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Paris, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The Saloniki correspondent of the Petit Parisien telegraphs that French troops crossed the Vardar River on February 10 and are now encamped on the right bank of the river and in the region of Janitza and Veria. The town of Veria is an important railway station on the line between Saloniki and Monastir.

The region alluded to in the above despatch is to the northwest of Topstina, on the Vardar River, 15 miles northwest of Saloniki, at which point the line of defences of the camp of the Allies at Saloniki begins. The line ascends the Vardar to Karasuli, from which point it sweeps in a semicircle to the southeast, enclosing Saloniki.

MONTENEGRINS PUT UP VIGOROUS RESISTANCE

Paris, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A despatch from Rome says that, according to the Idea Nazionale, the strength of the Austrian force now marching on Durazzo is estimated at 30,000 men. The rest of the invading army, the correspondent says, is engaged in guarding the country behind the advancing troops. He adds that the disarmament of Montenegro is not yet completed, and parts of the little kingdom have not been occupied, as a result of the vigorous resistance of the followers of General Martinowich.

MOVEMENT OF TROOPS IN BESSARABIA

London, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A Reuter despatch from Amsterdam says: "Budapest advices received here are to the effect that Russian railway communication with Roumania is interrupted owing to troop movements in Bessarabia. Only military trains are moving in Bessarabia."

CZAR'S TROOPS FORCE HUNS TO RETIRE

London, Feb. 12.—A despatch from Petrograd says that although a general revival of activity is officially reported along the entire Russian front, the only developments of more than local and temporary importance are the Russian advance in the Stripsa region, southeast of Isebroff, where the Russians succeeded in capturing heights commanding the district in which runs the main railway line between the Chodorov and Stry Rivers, and the occupation by the Russians of the heights east of Chemerine.

The progress in the latter district, which is between Rovno and Lutsk, is another sign of the resumption of the Russian offensive which came to an abrupt halt a month ago, when the Germans apparently succeeded in erecting such firm fortifications that further attempts at an advance on the part of the Russians became a waste of energy and ammunition. It is considered significant that a new and more formidable Russian offensive is being launched against the same positions, and with initial success. This is explained by most of the military observers as due to the new power and effectiveness of the Russian artillery, which recently has shown marked improvement on all fronts.

The Germans, evidently surprised by the fierceness of the new Russian onslaught, which promises to extend a general initiative along the line, have been forced at several points in Galicia to retire to their second line of defense.

In Volhynia, near the Caserine, the Russians, according to the official statement, have repulsed Teutonic attacks, and to the northeast of Tarnopol have held a strategic height despite an attack by numerically superior forces of Austro-Hungarians.

OPERATIONS AGAINST TURKS CONTINUE.

Petrograd says the Russians in their operations against the Turks continue to make progress and that all attempts by the Ottomans to assume an offensive are being put down by the Russian fire. Bombardments of Turkish positions on the Black Sea coast are being kept up by the Russian torpedo craft. On the other hand, Constantinople asserts that the fighting between the Turks and the British in Mesopotamia the British attempted an advance from the right bank of the Tigris, but were compelled to retreat to their old positions.

HARD FIGHTING AT VIMY.

Hard fighting is still in progress around Vimy, where the French are endeavoring to recapture positions taken from them recently by the Germans. Berlin reports that four French attacks in this region have been put down and also that a similar offensive with a like purpose to the south of the Somme resulted in failure.

The French, however, have been active with their artillery at various points and have caused considerable damage to German positions.

ON ITALIAN FRONT.

The Italians and Austrians are keeping up their artillery duels on the Austro-Italian front, despite the heavy snows in the mountain regions; and here and there delivering infantry attacks against each other, but without appreciable result. In Albania the Austro-Hungarians have occupied Tirana, a short distance to the northeast of the port of Durazzo, and also dominating the heights in that region.

ITALY PROHIBITS TEUTON GOODS

Act Indicates That All Commercial Relations With Germany are At An End

Rome, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A royal decree has been issued prohibiting from to-day the importation into Italy or transit through Italy of all German and Austrian merchandise, as well as the exportation of all merchandise of German or Austrian origin through Italian ports. The coupling of Germany with Austria-Hungary in the royal decree above alluded to is the first formal act on the part of Italy to indicate that all commercial relations with Germany are prohibited.

500 MEN NOW OUT OF WORK

Fire Did 50,000 Damages at Canada Foundry Shops Near Montreal To-Day

Montreal, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Fire broke out in the forging shop of the Canada Foundry Company buildings at one o'clock this morning at Turcot, just outside of Montreal, and did \$50,000 damage before placed under control. Five hundred men are thrown out of work.

The authorities blame defective electric wiring for the fire. The below zero temperature made the work of the firemen exceedingly hard, and a number of men were frostbitten.

PIRATES TO HAVE MORE LATITUDE

Berlin Expects That Washington Will Advise Americans Not to Travel on Armed Vessels

NEW ORDER WILL TEND TO SIMPLIFY SITUATION BETWEEN GERMANY AND UNITED STATES.

Berlin, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The Berlin papers publish despatches from the United States announcing that it is expected that the Washington Administration will soon issue a warning to Americans not to travel on merchantmen which are armed.

The newspapers say that this announcement comes at a timely moment to confirm the hopes entertained in Germany that the new policy enunciated in the German memorandum, which declares that armed merchantmen will be treated by Germany after February 29 as warships, would be found to conform to the revised ideas of the American Department of State on the conduct of submarine warfare, and hence tend to simplify in the future the situation between Germany and America on this issue.

ALLIES TO IGNORE THREAT OF CENTRAL POWERS.

London, February 12.—There is no evidence that the British Government, or her Allies, propose to change the status of their merchant ships, or the policy of arming merchantmen on account of the Austro-German declaration. The Government as yet has not formally considered the subject, but the consensus of opinion as shown by newspapers and authorities who have been interviewed is that Germany's declaration of policy means no alteration in her policy except that it may operate to keep neutrals of the ships of the belligerent powers and thus give a clearer field for submarines to sink merchantmen.

Summarizing the situation, it is considered that Germany will win an important diplomatic victory if the United States agrees to withdraw its protection from its citizens travelling on armed ships. Such a decision by the United States it is pointed out would be wholly in Germany's interest, since that country has no merchantmen on the seas.

As far as Germany's practice is concerned naval writers declare that her submarines generally sink merchantmen whenever they could and will continue the same practice. It has been the British contention that the German submarine methods, which, at least gave merchant sailors only a hazardous chance for their lives by taking to sea in small boats, benefited merchantmen in fighting in self-defence, a policy adopted by several such cases had occurred.

ATROCITY CHARGES WERE INSPIRED

Berlin Claims That Cardinal Mercier's Letter Was Delayed in Delivery

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The following statement regarding the activities of Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, who is now on a visit to Rome, was made public to-day by the Overseas News Agency:

"The letter which Cardinal Mercier and the Belgian bishops addressed to the German clergy on November 24, 1915 (regarding an investigation of allegations that atrocities had been committed in Belgium by Germans) did not reach Cardinal von Hartmann, Archbishop of Cologne until January 7, which explains why it has not been answered. The general impression prevailing in Germany, however, is that the letter was inspired entirely by Cardinal Mercier, whose intransigent attitude toward the German authorities became manifest on various occasions."

KING FERDINAND ON VISIT TO FRONT

RECEIVED AT AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN HEADQUARTERS BY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

London, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A Vienna despatch to Reuter's says that King Ferdinand of Bulgaria arrived yesterday at Austro-Hungarian general headquarters, accompanied by Bulgarian Premier Radoslawoff and General Jecoff, commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian forces and Minister of War.

The King and his suite were received by Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, and by Field Marshal Baron Franz Conrad von Hotzezdorf, chief of staff of the Austro-Hungarian forces.

PEACE IN THE NEAR FUTURE

Baron Von Zedlitz, of Prussian Diet, Says That End of Strife May be Concluded Soon

Amsterdam, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A suggestion of the possibility of the conclusion of peace in the near future is made by Baron von Zedlitz, of the Prussian Diet, according to the Vossische Zeitung. The newspaper quotes him as saying:

"As regards the discussion of Germany's aims in the war, in view of the whole present war situation, the conclusion of peace in the near future is not impossible, and, therefore, the announcement of our fundamental aims in the war appears to be necessary, if the voice of the people is to be heard at the right time."

BRITISH NAVY ALWAYS ON ALERT

Visit to Section of Great Fleet by French and Neutral Journalists

BATTLE CRUISERS LION AND TIGER, REPORTED SUNK BY GERMANS, STILL IN THE SERVICE.

London, Feb. 12.—Journalists representing French and neutral newspapers were on Thursday permitted by courtesy of the Admiralty to form their own impressions of facts as to naval preparedness for further sea fighting. Rumors regarding German 17-inch guns, the Appam incident, extensive recruiting for the army, and similar matters, coupled with the prolonged suspension of naval fighting, have caused speculations in a section of the press as to whether the navy retained its former alertness.

During the visit to a portion of the battle cruiser squadron and the light cruiser squadron the journalists were able to observe the rigorous daily training and activities by which the navy prepares for possible future events.

In the first ship visited, a war vessel not unknown to the people of one of the most vigorous British dominions, the journalists were able to watch all operations incidental to the charging and firing of big guns. It is apparently firmly believed in Germany that the battle cruisers Lion and Tiger are at the bottom of the sea, the latter being sunk, according to this report, in the Dogger Bank fight. The journalists were, however, able to visit both ships without descending in a submarine. The Lion, as stated at the time in Admiralty reports, received certain injuries, which were quickly remedied. The Tiger never received more than a few scars, and the Germans probably gained their erroneous impression from the fact that a blast of the Tiger's after guns, swung round to the fullest limit to drop shells on the fleeing Blucher, set fire to two small wooden boats constituting practically the only inflammable material on deck.

These boats were permitted to burn themselves out, forming an impressive but strikingly harmless blaze. At any rate, the Lion and Tiger still form part of the British navy, eager and ready for further fighting.

Following the visit to the battle cruisers, the journalists were taken in a torpedo boat round the light cruiser squadron and through a small fleet of supply ships, and everywhere gained the same impression of unceasing alertness and constant preparation for all possibilities. Undoubtedly the officers and crews who know the navy's fighting capacities have only one desire, namely, to meet the Germans again.

Referring to the battle cruiser squadron, the commander of the torpedo boat summed up the naval sentiment in saying: They go everywhere; they are in everything; they fight anything above water or beneath it, anywhere, at any time.

SIR HUGH WYNNDHAM DEAD.

London, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Sir Hugh Wyndham died at his residence, Rogate Lodge, Petersfield, Thursday. Sir Hugh was once Minister to Brazil. He was born in 1836.

MAYOR OF BEEBE.

Beebe, Feb. 12 (Special)—Mr. J. W. Elder was elected mayor of Beebe at a meeting of the council.

The Weather

Northwest winds; moderate; cold and mostly fair; light local snow.

DRUNKEN ORGY AT CALGARY

500 Soldiers and Civilians Wreck Hotel and Most of Furniture Smashed

BAR WAS RAIDED AND STOCK PASSED AROUND AMONG THE RIOTERS

Calgary, Alta., February 12.—(Special)—Another riotous outbreak on the part of the soldiers belonging to the garrison here occurred last night and for two hours the authorities, police and militia, were powerless to cope with the mob.

Riverside Hotel, a two-story brick and frame structure in the Riverside district, north of the Bow River, was attacked by a crowd of about 500 soldiers and civilians and thoroughly wrecked. The windows were smashed and most of the furniture pitched out into the snow, where it was broken to bits by a shouting crowd.

The bar was raided and the stock passed around among the rioters, which steadily grew to at least 2,000 strong, at least half being civilians. Under the influence of liquor an orgy of wild destruction followed. The building was reduced to a mere shell. Lieut.-Col. Armstrong, commanding the 56th Battalion, one of the most popular officers of the garrison, was rushed to the spot in an automobile, and standing on the steps of the hotel, begged the men to desist. A few came to his side, but the main rush swept him aside. A number of other police were on hand, but they were helpless, as were the city police.

The military headquarters collected every possible reserve and finally pickets were marched to the spot and the hotel cordoned off.

MOBS FALSE IMPRESSION

The only cause or motive for the attack on the hotel was the belief that it was owned by a German. It is in fact owned by an Englishman, who purchased it from the former owner, John Kiser, some time ago. The landlord is Joseph Rioux, a native-born French-Canadian.

INTERNED SHIP TRIED TO ESCAPE

Made For Open Sea at Rio Janerio But Was Stopped by Brazilian Cruiser

Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The German steamer Assuncion, interned at Para, requested permission to approach a wharf to take water aboard. Under cover of the fog she turned about and headed towards the sea.

The Brazilian cruiser Republica and the auxiliary Teffe fired blank shots, and as the Assuncion did not stop they fired on her with projectiles. The German steamer then stopped and returned to the harbor. The captain later stated that he had no intention of escaping.

BAD ACCIDENT AT NEWINGTON

G. Mayhew, Car Cleaner on Q.C.R., Crushed Between Platform and Car

SUFFERED TERRIBLE INJURIES—REMOVED TO SHERBROOKE HOSPITAL.

A car cleaner named G. Mayhew, whose home is on Markill Road, met with a painful accident at Newington this morning, where he is employed as a car cleaner by the Quebec Central Railway Company.

Mayhew fell between a moving car and the platform and his body was terribly crushed. Dr. Lynch was called and the unfortunate man was removed to the Sherbrooke Hospital, where he now lies in a serious condition.

YOUNGEST SON OF KAISER TO WED

EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT POTSDAM ON MARCH 11.

London, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Amsterdam says that Emperor William has announced his decision that the marriage of Prince Joachim is to take place at Potsdam on March 11.

