the 155th battalion have been in Picton since Tuesday attending the fair and giving exhibitions with the Lewis gun. They are taking in all the fairs of Hastings and Prince Edward counties, and are a great attraction. Three more men have been ordered transferred from the 155th battalion

### YOUNG WOMEN MAY AVOID PAIN

Need Only Trust to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, says Mrs. Kurtzweg.

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to the Divisional Signalling Company. The transfer of men from battalions who have spent effort and money to secure them, to special units, is causing friction and dissatisfaction. Commanding officers feel that they should not be stripped of their best men by units who are making no effort to secure their own recruits, but who are contented to have them taken from other battalions.

The machine gun detachment of the 155th battalion will remain out on its recruiting campaign until October 6th. The band of the 155th battalion is on leave of absence for a few days. There is some talk of making the band of the 155th a District band, and keeping the organization in the Third Military District instead of sending it overseas.

The Duke of Connaught is inspecting Barrieffield camp today. The royal party arrived during the early morning, and at 9.15 o'clock was driven by automobile to the camp. An inspection of the camp lines and a review of the troops was held, with a march past and royal salute. This ceremony was on the camp parade grounds during the morning, and a large number of citizens motored to the camp for the event. After the review and march past the party motored through the camp and inspected the quarters of the soldiers.

Captain German has been attached to the 155th battalion. For some time the Captain has been serving without exposure to the public, but is now attached. Many of the officers of the 155th battalion are putting in stores so as to keep their tents comfortable when off parade.

It is published for the information of all concerned that coal-oil stoves will not be left in tents lighted during the absence of the occupants. The officer, N.C.O. or man will be responsible for all damages caused through non-compliance of this order. Major J. M. Wilson, A.D.D.S. proceeded to Ottawa yesterday on duty.

INVALIDED HOME Private Gibberman, Belleville, a member of the 51st Battalion, has been invalided home. He arrived at Kingston Convalescent Home on Tuesday afternoon. The Swedish steamer Gemon, of 2,617 tons register, has been sunk. The crew was saved. Flight-Commander Clarke was instantly killed today while flying over the eastern counties of England. His aeroplane collided with another machine in mid-air.

Three more men have been ordered transferred from the 155th battalion

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Frankford's 1916 fall fair has passed into history, adding to the record of success which the agricultural society has been scoring for years.

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The Frankford Overseas Club, both women and men, had a good harvest of success in their various departments.

The stock show at Frankford, was perhaps not up to the record in point of entries. Cattle were less numerous than usual, a feature which is evidently due to the high price of milk and cheese and the scarcity of farm labor.

Mr. Wesley Dawson, of Napanee, the veteran sheep-rater, was again a large exhibitor. He has been forty years attending fall fairs and accustomed to carrying off big prizes.

Mr. R. J. Garbutt of Thurlow, had almost a clean sweep with the swine which he had brought, winning first and second in his favorite class.

The poultry show was according to the judges, Mr. John Archibald of Belleville, larger than ever before at the West Hastings fair.

This has been a poor year in roots and vegetables. Frankford's show demonstrated this and yet the warts, beets, pumpkins, melons, both water and musk, onions, and potatoes, were good. Potatoes were better

IMPORTANT DECISION

REX VS. SPELLMAN

This information was tried before Police Magistrate G. A. Payne, at Campbellford, on the 18th inst, and he has given therein the following judgment:

The evidence shows that a suit case and club-bag containing 22 bottles of liquor were seized by the License Inspector for East Northumberland in the office of the defendant's premises known as the Windsor House, on the 18th of August last.

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huffing or displacement of internal organs, blinding

irritation with frequent urination, obstinate

constipation or piles, pain in the sides, rectory

or irregularly, blinding or unusual conjunctivitis, cataracts, conditions, dyspepsia, extreme

nervousness, depressed spirits, melancholy, desire to cry, fear of something evil about to

happen, creeping feeling up the spine, debility, hot flashes, weakness, yellow complexion,

with dark circles under the eyes, pain in the left breast or a general feeling that life is not

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PROHIBITION FORCES RALLY

Gatherings in Opera House on Sunday—Thanksgiving Addresses.

"ON TO OTTAWA" CRY

Best Enforcement of Law With Strong Public Opinion In Support

In thanksgiving for the giving of prohibition and to maintain the militant temperance sentiment in the city in order to win further victories...

