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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

The second Special Battalion Royal Canadian Regiment, as the Transvaal contingent is officially styled, is already several days out on its four weeks' voyage to Cape Town. It was with a sigh of relief almost that the final farewells were said. Never in the history of the Dominion have the inmost feelings of the nation been so deeply stirred, for never before have the conditions existed to create so intense a sentiment of personal and national patriotism. For the first time Canada has been given the opportunity of taking her place as an integral portion of the Empire, and she has seized the opportunity in a manner that admits of no ambiguous interpretation. She realizes to day as she never has before that she is indeed a nation, called upon not only to enjoy all the privileges, but to assume the heavy responsibilities of that status.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier returned from the Jubilee proclaiming to the country that she had reached the standing of a nation, and was regarded at the headquarters of the Empire, there were even in the ranks of those who claimed to be leaders of the people men who so little understood the significance of his declaration that they attempted to ridicule it. But the Premier knew whereof he spoke. He was able to look ahead and realize what progressive statesmanship would bring to Canada. He had faith in the policy his Government was prepared to inaugurate; he had faith in the country that was to respond to that policy; he had faith in the people who had placed power in his hands; and to-day the most uncompromising sceptic is compelled to admit that the Premier's claim for Canadian nationality has been sustained under conditions far more onerous than ever he had foreseen in those days of Jubilee rejoicing.

How Immigration is Developing. The Superintendent of Immigration, Mr. Frank Pedley, has returned from a six weeks' trip through the west upon departmental business. He saw large gangs of the Galicians and Doukhobors working on railway construction, Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann have about 400 working on their new line between Port Arthur and Winnipeg. The Dauphin railway is being rapidly pushed towards Prince Albert, and when Mr. Pedley visited the end of the track, then a few miles beyond Swan river, a big gang of Doukhobors, under the Company's engineer's, were building the track at the rate of two miles a day. The men in charge of the Doukhobors say that they make excellent navvies, being quiet, hard-working, and amenable to orders. The men who remained at home in the two Doukhobor colonies have raised good crops of wheat and roots.

The American agencies have done exceedingly well this year. Between ten and twelve thousand immigrants from the Republic have taken part in northwest lands, and are an excellent class of settlers, Mr. Pedley says that there is every reason to believe that the number of American immigrants will be nearly doubled next year. Still On The Upgrade. The customs returns for the Dominion for the month of Oct. show an increase in revenue of nearly half a million over Oct. of last year, the figures being \$2,460,010 for Oct. 1898, as against \$1,993,261 for Oct. 1898, or an increase of \$466,739. The increase in the revenue of this department for the four months that have elapsed of the present fiscal year is nearly \$1,000,000.

Sir Chas. Tupper is expected in Walkerton this month.

Hon. F. R. Latchford, the new Minister of Public Works in the Ontario Government will seek a seat in South Renfrew, Mr. R. A. Campbell resigning in his favor.

The Ministers of the Presbyterian church expect to raise \$100,000 or one-tenth of the Million Dollar Century Fund. Their subscriptions now total over half that amount.

Mr. Tolmie, M. P., West Bruce, addressed a meeting of Independents at Tiverton lately, and gave the government credit for being capable progressive men. The 'Times' says all but 3 or 4 seemed satisfied with his position.

Important U. S. elections are in progress to-day, Tuesday, in 12 States. Members of State Legislatures, Governors, Constitutional amendments, are being voted on, and intense excitement prevails, as the outcome of these elections will give a clue to the great battle of next year.

Latona. Intended for last week.

From an occasional Correspondent Dry roads are now a thing of the past. Muddy ones have taken their place which are very disagreeable. We are sure that the young fellow who stops at the top of the hill north of our burg on Wednesday nights must think so.

Mr. G. Castle has completed a fine wood shed in our school yard. The boys will not have to handle so much snow this winter.

Mr. M. Smith is making his farm

Wattersville.

Well Mr. Editor as the old correspondent has either died or moved away, we will try to pen a few lines to you until we are otherwise instructed.

We would like to know why G. Torry left that small strip unploughed in the centre of his field. Wonder if there is a gold mine there.

Mr. D. and Miss Sarah McDonald visited at Mr. J. Ellison's on Sunday.

Mr. W. Ellison is employed with Mr. Joseph Young, of Sugarville, for the winter months. W. is a fine fellow and sure to get work at high wages. His brother J. is employed with Sandy Ellison.