IMPORTANT E. T. RAILWAY BILL BEFORE LEGISLATURE

Committee on Railways Extends Time for Completion of St. Francis Railway. The New Railway Will Start From Sorel, Touch at Richmond, Magog, and Stanstead, and Thence to Portland, Me. Delegation Informed that Government Will Assist in Construction of Road in Hampden Municipality Provided Council Will Contribute \$1000 Towards Cost

(Special to the Daily Record) Quebec, February 12.—Though Montreal civic affairs have occupied the spotlight at the Legislature this week, several matters of interest to the Eastern Townships have been on the taps. In the first place the Committee of Railways and Other Means of Communication has passed with slight amendment the charter of the St. Francis Valley Railway Company. This Bill gives the Company more time in which to build the road. It is planned that the line will start at Sorel, which is the only deep water port between Montreal and Quebec, and go from Sorel to Drummondville, from Drummondville it will proceed to Richmond, and from Richmond to Magog. After Magog the line will extend to Stanstead, and from that point to Island Pond, Vermont, through to Portland. There will be a branch line from Magog to Granby, and also from Magog to Coaticook via Ayer's Cliff. This will mean a saving of distance between Montreal and Portland of about 25 miles.

The Bill is regarded as very important to Eastern Townships interests, and all the members from that part of the Province are watching its progress with interest. Mr. Bissonnet, Liberal member for Stanstead, is the sponsor of the Bill, and so far he has met with gratifying success in the way he has handled its operations. Hon. Mr. Mitchell and Hon. Mr. Alard have rendered valuable assistance. At one time opposition threatened to develop against the Bill, but it sailed successfully through the shallow waters of the Railways Committee this week.

DELEGATION FROM COMPTON COUNTY

A deputation of Eastern Townships citizens from the parishes of La Patrie, Chesham, Emberton, and Hampden were in Quebec this week, and waited upon the Minister of Roads (Hon. Mr. Tessier). They were introduced to the Minister by their member, Mr. N. George Scott, the deputy for Compton County. They made representations concerning the building of three and a half miles of roads adjoining Scotstown. The municipalities that were represented by the personnel of the delegation have already built their roads, but in order to get to the railway they have to pass over this three and a half miles of road, which the municipality of Hampden refuse to build. There are 5,000 inhabitants in the various parishes, and it was pointed out to the minister the hardship that these people experience in having to pass over this portion of bad road every time they go to the railway station. They declared that they had a grievance, and after they had made their case Hon. Mr. Tessier said that he would bring the matter up before the Cabinet Council, and the suggestion now is that if the municipality of Hampden will contribute \$1,000 towards the cost of the road, the Government will pay the remainder, which is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$7,000 or \$8,000 per mile. Gravel for the road will have to be hauled about five miles. The delegation, which went away satisfied with the treatment they received from the Minister, consisted of Mayor John Graham and Godfrey Choinard of Hampden; M. Bourret and S. Gobeil, of La Patrie; J. Levingue of Chesham,

PRECAUTIONS AT PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

Extra precautions have been taken to guard the Parliament Buildings here. No doubt this is due to the disastrous fire at Ottawa last week. Eastern Townships members who returned to the session after the weekend recess, noticed certain changes which were considered significant. What these changes are it is not necessary to detail, but it is assuring to note that the Provincial Government realize the importance of guarding the main public building of the Province.

DANVILLE PROTESTANT CEMETERY CO.

The Bill incorporating the Danville Protestant Cemetery Company is making progress through the various committee stages. The petitioners are as follows: Alexander MacLeay, merchant, and Murdoch McDonald, farmer, both of the Township of Sipton in the County of Richmond; Charles Boutelle, furniture dealer, Chester H. Cleveland, manufacturer, James Riddle, merchant, George McCracken, merchant, Byron H. Barnard, jobber, George W. Adams, dentist, M. Henry Ritchey, bank manager, and Charles C. Brown, postmaster, of the Village of Danville, all professing the Protestant faith. They represent in the preamble of the Bill, that the Protestant burying ground, lying partly in the Village of Danville, and partly in the Township of Sipton, has by reason of lack of control, maintenance and management, become in an undesirable condition, and consequently they have decided to ask for the incorporation of a company with the object of controlling, maintaining, managing and enlarging the present cemetery. It is pointed out that the municipal council of the Village of Danville and of the Township of Sipton have approved and ratified the "proposed act of incorporation. The head office of the company will be in Danville. The affairs of the company will be directed by ten directors, elected as follows: two directors from each of the Protestant denominations now established in Danville, viz. Congregational, Episcopal, Methodist, Adventist and Presbyterian—these directors to be duly elected by the members of the corporation, and to remain in office for four years, with this exception that at the expiration of the two years from the date of the Act coming into force, one member (first named) from each of the denominations shall retire from the Board, and an election will be held to replace him, and at the end of the second two years the other five members shall retire, and so on in rotation, five members retiring every two years.

RIGHT OF WOMEN TO PRACTICE LAW

The Eastern Townships, like every other part of the Province, is interested in the Bill of Mr. Lucien Cannon, member for Dorchester, proposing to give the women of the Province the same right as men to qualify and enter upon the practice of law. If the Bill passes, and Mr. Cannon has been assured of a substantial measure of support the time may not be far distant when women lawyers may be seen pleading in the Courts of Sherbrooke, just as men lawyers plead today.

NO COMPENSATION TO LICENSE HOLDERS

One of the most interesting bills of the session already disposed of (Continued on page 10.)

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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

Gatherings by Daily Record Correspondents in Various Communities

COOKSHIRE.

The Cookshire branch of the W. A. net at the home of Mrs. Cyrus McRae on Monday afternoon. There were about twelve members present. Papers on "Missions of India" were read by Mrs. A. Johnston and Mrs. A. H. Robertson. Light refreshments were served by the hostess and a pleasant and profitable time was spent by all.

Messrs. Gordon Porter and Allen Williams have enlisted with the Army Service Corps for overseas. Pte. Williams has been serving with the Princess Patricia and has so far recovered from his wounds as to be accepted again.

A very important and much needed change is to be made in the water system is to be installed throughout. System is to be installed throughout. Senator and Mrs. Pope left Monday for Ottawa to be absent for a couple of months.

A leap year dance took place on Thursday evening in Victoria Hall. Master Jno. Burton has gone to Lennoxville to attend the Preparatory School in connection with Bishop's College for the remainder of the term.

Mrs. H. H. Pope has almost completely recovered from her recent illness. Rev. Mr. Mick, of the Methodist Church, East Angus has been invited to the pastorate of Cookshire. Mr. Mick has accepted, subject to the will of the Conference, which meets in June.

Mr. A. H. W. Bailey is confined to his room with a severe attack of grippe. The Homemakers' Club will meet on the 18th inst. at the usual hour. The papers of the evening are "Poultry," "Mrs. A. H. W. Bailey," "Ways of Making Money at Home," "Lucy Hodges," "How to Make the Best Use of What We Have," Miss A. Bailey. Gentlemen are especially invited to this meeting, as Pte. Williams will be present and speak about the condition of "our boys" at the front.

Dr. Alfred Johnston was elected chairman of the Board of Health at the last regular Council meeting. He replaces S. J. Osgood, retired. Messrs. J. E. Drennon, O. A. Osgood and W. E. Learned went to Montreal Wednesday morning to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge.

MASSAWIPPI.

Little Miss Averil Willard daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Willard who recently moved here from Ascot Corner was the hostess at a children's party on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. A few hours were spent happily in

childish games followed by "a nice supper" which part of the afternoon was fully enjoyed by the little guests both girls and boys. Several boxes of chocolates etc., were left for Averil to indulge in after the party. Mrs. Willard's kind act in bringing a number of the village children together for a pleasant afternoon is appreciated.

Mrs. B. Kezar spent a day or two at Sherbrooke this week; Mrs. O. Amy visited her son and wife at Sherbrooke on Saturday; Mr. Holnie Colt of Coatcook in town with his parents; Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Glendon of Hatley at Mr. B. Kent's Wednesday; Pte. Henry Hunter of the 117th from Sherbrooke to spend Sunday at Mr. S. Colts and Pte. Foster Smith from Richmond to visit his parents at "Maplewood"; Miss Pearl McClary is at Lyndonville, Vt., for a couple of weeks stay at her uncle's Mr. Chester McClary.

BURY.

The Ladies' Patriotic Society will hold their business meeting next Tuesday afternoon, the 15th, at the Armory. The committee are expected to be present. A new supply of material for Red Cross work will be on hand and anyone wishing to get material may do so at this meeting.

The Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist Church met at the parsonage Monday afternoon. Arrivals and departures include: Mr. Harold Lavalliere, of Farnham, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lavalliere, over Sunday; Miss Julia Hurd, teacher of Fairview School, to her home in Sawyerville for the week-end; Mr. D. A. McKellar to Strathroy, Ont., summoned by the death of his mother.

Mr. Samuel J. Hamilton, who has been seriously ill for the past three weeks, was moved to the Sherbrooke Hospital Monday night. Arrivals and departures include: Mr. Howard J. Simons to Cookshire Wednesday; Miss Pope who has spent the last few weeks in New York to her home here; Mrs. C. Irwin of Birtchton guest of Mrs. R. W. Lavalliere for a few days; Miss W. Saultry to Hatley and Compton for the week-end.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church were entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. W. Roger's. Owing to the bad weather there was not as large an attendance as usual but a large amount of work was done and a very pleasant afternoon spent.

The infant son, Roscoe Claremont of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ross died very suddenly after a few days illness on February 4th aged three months and 12 days. The floral tributes were numerous from friends and relatives. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Rural Dean Lewis. The choir rendered appropriate music for the week-end.

Mrs. E. B. Fischer entertained at a chain tea on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Jessiman, who has been caring for her mother who is ill, has returned to her home in Sherbrooke; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Paige returned from Montreal; Mrs. Mary Allard from Stornoway, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Legendre, who has been ill for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. McCurdy were the hostesses at a pleasant surprise party of a few friends on Monday evening, it being the anniversary of their marriage. The Young Girls' Guild are arranging for a Valentine dance to be held in the Guild Hall on Monday evening, to which all are welcome. The Valentine party which was to take place on Monday has been cancelled.

The Ladies' Guild will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon in the Guild Hall by Misses Fox, Green, Savage and Roy. A large number of members are requested to be present. Any one who has taken home the linen to launder is requested to bring it in on Tuesday.

Mr. Wheeler, of Boston, accompanied by Mr. Wm. Neidner, returned to his home on Friday. Mrs. Lucretia McKay, of Waterville, is at the Coaticook Sanitarium. Mrs. Tabor, of Portland, visiting relatives and friends in Coaticook.

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occasion. The bearers were four little boys viz: Cecil and Allen Dunsmore, Lyle and Ervin Manes. The interment took place in the new part of the Church of England cemetery.

SCOTSTOWN.

In connection with the moving pictures on Monday, Feb. 14th there will be a miscellaneous entertainment given by local talent under the management of Miss Flossie and Miss Ethel Sherman. Doors open at 7.30 p.m. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross Society of Scotstown.

A baptismal service was held in St. Alban's Anglican Church on Saturday last, when the infant son, Angus Milton, of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodwin, was baptized by the Rev. P. R. Roy, assisted by his brother, Rev. Rural Dean E. R. Roy, of Cookshire. Mrs. Henry Goodwin, Mr. O. Bowen and Mr. Goodwin were the godparents.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church will be held with Mrs. Payson Sherman on Wednesday afternoon next. The Ladies' Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Goodwin on Wednesday, February 16.

Mr. John MacLeod has enlisted in the 117th E. T. Battalion. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott to Sherbrooke; Miss Azilda Aubin to Sherbrooke on Friday; Miss F. McCurdy the week-end at her home on Spring Road.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERBY LINE. Little Miss Marguerite Fregeau, who has been very ill is reported to be convalescing. The Sewing Club was entertained at the home of Miss Helen Hunt, on Thursday evening. A lot of work was done and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hunt on February 3rd. Mrs. William F. Pike was "At Home" to her friends on Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. Mrs. Hutchison the bride's mother and Mrs. William H. Pike assisted in receiving. Mrs. A. J. Bissonnet acted as hostess. Tea was served in the dining-room. Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Irvine poured. Misses Mary Hackett and Ruth Mellon served.

Mrs. Jas. A. Gilmore, Miss Annie Gilmore, and Mr. Albert Gilmore attended the funeral of the late John Ryan at St. Johnsbury, Vt., last Saturday. Col. H. S. Haskell contemplates building a new moving picture theatre in Derby Line opposite the Odd Fellows Building. The work to commence this Spring. It is to be a four storey building with a dance hall in the upper story.

Miss Isabella Rand, who has been in the R. & B. Mfg. Co. for the past year, has gone to her home in Lyndonville, Vt. She will very soon leave for Annapolis, Maryland where she will spend the rest of the winter. Miss Ruth Goodsell to Ayer's Cliff for a few weeks visit.

COATICOOK.

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A. Montgomery in Cookshire with her father, Mr. Stephen Osgood, who is ill; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson and two children to Cookshire on Thursday after visiting his mother Mrs. J. Robinson and sisters, Mrs. D. C. Metcalf and Mrs. C. M. Cooper.

Mr. R. C. Cowling Sherbrooke, Wednesday; Miss Azilda Aubin to Sherbrooke on Friday; Miss F. McCurdy the week-end at her home on Spring Road.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERBY LINE. Little Miss Marguerite Fregeau, who has been very ill is reported to be convalescing. The Sewing Club was entertained at the home of Miss Helen Hunt, on Thursday evening. A lot of work was done and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hunt on February 3rd. Mrs. William F. Pike was "At Home" to her friends on Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. Mrs. Hutchison the bride's mother and Mrs. William H. Pike assisted in receiving. Mrs. A. J. Bissonnet acted as hostess. Tea was served in the dining-room. Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Irvine poured. Misses Mary Hackett and Ruth Mellon served.

