Births, Marriages and Beaths are now charged for at the following rates : Hirths 25c., Marriage too, Deaths Mr. Memorial Cards 10s, and 10 por line extra for per me.

#### MARRIED

Restlictorsweet. At the home of the bride's parents, Acton, on Wednesday November 28th, 1917, by the Roy, J. ( Wilson, B. A., Wilms, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnstone, to Stanley S., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Itussell, all of Acton.

HETTH-In Namagawaya, on Monday, 25th November, 1917, Joseph Smyth, agod 3

BRITH-At Cloveland, Ohio, on Saturday, 24th November, James Edwin, son o the late Charles Sidney and Diana Smith. of Fairviow Place, Acton, agod 46 years.

### The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1917

### EDITORIAL NOTES

THE DISTRIBUTION of sogar and the price are being closely, watched by the Food Controller's office. Steps have been taken to check wholesale hearding to prevent an advance in retail prices, and to secure an equitable apportionment of aupplica.

As a result of co-operation between the Food Controller and the Federal Department of Agriculture the farmers throughout the Duminion have been informed of the necessity of increasing the production of bogs in Canada and campaigns have been launched in every province under the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

Eveny citizen in probably roady to accept the abstract principle that the practice of thrift and economy, with the object of secumulating the wherewithal for purchasing war bonds, is good for his compatriote; but not all of us have applied that principle to our personal affairs to the extent that is desirable. Let us each considor conscientiously how we may devote sufficleat of our loceme or savings to the purchase of Victory War Bonds for the help of our country and the support of our soldiers

AT THE House of Commons nominations last wook Dr. Anderson, the Unionist Candidate made complimentary' reference to the retiring member, Hon. David Henderson, who had represented the county for talion : nearly thirty years, something unique and unusual in the political history of Canada, he said. Mr. Gregory, the Laurier candidate, followed, and his opening remarks also referred in complimentary terms to Mr. Henderson, whose great services, he thought should have been recognized by the Government by appointing him a Senator so that he could still represent the County at

by the mob at Kitchener last Saturday night, when Sir Robert Bordon, Premier | brighter than ever, and you know I always of Canada, was not permitted to address the electors, shows very conclusively the necessity of a Union Covernment to subdue that kind of spirit in Canada. Unfortunatoly this is the natural fruit of the laxity of the late Government in taking prompt and forceful action at the beginning of the war to stamp out the seditions spirit which was very manifest in that section of Ontara. The irony of fate made the Premier himself the subject of lawless citizens of

Tuenz are thousands of retail merchant throughout Canada, especially in the small er towns and villages, who would gladly subscribe, or subscribe more, for Victory Bonds, if it were not for the amount of money they are carrying on their books and the uncertainty as to when much of it will be paid. If everyone during the last week of the campaign would make an effort to pay his hill to the local merchant, the latter would be glad to increase his Victory Loan subscription. Patriotism demands is and so does self interest, for only by beery over-subscription of the Victory Bood issue can the prosperity of Canada's population be assured.

BIR RODEUT BORDEN, Prime Minister, has handed out the following statement : is the intention of the Government that th service of a member or members of any family during the present war, shall ! taken fully into account in considering the exemption of other members of the same family from compulsory service Act. Th Instructions of the Military Service Council to the Tribunals are along this line, and is case any Tribunal or Appellate Tribunal should fail to act accordingly the Minister of Militia and Defence, under the power vosted in him, will discharge from military service members of any family to whom exemption has been improperly refused."

THE ELECTION campaign is on in carnes In this county. Public meetings are being hold throughout the riding and the interest in the coming election is growing. For the most part the old party lines are as clearly manifest as usual. Dr. Apderson the Contervative Unjonist capdidate, in re celving the support of the Conservatives with very little deflection. Mr. Gregory. the Laurier Liberal nominee, is reported as feeling a growing confidence on the success of his candidature. Sir Hobert Horden the Promier, is billed to speak in Milton to day in behalf of Dr. Anderson, and Mr., Gregory has had E. Hartley Dowart, K. C., M P. P. speaking in his interpota in several

### CREWSONS CORNERS

Mears. McAlpine are in this neighbor hood this week fluishing up the season'

Mr. Fred Cleave, Esquesing, has rented Mr. A. B. Murray's farm. Mr. and Mre Cleave will be contially welcomed to od neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Murray and Mise Jossio will rotire to a well carned rest

Mrs. W. A. Murray apont last wook with friends in Toronto.

