

CANADIAN TROOPS TOOK PART IN FIERCE BATTLE FOR GERMAN POSITIONS; FILLED TRENCH WITH ENEMY DEAD

Dash and Courage Demonstrated Superiority. Western Battalions Distinguished Themselves in the Fray. Though Hampered by Wire Entanglements And Subjected to Withering Fire They Made Their Way to German Lines and Left Their Toll of Dead. Quiet Night Along British Front in Somme Region.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 12.—Fierce fighting by the Canadians at the front, and an advance which demonstrated personal superiority and filled a trench with dead Germans, but failed to maintain the position aimed at, are told today in a cable to the Militia Department, from the Canadian War Records Office. The battle which occurred on Sunday last followed an attack by the Canadians on the German position. It extended over a frontage of 3,500 yards. Ontario, Manitoba, British Columbia and Alberta battalions distinguished themselves in the fray.

Though hampered by wire entanglements and meanwhile subjected to a withering hail of bullets from enemy machine guns the troops, especially on the left, made their way to the German lines and left their toll of dead. Afterwards, however, they had to retire.

The Records Office describes the battle as a demonstration of the dash and courage of the troops and a great event in the military history of Canada.

UNEVENTFUL NIGHT ON BRITISH FRONT.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 12.—An uneventful night along the British lines in the Somme region is reported in today's official statement on military operations. It follows:

"South of the Ancre there is nothing to report. During the night five raids were undertaken by us in the Messines, Bois Grenier and Haisnes areas, in the course of which we took prisoners and inflicted casualties on the enemy."

PORTUGUESE REPULSE HUNS IN EAST AFRICA

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Lisbon, via Paris 12.—The general situation at the Portuguese front in East Africa reports that after an engagement in which the Portuguese repulsed the German troops, the Portuguese advanced nineteen miles North of Rovuna.

MANY AIR FIGHTS RESULT IN GERMAN LOSSES

London, Oct. 12.—The most significant statement regarding operations on the western front yesterday was the admission by Germany that their salient projecting towards the town of Verdun had been cut off by the French. This particular point of the front is not mentioned in any of the Allied reports. Both the British and French have nipped in the bud some attempted counter-attacks. The Germans, however, gained a temporary success at Schoenhausen among the Vosges heights. Here they penetrated a trench on an isolated part of the line, but the position was immediately retaken by a counter-attack. The most violent efforts of the Germans during the day was at Chaumes wood, part of which was captured by the French on Tuesday. Their two attacks, however, were repulsed with sanguinary losses. The prisoners taken by the French in Tuesday's advance has now reached 1,702.

French airmen were engaged in air battles during the day, 15 being in the Verdun "air," 14 south of the Somme, and 44 north of the Somme. Ten enemy machines were driven down altogether, and many important enemy works behind the lines were successfully bombed. The British were also active in aerial warfare and gained some success, but with the loss of four machines. British positions at many points were subjected to an increased bombardment lasting the whole day. Barrage fire stopped two or three attempted attacks and caused particularly heavy losses north of Courcellette. Another attack was repulsed at Neuville St. Vaast, fifty prisoners being taken.

ITALIANS GAIN SUCCESS ON DRIVE TOWARD TRIESTE

London, October 12.—Assuming a sudden and dash offensive the Italians have gained a big initial success in a new drive towards Trieste, Austria's Adriatic seaport. The drive was started on a long front, but the main effort, and where the chief success was achieved, was on the Carso front. First the intricate defences of the enemy were destroyed by artillery fire and then the Italian troops sprang forward and carried the first line of entrenchments, consisting of a series of successive defences between the Vipacco River and Hill 208. Continuing their advance beyond this line Novaville and a strong position adjoining was occupied and the northern part of Hill 208 was captured. In this engagement over 5,000 prisoners were taken, including another gain was made on Mount Pasubio, where a close network of

positions was taken and progress made as far as Mount Menerie and the lower southern slopes of Mount Rote, over 500 prisoners were taken here. On the Julian front the enemy's line was between Tobar and Vertobai, 840 prisoners, including 26 officers, being made captives.

E. T. MEN ON CASUALTY LIST

C. D. Westgate, Cookshire, Reported Killed in Action.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—(Special)—On the casualty list published this morning, by the Militia Department, contains the name of C. D. Westgate, Cookshire, who is reported as having been killed in action.

WOUNDED.
Henry H. Blackhall, Sherbrooke.

COAL NOW \$50 A TON IN ITALY

Resumption of Austro-German Submarine Attacks Cause of Concern.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
Rome, Oct. 11 via Paris, Oct. 12.—The resumption of Austro-German submarine attacks is causing grave concern in Italy, where the prices of coal, wheat, lumber, scrap iron and other imports have trebled within a year, owing to the prohibitive freight rates. The Railroads have a stock of 200,000 tons of coal, however, and are not likely to be interrupted during the winter. Coal now costs \$50 a ton.

CORRESPONDENTS TO VISIT GRAND FLEET

Canadian Newspaper Men in London Will Be Guests of Admiralty.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
Montreal, Que., Oct. 12.—A Gazette cable from London says: "Apropos of Sir John Jellicoe's message to Canada to stimulate recruiting, it so happens that the Canadian correspondents now in London will next week have an opportunity to visit the Grand Fleet and cruisers' squadron, also the shipyards in the North. This visit has been arranged by the Empire Press Union, especially for the overseas Dominion press, as on the recent trip, which included the Metropolitan, Provincial and Neutral press, they were omitted."

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Oct. 12.—A Reuter despatch from Christiania announces the sinking of the Norwegian Steamer Birka, of 715 tons. The crew was saved.

GREECE ACCEPTS ALLIES' DEMANDS

Handing Over of Navy to Entente Powers Has Already Begun.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, Oct. 12.—The Daily Chronicle's Athens correspondent, in accounting that Greece has accepted the demands of the Entente powers says that the Greek government accepted a protest to its notification of acceptance.

A telephonic message received in Athens from Piraeus says that the handing over of the Greek navy to the Allied Naval authorities has already begun. The lighter craft will be handed over intact so as to enable them to be despatched to the provisional Government at Saloniki. The heavy vessels will be dismantled and left where they are, in the Gulf of Keratini.

According to the Chronicle's correspondent the Greek crews have already been removed from some of the warships and being landed from the others. French crews were placed on the small ships and all guns on the larger vessels rendered ineffective and placed under guard. Quiet is reported at Athens and Piraeus.

DETAILS OF DEMANDS.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
Paris, Oct. 12.—Details of the demands made on the Greek Government by Admiral D'Artigues Du Fournet, the Commander of the Allied Naval forces at Piraeus, which have been made public here, show that the ultimatum was much more comprehensive than was understood at first.

In addition to her fleet Greece was required to permit Allied control of all material for naval operations as well as the mails, telegraphs, and Railroads. The ultimatum set forth that such control was necessary in order to render possible the use of the navy, railroads and so forth the detriment of the Allies. Admiral Du Fournet gave the Greek Government until one o'clock Wednesday afternoon to comply with his demand and stated that failure to do so would result in the taking the necessary steps himself.

PROVISIONAL GREEK CABINET

Gen. Zimbrakatis, Minister of War, Takes Oath of Allegiance.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London Oct. 12.—Gen Zimbrakatis has been appointed Minister of War in the Greek Provisional Government, organization of which is being completed at Saloniki, says a Reuter despatch from Saloniki under date of October 10.

Gen. Zimbrakatis took the oath of allegiance on that day, adds the despatch, in the presence of the three leading members of the Provisional Government, former Premier Venizelos, Vice-Admiral Condourietis and Gen. Panyotis Danglis.

The seat of the Government, it is stated, is undecided, but it is believed it will be Mytilene.

GERMANS REACH DEPTH OF INFAMY

Germans of Loathsome Disease Intended to Propagate Epidemic Found at Bucharest.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 12.—(New York Times)—The Daily Express this morning says: "The depth of infamy to which the German nation has descended in its war against civilized mankind is shown by the official announcement from Bucharest of the discovery in the German legation of flagons labeled 'virus Morve,' intended to propagate a simultaneous epidemic among men and horses. The fact that a representative of the United States witnessed the discovery is convincing proof of its truth."

"Virus Morve" produces one of the most loathsome diseases known to mankind, generally known as glanders, said one of the most eminent pathologists in this country to the Daily Express representative yesterday. "It would be foolish to spread it among human beings, to whom it is practically always fatal. Death may come rapidly or gradually and victims might undergo terrible sufferings."

SON OF MR J. G. TERRIFF, M.P., WOUNDED.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
Ottawa, Oct. 12.—The family of Robert S. Terriff, son of Mr. J. G. Terriff, M.P., were notified to-day that he was wounded at the front. The report of his death in action was received from the Militia Department.

PLOUGHMEN HOLD MATCH

37th Annual Event of Lennoxville Association a Great Success.

The 37th annual ploughing match of the Sherbrooke Ploughing Association was held yesterday on "Holm-hurst Farm," the property of Mr. John Nichol, on the Capelton road, and was one of the most successful matches ever held by this association. The weather was excellent, the land in good condition, and a splendid turnout of competitors combined in making a successful day. A coincidence in connection with the day's programme was the fact of there being thirty-seven ploughs on the field. The matches were witnessed by a large number of spectators, among whom were several ladies. It was conceded that the work was the best in the history of the association, especially the boys' ploughing, which was a surprise to many. Match No. 1, open to Eastern Townships ploughmen, and No. 2, for Scotch ploughmen, were considered above the ordinary.

ENTERTAINED AT LUNCHEON.

At noon the directors, judges and several friends were entertained to a most excellent lunch by Mr. Nichol, the genial host simply outdoing himself in catering to the inner man. The competitors were also served with a sustaining repast.

BANQUET IN EVENING.

A banquet was held at the Lennoxville Hotel in the evening, at which were present the president, Mr. J. A. McClary, Secretary D. L. Herbert, members of the board of directors, and several prominent visitors. Speeches were given by Messrs. Archibald, of the Experimental Farm, Ottawa; Messrs. John Leonard, K.C., F. Cromwell, M.P.; Robt. Mitchell, Wm. Morris, K.C.; Robt. McMurray and L. G. T. Lynch. Songs were rendered by Messrs. Goff, J. G. Watson, Willis Powers, H. McFadden, and recitations by Mr. A. Bradley. (Continued on page 7.)

WHITE DOVE FROM HUN SUBMARINE.
(Canadian Associated Press.)
Edgewater, N.J., Oct. 12.—The police are holding prisoner a white dove with a band of yellow metal on its leg bearing the inscription "U-53," the number of the German submarine which made its memorable raid off Nantucket last Sunday. The dove fluttered into the window of a business office here yesterday. Its captors do not know whence it came.

DANISH WEST INDIES SWEEP BY HURRICANE

Two-Thirds of the Islanders Are in Dire Need of Clothing and Food.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Washington, D.C., Oct. 12.—The United States Consul at St. Thomas reported today that the hurricane which swept the Danish West Indies Monday and Tuesday caused damage estimated at \$2,000,000 and left two thirds of the native Islanders in need of food, clothing and shelter.

His dispatch said: "Disaster generally serious. Estimated loss \$2,000,000. Two thirds of the population need food and clothing; one third shelter. "Relief required \$50,000, of which should include building material, food, clothing and money."

U-BOAT ACTIVITIES OFF AMERICAN COAST

Naval Expert Says It Will Strengthen Motor-Boat Patrol Scheme.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 12.—The Naval correspondent of the Daily Express, in a long article dealing with U boat activities off the American Coast, says: "One effect the Germans did not expect to produce in America, I am convinced, will be an immediate strengthening of the scope of the new volunteer motorboat patrol for the Atlantic Seaboard. The scheme aims at providing 10,000 small craft as anti-submarine guard from Cape Sable to the Florida Reefs."

FAIL TO AGREE ON SUBMARINE QUESTION

Budget Committee of Reichstag Favor Discussion in Private.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Berlin, Oct. 11, by wireless to the Associated Press, via Sayville, Oct. 12.—In the Reichstag today Major Ernst Bassermann, leader of the National Liberals, read a written report saying that the Budget Committee was unable to reach a decision on the submarine question, but had voted 24 to 4 against a discussion of the subject in open session.

LABOR WAR AT BAYONNE

12,000 Employees of Standard Oil Companies Have Quit Work.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Bayonne, N.J., October 12.—The streets approaching the Constable Hook section of this city resembled an armed camp to-day.

Thousands of strikers from the plants of the Standard Oil Company, Tidewater Oil Company, Vacuum Oil Company, Pacific Coast Borax Company and the General Chemical Company maintained a "dead line" across the approaches to those plants. Inside this line, between the strikers and the oil plants, nearly 100 policemen were stationed in a fire engine house guarding the plants from attack, while a few other policemen and 75 deputy sheriffs held possession of the main police headquarters.

There were no signs of a cessation of the labor war which caused the clash last night of police and strikers. One woman spectator was shot and instantly killed, and fifteen or twenty strikers were wounded. This fight took place, according to the police, when the strikers interfered with the firemen attempting to fight a blaze, and cut the hose.

Despite the disorder which prevailed all yesterday, with mobs attacking police headquarters and fire stations, the city and state authorities decided there was no need of calling out the National Guards. About 12,000 men have quit work in various plants at Constable Hook.

KING OTTO OF BAVARIA DEAD

Mad Monarch Had Been Confined in Castle Near Munich Since 1873.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 12.—Former King Otto of Bavaria, who has been insane for many years, has died suddenly, according to a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting a Berlin official announcement. The mad King died at Fuensterried Castle, near Munich, where he has been confined since 1873.

King Otto was born on April 27, 1818, and succeeded his brother Ludwig II in 1886. Ludwig II was also insane and drowned himself in Starnberg Lake. King Otto was deposed on November 6, 1913, and was succeeded by the present Monarch Ludwig III, formerly regent.

FRENCH SURGEON GETS DECORATION

Dr. Menard Has Done Much For Alleviation of Wounded Soldiers.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Paris, Oct. 12.—Dr. Menard, of the Cochin Hospital, was decorated with the Legion of Honor yesterday as a recompense for his loss of two fingers by exposure of the X-ray in hospital work.

Dr. Menard, who has lost a finger from each hand, has accomplished admirable results in the location of projectiles in the bodies of wounded soldiers.

The loss of his first finger did not deter Dr. Menard from following up his research work in the radiograph room. In the loss of his fingers he learned that tissue cells exposed to the action of the X-ray are subjected to a localized disease of nutrition and, in consequence harden and rapidly die.

Though Dr. Menard's experiments at the Cochin Hospital, a surgeon there, was able a few days ago to locate and extract a shrapnel bullet lodged under the heart of a wounded soldier in ten minutes.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Washington, D.C., Oct. 12.—The Navy Department today received a report from Rear-Admiral Knight at Newport, giving detailed accounts from the commanders of four of the steamers sunk by a German submarine off the New England Coast.

Naval officers refused to comment upon its contents and it will be transmitted to Secretary of State Lansing in connection with the determination of the policy of the United States.

WEATHER REPORT

SOUTHERLY WINDS, LOCAL SHOWERS WITH MUCH SAME TEMPERATURE.
The high pressure is now centered in the New England States and a shallow low is approaching the Great Lakes from the West. Except for a few showers in the Maritime Provinces, the weather of the past day has been fine throughout the Dominion.
Ottawa Valley.—Moderate to fresh southerly and southwesterly winds; fine. Friday, southerly winds, local showers but partly fair with much the same temperature.
Maritime.—Moderate northerly winds, fair and cool. Friday, moderate winds, fine and cool.

A LOVING CUP FROM THE MEN OF ONTARIO TO THE MEN OF QUEBEC

The New Bonne Entente Dedicated at Sherbrooke Banquet. Climax of Trip. Work of Fostering Improved Relations Will go on. Event Marked by Great Enthusiasm.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

In Sherbrooke city, the heart of the Eastern Townships, the climax of the new "bonne entente" was reached, last night, when the men of Ontario and of other sister provinces, composing the delegation, presented to the men of Quebec a magnificent loving cup as a token of their appreciation of their reception in Quebec Province, and as a memento of their historic trip, which it is confidently believed will mark the beginning of an era of closer relationship between the two great provinces.

The presentation was made on behalf of the visitors by Mr. J. M. Godfrey, of Toronto, who, with Mr. Arthur Hawke, was the organizer of the visit, and the cup was received by Sir George Garneau, of Quebec, and Mr. Hebert, vice-president of the Montreal Board of Trade, who were constituted its custodians. The ceremony of presentation was carried out amid great enthusiasm, and, according to the ancient custom, the cup was passed from one to another around the tables, each drinking to the health and permanence of the "bonne entente."

It was not by chance, the speakers pointed out, that this climax of the trip was staged for Sherbrooke and the Eastern Townships, but this was arranged designedly as the most fitting spot in all the province for formal dedication to the undertaking to foster the unity of the Canadian people, for the possibility of such union was demonstrated here as in no other part of Canada—here in the Eastern Townships, where for so many years the "entente cordiale" has been in practical, daily operation. The work will not be dropped, however, with the return of the visitors to their homes.

The following resolution was enthusiastically adopted: Moved by Mr. Arthur Hawke, seconded by Mr. D. J. Steele: "That Sir George Garneau and Mr. J. Milton Godfrey be requested to appoint a committee to make arrangements for the return visit to Ontario and for a permanent organization to promote racial good-will along lines of interchange of public speaking on topics of common concern, the dissemination of printed matter and the spread of interprovincial information through educational institutions."

