

# News From Eastern Ontario Points

## THE DISTRICT NEWS

### CLIPPED FROM THE WHIG'S MANY BRIGHT EXCHANGES.

In Brief Form the Events in the Country About Kingston Are Told—Full of Interest to Many.

Nelson Carpenter, Clayton, N. Y., died on Thursday, aged sixty-five years.

W. E. McDonald is president and John Kellogg, secretary of the Alexandria Bay, N. Y., Board of Trade.

George Ledgerwood, Smith's Falls, died on Thursday last. He had been long ill. He had been married forty-nine years.

R. J. Whaley has sold his vacant lot on Church street, Westport, to A. C. Bradley who intends erecting a large brick store and dwelling this season.

Dr. Hugh M. Young, B. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Young, Renfrew, is leaving Shaunavon, Sask., for Moosejaw, where he is to go into partnership with Drs. Leask & Black, C. P. R. surgeons.

At Pembroke, Magistrate J. C. Stewart sentenced Joseph Emery, Maniwaki, alias Joseph Laviolette, to a term of three years in penitentiary, on a charge of issuing a worthless cheque.

Mrs. Eldon Rose, of Prince Edward County, aged fifty years, died on Saturday at the home of her son in Watertown, N. Y., where she was visiting. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Winaker, Prince Edward County.

Mrs. John A. McIntyre, Calabogie, is dead after a long illness. Deceased's maiden name was Barbara McDougall, and she was born in Palmerston township, Frontenac County, 43 years ago, a daughter of Allan McDougall, who at present resides at Folger. With the husband there are left a son and daughter.

### \$10,000 FIRE IN TRENTON.

Garage, Machine Shop, Store and Automobiles Destroyed.

Trenton, March 6.—On Friday morning fire broke out in Messrs. Graydon & Clegg's garage, which was soon destroyed, together with seven automobiles and shop equipment. Messrs. Ireland & McCall's machine shop and sporting goods store, next to the garage, were also badly damaged. It is estimated that the damage to automobiles, stock and property would be around \$10,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

### Another Band On Tour.

Maribank, March 6.—The 155th Battalion Brass Band has commenced its tour of the military centres in the counties of Hastings and Prince Edward by giving a concert here. Their tour will take nearly two weeks.

### Dr. Biezard Enlists.

Warkworth, March 6.—Dr. J. A. Biezard has enlisted with the Royal Medical Corps, and expects to go overseas at an early date.

### UNDERWATER PERISCOPE USED BY AUSTRINIANS.

Suggestion of Italian Paper Regarding Torpedoing of the Glava.

Rome, March 7.—The introduction in Austro-German submarine warfare of an underwater periscope, by which observations may be made without exposing the "eye" of the submarine, is suggested by the Messagero, in reporting the torpedoing and sinking of the Italian steamship Glava.

The Glava was sent to the bottom. It was first reported by an Austrian submarine. The Messagero now states that the submarine crew looted the ship before it was sunk, and that the survivors expressed the belief that the submarine was German. They state that they saw no periscope, and suggest that a new subaqueous periscope has been invented.

### SPANISH STEAMER WRECKED

And 500 Passengers and Crew Are Missing.

London, March 7.—The Spanish steamer Principe De Asturias was wrecked while en route to Buenos Ayres from Barcelona. About five hundred passengers and the crew are missing.

You can test a modern community by the degree of its interest in its Young Men's Christian Association—President Wilson.

### CAME FROM THE STATES

How He Enlisted With the 50th Battalion.

Brockville, March 7.—To come to a country he had never been in before, to enlist with a battalion strange to him, and to be quartered in a town he had never heard of was the strange fate which befell Private Ronald Taylor "C" Company, Brockville. Ronald Taylor was a resident in New Bedford, Mass., and had followed the war very closely. He is an Englishman by birth, although residing in the States for the past seven years, and his love for his motherland was strong. He decided to enlist, and left a good position and bought a ticket to Montreal.

