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WINTERBOS -- In Acton. on Bunday, 26th November, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Winterbon, a son-Kenneth Charles. GRACK-At the General Hospital, Guelph, on Saturday, November 11th, 1916, to

Lloyd Gourge. MARRIED Winnipog, on Tuesday, 28th November, 1016, Liout, Harold R. Haro, formerly District Representative of Agriculture front. for Halton, to Pearl Adelaide, daughter of Mr. W. Graham, Winnipeg.

Bronk-At Grace Hospital, Toronto, on Monday 27th November, 1916, Wil-Ham T. Stone, aged 62 years.

Dairos -Killed in action "Semewhere in Franca" on September 20th, 1016. Charles W. Balton, dearly beloved hus-band of Lila Critith, formerly of Acton.

### The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1010

### EDITORIAL NOTES

HON. A. E. KEMP, M. P., for East Toronto, who has been minister without portfolio in the Horden Cabinet since its organivation in 1011, is Canada's new Minister of Militle and Defense, succeeding Lieut. Gen. Sir Sam Hughes. He was sworn in office by the Duke of Davoushire at Rideau Hall on Thursday. Mr. Kample a success. ful business man, and as a civilian may perhaps be more effective at the head of his department then a military man could by.

reproductions of paintings and etchings by well-told story, with glints of wit and well-known artists. The frontispiece is an stehing by H. Ivan Neilson, of Quelioc. a keenest interest. The particulars of the two members the Quartette was unable to triember of the Canadian Art Club. Other Canadian artists represented are Tom Thomson, Maurice Cullen, Dorothy Stevens, Merbert Raine, W. J. Thomson, George Fawcett. There are reproductions also of examples of the work of French artists. Paul Hallen and W. Bouguereau, and the birthday. Durch tartooslas, Rasmaskers.

THE ACTIONITIES of England are at last beginning to realize the destructiveness of food products by the distillaries and broweries of the country. An official anaouncemeet by the Board of Trade of London says: "It has been reported to the Board of Trade that in consequence of the scarcity and high price of barley, purchases of wheat have recently been made by brewere for use in their business. The Board Yede has accordingly made an order, the effect of which is to probibit the use of wheat in the manufacture of beer and similar liquors. The order became effective on Monday.

THE NEW Covernor-General, the Duke V Devonables, has manifested his interest A the work being carried on by the Cansden Patriotic Fund by consenting to besone President of the Fund. This position Dale of ( anaught, from the inception of the and until his departure from Canada, and he present position of the Fund in nationi confidence and financial strongth is largly do to his inspiration and personal devotion to its interests. The new Clovernor-Genral evidently proposes to take the same active part in promoting the welfare of this great national undertaking.

DOMINION PROMINITION is now the serions objective of loading workers in all the provinces. The Executive of the Council of the Dominin Alliance held a two-day session in Toroto last week. Representatives were present from every province in Canada. The report of the Bub-Executive presented gave indictall the legislative history of the past yer including the introduction into the lbminion Parliament of the resolution calleg for Dominion-wide probibition as a war measure. There was considerable discussion in regard to the character of legislative to be sought at Ottawa during the coulny session of the Deminion Parliament, it being the unantmous opinion that aggressite action should be taken. To this end it we agreed that a conference of representatives of all provincial prohibition organization should be hald in Ottowe on December 14h.

news prow the 164th Battalion The Men are Enjoying Atkielle Contests...All hope for new Rocrults to fill up the Banks

On Monday, November 20th, the 164th were matched in a game of basefull with the 205th Hamilton Tigers. We were defeated by a narrow margin.

On Tuesday evening, 21st, a concert arranged for by the Y. M. C. A., was held in the recreation room. There was a large proved present. The talent was of a tory high order, the saveral places belon deservedly encored. The readings were worthy of special mention. The artists were from Toronto and Hamilton. Capt. Rev. Woodoook, chaplain, made an efficient

The moving plotures are proving of great interest to the men. New plotures are shown every alternate evening.

A recruiting campaign has been launchad in the countles of Halton and Dufferin to secure the number of mon needed to fill up the Battelion. With this purpose in view meetings have teen held in Milton and Orangaville and addressed by Ident. Col. P. Domville, O. C. the 161th Batt. Capt. Rev. Woodcock, chaplain, and others. It is to be hoped that the young men of the two counties will respond to the call and in this way enable the Batt-

alien to proceed overseas. There has been a large number of eases of slokness in the hospital. Bugler Robert Stewart is one of the number.