It was a remarkable assembly which met in the great hall of St. Charles Seminary last night. The visitors, who came not only from Ontario, but from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, were represented by a distinguished delegation. Men of Montreal and Quebec, who had joined in the welcome in those cities, came to Sherbrooke for the crowning incident of the occasion. The hall was eminently suited for such an occasion. Commodious, and located within the walls of the Eastern Townships' leading Roman Catholic institution. The dinner was tendered by the City of Sherbrooke, and in the absence of the Mayor, Pro-Mayor William Braut presided most acceptably. The tables were graced by the presence not only of business men, visitors and residents, but by Mgr. Tanguay, head of St. Charles College, and a number of the clergy, while a most cordial letter was read from the Bishop of Sherbrooke. Sherbrooke citizens were also delighted to greet their old friend, Colonel Pelletier, home for a holiday from his long absence in London as Agent General for the Province. An orchestra and chorus, led by Prof. Bourgeault, and including many St. Charles Seminary students, furnished music, and the popular and patriotic songs were sung with great enthusiasm.

This morning the visitors were taken in automobiles through the city and to Lennoxville, visiting a number of leading institutions and at 1.30 were guests of the Sherbrooke Board of Trade at luncheon at the Chateau Frontenac, leaving at 3.10 for Montreal on their homeward journey.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

Daily Reports From Correspondents of What is Going on in Various Communities

GOULD

Arrivals and departures: Mr. D. H. Morrison, of Prince Rupert, B.C., for many years a resident of this town, arrived home on a visit to relatives and friends on Saturday. Mrs. Jones, of Nashua, home a few days last week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Morrison; Mrs. Colby, of Megantic, visiting Miss K. McLeod last week; Messrs. J. Bothwell, Wm. Buchanan and Nelson, also Mrs. Bothwell and Mrs. Nelson, in town by auto Sunday visiting Mr. P. W. Buchanan; Mrs. D. B. McAnlay and Miss Mordena at Sherbrooke a few days this week; Mr. Murdoch McLeod, of Cookshire, in town over Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLeod; Rev. Mr. McLeod at Scottstown on Sabbath, assisting with communion services; Mr. Cyrus Murray to Montreal last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Alice McKay; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murray in town a few days; Mr. W. McDonald, of Winslow, in town Tuesday; Mrs. Duncan McKay at Scottstown attending the sacrament; Misses Ruth and Edith McCaskill home for Thanksgiving.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERBY LINE

Campbell Yarwood of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, spent Thanksgiving Day in Montreal. Miss Pearl Walker spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Boynton. Mr. F. W. Stewart is sick at the home of his son, Mr. B. F. Stewart, suffering with la grippe. Mr. Chas. Audinwood returned home Saturday from Eagle Pass, Texas. Mr. Albert Colburn, of Montpelier, Vt., is in town the guest of Mr. E. A. Audinwood. Miss Irma Moulton has returned home from a trip through the White Mountains with Mr. and Mrs. Bayley and Mr. Alan Bayley, of Sherbrooke.

Mr. E. G. Bethel, of the Quebec Bank, Ottawa, was in town for the Thanksgiving holiday the guest of Mr. S. T. Fregeau. Miss Grace Decker spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Farnham, Que.

KINGSEY FALLS

Arrivals and departures include: Mrs. Wm. Kennedy to Danville to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Morrill; Miss M. Stubbs of Sherbrooke, here to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stubbs; Miss Irma Dun can back to Verdun after the week end here; Mrs. E. A. Rockett, of St. Camille de Bellechasse, and Miss A. Rose, of Macdonald College, Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rose; Miss H. Duncan and Master R. Duncan to Danville, where they are attending school; Mr. Strickland, of Sherbrooke, the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stubbs.

Mrs. J. W. Smith entertained a number of children Friday afternoon, it being her little son, Maxwell's, birthday. Music and games were indulged in after which a dainty supper was served. Later the little guests departed wishing Maxwell many happy returns of the day.

A chicken pie supper will be served in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, the proceeds to go to the Patriotic Fund.

MARBLETON

The Harvest Thanksgiving service held in the Methodist Church, Sunday morning, was very well attended. Rev. Mr. de Gruchy preached a very appropriate sermon, taking for his text, Ephesians, 5, 20. The organist was Miss Elsie Rolfe and special hymns were sung by the choir and congregation. The anthem, "When the Harvest is Past," was also rendered by the choir. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, fruit, vegetables and autumn leaves.

Rev. Mr. de Gruchy attended the opening of the Model School at Bishop's Crossing on Thursday afternoon. Great credit is due the principal, teachers and pupils for the exercises and the way they entertained the visitors and friends present.

Mrs. Moran Sanford, Maine, the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Staples; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bishop, Danville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Bishop for Thanksgiving.

WINDSOR

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown have leased their summer home here and have returned to Montreal for the winter. Mr. J. Pye, of Montreal, spent Thanksgiving in town with his parents.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and

Mrs. J. McKercher and daughter Mary, of Montreal, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gardiner; Mr. L. Tanner, of Farnham, Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Charles Tanner; Mr. Douglas Stuart, of Montreal, Thanksgiving Day in town; Miss Ada Morey, the holidays with her father, Mr. J. Morey; Miss Edith Robinson, of Montreal, the holidays with Mrs. M. E. Mountain; Misses Margaret and Annie Gardner, of Montreal, Thanksgiving Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gardner; Mr. E. B. Tanner, of Drummondville, Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Tanner; Miss Ella Stuart, of Montreal, spent the holidays here; Miss J. Gilman to her home in Cowansville.

McCONNELL

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin L. Vaughan, his mother, Mrs. Parnell, also his brother, Leon H. Parnell took a most enjoyable motor trip to Coaticook via North Hatley, Massawippi, East Hatley and Compton and returned through Barnston, Way's Mills and Ayer's Cliff. Mr. Vaughan is thinking strongly of closing out his business in Derry and coming back to his native country and buying a farm in the near future.

On Wednesday evening last a surprise having been arranged for Miss Charlotte Kezar, about twenty-five of her friends invaded her home, the occasion being her birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant evening in social time with music, games, etc. Dainty refreshments were served by the ladies. During the evening Mr. G. D. Chapman was called upon to present Miss Kezar on behalf of her friends, with a sum of money as well as many good wishes which he did in a neat address. Miss Kezar responded in a few well chosen words of thanks.

Mr. A. S. Bacon has been in Sherbrooke doing duty as a juror. Mrs. J. S. Humphrey and son, of Magog, here on Saturday, and her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Parnell returned with her for a brief stay; Mr. W. Belknap has returned from Beebe.

BROMPTON

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Bromptonville, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wheeler, of Windsor Mills, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Varney; Miss W. Bain, of Montreal, the guest of Miss E. Knapp, recently; Miss Alice L. Addison, to Waterville after Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Addison; Mrs. J. Rief, of Denison's Mills the guest of her son, Mr. C. M. Rief; Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Perkins, and family, Mrs. L. W. Caswell, and Miss Anita Morey, of Windsor, with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Perkins, on Saturday last; Mr. Gordon Knapp, of Sherbrooke, Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Knapp; Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, and daughter, Miss Violet to Sherbrooke, after Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. Robinson; Messrs. E. B. Perkins and S. J. Perkins to Kingsbury, recently on business; Miss E. V. Cromwell to her home in Cookshire to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell, and was accompanied with Master Harold Robinson.

The annual Thanksgiving service was held in Christ Church on Sunday last at 2:30 p.m. The Rev. Mr. Vial, of Lennoxville, conducted the service.

BALDWIN'S MILLS

The lecture given by Rev. J. Plant at the Baptist Church, Thursday evening, was well attended. The proceeds were for the benefit of the church.

Mr. A. Lyons has rented the farm of Mr. Joseph Perkins for the coming year.

Mrs. F. W. Lawton and little son, Clark, who have been spending the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Bliss, have returned to their home in Cassville.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin and Mrs. Pardon Baldwin, recently at W. K. Baldwin's.

Mrs. Melvin Martin took in the excursion trip to Boston; Mr. and Mrs. William Chamberlain, of Barford, week-end guests of their nephew, Mr. A. L. Baldwin, coming by auto; Mrs. Fred. Perkins, and daughter, Beatrice, of Derby Line, Vt., were guests at the same place.

The Red Cross Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Martin on Wednesday next, October 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Grey, of Colebrook, N.H., spent Sunday at Mr. Robert Perkins.

WAY'S MILLS

Misses Mildred and Clara Buckland spent the holidays in Montreal; Mr. Fred. Gilbert is in Manchester, N.H., for a few days; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gilbert, Thanksgiving in Windsor, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene LeBaron also Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowen, of Hatley, were Sunday visitors at Mrs. L. Bean's; Mr. and Mrs. L. McClary, of Kingscote, Sunday at Mr.

J. O. Olivier's; Nurse Dyson was home over Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith, and children, the week-end at Lake Massawippi; Mrs. W. G. Thompson in Sherbrooke Friday and was accompanied home by her son, Mr. James Gorfield, and Miss Pettes, who spent Thanksgiving here; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Clifford are expected home today (Wednesday), after the summer in Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sargent and Miss Florence were in Hatley on Saturday.

Mr. Fred. Wilkinson is moving with his family to Ayer's Cliff, this week.

BROOKBURY

The Brookbury and Bury W.C.T.U. will be entertained by Mrs. (Rev.) L. E. Roy, at the parsonage on Friday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Bennett will entertain the Brookbury Loyal Band today, (Thursday).

Arrivals and departures: Mr. R. W. Jenkinson motored to Sherbrooke on Sunday and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Coates and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hooker, who were owing to the illness of their brother, Mr. A. E. Berwick, who is in the hospital for an operation; Miss C. Coates, home for the week-end, from Marsboro, and was accompanied by Miss McLeod and attended the Teachers' Convention at Bury on Friday; Mr. O. Slack, of Weedon, week-end by motor, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Batley; Mr. M. J. Fleming, a family, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downes on Sunday, making the trip by motor.

The school teachers, the Misses Quint, Palmer and Farrell, attended the Convention at Bury, on Friday. Mrs. Berwick, of Middle Road, to Sherbrooke on Saturday and was accompanied at Bury by Mrs. A. E. Berwick; Mr. G. H. Grey and daughter returned leaving Miss Dolley with her aunt, Mrs. S. M. Saunders to attend school; Miss Marjory Berwick here from Marlinton for a few days.

TRENHOLMVILLE

On Sunday the missionary services were held here, the preacher on the occasion being the Rev. Mrs. A. Boast, recently from Hentley, Nebraska, who delivered a stirring appeal for mission work. A large number were present and enjoyed the service very much.

Mr. Lorenzo Brock's condition continues about the same.

Mrs. Bradford is very ill at the home of her son, on the Kingsley road.

Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Cunningham, of St. Lambert, were the guests for Thanksgiving of their brother, Mr. Jas. Reid, at "Bonnie Brae"; Miss Mildred Stevens, of Coaticook, the holidays at her home here; Miss Edna Armstrong, from Windsor, where she is teaching for the week at her home here; Miss Hazel Boast spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Sykes, in Montreal; Mrs. A. Evans, of Montreal, called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Bradford.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor Society held an "at home" birthday party on Monday night, which was a great success. The church and schoolroom was beautifully decorated by the young people for the occasion. A fine programme was rendered by talent from Richmond and Trenholmville, which was much appreciated, after which a dainty lunch was served in the school room, and all enjoyed a most pleasant evening.

LEARNED PLAIN

Arrivals and departures include: Mr. and Mrs. E. French and daughter, of Sawyerville, and Mrs. Fred Lintay, of Sherbrooke, recent visitors at Mr. George French's; Mrs. Boherty, of Lennoxville, a few days with her niece, Mrs. H. A. Stevenson; Miss Beulah Stevenson, Sherbrooke, the week end at her home here; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hood, Mrs. G. Hume, Mr. H. A. Stevenson, Mrs. A. Sample and daughter, Gertrude, and Mr. G. W. L. French to Sherbrooke on Saturday.

Mrs. H. A. Stevenson is recovering from her recent illness. She is being cared for by her mother, Mrs. Hodge of Cookshire.

COATICOOK

The Misses Baldwin have received this week the most beautiful millinery stock of the season, being the last consignment of this quality to be received this season.

ASCOT CORNER

Mr. H. Marnie and P. E. Beltra, of Sherbrooke, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, Sunday; Miss Lulu Willard, of East Angus, a few days with the Misses Ena and Ida Murphy.

MEGANTIC CO. HAPPENINGS

Budget of News From Various Sections of County.

KENNEBEC ROAD

Mr. McCutcheon is on his rounds inspecting the schools in this district. On Saturday he had an all day's drive from Lake Megantic, leaving there at 7 a.m. and arriving at Marlow at 5 p.m. On Sabbath he assisted at church service and gave a very appropriate and instructive address. On Monday he inspected the Marlow school and spoke very encouragingly to the teacher and her scholars regarding their future prospects if faithful to their studies. Judging from their appearance and past history they should do well; they have good natural abilities and did good work last year under Miss Lever's care, who won a bonus of \$25 for the proficiency of the school. This, no doubt, will be a stimulus to Miss Morrison and pupils. For the quality of the schoolhouse the people received a bonus of \$35, for last year they spent about \$165 in repairing the building.

Mrs. Wm. Poyer, the oldest lady in the Poyer families, died on Saturday morning and was buried on Tuesday afternoon. She leaves to mourn their loss a son and daughter and their families in St. George; a daughter and her family in Quebec; a daughter and her family in Toronto; a daughter and her family in Wisconsin; two sons and their families in the Western Provinces, besides other near friends in Sherbrooke, Richmond, Montreal and other places in this province. All these families are widely known and highly respected. As a Christian lady Mrs. Poyer was a member of the Anglican Church, and her remains were laid to rest in the family plot in the St. George Anglican Cemetery.

The Marlow sick are all improving. Mr. Albert Wilson is now able to be visiting his neighbors; Mrs. M. Wilson is around again; Mr. R. J. Ray is sufficiently improved to go to St. Zacharie to let winter contracts for the winter.

ST. FERDINAND d'ALIFAX

The Megantic soldiers of the 117th Battalion will have warm socks for the winter. On Wednesday evening, October 4th, a large euchre was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ward at the Canadian Bank of Commerce. An ideal autumn moonlight evening favored the guests, who assembled from Maple Grove, the town and surrounding country. Cards were dealt in six rooms, which were beautifully decorated with flags of the Allies, flowers and foliage. About a hundred were present, both French and English being equally well represented. The young people and as well many older ones were untiring in their efforts to make the event a success, and under the hospitable roof of the popular host and hostess the heartiest spirit of co-operation prevailed and all were anxious to make the evening one long to be remembered from a social point of view as well as to aid our brave Eastern Townships Battalion. Six games were played, followed by the drawing and distribution of prizes, which had been previously donated by the winners among the ladies were: Miss Servis, 1st prize; Mrs. Jno. Carey, 2nd; Mrs. Geo. Kerr, 3rd; Miss L. Lambert, 4th; Miss Pharo, 5th; Miss Alb. Gosselin, 6th.

The gentlemen who won prizes were: Mr. Chas. Binette, 1st; Mr. Pierre Boucher, 2nd; Mr. J. S. Laroche, 3rd; Mr. Sam. Pidgeon, 4th; Mr. Bert Dinning, 5th; Mr. Kenneth Wood, 6th.

After delicious refreshments had been served Mr. E. A. O'Callaghan played some fine selections from Liszt. His young daughter, Miss Constance O'Callaghan in an interpretation of La Tarantelle de Mills, gives promise of becoming a talented musician. In fact the delightful music was one of the features of the evening which drew to a close all too quickly. Fifty-six dollars testified to the great success of the party and many pairs of warm socks will soon go on their way to the boys in khaki.

HENDERSON VALE

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Little are home from Littleton, N.H.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Little, Mr. A. Marshall and Mrs. Jos. Marshall attended the Guild meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Kimball at Maple Grove on Saturday.

Those who attended the memorial service at Inverness on Sunday for the late Pte. Frank Austin, who was killed in France, on Sept. 18th, were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Little, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Little.

The Misses B. Ralston and P. E. Wright guests of their cousin, Miss H. Weir, of Milfield over Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, son and daughter, of Thorford, Sunday at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Little's.

INVERNESS

The Red Cross Society forwarded recently to Montreal the following articles: 60 pairs socks, 25 huck towels, 26 pillow covers, 16 H. T. bandages, 11 binders, 12 suite pyjamas.

Mrs. W. Patterson, Compton, guest of Miss Zella Stewart; Mr. James McKelvie, Thorford Mines, the week-end at his home; Miss Constance O'Callaghan, St. Ferdinand, guest of Mrs. Archie McKenzies, the last of the week; Miss Dorcas Thompson, Cookshire, spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Miss Thompson; Miss Ida McKinnon, Waterville, Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKinnon.

MAPLE HILL

Arrivals and departures: Miss Harriet Duffett to St. Johnsburg, after the summer with her sister, Mrs. James Watkins; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Thompson and Mr. Gilbert Wilkin home from visiting friends in East Angus; Mrs. J. Sawyer, of St. Bernard, Crickshaw, visiting her son, William, in the West; Dr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Sawyerville, visiting

COATICOOK TOWN COUNCIL

Question of Dividing Municipality Into Three Wards Now Under Discussion.

Coaticook, Oct. 12 (Special).—There does not appear to be much probability of the French and English coming to an agreement regarding the matter of representation in the Coaticook Council. It came up on the 2nd inst., and was adjourned for further consideration on the 10th inst. A meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday evening, at which the full Board was present with the exception of Alderman Martin, who had sent his resignation but which had not been accepted by the Council.

