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DEMOCRATS CLAIM WIN IN UNITED STATES ELECTIONS

GERMANS ARE IN FULL RETREAT ON 15-MILE FRONT

Germans in Desperate Position Are Retreating on a 75-Mile Front

French Keep in Touch With German Rear Guards—Enemy on the Run Between Valenciennes and the Meuse—140 German Divisions Soundly Thrashed, Hundreds of Villages Captured and Thousands of Prisoners Taken—Kaiser's Abdication Said to be Imminent—Ghent Besieged by Allied Forces—Armistice Deputation Leaves Berlin For Western Front.

POSITION OF GERMANS NOW DESPERATE

PARIS, Nov. 6.—Enemy forces are in full retreat on a front of 75 miles from Valenciennes to the Meuse. They are being pressed hotly by the allies. British troops have crossed the Belgian front east of Valenciennes and have stormed Normal Forest, which covers Maastricht. Further south French are within eight miles of the great Mons-Vervins-Lacapelle road. The main strategy of the allied army is the German front in France. They are separated from it only by Nouvion forest. Two French armies are advancing on the southern side of the salient. An American army has forced the retreat of the Germans and they are now only nine miles from Sedan. The Americans have carried their lines past Dun-Sur-Meuse. As the result of this last battle, in which the allies have soundly beaten 140 German divisions, hundreds of villages have been freed and thousands of prisoners have been captured. The enemy position, which was bad before, may now be said to be desperate.

KAISER'S ABDICATION SAID TO BE IMMINENT

ZURICH, Nov. 6.—Emperor William's abdication has become imminent, according to information received from Berlin by the Munich Post. The newspapers say that serious differences have arisen between the Munich and Berlin governments and adds that the Hohenzollerns and the military party would be making a serious mistake to play with fire for the people are by no means inclined to remain passive.

ALLIED ARMISTICE CONFERENCE IN PRACTICAL ACCORD

PARIS, Nov. 6.—It developed today that inter-allied armistice conference attained accord on all points without much difficulty, with possibly exception of freedom of sea. On which general principle there was substantial agreement but terms are subject to further revision.

ARMISTICE DELEGATION LEFT BERLIN FOR WEST FRONT

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 6.—By A. P. P.—A German armistice delegation left Berlin this afternoon for the Western Front.

RETREAT OF GERMANS ALONG FRENCH FRONT CONTINUES

PARIS, Nov. 6.—(Official)—The retreat of the Germans along the whole of the French front continues. The French are in contact with the enemy rear guards. North of the Marle the French have passed beyond Voharies. Italian troops have occupied Lethuill, four miles south-east of Mont Cornet.

DEMOCRATS CLAIM TO HAVE WON IN THE UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION

But Contest Will Be Extremely Close—Republicans Made Notable Gains—Governorship of New York State Still in Doubt—Soldiers' Vote May Decide—Champ Clark in Narrow Squeeze—Henry Ford in Second Place.

ELECTION STILL IN DOUBT

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Early today more than 24 hours after yesterday's battle began it was not apparent whether democrats or republicans would control the next congress. Party managers on both sides predicted they would receive a substantial working majority, but returns show that between 50 and 75 congressional districts are still unreported and the line-up is so close that the scales might easily be turned in favor of either party. The Governorship of New York too is surrounded with the same uncertainty. The contest between Governor Whitman and his democratic opponent, Alfred Smith was so close that it appeared that the soldier vote would have to settle it. Some well known figures in public life have close shaves by yesterday's voting prominent among them is speaker Champ Clark, Democrat.

Democrats Claim Both Houses of Congress

The Democratic national committee headquarters early today, claimed that the Senate would be Democratic and that the final returns also would show a small margin for the Democrats in the House.

Republicans Claim Majority in the Senate

Republican national headquarters this afternoon claimed majority of 5 and possibly 6 in the United States Senate.

What the Democrats Claim

Washington, Nov. 6.—Returns received by the national Democratic Committee were said to show definitely the election of 49 Democratic Senators, while in the House 215 seats were assigned to the Democrats, 204 to the Republicans and the remainder in doubt.

New York, Nov. 6.—Next house of representatives will be republican on face of latest returns. The political complexion of senate is still in doubt. In the house, are republicans apparently had been elected and 183 democrats together with one socialist and one independent.

What the Republicans Claim

New York, Nov. 6.—At midnight

Three-Quarter Million Mark Now Passed

Victory Loan for Hastings County Shows \$766,500 Today—Heavy Work Must be Done to Realize Objective in the Time Limit.

District	Objective	Amount
Bellefleur	\$700,000	240,000
Trenton	275,000	44,600
Deseronto	70,000	6,700
Sidney	150,000	48,750
Thurlow	175,000	64,700
Tyendinaga	65,000	28,300
Rawdon	150,000	40,100
Huntingdon	50,000	4,900
Hungerford	150,000	26,500
Marmora and Lake	70,000	39,050
Madoc	135,000	30,350
Elzevir and Grimsthorpe	18,000	2,900
Tudor, Limerick	27,000	4,300
Cashe	10,000	1,000
Wollaston, Faraday and Dunganon	10,000	9,000
Carlow & Mayo	9,000	9,000
Herschel, Mont-eagle, McClure, Wicklow and Bangor	7,000	10,600
R. A. F.		12,450
Banks		146,650
Totals	\$2,100,000	\$766,500

Senatorial Returns

Thesenatorial returns at midnight showed representatives McGill McCormick of Illinois, Republican, running ahead of Senator James Hamilton Lewis, Democrat, and Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, running on the Democratic ticket in Michigan, behind Truman H. Newberry, former assistant secretary of the navy, the Republican candidate.

Returns tabulated from one-fourth of the precincts in Michigan gave Newberry a lead of approximately 15,000 over Ford. Republican state headquarters claim Newberry's election by at least 40,000 majority over Ford.

The only complete governorship returns at hand at midnight showed the Republican tickets elected in Pennsylvania and Connecticut and Governor Whitman of New York coming down state with a heavy plurality which promised to wipe out the advantage of Alfred E. Smith the Democratic candidate in Greater New York.

In Other States

Republicans in Indiana claimed a

An American Opinion of Our Council's Action

81 Madison Ave.
Jersey City, N.J., Nov. 1, 1918
Editor Ontario.

Just as we in the United States are putting forth a campaign to obtain \$120,000,000 in behalf of the splendid workers of the Y.M.C.A., Red Cross and Salvation Army, who have done such self-sacrificing service for our boys over there.

I am in receipt of a copy of your paper of Oct. 23rd containing an account of the despicable, miserly, and

dishonest action of the Belleville Council. I could scarcely believe what I saw before me. Never have I known of such contemptible action from men responsible for a city's government. During my five years' sojourn in your beautiful city, I learned to have the highest respect for many of its city officials and citizens, including such local men as Judge Deroche, Lawyer O'Flynn, Burrows, of Belleville, Thos. Ritchie and many others and I wonder what they think now of their city's disgrace.

I hope the citizens of Belleville will arise in their might and wipe away the stain. I believe there are

old fence-rails still around the outskirts, plenty of tar at the gas works and feathers at the market. A judicious use of which would for all time prevent that kind of action by your council.

Yours for the boys over there,
Geo. L. Sturges

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Crosier and family of Lindsay, wish to express their deep appreciation for the sympathy extended to them by the citizens of Belleville, which was a comfort to them in their hour of trial.

People of Hastings County!

Your country has asked you to lend her \$2,100,000 in her hour of need. THE VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN IS HALF OVER, AND HASTINGS COUNTY HAS LENT \$766,000, a little better than 35 per cent. of the amount asked.

THE LOAN WILL BE OVERSUBSCRIBED

Canada at large has responded better than was expected, some towns having already subscribed 200 p.c. of the amount asked. The Loan will be largely oversubscribed.

WHERE WILL HASTINGS STAND?

Unless every citizen of this loyal old county comes forward between NOW and NOVEMBER 16th with their last dollar and their every credit, HASTINGS COUNTY WILL GO DOWN TO DEFEAT IN THIS HOUR OF VICTORY.

CHINAMEN SUBSCRIBE 100 PER CENT.

In one establishment employing number of Chinamen every one of them bought a BOND.

Are You Less Patriotic Than Chinamen?

This is the last chance the people of Canada may have to buy Government Bonds paying 5 1-2 per cent.

DON'T LOSE THIS CHANCE!

Wake Up Hastings and Do Your Duty!

Executive Committee Hastings County:

W. B. Deacon, Chairman; Robt. Weddell, C. S. Rollins, W. H. DeBlots, Vice-Chairmen; W. B. Evans, Organizer; H. W. Ackerman, Secretary.

TODAY'S CASUALTIES

Killed in action—

Lance Corp. C. H. McInnis, Lorneville

G. A. Ryan, Westboro

Wounded—

Lt. R. I. Russell, Pembroke

F. A. Eves, Kingston

N. Vanderbilt, Peterboro

J. Webb, Trenton

S. Ford, Dundas

J. McGrogan, Peterboro

PROBS

Moderate south westerly winds; fine and a little warmer. Thursday, south east winds, fair to cloudy and mild.

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EPIDEMIC ABOUT OVER

The end of the Spanish "flu" visitation, as well as of the war, will probably come within a few days. There are not now ten per cent. of new cases reported in comparison with those days when the disease was at its height.

After that there will be sporadic cases here and there for a few days but those also will speedily die out if the right course is taken.

Now that the character of the disease is so well determined it is possible to adopt practical rules that should prevent renewed outbreaks.

It is now recognized that the disease is extremely contagious or communicable by being in the immediate vicinity of those who have it in active form. It does not appear to be carried to any extent in the air or to be taken around in clothing.

In many places, particularly in the United States, they are enforcing a practical system of quarantine, by isolation of the patient from visitors and from other members of the family.

In Belleville we have had no restrictions of that nature whatever. Visitors have freely come and gone and probably many cases of infection can be traced to that source.

This would be well, not merely from the standpoint of public health, but from that of business. Trade in the city has been practically paralysed.

It should be borne in mind that many of the deaths recorded in the papers are of those who died in the rural districts outside of Belleville or who have come in from outside points to the city hospital.

The enforcement of a reasonable quarantine regulation, however, would, in our estimation, do more than almost anything else to restore confidence of the trading public and business would soon resume its normal course.

HOW VICTORY LOAN HELPS

Millions of dollars have been used by the Dominion Government since the war began to finance Canada's exports of agricultural and animal products. There has been a tremendous expansion of overseas trade.

That is the statement of the Finance Minister, Sir Thomas White. He says the 1917 Victory Loan was the salvation of Canadian industry. It will be the same this year.

and the other food commodities that Britain must have. This year we will have \$225,000,000 worth of wheat for export; \$40,000,000 worth of cheese, and \$10,000,000 worth of butter, eggs and condensed milk.

Canada's total exports of agricultural and animal products last year amounted to \$740,000,000. In 1915 they were \$209,000,000. The same with manufacturers. The increase in the same period was from \$85,000,000 to 636,000,000—all because of the Loan issues.

"FLU" CONSIDERATIONS

Citizens will generally approve of the decision of the Board of Health to keep public places closed for another week because of the epidemic. The scourge is rapidly dying out and the number of new cases now reported is comparatively small.

New York opened the places of public assembly too soon and the consequence was an immediate increase in the prevalence of the disease far beyond what it had been before.

In Belleville many families have kept in a state of comparative seclusion and have so far escaped the disease. If the schools were to reopen, with cases still quite numerous, the families now immune would probably soon suffer a visitation.

From October 10, when the first death occasioned by the epidemic occurred, to October 31, a period of three weeks, we had forty-eight deaths in Belleville caused by the "flu" or its complications. One Belleville undertaking company looked after sixty funerals in the month of October, or double the number this company had ever conducted in a single month before.

The epidemic has created a great wave of prosperity for druggists, physicians, undertakers and cemetery companies. But to the general lines of trade it has brought stagnation. All the merchants complain of dullness, surpassing that of midsummer, at this harvest season of the year for the tradesmen.

Theatres have been hit hardest of all. Their business has been absolutely taken away. October and November are, to theatres, the best months of the year. The fate of some of the road companies on tour was pitiful.

The "flu" will undoubtedly have a serious effect on the fuel situation, already quite serious enough. The producing miners as well as the transportation companies have been quite as hard hit as anybody else.

It strikes the humble outsider that the provincial health authorities have shown precious little foresight or wisdom in meeting the exigencies of the epidemic.

This disease was prevalent in Spain in early July and reached New York on August 12th. Yet with all that opportunity to obtain advance information what advance information did Dr. MacCullough and his assistants obtain?

ue. Why was not this serum earlier introduced into Canada?

THE NEW YUKON

The report of a silver rush in the Yukon will recall to all middle-aged and elderly folk of today the stampede to Alaska and the Klondike following the discovery of gold there twenty-five years ago.

The rest of the story is much the same as that of the two other great gold rushes of history, California's and Australia's. The few who got in first secured the cream of the deposits.

But if the gold discovery of the Yukon and the Klondike enriched comparatively few it opened subarctic areas of Canada and the United States of limitless resources in things essential to the welfare of the North American millions.

The opinions of physicians differ as to the value of various sera that have been tried to stay the progress of influenza. At Belleville extensive use has been made of the serum evolved by Dr. Reed, one of the bacteriologists of Queen's University, Kingston.

IF WE SHOULD FALL

If we should fall them in this crucial need— Hold back the money that is theirs by right— Either from thoughts of fear or selfish greed.

Other Editor's Opinions

"THE GOOD OLD DAYS" Mr. Adam Bull, aged 87 years, of Scarborough, near Toronto, relates that in the old days of St. Andrew's Church, Scarborough, there was quite a debate one summer as to the advisability of buying with church funds a barrel of beer for members to drink between services.

Did you ever realize the value of a true neighbor? If not, just lose one who has lived by you for a dozen or more years and see what a hole

knows. The mite I hold is a drop within the flood! Not give the last red cent for those Who gave for us their last red drop of blood— How shall we face those gallant fighting men Who gave up home, love, life to keep us free?

IN FLANDERS FIELDS In Flanders fields the poppies blow Between the crosses, row on row. That mark our place, and, in the sky, the larks, still bravely singing, fly.

An Answer In Flanders fields the cannon boom. And fitful flashes light the gloom. While up above like eagles fly, The fierce destroyers of the sky.

America's Answer Rest ye in peace, ye Flanders dead. The fight that ye so bravely led We've taken up. And we will keep True faith with you who lie asleep.

Premier Finds His Dog Mr. Lloyd George's long lost and much advertised for dog, the Welsh terrier "Cymro" has come home again. It was on Friday, July 19th, that the little fellow lost himself in High

street, Sutton, Surrey. Mr. Lloyd George had pulled up his motor car there to address an impromptu meeting, and "Cymro" jumped down—and forgot to come back.

A LESSON FROM THE "FLU" Beneficent Providence has so arranged it that from evil and disastrous events springs some good.

The use of the microbe-destroying antiseptic has become universal. Always in every office there has been a "domon disinfectant" whose gargles were a source of merry jest.

It would be well for the authorities, federal, provincial and municipal, to crystallize into permanency this widespread and effective participation into which we have been so deeply seized.

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Postal Clerks Meet A joint meeting of postal clerks, railway mail clerks and letter carriers was held in the post office building Friday evening, Nov. 1st.

The Kaiser At 12 o'clock post was soon Kaiser Wilhelm from off the crashed to the from the onlooker pounced upon and torn to pieces performance of amusement, and to a morning of tournament which not be in vain.

IN ROCKY B.C. In B.C., where the Rockies rear Their granite forms on high, The native sons will do their share Their summit is the sky.

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The Threnody of the Leaves

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Bice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado.

The leaves are falling fast. Earth's autumnal robe of cloth-of-gold grows thicker and thicker, ply upon ply. Here and there, to be sure, a tree wears a livery of almost summer greenery still, in Colorado. Some are clothed thickly in all the hectic colors of the dying year—gold, purple, flaming scarlet and all the shades of russet. But the greater number shiver these frosty mornings in the mere rags and tatters of their former vestments, and many are quite bare, holding their fretwork of twigs against the sky in a dumb, pathetic manner.

One by one the leaves release their feeble grasp, which in summer was so tenacious, and float to the ground—dust to dust, ashes to ashes. Or, under the pinch of frost or rude puff of wind, they make their last pilgrimage in great companies, like flocks of butterflies.

They were a merry host but a few weeks since. In bloom time the bees hummed in their midst. Robin, oriole, grosbeak and thrush drenched them with brimming cups of song. The sun kissed them; every wandering zephyr caressed them until they quivered with joy. At night they were soothed to sleep by the strident

how of the katydid and the fairy sleighbell chorus of the snow-tree crickets. Now they are dying—dead. We read our own pensive thought into them, of course. In their end we forecast our own. We may be changing our mood, regard them as sprites as they lie upon the ground. Under a gale they scamper about in a perfect frenzy of flee; they race from goal to goal; they join in siffling dances about the trunks of trees; they play hide and seek in the shrubbery.

Yet, even so regarded, if you watch you will notice that their ranks grow thinner. Fear has entered their hearts. As opportunity offers, they struggle into the pockets of the grass wherever it grows long and thick, as in nature. They edge in between the canes of brambles; they pack themselves in solid masses, like bees in a hive, under the hedges. They seek out every available nook, as if animate and intelligent.

And, finally, when they become sodden from rain, broken, ragged and skeletonized, they move no more. Even November's boisterous blasts elicit but a shiver from them. Their play days are over. They turn to dust and are no more.

Victory Loan Parade A Huge Success

The Kaiser Takes a Tumble—Splendid Speeches on the Market Square.

The Victory Loan parade held this morning was one of the most successful demonstrations yet held in connection with either one of the campaigns for Victory Bonds. The streets were gayly decorated with the flags of the Allies, and the crowds along the way were enthusiastic and large. The parade was headed by decorated autos following which was the Depot Band in full force headed by their bugle band. This was the first opportunity the people of Belleville have had to see this organization on parade and they were greatly impressed by the excellent appearance of the men. The playing of the bugle band was also much appreciated. Following the battalion were the veterans in autos, then a flot with the Kaiser hanging in effigy. Boy scouts were next carrying boards with appropriate legends urging the buying of Victory Bonds. The Fire Dept. which followed made a splendid appearance with the horses and wagons tastefully decorated.

Meeting on the Market Square After the parade an open air meeting was held on the market square where a large number of citizens listened to excellent speeches by Belleville's leading orators. Mr. W. B. Deacon, county chairman introduced the speakers: Mr. W. C. Mikel, K.C., Lieut.-Col. W. N. Ponton, K.C., Rev. Canon Beamish, Lt.-Col. E. D. O'Flynn, Sergt.-Major Gerald Spaford and Rural Dean Swayne made formal addresses, after which Mr. Deacon requested any wishing to buy bonds to step forward. The response was immediate and good. The meeting was excellent and will be productive of good results.

Aeroplane Help During the parade and throughout the meeting two aeroplanes from Camp Mohawk circled over the street performing hair-raising stunts and dropping Victory Loan literature which was eagerly picked up by the people on the street.

The Kaiser was Dropped At 12 o'clock sharp after the last post was sounded by the buglers, Kaiser Wilhelm was gently dropped from off the city hall tower and crashed to the ground with cheers from the onlookers and was quickly pounced upon by the small boys and torn to pieces. This end of the amusement created no end of excitement, and was a fitting climax to a morning of excitement and entertainment which it is hoped will not be in vain. The good people of Belleville should keep the excitement up until the last day of the campaign and make a record of which Belleville should be proud.

FIGURES MUST BE SPREAD ON THE TABLE The Canadian people are entitled to information about the operation of the Military Service Act—detailed information, including the number of men who have been drafted under it, the number of men who have been drafted under it, the number of men who have not answered the call or who have deserted, the number who have been exempted. And the figures for the different military districts and provinces should be given. Before there is another call for men this information should be forthcoming, else there will be widespread discontent and resentment.—Hamilton Herald.

PICTON Mr. J. Livingston, of The Fair, has sold his residence on Maple avenue to Mr. Hiram McQuaid. Judge Huyske, of Peterboro, visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Moore, Cherry Valley, while in town this week. Mr. Lyons, of Kingston, was in

town over the week-end to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. C. Lyons.

Mrs. Rae Nelgrove and daughter, Vera, have returned to their home in Regina after staying under the parental roof for some time.

Mrs. Minnie McGillivray has returned from Toronto where she was called on a case of nursing.

Dr. A. W. Heaslip has recovered from an attack of influenza and has resumed practice.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Allison motored to Belleville on route to Fort William to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marshall, their son-in-law and daughter.

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Lt.-Col. M. K. Adams is in receipt of a cable from his son, Capt. E. A. Adams, stating that he has again returned to active service in France after several weeks spent in hospital in England.

Mr. Edward Dorland left for Toronto on Friday morning to spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. Wilford Phillips. Mr. Dorland resided in Winnipeg for several years but returned to Prince Edward about one year ago, and spent last winter in Picton, and the summer months in Sopsibusburg.

Miss Isabel Welsh, New York, is now attached to the Army Nurses' Corps, Barron Arsenal, Metchen, N.J., undergoing a short training before going overseas.

While in Picton attending the opening Victory Loan meeting on Monday last, Judge Huyske, of Peterboro, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Young.

J. N. Lyons, of Fort Corington, N.Y., was in attendance at the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. John Lyons, at the home of his sister, Mrs. S. W. Pettinell, returning on Tuesday.

Miss Laura E. Davis came down from London, Ont., last week, where she has been nursing for several months with the Victorian Order of Nurses, and spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Lee R. Scott, before going on to her home near Ottawa.

At the time of going to press no news has yet been received as to any arrangements towards bringing home the remains of the late Cadet Willet Bedell, who died on the steamer Northland on Oct. 17th while going overseas. Permission to bring the remains home was given by the Canadian authorities, but the consent of the Admiralty has not yet been secured. His parents are expecting to hear definitely in the matter at any time.—Times and Gazette.

THE DEATH OF MR. ROBERT COULSON The death occurred on Thursday, October 31st at Winnipeg of Mrs. Jennie Coulson, wife of Robert Coulson. The remains will arrive here by C.N.O.R. on Tuesday morning at an early hour and be taken to Foxboro to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gossell, Jr. Mrs. Coulson was a daughter of the late David Bradshaw. She was a resident of Foxboro for many years. Mrs. Coulson was a Methodist in religion. Besides her husband, one son survives—Mr. William Emerson of Winnipeg.

DR. SARGENT Word has been received of the death in Colborne of a prominent physician of Springbrook in the person of Dr. Willis A. Sargent, on Nov. 1st. He had been ill for many months.

Dr. Sargent was born in 1865, graduated from the Trinity University, Toronto in the year '91, and which he successfully continued for seventeen years, after which he returned to Colborne to spend the latter portion of his life, where he was well known and highly respected.

His wife was the daughter of the late Samuel Bailey of Harold. The family who mourn his loss are his son Willis, now overseas, and formerly a student at Albert College, of Belleville at the time of answering his country's call, and a daughter, who is a nurse and now at her home in Colborne.

Dr. Sargent during his seventeen years' residence at Springbrook became deservedly popular with the people of Rawdon. He was recognized as one of those big, generous, open-hearted men, whom to know is to admire and to esteem. He was true to his friends and true to his convictions, the soul of honor. His passing at a comparatively early age will be sincerely mourned by a host of warm personal friends.

Rev. Father Halligan The death took place at the House of Providence, Kingston, yesterday evening shortly before 6 o'clock of Rev. Father R. S. Halligan. Some days ago he contracted Spanish influenza. Later pneumonia developed and although his fine constitution made a heroic struggle against the ravages of the malady, in the end death triumphed. Rev. Father Halligan was a native of Kingston. His father was Mr. Richard Halligan, for a number of years a leading grocer of Kingston. The subject of this sketch was 27 years of age. He was educated at the Catholic schools in Kingston, Ottawa, University and the Grand Seminary, Montreal. He was ordained 10 years ago by His Grace, Archbishop Gauthier, when that prelate was Archbishop of Kingston. Since ordination he was attached to St. Mary's Cathedral, of Kingston. He was appointed by Archbishop Spratt, chancellor of the archdiocese of Kingston and his own private secretary. Father Halligan was one of the most popular priests in the archdiocese of Kingston. He was a devoted worker and gave promise of a most successful career in the holy priesthood. He was the possessor of rare musical ability and had been for some time director of the choir of St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston—Brookville Recorder and Times.

