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ADDRESS AT THE GRAND

R. B. BENNETT MADE A THRILLING APPEAL

His Remarks Were Heard With Much Appreciation — The 146th Battalion Is Now Nearing Strength.

R. B. Bennett, M. P., Calgary, is certainly a wonderful speaker and he put his best efforts into the address given in the Grand Opera House on Sunday evening. This is the first time that Mr. Bennett has been in Kingston but he went away leaving a splendid impression after proving himself to be the equal of any if not the best speaker ever heard from a Kingston platform.

The address was, according to the announcement in Lieut-Col. C. A. Low's introduction, the last shot that will be put forth from the guns of the 146th Battalion to bring that battalion up to its full strength. Col. Low said that he now had 900 men every one of whom were natives of this district. The 146th represents Kingston and the counties to the north. These 900 men had been persuaded to enlist only after meetings had been held in every cross-roads, blacksmith shop and hamlet in the district. The first meeting had been on January 3rd in the City Hall when Major-General Hodgins, adjutant-general, had given an address. At that time there were about 100 men in the battalion. After incessant work on the part of himself and every officer of the battalion the strength was now nine times as much. He was satisfied that every person now knew what was needed and he left it with their own consciences to decide whether they should come forward and enlist.

R. B. Bennett was hailed with continued applause when he rose. He opened his address by referring to the drive that he and W. F. Nickle, M.P., had taken around the streets of Kingston on Sunday afternoon. The impression that the old historic buildings and places of interest left on him was voiced. These places were concrete evidence of Kingston patriotism in long gone by struggles for freedom. In referring to the Kingstonsians and Canadians who had enlisted in and were now at the front or in training for the front, Mr. Bennett referred to the reasons why they were in khaki. There are three reasons according to his idea why Canadians have enlisted to help the Empire in this great war. The three are patriotism, adventure and gain necessarily. Patriotism he said was a hard thing to define. It is due to either instinct or reason. Instinctive patriotism is love of country. Canada had long been proclaimed as the most wonderful country in the world. There are minerals, farm lands and everything that goes to make up a magnificent country. There are as yet only about seven millions of people to enjoy the those benefits. The government is responsible directly to the people. The people's wish or wishes come first in all questions. Then there is the quality of opportunity which goes with the creed of democracy. Patriotism from reason is that desire on the part of men to do what they can to see that this country's government is the best that can be secured. This wonderful country is part of an empire that is ruled from Britain but one-quarter of the world's population are satisfied with the great system on which the control of this empire acts is correct and reliable. Canada is part of that great system.

The war into which the whole world's civilization had been thrown as into a melting pot is Canada's war as much as it is any part of the British Empire. "What is your attitude? Will you uphold this democratic system with which Canada is blessed or allow for the imposition of German military autocracy?" This is as much to Kingston as it is the first line of trenches were at its gates. If two German cruisers should escape by that watchdog of the British fleet and unknown cross the ocean the seaports of St. John's, Newfoundland, and Halifax would be attacked. Canada's seaports are vital parts of Canada and Canadians must defend them as they would their own homes. The first line of trenches are in France, the second line is that vast training ground in England and third is the organizing battalions such as the 146th. Every minute men are saving their lives for the cause. The first line is being depleted and the reserves of the second line are taken over to fill the gaps. The men of the third line are needed to take their places in the second. When the question, "Why don't you go?" is put to some men the answer is that this is the wrong idea. When in France a short time ago he had met Dr. Ross and Lieut. Nickle among other Kingstonsians. Near that point Capt. Richardson and Lieut. Day, two Kingstonsians, had made the supreme sacrifice. Every per-

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son has equality of responsibility. Your vote counts as one and his vote counted as one. His life counted one and with emphasis, "Who will take his place and give their life?"

There was silence in the Audience when Mr. Bennett made this dramatic appeal. He continued by saying that the people of France were serving for five cents a day. He did not think that conscription would ever come in Canada adding the phrase "for reasons not necessary to mention here." The verdict as to whether a man should come forward is a matter between every man, his conscience and his God.

