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DUNDALK

Geo. Howatt, a pioneer farmer of Corbetton, passed away at the great age 96 years at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cornwith, in Toronto.

Sam Goldman, the iron man, was shipping some junk on Saturday. While putting a heavy fly wheel on the car the supports slipped letting the weight fall. Sam's head was in the way and he got a bad scalp cut. But he was only laid up a day or so and is out again as keen after business as usual.

A letter to The Herald from Mr. J. D. Howell, of Elrose, Sask., tells of the sad news that his son, formerly of Dundalk, Pte. Lorne Martin Howell, had been killed in action on Sept. 29. This young soldier was born in Dundalk and was in his 18th year. He enlisted at the age of 16 years in the 251st Batt. at Winnipeg, leaving there for overseas on 29th Sept. 1917 exactly 1 year previous to giving his life for his King and Country.

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A New Ganadian Author

Robert J. J. C. Stead, in his new novel, "The Cow Puncher," (Toronto, the Musson Co., Ltd., cloth, $1.50), has written a book with a Western Canada setting. David Elden, the cow puncher, grows to young manhood on a ranch in the foothills, outside the influence of church or school. At eighteen he is accidentally thrown into the company of a young Eastern girl, who enkindles in him the ambition to be somebody in the world. With this purpose in view, young Elden leaves the ranch and goes to make his fortune in a young Western city. The first night he is swindled out of all his ready cash by a gang of card sharpers and he takes a job next morning as a coal heaver. For a time it looks as though Dave's course would be downward instead of up, but he fortunately comes under influences which revive his ambitions for self betterment. About this time the big western real estate boom breaks out, and Dave's course is meteoric. His wealth comes quickly and goes as quickly. Following the collapse of the boom a tragedy in his love affairs sends him as an enlisted man to France. In the closing chapters is found one of the highest patriotic notes struck by any author during the war. "The Cow Puncher" is decidedly worth while. It is interesting and refreshing, and at times inspiring, written with all Mr. Steod's intimate knowledge of the West and skill of delineation. Through the book runs a happy vein of humor and philosophy which is not the least of its charms. It is illustrated by Arthur Hemming, ex-lumberman and Northwest mounted policeman, and is announced by the publishers as an all Canadian book—written by a Canadian, illustrated by a Canadian and printed and bound in Canada. It should receive a warm welcome by the Canadian reading public. The United States edition is issued by Harpers.

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The Duke Acts Quickly

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire wants a share of Canada's second Victory Loan. The following letter explains why:

Ottawa, October, 1918.

Mr. Dear Sir Thomas,—I shall be glad if you will again include my name in the first list of subscribers to the Victory Loan of 1918.

This loan I am sure is of the utmost national importance in connection with Canada's continued effectual prosecution of the war, and the establishment of Imperial credits for the purchase of foodstuffs, munitions and other supplies urgently required by Great Britain and the Allies.

I have every confidence that the patriotism of the Canadian people which has so nobly sustained every duty and obligation imposed by the war will again respond to the appeal and that the Victory Loan of 1918 will be even a more striking and notable success than that of last year.

Believe me, my dear Sir Thomas, yours very truly,

(Signed) Devonshire.

Hon. Sir Thos. White, Ottawa.

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Edward Bentham Died Suddenly

From the Toronto Star of Oct. 22

The death of Mr. Edward Thomas Bentham, which occurred suddenly at his late residence, 280 Evelyn avenue yesterday morning, has caused profound regret in the west end of the city, where he was widely known and held in high regard. With his brother, William, of 59 Law street, he was in business as a clothier and gents' furnisher at 2920 Dundas street. During last week he complained of a cold, but on account of his brother being confined to his home with the influenza he remained at business until Saturday afternoon, when he was forced to go home to bed. Early yesterday morning his wife decided to have a doctor see him, and after phoning for Dr. Clendenan she prepared her sick child's breakfast, and then returned to her husband's room to find during her brief absence he had expired. Heart failure is assigned as the cause of death.

Deceased was 32 years of age, and before going into business about a year ago was on the sales staff of W. R. Sheppard, Dundas street. He belonged to Flesherton, Ont., and married, eight years since, Miss Florence Lewis, by whom and his six year old daughter he is survived. Mr. Bentham was a member of the West Toronto Court of the Independent Order of Foresters and attended High Park Avenue Methodist church.

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Distribution of Seed

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture, a free distribution of superior sorts of grain will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers.

The samples for distribution will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs.), white oats (about 4 lbs.), barley (about 5 lbs.) and field peas (about 5 lbs.) These will be sent out free by mail from the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by the Dominion Cerealist, who will furnish the necessary application forms.

Only one sample can be sent to each applicant. As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply very early.

—J. H. GRISDALE.
Director Dominion Experimental Farms.

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In Memoriam

In memory of our loving son, Pte. Johnston Howard of the 147th Batt., killed in action on Oct. 26, 1917, in the battle of Paschendale.

He slumbers now in foreign soil,
The crimson war flowers guard his grave;
We reap the harvest of his toil,
Which marks the freeman from the slave.

He gave his life—was glad to go—
To guard the right of freedom's cause;
To crush to earth the foulest foe
That ever struck at human laws.

We love him more the web of time
Spins out across the silver seas,
And links to us a thought sublime,
The worship of his memory.

There let him rest—his work is done,
His life blood drenched the fiery plains.
Who knows the victory he has won
Till tyrants fall and victory reigns?

—Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters

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Victoria Corners

As yet this burg has been pretty free from influenza, Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow and Miss Ritchie being the only cases so far and these have not been serious.

Word was received on Saturday that Max Bannon is ill with the flu at New Westminster, B.C., where he was on his way with the contingent going to Siberia.

