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INSPECTOR MAKES STATEMENT

Regarding an Account Between Lanark and Children's Aid Society.

W. H. Wylie, inspector for the Children's Aid Society makes the following statement: re account between the Children's Aid Society of Kingston and the County of Lanark: The Superior of St. Mary's-on-the-Lake Orphanage, Kingston, has requested me to correct a misunderstanding that has arisen regarding the above account. When the inspector was asked to collect maintenance from Lanark County for these children they had, sent down to Kingston, the authorities of the Roman Catholic home and the inspector did not know what the amount of the account would be, because at that time we had no committal papers and it was not until the inspector received the committal papers from the Provincial Department that the amount of the account could be ascertained. When the committal papers reached the inspector's office he proceeded to make up the account as called for by these papers. The inspector never notified the Catholic authorities of the amount of the account he was submitting and they are in no wise responsible nor did they in any way try to collect the amount. The inspector billed Lanark county, the amount that was called by the committal papers which he held, and it was only after investigations that the error was revealed.

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Memorial Service.

There will be a parade of all officers, members and ex-members of the 14th Regiment and members of the weekly training classes at the Armories to-morrow Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock to attend a George Richardson memorial service in St. George's Cathedral. Officers are asked to parade in uniform.

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St. Paul's—Morning prayer, 11 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. Canon FitzGerald, M. A. Sunday school and Bible class, 3 p. m. Holy baptism, 4 p. m. Evening prayer, 7 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. Canon FitzGerald.

I. B. S. A. Class, 300 Queen street—Bible study, 3 p. m. "The Day of Jehovah"; 7:30 p. m. "What is Man, In His Relationship to the Atonement." All Bible students welcome.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Johnson street, between Bagot and Wellington street. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. service, 11 a. m. subject, "Soul." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting. Public reading room same address, open every afternoon except Sunday, 3 to 5 o'clock.

Union Street Baptist Church—Pastor Rev. William France. Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Bible school, 3 p. m. Subject—Morning: "The Battle of Life"; evening, "The Firm Foundation." Prayer service, Wednesday, 8 p. m. All are welcome to these services.

Calvary Congregational Church, corner of Bagot and Charles streets.—11 a. m. "Drawing On the Bank of Heaven"; 3 p. m. Bible Classes, Sunday School; 7 p. m. "Proofs of Immortality." Monday, 8 p. m. Guild meeting and choir practice. All cordially invited to these services. Rev. J. Lyall, pastor, 266 Rideau street.

Sydenham Street Methodist Church—Rev. Alfred Brown, pastor, will preach morning and evening. Music by soloists and full choir. Class meeting, 9:45 a. m.; Junior League, 10 a. m.; Bible School and Wesleyan Club, 2:45 p. m.; Senior League Monday, 8 p. m.; prayer and praise service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.; Intermediate League, Friday, 7:15 p. m.; Soldiers and students specially invited. A cordial welcome to all.

Queen Street Methodist Church—Rev. G. L. Campbell, minister. 9 a. m. morning classes; 11 a. m. subject, "God's First Question." 2:45 p. m. Bible School, Adult Classes and Young Men's Club; 7 p. m. subject, "God's Second Question." Good music, pastor at both services. Monday, 7 p. m. Junior Epworth League; 8 p. m. Senior Epworth League; Wednesday, 8 p. m. confessional prayer and praise service. Students, soldiers and strangers welcome.

Brock Street Methodist Church, corner of Brock and Montreal streets.—Rev. George S. Clendinning, pastor. Residence, 242 Johnson street. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Class meeting, 10 a. m.; Sunday School, 3 p. m.; Epworth League social evening, Monday, 8 p. m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m. Soldiers, students and other visitors welcome at all services. Entrance to week night services from Montreal street.

St. George's Cathedral—Very Rev. Dean Starr, M. A., D. D., rector; 78 Wellington street; telephone, 1644. Rev. Cecil Whalley, M. A., B. D., curate, 138 Bagot street; phone 1444. 6th Sunday after Epiphany. 8 a. m. Holy communion; 11 a. m. matins. Preacher, the Bishop of Kingston; 3 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class; 4:15 p. m. holy baptism; 7 p. m. evensong, memorial service for the late Captain George Richardson. Preacher, the dean. Daily service of intercession throughout the week at 10 o'clock. Reception for soldiers of the garrison and schools of instruction in St. George's Hall at 8:30 (entrance from Wellington street).

St. James' Church, corner Union and Arch streets—All seats free. Rev. T. W. Savary, B.A., Rector, The Rectory, 152 Barrie street. Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany. 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 11 a. m. Morning Prayer and Litany. Sermon subject, "Purifying Hope." 3 p. m. Sunday school and Bible Classes. 7 p. m. Evening Prayer and sermon. Sermon subject, "Continuing series on Life of Jacob—The Bitter Bit."