Before the address given by Mr. Bennett the 146th Battalion Band gave several selections and Prof. Millner presided at the piano for vocal selections by Miss Nita Sutherland and Miss K. Wilson, A. Orr and Q. M. S. J. E. Harte.

AN ANNIVERSARY DAY

CHALMERS CHURCH PASSED ANOTHER MILE STONE.

Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick, D.D., of Knox College, Toronto, Preached at Both the Services On Sunday— Seeking God Through Silence.

Chalmers Church has passed another mile stone in its history. Sunday marked the anniversary, and the special speaker of the day was Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick, D.D., of Knox College, Toronto, who delivered two most inspiring addresses, and was listened to by large congregations. Professor Kilpatrick is an old friend of Rev. Dr. Macgillivray and the latter was glad to have the professor of theology in Knox College, take part in these special services. The choir, under the able leadership of Mrs. J. R. C. Dobbs, residing at the organ, rendered a good musical programme. The soloists were Miss Tweddle and Messrs. Bankier and Saunders.

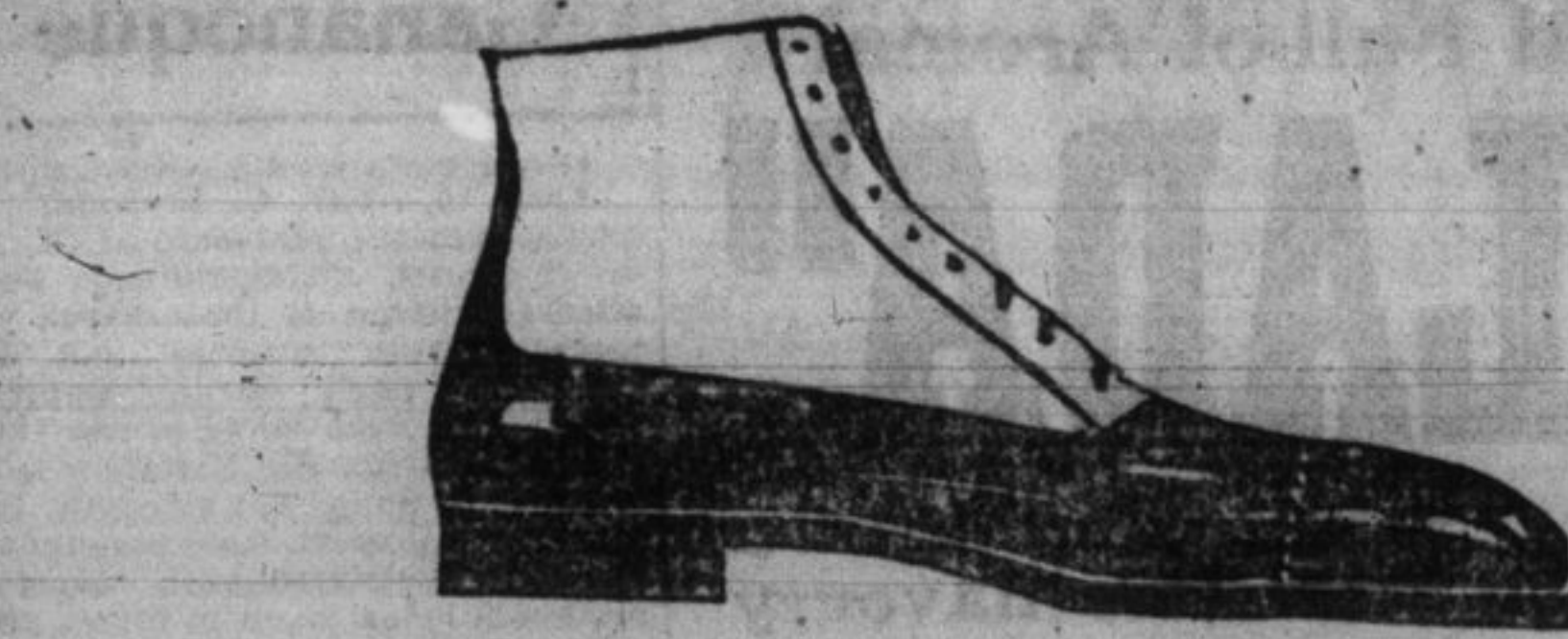
"It is in silence that we know God," said Prof. Kilpatrick, preaching at the morning service. He said that the most helpful way to get in touch with God was not to talk, but to remain silent.

