MACKERER -At the home of his son, J. MacKennzie, Georgetown, on Thursday 23rd March, 1016, Hamuel J. MacKenzie his 78th year.

Cony-At Chesley, Man., on Hunday, March 5th, 1916, Catherine Hornby, wife of Milton B. Cory, and daughter of Williane Hornby, formerly of Acton, aged 38

Anderson-Huddonly killed at Port Credi Anderson, of Nansagawaya, aged 25

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAROII 30, 1016

EDITORIAL NOTES

AN INTERPRETING ITEM in the month! statement of Canadian banks for February was the heavy increase in deposits, amoun ing to \$16,800,000. The total in Canada was \$1.118.000.000. The increase for the pas twelve months is \$115,500,000. This was due largely to war earnings of industries.

THE CANADIAN MANAZINE for April contains a most illuminating article entitled "The Gorman War Woman," by Eva Mail dan, a lady who has had a wide experience as a teacher in German girle' schools. He experiedos has taught her that the women of Clermany are trained, almost uncon sclosely, to act as secret agents of the Cov by women to keep the Covernment informad and she leaves the impression that these same German women would de almost anything is order to serve their country.

THE SHREEVER of Octario, meeting convention in Toronto, adopted a resolu tion in favor of the abolition of hanging. But they are not averse to capital punish ment. They would have murderers elect rocuted, with electrocution taking place in every case in Torosto or some other centre point. If a shariff cannot find a substitute to act as executioner when a prisoner is to be put to death, the sheriff is supposed to play that role himself, which is the great objectionable feature in connection with a abriavalty.

By an order in-council recently passed at Ottawa say person trespessing upon or within any factory or grounds where munitions of war or war supplies are manufac tured or stored, is liable to a penalty notexcoading \$1,000, or to imprisonment not excoeding one year, or both. Most people are no doubt convinced that the keeping out of trespassers is a simple matter, but that to guard against danger from within is not so sany. Workmen of alies enemy birth or descent are as much to be feared as persons attacking from without

IN BANKIK a resident who persisted going in and out of his house while treasles placerd was up was fined \$25 10 days in fail. The man went to jail, but the Personal Liberty League doesn't care. -Orillia Times. Not being a case where the boose business was affected the League, of course, had no interest. Just another example of its selfishness, and inconsistency. -Collingwood Bulletin. The Personal Liberty League was formed with the single aim of securing liberty to sell intoxicating liquors. Now that probibition is in sight

PREMIER HEARST and his Government deserve credit for the bonest, streitforward manner in which they have soted in the morning's mail: character of the prohibition bill introduced in the Lagislature last week. Premier Hearst has shown almostity and atrength, and he has been assisted and encouraged by Mr. Rowell, Lander of the Opposition. letters from the Record Office. London. 33 Mark Given The party lines have been disregarded. There was a latch from the home folks and 34 (leorge Mino While opinions may differ us to details of a nice one from Mr. A. T. Brown. the Octario Prohibition bill, it is a sub- Am now stationed at No. 1. Convales- 36 Bam Trimble stantial measure of reform. It represents cont Camp, but am pretty well stiffened up 87 Wm. Hunter real progress, and it reflects credit upon yet. Was before a Medical Board last week | 32 Hodgin Battee perance workers to whose efforts it is due.

THE PROHIBITION BILL now before the As sembly provides for excertaining by referendum after the war whether it is the will of the people that the war auspension of the traffic shall be permanent. It is probably safe to take it for granted that their man date will not be for a repeal of the law This province's experience of the working of local cytion lagislation shows that pro biblition commands prohibition. Where the public once declare against the bar by a considerable majority and put it out business tisere is soldom a reaction in favor of it. A trial of prohibition seems to atrengthen public opinion in its behalf .-Mail and Empire.

into the death of a Guelph man under un- ancient. I suppose it is on account of my usual circumstances. They returned a living in such up-to-date towns as Acton, verdict saying that he died from a clot of | (leorgetown and Glenwilliams. of liquor during the aftersoon. And the weather. doctor stated that the autopay showed that the man's organism was in otherwise wood condition. The average verdice re- will likely turn up. turned by a jury is not the most enlightening document in the world, and there seems and quite recovered again. Tell the hoys to have been no departure from the beaten I am unulously waiting for the 164th But- priving its lineed oil of oxygen and changpath in this particular case .- Quelph Mor- | tallon to come over.

THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT IS GIVING consideration to legislation which will hain to salve the problem of future hotel socom modetion in the towns and villages of the provinces, where the possibility exists that some botels, now operating under license, may close with the enforcement of problin tion. This legislation, it is stated, will be and profitable evening was spent. Vollowis the direction of widening the powers of ing the usual custom, the visiting Guild muncipalities so as to give Councils author- provided the programme with the exception ity to invest municipal funds in a botel of the address on the topic, which was given proposition, or to grant exemption from by Hev. W. G. Rose, paster of the Boston texation or other special privileges to an Church, Two large aleighsprovided transindividual or company of individuals or portation for the company numbering operating a hotel within the municipality With such encouragement gives munice loss to private enterprise it is believed botels can be operated profitably without the reveaue of theber and provide accom modetion which will be estisfactory to local and translent trade.

-- Educators are appreciating the refinlug influence of flowers on children. More friends. and more, the schools are taking up school | On Tuesday evening of last week oldy beautiful. If children are allowed to | friends, who presented a "shower" of us

MILITARY NOTES

Pte. James Holloway was here lueigh over Hunday. Henry Dobble, of Dolly Varden, has mlisted in Acton platcon.

A returned soldier has well said. scarred body for me in preference to a Corp. Perry Watson, who has been laid

ip for three weeks with the mumps, able to be out again. Are you doing your bit? Canada asks ou to do it, and do it now. Register to

day with Acton platoon of the 164th. The social evening under ausploss of the flicers and men of the Acton plateon will be hold in the town hall this evening. Acton platoon will parade to the Metholist Church on Hunday evening. Hev. Mr Crutcher, of Chengtu, China, will prosch

When you have offered your life to your country it is time enough to criticise those who have. In the meantime "allence is Ptes. Melvin Hoper and Arthur Anderson

went to Orangoville yesterday to take course in scouting with other men of the James Duraton formarly of Acton, is now

and is doing quard duty at the power plants at Niagara Fulls. Both of the sons of Mr. Robert Moore, I Galt, formerly of Actou, have enlisted.

member of the 19th Lincoln Bettalion

James le in Hamilton and Lorne is a member of the 71st Battalion. Every eligible man who is holding back from enlisting is belping to prolong the

Volunteer your name to Capt Peppiatt of Acton platoon to-day. Rev. Mr. Granell, of McMaster Univer sity, preached an excellent sermon lunday evening in the Haptist Church. which church the officers and men of Acton

platoon paraded that evening. Mr. and Mrs. Torrance Beardmore presented each soldier in Acton platoon with a field service pocket mirror of burnished steel in leather case on Tuesday. The men appreciate very highly this very for infractions of the law.

Home young men are hoping to secape by closing their minds to all sense of duty of drug stores into retail liquor stores and honor and stifling the better diotates of their consciences. They are sluning vided, is somewhat of an open question. ageinst others and grievously injuring

Pts. J. P. Hearrow received a letter on Saturday from his home at Hull, Yorkshire, England, stating that his two brothers John and Walter have sullated and that a third NEXT MEETING, MONDAY, 18th MA) brother, William, is employed in a muni-

Private Edgar Dureton, of D Company, list battalion. Guelph, was in town on Saturday saying goodbys to Acton friends. The 71st expects to leave for oversess this Mrs. Durston accompanied ber Corp. E. B. Geer, who colleted in the

list Hattalion last fall and who spent the winter with the Battallon at Chatham, has been unable to pass the final medical exunination. He is working at his trade as carpenter at Chatham. Twenty months of unprecedented war 11 T. P. Watkins

have passed. In the world's bistory there 12 Rd. Joyce has been nothing to compare with it. 13 W. Hampshire Never was there so much at stake. Garmany wins nothing else really matters," 15 P. Melsano and yet there are some young men who could don the khaki who are busying themselves with insignificant matters and dodg ing the duty which stares them in the face.