### AT QUELPH NEXT WEEK

The Winter Fair opens Dec. 2nd and this date Mason' & Risch announce the start of an immouse sale of Planes, Organs, talking Machines at almost half their, original prices. Shoot Music, Violing, oto, will be reduced. Thin't fail to see us when in Guelph. Factory Branch Store Just above the Post Office.

No, Cordelia, a maiden offert door always load to matrimony. Patriotism and politics-travel liand band only once in a while.

many a man who wears a small but.

Last Sitting on Monday to Hear Applicants for Exemption .

The last regular sitting of the Acton ribunal to bear applicants for exemption nder the Military Service Act was held on Monday. The following thecisions were made since last Worlnesday, 21st inst : CLARS A-EXEMPTED

Kentner, Walter John, farmer, George-

Fisher, John Alvin, farmer, Erin. West, David Frederick, farmer, Erin. McKouzio, William Charles, farmer, Gillman, Henry George, farmer, Glen-

Butler, William, farmer, Acton. Smith, Frederick Robertson, farmer,

rilliams.

CLASS A-EXEMPTION DISALLOWED Dishan, Joseph, teamster, Glenwilliams Day, Arthur Gordon, carpenter, Nerval. Ritchio, Daniel Victor, shipping clark

Mann, Alexander Kennedy, farme cton, after January 15th, IDIS. CLASIES B C D E-EXEMPTED Until their classes are called.

Scott, Thomas Henry, farmer, Beque Mullin, William Clarence, carpente

Glenwilliams. Smith, George Albert, munition worker lenwilliama. Wikis, Frod, glove finisher, Acton.

Horrington, Cory Earl, Georgetown. Thompson, Richard, laborer, George-

Varcy, Clarence, musician, Georgetown Campbell, John, farmer, Georgetown. McArthur, Lawrence, farmer, Acton. Mann, John Lawson, farmer, Acton.

PTE J. L. CRIPPS HOME AGAIN Was in Russia Early in the War, but

"Lately Served in France Pte J. L. Cripps, whose mother, brothe and sister, reside here, but who has mad his home at Vancouver for a number years, writes the Fars Paras from Quebec on the 19th inst. Pte. Cripps spent some time in Russis in the early months of the war where he was engaged in railway constuction. During the past year he has been in France with a construction bat-

Quebec, Nov. 19th, 1917. on Tuesday. Dear Mr. Moore : I take this means of letting my friends and relatives at Acton know of my return so far from this awful war, and to express my gratitude that I have been spared the fate of many men who have been at the

I shall be glad to reach the end of my the marriage to take place quietly in Miljourney where I shall meet my own dear once in our own home, which appeals to me The unseemly exhibition of intelerance now more fully than ever before. I think Vancouver and British Columbia will seen had a good word for our great and growing from a trip to Halifax. city, with all its advantages and the

natural resources of its surroundings. I would like to tell you something of my experiences in the army, but I could not sak you for space to repeat the story which other soldiers have told in the Faxa Pares so often. I might say that when a boy ; used to pray that some day I might see some of this great world, away from home surroundings. My prayers have surely been answered during the past two or three years to a large extent.

'I trust the time is not far away when this awful war will be at an end and there will be peace once more. Kind regards to all old friends and Merry Christmas to you all.

Hollyburn West. Vancouver B. C.

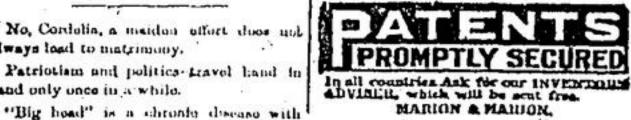
### **OBITUARY**

JAMES EDWIN SHITE The sad nows came to Mrs. C. S. Smith the widowed mother, of the sudden death at Cioveland, Ohio, of her second son, James Edwin on Saturday. Death came under rather distressing conditions. Mrs. Smith, who is in poor health, had gone to Georgia to spend the winter with her sister there. The home flat at Cleveland had been closed and Mr. Smith was living in one of the hotels. He was a prominent Mason and the brethren of that society took charge of the remains and superintended the funeral. James Edwin Smith was born in Acton and spent his boyhood days here. When a young man he went to Toledo, Ohio, where he loarned the lithographing business: For a quarter of a century he was engaged in this business at Toledo and Claveland. Mr. Smith, who was accompanied by Mrs. Smith, spont a mouth or so with his mother here a couple of years ago. Much sympathy will be felt for his bereaved wife, and his mother here, who in her Inneliness