The Field Secretary of the Dominion Alliance, Rev. John Bailey, M.A. delivered a short address in reference to the two wars—the one in Europe and that against strong drink in America.

This present war has made many contributions to the great temperance movement by demanding the conservation of our resources...

And what prohibition is doing in wars it is doing in other spheres: we are entering upon an era of prosperity and happiness.

The new law is a splendid piece of prohibitory legislation. Its success rests with us. I am convinced the people of Ontario are as much under trial as the law.

Alcohol and Manufacture. Having recently toured the west, Mr. R. J. Graham was able to give an idea of the views of business men on the workings of prohibition.

"Some of the good in alcohol" was the subject of Mr. Graham's address. Alcohol is winning our battles in France, for it enters into explosives.

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In the evening, Mr. D. V. Sinclair, president, Mr. A. M. Chapman, 1st in singing. The chairman paid his tribute to the W. C. T. U.

of his days. He acquired a general store and took a deep interest in farming and lumbering.

Mr. Norris, Toronto, sang "The Red Crossed Flag" and Misses Price and Stark rendered "Blessed Saviour."

Quiet of Belleville. "I congratulate Belleville on the quiet of your city. I have looked in vain for any signs of drunkenness here," said Rev. G. Agar, of Toronto.

Mr. Clark's active nature found full scope in Limerick. As a youth he was elected reeve of Limerick and as their representative he sat in the Hastings County Council.

Mr. Clark occupied a position on the official board of the Methodist church at St. Oia, and was Sunday School superintendent for over thirty years.

Mr. Clark was fraternally a member of the Masonic Order, belonging to Madoc lodge, and the I.O.F., I.O.O.F., and L.O.L. No. 1389, all of Madoc.

Mr. Clark was a cheerful disposition and all sterling qualities, he had hosts of friends who regret his passing.

Mr. Chas. Martin and family have moved to Madoc. Mrs. Thos. Emmons, of Shannonville, who has been spending some time with her daughter Mrs. (Rev.) L. S. Wight in Edmonton, is spending a few days renewing acquaintances in town.

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SUCCUMBED TO LONG ILLNESS

Peter Perry Clark Ex-Warden of Hastings Died on Saturday Evening.

AN ACTIVE CAREER Was Sunday School Superintendent for Many Years. Contested East Hastings, 1911.

Peter Perry Clark, ex-warden of the County of Hastings and Liberal candidate for the House of Commons in the riding of East Hastings in 1911, passed away in Belleville Hospital on Saturday night after a long illness.

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MEMORIAL FOR LATE J. CADDICK

Service at Christ Church Last Evening for Fallen Soldier

A large congregation gathered in Christ church last night to take part in the memorial service for Pte. John Caddick, killed in action on the ninth inst.

The sermon which was preached by the Rev. Dr. Biagrace, Rector of the church, was taken from Isaiah 63rd chap. and 2nd verse.

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was comparatively new. The other  
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### PRESERVING FRUIT WITHOUT SUGAR

The Recipe  
The fruit is prepared in the ordinary  
way, the jars are cleaned and  
scalded while the rubbers and tops  
are boiling. The fruit is then placed  
in the jars, in which COLD water is  
placed. When the jars have been  
sealed air-tight they are placed in a  
boiler filled with cold water and  
brought to the boiling point. Berries  
will do it removed when the boiling  
point is reached, while large fruits,  
such as peaches, cherries, plums and  
apricots, should get 20 to 30 min-  
utes' boiling. Keep cover of wash  
boiler on tight.

### Country Plum Charlotte

Stone a quart of ripe plums; first  
stew and then sweeten them. Cut  
slices of bread and butter and lay  
them in the bottom and around the  
sides of a large bowl or deep dish.  
Pour in the plums boiling hot, cover  
the bowl and set it away to cool grad-  
ually. When quite cold, send it to  
the table and eat it with cream.

### Damson and Plum Pie

Stew the damsons whole in water  
only sufficient to prevent them burn-  
ing; when tender and while hot,  
sweeten them with sugar and let  
them stand until they become cold;  
then pour them into pie dishes lined  
with paste, dredge flour upon them,  
cover them with the same paste, wet  
and pinch together the edges of the  
paste, cut a slit in the center of the  
cover through which the vapor may  
escape and bake twenty minutes.