On arriving in Montreal on New Year's eve, he stepped off the train, and asked the first soldier he saw where the nearest recruiting station was located. This particular soldier happened to be a man of the 53rd who was in Montreal on New Year's leave. The soldier linked arms with his "bud" and promised to bring him to the finest battalion in Canada, as the soldier said. On New Year's day they returned to Brockville, and on the day of "good resolutions" Ronald Taylor donned the King's uniform, and at present is completing a course in signalling. Private Taylor states that there is nothing to compare with a soldier's life, and is glad he is signed up with the 59th. Recently he made a farewell visit to his parents in New Bedford previous to going overseas, and has returned anxiously waiting the order to leave for the front. A safe return, Ronald.

### That Fodgings Order.

Brockville, March 7.—Brockville is to have the execution of the orders for mining hammers for South Africa and cast iron hardware articles for New Zealand, exclusively, announced in last Friday's Herald, as having been obtained by the Canada Foundries and Forgings Company. The orders will be executed by the James Smart Mfg. Co., one of Forgings subsidiaries. As mentioned the company will send a representative to Russia next month with a full line of the company's products.

### May Take Over Buildings.

Renfrew, March 7.—The property committee of Renfrew town council has brought in a report recommending that the old town hall on Hall street be sold, that the Temperance hall be purchased, and that the Alton Hotel (now owned by the town, but under lease), be taken over by the municipality and converted into offices and store-rooms for civic purposes. The council has taken the recommendation of the committee into its serious consideration.

### Remanded For a Week.

Brockville, March 6.—Thomas Shipman and Dyce McAvoy, the two men arrested while selling ling from house to house for whitefish and Marlston Lake trout, were brought before the magistrate and remanded for one week. It appears the pair disposed of a large quantity of fish at ten cents per pound for one fish or eight cents per pound when a quantity was purchased.

### ISAAC O. PROCTOR DEAD; SHERIFF THIRTY YEARS.

Northumberland and Durham Counties Official Passes Away.

Brighton, Ont., March 7.—Relations announce the death of Isaac O. Proctor, for thirty years Sheriff of the counties of Northumberland and Durham, and a prominent Liberal and Freemason. He was born in Brighton eighty years ago, and was Sheriff until four years ago. He had large interests here, and was a Knights Templar in the Port Hope Preceptory.

The late Mr. Proctor was a bachelor. P. R. W. Proctor, manager of the Standard Bank of Canada in Brighton, is a nephew, while Mrs. H. C. Webb, and Mrs. (Dr.) Sanford of Brighton and Mrs. H. J. Shelgrove of Toronto are nieces.

### LOST HANDS AND TOES.

Belleville Soldier Was Frozen While Lying In a Shed.

Belleville, March 7.—Private John Munns, a member of the 155th Battalion being mobilized in this city was some time ago found at an early hour in the morning in a shed in the rear of a Front street premises. His hands and feet were frozen to such an extent that it has been found necessary to amputate the hands, leaving only one thumb, and all the toes have been taken off.

Munns is an unmarried man and has lived in this vicinity for some time.

### An Old Almonte Boy.

Almonte, March 7.—Dr. Cameron Lochard, M.L.A., has received a fine appointment in the army, because of the Public Health degree which he received at Toronto University last winter. He is sanitary assistant to the head medical officer in the Winnipeg Military District, and will have charge of all the sanitary arrangements in the barracks and camps in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. He will be in charge of the camp this summer at Sewell, Man., with the rank of captain. Dr. Lochard is a nephew of Mrs. McDonald, of town.

### Have Left Pembroke.

Pembroke, March 7.—The town is losing another well known resident in the person of Harry Smith, who along with his family is moving from town this week. Mr. Smith, who is an expert stock raiser, and who conducted a stock farm near Pembroke for several years, has accepted the charge of a large stock farm near Toronto.

### Campbellford Volunteers Honored

Campbellford, March 7.—The mayor, a large number of citizens, and the High School Cadets turned out in full force to give a send-off to some half dozen lads from here who have recently enlisted with the 59th Overseas Battalion, and were home on leave.

### ONTARIO FARMERS WANT 10,000 MEN.

The Immigration Officials Are After Michigan Lumber-Jacks.