Churches Will Reopen Next Sunday and Public Schools and Collegiate on Monday—Not Many Fresh Cases Recently. Picton, Nov. 2.—The situation in Picton is materially improved since last week with regard to the influenza epidemic. Not many new cases have developed recently and the local Board of Health and municipalities have decided to withdraw the proclamation closing churches, schools, theaters, etc. This becomes effective this morning. Notices are posted cancelling the closing proclamations.

The doctors of the town are all able again to attend to their practice. Dr. Heaslip, who had quite a serious attack of pneumonia, was able to be out on Wednesday of this week.

While there have been a number of cases in Picton, the epidemic has not been attended with great loss of life and there is every reason to think that conditions will rapidly improve.—Gazette.

It is known that the Germans have expected an attack by American and French troops against the German left wing and have been fearful that the allied troops would break through, as they have done on other attacks during the past few months.

The magistrates refused to grant the request made by the attorney for the Boston Rapid Transit that the defendants be admitted to bail. Lewis told Mayor Hylan and the district attorney that he went to work 5 o'clock yesterday morning as a train despatcher, and that at 4.30 in the afternoon he was assigned as a motorman on the Brighton Beach line.

The construction and completion of the Quebec Bridge attracted the attention of North America. Another great work has been under way, and is now completed. Mount Royal Tunnel, Montreal (3.35 miles in length) was opened on October 21st, on which date the Canadian Northern Railway established through train service between Toronto Union Station, Ottawa, Central Station and Montreal Tunnel Terminal, 415 LaSalle Street W., two blocks from the Windsor Hotel, Windsor and Bonaventure Stations.

Rail sleeping and parlor car tickets are obtainable at all Canadian Northern Railway ticket offices.

Mrs. White, 78 Gordon street, is improving after a severe illness.

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Obituary

BARBARA E. BURLEY Barbara Elizabeth Burley, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Burley, died this morning at the family residence, Cannifton Rd., Thurlow. Burial will be at Trenton. Both parents are very ill.

CLARA MAY LINN Clara May Linn, a well-known nurse, who graduated from Belleville Hospital in June, 1918, passed away at that institution last night shortly before midnight. She had been nursing a family in the city who were ill with influenza and contracted the disease a short time ago. She was removed to the hospital for treatment but from the first her case seemed very serious.

Miss Linn was 23 years of age, having been born in Rawdon Township in the year 1895. She was a daughter of Mr. William Linn, of Springbrook. Other members of the family are her mother, two sisters and one brother.

The remains were prepared for burial by Messrs. Tickle and Sons Company and shipped this afternoon to Springbrook to her former home. Burial will take place at Springbrook.

The staff of the Belleville Hospital are deeply grieved at the loss of the nursing profession has sustained in the death of Miss Linn.

It is a sad fact that the late Miss Linn's younger sister died at Springbrook on Wednesday and was buried there yesterday.

MICHAEL JOSEPH HART After only four months illness of influenza, which was complicated by asthmatic trouble, Michael Joseph Hart passed away in the Belleville General Hospital on Friday afternoon, November 1st. Only on Monday last was he stricken with the fatal disease.

The late M. J. Hart was born in Tyendinaga and was a son of the late Michael Hart. He was 34 years and 7 months of age. Until the last summer he had resided in Tyendinaga farming. Recently he sold his farm and settled in Belleville. He was a member of St. Charles' R. C. Church, Read, and latterly of St. Michael's, Belleville. He was well known and was held in high esteem throughout the district in the city and his death is deeply regretted. Deceased was unmarried.

Mourning his loss are three brothers—John Hart, of Belleville, Patrick Hart, of Stoco and Thomas Hart, of Detroit and three sisters—Mrs. Thomas Corrigan, Mrs. Joseph Candon and Mrs. George McWilliams all of Read.

The remains are being taken to the home of his brother, Mr. John Hart, 285 John St., whence the funeral will be held tomorrow.

THOMAS PIGDEN Thomas Pigden, whose death was recorded yesterday, was born in England, 86 years ago. He came to Canada as a young man. He was for forty-five years a faithful employee of the Rathburn Lumber Company as head shipper at Belleville and later at Deseronto. For the past eight years he had made his home with Mr. Harry Smith, 66 South Church St. He was a member of St. Thomas Church and a Conservative in politics. He leaves one daughter, Miss Berta Pigden and two sons, Alex and Thomas. The remains are being taken to the home of Mr. Harry Pigden, his nephew, who resides on Ann street.

MRS. ROBERT COULSON The death occurred on Thursday, October 31st at Winnipeg of Mrs. Jennie Coulson, wife of Robert Coulson. The remains will arrive here by C.N.O.R. on Tuesday morning at an early hour and be taken to Foxboro to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gossell, Jr. Mrs. Coulson was a daughter of the late David Bradshaw. She was a resident of Foxboro for many years. Mrs. Coulson was a Methodist in religion. Besides her husband, one son survives—Mr. William Emerson of Winnipeg.

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Dr. Sargent was born in 1865, graduated from the Trinity University, Toronto in the year '91, and which he successfully continued for seventeen years, after which he returned to Colborne to spend the latter portion of his life, where he was well known and highly respected.

His wife was the daughter of the late Samuel Bailey of Harold. The family who mourn his loss are his son Willis, now overseas, and formerly a student at Albert College, of Belleville at the time of answering his country's call, and a daughter, who is a nurse and now at her home in Colborne.

Dr. Sargent during his seventeen years' residence at Springbrook became deservedly popular with the people of Rawdon. He was recognized as one of those big, generous, open-hearted men, whom to know is to admire and to esteem. He was true to his friends and true to his convictions, the soul of honor. His passing at a comparatively early age will be sincerely mourned by a host of warm personal friends.

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The referee directed that test actions be brought to dispose of all the objections raised, the costs of all parties to be paid out of the assets in the liquidator's hands, in the meantime all further proceedings to be stayed in other claims and all parties who have not put in a defence be given 10 days to put in their respective defences.

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Presentation and Address

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Refreshments were then served after spending the remainder of the evening in social chat, etc. The crowd dispersed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Gay and family health and prosperity in their new home.

Following is the address: Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Lillie and Maggie As this is to be the last evening spent by you as residents of our neighborhood, we feel that we can not allow you to depart without some word of appreciation.

The Red Shield Drive for a Million Dollars

The next effort which is going to be made for war funds will be that of the Red Shield drive for one million dollars by the Salvation Army. This drive will be Doranville wide, and will be put on in the opening weeks of December.

Punishment of Offenders

Persons in Boston who violate the regulations regarding the purchase of sugar to two pounds a person a month will be compelled to display a card in the parlor window notifying the passer-by to this effect, by order of the State Food Administration.

PLAY BALL, SPORTS!

"Play Ball!" This is the call to the sports of Canada to line up. The fraternity is in the pitcher's box and Sir Thomas White is the catcher. The Kaiser is at the bat. Can he be struck out? The golden balls the heavens will be the test.

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FRANKFORD

Miss E. Vandervoort of Toronto, is visiting her mother and sister in town.

IVANHOE

Mr. Stanley Prest was called to Toronto last week to report for military service.

GILEAD

Miss Locke, has returned from her home in Campbellford and again resumed her duties at the school.

WARM APPRECIATION OF WORK OF PRESS IN VICTORY LOAN 1918 CAMPAIGN

The following letter from Sir Thomas White, minister of Finance, speaks for itself: Editor Ontario: I desire personally and on behalf of the Government to express our most earnest thanks to the press of Canada for the splendid support given so freely and generously to the Victory Loan.

MILES CORNERS

The continued wet weather is making it very unpleasant for the farmers who haven't their bean and buckwheat crops harvested yet.

6TH LINE OF SIDNEY

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OAK HILLS

The "flu" has found its way into a few homes here. Mrs. Sam Danford received a letter from the West announcing the death of her brother Hugh Lyons and that his wife was in the hospital with this terrible malady.

CARMEL

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pitman and family of Foxboro spent Sunday at J. B. Paterson's.

field visited at Mr. H. Dafe's recently Mr. Ben Clarke has gone to the north country deer hunting.

CROOKSTON

The threshers are still busy in our vicinity. There are a few cases of sickness in our neighborhood, but we hope to see every one around again soon.

GREEN POINT

Mr. Elmer Fox, a well known and much respected farmer passed to the Great Beyond after only 10 days' illness from pneumonia.

ISLAND

We are glad to report that our sick folks are on the way to recovery. Our schools which have been closed for the past two weeks opened again on Monday.

MADOC JCR.

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VICTIONS OF LA GRIPPE

Left Weak, Disheartened and An Easy Prey to Other Troubles. A Nova Scotia Man Tells How He Found New Health and Strength.

MARRIED

BOWERMAN-ELLIOTT—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Elliott, Stirling, Ont., announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, Clara May, to Mr. D. B. Bowerman, (formerly of Toronto) in Pasadena, Cal., on Saturday, Nov. 2nd, 1918.

BRIGHTEN UP THE STOVE PIPES AND RADIATORS

Use the kind that don't burn off or discolor Sherwin-Williams ALUMINUM PAINT

OSTROMS DRUG STORE

The Best in Drugs Overseas Boxes... A new lot of Overseas Boxes just received.

Save Your Eyes

MONEY TALKS YOU can't beat the Kaiser with shouting. You can't place Canada on a firm footing to grapple with the problems of peace with words.

Buy Victory Bonds

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THE CANADIAN'S DUTY

The main duty of non-combatant Canadians briefly may be stated as follows: Increase production, economize in consumption, lend your savings to the Government by buying Victory Bonds. Your help is needed.

TRIDENT

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 Lovely New
SILK DRESSES
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If you have seen these Dresses in our North Show Window then we need say nothing of the stunning style features they possess. Styled of Charmeuse and Georgette combinations, some are heavily beaded and of course with loose panels to the fore. Round collarless necks and the fashionable normal waist line add much to the effectiveness of these new dress models, that are priced down to \$25 and up to \$70.

See Special Display of Serge Dresses in Centre Window.



"MARK DOWN" PRICES
 in several dozen of
 the season's smartest
LADIES' HATS

From \$2 to \$5 less than the former prices are the reductions we have made on many of our smartest Autumn and Winter Hat Models. A few of these Hats are shown in our windows tonight. See them and note the attractive savings on up-to-the-minute Trimmed Millinery.

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 Prompt Early
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Especially when we tell you they are real Hand Drawn Irish Linen, hemstitched, and with 1/4, 1/2 and 3/4 inch hems. These special prices in quantities of one dozen or more:

15c quality \$1.60 doz.	35c quality \$3.90 doz.
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The RITCHIE Co., Ltd

Letter From a Belleville Boy in France

France, Oct. 3, 1918.
 Dear Father and All:—

I received your most welcome letter some time ago and I am now going to try and answer. I'm fine at present and hope these few lines will find you all enjoying the very best of health. Bruce is fine, as I was talking to him for a minute or so today.

I'm glad you had the good luck to get home, as two of one family is enough to be out here. I don't mind telling you "she's no birthday" this summer, as it's been dry and nothing else to do only give "Uncle Bill" a run for his money, and we're certainly doing that.

Bruce is right in his glory going up the line as fast as his team can go, and when he meets me he lets a war whoop out like a wild Indian; and sometimes he says, "how would you like to be working for old George Gay?" You should be the happiest man in the world to be home, as you've seen a lot of the world and a few more things money can't buy. You don't want to make your life or mother's miserable by worrying about us as we'll get home alright if we have a little of your luck with us, which I trust we have.

You can let the rest of the folks read this letter as there isn't enough news to write you all separate letters, which you know yourself. If you have a good job you want to keep it as the winter will soon be here.

Isn't it funny how the time flies, as it is three years since I enlisted. I have the same team yet but they have falled a little as I have been working them pretty hard lately. But I don't mind the work if we only get home this year or by the first of next—which we will (ha-ha)—I want you to excuse me for giving you advice, as I am thinking about what I would do if I was home.

I saw a funny thing the other day. A fellow with a few hard-tacks and a chunk of butter and singing "What's the use of us worrying" and I guess he was right.

What do you think—Bruce got a parcel from E.R. with sugar and tea. There is no use of sending sugar and tea, as we only leave it when we move, and that is only twice a day since Old Bill has started to run. We have "Frisby" wagons and two sets of harness, and our battery has a lot of his horses. There is no use of sending Bruce a watch as he will only break it. I have a good one myself, but it is as good as the one I left home three years ago. You can tell the girls I got their letters all jake, and this one will do for you all as news is scarce over here.

You don't want to think we are getting starved because we are living on the fat of the land, and smoking cigars—not bad, eh?

We are having fine weather and have had all summer, and that's the main thing for our job. Well, I have told you all for now. Hoping to hear from you soon again. Give my regards to all. From your soldier son, Stanley Kincaid.

ROBERT STEAD'S NEW NOVEL
 Robert J. Stead in his new novel, "The Cow Puncher", (Toronto, the Mussion Book Co. Ltd., cloth, \$1.50) has written a notable book with a Western Canada setting. David Elden, the cow puncher of the story, grows to young manhood on a ranch in the foothills, outside the influence of church or school. At eighteen he is accidentally thrown into the company of a young eastern girl who entitles in him the ambition to be somebody in the world.

With this purpose in view, young Elden leaves the ranch and goes to make his fortune in a young Western city. The first night he is swindled out of all his ready cash by a gang of card-sharps, and he takes a job next morning as a coal heaver. For a time it looks as though Dave's course would be downward instead of up, but he fortunately comes under influences which revive his ambition for self-betterment.

About this time the big western real estate boom breaks out, and Dave's course is meteoric. His wealth comes quickly and goes as quickly. Following the collapse of the boom a tragedy in his love affairs sends him as an enlisted man to France. In the closing chapters is found one of the highest patriotic notes struck by any author during the war.

"The Cow Puncher" is decidedly worth while. It is interesting and refreshing, and at times inspiring, written with all Mr. Stead's intimate knowledge of the West and skill of delineation. Through the book runs

a happy vein of humor and philosophy which is not the least of its charms. It is illustrated by Arthur Heming, ex-lumberman and North-West Mounted Policeman, and is announced by the publishers as an all-Canadian book—written by a Canadian, illustrated by a Canadian, and printed and bound in Canada. It should receive a warm welcome from the Canadian reading public. The United States edition is issued by Harpers.

Take Little Chances
 At Twenty Thousand to One Against A One-Stroke

The great gambling house, Lloyd's of London, some years ago calculated that the chances of a golf player making a hole in one made the odds against about 20,000 to 1. A western paper instances the case of Robert Johnson, professional of the Seattle Golf Club. Not long ago, for the second time in his life, he made "one in one" on the Seattle links. The first time this happened to him was in 1901, a year after he had come from Scotland, where he had been playing golf for some seventeen years. So it figured that inasmuch as Johnson played on an average of eighteen holes a day, a one-hole achievement was due about once in seventeen years, with an average of 75 strokes to the round, or something like 111,890 holes of golf. Furthermore, this deposed deity still teetered and figured that there were three holes to a round where the one stroke from tee to cup would be possible, which would make 18,618 short holes, or about an 18,618 to 1 shot, which is not so very far away from the apparently off-hand estimate of Lloyd's.

The same paper records another one-stroke achievement by one W. H. Watts, of the Ogden (Utah) Golf and Country Club. He made a mashie shot and from the fifth tee, destined for the green 135 yards away. The ball struck the flag, which in this case was the Stars and Stripes, floating from a 12-foot bamboo pole. The national emblem caught the ball in its folds as an expert spider might trap an unwary fly, then dropped it like a plummet into the cup.

I wonder what odds Lloyd's would offer against the duplication of that feat?—Buffalo News.

Vodka in Russia
 Fire Water Now for the Fiery Bolshevik

Vladivostok, Nov. 6.—The official all-Russian telegraph agency announced today that the Omsk Government intended soon to resume the sale of vodka as a government monopoly. The minister of supplies says that the 1,714,000 bushels of grain necessary for the annual operation of the Russian distilleries can be spared without causing a serious food shortage.

WALLBRIDGE

Sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Robert Coulson at Winnipeg. She formerly resided at Foxboro.

T. A. Hinchliffe of the third line Sidney has a fairly good crop of apples, having picked 105 barrels of Spies.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Massey are retiring from their farms in Sidney and moving to Belleville. Our loss will be some others' gain.

We hear that Miss Lena Reddick has the influenza.

Pleased to report Miss Eva Keran has returned after visiting friends in Toronto and Hamilton.

Ray, son of T. A. Hinchliffe, has twice been wounded in France. A bullet in the neck some time ago put him in the hospital for a time. Returning to the firing line again he was gassed and received shrapnel in the shins.

Mr. W. Sharp has returned after a lengthy visit in the Western provinces.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sine called on Sunday on Miss Mary and Miss Emma Hayman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Hinchliffe motored to Belleville and called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Twiddy.

Miss Stella Wellman, of Gunter, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hagerty, second of Sidney.

We will be pleased when the "fun" ban is lifted and churches and schools are open again and we can get down on the market square and see some of the old faces.

Hats off when the Kaiser packs his turkey and abdicates!

A California man was arrested, tried and found guilty of killing a man named Henry. The California man was sentenced to fifteen years for manslaughter. He went to prison and served his fifteen years and was discharged two years ago. Last

month Henry, the supposed dead man, was located in Louisiana, alive and well.

CONY AND DISTRICT

Smiths Falls to Get Two German Guns

KINGSTON RAISES HALF MILLION

Lumbermen Found Dead in Camp

Military Service Act in M.D. No. 3

Since the Military Service Act went into force in military district No. 3, 445 defaulters who failed to report for military duty have been apprehended, 295 who reported to the registrar failed to report later for service, 2,000 volunteers reported for duty without waiting for orders or compulsory notice, and there are still 2,872 out who have failed to report. It is not yet known what will be done with these men should the war suddenly and quickly end, but it is the opinion of some men in authority that the cases will be vigorously prosecuted, even after the war, and some punishment handed out.

Gets Captured Guns
 Smiths Falls is to have two captured German guns, claimed for that town by Lieut. Harwood McKim, of the 2nd Canadian Battalion.

G. A. Smith Appointed J. P.
 Our friend, Geo. A. Smith, has been honored with the prefix of reverend for some time and now he is to have the suffix of J.P. As our corner friend remarks, George has it before and behind. Port Hope's extend congratulations to Mr. Smith on his appointment as a justice of the peace, and feel sure that when his services are called upon he will act fearlessly and impartially. Hereafter it will be Reverend George A. Smith, J.P.—Port Hope Guide.

Accidentally Shot at Brockville
 Suffering from a gunshot wound in the right arm, Charles Wright, son of Albert Wright, residing one mile from Washburn's Corners, was on Saturday brought to the Central Hospital here. Young Wright was removing a loaded gun from a row boat when it accidentally discharged, the contents entering his shoulder and arm. Dr. C. M. B. Cornell attended him and found that the bone had been broken at the elbow. He is now reported to be resting comfortably.—Recorder and Times.

An Expert Safe Opener
 Roy Gravelle, of Renfrew, has acquired the reputation as a safe opener enjoyed by his father, who at one time published the Renfrew Journal. He was called to Pembroke the other day to open one of the vaults in the court house there, which had not been opened for five years or more, and which was required to furnish additional vault accommodation for the county officials. The Observer says: Roy made an examination of the safe, and after spending some time in mental calculations returned to the task. He mastered its intricacies and in a short time the doors swung open. Setting it on a combination which he gave to the authorities he went his way, again triumphant.

A Verdict of Murder
 An inquest on the body of the infant child found in the Napanee River on Thursday morning was held Friday evening at Napanee. The jury returned a verdict that the child came to its death by drowning in the Napanee River and that it was thrown into the river by its mother, Miss Selma Bedard. A number of witnesses were examined, Mrs. Arthur Houle, Deseronto, a sister of the child's mother, was the chief witness. She stated that she had been caring for the child since its birth, and brought it to Napanee on the evening of Oct. 4th. She handed it over to the mother at the Paisley House on that date, and it was never again seen alive. In her evidence it came out that the mother had threatened to drown the child. A letter to that effect, written by Mrs. Houle to Miss Bedard was produced at the inquest. The child was identified by the articles of clothing found on the body. Dr. W. T. Connell, Kingston, made a post mortem examination of the body and found that death was caused by drowning and that the child was alive when put into the water. Evidence was heard by Mrs. James McVicar and Miss Pearl Sedore as to the presence of the child at the Paisley House on the night of

Oct. 4th. There were other witnesses who gave evidence of a minor nature. The mother, Miss Selma Bedard, will now be held on a charge of murder and will probably appear next week. She is at present in custody in the Napanee town jail.

High Cost of Living

Restaurants in this country are largely in the hands of foreigners and no attempt has as yet been made to control prices. The prices of meals, as nearly every newspaper has pointed out, are exorbitant, but the food controller has made no attempt to protect the public. Has he any explanation to offer?—Port Hope Guide.

City and County Raise Million for Victory Loan

Kingston passed the million mark on Saturday in the Victory Loan campaign, and, with the beginning of the second week of the campaign, the canvassers are out to set up a record figure for Kingston. Both the city and county are responding well, but will have to do much better if the required \$2,250,000 is to be reached and passed.

Two Lindsay Men Found Dead in Lumber Camp

Word reached town this afternoon to the effect that Messrs. Chas. Crowley and Joe O'Keefe, two Lindsay men, were found dead in their tent at a lumber camp at Pakesley, Ont., this morning. Messrs. Crowley and O'Keefe left Lindsay Wednesday via Port McNichol train for the shanty, and the news of their death, which was received in a telegram to Mr. D. Hogan, comes as a shock. The cause is unknown. Pakesley is situated near Parry Sound.—Lindsay Warrier.

Allowed to Wear V.L. Button
 Brig.-Gen. Hemming has received permission from Ottawa for all men in uniform to wear the Victory Loan Button up until the 16th day of November. An order to this effect will be promulgated at once.

Military News

Sergt. A. Underwood, C.A.S.C. has reverted to the permanent grade of private at his own request.

The N.C.O.'s and men of the permanent force serving with the R.C. H.A. are shortly to be put on C.E.F. pay and allowances. In the case of married men this will mean a substantial increase in pay, but will be little change in that of single men. The increase is in subsistence allowance for married men living at home, which amounts to twenty-five dollars per month.

Ptes. A. Martel and R. Lazier have been taken on the strength of the C.A.S.C. M.D. No. 3, from Petawawa Camp.

Gunner J. R. Gillespie and Gunner J. C. Guertin have been transferred from the Depot Field Battery to No. 3 Battalion, C.G.R.

Sergt. E. G. Britton has been taken on the strength of the Depot Field Battery.

Gunner E. D. Demain has been transferred from the Depot Field Battery to the A.M.C. Training Depot, M.D. No. 3.

Nursing Sister McGowan, C.A.M.C., who has been on duty at the Mowat Memorial Sanatorium, Kingston, left on Friday for Washington.

She intends to join the American army as a nursing sister for service overseas. A few of the other sisters at Mowat may follow in her footsteps soon, if the necessary permission can be obtained.

The first detachment of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces to Siberia has reached its destination, Vladivostok, safely. Kingston officers were with it.

On Friday the new organization of the Depot Field Battery came into effect. The 73rd, 74th and 75th Batteries have been merged into one, to be known as the Depot Field Battery. From this battery drafts will be sent overseas as they are required. The new battery is under the command of Lieut.-Col. Crocker.

Word has been received here that Lieut. W. H. Blake, R.C.E., who left Kingston in charge of a draft of Engineers in February, 1915, has been awarded the Military Cross for good work done in the battle of Amiens. Prior to going overseas Lt. Blake was in the office of the C.R. C.E., the Armouries, resided at 180 Barrie street, and is a son of Major E. Blake, London, Eng., who has also seen service in the present war.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Nov. 5.—The quotations on the Board of Trade yesterday were as follows:—

Manitoba Oats (in Store, Fort William): No. 2 C.W., \$1.45; No. 3 C.W., 75 1/2c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto): No. 2 yellow, \$1.07; No. 3 yellow, \$1.06.

Ontario Oats (According to Freight Outside): No. 1 winter, per car lot, \$2.14 to \$2.22; No. 2 winter, per car lot, \$2.11 to \$2.19; No. 3 winter, per car lot, \$2.07 to \$2.15; No. 1 spring, per car lot, \$2.09 to \$2.17; No. 2 spring, per car lot, \$2.05 to \$2.14; No. 3 spring, per car lot, \$2.02 to \$2.10; Peas (According to Freight Outside): No. 2 nominal.