#### Interment was made at Tolodo. GRACE AGREW

fcols this great sorrow very keenly indeed

In the death of Miss. Orace Agnew. be loved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Agnew, of this district, there has passed to life serlasting a young girl, who for years has commanded the sympathy, ad miration and respect of friends and neigh bors because of her patience in affliction, and the sweetness of her disposition Among her companions she was a general favorite and loved by all. Although a suf forer for years, she bore the expression of one who had caught the reflection of "the gleam, the light that never was on see or land." . Last winter she went through ; severe but successful operation and to all appearances was making sound progress toward perfect bealth. Suddenly illness came, there was a two weeks' battle for the victory, theu, trusting in the Divine One she passed from Death unto Life, in her twentieth year. Bhe leaves to mourn her loss, a loving father and mother, one brother, Robert, and a sistor, Mrs. Cocil Jackson. The funeral was held on Saturday, the service being conducted by Rev. D. H. Riggs assisted by Rov. R. M. Hanna. Interment was made in Riverside Cometory .- Hartney, Man. Star. Grace will be remembered as a wee girlie in Acton, her birthplace, whom everybody loved, and cepecially her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Agnew. The friends here sympa-



thize deeply with Mr. and Mrs. Agnew and

family in the loss of this dear one from the

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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. P. Sayers visited friends in Toronto Miss Lettie A. Moore was home from Toronto ever Bunday.

Mrs. Joseph Holmes wished friends in Toronto several days last week. Miss Pearl Moore, of Guelph, visited Acton friends during the week. Mr. Ernest Brown spent a couple of days last wook with friends in Torento.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Doscon, of Toronto,

left last week for Bt. Potersburg, Blorida.

Mr. R. D. Warren, of Toronto, visited his brother, Mr. James L. Warren, this Mrs. Harold Davis, of Mitchell, visited at the home of her parents during the

Mr. Jan Skinner, of Peterborough, visib ed his sister, Mrs. M. McLean, Knox Ave., Mr. King Cooper is moving his family to

Georgetown. Acton regrets losing this estimable family. Mrs. W. L. Worden is spending a few weeks with her father at Grand Valley,

Mrs. F. A. MoLean, Watford, is spending a few weeks at the home of her father Mr. Wm. Johnstone. Mrs. McKenzie, and babe, of Vermillion, Alta., are the guests of Mrs. Mc Kenzie's

who has been ill.

sister, Mrs. M. McLoan. Mrs. W. T. Stone and her son, Pte. William Stone, of the Exhibition Camp, Torento, visited at Mr. J. L. Warren's last Miss Mas Williams, of Sault Sta Marie

who has spont the past three months at the home of her grandparents, returned home Meesrs. H. P. Moore, J. P., and Borgt. W. J. Gould were in Toronto on Monday evening to hear ex-President Roosevolt' big Victory Loan address in the Armories Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poacook announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ketha Lois to Mr. Melvin Hilborn, of Galt,

Mrs. C. T. Hillyard, of Rosthern, Sask., wife of Sergt. Hillyard, is spending a few weeks at the bome of ber father, Mr. Gil-

### bert Creemore. She has just returned NEW WINNIPEG TRAINS

Travel between Eastern and Western Canada is always heavy in the winter months particularly during December with its holiday season. To most the requirements of the public, therefore, a special Daily Service between Toronto and Winnipeg is announced by the Canadian North ern Railway ; Westbound, Doc. 3rd to Jan. 2nd, 1918 only ; Eastbound, Doc. 1st to Jan. 5th, 1918 only. Thereafter regular triweekly service will be resumed. A Through Tourist Bleeping Car will also be operated daily between Toronto and Calgary as part of the above special service, and connection will be made with regular daily trains between Winnipeg and Edmonton. Service between Toronto and Vancouver remains tri-weekly leaving Toronto, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, as at present. For further particulars, see local Time Table Folders, or apply to Local Agent, A.

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daughter, Mrs. H. Barth. Ballinafad friends.

The Woman's Institute held a Red Cross Concert in the hall on Friday night . A plossing fosture was an address on Red Cross work by Airs (Dr.) McNiven of

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### BALLINAFAD

Mrs. Stephen Roszel has gone to Torra Cotta and will spend the winter with her Mr. D. Hilts, Norval, spent Sunday with

Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald, of Georgetown, were the gneets of Mr. and Mrs. J. The bool ring will hold their annual oyster supper on Friday night. Mrs. J. Lang, of Grand Valley, is spend-

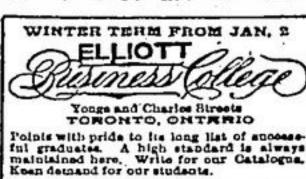
ing a few days with her sister, Mrs. O.

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Black beifer due to freshen Dec. 20; Helstein oow, milking well YOUNG CATTLE- 8 steers rising 3

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