

**BORN.**  
 BROOKS—At Hay Bay, on Feb. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brooks, a son.  
**MARRIED.**  
 ARTHUR—INGRAM—In Picton, on Feb. 15th, Archibald Gilbert Arthur, Picton, to Alice Ingram, Halleybury.  
 BRYANT—WESTERVELT—At Picton, on Feb. 15th, Harry Bryant to Eva May Westervelt.  
 McQUAID—NORTON—At Picton, on Feb. 15th, Clayton McQuaid to Lena Norton, both of Picton.  
 MINAKER—HUFF—At Picton, on Feb. 15th, John Minaker to Anna Maud Huff, both of Athol township.  
 REID—DAYTON—At Picton, on Feb. 15th, Walter Burton Reid to Emma J. Dayton, both of Picton.  
 SMITH—SHAVER—At Napanee, on Feb. 15th, Roy Smith, son of Geo. S. Smith, to Bertha L. Shaver, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. R. Shaver, South Napanee.  
 WARNER—CALLAGHAN—At Napanee, on Feb. 15th, George D. Warner to Kathleen Callaghan, both of Napanee.

**DIED.**  
 SAKER—At Milford, on Feb. 10th, John B. Saker, aged 38 years.  
 SMITH—At Richmond, on Feb. 15th, Sophia Smith, aged 74 years.  
 VANVLAEC—In Picton, on Feb. 15th, Mrs. J. H. VanVlaec, aged 57 years.  
 WITTINGTON—In South Marysburg, on Feb. 14th, Florence Wittington, adopted daughter of James Walmsley, aged 16 years.

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**TORIES OF FRONTENAC**  
 ELECTED WILLIAM McNEELY, STORRINGTON PRESIDENT.  
 Interesting Addresses Were Delivered By Dr. J. W. Edwards, M.P., and By A. M. Rankin, M.P.P.  
 A big snow storm held up the annual meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association of the County of Frontenac, when it was called three weeks ago, but on Tuesday afternoon there was a large number of Tories on hand when President John Kennedy called the meeting to order at the court house. After the business portion of the meeting was concluded, addresses were delivered by Dr. J. W. Edwards, M.P., and Anthony Rankin, M.P.P. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, W. F. Allison, Wolfe Island; second vice-president, H. Atkinson, Pittsburg; secretary, Hugh Horne, Wolfe Island; (re-elected); treasurer, G. Stewart, Pittsburg township.

Mr. McNeely returned his thanks for the honor of serving as president, and during his remarks stated that he had been a conservative and had worked for the party since he was seventeen years of age. On motion of Dr. J. M. Edwards, a vote of appreciation was passed to the retiring president, Mr. Kennedy. The following township chairmen were elected: Wolfe Island, S. Armstrong; Kennebec, A. Miller; Bedford, C. Butt-

rell; Olden, H. Drew; Portland, Frederick Dennison; Kingston, Henry Toner; Storrington, Harvey Shannon; Lohborough, John Blake; Oso, Robert McVeigh; Clarendon, J. P. Watkins; Barrie, Charles McGregor; Hinehinbrooke, S. G. McKnight; Palmerston, John McKenzie; Garden Island, Sandford Calvin; Howe Island, John Gillespie.  
 Dr. Edwards' Address.  
 In his address, Dr. Edwards referred to the work of the conservative party regarding the establishment of rural mail, since 1911. The people in many of the townships were in a position to get daily mail right at their own door. The northern part of the county of Frontenac was also to receive consideration, and he asked the residents to map out what they would consider good routes, so that the matter be considered, as the speaker did not intend the matter to rest with the present results. He intended to go still further. He referred to his introduction of cow testing in the county, which he declared was meeting with good results. Speaking of the roadway extending into Barrielfield from the bridge, a distance of two and one-tenth miles, which has been taken over by the government, Dr. Edwards said that there was a movement to have this paved with concrete, and that the prospects of getting the work done were bright.

Touching on penitentiary affairs, the speaker said that he had been misunderstood by some people, and misrepresented by others. It was immaterial to him who occupied the position of warden, deputy warden or surgeon, but if the minister of justice was correct in saying that conditions at the "pen" were different than a short time ago, the speaker felt that if he had never before done anything in the interests of humanity, this had certainly shown that there had been some reforms as a result of his protest. He believed that no man was so bad but that some good could be made of him if an appeal were made in the right way. He wanted the conditions at the "pen" to be such that as Canadians we would not be ashamed of the treatment given to the poor unfortunates who had to be locked up.

Dr. Edwards also had something to say regarding the proposal of the Canadian Pacific railway to close several of the stations along the line. The county of Frontenac he said had given a bonus of \$150,000 to this road; stations had been erected and settlements created. The closing of these stations would be a source of great inconvenience to the people. It was a matter the reeve and the council of Frontenac were taking up, and he said he would co-operate with them in an endeavor to give the people of the county the privileges they should have.