Barley (According to Freight Outside): Malt, new crop, \$1 to \$1.05; Buckwheat (According to Freight Outside): No. 2 nominal.

Manitoba Flour (Toronto): War quality, \$1.25; Ontario Flour (Prompt Shipment): War quality, \$1.25; in bags, Montreal: \$1.15; in bags, Toronto.

Milled (Car Lots, Delivered, Montreal Freight, Bags Included): Bran, per ton, \$27.25; Shorts, per ton, \$42.25.

Hay (Track, Toronto): No. 1, per ton, \$22 to \$23; Mixed, per ton, \$20 to \$21.50; Straw (Track, Toronto): Car lots, per ton, \$10 to \$10.50.

Farmers' Market: Fall wheat—No. 2, \$2.18 per bushel; Spring wheat—No. 2, \$2.11 per bushel; Oats—No. 2, \$1.05 per bushel; Barley—Malt, \$1.14 to \$1.15 per bushel; Oats—New, 77c to 80c per bushel.

Buckwheat—Nominal; Rye—According to sample, \$1.75; Hay—Timothy, \$28 to \$29 per ton; mixed and clover, \$25 to \$26 per ton.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.
 J. P. Bickel & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Corn—Open, High, Low, Close, Close: Jan. ... 113 1/2 114 1/2 113 1/2 114 1/2; Nov. ... 113 1/2 114 1/2 113 1/2 114 1/2; Dec. ... 114 1/2 115 1/2 114 1/2 115 1/2.

Oats—Jan. ... 65 1/2 67 1/2 65 1/2 67 1/2; Nov. ... 67 1/2 69 1/2 67 1/2 69 1/2; Dec. ... 66 1/2 68 1/2 66 1/2 68 1/2.

Port: Jan. ... \$9.50 \$9.80 \$9.75 \$9.80 \$9.90; Nov. ... \$4.70 \$4.80 \$4.50 \$4.80 \$4.90.

Jan. ... \$4.60 \$4.75 \$4.55 \$4.75 \$4.70; Nov. ... \$4.60 \$4.75 \$4.55 \$4.75 \$4.70.

Ribs: Jan. ... \$22.00 \$23.00 \$21.90 \$23.00 \$23.05; Nov. ... \$22.00 \$23.00 \$21.90 \$23.00 \$23.05.

CATTLE MARKETS.

UNION STOCK YARDS.
 TORONTO, Nov. 5.—With a run on the Union Stock Yards yesterday of approximately 4500 head of cattle, made up for the most part of an inferior quality, there was a good demand for good butcher beefers; heavy weight steers and choice feeders.

Light weight common cattle were hard to sell, and the buyers showed a tendency in the morning to buy canners some lower, but later in the day this class of cattle picked up again.

There was a heavy run of sheep and lambs, 3829 all told, and light handy weight sheep sold from 10c to 11c; heavy sheep and bucks 3 1/2c to 3 3/4c.

Choice real calves, and there was a light run of about 200 head, sold from grassers and common calves 12c to 15c, grassers and common calves 6 1/2c to 8c. Heavy fat calves are slow of sale at from 9c to 11c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.
 Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards today were 3500 cattle, 254 calves, 745 hogs and 1413 sheep and lambs.

Butcher steers, \$6.75 to \$11; heifers, \$5.50 to \$9.25; cows, \$4 to \$9; bulls, \$5 to \$7; oxen, \$4 to \$5.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.75 to \$10; veal calves, \$5 to \$9.50; sheep and lambs, \$5 to \$15.

Hogs—Selects, \$17.50; sows and heavies, \$11.50 to \$15.50; stage, \$11.50; lights, \$14.50 to \$15.50.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
 East Buffalo, N.Y., Nov. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; good, strong, others steady; prime steers, \$17 to \$17.50; sub-standard, \$15.50 to \$16.50; butchers, \$11 to \$14; yearlings, \$12 to \$15; heifers, \$11 to \$12.50; cows, \$4 to \$12; bulls, \$7.50 to \$11.50; stockers and feeders, \$7 to \$10.50; fresh cows and springers, \$5 to \$14.50.

Calves—Receipts, 12,500; steady, \$7 to \$12.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 9600; steady to strong; heavy, \$13.75 to \$15.50; mixed, \$12.75 to \$13.85; Yorkers, \$12.75 to \$13.80; light Yorkers and pigs, \$17.50 to \$18; roughs, \$12 to \$13.50; stage, \$12 to \$15.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,000; lambs, slow; others, steady; lambs, \$10 to \$15.50; others, unchanged.

Austrian Flagship Sunk.
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The Austrian super-dreadnought Veribus Unitis, the flagship of the Austro-Hungarian fleet at the naval base of Pola, was torpedoed and sunk Friday morning by an Italian "naval tank," which manned by two officers succeeded in penetrating the mine-field at the entrance of the harbor.

An official despatch from Rome received Sunday night said it is believed the two officers survived, although they probably were captured by the enemy.

A Vile Hun Plot.
 LONDON, Nov. 5.—American troops occupying the village of St. Martin Riviere on the British front, found within the bell of the church a powerful bomb connected by wire with the munitions on the high altar. The removal of the munitions for benedictions must have caused the wreck of the church upon the kneeling worshippers. American engineers have prepared a report upon this attempted crime.

The Allied Bag.
 PARIS, Nov. 5.—Since the great offensive began on the western front, on July 15 last, the Allied armies have captured 923,355 prisoners, including 7,990 officers, as well as 6,217 cannon, 38,622 machine guns and 3,907 mine-throwers.

The Allies during the month of October captured 103,843 prisoners, including 2,472 officers, as well as 2,064 cannon, 13,639 machine guns, and 1,183 mine-throwers.

Pacifist Baldwin Gets Year in Jail

New York, Nov. 5.—Surrounded by intellectuals of the radical group, who have opposed conscription, Roger Nash Baldwin, director and leading spirit in the Civil Liberty Bureau and other pacifist organizations, was sentenced to serve one year in the Federal penitentiary by Judge Mayer for refusing to submit to a physical examination after he had registered for the draft.

When Judge Mayer pronounced sentence, Rose Pastor Stokes, Scott Nearing, De Silver, The Rev. Norman Thomas, L. Hollingsworth Wood, Walter Nellis, William Simpson and others associated with him, congratulated Baldwin on his stand.

Baldwin is a Harvard graduate and was prominent in the Middle West civic affairs. He is thirty-four years of age. He is unmarried and said he had no one dependent on him.

When arraigned for sentence he delivered a long speech, in which he admitted he was opposed to the purchase of Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps, and did not favor the war or any other patriotic enterprise.

"I am an out and out heretic. I want no compromise and I'll take what punishment is due," he told Judge Mayer. "I am not seeking to evade the draft. I scorn evasion, compromise and gambling with moral issues. I am opposed to any service under conscription, regardless of whether that service in itself is morally objectionable."

No Mercy For Boche Troops

Huns Must Surrender or Be Smashed—French Army is Determined on This.

With the French Army, Nov. 5.—"We won't stop hammering the boches until they are smashed or surrender."

The speaker was a typical poilu, a battle-stained Sergeant of the Territorials, attached by his own request to an active regiment. Since Verdun, he has been decorated with the Military Medal and the War Cross with three palms. He explained: "God knows I want to return to my family and farm in Auvergne. But after what I have seen of the boche methods of warfare—with all that implies—I realize we must break them utterly before laying down the sword. My comrades think the same—in the whole French army you would not find ten men to approve a peace whereby the boche escaped the justice that must be done to him."

Even now it is possible there are people in America who do not realize what fifty, inhuman swine the Germans have proved themselves to be in France. But the French soldiers know, and no political generalities about a distinction between boche soldiers and their masters will weaken the French resolve to make an end of the German military doctrine.

Foch is as determined as any of his subordinates. For the moment, despite the far-etched pessimism of Ludendorff in the first week of October, the German army manages to hold ground with desperate and expensive counter-attacks. But the enemy will be allowed no respite.

Unless complete surrender comes, we believe will fall each deadlier than the last, until Ludendorff's prophecy of disaster has been fulfilled.

Much Sickness Still

That the epidemic is abating, but that there is still a lot of sickness throughout North Toronto, is the opinion of the Victory Bond salesman of this district. "On one street alone, every third house had people ill," said one of the team. "However, we found those we could interview wonderful. In one tiny bit of a house a little woman was preparing the midday meal for her children when I called. Very courteously she asked me in, and said at once that she would buy a \$50 bond. We chatted a little while, and she changed it to \$100. Before I left she decided to sign up for \$400. What inspired me most was her pleasantness and courtesy the whole time."

Just up to Tuesday night over \$70,000 was the amount of bonds sold by Team E 30. Yesterday one salesman sold \$8,000 worth of bonds one person having subscribed for \$5,000 and another up to \$1,000.—Toronto Telegram.

FROM THE PRAIRIES

Over the rolling prairies there comes a roaring sound. It's the noise of the husky farmers going over the top at a bound.

Twenty-Four Million Dollars Wasted on Bad Planes in U. S.

GROSS INCOMPETENCY SHOWN IN AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION

Charles E. Hughes Report Indicates Heavy Expenditure for Useless Effort

Washington, Nov. 5.—The report in the aircraft question held up during the last five months, has been made by Charles E. Hughes and Attorney General Gregory, and was placed before President Wilson last night by the attorney-general and was immediately made public.

Delays and waste of production, the report declares, were due to "deficient organization of the work and lack of competent direction of that work by respective members of the corporation." No defects were found with the management of the aircraft since its organization last May, with John D. Ryan as manager.

Attorney-General Gregory, in a letter concerning the report to President Wilson, says that he is in accord with the findings of Mr. Hughes. The report of Attorney-General Gregory is to the effect that the work of army officers in the corporation should be investigated. The sharp waste from the original asset of \$691,851,866, the report says, was due to the abandonment of two makes of aircraft, one of them the Bristol, which accounted for a loss of \$24,000,000. This report shows that losses amounted to \$134,000,000, and up to October 1st the expenditure account had reached the figure of \$140,000,000. Contracts lost amounted to \$470,000,000. These figures are given in answer to the general issue that the sum has all been expended with practically no results.

The Daring Deed of Chaplain Nicholson

Armed Only With a Walking Stick He Walked Alone to German Dugout

Information has now been received of the exploit which recently won the Military Cross for Captain the Rev. J. F. Nicholson, a chaplain at the front, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nicholson, of Kingston.

Advancing with a Canadian Mounted Rifles Battalion he walked alone, only with a walking stick, to a German dugout. A German officer came out and said he and his men would surrender if their lives were spared. This was, of course, agreed to and a total of 4 officers and 43 men came out of the dugout. At this stage the senior officer said to Capt. Nicholson, "You are unarmed." Father Nicholson, who as a chaplain carried no arms, answered by putting his hand to his hip and saying, "Am I?" At this critical moment the M.O. arrived and as he had a revolver, Father Nicholson told him to disarm the 47 Germans. Two Canadian runners came up, armed also with revolvers, and this slender escort conducted the prisoners to the collecting post. A week later Father Nicholson was gassed, but he has now returned to duty.

Wedding Bells

PACRY—LOWERY

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 23rd, at the hour of 4 o'clock, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lowery, of Dominion street, Trenton, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their elder daughter Hazel May, was united in marriage to Mr. Mervin Pacry, of the C.P.R. locomotive staff.

The wisomest bride was becomingly attired in a gown of pale blue silk, was unattended, and was very gracefully accompanied by her father to the altar.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. E. Ross, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. After congratulations the guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present, and bespoke the superior ability of the host and hostess to prepare and serve such an abundant repast. The young people are highly esteemed and we hope for their much happiness and prosperity. They will reside in Trenton, on Dominion street and are followed by the best wishes of a large circle of friends and acquaintances.—Trenton Courier.

McAFFERY—RADCLIFFE

On Tuesday, October 8th, 1918, a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's grand-

Be Sure Employee is Not Defaulter

Notice is given under the Military Service Act that any employer retaining in his employ a man who is a deserter, or who is absent from the Canadian Expeditionary Force without leave, shall be guilty of an offence punishable on conviction by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or a fine of not less than \$100 and not more than \$500, or by both fine and imprisonment.

Employers will do well to take notice of this and assure themselves that each of their employees of military age and description is in possession of documents proving that he is not in any way in default under the Act. This is necessary in the employer's own protection.

Then the notice published in the press also warns employers that it should be clearly understood that the Canadian Registration Certificate given on June 23, 1918, at the time of general registration, in no way defines the status of a man under the Military Service Act.

The regulations also provide that any person who harbors or conceals or in any way assists any man who is a defaulter or absentee without leave shall be subject to the same penalty as above.

Willard Long on "Collect" Wires

Arousing fire in New York Over Meanness in regard to War Work Campaign

New York, Nov. 5.—Jess Willard, the wealthy non-combatant heavy-weight champion pugilist, who is busy adding to his already bulky roll in the oil business "somewhere in Texas," is apparently doing his best to qualify as the world's champion skintight. Some days ago "Sunny Jim" Coffroth appealed to Willard by telegraph to establish a precedent and contribute his pugilistic services to a good cause. Jess hastily replied, collect, that he would do anything in the world for the United War Work campaign, or words to that effect.

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The Overseas Y.M.C.A. will get the \$6,000 grant the city council voted in April last and the money will be paid over at once. This step was taken by the city council last night. A large number of citizens followed the proceedings with deep interest and broke into applause on several occasions.

It was moved by Ald. Whelan seconded by Ald. Treverton that the motion passed by this council on October 21, 1918 rescinding a motion of April 8th, 1918 authorizing the payment of \$6,000 to the Overseas Y.M.C.A. and also a motion passed on June 17th, 1918 withholding the payment of said grant be and are hereby rescinded and that the city treasurer be authorized to forward at once to the proper authorities a cheque for the amount of said grant, viz: \$6,000.

Ald. Robinson moved in amendment that the amount of the Y.M.C.A. grant be not paid until we receive written advice from the city solicitor as to the legality of the grant originally made.

Ald. Donohue, "I'll second it." Ald. Robinson claimed there was no bylaw passed for the grant and there was nothing in the estimates bylaw mentioning the Y.M.C.A. grant. Even the amount is not mentioned there.

The city clerk being asked, said "The estimates bylaw did not mention specifically the Y.M.C.A. But the amount of \$6,000 was understood."

Ald. Robinson wanted to avoid future trouble. He wanted the grant perfectly legal. "I'm just asking for a delay."

Ald. Whelan—"Just put the motion. If we do anything illegal, let Ald. Robinson look after us afterward."

Ald. Robinson "That won't do at all."

Ald. Donohue did not want to vote until he was sure where he stood on the legality of the grant. The solicitor mentioned in his letter something about a bylaw.

Ald. Robinson's amendment was lost on the following vote: Yes—Donohue, Hanna, Hagerman, Robinson—4. No—St. Charles, Whelan, Treverton, Curry, Mayor Platt—5.

Ald. Whelan's motion was then discussed.

Ald. Robinson wanted a chance to speak. He said: "If this grant is not paid, it is quite right to refund the taxes paid to the ratepayers. He was convinced the grant should not be made."

The war is just about over. What's the use of grants then? It seems a piece of foolish business to give money where it is not needed. People with relatives at the front told him he was right. One man stopped him on the street and said: "Stick to your text Robinson, you've got the people at your back."

The alderman said "Many?" The man replied "The great majority of them."

Ald. Whelan—Every city council in Canada, township and county councils had granted money to the Y.M.C.A. and was Belleville to be the only council that refused to carry out its pledge?

Ald. Donohue said all men at the front would not all see alike. He would like to see the grant made legally.

Mayor Platt started to speak. Ald. Robinson claimed he had no right to speak from the chair.

"I'm just going to say what I want to say," said the Mayor and went on to say that when the boys went away, Belleville promised their support to the last dollar and last man. If the boys overseas were to listen to two or three weeks of the mean, low, criticism that we have just had in Belleville, they would be ashamed of the place and rightly so.

If the war is over tomorrow, the soldiers will be in Europe for two years. The Y.M.C.A. has a great work to do. It is beneath the dignity of an alderman to hint that the Y.M.C.A., a noble institution would pocket six thousand dollars.

Ald. Robinson wanted to speak again but he had spoken twice already and the mayor said "you've been talking for the last three weeks and it does not amount to shucks."

Ald. Treverton said the vote was made to grant the money unanimously. Now is the time to give the boys the best even if peace is at

ship coal landed here to the towns around here. Belleville has been doing to do with this as it was a question with the dealers.

Mayor Platt stated two men had got-up to criticize the fuel committee. Money had been deposited to the credit of the dealer at the mines in order to get coal. There is nothing unusual in this. Dealers had to do the same. Any coal shipped out of Belleville was of inferior grade.

Ald. Hanna endorsed the mayor's remarks. The coal sent out was counted as part of Trenton's allotment, and Belleville will get credit for it in its allotment.

Ald. Curry gave notice of a motion to have all poultry brought on the city market for sale sold by weight.

At the request of Ald. Robinson City Solicitor Masson's opinion on the grant was as follows:

Re Y.M.C.A. Grant

"Under the Act to authorize and confirm grants by municipal corporations to patriotic purposes, 'Any municipal corporation may pass bylaws for granting aid to the National Council of Y.M.C.A. of Canada for the purpose of the special work being carried on by it in furnishing and supplying accommodation, comforts, food and drink and entertainment to officers and men while on active service during the present war with the naval or military forces of the British Empire and Great Britain's allies, and under the said Act it is not necessary to obtain the assent of the electors to any bylaw passed under the authority of the act or to observe the formalities in relation thereto prescribed by the said Act.'"

In answer to a further question by Ald. Robinson, "Has the council the power to rescind the grant by resolution having been put in the estimates and collected, the largest portion of it?" I would answer that in the negative. They have no power to rescind or repeal a bylaw by resolution.

The vote was then taken resulting in the carrying of Ald. Whelan's resolution, the yeas and nays being recorded as follows:

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Ald. Donohue said "I'm not voting."

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It was moved by Ald. St. Charles, seconded by Ald. Hanna that a committee consisting of Ald. St. Charles, Ald. Hanna and Chief Brown be a committee to procure and select samples of pants for the firemen and the purchase of 2 new overcoats with power to act.—Carried.

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Ald. Robinson was in the chair in committee. Accounts recommended were passed, also the following recommendation:

Mr. Daniel Stapley, city scavenger asked for an increase of \$25 to the remuneration which is at present paid him per annum, namely \$75.

Ald. Whelan "Have you taken over the coke at the gas works for the use of the citizens?"

Ald. Robinson "It is not in our province as a fuel committee to look after this."

Ald. Whelan "How many cars of coal have the fuel committee shipped to Trenton?"

Ald. Robinson could not say.

Ald. Whelan "There's no use asking questions, we never get answers."

Ald. Donohue "Is the coal committee aware that a great quantity of coal is being shipped out? It looks like the committee to hustle to get coal and then find coal already in the city is being shipped out by the dealers."

Ald. Robinson—"The coal committee has no control over this."

Ald. Whelan "Is it true that the city committee is selling coal to Trenton?"

Ald. Robinson "It is selling alleged coal but it is three-quarters slate."

Ald. Whelan "It is the line of coal you sent money away for?"

Ald. Robinson "I kicked against sending money to Pittsburgh to the credit of the dealer. I think your objection is well taken. I did not endorse it. The rest of the committee endorsed it."

The Mayor said the Schuster Co. got permission of the controller to

circumstances as I do—our deep appreciation of the personal work you put in.

You may rest assured that when you are ready for your Membership Campaign, we will do our very best to help you.

Yours very sincerely,
Henry W. King,
Secretary-treasurer.

Toronto, Nov. 1st, 1918.
Alexander Ray, Esq.,
Chairman, The Navy League,
Belleville, Ont.

Dear Sir:
I beg to acknowledge your favor of 28th inst., addressed to Mr. H. W. King, enclosing cheque for \$2,155, representing collection made in the City of Belleville for the Sailors' Week Campaign Fund.

The committee recognize the difficulties with which you have had to contend in making this collection and beg to tender you their thanks for your almost unaided efforts in this great cause.

Yours very truly,
E. H. Salnes,
Secretary of Provincial Campaign.

How Pte. C. E. Brown Came to His Death

Mr. E. G. Brown, 36 Sinclair St., has received the following letter from Lieut. Connell, telling how his son, Pte. Cecil Everett Brown, gallantly met his death, facing the enemies of freedom on Sept. 29th.

Pte. Brown, whose death was recorded in The Ontario a few days ago, went overseas from the First Depot Battalion, leaving Kingston on Feb. 5th last. About the 1st of August he went to the front and in two months that intervened between that time and his death he won the respect of those with whom he was associated by his courage and devotion to duty.

France, Oct. 6th, '18.
My Dear Mrs. Brown,

It is with deep regret that I have to confirm the official advice which I assume you will have received by this date, that your son Pte. Cecil E. Brown was killed in action Sept. 29th. Your son was in the advance against enemy strong points, which opened last Sunday morning. We had then been in battle two days and two nights, during which time your son had exhibited those same sterling qualities which have given the Canadian army its splendid reputation. On Sunday morning we made a new advance this time across the Douai-Cambrai road, a place of extreme importance to our line. We came against heavy machine gun fire. Your son was almost instantly killed by machine gun bullets. His death was without suffering. His body is buried in the cemetery of Bourlon village which is the little town on the slopes of Bourlon hill, which is covered by the now famous Bourlon wood. The village nestles in an outstretched arm of the wood, and overlooks a wide stretch of country from which we have recently driven the enemy. We hope forever.

Any sympathy that I extend to you must indeed be futile and unfeeling beside your grief, but I hope you will find consolation in the fact that your son died fighting for his country—respected by his fellow soldiers and esteemed by his officers.

I remain, My Dear Mrs. Brown, Yours faithfully,
Horatio C. Connell,
Lieut. 38th Battalion.

Belleville Did Well for Sailors' Relief

Belleville, Nov. 4th.

Will you kindly publish the enclosed correspondence which explains itself? In closing, this special effort for the Sailors' Relief Work of the Navy League, permit me, on behalf of the Belleville branch to thank the public generally for the kind reception of the Boy Scouts, without whose help even the little that has been done could not have been accomplished, the parents for giving their boys the opportunity of sharing in this most worthy cause, some 35 of whom have become members of the Boy's Naval Brigade and got their badges, thus becoming attached to the greatest human power in the world—the British Navy—the press of the city for their much appreciated editorials and the many locals inserted free of charge and the clergymen of all denominations for commending the cause from their churches.

We hope in the near future to have a membership campaign. In meantime, we will be pleased to take the applications and give badges to any who wish to help the cause in this way.

Yours truly,
Alexander Ray,
Chairman Belleville Branch of Navy League of Canada.

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Belleville, Ont.

Dear Mr. Ray:
You will be receiving receipt in due course for \$2,155.00, but I wish to convey to you—knowing the

Three Local Boys Among the Dead

Two Die in England of "Flu" and One Killed in France

Three Belleville homes were saddened by telegrams from Ottawa announcing the deaths from sickness and in action of well-known young men who went overseas this year:

Pte. John Charles McKnight

Mr. William McKnight, 35 Parker street, received the following message from Ottawa: "3,058,107 Pte. John Charles McKnight died 14 General Hospital, Eastbourne, Oct. 31st, influenza, pneumonia."

John McKnight was one of the best known young men of this city. He was about twenty-three years of age and was born in this city. He was for some years an expert linotype operator, having been engaged on the staffs of "The Daily Ontario" and "The Intelligencer," where his services were highly appreciated.

"Jack" McKnight as he was known to many, was working at the latter office at the time of his enlistment. After drilling at Kingston he went overseas this year.

His father Mr. William McKnight is a veteran and pensioner of the American Civil War, and was a prisoner of war at Antietam and at Charleston, S.C.

To the members of the family the deepest sympathy is extended.

Pte. Thomas Naphin

Mrs. O. Naphin, 78 Moira St. East, has received the sad intimation that 3004102 Pte. Thomas Naphin had been killed in action on October 21, 1918. Thomas Naphin went overseas early this year and had been in the front for a considerable time.

Pte. Raymond Clarke Cooney

Mr. Frank Cooney, 305 Pinnacle street had a message from Ottawa, yesterday afternoon stating that Raymond Clarke Cooney had died of influenza and heart failure on October 28th in England.