Lance-Corp. E. Burr is taking a course in Bombing at the school in Toronto. Mrs. C. Cook to visiting her hunband,

Corp. Cook, for a few tlays. Oa Thursday, 23rd, the 164th wore matched in a game of baskstball with the 205th Hamilton Tigers but again met

defeat at their hunds. The headquarters staff has been out down to a minimum. Many of the men are again on the atrength of their former

nompanios. Bugler J. D. Louttit gave several bugle calls at the Carth Street Methodist Church Anniversary entertainment on Monday, November 27th. Ptc. J. P. Boarrow exlained their significance to the audience

### ANOTHER SOLDIER WELCOMED

Pte. George Caswell Royally Received and Presented with Gold Watch SPLENDID STORY OF HIS EXPERI-

for the continuity of her receptions to her Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Grace, Acton, a son poldier sons, who have done their bit and returned from the sent of war. The welcome tendered to Pte, George Caswell on Many-Chanan - At St. Stephon's Church, Tuesday evening was equal in all cospects auditorium in a body. to those of our former horses from the

Robert Cines, Agnes Street. a guard of honor to the official car. Along place. The League is the practical trainallowring greated the returned here.

audience of citizens who were glad to have hereless. The alm is to keep innocence the opportunity of greeting by their and do that which is right. In the church prosence one who has served his country we are in the vestibule of sternity. Joshua at the front. Rosve Hynds in a few intro- proved to be a real hero and to-day the Caswell. He then called upon H. P. God. A number of beroes have gone out Moore, J. P., who presented the returned from our own church into the present war. soldier with a handsome gold watch on The heat men to be found anywhere are to behalf of the Municipal Council and be found in the Church of God. citizens, and added in a brief address

A FEATURE of the Canadian Magazine for | proceeded with a most interesting recital Miss Kinsman with the spirit of the pasim. December is the number of unusually fine of his experiences at the front. His plain, humor interspersed, was listened to with a disappointment. Owing to the illness of engagements at Ypres and Somme were appear. thrilling. Pto. Caswell was invalded as a result of shell shock followed by an attack | ers. flage and Epworth League embleme of pneumonis. He is still under the doo- added interest to the services. tor's care. It was quite an interesting coincidence that the reception was held on his

After a splendid patriotic number on the cornet and plane by Misses Lettle and Harel Mason, and an equally good plane dust as an encore, Capt. the Rev. Woodcock, Chaplain of the lütth Battalian, was

Capt. Woodcock made a masterly address on the cause of the war and the ressons why Great Britain and her allies are fight ing. He showed most impressively the duty of all citizens of the empire and appealed to the eligible man of Acton to solist with the 164th Battalion and do their bit as lovel citizens.

Rev. Mr. Wilson added a few trite and appropriate remarks and the gathering closed with the National Anthom. CHURCHILL

Mr. Edward Baldwin, of the third line who recently sold his farm to Mr. Hardy. of Esquesing, and who has also disposed of his stock and effects by nuction, is removing this week to Acton. On Tuesday wallald by the Duke's predocessor, the ovening the neighbors met to spend a social evening and presented Mr. and Mrs Baldwin with casy chairs.

Mrs. W. Watson and her daughter, Miss Hayder, have returned from their visit to friends in Alberta where they spent several

Mr. Withors has decided to give up farming again and will remove to Acton He will hold a clearing sale of stock and offcots by auction on Monday, 11th Decem

The woods around the hill have been resonnding with the reports of the sports. men's guns and the tengueing of their dogs lately. Rabbits have been plentiful and | 12 an occasional for has been secured.

Mr. T. A. Hwackhamer bus invested in a fine new gasoline engine and will out wood and do chapping for the neighborhood. The interest in the meetings of the Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church seems to be growing. There was an un. usually large attendance at the meating at the home of Mr. Albert Smith last week.

### DALLINAPAD

Mrs. James Campbell has returned home after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Stull Master Donald Sinclair is ill at present

We are pleased to see Mr. D. J. Biulcair able to be around agalu. The literary society has re-organized for the winter months.

Mr. Herbert Allan arrived home from the west on Hunday morning. Mrs. Bert Rogers, of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Campbell, last

Mr. Comfort Rossel and sister, Jean, have returned home after spending three months in Saskatchawan.



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the best all sound liminent for both man and beast that I know."

## EPWORTH LEAGUE DAY

Observed in the Methodist Church Last Sunday Very interesting services were held in

the Methodist Church last Sunday. It was Epworth League day and the sermons Acton has gained an unviable regutation, were very appropriately suited to the The evening service was especially devoted to the Longuers. The members

compled the front powe and entered the Roy. Mr. Avison prosohed a splendid sormon from Exodus 37: 11, "Joshus, the

