

### JAMES PRINGLE DEAD

BORN IN CANADA AND A SELF-MADE MAN.

Former President of Carthage National Bank, Warden of Grace Episcopal Church and Past Master and Past High Priest of Masonic Order.

Carthage, N.Y., Nov. 9.—James Pringle, a prominent banker, manufacturer and Free Mason of this village, died Monday evening at his home on School street, aged seventy-eight years.

James Pringle was born in Napawan, Ont., on June 8th, 1833, being a son of Daniel and Sarah Pringle, there being eight other children in the family. The father was also born in Canada, while the grandfather was a pioneer immigrant from Scotland. Daniel Pringle kept a hotel at Belleville, Ont., and later at Napawan, where he died soon after the close of the American civil war, aged sixty-five years. The mother, Sarah, was a daughter of Col. Bell, an English army officer, who settled in Canada at the close of his service, where he died some years after. Mrs. Pringle died at Napawan in 1865, aged sixty years. Included in the family were: Sarah Jane, widow of George H. Davey, of Napawan; Mary Ann, widow of Dr. Thomas Shirley, Napawan; Rachael, wife of George Jackson, of Michigan; Elizabeth, wife of James H. Smith, of Charles Robin, of Wilmington, Ill.; Henrietta, wife of John Van Alstine, who died at Napawan; Amelia, widow of Edward Walker, of Chicago, and Charlotte, wife of Robert Webster, of Napawan.

Mr. Pringle is practically a self-made man, receiving a common school education in his native village and early setting out to make his own way in the world. At the age of sixteen years he secured a position in a general store in Napawan, which he held for seven years. This same stability and industry characterized his whole life. In 1856 he came to the United States, and for three years thereafter conducted a livery business in Watertown, when in 1859 the business was moved to Carthage and continued here for four years. He then became a salesman in Ralph Hooker's general store, after which he clerked in Horace Hooker's clothing store.

In 1868 Mr. Pringle became clerk in the office of Brown & Bliss, foundrymen, of Carthage. Within a short time after that the late Charles F. Ryther purchased the interest of Bliss, and the firm became Brown & Ryther. Mr. Pringle continued with the firm, and in 1869 bought an interest in the business, the firm name then became Brown, Ryther & Pringle. This continued until 1876, when Brown sold his interest to the two other men, and the firm name became Ryther & Pringle. After the death of Mr. Ryther, in 1897, the firm continued with the son, George B. Ryther, as successor. The firm was incorporated July 1st, 1900, under the name of Ryther & Pringle company, and Mr. Pringle became president with G. D. Ryther as vice-president and E. W. Coburn as secretary and treasurer. The company conducts a large logging business in foundry and machine work and also manufactures paper mill machinery quite extensively.

When the Carthage National bank was incorporated in 1887, he became a large stockholder and a director, and soon afterward was elected vice-president of the institution, so continuing until the death of its president, the late Gilbert Johnson, in 1900, when Mr. Pringle became president. He retired from the bank presidency in 1911, when F. W. Coburn was

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I was not convinced that the officials of the city were altogether to blame. Aldermen being the people's representatives, are generally as well endowed as those they represent, and if the leading citizens possessed the qualities that were lacking in their officials, then the blame should rest on those that placed them in their positions.

Whoever has been to blame in the past, it is not for us to say. It is now up to us to boom Kingston, and we intend to do it, and the present aldermen apparently are the right men in the right places. Blame cannot be attached to them if the city does not forge ahead. They have shown they are alive, and have made an excellent start in the way of paving and lighting, and are in a fair way of making the city attractive, and they evidently understand the city's needs. Nature has done all that could be desired for Kingston, its splendid harbor and bay giving shipping facilities by water equal to any city of the Dominion. Then look at its close proximity to the beautiful islands of the St. Lawrence. If, with all these natural advantages we allow tourists from other parts to seek accommodations in smaller towns for lack of them here, all I can say is, "Nature's gifts have been placed in the wrong hands."

It is now up to us to say whether those accommodations shall be within our city or not. As the proposition for the hotel is one that will not affect the taxpayer in the least, I can hardly see the possibility of any citizen opposing it, for even if a reasonable tax were required, the benefit to the city would be far in advance of the outlay. Hoping these views will accord with those interested in the city's welfare, and show by their votes they intend Kingston shall grow and mean to grow with Kingston.—BYRON DERBYSHIRE, 163 Union street.

### SPRIT OF MARTYRDOM.

Mrs. Pankhurst Says Jealousy Bars Woman's Way.