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Jas. Munev Said to be Train Robber

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Arrested in Place d'Armes, Spere Friday, after cashing a number of cheques of the Halifax and Southwestern Railway in the office of the Canadian Northern Railway Co., St. James street, which cheques the police claim are part of a \$20,000 consignment to Halifax, lost or stolen from an express car between Toronto and Halifax on October 22nd, a man who gives his name as James Munev, an Italian, is now in a cell at Police Headquarters awaiting officials who will conduct him back to Toronto, where he will be charged either with theft or with having stolen money in his possession. He is said to fill the description of the train robber which had been forwarded by the Toronto police.

Must Be Broken

"Unbroken stands our front on enemy lands," says the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger.

This is the challenge of militarism and it is the challenge the Allies must meet if they would win the war.—London Free Press.

Easy Pill to Take

Some persons have repugnance to pills because of their nauseating taste. Parke's Vegetable Pills are prepared so as to make them agreeable to the most fastidious. The medicine can take them without feeling the revolution that follows the taking of ordinary pills. This is one reason for the popularity of these celebrated pills, but the main reason is their high tonical quality as to their effectiveness.

Congratulations Maynooth

The north townships have come through once more in a great patriotic effort. North Hastings is the banner District for 1918 Victory Loan campaign.

The coveted Governor-General's honor flag, which is being presented to each district passing its objective for the Victory Loan, has been won by the North Townships, Maynooth being the canvasser.

The following telegram was sent to Mr. Douglas by Mr. W. B. Deacon, today—

Mr. Wm. Douglas,
Maynooth,
Congratulations on winning the first Victory Loan honor flag. Yours is the first district to pass its objective. Governor-General's flag being shipped today. Keep up the good work.

W. B. Deacon, District Chairman
County of Frontenac

City and County Standing

Hastings Co. to date \$683,000
Hastings Co. total yesterday 107,550
Belleville to date 258,750
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Hastings County on the first day of the second week of the Victory Loan Campaign has attained little better than 30 per cent of its honor flag objective. It is hoped that the second week of the campaign will bring the County to its objective, or at least Belleville should fly the honor flag if every citizen would pitch in and help and take a personal interest in having the Governor-General's honor flag flying from the city hall. A great many people who have subscribed, have not lent to their utmost, and a great many have not lent at all. During the second week of the campaign those who have subscribed should subscribe again, and those who have not subscribed should do so at once, so that during the last week of the campaign, the citizens and canvassers can be heartened by the sight of the honor flag flying from the top of the flag staff of the city hall. This can not be done unless everyone works.

ERNEST G. NEWPORT

Ernest G. Newport, editor and publisher of The Deseronto Post, passed away on Sunday night after a few days illness from pneumonia at his residence, Thomas St. Deseronto. Deceased is survived by his wife but no family. The funeral took place this afternoon with interment at Napanee. He was a young man and was married a year ago to Miss Windover, of Napanee.

Mr. Newport came to Deseronto and purchased The Post from Mr. Lyons about four years ago. He had previously been employed on The Whig at Kingston. In The Post he was issuing a bright, newsy paper and enjoyed an extensive job patronage as well. He was himself an expert practical printer. Ambitious and industrious he was making a fine success of his business. About the town his obliging and genial manner made him exceedingly popular. He was public-spirited and assisted in many activities to promote the general interest. At the time of his demise he was treasurer of the Belgian Relief fund.

To the young wife and the other friends who have been so sadly and prematurely bereaved The Ontario extends its sympathy.

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To any and every slacker we dedicate the following story about a patriotic American woman. It is too good to keep to ourselves:

There is a man in Boseman, Mont., who will probably go through life bewailing the injustice of the draft board that certified him for service, despite the fact that he presented a letter written by his wife to prove that he had a dependent family. Here is the letter:

"Dear United States Army: My husband ask me to write a recommendation that he supports his family. He cannot read, so don't tell him. Just take him. He ain't no good to me. He ain't done nothing but play a fiddle and drink lemon essence since I married him, eight years ago, and I got to feed eight kids of his. May-Stork, there survive two brothers, Morris of Winnipeg, and Charles Morris of the Post Office staff, of Belleville, and two sisters, Mrs. C. Stork and his bed for the kids. Don't take him. The Canadian Bank of Commerce at

Military News

Lieut. Crosswhite, C.A.S.C., has been appointed supply officer at Deseronto.

Gunner E. F. Moran, C Battery, R.C.H.A., has been transferred to the C.A.M.C training depot, MD No 2

Gunner A. Reddy, R.C.H.A., was one of the party of returned soldiers who returned to Kingston on Wednesday. He trained for overseas service at the Tete de Pont barracks, and was with the R.C.H.A. in France.

The men at the Kingston Royal School of Artillery are now quartered in the buildings at the Artillery Park barracks, formerly occupied by the demobilization pay unit, M.D. No. 3.

On Wednesday the staff and clerks in the office of the district registrar, about fifty in number, were inoculated.

Lance Corp. G. F. Jackson and Ptes. F. Care and F. W. Taylor have been discharged from the Casualty Company, No. 3 District Depot, to civil life as medically unfit for further service.

There are only 330 patients in the military hospitals in M.D. No. 3. This is a marked reduction during the past week. There were 8 admissions and 31 discharged as cured.

Pte. Michael Kostuk, one of the Russian platoon which went overseas with the 2nd Reinforcing Draft Company from the 59th Battalion in November, has returned from overseas, and is at casualty depot awaiting disposal. He was transferred to the P.P.A.L.T. and fought at Ypres (1916), the Somme, Vimy Ridge, Lens and Passchendaele, being severely wounded in the latter battle.

The police force are winding up their work in hunting up delinquent dog-owners, who have not paid their pet's taxes. In some districts quite a few canines have been found.

Quite audible were the sounds last evening about 9.30 of wild geese flying southward over the city. Evidently they were driven from the north by the wintry weather.

Mr. Fred Froste, paying teller at the Standard Bank here received word yesterday that his brother Harry, a barrister of Regina, had succumbed from influenza. The deceased leaves a widow and young daughter at Regina, his mother, Mrs. F. J. Froste, of Deseronto and another brother, Charles performing guard duty at K.

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VICTORY LOAN PICTURE SHOW HUGE SUCCESS; REPEATED TONIGHT

Hastings County Total to Date \$766,300 — Still Far Behind Honor Flag Objective — Maynooth Wins Crown.

Fully 2,000 people assembled last night in front of Griffin's Palace Theatre on Front street to view the Victory Loan films, which are being shown by the Griffin Amusement Co. for the Victory Loan committee.

Very great interest was shown in the pictures. They were unexcelled films and the sentiments expressed were appealing to patriotic Canadians.

Belleville's total to date is \$362,650, less than one-half of objective sought. Yesterday \$43,900 was added to the City. Belleville must hurry to get to their objective.

Maynooth reported in sufficient subscriptions yesterday to not only win the honor flag of the Governor General, but to also add a crown, which represents 25 per cent more than the objective.

Deloro Doing Well — One other bright spot in the County of Hastings is Deloro. The Deloro Smelting and Refining Co. to date have sent in 129 applications for their employees for \$25,500.

County Passes Three-Quarter Mile Mark — Hastings County's total last night was \$766,300, the amount for the day being \$103,200. This is below the objective sought for \$1,116,000.

Tribute to Late Miss Stork — During the prevailing epidemic, the Angel of Death has visited many homes. Young voices which filled their homes with joy and innocent merriment are forever stilled.

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Picked Up Around Town

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Prince Edward Girl Meet King and Queen

Miss Mabel Foster, Nursing Sister, Received at Windsor Castle. Miss Mabel Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Foster, of Socharie, Prince Edward County, writes the following interesting letter from Orpington Hospital, England.

My dear friends: This is Sunday about 6.15 p.m. I expect to go over to dinner at 7 and then to church at 7.45.

James Devine, a stranger in town was arrested yesterday, charged with riding on a G. T. R. train without a ticket. He paid all costs at the police court and was allowed to go his way to his home.

The fact that there have been no deaths in the city for nearly forty-eight hours from influenza and pneumonia tends to show that the epidemic is about spent.

Quite a large number of men who were employed by the British Chemical Company at Trenton are out of work now, there being no work for them to do at present.

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LONDON, Nov. 6 — (official) — The British last night, continued to press after the Germans near Morlaix Forest where they have reached the main road from Avancee to Bavy. Progress was made in other sectors of the battle-front as well and more prisoners were taken.

Obituary

MRS. S. B. RUSSELL — At Rednersville last night the death took place of Mrs. Leila Violet Russell, wife of Captain S. Barton Russell and daughter of the late John Clapp.

Childhood Ailments

The ailments of childhood—constipation, indigestion, colic, colds, etc.—can be quickly banished through the use of Baby's Own Tablets.

Obsequies

The funeral of the late Miss Florence H. Brough, daughter of the late George Brough, was held yesterday on the arrival of the body from Toronto.

Then Grudge Ye Not

George H. Maitland, a member of the Toronto Daily Star staff, emerges as the winner of the Victory Loan Poem Contest.

Plt. Ackerman Again Wounded

Has Been Overseas for Over Three Years — Left with 39th Batt. Mrs. M. Roe has received official notification that her nephew, Plt. Morley L. Ackerman had been wounded.

Personals

Mr. Albert Snell, of Port Hope, spent a few days in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brickman spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Leach, of Wooler.

DIED

PRATT — At Belleville, Tues., Nov. 5, 1918, Sarah Torney, widow of the late William Pratt, in her 71st year.

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COUNTY AND DISTRICT

OSHAWA ARMORIES CONVERTED INTO EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Brockville Youth Killed by Fall

A Series of Difficulties

Mr. David Stevens a former resident of this town, now of Mariposa, experienced a few thrills last week in connection with the work of filling a silo out in that neck of the woods. He was the man inside and every- thing went well until the work was nearly finished and he attempted to crawl out through the manhole at the top which was a boy's size, but other men came to his relief and enlarged the opening. The prospects of being canned with the corn was bad enough, but when David emerged from the hole and straightened up, landscape from that viewpoint had

nothing on him. To stay there was out of the question and to descend by the ladder was equally impos- sible, so ropes were brought and se- curely fastened around his body when he was lowered the forty feet safely to the ground.—Orono News.

Ripe Raspberries

Despite the fact that November is almost here, the lateness of the sea- son did not deter the tame raspberry patch of Mrs. Noah King, Belmont Lake, from producing a fair crop of luscious berries, a goodly sample of which ye editor enjoyed for his breakfast on Monday morning. The berries were of good quality, though not quite as large as those of the ear- lier crop.—Hawlock Standard.

Epidemic Serious in Oshawa

Owing to the seriousness of the epidemic in Oshawa and the large number sick from the disease, the armory has been converted into an emergency hospital. The report, however, that black diphtheria was raging and that the town was under

quarantine is not correct.—Port Hope Guide.

Birdman a Prisoner of War

Lieut. H. B. Monaghan, R.A.F., of Picton, who has been missing since August 17th, is now reported a pris- oner of war at Karlsruhe. He en- listed in 1915 at Weyburn and is a nephew of J. F. Cryderman, Pope avenue. Lieut. Monaghan was pil- otng a bombing plane when he was forced to land on German territory.—Toronto Star.

For Early Closing

An agitation is under way among the merchants of Brockville to have the places of business closed at five o'clock each afternoon excepting Saturday throughout the fall and winter months. This movement was given a trial during the coal short- age of last winter and worked suc- cessfully, being the means of saving a large quantity of fuel. With the change from summer time a number of proprietors of larger stores not- iced a big difference last evening in

the amount of light used after five o'clock and it is believed that little opposition will be met to the pro- ject.

Killed by Fall

Brockville, Nov. 2.—Merrick Edg- ers, aged fourteen, youngest son of Eugene Edgers, of Morton, near here met his death by falling from a tree near his home. Besides his parents, two brothers and two sisters survive. An older brother, Pte. J. W. Edgers, was killed in action a year ago.

Fall Resulted in Broken Ribs

Mr. Wm. Batten, of Drummer, met with a serious mishap on Tues- day of last week. He was engaged in making some repairs to the side of a silo on his farm when the board on which he was standing broke and he fell a distance of fifteen feet. In- cessantly, being the means of saving a large quantity of fuel. With the change from summer time a number of proprietors of larger stores not- iced a big difference last evening in

wood Register.

Picton Girl in France

In last week's pictorial section of the Montreal Standard was a picture which would be of particular inter- est to many in Picton. It represented a Red Cross Ambulance on duty in France, with driver in uniform standing close beside it, who was easily recognizable as the young lady we knew through all her grow- ing up years as Bernice Young. A note with the picture explains, how- ever, that it is Mrs. Stamford War- rington, wife of Capt. Warrington, and only child of Mr. E. M. Young, barrister, and Mrs. Young, "Clara- mount", Picton, who for many months drove an ambulance as a V. A. D. worker with the convoy at Et- apes, France, being constantly ex- posed to enemy shell and machine gun fire. Capt. Warrington's pic- ture also is shown and referred to as follows: "Capt. Stamford Warring- ton, of the 24th Battalion, belongs to a well known Montreal family. His

mother is a sister of the wife of the Hon. James McShane."—Picton Ga- zette.

Gasoline Famine Hits Lindsay

Automobile gas was exceedingly scarce in Lindsay the past week and many motorists applied for it in vain. A quantity is being kept at the garages for doctors, so that they may not be hindered in their fight with the epidemic. The same con- ditions exist in neighboring villages, quantities being reserved for the physicians. The cause is due to the great hold-up on the railroads owing to the influenza epidemic, it being impossible to secure help to handle the freight.

Terrible Experience of Returned Soldier

Minus Leg and Other Fractured. Was Marooned in Woods for a Week.

Fredericton, N.E., Nov. 4.—Pri- vate Andrew Stackvale, of the or- iginal "Fighting 26th", an inmate of the military hospital here, who had been lost since October 22nd, was found in the woods, bruised and helpless, last night by a searching party. Stackvale, who was fifteen months in a German prison camp, lost one leg in the war. He left the city Oct. 22nd to drive to Minto. On a lonely, not much frequented road, he was thrown from his car- riage and the horse ran away. Be- ing without crutches and helpless be- cause of a fracture to his remaining leg, received in being thrown from the carriage, he was unable to move. He lay in the bushes just a week, subsisting on roots which he could dig up with his hands. He was brought back to the mili- tary hospital here where it is feared the other leg will have to be ampu- tated, as blood poison has developed from the fracture received.

GLEN ROSS

The influenza has reached our vic- inity and is going from house to house.

Some are recovering slowly while others are still very ill.

Mrs. Ed. Pyear has pneumonia.

Miss Gladys Green is dangerously ill with the "flu" at her boarding- place in Campbellford. Her mother, Mrs. A. W. Green, has been with her for the past few days.

Mrs. C. Heard is in a critical con- dition.

Mrs. W. Anderson is improving nicely after undergoing a serious op- eration in Belleville Hospital a few weeks ago. She also suffered from an attack of the epidemic while there.

Mrs. R. Wager has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Windsor mot- ored to Eldorado on Saturday, ac- companied by Mr. and Mrs. M. Hag- erman, and spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore.

Dr. H. and Mrs. Alderson, of Pittsburgh, are visiting their moth- er, Mrs. M. Anderson. The doctor is preparing for the hunting season.

The body of Mr. G. Keating, a former resident of this place and who died recently at Deloro from an attack of influenza, was brought here on Thursday and interment was made in Carmel Cemetery.

Our church and school are closed as a result of the epidemic.

Several of our citizens here mot- ored to Trenton to view the effects of the recent explosion.

Mrs. W. Brown spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hag- erman.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Windsor spent Sunday at Oak Lake, guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Searles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farrell spent Sunday with friends in Hawdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Naltes and daughter Verna motored out from Sulphide Saturday afternoon and spent over Sunday with their sister, Mrs. R. Pyear.

Mrs. E. Wessels, of Wooler, will return home this week after spend- ing a short time the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Anderson.

Mr. R. Armstrong has had Mr. G. Sine engaged repairing the chimneys on his house.

The old dredge is back again and is busy removing the old piers above the dam.

Mr. D. A. Weaver, Messrs. A. and L. Brooks were confined to the house last week on account of illness.

Mr. A. Carlisle has recently been engaged on the section here and ex- pects to move here in the near future.

Mr. G. H. Windsor has recently purchased the farm on the town line owned and occupied by Mr. A. Dax- tator.

Mr. Daxtator has bought a farm in Thurlow Township where he will

move in the near future. Miss L. Knapp, a former teacher here, paid a flying visit to the Glen on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hagerman left on Monday to attend the sickbed of their daughter, Mrs. J. Laka, near Bethel.

Seven Orphaned by "Flu" Epidemic

Two Families of Seven Children Put in Foster Homes

Captain T. D. Ruston, Children's Aid Inspector, has just returned from the village of Marmora, where he investigated two sad cases of seven children left orphans by the ravages of the "flu." In one family the father and mother both died, there being but two days between their deaths. They left four children, ranging in ages from one year to six years.

In the second case the mother died at noon and the father at seven in the evening of the dread disease. They left three children.

Captain Ruston had the seven children made wards of the Society and they are now in suitable foster homes.

Nurse Crosier Passed Away

Her Life Had Hung in the Balance For Several Weeks

From Friday's Daily

After three weeks' struggle against influenza and pneumonia, Nurse Minnie Helena Crosier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crosier, passed away in Belleville General Hospital last night. Miss Crosier had been stricken with the influenza while engaged at her duties of attending patients suffering with the malady at the hospital. The disease soon developed into pneumonia. For weeks she had been putting up a fight for recovery, many times she seemed at the point of death, but rallied. Several times it was felt she might recover but ultimately the hope was abandoned, as there was a possibility of her passing.

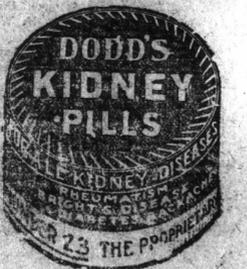
Nurse Crosier was born at Whit- by but her home was in Lindsay. She took her course as nurse-in-training at Belleville General Hospital, grad- uated and became an assistant of Miss Greene, superintendent. Her loss is distinctly felt by the staff of the hospital.

The remains were shipped by Messrs. Tickell and Sons' Co. to Lindsay this morning. Burial will be made in the family plot at Port Perry.

Corn's cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Cure offers a speedy, sure, and satisfactory relief as a medicine for the stomach.

Weeks Victory Loan Total Reaches \$563,400

District	Objective	Amount
Belleville	\$700,000	\$167,850
Trenton	275,000	21,550
Deseronto	70,000	6,350
Sidney	150,000	40,000
Tyendinaga	85,000	21,000
Rawdon	160,000	30,700
Thurlow	175,000	56,800
Huntingdon	50,000	2,700
Hungerford	150,000	21,750
Marmora and Lake	70,000	34,600
Madoc	135,000	29,150
Elzevir & Grimsby	10,000	2,900
Tudor, Limerick & Cashel	27,000	4,300
Wollaston	30,000	13,650
Paradise and Dunganon	10,000	
Carlow & Mayo	8,000	
Herchel, Mont- agie, McClure, Wicklow and Bangor	7,000	4,500
From Banks		105,500
	\$2,180,000	\$563,400



HARVEST FROM RURAL FIELDS

Gleaned by The Ontario's Bery of Bright and Busy Correspondents

ZION

Digging potatoes is the order of the day. A number are confined to the house with the influenza. We trust they may soon recover.

Mrs. Hawley, of Belleville, is spending a few days at Mr. M. Hawley's.

Mrs. Walter Thornton, of Belleville, has returned home after spending a couple of weeks with her cousin, Miss Lena Kennedy.

Mr. Percy Denyes, of Campbellford, passed through here on Friday last.

Mr. Lorne Brough lost a valuable cow one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Thrasher and baby and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wall spent Sunday at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kennedy.

Mr. George Post, of West Huntinton, spent Sunday at his daughter's, Mrs. Lorne Brough.

STIRLING

Mr. Geo. Lagrow and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lagrow were in Toronto on Monday attending the funeral of Mrs. J. Lagree.

J. M. Murray, M.D., of Edmonton, Alta., has been spending the past week visiting her sister, Mrs. Clinton McGee.

Owing to the illness of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook, Mrs. R. P. Coulter and Mrs. T. Cook left for Kingston yesterday.

Messrs. L. Melkolejohn, G. H. Leury and T. Matthews paid a visit to the Frontenac-Cobalt gold mines on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Kirby, of Toronto, who has been visiting at the home of her nephew, Mr. Clinton McGee, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. George Eggleton is in Ottawa with her daughter, Mrs. Valleau. Miss Dora Rath, of Madoc, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. V. Wright.

Mrs. G. G. Thrasher received a message of the serious illness of her father, Mr. Robert Dobson, of Picton and left on Monday.

Mrs. Farnsworth, of Shannonville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farnsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Utman and two children, of Cumberland, Wis., are visiting his brother, Mr. D. Utman.

Miss Donald and sister, Miss Jean Donald, of Burnbrae, were visiting their cousin, Mrs. W. S. Martin, last week.

Miss Bertha Shaw, who was home from Belleville for a few days, returned on Monday.

Mr. Wm. Bush received a message yesterday notifying him that his son, Pte. Roy Bush is seriously ill with pneumonia in England. News Argus and Leader.

GRAVEL ROAD

The Spanish "flu" is going its rounds in this neighborhood. Some whole families are ill with it, but none as yet are very serious. We hope for a speedy recovery for all the victims.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shaughnessy and daughter Reta and Miss Rose Pahey, Toronto, are visiting under the parental roof.

Mr. James Toppings is very busy buying grain for dealers in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Murphy and children are at Mrs. Murphy's father's, Mr. B. McGlins.

Miss Creighton and Miss McCarty attended the teachers' convention in Belleville.

Miss K. Sheehan, Westbrook, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Meagher.

Miss M. Brennan, principal of Marmora separate school, is home at present the school being closed on account of sickness.

NAPANEE

Miss Kathleen Daly is home from Toronto visiting her mother, Mrs. Dennis Daly.

Mr. Jos. Harris, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelly.

Mr. H. W. Kelly, Flight Lieut. Jos. Acton and Mr. Tustin are spending a few days in Gananoque.

Miss Jessie Dibb is home from Havergill College, Toronto, for a couple of weeks.

Pte. Harold Sills, Toronto, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Max Fox.

Miss Hypatia Fox is home from Midland for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lott have returned from an auto trip to New

YORK STATE AND TORONTO

Mr. Harry Glesson is home from Toronto for a couple of weeks on account of the closing of the university in Napanee.

Mrs. C. H. Boyes, Kingston, is spending a few days with friends in Napanee.

Miss Eleanor Davis is spending a week with her parents in Toronto.

Mr. Jas. Savage returned this week from Melita, Man.

Miss Myrtle Stevens is home from Campbellford on account of the closing of the schools.

Mrs. G. W. Stevens, Peterboro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Manson Stevens.

Misses Lillian and Lola Madden have returned to Toronto after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Madden.

Miss Kathryn Daly is home from Toronto visiting her mother, Mrs. S. L. Daly.

Mrs. W. J. Campbell, Hamilton, is spending the week the guest of Mrs. J. G. Daly.

Mrs. Bournie, St. Lambert, Que., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Campbell Shorley.

Mr. Hamilton Armstrong, of Carmel, Man., was renewing acquaintances in town this week.

Mrs. A. McCarty has returned from a visit in New York State.

Mrs. George Stevens, Peterboro, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Manson Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robinson have returned home after spending several weeks, visiting friends at Saskatoon, Humboldt and Prince Albert.

Mrs. Albert Galbraith, of Colebrook, and Mrs. Wm. J. Pyne, of Dresden, were in town on Wednesday.

Mr. J. F. Killorin, of Duluth, Minn., returned home after spending a week with his brother, Mr. James Killorin.

Miss Mollie Peck, of Jackson, Mich., was in Napanee attending the funeral of her nephew, the late Harry Hawley, on Monday, returning to her home on Tuesday.

Miss Cora Kimmerly has returned home after a visit to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stevens, Princeton, Ill., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Vine are visiting friends at Kepler.

Mr. J. F. Killorin, of Duluth, Minn., returned home after spending a week with his brother, Mr. Jas. Killorin.

Miss Eleanor Baker arrived in town on Sunday from Montreal to nurse her father and two sisters, who are ill.