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## FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF \$4000

Barns and Outbuildings of R.  
N. Bird, Oak Hills, Destroyed  
Last Evening by Fire.

A fire of mysterious origin des-  
troyed the two barns and outbuild-  
ings together with their contents be-  
longing to Mr. R. Newton Bird, one of  
the best known farmers of Sidney  
township whose home is located on  
the Oak Hills just east of the Stir-  
ling gravel road. The fire was first  
noticed shortly after six o'clock last  
evening by the men who were work-  
ing in a root field near by. The flames  
were then bursting out of the roof of  
one of the barns. No one had been in  
the barn for some time previously.  
Some propound the theory that  
sparks were carried by the strong  
wind from the residence of Mr. Wm.  
Richardson which burned at noon  
yesterday. But as the distance is  
two miles that theory as to the origin  
of the fire seems unreasonable.

Only seconds it seemed after the  
men noticed the fire until the entire  
barn was a mass of flames. In less  
than ten minutes the other barn,  
which is located not far away, also  
became ignited and was soon burning  
fiercely.

Efforts were devoted to the rescue  
of the horses and hogs. The colts and  
younger horses were successfully  
driven out of the stables, but three of  
the older work horses refused to  
leave and were burned to death. The  
hogs were in a pen near by but all of  
these, about twenty-five in number  
were forced out in time. The pen was  
soon burned.

In addition to the horses, the hens  
and ducks were all burned. The  
barns contained the season's crop.  
This included 30 loads of hay, 500  
bushels of oats and quantities of  
rye and wheat. The farm implements  
were all likewise destroyed as well as  
large quantities of straw.

The entire loss will be in the  
neighborhood of \$4000. Against this  
there is insurance of \$4,500 which  
policy however, covers also the resi-  
dence and drivehouse. The net loss  
therefore will be heavy.

Hundreds of willing helpers came  
from Stirling and elsewhere by auto  
but the destruction of the buildings  
was so quick that they could render  
no effective assistance except to pre-  
vent the flames spreading to the  
house.

As it was the fire ran through the  
fields to the woods and threatened  
to become serious owing to the dry  
condition of everything. But the  
timely aid of the visitors and applica-  
tions of water prevented further de-  
vastation.

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was comparatively new. The other  
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### PLUM CUSTARD TARTLETS

One pint of green gage plums, after  
being rubbed through a sieve, one  
large cup of sugar, the yolks of two  
eggs well beaten. Whisk altogether  
until light and foamy, then bake in  
small patty pans, shells of puff paste  
a light brown. Then fill with plum  
paste, beat the two whites until stiff,  
add two tablespoonsful of powdered  
sugar, spread over the plum paste and  
set the shells into a moderate oven a  
few minutes.

### SPICED PLUMS

Seven pounds of plums, one pint of  
elder vinegar, four pounds of sugar,  
two tablespoonsful of broken cinna-  
mon bark, half as much of whole  
cloves and the same of broken nut-  
meg. Place these in a muslin bag  
and simmer them in a little vinegar  
and water for half an hour; then add  
it all to the vinegar and sugar, and  
bring to a boil; add the plums and  
boil carefully until they are cooked  
tender. Before cooking the plums  
should be pierced with a darning  
needle several times, this will pre-  
vent the skins from bursting while  
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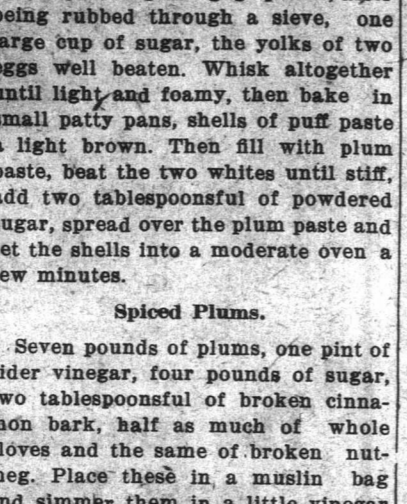
### CANNED PLUMS

To every pound of plums allow a  
quarter of a pound of sugar. Put the  
sugar and plums alternately into the  
preserving kettle, first picking the  
plums to prevent their breaking. Let  
them stand on the back of the stove  
for an hour or two, then put them  
over a moderate fire and allow to  
come to a boil. Skim and pour at  
once into jars, running a silver spoon  
handle around the inside of the jar  
to break the air bubbles. Cover and  
screw down the tops.