A petition was presented by Mr. E. V. Norton, signed by practically all the leading English rate-payers in Coaticook, representing property which is valued at \$320,000.00, setting forth the advisability of not opening up a question like this which might cause ill feeling and raise prejudices, when in view of the war both nationalities should be united, and asking that consideration of the matter be deferred until after the war. A resolution to the effect that the petition be laid on the table was moved and seconded by the French Aldermen and an amendment to the effect that the petition be granted was moved by the English Aldermen. The amendment carried.

Alderman Lallier nevertheless moved the second reading of his by-law to add a portion of the East ward to the Centre ward and the motion was seconded by Alderman Laroche. It was lost, however, on the same division.

It is understood that the French-Canadians will now press their cause before the Legislature at Quebec and seek an amendment to the Charter, which will make possible the division of the town into three wards, leaving the North ward as it is with one councillor and dividing the rest of the town into two wards to be known as the East and West wards with a representation of three councillors each. It is quite likely that a division such as that proposed would make it possible for the French-Canadians to elect the full Council. It is not likely that the majority of the Council will allow such an amendment to be made unopposed and that they will take steps to oppose the same at Quebec.

REVISION OF VOTERS LIST

In addition to the matter above mentioned the revision of the voters lists for parliamentary purposes took place at this session. Both political parties proposed names to be added to the lists. These names were all added without opposition with the exception of three or four, who were admittedly under age or not British subject. No names were struck from the list.

FROST DOES DAMAGE AT LAKE MEGANTIC

Grain is Turning Out Well. While Potatoes Are Spoiled By Rot.

Lake Megantic, Oct. 12.—(Special).—There was a fall of snow here Monday night and a very hard frost on Tuesday morning, with the mountains white with snow. Gardens have suffered quite a lot with the hard frost.

GRAIN TURNS OUT WELL. Threshing has commenced in the country around here and the grain is turning out well. Potatoes are all up now, and reports of farmers on the crop are very conflicting. Some say it is good, others poor and indifferent, but there is considerable rot in them.

NOTES. Mrs. Ireland and friends, who have spent the summer here at their camp at Gypsy Pointe, are leaving for home this week.

Rev. M. Campbell, of Marshboro, was at Scottstown last week and over Sunday, attending the Sacrament at the Presbyterian Church there.

Mr. Wm. Tupper, from East Dufferin, drove out to Lake Megantic with his team on Tuesday.

GRANITEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Simpson and daughter from Boston, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Simpson, from Norwich, Conn., spent the week end at the home of Mr. J. C. O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gallup on an automobile trip from Underhill, Vt., were recent visitors with Mrs. Colby Blair. Sergt. H. Baffan who went overseas with the 7th C.M.R., is at home on leave for a few days.

EAST ANGUS

Rev. and Mrs. Sincennes left on Monday for Ottawa and other points in Ontario, where they will spend two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

The "Helping Hand," of Knox Church will be entertained by Mrs. Townsend McCallum, at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Learmonth, on Thursday evening, the 12th, inst.

Friends at Maple Hill and Kinnear's Mills; Mr. James Cruickshank from Sherbrooke; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Montgomery, of Randolph, visiting at the home of Mr. Robert Montgomery's for a few days; Mr. James Warcup visiting friends at Maple Hill last Sunday; Mr. A. Raverdt, at Maple Hill last Saturday; Miss Maggie and Roberta Little home from the Leed's Model School.

HAPPENINGS AT DANVILLE

Bishop Williams Held Confirmation Service at St. Augustine's Church.

Danville, Oct. 12.—(Special).—The Rt. Rev. Dr. Williams, Bishop of Quebec, paid a visit to St. Augustine's Church on Sunday morning last for the purpose of confirmation. The usual morning prayer was conducted by the incumbent, Rev. H. Q. N. Belford, the Bishop, and Rev. F. Allen Sisco, reading the first and second lessons respectively. The Church was well filled. Thirteen candidates were presented for the laying-on-of-hands. Previous to Confirmation the Bishop addressed the candidates on the importance of the solemn occasion. He took for his text the words found in Ephesians 6, 10-11, "Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil." He emphasized the value of strength—mental, normal, and spiritual. The address was an inspiring and helpful one. The service was concluded by singing the National Anthem.

REVISION OF VOTERS' LIST

An adjourned meeting of the Council was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. There were present Councillors, Hannan, Cleveland, Boivin, Leet and Guilmette, Mayor presided. The meeting was called for the purpose of amending the Voters' list. Several names were approved and added thereto. Councillor Boivin was appointed on the Town Hall committee in place of Mr. A. C. Michelon, resigned.

DIED FROM EFFECT OF BURNS.

The funeral of little Miss Gifford, a young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gifford, of Asbestos, who died from the effects of severe burns on Monday, took place at St. Augustine's Church Wednesday morning. The remains were interred in the Danville cemetery. The child met with the accident some time ago, while at home. Medical aid was called in and she appeared to be progressing towards recovery, until Sunday when she suffered a relapse, and died shortly afterwards.

NOTES.

Mrs. N. H. Smith went to Montreal on Monday morning, where she will enter the Royal Victoria Hospital, for treatment. Mr. Smith, who is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, is still confined to his bed. He is, however, progressing favorably towards recovery.

Mr. A. Bertram Cleveland, and friend, Mr. Ernest Matthews, of Montreal, spent Thanksgiving Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cleveland.

The Committee room of the Red Cross Society will open on Tuesday afternoon only from two to five o'clock, until further notice.

Mr. Harold Thorpe, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osgood, of Cookshire, and were the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Thorpe on Sunday. Mrs. Frank Thompson, of Montreal, was also a guest of Capt. and Mrs. Thorpe; Mrs. H. H. Scott, who has been a guest at the same place returned to Saranac Lake, N.Y., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Le Gallais, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Thurber for the past ten days, returned to her home in Johnville, on Wednesday.

Quite a number from here attended the chicken pie social given at Lorne, by the ladies of that place on Tuesday evening. There was a large attendance of others from the vicinity. The supper was pronounced a success in every particular. The financial result was over \$30, which goes in aid of the Red Cross Society.

The annual Harvest Thanksgiving services of St. Augustine's Church, will take place on Tuesday, October 17th.

SCOTSTOWN AND DISTRICT

Top of Mountains Covered With Snow First Time This Season.

Scotstown, Oct. 11.—(Special).—The first snow of the season fell on Monday evening, the tops of the mountains being covered with snow today.

ARRIVED SAFE IN ENGLAND

Mrs. A. G. Sherman, Scotstown, received the following telegram from her son, George, private in the 148th Battalion:

"Oct. 10th. Arrived safely this morning at Witney Camp.—Pte. George Sherman."

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SUTTON

Miss Alberta Winchester left here on Tuesday for Worcester, Mass., where she will spend the winter, her sister, Miss Rachel Winchester, left the following day for Montreal, also for the winter, closing their house here till the spring.

Mr. Frank Jenne, Jr., from Peterboro, Ont., home for the holidays; Mr. J.W. Murphy, to Lyndonville, Vt., on Tuesday to arrange a timber deal; Miss E. Fuller, of Richmond, Vt., a guest of Mrs. L. Royce over Sunday; Miss Lillie Royce to Knowlton for the week, recently; Mr. L. A. Milner over Sunday in Montreal; Mr. P. A. Hastie, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McMillan and Nurse Macdonald, of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, recent guests at Mr. L.A. Milner's; Mr. V.W. Wilkinson from a visit to his sisters, at North Troy, and Irasburg, Vt.; Mr. James Lafleur from a few days in Montreal on Monday; Miss Hildred Brown, of Montreal, at her home here for the holidays; Mrs. Eugene Squires to Manchester, N.H., on Saturday after a visit of three weeks to Mr. Daniel Smith's and other friends in this section; Mr. Almon Stanhope, of Brome, here on Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson, of Hyde Park, Vt., recent guests at Mr. J.W. Murphy's; recent guests at Mr. J.W. Murphy's, a guest of her sister, Mrs. C.M. Boright, for a few days; Mrs. E.B. Macoy, to Richmond, Vt., a guest at Mr. A. R. Libby's; Mr. John Dunn, from Cortland, N.Y., here on Tuesday; Mr. Amos Hawley, of Richmond, Vt., here on Thursday; Mr. and Mrs. Harlan P. Burnap from down country recent guests of her sister, Mrs. F.H. Tisdale, Glen Sutton; Mr. Wm. Lee to North Troy, Vt., Friday; Mrs. L. Gauthier, to North Troy, Vt., on Thursday to pass the winter with her daughter, Mrs. F.T. Gibney; Mrs. G. Metivier, from a few days at Highwater on Thursday a guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. Metivier; Mr. Jack Shepard home from Stanstead College, his parents going there by auto to bring him home; Mrs. Lucia Ware, of New Boston, N.H., home on Friday from a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. Bickford at Glen Sutton, also calling on other friends; Mr. L. Gladden on a brief visit to this section from Springfield, Mass., returning home on Tuesday on account of the illness of his daughter, Miss Nora Gladden; Mr. Wm. Brock, of Westfield, Vt., and Mr. O.N. Jones, of Glen Sutton, here on business the past week.

The Sabbath District meeting held at Knowlton the past week was attended by the following members, from Sutton: Mrs. J.R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Jenne, Mrs. R.J. Buckley, Miss Jennie Buckley, Mrs. Whitford, Mrs. J. Cavanagh, Mrs. L. E. Dyer, Mrs. E.N. Ford, Mrs. L. Dyer, Mrs. C. Midgett, Mrs. A. G. Eastman, Mrs. Homer Flannery. A very pleasant time was reported by the visiting members.

The Oddfellows social held in their hall on Monday evening was well attended. Supper was served in their dining hall.

Rev. Williams, of Farnham, will occupy the pulpit here on Sunday in exchange with Rev. J. Plett.

Mr. Jack P. Dyer, of New York, who has been on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V.N. Dyer, at Tergersoll, Ont., was in town on Tuesday, and Wednesday. He has graduated as a lawyer.

This village turned out a good company of teachers for Montreal on Monday after spending the holidays here. Among those going were Miss Mabel Wallace, Miss Beatrice McClarty, Miss Gertrude Olmstead, Miss Nellie Tupper, Miss Gertrude Palmer, and Miss Jessie Niblock.

Miss Geo. E. Clark has returned home after a few days visit to friends in Brome.

Mr. Geo. H. Boright home for the holidays, returning on Monday.

Miss Kate Stanfield, of London, England, is a guest at her brother's, Mr. A.J. Stanfield's.

GRANBY

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stewart, of Ottawa, are in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Barr, Montreal, with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barr; Miss Seivright, Sherbrooke, visiting friends; Misses Florence Bowker, Janet Wallace, Manthie Wiggins, Janet Wallace, Marian Clow, Beulah Graham, Montreal; Miss Alice Guillet to Messrs. Floyd Johnson, H. McCurdy, H. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Wright Halpin, Montreal, in town; Mr. and Mrs. Remi Guillett, of Mariville, in town; Miss Mildred Wilkins, accompanied by Miss Mattie Keep, to her home in Thetford; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Chatter and Miss Cunningham to Montreal; Miss Alice Guillet to Mariville; Mr. Arthur Kerridge to Cowansville; Miss Irma Gleason, of the

BOLTON CENTRE

Mrs. D.W. Johnston was taken to Montreal on Tuesday to undergo an operation. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Jas. Burbank.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. Ella Johnson and daughters, Misses Bertha and Jessie, have returned to their home here after spending some time in Knowlton; Mr. Jack Mitchell and family, of Lincoln, Neb., guests of Mrs. Mitchell's brother, Mr. H. Coons; Mrs. G. H. Webster home from Danville, Vt.; Miss Iva Bracey, of South Bolton, visiting her grandmother, Mrs. N. E. Bracey; Mr. Harley Adams to Montreal this week; Mrs. Henry Taylor, Waterloo, in town on Friday; Miss R. E. Taylor to her home in Waterloo; Mr. J. Eastman, visiting relatives here; Mr. L. N. Arthur to Sweetburg this week, attending court, where he is called as jurymen; Mr. W. Giddings and Mrs. Roberts, Montreal, guests at Mr. C. C. Whitney's; Miss Mildred Whitney home from Channell for the Thanksgiving holidays.

BOLTON GLEN

Arrivals and departures: Misses Mabel and Hazel Martin, of Knowlton, and Mr. C. Foster, of Knowlton, at Mr. P. Stanbridge's; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Mrs. P. Wilkinson and Miss Lillian Wilkinson to Foster; Mrs. H. Hall, who has been caring for the late Mrs. Chas. Hall, calling on friends in the Glen on her way home; Mrs. Jas. Raymond and son, little Philip Raymond, of West Bolton, and Miss Mary Hall accompanied Mrs. Hall to Mansville for a few days; Mr. and Mrs. G. Hall, of Stanstead, at Mr. A. Hall's; Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams and family at Mr. J. Dickinson's, of Foster, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Needham, who for many years were residents of this place, have their new house in Knowlton completed, and are moving into the same.

A special meeting of the Councillors was held at the Duboyce school house on Saturday p.m. for the purpose of revising the voters' list.

ABBOTSFORD

A very successful social was held in the Parish Hall Saturday night by the Ladies' Aid of the Anglican Church. Advantage of the occasion was taken to present Mr. Murray Fisk, who is leaving to pursue his musical studies in Montreal, with a purse of gold in recognition of his faithful services as organist for the past few years.

Among the guests to spend Thanksgiving Day here were the following: Misses Muriel and Irene Marshall, Mr. Stuart Marshall, Montreal, at Mr. Stuart Marshall's; Miss Gladys Buzzell and Mr. Henry Buzzell at Mr. Geo. Buzzell's; Mr. and Mrs. Egg and family at Nevina Cottage; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Buzzell and family at their summer home; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Honey, Misses Evelyn and Zella Honey, Westmount; Miss Winifred Honey, Macdonald College, at Mr. W. C. Honey's; Miss Colquhoun, Montreal, and Mrs. Currie, Montreal West, Mrs. Nesbitt, Mrs. N. Buzzell, Mr. Clare Buzzell, Miss Struthers, Cowansville, guests of Mrs. Geo. Roach; Mrs. F. Fisk and Miss Helen Fisk, Williamsburg, N.Y., at Mr. Chas. Fisk's; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Lighthouse and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Finley, Miss Hinchelliffe, Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Standish and family, Lennoxville, at Poplar Farm; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rowell and family, Dr. and Mrs. Watson and family, Montreal, at Mr. Page Royce's; Miss Dorothy Buzzell, Macdonald College, Miss Alice Buzzell, Montreal, at Mr. Ernest Buzzell's; Mr. Allen Pitt, guest of Mrs. Maurice Crossfield; Mr. Murray Fisk leaves for Montreal on Thursday.

COWANSVILLE

Capt. Geo. F.L. Fuller the holiday in town, with his family; Miss Hazel Wanless, of S.W.C. the guest of Mrs. W.G. Brown; Messrs. Will Dunn, Willard MacClatchie and Miss Jeanette Barker, of S.W.C. the holiday with their respective parents; Mrs. R. A. McCrum and Capt. Ulric McCrum, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, the holiday with friends in town; Messrs.

Lloyd Johnston, and Harry Chandler, with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Johnston; Miss Gertrude Bell, of Waterloo, the holidays with their parents; Messrs. Foster Draper and W.C. Cochrane, A.C. Turner, of Montreal, Arthur Kerridge, Granby, L. McClatchie, of Sutton, R. Buzzell, and Brook Astle, of Howick, Dyson Hawk, of Waterloo, P.H.M. Somerville, Hemmingford, in town during the holiday; Miss Mollie Jameson, of Longueuil spent the holiday with her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Jameson; Mrs. Kerridge and children spent the holiday in West Shefford; Miss Margaret Kerridge is spending a couple of weeks in Montreal, with friends; Mr. Berthold Williams left for Kamloops, B.C., on Saturday last to spend the winter; Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Soles, and family, and the Misses Estella and Edith Soles the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Soles; Mrs. McClatchie, of Hemmingford, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J.C. McClatchie, and Mrs. McClatchie, Miss Marion Lockhart has returned to New York, after a couple of months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Lockhart; Messrs. Chas. Robinson and James Stewart spent the holiday in Waterloo; Miss Ethel Bell is home from Montreal, and once again at her duties in Hurlburg and Bell's.

Mrs. F.B. Carvel, of St. Johns, N.B., a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Cotton.

The annual meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held on Friday, September 29th. Owing to falling health, Mrs. W.H. Macfarlane was obliged to resign her presidency, and Mrs. Drake was elected to the office. There was a good attendance of members and reports show very satisfactory work, during the year. Mrs. Hinton was chosen as delegate to accompany the delegation to Quebec, to interview Sir Homer Gouin on the question of Provincial Prohibition. With the exception of the above mentioned change of Presidency all the officers and superintendents were re-elected.

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SOUTH BOLTON

Rev. W. T. Payne and family left here Sept. 26th for Ormstown, Que., their new field of labor. South Bolton united with Bolton Center in giving them a farewell at the Town Hall, Sept. 21st, where a sumptuous supper was served. A substantial amount of money was collected by Mr. Calvin Davis and Mrs. Percy Johnson which together with that of East Bolton, and \$8.45 to Miss N. Payne by the South Bolton Church, amounted to over \$55. The I.O.G.T. Riverside Lodge presented them with a pair of military brushes. Mr. Ira Mooney making the presentation. Mr. Payne responded with a few appropriate remarks. Mr. Payne will be a great favorite with all classes.

PHILIPSBURG

Recent arrivals and departures: Mrs. Johnston, who has been a couple of months here with her son, has returned to Clarenceville; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Symington, of Montreal, in town the guest of relatives for Thanksgiving; Mrs. Fleming, who has been the guest of Miss Chesapeake, has returned to her home in Swanton, Vt.; Mrs. Powers, Miss Alice Powers and Mr. Crawford, of Brigham, and Mrs. J. M. Lamb, of Granby, recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Deuel; Miss Wheeler, of Knowlton, the holidays here with her brother.

