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NEWS AROUND TOWN

See Mrs. J. C. Nichol's ad. on page 7.

Mr. David Brown had another operation on one of his eyes, and is hopefully improving.

The cider mill will cease operations at the end of this week.—Robt. Smith.

The Methodist Sunday school entertainment will be held on Thursday evening, December 21.

The Ladies' Guild of Trinity church are preparing for a sale of goods and home-made baking to be held on December 9.

The ladies of St. Paul's church, Egremont, will hold a sale of home-made baking at Red Cross headquarters on Saturday afternoon next at 2.30.

Walkerton council has passed a by-law fixing the poll tax at \$5 and in case of non-payment the penalty is an unstated penalty in jail with the tax still pending.

We regret to learn that Inspector Campbell is confined to his bed and unable to discharge his duties. We hope his trouble will be of short duration.

For sale.—A four-year-old colt, first-class driver; also a set team harness, a horse rake, a scuffer nearly new, a wagon truck and a good two-seated democrat. Apply to Wm. Large, Durham.

Mrs. M. Gardiner, a Walkerton milliner, with debts amounting to \$1,369.25, assigned for the benefit of her creditors. The assets were just sufficient to pay rent, insurance, and the cost of winding up the estate, and the creditors got nothing.

Another attempt to secure gas or oil at Hepworth is in progress and preparations for drilling have been under way for the past few weeks. Mr. McKillop, an oil driller from Petrolia, is in charge of the work, and is so confident of success that he is putting his own money into the venture.

Persons wishing to get the Toronto News, either new or renewal subscriptions, at the \$2 a year rate should place their orders with us so that remittances may reach The News office, Toronto, on or before the last day of this month. After that date, the subscription price is \$2.50.

Edward Mason, a former resident of St. Vincent, while preparing at the Canadian Soo to go on a hunting expedition with a friend was shot in the leg by the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of a companion. He was hurried to the hospital, but died the following day from loss of blood.

Mr. Geo. McMurray of Port Arthur, a resident of this town a few years ago, arrived here Monday night in his car from Port McNicoll, where he landed from the steamer Keewatin. He just called to see the boys, and left at noon Tuesday to go south with Mr. Whelan of Port Arthur, with whom he is engaged as chauffeur.

It is officially announced that the following troops have arrived safely in England: The 14th and 180th Ontario battalions; the 173rd Highlanders, Hamilton; the 194th Alberta Highlanders; the 222nd Manitoba battalion; the 158th British Columbia battalion; drafts signal corps, candidates for Royal Flying Corps, naval detachment.

A resident of Bentinck sends in a communication in which he says: "As a result of the concert given in Vickers (No. 3) school section by the Durham Baptist choir, with Miss Rita Irwin as accompanist, the Red Cross Society is richer by nearly \$200. After a stirring address by Dr. Taylor on the origin and growth of the Red Cross Society, and an earnest appeal to help our wounded by Mr. Allan Bell, the section was organized for sewing purposes. It was also agreed to have a house to house canvass, with the following results: Proceeds of concert, \$18.75; south line, \$100; front line \$30; north line, \$50."

Fresh fish for sale at all times, at my residence.—Miles Wilson.

The township of Bentinck has voted \$1,000 for Red Cross purposes, \$500 each to British and Canadian societies.

Lost.—Spring calf, all black, except white head. Finder will be rewarded by giving information to John O'Neil, at the Township Hall.

The ladies of the Red Cross will be at their headquarters on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons to give out work.

Mr. Geo. Smith, who has spent the harvesting and threshing season in Saskatchewan, arrived home on Tuesday night.

Rev. W. W. Wylie will preach at the anniversary services of the Paisley Baptist church on Sunday next. The Rev. Mr. Neilson of Paisley will take Mr. Wylie's place in Durham.

Dr. Lauder of Cleveland was in town the fore part of the week, and spent the 26th anniversary of their wedding with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lauder. He left for home on Monday afternoon.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McAlister, who were notified last week that their son, Pte. W. W. McAlister, had been wounded, and was missing. The situation is a sad one.

Do you want greeting cards to send to friends at Christmas? We have some choice samples, and would like to show them to you. Order early, so as to give plenty of time to execute them.

Wanted.—A. H. Jackson wants 100 to 200 men, women and children to pay 25c. per month for a Tobacco Fund for our own soldiers in the trenches. Kindly see him at an early date.

See the beautiful Christmas cards we are offering this year. Remember your friends by slight tokens. If by cards, printed and with your names on, order early, so that we may have them for you on time.

Levine & Co. have decided not to leave town. They have taken over the store now occupied by The J. D. Abraham Co., and will transfer their business there about the 1st of December, and will carry a full line of general merchandise. Old customers and also new ones are cordially invited to give a share of their patronage. Good treatment and good value will be accorded to all.

The Weekly Sun of last week devotes almost a page of write-up and illustrations of the farm of T. L. Mercer, of Markdale. The article was written by Stanley Thurston, son of Editor Thurston of Flesherton, who has a position on The Sun. Mr. Mercer has been getting considerable publicity of late, being the first farmer in this part of Ontario to install hydro for lighting and power purposes. He intends to get a gasoline tractor next spring, believing it would be a profitable investment.

Through the efforts of the National Sanitarium Association, with the co-operation of the clergy of all denominations, and the Department of Education, Sunday and Monday next, November 26 and 27, have been set apart as Tuberculosis Sunday and Tuberculosis Day in the schools. Literature on the subject has been distributed to ministers and teachers throughout the province, and the widest publicity is urged that all may join in stamping out the dread disease.