Miss Molly Peck, of Jackson, Mich., was in Napanee attending the funeral of her nephew, the late Harry Hawley, of Oshawa, on Monday, returning to her home on Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. Phillips, formerly of Napanee, now living with his daughter, Mrs. Stewart, in Watertown, N. Y., has been ill with influenza but we are pleased to state is recovering.

Mr. H. B. McCabe, of Oshawa, arrived in town on Monday morning to make arrangements for the funeral of the late Harry Hawley, which took place from the 1.14 p.m. train on Monday, and spent a day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCabe, Bridge Street. Beaver and Express.

MADOC JOE

Lieut. W. W. Hough, also Mr. and Mrs. Hough, of Halloway, spent Sunday with friends here. Lieut. Hough left Belleville on Monday morning for Armour Heights.

Mrs. French and son, Melville, visited friends here on Sunday. They were accompanied by friends from Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonnell, of Stirling, called on friends here last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Charlie Brown, of Belleville, and Mr. Petch, of Markham, have returned to their work and recovered from the "flu".

Mr. Wilbert Eggleton, who died at his home in Belleville last week, had many friends here who will sympathize with his wife in the sorrow and bereavement she has been called to bear.

Mr. Geo. Bird has been very low for several days and not expected to recover.

Mrs. Geo. McMullen received word of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Smith, of Belleville, on Saturday and a little family are left motherless, who will have the sympathy of many.

Mrs. Fitchett attended the funeral of her niece, Miss Hilda Irvin, of

Toronto Western Hospital, at Tweed one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin have the sympathy of many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Searies and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, who have been on the sick list under the care of Dr. Potts, of Stirling, are reported able to be around again; these were all cases of "flu", we are told.

FRANKFORD

The remains of Miss Edith Le-grew arrived in Cobourg on Tuesday noon train from Toronto on Tuesday.

Service was held in the Methodist church and interment in the Frankford Cemetery. She leaves to mourn her loss her mother and three sisters. The family have the sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

The funeral of Mrs. Maybee was held in the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. J. Knox conducted the service. She died at the home of her son, Mr. Newton, of Riverside, her former home. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons and two daughters, namely, Newton, of Riverside, Byron of Oshawa, J. Boverman of Trenton, and Milton, Marcus and Mrs. Grass of the West.

The friends have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their devoted mother.

Mrs. Vandervoort and son, Elmer, of Trenton, are visiting Mrs. Meyers and other relatives in and around town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Latta and Mrs. Foster attended the funeral of Miss Marjorie Foster in Trenton on Wednesday afternoon.

The schools are closed in town for a short time owing to so much sickness.

Mrs. Wm. Vandervoort has returned home after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Allen Latta in Sidney.

The remains of Mr. Katon arrived on the noon train from north and were taken to Hubble Hill for burial on Friday.

Mr. Young, manager of the Molsons Bank here, also Mrs. Young, are ill.

Mr. H. T. Miller is ill with the epidemic that is going through the country.

Mrs. Wellbourn, of Toronto, is at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Cecil Wellbourn, who is ill.

Word has reached town that Pte. Aaa Smith had been wounded.

Mr. C. D. Powell is on the sick list.

Mr. Bruce Bowen has accepted a position as accountant in one of the banks in St. Catharines and has gone there.

MELROSE

Mr. Clayton English is reported slowly improving from the effects of influenza.

Mrs. Thomas Blathawick is quite ill at present with influenza.

Mrs. Charles Smith is still feeling the effects of the influenza attack some weeks of illness.

Miss Hazel Knapp is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eugene Haggley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gibson, of Emery Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Haight on Sunday last.

Mr. Ralph Lawrence, who has been ill for a time, was able to visit his sister, Mrs. Floyd Mordant, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eaton, of Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Demill on Sunday last.

A number of the young men who have been on harvest barough for a time are reporting again this week.

We are Still Waiting For The Proofs

Editor Ontario.

In your remarks on my letter in yesterday's Ontario you say "If Alderman Robinson imagines that any procedure of the Belleville City Council by which support is denied to those who are suffering and dying in our behalf on the battle-fields of Europe, is going to prove popular with any large section of the citizens of Belleville, we fear he is greatly mistaken in the spirit of the manhood and womanhood of this city." This Mr. Editor is a sample of the unfair treatment you have indulged in when criticising my letters and the course that has been pursued in connection with this matter. No one knows better than the editor of The Ontario that Ald. Robinson is not seeking to deprive the soldiers on the battle-fields of anything that is due them; in fact my sympathies run entirely in the opposite direction, and it is because that returned soldiers are complaining that the got very little of that two million dollars that I have put up this fight. I may say that I enjoy the fight of this kind very well, but I will not battle with an unfair opponent. This

is largely why I decline to give attention to the editorials which have appeared in The Ontario in relation to this subject.

You say you are still waiting for proofs of the charges. To this I must say that considering the unfair way the editor has treated the proofs already presented it would be useless to bring forward additional evidence of returned soldiers, which is the only kind of proof available at the present time. These valiant men are beyond all praise when on the battle line and in the trenches, but when they returned home unaccompanied and make complaints about not receiving their fair share of that two million, it is then discovered some of the friends of the Y.M.C.A. that their statements are not reliable; or, as it is said, Robinson, Mr. Editor, who is producing false evidence in the name of the returned soldiers? Somebody is lying evidently according to the editor. Who is it, Mr. Editor.

A. Robinson.

Editor's note.—Ald. Robinson accuses The Ontario of "unfairness." In what does our "unfairness" consist?

Ald. Robinson speaking in the Belleville City Council on the night of October 21st, made the most serious charges imaginable against the honor and integrity of a large body of men whose duty it is to administer the greatest war services, aside from the Red Cross, to the men at the front-line in France, The Ontario gave a very full, and, we believe, an absolutely fair report of Ald. Robinson's remarks upon the motion of which he was the mover. Ald. Robinson based his charges, in the main, upon the statements made in an anonymous letter.

The Ontario as a public journal challenged Ald. Robinson as a public servant to furnish such proofs of his charges as his extremely grave character demanded.

We have since given Robinson a grand space in our columns to bring forward his evidence but he has produced nothing more substantial than anonymous reports from two or three returned soldiers.

As the person making the charges, Ald. Robinson must consider it his duty to see that the charges are substantiated.

In his present letter Ald. Robinson apparently gives the impression that the returned soldiers are a unit against the overseas "Y."

We would remind Ald. Robinson that the only large and representative organization of returned soldiers in Canada is the Great War Veterans' Association. That body after the most painstaking investigation into charges almost identical with this Ald. Robinson has reported that he is responsible for the charges and without foundation.

Until Ald. Robinson can show that the findings of the G.W.V.A. are untrue, he has no right to throw upon the body of returned soldiers the onus for these charges.

The overseas Y.M.C.A. claims to be serving the soldiers at the front-line and in camp at the war theatre in Europe.

If the Y.M.C.A. is a fraud and sends itself to be, then we must assume that those who seek to discredit and destroy the support upon which it depends for existence are seeking to destroy a most essential service to the men at the front.

If the Y.M.C.A. is a fraud and an aggregation of scoundrels and grafters as Ald. Robinson has, in effect, claimed in the city council, he should bring forward the most incontrovertible evidence that those far-reaching accusations are true.

Until Ald. Robinson produces the documents he must himself stand charged with the most extreme "unfairness" to the overseas Y.M.C.A.

The Ontario has not at any time resorted to personalities in discussing the issue that Ald. Robinson has raised by his action in council. We have endeavored to discuss the matter purely as a public question. If at any time we have resorted to "unfairness" that action has been purely involuntary on the part of the editor. Our desire is to be fair to everybody and in this era must include the overseas Y.M.C.A. and the men they serve.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mine and family wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown them during their recent sad bereavement.

DIED

LAZIER.—In Belleville on Oct 29 1918, Wellington F. Lazier, aged 67 years.

POWERS.—At Belleville, Oct. 30th 1918, Margaret Powers, wife of John Powers, aged 42 years.

The Pioneer of The Present

We have left behind the days of the ox-led trail and the remote and lonely log cabin in the unbroken forests, but there are still the wildernesses to be penetrated and conquered and the consequent calls for the trail-blazers to lead the way.

We are not thinking so much of the great opportunities which invite with romantic thrill (to some, at least) toward the clay belt of New Ontario or the Maple Land of the Laurentians, though there are still great conquests possible. Nor are we alluding to those less remote expanses of wooded wilds lying along our older colonization roads within a hundred miles of our provincial frontiers and largely returning to the control of the Department of Crown lands by the drift of the masses toward the cities.

What we mean to call attention toward is figurative but very apparent. For years we have been developing a vast unthinking populace, so far as the general public is concerned. We have been much engrossed in the aim of having a home, or rather some property, that farmers and urbanites have found the competition so keen that their best could not be devoted to anything unusual. We delegate some less busy neighbor to our committee meetings, a few careless or cunning citizens have formed our councils, the politician and mere partisan has led in parliamentary matters, until at last we find ourselves in a veritable wilderness so far as the ideals of true politics, municipal and national, is concerned.

Some one says, "A crank!" Just look, will you? The Food Control for millions of people, scattered over one of the greatest countries on earth, and that under the direction of a man who could not even succeed in the management of a small corporation. The presidency of a great railroad given to one who has had no experience in railway construction or maintenance except as a frequent customer of a Pullman or dining car. Lawyers to legislate against their own constituents and doctors to increase their own fees until a privilege to cross over a bridge your fathers built or an attack of appendicitis means a chattel mortgage upon the old mare, if not on your own skin. How can we escape these conditions? How shall we get out of this jungle?

Trail blazers have needed! Real pioneers! Somebody who is clear-headed and clean-handed. Somebody who fears not party-wolves or lions or demagogic tigers and panthers. "Someone who believes that light is a purifier and pools and bogs are a breeding place for pestilence and plague." Come, they from city or country, from the first line of the second line trench, they will and the millions of militarism to be met, the status of tradition to be overthrown and mysterious and intricate snikholes to be filled in a dumping ground for rotting for months, and years, perhaps, to come.

Mantoulin has given us the cue; whose is the next move? A straight line is the shortest distance between two given points—let us learn how to make it.

Lo, before us gleam the camp-fires. We ourselves must Pilgrims be. Launch our Mayflower and sail boldly.

Through the wild, tempestuous sea; Nor attempt the Present's portals With the Past's blood-rusted key.

LORING.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church held a Scotch Broth Social on Friday night. The proceeds will be used in sending boxes overseas.

Mrs. W. A. Walton has spent the past five weeks visiting in Port Arthur and Fort Francis and returned to town on Tuesday. Mrs. Walton's son, Leith, who accompanied her, remained in Fort Francis with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Little.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. La Brash have received a telegram that their son, George, has been wounded. This is the second time George has been wounded, and we sincerely trust it may not be serious this time.

Mr. R. Currie and daughter, of Spring Creek, and his sister, Mrs. R. Cook of town, who has been visiting Mr. Currie in Owen Sound, returned Saturday.

Mr. Keegan, of the Dominion Mica Mining Company, is here and is engaged in shipping field spar.

Pennsylvania has signed for another year 1,400 volunteer state police.

More than 1,600,000 women in New York State have registered for the election.

Are You a Shareholder in Your Country? WHEN you subscribe for Victory Bonds, Canada offers you shares in Canada. These are Canada's bonds, with a fixed period to run, and repayable in full at maturity, just as a Government bill is repayable on demand. But, unlike the Government bill, Victory Bonds pay you interest at 5% all the time you hold them. This space made available for the use of Victory Loan by courtesy of Union Bank of Canada.

When You Travel, Even in Canada carry your funds in Travellers' Cheques, issued by The Merchants Bank. Personal cheques are often refused. Money may be lost or stolen. Travellers' Cheques, on the other hand, are cashed by banks, hotels, transportation companies and stores at their face value, and enable you to raise ready money wherever you happen to be. If lost, they are of no value to the finder; if stolen or destroyed, they will be replaced without extra charge. Use them for your next journey. THE MERCHANTS BANK Head Office: Montreal, OF CANADA Established 1864 BELLEVILLE BRANCH. N. D. McFADYEN, Manager Safety Deposit Boxes to Rent.

The Standard Bank of Canada Quarterly Dividend Notice No. 112 Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of THIRTEEN PER CENT PER ANNUM upon the Capital Stock of this Bank has this day been declared for the quarter ending 31st October 1918, and that the same will be payable at Head Office in this City and at its Branches on and after Friday, the 1st day of November, to Shareholders of record of the 19th of October, 1918. By Order of the Board, G. H. Eason, General Manager Toronto, September 21st, 1918. BELLEVILLE BRANCH John Elliott, Manager Shannonville Office open Mondays and Thursdays Foxboro Office open Tuesdays and Fridays Redversville Office open Wednesdays.

LET US BE STRONG The strong nation of the future will be the nation whose people by the practice of thrift individually and collectively save a residue of the proceeds of their labor, of their profits as industrial leaders; of the riches that are yielded by forest, field and mine. Every one desires that Canada should be a strong nation; and the best means at hand to prove the sincerity of that wish at this moment is the purchase of VICTORY BONDS OAK HALL "The Store For Men"

CONGRATULATIONS DROPPED FROM THE AIR While Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Drope, of Grimsby, were celebrating their silver wedding with an out-of-doors party recently, their son, Captain Drope, R.A.F., circled over the homestead and dropped his written congratulations from the sky, the loving missive falling close by his mother's chair. He had flown from Leside with the object of "dropping in" on the family. Winnipeg.—Local health authorities, as a result of the alarming spread of the Spanish influenza for a time admitted that the malady had got beyond their control. Two hundred and fifty-five new cases and sixteen deaths were reported in one day.

SIX

Second Battalion on Behalf of Despatch

Ex-Mayor H. morning received from Major D.S.O. O.C. of the Infantry Battalion that six war captured by were presented of the City of being despatched.

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SIX GERMAN GUNS PRESENTED TO CITY

Second Battalion's Trophies Now on their Way — Presented on Behalf of Five Well-Known Belleville Soldiers and Despatched to Ex-Mayor H. F. Ketcheson.

Ex-Mayor H. F. Ketcheson this morning received a communication from Major Roscoe Vanderwater, D.S.O. O.C. the 2nd Canadian Infantry Battalion, E.O.R., stating that six war trophies namely guns captured by the 2nd Battalion—were presented to the Corporation of the City of Belleville and were being despatched to Mr. Ketcheson.

In the Field, Oct. 10, 1918.

H. F. Ketcheson,
Belleville, Ont., Can.

Dear Sir:

The following war trophies, captured by the 2nd Canadian Infantry Battalion, Eastern Ontario Regiment, and presented to the Corporation of the City of Belleville by this unit on behalf of:

Lieut. D. A. Cameron, M.C.
Lieut. R. M. Porter.
Lieut. R. B. Cooper

Sergt. W. C. Jack, M.M. and myself are being despatched to you through the usual channels:

One 10cm. Gun, No. 4984
Two 77mm. Guns, Nos. 17250 and 11946
One heavy Machine Gun, No. 40-442
One light Machine Gun, No. 373
One heavy Trench Mortar No. 6446

May I be advised please when these are received.

Yours faithfully,
(Sgd.) R. Vanderwater, Major
O.C. 2nd Canadian Infantry Battalion, Eastern Ontario Regiment.

This letter conveys the information that Lieut. Dan A. Cameron is the possessor of the Military Cross.

Belleville will treasure these trophies as among its proudest possessions.

WHAT THE Y. M. C. A. DOES FOR THE BOYS AT THE FRONT

Douglas Scott Writes Direct From the Firing-Line and Tells of the Service to the Men in Action

Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) C. T. Scott has received the following letter from her son, Gnr. Douglas Scott, now at the front for many months past, on the firing line in France. The letter was not written for publication but as it incidentally mentions the Y.M.C.A. and its work at the front, Mrs. Scott has kindly forwarded it to the Ontario. The letter is one of those valuable communications, written by a bright, observant, impressionable boy, which will in time form a part of the war's most valuable literature. His unqualified endorsement of the work of the "Y" bears all the more weight because it is an uncollected and unbiased opinion, sent with no thought of publication.

He didn't know. "Well," Selby said, "I didn't know either, but seeing he didn't know, I decided to tell him." Then there is "Dunc." He has served in the navy, and has seen some of this war's naval fighting. He has lived in Vancouver, though born in England.

Of the seven of us, three taken their turn issue, three do not and one doesn't care whether he gets it or not. I have yet to be shown that the rum issue is a necessity, and not, in the long run, a detriment. I have yet to see where rum has anything on hot cocoa, which leads naturally to speaking of the Y.M.C.A.

The boys out here are certainly out of sympathy with the attitude of the Great War Veterans Association has taken against the Y.M.C.A. I hear nothing but good spoken of the "Y," out here. I tell you the "Y" is doing a simply marvellous work. When an advance is made, the "Y" is far from being the last thing to move forward. It stays right with the boys, too, and they have nothing but good to say of it. Some time ago when we were pulling into a new position, it was awfully dark, the wind was blowing and it was pouring rain. Believe me, that two cups of hot tea from the "Y" sure hit the spot. They also, when needed, set apart a portion for wounded men only, and not long ago, I saw standing under that sign, a group of slightly wounded men—Canadians, Imperials, Highlanders and one German—all enjoying good hot tea and biscuits "on the Y.M.C.A."

Dear Mother: Oct. 1, 1918.

I think this is No. 26. The last I wrote was on Sept. 26th, as far as I can remember. Do you get all my letters? I often wonder. Dad's parcel of papers arrived a few days ago, and I was certainly glad to get them. The magazines which I like most to read are: "The American," "The World Wide," "Maple" and "Life." My sweater and underwear arrived together soon after the papers. I climbed into the sweater at once as the weather is pretty cool now. The underwear I packed into my kit bag to keep for really cold weather. Gee! I hate having to change into heavy underwear. But don't worry mother, I'll do it when it's necessary. We have a fire on in our stove and it feels pretty good just now. The happiest times we have are, after a hard shift on the guns, to come back to our billets and sit around the stove. We have a victrola going with all the latest records and there's some porridge, cocoa and custard being made on the stove. "They are a pretty good bunch of boys on our gun crew. There's our bombardier, who is in charge of the crew; he's fussy and hard to please at times, but not a bad scout on the whole. He certainly looks after us well and won't let us take unnecessary risks either. He is from Montreal. Then there's "Harry," he pulls the lanyard and keeps our breach in order. Really, he's one of the best natured and finest fellows I've met. He's from the Maritime Provinces. His father is an old retired sea-captain of eighty. Then there's "Tom." Tom is a farmer from B.C., and though only twenty-three, likes to give the impression of having had a very broad experience. He's a good scout though aside from that, and he knows the Patrick's in B.C. Then comes "Joey," he's just a kid, and has more just pure "guts" than anybody I've seen yet. Funny part of it is, he doesn't seem to realize it himself. He's from Toronto. Then Selby, he's another Toronto fellow and has a passion for machinery and finding out things. He wants to "see the wheels go round." He can lecture by the hour on the breach mechanism of a Mauser rifle, or the powers of a four-wheel-drive motor lorry. He is full of a simple dry humor that makes you split your sides. It was he who told me one day that he asked an officer what was the muzzle velocity of a sixty pounder. The officer

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Sometimes when there's nothing doing, we make souvenirs. I've made a rather pretty little paper knife out of a German bullet which forms the handle, and a French bullet, which forms the blade. You see a French bullet is copper, so there's little trouble to beat it out flat. I may send this to Lulu for her birthday.

You know, the longer I'm out here, the more I realize that I'm going to land back into civilian life someday, and that it's going to be a mighty big change. With me it's going to mean more than just a little adjustment too. I'm coming back with practically no training for life—I mean nothing practical. I have no business knowledge and only a senior matriculation standing. Two valuable years have been blotted out and if I go ahead through college it will mean starting where I left off—but with that handicap of two years practical experience lost. Sure! I'm getting experience of a kind and I sometimes think I would never have missed it for worlds, but it's not what is going to tell. It is my opinion that no man should go straight through a college career, having had no other training. These two years, obliterated. I would like to have spent in that other training. As it is now, I will either get it when I get back, or take it out of my career after the university is left behind.

However, I'm not worrying about it and am determined that ten years from now, those lost two years shall have made no difference.

Good-bye and loads of love,
Douglas.

Obsequies

From Thursday's Daily.
ARMSTRONG ALEX. ANDREWS

The funeral of the late Armstrong Alex. Andrews took place from "Irmin," the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews, 26 Octavia Street, yesterday afternoon. There was a very large attendance of relatives and sympathizing friends. His Sunday school class from John street Presbyterian church attended in a body. The start of the sup's office, Grand Trunk, of which deceased was a member, was also represented by full attendance. In addition to the above there were many of his young associates from the High School, Y.M.C.A. and various athletic clubs, who mourned the passing of one who had been popular as a boy, a student and a lover of clean sport. "Ping," as he was known by his chums, had been particularly clever in his work at High School. After making a promising academic record, he took a position in the sup's office of the Grand Trunk. His genial, obliging disposition and capacity for hard work brought him quick recognition and merited promotion.

He was active at baseball, basketball, rugby and other sports that appeal to young men of his ardent nature; and in all of them he played the game in a manly way. In every walk of life he made friends and yesterday's concourse was an evidence of the sorrow each one felt because of the premature close of a young life, where the future was so bright with promise.

The Rev. D. C. Ramsay, pastor of John St. Presbyterian church, conducted the religious services at the home and the grave side.

The bearers were Harold Copple, Allan Meagher, John McGill, Lorne Deaton, Porte Marshall, Fred Deacon. The floral tributes were unusually numerous. Among those sending expressions of this nature were:

Gates-a-Jar-Fellow workers—Office staff G.T.R.
Pillow—Boys class High School. (Two different pillars.)
Cross—City Baseball League, Ed. Thomas, J. Faher, W. Gerow, W. Green, A. Meagher, F. Goyer, L. Arnot, R. Arnot, H. Smith, G. Lynch, Mrs. McCredon and Margaret.
Triangle—Y.M.C.A. boys.
Wreaths—Esmeralda Knitting Circle; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sprague; John St. Sunday School.
Star—Mr. and Mrs. G. Andrews, Miss Nell McFee.
Spray—Father and mother, Jack and James; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham, Mrs. Green and Will, Helen, Hugh and Arthur Rogers, Edna and Viola Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. A. Naylor, Phyllis and Carl Van Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomson and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Andrews and Myrtle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Delle, Miss Martha Harris, Dr. Connor and Mrs. Northcott, Mr. Herity, Max and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tesse, Chief and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Pales, North Pine, Ont., Miss E. Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ketcheson.

Reply to Mr. Flint

Editor Ontario.

Kindly permit me space in your valuable paper, to reply to Mr. J. J. B. Flint. He propounds many questions in his letter of Oct. 30th which we believe is occupying the minds of almost all thinking people.

We will endeavor to confine our remarks to the one heading of his article viz: "Where are the Souls of the Departed?" To approach the subject from the proper quarter—the first thing necessary is to find what the soul is, we agree with Mr. Flint that the body returns to the dust (as also the Bible states), and goes into the soil. Mr. Flint states that sacred books written years ago declares each body contains an immortal soul, I do not dispute his word, but there is one book, to me the most sacred of all, has no such statement, no such expression as immortal soul, never dying soul, or deathless soul and that good old sacred book is called the Bible.

Buried With Military Honors

Obsequies of Late Pte. George Ralph Potter of Trenton.

The remains of the late Pte. Geo. Ralph Potter, of the 1st Depot Battalion, Belleville, were buried on Wednesday afternoon with full military honors. The Rev. S. C. Moore of the Tabernacle, conducted an impressive service at the funeral parlors of the Belleville Burial Company, Campbell street, after which the remains were taken to the Belleville cemetery. The entire battalion attended under command of Major Gifford, the bugle band playing the Dead March. At the cemetery three volleys were fired over the grave and the Last Post was sounded by a bugler. The bearers were comrades of deceased, namely—Ptes. W. Bowen, S. Walsh, R. Marsh, E. Drouin, S. Dumoble and M. Marder.

Pte. Potter was 33 years of age and was married some time ago. He was born at Balton, but had lived at Trenton.

Three Months in the Jail

Term Given Young Man in Connection with Sugar Deal

Before Judge Deroche this morning John Wilson, a young man charged with entering a car of sugar and taking six bags of the sugar was found guilty on his own plea of guilty and was sentenced to three months in jail, the term to date from the time of his arrest. W. Carney for the crown, A. Abbott for the accused.

