

FROM THE COUNTRYSIDE

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BIG RIDGE, WOLFE ISLAND. Sept. 10.—The many friends of Mrs. William Allison, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, are pleased to hear that she is recovering nicely.

BREWSTER'S MILLS.

Sept. 10.—School re-opened on Wednesday with Miss Blaney, Simcoe, as teacher. A number from her attended the school fair at Joyceville on Tuesday.

BARRIEFIELD.

Sept. 10.—Chicken thieves visited here the beginning of the week. They broke in Mr. Dwyer's and stole thirty-three of his choice fowl.

WESTBROOK.

Sept. 7.—Most farmers have completed harvesting and threshing is the order of the day.

ed to Cataract cemetery for interment. The many friends of Nathaniel Smith are pleased to learn that he is recovering from his recent accident, which he met with on Monday last on returning from Collins Bay.

Hastings

Sept. 8.—A few campers are still enjoying the beauties of Beaulieu Lake. A quiet wedding took place at the Church of the Assumption when Miss Marguerite Evans became the bride of Vincent Donaghy.

Leeds

Sept. 11.—W. H. Murphy returned home from a visit with his sister.

Mrs. Elliott, Hamilton. School reopened at Miss Countryman's and Miss Rae Gallagher as teachers.

LYNDHURST.

Sept. 10.—Some of our young ladies are leaving this morning for Ottawa Normal School.

WILLOWBANK.

Sept. 11.—B. E. Sifter is threshing. Grain turns out well. Samuel Clark had the misfortune to lose his barn by fire.

MORRISWOOD.

Sept. 13.—Mrs. Turnbull is a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Swerdfeger.

A YACHTSMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

Los Angeles Clubman Went to Honolulu For Lark, And Had It. Los Angeles, Sept. 13.—Warren D. Wood, former commodore of the South Coast Yacht Club, and a well-known Los Angeles clubman, is back at his luxurious home here after a series of adventures in the South seas calculated to make Robinson Crusoe jealous.

Wood went to Honolulu six months ago on a pleasure trip. While there he received an offer of the third mate's job on the British ship Krestle, and accepted it—for a lark.

Then the Jack London stuff began. When far out on the boundless sea, Skipper Hindle, of the Krestle, began to notice that his "third mate" shaved daily and appeared on deck wearing silk neckties.

Wood was resourceful. One night the Krestle dropped anchor off a shadowy, tropical isle. Wood hopped into a ship's boat and rowed ashore.

There he found a colony of cannibals who ate bananas when there was nothing else handy.

He managed to keep out of the front end of the war, during which the savages fed him like a king, and viewed his increasing weight with evident relish.

At Sydney, Wood told himself he would cable home for a money bag that would astonish the natives.

Two weeks later Wood—overall, beard and all—asked for a job on the liner Ventura.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Despatches From Near And Distant Places. The Hamburg-American Line was fined for contempt of court in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Four Canadian officers were invested by King George with the insignia of their orders.

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EARNINGS IMPROVED.

The Grand Trunk Railway System Shows Increase. Montreal, Sept. 13.—C. P. R. earnings for the first week of September were \$2,002,000, as compared with \$2,110,000 for the corresponding period of 1914, a decrease of \$108,000.

Grand Trunk traffic receipts for the week show an increase of \$3,598, the amount being \$1,091,711, against \$1,088,113 in 1914.

Smelter Dividend. Toronto, Sept. 13.—The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company announced that a dividend of two per cent on the paid-up capital stock of the company for the quarter ending September 30th, 1915, being at the rate of eight per cent per annum, has been declared, payable October 1st, 1915, to holders of full shares of the said company of record on the 15th day of September, 1915.

Commercial Notes. Thomas Kelly & Son, Ltd., Winnipeg, have been incorporated with \$1,000,000 capital. This is the Thomas Kelly of Manitoba Parliament buildings fame.

John D. Ryan, president of the Anconia Copper Co., predicts the greatest market for copper that the world has ever seen.

Directors of the U. S. Steel Corporation are scheduled to meet on the last Tuesday of next month to take action on dividends.

One family owns approximately one twenty-fifth of the assessed value of all real estate in Chicago. This is the Marshall Field estate, whose holdings are placed at \$100,000,000.

How Canadian. Pacific common stock has been held during the past few years is shown in the Monetary Times. Total holders of the \$250,000,000 common are now 40,833, of whom 5,138 are Canadians.

The directors of the United States Mint have just completed the purchase of 600,000 ounces of silver, to be delivered immediately at the mint in Philadelphia.

Of this amount of bullion, 250,000 ounces were obtained at 49 1/2 cents per ounce, 250,000 ounces at 49 1/4 cents, and the remaining 100,000 ounces at 49 1/2 c.

GRAVE MISCONDUCT.

German Paper's Warning Against Propaganda. Berlin, Sept. 14, via London.—"We learn," the Vossische Zeitung says, "that printed sheets demanding the destruction of American munitions factories have occasionally been inserted secretly in German newspapers sent to America."

This sort is as criminal as it is silly. It cannot be described otherwise than of grave misconduct. The newspaper adds a warning against a continuation of the practice it condemns.

Mother's Orders. A rather quaint yarn concerns a certain general officer who was so misguided as to take his son with him as a de-camp. The well-meaning youth, delivering an order to an artillery brigadier, who was feeling a bit feverish that morning, unwisely said "If you please, my father wants you to move your guns to so and so."

"Very well, my lad," replied the brigadier. "Now run along and see what your mother wants done!"

Armenian Children Sold. Rome, Sept. 14.—The Agenzia Nazionale has received a telegram from its Bucharest correspondent stating that 800,000 Armenians from Asia Minor are now interned in Turkey. The women, the despatch says, have been placed in Turkish harems and the children sold at auction in Constantinople.

British Decorations. London, Sept. 14.—British orders and decorations ranging from K.C.B. to D.C.M., distributed among the Russian and French armies during this war number nearly 400. The French recipients have been personally decorated by the Prince of Wales.

Purchasing Agent. Ottawa, Sept. 14.—Edward Fitzgerald, Canadian Pacific Railway, 114 Windsor street Station, Montreal, has been appointed purchaser for the British War Office in Canada.

Flying Over Balkans. German Aeroplanes Are Carrying Supplies to Turks. Kavala, Greece, Sept. 13, via Paris, Sept. 14.—Reports of a frontier skirmish between Greek and Bulgarian patrols near Kavala have been officially confirmed, and an investigation ordered.

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Lanark

Sept. 13.—Mrs. V. Prasky gave a sewing-bee on August 31st, and a party for the young people in the evening.

Mr. William McKay, wife of a farmer near Sarnia, was instantly killed by taking hold of a power wire that had fallen across the back of her horse.

Rev. A. H. Priest, assistant curate of St. George's Church, St. Catharines, has offered his services to accompany Army Medical Corps and has been accepted.

Ida Wolts, formerly of Toronto and now of Kinsey Park, school teacher, has given notice that she will apply for divorce from her husband, Arthur Edgar Wolts, physician, of Toronto, on the usual grounds.

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A LIVELY EPISODE.

He Lassoed and Captured an Austrian General. Rome, Sept. 14.—Corporal Salvatore Sordani, who captured an Austrian general with a lasso on the Trossa front, has arrived at Rome. Details of his exploit, published in the Tribuna, state that he had climbed a tree when the Austrian general left a group of officers and came under the tree.

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