Milwaukee, Nov. 11.—"Personal jealousy among women has been a disadvantage that suffrage workers had to combat in England," said Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, leader of the Votes for Women Movement in England at a banquet here last night. "Until you overcome that in America, you will not be successful. It is in a spirit of martyrdom that we suffer and die in England, brought on by the feeling that men have left many things to be accomplished in politics."

### Negro Barred From Jury.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 10.—The question of whether a negro should be permitted to serve on the jury in the Hyde murder trial came up yesterday, and a conference between attorneys resulted in the colored man being excluded. All the twelve tentatively accepted jurors are confined in one room and it was feared that introduction of a negro might cause trouble.

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### UNITED STATES CROPS.

November Report of Department of Agriculture.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The crop reporting board of the United States department of agriculture, in its November crop report, estimated from the report of its correspondents and agents, the yield per acre, total production and quality of the principal crops, as follows:

Corn, production, 2,776,301,000 bushels, compared with 3,125,713,000 bushels last year; yield per acre, 23.9 bushels, compared with 27.4 bushels last year, and 26.0 bushels the ten-year average. Quality, 80.6 per cent., compared with 81.5 per cent., the ten-year average. The per cent. of 1910 of crop of corn on farms, November 1st, 1911, is estimated at 4.2 per cent. (or 132,063,000 bushels), against 4.3 per cent. (119,056,000 bushels), of the 1909 crop on farms November 1st, 1910, and 3.3 per cent., the average of similar estimates of the past ten years.

Wheat, production, 17,051,000 bushels, compared with 17,239,000 bushels in 1910; yield, per acre, 21.3 bushels, compared with 20.9 bushels last year, and 19.1, the ten-year average. Quality, 87.9 per cent., compared with 90.9 per cent., the ten-year average. Wheat, average weight, per measured bushel, 57.8 pounds, compared with 58.5 pounds in 1910, and 57.6 pounds the ten-year average.

Oats, average weight per measured bushel, 33.1 pounds, compared with 32.7 pounds in 1910, and 31.2 pounds, the ten-year average. Barley, average weight per measured bushel, 46.0 pounds, compared with 45.9 in 1910.

### MME. CURIE SLANDERED.

Says Charges Made Against Her Are Disgraceful.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The greatest sensation in Paris since the theft of the Mona Lisa is the story of the romance of Mme. Curie, the widow of the late Prof. Curie, the discoverer of radium, and Prof. Langevin, of the College of France, which is printed by many of the newspapers. The Journal states that the professor, who is at the head of the department of physics in the College of France, had left his home some time ago, taking his two little children with him, and that Madame Curie, with whom he had been on most friendly terms since the death of her husband, had also disappeared. Mrs. Langevin has brought a suit for separation against the professor, and has also secured an order from court that she be allowed to see her children. According to one paper the romance between the professor and the brilliant widow began three years ago, although Langevin did not leave his home until last June. The professor and the widow are of the same age, about forty-two.

The Journal prints an interview with the mother of Mme. Langevin, in which the latter says that she and her daughter have letters written by Mme. Curie which prove the truth of her suspicions. Mme. Curie has not been at the Sorbonne for some time, but this is not unusual, as she does not teach during the first half-year term. She has been seen as usual at her laboratory in the Rue de Cuvier until the last few weeks.

A member of the Academy expressed the opinion that the "incident" will injure Mme. Curie's chances of election to the Institute of France, and it may ruin the chance hereafter of any learned woman being elected to that body. Mme. Curie is in Brussels with Prof. Henri Poincare, Perrin, Brillouin and Langevin, representing French science at the conference on modern physics. Mme. Curie and Prof. Langevin both deny the story printed in the Journal and other papers. "It is disgraceful," said Mme. Curie. Prof. Langevin admitted he had left his wife owing to scenes with her which had been brought on by her jealousy. He added, "my relations with Mme. Curie have been only limited to scientific work."

### What the Navy Will Cost.

Weekly Sun. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier first placed his naval scheme before parliament he estimated the cost of building and equipping the ships called for, if the work was done in England, at \$11,000,000, if done in Canada the cost was placed at some \$15,000,000.

The Montreal Gazette, evidently basing its statement on the figures contained in tenders which have not yet been officially made public, now places the cost of the ships fully armed and equipped at something like \$24,000,000. The cost of maintenance first placed at something like \$5,000,000 a year, will also, it is said, be considerably more than the original estimate.

