Financial Statement

OF THE

Osprey Farmers' Milling Co., Ltd.

From Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st 1918, Inclusive

Receipts

Cash on hand as per last audit	$ 2524 28
Sales in grist mill	9055 56
Chopping in mill	2609 58
On notes account	28 80
Miscellaneous receipts	121 84
Total Receipts	$ 14339 76

Expenditure

Miller's wages	$ 927 33
Assistant miller's wages	642 66
Printing, postage and stationery	73 67
Rent of hall	4 00
Teaming	100 99
For wheat	5283 70
For Oats, Barley, etc	1088 40
Telephone account	3 45
Statutory fee	2 00
Municipal tax	135 20
Lake Shippers Clearance Association tax	122 66
Fire insurance	130 00
Repairs to mill	502 63
Freight and express	79 27
Miscellaneous accounts	127 40
Dividend No. 6	647 50
General accounts	665 45
Auditors	30 00
Secretary-Treasurer	300 00
Directors	45 00
Workmen's Compensation Act	22 08
Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1918	3406 37
Total	$ 14339 76

ASSETS & LIABILITIES

Assets

Stock in grist mill, December 31, 1918 (est)	$ 4055 25
Outstanding book accounts	1748 05
Notes receivable	210 18
Cash on hand Dec. 31st, 1918	3406 37
Mill and real estate (est.)	9000 00
Total assets	$ 18419 85

Liabilities

Due on Dividend No. 6	$ 32 50
J. C. Wilton, account paper bags	31 13
Assets over Liabilities	18356 22
Total	$ 18419 85

Outstanding doubtful accounts	$ 305 82
Outstanding accounts considered no good	$ 516 10
Outstanding notes considered no good	$ 194 70

Go to France "For the Ride."

History relates that:

There was a young fellow named Hyde,
Who once at a funeral was spied;
When asked who was dead
He just nodded and said:
"I don't know; I just came for the ride!"

Leaving out the many well-intentioned and loyal people who have come to do real good practical work over here, it seems to us that a good many of our fellow-countrymen—some in skirts, and some even in khaki—"just came for the ride," says a writer with our Expeditionary Force.

What they are doing over here is beyond us. They speak vaguely of "uplift," of "investigation," or "co-ordinating branches," and some even more brazenly speak of "getting atmosphere"; nothing more. Some—we will let the reader guess the gender—are as naive as to exclaim: "Why, didn't you know that France is all the rage this year? Everybody is coming over!"

If that "everybody" referred to the army, all would be well; but we rather imagine that the young lady—you guessed it—who employed the word has reference to "everybody worth while," or "everybody in our set." Now, while "everybody worth while" or "everybody in our set" have their uses—when in khaki, toting a gun or an automatic, or (in case of the ladies) working in the hospitals or canteens—we don't see how they can be so very useful if they approach the war in that spirit. People who come over to France without definite, concrete, telling work planned out ahead of them, people who merely drift over here because "it's the thing to do," are really hindering the cause more than they are helping it.

We are cheerfully foregoing a lot of expected parcels from home because we are told that they take up too much space in ships destined to bring men, steel, beef, and other rock-bottom essentials of war over to us. It doesn't add to our cheerfulness to see our forfeited ship space taken up by a lot of folk who "just came for the ride."

Around Grey County

On Saturday night last thieves broke into the Oak Hall clothing store at Owen Sound and carried off quite a quantity of clothing and gents' furnishings. About $100 will cover the loss.

R. A. Mosher has returned from Kitchener and has resumed his position of teller in the Union Bank in Dundalk. He was in the military draft last spring but did not get overseas.

W. G. Thomas, of Markdale, has sold out his boot and shoe repairing business to S. J. Halbert.

The 3rd Division of Canadians will be the first to arrive home from overseas and are expected in March. This is the Division that most of the Grey boys were with.

Lieut. Lewis Honey, D.C.M., M.M., V.C., graduate of the Walkerton high school and who died of wounds last October, has now been officially awarded with the Victoria Cross, for high valor and sacrifice.

County council begins next week, on Tuesday, January 28th.

Elmer Weber, son of Joseph Weber, reeve of Neustadt, was tried by general court martial at Toronto on a charge of desertion. The case has not been decided yet as it was sent to Ottawa.

Knox church, of Owen Sound, will install a new organ in their church.

Louis Benjamin, the famous medium from Toronto was in Owen Sound one day last week.

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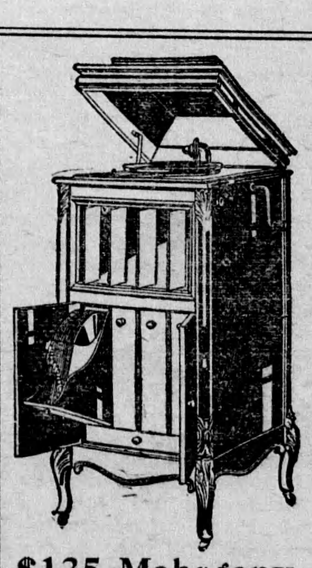

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James Weatherhead, a former Reeve of the township of Eastnor and a leading light in the early days of the Bruce Peninsula, passed away at the House of Refuge here in his 77th year. The deceased, who was a widower with a grown up family, came to the Refuge about two months ago in an ailing condition from Wiarton.

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