Mr. Miners, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Underhill of Woodstock motored over and visited at Albert Stevens' last week.

In trying to stop a dog fight at Walkerton a man had his wrist badly lacerated by one of the belligerents. The dog was afterwards shot by order of the magistrate and his owner had to put up the medical costs.

There are now about 270,000 women working on farms in Great Britain.

VANDELEUR

George Warling and R. Genoe have returned after a week's visit with friends at Colpoys Bay.

The Vandeleur W. I. packed fifteen boxes a few days ago for shipment to the boys overseas.

Miss Alice Gilray of Toronto, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Wright, for some time, returned to her home in the city Saturday week. Mrs. Wright accompanied her, returning on Tuesday of last week.

We tender our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Cullis, who have returned from their wedding trip and have taken up their residence on the homestead. May they have many years of prosperity.

Mrs. P. Munshaw of Eugenia was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Magee.

Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilbert, at Kimberley on Thursday.

Miss Lillian Buchanan has returned home after a two weeks' visit with friends at Coldwater.

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No Paper Next Week

The Advance will not be issued next week. The next issue will appear on Thursday, Nov. 14. Correspondents will please send in their matter early for the next issues, as our staff will be small and unable to cope with anything that comes in late. The office will be open for job work as usual.

Ye Editor has been saving his holiday for the hunting season and has accompanied Mr. Mitchell's party to Parry Sound District.

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ROCK MILLS

Gloom has once more been cast over the entire community at the sad news that reached here Saturday noon of the death of our dear soldier boy, Private Walter Fisher, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fisher of this place. Walter enlisted last winter with the C.E.F. going overseas in the spring. He spent the summer in England and up to a short while ago, when he left for France. He had been in the trenches but a short while, when he paid the supreme sacrifice on Oct. 2. His death is felt keenly by his parents and five sisters. The sympathy of the whole community is with the family in their deep sorrow.

Mr. Thos. Gamey, of Toronto, is visiting at present with friends in this vicinity.

Eddie White is sick and under the doctor's care, but we hope to see him out again soon.

Quite a number of our local sportsmen left on Tuesday on their annual hunting trip to the northern wilds.

Sam Fisher, of Toronto, is visiting with relatives here at present.

Mrs. Jas. Cargo, of Markdale, is spending a few days with her parents.

Mr. R. Wilder, of Sask., arrived here last Thursday to spend a month with his sister, Mrs. Jas. Park. It is eighteen years since they last met.

Mrs. Richard Hoy returned home on Saturday after spending a couple of months with her two sons in Sask.

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Dr. James Robertson, who recently toured Britain, France and Italy, on behalf of the Canadian Government and the Canada Food Board, reports conditions in Italy as extremely severe, although improved by good crops of fruit and vegetables during the past summer. There has been a dimunition of over fifty per cent. in the production of milk, butter and cheese, and the total ration in Germany, according to the Italian Food Controller, was better at the time of Dr. Robertson's visit than that of Italy.

CEYLON

Miss Myrtle Hemphill, of Toronto, came up on Thursday and is visiting her parents.

Pte. A. J. Pattison spent a couple of days at Owen Sound last week.

Constable Cook paid a business trip to Meaford last week.

Miss Ashley, of Tara, is visiting with her friend, Mrs. Norman Archibald.

We extend a welcome to Mrs. Dinnick and family, who have moved into Miss Sinclair's residence, also to Mr. Robert Lauchlan and family, who move this week into his residence recently purchased from James McClocklin.

Quite a number of hunters left this depot Tuesday for the wilds up north.

Mr. Firness, of Toronto, is visiting with his brother-in-law, Royden Gibson.

Sergt. Wells Whittaker and Pte. J. J. Pattison returned to Toronto Saturday.

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EAST MOUNTAIN

Threshing is the order of the day.

We are sorry to report Nurse Effie Smith ill in Toronto with the influenza. There are no cases of it yet in our vicinity as yet, but we cannot tell how soon we may be stricken with it.

Peter Munshaw of Eugenia has purchased and picked the apples on the Symons farm.

Fred Martin of Proton Statien visited at John Welsh's.

Miss Ursula Orr, who has been visiting Mrs. Glad Orr in Owen Sound for the past month, has returned to her home here.

Wm. Martin of the H.E.P.C., has returned home from Bracebridge and spent the first of the week with his brother, Charles, here.

Mrs. James Genoe and Miss Ella May Jamieson from Flesherton visited the latter's sister, Mrs. D. Genoe, recently.

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MAXWELL

Quite a number here are suffering from severe colds.

Miss Bessie Wright of Toronto visited at her parental home recently.

Owing to this awful epidemic which is raging everywhere, our churches and schools are closed.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Rock Mills in their time of sorrow by the loss of their son at the front.

Mr. Laughy Cameron, who was visiting with relatives here, returned to his home in Newberry, Mich.

Word was-was rece ived here last week that Mrs. (Dr.) Roszell had died at her home in Caledonia. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones.

Quite a number here have purchased pianos—Dr. Guy a Heintzman and Messrs. Charles Heron, Raymond Willar an dGeorge Ross each a Virgil.

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Residence For Sale

For sale cheap and on easy terms, the residence and premises thereto belonging to the late M. K. Richardson, Flesherton. On the premises are a large brick veneered dwelling, well finished and in good repair, contains 9 large bedrooms on the second flat and large double bedroom on first flat: good never failing well with force pump in basement, and good cistern all well finished for winter or summer kitchen and dining and wash rooms with good pantry and other conveniences; large lawn and garden with good young orchard bearing and plenty of small fruit; good large frame stable and driving house. Premises would make excellent large boarding house and private office besides, or would answer well for two tenants and also good office for rent. Apply to R. J. Sproule on the premises who will show any person over the premises. 17Octtf

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