### TO CAN PLUMS WITHOUT SUGAR

Thoroughly wash and clean the  
fruit, after having washed the fruit  
jars, rubbers and rings, place the  
raw fruit in the jars and fill with  
cold water and seal tightly. Now  
boiler and fill around and over the  
jars with cold water. Place the boiler  
on the fire and bring to the boiling  
point and boil for thirty to forty-five  
minutes.

### NO ALUM



DOCTOR IS CHARGED.

Alleged to Have Prescribed Liquor  
Indiscriminately.

The wisdom of inserting in the  
Manitoba Temperance Act clauses  
demanding that on September 1 and  
March 1 of each year druggists in  
the Province must give in to the at-  
torney-general's department a record  
of their sales of liquor is fully recog-  
nized by Chief License Inspector  
MacLean, for it has provided him  
with material for two prosecutions  
against offenders of the act.

On looking over the records, Mr.  
MacLean noticed that a doctor had  
indiscriminately prescribed liquor for  
applicants permitting them to obtain  
a quart bottle of whiskey at the drug-  
gist's for \$1.50. Detectives were sent  
out, say the doctor, complained of  
ennui, asked for a pick-me-up, drop-  
ped a hint, and the doctor, it is said,  
in three cases gave out a prescrip-  
tion calling for a quart of whiskey.

The sequel will be seen in the police  
court in the course of a day or two,  
when the doctor will appear on three  
counts of helping to circumvent the  
Temperance Act. He has already been  
served with his summons.

There is only one other similar  
case revealed by the statistics re-  
turned by the druggists, and when  
further evidence is obtained, infor-  
mation will be laid against this of-  
fending doctor. — Winnipeg Free  
Press.

### PAINFUL SWELLINGS REDUCED MUSCULAR STRAINS ENDED.

Such Troubles Now Quickly Rubbed  
Away by Powerful Remedy.

If you have any muscles that are  
strained and weak, that are frequ-  
ently subject to rheumatic pains; if  
you have any painful swellings that  
refuse to go away—get busy with Ner-  
viline. This is the very sort of trou-  
ble that Nerviline is noted for curing  
quickly. "I have proved Nerviline  
simply a wonder in reducing a hard  
painful swelling. It followed an in-  
jury I received in my left leg and  
caused me great pain and discomfort.  
The muscles were strained and sore,  
and no other remedy gave the ease  
and comfort I got from rubbing on  
Nerviline. There is a soothing, pain-  
relieving power about Nerviline that  
touched the root of my trouble. Ner-  
viline reduced the swelling, it des-  
troyed the pain, it brought my limb  
back to perfect condition." The ex-  
perience of Mr. Bowen, whose home  
is in Middlesex, is not unusual. Thou-  
sands are proving every day that  
muscular pains of every kind, chronic  
rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia  
and sciatica will yield to Nerviline  
when nothing else can possibly cure.  
Nerviline is an old-time family pain  
remedy, used nearly forty years with  
great success. The large family size  
bottle costs 50c., trial size 25c. at all  
dealers.

### DECIDED NOT TO HANDLE LI- QUOR

John Barleycorn received a fur-  
ther attack this morning when the  
druggists of Peterboro decided not to  
handle liquor in any form under the  
existing regulations of prohibition  
after it went into effect on Saturday  
Sept. 16th. It was stated that the  
local druggists were unanimous in  
their decision to side-step the "booze-  
business." Not even in prescriptions  
will it be sold.—Peterborough Ex-  
aminer.

### RECORD TO BE PROUD OF.

Messrs. John Harris and Son again  
have the honor of winning first prize  
on their celery at the Central Exhi-  
bition at Ottawa. This is the fifth  
successive year they have attained  
this much coveted distinction and  
they should feel proud of having as  
usual defeated their Toronto and  
London competitors. The celery at  
Ottawa this year was the finest it is  
believed, that has ever been shown  
in Ontario and we congratulate our  
local gardeners on being able to car-  
ry away the highest honors.

### IT IS PUBLISHED FOR THE INFORMATION OF ALL CONCERNED THAT ONLY OFFICERS, N.C.O.'S and MEN whose names have appeared in the casualty lists are per- mitted to wear the small badge of Russian gold braid on the left arm.