Messrs. Bell and Watson started for the Soo on Monday, all wishing them the best of prosperity.

While driving down the second con. last Sunday, Mr. James Ellison went over the bank, but as he looks all rights and the buggy is none the worse, we are thinking he got off very safely.

Mr. Colin McArthur is on the sick list at present. Hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

Mr. John McKechnie drives a fast horse in the direction of Markdale, rain or shine, and the roads are not to be considered at all when J. intends to make his trip.

The Townsend family have left this part to take up their abode in Iowa.

Miss Marion Young visited friends on the 2nd last week. We guess it was a great saving of W's sole leather while she stopped.

Sandy Henderson of the Soo visited at the old homestead last week, but he is away to his work again.

TEMPERANCE NOTES. [Contributed by the W. C. T. U.] So long as the leading churchmen are timid and hesitating in their attitude toward the liquor traffic so long as the politician can win by the favor of the saloon and enjoy the plaudits of the church, so long as no man true to his noblest convictions can command the united support of Christian men in politics, so long will the saloon be a dominant force in our government and the church continue to lose her influence over the masses.

A St. Louis brewer covers his horses with blankets costing \$1000 apiece. Many of his customers sleep on sawdust beds at a cost of a nickel, begged from passing citizens. Many of his patrons are in jail, their efforts to keep up the revenue of the country and buy \$1000 horse blankets having been too much for them, and they were obliged to steal, or forge, or committed violence whilst drunk.—Omaha Christian Advocate.

With the sanction of the law the liquor traffic robs men of money and health and character.

Honor Roll of S. S. No. 12. Egremont for October. Class 5th—George Reid, Sr. 3rd.—Charlie Reid, Jr. 3rd. B.—Earle Matthews, Willie McFadden, Jr. 3rd. A.—Doward Henry. Gladys Lawrence, Bella Patterson eq. Sr. 2nd.—Maud Hamilton, Annie Nelson, Sarah Brown, Jr. 2nd.—Gracie Reid, Mary Brown, Pt. 2nd.—Maggie Hamilton, Bert Lawrence, Victor Adams. Sr. 1st.—Johnny Ferguson, Aggie Adams, Ethel MacKenzie, Blanche Reid and Fanny Patterson eq. Jr. 1st. B.—Bella Ferguson, Farr Lawrence, Mary Bell Reid, Jr. 1st. A.—Johnny Brown, Charlie McKenzie, Martin Wilson, George Wilson. M. Scott Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 10 Bentinck for Oct. 1898. Sr. 4th.—Ellen Patherbough Lottie Fletcher, Bessie Smith, Jr. 4th.—Agnes Morton, Bella Ewen, Robena Fletcher, Sr. 3rd.—Jessie McDonald, Annie Smith, Ness Collinson, Jr. 3rd.—John Dalglish, Neil McLean, and Sarah McCormick eq., Nellie Brown, Sr. 2nd.—Lizzie Ewen, Robbie Wilson, Tena Dalglish, Jr. 2nd.—John McDonald, Lizzie Grierson, Pt. 2nd.—Katie Clark, Martha Wilson, Julia Clark. 1st class.—Jessie Caton, Maggie Morton, Robbie Thomas, Jr. 1st.—Arthur Wilson, John R. McDonald, Clarence McNally, M. E. Clark Teacher.

Report of U. S. S. No. 2, Bentinck and Glenelg for October. 5th class—Malcolm McKechnie, Harry Snyder, 4th class—Willie Heughan, Lizzie Wilson, Sr. 3rd.—Annie McGillivray, Ben Edge, Jr. 3rd.—Alfred McKechnie, Aggie Ewen, Willie McKechnie and Tena Newell eq. 2nd.—Ella Edge, Etta Heughan, Minnie Vessie, Pt. 2nd.—John Newell, Neil McGillivray, Frank Collinson, Sr. 1st.—Maggie Morton, Elias Edge, Int. 1st.—Smith Ewen, Andy Vessie, Jr. 1st.—George Newell, Miss C. Fletcher, teacher.

BORN. MCKINNON—In Priceville Oct. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Neil McKinnon a son.

MALPINE—In Thessalon Oct. 21 to Mr. J. A. and Mrs. M. Thessalon a son.—[Mrs. Malpina was Miss Bella McRae.]