Obituary

From Thursday's Daily.
MRS. LONA SHAW

Mrs. Lona Ethel Shaw, wife of Nelson Shaw, died last evening at her home in Point Anne, of pneumonia. She was born in Quebec 33 years ago. Besides her husband she leaves three small children. She was a Methodist in religion.

D. R. Stewart.

Obituary

From Thursday's Daily.
MRS. MYRTLE E. ALEXANDER

The death occurred this morning early of Mrs. Myrtle E. Alexander, at her home Bleeker Ave. She had been ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Alexander was born 25 years ago in the township of Camden, and had lived in Belleville for twelve years. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bowyer of this city. Besides her husband, Mr. Percy Alexander, she leaves one son, Donald, eighteen months old, two brothers, Sergeant Austin Bowyer and Frank Bowyer and two sisters, Mrs. David Lees and Miss Leah Bowyer. Mrs. Alexander was a member of the Methodist church.

MRS. M. POWERS

Mrs. Margaret Powers, Gordon street, whose death was recorded yesterday, was born in England 42 years ago. She leaves her husband, Mr. John Powers; her mother, Mrs. Mitchell, of this city; one brother, John Leutz, and one sister, Mrs. T. M. Hogan. She was a member of St. Michael's church.

Wounded and Missing

Pte. Alfred Woodrow Green Went Overseas with the 39th Batt.

Mrs. Annie Green, 47 Charlotte St. received a message from the Director of Records, Ottawa, on Tuesday, stating that her son Pte. Alfred Woodrow Green was officially reported wounded and missing or Pte. Green had been wounded once before but returned to the trenches a year ago last month.

CONY AND DISTRICT

EPIDEMIC ABATING IN GANANOQUE

Leeds and Grenville Counties "Went Over the Top"

Decorated

Lt. D. A. Cameron Decorated

Honors have come to Albert College boys on the field of battle. Lt. Dan A. Cameron, professor of music having been awarded the Military Cross and Pte. Bert Nunn, one of last year's graduates, having been decorated with the Military Medal.

Call Up Another Class

Ottawa is Watching Developments at the Front.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Developments overseas with regard to the allied terms of armistice are being watched with interest at Ottawa on account of the potential bearing on the Military Service Act. The question of calling up another class is on the agenda of the Government for immediate consideration and there are various suggestions as to who next should be summoned. The principle of continuing reinforcements to the men in the field is fully accepted, but it is improbable that any move will be made until, in the next week or so, it becomes known whether or not the enemy is to surrender. In the meantime men are coming in, but only at an ordinary rate. Any prospect of immediate peace would naturally influence the Government's action regarding calling up additional classes.

Arrested when Calling on Lady

Peterboro, Nov. 1.—To be taken into custody while calling upon a lady friend was the galling experience of an alleged deserter from the Canadian Engineers, who was arrested at a house in this city by the military and civilian policemen. It is stated that the young man deserted from his unit about July 25 and has since been leading that free and easy life which follows the release from military discipline. He made the fatal mistake of allowing the dictates of his heart to overcome his prudence and ventured into the city to call upon a lady friend and fell into the clutches of the constabulary of the law. He will be handed over to the military authorities without delay.—Review.

Engineer Fell Dead

Brockville, Nov. 1.—Sherman Morray, one of the best known locomotive engineers on this division of the Grand Trunk Railway, dropped dead on Monday. He had been in the enjoyment of excellent health up to the time of his collapse. Deceased was about sixty years of age and was employed on a passenger run between here and Montreal. Two children survive.

Kingston Halted by Aeroplanes

Kingston, Oct. 30.—An air raid on Kingston by a squadron from Deseronto and a big military parade with a large number of floats and bicycles, were features of the Victory Loan campaign yesterday. A dozen planes hovered over the downtown section and pulled off many brilliant stunts, all the while distributing campaign literature. There was a touching incident yesterday when the patients, staff and employees of the Mowat Memorial Hospital subscribed \$6,000.

Easy Pill to Take

An Easy Pill to Take—Some persons have repugnance to pills because of their nauseating taste. Farnlee's Vegetable Pills are prepared as to make them agreeable to the most fastidious. The mucus the most delicate can take them without feeling the revulsion that follows the taking of ordinary pills. This is one reason for the popularity of these celebrated pills, but the main reason is their high tonical quality.

Explosion of Cartridge

A young son of Mr. James Douglas of Fort Stewart, North Hastings, got possession of a dynamite cartridge one day last week and took it to school. He succeeded in exploding it with the result that his left hand was badly lacerated, part of his thumb being blown off.—Stirling Leader.

50 Die of Influenza in Past Four Weeks

Kingston, Nov. 1.—The official records show that during the past four weeks, fifty six residents of Kingston have died from influenza and pneumonia. During the same time thirty-five residents of district places who were treated in hospital; here succumbed to the disease.

Epidemic Has Reached Crest

Gananoque, Oct. 31.—The epidemic of influenza which struck Gananoque with such dread force two weeks ago, is now believed to have reached the crest, and while the danger is far from past, the cause for the deep anxiety which has prevailed is considerably relieved.—Reporter.

Mall Carrier Leaves District

Mr. E. J. Tanner, who has been engaged in the livery business for the last ten years, and who for nine

The City of Lille

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Rice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado.

Can you not see them, these pitiful demens of Lille, as the Belgian and French artillery clatters into the city?

For four years they were excluded from the world—from news of their husbands, fathers, brothers and sons in the army. For four years the hatred, helmeted hordes had marched through their streets; their homes had been invaded day and night by a brutal soldiery; their men deported; their maidens spirited away to a fate which they knew all too well, but of which they seldom spoke.

For four years they stood in line for their scanty portion of food supplied by the charity of nations. They were deprived of everything which makes life sweet—of liberty, the right work, to speak their thoughts, to assemble together untrammelled. They were shut without trial, in the dead of the night their hearts stood still at the footfalls of every soldier who passed at their door. Death or degradation, which?

But now the oppressor has fled

and their own bronzed boys are riding into town—all that are left. Such a stretching of eyes, from both soldier and civilian, as the wheels rumble over the stones! Such suching from an overpowering joy! Such tears flowing like rain upon their faces; syncope prayers, inarticulate cries, wild sobbing, frenzied and protracted embraces. Never again, this side of heaven, will these inhabitants of Lille behold such a glorious vision. Never again on this earth, unless the dead rise from their graves, will there be such reunion of life. The long, black specter-haunted night has lifted. They are free!

Isn't it worth while Canadians, Americans, to have had a hand in the right work, to speak their thoughts, to assemble together untrammelled. They were shut without trial, in the dead of the night their hearts stood still at the footfalls of every soldier who passed at their door. Death or degradation, which?

But now the oppressor has fled

Barn Burned in Sidney

On Saturday last, the barn on the farm vacated a few days before by James Gay, of Frankford, was burned with all its contents. The farm was recently sold by Mr. Gay to Mr. Parks, of Madoc. The day after Mr. Parks' auction sale, or last Wednesday, the straw-stack near the barn caught fire but was noticed in time and, by the help of neighbors, the barn was saved. On Saturday, however, the barn itself caught fire from an unknown cause and the flames made such rapid progress that nothing could be saved. The crop of grain which had been threshed was still in the granary and there were a number of implements. The barn though old was still in good condition. A fine new basement stable was underneath. Mr. Gay was the owner of the grain. The loss is partially covered by insurance. The farm, prior to Mr. Gay's occupancy, was owned by Mr. Shores and previous to that by Mr. Rose.

Movie Artists For Victory Loan

Part of Campaign of Education of Dominion Publicity Committee.

Fifteen of the world's greatest motion picture stars have already contributed their services to the second Victory Loan in Canada and have made fifteen pictures which will be distributed through the Motion Picture Distributing Committee at the request of the Dominion Publicity Committee. Mary Pickford will appear in "100 Per Cent Canadian", Douglas Fairbanks will present "The Maple Leaf Forever", Elsie Ferguson will be seen in "The Spirit That Wins", Dorothy Dalton stars in "A Victory Loan Appeal" and similar titles have been given the pictures contributed by "Fatty" Arbuckle and D. W. Griffith.

William S. Hart does his bit in "A Bullet for Berlin"—sounds just like

WOMEN Suffering from

—lassitude, low spirits and loss of appetite will find renewed strength, brighter looks, better health and clearer complexion by using Beecham's Pills. They give you the very help you need, and are a natural aid to the stomach, liver, bowels and blood. Gentle and positive in action, without any disagreeable after-effects—Use

BEECHAM'S PILLS

are worth a guinea a box

Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box Sold everywhere. In boxes of 25 each.

big Bill—while Wallace Reid will give "His Extra Bit," Lillian Gish is to present "The Invasion" and a Mack Sennett Comedy is entitled "It's a Cinch." "If this happened to you would you buy bonds?" is the question. Norma Talmadge asks in her Victory Loan vehicle but Geraldine Farrar has a unique presentation entitled "The Tie That Bonds." Ever popular William Farnum is to be seen in "A Mother's Heart" and Corinne Griffith stars in "A Wise Purpose."

"But what is Charlie Chaplin going to do?" some may ask. Sure enough he is among those who will do all they can so he is going to add his share by making a new comedy. Its name? Nobody knows. That's a trade secret but when the secret is out Charlie will be in the midst of the fun helping with everybody else.

In addition to these special features an educational film showing how the Victory Loan money is spent and entitled "Money Bags" has been contributed. This is a most interesting picture for it explains in a way that would not be possible without the motion picture, how the money that a man or woman loans the Government on a bond is kept right at home and how in a very short time it helps directly or indirectly the person who loaned it.

It is interesting to see the money go to Ottawa, from there to a lumber camp up north where spruce is being cut for use in aeroplanes, thence for food and clothing, then from the storekeeper back to the wholesaler and from the wholesaler to the clerk—right back to the man who gave it first.

But this is only one feature worked out by the Dominion Publicity Committee. There are many more. It would seem as though any and every means is to be employed to bring the importance of the loan right to the hearts of the people. No stone is being left unturned and if a man is not reached at the theatre, on the street car, from the newspaper or the pulpit he is sure to be found out in some other original way. There is no escape.

Farewell Party

A farewell party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. James Gay and family, of the fourth concession of Sidney, on Tuesday night, prior to their removal to Frankford where Mr. Gay has purchased a new residence. The neighbors who came in large numbers were well provided with refreshments and a happy evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Gay were presented with a beautiful book-case and their daughter, Miss Lily, with a music cabinet. Mr. Gay and his family have made a host of friends since he has resided in Sidney and their removal from the neighborhood is deeply regretted.

CALL OF THANKS

The Stockdale Women's Institute take this means of thanking all who so generously contributed to the Christmas boxes for our boys at the front, the sum of ninety dollars having been received. Also for the many donations of tea which were sent in, and we are sure the same will be much appreciated by the recipients.

Mrs. W. Grass, President.
Mrs. Annie Davidson, Sec.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and there is nothing better for driving worms from the system.

An Exaggerated Opinion

That Kingston is Not Friendly to Soldiers

On Monday a returned western soldier stationed in Kingston, called on the Whig to give vent to what he evidently considered was a genuine grievance. He accuses the people of our city of maintaining a hostile attitude to men in khaki, and to returned soldiers in particular. He claims that in Kingston the soldier (unless he happens to be a native) is treated with the assumption that he lacks respect for women and the other attributes of a decent manhood; that he is made to feel that he is tolerated rather than welcomed. One claim is that Kingston fails to turn out to meet its returning veterans, and that no attempt is made by the people of Kingston to make up to the soldier what he has lost by leaving home and friends to take up arms in the defence of his country.

While this soldier evidently felt that there was every justification for his statements, it is only fair to the people of the city to say that his claims seem greatly exaggerated. There is no doubt that the people of Kingston, individually, do not take the returned soldier to their hearts as the people over in England do. But still the citizens are not by any means hostile to the boys who wear the khaki. There are few homes in the city which are not represented in the army, and there is a great feeling of sympathy for those who have come back from the front. The people of Kingston, however, have never been of a very demonstrative nature. This is noticeable in many ways. In the theatres, for instance, there is very little applause for the articles in comparison with many other cities. At heart the people welcome the boys, and wish to make them feel that Kingstonians are glad to have them in their midst. The large majority of the people in the city would resent any statement that this is not so. Yet many soldiers who come to the city from other places carry away with them the impression that Kingstonians have no kindly feelings towards the troops.

This is not so as has been proved in many ways since the war began, and while the soldier from the west who feels that he is in a hostile country may have a little excuse for thinking that the people of this city are indifferent to him and his comrades, the Whig would like to assure him that behind the bars of conversation which prevent freer intercourse between the strangers within our gates are the citizens, there lie hearts that are in great sympathy with the boys; hearts which are ready to do all that is possible for the soldiers who are stationed here.—Kingston Whig.

Wedding Bells

OWEN—BUDD

A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage, Cambridge, Ont., on the evening of Oct. 29th when Pte. John Henry Owen, of Linden Valley, was united to Miss Sarah Budd, of Claremont. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. C. Hoffman. Pte. Owen saw military service in France and was in both the Vimy Ridge and Passchendaele battles. As the result of being gassed he was invalided home and has received his honorable discharge. His many friends in Thurlow, especially at Phillipston, will be pleased to hear that "Jack" has so nobly done his "bit" and unite with his many friends here in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Owen a life of true happiness. Any of the friends of Thurlow who wish to extend personal congratulations may address him at Oakwood, Ont., R.R. No. 1.

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Tuesday in Madoc.

A number from here have been notified by Dr. Eggeston, of Madoc, and hope in this way to stay the influenza to a certain extent.

OAK HILLS

We are glad to hear Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sarges are recovering from an attack of the "flu". Their niece, Lulu Sarges, who was nursing them, is confined to her bed with it.

Mr. Sam. Danford attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Smith, Belleville, on Monday. Much sympathy is extended to husband and dear children who are left to mourn a loving wife and miss a mother's care.

Mrs. Jos. Bronson has returned home from nursing her daughter Mrs. Chas. Brimnell, Corbyville, and little son.

Mr. Russell Stapley has broken the record this year; he threshed 1,760 bushels of grain in eight hours for Mr. Cranston, near Zion's Hill. Who is the next?

Miss Nellie Chambers has returned home after spending a few days

with friends in Malone. Her cousin, Mr. Best, of Winnipeg, accompanied her.

Mr. Jos. Bronson has sold his farm to Mr. Berwick Hoard, near of Stirling, and expects to have a sale on Nov. 21.

The telephone men are hauling cedar from Mr. Geo. McCutcheon's this week.

The hands on the old dial were moved back an hour Sunday night. The young people were glad that we presume!

FOXBORO

Filling silos and threshing is still being done in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Simmons, also Mrs. Frank Demorest, motored to Stirling on Tuesday.

Mrs. Rose, of Holloway, visited at the home of her son, Mr. Charlie Rose, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis and children visited the former's mother at Madoc Junction on Tuesday evening of this week.

Miss Grace Palmer called on Mrs.

OFFICIAL PROSPECTUS

The Proceeds of this Loan will be used for War purposes only, and will be spent wholly in Canada



THE MINISTER OF FINANCE OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA offers for Public Subscription the

Victory Loan 1918

\$300,000,000. 5½% Gold Bonds

Bearing interest from November 1st, 1918, and offered in two maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber as follows:
5 year Bonds due November 1st, 1923
15 year Bonds due November 1st, 1933

Principal payable without charge at the Office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the Office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Victoria.
Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest, at any of the above-mentioned offices.
Interest payable, without charge, half-yearly, May 1st and November 1st, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Principal and Interest payable in Gold
Denominations: \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000.

Issue Price: 100 and Accrued Interest
Income Return 5½% per Annum

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The proceeds of the Loan will be used for war purposes only, including the purchase of grain, foodstuffs, munitions and other supplies, and will be spent wholly in Canada.

Payment to be made as follows:

10% on application; 20% January 6th, 1919;
20% December 6th, 1918; 20% February 6th, 1919;
31.16% March 6th, 1919.

The last payment of 31.16% covers 30% balance of principal and 1.16% representing accrued interest at 5½% from November 1st to due date of the respective instalments.

A full half year's interest will be paid on May 1st, 1919, making the cost of the bonds 100 and interest.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at the time of application at 100 without interest; or on any instalment due date thereafter together with accrued interest at the rate of 5½% per annum.

This Loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest are a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

The amount of this issue is \$300,000,000, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds of previous issues. The Minister of Finance, however, reserves the right to allot the whole or any part of the amount subscribed in excess of \$300,000,000.

Conversion Privileges

Bonds of this issue will, in the event of future issues of like maturity, or longer, made by the Government, during the remaining period of the War, other than issues made abroad, be accepted at 100 and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash for the purpose of subscription to such issues.

Payments

All cheques, drafts, etc., covering instalments, are to be made payable to the Credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions must be accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed. Official Canvassers will forward subscriptions or any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will accept subscriptions and issue receipts.

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If paid in full or before Nov. 16th, 1918, par without interest, or 100%.

If remaining instalments paid on Dec. 6th, 1918, balance of 90% and interest, (\$90.43 per \$100).

If remaining instalments paid on Jan. 6th, 1919, balance of 70% and interest, (\$70.80 per \$100).

If remaining instalments paid on Feb. 6th, 1919, balance of 50% and interest, (\$51.04 per \$100).

If remaining instalment paid on Mar. 6th, 1919, balance of 30% and interest, (\$31.16 per \$100).

Denomination and Registration

Bearer bonds, with coupons, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000, and may be registered as to principal.

The first coupon attached to these bonds will be due on May 1st, 1919.

Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$25,000, \$50,000, \$100,000, or any multiple of \$100,000.

Payment of Interest

A full half year's interest at the rate of 5½% per annum will be paid May 1st, 1919.

Form of Bond and Delivery

Subscribers must indicate on their application the form of bond and the denominations required, and the securities as indicated will be delivered by the bank upon payment of the subscription in full.

Bearer bonds of this issue will be available for delivery at the time of application to subscribers desirous of making payment in full. Bonds registered as to principal only, or fully registered as to principal and interest, will be delivered to subscribers making payment in full, as soon as the required registration can be made.

Payment of all instalments must be made at the bank originally named by the subscribers.

Non-negotiable receipts will be furnished to all subscribers who desire to pay by instalments. These receipts will be exchangeable at subscriber's bank for bonds on any instalment date when subscription is paid in full.

Form of Bonds Interchangeable

Subject to the payment of 25 cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons, will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds without coupons, at any time, on application to the Minister of Finance or any Assistant Receiver General.

Forms of application may be obtained from any Official Canvasser, from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof, or from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Subscription Lists will close on or before November 16th, 1918

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OTTAWA, October 29th, 1918.

Behind the Gun the Man - Behind the Man the Dollar
Make Your Dollars Fight the Hun

Death of Mrs. Herrington

She Was a Nurse, and Contracted Influenza And This Developed Into Pneumonia

Napanee, Nov. 1.—On Tuesday morning death claimed another of our young people in the person of Mrs. Lila Miles, wife of Walter Herrington. Deceased was twenty-two years of age, and leaves to mourn her death besides her husband and little baby her father, William Miles, and one sister, Mrs. Haldane Vanalstine. She was of a kind and willing disposition and was always ready to help others. She was a trained nurse and had given her service in fighting this epidemic, and contracted the disease which later developed into pneumonia, to which she succumbed. The heartfelt sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved husband.

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Few Changes

The market slim today the doubt to sick avoid crowded unchanged in Eggs ranged cents per dozen not numerous way from 53 pound. Chicken price dollar to one bird. Ducks were \$1.75 each and for these figure Potatoes were brought 10 cents parsnips 20c per turnips 20c per apples 25c to Baled hay was per ton for lime Grains are oats 70c to 75c Hides are so pounds are w Meats show hindquarters 1

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HART — At Be November Joseph Hart,

Slim Market Attendance

From Saturday's Daily Few Changes Were Noted In Prices Today

The market attendance was more slim today than usual, owing no doubt to sickness and desire to avoid crowded places. Prices were unchanged in the main. Eggs ranged from 55 cents to 65 cents per dozen. The offerings were not numerous. Butter sold all the way from 53 cents to 60 cents per pound. Chicken prices ranged from one dollar to one dollar and a half per bird. Ducks were offered at \$1.25 to \$1.75 each and found ready buyers at these figures. Potatoes were quoted from \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bushel. Cabbages brought 10 cents; carrots 30c peck; parsnips 30c peck; beets 30c peck; turnips 20c peck; onions 50c peck; apples 25c to 30c peck. Baled hay will bring \$18. to \$20. per ton for immediate shipment. Grains are quoted as follows: oats 70c to 75c and barley \$1.00. Hides are sold at 12c to 14c per pound. Beans are worth \$4.00 per bushel. Meats show no change—beef hindquarters 18c to 20c; lamb 25c.

The Greatest Home in the World

The Ladies Home Journal for November has a striking full-page illustration in colors copied from an already famous painting by Gotsch. The illustration shows a party of soldiers, just as they are coming in from the trenches, tired, exhausted, wounded, mud-covered. They are marching directly towards an American Y.M.C.A. hut standing in the background. The door stands wide open with the word "Welcome" above. Lights are streaming from the windows, giving one the impression of warmth and good cheer. The picture tells its own story but underneath are the words, "The Greatest Home in the World." Below that again appears the following: "Them Y. Huts?" said a private. "Why they're everything to us fellows except mother."

One Brother Dies Another Wounded

Vanallen Twins, Whose Home Was Near Phillipston Reported in Casualty List

Pte. Robert Clayton Vanallen and Pte. George Clinton Vanallen, twin sons of the late Robert Vanallen, whose home was near Phillipston, northern Thurlow, have been reported in the casualty list. The former was reported wounded on Sept. 29, by gunshot wound in left arm and admitted to the general hospital at Camiers. The latter passed away from pneumonia at the general hospital at Eastbourne on Oct. 25th.

Pte. George Clinton Vanallen went overseas in July, 1918, with the 6th Canadian reserve. He never reached France but remained in the training camp in England until he developed the fatal illness.

Pte. Robert Clayton Vanallen, his brother, enlisted with the 59th battalion and has seen three years of service. He was previously reported wounded by gunshot wound in the right hand but returned after recovery to the front.

The boys were 25 years of age last June.

Pte. Vanallen, whose death is reported, is survived by five brothers and two sisters. They are—Pte. Robert Clayton, William B. of Phillipston, Ernest Luke, Ypsilanti, Mich., Egbert, Rochester, N. Y., Percy, Belleville, Mrs. Albert Blakely, Chapman and Mrs. John Johnston, Toronto. His parents both predeceased him.

Pte. Vanallen was an industrious young man of exemplary habits and very popular among his young associates in his home neighborhood who will lament the premature close of so promising a life.

DIED

COULSON — In Winnipeg, Thursday, October 31st, Jennie Coulson, beloved wife of Mr. Robert Coulson.

HART — At Belleville, on Friday, November 1st, 1918, Michael Joseph Hart.

Obituary

MRS. JANE BAILEY

Mrs. Jane Bailey, widow of the late John Bailey, of Harold, died October 18th at the home of her eldest son, Allen Bailey, where she had resided since the death of her husband early in January.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. S. F. Dixon of Rawdon Circuit. Mr. Dixon read the 14th chapter of St. John, Mrs. Bailey's favorite chapter, and preached an excellent sermon from the first verse: "Let not your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me."

Deceased, whose maiden name was Miss Jane Tucker, was born in Rawdon where she resided most of her life. She was in her 82nd year and was a faithful member of the Methodist church and was respected by all who knew her.

Surviving are four sons and four daughters. The sons are Allen and John of Rawdon, James of Belleville, and Charlie of Stirling. The daughters, Mrs. Archer of Marmora, Mrs. H. T. Johnson of Sarnia, Mrs. G. Belshaw of Harold, and Mrs. W. Gunning of Hoard's. Interment in Bethel cemetery.—Stirling Leader.

MILTON BIRD

One of the most untimely deaths which has been known in Madoc Township occurred in the Allen Settlement on October 17th, when the life of Milton Bird came to a tragic end.

The unfortunate young man was engaged in silo filling on the farm of Mr. Jas. Cassidy and was on the scaffold at the top of the silo putting up some pipes when a defective scantling upon which the scaffold was laid, broke precipitating him to the solid concrete bottom, thirty-six feet below, causing injuries from which he never regained consciousness, death following in about an hour and a half.

Milton was a modest young man, twenty-nine years of age, well-known throughout the Township of Madoc, and his untimely passing has cast a gloom over the Allen Settlement which will be felt for some time.