The Ladies of the Red Cross will give a dance in the Whitwell Hall on Friday evening, Oct. 13, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The Ladies' Aid of the Phillipsburg Methodist Church are holding their annual chicken pie supper in Whitwell Hall on the evening of October 12.

HILLSIDE

Recent arrivals and departures: Mr. Wm. Fairfield, and sister, Miss Bernice Fairfield, of Hillside Valley, the week-end at Hillside Farm; Mr. Wm. Blake to Richmond, Vt., recently; Mrs. Henry Couture, of Snowburg Falls, Vt., with her mother, Mrs. John Cook, for some time; Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Bell, and family, of Farnham Centre, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Blake on Sunday; Messrs. Hubert Brown, Wm. Berry, and Levi Blake, to Sweetburg to act as jurors.

MYSTIC

Arrivals and departures include: The Misses Edith Sulley and Margaret Pendlebury at home over the week end; Miss Anna Reid and Miss Delia Walbridge, of Montreal, visiting friends here a few days; Mr. and Mrs. David Hodgson to Montreal on Monday; Mrs. John Watson visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Walbridge, in Montreal; Mr. C. L. Rockus, of Detroit, Mich., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rockus last week; Mr. David Watson, of Cassville, visiting his mother, Mrs. Amy Watson.

NORTH PINNACLE

Miss Edith Atkins has closed her school for a week's vacation and gone home to Dunkin for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, of Iron Hill, at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barry's recently; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Seales at Mr. E.S. Spencer's a few days this week before going to their home at West Brome.

SAVAGE'S MILLS

Mrs. Jas. Gaw was in Sherbrooke over Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gaw; Mr. and Mrs. M. McMahon, of Brome; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McMahon, of West Shefford, and Mr.

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BEDFORD TOWN AND DISTRICT

Mr. George Sulley Resigns After Many Years as Secretary-Treasurer.

Bedford, Oct. 12 (Special).—The dance held under the auspices of the Bedford branch Canadian Red Cross Society, which was held in Victoria Hall on Monday evening was a decided success. Notwithstanding the inclement weather during the day the evening brought fine weather conditions, and the dance was attended by a large number, many from outlying districts. There were 24 dances on the programme, and the music was furnished by an orchestra from St. Albans, Vt. There were two refreshment booths where good things were sold. Dancing was kept up until the small hours of the morning, and the financial result was satisfactory. Interest in the work of the Red Cross is still being maintained, and it is hoped that the coming months will show even better results over what was obtained during the twelve months just past. Those who realize the importance of this commendable work this institution is doing for the wounded will not deny the local branch of whatever spare time they may have to augment its usefulness.

Several farms have changed hands in this locality recently.

Potatoes are a large crop, but reported rotting badly in some sections.

Mr. Cedric Hastings took a party by auto, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Shufelt, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Drown, Lowell, Mass., for a trip to Farnham, calling on Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Shufelt, and returned via Abbotsford and Granby.

Mr. F. G. Guthrie recently purchased Mrs. Dunn's residence, Bedford, and intends moving there very soon. Mr. L. H. Sornberger has purchased Mr. J. H. Burley's farm.

Miss Aline Gardner, of Macdonald College, the week-end at her home; Mr. and Mrs. B. Gardner, daughter Aline, Mrs. M. Ricard and Mr. G. Guthrie motored to St. Albans on Saturday.

Misses Muriel Guthrie and Blanche Ricard recently visited St. Albans friends.

Mr. Hugh Jackson and Miss Kathleen Jackson, of Brome, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Thomas and also guests at "The Lodge".

Mr. F. Ball is suffering from blood poisoning in his hand.

Miss Laura and Master Frederick Kemp home from Waterloo Academy for Thanksgiving.

Service on Sunday next in the Church of the Good Shepherd at 10.30 a.m.

Mr. Percy Hunter punctured his little finger with a rusty nail, from the effect of which he is suffering much.

Miss Agnes Hillhouse, who is attending the Sherbrooke High School, is spending this week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, of Waterloo, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mackinnon, "Inverness Lodge".

Mr. Frank Hooper is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Ladd.

Privates Geo. Bell and Leighton Cranham, of Kitchener's Own, spent Thanksgiving holidays in town, guests of friends.

Mrs. M. A. Flemming, of Feeding Hills, Mass., and Mrs. M. Buchanan, of Sweetburg, were guests of Mrs. Wm. McCloy on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Cummings and son, Gerald, and Mr. Towell, of Montreal, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hy Cummings.

Mr. Percy Richard, of Magog High School, is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Joyal.

The Guild, which met with Miss Bertha Tibbitts, was well attended.

CONFIRMS LOSS OF THE BREMEN
New York, Oct. 11.—Bayard Swope, city editor of the World, who has just arrived from Berlin, confirms the loss of the German submarine Bremen through admission of the president of the company operating commercial submarines.

STANBRIDGE TOWNSHIP FARMERS' ASSOCIATION.
A notice in regard to the proposed association, among other things states that it is formed for residents in the township who live wholly by farming not less than one hundred acres; that in 1917 or any after year may compete under the rules of the association for any or all of the three prizes mentioned by subscribing \$1.00 in June of any year and becoming thereby a member of the association for the year. For this purpose a fund has been established which it is hoped will yield \$300 each year and enable the association to distribute three prizes of \$100 each. Of these one will be for clearing up uncultivated land; one for keeping the farm free from weeds, and the third, for Holstein grade heifers not more than three years old. The success of this proposed association will depend in a great measure on the support of the farming community in the next few years. The association year will begin on the 21st day of June in each calendar year, unless it be a Sunday or a holiday, then on the twentieth of June. It is unnecessary to enlarge on the benefits which will arise from such an association, and the gentleman who inspired this project should receive the hearty support of not only the farmers in the township of Stanbridge, but of citizens no matter what their calling in life may be. Too much cannot be done by our representative men to encourage farming in every way possible, and the public should not be slow to command such effort.

NOTES.
Mrs. George Moody, Terrebonne, and Mr. Douglas Saunders, Montreal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Saunders.

Mrs. Dudley Carleton and son have returned home after visiting relatives in Montreal and Danville.

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THANKSGIVING AT WATERVILLE

Members of Congregational Church Celebrate the Harvest Festival

Waterville, Oct. 12.—(Special)—Last Sunday the Congregational Church at Waterville celebrated the harvest festival. The Young People's Society prepared for the day by adorning the church with the produce of the earth. The glorious profusion of flowers, fruit, grain, etc., made a feast of color, gave a true harvest atmosphere, and aroused feelings of deep gratitude. The addresses were in accord with the occasion. The large congregations enjoyed the music rendered by the choir, and sang with zest the time-honored harvest hymns.

On Monday evening the Thanksgiving supper and meeting was held. A day's downpour of rain proved a water "barrage" for friends living at a distance. The festive fare, however, was enjoyed by a large company and the evening gathering was a great success. The Rev. Arthur E. Truitt occupied the chair, and the Revs. E. Le Roy Rice, B.A., and A. Shorten spoke to an appreciative audience. Mr. Rice supplied at Waterville in his student years, and won the esteem of all who knew him. He was given a warm welcome, and greeted his audience in expounding the need for the "demonstration of the church." Mr. Shorten, of East Hatley, delighted all by his timely address. He urged the people to take as their motto "Service and Sacrifice." Both messages were long—or short—enough to suit those restless listeners for whom a model speech is expressed in the phrase "twenty minutes and a leaning to mercy." They were deep enough to satisfy all those who seek the profundities of life.

The music was also excellent. Mrs. Wells, Miss G. Swanson, Prof. Tattersall and Mr. Smith were the evening's soloists. Duets were splendidly rendered by Mrs. Wells and Mr. Smith, Misses McFadden and Swanson. The choir sang very successfully a beautiful anthem entitled "Sun of My Soul." Mr. Tattersall played the organ with consummate talent, accompanied the soloists, and was heard to even greater advantage in a wonderful pianoforte solo. Thanks were tendered to all who in so many ways contributed to the success of the festival.

GRAIN CROP LIGHT AROUND BROME

Potato Crop is Below the Average, and Rot is Reported in Sections.

Brome, Oct. 12.—(Special)—Messrs. Hiram and Ernest Tibbitts are doing the threshing again for the farmers in this section of the country, by gasoline power and report a very light crop of grain, being not more than one half the amount that was threshed in the same barns last year. Most of the grain was late and is very light. The acreage of wheat is larger and is fair and while much of the late sown barley will not be threshed at all. The potato crop is far below the average, and on the lower ground rot is reported, while others report them rotting in the bin.

FEEL AND BROKE AN ARM
Mrs. Ernest Shepard fell while stepping from her house, breaking her arm below the elbow.

NOTES
Mr. E. J. Peters and Mr. Arthur Boffin have dissolved partnership. Mrs. A. Foster, and daughters, who have been spending several weeks in Brome, returned to their home in Manchester, on Thursday; Mr. John Dunn, of Abercorn, a recent guest at "Idylwild"; Mr. Wm. Chapman, Jr., home from a few week's visit in New York.

ENLISTMENT OF RAILWAYMEN.
London, Eng.—The president of the Board of Trade has appointed a committee consisting of H. Courthorpe-Munroe, K.C. (chairman), F. W. Goldstone, M.P., and J. C. A. Ward, to inquire into cases brought before them in which after appeal to the general manager of the railway company concerned it is alleged that the instructions regarding the release of railwaymen for active service, issued by the general managers of the British railway executive committee have not been followed, and to report to the Board of Trade what action, if any, is called for in each case. G. J. Salmon, of 3 Harcourt buildings, Temple, E.C., will act as secretary to the committee.

PATRIOTIC COLUMN

Will all parties selling tickets for benefit at Premier Theatre make returns to Mrs. Parmelee at theatre tonight or at her residence, Wolfe street, not later than Friday noon.

MEETING OF PATRIOTIC SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the Sherbrooke Patriotic Association, will be held in the hall of the Association's rooms in the Art Building, Friday, Oct. 13th inst., at 3.30 p.m.

A meeting of the Entertainment Committee will be held the same afternoon at 2.30 for the election of officers, and any other business that may arise.

The members of the Belgian Relief Committee are requested to attend a meeting, which will be held after the meeting of the S. P. A. at 4.30. All the members of the above committees will please attend.

DONATIONS TO RED CROSS.

The Sherbrooke branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society gratefully acknowledges:

From the Belvidere Sewing Circle—36 towels, 36 wash cloths, 51 handkerchiefs.

From the assistants at the House of Mercy Hospital, Pittsfield, Mass.—12 prs. socks.

From the Women's Patriotic Society, Megantic—15 sponge bags, 6 prs. socks, 2 suits pyjamas, 9 hot water bags.

MARRIAGES

CHAPMAN—RAYMOND

Iron Hill, Oct. 12.—(Special)—A quiet and pretty home wedding was celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents, on October 12th, the contracting parties being, Ruth, the ninth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond, and Jack, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, all of Iron Hill. The ceremony was performed at 3 p.m. by Rev. Mr. Wright of West Brome in the presence of only immediate relatives. The rooms in use were prettily decorated with autumn leaves, clematis and asters. The bride was gown in a tailored travelling suit of navy, with hat to match, ostrich trimmings, and was attended by her sister, Miss Evelyn Raymond, also gown in navy and was given away by her father. The groom was attended by his brother, George Chapman. A delicious repast was served by Mrs. Raymond, after which the happy couple took their departure for a trip through New Hampshire and Massachusetts. On their return they will at once take up house-keeping on the farm purchased by the groom from Mr. P. E. Benham.

LENNOXVILLE PATRIOTIC ASSOCIATION.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lennoxville Patriotic Association will be held in the Library on Friday, October 13th. The Annual Business meeting of the Red Cross Branch will be held immediately after the meeting of the Patriotic Association.

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CITY NEWS

Amateur Contest at Sears' Studio.

Miss Clara Mallory has returned to Lennoxville after a visit to friends in Montreal.

The Casino theatre will open next Sunday and every Sunday after at 2.30 p.m., and 7.30 p.m.

Mrs. James Thompson is in town from Waterloo, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fuller, London Street.

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Mrs. Earl Smith, from Newport, Vt., and her little daughter, Dorothy, are the guests of Miss Eva Dresser, Montreal St.

Do not fail to attend Moving Pictures at Premier Theatre this evening. Proceeds for blind soldiers.

Mr. N. Erle Walley has returned from a business trip to West Stewarstown, N.H., Quebec and Thetford.

The family of Mr. M. B. Rice have returned from Lake Marois, where they have spent the summer, to Grosvenor Avenue, Westmount.

Mr. H. H. Ingram returned last evening from Lexington, Ky., where he attended the racing meet of the Kentucky Stock Herd's Racing Association.

The Rev. R. J. Fothergill, and Mrs. Fothergill, of Magog, were in town yesterday, the guests of the Misses Elkins, at "Sunnyside," Melbourn Street.

Don't forget F. D. Carter, celebrated baritone, will sing at the concert, Lennoxville, Friday. Tickets, 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Winslow have returned from a week's stay in New York, and left yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pator for a motor trip to Boston.

Break away from your kitchen drudgery. The famous Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet at Edwards', will be placed in your home for only \$5.00 cash and \$1.00 per week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Holt, of Montreal, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with friends in Lennoxville, and were among the guests at the ceremony in connection with the new school.

Mrs. Penhale, Miss Florence Purdy, and Master Alfred Penhale spent the week-end in North Hatley, with the family of Dr. G. L. Hume at their cottage.

Miss Minnie Mooney is spending a few weeks at "Undercliff," the home of Mrs. Mark Libby, near Compton, for the benefit of her health.

The Rev. C. R. Mortimer, who was expected shortly from the Northwest to take up his duties as Curate of St. Peter's Church, has been appointed chaplain of the 21st Manitoba Battalion and leaves shortly for overseas with his unit.

Hon. Dr. Pelletier, Agent for the Province of Quebec to England, was a passenger on the S.S. Olympic, last Friday with Mrs. Pelletier, and Miss Bolvin, their adopted daughter. Last evening Dr. Pelletier arrived in Sherbrooke.

Mr. L. G. Bourgoin, formerly of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, in this city, and now manager of the Valcourt branch of that institution, was in town for the week-end, with Mrs. Bourgoin, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Balthazar. The party extended their motor trip to Newport, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay, their son, Mr. Clyde C. Kay, an old Bishop's College school boy, and Miss Florence Williams, motored from New York.

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EAST SHERBROOKE

Rev. E. R. Roy, of Cookshire, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Callis while in town yesterday.

The ladies who canvassed this part of the city for the Duchess of Connaught's Prisoners' Fund report a most satisfactory amount.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

The annual Thanksgiving service was held at the Church of the Advent last evening. Choral evensong was sung, and a most eloquent address given by Rev. E. R. Roy, Rector of St. Peter's, Cookshire. The anthem "Hear, O Lord" (Watson) was well rendered by the choir, and the organist was assisted by Miss Evelyn Price (violin). The church was made beautiful with flowers, fruit and autumn leaves, and the service was most impressive.

to Lennoxville recently, arriving in time to be present at the ceremony of turning the first sod for the new school building. The party, who were guests at the College House, left for home Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Batley, who has been taking a course of X-ray study, has completed her course and has accepted a position as an assistant to Dr. Van Allen, of Springfield, Mass.

Box office now open at His Majesty's for Yvette Guilbert concert party next Tuesday. Prices 50 cents to \$2.00. Secure your seats early.

Miss Katherine Edgell left yesterday for Montreal, and sails today by the S.S. Scandinavian, for England to visit her brother, Mr. Geoffrey Edgell and Mrs. Edgell.

The members of the Girls' Glee Club will meet in Plymouth Hall on Friday afternoon, October 13. First class at quarter to 4, second class at quarter of 5. New members are welcome.

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Mrs. H. A. Caesar left yesterday for her home in Bridgeport, Conn., after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell, 12 Pine Street.

This week's special offering at Chamberlain's shoe store consists of 30 pairs ladies' laced boots, patent leather, vamp, black brocade cloth top, Cuban heel, plain toes, a dressy boot for the popular price, \$3.50.

Saturday, October 14, bridge and in aid of comforts for men of 117th B. T. Battalion. Bridge will be played at Mrs. Wiggert's, 2 Fulton Ave., at 3 o'clock; tea served from 4 to 6 at Mrs. Cleveland's, 4 Fulton Ave.

At the Guild Tea in St. Peter's Church hall, yesterday, the hostesses were Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. Robert Newton and Mrs. Nutt. Tea was poured by Mrs. Wilson, who was assisted by her daughter, Miss Mabel Wilson. A pleasant social hour was spent by those present.

PROPERTY CHANGES

Registrations in the Registry Office during the week ending October 7th, 1916:

J. S. Webster to I. C. Benoit, lot 6a range 2 Compton. Price \$1,225.

Antoine Chagny to Mrs. Hugh Connor, northerly residue lot 881, South Ward. Price \$3,000.

Edeas Bessette to Desiré Graveline, part lots 170 and 174 Waterville. Price \$700.

H. L. Allen to Harry McDougall lot 1444-202 South Ward. Price \$4,250.

Cyrille Thibault to Levi Roy, part lot 895 East Ward. Price \$800.

Edouard Poulin to Miss Mary Draper lot 166 and part 16a range 7 Compton. Price \$1.

C. G. Brown to Alcide Dube lot 1537-174 South Ward. Price \$225.

Sherbrooke Real Estate Co. to J. C. Whiting lot 5-3 South Ward. Price \$311.50.

