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CANADIAN WHEAT IS POURING INTO U. S.

Forty-Five Million Bushels of Western Grain Slipped Quietly Over Border While U. S. Congress is Considering the Embargo—Fifteen Heavily Laden Ships Leave Fort William in 24 Hours.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Dec. 7.—While the United States has been talking about an embargo on Canadian wheat, exporters have quietly moved over the border 45,000,000 bushels of "Western Canada hard." N. M. Patterson, prominent elevator and grain man here, is responsible for the statement.

The record wheat rush culminated in the departure from this port in the past 24 hours of fifteen ships, all laden to the coamings with wheat, and bound for United States ports, notably Buffalo, practically defeating any move that southern growers may make to save their home-grown markets from the Canadian-grown product.

Of 73,584,000 bushels received at

elevators in Fort William and Port Arthur, 45,420,000 have been shipped to the States, more than twenty times the amount sent last year, which means that Canadian farmers and business men have successfully marketed a vast amount of their farm products despite restrictions in European markets. The ships carried 4,455,000 bushels of wheat.

Although the United States house of representatives is considering a 45 cents per bushel import duty on wheat from this country, as presented in the form of a bill yesterday, together with an import duty of \$1.80 per barrel on flour, the move in response to American farmers' demands comes too late for this year.

Visiting Rebekahs Were Entertained

Quintana Lodge Had Big Time—Presentation to Mrs. Aeseltine.

Last night Quintana Rebekah Lodge No. 133 of this city entertained as their visitors a number of Rebekahs from Quinte Queen Lodge, No. 135, Trenton, Crescent Lodge, No. 139, Thomasburg and Laurel Lodge, No. 211, Stirling.

The visitors were welcomed on behalf of the Lodge by the Noble Grand, Sister M. Naylor. The degree was conferred on five candidates by the degree staff of Quintana Lodge under P.D.D.G.M. Bro. S. A. Barkley in their usual efficient manner.

After the initiation ceremony the Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment, of Ontario, Bro. W. M. Wilson, of Nanawau, addressed the members, giving his impressions of becoming a Rebekah. His address was listened to with great interest. P.G. Bro. J. O. Herby also spoke as one of the youngest members of the Lodge. Past Grand Chaplain, Bro. Rev. A. L. Geer, Sister M. Pennell, N.G. of Thomasburg and Sister Johnson, N.G. of Trenton also gave short addresses.

A pleasing event of the meeting was a presentation to Sister E. Aeseltine on the occasion of giving up the position of financial secretary. P.N.G. Sister A. Carter read the following address and Sister H. E. Sharpe made the presentation: Belleville, Dec. 7, 1920.

To Sister Emily Aeseltine.—The officers and members of Quintana Rebekah Lodge, No. 133, I.O.O.F., regret that you have now laid aside your official duties, but we know you will not become an idler in the good work your sisters and brothers are engaged in.

Since the institution of this lodge, you have filled the position of financial secretary. Your official acts have been fair and square to all, but above and beyond that your conduct has been in full accord with the spirit and spirit of true sisterhood and brotherhood, which is a fundamental principle of our order.

Now that you have completed your official duties for the purpose of taking a vacation and visiting both the west and south, we feel that we cannot allow you to leave us without expressing in some visible way the esteem and affection in which you are held by the rank and file of the lodge.

On behalf of the members of this lodge it gives us great pleasure to present you with this handbag, with the request that you accept it, not because of its value but rather because of the sentiments of love and affection that prompt the giving it.

May you continue life's journey with fresh inspiration, courage and hope gathered from the closing hours of this meeting, and may it everywhere be smooth and pleasant and may no danger meet you by the way. Signed on behalf of the lodge, A. Carter, H. E. Sharpe, M. Ketcheson.

Though taken by surprise Sister Aeseltine briefly thanked the lodge. There were about two hundred present.

Quintana Lodge has had a very successful year, having initiated 56 candidates and reinitiated 4. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Abandon Plans to Have Tino Return

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

ATHENS, Dec. 7.—Plans to have ex-King Constantine return to Greece this week appeared today to have been abandoned. The decision of the government apparently was to continue its wait-and-see policy with a tendency to leave decision as to Constantine's return to the throne with the ex-King himself.

COMMITTED TO INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

This morning Magistrate Mason committed to the Mimico Industrial School a fifteen-year-old boy who was guilty of several thefts in Sidney township.

Brookton Shoe Manufacturers' Association answered a petition from workers for an increase in wages by a counter proposal to reduce them from 10 to 35 per cent.



QUEBEC'S FIRST MEMORIAL TO SIR WILFRID LAURIER UNVEILED AT BERVILLE, QUEBEC.

Montreal paid due respect to Sir Wilfrid Laurier by turning out en masse to witness the unveiling ceremony of a beautiful column surmounted by a bust to the late chief. Many of the old leaders, the staunchest adherents and Lady Laurier attended the ceremony. This memorial is the first to be erected to the late statesman in his native province.

Morning Dispatches

LEGISLATURE OPENS ON JANUARY 25TH

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Attorney-General Raab announced that the second session of the Ontario Legislature under the Farmer-Labor regime opens Tuesday, January 25th, the earliest opening in years.

ONE KILLED, SEVERAL INJURED IN RUSH

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—William McKay, aged thirty, was killed, and eight others received injuries by the explosion of a small portable boiler at the Sutherland James Copperage factory at Fort Coulerge, Que.

RUSH OF GRAIN TO THE UNITED STATES

Fort William, Dec. 8.—There is a rush of Canadian grain to the United States to forestall the U. S. embargo.

GOVERNMENT ASKS TINO TO RENOUNCE THRONE

Athens, Dec. 8.—The Greek government has cabled former King Constantine urging him to renounce the throne in favor of the Crown Prince.

Communist Movement Spreading in Armenia

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 8.—Reports reaching here declare that the Armenian War Minister has proclaimed a military dictatorship over that country. He is said to have joined the Bolshevik troops at Baku and to be advancing towards Erzurum where a Soviet government was proclaimed on December 7. The Communist movement is reported to be spreading rapidly in Armenia, and outbreaks are said to have occurred in Alexandropol region which is occupied by the Turkish nationalists.

May Invalidate Winnipeg Elections

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—Invalidation of the civic elections held last Friday will be sought by the independent labor party. Thomas Elys, the defeated Aldermanic candidate announced last night. Mr. Elys charges that many voters were misled by deputy returning officers points out that in the poll of 224 votes half the ballots were spoiled while in another one quarter were spoiled.

In the hunting season just ended, 25,000 deer were killed in Michigan.

LABOR COMMISSION VIEWS DISORDERS

British Envoys Watch While Black and Tans Examine Vehicles and Pedestrians—Witness Wrecked Buildings—Henderson Tells Lloyd George of Widespread Desire for Peace.

CORK, Dec. 7.—The members of the labor commission, who have arrived in Cork for what they intend to be a weeks' investigation of the situation, have already witnessed numerous disorders. There was considerable shooting and window smashing during the night. An Irishman who stepped up to the commissioners at the entrance to their hotel and requested them to inspect a jewelry store nearby, which had been partially wrecked, was arrested by a black and tan after rough treatment. The commissioners also saw a squad of auxiliaries today holding up and searching pedestrians and the occupants of vehicles.

The commission, after returning from Haddon this afternoon, visited the shops wrecked last night and questioned the proprietors. Later the commission obtained the release of the Irishman who had asked the labor commission, who have arrived in Cork for what they intend to be a weeks' investigation of the situation, have already witnessed numerous disorders. There was considerable shooting and window smashing during the night. An Irishman who stepped up to the commissioners at the entrance to their hotel and requested them to inspect a jewelry store nearby, which had been partially wrecked, was arrested by a black and tan after rough treatment. The commissioners also saw a squad of auxiliaries today holding up and searching pedestrians and the occupants of vehicles.

Raids today by the black and tans left the city tonight in a state of tense anxiety. A laborer was dangerously wounded by firing from two lorry loads of auxiliaries.

The village of Blarney, near Cork, was invaded yesterday by armed and uniformed men who raided and searched all houses.

Belleville Chamber of Commerce Notes

WHAT SHALL I DO?

Answered by VIRGINIA PAGE.

The "Suggestion" sheets sent out by the Chamber of Commerce to all the members are being returned to the office in gratifying numbers. The answers are being transferred to index cards where the suggestions will be on file for future reference. All who have opinions as to what should be suggested to the city, the community at large or to the Chamber of Commerce itself will do well to fill out the blanks and forward the suggestions to the manager not later than the end of this week.

The suggestions already received cover a wide variety of subjects. Some of the ideas brought forward are really valuable and will no doubt be incorporated in the program of C. of C. work for 1921.

A number of members have expressed the opinion that more forum meetings and more meetings for the general membership should be held. This suggestion will certainly be carried out.

Many are convinced that a change should be made in Belleville's system of city government. They all prefer the City Manager plan and several express a preference for the scheme now in force at Guelph of selecting members of the council for three-year periods, one-third of the membership to retire each year.

The Guelph plan, which the people of that progressive city consider the most practical system of municipal government that has so far been devised, will be fully explained by former Mayor J. E. Carter, at the public meeting at the City Hall tonight. The Lions' Club and the Chamber of Commerce are conducting the meeting under their joint auspices but the general public will be welcomed and the ladies are especially invited to attend. It is expected that a crowded House will greet Mr. Carter when he arises to speak. An informal discussion will follow the main address and questions will be answered. Community singing will be a feature of the program. "Bob" Gorman, president of the Lions' Club, will occupy the chair.

The supplementary canvass for subscriptions to Chamber of Commerce membership is proceeding most satisfactorily. New members are being enrolled every day and the response of the old members has been a pleasing feature all the way around. The canvassers report that their reception has been almost uniformly cordial. There was an occasional misunderstanding to adjust but no rebuffs were received and no ill-feeling encountered. On the contrary there appeared to be a general feeling of good-will and desire for co-operation. The clouds that had arisen have practically dissolved away and there is a disposition to forget any mistakes that have been made in the past and look hopefully forward to the future.

Sorella—Won't you please send a stamped and addressed envelope for a personal reply to your interesting letter.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Page in care of the "What Shall I Do?" department of The Daily Ontario, will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the questions.—The Editor.

Chas. Thompson New Caretaker

Public Building Successor to Late S. E. Haught.

Police Constable Charles W. Thompson of the Belleville Police Department received this morning from Ottawa, his following telegram announcing his appointment as caretaker of the Public Building, succeeding the late Stephen E. Haught. "For my appointed caretaker duties at once from Mr. McDonald. Advise me by wire when you will do so. McDonald wishes to hand all keys, equipment, etc., over to you immediately." "Gregory, "Architect in Charge of Maintenance."

P. C. Thompson is a native of England and has been an officer of Belleville Police Force since January 9th, 1910, with the exception of three years and a half overseas, first with the 23rd Battery, C.E.F. and later as instructor on the staff of the Canadian School of Gunnery in England. He came to Canada in 1903 and spent three years in the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery at Kingston. Mr. Thompson's family is composed of his wife and a young daughter. Charlie's friends are delighted to hear of his appointment.

Three Men Lost Their Lives in House Fire

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

VANCOUVER, Dec. 8.—Three men lost their lives in a rooming house fire at three o'clock this morning when the house was destroyed. The dead are Tom Freeman, a prominent member of various War Veterans organizations; Mr. J. Martin Nelson, and one unidentified person. The bodies were found by firemen after the fire had been got under control.

Parliament Opens First Week in Feb.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—Parliament will probably open in the first week of February. The definite date has not yet been determined however.

DIDN'T WANT THE CHANCE

The members of the Hastings County Council had an opportunity to express themselves in a tangible manner in the matter of the Bay Bridge purchase but took an invitation to meet the city council to see if the county favored assistance, as a laughing matter and took no action this morning.

Unless they are aided over the present period of price depression, thousands of tenant farmers will be driven from the land, Governor McKeivie, of Nebraska, stated.

U. S. Power Company Is Seeking Permit

Axious to Proceed With Big Development Plans Opposite Morrisburg.

BROOKVILLE, Dec. 8.—The New York and Ontario Power Company, a United States concern in which Col. J. Wesley Allison of Morrisburg and W. B. Crumley, Hamilton, are interested, is anxious to proceed with development at Waddington, N.Y., opposite Morrisburg. In accordance with specifications filed with the International Joint Commission last year, the consent of the Federal Power Commission must first be received before the international commission acts. The original application is still pending before that body.

The company plans to develop from 20,000 to 30,000 horse power at Waddington, which is near the site of the proposed great Hydro-Electric development of Ontario.

Nurse McEachren Honorably Discharged

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

GUELPH, Dec. 8.—Magistrate Watt this morning honorably acquitted Miss Catherine McEachren, nurse at Homewood Sanitarium who was charged with negligence in connection with the death from scalding of a patient, Mrs. Leprosky, some time ago.

Problem of Anti-British Activities

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The British government is considering whether it will request the United States government in the interests of the Anglo-American friendship to take official notices of anti-British activities in the United States of Prof. Bammon de Valera, according to a statement made today by Bonar Law replying to questions in the house.

UPSET HUNTING TRIP

Because he alleged that a rock in the road near Bannockburn upset his rig throwing goods and boxes on top of him and incidentally putting an end to a proposed hunting trip, Thomas Parks claimed \$25 from the county council. That body could not see it that way and took no action.

Dr. Otis W. Sedgwick, prominent physician of White Hall, Mich., arrested last September on a charge of murdering his wife and daughter, has been declared insane.

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ESTABLISHING BRANCHES

The fact that several large corporations are now looking for locations in cities in Ontario and that the delegates of several of these have visited Belleville is largely due to a new and peculiar development that has been coming over industry.

The reason for the change is due to the discovery that has been made that great centralized plants are not economically as profitable as a number of small plants in various parts of the country.

A leading official of the Eastman Kodak Company of Rochester, who was in Belleville a few weeks ago, informed The Ontario that his company was about to decentralize their big plant and establish complete, though smaller plants, in less populous centers.

Some of the reasons for this decentralizing process are well set forth in an editorial article in a recent issue of the Philadelphia Ledger.

Three cities—New York, Chicago and Philadelphia—have an aggregate population of 10,145,521, or nearly one-tenth of that of the United States.

There is going to be a change. Big corporations have been conducted with the idea that it was good business to create big plants in or near great cities. The bigger the plant the greater the economy was the belief.

Many units instead of a few units will be the rule with us hereafter," he says. "We have found, and I have no doubt others have discovered, that labor troubles are many where labor is assembled in one establishment in huge numbers.

RAISING OF HOGS

Is the complaint that feed prices today are too high for profitable hog-raising in Canada well founded? How many have undertaken the little sum in arithmetic necessary to find out the facts for themselves?

A study of the trend of these two prices since 1890 shows that the producer has never enjoyed the same high returns in dollars and cents for his hogs in comparison with the cost of feeds as he does today.

Taking official figures of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, it will be found that the ratio of hog prices to the average of five feed prices (both per hundredweight) for all Canada rose from 4.7 to one in 1890 to 6.6 to one in 1910.

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tion of this year's monthly feed and hog prices as compared with the twenty-six years from 1890 to 1916. The detailed monthly figures for 1920, which are typical for the Dominion, are prices at Toronto.

Table with columns: Year, Ave price, Ave price, Ratio, hog prices to feed prices. Rows for 1890, 1891 to 1900, 1901 to 1916, and 1920.

The decrease, officially reported recently by Ottawa, in the total number of swine in the Dominion of over 500,000, compared with a year ago, and of nearly 800,000 since June, 1918, must therefore have its cause in something other than a disproportion of the cost of feeding stuffs.

Those who are sceptical of the statement in The Ontario a few days ago that the main provincial highway was likely to have a surface of sheet asphalt or asphaltic concrete would do well to note that the state of Arkansas has, this past season, put down 182 miles of country roads with asphaltic concrete surface on concrete base.

THE PRESS

The following poem, which was written by the late Dr. James T. Bell, Sc. D., Hastings, Professor of Mining and Agricultural Chemistry in Albert University, Belleville, is herewith published for the first time.

When heavenly Clio first began To write the chronicles of man She only had, to guide her sight, Tradition's dim and feeble light.

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OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

REFUSES A COOL MILLION

That a young man, in a land where the pursuit of riches is so passionately followed as the be-all and end-all of life, should voluntarily renounce the legacy of one million dollars bequeathed to him by his father, is a phenomenon so surprising as to be deemed almost incredible.

His son's determination is not conditioned by the motive that influenced young Mr. Charrington of London, some years ago, when he refused to enter the great brewing firm of which his father was the head.

Needless to say, reporters by the dozen have descended on the old colonial home to interview this unusual young man, who considers that "too much of what Jesus taught has been forgotten" or "explained" out of all meaning.

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some other quarter. Until he makes up his mind to do something, the million dollars will remain unused, doing no good whatever, except to the bank where it reposes.

Rednersville Women's Institute

Our November meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Stanton Fox with an attendance of twenty-four.

Our next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. David Spafford on Dec. 15.

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HONOR ROLL

REPORT OF BAYSIDE SCHOOL FOR NOVEMBER.

- Senior Room: Hubert Hannah, Gladys Jobin, Doris Forge, Faye Demill, Elgie Jobin, Lorne Hunt, Elsie Hunt, Lorne Donaldson, Charles Donaldson, Willie Malloy.

British Insurance

Right Millions of British Workers Protected.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Eight million of British workers become automatically insured against unemployment under the Unemployment Insurance Act of 1920 which has just come into operation.

Gen. Chang Gets Electric Service

PEKING, Dec. 7.—General Chang Tso-lin, the military power behind the present administration, has used a drastic method to induce the manager of the electric lighting plant to furnish electric current.

Sewer Gang Finds Treasure of Gold

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150,000 Horsepower Will be Developed

Northern Utilities Sale to Combine of Paper Makers Means New Extension

WATERLOO, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Controlling interest in the Northern New York Utilities, Inc., representing possible development of over 30,000 horsepower, has been purchased from John B. Taylor, president of the utilities, by a syndicate of pulp and paper interests comprising the St. Regis, Remington, Champion, Taggart Bros., Harmon, Warren Parchment and Harry S. Lewis companies.

Announcement of the transaction was made today and while no figures were made public, it is understood that the purchase price was at least \$10,000,000.

Many rumors are current relative to the causes underlying the transaction. Reports that Mr. Taylor was moved to the sale through financial matters concerning the Woodruff hotel reconstruction were branded as absolutely false by persons familiar with the deal.

It is understood that the Aluminum Company of America, controlling large power development in St. Lawrence country, where negotiating for the property and that this action brought about the offer from the Amalgamated Paper interests.

The utilities controls the Ames plant and electric lighting plant in this city and power sites at Black River, Brown's Falls, South Edwards and Flat Rock on the Oswegatchie, Elletts Falls, Taylorville and Belfort on the Beaver River and lights nearly all of the villages of Jefferson and many in St. Lawrence and Lewis counties.

Paper experts have long planned that eventually paper making plants must move to Canada near the wood supply. Such a move has already been begun by the St. Regis.

Cost of mill and equipment is excessive at present, investment of nearly \$50,000 being required for every ton of capacity added. It is believed the desire to utilize complete control of power in the future may have hastened the companies in this purchase.

Plum Puddings

We have some dandy Plum Puddings for Xmas. In individual moulds and in one and two pound tins. You'd save a lot of time and expense by purchasing one of these.

Chas. S. CLAPP

Save Your Eyes

There are hundreds of people right in this community who are unable to do efficient work physically and mentally because they are ignorant of the comfort and benefits that CAN be derived from the use of proper glasses.

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Rain and Wind Ypres—Mr Address.

I saw the parade of 15,000 of soldiers and veterans wounded, that they could not part, were brought to the their coats and placed so the see their old friends, and co Thirteen thousand tourists came to arrive here daily, come in thousands of auto's to the advanced railway coast.

I saw a photo of thirty snow-bank in Arizona. They remain all night snowbound resumed next day. They suffer.

Tourists who cannot frequently purchase houses enormous blocks in course of, are wonderful. Upon the sit chased from the Methodists, millions. Grouman is erecting other million dollar theatre, now two splendid theatres, ing daily.

Rev. Holmes is drawing in congregations, four thousand service. He spent much the travel, visiting battlefields, sit close of the war. He says, times the Germans had con the Allies, but God intervened, Brown's five thousand Indian fell from the first gas attack wind shifted and blew the gas upon the Germans, destroying numbers. Had this not hap the Allied troops must have overcome, as they had no pro whatever from the gas. The man astronomer declared th wind would blow against the for thirty successive days, and would be compelled to surr After the turning of the wind a the Germans, he declared, that before had such a thing occ Dr. Holmes said that at the nothing would have prevente asking of Paris, and the capit of the Allies, but the fact, a violent gust of this kind w crossed the volume of the riv inundated the surrounding Co so that the Germans could not Ho traced the hand of God, in events. Referring to the Armada, he said England had small ships, while the Spanish was composed of enormous wa A wind came up as the fleet in the English coast, so terrible it virtually destroyed the Ar and saved England. At Wa Napoleon had 35,000 men twenty miles away. He sent sengers to urge Grouchy, the eral to march at once; but Gr did not march; his officers t ened him; but he did not. Blucher came up with his fo assist Wellington, and Napoleo all. When Grouchy gave evid the court martial, at which he tried, he declared that he cou tell why he did not move, alth he heard the sound of the After visiting Germany, Austr other countries, Dr. Holmes sa very nearly lost our Bible, our gion, and our God, because we our young men to German un ties, where they become as a theists, agnostics, and in from their contact with Germ teachers and German literature, stood at the grave of Edith C and will speak of her life and next Sunday.

It is a great privilege to hear celebrated men. It is a fact money talks. Ministers are hu When great cities offer large sgl free houses, and attendants,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN WESLEY HAIGHT, late of the village of Foxboro in the County of Hastings, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 56, of Chapter 121, R. S. O., 1914, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said John Wesley Haight, deceased, who died on or about the 22nd day of July, 1920, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver by hand, to the undersigned, the Executors, on or before the 4th day of January, 1921, their Christian and surnames, with full particulars in writing of their claims, and statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 4th day of January, 1921, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them or their solicitors at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 30th day of November, 1920.

Eleanor Thompson Williams, Gideon S. Way, Executors. Messrs Porter, Butler & Payne, 219 Front St., Belleville, Ontario, Solicitors for the Executors. D23.12.23

Plum Puddings

We have some dandy Plum Puddings for Xmas. In individual moulds and in one and two pound tins. You'd save a lot of time and expense by purchasing one of these.