It is an exceedingly costly undertaking the country is being asked to enter upon. It will be well if the whole question, with full information, is sent to the people in the form of a referendum before a final decision is reached.

A woman can keep one secret—the secret of her age.

### LANSDOWNE PUTS ON AIRS.

Since it Has a Cabinet Minister as Representative.

Lansdowne, Nov. 8.—It is a question whether staid, quiet, old Lansdowne, realized its natural prominence last Thursday night, on the occasion of the appearance of the Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, the new member for the riding, with half a dozen city reporters, and two special operators at the key of a special telegraph line, there was something doing for here.

The town hall was specially decorated, and an unusually large crowd attended, which was well pleased with Mr. White's able address and pleasing, unaffected manner. Keen regret is felt that the call of nature compels the retirement of George Taylor, who in his long service in the riding, won the respect and esteem of political friends and foes alike. While Mr. White's political change is criticized by many, yet the general impression among both parties is that Mr. Taylor has introduced a worthy successor, whose statement that he intended taking up his residence in the riding, if elected, was received with hearty cheers.

Samuel Cousaul, who underwent a serious operation in Brockville general hospital, is reported to be improving nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stafford, Hamilton, spent a few days here last week. Mrs. William Monroe, Ruthers, Sask., arrived a few days ago, to visit her father, G. F. Deane. Mrs. G. F. Deane is seriously ill.

Owing to the B. & W. and Ste. Marie railroad train taking a trip into the ditch, the delegates to the conservative convention at Delta, on Friday last, did not arrive home till early on Saturday.

Miss Alma Turner is taking charge of the junior department in the school during the absence of Miss Bonnycastle. Reginald Leith has purchased the stock and good will of F. A. Devens, implement dealer. Mrs. S. Fowler, Brockville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. S. E. Dixon. Mrs. C. E. Potter and Miss Potter, Echo Lodge, are spending the winter in the village, and will occupy part of Mrs. S. Cousaul's house. Mrs. Albert Moore and daughter are moving into William Tedford's house. Mrs. Ezra McKay and children are moving into J. C. Webster's house. Mrs. McKay has rented her farm to Charles Pierce.

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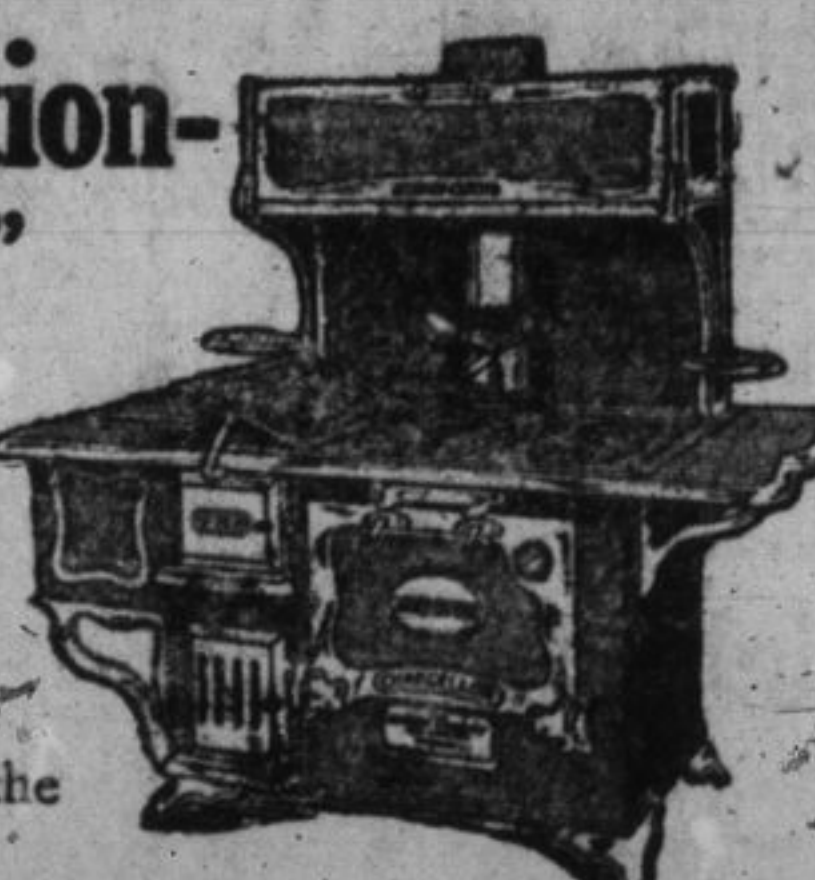
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