Mrs. Jas. A. Gilmore, Miss Annie Gilmore, and Mr. Albert Gilmore attended the funeral of the late John Ryan at St. Johnsbury, Vt., last Saturday. Col. H. S. Haskell contemplates building a new moving picture theatre in Derby Line opposite the Odd Fellows Building. The work to commence this Spring. It is to be a four storey building with a dance hall in the upper story.

Miss Isabella Rand, who has been in the R. & B. Mfg. Co. for the past year, has gone to her home in Lyndonville, Vt. She will very soon leave for Annapolis, Maryland where she will spend the rest of the winter. Miss Ruth Goodsell to Ayer's Cliff for a few weeks visit.

COATICOOK.

Mrs. E. B. Fischer entertained at a chain tea on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Jessiman, who has been caring for her mother who is ill, has returned to her home in Sherbrooke; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Paige returned from Montreal; Mrs. Mary Allard from Stornoway, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Legendre, who has been ill for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. McCurdy were the hostesses at a pleasant surprise party of a few friends on Monday evening, it being the anniversary of their marriage. The Young Girls' Guild are arranging for a Valentine dance to be held in the Guild Hall on Monday evening, to which all are welcome. The Valentine party which was to take place on Monday has been cancelled.

The Ladies' Guild will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon in the Guild Hall by Misses Fox, Green, Savage and Roy. A large number of members are requested to be present. Any one who has taken home the linen to launder is requested to bring it in on Tuesday.

Mr. Wheeler, of Boston, accompanied by Mr. Wm. Neidner, returned to his home on Friday. Mrs. Lucretia McKay, of Waterville, is at the Coaticook Sanitarium. Mrs. Tabor, of Portland, visiting relatives and friends in Coaticook.

EAST ANGUS.

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sitting friends here on Tuesday. Word has been received here from Mr. Heber Howe who left here in November, of his safe arrival at Glendale, Cal., having spent the past two months at Newberg, Oregon.

ROCK ISLAND AND DERBY LINE. Mr. H. M. Hovey to Sherbrooke on Monday night. Mrs. Horace Cordeau entertained the Guild of Christ Church, St. Andrew, on Wednesday afternoon. The supper served in the Congregational Church on Tuesday night was very successful.

Miss Bernadette Fregeau, Sunday and Monday in Sherbrooke. Miss Edna Caswell entertained the card club on Saturday afternoon at her home on Caswell Avenue. Mr. Max Ferrill of the Quebec Bank Staff is on the sick list.

KEITH. Mr. James McCaskill is progressing favorably at the General Hospital, Montreal, after his recent operation. Mrs. Angus McCall of Gould, at Mr. Kenneth McCaskill's the past two weeks; Messrs. Raymond Morrison, Murdo McLeay, and Albert Hudson, to Winslow to work for Mr. E. K. McLeod; Messrs. Eddie Morrison and John Buchanan have closed their camp and the men returned to their respective homes. Miss Ellen McKay, who has been in Lowell, Mass., for the past number of years arrived home on Tuesday and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John P. McLeod.

MILBY. There will be a social in the hall on Wednesday evening next. The proceeds will be forwarded to the Red Cross Society. Miss G. Nichols to Sherbrooke with Mrs. Bradley for a few weeks. Richmond, the little son of Rev. and Mrs. Le Gallais, of Johnville, is slowly recovering.

UPPER MELBOURNE. Mrs. J. Galbraith, who quite recently in the dark mistook the cellar door and fell headlong down the stairs and broke her collarbone, is progressing as favorably as could be expected. Miss Violet Stalker of Montreal spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stalker, who are very ill. Private Wesley Taber of Sherbrooke who was home for ten days through illness is able to be out again.

OLIVER.

Recent arrivals and departures are: Miss Mabel Rolfe of Bishop's Crossing next guest of her sister at Mr. R. R. Merrill; Miss Hazel Channell of Channell, recent guests of Miss Agnes Chamberlain. Mr. R. H. Merrill is recovering from an attack of grippe, and the families of Mr. T. O'Malley and Mr. W. F. Abbott are all able to be about again after an attack of the same prevailing malady.

KINGSEY.

Arrivals and departures are Mr. G. Riel guest of his aunt, Mrs. F. N. Doyle; Miss Effie Armstrong, Kingsley Falls, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong over the week-end; Mr. R. B. Beard visiting relatives in Ulverton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Blake and Miss L. Blake, Messrs H. Morrill, D. Sharpe and T. Blake, Danville, guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Morrill; Mr. and Mrs. E. Wright and Mr. T. Abercrombie visiting friends here recently; Mr. A. Bowles, Richmond, visiting friends.

MOE'S RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trollope entertained about twenty-five friends on Saturday evening in honor of their son Pte. Fred Robbins of the Grenadier Guards, St. Johns, Que. The evening was spent in dancing, playing cards and singing, after refreshments was served. Pte. Fred Robbins was the recipient of a fountain pen before leaving to rejoin his regiment.

WHAT HATLEY TOWNSHIP IS AFTER.

A correspondent writes: The people of this flourishing and progressive town think that the new Parliament Buildings ought to be built here, and it is a "draw" where. Massawippi thinks that it should be the favored place now that the "old seat of government" has been moved away. Ayer's Cliff having failed to grab the Registry Office, feel a bit discouraged, yet are still game enough to give a "bid."

MINTON AND REED'S CROSSING ARE "TOSING UP" TO SEE WHICH WILL GET THEM.

and Hatley Centre looks with anxious eyes to see them "drop their way." East Hatley (being a little one side) not heard from yet.

WAY'S MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gilbert have moved into the Parsonage; Miss O. Gilbert of Rock Island will make her home with her sister, Mrs. Gilbert.

AYER'S CLIFF.

A general invitation is extended to an afternoon tea in aid of the Red

Cross Society, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. E. G. Davidson, Tuesday afternoon February 15th. A silver collection will be taken up.

ULVERTON.

News has been received here of the serious illness of Mr. Ray E. Huak, B.S.A., of Huntingdon. His mother and brother have gone to visit him. Mr. A. J. Lyster had two bones of his ankle broken by a horse. Miss S. Miller sustained a fall which injured her spine and ankle. The ice harvest is in full swing now and the crop is a good one. Mr. and Mrs. T. Bushel, of Richmond, calling on Mrs. Harriman on Thursday.

CLEVELAND MAN WRITES FROM WEST.

Richmond, Feb. 12. (Special) - The secretary-treasurer of the Township of Cleveland, Mr. Wm. Montgomery, is in receipt of an interesting letter from Coun. Geo. Taylor, who is still at Pasqua, Sask., from which the following is taken: "I am not sure of getting home this spring, and I think it is better to appoint someone in my place. Am in hopes of it, but have been appointed administrator of the estate here. Will stay this season and put the crop in, so I may not be back till about the first of December next. We are offering the property for sale. "Although 2000 miles from you, I feel interested in the business of the Cleveland Council, I might say that we have had quite a trip since we left Richmond. Left here December 13, went to Spencer's Bridge, B. C., then to Westminster and Vancouver, back to Kamloops, then to Calgary. Tell Mayor Smith we saw Raymond Bilton in Calgary. He appeared to be well pleased with his success there. Arrived back here Jan. 7 and have experienced some cold weather, it being the coldest month I ever experienced, and say talk about not being it when the thermometer is down to 53—perhaps not, but I tell you the nose particularly, soon freezes if not protected. Still, the climate is dry. It is not like freezing up in rain. No rain here since October. Snow since the 20th of November. Cold and dry. Was nice weather till after New Year's, but January was a cold, stormy month and there is from one to two feet of snow on the ground and, strange as it may seem to you, there are hundreds of horses out with only straw shacks for shelter, and feed on straw or paw the snow off and get grass and whatever green stuff they can. There is no work for so many horses here in winter as in summer, and they turn out whatever animals they do not need to use. We have six out. They have plenty of prairie grass, but from one to two feet of snow on it. It is astonishing how they will paw the snow off and get the grass like sheep. It is reported to be the severest January for a good many years. The last four or five winters have been very fine and mild. It is also reported very cold west of here, and a great deal of a gripe. I could write volumes about this country. There was a bumper crop of wheat harvested last year, and they are predicting good crops for next summer, as plenty of snow makes plenty of moisture, and that is what this climate is the shortest of moisture at the right time. "Give best wishes and congratulations to all my colleagues. I would like to be meeting with you there, but circumstances will not permit."

PARTICULARS OF MURDER OF FORMER HATLEY MAN IN MEXICO.

Hatley, February 12.—(Special) - Further particulars with reference to the murder of Avery, who was formerly of this vicinity, who was the only Canadian with the party of Americans who met their death at the hands of Villa bandits in Mexico, on Monday, January 10, have lately come to hand and will be eagerly read by many former friends of the family. The body of the unfortunate man was attended from El Paso by Senator Anspeth, and was met at Barhart, Texas, by a number of the citizens and escorted through Ozonza to the cemetery where burial took place by the side of his mother, who spent the last years of her life with her son, Mr. S. E. Couch, in Texas. An examination of the body showed that a soft-nosed bullet had torn off the right side of the head, the face being badly powder-burned from the nearness of the weapon. There was a ghastly wound in the neck, evidently from a bayonet thrust, and several bullet holes in the body and legs. His body was not as badly mutilated as were those of some of the other victims of the bandits. Nearly all had been shot and bayoneted repeatedly, beaten, kicked and trampled.

Upon the arrival of the body at Ozonza, an affecting tribute lay upon the casket, in the form of a floral wreath, to which was attached a card bearing the following inscription: "Washington Hidalgo Lodge, 'Chihuahua.' The late Mr. Couch was fifty-six years of age, and first went to Texas in 1882, when he became associated with his older brother, Mr. Stephen E. Couch, in cattle raising in Crockett County, and afterwards acquired the Ketcham ranch in Pecos County, near Sheffield. He afterwards closed out his ranch holdings and went to Mexico to engage in mining. The late Mr. Couch was a cousin of the late Miss Susan Henry, and the late Mrs. Mary Henry, widow of the

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Budget of News from Various Sections of County

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On Sunday, 6th inst., the collection in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund amounted to \$36. The ladies of the Auxiliary Society of the Presbyterian Church met with Miss Effie Whyte on the 8th inst. There was a full attendance of the ladies.

KENNEBEC ROAD. The lumber companies are having supplies hauled for the Penobscot and Du Loup drives. Mr. Donovan is hauling for the Breakay Company and Mr. L. E. Rainey's man for the Penobscot Company. There are several theories as to the cause of the Ottawa fires. It had happened by a match or cigar stub dropped by a smoker it is no wonder for many fires have originated in that way, and there is great danger in the trail of most smokers. This time the loss pertains to the whole Dominion and must be paid in taxes. In conversation on this subject some non-smokers expressed themselves as of the opinion that our government should pass a law that all smokers should be compelled to pay a special tax every year, out of which such losses should be paid. Such a tax would seem to be fully as reasonable as the war tax. Some one has been making enquiries as to the auto travel on the Kennebec Road during last year, and as to how it compares with that of former years. Some persons kept account as nearly as possible in former years, and announce that in 1914 upwards of 550 passed not counting those that travelled unseen in the night. Well your correspondent is able to state on good authority that the number which passed in 1915 largely exceeded that of any previous year. The number counted was 1387. No doubt the improved roadway has to do with the increase, and when the road is completed to the boundary and made the American portion, the number will be much more increased.

INVERNESS WEST. A number in this vicinity have received material from the Patriotic Society and are knitting and sewing for the soldiers at the front. It is hoped that every family will take part in this great work and win this great war in over they will be able to say that "we have done something to help." Mrs. Donald McKenzie and children spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Forbes at Kimberley; Miss Nettie Macfarlane was a delegate from the Mission Band to attend the annual meeting of the W. M. S. which met at Richmond on February 3rd.

MAPLE HILL. Mr. J. H. Kinghorn is able to be about again after being laid up for a few days; Mrs. Joseph Miles is home after a few days with her niece, Mrs. W. Simons; Mr. Benjamin McHarg is able to be out again after being confined to the house through sickness. Quite a number from here attended Mrs. S. Deane's auction at Leeds' Village last Tuesday.

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Mr. Arthur Couture, formerly on the staff of the Sherbrooke Post Office, is in town from St. Catharines, Ont.

Mrs. Carson, of Phillipsburg, her young son and daughter are spending a couple of weeks in Lennoxville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor.

Try J. M. Martin & Son, Lennoxville, for something good in the meat line. Good round steak 18c pound and all other meat, poultry and fish at lowest possible prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. S. Webster have returned from a few days' visit to Montreal, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright, the Royal George Apartments, Bishop street, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Roussel, of Greenfield, Mass., who have been spending some time in town have left for Quincy, Mass., on their way home accompanied by Mrs. Biledeau, of St. Mary street, who will be absent a month.

It is understood that Mr. H. L. Allen, of the Peerless Jewelry Company, has acquired the residence now occupied by Mr. E. R. Miller, who with his family is returning to Rhode Island.

Splendid military drama, "L'Espionne," His Majesty's, Thursday, Feb. 17th. Clever, interesting, and

Church Notices

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY ART BUILDING Sunday service at 11 a.m. Sunday School 1:10 a.m. Testimonial meeting held the first Wednesday in every month at 8 p.m. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 4 to 5 p.m. All are welcome to the services and reading room.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Minister, Rev. G. Ellery Read. Sunday services: Morning at 11. Sermon, "Helpers Along Life's Way." Address to young people. Evening service at 7. Sermon "Human Weakness and Divine Strength." Sunday School for Bible study at 2:30 in Plymouth Hall. All cordially welcome to these services. A special invitation to visitors, soldiers and strangers in the city. Sittings free.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH. Sixth Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Morning service and sermon 11. Children's service in church 2:30. Evening Service 7. Wednesday: Holy Communion, 8. Service of Intercession at 8 p.m. The usual daily services will be held during the week. Soldiers in camp are specially invited to services. All seats free.