Toronto, March 7.—Interviewed with reference to the farm help problem, Hon. Finlay Macdunnachie, Minister of Public Works, said: "School and college boys will only be available for a part of the time. The term will be shortened, I expect, to let the scholars go to the farmers about some time in May, when the haying season commences, but what the farmers want most are men right now who get ready for the plowing. We have sent John Farrell and Henry Tutt of the immigration staff to Michigan. They will work from Port Huron north. Mr. Farrell seems confident that men may be obtained from the Michigan lumber camps when they break in the spring. It is expected that about 10,000 men will be wanted within the next month or so.

### States Open To Canadian Spuds.

Washington, March 7.—The Secretary of Agriculture has authorized the granting of permits for the importation of potatoes from Canada, subject to the new regulations which became effective January 1st. The Canadian Government has officially accepted the conditions and issued an order that potatoes offered for export to the United States must be free from injurious diseases and insect pests. With this understanding, Canadian potatoes will be exempt from the requirements of inspection and certification before shipment, which still applies to European potatoes. The potatoes from Canada will be inspected, however, on arrival in the United States and entry refused to any infected with diseases.

### The Suburban Roads Bad.

There was no market on Tuesday morning owing to the condition of the roads in the country which are described as being very bad through snowdrifts. The crossing to Wolfe Island is also very bad, with a wet bottom and a hard crust on top of the snow.

Among those from outside points attending the meeting of Presbytery are Rev. Robert Laird, Toronto; Rev. A. J. Wilson, Napanee; Rev. Dr. Henry Gracey, Madoc; Rev. Dr. W. S. MacTavish, Madoc; Mrs. W. Bradley and Mrs. Haynes and son of Belleville are visiting Mrs. Joseph Kennedy, corner of Frontenac and Johnson streets. "Do your bit" for the Kingston Y. M. C. A. It needs \$5,000. George Beecher, Brockville, is visiting in Kingston, Brockville, is

### MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

TO THE GENERAL HOSPITAL IN VARIOUS WAYS.

So As To Meet the Needs of the Largely Increased Number of Pay-Patients.

The Board of Governors of Kingston General Hospital met on Monday afternoon. The Committee of Management in its report mentioned extensive improvements to the diet kitchen which will give increased facilities for meeting the largely increased number of pay patients which the hospital each month is catering to. The matter was very fully gone into by the management in connection with the Woman's Aid Society, and the recommendations presented in were the result of the joint deliberations of these two bodies. The Board approved of the measures, and the suggestions will be carried out immediately.

The committee also reported that the nurses' dining room was undergoing a complete overhauling and being supplied with new linen, cutlery, furniture, etc.

The Board decided to advertise for tenders for the supply of milk, about 240 to 225 quarts a day being used at present.

A letter was read from T. F. Harrison stating that as he had removed from the city he regretted being obliged to send in his resignation as a member of the Board, but the governing body expressed approval of his leaving very loathe to accept his resignation, and although he will in future be living in Cobourg, they asked permission to retain his name on the roll. Mr. Harrison has always shown himself a good friend of the institution, and his suggestions have always been of a very practical nature.

The visiting governors, Dr. R. E. Sparks and C. A. Macpherson, brought in a written report of their inspection of the hospital. They expressed strong approval of what has already been done to the main and diet kitchens, the nurses' dining room, and other things. They also mentioned the very large number of patients they found in every part of the institution, and expressed their conviction that this spoke very favorably as to the efficiency of the hospital and of the place it holds in the estimation of the public.

The members present were: A. F. Chow (chairman), Prof. D. H. Marshall, R. E. Kent, Canon Grant, H. D. Bibby, T. McK. Robertson, F. G. Lockett, Rev. D. Lang, and Dr. R. E. Sparks.

Mayor Richardson and Warden Halliday were appointed visiting governors for the present month.

### THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.

Of Standard Reliance Corporation—A Fine Showing.