First Congregational, corner Johnson and Wellington streets.—Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, B.A., pastor. Residence, 281 Alfred street. Phone 1968. The pastor will preach at both services. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Man With the Measuring Line." Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Democracy on Trial." Soldiers

St. Andrew's Church—Morning 11 a. m. memorial service for the late Lieut.-Col. Duff. Preacher, Rev. Prof. Dall, B. D.; evening service at 7 p. m. Preacher, Rev. D. J. Fraser, D.D., L.L.D., acting-Principal of Presbyterian College Montreal. Sunday School and Bible class at 3 p. m. Strangers, students and soldiers cordially invited to all the services.

Cooke's Presbyterian Church—Rev. E. R. McLean, M.A., B.D., 451 Johnson street. Phone 1094. The minister at both services. 11 a. m. subject, "Your Opportunity." 3 p. m. Sunday school and Bible classes. A special invitation to young men. 7 p. m. subject, "The Dislike of the Commonplace." Prayer meeting and address at 8 p. m. Friday Y. P. S. C. E. at 8 p. m. We invite you.

Officers of the 14th

HELD BANQUET FOR COMRADES GOING OVERSEAS.

Reference to Capt. George T. Richardson—Signal Rings Presented to a Number of Officers.

On Friday evening a banquet in honor of the 14th Regiment officers going overseas was held in the Etienne Club and guests were present from Ottawa, Cornwall, Gananoque and Napanee. In welcoming the guests, Major W. Y. Mills said that they had gathered together to spend what was first expected to be a very pleasant evening, but owing to the sad word that Capt. George T. Richardson had been killed in action, the orchestra and a splendid programme had been cancelled. The steward and staff put on their usual excellent dinner. Major Mills presided and Capt. F. Mahood, vice-president of the mess was toast-master.

Major Mills said that the news that Capt. Richardson had fallen saddened the heart of every officer present. There had been great changes in the 14th Regiment since the war began. Great honor had been done the regiment by the selection of three of its officers—Lieut.-Col. W. S. Hughes, Lieut.-Col. H. J. Dawson and Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low—being chosen to command overseas battalions. A similar gathering had been held a year ago in honor of a dozen or more 14th officers who were now fighting in France and this was the second gathering to say good-bye, this time to over thirty officers as follows:

Lieut.-Col. H. J. Dawson, Major W. H. Craig, Major W. J. Grant, Capt. G. Bawden, Capt. T. C. McGill, Lieut. R. H. Waddell, Lieut. K. Taylor, Lieut. A. P. Christmas, Lieut. A. Shortt, Lieut. J. A. Murphy, Lieut. J. P. Smythe, all in the 59th Battalion; Major J. M. Mowat, 52nd Vancouver Battalion; Lieut. F. D. Hammond, 77th Battalion, Ottawa; Capt. L. C. Lockett, Lieut. L. H. Birkett and Lieut. B. Robertson all in the 80th Belleville Battalion; Lieut. L. H. Coole, 33rd Peterboro Battalion; Lieut. A. W. Asselstine, 109th Light Infantry Battalion; Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low, Lieut. V. Lanos, G. F. Newlands, H. M. Snider, F. Purdy, R. J. Robinson, G. A. R. Emery, S. D. Whaley, E. B. Smythe, W. B. Ferrier, W. Campion and S. G. Crothers, all in the 146th Battalion; Lieut. L. W. Coon, 15th Brockville Battalion; Major L. F. Goodwin, Imperial Munitions Board Ottawa; Capt. S. H. Simpson, C. A. D. C., city.

The toast to the Canadian Militia was responded to by Col. T. D. R. Hemming and Lieut.-Col. R. E. Kent, two officers who have always been staunch friends of the 14th Regiment. Both replied very suitably and referred at length to the gallant career of Capt. Richardson. The toast to the 14th Overseas was responded to by Major P. G. C. Campbell and Major W. L. Goodwin. The latter was Capt. George Richardson's Company for a year and fought beside him in France for several months.

Major G. L. Starr in replying to the toast to "Our Guests" presented the following officers with signal rings bearing the crest of the regiment: Lieut.-Col. H. J. Dawson, Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low, Major W. H. Craig, Major W. L. Grant, Major J. M. Mowat, Capt. G. A. Bawden, Capt. T. C. McGill, Capt. L. C. Lockett and Lieut. R. H. Waddell, L. H. Birkett.

Major Starr spoke feelingly of Capt. George Richardson. Replies also came from Col. Dawson, Major Grant and other recipients of rings. In several the name of the ever-popular Major Mowat was mentioned with feeling.

Sunbury Red Cross.

The members of the Red Cross Society of Sunbury thank the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church for their donation of twenty-one dollars, being half the proceeds of a concert held in the town hall on the 9th inst. Also Mrs. (Rev.) J. T. Caswell for the gift of five dollars toward this worthy cause. Signed on behalf of the Red Cross Society, Mrs. K. M. Gordon, Sec.-Treas.

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