Chas. S. CLAPP

Save Your Eyes

There are hundreds of people right in this community who are unable to do efficient work physically and mentally because they are ignorant of the comfort and benefits that CAN be derived from the use of proper glasses.

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one side and "Massachusetts" on the other, they insisted that the statute of limitations made the property theirs.

They found bear checks which the foreman of the gang said he intended to keep with a "Five Tree Shillings" as a souvenir of the past. The foreman estimated that the deposit of mud in which the valuables were found had not been disturbed in 75 years.

Sewer Gang Finds Treasure of Gold

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 7.—A sewer gang only work at noon recently with a raised treasure trove.

Angus McFee Mfg. Optician

one side and "Massachusetts" on the other, they insisted that the statute of limitations made the property theirs.

B. SHNIFFER

These are another 7 lines which have got to be sold out by Saturday, but to get any of these bargains you have got to come early in the morning—the reason why these goods are offered at less than you were able to buy raw material at in the year 1914. The first here will get the bargains.

Boy's Mackinaw Rubbers, 1 buckle, snag proof for \$1.75 per pair
Sizes 11, 12, 13.

Men's Mackinaw Rubbers, high top, snag proof, 5 eyelets, red soles, to be sold at \$3.95 per pair.

Men's fleeced-lined top shirts in black, also in flanelette Grey, to be sold at \$1.75 each.

Men's Fur Coats, made of China Dog, Black, which was sold at \$69.00 each will be sold out at \$29.00 each. 4 Coats only.

Men's extra heavy Tweed Pants in Grey. Regular price, \$6.50, to be sold at \$3.50 per pair

Men's fleeced-lined Underwear, Shirts and Drawers. Sizes 36 to 44. Best quality at 98c a garment.

Men's heavy Working Boots, water proof, made out of solid leather, to be sold at \$4.25 per pair, in Black only.

B. SHNIFFER

331 Front Street

LITTLE KINGSTON

Mr. Tom and Miss Ruby Demeral spent over Sunday at Pleasant Bay, with Mr. and Mrs. David Scott.

The Misses Marguerite and Ella Hamilton spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Terry.

Mrs. Ross Bush and little daughter, Margaret, are spending a week with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hickerson entertained company on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Demeral who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Demeral and Mr. and Mrs. David Lott, is leaving this week for her home at Havergal, her son, Mr. Will Demeral will accompany her and remain for some time in the north country.

Mr. Ed. Hamilton and three little girls, visited her sister, Mrs. George Alpea, for a few days last week.

Mrs. Fymer, of Bloomfield, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. David May and children took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Demeral on Thursday evening.

Miss Mable Hamilton, of Wellington, spent over Sunday under the parental roof.

Mrs. W. H. Mastin spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brown, Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamilton, Mrs. Fymer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Baker Dyer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Alpea on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David May and children visited at Rose Hall on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Keech.

FRANKFORD

Mrs. Sherman Tripp and her two little sons of Concession, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pettit and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Turley left on the train on Tuesday evening for Belleville, where they spent the night.

Mr. Roy Tripp, of Concession, spent Tuesday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. Goslin.

Mrs. E. Prentice spent Tuesday in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Follard, Sr., are visiting his sister, Mrs. Cruller, in Michigan.

Mr. G. E. Sine was in Belleville on Tuesday afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Davis was held in the Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended. The service was conducted by the Pastor, Rev. Isaac Sibley. She leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Mrs. Church and Mrs. Reid, and one son, Claude, all of Frankford. Her husband predeceased her twenty-one years ago. The inter-

ment was in the old burial ground in Frankford. The children and friends have the sympathy of the community in their sudden bereavement. The bearers were Messrs J. B. Lowry, Albert Bell, J. B. Ford, Chas. Herman, Fred Spencer and S. W. Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ford left on the 4 p.m. train for Toronto on Wednesday.

We are sorry to report, Mrs. F. R. Mallory, wife of our popular milkman, very ill in Belleville hospital, where she has undergone a very critical operation. We hope Mrs. Mallory may soon be able to return to her home.

The concert and lecture in Windover Hall on Wednesday evening by Mr. Bengough, the noted cartoonist was much enjoyed by those that were present. The hall was comfortably filled.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Badgley spent the week end with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Badgley, in the 5th con. of Sidney.

Mr. McMurray, of Rawdon, is visiting his brother, Mr. R. McMurray, in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Thrasher in the 5th con. of Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. John Casement have moved back to town. They are living in part of the house with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lohmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, of Wellington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wess Howard in town.

GLEN ROSS

Our snow has nearly disappeared and we are again using the wheels.

Mr. W. Anderson arrived home last week for the winter months.

Mr. Chas. Weaver recently was married to Miss Annie Martin, of Peterboro, have been spending their honeymoon with relatives in our vicinity.

Mr. Harry Anderson of Atlantic City, N. J., who with his wife, have spent several weeks guests of the former's mother, Mrs. M. Anderson, leave this week for home.

Mrs. Anderson left a couple of weeks ago to visit friends in St. Catharines and Peterborough, where she will join her husband en route for Atlantic City.

Mr. Howard Holden spent a few days this week visiting friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holden arrived in Stirling Saturday evening after spending the past year in Texas where he has big interests in the oil wells. They also spent a week in New York en route to Stirling. Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden met them in Stirling and spent over Sunday in

company with them at the home of their mother, Mrs. S. Holden Sr.

Mrs. W. Holden left on Monday for her home in Vancouver, B. C., where her husband expects to join her at Christmas after attending to business in other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. H. Farrell spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carlsie.

5TH LINE SHONEY

Mr. John Longwell gave a husking-bee to a number of his neighbors on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson and Leon took dinner at Mr. Wm. Bird's last Sunday.

Some from this line attended the concert given in the Town Hall at Wallbridge one evening last week.

Mrs. M. McTaggart of Belleville, returned home last Friday after spending a few days at Mr. Donald Longwell's.

Mr. Earl Bird spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. Howers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Longwell and family were guests at the home of Mr. Floyd Ashley last Wednesday evening.

Col. and Mrs. Ketheson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Smith last Sunday.

Mr. Jim Lake lost a young cow recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMullen of Holloway, visited at Mr. Wilson's one day last week.

Mr. McClatchie had an auction sale and intends disposing of farm and he with his daughter, Frankie, are going to reside in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McConnell spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Mr. Sweetman, of Frankford, did some clover-threshing run by a tractor in their neighborhood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bird visited at the home of his uncle, Wm. Bird, one day last week.

Auction sales is the topic of conversation among the men here.

Mr. Charles Lake has returned home after spending a couple of weeks with friends at Sarnackburn.

Mrs. Jim McCullough spent Monday with Mrs. D. Haellip on the fourth line.

FOXBORO

Mrs. Carl Reid of Carmel, spent a few days at the home of Mrs. C. Pittman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gowenlock, Jr. and son, Everett, have returned home after spending a short time in Deseronto visiting relatives.

There will be no Sunday school on Sunday, Dec. 12th, owing to anniversary services in the Methodist church here, the tea meeting will be held on the Monday evening following.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hagerman took tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melzar Homan are visiting relatives in Stirling.

Mrs. Harry Frederick, returned home last week after spending several months in Portland.

Miss Nellie McCaulay, of Melrose, has been visiting friends in our village and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Reynolds, also Mrs. T. Reynolds spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Will Reynolds, Canifiton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis and children spent Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart's.

Miss Sarah Kilpatrick was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis on Sunday.

Mr. Morris Rose is visiting relatives across the bay.

Mrs. Will Gossell returned home on Tuesday after visiting relatives in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Reynolds spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis and family.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Luke VanAllen was held in the Methodist Church here on Monday afternoon. For many years she had resided in this vicinity and was highly respected by all who knew her. Much sympathy is extending to her sorrowing husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shaw, also Mrs. John Shaw, Sr., of Belleville, formerly of Foxboro, attended the funeral of Mrs. Luke VanAllen held here on Monday.

Mrs. Wilmet Ross and little Doris, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nell Davis.

Mrs. Wilson and little son, of Holloway, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Cook, on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carter.

RED OF HILLIER

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Leavens entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hubbs, of Wellington, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stafford and Marie, of Rednersville, on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Benway and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Peal motored to Pictou on Saturday.



BIG DRY DOCK JOB NEARLY FINISHED

MONTREAL—The Canadian Recruit, which was the last ship to be handed over to the Canadian Government Merchant Marine in 1919 is now completing the repairs which were necessitated by her sojourn on the rocks of the Gaspe coast. The Canadian Recruit's repair bill will total in round figures \$300,000 which in addition to being out of service for twelve months represents a heavy loss to underwriters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Benway and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hyde of Burra.

Mr. and Mrs. C. French, of Oshawa, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. John R. French, of Melville.

Mr. C. B. Clapp spent Sunday at Rose Hall.

Miss Amy Harvey spent last week with Mrs. Lyle Leavens.

The Ladies Aid of Hillier will be entertained at the home of Miss D. Young for December.

Miss Lela McFaul had an operation on her throat at Pictou Hospital on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vandervoort spent Sunday at Trenton.

Mr. Smith Brown finished threshing on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ayrbart spent Sunday with Morley Carryington's.

Mr. Everett McDonald, threshed four hundred bushels of tuckersheat on Saturday, making him over a thousand bushels of grain this year from his farm.

Mr. J. Vadderford and T. Ayrbart are killing pigs.

The White Lake Cheese Co., held a meeting on Thursday evening last in the Orange Hall.

REDNERSVILLE

The Ladies Aid held a supper in the Oddfellows' Hall on Tuesday evening Nov. 30th, proceeds amounting to \$127.48.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McMurter was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gles on Wednesday.

Messrs. Charlie Babcock and Carl Bronson left on Friday for Oshawa where they will remain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cunningham at Robin Mills.

Mr. Jas. Russell and son Stapley, of Campbellford called at Mr. Elizabeth Brickman on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allison and family took tea at Mr. Charlie Brickman's on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell, also Mr. W. R. Russell, motored to Shannonville on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae Roblin and family spent Sunday at Mr. George Weese's.

Mr. A. Thompkins of Trenton is home now for a time.

Mr. Gurney Allison, the oldest resident of Big Island, passed away at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. S. Clement on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wager, of Pictou, visited friends on the Island last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Purtille and Clifford returned home after spending the summer near Whitty.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, of Northport, spent Sunday at J. M. Ken's.

MAROLD

Messrs. Harold and Sherwood Rummell have returned from the west.

The funeral of the late Mr. Bickford passed through Harford, he having departed this life on Dec. 4, after a lingering illness following a amputation of one of his legs a few

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Regular \$8.50
4.50
7.25
5.25
11.00
8.25

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Regular \$6.25
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Regular \$1.85
1.85
1.40
1.45
1.15
1.50
1.50

BUTTON HOOD

Regular \$1.00

Make your small deposits

JEWELLER

WELLINGTON

Rev. J. U. Robbins conducted the Missionary Service on Sunday with Rev. Archer of Stirling. Mr. conducted the Missionary Service on Sunday with Mr. Archer church anniversary services in London.

Mrs. Robbins has gone to her mother and sister in Britain.

Richard Best is removing house on Main street.

Mr. Ainsworth the burial undertaker, has moved into premises, and carrying on business as usual.

Mr. Shurie, the local will not be able to remove goods but his premises are Mr. Ainsworth for a week but he is taking his Christmas toys, books, etc., in place where he will have accommodation for the display articles.

Mr. Albert Platt died here day.

The trustees elected for Consolidated school were: Stephenson and W. Davis (J. J. Fox (Hallowell) and A. den, H. D. Cleminson (Well). These were elected out of nominations made at the meeting held last week.

In future reference to the dated School. Not only is a manly interested, but J. E. Inspector for the Board of Education at Windsor is interested a letter as follows:—

"I am delighted to hear that, Cleminson, Stevenson, Davis had been elected Trustees of the new Consolidated School of Wellington. I wish the outcome every success in their duties they are assuming require time, patience and you every success. I am that this is the best prospect in Ontario, and you watched very closely. I hope work will be successful that I believe will sweep the Province.

The Trustees, after taking office, have held their first meeting and organized their Board. A. Morden being chairman, D. Cleminson, secretary. The Board then got to business are commencing to make a plan for the district for a proper site for new school building, and open for suggestions from interested public.

Wilfrid Callow went to Eton on Saturday to have his eyes examined by a specialist.

George Battley of the home gone to Toronto this week on a nice trip.

It was the Westlake Friendly Meeting during the week at Wooler, and a number of from here went, Samuel Sayle, Isaac Garrett, James and Mr.

FRENCH IVORY

WE WERE PRIVILEGED WHILE IN TORONTO A FEW DAYS AGO TO PURCHASE A MAGNIFICENT LINE OF FRENCH IVORY, VIZ MIRRORS, BRUSHES, COMBS AND ALL TOILET ARTICLES AT A MOST ADVANTAGEOUS PRICE AND CONCLUDED IT WOULD BE SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO SUPPLY THE PEOPLE OF BELLEVILLE THEIR WANTS WITH THIS BEAUTIFUL GOODS, AND TO MAKE THE SALE MORE COMPLETE WE WILL INCLUDE ALL OUR REGULAR STOCK WHICH MEANS THE STANDARD, THE T. BLACKBURN QUALITY, WHICH IS ONLY THE BEST. THE DISCOUNT AT THE IVORY SALE IS FROM 15% TO 50 % ON EVERY ARTICLE.

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HAIR BRUSHES	
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\$8.50	\$6.50
4.50	3.50
7.25	5.75
5.25	4.25
11.00	9.00
8.25	6.25

CLOTH BRUSHES	
Regular	Including Tax
\$5.25	\$4.25
4.75	3.75

COMBS	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.95	\$1.40
1.85	1.45
1.40	1.10
1.45	1.00
1.15	.85
.80	.45
.50	.35

BUTTON HOOKS	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.00	.80

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JEWEL CASES	
Regular	Including Tax
\$8.75	\$8.30
3.25	2.50
7.25	5.75
2.50	2.00
8.00	2.50

MIRRORS	
Regular	Including Tax
\$11.00	\$8.50
3.25	2.50
4.45	3.50
6.25	6.00

HAIR RECEIVERS	
Regular	Including Tax
\$2.75	\$2.25

SOAP BOXES	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.50	\$1.20

MANICURE PIECES	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.00	.80
.50	.40

Cuticle Knives	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.25	.95
.95	.75
1.35	.85

Buffers	
Regular	Including Tax
\$2.50	\$2.00
1.75	1.35
1.75	1.25

SHOE HORNS	
Regular	Including Tax
\$1.50	\$1.20
1.00	.75
.75	.60

Make your selection while the stock is complete. A small deposit will hold any article till Christmas.

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OBITUARY

ADAM H. EASTON.

Adam H. Easton was born in 1857 in the 3rd Con. of Thurlow and passed away from this life Nov. 23, 1920, from the old home farm on which he was born and had lived practically all his life. During a series of evangelistic services conducted in Bethany Methodist church, 3rd Con. of Thurlow, some 50 years ago, Adam then 13 years of age gave his young heart and his to Jesus and united with the Methodist Church in which he remained a faithful, consistent and honoured member for half a century.

The high esteem in which he was held by his brethren, is manifested in the fact that for almost 40 years he was elected continually to official positions in the church, being trustee, class leader, steward and many times representative to district meeting and conference.

In Oct. 1893, he was happily married to Miss Elizabeth Rupert of his old home community, who proved herself a fond, faithful, true-hearted helpmate amid all the toils and cares the joys and sorrows of life and remains with two children, Mrs. (Rev.) R. J. Merriam, of Manilla and Frank at home, to mourn the loss of an ideal husband and father. Mr. Easton left two brothers and two sisters behind, William, of Thurlow, George of Winnipeg, Mrs. P. F. Casey and Mrs. I. McCutcheon, of Belleville.

Mr. Easton, though not robust for some years, was nevertheless a diligent, hard working man who made good in agricultural life, leaving behind him a farm in a high state of cultivation with up-to-date buildings and equipment. His last sickness, which continued for most of a year, had its beginning in a severe attack of flu about two years ago, which greatly weakened the heart and led to heart trouble which brought about the end.

He bore his sickness with Christian trust. He confided fully in his Christ, was comforted by earthly love and friendship and literally without a lingering groan, with folded arms and closed eyes in the early hours of the morning, peacefully crossed the bar. No wonder his pastor chose for his funeral service the text: "In the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints."

The funeral service was conducted by his pastor, the Rev. J. S. McMillen, assisted by former pastors, Reverend E. E. Wilson, E. G. Korke and S. A. Kemp, in Bethany Church in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends. All the ministers present had a wide, intimate acquaintance with the deceased and spoke in the most commendable terms of him as an ideal citizen, a self-denying neighbor, a fond father, faithful husband and generous consistent Christian man. The pall bearers were of his intimate trusted neighbors, for the whole neighborhood loved him, C. Light, W. N. Badgley, E. W. Brown, J. E. Cooley, Wm. Phelps, and R. Ketchepaw.

The tender sympathy and helpfulness so manifested by the community during the sickness of the deceased and which cheered and comforted him so much may be counted upon to console the lonely hearts and brighten the shadowy pathway of those devoted children, relatives, and especially her so lately made a widow.

"So long Thy power hath blessed me, So long Thy power shall lead me on O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent, Till the night is gone, And with the morn those angel faces smile, Which I have loved long since, And lost awhile."

OAK HILLS.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Geo. McMullen's children are recovering from their illness. Mr. and Mrs. Phil Carr spent Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Danford. Mrs. R. Chambers spent the week end with relatives at Malone. Mr. and Mrs. G. McCutcheon visited friends at Hoard's Station on Thursday last. Miss Willie J. Fitchett is confined to the house with an abscess on his jaw. Mr. Nathan Eggleton left on Monday to spend a few days in Guelph.

WALLBRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Ketchepaw have returned home after spending their honeymoon in Hamilton and other points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Purdy are retiring from the Sidney Town Hall cheese factory after 14 years and will reside in the village of Frankford. Can any one blacksmith beat this record?—Remove and get 40 shoes with metal and never-slip corks in two days.

The annual S.S. Xmas tree of the Methodist Church will be held on Monday night, Dec. 20th, in Sidney Town Hall Church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hinchcliffe and daughter Ruth took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hinchcliffe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Maston of the 9th of Rawdon visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hinchcliffe one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joo. Hubble have returned after spending the summer on the Provincial Highway.

The sale of Mr. D. Haslip's was well attended on Monday afternoon. Ed. note:—We would appreciate it if the correspondent of the preceding news items from Wallbridge would write a little more plainer.

WOOLER.

The Westlake Quarterly meeting of the Society of Friends was held here last week-end, with a good representation from Bloomfield, Wellington, 13 Island Lake, Echo Lake and Wooler, also Pastor Harry Parry, who is a great favorite in this locality, from Newmarket. A number of other visitors interested in Friends drove over from Trenton, Frankford and other places, making a very good attendance at all the meetings. Proceeding the business session on Saturday morning, there was a splendid meeting for worship which in a way prepared the way for good meetings to follow. Harry Parry and several others had vocal service. In the annual appointment of officers which was due, Howard Arket was re-appointed Clerk and Edward Nelson, assistant clerk.

Owing to the removal of Andrew M. Dorland to Toronto, it was necessary to find a new treasurer and Garret Nelson was appointed.

The Saturday night program was arranged as usual by the Women's Missionary Auxiliary, and they made use of the Junior Mission Band by having a number of appropriate items in the way of songs, recitations, and a splendid medical mission dialogue was given by eight girls. This was a strong missionary appeal in itself. The title being: "Waiting for the Doctors." It represented two American (or Canadian), girls complaining how dreadful it was for them to have to wait even one hour for the doctor, when they have some light ailment. There entered a Chinese girl, and after she had made a statement regarding the state of affairs in her land, she was followed by a Japanese girl, and a Korean, a Mohammedan, then an African, followed by an India girl. Each one stated how things were in their respective lands, so far as Doctors were concerned, with the result that the two first named girls, who entered at their first complaint and said they had no idea that there was so much suffering in these distant places, and it was for them to support the cause of Medical Missions.

An earnest address was then delivered by James Wild of Wellington. The subject being "The Open Door." Referring to the open door of service and opportunity confronting the Christian Church in general, at home and abroad, and before the Society of Friends in particular. Some can see the open door, while others are blind to it. As Isaiah said: "Seeing many things, but thou observest not." The speaker tried to impress upon his hearers the urgency of extending a helping hand to famished China. This appeal resulted in him receiving from the people at Wooler \$42, which he forwarded at once to John Douglal & Son, Montreal, for the China Famine Fund.

The Sunday meetings beginning at 10 a.m. were successful and well attended. The Junior class united with the adults, making a fine large class for James Wild to conduct. The member of the class being drawn out to express themselves on the subject of our Lord's parables on the seed. There was almost a full meeting house for the meeting for worship at 11 a.m. The message given by James Wild, followed by Harry Parry was on "Calinness of Soul," under all circumstances, by the Presence of Christ in the midst. In the afternoon the young people had H. Parry booked for the address. He spoke on "Purpose in Life" and the importance of young people being well launched in life with a safe Pilot on board. The success in life depending upon who was at the wheel. H. Parry concluded an earnest appeal by quoting Longfellow's poem "The Psalm of Life."

"Life is real, Life is earnest, And the grave is not its goal; Dust thou art to dust returnest, Was not spoken to the soul." For the closing meeting on Sunday night there was a great crowd, as the Methodist Minister, Rev. J.

R. Bick, closed their service at Wooler and united with Friends. Mr. Bick taking a seat on the platform with the four Friends ministers. Harry Parry was the principal speaker again, but a good number in the meeting engaged in earnest prayer.

Speaking as a new comer from another land, one must express a few words of appreciation for the wonderful spirit of hospitality that prevails at these Canadian quarterly meetings. On our arrival at Trenton by train on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, to our surprise there was a carriage that had been driven by a Friend about 11 miles for our conveyance to the Meeting House. Then at close of the morning meeting Saturday, we were beset by kind-hearted folk pressing upon us an invitation to dinner, and to stay the night. We had to make up our mind and when one of the generous local Friends had secured our promise to dine with them who were soon comfortably placed in their carriage or motor car. We stayed at one house one night then we had to take our bags (or grips) as the Canadians call our bags; to the meeting again as some one else desires your presence at their home the next night. What a wonderful thing is this Canadian spirit. Long may it grow and grow throughout the wide world. Amen.