SHERBROOKE METHODIST CHURCH. Rev. G. A. McIntosh, Minister, will conduct the services of public worship. 11 a.m. The Democracy of Jesus. 7 p.m. John The Baptist's Gospel of Fear. Sunday School, with Adult Bible Classes, will be held at 2:30 p.m. in Wesley Hall. Visitors welcome at all these services. Soldiers in the city cordially invited.

abounding in exciting situations. Do not miss it. Tickets, 50c., 35c. Funds to be used for patriotic work. Members of the 53rd Regimental Band will meet at the Band room tomorrow morning at 7:50, teams will leave at 8 o'clock for the trip to the Fletcher Lumber Co.'s camp. Every member is expected to turn out with instruments. No uniform.

CONTINGENT LEFT FOR HEADQUARTERS. Lieut. Brizeron, the local recruiting officer for the 163rd regiment yesterday took a strong contingent of recruits to Guy St. barracks, Montreal the headquarters of the regiment where they will be stationed for the remainder of the winter. Lieut. Bergeron will continue his recruiting campaign in Sherbrooke.

RAPID MAIL SERVICE BETWEEN SHERBROOKE AND ROCK ISLAND. (Stanstead Journal) A letter mailed from the Sheriff's office at Sherbrooke, October 30, and containing a remittance of \$5.50, reached the Journal Saturday, February 5. In the meantime we had got into a controversy with the Deputy Sheriff and possibly had a narrow escape from being locked up, but we collected the bill December 23. The Deputy said it had been paid; we said it hadn't. It was a penny for a time, but the Deputy finally "tumbled." Now he has our apology. The railway mileage from Sherbrooke to Rock Island is 35 miles, and the letter travelled at an average rate of about eighty feet an hour. At that rate a hen should be able to roost on the car axle without much difficulty.

INSTRUCTIVE LECTURE ON GEOLOGY AT BISHOP'S COLLEGE. Rev. Dr. James Roy, late rector of the Church of the Epiphany, Niagara Falls, N.Y., now residing in Montreal, delivered a most instructive lecture on Wednesday evening in the library of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, in which institution he was a student rather more than half a century ago.

Dr. Roy is an enthusiastic geologist who in the midst of his labors and cares of a city clergyman's life has been able to devote much time to geological research in various parts of Canada and the United States, more especially in the Niagara Gorge, where he was enabled to gather valuable information regarding the strata that will in all probability never be again uncovered to the eye of man. These interesting points were illustrated by many beautiful lantern slides, some from photographs taken by Dr. Roy himself and others from various sources. His maps of our great lake system in prehistoric ages were most instructive, showing that Lake Ontario was once a far greater body of water than Lake Erie, and that the outlet was not the St. Lawrence River but the Mohawk River, the whole north-eastern territory being occupied by a tremendous glacier.

The lecturer made frequent reference to the ages that must have elapsed to bring about such changes, and in talking of the Niagara River in particular he calculated by the rate of erosion in recent years that the Falls had receded in the direction of Lake Erie to their present position in a period of not less than 30,000 years. This, he pointed out, was a mere ripple in the vast expanse of geologic time.

Incidentally, the lecturer showed how valuable a knowledge of geology must prove to the clergyman in giving him an insight into the methods by which the Divine Architect brought the world into a condition suited to the development and maintenance of human life.

A vote of thanks was moved by Dr. Allnatt, seconded by Dr. Parrock, and the latter referred to the fact that numerous geological specimens had been presented to the University by Dr. Roy and which were to be seen in the new laboratory, and also expressed the hope that the lecturer would not wait another fifty years before revisiting his alma mater.

The chairman, Rev. P. G. Vind, presented the motion, which was greeted with enthusiasm by the large audience present.

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CHURCH OF THE ADVENT (Anglican.) Bowen Ave. East Sherbrooke.

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion 8:45 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class 10 a.m. Morning Service 11 a.m. Evening service 7 p.m. St. Lawrence Church, Bromptonville Service 3 p.m. Strangers welcome. All seats free.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. G. Whitfield Brooker, B. Th. Pastor.

The services on Sunday conducted by the Minister at 11 and 7. Address to Young Worshipper's League at Morning service.

Baraca Class at 2:30 conducted by the Pastor. Topic of Discussion Royalty in Young Manhood. Evening Subject:—Sunshine in the Soul. Sermon to men. Sunday School and Philathea Class at 2:30. Young men visiting the city heartily welcomed.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. (Presbyterian.) Rev. Alfred Bright, B.A., minister. 11 a.m. Public Worship. Subject of the morning sermon:—"Speaking Kindly of Our Fellow-men."

A brief address to children. 2 p.m. The Chinese School. 3 p.m. The Sabbath School and the Adult Bible Class. 7 p.m.—Public worship. Subject of the evening sermon:—"Likeness to Christ."

The services of the day will be conducted by Rev. A. Bright. Visitors to the city and soldiers at the camp heartily invited to all these services.

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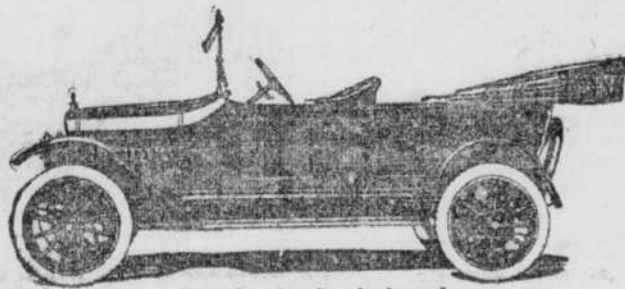
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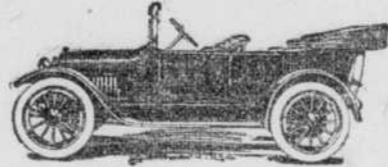
Patriotic Work In Sherbrooke

CONTRIBUTIONS TO RED CROSS.
The Treasurer of the Sherbrooke Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society gratefully acknowledges the following contributions:

Sherbrooke Snowshoe Club, \$68.75; Proceeds of Oratorio "Paradise Lost" which includes contributions of \$5.00 from Bishop LaRoque; \$2.00 from Bishop Chailfoux; \$1.00 from Rev. Father Laporte; \$200; Island Brook Patriotic Society per Mrs. E. M. French, \$10; Miss Florence Ingram, active membership fee, \$2; Miss A. Read, associate membership fee, \$1.00; Stanstead Red Cross Society for yarn, \$1.25; Sand Hill per Mrs. LaBerge, \$12; Miss M. Mackinnon, \$6; tea given by "Wide Awakes," of the Methodist Sunday School, \$12.00; Sale of Red Cross membership pins, \$1.00; Milan Ladies Aid per Miss E. Graham, \$9.00; Mrs. J. C. Price, Associate membership fee, \$1.00.

SHIPMENTS TO RED CROSS.
The Sherbrooke Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society shipped to the Montreal Branch on Feb. 10th, 1916, the following: 3300 gauze sponges, 285 abdominal dressings, 290 gauze drains, 133 factory cotton bandages, 160 H. I., 135 prs. socks, 115 pillow cases, 30 suits pyjamas, 10 bedside bags, 20 dressing gowns, 35 sheets, 60 surgical dressings, 60 Turkish towels, 65 plain towels, 85 wash cloths, 30 personal property bags, 20 day shirts, 5 bed pads, 1 pkg. mouth wipes.

TICKETS FOR FRENCH PLAY.
Tickets are going very quickly for the military play, "L'Espionne," to be given in His Majesty's Theatre, Thursday, Feb. 17th. Box office open for ticket holders only, at 10 o'clock sharp, Tuesday morning. Tickets may be obtained from Mde. G. L. DeLottinville, phone 640, and Mrs. E. C. Fraser, phone 316, also from many ladies of the committee. For boxes apply Mrs. E. C. Fraser. Do not fail to secure your tickets and if possible



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Thursday afternoon a matinee will be given for children only. Admission ten cents.

SOCKS FOR THE 5TH C.M.R.
Miss Effie Baker, 13 Court street, acknowledges with thanks the further contributions towards socks for the men of the 5th C.M.R.

Four cases containing 520 pairs of socks were shipped on Feb. 9th to Lt.-Col. G. H. Baker, O.C. 5th C.M.R. Miss Baker hopes to make a shipment every month and will be glad of contributions at any time. Ayer's Cliff Pat. Society, 28 prs.; Stanstead and Rock Island R. C. Workers, 15 prs.; left at the door, 1 pr.; Sutton Jct. R. C. Workers, 23 prs.; Mrs. W. Oughtred, Marbleton, 12 prs.; Sutton Jct. R. C. Workers, 12 prs.; Mrs. W. P. Baker, Sweetburg, 2 prs.; West Broms R.C. Workers, 8 prs.; North Sutton R.C. Workers, 16 prs.; Mrs. Hargrave, 1 pr.; Sawyerville, Clifton, Randolph, High Grove and Grove Hill, 160 prs.; Waterville Woman's Pat. Society, 6 prs.; Mrs. R. Wright, 4 prs.; Mago R. C. Workers, 72 prs.; Sutton Jct. R.C. Workers, 6 prs.; Mrs. Norcross, \$1; left at the door 25c; Ladies of St. Andrew's Church per Mrs. F. S. McKay, \$5; Mrs. Jamieson, \$1.50; Miss Moo, \$1.50; Patriotic Workers, Sand Hill, \$2.50; no name, \$2; Mrs. Amos Anderson, \$1; Mrs. Thidall, \$1.

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER I.O.D.E.

A meeting was held Thursday at the 53rd Officers' Mess, of the Municipal Chapter of the I.O.D.E., Mrs. H. R. Fraser, the Regent, in the chair.

Mrs. Fraser expressed a wish that the secretaries of the various Chapters would notify Mrs. T. E. Read as soon as any entertainment had been decided on, so that there would be no difficulty in dates overlapping, and spoke with high commendation of the generous donation of \$50 from the King Albert Club for Red Cross purposes. Miss Wilson, treasurer of the I.O.D.E., Municipal Chapter, reported that another large box of articles for the Navy had just been sent away.

The Chapter heard with regret a letter from Mrs. J. H. Armstrong, resigning from the position of standard bearer, owing to absence from town.

A letter was read regarding the establishment in London of an annex to the "King George and Queen Mary Maple Leaf Club," to provide accommodation for Canadian soldiers on leave from the front. The Regent hoped that every Chapter would, if possible, contribute a small sum for this object, and as the Regent's were all in favor, this was decided on.

A letter was read from Sgt.-Major Davidson, an old 53rd Regt. N.C.O., who is now stationed at a hospital near Shorncliffe, asking for some hospital supplies. The officers of the various Chapters were very keen about taking the matter up and it is hoped that a box may be shipped within three weeks. A purchasing committee was appointed to procure the necessary materials, and the work will be divided amongst the different chapters.

It was announced that a branch of the "Edith Cavell League" will soon

AUTO NOTES

In January, 1915, the total number of Overland cars that left the factory amounted to 4,613, while during the month just ended the shipments amounted to 12,393. The increase was even greater during the earlier months of the 1916 season as compared to the corresponding months of the previous year.

The present floor space available for manufacturing purposes is 103 acres or 4,486,680 square feet. This is fourteen times the size of the original plant eight years ago and at that time the factory was one of the largest in the industry.

The McKee Sales and Service Co., of this city, has taken the agency of the Briscoe Car for Sherbrooke and district. This car is made in Canada and created a great sensation at the Motor Show in Montreal as well as wherever it has been shown. The new Canadian Briscoe seems to be getting off to a good start. It was only recently announced that this car was being made in Canada at Brockville, Ont., by a large Canadian Company including many representative Canadian names as well as leading men connected with the Briscoe Motor Company in the States.

Col. Thomas after months of examinations and tests has decided on the Canadian Briscoe as best filling the light car requirements of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. Already sixteen of the Canadian Briscoe cars are on their way to our gallant boys in England and France and additional cars will follow.

W. J. Lane, hero of the famous "Under Three Flags" automobile tour from Quebec to Mexico City in 1910, is now Michigan manager for the Maxwell. Although his trip covered 4,200 miles, Mr. Lane still has vivid memories of Quebec roads.

President Flanders, of the Maxwell Company, is very firm in his belief that a big future is ahead for Canadian manufacturers.

"The past year in Canada," he said, "has been remarkable for us. Our one aim is to market an automobile that would give reliable service on Canadian roads, selling it at the lowest price possible consistent with quality and complete equipment. We did not, however, anticipate the demand that has rewarded our efforts."

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Plans for the Maxwell plant are already in the hands of Windsor contractors and building operations will be commenced immediately.

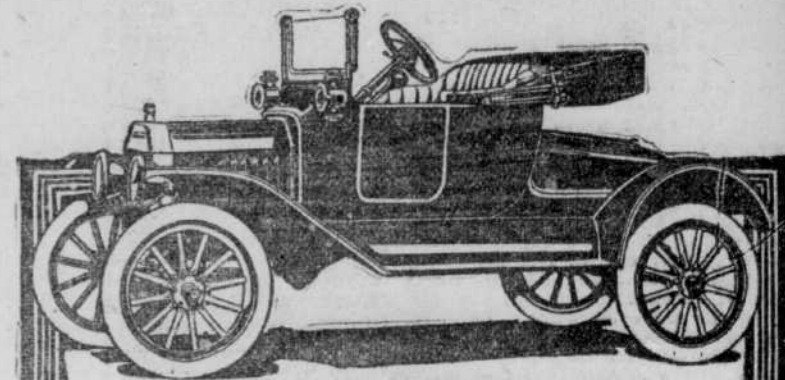
be started in Sherbrooke. The Executive of the National Chapter is only waiting for some further information on the subject before moving in the matter.