In seeking God in silence, we were able to obtain the highest spiritual energy, of which the soul is capable. In silence there would be concentration. It was hard to concentrate one's mind fixed on God, and no less an object than God would come before a person's vision. In having silence every lesser thing would be drawn away.

And then one must listen so as to hear the voice of God. His words are words of comfort and direction. But we could not hear His voice until we become silent.

"It is not until your soul is silent that you can hear Him. Abstain yourself from even religious conversation, religious books, and from all sounds. Stop everything so that there will be nothing between you and God."

"I think that when men are build-



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ing big houses, they should have a rooey to be used for nothing else but prayer. In these days of so much business, men should take time for prayer. There is great need for it. Silent prayer is a good thing. I think all the ministers should allow time for it in the service. In the every day life, you can see the great strain on the people. How often you hear about people having to go away to take the rest cure. Business men are forever dropping out because of being run down. I think if they would just take the time for silent prayer it would do them so much good."

Knowledge of God was among the fruits of silence. When our soul became silent. His spirit came to us and would lead us to the Father.

Queen's Council Changes.

Changes contemplated in the constitution of the Council of Queen's University by a committee appointed for the purpose, provide that in the future the membership of the University Council shall consist of all the trustees, all the professors and assistant professors and fifty elective members from the graduates and Alumni. A report on the work of the board of trustees to the University Council will be required annually from one of the members of the Council on the board.

These with other changes, have been made with the object of increasing the scope and usefulness of the constitution by adding interest to the council's meetings.

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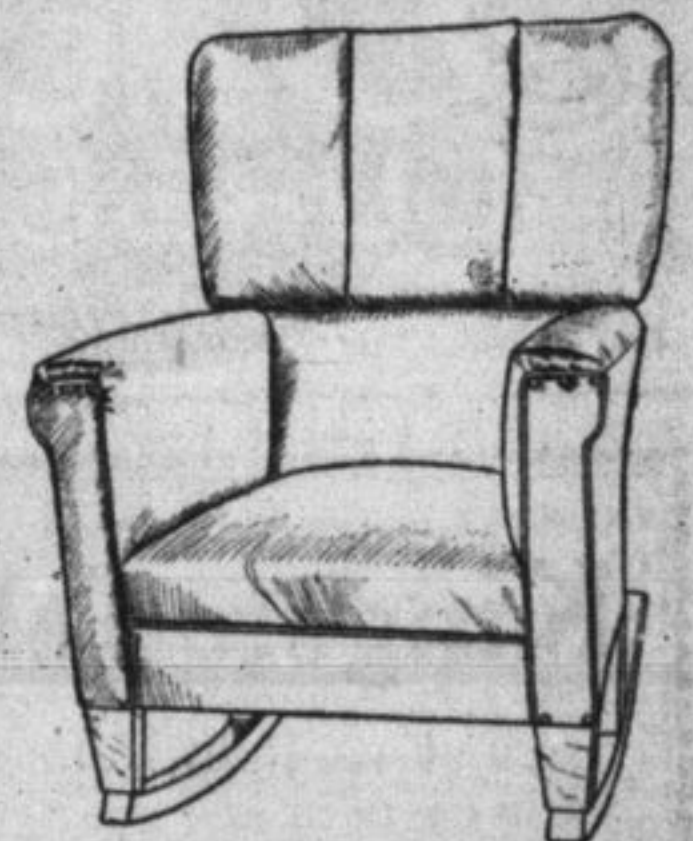
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