He leaves to mourn his loss four sisters and three brothers: Sarah and Ottilie, at home; Mrs. Wm. Keene of Queensboro; Mrs. Jas. E. Diamond, of Hart's; Albert, at home; John T., of Standish, Mich.; Dan, of Rimington.—Madoc Review.

MRS. JOHN LYONS

After living more than the allotted span of threescore years and ten, there passed to rest on Saturday morning last another of Prince Edward's landmarks in the person of a heroine, Mrs. John Lyons, of Belleville. On Friday the deceased had been about the house as usual and had assisted her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Pettigill, with whom she has made her home for many years, and who has been so devoted to her mother, in household duties, and retired late in the evening in her usual cheerful way. When Mrs. Pettigill went upstairs on Saturday morning the shock she received can be but faintly imagined when she found her mother had passed away with no apparent sign of a struggle with the last enemy, and with her head lying peacefully on her hand. Beautiful transition for the aged saint of God, who just the day previous had expressed her readiness to go when called. The late Mrs. Lyons was born in Ameliasburg, eighty-three years ago, the daughter of Daniel Maybee and Mary Snider, and had resided practically all her life in this county. She is the last of a family of twelve children. She is survived by four children: Mrs. S. W. Pettigill, Picton; J. S. Lyons, connected with the British Whig, Kingston; Isaac Lyons, publisher of The Sun, Fort Covington, N.Y.; and Mrs. Clark, New Jersey.—Picton Times.

MRS. SCANLON

Mrs. Scanlon, who has been a resident of Canada for seven years, died here on Sunday. The remains were laid to rest in Belleville cemetery. Her husband but no family survives.

HORSEMAN DEAD

J. R. Minogue of Montreal Succumbs In Hospital

Montreal, Nov. 5.—J. R. Minogue, well known local trainer and owner of thoroughbreds, died Friday in the Western Hospital where he had been confined for several days. Mr. Minogue was a keen horseman and for years showed a string of horses at Canadian and United States horse shows.

Obsequies

From Saturday's Daily

The obsequies of the late Mrs. Sarah Brooker, wife of Mr. Thomas Brooker, took place from the family residence, College Hill, Thurlow, on Friday afternoon, Rev. S. C. Moore and Rev. S. A. Kemp officiating. The interment was at Foxboro, the bearers being Messrs. W. Muir, R. Muir, W. Muir, J. Brooker, G. Morden and J. Brooker.

The funeral of the late Charles Gilbert Loucks, Madoc Road, was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. S. C. Moore officiating. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. H. Fornham, G. Bedell, J. Lloyd, R. Badgley, W. Badgley and G. Hearns. The Rev. Mr. McMullen conducted the service.

The obsequies of the late Wellington F. Lazier, North Front street took place on Friday afternoon, Rev. S. C. Moore officiating at the house and Rev. Mr. Pimlott at the grave in Belleville cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Wm. Thrasher, Thos. McKim, S. Treverton and E. Irvine.

The funeral took place on Sunday morning of the late Michael Joseph Hart, from the residence of his brother Mr. John Hart, 295 John street to St. Michael's Church where Father Killean held service. Interment was at Read, Father McCarthy officiating. The bearers were Messrs. F. Walsh, J. McDermott, John Murphy, Phillip Doran, James Wims and Charles Yeomans.

The obsequies of the late Thomas Pigden were held on Saturday afternoon from the residence of his nephew, Mr. Harry Pigden, to Belleville cemetery. Archdeacon Beamish officiating.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Percy Alexander took place on Saturday from her late residence, Bleeker Ave., Rev. Rural Dean Swayne officiating. Burial was made in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. E. A. Ridley, A. E. Cole, C. F. Frost, H. Bertran, R. Carre and R. Stratton.

From Friday's Daily

The obsequies of the late Alex. Barney were held on Thursday afternoon from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Andrew Gray, College street, Rev. A. S. Kerr officiating. Interment was in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. L. Westertail, E. Emmersbach, J. Pratt, J. Thompson, W. Grant and D. Joss.

On Thursday afternoon the funeral took place of the late Stanley Mason, who died at Oshawa, from the home of his father, Mr. Royal Mason, Cannifton. Interment was made at Corbyville, the bearers being Messrs. G. B. Bedell, W. Brickman, O. C. Pollard and W. Badgley.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Powers, wife of Mr. John Powers, took place this morning from her late residence, 89 Gordon street, to St. Michael's church, Father Killean officiating at a solemn requiem mass. The burial was made in St. James' cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. L. Gauthier, V. Hogan, J. Costello, J. English, J. Connors and W. Smith.

The remains of the late Elmer James McDonald, infant son of Mr. Clarence MacDonald, Point Anne, were interred on Thursday afternoon in Belleville cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Cummins took place on Thursday afternoon from his late residence, Front of Sidney, Rev. Rural Dean Swayne conducting the last sad rites. There were many beautiful floral tributes to the memory of the departed among them a design from the Loyal Orange Lodge to which he belonged. Interment was made in Belleville cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. F. Reid, L. Wilson, A. Wright, C. Rush, J. Donaldson and R. Finkle.

Another Belleville Girl Sworn in as Solicitor

Miss H. B. Palen is the second Belleville girl to enter the legal profession, being sworn in and enrolled as a solicitor of the Supreme Court of Ontario before Mr. Justice Latchford.

A daughter of the late E. L. Palen, of Belleville, she graduated from the Law School this year and was called to the bar on Sept. 12th. Miss G. Afford, who graduated in 1917, and is now practicing in Trenton, was the first woman from Belleville to enter law. Miss Palen is one of two women lawyers practicing in Toronto and of half a dozen in the entire province.

Little Girl Shot Dead; Cousin Was Unloading Shotgun

Daisy Marshall, Aged Eight, Instantly Killed

A TRAGEDY AT DAYTOWN

Daytown, Nov. 4.—On Tuesday last Daisy Marshall, aged eight years, met death at the hands of her cousin, Charles Babcock, aged thirteen years, who accidentally discharged a single-barrel shotgun in a lower room of the residence of Mrs. Amanda Mattice, the grandmother of both children.

The circumstances surrounding the sad event are that Charles Babcock, the boy, had used the gun recently for shooting. He left it in the house with one cartridge of .44 calibre in it. After dinner he was about to unload the weapon. He was sitting on a bed at the time and his little cousin, Daisy Marshall, was standing about three feet away. The gun was accidentally discharged and the little girl received the full charge in the left side of the face. She died instantly.

An alarm was at once given and Dr. Kelly, of Delta, notified. He went to the scene but his services were of no avail as the little girl was beyond the power of human agency. Dr. Kelly informed Coroner W. E. Harding, of Brockville, of the affair.

The latter, accompanied by Chief Burke, visited the scene Tuesday night. The coroner held a close inquiry into the circumstances and investigated the previous history of the boy. After consideration he decided that an inquest was unnecessary and issued a warrant for the burial of the victim.

The little girl was a daughter of Pte. William and Mrs. Marshall. The husband is overseas, and left Canada in May, 1915. The Marshall home is situated about a quarter of a mile away from that of Mrs. Amanda Mattice. The dead girl had gone to the residence of her grandmother for the purpose of assisting in the housework, as Mrs. Mattice is upwards of seventy years of age and is an invalid. Besides the father and mother she is survived by four brothers and three sisters. They are: Ptes. Harold and Richard Marshall, both of whom went overseas with the 156th Battalion; James Joseph, Gracie, Jessie and Alice.

The boy who committed the deed is a grandson of Mrs. Mattice. She adopted him in infancy on the death of his father. He appears to be a bright and intelligent boy.

This is the second sudden death that has happened in the Mattice household in past few weeks. The grandfather, Richard Mattice, was drowned on Sept. 9th last in falling out of a boat in Upper Beverley Lake, a half mile from the scene of his residence. He was overcome by a weak spell, and when taken from the water was dead. At the time Charles Babcock and Pte. Richard Mattice, the two grandsons, were in the boat with the elderly man.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Lures Hungry Germans

Girl Seeks Husband Through Listing Her Supply of Edibles

German papers are reprinting with much humorous comment upon the drawing qualities of the advertisement, the following matrimonial notice inserted in a small provincial newspaper of the Rhine district, by a single lady desirous of obtaining a husband.

"I have fourteen hens in the yard, a wine press, six hogs, four head of cattle in pasture, two hams and some sausage hanging in the chimney, a blind mother who can spin and weave, a small vineyard, twenty-five cherry trees, fourteen apple trees, ten plum trees, a stock of home-spun linen and some wine. Besides that I have a piano and a lute. Wounded soldiers who are still able to do a little work on the land or around the place and possess an honorable character, are asked to send information about themselves."

CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Trapp and Mr. Wesley Coulter spent the week-end in Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vanderwater are visiting at Mr. E. Vanderwater's. Mrs. George E. Roblin and Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Stafford called at Mrs. E. Anderson's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Redner motored to Sidney on Sunday.

Douglas Redner is spending a few days in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Parliament spent Sunday at Mr. Everett Adams' Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Giles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Robinson, Massachusetts.

Military News

The Department of Militia and Defence gives an absolute and unqualified denial to an absurd rumor that has gained credence in some parts of Canada to the effect that because of the possibility of peace there will be a suspension of the sending of reinforcements overseas for the present.

Ptes. Wm. Sanderson, M. Brown, G. G. Morris, C. W. Watson and J. Sharpe have been discharged from the Casualty Company, No. 3 District Depot, to civil life as medically unfit for further service.

Sergt-Major Gilbert Boss, clerk on the G.S.O.'s staff, has been given permission to transfer to the Siberian Expeditionary Force and will leave for the West in a few days.

Lt-Col. R. J. Gardner, A.D.M.S., MD No 3, continues to make good progress and his condition is quite satisfactory.

Lieut. E. W. Clark has been transferred from the C.A.S.C., M.D. No. 5, Valcartier, to C.A.S.C., M.D. No. 3, Kingston.

Winter caps are being issued to the troops of Kingston for wear during the ensuing winter months, to be worn any time after Nov. 1st.

Gunner F. A. Scott, No. 3 A.M.C. Training Depot, has been transferred to C Battery, R.C.H.A.

The band of the R.C.H.A., Kingston, have taken part in eight military funerals during the last ten days.

All ranks of all units in the Kingston garrison have been ordered to take part in the Victory Loan parade.

Lieut. H. C. C. Walkem, M.C., R. E., has received an appointment at Petawawa Camp as resident engineer, and is leaving at once for that place.

While the Toronto military district is occupying the centre of the stage respecting hospital facilities (or lack of them) for the care of those suffering from the epidemic, it is interesting to know that in M.D. No. 3 there is no cause for complaint. Hospital accommodation is ample and the mortality has been very low. The following figures speak for themselves: Total number in hospital under treatment for influenza on Oct. 18th, 642; deaths from influenza and pneumonia, 25. The number of cases has been reduced by 190 during the past ten days, indicating that the disease is on the wane. Total number of cases on Oct. 25th, 452.

Capt. Hugh Macdonnell has been struck off the strength of the C.E.F. owing to disability.

Orders have been sent out from Militia headquarters, Ottawa, to all depot commanding officers, instructing them to extend to Nov. 15th the harvest leave granted to soldiers.

A DIFFERENT TONE

How humble is the German tone these days, compared with past truculence! Here is von Papen, the vice-chancellor, quoted as saying:

"Our enemies distrust our sincerity for peace, mainly on account of past events. For that reason we cannot take amiss their doubts. No fire-eating there. There is an admission that "past events"—that is, general crookedness, trickery and frauds—have justified Allied suspicion, and that such suspicion must be regarded as reasonable. This is a serious reflection on the methods of the Kaiser's government; but of course it is true. The eyes of the Hun are at last being opened to what the rest of the world already knows.—Philadelphia Record.

MOLLYOODDLES

Kipling says that prohibitive laws tend to make mollyooddles out of the nation's men. In that event, we'll be mollyooddles before long because nearly everything is prohibitive these days, even to prices.

There is No IF About IT WE are going to win this war. The length of time it takes depends on Men and Munitions. Those, in turn, depend on Money. You are asked to lend your money, at a good rate of interest, not to give it, mind you. Canada is your security for the loan. Buy Victory Bonds Vermilyea & Son Store of Quality and Service Queen Quality and Bell Shoes for Ladies Slater Shoes for Men

EVERY DOLLAR Invested in Victory Bonds will be safeguarded by Canada's Fighting Men —Canada's Peerless —Natural Resources —Canada Herself Buy Victory Bonds To Your Limit Whelan & Yeomans REAL ESTATE

Thread Shortage It is Making Things Difficult for Harness Makers. That harness makers will have to close their shops in the course of a short time if the thread situation is not eased up was the announcement made by a dealer this morning. He stated that thread which formerly sold for 80 cents a pound was now being offered, in very limited quantities, at \$5 a pound. A ball which was retailed at 10 cents a short time ago, cannot be bought for a dollar at present. The thread, in past years, has been imported from Ireland, but now the government has placed a restriction on ships and the product cannot be sent overseas. The Dominion government is bonusing a company to manufacture the article in Canada but it will not be in operation until after Christmas and by that date the situation will be acute. BRIGHTEN UP THE STOVE PIPES AND RADIATORS Use the kind that don't burn off or discolor Sherwin-Williams ALUMINUM PAINT 40c Tin OSTROMS DRUG STORE "The Best in Drugs"

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Mrs. Arrington On Tuesday another of the person of Walter Herring was twenty-two leaves to mourn her husband and Mr. William Miles, Haldane Vanal a kind and will was always ready was a trained in her service in tie, and contract later developed which she succ felt sympathy of out to the be-

STORE NEWS

Special Values

Women's and Children's Underwear, priced from 35c to \$2.00 each. Combinations from \$2.50 to \$5.50. Hosiery for Women and Children. The best stock and values ever had, priced 25c to \$2.00 pr. Corsets 75c to \$4.00 pr. 25 pairs of flannelette Blankets, Grey and White \$3.50 pr. Comforters \$4.00 to \$18.00 each. Sweaters, Coats for Women and Children \$1.25 to \$20.00. 20 pieces heavy flannelette, yard wide, 35c yard. Wool Blankets \$8.50 pair. SAMPLE RUGS 5 only, Tapestry and Brussels Rugs \$4.50 to \$6.50. MEN'S WEAR Wool Underwear \$1.50 to \$3.50 each. Combinations \$4.00 to \$6.50. Woley Underwear \$12.00 suit. Men's Sweater Coats \$3.50 to \$10.50. Cardigan Jackets \$4.75. 90 doz. Men's Sox on sale at 35c to \$1.00 pr. Hundreds of Bargains all over the store.

Wims & Co.

Miss F. H. Brough Passed Away

Remains Will Be Brought Here From Toronto For Burial

Miss Florence H. Brough, a well-known Belleville girl, only daughter of the late George Brough, passed away in Toronto on Sunday. She was born in Belleville 24 years ago and until a few years ago was book-keeper for McIntosh Bros. of this city. Latterly she had been living in Toronto. She was a very popular young lady and the news of her death came as a great shock to her many friends in Belleville. The remains will be brought to Belleville for interment, the funeral being held here on arrival of the train at noon tomorrow.

Death of Mr. Wm. G. Stapley

His Son Robert Was Buried on Tuesday Last.

William G. Stapley succumbed last evening to an attack of influenza at his home, a second concession of Thursday. He was taken ill on Wednesday last. His son Robert was buried last Tuesday, having died of the epidemic. William G. Stapley was a son of the late Edgar G. Stapley and was born in 1850. He lived in the vicinity of Belleville all his life, being for thirty years an employee of the Grand Trunk Railway system. He was a Methodist in religion. The surviving members of the family are his widow, three sons, William H., Allan E. and Walter W., and three daughters, Mrs. George Kiser, Mrs. Wm. Beatty and Mrs. B. Moore, all of Rochester.

Four Autos Were Renewed

But Police Recover Them For Owners.

Borrowing, taking or stealing (as it stands in law) of automobiles is getting into an epidemic in Belleville. On Saturday and Sunday nights four motors representing a cash value of \$4,500.00 was taken from the places where they had been left by their owners. Hours afterwards the machines were found in other parts of the city by the police. The authorities promise prosecution if they can find the offenders.

Dust Causes Asthma. Even a little speck of dust to see will lead to agonies which no words can describe. The walls of the breathing tubes contract and it seems as if the very life must cease. From this condition Dr. J. D. Kellough's Asthma Remedy brings the user to perfect rest and health. It relieves the passages and normal breathing is firmly established again. Hundreds of testimonials received annually prove its effectiveness.

The latest draft order calls 24,900 from New York State.

NEED HALF A BILLION FOR ONE YEAR'S EFFORT

Victory Loan of 1918 Will Finance War and Keep Army in Present State of Efficiency as Well as Support War Industries at Home

With a war expenditure of a million dollars a day Canada faces the coming twelve months with the greatest confidence that the people are united in their determination to see the thing to a successful conclusion. This war expenditure means \$260,000,000 paid out for the actual prosecution of the war in the field, on the payment and upkeep of our immense army. But there is more than that to take care of. In the past the Government has had to make provision for the marketing of the grain crop, the output of the dairies, the building of ships and the making of munitions for the armies of our allies. Some of these activities are good paying business propositions and the money we spend now will be repaid, but the Government must have sufficient funds at its disposal to enable it to make advances covering the operations of several huge industries.

Just One Year's Cost The present Victory Loan will finance the Government during the coming year. It will total \$500,000,000.00 if the expectations of the Finance minister are realized, and every cent will be needed to carry on the war as we have been carrying it on, that is, to the limit of our resources. The war has cost Canada to date about a billion dollars. It is mounting daily, as our forces increase and as the casualty lists grow. The first six months of the year were comparatively quiet on the Canadian front, but since Poch struck, our gallant men have seen much hard fighting. Large numbers have fallen, swelling the total killed in battle to about 33,000 and the total casualties to about 200,000. This is the record of value of our Canadian troops. It represents a sacrifice, compared with which the subscribing of a loan of the dimensions men-

A Comparison Our monthly war bill is more than we spent for all purposes during the whole of 1918. This year's war bill will be equal to Canada's total expenditure from 1888 to 1889 inclusive. In the first three months of this year the charges on war account almost equalled the total revenue of 1911. This is a heavy burden, but think what is at stake. Five hundred millions is the price of Victory this year. It is a small thing compared with some of the burdens of our Allies.

Mr. Flint Replies to Mr. Stewart

Dear Sir, In first Corinthians in the 15th chapter, verse 51, we find "Behold I show you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall be changed. Verse 53, last clause of verse "This mortal must put on immortality."

Mr. Stewart says "that all of the souls of the human race are in the prison house of death." As I understand his view is that all souls go upon death into this "prison house" and remain there until the judgment day. This world is said by geologists to be millions of years old. Upon an average forty millions die annually. From the dawn of creation to the present time, the number who sleep in this "prison house" must be incalculable. Let us examine the statement briefly. Moses died and was buried in Nebo. Elias was John the Baptist, as the disciples understood. In the transfiguration, Moses and Elias appeared and were recognized. Moses died, John was beheaded. According to Mr. Stewart's view, these men were in this "prison house of death" to remain there until the judgment day. Elijah was a man. Instead of going to the "prison house" he went aloft in a chariot of fire. Job said "In my flesh shall I see God. Lazarus died, and was in this "prison house," several days, yet he did not remain asleep there. The rich man in hell, when Lazarus with his sores was present, was not asleep in the "prison house." It must be a pleasing thought to the Kaiser and his race of demons, and the Turks, gory, with the blood of millions of Armenians and all other monsters of the human race, that instead of roasting in hell, they will be comfortably asleep with all the good and the righteous until the millions of years pass before this world shall end. A most comfortable doctrine to hold for all the vicious creatures of the world. At the end of the world, after millions of years of sleep, the recollection of the sins perpetrated so many ages before, must necessarily be rather misty. Samuel was a man and died. He appeared and evidently was far from being asleep as he was able to prophesy the soul's fate. Christ descended into hell, and preached unto the spirits there so that these spirits were not asleep. Christ spoke to the thief and said to him, "This day shalt thou be with Me in Paradise." It is of no consequence, whether the word soul is in

Messages of Hope to the Old Folks

ISIDORE COMEAU SAYS DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED HIM. Though Sixty-eight Years of Age, His Kidney Disease is Completely Gone, and He Gives All the Credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Green Point, Gloucester Co., N. B. Nov. 4.—(Special).—"I am sixty-eight years of age, but well and hearty. "You can sell everybody that Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me of kidney disease completely. "I want everybody to know how thankful I am to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Thus does Mr. Isidore Comeau, well known and highly respected here, express his gratitude to the remedy to which he gives the credit of making him well. And his words are a message of hope to the men and women of Canada who are nearing the allotted span of life.

CANADIANS APPOINTED TO UNITED STATES RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The appointment is announced of Mr. J. D. McDonald as assistant general passenger agent, eastern region, United States Railroad Administration. Mr. McDonald is a Canadian who started with the Grand Trunk, when a boy, at the Union Station, Toronto, selling the first ticket out of that depot. He had many years' experience at the Buffalo city office of the Grand Trunk and then went back to Tor-

SUFFERED TERRIBLE AGONY

"Fruit-a-lives" Alone Gave Him Quick Relief

Buckingham, Que., May 3rd, 1915. "For seven years, I suffered terribly from Severe Headaches and Indigestion. I had belching gas from the stomach, and I had chronic Constipation. I tried many remedies, but nothing did me good. Finally, a friend advised "Fruit-a-lives". I took this grand fruit medicine and it made me well. To everyone who has miserable health with Constipation and Indigestion and Bad Stomach, I say take "Fruit-a-lives", and you will get well!" ALBERT YARNER. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

onto a district passenger agent of the Ontario Lines of the G.T.R. in 1902. He was promoted to be assistant general passenger agent of the railway at Chicago in 1911, having charge of the territory Detroit and Port Huron west to the Pacific Coast.

Owing to the United States Government taking over the operation of the Grand Trunk Western Lines, which have been grouped up with the Pere Marquette, Ann Arbor, Detroit and Mackinac, Detroit, Bay City & Western, and other lines, under Federal Manager Alfred, formerly president of the Pere Marquette, Mr. McDonald has now been made assistant general passenger agent of all these lines, with office at Chicago. Mr. McDonald is well known throughout the United States and Canada, and will be in a position to render service to Canadian travellers. Mr. W. E. Wolfenden, who has been appointed general passenger agent of the same lines of the United States Railroad Administration, is also a Canadian.

What About the Gift?

Editor Ontario, Aid. Robnson's proffered gifts to the Belgians looked well in print—but what did it look like to the lady who went for same? We are informed there was nothing doing unless every other merchant along the street gave the same. Benevolence

Skinned Cats Sold as Gray Squirrels

Country Boy Does Thieving But Fraudulent Trade with San Francisco Epicureans. San Francisco, Nov. 2.—Society folk and epicures of San Francisco are indignant because for months they have been deceived. What makes it worse is that a sixteen-year-old boy, a country boy at that, is the "base deceiver."

Seldom Will You Find Such Fine Fabrics and Finish in Suits so Moderately Priced

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SINCLAIR'S

Gen. J. E. Minns Gives Soldier's Opinion of Y. M. C. A.

Belleville Nov. 4, 1918. Editor Ontario, Sir,—I have just returned from overseas where I spent a little over two years. Seeing the controversy in your paper, regarding the Y.M.C.A. and feeling the charges made against that splendid institution to be unjust, I have ventured to send in this letter hoping that it may in some small way help to dispel the haze of suspicion and distrust, which is at present surrounding this work in the minds of some of the citizens of Belleville.

Many of the charges made, have I believe, been supported by letters written by soldiers in France. Let me suggest that the men who wrote these letters have become so accustomed to regard the Y.M.C.A. as a part of the life over there and to reap the benefits occasioned by the work it has been doing, that they have never stopped to consider what France would be like if there were no Y.M.C.A.'s.

One statement in particular I noticed, which has absolutely no foundation, is that "the Canadian soldier pays for everything he gets and the Y.M.C.A. never gives away anything." Time and time again, on returning from trips up the line, I have stopped at their booths by the roadside and have been given free coffee or tea—not one cent, but as much as I could drink. Not only do they give away hot drinks, but also biscuits, cigarettes and writing paper. I have even known them to distribute magazines and reading material just as they came from the publishers' hands.