CONFERENCE OF TEACHERS AT BURY

Much Interest Manifested in Addresses Delivered at Annual Meeting.

Bury, Oct. 12 (Special)—The joint conference held annually in Bury is attended by teachers of the inspectorates of Inspectors McCutcheon and Hunter. This year the conference was of unusual interest because of the unusually large number of teachers in attendance, the presence and addresses of Inspector General J. C. Sutherland, B. A., of the Department of Instruction.

The conference opened with the hearty singing of "O Canada." Inspector Hunter considered the topic, "The pupil—the citizen in the making." The resident ministers, Revs. Lewis and Roy then spoke words of welcome to the teachers and also words of counsel.

Inspector McCutcheon, B.A., in the morning dealt with the subject of "Education" in comprehensive definitions and in thoughtful explanations. In the afternoon he dealt more particularly with "The morals of the school."

Inspector General Sutherland, from his conversancy with Departmental matters, addressed the teachers in the morning informally, on the course of study, memos, school libraries, etc.,

In the afternoon he gave an address on "The Teaching of Geography," an address made particularly interesting and stimulating by historical resume, by personal enthusiasm for the subject, and by pertinency of illustrations, all of which made the audience feel that Geography was one of the most fascinating studies of the curriculum.

This session was graced by the presence of members of the School Board.

The session closed loyally with the singing of the National Anthem. Entertainment was provided at Broad View Hotel where mine host Mr. Louis Audet carefully ministered to the material needs of no less than 53 guests.

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CONSERVE LIME ON THE FARM

The one thing which is this year more than ever before occupying the minds of farmers is conserving of time. The hired man and the sons of farmers have enlisted, and the owner or tenant has his 100, 150 or 200 acres pretty much on his hands. He will surely be his own boss this year but he will have to be his own hired man as well. The most important consideration this year will be to save time. Our government is trying to encourage patriotic thrift. The best place for the farmer to start is in a system of managing his farm work to save his time, so that he may in so far as possible and with as little over-exertion as possible accomplish more this year. As a general rule the farmer does not value his time as highly as he should. He is inclined to put a laborer's wage valuation on his time, whereas he should think of it in the same light as a business man or professional man does of his. Every minute saved and used intelligently, or, as an American writer puts it, intellectually, means thrift, means greater accomplishment and higher returns. The man on the farm who can, this year, so systematize his work, can harness more horses to wider implements and machinery, can bring into use labor-

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AIRMEN DROP INFECTED SWEETS

Further Successful Raids on Enemy Positions in Greek Macedonia.

(Canadian Associated Press.) Petrograd, Oct. 12, via London, Oct. 12.—The following official announcement was made here today: "In Dobrudja an enemy air squadron dropped bombs on Constanza (the principal Rumanian Black Sea port) and also poisoned sweets and infected with cholera bacilli."

TEUTONS PURSUING ROUMANIANS.

Berlin, Oct. 12, via London.—Teuton troops are pursuing the Rumanian forces on the whole Eastern Transylvanian front, says the official statement issued today, by the German army headquarters staff. The second Rumanian army, the announcement adds, has been driven back into the frontier positions.

MOUNTED FORCE CLEARS UP COUNTRY.

London, Oct. 12.—Reporting the military operations in Greek Macedonia, the British official statement issued this afternoon says:

"Struma front: A mounted brigade in clearing the country up to the outskirts of Sares found the town strongly held by the enemy."

"Doiran front: Further raids on enemy trenches were carried out on Tuesday night. Two advanced posts were driven in and some Bulgarian and German prisoners were taken."

GAS ATTACKS UNSUCCESSFUL.

(Canadian Associated Press.) Petrograd, Oct. 12, via London.—Three German gas attacks launched against the Russian positions in front of the Uskul bridge fortifications on October 8 were unsuccessful, says the Russian official statement, reporting operations on the Western Russian front. The defenders maintained their positions by machine gun and artillery fire, and destroyed the gas apparatus. A bridge erected by the Germans over the River Balduka, in the region of Belauca village, was destroyed by Russian artillery. "In the Caucasus nothing of importance occurred."



Here is shown some of the loot captured by the British from the Germans along the Somme. The wicker shell cases contain shells of various calibre, captured along with the guns they were made for and shot back at their former owners.

LIVE STOCK NOTES OF INTEREST

Live stock is selling at almost fabulous prices in Germany. A Holland correspondent of the Breeders' Gazette states that "common cows, two to three months from calving, sell for \$250 to \$350. Fat cattle are very high—30c. a lb. Hogs sell at 25c. to 27c. a pound. Corn is \$7 for 250 pounds. Sheep and lambs are \$10 to \$15; and the wool for which 65c. is paid, must be delivered to the Government commission."

This is the time of the year when the ranges of Idaho, Oregon, Washington and other states are marketing their flocks of lambs born in the spring of the present year, with Idaho leading off at a big distance in furnishing the Chicago market. These range lambs are mostly prime in quality, and they greatly outsell in high prices the less attractive native lambs, which come to market in small consignments usually. A large demand prevails for both range feeding lambs and high-class breeding ewes, but very few are offered, while sellers insist upon such high prices invariably that many intending buyers decide to stay out for the present at least.

The practicability of raising Persian lambs in this country has been proven by G. W. Johnston, of Essex County, Ontario, who has made a successful experiment with Karacul sheep, commercially known as "Persian" lambs. A year ago Mr. Johnston took initial steps in this new business, and this spring his fourteen Karacul ewes gave birth to fifteen lambs, all of which were covered with the glossy curl so essential from a commercial standpoint. Desiring rather to increase his stock, none of the lambs of this year were sacrificed, and in addition an imported purebred yearling male has recently been purchased.

The New York Herald published some time ago an article by Alexander Gemmell on the great English Hackney mare, Ophelia. Ophelia was bred by a farmer named Wm. Deighton, of North Duffield, Selby, near Market Weighton, in Yorkshire, and was foaled in 1884. She is registered in the Stud Book as by Danegelt or Denmark, his sire but she was undoubtedly by the latter horse, and was out of Jennie Bother'em by Triffle's Fireway. It is difficult to estimate the value of the stock this great mare Ophelia produced. If one is to reckon the values obtained for even only the tops among her sons and grandsons, and her daughters and granddaughters, two and a half million dollars would not be far off the mark.

The French Ministry of Agriculture had just issued the results of a

new census of live stock of France as at July 1st last. The returns indicate that the efforts of French breeders to maintain the numerical strength of their stock have been fairly successful, and that it is only when dealing with the figures relating to sheep and pigs that any appreciable diminution is seen. From comparative figures we gather that the number of horses in the country increased from 2,156,424 in December, 1915, to 2,317,205 in July of this year. There was an increase from 577,303 to 614,185, in the number of horses under three years old, and from 1,578,921 to 1,703,020 in the number of horses over three years. The total head of cattle from 12,514,414 in December, 1915, to 12,723,946 in July, 1916. There was a small increase in the number of bulls from 220,825 to 221,300, but oxen fell from 1,394,205 to 1,321,887.

NEW ZEALAND AND CONSCRIPTION.

London, Eng.—The Secretary of State for the Colonies has received a communication from the Governor of New Zealand drawing attention to an article which recently appeared in the London press, in which it was implied that the voluntary system had failed in New Zealand and that it was therefore necessary to introduce a compulsory bill, and an unfavorable inference was drawn as to the supply of men from New Zealand. The New Zealand Government desired that the statements made should be contradicted. They point out that the voluntary system has not failed, but so as to be prepared for all eventualities before Parliament meets next year, the New Zealand Government took the precaution of taking powers to maintain their obligations to the Imperial Government. The powers of the bill have not so far been required. The Ministers admit that they have always avoided drawing comparisons between the efforts of New Zealand and those of other parts of the empire, but they have no reason to fear a comparison with others of the numbers dispatched under the voluntary system from New Zealand.

A YOUTHFUL D.S.O.

Gian Antonio Cassol, a Milanese boy only fifteen years of age, has been proposed for the distinguished service medal for successive acts of valor on the Italian front. Sept. 7, while leading a daring reconnaissance right up to the enemy's barbed defences, he was felled by an Austrian bullet, which went through his neck to the lung. There he lay for ten hours, no aid being possible. Then he managed to crawl toward the Italian trenches under a hail of bullets, but was too exhausted through loss of blood to reach the lines. Then his admiring captain gave orders that a detachment should bring him in at all costs, living or dead.—Exchange.

Cooticook House popular home for travellers. Eug. Bouchard, Prop.

OUR SHEEP AND THE ENEMY'S

Sheep, within the limits of the British Empire, are said to number 190,000,000. Within the British Isles the total is put at 28,000,000. In the three enemy countries of Germany, Austria-Hungary, and Bulgaria the aggregate number of sheep is 24,800,000. Bulgaria actually carries a larger sheep stock than Germany, the relative figures being 8,000,000 for Bulgaria, and 5,800,000 for Germany. Austria has 2,500,000, and Hungary 8,500,000. The meaning to be derived from these figures have been hit pretty hard during the early stages of the war by a strenuous wool policy, such as is now in force. Great Britain, under normal conditions, consumes four times the amount of wool which she produces. Of the quantity of imported wool, about 92,000,000 lbs. were exported to Germany in 1914. It may be assumed that Germany took no chances, and that she had laid up great reserves, before the war. But she did not bargain for a three years' war, and now that she has entered on her third year of conflict, her wool stocks must be pretty low. Possibly the flockmaster who is not getting full value for his wool clip may be inclined to console himself with the thought that he is doing something effective to throttle the Hun.

BERLIN SAYS ATTACKS REPULSED.

(Canadian Associated Press.) Berlin, Oct. 12, via London.—All attacks made yesterday by the Anglo-French forces against the German positions on the Somme front, according to today's German official statement, were repulsed.

PEPPERY TOMMY ATKINS

West Indian Plantation Worker's Idea of British Fighting Powers

"A laborer in one of the plantations," says the Barbados W.I. Standard, "went up to one of the men of overseas contingent and in a serious manner, which evidently showed that he was really seeking enlightenment, said in his local vernacular, which we cannot attempt to reproduce: 'Massa, is it true that before the war the Kaiser sent a bag of rice to King George and told him, 'King George, I got as many soldiers as they is rice in the bag,' and that King George sent the Kaiser a bottle of ginger peppers and told him: 'I only got as many soldiers as is in this pepper bottle, but you just bite one, and then you'll see if your soldiers like these.'"

This occurrence is a very apt illustration of the Barbado negro's opinion of the fighting capacity of the British soldier.

WILL PURCHASE QUEBEC BANK

Royal Bank of Canada Will Take Over Old Banking Institution.

(Canadian Associated Press.) Montreal, Oct. 12.—It is officially announced that the Royal Bank of Canada will purchase the Quebec Bank.

The directors of the banks have reached an agreement whereby for every three shares of Quebec Bank stock shareholders of the Quebec Bank will receive one share of Royal Bank stock and \$5 in cash.

A circular has been despatched to the shareholders of the Quebec Bank calling a special meeting to ratify the agreement. In this circular the directors of the Quebec Bank state that after a persistent and vigorous effort to establish the bank in the West and to increase its business elsewhere, they have concluded that it is in the best interests of the shareholders to amalgamate with a larger and stronger bank.

The Royal Bank of Canada is one of the strongest Canadian banks. On August 31 its deposits exceeded \$190,000,000, and the purchase of the Quebec Bank will further strengthen it.

Three directors of the Quebec Bank will be added to the board of the Royal Bank of Canada.

The Minister of Finance has given his official consent to the merger.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

BASKET BALL

The season opened last evening in the Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium, with two swift games.

The Maple Leaf five composed of: L. McKee, J. Corfield, E. Kerr, W. Hamilton, C. Joslin, men the Northern Lights composed of R. Tate, A. Fletcher, E. Root, W. Leather, R. Hyndman.

The game was fast but somewhat erratic owing to the lack of practice. While the Maple Leaf five was composed of experienced players their opponents held them down well, while the Northern Lights was formed on short notice they demonstrated that they knew how to play ball. The final score stood 23-21 for the Maple Leaf.

The second game was between the Canadian Ingessoll Rand team, composed of: L. Sangster, H. Morgan, G. McKay, W. Thompson, C. Connor, and the Dormitory Quintette, composed of: G. Plumb, S. Wakefield, R. Williams, J. Daves, R. Smart.

This game was played with much zest, but less scientific than the former. The Rand five showed good form but were unable to withstand the determined efforts of their opponents.

Accurate shooting was a premium by both teams, but the Dormitory men were successful in caging the ball oftener than the opposing team. The final score stood 18-16 for the Dormitory.

Next Wednesday the Rand will meet the Northern Lights and the Dormitory will meet the Maple Leaf.

UNREADABLE WRITINGS.

There are two great nations of antiquity whose inscriptions can not yet be read—the Etruscans and the Hittites. The Etruscans occupied a part of Italy corresponding roughly to what is now known as Tuscany. The Hittites at one time occupied a part of Palestine, and united with the Canaanites to resist the invasion by the Israelites under Joshua. The Etruscan and Hittite inscriptions have thus far resisted the attempts of scholars to decipher them, though no one knows when some one may stumble on a bilingual inscription which will serve as a key, just as the Rosetta stone, discovered in Egypt in 1799, served as a key to the Egyptian hieroglyphics. In the New World, the so-called Maya inscriptions, found on the ruins in Yucatan, are also a puzzle to scientists.—The Christian Herald.

SEEKING THE BRIGHT SIDE.

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JOHN BUCHAN ON RUSSIAN ARMY'S PART IN WAR

TRIBUTE PAID TO RUSSIA'S FIDELITY TO THE COMMON CAUSE

—ALLIES NOW STRIKING IN UNISON.

Cambridge, England.—The last lecture of the Cambridge summer meeting was given by John Buchan, who spoke on the Russian army. The lecturer said that each member of the alliance was vividly and accurately aware of what the other members were doing, and enduring. Friendship was being built up.

Before the war Germany feared Russia on account of her size and resources in men and materials. Machine-made Germany with its rigid discipline, its mechanical culture and contempt for the individual mistrusted a people who still retained their simplicity and spirituality. To the fear of the artificial for the natural was added contempt. The Slav was not yet a danger, but might become one. If they struck in time the menace might pass forever.

The unprepared condition of the Russian army at the beginning was contrasted with its present efficiency and then Mr. Buchan traced the strategic movements throughout the campaign, pointing out that the loyalty of Russia to her allies often entailed the sacrifice of her own interests for the common good, but that, however hardly pressed, she never shrunk from any special effort required of her, looking beyond her own safety to the general interest, which attitude had a fruitful bearing on the main issue of her campaign. Her fidelity to the common cause had more than once been responsible for relieving pressure in the west, and she was always capable of the supreme fortitude of denying herself at the moment, for the sake of the future.

The systematic retreat showed the remarkable quality of Russian morale. They had no comprehension of the magnitude of that retreat. The Russians were hopelessly outnumbered, colossally outgunned, with no railways, and their enemies were elated with five months' unbroken advance. But the patience, discipline and devotion of the Russian army was more than a match for the German machine. At the battle of San the Russians were able to show the true idea of offensive. No such fearful fight against odds had been fought since Thermopylae.

Germany had made many mistakes, but none greater than to underestimate the civilization of Russia, a people rich in the elementary qualities of humanity. The Allies had rounded the course, and the goal appeared in sight. They were no longer striking like a peal of bells, but in unison and with concerted plan, inspired with the same purpose, and with the same view of what constituted civilization. The Russian army had played a conspicuous part in the war, its temper had not only been a potent contribution to victory, but also an asset of the world for better order after the war.

The lecture was listened to with close attention and there was great applause at its conclusion. Those who gathered in Cambridge from every part of England to learn more about

Russia and Poland are now returning to their homes, and it may justly be said that they return as missionaries to spread the knowledge they have acquired.

The young men of England are all serving in the army, and, therefore the students were women and men over military age. A good many were school teachers, who sacrificed half their summer holiday in order to instruct themselves with a view to passing on their knowledge to others. The vice-chancellor of the University of Leeds, one of the newer English Universities, was one of the most assiduous students. Dr. Stanton, regius professor of theology and other eminent scholars of the university attended many of the courses. Enough has been said to show that the great subject of the meeting was treated in a serious and thorough manner and the university feels deeply the debt of gratitude due to the Russian scholars, Dr. Milukov, Dr. Lappo-Danilevsky and Dr. Strave, who came to Cambridge from Russia, and also to Professor Vinogradoff and to Dr. Roman Dmowski, the distinguished representative of the friendly Polish nation. They, in their turn, expressed their admiration for Dr. Cranage's organization of the meeting. To sum up, a new and splendid impetus has been given to the serious study of Russia and Poland, which is bound to strengthen the ties of affection and respect uniting the British people with their allies.

MUTILATION OF DOGS.

Queen Victoria, who must have owned many hundreds of dogs in the course of her long life, never permitted mutilation of any sort, terriers born in her kennels being allowed to retain their tails. Cropping of ears, which was altogether another matter, survived until within the memory of most of us, and I can recall the concern caused by the edict of the Kennel Club in 1895. Whatever difficulty there may have been in bringing public opinion up to this point was dispelled by a letter from King Edward, then Prince of Wales. His private secretary wrote: "I am desired by the Prince of Wales to acknowledge the receipt of your communication and to inform you in reply that he has kept dogs for many years and frequently sends some of them to exhibitions, but that he has never allowed any dog belonging to him to be mutilated. His Royal Highness has always been opposed to this practice, which he considers causes unnecessary suffering, and it would give him much pleasure to hear that owners of dogs had agreed to abandon such an objectionable fashion."