It was in dramatic sort of way, a gentleman exclaimed, The prices of my cars must fall for which I can't be blamed. The war was on, but now it's off and there is now no reason why prices should remain so high. To me it would be treason to ask almost a thousand bucks for cars like I am making. I'd hate to pay that much myself, I'll set the market shaking.

But just before I take this step, it's only fair to mention, I view the auto business with the greatest apprehension. The war was such a shock to me I never felt so badly. But since I've sold so many cars I do not feel so badly. My purse is full, my name is known, in every tribe and nation. And like my cars, I feel I have a lasting reputation.

But I can't sell my little cars of tin and sticking plaster. Unless I drop the price you see and turn them over faster. My profits will not be so large, my sorrow will be deeper. But with a conscience free from guile I'll manufacture cheaper. Don't buy another make of car today, this year and never. For some will start and some will stop, but mine go on forever.

REASONABLE REASONS.

MADOC JOE.

Our Mission Band girls are planning for a concert and Xmas tree on Wednesday evening, December 22—everybody welcome.

Some of our people are planning to attend the special services at Moira if the weather and roads permit. Our pastor has an evangelist assisting with the services for two weeks.

We are sorry to hear of so much sickness among the children in the homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bird have moved to Stirling and sold the farm to their son-in-law.

Mrs. Gay visited friends in Shannonville last week.

Mrs. Clarence Fitchett has been on the sick list, but is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McMullen's little daughter, Helen, has been seriously ill, but is reported out of danger at present.

Mrs. M. Hamilton is visiting friends near West Huntingdon.

ON LINE SIDNEY

Mr. Ernest Lotz and Mr. Wilmot Rose have returned home after spending a few days in Guelph and Toronto.

There will be no preaching service here on Sunday next owing to the Stone Church anniversary services.

Mrs. Walter Scott is visiting her daughter, Ida, in Toronto.

Mrs. Wilmot Rose and baby, Doris, are spending a few days in Foxboro at Mr. Neil Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dufos and family of Point Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Windover, of Belleville, were guests at Mr. Wm. Moon's on Sunday.

NOTICE.

Dr. G. F. Denyes wishes to announce that he has taken over the office and practice of the late Dr. Moore, Shannonville, from Nov. 28, 1920. d2-6td.1tw

NOTICE.

Investigation by customs authorities of a shipment of whiskey billed at \$54,000, from San Francisco to Shanghai, revealed the barrels were filled with colored water.

FOR SALE

FARM FOR SALE.

120 ACRES, LOT 3, 1ST CON. OF TRENTON, 3 miles from Sidney, well fenced, well watered, buildings fair. Apply to Thomas H. Ford, Owner, Shannonville. d3-6td.2tw

YOUNG GRADE HOLSTEIN

1 Cow, well fresh in a few days, also a pair of yearlings. d3-6td.2tw

FARM FOR SALE.

109 ACRES, 3RD LINE SIDNEY, 1/2 mile from Belleville, 1-2 mile east of Trenton, school, 30 acres fall wheat, 30 acres new seeding, 36 acres ploughed ready for spring seeding, 2 acres maple bush, balance pasture, 2 never failing wells, frame house and barn, machine house, hen house, drive house, tin pen, telephone and R. R. mail. Will sell with or without stock, feed and implements. Apply to C. Wilson on premises of R. R. No. 3, Belleville. d1-6td.1tw

GOOD GRAIN AND STOCK FARM

1/2 being east half of lot 11, 1st concession Huntington, about 1 1/2 miles south of Moira, consisting of 100 acres in good state of cultivation. Good house, basement, barn, drive house and other buildings, small orchard and well watered. Will sell with or without stock and implements. Rural mail and telephone. For further particulars apply to J. W. Savers, R.F.D., Moira. 11-6td.1tw

SHEEP FOR SALE.

PRIZE-WINNING CHAMPIONSHIP

Herd Oxford and Shropshire Sheep. Have a few choice Spring Lambs, also yearling Rams from best imported stock, for sale. W. A. Martin & Sons, Gleadstock Farm, Corbyville, R.R. No. 2, Hastings. Phone: 011.20.23.27.30.31.3.10.13.17-5tw

FARM OF 100 ACRES, 2ND CON.

of Thurlow, without house, 41 cows, 4 horses, 20 pigs, 4 calves and machinery. Order must be paid owing to ill health. H. Fitzgerald, R.R. No. 6, Belleville. d1-2td.4tw

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WANTED

FARM TO WORK ON SHARES,

100-150 acres, one near Belleville preferred. Apply to H. F. Button, R.R. No. 5, Trenton. d2-5tw

NOTICE

The executors of the estate of the late Dr. John Moore request that all outstanding accounts be paid in promptly by Dec. 17th. The accounts can be paid to Mrs. (Dr.) Moore or Mr. J. S. Kerr, Shannonville. ALEX. MOORE, H. K. DENYES, Executors. d27-1td.2tw

WALLOCK & ABBOTT, Barristers,

etc., Offices Robertson Block, Front Street, Belleville, East Side. E. B. Prueck. A. Abbott.

AUCTION SALE.

Farm Stock, Implements, Hay, Grain and Household Effects, Monday, Dec. 13, Lot N. W. half 2, Con. 3, Thurlow. S. W. Armistead. d7-1td.1tw

AUCTION SALE.

Farm Stock and Implements, Grain, etc., Lot 1, Con. 4, Tyendinaga, 6 miles east of Corbyville on Wed. Dec. 22, at 1 o'clock. Chas. McFarlane, Owner, G. H. Kingsley, Auctioneer. d9-1td.1tw

AUCTION SALE.

There will be offered for sale on Wed. Dec. 15th, Farm Stock and Implements, the property of Ryonson Badgley, Lot 12, Con. 3, Tyendinaga, half mile west of Melrose at 1 o'clock sharp. No reserve. G. H. Kingsley, Auctioneer. d9-11tw

NOTICE!

Mr. Thomas MacDonald had nets stolen out of packing house on Sunday night, October 31, 1920. Any person giving information of parties that stole the nets shall be well paid for. Mr. Thomas MacDonald, Point Anne, Ont. d7-2td.2tw

WEST AMELIASBURG

Mr. Harry Ayrhart is visiting friends at Wellington and Picton. Visitors at Morris Aylea's on Sunday. Glad to see Mrs. Saylor Humphrey able to drive out again and looking so well. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Stoneburg and Morley Ayrhart spent Sunday at the home of Mr. H. Rathbun's. Mrs. Charlie Grass, Point Anne, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Brown.

Two armed men at noon Saturday held up the paymaster of the Thompson-Starrett Construction Co. in Detroit, and escaped with a valise containing \$12,000.

WELLINGTON.

Rev. J. U. Robbins exchanged pulpits on Sunday with Rev. W. R. Archer of Stirling. Mr. Robbins conducted the Missionary Services at Stirling, while Mr. Archer took the church anniversary services at Wellington.

Mrs. Robbins has gone on a visit to her mother and sister at Little Britain.

Richard Best is removing into his house on Main street.

Mr. Ainsworth the burnisher and undertaker, has moved into his new premises, and carrying on his business as usual.

Mr. Shirie, the local Druggist, will not be able to remove all his goods but his premises vacated by Mr. Ainsworth for a week or two, but he is taking his Christmas goods of toys, books, etc., in the new place where he will have more accommodation for the display of such articles.

Mr. Albert Platt died here on Tuesday.

The trustees elected for the 2nd Consolidated school were: C. T. Stephenson and W. Davis (Chairman); J. J. Fox (Hallowell) and A. A. Moryden, H. D. Cleminson (Wellington). These were elected out of the nominations made at the ratepayers meeting held last week.

In future reference to the Consolidated School. Not only is our community interested, but J. E. Benson, Inspector for the Board of Education at Windsor is interested. He wrote a letter as follows:—

"I am delighted to hear that Morden, Cleminson, Stephenson, Fox and Davis had been elected Trustees of the new Consolidated School, District of Wellington. I wish the new executive every success in the arduous duties they are assuming. It will require time, patience and industry to complete the work and I wish you every success. I understand that this is the best consolidated prospect in Ontario, and you will be watched very closely. I hope your work will be successful that consolidation will sweep the Province."

The Trustees, after taking office, have held their first meeting and organized their Board. A. A. Morden being chairman and H. D. Cleminson, secretary-treasurer. The Board then got to business and are commencing to make a survey of the district for a proper site for the new school building, and they are open for suggestions from the interested public.

Wilfrid Colton went to Belleville on Saturday to have his eye examined by a specialist.

George, Bailey of the hotel, has gone to Toronto this week on a business trip.

It was the Westlake Friends Quarterly Meeting during the week end at Wooler, and a number of Friends from here went, Samuel Saylor, Wallace Garrett, James and Mrs. Mild,

Miss Beale Dorland, these were joined by Howard and Mrs. Arkett, of Bloomfield and James and Mrs. Demille, and Harold and Lucille Cahoon from Dorles Corner.

Alex. and Mrs. Ward and two boys, with Soburn Crook, motored over to Wooler for the Sunday morning meeting.

Miss Ruth Baker, who spent the week end here with Mrs. Lavinia Dandland, left for Toronto.

Charlie Thomas, who has rented his farm a few miles out North, is making preparations for his removal into his house in Main Street, west. He has had this property improved by having a new front window in a verandah, etc., the work being carried through by W. W. Fitzgerald, and electric light installed by Mr. Orendall, of Picton. Mr. Thomas expects to move shortly.

The event of the week here was the great Chicken Pie Supper followed by an entertainment at the Methodist Church on Monday, as almost half the community turned out to either one, or both events. It was given under the auspices of the Epworth League and the Builders Sunday School Class. Supper was being served in the school room from about six p.m. to almost 9 p.m. About 300 people taking supper, and every one seemed to take a hearty meal. If they did not, it was their own looking out, as there was an abundant supply of Chicken Pie and all kinds of delicious eatables, splendidly served by a diligent group of helpers eager to give you more.

After supper a fine program of music was given by the choir and one or two helpers from the Friends church. After the opening hymn was sung by the whole company, a brief prayer was offered by James Wild, Friends' Minister, and the items rendered by the choir were:—"Come where the Lillies Bloom," Miss Barker sang "Roses in Bud," Mrs. Murray and Miss Cora Pettigill, duet, "Moonlight Music, Love and Flowers," Miss Dorland, solo, "Down Here." Then a male quartette by Robert Campbell, Arthur Saunders, Garnett Taylor and W. Wilson, entitled "My Love's Own." This item caused great laughter and made the audience cheer until the quartette responded by an encore. After the music an illustrated lecture was given by Rev. J. A. Robbins, on "Picturoque Japan," 100 slides being shown, beginning with the Emperor of Japan and his Empress and the Crown Prince, views of volcanoes, natives, boating scenes, shrines, a Japanese funeral, cleaning rice and baking Xmas cake, a Japanese store, etc. Toward the end the slides were on Methodist Missionary work in Japan, showing the Missionaries and the church buildings, etc.

An enjoyable evening was concluded by the audience rising and singing "God Save the King." Mrs. Robbins played the organ for the musical part of the program, and the evening's proceedings added about \$212 to the funds of the Epworth League and Builders' Club.

IVANHOE.

The annual meeting of the Beulah Cheese and Butter Co. was held on Saturday. The average price per pound for the season, including the butter, was \$24.75. Mr. D. L. Fleming, who has been president for a number of years, had to resign, owing to ill health and Mr. C. A. Mitts was chosen in his stead.

Mrs. R. Martha who has been seriously ill is recovering.

A good number from this neighborhood attended Mr. H. Rollins' sale last week.

Mr. Thos. Reid is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Fitchett who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Rollins, of Belleville, was held at Euclid Church on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Fitchett had reached the age of ninety-four.

Miss Luella Benham spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. Jos. Rollins'.

HALLOWAY.

The W.M.S. held a quilting at the home of Mrs. G. Rose on Thursday afternoon.

The Sunday school purpose holding a Christmas tree on Wednesday night, the 23rd.

The Baptists are holding their tree on the 23rd and the children are busy practicing.

Miss E. Kelly, of Madoc, is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. Lowery.

Mrs. H. Carter, of Foxboro, spent a day last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bushell who have recently moved back on the farm.

Mr. C. Carter of U.S. is visiting at the home of his father, Mr. T. Carter.

Mrs. S. Bess spent a day last week at the home of Mrs. B. Townsend.

NOTICE!

TO CORRESPONDENTS

We have received this week a number of articles without the signature of the sender. We wish again to remind our correspondents that it is against the rules of The Ontario to publish any article which is not signed. This applies to our regular correspondents as well as occasional contributors. So therefore, if the sender of "Hunting Party Has Returned" will supply us with the name of the sender, we will be glad to publish it.

McConnell has returned at Mount Pleasant on Friday night December. All report me. Our next practice will be on Sunday at Mr. H.

DREXELVILLE.

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Spencer spent Sunday

Thompson and son,

Whitney is spending

Thompson and sister,

Walker and Mr. Carson

Allison also Miss Dora

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Address and Presentation

On Thursday afternoon, Nov. 25th the Scott's Women's Institute Society held their monthly meeting at the home of M. Sine, a large number being present. After an interesting program, Mrs. Wilmet Rose called Mrs. Nelson pretty forward and the following address was read by Mrs. H. Dake:

Dear Mrs. Beatty—
It is now three years since you instituted these monthly gatherings by having a Red Cross Society organized in our vicinity. At the close of the war we disbanded to be re-organized into a Women's Institute. During this period you have been one of our most loyal supporters and most courageous workers. When some of us weaker ones felt the heavy burden of office you have been ready with helpful suggestions and words of encouragement. Your energetic efforts have kept our lagging spirits revived and your cheerful willingness to help in every enterprise has been the means of keeping alive an organization that might otherwise have proved a failure. Today you are with us for the last time in our institute meetings and deeply do we regret it. Your executive ability to handle every situation will be a real loss to our society and we shall greatly miss your bright companionship at these gatherings. As a slight token of our deep regard we ask you to accept this gift of spoons and may they be the means of reminding you in the years to come of the friends you are leaving behind. We trust that you will think kindly of us and be assured that for you there will always be cherished a warm spot in the hearts of each of us.

Signed on behalf of Scott's Women's Institute:

Annie Moon,
Ella M. Bell,
Stella Rose.

Mrs. Beatty was taken entirely by surprise and with much feeling thanked the ladies of the society for their thoughtfulness in her behalf. As Mrs. Beatty had a number of tea spoons the gift at a later date was changed for a beautiful mantle clock.

Frankford to Have A Rink

Committees Appointed at Organization Meeting.

The new skating rink for Frankford is under way. The organization is complete under the presidency of Mr. C. P. Rose. The committees of citizens, appointed at a large meeting on Tuesday evening at the Lyons Dep. are as follows:

Building and Property—H. T. Miller, J. E. Finnigan, R. F. Turley.
Water and Entertainment—E. F. Turley, A. E. McAllister, A. R. Whitlaw.

Finance Committee—F. A. Corr, E. E. Kethoes, R. T. Dunlop.
A lot has been secured at the rear of the J. M. Bell block and progress has already been made. It is to be hoped citizens of Frankford generally will support this popular move for the good of Frankford's young people whether or not they have skates under their roof.

Harvard Union Inaugurates P. M. Teas

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Dec. 7.—The Harvard Union, gathering place for the men of the college, has inaugurated afternoon teas. Tiffin has been made an event in the undergraduate day in the belief that it would serve both to promote the club idea of the student Commons and to serve as relief from the day's study grind through the winter months when outdoor activities are curtailed. With the tea menu provided for muffins, toast and strawberry jam.

Funeral of J. J. Empey

Funeral of Julian James Empey, who passed away on Wednesday afternoon after a short illness, took place recently and was largely attended. The cortege moved from his late residence, Dundas Street, east, to the church of St. Peter-in-Chains, where solemn requiem mass was said by Rev. Father Connely. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery.

The deceased, who was 38 years old, suffered from a weak heart after having an attack of the flu, and his death occurred rather suddenly. He is survived by a wife, a young son and a mother, to whom the sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended.—Quinte Sun.

Racy Description of Old-Time Election at Belleville

When Dr. Hope and Hon. Robert Read Battled for Supremacy.

(Written for The Ontario by an Occasional Contributor.)

One of the most keenly contested elections which ever took place in this district was that for the seat in the Legislative Council for the Quinte Division, which constituency was made up of South Hastings and the county of Prince Edward. The candidates were Dr. Wm. Hope, M.D. and Robert Read, both well-known and prominent residents of Belleville.

Dr. Hope, who ran in the Liberal interest, had for some years been a member of the Town Council and in 1860 was elected Mayor. He was a fluent, forcible and well-informed speaker and had been—it was alleged by his political opponents—commissioning for this position for some years previous to the election. Mr. Read, Conservative, who at that time operated a distillery on Dundas street, had never held any public office and only entered the contest on the day of nomination, which was held two weeks in advance of the election, and the polls, it may be added, were open during two days. Although a clear-headed business man, Mr. Read was no orator. After making his first speech in town, he asked his old-time personal and political friend, Mr. Thomas Willis, County Clerk (laterwards M.P. for West Hastings) what sort of impression he made on the platform, and the smiling and witty reply was, "Well, Bob, you looked like a Read shaken by the wind."

The result of the voting was a majority of about 60 for Mr. Read—some 30 on each side of the bay; for although Dr. Hope had a considerable majority in the Tory stronghold of Belleville, as well as in Sidney and Thurlow, he could not overcome an adverse majority of over 400 in Tyendinago, which was added to by Trenton. The feeling over this result was very bitter and there were many personal encounters between the hotter partisans of the candidates after the polls were closed.

In after years Dr. Hope continued to practice his profession successfully and, following the death of Mr. George Taylor, the sheriff of the county, he was appointed to that office, the duties of which he continued to discharge up to the time of his death.

Mr. Read after Confederation, was elected to the House of Commons for East Hastings, but a few years later he was called to the Senate, of which body he remained an active member until the end of his life. At the time of the election referred to there was virtually, if not actually, free trade in whiskey. The potent liquor manufactured by Mr. Read and others selling in the groceries at 50¢ per gallon or 12½¢ per quart, and in the bars at 2¢ per drink. This reminiscence must cause some of the blubious who are now paying \$8. per bottle for their "joy water" to wish either that they had lived in that time or that the "good old times" would come again, but like Poe's raven, "comes the echo nevermore."

Married His Mother-in-Law

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 7.—Walter Thornton, a Paducah cooper, married his mother-in-law on Thanksgiving Day, and the honeymoon lasted four days. They were arrested on a charge of violating the Kentucky statute which says "that a man shall not marry the mother of his wife." Thornton married Miss May Hale five years ago. Recently Thornton obtained a divorce on the ground of infidelity, and he and his young daughter continued to live at the home of the mother-in-law. Mrs. Ella Hale Thornton is thirty-two and his bride forty-two. Arranged before County Judge Lang they pleaded that the bride was no longer Thornton's mother-in-law after he obtained his divorce. Judge Lang said there might be something in that and took the case under advisement.

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

OBITUARY

MRS. ELIZABETH ROSEBUSH

After a short illness Mrs. Elizabeth Rosebush passed away at her home near Stirling. She was born in 1834 being 84 years old.

The deceased lived at her home in the 9th concession of Sidney over 65 years having been married in 1859. Her husband, the late Tobias Rosebush predeceased her a little over 15 years ago.

The late Mrs. Rosebush was well liked by all her acquaintances and was spoken well of by those who have known her for a number of years.

The funeral took place Thursday afternoon, the services being conducted by the Rev. Rural Dean Byers. The interment took place at Hubble Hill cemetery.

The surviving family are: Mrs. W. Corham, Belleville; Mrs. H. Moulk, Toronto; Miss Jennie, Toronto; Geo. of Trenton and Mrs. Cullley at home.

She also leaves to mourn her loss, two sisters, one brother and fifteen grandchildren.—Stirling Leader.

CHARLES A. LIDDELL

Following twelve days' illness of pneumonia the death occurred on Monday afternoon of Charles A. Liddell at his home in the third concession of Thurlow. He was born on the present homestead in the year 1867 and lived there all his life. Mr. Liddell was well-known and highly respected and was a prosperous farmer. He was a member of the Methodist Church. His widow survives besides one brother, Robert Liddell, of Detroit and four sisters, Mrs. Emily Keefe and Mrs. Charles Osleid, of Campbellford, and Mrs. Charles Liddell of Owen Sound and Mrs. Elizabeth McKenzie of Wilmipeg.

Wedding Bells

YOUNG—HARRISON

St. Peter's Church, Trenton, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Monday, Nov. 22, when Miss Marjorie Harrison, only daughter of Mr. J. Harrison, became the wife of Mr. Arthur Young.

The bride, becomingly attired in navy blue and accompanied by her father entered the church at a quarter to 8 o'clock as the organ pealed forth the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March. Rev. Father Connelly performed the ceremony. During the nuptial Mass appropriate hymns were sung by the children's choir.

Miss I. Rochleau was bridesmaid and Mr. J. Kelleher supported the groom.

After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner to which immediate relatives were invited, was served at the residence of the bride's parents.

The very large number of beautiful and useful presents received here ample testimony of the popularity of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Young have taken up their residence on Dufferin Ave. where they will be at home to their many friends.

Lived Old Scenes Over Once Again

"Mademoiselle of Armentieres," a musical comedy of soldier life in France, held the attention of a packed house at Griffin's last evening and gave undisturbed pleasure. The lighter side of war, the great human element, which transcends pains and suffering, was shown in the various episodes. The story underlying common sense was well worked out, and the characterization was real. The acting left nothing to be desired, the types being easily recognized by ex-service men in the audience. Supplementary there was a chorus, which possessed fine singing qualities. The men of the company were all overseas men of the C.E.F.

Tributes to Late Mr. M. Kelleher

The spiritual and floral offerings for the late Michael Kelleher were: Spiritual offerings—Mr. and Mrs. R. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Horizan, Mr. and Mrs. J. English, Mr. and Mrs. B. Conway, Mr. D. Cronan, Miss Teresa Cronan, the Alter Society, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kelleher, Mr. William Kelleher, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kelleher.
Floral offerings—Wreath, Elliott Woodworking Machinery Co.; Cross, Employees of the Elliott Woodworking Machinery Co.

"Skinny Ladies" at Reformatory Jump the Joint

REDFORD, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Seven inmates of the state reformatory for women here, weighing less than 120 lbs. have been able in the last week to escape by squeezing through the bars, while others of more portly build have become wedged in the bars.