Private Caswell arrived from the Military | son of Nun, a young man, departed not out Hospital in Toronto by the 5.10 p.m. train. of the tabornade." Kind words of appro-He was not at the station by Reeve Hynds | clation were spoken at the outset of the and members of the Reception Committee character of the young people of the and motored to the home of his friend, church and the training they are receiving through the Epworth Lague. The theme At oight o'clock Acton Citizens' Hand, of the evening was centred whout one the Boy Scouts, and the Reception Com- thought, "How as young people we may mitten proceeded to Mr. Cross' residence | loarn to love the church." Moses so train and oscorted the guest of the evening to ed his pupil Joshua that the life of the the town hall. Eight Boy Scouts formed | tabernacle was to him the most attractive the route and at the town half salves of ing place of the church. In it there is taught, 1, the spirit of devotion; 2, the The town hall was orawded with an apirit of restraint; and 3, the spirit of disctory remarks cordially welcomed I'te. | heroes of the land are from the Church of

At the evening service Miss Kinsman, o further words of welcome and congratule. Exeterang with much acceptance a splendidacting of the twenty-third pealm as a Pte. Caswell expressed his sincore thanks | soprano solo. She has a rich, awest, fullfor the uplendid reception accorded him toned voice and her singing given evidence and the boautiful present bestowed upon of careful training. There was throughhim by the Council and citizens. Ho, then out the number a sympathetic feeling by The absence of the Maple Leaf Quartette of Galt, announced for the day, was quite

The decoration of the church with flow-

### HASSAGAWEYA

A very enjoyable box social and dance was held at the home of Mr. John A. Black a couple of weeks ago which afforded a very enjoyable evening for a large sassmbly of people, and netted the Red Orose funds the handsome sum of \$40. With his experienced leadership Mr. George Blacklock organized the affair, Reeve Campbell was the auctioneer and Mr. F. F. Bayers the bookkeeper. Mr. John McIntyre, of Erin, was floor manager.

## CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

COLLEGE ST., TORONTO.

Thanks for the privilege of appealgreat Provincial Charity. Our need of money is measured by the children's need of help, and you can judge how great that need must be when last year 3,045 mick little ones wore treated as in-patients, and as will

olacos outsido Toronto. Cradles? That is the question. ury moans one coffin loss in LITTLE WHITE HEARSE. The Hospital must be digging up

solp for little children from the soll of human kindness, or sextons will be digging graves for little children in The Hospital for Bick Children can only volunteer its mercy in so far as you friends of little children volunteer

f the little ones. some little child from the durout of

die because the fathers of those children have left home to fight for liborty on the British battle line, and can the Hospital help the children of Canada's soldiers with its care unless you solp the Hospital with your cash? You have money enough to help every other war fund without keeping back a dollar from the Hospital's war fund—the fund that helps the Hospital save the lives of little children, including the soldiers' little children.

the loss of the Hospital's care, the contribution that should be given and must be given to the war funds. Your money can soud a message of cheer to some father in the trenchesyes, send that message from the cot where the Hespital nurses some little child back to life, the child of the father who is fighting your battle in

Every dollar kept from the Hospital's power to serve the little children is a weight added to the burdens and a grief added to the serrows of

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be seen from the 1016 figures, 502 ationts were admitted from 242 Last year 271 in-patients were treat d for deformition, such un club foot, bow-logs, knock-knees, Pott's disease of the spine, lateral curvature of the spine, distocations, infantile paralysis, tubercular disease of knoo, bip, anklo. In the Hospital for Blok Children to take dellars out of your pocket, or is donth to take bables out of their

your money for service in the Youpital's nover-ending battle for the lives Lot your money fight in the trenches of some mother's trouble and rescue

pain, disoase and death. Can the Hospital leave children to

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the trenches.

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and wife, their relation. P. M .- The new wine of the Spirit. BARBATH BOHOOL In the afternoon at 2.30 o'clack

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BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of George Douglas, late of the Township of Esqueeing, in the County of Halton, Farmer, Decembed.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the fliatthere he and other persons having claims agains at the Keinte of theorge Douglas, late of the of the Keiste of theorge Bonglas, late of the Township of Requesing. County of Stalton, Fermer, who died at Requesing on or about the kiet day of Cetater, 1916, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the understand, the Stolkhor for the Executars of the said Retare, on pr before the little day of Becomber 1916, their names, addresses, and full particulate of their names, addresses, and full particulate of their staims duly verified, and the nature of the samplities if any held by them, and after the said little day of Becomber, 1916, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the sacets of the said deceased among the personnentitied thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose plaims they shall not then have had notice.

A. J. MACKINNON. Deled this 13th day of November, 1916, 20 8

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Al. Omice of the Hallance Blace Co. Ministed,
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By-Law of the said company, as follows: That the Head Office of the company be, and the time is, hereby, changed from the City of Yoronto, Out, to the village of Actor. Out. Passed by the Directors and scaled with the company's seal this well day of November &. D. 1916.

J. DIHWOODY, President P. M. HIVETT, Becretary We hereby eartify the foregoing to be a true copy of hy-Law No. boof the Maltanes whose Co. Limited, passed by the Directors on the both day of November A. D. 191d, and unanimously confined by all the shareholders of the company at a special general meeting of chareholders only beld for considering the same. Witness our hands and the co operate seal of

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