In no way are the fruits of conservative yet alert and enterprising business management better revealed than in an examination of the annual reports of mortgage corporations for the first twelve months after the outbreak of the war. The annual report of the Standard Reliance Mortgage Corporation, read at the third annual meeting on Monday, gives the shareholders every reason for congratulation, not only on account of the satisfactory progress made by the Corporation, but as an example of prudent and sound management in the face of unexampled economic stress, both at home and abroad. Corporations with over-valued securities and cumulative liabilities made very poor showing in their reports of business since the war commenced. The Standard Reliance Mortgage Corporation, on the other hand, showed that conservative operations in times of clear business weather have their good results in times of stress.

The amount to the credit of profit and loss not only insured the usual dividend to the shareholders of seven per cent., but also allowed for a considerable sum being carried forward to reserve fund, thus strengthening generally the corporation's position. The increase in the amount of debentures sold reflects the prospect of confidence in the Standard Reliance Mortgage Corporation. That five per cent. Mortgage Corporation debentures continue in demand is a valuable indication of confidence in the Standard Reliance Mortgage Corporation's report is an eminently satisfactory one, both from the standpoint of the shareholders and the public. A resume of its annual report is printed on Page 14 to-day.

### DONATIONS RECEIVED.

By the 14th Regiment Association For Kingston Soldiers.

The 14th Regiment Association wishes to acknowledge the following donations received during December, January and February: 6 pair socks, Miss Robinson; 6 pairs socks and tobacco, Mrs. Fairlie; 4 pairs wristlets, 3 pairs socks, "Home News," Miss M. Leslie; 1 box spearmint gum and milk chocolate, Mr. and Mrs. M. Thompson; 4 pairs socks, Mrs. Haywood; 13 pairs socks, Mrs. Rutlan; 2 pairs knee caps, 3 pairs wristlets, Miss Ferns; \$5, Mrs. Skinner; 17 pairs socks, pupils of Barrieffield school; 6 pairs socks, Mrs. Rutlan; 1 muffler, Mrs. Howard Tracy, Plainville, N.Y.; 1 pair socks, Howard Tracy; 1 scarf, Mrs. Carter.

Bales have been sent fortnightly to the men of the 14th Regiment now at the front, and have contained parcels from the following: Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Ross, Mr. Gordon, scholars of the Barrieffield school, Mrs. James Henderson, Mrs. E. Sanderson, Miss Richardson, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Buse, Mrs. Laidlaw, Mrs. Kidd, Mrs. Stephenson, Mr. Twigg, Mrs. Harold, Mrs. Allan, Miss Edith Pense.

MISS EDITH M. FOLGER, Secretary 14th Regiment Association, 150 Wellington street.

The members of the Kingston Presbytery had luncheon together in one of the class rooms in the old arts buildings, at Queen's University at the close of their morning session on Tuesday.

### FOUR MILES OF NAMES FOR A DRY ONTARIO.

Arrangements For Wednesday's Big Deputation—Tomorrow Night's Meeting.

Toronto, March 7.—It is estimated that the signatures on the "dry Ontario" petition to be presented to the Government on Wednesday would reach a distance of four miles if placed one after another. It has been found by latest figures that the "dry" signatures on the voters' petition in Toronto aggregates \$8.01 per cent. of the largest vote ever cast in a municipal election in the city. It is now expected that the deputation to wait on the Government will number about 20,000. Premier Hearst will receive the "party" on the steps of the Parliament Buildings.

A great Provincial prohibition rally will be held in Massey Hall to-night, when Sir George Foster, at one time a famous temperance orator, will deliver the chief address. Other speakers will be Mrs. W. R. Lang, George B. Nicholson of Chappell, J. T. Stogey of Brockville, and Newton Wylie, Secretary of the Committee of One Hundred.

It is understood that the French newspaper Le Temps of Ottawa, has been sold to men prominently identified with the bilingual agitation.

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### SOWARDS

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### Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful as all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

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**MARRIED MEN** will be allowed 60c a day extra for subsistence; also \$20 a month separation, as well as their daily pay of \$1.10 and Patriotic Fund allowance, estimated from \$10.00 a month up, making a total of \$81.00 a month for privates (N.C.O. pay extra).

**SINGLE MEN** will be allowed 60c a day extra for subsistence as well as their daily pay of \$1.10, making a total of \$51.00 a month.

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