This became known yesterday when four girls who gained their liberty were recaptured last night. Two were caught in New York and the other two were on their way to Bridgeport, Conn.

"The girls are constitutionally slender," according to Mrs. Henry Hedger Talbot, superintendent of the institution, said when questioned as to girls' diet.

Former Rector is in New Charge

Rev. R. C. Blagrove Goes to Peterboro in January.

Rev. Dr. R. C. Blagrove, rector of St. Mark's Anglican Church, Parkdale, announced at Sunday service that he had accepted the incumbency of St. John's Church, Peterboro. Mr. Blagrove went to Toronto from Belleville about two years ago. He will leave to take up his new position about the middle of January. Dr. Blagrove succeeds the Ven. Archdeacon Davidson who has moved to Toronto and is now engaged in Forward Movement work.

During his incumbency of St. Mark's, Dr. Blagrove has made many staunch friends, and under his direction the work of the church has grown steadily.

St. John's, Peterboro, is the most important church in the diocese outside of the city of Toronto.

Canadian Cement for New Zealand

AUCKLAND, N.Z., Dec. 7.—Cement is being rushed to the New Zealand market to meet a serious shortage here. The shortage has restricted building operations throughout New Zealand for some months and the condition has not been greatly improved of late, although more of the cement works are being operated now than for many months. However, a threatened shortage of coal will probably curtail the output of the cement plants in the near future.

To meet the shortage it is reported that the Canadian trade commissioner in Auckland has arranged for the importation of 3,000 tons of Canadian cement to be delivered here within the next few months. It is also reported that this cement is to enter free of duty if imported within the time indicated. Ordinarily cement pays a duty of two shillings per barrel from the United Kingdom and the British dominions, two shilling additional duty from all other countries, and a 1 per cent war tax, which is collected on all imports.

Anniversary services will be held at the Stone Church next Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. and at the evening at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Kenny of Campbellford will take charge of both services.

Mrs. W. Phillips who underwent an operation for tonsillitis at the Belleville Hospital has returned home. We hope she will be able to be out soon again.

The hum of the threshing machine has just gone from our midst and the straw pressers have come in to do their work.

The Sunday school children are busy getting ready for their Christmas tree to be held on Dec. 24th. The farmers are trying their ploughing again since the snow has made its disappearance.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris spent one day last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. H. Langabee, of Thurlow.

Sales are the order of the day and the farmers are kept busy going to



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New Church Publication

Rev. A. M. Hubby Edits the Reformed Episcopalian.
A new church publication has appeared for the first time this month, "The Reformed Episcopalian," of which the editor is no other than the Rev. A. M. Hubby, of Toronto, formerly rector of Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Belleville. The first issue of the new paper is very creditable and shows the literary craftsmanship and Christian zeal of the editor. It opens with a very fine article on Advent, and the Christmas spirit. There is an article on "The R. E. Church and Church Union" by the Rev. Bishop Brewing. In the calendar of church events are notes of the activities of Emmanuel Church Belleville. In its editorial debut the Reformed Episcopalian says: "Obedient to the wish and request of the Synodical Council, we shall endeavor to make 'The Reformed Episcopalian' a white-winged monthly visitor to the homes of Reformed Episcopals, bearing news of the different churches belonging to the Synod, and also to make the paper an exponent of the principles and mission of the Reformed Episcopal Church, both to the Church universal and to the world; endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, and to heal the schism and bridge the chasm, that have so long existed between episcopal and non-episcopal believers."

RIVER VALLEY.
Mr. A. D. McIntosh spent a few days of last week in Montegoia. Mrs. Mary Vandervoort was in Belleville on Saturday.

The December meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Earl Morrow, on Thursday afternoon. An interesting feature of the program was a debate, resolved that the woman who spends two hours at an institute meeting monthly is a better homemaker than the one who does not. A Christmas pie was given, when members exchanged Christmas gifts. The hostess served a dainty lunch of ice cream, cake, candy and apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morrow spent Sunday at Mr. Edgar Morrow's. Mr. Geo. Heisman is spending some time at his home here.

Miss Jane Bradshaw who has been ill for some time is improving. Mr. Fred Smith and family have moved into our vicinity. Mr. Smith has rented Mr. John Sager's farm at Mr. Howard Holden of Carmel is at Mr. Arthur Wilson's for a few weeks.

Mr. Archie Hatfield spent Saturday in Belleville. Mrs. Mary Vandervoort spent a few days of last week with Mrs. W. H. Hanna. Mr. Edgar Morrow motored to Belleville on Thursday.

HASTINGS COUNCIL MEETS
Hastings County Council met afternoon for the opening of the last session of the year.

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Municipal Right to License Motor Trucks
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There's a smoldering spark of dynamite in the brain of the man knows when to go home.

Eastern Ontario District Dairy Meetings

The Annual District Dairy Meeting for the County of Hastings Will be held
At Belleville, Friday, Dec. 10th, 1920
 AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.
 Under the Auspices of the Provincial Department of Agriculture and the Dairymen's Association of Eastern Ontario.

Mr. G. G. Publow, Chief Dairy Instructor for Eastern Ontario; and the District Representative of the Department of Agriculture will address the meeting. The local Dairy Instructor will be present and report upon his work during the season, and will also be prepared to demonstrate the testing of milk and cream for butter fat. Farmers are requested to bring samples of their milk and cream to the place of meeting any time after 12.30.

A representative from the Department of Agriculture qualified to take up the question of the cost of milk production and to give information on the surveys made by Prof. Archibald Leitch and his staff will address the meeting.

F. J. KNIGHT, Director for this district will occupy the chair.

At this meeting a Director will be nominated to represent the district for the ensuing year.

Stock Improvement, Methods of Production and Cost of Production will be dealt with at this meeting and should insure a large attendance and profitable discussion.

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Talk of the Town And of the Country

DEATH OF ARMY OFFICER'S WIDOW.

Mrs. Nellie Shankland, widow of James C. Shankland, a regular army officer, died on Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. J. King, Cape Vincent, aged seventy-six years and nine months. Death came suddenly, she being taken ill Wednesday morning, suffering from a stroke. Mrs. Shankland was born in Ireland, coming from that country to New York and living there until sixteen years ago, when her husband died and she came to Cape Vincent to live with her daughter, who survives with one son, James Shankland, New York.

YOUNG BOY DIED OF SCARLET FEVER IN CAMPELLFORD.

The death occurred on Monday evening of John Casson, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Casson at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. E. S. Casson. The little fellow had been living with his grandmother and attending school. He contracted scarlet fever and despite all that medical skill and competent nursing could do, he succumbed to the disease. He was a bright, interesting little chap and his death will cause deep grief among his playmates.

SMALLPOX IN RAWDON TWP.

Several cases of smallpox are reported in Rawdon township. The Stirling Board of Health advises all who have not been vaccinated recently to have it done at once.

AUTOISTS IN TROUBLE.

Two automobiles were noted by the police last night for an infraction of the Motor Vehicle Act—absence of lights.

WANDERING ON.

An old man who has often been arrested for vagrancy in Belleville and who has wandered up and down the country visiting various police stations, was given lodging at the Belleville station last night. This morning the wanderer set out again on his travels.

NEW EQUIPMENT ON C.P.R.

New equipment recently received by the Canadian Pacific Railway includes 35 vans, 11 Pacific type locomotives, 3 ballast spreaders, 2 snowploughs and 1 12-ton locomotive crane, 500 box cars, 15 Mikado type locomotives, 33 vans, 11 flatcars, 8 snowploughs, 1 locomotive crane, 1 portable coal-loading machine.

AUTOMATIC FLAGMAN.

The C.P.R. has installed an automatic flagman at the Kingston Road Crossing two miles east of Belleville. They already had an electric bell at this crossing, but in an extra warning device, at the request of the Railway Commissioners. This device consists of a circular red banner with the word "Stop" painted in white on same. On approach of a train, the red banner swings backwards and forwards towards the roadway, and a red light is flashed in the same manner after dark. There is also a shield with the words "look" and "listen" painted in white on a black background. This installation at Belleville is the first of its kind to be put in on the lines of the C.P.R. The device was erected under the direction of G. C. Kirby, the C. P. R. Signal Engineer for the Ontario District.

CRIME IN OGDENSBURG

With the district attorney and the police working at top speed to end what the former has called a wave of petty crimes, courts in Ogdensburg today joined the crusade by holding one prisoner in heavy bail for a slight offence and holding another. Three more minor thefts were reported to the police last night. While they did not amount to much in themselves, they added to the list which has been growing in the city and in some of the outlying towns.

ADDRESS OF GOOD ROADS AT ROTARY

The members of the Belleville Rotary were profitably entertained at yesterday's luncheon by an address on "Good Roads" by Rotarian Lucius Allen, C. E. The address contained many facts about the present road system of Ontario not hitherto published. A fuller report of this address will be given in tomorrow's issue of The Ontario.

GIFTS THAT LAST

Christmas will soon be here

The season of joy and gladness. The "gift spirit" reigns over the land.

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meiselle of Armentieres" company were present as guests and provided rare entertainment. Mr. Thos. H. McKnight, director of the company gave a laughable address on "Bohemians." Jack Winston sang "For You Alone," "The Choral Dance," and other selections with great spirit and a full-toned mellow voice. The pianist of the company also gave a lively piano solo.

LENGTHY DIVISION COURT

Judge Deroche is holding Division Court today for cases in which larger amounts of money are in dispute. The court will likely last through tomorrow. The division court can now try cases in which amounts up to four hundred dollars are in dispute.

Rebekah's Visit.

This evening the officers and members of the Crescent Rebekah Lodge No. 138 will pay a fraternal visit to Quintana Rebekah Lodge of this city, other prominent members are also expected to be present. The degree staff of Quintana Lodge will confer the degree on a number of candidates. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

MUSICAL NIGHT AT EUREKA

There was a very large attendance and more than the usual interest at a special meeting of Eureka Lodge No. 283, A. F. & A. M. last night. The members of the Eureka orchestra were out in full force as one of their number, Mr. Glenn Elliott, cellist, was being initiated into the order. At the "Fourth Degree" the orchestra gave a number of spirited selections. Mr. Harry MacKay sang with suitable expression the solo "Boy of Mine" and Mr. Stanley Robbins, also rendered a solo most delightfully. A toast to the orchestra was eloquently proposed by R. Wor. Bro. Chas. J. Symons and a fitting response was made by Bro. Reg. Hinehey, the orchestra leader. A toast to the "Newly Weds" proposed by W. Ego. Richard McCrudden and responded to by Bros. Liddle, Harris and Wonnacott evoked much merriment. As this was the last meeting in the year's term of office of the presiding officer, a health in his honor was proposed in a complimentary address by W. Bro. Lucius Allen and briefly acknowledged by the Master. The meeting closed with "Auld Lang Syne."

Death of Mr. Jacques DeMers

On Nov. 17 death claimed for its victim an old and esteemed resident in the person of Jacques DeMers, aged 103 years. The deceased was born in St. Genevieve, Que. When 18 years of age he removed with his parents to Belleville, 82 years ago he was married to Sara Ann LeSage who predeceased him 17 years ago. He is survived by two sons and two daughters, namely, Francis of Madoc, Joseph of Minneapolis, Minn., Mrs. J. C. Trudeau, Montreal and Mrs. Peter J. Berge, Chapman, with whom he resided. He is also survived by twenty-seven grandchildren and forty great-grandchildren. The funeral was held on Nov. 20 to St. Edmund's Church, from there to the vault to await interment. Tweed Advocate.

Miss Margaret Tait, who has been appointed Lady Superintendent of Belleville General Hospital, is a graduate of the General Hospital, Brantford, and post-graduate of Toronto General Hospital, serving with the C. A. M. C. in England and France for three and one-half years. Miss Tait was also matron of Spadina S. C. B. Hospital, Toronto, from July 1919, until the closing of the hospital in October last.

Committed Suicide in Evening Gown

Wealthy New York Woman Made Careful Preparation for Ending Life.

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—After arraying herself in a pink silk evening gown and satin slippers, Mrs. Mary Elisabeth Fuller, a wealthy woman of New York and Boston, climbed on a chair, tied a rope about her neck, looped it over a curtain pole, then kicked the chair from under her feet and died from strangulation. Her lifeless body was discovered yesterday in a suite of rooms in the Hotel Lennox. Beautiful and of a well-to-do family in New York, Mrs. Fuller, who is about 35 years old, calmly registered at the Lennox as Mrs. Mary Wilson, 100 West 92nd street, New York, went to her room, attired herself in her death robe of gay colors, wrote her will, looked about for a convenient place to hang herself and then did so.

Mrs. Fuller carried only a handbag when she arrived at the hotel. Investigation showed that only a clothesline, a wood drill and a hook were in the bag.

In the room she had engaged, she used the clothesline and part of a window cord and a portiere pole which to fashion her gallows. Then wearing her pink silk gown and satin slippers she sat down at a desk and wrote her will, addressing it to Attorney Frank P. Ryan, of Worcester.

Concluding her writing the woman evidently carried the chair to a spot beneath the curtain pole, stepped upon it, adjusted the noose about her neck and kicked away the chair.

To Discharge the Girls Who Have An Independent Income

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—That Sir James Lough, Minister of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, promised to discharge immediately the girls employed in his department who were independent of their salaries is stated by J. Fred Marsh of Toronto, Organizing Secretary of the G.A.U.V. Mr. Marsh said that as a result of an interview which he and Mr. Herbert Capewell of the Advisory Board of the G. A. U. V. had with Sir James, the latter had agreed to send out circulars containing the above order to his department chiefs. Mr. Marsh declared Sir James had stated his firm intention of doing everything in his power for the returned soldiers.

Little Chance of C. N. R. Tie-Up in N. B.

(Special 4 p.m. Dispatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 7.—A general tie-up of the Canadian National Railway in New Brunswick is not anticipated as a result of a possible vote among employees to decide the issue of striking in support of a protest against the order of D. B. Hanna, President, notifying employees that they must not hold public office on the penalty of dismissal. It is said the majority of employees are not over-enthusiastic on the strike proposition and will likely vote against it if it comes to a show down.

Marriage Ceremony Over Lovers' Ashes

ATAMI, Japan, Dec. 7.—A marriage ceremony has just been performed here over the ashes of two bodies in the belief that a single young man and an unmarried woman who committed suicide would have a happy married life in the next world.

The couple committed shifu, or double suicide, for love, by throwing themselves into the sea from the cliffs. Both bodies were later recovered and cremated with the Buddhist ceremonies. The ashes were then brought to the home of the girl's father and he performed a marriage ceremony over them.

According to the Buddhist faith, marriage contracted in this world will carry over to the next.

Mr. Thomas MacDonkild had nets stolen out of packing house on Sunday night, October 31, 1920. Any person giving information of parties that stole the nets shall be well paid for Mr. Thomas MacDonkild, Point Anne, Ont. d7-2td,2w

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Failed to Remove Hat Imprisoned for 2 Weeks

VIENNA, Dec. 7.—The state of religious freedom in the Austrian republic is illustrated by the fact that a man has just been sentenced to two weeks imprisonment for failure to remove his hat when a Corpus Christi procession was passing on the street. He pleaded that he was a free thinker and furthermore that it was a bitter day and he was suffering from an affliction of the head that made it dangerous to be uncovered.

Urging Farmers to Form Red Guards

Boleheviki Paint Propaganda in Microscopic Form.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 7.—Bolshevik propaganda experts, anxious to avoid discovery of the propaganda matter they are taking to America, are said to have resorted to the old war-time dodge of having their printed matter done in microscopic form, capable of being enlarged photographically.

One man, who was caught in Central Europe, had in his possession a number of queer looking postage stamps upon which were printed Soviet propaganda matter. The authorities were able to enlarge this to ordinary size.

The propaganda university which has been established at Moscow is reported to be now devoting extraordinary care to literature intended for two particular classes, women and farmers.

The women are urged to join the International Women's Communist associations of which branches are to be established in America and the latter are urged to form farmers' communes with the ultimate purpose of creating "Farmers' Red Guards."

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S. J. Fisher, Auctioneer, will sell farm stock, implements and household furniture as follows:
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 Dec. 8. John M. Boyd, Lot 2, Con. 3, Thurlow Twp.
 Dec. 11.—Furniture under Chattel Mortgage on Market Square, 11 a.m.
 Dec. 14, at 9.30 a.m., P. G. Van Allen, Lot 35, Con. 6, Sidney Twp., lunch at noon.
 Dec. 15. Charles Grass, Lot 21, Con. 1, Thurlow Twp.
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- Ladies' Fancy Hats, from 15c to 50c
- Writing Paper 25c to \$1.75 box
- Other things suitable for Gifts are Campsols, Waists, Silk Undershirts, Elderdawn, Kimonos, Ivory Goods, Parasols, Towels, Dresser Scarfs, Table Centres, Dollies, etc, etc.
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CARD OF THANKS

The brothers of the late Michael Kelleher wish to express their deepest appreciation of the kindness and sympathy extended to them during their recent sad bereavement.

LATE MRS. M. GREEN

The remains of the late Mrs. M. Green arrived here at noon today from Toronto accompanied by relatives and were laid to rest in Belleville cemetery. Rev. W. Elliott officiating.

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REPRESENTATIVES OF IMPORTANT INDUSTRY WERE HERE YESTERDAY

Are Seeking a Location Where They May Manufacture for the Canadian and British Colonial Market—Seemed Favorably Impressed With the Advantages of Belleville.

Representatives of an important American industry were in the city yesterday looking over possible sites with a view to locating a branch here.

The tour of the city being ended, the gentlemen were received at the Chamber of Commerce building by the officials of the Chamber and by Mayor Riggs, ex-Mayors Marsh and Kelcherson.

The two representatives of the company were met at the depot by Ald. R. D. Ponton, chairman of industries and taken to Hotel Quinte.

The branch factory that these gentlemen will undoubtedly establish in Ontario will not only manufacture for the Canadian market but also for Australia, New Zealand and the other British colonies that have a tariff preference.

Eggs Reached Ninety Cents

Potatoes and Butter Were Lower—Market Well Attended.

The weather conditions today did not present a large market. The market building was crowded with buyers, although the amount of offerings did not seem as great as might have been expected for the attendance.

Butter was a little easier at 55 to 60 cents per pound, but eggs took a trip up to the H. C. L. ladder, selling at from 80c to 90c per dozen.

Meats are unchanged, beef hind quarters bringing 19c per pound; forequarters 18c; pork 20c; lamb 24c and 26c. Hops are selling at \$15.00 per cwt.

Hay is almost the same, although there is an indication of a little change for lower prices in baled hay. Loose hay sold today at \$30.00 on the market.

Apples were quoted at \$1.00 \$1.25 etc. per bushel. Sauer Kraut has arrived at the rate of 15c per quart. Quite a number of stalls were offered.

Mr. S. Towner, 49 Kent Street, Stratford left Monday evening for an extended visit with her son, Mr. W. H. Towner and daughter, Mrs. George B. Jones of Belleville.

High School Assault-at-Arms

Belleville High School girls over-Cobourg.

The Y. Gymnasium was crowded last evening for the assault-at-arms under the direction of the Belleville High School for the purpose of raising funds for the war memorial.

Belleville High School boys defeated Cobourg High School in basketball by 25 to 22. The score at the end of the first period was 12 to 12 in favor of Belleville.

A tug-of-war between former and present high school teams resulted in a win for the former. A tie resulted in the broom ball games between the old students and the present.

Percy Hart and Bert Wells boxed to a draw in an interesting bout. Cecil MacMillan and Harry Anderson put on wrestling match, but no decision was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson and Jia, Wellington, visited at Mr. Isaac Clarke's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker, Hillier, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blakely, Harold and Jean, Mountain View visited at Mr. Geo. W. Fox's on Sunday.

Misses May and Gladys Hough entertained a few friends on Tuesday night. Mrs. Murney Parks visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Bovey, Crofton, on Wednesday.

Duck Calling Needs Skill

Whether you shoot ducks over the decoys or the pass, jumping or wading the call is very essential. Yet of the great number of men who shoot, few are able to call well or with judgment.

John St. Bazaar a Pretty Scene

Successful Affair Under Auspices of Church Help Society.

John St. Presbyterian Church parlors were the scene of a successful bazaar on Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Church Help Society of which Miss Davis is the president.

The handkerchief booth with green decorations was in charge of Mrs. Farrell, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Gordon Smith. The fancy work table in white and pink was presided over by Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Denike and Mrs. Fisher.

Olivia Lawrence, George Pope, Ralph Hey, John Horn, Burris Crump, Harvey Heesack, Junior Third.

Mr. G. A. Reid Won the First Prize

Record Established by District Agent of Great West Co.

Mr. Geo. A. Reid, district representative of the Great West Life Assurance Co., this morning received a telegram announcing that he was the winner of the first prize in a recent contest carried on by the company.

You are the winner of the first prize in the eight weeks' contest. Thirty-six applications for sixty-three thousand five hundred dollars; a wonderful record.

A FAMILY HISTORY

"Can" and "Will" are cousins dear. Who never trust to luck. "Can" is the child of energy. "Will" is the child of pluck.

"Can" and "Won" are cousins, too. They are always out of work. For "Can" is the son of Never Work and "Won" is the son of Shirk.

in choosing your companions dear. Select both "Will" and "Can." But turn aside from "Can" and "Won."

If you would be a man.

His Business is Good

An interview with Dr. RAY, Eye-sight Specialist: Well Dr. how is business with you? Very good, the past month being the best November in all my 24 years Optical experience.

Wedding Bells

FLINDALL—CARRIKE

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at high noon on Wednesday, November 24th, at the home of Mr. Charles L. Carricke, Ameliasburgh, when his sister, Jennie A. Carricke, became the bride of Mr. Frank Flindall, of Hillier, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Geo. Campbell, of Conesecon.

The marriage of Miss Elsie May Lester, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lathford Lester, to Mr. Rufus King Curlette, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Curlette, Pictou, took place quietly on Wednesday, November 24th, at the home of the bride's father, 2 Westwood Ave.

Xmas Cheer for Shelter

The child life of the wards of our Shelter has through circumstances been denied a great measure of its simple joys and happiness, and that the "little ones" who will be with us for the Christmas season may share a portion of the gladness and blessing that we enjoy, we ask a kind public to remember them by useful gifts, toys and money.

STRUCK BY FALLING ICE

This morning a lady walking on the west side of Front street, opposite Campbell street, was struck and knocked down by some ice which fell from the top of a building. The lady was able to get up and walk home.