Coming as it did from a royal gentleman who had been patron of the Kennel Club from its inception, this letter clinched the argument, and cropping went by the board, notwithstanding the efforts of several German dog clubs to get the decision set aside as far as Great Danes were concerned. An uncropped Dane had a very ugly appearance, we were told; moreover, it was urged that the custom had been in existence for a thousand years! Some of us thought that a custom of such hoary antiquity might very well be brought into conformity with modern ideas, but the Teuton mind, even in doggy matters, has always been resentful of foreign interference, while the controversial methods of German breeders were seldom characterized by a superfluity of courtesy.—Country Life.

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Are Remarkable for Their Smart Styling and Diversity

Separate Skirts in models suitable for sports' wear, street wear and general utility in a broad variety of styles, fashioned of gabardine, serge and poplin, in all the new plain shades, along with neat stripes, checks and fancy mixtures.

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Navy and Black Serge Skirts, our leading line. \$3.50. Tweed Skirts, in grey and brown, \$4.50 to \$6.00. Velvet Skirts in black and brown, \$11.50. Dressy afternoon Skirts in gabardine and serge. Splendid models, \$8 to \$10.50.

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In a Display That Is Unrivalled Hereabouts

This announcement will be of interest to the school girl and the women who choose more practical garments for sport wear.

Newest models in sweaters of British Wool, suitable to wear on cool evenings or to wear with smart costumes. These come in a variety of charming colors such as purple, lavender, green, and in beautiful color combinations. Made with convertible collars, fancy buttons, sash or belted.

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LETTERS FROM E. T. SOLDIERS WITH OVERSEAS CONTINGENT

BROTHERS MET ON BATTLE-FIELD.

Mrs. Tinker, of Sherbrooke, has received the following letter from her son Ben:

Dear Mother:—I now take the pleasure in writing these few lines, hoping to find you all well and in the best of health, as I am glad to say that it leaves me pretty well at present. I am very sorry that I have kept you so long without a letter, but owing to us being on the move so much, I have hardly been able to get a chance to write. Anyways we are a bit settled now, and I will be able to write to you more often.

No doubt you will be surprised to hear that I have seen Charlie. He is near me now, and I am able to see him quite often. I met him quite accidentally, in fact I was not expecting to see him for some time. We happened to pass by the place where he is camped, and he was standing by the roadside as we passed. You may imagine what a surprise it was for us both, as neither of us dreamed of seeing each other so soon. I was unable to stop with him, as we were on our way to our camp, but he found out where we were going, and came out to see me that same evening. Of course he wanted to know everything about home, so I told him just as much as I was able to. He is looking quite well and does not seem any the worse for his experience.

I have also seen lots of other fellows from Sherbrooke, and they all seem to be getting on all right. I have not been under fire yet, but may have a go at it any time now. Things are pretty lively here, but I am not able to tell you much about it. I hope everyone at home is well, also yourself. Give my best regards to all enquiring friends. Tell them all that I am still alive and am getting along all right. So now, dear mother, I don't think I can say much more, so will conclude, with best love from Charlie and myself.—Your loving son, Ben.

A SICKLY WIFE NO FIT MATE FOR ANY MAN

GIRLS AND WOMEN SHOULD LOOK WELL TO THEIR HEALTH AND STRENGTH.

Never before was physical health and vigor so highly esteemed and so eagerly sought for as today.

No man finds happiness in a sickly wife, and the woman who wishes to enjoy the pleasures of life should spare no effort to maintain perfect health.

Is your daughter growing up strong and sturdy? Has she strength to drink in greedily all the pleasures that youth so generously sends her? Is she compelled to use the street car instead of enjoying the delightful exercise of walking—does she after the ball arise refreshed and vigorous, or is she exhausted, indifferent, and perhaps irritable?

When strength and vigor can be so easily maintained by Ferronine, when the glow of health is so quickly brought to the cheeks and elasticity to the step, it is plainly a mother's duty to see that Ferronine is on hand to assist her daughter back to health.

Upon the wake of Ferronine quickly follows a stream of rich, nourishing blood which imparts that power and surplus energy so earnestly desired by those in ill-health.

Stop and think what this means for your daughter—certainly a great deal, and it can be accomplished by Ferronine.

Every growing girl and young woman derives enormous benefit in many ways from this nutritive, vitalizing tonic.

It is especially suited for young women and to guarantee of health and regularity as long as it is used.

Ferronine is free from alcohol and perfectly safe to use. Prepared in the form of a chocolate-coated tablet and sold in 50c boxes or six for \$2.50, at all dealers, or direct from The Cattaraugus Co., Kingston, Ont.

Mother-Made, Quick Acting Cough Syrup

Should be Kept Handy in Every Home—Easily Prepared and Costs Little.

Mothers, you'll never know what you are missing until you make up this inexpensive, quick-acting cough syrup and try it. Children love its pleasant taste and nothing else will loosen a cough or chest cold and heal the inflamed or swollen throat membranes with such ease and promptness. It's equally as good for grown-ups as for children.

This splendid cough syrup is made by pouring 2½ cups of Pinex (25 cents worth) into a 16-oz bottle and filling the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This gives you 16 ounces—a family supply—of much better cough remedy than you could buy ready-made for \$2.50—a clear saving of 82¢.

The moment it touches the inflamed, cold-congested membranes that line the throat and air passages, the healing begins, the phlegm loosens, soreness leaves, cough spasms lessen and soon disappear altogether, thus ending a cough quicker than you ever thought possible. Hoarseness and ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Excellent for bronchitis, whooping cough, spasmodic croup, bronchial asthma or winter cough.

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THE 5TH MOUNTED RIFLES GOT THEIR OWN BACK ON THE SOMME FRONT.

Military Hospital, Croes Howell, Rossett, Nr. Wrexham, Wales.
To Editor Record.

Sir:—I am taking the privilege of asking you to publish a little about our regiment, as I am sure that it will interest E. T. people. I am one of the original 5th C. M. R., and as you know, we were at Ypres for six months, and none but those who have been there know what the Ypres salient is, so you may be sure we were glad when the news came that we were going to the Somme front, for we knew that we would have a chance to get some of our own back.

We arrived at the Somme all right and went up the line over the trenches that had been taken since the big advance started, and took up our position in the front line.

The night was comparatively quiet; then the word came along the next morning that we had to take the hill in front of us next morning, so everybody got busy fixing bombs, rifles and equipment. So when it came to midnight we filled out into "No Man's Land" and lay there till dawn. We were very cold, but when our guns opened up at 6.15 in the morning we soon warmed up. Then someone yelled "Go it, boys!" the word we were waiting for, and away we went up that hill, yelling and shouting like Indians. It was great. We were on the Germans before they knew we were coming. They scampered out of their trenches like rats, with their hands up, but it was no good, our blood was up, and we gave it to them. Our officers were grand; they fought like madmen, cheering the men on all the time. Oh, it was great!

We have got the Germans beat now and they know it. They have no heart to fight, while our men never were in better spirits than they are now.

Yours sincerely,

PTE. C. D. HUNTER,
5th C. M. R.

PLEASED WITH ENGLAND—HAD GOOD TIME IN LONDON.

Mrs. Alice Burbank, Sherbrooke, has received the following letter from her son in the 11th E.T. Battalion:

Bramshott Camp, Hants, England.

Dear Mother:—Will write you a few lines to-day, hoping they will find you as well as they leave me. We are quarantined for 15 days. One of the boys has the measles. Half of the battalion are shut up; they are going very light. We are having some time, have a graphophone and boxing gloves in the hut where we are. If you could hear the racket we make sometimes! But anything for excitement to pass away the time. We have drilled only one day since we have our pass to London. We had a good time while we were there.

Board is much cheaper here than in Canada. But apples are 14 cents a pound. It's not like old Canada—go in the orchard and help yourself.

There was a concert given at the Y.M.C.A. Monday evening by some people from London, some fine singing and music. Three of the girls were Belgians. We saw lots of Australian soldiers in London. They wear felt hats and their uniforms are much different from ours, but they speak the same language we do. We see lots of wounded soldiers; there is a hospital just above camp. This is a very nice country. There are several towns quite near.

Now don't worry about me, mother. I won't have the measles. I'm not in very poor health, weigh 149 pounds. I shall come back all O. K. Tell Guy to write. I'm writing you again soon. Now, write a long letter and all the news. With love—Kenzie.

APPRECIATES RED CROSS PARCELS.

Bishop's Crossing, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—The following letter has been received from Pte. J. B. Roberts in acknowledgment of gifts from the Red Cross Society:

13th Can. Battalion, G. Div. Hut 20, Woodcote Farm Camp, Epsom, Eng.

My Dear Friends:—Many thanks for your kindness in remembering one of old Bishop's Crossing boys. Your precious parcel arrived here to-day, Sept. 7, in extra good condition. As it happened, there are two Sergeants of the old 7th Hussars in my hut and we enjoyed the cake and candy immensely. There was one fault to find with the maple sugar, and that of course was the same old story, not enough.

Well, friends, I cannot thank all of you personally, nor enough, so I will leave it to Mrs. D. P. to thank the B. Xing C.R.X.S. for me. I really think this parcel was intended for a birthday present. I had a birthday on the 26th of August. I was twenty-one.

It is considerably over two years since I left B. Xing for overseas. But there are very few days that go by without what I think of that dear old town and wish I could drop in and see the old friends. One of the four, as you all know, will not come home with me. I feel very sorry when I think of his sister Annie and others. It is a hard war, and 'tis the boys who have been out there who know it! Again I thank you all.—Yours sincerely, Jack B. Roberts.

11TH HAD GOOD RECEPTION IN ENGLAND—TOWNS IN DARK- NESS AT NIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. Beyer, Sherbrooke, have received the following letter from their son, Sidney, in the 11th E.T. Battalion:

Dear Mother and Father, I am writing to you a few lines to let you know I am well and happy, and I hope you are the same. We had a good voyage and were all very happy. We left Valcartier on the 12th of August, at 8 a.m., and we arrived at Quebec at 12 o'clock noon, same day. We then took the train for Halifax on the Northern Western Railway. We were going the distance of 600 miles, about half way, we stopped at a place called Moncton, and had a drill. We got there at 11 o'clock and at 12 o'clock we sat

on board and then steamed away. We arrived at Halifax at 7 o'clock, but we could not get out and we were told not to send any letters either because they thought we might give some information. That was a good idea, wasn't it?

When we arrived in England you should have heard the whistling and shouting. Hip! hip! Hurray! and the dock was just crowded, and they cheered us as we steamed into land. We all had a grand voyage. Of course some of us were sea sick; I was too. We were not used to bunks or hammocks hung on hooks, from the ceiling. When we arrived in Liverpool we took the train and went to Bramshott. When we arrived there we had to walk two miles in the dark to our camp, as they must not see any lights in England at night.

When I get a pass I will go and see grandmother and grandfather and Aunt Rosa. I hope, dear mother, you are well and happy, and Father and Winnie and Walter.

From your loving son,
SIDNEY.

Dear Mother, I have received my pass, and as you see by the above address, visiting Grandma. She was delighted to see me. She says it was just nine years ago. Grandma is 70 years old, and Grandfather is 73, and when the cab rolled up to the door at two o'clock in the morning, grandmother was not half frightened. She clasped hold of me and she said:

"My boy, I thought you were a bomb fell down from the sky." But she said she was glad. I didn't burst. They were all so pleased to see me and we had some jolly fun. It was Uncle Robert's birthday, the very day I arrived so from the beginning of my six days' pass to the end we had a good time.

They have to be very careful here not to show a light at night, but, mother, it's an ill wind that blows nobody any good, as you used to say. It's making a lot of work. Aunt Rosa made 200 black blinds in two weeks for churches and chapels, and private houses. The windows have to be draped in black at night, or they are fined heavily, so the Germans cannot see where the towns are from above.

Give my love to all enquiring friends and write to me often, mother, nice long letters.

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TABLE GIRLS WANTED. GOOD wages. Apply New Sherbrooke House.

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GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—Apply Mrs. Neilson, 14 Quebec St.

QUALIFIED STENOGRAPHER wanted. Must be conversant with French and English. Highest salary paid to capable person. Apply to Mr. Brooks, Walter Blue & Co., Ltd.

TWO EXPERIENCED GIRLS WANTED to run our half home automatic knitting machines. Paton Manufacturing Company, Sherbrooke, Que.

YOUNG GIRL WANTED FOR LIGHT housework. No washing. 16 Court street, City.

EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted, family of four. Reference required. Apply evenings, between 7 and 8, Mrs. D. J. Sallie, 10 Quebec street.

CAPABLE GENERAL SERVANT wanted. Apply Mrs. Arthur Speid, Lennoxville.

GIRL WANTED UNDERSTANDING cooking and general housework. Three in family. Wages \$18. Box 61, Record.

GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK wanted. Mrs. L. W. Cook, 29 Portland Ave.

COMPETENT GENERAL SERVANT wanted. No washing or ironing. Small family. Apply 13 Court street.

A WOMAN WANTED TO WORK by the day. References. Apply Mrs. George Armistead, 34 Montreal St.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED for small family. Must be able to cook. References required. Good wages. Apply 623 Victoria Ave., Westmount, Montreal.

TO LET

WELL LIGHTED AND HEATED office or military parlor to let. Apply C. F. Olivier, 115 and 117 Wellington.

TWO BEDROOMS OR BEDROOM and sitting room for gentlemen on King street. Address Box 56 Record.

A LARGE MODERN HOUSE OCCU- pied by Mr. McGee, for rent in Lennoxville, Belvidere street. C. H. Fletcher, Sherbrooke.

TWO NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS to let; private family without children; use of telephone; central locality. Apply 75 Bowen.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET for light housekeeping, or bedrooms. Good locality. East Ward. Box 68 Record.

MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD THREE TO FIVE ROOM tenement wanted at once at \$10 to \$15 per month. First-class references. Small family. Apply Mr. Edwards, Furniture Co.

\$5 REWARD FOR INFORMATION of Violet Rachel Campbell (a young English girl, fair complexion, short auburn hair), enabling her friends to find her. Address Chief of Police, Sherbrooke.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—UPRIGHT steam boiler, 4 to 6 horse-power; also gasoline engine, 4 to 5 horse-power; must be in good condition. Address Call Box 57, Cowansville, Que.

TEACHERS WANTED

TWO PROTESTANT TEACHERS, holding Elementary diplomas, wanted at once for the Municipality of South Leeds. Salary \$30 per month for term of six months. Apply to George Learmonth, Kinnear's Mills, Que.

PROTESTANT TEACHER WANTED holding Model diploma. Apply salary expected to Paul Hammett, Secretary Treasurer, Theford Mines, Que.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

AUTOMOBILE, 1916 BRISCOE, RUN less than 2000 miles, for sale. Good as new. Apply Box 53 Record.

AUTO FOR SALE—McLAUGHLIN. Buick, Model B-26. It has been run only 9,000 miles and is in first-class condition. C. G. Thompson, St. Francis street, City.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER wanted by Scotch widow, two children. Address Box 62 Record.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Publication charges: Births, 25c; Marriages, 25c; Deaths, 25c; where funeral notice is added, 50c; Card of Thanks, 50c; In Memoriam Notice, 50c; In Memoriam poetry, 10c per line.

MARRIAGES.

CHAPMAN-RAYMOND. At the residence of the bride's father, October 3, 1916, by Rev. Mr. Wright of West Brome, Ruth, daughter of Mr. John Raymond, and Jack, eldest son of Mr. John Chapman, all of Iron Hill, Que.

DEATHS.

RANSEHOUSEN. At Sherbrooke Hospital, October 11, 1916, Alice M., dearly beloved wife of J. G. Ransehouse. Friday, October 13, Funeral at the house, 8 Walton Ave., at 2.30 o'clock to Congregational Church. Burial at Elmwood.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere gratitude to the friends and neighbors who assisted and expressed their sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved sister, and to those who sent flowers and in any way showed their kindness.

MRS. S. SCOTT, MRS. STEVENS, Ulverton, Que., Oct. 11, 1916.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends and neighbors who expressed their sympathy by so many acts of kindness, lightening the weight of sorrow which came to us by the death of our dear son and brother. Mrs. A. J. Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Burbank.

HELP, WANTED—MALE

MACHINE SHOP MEN—WE CAN use a large number of skilled men and journeymen for various types of machine tool work and fixtures, also men for shell inspectors. Apply Canadian Ingersoll-Rand Co., Limited.

QUALIFIED MECHANICAL draughtsman wanted. Write, stating experience and salary expected to Box 19 Record.

MEN WANTED—WE REQUIRE a number of men for special work in our shell department. Applicants must be capable and intelligent. No previous experience necessary. The Jones Machine Co., Limited.

A COUPLE OF YOUNG MEN WANTED to wash bottles. Apply Sherbrooke Bottling Works, 864 Wellington Street.

BOY WANTED FOR A FEW HOURS work. Apply 9 Quebec street.

SALESMEN—EXCLUSIVE LINE FOR city, town or country. Big earnings guaranteed. Permanent all year job no experience necessary. Write Luke Brothers Limited, Montreal.

ELECTRICIANS WANTED. Apply Canadian Ingersoll Co., Ltd., Sherbrooke.

SALESMAN WANTED OF GOOD AP- pearance and ability to represent us locally. Previous experience not essential but applicant must have good knowledge of present business conditions. State age, former occupation, etc., and address The Industrial Securities Corporation Limited, 189 St. James Street, Montreal, Que.

BOY WANTED, 13 TO 18 YEARS, good home, one mile from city. Address Box 58 Record.

SMART BOY WANTED AT ONCE for our delivery car. Hovey Park, Lennoxville.