## CONSIGNMENT OF COMFORTS

Shipped Today by Belleville  
Red Cross to Soldiers.

The Belleville Red Cross and Pa-  
triotic Society today shipped nine  
large boxes containing 828 pairs of  
grey woolen socks for the soldier  
boys at the front. These are sent to  
Miss Plummer who will send them to  
individual Belleville officers and men  
for distribution among the men.  
Eight boxes containing forty pillows  
and also seventy pillow cases were  
shipped to French hospitals.

Today's consignment gives some  
idea of the large amount of work  
which the Red Cross workers have  
been doing. Twenty-five circles have  
been engaged in knitting, each with  
a large number of knitters. The re-  
sult of their labors was shown when  
the boxes were filled for the soldiers.

The Belleville Red Cross gets no  
contributions in socks. The members  
raise funds and buy the yarn which  
is distributed to the ladies of the  
various circles.

Mrs. (Col.) Lazier, Mrs. O'Flynn  
and their associates are to be com-  
mended for their self-sacrificing  
work for the Empire.

### AUTO CASE IN COURT

Napanee Resident Was In Belleville  
on Saturday Last.

Mr. James Bowen of Napanee ap-  
peared this morning in police court  
before Magistrate Masson on a charge  
of having driven an automobile upon  
the highway in Belleville on Satur-  
day afternoon last while in an in-  
toxicated condition. Bowen has been  
the owner of a car for a month and  
drove to Shannonville to go to the  
fair. At Deseronto he had a drink  
of lager and a glass of whiskey be-  
fore ten o'clock in the morning but  
no more, he testified, during the  
day. At McLaughlin's garage he ran  
into a local car and broke a lamp,  
which cost him six dollars and a half.  
Witnesses testified that he acted as  
if under the influence of liquor but  
Bowen said the brakes of his car  
would not operate properly.

### HE SAID HE HAD NEVER BEEN IN BELLE- VILLE BEFORE AND WAS MADE NERVOUS BY THE CROWDED TRAFFIC ON THE STREETS. HIS INTENTION IN GOING TO THE GARAGE WAS TO GET THE BRAKE FIXED AND TO GET HIS CAR OUT OF THE WAY OF THE CROWDS OF VEHICLES. HE HAD NEVER DRIVEN THE CAR IN PLACES LARGER THAN NAPANEE.

Mr. Carney represented the city  
and Mr. Madden of Napanee the de-  
fendant.

A man who wants to drink should  
not drive a car, said the court, for a  
car on the highway is more danger-  
ous than a railway engine on rails.

Mr. Madden made a plea for the  
young defendant, and Mr. Carney  
supported the view of leniency. Mag-  
istrate Masson reserved judgment  
on the costs being paid.

### IF STRENGTH DECLINES AS AGE ADVANCES FOLLOW THIS SUGGESTION.

So many women grow old before  
their time, perhaps your wife or sis-  
ter. A little while ago, buoyant, full  
of vigor and activity — she enjoyed  
life and imparted pleasure to the  
whole family; but now in a few short  
years she has faded and lost color  
and strength. She is just ready to  
develop some disease that will fur-  
ther weaken and debilitate. You re-  
member how it began, falling of ap-  
petite, tired in the morning, found  
housework burdensome, always ner-  
vous and a little irritable. It's a  
shame to let her go down hill fur-  
ther when you can build her up so  
quickly with Ferrozone. The change  
this nourishing tonic makes in a  
weak woman is surprising. It gives  
great zest for food, increases app-  
etite and digestion enormously. The  
blood gets richer and stronger and  
adds new life to every organ in the  
body. A rebuilding process works  
through the entire system. The first  
week will show an improvement and  
a month or two will fatten up the  
thinnest, most run-down woman you  
can think of. Take Ferrozone for  
lost color, for nervousness, for weak-  
ness,—use it when run-down and  
feeling poorly—it will do you more  
lasting good, keep you in better  
health than anything else. Just as  
good for men and children, too, be-  
cause Ferrozone is harmless and safe,  
50c. per box or six for \$2.50 at all  
dealers, or direct by mail from the  
Cattaraugus Co., Kingston, Ont.

