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According to Major R. W. Leonard, Who Addressed Canadian C. E. Society.

Major R. W. Leonard in speaking before the Canadian Civil Engineering Society, said: "The Oswego is about 150 miles nearer (by Erie Canal) to Troy than is Buffalo, and, as the enlarged Welland Canal will be, by treaty, free to United States ships, their largest lake ships will deliver grain cargoes to 1,500-ton United States barges at Oswego, in the New York State Barge Canal for New York instead of into 200 or 300-ton barges at Buffalo as at present, and thus compete with large Canadian ships discharging into 2,000-ton barges at Prescott, or Kingston for Montreal. In the past the little Erie canal boats taking grain from Buffalo to New York have been very keen competitors against the St. Lawrence route. What will be the result of the new conditions when in operation? It would appear that the expenditure on the proposed Welland Canal enlargement when completed will be quite as much to the advantage of the United States as to Canada, and during construction probably much more than that the cost goes to the United States for coal and machinery."

A. O. U. W. ENTERTAINMENT
On Thursday Evening Was a Very Enjoyable Event.

There was a good audience in the A. O. U. W. lodge rooms, Princess street on Thursday night at an entertainment under the auspices of Limestone and Kingston Courts. Daniel Wright presided and a highly pleasing programme was rendered by local talent. W. H. Blair, A. O. U. W. organizer, and Daniel Wright and Bert Armstrong gave capital addresses. W. Smeaton and Earl Hannelton recited cleverly. Mrs. Orlee, Daniel Couper, J. Saunders and Mr. Edmundson sang splendidly. Miss Lattery favored with a piano solo, A. E. Hunt a saxophone solo, and the Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered a fine selection. A special feature was the "8" quartette, Messrs. Salsbury, Singleton, Smith and Saunders. It gave fine selections. There were many encores and responses. Bert Armstrong gave a series of colored lantern slides, the screen work of the order. Altogether it was a happily conducted event.

Names Were Omitted.
In the list of people who donated socks for the Kingston men of the 21st Battalion, which was published in Thursday's issue of the Whig, the names of Mrs. J. S. Leslie, Miss Marion Leslie and Mrs. Dyckman were omitted. The parcel came in after the list was prepared. The names of any persons who donated socks will be published from time to time.

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THE SPORT REVIEW

THE HEXATHLON EVENTS HELD BY THE Y. M. C. A.

Records Made By the Kingston Boys—140th Battalion Assault-at-Arms in City Hall.
Forty-seven boys took part in the hexathlon events that have just been finished in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. The boys were in five groups, according to weight, and the scoring was on that basis. "Jack" Renton in the unlimited class was the highest individual scorer with 441 points; Will Canham, in the 80-pound class, was next with 439 points, and Harvey Sugel, 95-pound class, was third with 389 points. The best records in all of the events were:
20 yard potato race—Pelham Richardson, 4 4-5 seconds.
40 yard potato race—Fred. Morris, Ivan Clendinning, 10 1-5 seconds.
60 yard potato race—"Jack" Renton, 15 4-5 seconds.
80 yard potato race—Harvey Sugel, 23 2-5 seconds.
120 yard potato race—Chf. Armstrong, 32 1-5 seconds.
160 yard potato race—Fred. Morris, 23 seconds.
160 yard potato race—John McLaughlin, 48 1-5 seconds.
Running high jump—John McLaughlin, 4 ft. 6 in.
Standing broad jump—"Jack" Renton, 8 ft. 5 4-4 in.
8 pound shot put—John McLaughlin, 33 ft. 3 in.
Pence vault—"Jack" Renton, 5 ft. 10 in.
Target throw—Edward Wilson, 80 points.
Snap under bar—Don. Anglin, 4 ft. 10 1-2 in.
Snap under bar—Harvey Sugel, 4 ft. 10 1-2 in.
The senior school boy basketball team is to represent the Y. M. C. A. in a game with the K. C. I. team as soon as a date can be arranged.
The junior "A" basketball team had no difficulty in defeating the Excelsior Club in the second game by 27 to 6. The following was the line-up:
Excelsior—(St. James Sunday school)—Burns, George Maxam, Scrutten, "Jack" Prettie and Calvert.
Junior "A"—(Y. M. C. A.)—Chf. Drury, "Bill" Lloyd, Harvey Sugel, Samuel Abramsky, and Frederick Morris.

Big Night in City Hall.
Saturday night will be one big night for Kingston sportsmen. The sportsmen's platoon of the 146th Battalion is arranging for a most unique programme.

Alfred James Bews is arranging for four or five boys by well-known class mitt-artist. Beside these, talent in vaudeville work will be secured and an entertainment put on. All this will be topped off with the announcements from the ring-side of the Willard-Moran fight, McKibbin, Montreal, and Ellerbeck, Geneva, give a short wrestling bout. Jarvis Bros, 14th Regiment, are down for a lively go. Lieut. Falkner expects to meet Lieut. Murphy, coming up from Cornwall.