MAN WANTED TO ASSIST IN wash-room and make himself generally useful. Also girls to work on mangle. Apply Imperial Laundry, 6 Water street.

CLERK FOR GROCERY STORE wanted. Dean & Lacey.

TWO FIRST-CLASS MACHINISTS wanted at once. Mackinnon, Holmes & Co.

BOY WANTED TO WORK ON FARM. Apply H. Veilleux, Chateau Frontenac.

EXPERIENCED MINERS WANTED. Steady work. Hammett and muckers \$2.75 and up per day. Board \$5.00 per week including Sundays. Communicate with the Globe Graphite Mining and Refining Co., Ltd., Port Elmer, Ont.

SMART ERRAND BOY WANTED. Apply Jas. Thompson, Strathcona Square.

CARPENTERS WANTED. RATE, 85c. per hour. Apply Loomis-Dakin Ltd., Canadian Connecticut Cotton Co. Contract.

A MAN WANTED TO WORK AS SE- cond hand in our 12 seat woollen card room. State experience, age and wages expected. Paton Manufacturing Co.

LABORERS WANTED, 80c. PER hour; laborer foreman, \$3.50 per day. Must bring a gang of not less than 12 good men. A. F. Byer & Co., Ltd., Engineers and Contractors, Windsor Mills.

A FIRST CLASS MEAT AND PAS- try cook wanted, also man to help about the hotel and barn. Apply College House, Lennoxville, Que.

LOST AND FOUND

LADY'S BROOCH LOST BETWEEN Howard's Park and city, Sunday. Finder please return to Box 90 Record.

SMALL BLUE LEATHER BAG CON- taining child's gloves, lost on Government Road, near Lennoxville. Finder please phone 55w.

WANTED

We are prepared to pay the highest price for pulpwood, either peeled or unpeeled, on all railway lines. N. N. WALLEY & SON, Sherbrooke, Que.

AMUSEMENTS

YVETTE GUILBERT HERE ON OCTOBER 17TH.

Concerts there have been galore some good and some bad—but if reports from New York are to be credited we have still one extraordinary treat before us in the appearance here of Yvette Guilbert who after seven years absence returned to America last fall, to be the sensation of the concert season, with a record of 24 sold out houses in New York.

The concert which the famous French artist will give promises in most essentials to be "different." She does not claim to be a vocalist nor yet an actress—and yet she is both. The French call her a "Diseuse" and for this we have no equivalent.

It will be on Tuesday the 17th of October that Yvette Guilbert comes to Sherbrooke, at His Majesty's Theatre. Local direction Irwin Sawdon.

NOTICE

All persons owing or having claims against the Estate of the late George A. Morrill, are required to pay or file such accounts to or with either of the undersigned parties.

E. J. Morrill, Danville, Que.
P. C. Duboyse, N.P., Richmond, Que.

NEW INFLUENCES

Now is the time to have your list of securities carefully analyzed. It is quite possible to change some of them to advantage. Our opinions and advice will interest you.

BRYANT, DUNN & CO

STOCK BROKERS
84-88 St. Francois Xavier St., Montreal.
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Offices connected by Private Wire.

FOR SALE

FIVE YEAR OLD BLACK MARE, and three year old brown gelding, weighing about 1100 lbs. each. Apply to E. I. Peters & Son, Brome, Que.

BERKSHIRE PIGS FOR SALE. Choice lot of 26 from four to six weeks old. Apply N. D. Waterhouse, Abercorn, Que.

LARGE PEKIN DUCKS FOR SALE. \$1.25 each, \$2.00 per pair. John Aitken, West Brome.

COLONY OF BEES FOR SALE. Italian and Colonial, in good condition. E. C. Stevens, Bromptonville.

NURSERY OF APPLE TREES FOR sale at bargain. Formerly owned by Homer Ingalls on Sutton Mountain. I will sell these trees from date to May 1, 1917, at 10c. per tree, to be called for at nursery. Geo. H. Ingalls, Prop., Abercorn, Que.

DUMP CART AND WORKING HAR- ness for sale, in good condition. Apply Box 58 Record.

WHALEY ROYCE UPRIGHT PIANO, fine walnut case, 7-13 octaves, carefully repaired, and good as new, \$185; \$20 cash, and \$7 per month. H. C. Wilson & Sons, Limited.

NEW SEPARATOR, 500 CAPACITY. Will sell cheap to quick purchaser; also Registered Shropshire ram, two shear. Brash, Magog.

NORDHEIMER UPRIGHT PIANO, 7-13 octaves, mahogany case, strong tone, in good order and guaranteed, \$215; \$25 cash and \$8 per month. H. C. Wilson & Sons, Limited.

MOFFAT RANGE FOR SALE. AP- 27 Bank street.

FOR SALE—BERKSHIRE, CHEST- er White and Cross Berkshires, Chester White and Tanworth young pigs, largest and best breeds. Short-horn calves and older, never over-fed. Broadview Stock and Dairy Farm, Sherbrooke.

TWO YEAR OLD COLT FOR SALE. Hackney from blood stock. Apply Box 59 Record.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

CITY HOTEL FOR SALE—CORNER Marquette and Belvidere streets. This hotel is actually occupied by Mr. N. E. Guay; first-class location in the centre of business. Reasonable price and exceptional conditions. Apply to the Manager La Banque Nationale, Sherbrooke.

PROPERTY FOR SALE—4 TENE- ments and one vacant lot, 33 x 60, in the central part of city. Revenue over \$1,000 a year. Apply D. Penne-ton, advocate, 135 Wellington.

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE FOR sale, North Ward, ten rooms, hot water heating, hardwood floors, fireplace, etc. Price, \$5700, \$2700 down. Address Box 54 Record.

FARM FOR SALE—ABOUT 800 acres, on Government road, 100 in fields, 120 in pasture, all cleared, well watered, 76 woodland, 1600 maple trees, very desirable property. Easy terms; part cash and mortgage, or would exchange for city property. For full particulars apply Box 300 Record.

NINE-ROOMED HOUSE FOR SALE in Lennoxville, one-half new built. Apply Mrs. D. A. Whittemore, Cookshire, or H. A. Martin, Lennoxville.

AGENTS WANTED

MANUFACTURER WANTS REPRESENTATIVE in every town, village and community. Good chance for young men or for boys and girls to make money after school, or during spare hours. Get your application in first. Write Box 10 Record.

AGENTS WANTED TO SELL FOR "the old reliable Fonthill Nurseries." We teach our men to sell. Experience unnecessary. Highest commission paid. Handsome free equipment. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont.

\$5 PRIVATE CHRISTMAS CARD SAMPLE BOOK free, prepaid. Men and women make one to two dollars an hour. Tens of thousands ordered for friends at home and Canada's Sons at the front. Bradley-Garretson, Brantford, Ontario.

WHAT IS BABY BEEF?

A baby beef is a well-bred, highly finished steer or heifer, 12 to 15 months old, in prime market condition, weighing around 1,000 pounds. Baby beef production has become popular for several reasons. Baby beefs make quicker and more satisfactory gains; they yield smaller cuts, now demanded by consumers; less capital is required to get into the cattle business where baby beef is produced; more breeding stock can be carried on the farm producing baby beef; it makes beef-making a farm process where the animals are bred, grown and fattened on the farm, eliminating the uncertainty of cattle feeding as usually practiced.

The making of baby beef may be looked upon as a special line. In order to make the highest gains and the greatest net profits it requires not only a knowledge of the breeding and selection of calves, but the skill of a good cattle feeder. However, it is growing to be an extensive branch of the cattle business, and authorities, both stockmen and packers, predict that profitable beef production is rapidly narrowing down to baby beef. Corn, corn silage, almost all small grains, clovers, grasses and alfalfa are produced in abundance. Everyone of these crops is adapted to beef production.

The Virginians, among which the three islands purchased from Denmark by the United States are included, may not be exactly 11,000 in total number. But Columbus gave them their name, it is said, not only because he first observed them upon St. Ursula's Day (Oct. 21), but because they suggested to his fancy the procession of 11,000 maidens who shared that virgin martyr's fate. These were the maidens, mostly from Britain, who, according to the legend, were slaughtered by the Huns at Cologne, where their bones are still preserved.

A FEW TIMELY SUGGESTIONS FOR Autumn Wedding Gifts

Silver Table Ware, Silver Tea Sets, Silver Sandwich Plate, Cut Glass Water Jug, Cut Glass Tumblers, Cut Glass Bread Tray, and innumerable other articles. Place your orders with us for fine engraved Wedding Invitations, Cards, Announcements, Calling Cards and Stationery.

R. J. Spearing,
Goldsmith and Diamond Merchant
33 Strathcona Sq.

SOME HORSE NOTES FOR FALL

(Farmer's Advocate.)

The man who neglects to use the curryingcomb is often a poor horseman. A cold rain is never good for a hard-worked horse forced to graze its living at night.

Pull the shoes off the team while at the fall plowing. It will be better for their feet.

The end of this month and all through next month is a good time to breed for a fall colt next year.

Fall plowing, later on when the ground becomes soft, is good work to start the newly broken colt next year.

A draft horse can travel too close. Going extremely close is generally accounted for narrowness of chest and body.

It never pays to sell off the good fillies. Keep one or two of the very best to improve the breeding on the farm.

Shoulders get sore in the fall as easily as in the spring, and are just as hard to cure. Be careful when starting the fall plowing.

If you have to sell, one a mare and one a gelding, sell the gelding. The mare will do the farm work and raise the colts for future use or for sale.

Always remember that a good gelding is a better proposition than a scrubby stallion, and castrate all inferior colts even though they may be well bred.

If you would avoid colic and acute indigestion keep the ration of new oats to the hard-worked horse down for a few days, until he becomes accustomed to them.

If you want to find out how plentiful horses are, offer one for sale, and if you are anxious to know how scarce they are try to buy a good, big draft filly or gelding.

The feed bill may be lightened and the horses kept in better condition by putting an extra horse on the plow when the ground is hard. Many horses make light work just as many men do.

If most farmers fed hay as carefully as they do oats, there would be more thrifty, fat horses in the country. A manger rammed full of stale hay is not very appetizing. Feed just what the horses eat up at each meal.

If your district is in need of a real good sire for next year, now would be a good time to make a selection, while the "picking" is good. If no one man desires to purchase alone, why not do a little working together, and five or six farmers (more or less) who have mares to breed decide upon the breed of sire best suited to their district and make the purchase?

The Editor of the Scottish Farmer says: "An extensive buyer of brewers' dray horses has said that, in his experience for such work, two Clydesdales are worth three Shires. The Clydesdales last longer on the streets, and they sell at much higher salvage prices to farmers when their days of active labor on the streets are over. Such facts do not remove the necessity for judges paying attention to points in which there is room for improvement in the Clydesdale breed. The show Clydesdale should be trained to walk; judges should cease giving the highest honors to short-ribbed, tall horses. Such animals never can be satisfactory workers. Let not judges ruin a breed for a fancy. Keep the lorry in view."

Cost of Germany's War

A Berlin paper published a very interesting estimate of the weekly cost to Germany of keeping her armies in the field.

The food consumed by the armies in a week was given as 27,300 tons of bread, 7,300 tons of meat, 54,600 tons of potatoes, 912 tons of coffee, and 620 tons of sugar. The total cost of these is worked out at \$30,000,000, and the cost of transport of food at least another \$3,000,000. Cost of war material and the upkeep and replacement of horses is put down at \$40,000,000.

Thus a week's fighting, including smaller items not already mentioned, must cost Germany \$70,000,000.

Killed After Act of Mercy

A shell exploded in a group of French soldiers and a dozen or more were killed. One man, who had both legs and an arm blown off, implored his superior officer to kill him. The officer put a bullet through the soldier's heart, saying, "It is better, poor devil." The officer opened his mouth to speak again and a bullet struck him in the mouth and killed him.

Foreign Suspects Arrested

Over 3,000 Germans and Austrians resident in England were arrested by the police or military authorities, and are confined in concentration camps. These include Germans and Austrians liable to military service, alien enemies who have failed to register, and others who are regarded as dangerous.

Berlin a City of Sorrow

It is said that practically everybody in Berlin is related to someone killed in the war, and that the vast amount of mourning exhibited has a depressing effect on the people.

COURT OF KING'S BENCH**Wm. St. Jean Convicted of Theft By Conversion.****POOR SETTLER ON LUMBER LANDS GETS LENIENT SENTENCE.**

Wm. St. Jean was found guilty by the jury in the Court of King's Bench yesterday afternoon on the charge of theft by conversion. SENTENCED TO THREE DAYS IN JAIL.

Joseph Roy pleaded guilty to stealing lumber from the lands of the Brompton Pulp & Paper Co in the township of Whittin.

Mr. J. S. Broderick, K.C., addressed the Court and asked for leniency for prisoner, who is a poor settler with thirteen children, four being deaf and dumb. In a powerful speech counsel told the Court he had advised his client to plead guilty to save time and expense, although he felt confident no jury would have convicted him, and he felt that justice would be tempered with mercy. The reason a bench warrant had to be issued was that prisoner was working at Lambton and had no money to pay his transportation. The value of the lumber was only \$13, and accused believed he had the right to take it.

Under all the circumstances of the case, Mr. Justice Hutchinson passed sentence of three days' imprisonment.

CHINAMAN TAKES HIS TRIAL. The case of Chin Sing, who is charged with keeping an opium joint on Wellington street, is proceeding to-day. Mr. Broderick defends.

WAR WILL UNLOCK VAST OIL SUPPLIES

Important Economic Results of Opening Sea Route from Russia and Roumania

Sydney H. North, of London, Eng., founder and editor of the Petroleum Year Book, and other trade publications, has written the following article on the unlocking of oil supplies as one result of the war:

One of the most important workings in which the Allied fleets have engaged is that of opening up the sea route from the coasts of Russia and Roumania to the highways of the world. The military effects of this action may be of vital significance, but the economic effects are still more vital, influencing, as they do, the welfare of millions within and without these two countries.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the principal sources from which we draw our oil for lighting, heating for fuel, and for motor-cars, are the United States, Russia, the Dutch Indies, Roumania and Mexico. Soon after the war broke out part of these sources was closed to us; and the figures representing the shipments to this country from America are eloquent of the wonderful response of our need made from that quarter.

During these past few months the oil wells of Russia and Roumania continued to produce oil, and had to continue to do so where labor was available, for the closing down of a producing well is a costly, and often ruinous resort. The oil must either be pumped unreluctantly or water, some hundreds of feet down, may percolate through into the well and flood it beyond redemption.

A few figures will show clearly what the cessation of Russia's exports has done to the oil industry.

Russian Stores

The output of oil from Russian oil wells amounts approximately to eight million tons a year; of which, after refining, a large quantity goes into the interior, and the balance is exported. In the year 1913 the total quantity of different oil products amounted to about five million tons; in 1914 this had fallen to about three-and-a-half million tons.

But this is not the worst of the case, for, in consequence of the stoppage of exports through the Dardanelles, the stocks had accumulated to the extent of one-and-a-half million tons, or half as much again compared with a year ago.

Fortunately, or unfortunately, several of the newer districts, such as the Ural-Caspian and Emba-Caspian districts, are increasing their production rapidly, and the storage accommodation for all this ever-growing quantity of oil is not sufficient. In the year 1913 we relieved Russia of thirty-six million gallons of different descriptions of oil, more than a third of which was benzine or petrol; last year, owing to the war, we could only get twenty-one million gallons.

This year we have taken nothing from her of any description, so that it needs little imagination to conjure up the vast stores of liquid and solid wealth which are waiting to flow through the Dardanelles.

Roumania is in similar plight, but rather worse, inasmuch as her organization and facilities are not so ample. Her lot is, indeed, a hard one. For years past her oilmen, backed by the government, have striven energetically to build up a prosperous industry. Her ambitions lay in the direction of securing some portion of that most profitable section of the trade, the manufacture and sale of benzine or petrol. And her success was considerable.

Roumania and Galicia

The total output from Roumanian wells in 1913 amounted to 1,855,000 tons; in 1914 to 1,771,000 tons, not so great a decline, considering the adverse conditions. But, unfortunately, she is one of the innocent who suffer, and only the opening of the sea route again and the resumption of her export trade can save her from disaster. Compared with Russia her oil industry is small, yet at the end of last year the accumulated stocks of oil amounted, according to the "Petroleum Review," to 600,000 tons.

Financial and Market News**MONTREAL MARKET**

Montreal, Oct. 12.

BUTTER.—There is no change to note in the market for butter, with the supply and the demand unchanged, and prices consequently firm and steady. Latest reported export sales were made at prices not exceeding 39½c. The amount of business done, however, was



Vineberg's Fur Dept.

Is now showing many handsome models in FUR COATS. We have a well assorted stock of Hudson Seal, Persian Lamb, Canadian and Southern Muskrat Coats, all designed in the most up-to-date styles. Come and see them for yourselves and have the first pick.

"Good goods at popular prices."

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147 Wellington St.

PUBLIC NOTICE

A supplementary list of jurors has been prepared from the 1916 Valuation Roll, containing the names of persons qualified as grand and petit jurors, in the District of St. Francis, and of persons who are not.

Said supplementary list will be submitted to the Council at the meeting which will be held on the 6th of November next (1916).

Persons who are in law entitled to be exempt from service as jurors are required to ascertain from the secretary-treasurer whether their names have been omitted from said list.

Sherbrooke, Oct. 2nd, 1916.
E. C. GATTEN,
Secretary-Treasurer.
CITY OF SHERBROOKE.

Coaticook House popular home for travellers. Eug. Bouchard, Prop.