### THIEVES ARE BUSY

Visit Orchards and Hen Houses in  
West Belleville This Week

Thieves have been busy in the  
northwest part of the city. Four de-  
predations are reported from that  
quarter. Mr. Ballantyne, Herchimer  
street, had his orchard robbed in  
daylight. The night before last ac-  
cording to a report made by Mr. Har-  
ry Zebede, his large orchard on Her-  
chimer street was completely strip-  
ped of fruit. The grape vines on Mr.  
Smith's property on Yeomans street  
were robbed, and a hen and a pair of  
young pigeons were stolen of the  
nest from the property of Mr. Chas.  
Hardwick, Sidney street.

### WAS KNOWN HERE

Lieut. William Willison, son of  
Sir John Willison, of the Toronto  
News, has been killed in action. He  
was well known in Belleville where  
he had covered a number of assign-  
ments for the Toronto News.

### FOURTEEN LASHES FOR BOY THIEF.

The boy who stole a missionary  
box containing eleven dollars from  
W. C. Yonge's store, corner Lans-  
downe and Park streets, was sentenc-  
ed to fourteen lashes of the cat-o'-  
nine-tails yesterday morning. Pol-  
ice Magistrate Dumble imposed the  
sentence, which, it is hoped will be  
a salutary effect. The eleven dollars  
stolen had been contributed for mis-  
sionary work among the Chinese, and  
the boy's father is to make full res-  
titution. — Peterborough Times.

### A FRIGHTFUL DEATH, SUFFOCAT- ED IN ASTHMA ATTACK.

Every sufferer from Asthma knows  
the terror, the object fear that over-  
comes them when struggling for  
breath. The old fashioned remedies  
may relieve, but never cure. Best  
results come from Cattaraugus  
which cures Asthma after hope is  
abandoned. It's because the Catarrh-  
oxone kills the Asthma germ that it  
cures. Choking spells and labored  
breathing are relieved, suffocating  
sensations and loss of breath are  
cured. Every trace of Asthma is  
driven from the system, and even  
old chronic experience immediate  
relief and lasting cure. Equally  
good for Bronchitis, Throat Trou-  
ble and Catarrh. The large one-dol-  
lar outfit includes the inhaler and  
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Standard Licenses at Peter-  
boro.

Nineteen Standard Licenses have  
been granted in Peterboro County,  
seven being granted in the city.  
Mr. Fred Blastorah, proprietor of  
the Palace Hotel on Hunter St. did  
not apply for a license and the appli-  
cations of George Lipsett, Maple  
leaf Hotel, Ashburnham, Jas. Head,  
Montreal House, Aymer St. and  
the Burleigh Falls Hotel are not  
granted.

Havelock gets two standard hotels  
Norwood one, Lakesfield two, Buck-  
horn one and Young's Point one.



### ADVENTURE IN THE BACKWOODS

Mr. Flint Tells of Being Lost in the Forest near Flinton while Wolves Kept Guard.