After singing the National Anthem the meeting adjourned.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO RED CROSS.

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

From Highwater Patriotic Aid—12 dressing gowns, 30 pillow slips, 42 towels, 11 prs. socks, 30 personal property bags.
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From Sutton Jct. Red Cross Workers—24 suits pyjamas, 22 Turkish towels, mouth wipes.
Sherbrooke Chapters of the I. O. O. F.—3300 gauze sponges, 285 abdominal dressings.
From Miss Dorothy Brown; Red Forest—6 wash cloths.

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WHAT E. T. WOMEN ARE DOING FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

PATRIOTIC WORK AT BEEBE.
Beebe, Feb. 12 (Special)—The Patriotic work is being carried as usual meetings in the Academy Hall every Wednesday. The Society forwarded to Montreal on the 9th, 13 flannel shirts, 3 hospital shirts, 10 drainages, 12 handkerchiefs, 50 10-12 dressings, 25 pillows.

PATRIOTIC WORK AT HATLEY.
Hatley, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The oyster supper and entertainment given by the ladies of the Methodist Church for the benefit of the Red Cross Society was well attended. The supper was followed by an excellent programme of songs and recitations, furnished by local talent. The gross receipts amounted to about \$35.
The last regular fortnightly meeting of the Junior Red Cross Society was held with the secretary, Miss Kathleen Woodman at her home, "Glenbrook Farm." Fourteen mem-

STUDY OF SCIENCE

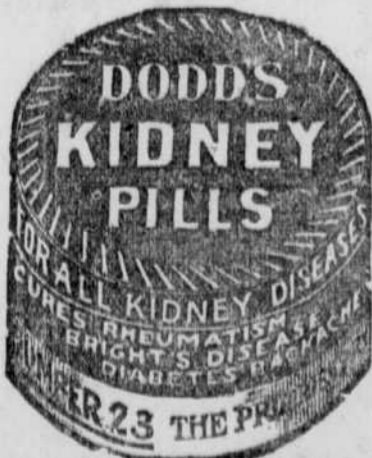
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God has given understanding to man, to be employed for his glory in promoting the happiness of his fellow creatures, and in nothing that belongs to earth can the human understanding be more worthily employed than in the researches of science and in the works of invention. Science and invention may be called perhaps not untruly the creators and servants of civilization.

bers were present and a busy afternoon was spent. Although the society is still in its infancy, having been organized only a few weeks ago, the time has been well improved and already a number of pairs of socks and wristers have been brought in, as well as scarfs.

RED CROSS GIRLS OF BEEBE.

Beebe, Feb. 12.—(Special)—The Red Cross Girls of Beebe, who organized their society September 29, 1915, have also been doing their share towards the different needs caused by the war. They have raised money as follows: Cash from Camp Fire Girls, \$1.05; cash from play, \$93.69; cash from systematic giving, \$6.95; cash from sale and dance, \$99.45; interest on money deposited, 20c. Total, \$201.34. Cash paid orchestra on two occasions and small incidentals, \$16.70; draft sent for cot in Duchess of Connaught Canadian Red Cross Hospital, Cliveden, Eng., \$50.00; cheque paid Beljean Fund, \$20.00; cheque paid Candle Fund, \$5.00; draft sent to Duchess of Connaught Canadian Red Cross Hospital, \$100.00; \$191.70. Cash on hand, \$9.64. Total, \$201.34.



Young Canadians Corner

Our Weekly Puzzle



THE WINTER BOY

This youngster so chubby, with such a broad grin
That he seems to fill up every bit of the space,
The artist, you'd say, could no other get in.
But he has—look again, and you'll find his friend's face.
TO-DAY'S PUZZLE.

To-day's puzzle is somewhat more difficult than the "Hidden Boys."
Can you find the boy's playmate in the above puzzle picture?
We will publish the answer next week.

JESTER

(Continued.)
Rupert and Cecily looked across at the old log house wonderingly. Jester said good-naturedly, "Come over, and I'll show you our dogs."
The children, only too glad, ran across the open space towards the house. In a minute the three stood by the open door of the little cabin, and the great dogs ran up to Jester, leaping about him in great glee. Rupert and Cecily soon made friends with them, and the children ran gaily about the cabin, the dogs barking and jumping about them. After a few minutes a call came from the outside of the cabin. Slowly Rupert and Cecily followed. Waiting at the door they heard a gruff voice talking to Jester, and soon Jester came to the door.
"Uncle Nat isn't well. But he says to have you come in before you go home."
The children hung back for a few minutes, then followed Jester in. Inside the cabin was a stove, a few chairs, a low couch, and a few dishes on the cupboard shelves. But on shelves along one entire side of the cabin were books, books of many sizes and kinds. Rupert looked curiously at them, and as curiously at Uncle Nat.
Uncle Nat was an old, white-haired bent-shouldered man, who looked at the children keenly from sharp and bright old eyes. He spoke to the children in a hesitating way, and then asked their names.
"Rupert and Cecily Carrington," the children answered frankly.
"Carrington," he repeated. "Carrington!"
"Where do you live?" he questioned.
Jester told him and Uncle Nat nodded. Then he lay down on the couch in the corner, while the children talked in low tones to one another. Rupert looked at the books and asked Jester where he went to school.
"I do not go to school," Jester replied, with a slight frown. "Uncle Nat taught me to read, and I have all these books of Uncle Nat's to read."
Rupert looked at the heavy, serious books and wondered if Jester found them interesting. But Uncle Nat's bright, curious eyes were on them and he felt too uneasy to ask ques-

PENN'S SIMPLICITY

William Penn was once urging a man to stop drinking, when the man turned on him and said, "If you can tell me an easy way to stop it, I will consider it."
"That I can," answered the Quaker. "It is as easy as opening thy hand, my friend."
"Convince me of that," the man replied, "and I will promise you on my honor, to do as you tell me."
"Well, my friend," Penn answered, "Whenever thou finds a glass of liquor in thy hand open thy hand before the glass reaches thy lips, and there will never drink to excess again."
The man was so struck with the simplicity of the Quaker's advice that he never drank again.
William Penn showed simplicity, kindness and forbearance in all his dealings with his Red brothers, as well as with his own people. "Brotherly Love" was his motto and that is what Philadelphia means—"Brotherly Love."
William Penn sailed from England to found in this new land a community to which people might come to live who had been badly treated.
"We must go home now," Rupert said to Jester, and the three children went toward the door.
Uncle Nat's gruff voice stopped them. His bright eyes gazed sharply at Rupert.
"Who is your father?" he asked shortly.
Rupert answered nervously, "Judge Carrington."
"Uncle Nat sat up in excitement. The name had angered him. Rupert and Cecily, frightened at his face, ran out of the door. Calling goodbye to Jester they ran across the open as swiftly as they could 'till they reached the woods. Here Cecily caught up the basket of flowers, and running through the forest to the open road, they hurried home.
At noon Judge Carrington asked the children how they spent the morning, and they told him of the log cabin in the woods and of Jester and Uncle Nat. Their father listened with interest.
"I wonder—" he said when they finished. But he said no more and the children were left to their own surmises.
(To Be Continued)

in their own country, and therefore he selected for the city he founded the name which holds such a deep significance.

In those days Indians roamed through the country, who lived by hunting wild animals, and by fishing in the streams and rivers. Penn and a thousand other Friends sailed from England, and coming up the Delaware River landed in Philadelphia and founded the city. Pennsylvania means "Penn's Woods," and the King of England gave this land to Penn in payment of a debt he owed Penn's father. Penn might have taken it and said no more about it, but he wanted to treat the Indians who lived on the land fairly, so he practically bought the land from them by giving them presents in exchange.

One of the landmarks of which the Philadelphians are justly proud is a little red-brick two-story house, which now stands in Fairmount Park and which was once the home of William Penn. Originally the house stood on Letitia Street, near the dock where the Kindly Quaker landed, but it was moved bodily to the Park for all generations to see and admire.

In another section of Philadelphia known as Kensington, in the centre of a pretty plot of ground stands a monument, which marks the spot where once stood a great elm tree under which Penn and the Indians made the treaty by which Penn obtained their land. The tree itself had been struck by lightning many years ago, but the spot is sacred ground.

THE ENIGMA

The answer to last week's enigma is—Benj; Main; Frank; Nil— Benjamin Franklin.
Here is a puzzle for bright boys and girls to work out.
In each of the following sentences is the name of a kitchen utensil. For instance in the first instance the word is plate, "sup late." Can you find the others?
Hidden Kitchen Utensils
We sup late tonight on account of the show.
Take the tunic up to the senate-chamber.
It is my custom to give kind words for kicks.
Sit on mother's lap Otto, and be a good boy.
Here is baby. Take a peep and don't waken him.
Of Italy's rivers, Po on which Florence is located, is beautiful.

The Next Competition

Our next competition will be one in drawing. The boys and girls who can draw may find such a competition interesting. Two weeks will be given for you to do this work, all drawings having to be in before February 20th. Please do your work neatly.
For subjects you must choose from among the following horses—horse, cow, sheep, dog, or cat. If you can draw at all well, one of these should not be difficult.
Do not forget the rules. Your work must be original. Do not forget to write your name, age, and address plainly on all work.
The prizes in this competition will be story books.

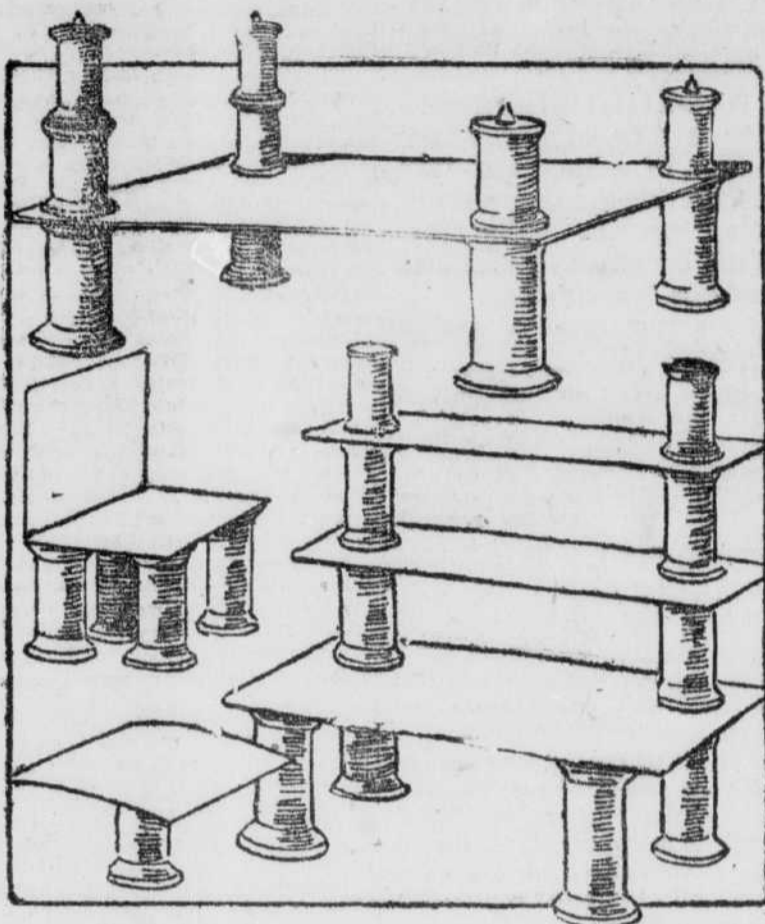
More Clever Guessers

The Hidden Boy Puzzle brought in a few more correct answers this week. Beulah Marion, of East Bolton; Marguerite Atkin, Georgetown; Anna Jane Donaghy of Cranberry; Janet Burnet, of Farnham; Myrtle Coombs, of Rock Forest; all solved the Hidden Boy puzzle correctly.

TOBOGGANING

(Prize Story by Wm. Gioveti, of Sherbrooke)
Donald and Aleck were brought up far away in the Sunny South, and snow to them was a wonderful and new attraction, so when their Uncle Andrew had taken them over to an old friend of his, Mr. Allen, who lived about two miles distant to spend the day with some boys tobogganing, they were highly delighted. They looked rather timidly at the long dive down the steep hill, but trusting themselves to their friends' skill they

MOTHER'S EMPTY SPOOLS MAKE LOTS OF PLAYTHINGS FOR DOLLY'S HOUSE



Children Easily Learn to Make Little Articles for Their Own Amusement

The illustration shows several articles of "spool furniture." Very young children can construct these from empty spools and pieces of cardboard boxes.
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If a child has a large collection of spools of various sizes, the possibilities of play with this inexpensive material are numerous.

An older child can construct castles, churches, forts and other buildings entirely of spools, using the skewers, pencils or small towels sticks to hold the spools together.

For little folk who have not sufficient skill to make even the crude furniture, there are many simple plays with spools.

A child enjoys sorting them into groups according to their size, and stringing them, all of one kind together or alternating large and small, or long and short. He can build a tower of spools, beginning with the largest in his collection as a foundation and topping off with the smallest. All these exercises in the discrimination of sizes, if repeated often, prove good training for the eye.

unm very much. I like to go to school, and I like my studies very much. On my holidays I like to fish and hunt. Last summer I caught a large pickerel. One day I shot a woodchuck.
I will close now, hoping to see this in print.

JAMES MORROW,

HAS A SOLDIER BROTHER.

Dear Editor:
Seeing some of the boys and girls around here have written to the Record, I think I shall try my luck.

I am thirteen years of age, youngest of a family of seven, and live about two miles from Ayer's Cliff, where I go to school at the Academy.