CHILDREN HAD NARROW ESCAPE

A runaway, which might have been attended with more serious results occurred Tuesday. A team of horses bolted from the yard in the rear of Babcock's grocery, Lindsay, and made a dash for freedom.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement is announced of Helen I. Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thompson, "Blink Bonnie," Cold Springs, Ont., to Dr. F. W. Diamond, son of F. O. Diamond, Belleville, the marriage to take place in December.

STAFF OF LINEMEN TO BE REDUCED

The staff of linemen of the Bell Telephone Company working between Newcastle and Brighton are soon to be reduced in number. Seven men are at present covering this district, but next week the work will be handled by two.



THE UNKNOWN BRITISH SOLDIER'S GRAVE. The nave in Westminster Abbey where the body of an "unknown" British soldier was buried on Nov. 11. The verges in the distance is standing on the exact spot near the west door.

Kingston Secures a Promising Pacer

Rupert Aylesworth Buys "Miss Drealize" from Farm in Indiana

On Tuesday the Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Maitnee Club received a great addition to its stock in "Miss Drealize," a three-year-old trotter, that arrived from the Laura Hall farm, Indiana, by G.T.R. As a two-year-old she made a record of 2.24 as a trotter and 2.15 in a pace.

There wasn't any service in the Methodist church on Sunday owing to the severe storm. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hollinger spent Saturday in Striling.

A number from here attended the play, "Aunt Susan's Visit" at Bethel on Friday evening, in spite of the heavy roads. All report a splendid time and a large crowd.

Mr. Geo. Vanderwater of Moira drove to Mr. H. B. Burke's on Monday. Mr. David Hollinger spent a couple of days in Corbyville last week.

Mr. Howard Ashley and Mr. Alex. Melroy, of West Huntingdon, visited in our burg on Thursday. Mr. Robt. Rodgers and Mr. Haggan of Striling spent the dinner hour at Mr. Joe Hollinger's one day last week.

A number from here attended the tea meeting given at St. Andrew's Church, West Huntingdon, on Monday evening. All report a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke entertained some of their friends on Tuesday evening.

At the Victoria Avenue Baptist church last evening a banquet for the congregation was held. Mr. P. C. MacLaurin presiding. During the evening financial pledges were made to cover next year's budget and twelve teams were appointed to call on those who were absent.

In about an hour and a half all had returned with sufficient money to wipe off the present year's indebtedness.

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BRINGING UP FATHER BY GEORGE McMANUS. A cartoon strip showing a man eating and talking about dieting. Panels include: 'I'LL ONLY EAT CRACKERS AND BUTTER TODAY', 'I'LL START ON A DIET TOMORROW', 'MAGGIE IS RIGHT, I MUST STOP EATING MEAT AND HEAVY FOODS, I'LL START ON A DIET TONIGHT', 'I'LL ONLY EAT CRACKERS AND BUTTER TODAY', 'I'LL START ON A DIET TOMORROW'.

T SHALL DO?

By NIA PAGE.

THE FLOWERS.

My wife have been very many little ways during Christmas. What a Grateful Spirit...

ONE'S DUTIES.

My son's father boys have asked me. Just what are the duties of a man?...

THE HOUSE.

I figured I was tired in good taste for a living room. It is a curate's house...

ALWAYS PROPER.

My friend is very ill, but he is able to have some proper for me to Betty.

Miss addressed to me the "What Shall I do of the Daily On" answered in these few lines. This requires me, however, owing to my self-addressed enclosed with the Editor.

ELAN AT KINGSTON.

T. P. Phelan, which at the head of the lake some weeks ago, Kingston Wednesday of two days of the ship Lines. The launch was in the Phelan at Richardson's what will be done after the cargo has not get definitely...

"ROUGHING IT IN THE BUSH" or FOREST LIFE IN CANADA

BY MRS. SUSANNA MOODIE

It was a melancholy season, one of severe mental and bodily suffering. Those who have drawn such artefacts of a residence in the backwoods, never dwell upon the periods of sickness, when, far from medical advice, and often, as in my case, deprived of the assistance of friends, by adverse circumstances, you are left to languish, unattended, upon the couch of pain.

The day that my husband was free of the fit, he did what he could for me and his poor sick babes, but, ill as he was, he was obliged to sow the wheat to enable the man to proceed with the drag, and was, therefore, necessarily absent in the field the greater part of the day.

There was not a breath of air in our close, burning bed-chamber, and the weather was sultry beyond all that I have since experienced. How I wished that I could be transported to a hospital at home, to enjoy the common care that in such places is bestowed upon the sick! Bitter tears flowed down over those young children. I had asked of Heaven a son, and there he lay helpless by the side of his almost equal-yet helpless mother, who could not lift him up in her arms, or still his cries; while the pale, fair angel, with her golden curls, who had lately been the admiration of all who saw her, no longer recognized my voice, or was conscious of my presence. I felt that I could almost resign the long and eagerly hoped-for death to win one more smile from that sweet suffering creature. Often did I weep myself to sleep, and wake to weep again with renewed anguish.

And my poor little Katie, herself under three years of age, how patiently she bore the loss of my care and every comfort! How earnestly she would sit on my sick-bed, and hold my hand, and look at me, and at her and speak to me, and in quiverful voice, as if she would in vain one more smile from that sweet suffering creature. Often did I weep myself to sleep, and wake to weep again with renewed anguish.

My husband at length heard of my situation. His inestimable wife was from home, nursing her sick child, but he sent his maid-servant up every day for a couple of hours, and the kind girl despatched a messenger nine miles through the woods to Dummer, to fetch her younger sister, a child of twelve years.

Oh, how grateful I felt for these small mercies; for my situation for nearly a week was one of the most pitiable that could be imagined. The conduct of our man Jacob, being so not to be obtained for help, and without the assistance of his little girl, young as she was, it was more than probable that neither myself nor my children would ever have risen from that bed of sickness.

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CHAPTER XVII.

A Trip to Stony Lake

Oh, Nature! in thy ever-varying face. By rocky shores, or 'neath the forest tree. What love divine, what matchless skill, I trace! My full warm heart responsive thrills to thee. Yes, in my throbbing bosom's inmost core, Thou reign'st supreme; and, in thy sternest mood, Thy votary bends in rapture to adore. The High Maker, who pronounced this food. Thy broad, majestic brow still bears His seal; And when I cease to love, oh, may I cease to feel!

chute at least fifty feet below the brow of the limestone rock. By a flight of steps cut in the banks we ascended to the platform above the river on which Mr. Y's house stood.

It was a large, rough-looking, log building, surrounded by barns and sheds of the same primitive material. The porch before the door was covered with hay, and the room of general resort, in which it immediately opened, was of large dimensions, the huge fireplace forming the most striking feature. On the hearth-stone, hot as was the weather, sat a group of men, who were conversing with all sorts of culinary apparatus, which, I am inclined to think, had been called into requisition for our sole benefit and accommodation.

The good folks had breakfast long before we started from home, but they would not hear of our proceeding to Stony Lake until after we had dined. It was only eight o'clock a.m. when we had made our preparations to start, which gave us ample time to listen to the old man's stories, ramble round the premises, and observe all the striking features of the place.

Mr. Y was a Catholic, and the son of a respectable farmer from the south of Ireland. Some few years before, he had emigrated with a large family of seven sons and two daughters, and being fond of field sports, and game, he had purchased a beautiful property in which he had pitched his tent in the wilderness, he determined to raise a mill upon the dam, which Nature had provided for his wants, and wait patiently until the increasing immigration should settle the townships of Smith and Douro, render the property valuable, and bring plenty of grist to the mill.

He was not far wrong in his calculations, and though for the last few years he subsisted entirely by hunting, fishing, and raising what potatoes and wheat he required for his own family, he had a few acres of the most fertile spots he could find, and a very little corn passed through the mill.

At the time we visited his place, he was driving a thriving trade and all the wheat of the surrounding neighbourhood was grown in the water to be ground at Y's mill. He had lost his wife a few years after coming to the country; but his daughters, Betty and Nofah, were excellent housewives, and amply supplied her loss. From these amiable women we received a most kind and hearty welcome, and every comfort and luxury within their reach.

They appeared a most happy and contented family. The sons—a fine, hardy, independent set of fellows—were regarded by the old man with pride and affection. Many were his associates in their progress in hunting and fishing.

His method of giving them an aversion to strong drink while young amused me greatly, but it is not a very good method. He had not a single drop of liquor in his house, and he was very strict in this respect. "When they were little chaps, from five to six years of age, I made them very drunk," he said, "and they were so, and this so disgusted them with liquor that they never would abide the sight of it again. I have only one drunkard among the seven; and he was such a noisy, pulling creature, that I dared not try the same with him. I should kill him, 'tis his own fault, and he can't help it, but the truth is, that to make up for the sobriety of all the rest, he is killing himself with drink."

Nofah gave us an account of her catching a deer that had got into the enclosure the day before. "I went out," she said, "early in the morning, to milk the cows, and I saw a fine young buck struggling to get through the rail fence, which having entangled his head and horns, I knew by the desperate efforts he was making to push aside the rails, that he was once again getting hold of him, he would soon be gone."

"And did you dare to touch him?" "If I had had Mat's gun I would have shot him, but he would have killed me, for he was so wild, and so bold, and so full of spirit, that I could not get near him, and he would have killed me, and he would have killed me, and he would have killed me."

It was here annually that we used to come in large picnic parties, to collect this valuable fruit for our winter preserves, in defiance of the cold winds, mosquitoes, snakes, and all the other pests which have been encountered by berry-pickers upon this spot, as busy and as active as themselves, gathering an ample repast from Nature's bounteous lap.

The mill at the Clear Lake rapids was about three miles distant from our own clearing, and after stowing another rapid, and passing between two beautiful wooded islands, the canoe rounded a point, and the rude structure was before us.

A wilder and more romantic spot than that which the old hunter had chosen for his homestead in the wilderness could scarcely be imagined. The waters of Clear Lake here empty themselves through a narrow, deep, rocky channel, not exceeding a quarter of a mile in length, and tumble over a limestone ledge of ten or twelve feet in height, which extends from one bank to the other. The shores on either side are very steep, and the large oak-trees which have anchored their roots in every crevice of the rock, throw their fantastic arms far over the leaping waterfall, the deep green of their mossy foliage forming a beautiful contrast with the white, flashing waters that foam over the

before me, and I had still three miles of my journey to accomplish. The wolf had become so impudent that I kept him off by pelting him with snowballs; and once he came so near that I struck him with the gad. I now began to be seriously alarmed, and from time to time, shouted with all my strength, and you may imagine my joy when these cries were answered by the report of a gun. My brother had heard me, and the discharge of a gun, for a moment, seemed to daunt the wolf. He uttered a long howl, which was answered by the cries of a large pack of the dirty brutes from the wood. It was only just light enough to distinguish objects, and I had to stop and face my enemy, to keep him at bay.

I saw the skeleton forms of half a dozen more of them slinking among the bushes that skirted a low island; and tired and cold, I gave myself and the oxen up for lost, when I felt the ice tremble on which I stood, and we had much to do to get away from the shore. "Fire your guns!" I cried, as loud as I could. My order was obeyed, and such a yelling and howling immediately filled the whole air, that I thought that my children would be terrified. The varmints instantly fled away into the bush.

"I never felt the least fear of wolves until that night; but when they were in large bands, and cowardly dogs, they trust their numbers and grow fierce. If you meet with one wolf, you may be certain that the whole pack is at no great distance." We were fast approaching Sandy Point, a long white ridge of sand running half across the lake, and though only covered with scattered groups of scrubby trees and brush, it eventually appeared, and we were in the middle of the deep, a narrow stream, the shadow of the tall woods towering so many feet above us, cast an inky hue upon the water.

The scene was very imposing, and after paddling for a few minutes in shade and silence we suddenly emerged into light and sunshine, and Clear Lake, which gets its name from the unrivalled brightness of its waters, and from the fact that there is no island in this lake, nor any rock nor stick nor stone to break its tranquil beauty, and, at the time we reached it, there was but one clearing upon it.

The log hut of the squatter, commanding a beautiful prospect up and down the lake, stood upon a bold slope fronting the water, and was a fine specimen of the log-cabin, and black and white base. There is no island in this lake, nor any rock nor stick nor stone to break its tranquil beauty, and, at the time we reached it, there was but one clearing upon it.

"It is strange," he said, "that they are such bad swimmers. The Indian, though unarmoured by us whites in the use of the paddle, is a fine swimmer, and does not take readily to the water, and those among them who can swim seldom use it as a recreation." Fishing our way through the bushes, we came to a small opening in the underwood, so thickly grown with wild Canadian roses in full blossom, that the air was impregnated with a delightful odour. In the centre of this bed of blossoms rose a humble mound that projected the bones of the red man from the ravens' jaws of the wolf and the wild natural phenomenon, which Mat called the battery.

On the top of the shore stood a steep, perpendicular wall of limestone, that had the appearance of having been laid by the hand of man, so smooth and even was its surface. Frank and I placed our axes at about fifty feet, a natural platform of six or ten yards broad, the perpendicular line of the rock, when another wall, like the first, rose to a considerable height, and, in the second and third platform of the same description.

Fire, at some distant period, had run over these singularly beautiful terraces, and a second growth of plants and trees had sprung up, relieved by their tender green and light, airy foliage, the sombre indigo tint of the heavy pines that dotted like the plumes of a funeral-hearse over the forest, and the black ash trees, the water is forty feet deep, and the base of this precipice, which is washed by the waves. After we had passed the battery, Mat Y turned to me and said, "That is a famous place, and I have seen many a bear here, and many a moose, and many a shot among these rocks."

This led to a long discussion on the wild beasts of the country. "I do not think that there is much danger to be apprehended from them," said he; "but they are a very ugly adventure with a wolf, two winters ago, on this lake." I was all curiosity to hear the story, which sounded doubly interesting, for I had just seen a wolf while gliding over those lovely waters.

"We were lumbering at the head of Stony Lake, about eight miles from here, in our first winter, and several other hands, when the water was long and severe; although it was the first week in March, there was not the least appearance of snow, and the ice was so firm as to allow us to draw the saw-logs down to the water, our chopping being all completed, and the logs ready for rafting.

"I do not think it necessary to encumber myself with my rifle, and was, therefore, provided with no weapon of defence but the long gad I used to urge on the cattle. It was about four o'clock, the afternoon when I rounded Sandy Point, that long point which is about a mile ahead of us on the left shore, when I first discovered that I was followed, but at first, I thought it was only a wolf. At first, I thought it was only a wolf, and I thought it was only a wolf, and I thought it was only a wolf."

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OBITUARY

ELIZABETH MAURICE FOLEY

After about six months illness with pulmonary tuberculosis, Miss Maurice Foley passed away early Monday morning, at the age of 23 years. She was born a few miles from the village and had spent all her life in this vicinity.

Her father passed away when she was quite young and her mother died a few years shortly after moving to the village. A sister, Theresa, died about 2 years ago after a lingering illness.

The funeral took place on Wednesday forenoon, services being conducted in the church of the Sacred Heart by Rev. J. T. Hanley, after which interment took place in the R.C. cemetery.

The following gave Mass cards:—Mrs. Dunlop, Mrs. H. Auger, Mrs. MacPherson and Charles MacPherson, Mrs. Minnie LaFontaine, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Shannon, Mr. Chas. and Mrs. Eva Shannon, Gordon McWilliams, Miss L. Shannon, Miss Florence Auger, Mr. E. and Mrs. M. Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Burns, Mrs. Rose Sullivan, Miss Burns, Mrs. P. Sullivan, Miss Lena Sullivan, D. and L. Shannon, Miss Monica Shannon, Miss Margaret and Mrs. O'Connor, L. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Payne, Mrs. Bessie Crawford, Miss M. Shannon, Mrs. Wm. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. M. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Clement, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Marrin, Mr. E. J. Lynch, Mrs. William Flynn, Miss M. Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McAvoy, Wm. R. Spence, and Marmora B. T. Staff—Marmora Herald.

MARJORIE PEY

The funeral took place in Norwood Cemetery from the C.E.R. Station on Wednesday, of Marjorie Fey, daughter of Mr. J. W. Fry, the well known piano tuner, of Peterboro, and formerly of Norwood. Deceased was in her 16th year and had been ill three weeks. Up until the time of her illness she was attending the High School in Campbellford. She is survived by her father and two brothers, Elmer who resides near Campbellford and Maxwell of Brighton.

Her mother predeceased her about four years ago.

Rev. A. J. Terrill, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated at the grave. Rev. Mr. McIntosh, of Campbellford, was also present. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Fred Kempf, John Fuller, Basil Rogers, Robert Rathwell, Ralph Cuthbertson and Harland Keefer.—Norwood Register.

LATE MRS. JOSEPH MCKEOWN

One by one the last of the pioneer settlers of this district are passing across the river of death. Today it is our duty to record the death on Sunday, November 21st, of Mrs. Joseph McKeown, aged 69, widow of the late Joseph McKeown, of Seymour township.

Mrs. McKeown was the fourth of a family of eight children, of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Johnston, one of the first settlers in the township and natives of the Emerald Isle. Four of these children still survive:—Miss Susan Johnston and Mrs. Weir of Winnipeg, Man., also Messrs James and Hamilton Johnston, Campbellford.

When the Christian Church was established in their district, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and their family allied themselves with it and their daughter Jane (Mrs. McKeown) became a devoted Christian in early childhood, and until her death has been deeply interested in their local church, exercising a christian influence in her home and locality. The Bible has been her daily companion and the Christian fortitude with which she met death was a source of great comfort to her relatives and friends.

Seven children, out of a family of eight still survive the deceased parents: Mrs. Alex. Kennedy, Marmora; Mrs. Allan Wallbridge, Blairford; Mrs. John Miller, Campbellford; Mrs. Charles Egan, Whittemouth, Man.; Mr. James McKeown and Mrs. M. McComb, Stanwood, and Mr. Wm. McKeown, Chicago, Ill.

The remains were interred in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Campbellford, Wednesday, Nov. 24th.—Campbellford Herald.

LAD TO REST

LATE MRS. FITCHETT

The funeral of the late Mrs. Matilda Lavanta Fitchett took place on Friday at Beulah church, Mr. McNeil of the Holiness Movement conducting the service, assisted by Bishop Horner. The interment was made in the Fitchett burying ground at Franchoe.

LATE MICHAEL KELLEHER

The funeral of the late Michael Kelleher was held from the residence of his brother, Mr. Chas. Kelleher, 108 Dundas street to St. Michael's Church on Friday morning. Father Killen celebrating mass. Interment was made in St. James Cemetery, Father Whelan officiating at the grave. The obsequies were largely attended.

LATE MISS MARY SHEEHAN

This morning the funeral was held of the late Miss Mary Sheehan, who died in Montreal. The remains were removed from the Belleville Burial Company's private parlors to St. Michael's church where Father Killen celebrated mass. Interment was made at St. James cemetery. Father Whelan conducted the committal service.

REPORT OF PRIMARY ROOM OF FRANKFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL

A Class. Billy Simmons, Everett Patrick, Joe Rose, Grant Patrick, Reta Badgley, Madeline McNair, Margaret Sweetman, Lena Patrick, Irwin Smith. B Class. Carlton Bell, Gerald Hendrick, Clifford Smith, Joe Sullivan, Helen Chard, Dorothy Turner, Marjory Tompkins, Walter Turner, Gerald Nickolson, Bernice McLeod, Irene Hinds, Marjory Chard, Helen Haggerty, Harry Revoy, Arthur Patrick, Grace Smith. C Class. Eleanor MacRostie, Eva Harrison, Edna McMurter, Jack Dunlop, Edith Lyons, Ruby Hadley, Elmer Patrick, Jack Rowley, Gordon Revoy, Teresa Lakanda, Mary Macaulay.

D Class. Grant Patrick, Hubert Finnigan, Ruth Hendrick, Barrell Bedford, Gordon Stewart, Eva Stewart, Ray Mott, George Tompkins, Harry Rodgers. Audrey Campbell, Teacher.

U.S. DOCTORS AND PROHIBITION

The Christian Guardian, Dec. 1, reports a growing sympathy with prohibition in U.S. among medical men.—Only 200 out of 3700 physicians in New York city have applied for a renewal of their licenses to prescribe whiskey. Evidently either the demand is less or the doctors are prescribing other things.

FOUND A BROOK IN HIS GARDEN

Digging in his garden the other day at his house adjoining the Malleable Iron Works, Ottawa Police Court Interpreter Igel came upon a bottle of brandy, the seal of which had never been broken. Shortly after buying the house, another larger quantity of liquor was found, while the general belief is that there may be more of the much wanted fluid beneath the soil. While he did not say that he was going to engage a steam shovel for further excavation work, the step might be advisable.

RE W.C.T.U. RUMMAGE SALE, OCT. 15.

The receipts were \$305.69, expenses \$21.60, leaving a balance of \$284.09. Of this amount \$100. was donated to the Willard Memorial Hall, Toronto, a hostel for the accommodation of girls of the Province out of employment, not of Toronto girls. The surplus is being held for local expenses incident to the coming referendum campaign.

WAS TO BE TRIED THURSDAY.

The case of Guy Casey, of Belleville, charged with wilful neglect causing bodily injury while in charge of an auto, was to come up in the county judge's criminal court at Cobourg Thursday before Judge Ward. Casey was driving auto that struck Henry Love Newlove, of Bowmanville, in August last, causing his death.

BUY SMITH'S FALLS BONDS.

Harris, Forbes & Co., Toronto, have bought an issue of \$20,000 of thirty instalment six and a half per cent. debentures of the town of Smith's Falls. The price paid was \$8.31, and on this basis the cost to the municipality is about 8.65 per cent.

Mrs. G. Prager of Kingston has returned home from Belleville, where she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. R. B. Wiseman.

Bolshevik Couriers Easily Reach S. America

On Account of the Absence of Strict Control of Immigration

THE HAGUE, Dec. 4.—Absence in peace times, of any strict control of immigration in most south American countries, makes it particularly easy, The Associated Press correspondent was told by a member of the Brazilian diplomatic service, for Bolshevik couriers, sent out by Moscow to reach South America.

Recent investigations by the correspondent in several countries of Central Europe have indicated that a continuous effort is being made, through use of a courier and propaganda system that includes perhaps 25,000 Moscow-paid workers, to spread the doctrine of Bolshevism throughout the world.

In this effort, South and Central America are considered by the Bolsheviks not only as excellent fields for local "missionary work" along the lines of strikes and political unrest, but also as advanced field bases for promoting Bolshevism in North America, where stricter immigration laws prevail.