Carling Games Are Over.
The regular curling games are over for this season. On Thursday there were a few scrub games, but the weather is so uncertain that no games can be arranged ahead of time.

PROF. S. A. MITCHELL.
A Son of Kingston Lectures in Ottawa.

The Ottawa Citizen says: The high reputation of Queen's graduates was further enhanced when Professor S. A. Mitchell, of the University of Virginia, and director of the Leander McCormick Observatory, delivered a very popular lecture Wednesday evening at Carnegie library on the "Exact Distances of the Fixed Stars." Professor Mitchell is a Queen's graduate, well known in scientific and social circles of the capital, and the lecture hall was too small for a large number of Queen's graduates and prominent citizens generally who welcomed him.
Though a young man, Professor Mitchell has achieved an international reputation, and his illustrations of the working of the Great Yerkes and Lick telescopes as well as the Leander McCormick, were novel and instructive.

A Splendid Entertainment.
A very enjoyable and successful concert was held in the town hall at Harrowsmith, on Tuesday evening last, in aid of the Presbyterian Church. The programme was in the hands of the Wilton Glee Club which provided a splendid entertainment, reflecting considerable credit upon this village organization. Rev. W. J. Parsons presided and a large audience was present. Selections were given by Mr. Sine, of Sydenham High School, and an address by Rev. J. A. Waddell, late of Harrowsmith. During the course of the evening, Lieut. James, of Sydenham, was given the privilege of making a recruiting appeal which he did with telling effect.

Big Increase of Exports.
United States Consul Johnson states that the exports from Kingston district to the United States from October 1st last till this date amount to \$1,380,000. For the same period a year ago they amounted to \$300,000.

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Travelling Men, Attention!
When you are through with this paper on the train throw it out to the first gang of section men you pass, so they can read and enjoy it. They will appreciate it.

The President of the Board of Trade acknowledges the following subscriptions to the Belgian Relief fund: Mrs. A. Gardiner, \$2; H. J. Simpson, \$5.
Justice of the Peace George Hunter has on hand two non-payment of wage cases.

TAX RATE NOT DECIDED

BUT IT WILL BE HIGHER THAN LAST YEAR

Board of Education Street Lighting and the Committees Are To Be Cut Down.
The Civic Finance Committee met on Thursday night to prepare the budget for the City Council meeting on Monday night, but final decision has not been reached with regard to the tax rate for 1916. The rate is to be at least one mill more than last year. Just what the exact amount will be is not announced.
All the civic committees will receive smaller appropriations than last year, and there will be no increased grants to charities. The grants for war purposes alone made a tax increase necessary. Then there is the increased cost of collecting garbage and refuse. The Garbage Committee fixes its needs at four-fifths of a mill on the total assessment, all property being liable for this tax.

The Finance Committee is not inclined to give the Board of Education the increase it asks for of over \$6,000. It seeks to have this amount reduced, and the Mayor will take up the matter with members of the Board to see if an amicable reduction can be made so as to keep the tax rate from being put up to such an extent that the people would raise objection. The Committee is willing to meet the Board half way.
The Finance Committee will recommend to Council that less money be spent in street lighting this year. Unless the Utilities Commission reduces its rates it is a pretty safe bet that half the "white way" light will be cut off for the remainder of the year. It is recognized that the Commission is charging the city too high a rate for street lamps, and the Council will go carefully into the matter.

FOR OUR PRISONERS.

Parcels Sent From United States Consulate to Germany.

Contributions of money, clothing, food and tobacco are constantly being made to the prisoners-of-war for Canadians in Germany. The American Consul is satisfied that from now on there will be articles and money steadily coming in.
The parcels sent from Kingston have shown just what the Canadians are quarters the camps being at Giessen, Göttingen and Solla. Between these three camps practically every soldier of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, who was taken prisoner at Langemarck, St. Julien and other battles, is imprisoned.
The fact that the parcels are very much appreciated is shown by the cards of thanks that have been received.

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C. N. R. 2.30 p.m.

WOMEN ON STREET CARS
Could Fill Bill As Conductors, is Opinion of Hugh C. Nickle.
While in the city, Major G. H. Williams, who has charge of the recruiting in the Second-divisional Area, stated that there were many women who would be willing to serve as motormen and conductors on street cars if they were given a chance.
A Whig representative asked Hugh C. Nickle, superintendent of the Street Railway Company, what he thought of the idea to put women in charge of the cars.
"I do not think I would like to see the women as motormen," he said, "but I do not see any reason why the women should not be allowed to act as conductors if it were necessary."
Mr. Nickle appeared to think that the idea of having the women on the cars in a case of necessity, was all right.
"They collect the cash in the stores, and why not on the street cars?" he asked.
However, the Kingston Street Railway has not yet been besieged with applications from women to operate the street cars.

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