DAILY NEWS SPECIALS FROM EASTERN TOWNSHIPS

PRESENTATION AT BONDVILLE.
Bondville, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—A pleasing event took place on Monday night when the friends of Mr. Leighton Cranham assembled at "Fairmount," the residence of Mrs. Wm. McClay, to pay him a tribute of respect and honour, he having recently enlisted in Kitchener's Own. Rev. Mr. McCormack, incumbent of the parish, on behalf of those present, presented the guest of the evening with a beautiful Waltham movement wrist watch and sum of money, to which he briefly but fittingly replied. Short and appropriate speeches were made by Mr. Jas. Mackinnon, and Mr. A.P. Hillhouse, in which allusion was made to Pte. Cran-

ham's good character and conduct. Cake and coffee was served by the ladies after which the company dispersed.

ARRIVED SAFELY IN ENGLAND.
Ulverton, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rick received a cablegram from their son, Howard, of the 148th Battalion, saying that he had reached England in safety and that he was well.

BRUIN FAVORS MUTTON.
Ulverton, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—A bear hunt took place in Mr. Alex. Alexander's wood lot on Wednesday. Indications go to prove that bruin has been feasting on mutton in this vicinity.

PLAYERS' SHARE OF RECEIPTS

Amount is Largest Ever Divided in Any World's Series.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
Boston, Oct. 12.—The air was crisp and clear for the fifth game of the World's Series between the Boston Americans and Brooklyn Nationals here to-day. Predicting south winds, the forecaster thought the conditions would be tempered somewhat by game time.

WHAT PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE.
(Canadian Associated Press.)

New York, Oct. 12.—Baseball statisticians figured out to-day that \$162,927, the players' share of the receipts from the present world's series, is the largest sum ever divided among the members of two clubs in any world's series. Sixty per cent. of it goes to the winners and 40 per cent. to the losers. If Boston wins the series, each of the twenty-six members of that club will receive \$3,332.94 and each of the Brooklyn \$2,715.41. If Brooklyn should win, each of the twenty-four players of that club will pocket \$4,073.10, which would set a new record for the amount won by individual players in any world's series. Should Boston lose, the players of that club would receive \$2,506.53 each.

RECEIPTS AHEAD OF LAST YEAR.
Although the attendance at the first four games this year has been nearly 3,000 less than last year, the receipts in 1916 were more than \$33,000 higher than in 1915, the total for four days this year being \$301,717. The best previous mark of four games was in the series between the New York Nationals and the Boston Am-

HOME RUN UPSETS DODGERS

Red Sox Took Fourth Game in World's Series By Score of 6 to 2.

Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, Oct. 12.—The Red Sox took the fourth game of the World's Series yesterday by the score of 6 to 2. Their victory was due to clean hitting, and they were aided by four errors on the part of the Dodgers.

The Dodgers jumped into the lead in the first inning, when "Dutch" Leonard exhibited a streak of wildness. The home team got two runs on two hits and an error, but their scoring ended right there.

With two men on base and two strikes on him in the second inning, Gardner smashed out a circuit drive to centre. That put the Sox one run in the lead and never after were they headed.

Three Dodger pitchers worked with indifferent results. Marquard, who started, retired in the fourth, and Cheney, who replaced him, later gave way to Rucker.

The Red Sox played a smashing game throughout and with superb confidence. After Gardner hit his homer the Dodgers seemed to go to pieces. It was estimated 23,000 saw the game.

Canadians in 1912, when the total receipts were \$273,282. The attendance that year was almost 17,000 more than this year, but higher prices for seats have prevailed in 1916. For the remaining games of the series the players will have no share in the receipts.

A LOVING CUP FROM ONT. MEN

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met with cheers at the railway station and then forgotten.

REPLIES TO TOAST.

Mr. J. M. Godfrey, president of the delegation, requested Mr. Arthur Hawkes to respond to the toast, as he was the author of the present movement along with Col. Mulloy.

Mr. Hawkes made an exceedingly happy speech in reply. He said that if one had the tongue of an angel he could not do justice to the delegation from Ontario, and if he had the tongue of an archangel he could not do justice to the reception given that night. Mr. Hawkes went on to say publicly that the first public welcome given to the idea of a home entente movement between the people of Ontario and the French-Canadians of Sherbrooke was given, not in Sherbrooke, but in Ayer's Cliff, that lovely summer resort, by an Irish Catholic, Mr. D. J. Steele, who immediately assumed the responsibility of forming a committee of the Board of Trade and citizens of Sherbrooke to give them a welcome. That was the first night the delegation had sat around the festive board. Sherbrooke was the crown of the rejoicing of the trip, and more people had participated at the welcome here than in Montreal, although the sentiment in the latter place was wonderful. He felt that the reason must be that the people in this city and locality desired to show that the bonnie accord was, always had been and always would be, in glorious operation. They came here last because they desired the climax of their gratitude should be reached in the Eastern Townships.

The speaker, proceeding, said that this country was not his native land, but in order to show he was Canadian as anyone in the room, he could say he was one of those who in the full vigor of their manhood and knowing Canada, chose to be Canadians for themselves and their children. It was not a case of loving Britain less, but of loving Canada more. Canada to-day had the inestimable glory of representing the whole western hemisphere in the fight to redeem civilization, and that was due to the glorious ancestry from which the people sprang.

Regarding what was called racial difference, that was not a correct term, it was a difference produced by envy. Why should so many be so proud of Norman blood on the other side of the English Channel and so afraid of it in the valley of the St. Lawrence.

Canada had many problems to face to-day, and those who lived 25 or 30 years would be asked by their children and grandchildren what part they took in the crisis. He appealed for a better understanding between the races to make Canada a happy country, saying that the blood which flowed into England and since the Norman conquest and mingled with the blood of the Vikings was fit to mingle again in life in Canada as it is mingling in dead in Flanders. A visit in South Africa after the Boer war had convinced him that by trying to rub a language out it surely got rubbed in. Who should be afraid of a man who spoke two languages well?

Dealing with the advantage of good statesmanship he said the greatest feat of this kind in this generation was the setting up of self-government in South Africa, and the wonderful spectacle of the once enemy and now prime minister leading his army to victory, and the only general in the allied armies who by land operations had taken hundreds of thousands of square miles from the Huns.

In his closing remarks Mr. Hawkes paid a compliment to Mr. J. H. Walsh, and described the Quebec Central as one of the best managed railways in the country.

COL. CANTLIE.

Colonel Cantlie, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, followed. Every member of the delegation had learned more in the last three days than in the past 25 years, and all were delighted with the hospitality showered upon them in the province of Quebec. He was in favor of two languages being taught in Ontario, and paid a compliment to the intelligence and brightness of the Seminary students who waited on the guests. He felt it would be a good thing for English boys to go for a period to French schools to get a thorough acquaintance with their compatriots.

SIR GEO. GARNEAU.

Sir Geo. Garneau in returning thanks for the present of the cup, said Sherbrooke was chosen as the place for the climax of the brotherly feelings between Ontario and Quebec because they knew what Sherbrooke represented and the harmony that existed amongst the races. The success of the movement had exceeded their fondest aspirations, and the gift would always be treasured as a material emblem and memento of the idea which is embodied.

Mr. Hebert also spoke, and Col. Guthrie gave a telling speech, with anecdotes on the war. Dr. Pelletier was congratulated on his return and made a happy speech.

The usual votes of thanks were passed.

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DEALT WITH WORK OF EASTERN TOWNSHIPS IMMIGRATION SOCIETY

Hon. Mr. Mercier Expressed Himself as Well Pleased With Results Already Achieved, And Said Government Was Glad to Assist the Society Because it Sought to Help Itself And the Township Generally. Large Influx of Settlers Expected After the War.

Seventh Article E. T. Boards' Meeting

Hon. Honore Mercier, Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries, addressed the autumn meeting of the E. T. Associated Boards of Trade and the Eastern Townships Immigration Society at Coaticook. He said in part: "My first words must be to thank you for having invited me to attend your gathering and for thus giving me an opportunity of meeting a number of old friends and of making many new ones. I have perhaps enjoyed fewer opportunities of mingling with the people of the Eastern Townships than has my honorable friend the treasurer of the province, the Hon. Mr. Mitchell, who has his home among you, but I could not long occupy the position of Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries without being brought close into contact, at least by correspondence, with the very indefatigable and very persistent officials of your excellent organization. If, however, there are some among you whom I have not been my privilege to know very intimately hitherto, I can assure you that I am not at all ignorant of the work which has been undertaken and accomplished by your society. Unofficially I had heard much of it in my intimate intercourse with my deeply regretted friend, the late Hon. Mr. Devlin, my honored predecessor in office, and the late Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Provincial Treasurer. Since the advent to office of Mr. Mackenzie's successor our mutual and respected friend, the present treasurer of the province, I need scarcely tell you that he takes good care to keep the E. T. Immigration Society and the Eastern Townships Associated Boards of Trade very fresh in my memory. No parent could be more solicitous for the welfare of his own offspring than Hon. Mr. Mitchell is for the prosperity and success of the Eastern Townships Immigration Society."

SHORTAGE OF FARM HELP.

The main object for which your association was called into being was to seek and to furnish a solution of the help problem on Eastern Townships farms and in Eastern Townships households. This problem is an extremely important one. It is not in the Eastern Townships alone that it is met. The shortage of farm and domestic help has been acutely felt not only in these townships, but throughout the whole of Eastern Canada. In the cities the dearth of domestic servants has compelled hundreds of people to give up their homes and to board in hotels or live in apartment houses, while the virtual impossibility of securing farm help has materially interfered with the agricultural prosperity of all the eastern provinces.

It is the interest of the railway companies to carry immigration as great a distance as possible across the country from the port of landing, and in the generous advertising which has been accorded to the North West with its enormous wheat fields by the great railway corporations, the attractions of the province of Quebec to the European settlers have been almost completely overshadowed. This condition of affairs convinced the Gouin Government that the province of Quebec was being unfairly treated in the publicity which was given in Europe to the various provinces of the Dominion. It, therefore, decided to open for this province in London an office of its own, and to appoint as its head an agent of the government, and of the people of the province, in the person of Hon. Dr. Pelletier, one of the most representative of our public men—one who has enjoyed the highest honors that it was in the power of his fellow-citizens to confer upon him—one who is thoroughly acquainted with all the resources as well as the needs of the province, and particularly with those of the Eastern Townships of Quebec, and who is, therefore, most competent to furnish all desirable information concerning the condition of affairs in Quebec as well as to intending settlers in Canada as to capitalists seeking investment here.

It is needless for me to tell you of the services which Dr. Pelletier has been able to render us in England. Many of you, no doubt, have profited by them and so has the province as a whole. But the government did not stop here. It went to a considerable expenditure to furnish Dr. Pelletier with suitable literature regarding the province for distribution in the British Isles and to supply him with excellent exhibits of its chief animal, vegetable, forest and mineral productions.

HELP FROM GOVERNMENT.

"What we have been able to do for this particular section of the province is known to nobody better than to the Eastern Townships Immigration Society. The contract by which the department over which I have the honor to preside, contributes \$3,000 per annum towards the office expenses of the society was renewed in April last for the third year. Under the terms of this contract, the department will not only have paid to the society by the end of the present fiscal year for its operating expenses the sum of \$9,000, but it has spent very large additional amounts for literature destined to keep the Eastern Townships of Quebec before

intending immigrants in Europe and has paid the entire salaries and travelling expenses of the society's lecturers and immigration and repatriation agents, in both the British Isles and the United States. In addition to all this, it has set aside the sum of \$5,000 to enable the society to offer assisted fares to immigrants.

"In 1913 a handsomely printed and illustrated pamphlet upon the Eastern Townships was issued by my department at the request of your society. 10,000 copies were printed, and distributed jointly by the government, by the Hon. Dr. Pelletier, and by your society. A further edition of 10,000 copies of the same booklet was issued in 1914. In 1915 there was issued a new booklet in English, entitled "Happy homes in the province of Quebec," for distribution in the British Isles in which was incorporated the most attractive pages of the brochure of the Eastern Townships. Of this publication, 500, 10,000 were issued. The additional expenditure already referred to as having been made during the last three years at the request of the Eastern Townships Immigration society may be summarized as follows:

1913, \$2,242; 1914-15, \$5,274; 1915-16, \$5,069.

MONEY WELL SPENT

"I believe that these sums have been well spent. The results which at first were extremely encouraging, may not have been all that was wished for, since the outbreak of the war. We cannot expect just now to attract here the best manhood of the British Isles when it is so badly required on the battlefields of Europe. It would not be right for us to ask it. We are too patriotic and too loyal to the Empire's needs for that. We realize too well what this war means to us and what our duty is in connection and we are trying to do it. May God grant an early and triumphant victory to our arms and a long and lasting peace at the end of it."

CONDITIONS AFTER THE WAR.

"It is hard to say what conditions will prevail after the war. Some are of opinion that there will be very little emigration for some years. I realize that this question of emigration belongs to the Dominion government in a larger measure than to us but we shall not be found wanting in our duty to assist and we desire to make new homes for ourselves in the Province of Quebec and we know that we shall also be able to count upon the active assistance of the Eastern Townships Immigration Society."

AGENTS DOING GOOD WORK.

"Since the falling off of the former volume of immigration on account of the war, I have noticed that your agents have been doing good work in attracting as far as possible, back to the land, many of the unemployed in our cities and a number of our own people who have been living for some time past in the United States. What the government has done towards assisting you in your work was not done in your stead. It was not a sectional work. It was not doing your work for you, simply supplementing your own efforts. You remember that it has been said that the gods help those who help themselves. Well, the government came to your assistance because it saw that you were working yourselves for the welfare and development of the country. That is the policy of the government as well as of the gods. It is the policy which we are following in educational matters by paying in certain cases larger school grants to commissioners and trustees to increase the salaries of their teachers and the policy which we also follow in road matters, where special aid is extended to those municipalities who undertake extra financial burdens for the betterment of their highways."

SPRAYS ON REQUEST FOR SEPARATE GAME ZONE FOR E.T.

"Some time ago the Eastern Townships Associated Boards of Trade suggested the formation of a separate zone in this part of the country for the protection of game. This subject of different zones has been given considerable attention in my department. I may tell you frankly that the difficulties of protection have been largely increased by the fact that there are already in existence two zones of this kind in our province. In the zone where the killing of certain game is prohibited at a certain season and permitted in the other zone, it is easy for people in the prohibited zone to violate the law and contend that the game or furs of which they may be in illegal possession have come from the other zone, only a few miles distant, in which the killing is permitted. Numerous instances have been brought to light of the killing of beaver for instance in the zone in which it is prohibited on the pretence that the killing occurred in the district where it is permitted. Some of the officers of my department are convinced that the same thing would occur in the Eastern Townships if they were formed into a separate zone. Moreover the tendency of the best authorities on fish and game protection today is to provide as nearly as possible for uniformity of seasons even in adjoining states and provinces and one of the most important of existing international fish and game protective societies, namely the North



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HOLIDAY CROWD WITNESS FIFTH GAME OF SERIES

Brooklyn Will Put up Last Trench Fight Against Red Sox Team.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Boston, Oct. 12.—The fifth game of the world's series between the Brooklyn Nationals and the Boston Americans was played to-day before a holiday crowd. The anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, observed as a holiday, freed thousands from their labors, who took advantage of the opportunity to go to Braves Field. The result, in the opinion of club officials before the game, was likely to be the greatest crowd in the history of baseball. Braves Field, although holding the record for attendance of 42,300 in the series last year, has not yet been taxed to capacity.

It was a last trench fight which the Brooklyn prepared to make against the Red Sox as they came into town from Brooklyn early to-day. Three of the four games already played had gone against them, and only one game lay between the Boston team and another world's championship.

PROBABLE LINE-UP.

While the batteries came in for first consideration, the element of uncertainty in this connection to-day was largely removed in the minds of the fans.

"It will be Smith for Brooklyn and Shore for Boston," nearly all agreed. The probable line-up for to-day: Red Sox, Hooper R.F., Janvrin 2B, Walker C.F., Hohlitzel 1B, Lewis L.F., Gardner 3B, Scott S.S., Cady C., Shore P.

Brooklyn: Myers C.F., Daubert 1B, Stengel R.F., Wheat L.F., Cutshaw 2B, Mowrey 3B, Olson S.S., Miller C., Smith P.

The umpires were stationed as follows: Plate, Connolly; bases, Oday; left field, Quigley; right field, Dineen.

NOVELTY WEARS OFF

Old Lady—it must be nice to be a soldier and die for your country. Soldier—Oh, I dunno; you get used to it, mum.

American Fish and Game Protective Association was established a few years ago with this policy as the leading plank of its platform. Some of the leading sportsmen of the United States as well as of this province assisted in the formation of this association including such well-known sportsmen as the late general Butterfield, of Stanstead, Dr. Finnie, M.P.P., of Montreal, Mr. Ussher, of the C.P. Ry., Mr. Charlton, of the Grand Trunk Ry., and many others whom I could mention. The matter is still being studied by the officers of my department and we shall come to no definite conclusion until it has received the fullest consideration at our hands. Meanwhile I am glad to have it on the best authority that in some parts of the Townships and especially in portions of Lotbiniere, and Megantic, game was perhaps never more plentiful than at the present time."

The remarks of the Minister on the Asbestos question were published last week.

The address closed with a testimony of sympathy for the work of the association in union with the government for promoting the still greater prosperity of the province, and the increasing happiness of all its loyal, industrious and happy population.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that all persons who owe to or have claims against the estate of the late Mrs. Theo. Connor (nee Bridges Duffy) must settle with the executor, John Muldoon, 90 Laurier Ave., or with Edouard Boudreau, N.P., 37 Wellington St., Sherbrooke.

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