At Lisbon and the Spanish ports, the Moscow government has established courier bureaus, particularly designed to handle agitators and propaganda en route to Brazil, Argentina, Chile, etc., and one of the four sub-bureaus directing the entire world force of agitators is understood to be located either in Mexico or in one of the South American countries.

"So far as Brazil is concerned," a Brazilian diplomatist said, "the national constitution seems to prevent any serious efforts on this side of the Atlantic to weed out undesirable immigrants. In peace times, the country is free for every one, and we need immigrants, for our population is small compared with our huge area. Undesirables, such as Bolshevik agitators, should be handled and jalled on arrival."

While South American officials in Europe are quite familiar with the fact that the Soviet government is making a determined effort to spread its doctrines to South America, the view was expressed by one of them that Bolshevism cannot thrive in agricultural countries, where private ownership is essential.

Harbor Espionage Will be Fixed Up Next Year

Navigation on the Lakes About Finished For 1920.

COBourg, Dec. 8.—The tug Gilbert, in tow of the barge Sophia Minch, ran in here on Tuesday for coal, on its way to Toronto from Presqu'ile. The Gilbert had been trying to get up Presqu'ile Bay to Point Anne, but after battling three days against three inches of ice, decided to return to Toronto. Capt. Jas. Gilbert is in command of the tug.

The steambarge Rolph was in port on Tuesday on its way to Toronto with the scow which had been put adrift by the tug Florence Whalen on Nov. 11 in the big blow off Port Hope. The scow, which was loaded with stone, drifted to Wellington, and had to be lightened. The scow was slightly twisted, and was just showing above water when it left here for Toronto.

The steambarge W. J. Carter, which has been carrying coal from Oswego to Cobourg for the Robert Hicks Coal Co., has gone to Toronto to lay up for the winter and undergo repairs.

HULL OF THE RANDALL

There has been considerable talk on the streets of Kingston during the past few days about the inspection of the steamer Randall, which foundered two weeks ago. The government inspector, when asked about the matter, stated that the steamer did not come under the class inspected by the hull inspector. Some years ago she was changed to the class which only underwent the inspection of the boiler and engine inspector. Boats of under 150 tons are not inspected by the hull inspector. Several have suggested that this steamer should not have been allowed to sail on the lake for reason of the fact that she was not large enough to fight the heavy seas.

Mrs. (Dr.) Cleaver is in Toronto to attend the wedding of her daughter, Miss Mona, on Wednesday. A number of social affairs have been held by friends of Miss Cleaver in her honor during the past few days.

Miss Dorothy Lockwood, of 143 Charles St., entertained a few of her little friends on Saturday afternoon, at the occasion of her 13th birthday.

HARDING TO TAKE COUNSEL

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

"Where no counsel is, the people fall; but in the multitude of counselors there is wisdom." From the Proverbs of Solomon, a wise man and no mean politician in his day.

A first list of elder statesmen to be called into conference by President-Elect Harding on his return from the Canal Zone has been published. The names include those of former President Taft, Charles Hughes, Elihu Root, Senators Knox, Lodge, Johnson, Borah, Reed, Poincaré, Shields, Pomerene, New, Lenroot and Capper, and Herbert Hoover. This is a goodly list. It includes irreconcilable Democrats, Republican moderates and die-hards. Judging from the names one would infer that the first matter for consideration at the conferences will be the international situation—the German peace treaty, the League of Nations and the position the new national administration shall take with reference to peace with the de jure enemy.

If Senator Harding can bring all the elements included in this list to an agreement he will prove himself a great harmonizer and possessor of a gift that is sure to make his administration a notable one in political annals; if he fails, he has done his best and his intentions were certainly good.

Elements in the Democratic party that antagonized Wilson and his policies are to be consulted by the incoming executive, and it would appear as if he expected to bring together into a common understanding all those in the Senate who opposed the League of Nations, from the extremists in two parties to the moderates who would have been content to accept the covenant as submitted to the Senate with a limited number of reservations safeguarding American interests.

But it is easy to summon spirits from the vast deep. Will they obey? Can Mr. Harding bring Johnson and Lodge together and if so will it be on Johnson's terms or on Lodge's terms or on a Harding compromise? The likelihood is that it will be the last named, a proposition prepared in conjunction with Republicans outside the Senate, such as Root, Hughes and Hoover. Whatever the program to be submitted to the Senate, it is necessary, therefore, to have in consultation anti-League men in the Democratic party. The country wants peace and

viewed for peace and it looks to President Harding to bring peace at the earliest moment, a peace that will not disappoint the hopes of the nation and of those who went to France to make whatever sacrifice might be needed to uphold American ideals and American rights on the sea. If the Johnson-Borah-Reed plan for peace with Germany prevails with President-Elect Harding, the Senate may acquiesce for the sake of peace, although the country may feel that something has been left from the record. A reaction will follow. But do not think there is much likelihood of the extremist demands prevailing with a man sensible enough to call upon such a varied number of Statesmen, and would-be statesmen, for advice before submitting his policies to the nation.

The League of Nations has been doing notable work in Europe already under adverse circumstances. Before the present assembly adjourns the membership of the league is sure to be over fifty, quite an approach to internationalism—a federation of the nations. This body, representing so many peoples from the two hemispheres, is not going to disband because one nation declines membership, but at the same time practically all of the states in the league are willing to amend the covenant to meet well-placed requirements from the Harding administration. That the United States, the creditor receiver nation for Europe, is to stay out of the league is unthinkable from the economic standpoint, let alone that other and more appealing argument, a moral and spiritual obligation to itself and mankind, and overhauling. The coal shutes on the lake have closed and there will be no more coal here by boat this winter.

The steambarge Isabelle, with 350 tons of coal from Fairhaven, N.Y., for Geo. Plunkett & Son, arrived in port on Saturday. This was the last cargo by water for the season.

Engineers from the Public Works Department were in town recently measuring the esplanade which has fallen into a very dilapidated condition, the timber having rotted away. It is altogether probable that the north side of the harbor will be cemented next year.

The cement work at the "T" pier is nearing completion, and with a few weeks good weather should be finished. A runway for putting out boats is being constructed.

Everyday Religion

Week-end Talks by Dr. Thurston Fraser

"A Man's Private, Personal Devil"

"You surely do not believe that there is a personal devil," said an Englishman to a Boer.

"I certainly do," replied the South African.

"I thought that idea was exploded long ago," continued the Englishman.

"It is in the Bible," answered the Boer. "That's only figurative language." "It's the real truth and I can show you the devil's portrait."

With that the Boer produced a bulky old Dutch Bible in which there was an ancient wood-cut of Satan, with wings and scales, horns, hoofs and tail.

"There now!" he exclaimed in triumph. "You cannot deny that there is a devil now."

It is this Boer's idea of devil in some shape or another, which lurks in the back of the minds of most of us. It is a survival of stories we were told in our childhood; or, it may be, of illustrated editions of the Pilgrim's Progress, Paradise Lost, the Inferno, or even Tam o' Shanter.

Ancient and honorable as this kind of a devil is, he is really not very dangerous. He is too unattractive and too evident. No one would be tempted by Burns:

"Twaice tyke, black, grim, and large, nor Danie's great bat frozen in the realm of perpetual fire, nor Bunyan's Apollyon, belching out fire and smoke. Even Milton's heroic devil is too plainly the leader of a lost cause, spurred on by the courage of despair, to enlist volunteers in his service. Let these monsters come out in the open and any of us, even the weakest, would fight them, as the Pilgrim did and they would flee.

The devil a man has to fight is a much more subtle and dangerous enemy than any of these. It is the devil he has in his own self. It is the adversary he has to fight in his own

nature. Every man has his own private, particular, personal devil. No two men face exactly the same foe. One has to fight the devil of an evil temper, another the devil of avarice, another of spite, malice, jealousy, petty meanness, an unforgiving spirit, dishonesty, lying, faithlessness, lust, drink—these in a thousand forms are the devils we have to meet.

There are said to be 350,000,000 gods in India. There are more than that many devils in the world. Every man and woman has his or her own particular devil. Many people have several of them. Some have a whole menagerie.

The worst aspect of this is that we identify our devils with ourselves. We think that their voices are our voices, their thoughts our thoughts, their prompting our own desires. When Jesus once approached a man possessed of an evil spirit, the man cried: "Let us alone."

He identified the evil spirit with himself. He thought his voice was his own voice. He fought against being saved from it.

Men still do this. The bad-tempered man prides himself on his crankiness. The revengeful man prides himself on getting even. The spiteful person prides himself on keeping up a grudge. The mean, envious person prides himself on getting the better of his neighbour.

Not one of them realize that in so doing he is cultivating his devil, and identifying himself with his deadliest foe.

If men could only realize that, they would have the evil spirit cast out, and in their right mind would sit at the feet of Jesus.

Ald. George F. Ostrom left for Montreal today on business.

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On the other hand the opposition of the measure, including the full socialist faction, have de they will oppose the passage every means at hand and should fall will later seek to vitiate legislation.

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The socialists say the measure a "capitalistic scheme" aimed at working classes, who could get no benefit at all from compulsory labor. They further point out it probably could not be enforced and back up this statement with the argument that, Mr. Eraberger's present laws have been enforced, and no attempt been made to enforce them.

While the law was introduced primarily to affect the wage rate it has, it is understood, during drafting process been extended if it would apply to virtually person in Germany, in one for another, as an effort to bring trib to its highest efficiency. ever, the form in which it event may be submitted may be modified owing to the intense of tion.

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THAT FOUR MONTHS' INTERIM

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From November to March, in this day of rapid transit, is a "cycle of waiting" compared to what the period of waiting represented in the time when the constitution was adopted. The intermediate months are considered too long by the waiting politician. Conservatives believe, however, that the period is not wasted, as it gives time for thought and counsel. It is not certain that a change to bring the inaugural closer to the election would be welcomed by a majority; we are a very conservative people.

Mr. Bryan has taken on himself the role of accelerator and urges that Mr. Wilson stay not on the order of the going but go at once in the language of Lady Macbeth. Some old-fashioned folks may question Mr. Bryan's good taste. But then, Mr. Bryan would argue that the public good is above personal feeling and it is for the public interest that Mr. Wilson gets out before his time. An added argument is the condition of Mr. Wilson's health. He is a chair invalid. In time the physical breakdown is sure to affect the operation of his brain. Mr. Bryan has had little use for Mr. Wilson since the latter entered the lists as candidate for the presidency.

Mr. Bryan entered the Wilson Cabinet as Secretary of State to dominate. In this intent he failed. Mr. Wilson from the outset served as a wet blanket on the other man. The one was emotional outwardly, the other cold; the one appealed to the multitude through his dexterity with words and silvery voice; the other through his restraint and intellectual intuition. Mr. Bryan disapproved the war; Mr. Bryan disapproved Mr. Wilson's second candidacy. He was unceremoniously "sat upon" at the 1920 national convention by Mr. Wilson's junta.

What President Wilson may do this time is not known; it is possible that of his own desire he may step

aside before the legal term expires. He has other work to do, his physical state permitting; or he may elect to see it through and prevent, if possible, a German peace not in accord with the Versailles treaty.

It is no secret that, four years ago if Mr. Wilson had failed in re-election he would have called his successor to the cabinet as Secretary of State immediately following the election, and permitting Judge Hughes to carry out his own policy respecting Europe. This intent was known to London, Paris and Berlin. In his memoirs Count Bernstorff, German ambassador at Washington, at the time referred to states this point blank. Other diplomats went so far in their confidential reports as to hold that Mr. Wilson intended to resign and secure at the same time the resignation of his vice-president, to permit Mr. Hughes to serve as acting president for the critical months between Nov. 1916 and March 1917. Beyond doubt the nation would have upheld this step on the part of Mr. Wilson, if it had been found necessary. The world situation was extremely tense, in fact almost to the breaking point. War was declared by Mr. Wilson within a month of his second inauguration.

This year foreign affairs are not in such critical condition as to warrant extremes, and yet there is intense desire on the part of the American people and of Central Europe to see peace proclaimed and reconstruction policies adopted during the winter months. The voice of the people was so overwhelmingly in one tone that the occupant of the White House cannot be altogether deaf to it. Within his party ranks Mr. Wilson had difficulty in maintaining discipline before the election. Is it not probable that mutiny will break out this winter in case Mr. Wilson should persist in his pre-election determination regarding the League of Nations and the main peace treaty?

Drafting a Law in Germany for the Conscription of Labor

It Would Apply to Girls, Women, Men and Boys and They Would Have to Render One Year Service.

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—Conscription of labor to increase production in Germany, a law for which is being drafted, would apply to girls and women as well as men and boys, all of whom would be compelled to render a year of service in mines, factories, on farms, in hospitals, or wherever the state directed.

The proposal, credited to Matthias Erzberger, former Minister of Finance, has become the storm center of a discussion which has run the scale from invective and threat to ridicule, and now, with the law nearing completion, its proponents have made it apparent they will seek with deadly earnestness to force its passage through the Reichstag.

On the other hand the opponents of the measure, including the powerful socialist faction, have declared they will oppose the passage with every means at hand and should they fail will later seek to vitiate the legislation.

Herzberger's plan is to supplement the tax laws he has already succeeded in passing with a measure that would compel increased production, result in a consequent increase in collectable taxes and so tend toward helping Germany pay her debts.

The socialists say the measure is a "capitalistic scheme" aimed at the working classes, who could derive no benefit at all from compulsory labor. They further point out that it probably could not be generally enforced and back up this statement with the argument that many of Erzberger's present laws have never been enforced, and no attempt has been made to enforce them.

While the law was intended primarily to affect the wage earners, it is understood, during the drafting process been extended until it would apply to virtually every person in Germany, in one form or another, as an effort to bring industrial as well as agricultural production to its highest efficiency. However, the form in which it eventually may be submitted may be radically modified owing to the intense opposition.

In proposing and supporting the law, Erzberger, is said to have had principally in view the effect of conscripted labor in the coal and timber lands.

The fact that there is now nearly 1,000,000 unemployed persons in Germany and that many factories have been closed is pointed to by labor leaders and some legislators as proof that such a law is a "capitalistic proposal" and could have no appreciable effect. They also assert it would be expensive and would mean the establishment of a colossal government machinery to direct its enforcement.

Among prominent parliamentary leaders who have come out in opposition to the law are Philipp Scheidemann, leader of the Majority Socialists; George Gothein, economic expert and leader of the democratic party; and Bernhard Dernburg, former Finance Minister.

Fire Destroyed Str. Schoolcraft

Vessel Burned To Water's Edge At Foot Of Wolfe Island.

KINGSTON, Dec. 8.—The steamer Schoolcraft, a coal carrying vessel, was burned to the water's edge on the north side of the lower end of Wolfe Island, seventeen miles from the city Friday morning. The crew was saved, though the boat is a total loss.

Information which reached the city regarding the loss of the boat was rather vague and it was practically impossible to get in touch with members of the crew until the steamer Missisquoi called down to the end of the island on its return from Cape Vincent to bring the crew to the city. It was learned, however, that the fire broke out suddenly and despite the efforts of the crew, the boat soon fell prey to the flames, and to save their own lives, the crew were forced to leave the vessel.

The Schoolcraft is a vessel of about 135 feet, and was formerly owned in the United States. Some time ago she was purchased by Mr. Masley Chew of Midland, and was carrying coal from Erie to Montreal when she took fire.

It is not known whether the boat and cargo were insured.

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

Some men have such hatred for greed that it worries them if others make more money than they do.

No Mad Rush to Scene of Gold Discovery

Rich Mixture of Silver and Lead Chlorides Discovered.

NEW GLASGOW, N.S. Dec. 8.—Dirt "paying five hundred dollars a ton, a rich mixture of silver and lead chlorides" has failed to quicken the pulses of blue-noses a single beat, and there is no mad rush to the scene of its reported discovery near Gordon Summit, Pictou County. "Unlike the gold-bearing quartz of Guyaboro which is hard and granite-like in appearance, the samples of the mineral from the 'Rainbow Lead' are soft and break up quite easily. The cost of mining is therefore small and even at a much lower production per ton than is estimated through the various assays made by the Nova Scotia News, "it should be a richly paying proposition from the start."

The latest discovery of gold in Nova Scotia recalls to old timers the days when digging for the precious metal in Halifax and Guysboro Counties was paying dividends. The Province was never an Eldorado, but a dozen years ago when labor and material for the cautious shallow mining were cheap, Nova Scotia sold her gold for coin of the realm.

"It doesn't pay now," said a Nova Scotian, who knows as much about the gold-mining history of the Province as anybody, "for the same reason that it doesn't pay to mine fairly rich dirt in Africa and Australia. Perhaps when labor is cheaper again and water power is available, or when the price of gold goes up, it ever does, then the mines may be worked again. It doesn't pay to produce gold for sale at twenty dollars an ounce if it costs forty dollars to get the ounce."

Other opinion holds that the gold mines of the Province, full of pockets where the miners "struck it rich," were a delusion and a snare to the unwary investor of the good old days. Scores of people lost their savings in unfortunate lunge on "pockets" that evidently petered out.

Beavers Stripping Trees and Bushes

On the Right Bank of Prince's Island in Calgary City.

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 6.—Beavers have stripped bare of all bush and trees, 150 feet of the right bank of Prince's Island, in Calgary city, opposite the Eau Claire Lumber Company's premises, and are still gnawing away frantically each night in an endeavor to store up enough food, on the bottom of the river, before it freezes up, to feed on during the winter. So great is the havoc being wrought on the trees on this island by these amphibians that the manager of the lumber company has written to the game warden at Edmonton, asking him to issue a permit for their extinction in this locality.

When a reporter visited the island the right shore looked as though it had been swept by a barrage of heavy artillery, with the exception that the stumps presented a smooth appearance than would have resulted from a visitation from these brazen nosed individuals. All piled just as neatly a little way back from the bank. The remaining stumps, freshly cut, were, some of them, as much as two or three feet in diameter. The bodies of the trees had been removed by the lumber company before the beavers had had time to sink them; as these uncanny creatures had so directed their sawing process that each tree fell directly out onto the soft ice in this part of the river, awaiting to be sunk as soon as the first warm day should come along and melt the shale.

Rebuild the Palace Theatre

No Balcony But Better Ventilation.

Contractor Perry G. Denike begins tomorrow morning the work of the reconstruction of the Palace Theatre which was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago. Contrary to the first plans there will be no balcony in the new movie house. This will give a ceiling twenty-five feet high and provide ample ventilation. There will be no apartments over the theatre as in the old building. Mr. Denike expects to have the work completed by March 1st.

There will be a new marquee and a new front to the house and the walls of the structure will be plastered.

OBITUARY

MRS. MIRANDA GREEN.

Mrs. Miranda Green, widow of the late Wheeler Green of Michigan, passed away in Toronto at midnight on Saturday. She was a daughter of the late Peter Denyes and was born on the ninth concession of Thurlow in 1844. The early part of her life was spent in this vicinity. She was twice married, her first husband being the late W. H. Phillips. Thirty-five years ago she left Belleville. Lately she had been residing with her sister, Mrs. John S. Patterson, 560 Manning Ave., Toronto, where her death occurred after an illness of about one year. Surviving besides Mrs. Patterson are three brothers, A. K. Denyes, of California, G. B. Denyes, 11 Grove St., Belleville and J. M. Denyes, of Sagamun.

The remains will be brought here by C.N.R. on Tuesday at noon for interment in Belleville cemetery.

MRS. SARAH S. LATTI.

Mrs. Sarah S. Latti, widow of the late Sylvester Latti and daughter of the late Anthony Sample, died on Saturday at Plainfield, at the age of 79 years. She was born in Thurlow and resided in the vicinity all her life. She was twice married, her first husband being James Shepherd. She was a life-long Methodist. She had been seriously ill for three months.

Surviving are two sons, Geo. W. Shepherd, Napanee and Alex. Shepherd, Minneapolis and one daughter, Miss Mary Shepherd, of Clifton Springs, N.Y. Two granddaughters are living in Minneapolis and Minn. North Dakota.

The funeral was held this afternoon to Garrison's burying ground.

Twilight Organ Recital

The Saturday afternoon Recital in Bridge Street church, given by the Organist, Mr. V. P. Hunt, brought out a large attendance of music lovers and a good collection for Christmas Cheer for the Home of the Friendless. Mr. Hunt played a program of organ music which was diversified and pleasing in a finished and artistic style. While the twilight shadows falling through the church rendered the organ tones all the more enjoyable, Mrs. McKinnon and Mr. R. J. Fletcher Staples assisted with some very beautiful songs, the following was the programme:

Prelude—Rachmannhoff.
Ave Maria—Schubert.
"The Tragedy of a Tin Soldier," (Descriptive Suite for the organ)—Gordon Balch Nevill.

(a) "The Return from the War."
(b) "His Jealousy," (a hated rival has usurped his place in the affections of his sweetheart.)

(c) "His Farewell Serenade."
(d) "The Tin Soldier's Funeral March."

Song—Crossing the Bar.—Bernard, Mrs. McKinnon.
"Largo" (from the New World Symphony)—Dvorak.
Valse Lente (from Coppelia)—Leo Delibes.

Twilight—Frynsinger.
Dragon Flies—Gillette.

Song—(a) A Golden Ray of Gladness, T. Wilkinson, Stephenson; (b) Mother O Mine, Tours—Mr. R. J. Fletcher Staples.

March of the Magi—Dubois.

November Donations to Children's Shelter

Mrs. Leonard Preat, Holloway, pillow; Miss Eva Chippen, pair boots; Taylor's bake shop, buns; I. O. O. F., eatables; Friend, clothing; W.M.S., Cannifton, 2 jars fruit, 1 lb. butter and clothing; Striving Women's Institute, 1 bag potatoes; Mrs. Dolish, 299 Foster Ave., clothing and jelly; Mrs. J. D. Collip, coat and tunic; Friend, 5 pairs spats; Mrs. Campbell, 150 Bridge St., crockinole board; Wallbridge Women's Institute, Mrs. Blaks Ketcheson, President, 2 aprons; Brother Ready Workers, Rawdon, Mrs. Thos. Montgomery, President, 2 bags potatoes; Ivanhoe W.M.S., clothing and sewing done; Mr. Beaumont Jarvis, bag vegetables; Holloway St. Methodist Church, rummage sale, hats and boots; Gorman's shoe store pair slippers; Y.M.C.A., sandwiches and cake; Mrs. Harris, Chatham St., clothing; Bell Telephone dance, sandwiches and cake; Mr. W. H. Barber, rubbers and leggings; Mrs. Barber, Rossmore, 2 bags potatoes; Miss Emmons, Foster Ave., pair boots; Ever Ready Workers of Rawdon, Mrs. Thos. Montgomery, President, 5 girls' bonnets, 2 tams, 1 dress, 1 scarf, 7 boys' suits, 4 pairs pants, 1 toque, 2 children's waists, 5 pairs mitts, 3 pairs stockings, 1 lady's blouse, 6 infants' shirts, 3 pairs stockings and frutt.