**A. M. Rankin Speaks.**  
 Mr. Rankin referred to the loss sustained by the Ontario legislature through the death of Premier Whitney, but stated that in Hon. Mr. Hearst, the party had an able successor, and he felt sure the party would have every reason to be proud of him and his work. Mr. Rankin referred to complaints which had been made about the fair grants being cut down. It was the intention of all the rural members of the house to do all in their power to have the grants increased. The government, owing to the war, had found it necessary to make a cut. It was the same with the government as with the individual. In hard times expenditures had to be curtailed. He also referred to the county school grants, stating that he hoped that the government would be able to give the usual grants. He also made reference to the part he had taken in having special lectures given in agriculture, and regretted very much the fact that the attendance at these lectures had been so small.

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**TURN OUT OF FIREMEN**  
 Arrangements Were Completed For Their Part In Drive.  
 On Wednesday morning arrangements were completed for the part the members of the fire department will take in the merchants' drive this (Wednesday) afternoon. The parade was arranged for in the following order, and it was expected that members of the Fire and Light committee would attend in autos and take their place at the head of the department.  
 No. 2 hose wagon, with W. Cockade, D. Enright and F. Davis; No. 1 ladder truck, Capt. Stratford, T. Lawlor and W. Smith; No. 1 hose wagon, with Capt. Reid, S. Christman and H. Graham; No. 2 ladder truck, with A. Lutz and T. Patterson; chemical wagon, with T. Snider, Snider and D. H. Strayford; No. 1 exercise waggon, with S. Connolly and K. Cameron; Waterous steamer, W. H. Way; Chatham steamer, with John Hall.

**Famous "Milestones" Coming.**  
 "Milestones," the famous play of the generation, which enjoyed two years' engagement in London and played a year in New York city, will come to the Grand on Thursday, February 25th, with a company of distinguished artists who have won such enthusiastic praise from critics and public everywhere. "Milestones" is a comedy-drama by Arnold Bennett, the famous essayist and novelist, and Edward Knoblauch, the author of "Kismet," "The Faun," and other brilliant plays. Together they wrote one of the most remarkable plays ever presented; a play in which the fortunes of two families are carried onward through three generations, the action covering a period of fifty-eight years and calling for its interpretation the most remarkable work on the part of the actors.

**Change Of Hour.**  
 Since the printing of the posters announcing the agricultural conference meeting in the City Hall, Kingston, on Thursday, February 25th, the hour of the afternoon session has been changed from three to 2 o'clock. The evening meeting will commence at the advertised time, viz., 7:30 o'clock.

**THE BOARD OF WORKS**  
 TALKS OF ABOLISHING STREET LINE ENCROACHMENT BY-LAW  
 It Will Require That All Utilities Excavations Be Done To The Satisfaction of the City Engineer.  
 At the Board of Works meeting yesterday afternoon, Ald. Graham expressed himself in favor of doing away with the by-law respecting encroaching of buildings over the street line, advocating charging so much a foot frontage for encroachments. Ald. Couper held the opinion that if the by-law was abolished, the streets would soon become disfigured.  
 "What is the street line?" asked Ald. Richardson. "Is it possible that we have no map?"  
 "No," replied the city engineer. "There are very few landmarks in Kingston."  
 The discussion arose over an application of Dr. S. K. Lake, who asked for permission to erect porches in front of his three houses at the corner of Clergy and William street, and offering to pay a nominal rental. His houses are already on the street line. The matter was referred to the chairman and the engineer for report.  
 The right of the Utilities Commission to make excavations in the streets, without the authority of the city engineer, was discussed briefly, and the opinion prevailed that the engineer should be notified whenever the Utilities department found it necessary to make an excavation.  
 The engineer stated that the light and water departments had been treated as parts of the civic corporation, with regard to excavations. There was no doubt, he said, that he had full authority over the roads.  
 Ald. Graham said that the Utilities Commission should be allowed to continue doing all its own excavating, for it did the work cheaper than the city works department did. He knew this by experience.  
 The engineer said that the commission did not do work that cheaply for him.  
 A resolution was passed, on motion of Alderman Richardson that all excavation work done in the streets by the Utilities Commission be under the direction of the city engineer, and all excavations must be filed to his satisfaction.  
 The city engineer reported that the board required over \$24,000 for street work this year. Last year it spent \$17,915, but asked for \$27,000.  
 In attendance were Alds. Graham, (chairman), Couper, O'Connor, Peters and Richardson.

**TEMPORARY BRIDGE OPEN.**  
 The Ice In The Harbor Is Getting Very Weak.  
 The troubles of Barrielfield residents are now over, as the temporary bridge is again clear for passage. For some time it had been "blockaded" at both ends by the old swing-bridge portion was transferred from its original setting to a location almost at the centre of the temporary structure. The mild spell has worked wonders, and those in charge of the construction, seeing that the ice in the harbor was melting away fast, worked night and day to create a safer thoroughfare, instead of making horses and vehicles cross the bad ice. The ice is now as good as done for. In places it does not measure any more than three inches thick. One driver, who was forced to go across from the city to Barrielfield before the clearing had been accomplished, had the misfortune to have the hind wheel of his buggy break through. He, however, eventually landed safely and to him belongs the record of making the last trip across the ice in this direction for this winter.  
 It was rumored on Tuesday night that some of the local ferry boats will try and force a passage across the harbor this week if the mild weather continues.

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**Sergt-Major W. Hall, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is getting along as well as can be expected in the general hospital. Grippe, colds and tonsillitis are quite prevalent just now.**

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