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**Died**

BROOKS, M. A. residence, Grimsby Farm lot N. on 9th Street, on Monday, November 19th, 1917, John Frederick Brooks, oldest son of the late Charles Brooks, and beloved husband of Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks.

The Georgetowner

Wednesday Evening, January 8, 1918

The UNEXPECTED death of Col. Roosevelt, the mouldy old man, one of the most prominent and to many respects the most popular men in the United States, has given kind overjoyed manner. His life and conduct has always been an example to all. Britons must ever be grateful to the Colonel for the example he set with regard to the part Americans were called upon to take in the war.

THE SALVATION ARMY has during the period of the War done a great work with the soldiers overseas. In fact, the twelfth day of the War found the Salvation Army at work behind the lines in Belgium. It continued to maintain nearly two hundred huts, forty-five ambulances and over twelve hundred uniformed workers. The Salvation Army also established and maintained ninety-six hostels and forty rest rooms. These hostels were located in Paris, Boulogne, London, England, and various other points including several Canadian cities where the returned soldiers have been given comfortable quarters and a good bed at a price we may be able to pay. At the hostel

Army has made no appeal for funds to help in its War work, but now with the early return of nearly 800,000 more additional hostels must be opened, and for the purpose of continuing and extending its work the Canadian public will be asked to subscribe One Million Dollars during the week of January 19th to 26th. In addition to the work mentioned above the Army interests itself in the wives, widows and dependent orphans of soldiers so that we feel you will have a hearty interest in supporting the campaign.

**Military News**

Corp. Alfred Cummings has called his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cummings that he sailed for Canada on the Metagama on January 4th.

Sergt. W. F. Dewar, of Milton, bandmaster of the 164th Battalion Band, which went overseas in the spring of 1917, is on his way home to the illness of his mother, Mrs. Duncan Dewar.

Lt. Col. Franklin Nixon, son of Rev. Mr. Nixon formerly of Stowartown, has arrived at his home at Wimborne after being a prisoner in Germany for fifteen months.

Pte. Shultz-Buck was a visitor in town during the holidays.

Capt. Elmore Miershill, who has been fighting in France for the past three years, arrived at the home of his sister Mrs. J. A. Willoby this morning.

Flight-Lieut. James Clark, who arrived home last week from overseas, is looking well after his varied experiences. He had a severe fall with his machine while on active service but is recovering nicely. Welcome home "Jim".

Corp. Martin Cuppings one of the old 164th boys, arrived home last week after doing his bit in France. He was severely wounded but has almost completely recovered. Glad to see you Martin, and welcome home.

**Terra Cotta**

Mr. W. G. Lyons has arrived home from the West. We are pleased to learn that Mr. Frank Poch is recovering from his severe illness.

Mrs. J. Saunders entertained a number of friends to a social dance one evening last week.

Mr. Leslie Pearce had to return to Guelph Hospital last week.

Among our holiday visitors were: Misses Burrows of Toronto; Misses Minnie and Myrtle McNaughton, Pte. S. J. Marchmont; Mr. B. Burgess, Lindsay; Mr. and Mrs. Hayward, Georgetown.

Mr. James Longo of Hamilton made a visit to town last week.

A large quantity of wool is now being shipped from the siding here.

Mr. Geo. Kirkwood is the new president of our Co-operative Society and Mr. Taylor as was stated recently. The Society held a successful meeting on Monday evening.

Mrs. Ledridge of Glenwilliams visited her parents on the mountain last week.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes, who have received word of the death of their son Edward Stokes on December 16th. He also leaves a young widow and family to mourn his loss.

**Major Grant Reeve**

Election Returns of Town and Township School Trustees

Elections Elsewhere in County

The election in town on Monday caused considerable stir and when the returns were figured up in the evening there were some surprises, also some disappointments. There was a large field of candidates and probably no one felt just sure where they stood until the returns were announced at 7 o'clock in the evening.