QUEEN MARY'S ROBES IN ROYAL MUSEUM.

During her visit to Toronto the Duchess of Devonshire, Mistress of the Robes, opened the Royal gowns, packed by Queen Mary herself for the Royal Ontario Museum in Toronto. Photo shows one of the robes of rich ivory satin, richly ornamented with pearl and crystal embroideries. Touches of silver lace appear on the bodice. This gown was worn by Queen Mary at State functions, subsequent to the coronation.

To Form Western Canada Poultry Association

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 6.—A proposal for the formation of a Western Canada Poultry Association in the three prairie provinces, was adopted at the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Poultry Breeders' Association in Saskatoon. The question of the formation of the organization will be taken up with the Alberta and Manitoba bodies by the Saskatchewan executive.

Famous New Brunswick Guide is Dead

MISSON, N.B., Dec. 6.—Joseph Bernard, the famous New Brunswick guide, died here a few days ago. He was a victim of pneumonia. For many years he has plotted moon-hunting parties on their annual trips into the forests of New Brunswick, and under his guidance some record heads were taken.

Extraordinary Chain of Coincidences is Ended

RAMSGATE, N.B., Dec. 6.—An extraordinary chain of coincidences has ended with the death of the two daughters of Mr. J. D. Smith. They were twins, married at the same time and died from heart trouble at the age of thirty-two years within a few hours of each other.

British Columbia Has 600 Drug Addicts

VANCOUVER, Dec. 6.—There are more than six hundred drug addicts in British Columbia; and, taking the usual statistical commercial value of a life as six thousand dollars, this means a liability on the province of \$3,600,000, according to a statement made by Dr. Malcolm T. McEachern, superintendent of the general hospital.

This large number of drug addicts, Dr. McEachern believes, is not only becoming a heavy liability owing to their non-productive capacity, but is a definite loss owing to the part which they take in crime.

A psychopathic institution is needed, he said, for scientific treatment of these cases, with some organization to "recitimize" them.

Spracklin To Be Tried at London

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—It is probable that Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin will be tried at London for the death of Beverley Trumble, the Sandwich hotelman, according to a special despatch to The Star from Windsor today. If held in London the trial will be held in March.

Mrs. and Miss Helen MacCreary left today for Southern Pines, N.C., for the winter months, spending Christmas "en route" with her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Miner, of Athens, Pa.

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ANOTHER SCHEME FOR LIVING A CENTURY IS JUST ANNOUNCED

French Doctor's Book is Reviewed in New York Times by Dr. Von Buren Thorne, and He Evidently is Impressed by It—An Any Event the Method Costs Nothing.

Would you like to live for more than a hundred years? You know, they say, that the first hundred is the worst, and somebody else has remarked that life is the only thing worth living. If so, there is a learned Frenchman who believes he can tell you how to do it. His name is Dr. L. H. Golzet, of the Faculty of Paris, and he has written a book in which he reveals his secret. Dr. Golzet is described as an eminent physician, 85 years old, in complete possession of his faculties, mental and physical, in addition to the Faculty of Paris. For the past 13 years he says, he has enjoyed perfect health, due to the method discovered by him which he now makes public. He has tried his method on many people, and declares that in not a single case has it failed. The book is reviewed in the New York Times by Dr. Van Buren Thorne, and evidently he is impressed by it. In any event, the method costs nothing. One can try it on himself, and apparently it differs from other methods in that the first step is not to swear off something, nor the second step to swear on something extremely disagreeable.

"Rectitude of Form."
When a patient goes to Dr. Golzet he is requested to take off his clothes and stand upright. The physician then endeavors to find if the patient is in a "state of equilibrium"; whether his two lateral halves are in "parity"; whether the anatomical and physiological organizations are in harmony. His examination is made with the eye and the thumb line, no attention being paid to the diagnostic machines that are now so numerous. What is required is "rectitude of form" and Dr. Golzet's task is to discover how far the lateral halves have deviated from the median line, and then to estimate how long it will require before this rectitude may be recaptured. That it can be restored is his contention, and he asserts that once rectitude of form is re-established the degenerative processes will be stopped. Science hitherto has believed, that this slow disintegration was fulfillment of a natural law that ultimately resulted in death.

Butterfly Massage.
The treatment is thus described: The patient lies on his back, and the operator, beginning with the head, proceeds with a series of "slow, gentle, rotary, tractive motion" that are almost too mild to be called massage. The top of the head is rubbed, from west to east, with the palm of

the hand. The touch is said to be almost imperceptible and the rubbing is continued until the body has been traversed to the tips of the toes and fingers. Treatments occupy usually an hour, but for severe cases two hours are required. The rubbing is repeated every other day and is continued for from one week to three months. At the end of that time rectification is said to have been effected, and so long as it is maintained a patient ceases growing old. That is to say, he remains indefinitely at the age he is when the cure is effected. Dr. Golzet says he is now 88.

It Does Indeed!
"It seems extraordinary, at first, that rubbings so light could produce effects of such importance, that under their conscious and reasoned action one sees the enlarged mouth shrink, the commissures contract, the nostrils appear, the jaws relax, the teeth loosen, the wrinkles disappear, the contracted and elevated shoulders descend to their normal place, the neck gets clear, the head, sloping forward, becomes erect, the wrists become refined, the fingers taper and stretch out, the gluteus muscles take their position at the level of the iliac ridges, and free the lumbar region, the coxofemoral joint recovers the extent and suppleness of its movement, the bust holds itself freely erect, the knee cap, the muscles of the thigh and the calves occupy their respective places, the ankle bones reduce, the toes recover mobility and their parallelism; in a word, the static equilibrium re-establishes itself, together with the harmony of the functions, the rectitude of forms, health and beauty."

The Theory Behind.
His theory is that health depends upon a nutrient molecule which begins its course immediately beneath the skin, and at first flowing just below the surface of the body gradually penetrates every part of it. He believes that if its course is not obstructed it will carry perfect health and a relative immortality to every atom of the system. This current flows from west to east, according to a fixed law of nature. He contends that if infants are thus gently rubbed they will never know pain or sickness, except those of course that are the result of accident. As the child grows it may continue the practice upon itself. He does not believe that special skill is needed for this earnest massage, but it is of vital importance that the rubbings shall be from west to east. One cannot live as long as a result of perfect rectitude, says Dr. Golzet but the aim, and his declining years will be free from pain and general helplessness.

PRO-HAPSBURGS DECLARE EMPEROR CHARLES KING OF HUNGARY

Country in State of Unrest and Sudan Upheld of Recently Attained Peace Threatened

BUDAPEST, Dec. 8.—The question who will eventually occupy the throne of Hungary, has been a constant source of unrest and trouble, threatening a sudden upheaval of the recently attained peace and order.

The pro-Hapsburgs declare that the former Emperor Charles is the real king of Hungary and that no one else can legally aspire to the throne until he abdicates. The Independent Magyars, including large masses of the rural population, declare they will never surrender their recently-won independence.

In addition there is a third group of politicians which is willing to defer the throne to any king who promises the restoration of Hungary's lost provinces. To achieve this, they would even consent to do homage to the King of the Serbs or the Hungarians.

Much propaganda is being circulated in favor of the former Emperor Charles or his son, Prince Otto, and grave fears are expressed that the over-zealous partisans of the Hapsburg dynasty may eventually succeed in compelling the country to accept a royalist coup as an accomplished fact. There is every indication that the followers of Charles are successful in their efforts to convince the country that the restoration of the Hapsburgs would improve Hungary's lamentable situation.

Admiral Horthy, the regent, recently declared, "All parties may rest assured that I shall not abuse my powers for the satisfaction of my personal ambition. On the other hand," he added, "no party will be suffered to play pich and toss with the Crown of Saint-Stephen. There must be no plots and conspiracies and everybody is to realize that for the time being, it is in the interest of the country to put that delicate matter under prohibition."

The leader of the Independent farmer party, Stephen J. Kovacs, who represents the traditional Magyar hatred against Austria and the Hapsburgs, has accused the pro-Charles of planning some surprise action and also aiming to renew the union with Austria.

"The Hapsburgs will never give up their former countries," said Kovacs. "I am reliably informed that former Emperor Charles insists on first entering Vienna and thence marching in triumph to Budapest. But the Magyars will never again acquiesce in losing their dearly-bought independence."

Kovacs expresses the opinion of large masses of the rural population. Prince Louis Windischgratz, a personal friend of the Emperor, contested successfully for a seat in the National Assembly of Hungary and might contribute materially in helping to victory the case of his friend and former sovereign. He told the Associated Press correspondent: "There can be no doubt about the claims of Charles. He is the crowned King of Hungary and until he resigns or arrives at some agreement with the nation, any attempt to dethrone him is an overt act of revolu-

tion. "Hungary," the Prince continued, is now dependent on the help of one of the big powers, and will probably find her friend and supporter in France. According to my information, France is not strongly opposed to the return of the Hapsburgs, the more so, because it is an essential condition of maintaining permanent order in eastern Europe. Besides, the restoration of the dynasty is not explicitly vetoed by the Treaty of Neuilly.

"Charles is a man, in the ideal ruler. He is entirely democratic and a reformer, and although the estimations of his enemies spared neither his person nor his family, I am convinced that under more favorable circumstances he would have been the most popular and the most beloved King in the world."

Mental Food for Sickened Europe

(By R. Gordon Wasson)
LONDON, Dec. 3.—The intellectual feeding of famished Central Europe has begun.

For more than two years America and England have furnished flour and meat to the starving peoples of the fallen empire, to keep their bodies alive. From now on we shall be satisfying likewise their intellectual hunger, a hunger less crucial perhaps, but in the end no less important.

Since the outbreak of the war in 1914, the population once comprising Germany and Austria-Hungary has been shut out from the mental life of the West. They ignore almost completely the work that has been done by the English, French and American scholars in science, philosophy, and literature. Since the armistice the worthlessness of the marks have placed foreign books and periodicals far beyond their reach. The desperate plight of their universities and libraries has prompted numerous appeals for help in the last few months.

Seeing here a splendid opportunity for intellectual reconciliation and concord, based on a common heritage of thought, a group of eminent Englishmen and Americans have organized the Anglo-American University Library for Central Europe, under the presidency of Viscount Bryce. Their object is to establish libraries in conveniently situated depots in Central Europe, from which books and periodicals indispensable for teachers and students may be distributed. The stocks for these libraries are either donated, or are given in exchange for foreign publications.

Lay Sound Foundation.
The public should not interpret the movement as an offer to forget and forgive made to the Teutonic peoples. The re-establishment of pre-war relations is not the sole end sought. Although an exchange of publications will be encouraged, the primary object is to enable the leaders of thought in Central Europe, Slavonic as well as Teutonic, to catch up with Western scholarship. The benefits of the library will be extended to Poland, Czechoslovakia, and perhaps even Estonia, as well as to Germany and Austria. By furnishing them back copies of our best journals for the last six years, by making it possible for them to acquaint themselves with our most notable recent books, it is hoped that a sound foundation can be laid for intellectual collaboration in the future, collaboration as thorough and whole-hearted as that which will afford a real deterrent to international misunderstandings. The purpose of the library is not to propagandize our defeat; it is to provide a means of intellectual contact, of a nature, or books of controversy on the war.

Curious Difficulty.
In America the work of the library will be directed largely through the office of the Institute for National Education, under Dr. Stephen P. Duggan. Professor Franz Bos, of Columbia University, and Dr. John W. Cassidge, director of the Columbia School of Journalism, are likewise giving their whole-hearted support.

A curious difficulty has handicapped the efforts of the American committees. Before the war, the Smithsonian Institution in Washington handled all the international exchanges in books and journals. At present the anomalous situation of the

United States toward Germany, and the great expense which distribution of literature there entails, render it impossible for the Institute to renew their former activities. An agreement has now been reached with the English committee, however, by which we shall forward our contributions to a depot in London, where they will be shipped to their destination. Already one lot of periodicals is on its way thither.

Germany's Attitude.
There is no question about Germany's attitude toward the movement. The universities and scientific institutes of Central Europe, Mr. B. M. Headicar, the secretary, says, "urgently desire to resume the exchange relations with foreign learned societies which they enjoyed before the war, but they are very diffident in the existing circumstances about approaching these societies directly. I have just been speaking to the wife of an eminent doctor of chemistry in Hesse; she is so intent on the success of our Library that she has brought from Germany a valuable oil painting, which she is trying to dispose of in order to hand over the proceeds of the sale as a contribution to our funds."

"Berlin, Budapest, Frankfurt, Cottengen, Krakow, Munich, Prague, and Vienna have been made centers of the Library and will be responsible for the administration of the books and the expenses connected therewith in their respective areas."

It is interesting to note that Krakow, rather than Warsaw has been chosen as a depot; the committee decided that the university life has been so distributed in the Polish capital by the recent war that it was not a suitable spot.

Consignments have already been shipped to Berlin, Budapest, Prague, Frankfurt, and elsewhere, and catalogues of needed books and journals have been received from no fewer than three scores of centers of learning in the former empire.

Eminent Support.
The English supporters of the Library include some of the most eminent men in the kingdom. Besides Lord Bryce, who is as well known in America as in his native land, there are the Rev. Canon William Temple, the liberal churchman, Arnold S. Rowantree, the social worker, and Professor Graham Wallis, the sociologist. The executive committee have just sent out broad-cast an appeal for funds and contribution of books, and the vigorous response that has already rewarded their efforts forecasts a successful campaign.

Unique Opportunity.
The task of the Anglo-American Library, as Mr. Headicar says, represents a phase of relief work which cannot be met by the existing agencies, but which offers a unique opportunity of reconciling the intellectual world. There is a hunger of the mind and soul as well as of the body. By thus taking the initiative in extended the hand of fellowship to colleagues in foreign countries, whether former enemy countries or not, where the exchange conditions hinder a resumption of study and research, British and American scholars are seizing a timely opportunity of helping to heal the wounds of the war.

A New Anaesthetic Has Been Produced in Soviet Russia

It is Said to be "Pleasant to Take" and There is Relatively no Danger.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—An anaesthetic with relatively no danger and "pleasant to take" is said to have been produced and used in the hospitals of Soviet Russia. Dr. Marcou, once an interne of the Paris hospitals, describes the process in an article written for L'Information. He asserts that he watched the new method used in Petrograd hospitals. He attributes its experimental use on animals to Professor Kravkoff and its application to operations on persons to Professor Fedovoff, formerly surgeon to the Emperor.

Dr. Marcou says the patient awakes from the sleep produced by it a little heavy in the head but without nausea or ill effects. It is methylchloral in the proportion of one to 100 parts of warm, salty water that does the business, he says. This is injected directly into a large vein in the elbow and the hollow tube is left in the vein so more may be pumped in as needed. When from 100 to 200 grams of the liquid have been put in the blood the patient sleeps but there still remains reflexaction in the eyes, which is taken as the standard of anaesthesia. As more of the sleep-producer is used, sensitiveness leaves the eyes

and the surgeon operates, testing the eyes from time to time so as to keep the blood-system supplied with the fluid. The patient sleeps several hours after the completion of the operation.

"Hundreds of operations," says Dr. Marcou, "were performed in Russia during my stay. I watched some of them. Not one case of death has yet been reported."

Old Controversy Opened Between China and Japan

Serious Controversy Raised on Account of Japanese Sending Troops to Hungchun.

PEKING, Dec. 3.—The fact that Japanese authorities sent troops to the frontier town of Hungchun, in Chinese territory, for the announced purpose of protecting Japanese subjects, after the town had been raided by bandits, appears to have raised a serious controversy between the Foreign ministries of the countries in question, and incidentally to have reopened an old controversy concerning an adjacent territory known as Chientao. (Hungchun is a Chinese town on the border of China, Korea, and the Maritime provinces of Siberia. It is about 80 miles south of Vladivostok.)

The Chinese accuse the Japanese of being actuated by a ulterior motive in the course they have pursued. E. Lenox Simpson, statesman to the President of China, has pointed out that it is significant that such attacks by Chinese bandits are always attempted where Japan wishes to set up garrisons.

Early in October a band of outlaws which is said to have numbered several thousand and to have been well supplied with modern rifles and machine guns, entered Hungchun, killed a number of people including, it is said, several Japanese, and burned the Japanese consulate. After the raid, and in the face, it is said, of an impending repetition of the outrage, the Japanese moved troops into the place and incidentally into the adjacent territory of Chientao.

In the course of diplomatic exchanges over the situation, it appears that the Tokio Foreign Office assumed that Peking had agreed to "co-operation" by Japanese troops, whereas the Chinese Foreign Ministry alleges that the invasion having already occurred when the question of cooperation was first discussed, its attitude was one of protest against a fait accompli.

E. Lenox Simpson (Putnam Weale comments on the Hungchun affair in the Peking Leader as follows: "Hungchun is the nearest important point on Chinese territory to the Sea of Japan, that important sheet of water which is virtually landlocked and of which Japan now holds all the keys. Hungchun is so close to Possiet Bay it is reached in a few hours by carriage. That it should have been singled out for the latest 'massacre' is curious and illuminating. Immediately prior to this affair, it should be recalled, the Chinese bandits attacked the valuable Su Chan coal mines near Vladivostok, necessitating their occupation by Japanese troops precisely in the way that Hungchun has now been occupied."

"The remarkable audacity which the bandits of Manchuria have developed during the past year is a curious feature of a nebulous situation. The writer, when in the region of the Chinese Eastern railway on an official mission, did his best to pierce the mist which surrounds the fact that such a large number of Japanese rifles and machine guns and Japanese hand grenades should be distributed through this area, weapons not so easily acquired as to make the ordinary explanation acceptable. The fact that these attacks were always attempted where Japan seems anxious to install garrisons was held peculiarly significant."

Mr. Simpson goes on to say that the conclusions he reached on the occasion of an investigating trip to Manchuria were that there may be a nucleus of group of men connected with Japanese staffs who favor the use of these bands in order to break down authority; that these bands have been supplied with or allowed to purchase all the weapons they require and that they perhaps do not respect the orders of their agents and, in the heat of raids, act like savages. "Hungchun and the long-voiced Chientao area which is enclosed by

In Memoriam DR. JOHN MOORE

Editor Ontario.—While perusing your weekly of the issue of Nov. 18, I noticed at the top of one column in large head lines "Dr. John Moore Injured; Died in the Hospital." I read with great interest the synopsis of his preparation for his life's work, as well as some things relative to his work, and if not occupying too much of your valuable time and space, wish to add a few words of testimonial relative to this good man, the late Dr. Moore.

It was my pleasure to be intimately associated with him when he was in attendance at the Belleville High School. We were class-mates throughout the High School course of studies, and during almost the entire last year we were also room-mates, as his brother, William, entered the High School prior to John's entrance, hence graduated before him; then John invited me to share the rooms previously occupied by his brother, which were quite commodious, in a very good brick house on a street coming in conjunction with the Kingston Road at the west end of Church St. I accepted his kindly invitation. We lived together as brothers, except the little grievances which so frequently fall in the pathway of brothers never fell to our lot, as I believed before, then more practically knew him to be very studious, and thorough, as we studied frequently past the midnight hour, but never in revelry.

He was very conscientious, both as a Christian gentleman, and in all his dealings. As we lived together, I learned to love John Moore, and to appreciate his integrity and conscientious convictions. He was faithful in his attendance in the class for Bible study and the Presbyterian Church. He was a staunch Sabbatharian, and disinclined to stoop to anything low or unprincipled.

His was a stalwart character. He was of a very even temperament; I do not remember of ever seeing him ruffled even under trying circumstances. Far as I remember, there was never an unkindly word or thought between us, nothing but warmest friendship. One period narrated in his history in the issue of Nov. 18, I noticed was omitted; viz, after his graduation from the High School and prior to his studies as a veterinarian and afterwards an M.D. he taught school for some time.

When I read of his tragic death, I was both shocked and saddened. As one I had loved so much in the past had been so suddenly and ruthlessly taken away, and again my heart re-echoed in the fact, earth and friends here had been deprived of the society of one so true and good, that my knowledge of him was such that I believed heaven was made the richer by having its numbers augmented.

I am glad to know that the faith of his fathers adopted by, and established in him at the formative period of his life remained throughout the years and activities of his energetic, strenuous life, until the Master saw fit to call a halt here, that he might enter into the felicitous of the redeemed throughout the cycles of a never ending eternity. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them." Rev. chapter 14, verse 13. Those whose lives are like the one of the departed "hidden with Christ in God," who serve Him and bless humankind.

S. D. VINCENT.
The two arms of the Tumen river, he continues, "have lately acquired special significance because of the occupation of Possiet Bay by the Japanese. This superb anchorage which lies only 80 miles away from Vladivostok, is splendidly placed to serve Korean, Russian and Chinese territory, and is destined to be another Dairen and the terminus of a new Kitten province railway system, if the Japanese have their way."

BUY SMITH'S FALLS BONDS.
Harris, Forbes & Co., Toronto, have bought an issue of \$25,000 of thirty instalment, six and a half per cent debentures of the town of Smith's Falls. The price paid was \$23.31, and on this basis the cost to the municipality is about 6.67 per cent.

Mesopotamian Oil Fields to be Re-opened

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The re-opening by Britain of the Mesopotamian oilfields may be the signal for the readjustment of the present unfavorable exchange situation between America and Great Britain. Britain is about to make possible the renewal of trade in this territory, and when Anglo-Russian trade is renewed, in the judgment of Sir John Ferguson, chairman of Lloyd's bank, the difficulties of international exchange will be largely relieved.

"Oil is one of the greatest of world commodities," he said, "and I believe that if we re-open the Mesopotamian oilfields and sell oil to America that it may be enough to right the exchange situation. I am chairman of the committee investigating the debts Russia owes to Britain, and while they are colossal, we are hopeful of repayment, if by resumption of trade we allow Russia, the whole southern part of which is economically very rich, to get back on her economic feet."

"As another means of readjusting the Anglo-American exchange situation, we should agree to the suggestion for a campaign on a large scale for the investment of American capital in British municipal bonds, which they carry 5 per cent interest. This in itself would be so much the lure to the American capitalist as the fact of the exchange situation which favors him to the point that the return is so high that no local investment can compete with it, while the investment is as safe as the Bank of England."

