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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT

Maple Leaf Quartet Concert... Women's Institute Meeting Friday... Communists Services Next Sunday... The third quarterly communion service for the confederate year will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday.

SORROW AT WESTINGHOUSE BARRACKS

The tragic death of Pte. O'Reilly, of the 16th Battalion, at the Bombing School, caused keen regret... INCIDENTS OF THE WEEK... The tragic accident at the Bombing School last Wednesday, by which Pte. O'Reilly, of the 16th Battalion, lost his life...

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. John Cook, of Hamilton, visited Acton friends this week... Mrs. John Cook, of Hamilton, visited Acton friends this week... Mrs. John Cook, of Hamilton, visited Acton friends this week...



SUCCESSFUL GARDENING... The first condition is good seed. The gardener whether for pleasure or profit cannot afford to gamble. He must have the best seed that money can buy.



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Guelph, Ontario

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1917

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

First of February... The winter's half gone... More lay pavements this week... There is an unusual depth of snow on the level... Farmers are getting fancy prices for wood these days... The January tax came all right, but it was of short duration... Mr. James R. Crox is the new President of the Mill Fair. The society has \$715.22 in the treasury... A bill carried the by-law to bonus the same Rubber Co. last week by a large majority... Mr. P. E. Deach, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Guelph, has resigned... The improvement repairs are nearing completion and it is expected the outside series of street lighting will be turned on next week... Nick Sybil, an Austrian in Guelph, was found guilty of stealing coal from C. P. R. cars. He had over seven tons stored in his cellar... Both Erin and Milton selected October 10th and 11th as the dates for their fair this year. One or the other will probably change the date... Mr. A. E. Foster, of the Oakville Star, was elected President of the Trillium Agricultural Society last week for the eleventh year in succession... The roofs of many buildings are carrying a big load of snow now. In case of a thaw or rain there will be the danger of being overwhelmed, to cause "Safety First"... Messrs. Boardman and Co. are distributing 90 tons of stove coal among their employees this week... An amusing and very palatable surprise came into the report of the Mill Fair in its last issue where it was stated that the annual meeting was held on Sunday afternoon... The opening of the Wallace property as a new building lot available. Those contemplating building homes should look into the advantages offered... For the death of Rev. Charles E. Stafford of Elora, the C. P. R. has agreed to pay his widow \$2,000... There continues a growing demand for houses in town. Enquiries are being made daily for houses for rental. Higher rents are being offered. Men with capital to invest will find the building of houses a profitable investment.

OBITUARY

Mrs. THOMAS S. WORKMAN... After a year of serious illness death came to the relief of Mrs. Thomas S. Workman, while sitting at her father's house on Park Ave., on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Workman passed from her home at Kitchener to Acton about Christmas and was never able to return. From her girlhood she never enjoyed rugged health. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dills and came with the parents to Acton twenty-three years ago. She was married in September, 1912. She and her husband resided for a couple of years in Brampton and a year ago they removed to Kitchener. Mrs. Workman was a jovial disposition and had many girl friends here who esteemed her highly. She was a member of the Methodist Church. The funeral, which will be private, will be held on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. Interment will be made in Fairview Cemetery.

LINEHOUSE

One of the best lines ever given an analysis at this place was enjoyed by the present at the recital of "Jois Valjean," by Rev. Howard B. Heller, B. A., of the Wesleyan Church on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. Mr. Heller has marked ability as a dramatic reader and held his audience with rapt attention from start to finish. The address by Mr. Wm. Gowdy was, as always, much appreciated. Mr. Geo. E. Palkington made a capable chairman. The ladies served refreshments and, with the singing of the National Anthem, an evening which will long be remembered was brought to a close. Over 100 were seated for the Belgian Relief Fund.

GREYS, JEWS AND ENGLISH

In Court on Various Charges Last Thursday... Magistrate H. P. Moore had quite a field day in court last Thursday. The nationalities represented were as varied as the charges preferred.

CREWSON'S CORNERS

Mr. Robert Allen, Swan River, Man., was in court on Tuesday last... The man was all expecting to be sent on his way.

MILITARY NOTES

Pte. Wilfred Allison, of the 205th Batt., Hamilton, visited Acton friends this week... Pte. George Caswell, one of our inviolated soldiers, came up from Toronto last Wednesday to attend the reception to Pte. Lantz, his companion in arms in the 68th Battalion.

TO INVESTORS

THOSE WHO, FROM TIME TO TIME, HAVE FUNDS REQUIRING INVESTMENT MAY PURCHASE AT PAR DOMINION OF CANADA DEBENTURE STOCK IN SUMS OF \$500, OR ANY MULTIPLE THEREOF

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HALTON UNION FIRE INS. CO.

Well Attended Annual Meeting Held Here on Monday... The annual meeting of Halton Union Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held in the Town Hall on Monday afternoon. The attendance showed a keen interest in the affairs of the company.

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