REVIEW No. 1 No. 2 Total

W. H. Grant 97 80 186

J. Hartwell 81 93 179

T. Wright 26 26 52

W. F. Bradley 10 160 200

W. F. Cook 112 143 253

W. C. Bush 76 74 150

G. Arnold 58 73 131

W. Bridgeman 47 84 91

R. S. TRUSTEES

E. Fleck 114 108 222

J. M. Cooke 118 90 208

A. J. Kennedy 104 85 190

R. W. Burn 65 67 132

L. Kennedy 60 67 127

Dean Hartley 12 30 42

W. Whitmore 8 18 24

Georgetown Council for 1919

as proposed as follows:-

TOWNSHIP COUNCILLORS

Wards Thompson Hampshire McDowell Brain

No. 1 28 88 87 7

No. 2 25 40 55 65

No. 3 44 58 41 15

No. 4 16 57 9 15

No. 5 29 19 18 9

No. 6 147 47 88 23

Total 284 254 188 121

Esqueme Council next year will be composed as follows:-

Reeve—J. L. Standish.

Deputy-Reeve—J. R. Elliott.

Councillors—W. J. L. Ham-

shire, Fred Thompson and James

McDowell.

OTHER MUNICIPALITIES

Acton—Reeve, George Barber;

Councillors, Dr. Gray, Torrance Boardman, Jeremiah Bell, John Leishman.

Milton—Mayor E. F. Earl (acclamation); Reeve, J. F. Little (acclamation); Councillors, Turner, Sieier, Maxted, Bell, Chambers, Ramsaw.

Oakville—Mayor, W. S. Davis;

Reeve, George Hillman; Deputy

Reeve, A. S. Foster; Councillors,

R. R. Hart, T. W. Stearn, Walter Whitaker, J. B. Elliott and Thos. Blakelock.

Burlington—Only Messrs. Clever and Page of Burlington's old Council, which fought so hard against the Radial Railway Company, were returned. Reeve, Mayor, Dr. T. W. Penit; Reeve, Hugh Cleaver; Deputy-Reeve, H. Graham; Councillors, F. W. Taylor, W. C. Kearns, Geo. Blair, Robert Gray, Alex. Leitch, Roy Page, School Trustees, Allan Nicholson, J. S. Allan, J. Stevenson, Miss M. H. Townsend. The school by-laws carried.

Trafalgar—Reeve, W. H. Mor-

don; Deputy-Reeve, J. A. Johnson;

Councillors, Walbrook, Marlatt

and Stephenson.

Nelson—Reeve, Chas. Readhead;

Deputy-Reeve, W. A. Irving, J. W. Mof-

fatt; Councillors, D. R. Hutcheson,

Amos Norrish, D. Whitley, Ed.

Brantford—Mayor Bull, (accla-

mation); Reeve, Thauberger, (accla-

mation); Deputy-Reeve, Mullis,

War, Sackrider, Wilson, Mc-

Killip, Frank.

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**Letters from Belgium**

The following extracts are taken from letters written to his parents in Toronto, from Mons., Belgium, by Lieut. George F. Warren:

November 19.—Just before we came to Junape, about two miles from Mons., we passed an ammunition column and I recognized, driving one of the teams, Roaf Barber. I didn't know him for a minute, but he looks well. Later he came to my billet for a couple of nights and we had some good chats. At present his section is some distance away from us on the opposite side of the town. I expect all the sections will be together on the march which will likely soon begin.

There are four officers in our section, besides myself, the O. C. and a Captain and two other Lieutenant.

THE CANADIAN INFANTRY LINE

were past Mars 2nd easily, a day before the armistice was signed, and our unit was quite near then the time the armistice took place. On Friday evening, 13th of November, as you

will see in the news paper, the Germans

had started against the Canadians in

1914 and it was here that the Canadians

front line was the morning battle

was

over. The Germans

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