

GROWTH OF KINGSTON'S ASSESSMENT IN THE PAST TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

The following table shows the growth of Kingston's assessment, taxes, revenue and expenditure during the past twenty-five years:

Table with 6 columns: Year, Pop., Assessment, Rate Mills, Taxes, Total Revenue, Total Expenditure. Rows range from 1890 to 1914.

S. E. SMALLRIDGE WRITES.

He Is With the Second Canadian Battalion In France.

S. E. Smallridge, with the 2nd Battalion in France, writes to J. B. Cooke as follows:

"I am having a good time. I volunteered as a carpenter, and the colonel picked out forty-eight men from our battalion and shipped us to Lark Hill. That is where they put us up over 1,000 huts for the 2nd contingent, but I hear they are going to be put into barracks. We were at Lark Hill for eight weeks and received two shillings a day extra.

"We lost nearly a hundred men with spinal meningitis. They were buried in the Bulford churchyard and some of the battalions erected monuments as a remembrance.

"We are near Kitchener's army. They have a theatre hall, stores, automobile truck sheds, drug store, and saloons. The Canadians are not allowed any drink. We had a wet canteen but it was abused and General Alderson had it closed.

"The English money was not very hard to get on to, but the French money is a little difficult."

NEWS OF MEN AT THE FRONT.

Sad Case Revealed by Investigation At Sharbot Lake.

A sad state of affairs was revealed in the case of a fifteen-year old girl, who was reported to the Alexandra School for Girls at Toronto on Monday by W. H. Wylie, acting for the Children's Aid Society.

The girl recently gave birth to a child, and it is claimed that the child was sadly neglected. It was on the account that Mr. Wylie was called upon to act. The young mother, it was felt, would be better in a home. The baby is being well cared for.

The mother is in very poor health, and will have to enter the hospital for treatment. She was taken in charge near Sharbot Lake.

Vaudeville At The Grand.

For the vaudeville entertainment at the Grand this evening an elaborate bill will be presented. The powerful drama of "The Crucible," with Marguerite Clark in the part of "Jean Fanchon," will be presented. There will also be a two-act musical play and a Keystone comedy. Silver and Gray will appear in harmony singing and comedy, and Besie Brown in a musical act. The same bill will be presented for the balance of the week.

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LIST OF APPOINTMENTS

For the Vessels of the Montreal Transportation Company.

The following appointments have been made for vessels of the Montreal Transportation Company for the season of 1915:

Steamer Advance—J. V. Norris, Kingston, captain; M. J. Sherman, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Fairmount—William Liddell, Kingston, captain; George Fleming, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Glenmount—H. Peters, Halifax, captain; Robert Knight, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Kinnmount—J. Wood, Port Dalhousie, captain; R. Taylor, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Northmount—J. W. Sutherland, St. Catharines, captain; R. H. Veech, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Rosemount—Robert Graham, Collingwood, captain; George Dennison, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Stormount—James Roach, Nottawa, captain; Frank Moyle, Morrisburg, engineer. Steamer Westmount—Frank Howell, Thorold, captain; W. C. Spencer, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Windsor—J. Doyle, Kingston, captain; A. Dunn, Kingston, engineer. Steamer Simla—C. E. Coons, St. Catharines, captain; D. S. Symons, Kingston, engineer. Steamer India—C. Beaupre, Kingston, captain; F. H. Brian, Kingston, engineer. Tug Bartlett—A. Lepine Jr., Ste. Anne de Bellevue, captain; J. B. Lape, Kingston, engineer. Tug Thomson—Captain (no appointment as yet); George Henderson, Kingston, engineer. Tug Emerson—W. J. Murphy, Kingston, captain; J. Lamoureux, Kingston, engineer. Tug Glide—Murray Barry, Kingston, captain; Milo Parry, Kingston, engineer. Tug Bronson—Luke Mallan, Morrisburg, captain; C. A. Stillson, Morrisburg, engineer. Tug Hall—A. Lepine, Sr., Pointe Claire, captain; T. Brabant, Cascades Point, engineer. Tug Mary—Theodore Lepine, LaChapelle, captain; F. St. Germain, Rigaud, engineer. Barges—Augustus T. L. Leduc, Montreal, captain; Burns, William Feduc, Ste. Justine Station, captain; Dunmore, Israel Daoust, Verdun, Montreal, captain; Hamilton, Alexander Hebert, Montreal, captain; Melrose, Louis Benoit, Kingston, captain; Quebec, Wm. Lalonde, Kingston, captain; Selkirk, C. Lebeuf, Sr., Yorkville, captain; Ungava, C. Saure, Kingston, captain; Winnipeg, M. Morseau, Cedars, captain.

FUTURE CATTLE PRICES.

Uncertainty With Regard to Marketing Butcher Stock.

Toronto Globe.

Inquiries are coming in from feeders of cattle or information regarding the best time to market butcher stock. This is an especially puzzling question this season. Feed is excessively high, and those who have it are inclined to take a sure profit on it rather than risk it in feeding cattle to the finished state or holding them for higher market values. Another feature to consider this year is consumption. This has fallen off, because people are eating less meat. They are eating less meat because their incomes have been cut down. The Lent season has also figured in the recent past.