MARRIED. SPROULE—WHITMORE.—In Durham on Thursday Nov. 2, by Rev. Mr. Ryan, incumbent of Trinity Church Mr. Joseph Sproule, Glenelg, to Miss Maggie Whitmore, Egremont.

—The Review comes out every Monday and is like an old friend from a long distance." Thus writes Mrs. E. H. Holcomb, of Carrington, N. D. while renewing. How many there are in South Grey who could at small expense give distant friends pleasure by sending them the Review. Only \$1.00 to Jan 1st 1901.

Dornoch.

Mrs. K. McKinnon, of Corinth has been plying the dressmaking art around Dornoch for the past month.

Halloween passed almost unnoticed in the village with the exception of a few boys' pranks. That relic of barbarism is fast becoming extinct.

Mr. James Watt has been improving his already tidy premises by the erection of a handsome verandah and siding making a very pleasant and comfortable residence.

Framer Hugh McKinnon, of Corinth, is at present finishing a dwelling house for Mr. H. Alexander.

Miss Lena Smith, of Louise, is visiting a few pleasant days visiting farmer friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Nevins left last week for Artemesia. We were sorry to see them leave the vicinity as they were both civil and obliging neighbors.

Merchant Pritchard, of Louise, last week tested the depth of the mud on some of the roads near the village. He was parohasing poultry for a Walkerton firm.

The young people of Stewart's school are these evenings expanding their energies and talents in preparing a choice program for their pie-social to be held on Friday evening the 17th inst. Editors and pie-makers admitted free. Proceeds or school improvement.

Rev. Mr. Graham can now more heartily enjoy home comforts as last week a splendid new furnace was put in the parsonage. Taylor of Chatsworth supplied the furnace and Mason Duncan, of Glasgow performed the brick and mason work.

Misses Elsie and Lizzie Smith left last week for Durham to learn dress-making. They are both pleasant and are misused in both church and social circles.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Corlett is always known as a very sociable one but at present it is nearly doubly so as nearly a score of good hearted and jolly axemen are domiciled there. They are making ship-timber.

Mrs. Neil Campbell is at present on a visit to relatives in Owen Sound.

Mr. R. Wade has been adding an addition to his house in the shape of a large kitchen.

Mr. John Hay now nurses a sore foot as the result of an axe glancing inflicting a severe gash across his toes.

Once more we are forcibly reminded that here we have no abiding home. Since writing our last budget two more have passed to the great beyond, one in the flush and spring of life John Bearman Hughes son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, aged seven years a bright strong and healthy boy. The disease which carried off the promising young life was the result of an accident in which he was injured by falling from a tree. The funeral took place on Friday Oct. 27th in the Latona cemetery.

The other being an elderly farmer Mr. John Hodgson in the autumn of life, deceased died very suddenly on the 29th. Having partaken of supper he was noticed to gasp and before assistance could be summoned the spark of life was gone. Mr. Hodgson was for nearly twenty years a resident of Bentinck having formerly lived in Egremont and he was always known and regarded as an upright honorable man and an obliging neighbor. To the aged widow and family we tender sympathy.

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A Big Time.—An exchange under this heading gives an account of a suitable ending to an attempt to carry out the barbarous custom of a "shivaree". The account says "on Wednesday evening, 11th inst., the residents of Whittington had a gay old time. The occasion was the marriage of Miss Clark, daughter of George Clark, to Nelson Phillips, of Amaranth. A large number of guests were present, but there were twenty-five young men in the immediate vicinity who were not invited. They got up a celebration of their own and surrounded the house where the nuptial knot was being tied. Each party, dressed in a white gown, rode on horseback, each horse being covered with a sheet and decorated with bells. There being no fences near the house, the party rode round the place in a circle and made night hideous with strange music. After the wedding party recovered from the first shock, they came out showing fight and unhorsed two of the braves and took them prisoners. One of the prisoners was held while two clerical gentlemen applied the horsewhip and gave the offender a bad trimming. The other party secured his liberty by turning Queen's evidence and giving a list of the members of the party. There may be trouble over the affair before it is settled.

Even T. Dewitt Talmage can say a sensible thing occasionally. For example: "A newspaper whose columns overflow with advertisements has more influence in attracting attention to and building up a town than any other agency that can be employed. People go where there is business. Capital and labor go where there is an enterprising community. No power on earth is so strong to build up a town as a newspaper well patronized, and its power should be appreciated."

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Tallow per lb	04 to 04
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