I have one brother at the war. He enlisted in the 35th Battery, C.F.A., on the 27th day of August, 1915, and went to Montreal, from there to Valcartier and came back to Sherbrooke, where the Battery was making its winter quarters. After being there two months fifty volunteers were called from the "35th." Billy volunteered and the army (of volunteers) started to St. Johns, N.B., on the 15th of December, 1915. They stayed at that place for about one day and then sailed for England on the Messanable on December 18th.

I sincerely hope that this terrible war will stop before many more of "Our Canadian boys" go.

I will close hoping to see this letter in print.

ARDELL MARTIN,

A PLEASANT LOOK.

(This poem was written by a reader, from Compton. We hope the boys and girls will follow its good advice, and "look pleasant" always.)

We cannot, of course, all be handsome,
And it's hard for us all to be good.
We are sure now and then to be lonely,
And we don't always do as we should.
To be happy is not always easy,
To be patient is much harder still,
But at least we can always be pleasant,
If we make up our minds that we will.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Editor of this page wishes the boys and girls who write to him to have patience, if their letters do not appear on this page as soon as they expect to see them. There are many letters coming in, and many still waiting to be published.
Keep on writing to us. We like to hear from any and all of you.

A YOUNG RECORD READER.

Dear Editor:
If you can find space in the Boys' and Girls' Column for my little story I will be much obliged to you. I am a boy seven years old. I have been to school two years. I am in the Third Grade, and I can read very well. I read your paper every day, and I like the Boys' and Girls' Col-

And it pays every time to be kindly. Although you feel worried and blue, If you smile at the world and look cheerful,
The world will soon smile back at you.
So try to brace up, and look pleasant.

No matter how low you are down, Good humor is always contagious. But you banish your friends when you frown.

A READER.

HAS MANY PETS.

Dear Editor:
I have been reading the Boys' and Girls' Column, and I think it a very excellent idea. I think every little boy and girl should take an interest

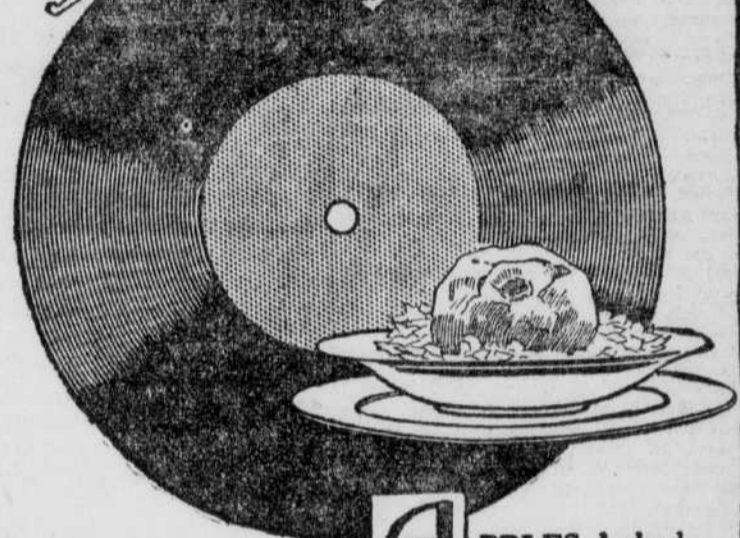
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in it. I am a girl of twelve years old. I shall tell you about my pets. I have two kittens, one which I call Molly and the other Nigger, and a dog which I call Sport. I call my kitten Nigger because it is all black. I call one Molly because it is a Maltese kitty. It has six toes on each front foot. My dog, Sport, is a mischievous little rat. I think a lot of all my pets. I am going to the Cherry River school. I like my teacher very much. Her name is Miss Inez Norton, of Magog. There are 31 pupils attending. I live on a farm about four miles from Magog. We have nine head of cattle, two horses, Nelly and Clony, three pigs and twenty-five hens.
I will now close, hoping to see my letter in print.

GLADYS SAGER.

WISHES TO JOIN.

Dear Editor:
I would like to join the Young Canadians' Corner of your paper. I am eight years old, and go to Sherbrooke High School.

DOUGLAS LAMONT,
11 Montclair Street,
Sherbrooke.

This correspondent was one of the boys and girls who correctly solved the Hidden Boy Puzzle.

A RED CROSS WORKER.

Dear Editor:
I am 14 years of age. My birthday comes on New Year's Day, and best of all I have a twin brother. My name is Hazel and my brother's name Howard. Then I have three sisters and six brothers.
Six of us go to school and we enjoy going very much. We live on a small farm and have a small sugar woods where we make sugar and syrup.

I have three pets, a dog called Sport, a black Angora cat called Coon, and some pigeons which are very tame.
I have started to knit for our soldier boys, and I also belong to the Daughters of the Red Cross.
Our work is at present making face



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THE ONLOOKER COMMENTS

Neutrality Revolt to the Spirit of True Americans

"The Pentecost of Calamity," is the title of a very stirring book by Owen Wister, author of "The Virginian." It depicts the tragedy of Germany—a great nation, gone wrong. The author pays tribute to the German people as they impressed the traveler, and discusses the attitude of mind which caused the German nation to spring at the throat of the unsuspecting and unprepared world.

The concluding chapters deal with the significance which the great conflict holds for the American people and point out the impossibility of Americans maintaining consistently an attitude of neutrality in the face of such a contest. To quote from the concluding chapter of Mr. Wister's book:

"We have yet to find ourselves. We have also yet to realize that Europe, since the Spanish War, has counted us in the concert of great nations far more than we have counted ourselves.

"Somebody wrote in the New York Sun:

We are not English, German, Swede, Or Austrian, Russian, French or Pole; But we have made a separate breed And gained a separate soul.

"It sounds well; it means nothing; its sum total is zero. America asserts the brotherhood of man and then talks about a separate soul!

"To speak of the Old World and the New World is to speak in a dead language. The world is one. All humanity is in the same boat. The passengers multiply, but the boat remains the same size. And people who rock the boat must be stopped by force. America can no more separate itself from the destiny of Europe than it can escape the natural laws of the universe.

"Because we declared political independence, does any one still harbor the delusion that we are independent of the acts and fortunes of monarchs? If so, let him consider only these four events: In 1492 a Spanish Queen financed a sailor named Columbus—and Europe reached out and laid a hand on this hemisphere. In 1685 a French King revoked an edict—and thousands of Huguenots enriched our stock. In 1803 a French Consul, to spite Britain, sold us some land—it was pretty much everything west of the Mississippi. One might well have supposed we were independent of the heir of Austria. In 1914 they killed him, and Europe fell to pieces—and that fall is shaking our ship of state from stem to stern. There may be some citizens down in the hold who do not know it—among a hundred million people you cannot expect to have no imbeciles.

"Thus, from Palos, in 1492, to Sarajevo, in 1914, the hand of Europe has drawn us ever and ever closer.

"Yes, indeed; we are all in the same boat. Europe has never forgotten some words spoken here once: 'That government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth.' She waited to hear us repeat that in some form when The Hague conventions we signed were torn to scraps of paper. Perhaps nothing save calamity will teach us what Europe is thankful to have learned again—that some things are worse than war, and that you can pay too high a price for peace; but that you cannot pay too high for the finding and keeping of your own soul."

"We have been put in a false light. We are looked upon as a nation of bargainers, of commercialists.

"The present Administration's chance to meet this crisis is fast vanishing, like the sand in the hourglass. Whether this Congress will take the Nation's leadership in its hands is uncertain. If it does not, and if the great war still continues without a decision, the next Presidential campaign will record the effect of some such frank platform plank as the following:

"We repudiate the present Administration's inaction at the time the neutrality of Belgium was ruthlessly violated by a power pledged to its protection. The United States as signatory to the Hague guarantee of that neutrality cannot with honor escape the responsibilities of that guarantee."

"The selection of a leader in harmony with that plank should not be difficult; but at present there seems to be just one clear figure on the horizon for such a task. He is a big figure, and a familiar one, and he has been tried out. There still remain serious questions of his availability on the part of those who bitterly fought him in the last campaign. The writer is one of those. But those questions are disappearing, and if events travel as they are traveling now for the next six months, the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt on some such plank as is suggested is more than a clear possibility.

"There is no hope for the colorless man in the next campaign. In the trying times ahead of us we must have a man at the helm who does not threaten strict accountability unless he means it to the letter, whose words are deeds, whose passion for humanity is too deep for rhetoric, whose heart is oak, and whose will is iron. This is the hour of the world's greatest trial, the hour that may forebode the death of democracy if we, the greatest of the world's democracies of all time, are content, like Reuben of old, to 'abide among the sheepfolds to hear the bleatings of the flocks.'"

Edith Cavell had just been shot—and were readier for action. They were more anxious in their instinct that now that had fallen on Belgium and on Armenia would some day threaten America. One Christian mother, whose older of two sons is in college preparing for the ministry, was in real agony at our Government's failure to strike a blow for blighted Belgium and dying Armenia.

"But did you raise your boy to be a soldier?" I inquired.

"Her flashing reply was: 'I hope I am raising boys who would defend the defenceless even at some risk to themselves!'

"I came home," continued Mr. Chalmers, "with the conviction that the neutrality professed by our Government misrepresents the people of America, that it is really only a pretended neutrality, that it is therefore unfair to the people, unfair to Germany, and that it is writing a discreditable chapter in American history.

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Free-Born Americans Scorn Neutrality

Whatever may be said of the attitude of the Washington Administration with regard to the great world crisis, there is no doubt where the American people as a whole stand in the matter. The leading journals of our great neighbor are even more outspokenly pro-Ally than the British newspapers themselves.

The hideous attack upon Belgium definitely and absolutely alienated the good-will of every right-minded neutral.

The New York Tribune, in an editorial published on February 2, thus strikingly refers to German savagery in Belgium, and its lessons.

"There are no words that any one can write that could add to the indictment of the German idea and the German army contained in the Belgian bishops' appeal to their brethren of Germany. Before the tribunal of international law Belgium appealed from the injustice of the German invasion. All that there was in the form and the spirit of international law was violated when, to serve German necessity, the Kaiser sent his masses across the Belgian frontier.

"This was the written law that was transformed to a scrap of paper.' Once again, in the ashes and amidst the horrors of Louvain, Aerschot, Dinant, Belgium appealed, not this time in the name of the written law, but in the name of common humanity. All that civilization has meant, all that has contributed to raise man from the level of the beast was flung aside in those hideous days and still more terrible nights when children were massacred, women dishonored, not in the heat of passion,

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but in the cool deliberateness of calculation, in the application of the German policy of 'terribleness.'

"Yesterday recalled the fact that the Great War had endured for eighteen months. Over all the world there is a weariness of strife and a longing for peace, but how instantly such a longing vanishes before the retelling of the story of the Belgian crime, of the German iniquity which is written in blood and arson on a whole countryside!

"This is what the German idea means. This is what Kultur, efficiency, the marvellous machine, actually mean to mankind when the deeds are at last examined and man answers the all-important question of what for humanity, for civilization, for religion a German victory will signify. It will mean that the men who trampled on women and children, burned their homes and slew the ministers of God will turn to profit their crimes and their offences.

"Peace is an abomination if it comes to leave Germany in one single least circumstance a gainer by her crimes. Peace will be a mockery and a sham if there is added to German territory or German wealth a single profit by all that Germans have done to dishonor their nation and the human race in Belgium.

There is no other issue in this war, no question, no principle, until Belgium is freed, restored, rebuilt. If this does not come mankind will not alone lose hope, but faith. It is against God even more than man that Germany has made war. It is to God, not to man, that Belgium appeals. It is to God that those who are His servants on earth now address a supplication which will fall otherwise on deaf ears.

"Since history began to record the struggles of men, organized under some semblance of law, imbued with some fragment of religion, there has been no such enduring crime as Belgium. It began with the destruction of law; it was pursued by a resort to savagery, to lust and to crimes unequalled since the days of the other barbarian hordes; it is now being continued in the malignant and cruel campaign by which those who have been deprived of freedom have been robbed of those they love, have seen their women dishonored, are systematically pillaged of their last penny and their slight remaining store of food. Those who slew Belgium are now plundering the corpse.

"This is what the German idea means. Let no American mistake it. Let no citizen of a country seeking to serve the ideals of liberty, of honor and of Christianity mistake it. Let no American fail to read in the slaughtered women, the wrecked homes, the profaned churches of Belgium the true import of the German idea now abroad in the world. The voice of the Belgian clergy is only the last, the final testimony; more would not be needed were this a world of blind and deaf.

"We in America have been stunned, bewildered, overwhelmed by the magnitude and the agony of the present conflict. We have felt the suffering and shrunk back from the edge of the precipice, but it is for us, too, to realize what the agony means. It is for us to understand what the German idea means—what it means to the world in which we live, what it means to our women and to our children and our children's children.

"Should Germany win, it means to our wives, to our children, to our religion and to our civilization what it has meant to Belgium. There is no other test, there is no other significance. Let us never forget Belgium."

The above somewhat lengthy extracts are given as voicing what is undoubtedly the general sentiment among native-born Americans. The

EXPERIENCES IN THE TRENCHES

Grandson of Mr. J. Sangster Sends Interesting and Detailed Account From Front

IS WITH MACHINE GUN SECTION IN PRINCESS PATS.—TELLS OF EXCITING TIMES.

The following interesting letter was sent to Mr. James Sangster, 66 London street, Sherbrooke, by his grandson, Douglas E. Sangster, who is with the machine gun section of the Princess Pats in Belgium. The writer's home is in Saskatoon, Sask., where he joined a body of university men who went to Montreal to enlist last July:

"Over here we are having the best weather we have had for a long time and that's saying a lot, for it has been rather rotten lately. The mud is about the same as ever, though, especially when we camp in tents, instead of billets, as we soon work the ground up on account of it being soft. When in billets we keep on the farmer's path, and as it is usually a stone it is o.k. It's not often we are in tents, though. Just at present I am in a dugout about 100 yards from the Huns. Have a nice little coal fire in a brazier, and a candle in a soda cracker box, all rifles, loaded machine gun within reach, and smoke helmet also (we are all equipped with them and wear them all the time). They are o.k. against gas attacks, as has been proven lately where they have been used. Have just come off sentry from standing looking over the parapet for the last three hours, doing a double shift to-night, so to-morrow will do single.