It is true they charge for staple articles of food, such as tin meats, vegetables, fruits and so forth, but you get them at the lowest prices and I have never known these articles to be given away by any patriotic institution.

Not only is the Y.M.C.A. doing a wonderful work in France, but also in England, helping to provide the boys who are over there on leave without friends or relatives to visit. Perhaps the following incident will give you a little idea of the work they are carrying on in England.

I was standing in front of the Y.M.C.A. huts in Trafalgar Square, in London, waiting for its enquiry office to open, when some one accosted me from behind, slipping me on the shoulder in the friendliest manner, turning around I was confronted by a soldier dressed in the regulation Y.M.C.A. uniform. He grasped my hand, asked me how long I had been in the city, where I was going, and innumerable other questions. On finding that I had no friends in the city, he directed me to the Beaver Hut, about five minutes' walk from where we were standing and invited me to join one of their touring parties. These touring parties, he explained left every morning and enabled the soldier to get in a week's sight-seeing in London, bed and meals included, for a very small sum if the man had attempted to make his same trip himself, it would cost him three or four times as much. I was not staying in the city long enough to avail myself of this opportunity, but I did attend one of their theatre parties and obtained a seat at one of the best theatres which normally would have cost me twelve shillings, for the ridiculous sum of three shillings. This is but one example of the way in which the Canadian soldier "pays for everything he gets" at the hands of the Y.M.C.A. If the Y.M.C.A. is out of money it is going about in a very unbusiness-like way.

I had an opportunity later of spending a couple of nights at the Beaver Hut. This I think is the finest soldiers' club in London. Here the Canadian soldier is surrounded by every comfort and convenience imaginable and you have only to look at the faces of the men to know that the work of the Y.M.C.A. in this particular spot has not been in vain.

If the people of Belleville are anxious to help in the war, I do not think they can do better than support the Y.M.C.A. in the splendid work they are doing to provide for the comfort and welfare of the boys at the front.

(Sgd.) Gen. J. E. Minns.

Ready-made Medicine

A new physician for doctors, when you have a hard cough, or Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil For coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchial troubles, it is invaluable for scalds, burns, bruises, sprains it is unsurpassed while for cuts, sores, hemorrhoids. Like it is an unquestionable healer. It needs no testimonial other than the use, and that will satisfy anyone as to its effectiveness.

A pleasant medicine for children in Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, and there is nothing better for driving worms from the system.

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Soft Finished Fabrics in Dark Shades Predominant in WOMEN'S FALL DRESSES

November is the time when every woman makes definite plans for the completion of her Winter Wardrobe. And so this store with its extensive preparations and foresight will naturally occupy an important place in her plans.

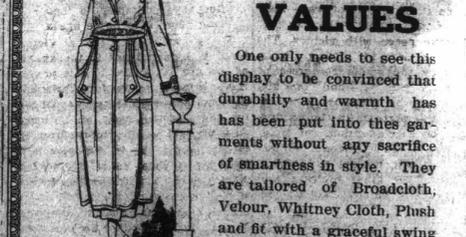
WOMEN'S FALL DRESSES

These new styles seem to be made with the idea of being appropriate for every wear. They are practical yet their elegance has been preserved by the use of such rich looking materials as Velvets, Velveteens, Satin & Serges in their making. These assortments introduce the new sleeves and panels and fringes show skillful designing. Above all they are splendid value—improbable of duplication \$15 to \$45.



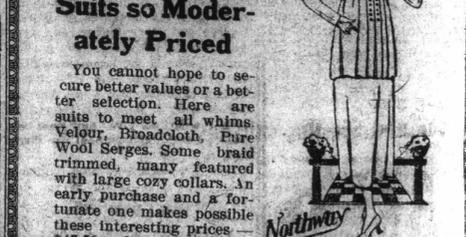
Snuggness and Warmth is Combined With Fashion in These UNUSUAL COAT VALUES

One only needs to see this display to be convinced that durability and warmth has been put into these garments without any sacrifice of smartness in style. They are tailored of Broadcloth, Velour, Whitney Cloth, Plush and fit with a graceful swing that adds to the distinction of the fur or braid trimming. \$17.50 to \$117.50



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Better Clothes and Better Service

Nine-tenths of the Men of this Country now wear Ready-for-Service Clothes! Two-thirds of these Men wear the Good Kind of Clothes, while the other third keep the cheap clothing factories going!

It is only a question of time when the third last mentioned learns that it is poor economy to buy Cheap Clothes and then they will join the vast majority in the purchase of Good Clothes—the sort of Clothes we sell.

We give every Patron the kind of Clothes-Service that will win his trade, his influence and his everlasting friendship.

Quick & Robertson

Clothes Specialists for Men

Buy Peace, Don't Sigh For It
Buy Victory Bonds

Bonds That Bind the "Brotherhood of Solidarity"

This was Colonel W. N. Ponton's definition of Canadian Victory Bonds in his striking speech on Thursday night, "Blessed be the tie that binds" with the three sinews of war—men, munitions and money—he was that will crown peace with victory. The proud possessors of Victory Bonds, secured by the whole resources of the Empire, (for we stand "one and all"), are neither creditors nor debtors, but full partners in the country of their birth or adoption, not merely sharers in the sentiment, but factors in the life, present and future, of Canada, the great highway and granary of the Empire, said Colonel Ponton.

Mercy is twice blessed—it blesses him that gives and him that takes; and so does a Victory Bond. It is an asset which gives self-respect and a realization of private wealth devoted to public service, and it strengthens the great Dominion as well by supplying present needs and by that practical patriotism which gives fibre to a nation.

There is a tide in the affairs of men and nations. On such a full tide we are now afloat. Keep faith with the dead, but keep faith with the living, too. As they fight over there, let us work over here, all together, and let our bit be our best.

Every boy can attain manhood; every girl can attain womanhood; all can attain full citizenship by exercising the right and privilege of owning a Victory Bond. It should be more than a duty, though even the path of duty is the way to glory. It should be a glowing pride and satisfying pleasure to save from earnings, to sacrifice luxuries, to concentrate efforts in investing in the greatest of all consols, in this greatest national insurance policy—greater than any life insurance, for the issue is life itself.

"God save our splendid men, Bring them safe home again." Every subscriber to a Victory Bond is a participant in the answer of the god of battles to this prayer. Have Bonds ready for Christmas. Give nothing else. Have Bonds ready for the home-coming. Our happy warriors will bring trophies from No Man's Land. Let us welcome them with the greatest of all trophies of Every Man's Land—Canadian Victory Bonds.

The "banks" help over there—the "banks" will help over here all those who thus keep faith with the friends of freedom. And you who have increased your war earnings, who have profited by your war industry, I say, "Consolidate your gains," carry on, and over the top. The honor of Belleville—of Canada, is at stake. "Play up, play up, and play the game. Take passage in the flagship "Victory", staunch and true, the old invincible. Take shares in the greatest co-operative national trust company—Canada; a splendid and lucrative investment at a permanent premium and consecrated to the noblest of objects.

A word is not always as good as a Bond. We want words and Bonds—the contagion of enthusiasm in action, the will to live, the will to serve, the will to conquer and to save. This great loan is really a great gift to each of us in which we all share in spirit and in benefit. "It is not what we give, but what we share; for the gift without the giver is bare."

It is through this Victory Loan that we will show not merely the practical instincts of thrift for the future and the preservation of our treasures, but also it is and ever will be the expression crystallized in action of the grateful voice of a whole people, a great people. As Tennyson proudly wrote in his ode on Wellington:

"A people's voice, we are a people yet; We have a voice wherewith to pay the debt Of boundless love and reverence and regret For those brave men who fought and kept it ours."

Keep the home fires burning; yes, but also the beacon fires, the signal fires. Feed the guns and the men behind the guns. Let everyone who has the potential ability, now or in the near future, feel the thrill of the great electric current which unites and vivifies this our great British

Place Your V's on
Victory BUY VICTORY BONDS
THE W.D. Hanley Co.

Boy Loses Life on Hunting Trip

THOROLD LAD ACCIDENTALLY SHOT THROUGH BACK

Kenneth W. Keenan, twelve years old, is dead at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Keenan, at Thorold, as the result of a shooting accident. Kenneth Keenan, accompanied by his brother, Clifford Keenan, John and Michael Kantor, Roy Morse and John Cusmuske, went hunting rabbits in the woods about half a mile above the glass works. Shortly after arriving at the place where the rabbits were plentiful, Kenneth Keenan's gun became congested and one of his companions endeavored to clean the barrel.

48 Flu Deaths in October

In City of Belleville—Largest List on Record—Seventeen Other Deaths.

City Clerk J. Wilfred Holmes has forwarded to Dr. McCullough, Provincial Officer of Health a tabulated statement of the deaths in Belleville during the month of October. Just closed. The fact is disclosed that within the limits of Belleville a record was reached in the number of deaths—thirty-six, six, five, of these forty-eight were due to influenza and pneumonia. Belleville's record for the three months, July, August and September, was 40 deaths, which is a fair average for this time of year.

The first death from influenza occurred on Oct. 10th and from then until Oct. 31st, the deaths from this disease mounted very rapidly. The second death was that of a soldier of the depot battalion on Oct. 11th.

The heaviest toll occurred on Oct. 23rd and Oct. 28th, when there were four "flu" deaths on each of these days. On many days there were three deaths from influenza and pneumonia.

There were eleven deaths of soldiers and three of nurses on the hospital staff in October. The range of ages of those fatally attacked by the "flu," was from one year to eighty years. The most of the deaths were between eighteen years and forty. The deaths were as follows:

- Under ten years—4
- Ten to sixteen years—9
- Seventeen to nineteen years—5
- Twenty to twenty-nine years—15
- Thirty to thirty-nine years—16
- Forty to forty-nine years—2
- Fifty to fifty-nine years—3
- Sixty to sixty-nine years—1
- The seventeen deaths not caused by "flu," were from malnutrition, paralysis, apoplexy, heart failure, obstruction of bowels, serfite decay, prematurely and stomach trouble.

Outside of Belleville, but in the immediate vicinity many deaths resulted from influenza.

The ravages of the epidemic can be appreciated by the sad sight in Belleville cemetery and in St. James cemetery. In the past three weeks in these two resting places several scores of Belleville residents have been laid to rest. On their graves the flowers are still fresh. Everywhere one turns, he sees a fresh grave. On Sunday these two cities of the dead were visited by many who have recently been bereaved.

Died of Burns

Little Girl's Dress Caught Fire While She Was at Play

Hamilton, Nov. 4.—While her mother was out Tuesday afternoon, Wilhelmine Darby, aged ten years and eight months, was playing in the rear yard at cooking potatoes over a bonfire and fanning the fire with her dress. After repeating this several times the little girl was caught in the flames and her dress, which was made of very fine material, caught fire. The child, immediately realizing her danger, rushed into the house and called on her sister for assistance. She tried to wrap the child in a large overcoat that was hanging nearby, but being panic-stricken the child rushed out into the yard again and was for some time running around before her sister could catch her. A hurried call to some of the neighbors brought them to her assistance and before long they extinguished the blaze. The burns which the little one had sustained were very serious and she was rushed to the city hospital, where medical help was obtained. But it was all of no avail and death came shortly after midnight that evening.—Herald.

The Bowels Must Act Healthily. In most ailments, the first care of the medical man is to see that the bowels are open and fully performing their functions. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are so compounded that certain ingredients in them act on the bowels solely and they are the very best medicine available to produce healthy action of the bowels. Indeed, there is no other specific so serviceable in keeping the digestive organs in healthful action.

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Giving Help to Canada

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Smart Styles in Ladies' Coats

Stylish Velour Coats in newest colors, such as Taupe, Green, Nigger, Navy, etc., priced at \$35, \$36.50, \$37.50 up to \$42.50.
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See the special value we are showing in Salf Plush Coats, at \$35.00.

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A special purchase of Black Cashmerette Hose, good heavy quality, sizes 8 1/2, 9 1/2, and 10; only 35c pair.

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White Satin Quilts in a variety of patterns in 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4, special value at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00.

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We are showing a splendid range of all Wool Serges in black, navy, brown, green, purple, at \$1.50 to \$2.50.

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WHAT YOU CAN'T AFFORD

Just what you can afford cannot be the measure of your patriotism now. Just to "buy a Bond" and wear a Victory Loan button is not enough today. Even if it satisfies others, it will not satisfy yourself.

The Victory Loan makes a call on patriotism. Your patriotism is measured by your capacity for sacrifice. So you have to buy more than bonds—that you can't afford to buy. It is the one more bond that you can't afford, the one more bond so big that to buy it really hurts, that will give you your share in the spirit of these sacrificial days.

The hour calls to you for sacrifice. Our boys at the front are waiting for your answer. Act—and act now.

Lancaster county, Pa., has a tobacco crop worth \$20,000,000.

Jeremiah O'Leary, Sinn Fein agitator, now in jail in New York, and suffering from influenza, refuses to undergo medical examination.

WHEN WE HAVE SEEN

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Bice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado

Two phrases we should like to hear from our president's lips—"Unconditional Surrender" and "Our Allies." They are on the lips of almost every other American.

"Unconditional Surrender" above the White House door would not only ease many minds, but would sweep away a mass of cobwebby, confusing thought.

There is another objection to conditions, no matter how wisely drawn, and it is exemplified by the president's withdrawal of his "autonomy" clause by reason of the subsequent recognition of the Czech-Slovak government.

Until Germany has surrendered; until French, English, Belgian and American soldiers are patrolling the streets of Berlin; until the archives of the Central Powers have been opened and their contents published; until the Allies know by actual occupation of German territory, the heart of the German people's mind; until the last victim of Prussian oppression is free to tell his story—until all of this has happened, neither punishment nor reparation can be definitely fixed, nor can the guarantees necessary to be extracted from Germany be determined.

Any condition won by Germany will, we may be sure, be for her good, not ours or the world's. We are sure of the justice of our cause, let us make equally sure of our methods. The straightforward, simple and perfect method is unconditional surrender. Conditions of any kind will befog the people, and may create heart-burnings among the Allies when they come up for interpretation before the final council. They

have, unfortunately, emanated thus far, largely from America; and it is clearly Germany's aim, as far as possible, to place America in a false position of settling as a judge or arbitrator, before whom she, on the one hand, and England, France and Italy on the other hand, will plead their respective cases. A very cunning scheme it is, too, fraught with great danger.

Germany may talk—is talking—of the Kaiser's abdication—of democratic reforms, of a change of heart, etc. Let us answer: We will believe when we have come and seen for ourselves.

Wilson has proclaimed that we are prosecuting this war to make the world safe for democracy, and within a few days he has advised the enemy that it must conform to his requirements regarding its future form of government. He has drafted and had accepted, temporarily at least, by the Central Powers, a set of peace terms intended to bring to fruition the age-old dream of idealists, a world-federation of democracy.

Yesterday the president came out with a message to the American people, asking them, in effect, to make him dictator by returning his party to power in the coming election (Nov. 5). This hardly chimes with his theory of making the world safe for democracy, for it really smacks of the ways of kaiserism. His officials frittered away hundreds of thousands of dollars in air-craft "experimenting" while the armistice was waiting for airplanes. He must expect criticism for such exhibitions of incompetency.

Mr. Wilson's severest critics have come from his own party who recognized his shortcomings, and have been courageous enough to denounce his blunders. We don't want anything that savors of dictatorship in this country. We want the world made safe for democracy but to the exclusion of partisan politics or mere party triumphs.

A Soldier's Opinion of the Y. M. C. A.

The following letter appeared in The Montreal Gazette yesterday. As it gives one of the most intimate and specialized accounts of the work of the Y.M.C.A. at the front we reproduce it for the benefit of the readers of The Ontario in order that they may have before them first-hand evidence and not hearay as to what is being done with the Y.M.C.A. funds overseas.

The letter also pointedly expresses the opinion of the soldier on active service in regard to those who through ignorance of the facts or from other causes have sought to block this grant in Belleville.

Sir,—So much has already been written in refutation of the charge preferred against the Canadian Y. M. C. A. in connection with its work overseas by those whose opinion is of most value viz: the boys who are fighting our battles so creditably, that further testimony seem superfluous. The following extract from a letter recently received from my son, who has been with the 6th Infantry since its inception, and who at the present time is acting as despatch rider, is so much to the point, however, that it seems only fair to the Y. M. C. A. that what he has to say on the subject should be given publicity. He says:

"We held an indignation meeting last week concerning a cartoon which recently appeared. This was a picture of a typical Y. M. C. A. hut in front of which stood a wounded soldier saying something to the effect, 'I haven't got a dime to buy a free cup of tea,' and coupled with it a tirade on the business greed of the early days of the war. Were we sore? Hanging is far too good for whoever put that in. Why people who knock things they know nothing about is something I can not understand. The Y. M. C. A. is a very real concern? Why, I could talk for hours on the advantages I personally have derived from the Y. M. C. A. during the period I have spent in France. The gallons of tea, generous of milk and sugar, and oranges that I have had free of charge must have cost them something. Recreation huts, free literature, circulating library, concerts, money exchange, etc. all have tended to make my life happy in France. The 'Y'

is the only canteen at which one can obtain Canadian canned goods and biscuits and chocolate. A can of fruit costs five francs at the French stores, a franc and one-half at the Y. M. C. A. Is that profiteering? We buy Players cigarettes, which cost 10 cents at home, for 5 cents at the Y. M. C. A. For our little battery canteen we buy goods cheaper from the 'Y' than from the wholesale base canteens with their 5 per cent. discount. Not many mornings ago I saw, with my own eyes, hundreds of wounded Tommies, as well as wounded and whole Fritz prisoners, being handed out by the Y. M. C. A. biscuits, chocolates and cigarettes, free gratis. Just a few hundred yards from this spot is a Y. M. C. A. in a district shelled heavily. When Hellie starts an attack, the place is noticeably deserted, but the Y. M. C. A. men stay right on the job. Of late cigarettes have been very scarce and smokers have been able to buy them only at the Y. M. C. A. They'd give two francs a packet if necessary, but the Y. M. C. A. bring up as big a stock as the army will give them transport for, and sell them cheaper than any store. There are Canadian Y. M. C. A.'s up in the trenches with the infantry giving out hot tea that is as welcome as a letter from home. I understand that in the first six days of the present offensive, the Canadian Y. M. C. A. gave out \$150,000 worth of supplies free. And yet papers at home insinuate that it is a grafting and money-making concern. Naturally, in the early days of the war the 'Y' not having had time to get fairly started, was not all it is today, but I cannot believe that even then returned soldiers could truthfully say that the Canadian Y. M. C. A. was not doing good work in France."

Montreal, Oct. 16. —Henry Upton.

Adj. Goodhew Takes Charge

Successor to Adjutant Trickey Arrives in Town

Adjutant Trickey who has been in charge of the local work of the Salvation Army has proceeded to Toronto and Ottawa on the Red Shield campaign. Owing to the prevailing sickness it was impossible to have a farewell gathering, but there is no

doubt he will be missed by the local corps and the citizens of Belleville for his patient, persevering and energetic toil. He endeared himself to all. Early and late he was on his Master's business helping and blessing those around him. In the first stages of the "flu" epidemic he was a constant visitor to the homes of those in need and many have cause to bless him. There was a great advance in the local efforts and in the attendance at the meetings. Could he have remained for the usual period there would have been a bright prospect. Adj. and Mrs. Goodhew of Montreal, have already taken over the work and we have no doubt that they will make good and in them those in need will find good friends. We give them a hearty welcome to the city and wish them every success in their work.

Dominion Police are Moving From Here

Headquarters for This District to be at Trenton and Tweed

Kingston, Nov. 1.—Ever since the organization of the Dominion Police for the enforcement of the M.S.A., the headquarters for this district have been in Kingston. Chief Graham who was appointed at the head of the district made his first headquarters here and later moved to Ottawa, leaving the local control in the hands of Sergeant Jean Slesch.

The Dominion Police have been using a room in the basement of the city building granted by the City Property Committee. Today the headquarters for the district were moved to Trenton and Tweed, and the police are being moved from Kingston to these places. Some of the work of rounding up deserters is being done by members of the G.M.P.C. under Major Porter A.P.M. and occasionally an evader of the M.S.A. gets the attention of Major Porter's men, but most of this class of work is being done by the Dominion Police.

It is rumored in well-informed circles that the force will soon be disbanded, and the work all grouped under the G.M.P.C., the members of which are all in uniform.

Sub. Warfare Not Abandoned

Germany Merely Halts it for Purpose—Part of Her Bid For American Favor

London, Nov. 1.—Reports of German submarines being recalled to home ports, coupled with comparative inactivity on the part of the U-boats, are being discussed by the admiralty officers here. It is not believed that Germany has abandoned her submarine warfare. The view officially expressed is that Germany, in checking the operations of submarines, hopes to lend weight to the evidently insipid reports that she is withdrawing them. It is possible Germany expects to create a better feeling in America by this procedure, and doubtless plans to bolster the waning morale of the submarine crews by demanding less of them.

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TODAY'S CASUALTIES

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Grant to Y. M. C. A. According to Law

At the last council meeting Ald. Curry gave as his reason for recommending the Y.M.C.A. grant for overseas work his belief that the grant last April was legally passed. A letter received from Hon. W. D. MacPherson, provincial secretary points out that at the last session of the provincial legislature the act in reference to the voting of money for Patriotic purposes was amended to include the Y.M.C.A. or Red Triangle.

The amendment reads as follows: "The National Council of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Canada for the purposes of the special work being carried on by it in furnishing supplies, accommodations, comforts, food and drink and entertainment to officers and men while on active service during present war with the Naval and Military Forces of the British Empire and Great Britain's Allies."

We are informed that it is legal for a council to make grants, with out a vote, from the people to three organizations only—the Canadian Patriotic Fund, The Red Cross and the Y.M.C.A.

Derailment Near Marysville

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Joseph Anson, of Crofton, working in conjunction with his son, Pte. Arthur Anson, has invented a new machine gun that has points of superiority over any other yet in existence. The principle of action is altogether different from that of the Lewis or any of the standard guns now in use. By Mr. Anson's device the gun will fire one bullet at a time, or in volleys of five, nine or sixteen simultaneously. Forty-eight shots can be fired in three seconds. The gun, complete, weighs about forty pounds. It is especially designed to meet the requirements of aeroplane gunnery. By firing sixteen bullets at once a hostile plane can be struck at sixteen different places, and there is far greater certainty of its getting to a vital part than when bullets are fired singly as in the case of the Lewis or other machine guns. Mr. Anson showed The Ontario a photo of his new invention which has already been given a satisfactory trial. It will at once be submitted to the War Inventions Board at Washington and London, Eng.

Mr. Mikel Urges Citizens to Buy Victory Bond

Mr. Mikel's Address at the Open Air Victory Bond Meeting, Corner of Front and Bridge Sts. The Victory Bonds of 1918 are sold in denominations of \$50 and up and are repayable in gold with interest at 5 1/2 per cent. by the Dominion Government. Purchasers therefore have the whole wealth of Canada as security. The purchase price can be paid all at once or in payments extending over 128 days. That is, a \$50 bond will cost 39 48-63 cents per day for 128 days, so that a \$50 bond can be bought by almost everyone who is employed. Some may have to deny themselves to do so. Most mechanics and even laborers get more than 39 cents per hour; with them, one hour's pay per day would pay for the bond. The proceeds of the Victory Bonds will be loaned to Great Britain in buying food and war supplies from Canada, so that every farmer, every mechanic, every laborer, every storekeeper, everyone who has any property or other financial interest in Canada is more or less dependent on the success of the sale of these bonds. The more we lend Great Britain, the more she will be able to buy, and will buy from us. The more she buys from us the more profit we will make and the better off will our people become. There are six classes of persons who won't buy bonds: 1st class—the Hun sympathizer; 2nd class—the person who wants more interest. This class of person is not only helping the enemy but he is striking a blow at our farming interests, he is throwing hand grenades at our business men, he is pouring poison gas on our manufacturers, turning the machine guns on our mechanics and laborers. He is choking our boys in the trenches—all for a half or one per cent. more interest. 3rd class—the person who would sooner put money in fancy clothes, automobiles and other unnecessary expenditures than buy bonds. 4th class—the pacifist, the non-resister and conscientious objector. This class of people brought the war on us and they would sooner see us lose than give any help to win the war. 5th class—the person who can't pay 39 cents per day for 128 days. Too many young men spend that much every night in the pool room, or over-eating in a Chinese restaurant. 6th class—the thoughtless ones.

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