My Dear Sir,—

I wonder if any of your readers have been lost in the woods for any considerable period? I had an adventure of this kind, many years ago, which may prove interesting to narrate. I will preface by giving a brief account of the square timber and lumber business with which the present generation is entirely unfamiliar. In the early days of this country, there were no saw mills. I have seen at Todouac, Fort Gary and other places squared timbers hoary with age, which had been brought from France to build forts and public buildings. These timbers were numbered so that they would fit easily together. Leading men in Quebec obtained from the Government licenses to cut timber. They sought lands where immense groves of Norway pine and oak were near rivers, down which the timber could be floated during spring freshets. Once located huge log buildings made of round logs chinked with moss were constructed. Frequently earthen floors solidly packed were used, sometimes timbers roughly hewed. Roads were constructed to the groves over which the timbers squared by the broad-axe could be hauled to the river. The men employed were nearly all French. Generally they were as happy and jolly a lot of men as could be found. They lived upon pork, bread and occasionally beef. The tea was made strong and black. In the centre of the camp was a platform of earth upon which a big fire was placed. The chimney was made of wood. The choicest timber only was cut and squared. Sticks of fifty and seventy feet in length were not uncommon. Timbers were guided down the river in the spring and ratted at the mouth of the river in tiers. One tier of timber, placed over another, bound by withes made of young saplings twisted and bent by machines. The raft bore a rough cabin for cooking and sleeping. Two long ears of about twenty feet each were used to steer the raft in the rapids. The old steamer William the Fourth would tow the rafts to the rapids of the Saint Lawrence, down which they had to make their own way, guided only by the oars. Very frequently rafts would lodge upon rocks and be torn to pieces, and the separated timbers would find a resting-place upon rocks, shallows, etc. Great losses followed. Once arrived in Quebec timbers were loaded into ships by a large hole cut in the bow, near the water line. A powerful pair of tongs would catch the timber at one end and speedily draw the timber into the hold. The large tracts of timber covered lands were called "timber limits." The licensee paid a small tax to the government. Mammoth fortunes were made during many years. When squared timber could not be had the logging industry took its place, with corresponding results. Merry times took place at the mouth of the river in sorting the logs. Each log being stamped at the end with a registered mark owned by the respective lumberer. My father's limits were about one hundred miles north of Belleville. Its northern boundary extended for hundreds of miles unbroken forest. If a person wandered from the camp and got lost, he might travel for weeks if he happened to take the wrong direction without coming out at any clearing or habitation. A friend of mine, accompanied me to my father's camp in these wild and uninhabited woods. Our intention was to hunt. We arrived at the camp about midnight and started out early in the morning before breakfast, to see if we could shoot some partridges. The time was the last of October, and it was quite cold. We had no compass and we wandered along for a considerable time, without seeing any game. We began to feel hungry and tried to retrace our steps. We walked for some time without any alarm. After a time we could not see anything that was familiar. We could not think we were lost, so we tramped along for a time when we became certain we were lost. Imagine the position. Alone, many miles from civilization, in the heart of trackless woods. We walked all that day without anything to eat. When night came we found a little ravine, down which ran a brook. Upon one side was an old stump about ten feet high. The lower part was rotten. The rain began to fall. We hollowed out the rotten wood which afforded us some shelter. We gathered a quantity of wood and lighted a fire, fortunately having matches. We had but one pipe full of tobacco and each exchanged whiffs, which were very grateful. I rest of the soldiers wounded and

otherwise apparently crazy for cigarettes. I fancy what enjoyment is theirs when after a severe engagement they have a good smoke. As soon as night came on, to our horror, we heard the howl of a wolf. Nearer and nearer it came. He evidently approached the opposite side of the river and concealed by the thicket, began a series of barks and howls. We thought that he was barking so that the rest of the pack would come to join in his anticipated feast. Stories of people attacked by wolves and killed, came to our minds. We drew the small shot from our guns and replaced the shot with bullets. All night we sat there shivering from fear. As morning dawned our stock of wood began to run low. We were sure if the fire went out, the wolves would be upon us. So one flourished a fire brand and the other picked up wood with which we replenished our fire. In the bottom of the ravine we found a few wintergreen berries. As soon as the day dawned we took up our weary march. We came to a clearing. Here we found an old lumber camp and sheds. It was very old and covered with moss and rotting. The ground all around the clearing was covered with deer tracks. It seemed as if the deer occupied the sheds at night. We determined to pursue, if possible, a straight direction. After walking for some time we saw there was a clearing. Hope sprung up in our breasts. We rushed forward only to find the same clearing we had left hours before. We had walked in a circle. Then black despair filled our hearts. We feared we were doomed to die in the woods. My friend weakened. He was exhausted and lay down, declaring he could not travel longer. I wandered away and saw three partridge upon a log. I had only a pistol, having left our guns with my friend. I fired, but missed. Finally, by my carrying both guns, we staggered on. We found a stream what we followed. This led to a river. We followed the current, which brought us out to a clearing in which was the village of Flinton, some fifteen miles from our lumber camp. We found a field of traps and fed ourselves with them, and ever since I have felt a great respect for turkeys. In a few moments we were safe in a comfortable house, foot sore and weary, but oh, how happy. We did not return to the camp. It would be impossible to convey to your readers the horrible sensations experienced when we became satisfied we were "lost in the woods."

Yours,  
John J. B. Flint.

duty and hope that he will come through the war with safety, honor and distinction.—Havelock Standard.

Mr. W. K. Sherry, our Drayman, has been summoned to appear in court at Hamilton today (Thursday) for exceeding the speed limit on the new Toronto-Hamilton highway on August 29th. Nobody was more surprised than Mr. Sherry to get this summons. Mr. Sherry is a busy man and his business is such that he can hardly get a day off to attend a funeral, let alone time to go joy riding on the new high-priced highway, however tempting such an experience might be. On the 29th he was the busiest man in town and he says he wouldn't know where to find the Toronto-Hamilton speedway. He has never been west of the Macdougall road, since he has had his car.