DANGER OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES.

We are in a good dry trench as long as we stay on the trench mats. They are laid all along the trench and built like a ladder, only made out of 2 x 4 with crosspieces 1 x 3 on them. Where we sleep is also dry and is bomb and shrapnel proof, but not for high explosives. They are bad shells and will make a hole anywhere from one foot deep by four to seven or eight feet, by 25 or 30 feet, according to the size of the shell and the nature of the ground. I have seen all kinds of holes so far, and some are perfectly round, just look as though some men had been digging a basin-shaped hole and throwing the dirt all around the sides. Shrapnel bursts about 30 to 40 feet above us and covers ground 25 x 200 yards, the majority going in front of the shell. They are o.k. when used on a trench, as we can get in our dugouts, but are rotten on working parties outside or bodies of men. The high explosive is bad on a trench if they get the correct range, as you can understand.

DODGING THE SHELLS.

"Trench mortars are on the same principle, but are thrown from just back of the enemy's trench. They can be dodged when seen coming. They come over just like a rugby ball, with the same kind of a funny roll, and as big, too. When they land, dugout, men and all go 'sky high. The shells are dodged by the sound, and it's wonderful what an experienced way one gets of doing that. I have heard the fellows being when they were coming, as to where they would land. We take cover as much as we can, and if outside the trenches, lie flat. Of course we take a chance, but that's all in the game. I would far rather be in the front line than anywhere, for it is just as safe, to my mind, as being at the back and doing fatigue. A working party soon gets it, if seen, while in the trench, unless we start something, the Hun keeps quiet usually.

GOOD DUGOUTS.—MENU OF 'MULLIGAN.'

"The trenches are about 100 to 150 yards apart where we are now, and in some places closer. It's just 5 a.m. now, so I'll have breakfast soon. We cook our own stuff, that is, the machine gunners. We have a better time than in the regular com-

pany and do no fatigue while in the trenches, or guard, except to fix up our own emplacement and our own guard. Then we usually have the best dugouts, and can cook our own meals. I have been cook for the last few days while we are in supports, but now our fire is small, so I guess we'll do our own cooking, every man for himself. Our bacon comes up in slices, and our meat and potatoes just in a chunk. If it's decent enough we have steak, if not, mulligan. Mulligan is composed of meat, potatoes and carrots, if handy, and in fact anything that's eatable. We have chucked in soup cubes, oxo cubes, tomato catsup, wild turnips, pieces of ham bones, so you can understand why it's mulligan. We get jam and cheese, sometimes butter and milk, always tea and sugar and bread, so that is our daily menu. One thing about the meals, for me. So far, I have had no troubles as regards frozen feet; or rather, it's stoppage of circulation, due to standing in damp, cold mud or water until one's feet get waterlogged. Frozen feet give you a wrong idea. I don't think there will be many this year, unless it's men who suffered last year and have it again on account of tender feet.

THE GERMAN 'SKY ROCKETS.'

"In the daytime in the trench we keep a lookout, of course, but below the parapet, while a few of us sleep (that is, gun section). I don't know much about the Company, but I guess they work or sleep. At night some of us sleep when the others are on guard, and every hour or so turn about. We keep head above parapet and dodge down when a Hun flare comes down. A flare is like a sky rocket, only it goes up only 50-100 feet according to what angle the gun is held. It leaves a bright trail be-

1870
1916

Forty-Sixth Annual Report of Canada's Only Mutual Life Assurance Co.

On Thursday, February Third, the Forty-Sixth Annual Meeting of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada took place at its Head Office, Waterloo, Ontario. Notwithstanding the disturbed conditions which prevailed throughout the Dominion, the Directors were able to report very gratifying results from the year's operations. Following is a

SUMMARY STATEMENT

Income	\$ 4,972,782	Gain over 1915	\$ 433,709
Paid to Policyholders	2,035,814	Gain over 1915	444,368
Assets	26,894,524	Gain over 1915	2,352,210
Surplus	4,258,737	Gain over 1915	440,258
Assurance in Force	101,092,030	Gain over 1915	6,614,670

EXPENSE AND INTEREST RATE

The ratio of expense to total income has fallen, while the rate of interest earned has risen, both results being favorable to the payment of substantial profits.

SURPLUS EARNINGS

The Company's well-established reputation as a dividend payer was further enhanced by the notable record of

SURPLUS EARNED DURING THE YEAR, \$1,158,210.20

an increase of ten per cent. over the previous year. This assures the continuation of the payment of generous dividends to the participating policyholders of the Company.

The steady growth of the Company is illustrated by the following:

STATEMENT BY DECENNIAL PERIODS

Year.	Income.	Assets.	Paid to Policyholders.	Business in Force.
1875	\$ 29,593	\$ 53,681	\$ 4,625	\$ 1,177,085
1885	270,697	750,344	115,669	8,259,361
1895	735,079	3,123,575	328,829	19,312,477
1905	1,956,519	9,296,092	552,914	44,177,954
1915	4,972,782	26,894,524	2,035,814	101,092,030

A full report of the proceedings of the Annual Meeting and the detailed financial statement will be mailed to every policyholder in due course. 161

GEO. WEGENAST, Managing Director. E. P. CLEMENT, President.

J. G. WATSON, General Agent, Sherbrooke, Que.

and it will be home before this time next year for ours.

LITTLE SYMPATHY FOR WOUND-ED.

"Well, I hope everyone in Sherbrooke is well, and tell them I am o.k. myself and believe I have every chance of coming back with a whole skin. Here if a fellow gets one in a leg or arm he's considered a lucky man and doesn't get much sympathy. Hardly any do, unless they're killed, and why should they, when it's blighty for them, with a good bed, lots to eat and all around, unless it's a serious wound, have a darn good time, while sometimes we don't. No, they have to get their sympathy from the home people. I saw a fellow the other day with a piece of shrapnel in his thigh. His boot was full of blood and trowsers red also, yet the boys who carried him in, when they got back, only said, 'Lucky devil, eh? He'll be o.k. and get 'blighty' on that, all right.' When there's no doubt he's not killed or going to die it's a different matter, only no joke for the poor guy who's wounded.

GERMANS' SHELL AIM BAD.

"I watched the Germans shelling a house the other day and it took about 25 shells to make three good hits. It was exciting to watch them, and we sure did it, too."

RIFLE GRENADES ARE DEADLY.

In the daytime we have the pleasure of rifle grenades, and they, together with whizz-bangs, form a perfect team in the matter of making casualties. The rifle grenade is a bomb thrown from a rifle on account of long distance. What goes up must come down, they say, and so it's worked on that principle. Sometimes they land in the trench—then it's blighty if you happen to be around, or else pushing up daisies in Belgium. In four or five minutes the other day they made 28 casualties, so they are no joke, you see. We can hear them if not too noisy, so get under cover as quickly as possible. With whizz-bangs you're a zone if they have the range. They are small and go with a tremendous velocity, so the whizz-bang is heard at once, with no time to get cover. They are the worst of any, and are what get one's nerves the worst, too, as nothing is heard until it bangs. The .303 is so common that it's needless to say much about it, as when we hear it we know we are safe, because when it hits a man it is not heard.

HEARD NEWS OF VICTORY.

"So far we have been rather lucky, but you'll begin to see our names in the lists by this time. We received word of the victory in the Champagne district, and hope it's true, so that will help a lot to take the sand out of them. A few more like that

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YOUNG MAN WITH SOME OFFICE experience wanted to work as stenographer. Apply Loomis-Dakin Ltd., St. Gabriel St., Sherbrooke.

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WANTED AT BEDFORD, QUE.—Watchmaker wanted at Bedford Jewelry Store. Also for sale, one up-to-date jeweler's bench, with full line of tools; will sell cheap. One pony, 800 lbs, 7 years old, sound and fearless, can step in 35. Pauper, handsome; two Boston toy terriers, weight about 15 lbs. perfect in every respect. Write to A. B. Foster, Bedford, Que.

YOUNG MAN WANTED FOR THE dining hall, Bishop's College School, Lennoxville. Apply The Matron.

TEACHERS WANTED.

PROTESTANT TEACHER HOLDING elementary diploma for consolidated school, L'Ange, Que. Term, eight months, beginning April 3rd. Salary thirty dollars. Apply to F. W. Rock, Sec.-Treas.

A QUALIFIED PROTESTANT TEACHER for the elementary department of Gould Model School wanted immediately. Salary, \$100 per month. Applicants will please state experience and give references. K. N. McIver, secretary, treasurer, Gould, Que.

SEVEN QUALIFIED ELEMENTARY teachers (Protestant) wanted in the municipality of Lingwick. Six for eight months and one for ten months. Salary, \$30 per month. Also principal for the Gould model school. Applicants please state experience, qualifications, salary expectations and give references. Schools to open September 1st, 1916. K. N. McIver, Sec.-Treas., Gould, Que.

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AGENTS WANTED TO SELL FOR the old reliable Fonthill Nurseries. We teach our men to sell. Experience unnecessary; highest commissions paid; handsome free equipment. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont.

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SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE FOR SALE. Light, water, cement cellar, furnace, barn, garden. Can keep hens. Apply Hugh Reed, Lennoxville.

SELF-CONTAINED HOUSE FOR SALE. 232 Wellington St., Sherbrooke. Also adjoining lot. Apply 50 Main St., Lennoxville.

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SELF-CONTAINED SIX-ROOM HOUSE for sale. City conveniences and on car line. Fine lot, size 50x159. A positive bargain. No. 195 Bowen Ave., east city.

REAL ESTATE OWNERS ARE INVITED to list properties for sale or to let with us, and having money to loan are invited to advise us at once. Edwards' Realty Co.

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THE DOUBLE-TENEMENT HOUSE, Nos. 364 and 366 Wellington St., belonging to Mr. P. J. McKenna, for sale. Reasonable terms. The north half of the premises, No. 364, will, pending sale, be rented. Apply Fraser & Rugg, advocates.

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FOR SALE.

GRIST MILL, WITH GOOD GRAIN trade and excellent water power, at Mansonville, near the station, for sale or to let. Address Art. Ledue, Mansonville, Que.

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SHROPSHIRE EWE LAMBS, WELL wooded and well bred, from registered stock; Barred Rock cockerels from exceptionally good layers, average weight 9 lbs., \$2.00 to \$3.00; a few yearling cockerels at special prices. John Racey, Lennoxville.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

A CAPABLE GIRL WANTED FOR general housework. References required. Apply to Mrs. Wright Hovey, Rock Island, Que.

LADIES WANTED TO DO PLAIN AND light sewing at home, whole or spare time; good pay, work sent any distance, charges paid. Send stamp for particulars. National Manufacturing Company, Montreal.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Plain cooking, no washing; references required; state salary. Drawer H, Theford Mines.

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FREE—TO STOCKMEN AND POULTRYMEN, our 80 page illustrated booklet on feeding; how to construct a house which will accommodate 100 hens; gives dimensions and measurements of every piece of lumber required. Deals with the common diseases of stock and poultry and the remedies. Tells how to cure roup in four days. Contains full information about Royal Purple Stock and Poultry foods and remedies. The W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Canada.

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EXPERIENCED OFFICE MAN, SYSTEMATIZER, financier, now with local manufacturing concern, wishes to make a change and is now open for engagement on reasonable terms. Apply Box 33, Record.

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NO. 172—40 ACRES OF FINE LAND, about 30 acres tillable, the balance good pasture and enough wood for home use, cuts about 15 tons of hay each year, situated about four miles from good market. Fine cottage house, new bath and henhouse, all buildings painted and in the best of repair. Never-failing running spring water in house and barn. Some good fruit and 21 young apple trees. Price \$1,400.

NO. 107—159 ACRES OF LAND with southern exposure, divided into 75 acres fine machine tilled, the balance pasture, wood and sugar orchard, estimated about 150,000 feet of fine timber ready to cut, situated just off of main road which is a fine level road to a fine market and only 2 1/2 miles. Fine ten-room house all in the best of repair inside and out; fine large barn 100 feet long with additions and sheds attached; never-failing spring water running in house and barn; good corn barn, sugar house and henhouse. Price \$4,500. For sale by Woodstock Real Estate Agency, Woodstock, Windsor County, Vermont.

TO LET

SIX-ROOM HOUSE ON ESPLANADE to let May 1st. Modern conveniences, including gas; \$16. Chas. G. Brown.

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MISCELLANEOUS

TAMARACK SHIP KNEES AND SIDING tamarack timber wanted on line of G.T.R. and C.P.R. railroads, in the province of Quebec. A. L. Young, Auburn, Maine.

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WILL THE PARTY WHO TOOK THE muff and veil from G.T.R. station, Lennoxville, on February 5th, please return to agent, Compton station, as the party's name is known. Save further trouble.

FARM HELP—IF YOU WANT FARM help this spring write at once to E. T. Immigration Society, Sherbrooke, Farnham, Que.

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25c each insertion. If funeral notice is added to death notice, 25c extra. Cards of thanks, 50c; poetry, 10c per line extra.

BIRTHS. WOOTTEN.—At Bury, on Feb. 9th, 1916, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Everette Wootten (nee Blanche Ross).

DEATHS. JAMIESON.—At 2nd Range, Leeds, Que., Friday morning, Feb. 11, 1916, Albert Jamieson, third son of Mrs. James Jamieson.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank all our relatives and friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness and death of our father and grandfather, and also for flowers and spiritual offerings.

KATE O'SHAUGHNESSY, MARY O'SHAUGHNESSY, DAISY O'SHAUGHNESSY. Brigham, Feb. 10th, 1916.