BANDSMAN R. J. HYNDS IMPROVING the Largue will promptly go out of busi- Is at No. 1 Convalescent Camp at 23 Wm McDonald Boulogne, France

Reeve Hynds received the following 26 Jas. Stark letter from his son, Robert, by Monday | 27 Herb. Cleave

Boulogne, France,

Dear Folke: I have just received a number of my lost | 32 A. Hume

these public men of both parties and tem- and they told me it would be some time yet 30 Alfred Evans 70 Jos. Allan before I am able to return to the transhes | 40 W. B. Shortill | 80 R. Shortill There are very few Canadians in this Camp. We receive the very best of treat-We are allowed out every day from 4.30 in the efternoon until 8.30 and on Sundays from 2.30 till 8.30. It gives an opportunity to visit the many places of

aterest in and around Boulogne. The French people are the to get along with. A good many of them have the idea we are French Canadian. Boulogne is very ancient place, particularly one part where it is surrounded by an immense stone wall. This section was used Napoleon's time as a fort. But the town has outgrown itself and now there a modern town outside the walls. But see many atreets and buildings construct A Conoxon's Juny on Monday inquired ed in recent years which to me look very

blood on the brain, caused by a fall or a | We are getting some real winter weath stroke of paralysis. They did not state or here now. Yesterday morning there what caused the fall or stroke of paralysis. fell about three inches of snow. We feel The avidence showed that the unfortunate keenly the heavy damp atmosphere. It is man had consumed a considerable amount to be hoped we will soon have warm spring

Have not received any papers from you since last January, but like the latters they

I hope this finds you all in good health

Your loving son,

LIMEHOUSE

Last Vrhlay evening Limshouse Gui paid a visit to the Young Poople's Gull of Roston Church, where a most enjoyable about thirty persons.

Mr. John Brown, who has been seriously i with pacumonia, is recovering, Mr. James McDowell fifth live, is very ill with beart trouble.

Mr. and Mr. R. Wheeler and family m. ved to Georgetown this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall and family, of Anton, spent Sunday with Limebouse

the co-operation of the children for a | was the scene of a pleasant gathering of in the home marden, they will not only I ful housekeeping articles to their daughter Rime, as expression of their good wishes, in view of her approaching marriage.

PROHIBITION FOR OUR PROVINCE

Will go into Effect in September. Closing all Barrooms, Liquor

REPERENDUM APTER THE WAR The promised prohibition bill was intro luced in the Provincial Lagislature last

Stores and Club Lloenses

wook. Its principal features are : Problbition will go into effect in Berstembor next by direct legislation. All licenses, with a few exceptions, be extended after May lat until date fixed

upon payment of a nominal fee of \$5 or \$10 Referentum will be taken after the war and a considerable time after return The Act follows Manitobs Act except for ncorporation of improvements taken from

Ontario License Act. Wholesale druggists will be licensed sell in wholesale, quantities for scientific and mechanical purposes, upon production of affidavit as to uses to which liquor wil

be devoted. Retail Licenses will be lesued to drug giate permitting sale to individuals, upon a doctor's prescription, and to a doctor not more than a plut at a time, or a yabet inary not more than two gallons at a time Ontario License Board will be reconsti tuted with membership of three, and charged with administration of the new

Bill will not interfere with importation of liquor for private use or keeping it The sale of liquor for secremental

solentific and mechanical purposes will b Browers and distillers may ship that products to other Provinces and other

financial loss that may be sustained by O. H. C. by Rev. H. W. Avison, M. A., H. licenseliciders, further than the extension [1)., the pastor, and by Rov. J. C. Wilson, of Hoenses until the not comes into force B. A., Principal Stewart and H. P. Moore, at a nominal fee. Heavy fines ranging up to \$1,000 and

sentences up to sight months are provided Ontario, case dry, will never go back to the license system. Whether the mak

advisable, even under the precautious pro esquesing township counci The Pathmasters Appointed for the

Current Year

At the March meeting of the Township Council, last week, pathmestere for the year were appointed as follows :

1 M. J. Carton 41 J. Huffman 2 J. M. Robertson 42 Ben Harron 43 W. H. Rold 3 David Coxe 44 Thos. Mullen 4 Jas. Sprowl 45 Jaz. McKechule 46 G. H. Hwitzer 6 D. McEacharn 7 Nell McCallom 47 P. O. Early 8 Nathan Dredge 49 W. Ostrander O C. Vallance 40 W. H. Barth 10 O. Mulholland 50 Fred Thompson 51 J. Hyatt 52 Wm. Smallle 53 John Bird out 14 M. Turner