"There are a number of American agencies in Britain for the sale of American bonds, but British financial institutions are not prepared to establish similar agencies in America. "Lloyd-George, I understand, is friendly to the establishment of such investments in Britain by American capital as a means to a readjustment of the international exchange situation."

Sir John is optimistic regarding the immediate economic future of Britain seeing in the future an abandonment of the British excess profits tax, which, in his opinion, has been curtailing production in the British Isles. He points out that the British manufacturers are obligated to pay the Government 10 per cent of their earnings beyond a certain point, which means a curtailment in production earning beyond that amount.

"I know Lloyd-George and other members of the Government are opposed to this," he said, "and I believe that when they discard it, manufactures will increase to such an extent that we will not only bring the value of the pound nearer normal in the United States, but there will be so much additional revenue to the Government from the income and other taxes that there would be no need to substitute additional taxes for the abandonment of the excess profits duty. If necessary, the Government can cut the present excessive expenditure to its departments."

Man Dies From a Leopard's Wounds

Fought Terrific Battle With Beast in New York Warehouse.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—In a terrific battle with a leopard in a dark warehouse, on East Tenth street early in the morning of November 20, Charles Dochtermann, of 48 Street, Marks' Place, it became known Saturday, received injuries that caused his death Thursday in Bellevue Hospital. Dochtermann, owner of the warehouse, entered the place unarmed when the leopard and other animals started an uproar. The leopard, weighing twice as much as Dochtermann, sprang at him from a corner, buried his teeth in the man's neck and clawed him.

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A Get-Together meeting, an account of the first year of the Chamber of Commerce was given and suggestions made for the improvement of the city was held last night in the hall, the attendance of members of the Chamber being very good, about two hundred being present. The new secretary, Mr. J. O. Herity, was welcomed and the new was inaugurated under the favorable auspices.

Those on the platform were: Ald. Jamieson Bone, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. W. B. Deacon, president of the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Wickett of the Hamilton Board of Trade, Mr. J. O. Herity, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. R. J. Graham was chairman and addressing the meeting declared: "This is your Chamber of Commerce. The idea of the organization is to get over the difficulty we experienced in church, in organizations—of a few conducting nearly all the business. The object of this meeting is a general discussion of various items."

President Bone Reviews Work.
President Ald. Jamieson Bone declared the meeting was a good presentation of the Chamber of Commerce members. He reviewed the situation to date. One year the Chamber was organized, premises were acquired, a citizens of Belleville should do their best to retain these quarters. He pointed out the progress of the Bay Bridge project. It will be free, Ald. Bone predicted untold benefits from the bridge. They must be seen to be realized. The directors during the year had met once a week, a booklet had been distributed, and every copy had been distributed. The president referred to the progress of 1920, and pointed out that to be undertaken at the New Year to get out a new book. Suggestions were welcomed from everybody. "I am sure the new secretary, Mr. Herity is starting with the confidence of the people, Ald. Bone. Mr. Herity is starting around the Chamber and the secretary."

"I believe Mr. Herity has more to build up Belleville than one class in the city. The reason he knows how. (C) Mr. Herity has striven to build our city. I think he has done that, everybody must do his part in the city."

Col. Marsh, W. B. Deacon, McCree and Col. E. D. O'Flynn, the retiring directors, Ald. Bone paid a tribute to the tireless work of these men. Ald. Bone referred to the number of industries the Chamber is in touch with. There is a handicap to our getting new industries. We have no empty buildings.

The president paid a tribute to Belleville City Council. He said he did not think he would be asked for re-election. "I am quite sure that the work performed during the past two years has been for the benefit of Belleville. I believe have the best looking city between Montreal and Toronto. We have adjusted the gas plant and the vice has become absolutely factory. We have had some verting through. We have some several industries being available (5) Ald. Bone thought he was the first man to suggest a bureau for Belleville. He had recently advocated some ladies going into the Board of Education and that if any of our citizens are willing to pay for improvement they should get them. Council will be commended for carrying out wishes of the people.

Bridge St. East Pavement.
Ald. Bone said that before his departure from Belleville early in

ATTEMPTING TO BREAK UP AMERICAN CONTROL OF TRANS-ATLANTIC CABLES

British Government Buys Stock of the Direct United States Cable Company.

ST. JOHN'S, N.F., Dec. 6.—Cable authorities here see in the recent announcement by the British government of its purchase from the shareholders of the stock of the Direct United States Cable Company an attempt by that government to break up American control of most of the Trans-Atlantic cables which, it is claimed, has existed for the past eight years.

It is pointed out here that, although nearly every cable under the Atlantic Ocean was made in Great Britain and laid by British ships and British workers, United States interests, in the past few years, have acquired control of the majority of these lines, excepting, of course, the German cables taken over by the Allies during the war and the French lines from Brest to St. Pierre and New York.

As showing the predominance of the United States in the control of Atlantic cable lines, it is pointed out here that the two main systems are those of the Commercial Cable Company, an American concern headed by Clarence Mackay, of New York, and the Western Union system which operates not only the Western Union cables but leased the Anglo-American and Direct United States cable line in 1912. This arrangement, it is said here, has resulted in the control by America of the two most important trans-Atlantic cable systems. It is understood here also that the French cables have a friendly relation with the Western Union system.

One of the two German cables across the Atlantic, called by the Allies during the war as the "Penny", and thence to Halifax, N.S. The European end of the other German line was diverted from Bremen to Brest, France.

This left only one German cable under British control and there was no guarantee that this arrangement would be allowed to continue in the future. At the big cable conference in Washington in October last which considered the distribution of German cables held by the Allies, the principal claim by the United States is understood here to have been that these cables should be surrendered by Great Britain and France and be internationalized if these powers should be unwilling to agree to their transfer to the United States.

The Direct United States Cable control of which has been purchased by the British government, extends from Ballinskelligs to Harbor Grace, N.F., and thence to Halifax, N.S. The understanding here is that this line will be taken over by the British government and worked in connection with the former German cable to Halifax, thus giving the British Imperial Service two cables instead of one. This second line was retained by the British government as a safeguard in case of any damage



CANADIAN PACIFIC HEAD IN TORONTO.

Characteristic pose of Mr. E. W. Besty, J. K.C., President of the World's Greatest Railway, caught as he was leaving the conference at Harbor Board on the new Union Station viaduct.

The growth of cable traffic is understood to be continuing and already there has been agitation in Great Britain and in Australia for the duplication of the Pacific cable and some Britishers have advocated the laying of a new Imperial line across the Atlantic, so that possibly the scheme now being developed by the British authorities may result in new lines across both oceans.

It is regarded here as by no means unlikely that wireless telegraphy may also be developed by an Imperial scheme controlled by the British government. A parliamentary committee, headed by Sir Henry Norman, recently made an extensive report in favor of a policy of Empire-owned wireless stations encircling the whole world. Among the several units which might compose such a wireless system is the big wireless station at St. John's, erected during the war for naval purposes and still operated by the British Admiralty. By this means the Newfoundland Imperial Service two cables instead of one. This second line was retained by the British government as a safeguard in case of any damage

Sending Eskimo Murderer Back North May Cause Trouble

He Admitted Killing Two of His Fellows in Order to Get a Wife of One.

THE PAS, Man., Dec. 6.—Action of the Ottawa authorities in sending Quangwak confessed Eskimo murderer, back to the north, may mean serious trouble with the Eskimos generally, according to Rev. Father Turquetil, Catholic missionary, who recently returned from Chesterfield Inlet, Hudson Bay.

Quangwak admitted killing two of his fellows in order to get the wife of one of them, and why, in the face of his admission, he was not destroyed, is puzzling the Eskimo mind, stated Father Turquetil, who contends that the net result of the affair may mean a complete loss of Eskimo confidence in white man's law and police in white man's law and police at Chesterfield.

According to Father Turquetil, the Eskimos have a sense of justice all their own, and when a life is taken by violence the tribe gathers in council and appoints one of its number to execute the murderer. Such was the fate intended for Quangwak if left in the hands of the tribe. Having learned that they were children of the "Great White King" who do not doubt be received with surprise would look after them and punish as in previous years Canada had executed, the tribe reported, the murder to the police to deal with.

In their child-like minds they could not conceive that Quagwak would remain alive, much less be brought back to them. Their consternation can be imagined when he arrived back smiling and jaunty, and was given the job of looking after the police barracks at Chesterfield, while awaiting trial.

An explanation was sought for this procedure and after Father Turquetil explained to them that the white man's law provided for a fair trial for all, and as no witnesses went out with the prisoner, it was ordered that he be returned and tried where witnesses could be more easily procured.

Father Turquetil labored with them earnestly to convey the good intentions of the whites, but thinks he made not the slightest impression on them.

United Kingdom Imports the Most Flour From China

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 6.—"The United Kingdom has been importing more flour from China than from any other country," stated a prominent local flour man in an interview. Continuing, he declared: "In the month of September 242,743 bbls. of flour were imported into the United Kingdom from China in the hands of the tribe. Having learned that they were children of the 'Great White King' who do not doubt be received with surprise would look after them and punish as in previous years Canada had executed, the tribe reported, the murder to the police to deal with.

Temperance In Scotland

Mr. C. J. Bell of Dominion Temperance Alliance Speaks at John St.

"There are many things, standing in the light of national greatness, but I submit that the licensed liquor traffic is today and always will be a hindrance to the very highest development of that righteousness that exalteth a nation," said Mr. C. J. Bell, representing the Dominion Temperance Alliance, speaking at John St. Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. He referred to the new legislation granting the province to express their wish by a referendum.

"The question of temperance is not a local question. Indeed we must think of it in world terms. A world-wide organization has been formed and is calling the temperance forces in every land to action."

Mr. Bell gave his experiences in Scotland, in the "no license campaign"—a measure not quite as good as the old local option law of Ontario. He was in Glasgow, Edinburgh, Dundee, Perth and other cities. "I never met in all my life a fiercer, nor hospitable people than the Scotch people as I found them in that country—energetic, earnest, thoughtful. There is only one great blot—the licensed liquor traffic—it is striking at the very heart of the national life." Telling a story of a woman whom he saw drunk in the city of Aberdeen, he said, that a nation that permitted its womanhood and girlhood to be degraded, was still short of the fullest development. The result of the campaign was the cutting off of 292 licenses in the cities and the vote is to be taken yet in the rural parts. The result was really one to be proud of.

"Every national labor organization has voted for abolition of prohibition throughout the whole of Scotland."

Glycerin Mixture Surprises Belleville

The quick action of simple glycerin, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, is surprising. One spoonful relieves ANY CASE gas on stomach or sour stomach. Adler-ika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes all toxic accumulated matter which poisoned stomach. Often CURES constipation. Prevents appendicitis. One lady reports she has no more gas in back of head or gas on stomach since using Adler-ika. J. S. McKeown, Druggist, Belleville.

Action Against Guy Casey Dismissed

G. T. R. Bell Player Found Not Fully Negligent.

COBOURG, Dec. 6.—In the County Judge's Criminal Court here Thursday before Judge Ward, Guy Casey, G.T.R. yardsman at Belleville, was charged under section 235 of the Criminal Code with wilfully neglect or negligence in connection with a motor accident near Bowmanville on Aug. 7th last. Casey was a member of the Belleville baseball team, and with others was returning home about 9 p.m. from the Peterborough-Oshawa baseball game at Oshawa. When they were about two miles east of Bowmanville, they perceived a man who proved to be Mr. Henry Newlove, a farmer aged 55 or 60 about 100 feet away. Casey says he turned the car to the left and did not see the man again until he suddenly leaped out in front of his car. He could not then stop the car in time to avoid the accident. A crowd collected and the man was moved to the side of the road. While he lay on the roadside another car came along and ran over him. Mr. Newlove was removed to Bowmanville hospital, but passed away shortly after the accident.

A number of witnesses were called in connection with the case. Judge Ward held that the evidence did not warrant the fact that Casey was driving at an excessive rate of speed or that he was wilfully negligent and dismissed the case without calling upon the defence. Crown Attorney W. F. Kerr for the prosecution and Mr. C. A. Payne of Peterborough, Butler & Payne of Belleville, for the defence.

It is irresponsible. To those who suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, rheumatism or any ailment arising from derangement of the digestive system, a trial of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills is recommended. Vegetable Pills is recommended. The trial will be inexpensive and the result will be an other customer for this excellent medicine. So effective in their action that satisfaction can certainly be traced to their use.

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"Fruit-a-tives" Restored Her To Perfect Health

132 PAPERBAG AVE., MONTREAL. "For three years, I suffered great pain in the lower part of my body, with swelling or bloating. I saw a specialist who said I must undergo an operation. I heard about 'Fruit-a-tives' so decided to try it.

The first box gave great relief, and I discontinued the treatment. Now my health is excellent—I am free of pain—and I give 'Fruit-a-tives' my warmest thanks."

Mrs. F. GAREAU. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. All dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Celebrating Golden Wedding

Happy Event in Lives of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chisholm today.

Today Mr. William Cartwright Chisholm and Mrs. Chisholm quietly celebrated their golden wedding at their home, 37 Forin street. It was fifty years ago today that Mr. Chisholm and Miss M. J. Sharpe, daughter of the late Peter and Mary Sharpe, were married at the home of the bride's parents, fourth concession of Sidney by the Rev. A. Campbell. For five years they lived in Sidney and then in 1875 went to reside in Murray township, where Mr. Chisholm was engaged in farming until the year 1900. He served for three years as township councillor, one year as deputy reeve and four years as reeve. Since 1900 Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm have lived in Belleville. Of three daughters, two survive, Mrs. Harry Burrell, of Toronto, and Mrs. Fred Forester of Belleville. Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm are enjoying fairly good health in spite of their years. Their many friends will wish them many more anniversaries of this happy event in their lives.

Miss M. Tait is Superintendent

Miss Margaret Tait, former superintendent of the Spadina Military Hospital, is the new matron and superintendent of Belleville General Hospital. She comes to Belleville with the highest recommendations and had military training. Miss Tait has already made a fine impression here.

Rednersville Anniversaries

The Anniversary events for the year 1920, for Rednersville-Methodist Church, will go down in history so far as the community is concerned. Sunday November 28th, was one of the finest days of the month and while the people were out of the regular attendance to some extent, so that the congregations were not very large, the appreciation was profound. Rev. Mr. Joblin, of Bayshore, preached two special sermons dealing with "Individual Kindness" in the morning message, and "Community Kindness" in the evening. Many remarks of gratitude have been heard as the direct result of the efforts.

Then Tuesday evening the Tea-Meeting was a signal success, for while this is a new part of the anniversary here and a name had to be made to get the public patronage. There is no doubt as to the good results of the same for the time to come. The tables were laden with endless variety and superior quality of "cass." Many said "The best yet."

9,000 Cords of Stone for Provincial Road

An idea of the permanent work planned for next summer on the provincial highway from Peterboro to Rednersville, may be gained from Deputy Reeve Wilson's statement in the County Council that nine thousand cords of field stone will be piled up at several points along the route this winter in preparation for operations as soon as the weather permits.

Mr. Wilson said he understood that a top layer of nine inches of crushed stone would be laid along the entire six miles of the section of the main highway from Peterboro to Port Hope and practically all of this stone will be drawn this winter to convenient collection stations. A large portable stone crusher, which will be used in the construction of this highway recently arrived in Peterboro, and was unloaded at the G.T.R. station this week.

The Port Hope-Peterboro road has already been wholly or partially constructed in sections south of Rednersville, and when completed will form a main artery from this country to the Kingston Road along the lake shore.

An Aged Man Burned to Death

MCKINLEYVILLE, N.B., Dec. 6.—David McKinley, an aged man who lived alone here, was burned to death in his home a few days ago. He had not been well for a few days and was keeping a fire all night in his small house. One morning the neighbors found nothing left of McKinley's home but a few smoking embers in the midst of which were the charred bones of the aged recluse.

St. John is Called the "Foggy City"

ST. JOHN, N.B., Dec. 6.—They call St. John the "foggy city" of Canada. But residents are pointing out that during the first eleven months of the present year the weather office here has registered only thirty-five days when there was any fog. July and August led with eight days each while January and November were absolutely free from the blanket.

Now He is Able to Resume His Work

WHY ALPHONSE BLAIS GIVES CREDIT TO DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Saskatchewan Man, With His Rheumatism and Backache Gone, is Telling His Neighbors of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Lac Pelletier, Sask., Dec. 6th. (Special).—Stating that he has been relieved of rheumatism and backache by Dodd's Kidney Pills, Mr. Alphonse Blais, a well known and highly respected resident here, is singing the praises of the old reliable Canadian kidney remedy.

"Yes, I suffered from backache and rheumatism," Mr. Blais states in an interview; "and I spent much money on medicines before trying Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking several boxes of them I was able to resume my work. Now I am quite well again."

"I owe my health to Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I want everybody to know that I am very thankful to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Mr. Blais' troubles came from his kidneys. That is why Dodd's Kidney Pills gave him such prompt relief. Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not help any and all forms of kidney disease.

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Then while making the change from setting to the time of the programme, the Rednersville Brass Band furnished music at the church very acceptably.

But in programme proper deserves a paragraph alone, and more should still be said. Of local talent and selected wisely Mr. Jones a school teacher of Carleton Place, with Mrs. MacDonald as accompanist, gave several beautiful violin selections, classical and unusually well received. The same talent also sang one of the finest duets we have heard. Then Mrs. A. Hillman who was formerly a pedagogic aided with a reading in the Scotch dialect, Miss Mildred Lloyd gave in especially good style a number of her very taking readings and Miss Arkes, another G.T.R. Teacher from Victoria, added her assistance in a solo as well as being in a quartette with Mrs. John Hall and Messrs. Hall and Moore. The chairman, Rev. L. M. Sharpe, made special reference to the fact that the program was practically all given by school teachers, as Rev. Mr. Joblin who is principal of the Bay side school came on with a brief, but up-to-date address upon "The Rural Problem." The band also proved a real attraction.

Owing to the fact of several events in the centres near being held upon the same evening the proceeds were not very large, being nearly \$130 but the opinion expressed by some of the oldest citizens and generally by those present, "The best all-round event held in this village for many years."

There have been many records established this year of phenomenal growth of flowers, fruit and vegetables owing to the continued warm weather this fall but these are eclipsed by a report from Owen Sound where a pair of robins, a week or so ago built a nest and the mother bird laid her eggs therein. Evidently birds were under the impression that the Canadian climate had undergone a permanent change. The frost and snow which arrived a few days later would give them a rude awakening.

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HEMSTITCHED LAWN HDKFS. at .10, 12 1/2, 15 & 18c each
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HEMSTITCHED LAWN at .15, 18 & 25c each
EXCELSA MERRICISED HDKFS, all white, or colored borders at .25 & 40c each
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Plain and Fancy Handkerchiefs at .10 & 12 1/2c each
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yielded abundantly this year, some of the fruit weighing over 10 ounces. This tree, which is of the Gloria Mundi variety, is one of the old Meyers' orchard which was planted by John W. Meyers in or about 1804, and of which trees not more than twenty remain. The Gloria Mundi is an apple of exquisite flavor, of fraterate keeping qualities and for cooking is the equal of the Northern Spy.

His Honor Judge Willis held divorce court today. There was quite a large number of cases for trial.

Fruitless Elopement of Husband and Girl

Described by Wife to Lord Anderson in the Divorce Courts at Edinburgh.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The fruitless elopement of a husband and a girl, not his wife, to Canada, where she was not permitted to remain, was described by the wife to Lord Anderson in the Divorce Court at Edinburgh.

Katherine McLaren Ranken, Pollokshaws, Glasgow, petitioned for a divorce from James McGregor, of Humber Street, Glasgow, her husband. Mrs. McGregor said she was married in 1911. "My husband left for Canada in December, 1919, to start a motor business," continued Mrs. McGregor. "I discovered later that he was accompanied by the girl clerk in his Glasgow motor-car business. When the pair reached Canada the authorities deported the woman, and my husband returned with her to Liverpool."

"I never saw my husband again." Albert Bishop, a purser in the Anchor Line Saturnia, said that McGregor and a woman named Lambie sailed to Canada in that ship. Their tickets bore consecutive numbers. The girl was not permitted to enter Canada. She returned to the ship under escort. McGregor came back to this country with her. A divorce was granted. Mr. W. B. Deacon is in Montreal today.

ESTABLISHED

REVIVE TA OF THEAT

Story that Trans-Canada ed will Build in Bell Interests.

LIKE THRICE TOLD

This City Considered Show Town—Site for Building Unknown.

Announcement that the Canada Theatres, Limited, who a theatre in Belleville in the has aroused considerable interest. Belleville is one of the show towns along the line as class productions receive patronage.

There has been many runs a new theatre in Belleville while during the past few but nothing has come of it. By representatives of a bond visited the city in an effort towards the promotion of a house of amusement, at about \$185,000. But the types of securing the subscribers were so light the proposition dropped and the property on an option was taken has since transferred into a safe.

A Possibility Now.

Trans-Canada is a great creation recently formed from big productions from coast to coast for its direction some of the shows seen here have played. There was a recent report, new theatre would likely be here, but nothing definite learned of it.

It now looks likely that Belleville is in line for a new house. What will be located is a question. sites have been mentioned as theatre the city was going to a few of these are available.

Uncover Real Clue For McFee Robbery

What may be an echo of the robbery of Angus McFee's jewelry shop last winter has just come attention of the police. Chief received a letter from the B.N.Y., authorities stating a named Harry Cohen, arrested in fall, has been found to have possession a watch with the name "Angus McFee, Belleville, Ontario" on the dial. The watch contains jewels. No other information contained in the communication.

It will be recalled that a big was made early one morning winter when entrance was made McFee's by the rear. Traces left by the robbers, who had even dragged a bag filled with the over the floor. The local authorities worked day and night of case and at times seemed to the trail of the men but it was long before it was felt that the had made their escape from city. What will come of the case, if such it is, must be featured.

Just Takes Boots; Boy Called T

A seven-year-old boy with a chap's idea of thievery, was yesterday by an officer on Front The youngster had come down in rubbers and passing Mr. A. Carney's shop had his attention drawn to a pair of rubber boots, completion was too strong and he took possession of them, put rubbers in his pocket and put on boots. He was caught taken to this morning the case came before Magistrate Masson, who the little fellow some advice. case seems almost a hopeless one before. Just recently he was the police.

TWO SCHOONERS LOST

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 15.—New two fishing schooners lost at sea another ashore reached here night.