It is too bad that Mr. Sherry should be put to the worry and expense of such a trial. Another of our citizens was summoned to Guelph not long ago on the same fool business and it cost him about \$50 and he had to foot the entire bill.

On Wednesday evening last a number of the friends of Dr. and Mrs. Farrell paid them a surprise visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fitzgerald, where they were staying over night.

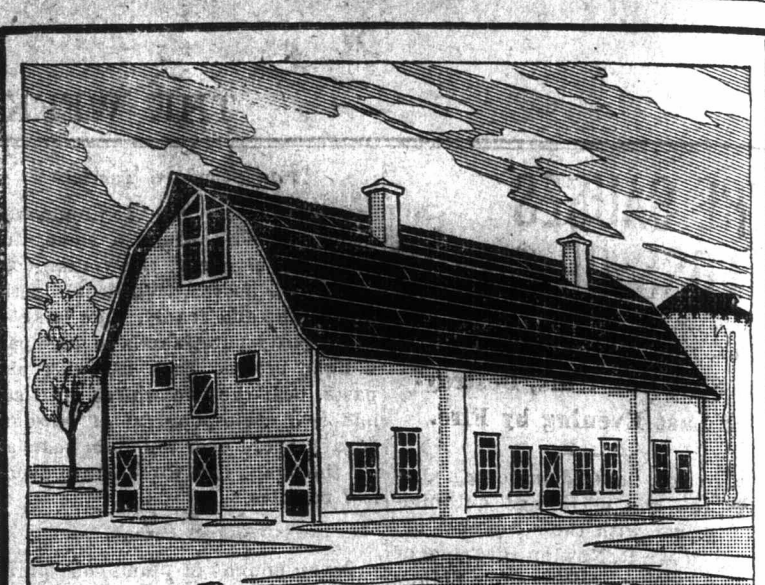
Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald gave them a hearty welcome and a most delightful evening was spent together. During the course of the evening Mrs. Bootes read a short but warmly worded address to Mrs. Farrell on behalf of those present and Miss Greta Fitzgerald presented her with a cut-glass water bottle.

Capt. Farrell made a reply on behalf of Mrs. Farrell, referring very graciously to many kindnesses from everybody that had been shown Mrs. Farrell and family during his absence.

Mrs. Fitzgerald served lunch and the evening was spent in social chat. The Dr. and Mrs. Farrell carry with them the best wishes of all and a prayer that as he goes again Overseas that he along with the other brave men may be brought safe home again.—The News.

stuff and had not been able to store away a supply, had to be contented with the mild drinks now on sale. The hotels doing business under the new Act are: Royal, Globe, Quinte and Tecumseth.

On Friday last a Missionary Convention for the Picton District Methodist Church was held in the Main Street Church with the attendance of all the ministers of the county, together with a number of laymen, the most of the circuits being represented. The Convention was held to discuss the missionary conditions in this district and to devise means of conducting a campaign to aid in the missionary work of the Methodist Church. The morning session was occupied by business routine such as the planning of a three weeks' missionary campaign in all the churches of the county and the holding of a laymen's missionary banquet in the First Methodist Church on Friday, Sept. 29th. Plans were completed for this campaign and the supper is to be furnished by the W. M. S. of this church. One hundred and fifty tickets only will be sold, a certain number being allotted to each circuit throughout the county. The price of the tickets will be 75c each. In the afternoon an address was given by Rev. Mr. Krutcher, returned missionary from China. He referred at length to the wonderful economic possibilities of the Chinese race, inasmuch as their country lies in latitude of all the progressive nations of the world and is co-incident with United States, Mexico and all but the northern portion of Ontario. Mr. Clayton Burr gave an address on Missions. He made an historical review of the missionary cause. He said the missionary cause was not a part of the Church; it was the Church itself. Rev. Mr. Archer of Wellington also gave a most interesting address along missionary lines. Rev. M. E. Sexsmith, president of the district, occupied the chair.—The Gazette.



### The foundation is not the most important thing

True, you can't have a good barn without a good foundation, but don't forget either that the roof has to stand most of the punishment. Upon it falls the burden of resisting the destructive influences of weather and changing seasons.

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