We received a letter yesterday from Sergt. Caldwell Marshall, who is somewhere in France. He reports himself well and tells how he enjoyed his birthday on the 3rd of November, and if all goes well he expects to be home for the next one. Johnston Allen and Lance McGirr are also reported well. He expresses regret over the death of Major Knight and John Weir; wishes to be remembered to his friends, and tells how he enjoys reading The Chronicle nearly every week.

Bring or send in your films to be developed and printed. Work promptly finished. Kelsey Studio.

Photographs—15 photos with every dozen. Call and see our new Christmas samples and folders. All prices. Phone 68. Kelsey Studio.

The cider mill will run on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Custom shingle sawing will now be promptly attended to.—Robt. Smith, Durham. 93

A photograph is always appreciated at Christmas time. Make your appointment now. Fifteen photos with each dozen. Phone 68. Kelsey Studio.

There will be a Red Cross entertainment in the town hall on Thursday night, November 23. The entertainers will consist of the quintette who have recently appeared in a number of country places in the adjacent townships, together with vocal numbers from Mr. H. G. Misteale and others. All proceeds go to the aid of the Red Cross. Come and contribute of your means; the need is great and the cause a deserving one. Admission 25c., children 10c.

The Rocky Saugeen Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Gillen Boyd on the 14th inst. Every person seemed glad to work for the soldiers, and 18 pairs of socks were commenced and will be finished at the next meeting. After a dainty lunch was served, all left with the determination to do what they can for the comfort of the boys. The collection amounted to \$125. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Robt. Heslip on the 28th inst. All ladies are invited to attend.

The Mildmay fire brigade responded to a call recently to go to Formosa and assist in saving the Roman Catholic church from destruction by fire. As a sequel according to the Walkerton Times, the Mildmay fire-fighters put in a bill for a thousand dollars for services, dividing the charges into five equal parts, and ask that each of the four insurance companies \$200 each and the church the remaining share. If this be true, the Mildmay fire brigade have a genuine appreciation of their services.

Mr. Bert. Wilson arrived in town Saturday night from the vicinity of Major, Sask., where he has been engaged for the past three months. Having purchased a quarter-section of land, he decided to leave his family in the west and rejoin them about the first or second week in March. He says prospects are good in the locality of his purchase. A number from here, he says, are doing well, amongst them being Jos. Edmonds, Mrs. Edmonds, and John, David and William Hopkins. The bulk of the wheat in that locality is graded No. 2, and No. 2 Northern, the latter being regarded as almost equivalent to No. 1. The grading runs down to No. 6, and lower than that is considered only fit for feed.

BUNESSAN.

The ladies of this burg have organized a Red Cross sewing circle and intend spending one afternoon each week working for the soldiers at the front. The first meeting was at the home of Mrs. Walter Ewing, and a goodly number attended. The officers appointed were: President, Mrs. W. Ewing; secretary, Miss Jean McFarlane; treasurer, Miss Winnie Binnie. The meeting last week was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. A. Brown, and on account of the inclemency of the weather the crowd wasn't up to expectations. We hope in the future the ladies will turn out in full strength, as the cause is a just one.

The snow and frost of the past week have almost put a stop to ploughing. A number of the friends and relatives of Mr. Chas. McArthur, on account of his own inability to work, gathered and cut him a big pile of wood last week.

Mrs. Wright and little son, of Toronto, are at present visiting at Mr. D. McFarlane's. We are sorry to report that Mrs. Allan Campbell is not improving as fast as her many friends would like to see her.



THE LATE PTE. PERCY BRYON, now believed killed in action. Pte. Bryon was officially reported as wounded, but subsequent developments, as explained in last week's Chronicle, leave little doubt in the matter. Pte. Bryon was 20 years of age, was one of the first from here to enlist, and had been in France over a year. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryon, here. A brother, Pte. J. C. Bryon, is now with the 147th Canadian Greys in England.

GREYS LEAVE AMHERST; ARE NOW IN ENGLAND

In the Amherst Daily News of the 13th inst., Lieut.-Col. G. F. McFarland has an expression of gratitude to the citizens for their kindly treatment of the Canadian Greys during their stay, and the enforced detention on account of the quarantine. The same issue in an editorial pays a high compliment to the boys of the 147th, and regrets their departure for other fields of service. "Well did they deserve the way they were idolized by the citizens," says The News. The local churches on the eve of their departure announced the time they were about to leave town, and stated that a civic address would be rendered Col. McFarland, the officers and men of the Greys. In concluding, they were wished God speed and a safe return from the arduous journey on which they have started. Every man, gallant Canadian all, can be counted on to give an excellent account of himself on the field of battle. Yesterday's dailies announced their safe arrival in England.

DEATH OF DR. McDONALD

The death has occurred in South Africa of Dr. Thomas J. McDonald, who was not only well known in his native district of Barrie, Ont., but also in England and in California, where he practised medicine. The late Dr. McDonald, who was in his 48th year, left Barrie to take his post-graduate course in England. There he met his first wife, Miss Healy, a daughter of Major Healy, a landed proprietor of Foulks Court, Ireland. Shortly after his marriage he brought his wife to Canada and settled for a time in Barrie, but the climate did not suit his wife and he went into practice in California. There the same trouble compelled him to return to England, where he practised at Peel, in the Isle of Man. His first wife died about 13 years ago, and a few years later Dr. McDonald married Miss Webb, of Kent, England. The late Dr. McDonald had himself eventually to seek a change of climate in South Africa in the hope that he might recover from a chest complaint. Only last spring his wife and four young children rejoined him there. In every district in which he practised the late Dr. McDonald earned for himself a high reputation as a physician.—Mail and Empire, Toronto.

Dr. McDonald was a brother of Mrs. N. W. Campbell of this place. Merchants requiring Counter Check Books should see our samples. We handle nothing but the best. Any kind you want, and on short notice, at The Chronicle office.

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