IN MEMORIAM. In loving remembrance of our dear friend, E. Jennie Shorten, wife of A. H. Harvey, who passed away at Granby, Que., Friday, February 13th, 1916. T. B. AND M. M. Farnham, Que.

NOTICE—CRUELTY Any person witnessing acts of cruelty to animals, please report at once to S.P.C.A. INSPECTOR

MOTOR CARS FOR SALE.

SEVEN-PASSENGER McLAUGHLIN Buick for sale. In first-class condition, good tires, \$600. Also E. M. F.; recently overhauled; \$300. These cars are both bargains and must be sold at once. Address Box 34, Record.

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CLAREMONT HILL. Recent arrivals and departures: Miss E. Wilson guest of Mrs. F. Armstrong for the week-end before leaving for her home in Tinwick; Miss Grace Philbrick home after a few days at Mrs. G. Barlow's, St. Cyr; Mrs. Lambert on a trip to the New England States; Miss Mabel and

Master Arthur Lambert to Drummondville; Mrs. Rief to Kingsey for a few days; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor, Denison's Mills, and family, at Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews' on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. P. Andrews to Point Levis after being guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Andrews; Mrs. T. Brock visiting her mother at "Forest View."

The Red Cross meeting which was to have been held on Friday was postponed until next week.



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If you need furniture, Buy Now at February Sale Prices.

If you don't need furniture until May, Buy Now. We'll gladly store your furniture free till you require delivery.

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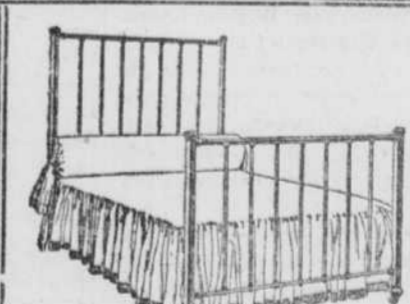
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Including organdy collars, collars with lace jabots, collars with cuffs, etc., in black, white and colors, regular 75c.
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In all shades.
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Good quality, size 72 x 90,
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All widths, fine quality,
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RECRUITING RALLY FOUR MONTHS AT BARNSTON FOR PERJURY

Many Present to Listen to the Call For More Men to Join the 117th

SEVEN YOUNG MEN SIGNED ATTESTATION PAPERS AND MORE ARE EXPECTED TO DO SO.

Barnston, Feb. 12. (Special)—Last night's recruiting rally at Barnston, arranged under the auspices of the Montreal Citizens' Recruiting Association, was largely attended, and the results were quite satisfactory. Several young men of the district signing their attestation papers at the close of the meeting. In fact, the day's work netted seven strong recruits for the 117th Eastern Townships Battalion. There is but little doubt that a further batch of volunteers will follow within a few days. To show the spirit of the young men of Barnston it might be interesting here to mention a young lad of sixteen years who was most keen to join. Being under age, and keen to serve his country, he was told that perhaps another battalion could find room for him as a bugler or drummer. This was not his idea of soldiering, however, because he shrugged his shoulders and said that he did not wish to be a drummer, but he wanted to go and fight. May his sturdy spirit find many an echo in the hearts of other Townships' boys who have been holding back too long. The stern work of the evening was very pleasantly lightened by an excellently rendered pianoforte solo by Miss Converse, and later Miss Hazel Converse sang in a very sweet manner, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," which was practically the text for the evening of every speaker on the platform. The Rev. Mr. Ridout opened the rally by appropriate words of welcome to the recruiting party, which consisted of Col. Dunsmore, Col. Ewing, Major E. A. Williams and Lieut. J. M. State, representing the Association, and proposed that Col. Dunsmore be the chairman of the meeting. Lieut. State was the first speaker called, and he responded by telling the audience that after eighteen months of the most tremendous warfare that man had ever waged, Great Britain and her Allies are just barely holding the lines against the foe. That was a sufficient reason for their presence on the platform before a Barnston audience, and the young men were being asked to join the 117th Battalion, because the very life and existence of the British Empire is at stake. The Germans are not half beaten yet, and even as we sit at this meeting tonight the liberties of Canada are trembling in the balance. Canada is being sternly tried in the fires of war, and is to prove by the response of her manhood if she is worthy of the protection and privileges she has enjoyed so long under the British flag. Half a million men were authorized and Canada stood pledged to raise them. He said that it was no use asking how long the war would last, but that every man present at the meeting who could do so, should play the game, get into a 117th uniform, and help to finish the war. And help the Motherland to win the last great battle she was preparing for. Major Ewing, second in command of the 117th, and who was making almost his initial appearance on the recruiting platform, made a most pleasing and eloquent appeal to the fathers, mothers, sisters and sweethearts of the men who were about to join. The Major told the mothers present that some of them were holding their lads back, because they were naturally very much in love with their boys. Still it was selfish at this great moment of the Empire's history, to keep a boy from doing his duty, and he asked the mothers if they realized that they were causing some other mothers to bear alone the burden, and the anxiety that should also be theirs. If a too loving mother kept her willing son back, some other lad had to fill his place. Major Ewing asked if it was nothing to them if Belgium and Serbia were ravished and swept away, if babies and innocents were slaughtered, and women (good and kind like our own), tortured and wronged in the way the Germans had undoubtedly wronged them? "Come, boys," said Major Ewing, "it is a hard question to decide for all of us, but get it over and come along. The first fight is in your own heart, and the second is over there." (pointing). The khaki-clad hero of the evening was Major Williams, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, who is back only recently from the trenches, from exposures, and as he said, in letting the real pleasures of the front. The Major looks fit, and he is an optimist and a good Presbyterian as he laughingly told the audience. He said that unless a man's number was up, he would come safely home again. Some shells had certain numbers that were meant for certain chaps, and they had to get it no matter where they were. Most of the boys were safe as long as they kept their heads down, and if a chap didn't keep his head down, and got hit, why his number was up, that's all! In a most interesting way Major Williams told of his experiences during the long bombardments and in the trenches. He described life and pleasures in the billets behind the lines, and to prove how mothers of all classes should make their sacrifices willingly, he told how under heavy shell fire one hot Sunday he had met and chafed the Prince of Wales, a very young staff officer. The Prince was on his way then to the trenches, and the gallant boy's mother was the Queen of England. The chairman, Col. Dunsmore, told how at the beginning of the war his two sons had gone to fight. He told of the sacrifice of Col. Dunsmore and his wife had made, in letting their boys go to serve the King. One gallant boy had come back, badly wounded, and although incapacitated at the moment he was trying to go back to the call of Duty. Another son had been killed.

COURT TOOK CIRCUMSTANCES INTO CONSIDERATION.—WOMAN SENTENCED FOR BIGAMY.

Giuseppe Care was committed for trial by Judge Mulvena this morning in connection with his evidence in the Capelton murder case. Frisener afterwards asked for a speedy trial and pleaded guilty. His counsel, Mr. C. C. Cabana made a strong appeal for a lenient sentence on the ground that in giving false evidence he had acted under compulsion through fear of his compatriots. The Court, while pointing out that the offence was liable to a punishment of fourteen years in the penitentiary stated that this was an unusual case of perjury inasmuch as it consisted merely of a contradiction of two different statements made under oath by the accused, and the offence was not committed for a monetary consideration as is usually the case in civil proceedings. In this case no real damage had been caused to anyone. In view of the fact that Care had been in jail since June 29th last in connection with the murder case, in which he had been acquitted under all the circumstances the Court sentenced him to four months at hard labor, making altogether a year's imprisonment in connection with the affair.

SIX MONTHS FOR BIGAMY.—

Bertha Lillian Pell Rolfe nee Kinston asked for a speedy trial on the charge of bigamy. She pleaded guilty and her attorney urged in her behalf certain extenuating circumstances with regard to her not being aware of the gravity of the nature of the offence. The Court sentenced her to six months at hard labor in the common jail instead of sending her to the penitentiary as is usually done in cases of bigamy. This was the case reported in yesterday's "Record" where accused had married one James Davies, her lawful husband Leon Jerome Rolfe, being alive.

IMPORTANT E. T. RAILWAY BILL

(Continued from page 1) is the Bill from Three Rivers. The House has cut out of this Bill two important amendments which might have been considered, if they had passed, as precedents for other towns in the Province. These amendments cut out of the Bill the provision to pay \$100,000 indemnity to hotelkeepers, who have recently lost their licenses through the adoption of prohibition in Three Rivers, and at the same time withdraws the proposal made earlier in the session that the City Council of Three Rivers itself could go into the hotel business.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

A lady was knocked down this morning near Fletcher's Corner by a runaway team driven by another lady and which tipped over on the car track after striking a mail box and then ran on to the sidewalk. The horse afterwards bolted up King Hill, made its way down Galt Street, galloped along Wellington Street and into the Albion Hotel yard before being caught.

SUEK BY MINE.

Paris, Feb. 12.—The sinking of the fishing smack Duplex on the month of the Grondre on Monday as the result of the explosion of a floating mine which had been netted and hauled aboard the smack is announced in a Havas message from La Rochelle. The master of the craft and six members of the crew were lost.

TWO CRUISERS AT BERMUDA.

New York, Feb. 12.—Officers and passengers of the steamer Evangeline, which arrived here from Bermuda, said that nothing was known at the island at the time they left of the reported capture of the German commerce raider Roon by the British cruiser Drake. They said there were two British cruisers in the harbor at Hamilton, when they sailed, but, according to war practice, the names were painted out, and they did not know their identity.

OTHER SON WAS A FULL-FLEDGED PRIVATE IN THE 117TH, AND HIS FATHER WAS ALSO IN THE TRENCHES.

Col. Dunsmore represented Col. Gilbert of the 117th, and very fully explained the claims of their battalion for the services of Township men. On behalf of his commanding officer and his brother officers, and the men of the battalion, he offered a hearty welcome to any willing recruit who would join that night. The Rev. Mr. Plant spoke of the beauty of sacrifice, of the value of serving King and country even at the sacrifice of life itself. He could give his approval of the call sounded throughout the meeting, and gallantly helped make the evening memorable by singing in a splendid voice, "The Glory of a Soldier's Grave."

THE REV. MR. RIDOUT ALSO ADDRESSED THE AUDIENCE MOST ELOQUENTLY, AND GAVE HIS MOST WILLING SUPPORT TO THE GREAT CALL ISSUED THAT EVENING, AND WOULD CONTINUE TO DO ALL IN HIS POWER TO HELP THE WAR ALONG.

Corp. Blanche operated the moving pictures of the Great War. Three cheers were called for the officers who had come on this stirring mission. The National Anthem was enthusiastically sung, and the meeting closed with a stirring three

LENNOXVILLE BOARD OF TRADE

Whole Board Formed into Civic Improvement Committee For Affiliation With League at Ottawa

NEGOTIATIONS ARE PROCEEDING WITH INDUSTRY WHICH DESIRES TO LOCATE IN LENNOXVILLE.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Lennoxville Board of Trade was held in the Town Hall last night, with Mr. A. T. Speld, vice-president, in the chair. Amongst those present were: Messrs. Hugh McFadden, C. Hall, H. J. Laberee, C. C. Chaddock, W. H. Abbott, W. J. H. McKindsey, J. A. McClary, W. G. MacDougall and L. G. T. Lynch, secretary.

After the disposal of the routine business a letter was read from the Associated Boards of Trade asking the Lennoxville Board to nominate a member to serve on the Council of the Associated Boards and to send in the nomination for the annual meeting in March.

On the motion of Mr. H. MacFadden, the nomination of Mr. C. S. White was unanimously adopted.

Another letter was read from the Associated Boards requesting the Lennoxville Board to appoint a civic improvement committee to be affiliated with the Civic Improvement League of Canada. It was stated that no charge was made for membership in the central body, and that free literature on matters relating to the objects of the League was distributed gratis to the various committees throughout the Dominion.

An interesting discussion on the subject took place. The idea was enthusiastically received and in view of the importance of such a scheme to Lennoxville it was resolved to become affiliated with the League and to form the whole membership of the Board into a committee for the purpose. It was felt that in a place like Lennoxville, whose residents felt so much pride in conserving its natural beauty that every member should be active in this respect. The need of adopting building by-laws before the town grows to larger proportions, and the desirability of tree-planting, and adopting a method of building construction which would assist in making the town beautiful and attractive as a residential place, were all emphasized and agreed upon.

A letter was read from an important industry which has some idea of changing its location and intimating that if the prospects held out by Lennoxville were fairly favorable, they might be induced to move to the town in the spring. This matter will be taken up at future meetings and every endeavor made to persuade the company to locate in Lennoxville.

Correspondence which took place with the town authorities with a view to procuring an extension of time for the payment of taxes by voters at municipal elections was also read. Nothing in this respect could be accomplished for the last elections, but it was resolved to renew the negotiations at a later date. Several other matters were discussed and the meeting adjourned.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the post offices of Windsor, Windsor East, St. Claude, St. Claude North, Hardwood Hills, Goshen Road, McCourt's Corner, Perkins's Corner, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

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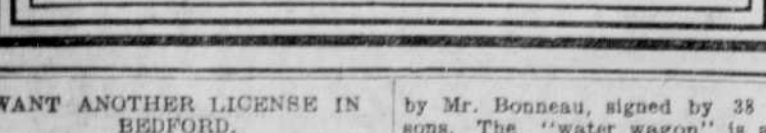
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WANT ANOTHER LICENSE IN BEDFORD.
Bedford, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A rigorous effort is being made to re-open the Upper Bedford Hotel as licensed premises, and at the Council meeting on Wednesday an application for a certificate was presented

by Mr. Bonneau, signed by 38 persons. The "water wagon" is again in evidence with Father Lamoureux and Pastor Ward between the shafts, and the prospect is good for a continuance of a dry time. The application will be considered at the meeting on March 1st.