In spite of these factors, however, some of the best authorities in the business, feeders, drovers, packers and commission men, are bullish in their views on the market for May, and especially for June. A large number of unfinished butchers that would naturally have come out later have already been abattoired. The fact that Morris & Co., of Chicago, paid well over \$9 per hundredweight for disutility cattle in Toronto for May delivery is an indication of opinion in Chicago. The writer talked this week to several feeders who are holding cattle for May and June delivery.

Brooch Won By Mrs. Edward Craig.

Mrs. Edward Craig, 120 Clarence street, was the winner of the valuable Indian topaz brooch, raffled by the 21st Battalion to raise money for its field kitchen. This brooch was an heirloom of a great-grandmother of a Gleggery lady, and the latter, who had not the ready cash to give when Mrs. (Capt.) Grey was making her round of collection, gave this highly valued piece of jewelry as a donation to the worthy cause.

Mrs. Grey's husband is an officer in the 21st Battalion. The topaz is about three quarters of an inch in length, half an inch in width, and a quarter of an inch in thickness. The brooch containing this precious stone is made of gold. The lucky number held by Mrs. Craig was 57. There were over two hundred contestants.

"Tommy's" Version.

General Sir Archibald Hunter, commander of the British Third New Army, is immensely popular in the service on account of his large fund of good stories of regimental life. One of his best concerning a certain "Tommy" who was more noted for his wit than his scholarship. The man's grammar and spelling were simply awful, and Sir Archibald, who was quite a young officer at the time, was always trying to teach him the King's English.

Hard On Lumber Dealers.

The winter has been very hard on the lumber merchants in the county for several reasons. Owing to the conditions of last summer very little of the regular stock was sold except building material, no ties or similar stock being disposed of. This past winter a special effort was made to lay in a heavy stock of lumber that could be cut up for boards, etc. Before this could be done, the snow had melted and drawing was impossible. There are three large number firms along the E. and P. railway line, and every one of them reports the same trouble this winter.

Passion Week at Y.W.C.A.

Passion Week services will be held by the Y.W.C.A. every afternoon at five o'clock. The speakers will be: Monday, Mrs. R. Carr-Harris; Tuesday, Miss Van Straubenzee; Wednesday, Mrs. Kalkett; Thursday, Mrs. A. Laird; Friday, Mrs. W. King. On Easter Sunday at 4.15 p.m., Mrs. J. W. McIntosh will address a meeting and Miss C. Waldron will sing. Next Monday evening in the Y.W.C.A. parlors, an address will be given by R. W. Chase on "The Making Of An International Language." All these meetings are open to women and girls.

Have Reached London.

The graduates and third year students of Queen's Medical College, who enlisted for service as dressers at Cliveden Hospital in Buckingham, Eng., reached London on Wednesday. Cabes reaching here last night telling of their safe arrival. They left Ottawa on March 12th, and sailed from Halifax on the S.S. Northland on Sunday, March 14th. A fairly quick passage in these treacherous days was effected.

Motor Boat Men Getting Ready

Motor boat men are getting their craft ready for the spring, but there will not be as many motor boats about the harbor as last year. Some owners are fighting at the front, while others have gone away to secure positions.

RETURNED HIS BOOTY

THIEF BECAME CONSCIENCE-STRICKEN OVER ROBBERY.

Three Lamps Stolen From Boat House Tuesday Were Returned On Wednesday—Owner Given Agreeable Surprise.

A case of a thief being conscience-stricken has just been revealed in the city.

On Tuesday, W. G. Ferguson, superintendent of the Metropolitan Insurance company, to his boat house, near the Hoisery Mill, and was surprised to find that a thief had secured an entrance and made off with three valuable lamps.

Mr. Ferguson reported the matter to the police, and Constable James Bateson started to work on the case. On Wednesday, Mr. Ferguson made another visit to his boat house, and was given another and most agreeable surprise when he found that the three lamps missing the day before had been returned unharmed.

It is quite evident that the thief became conscience-stricken after reading in the Whig of the robbery, and knowing that the police would be on his track, he evidently decided to give up the booty. At any rate, Mr. Ferguson was glad to get his property back, and he notified the police that they need not continue their search.

Advertisement for Abernethy's Ladies' Footwear. Features an illustration of a woman in a dress and a high-heeled shoe. Text: 'The Newer Styles for Ladies. You will be well pleased with our new Spring Footwear. We have the new cloth tops in the gray and sand shades—in lace and button patterns. New Scalloped Heels. We also show plain black cloth tops. \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00. Shoe Repairing. ABERNETHY'S. Shoe Repairing.'

Advertisement for Sakell's Ice Cream Bricks. Features an illustration of three men in suits. Text: 'ICE CREAM BRICKS OR IN BULK. Delivered to all parts of the City By Government Test, Best in Kingston. SAKELL'S. Next Opera House. Phone 640.'

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Advertisement for Book Binding. Pure Marmalade. Our Upholstering Department. Book Binding. ALL KINDS. THE BRITISH WHIG KINGSTON, ONT.

Advertisement for Insurance. The Breaking Point. INSURANCE. Real Estate Investments. J. O. HUTTON. 18 Market St.

Advertisement for Carters & Teamsters. Will look well and wear well if you buy it here. We have a few special bargains at \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10. Come in and inspect these before you buy. There are no better values in the city. Also new spring hats, boots and shoes, etc. ISAAC ZACKS, 271 PRINCESS STREET.

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