17 W. Bnyder

10 Robert Black

20 Hume Currie

21 C. J. Russell

23 W. G. Boott

24, Chas. Brooks

25 P. M. Fisher

28 Thos. Kennedy

30 C. Hollingresn

31 Wm. Hardy

35 W. McKeary

54 Jno. C. Cook 55 Thos. Anderson 50 E. Townsand 57 Frank Chishola 58 J. R. Huffman 50 Jao. Crawshaw 60 Peter Gibbens 61 D. McDougrall 62 Wm. Lynd 63 F. Wrigglesworth 64 A. J. Ruddell 65 W. J. Little 68 J. R. Lindsey 07 Jua. Price 68 J. E. Campball 20 R. H. Handerson 60 Jan. Raid 70 Wm. Gowdy

71 Jan Hood

73 A. McClure

74 Sam Harrop

75 Oraham MoNair

76 Jan Mollowell

78 J. E. McMillan

77 E. Edwards

81 George Rogers

V. J. Hampshire spreading gravel \$ 8.00

Accounts were passed as follows

M. Turner, operating grader

Mrs. Pryde, charity.

Matthew Laidlaw, 40yda gravel. Jno. Ballantine, refund

fenry May, salary as collector ...

Walter Brain, error in assessment

William Wiley, refund dog tax...

Moved by J. L. Standlals, seconded by

John Elliott, that on the recommendation

of the Township Auditors a resolution be

passed by this Council authorising the

Council and the leading committee to pur-

obase with the Clargy Reserve 2nd Railway

Honus funds, Government, County or other

securietles approved of by the government.

That the landing committee consist of the

Reave, Deputy Reave and the Treasurer.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday,

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"CANADA IN THE MAKING" An Able and Inspiring Lecture by

Rov. C. A. Little, B. A., Guelph The lecture on "Canada in the Making," in the winter's course of the King's Orderlles Hible Class, was given in the Methedist Hohool Room on Monday evening and was a fitting olimay to the season's notivi-

Hov. George A. Little, B. A., of Chalmers Prostyterian Church, Guelph, was the lecturer. Ills treatment of this important subject was comprehensive, patrictic, instructive, prophetic and eloquent. Canada's origin, her history, hor goographical and political divisions, her characteristics and resources, her population past, present and future, her relations to the empire and to her own people were all ably and intelli-

gently dealt with. The lecturer impressed strongly that we have a part to play in the empire, in this land, calling upon our energies. From east to west and north to south our people have local twohlens which the whole country will do well to understand. These problems appeal to governments, to churches and to schools. The war is complicating our national problems but the outcome will be a development which will a broad-minded nationalism and an enthusiastic and loyal

The lecture throughout was replate with interest and every part of it appealed to all to play the part as Canadians proud of our country and determined to do our where toward intelligent, helpful and God-honor ng development.

The Sunday School Orchestre and the Misses Mason contributed a number of musical numbers which all appreciated. Kindly words appreciative of the splen-

No mention is made of compensation for I did lecture were spoken in lichalf of the K.

A WORD FOR MOTHERS It fea grave mistake for mothers to neg-

lect their aches and pains and auffer it allence-this only leads to chronic sickness and often shortens life. If your work is tiring; If your nerves are excitable; if you feel languid, weary or depressed, you should know that Scott's Runulsion overcomes just such conditions. It possesses in concentrated form the very elements to invigorate the blood, strengthen the tissues, nourish the nerves

and build strength. Scott's is strengthening thousands of rothers-and will help you. Try it.

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tary ouths, of uperior kind, and is proper-ul to execute all orders for cleaning effects and estapools in a thoroughly sauttary and tatte-factory manner, leaving the premises in a clean and tidy condition. My work in the past is my best recommendation, Orders will have prompt attention.

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THE PUBLIC HEALTH

CITIZENS ARE REQUESED TO COMPLY WITH THE PUBLIC

HEALTH ACT

Acton are required fortbutth to clean their Actor are required forthwith to clear their cellers, drains, yards, Jig styes, water closely outbuildings and other premises, and temore therefrom all dire, manure and other substance which may outanger the public health and to have the same completed by the tenth day of May next, on which day the Eanitary Isopestor will commence a general inspection, and further take notice that the section of the Public Health Act prohibiting the keeping of boost heaven the 15th of May and 15th of Movember, except to pens at least 10 feet from any street willing those, and 10 feet from any street water and regularly cleaners, will be strictly enforced. All citizens see carnes ly requested to beep

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