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Letters From Kingston Boys At Front

The British Whig is setting aside a column for the exclusive use of its readers who may have received letters from friends at the front or in England. Care will be taken for censorship reasons, that these extracts do not contain the mention of any unit, casually or the location of the unit. The person sending the letter in should be careful that the name of the writer is given. If requested, letters will be returned promptly to the sender. Most any letter from the front has something in it which is of Interest to Canadians, even though it be only the reference to some remark sung out between trenches to "Fritz."

MAN FOUND A PURSE; WOULD NOT RETURN IT.

Police Constable Mullinger Found It Hidden In His Clothing.

On Sunday a lady visited a local institution. While there she drop- ed from Sodus, with coal for Robped her purse, which contained about ert Crawford. \$1.50. A little girl noticed the man pick up the purse, but when he was asked about it he denied having secured the purse, and said that he was willing to be searched. Some of the parties interested searched the man, but the purse and money could

Then the police were notified, as the little girl still held to her story that the man had the purse in his

Constable Thomas Mullinger responded to the call, and on searching the man found the missing purse hidden away in his clothing. The man was held for a time, but as the purse was returned to the owner, who did not care to prosecute, no further action was taken.

PREMIER IS ACTING MINISTER OF MILITIA.

While Sir Sam Hughes Visits Nova Scotia, Where Election Takes Place.

Ottawa, June 12.—During the abing. sence of General Sam Hughes in the den will be acting minister of militia. the west when he returns and nothing definite has yet been heard as to the date of his return to England. Considerable interest meantime cen- dock Monday morning for repairs. tres round the minister's visit to the maritime provinces. There is an election on in Nova Scotia and the soldiers are voting there.

The junior baseball diamond on

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JOHN E. TWIGG DEAD A BOMBAY ARCHITECT

SATURDAY NIGHT

Asleep-Was Manager of N. C. Polson & Co., Manufacturing

On Saturday night a very sudden At the Sunday evening service in death occurred when John E. Twigg Princess street Methodist church Rev. ure was given as the cause of his Springs, N.Y.

two siters Mrs. J. Masey of this ed that they were competent to rule.

him valued by those who knew him best. Gentle, genial and sympathetic he won the regard of assoclates and friends.

The schooner Katie Eccles arriv-The steamer Jex cleared for Os-

wego on Monday. M. T. Co's. Bulletin: Tug Emerson arirved from Charlotte with the tug Burtlet arrived with the barge Winnipeg with grain from Port Col- do nothing but cling to the angel. borne, and cleared with the barges Winnipeg and schooner Ford River Kingston, to load coal for Cedars.

The steamer America has entered Davis dry docks for repairs. The schooner Charley Mershall will go on this dock to prepare for her trip to the coast. The steamer John Randall is in

port from Rideau Canal ports on the way to Oswego. Steamer Shrigley arrived from Erie discharged a cargo of coal at the penitentiary wharf and cleared on Monday for Oswego.

The steamer Belleville passed up Saturday night from Montreal to The steamer City of Hamilton

passed up to Toronto Monday morn-The barge Muskoka cleared from maritime provinces, Sir Robert Bor- the Kingston Shipbuilding Co's. drydock Saturday night after undergo-

ing minor repairs; The Bryon Whittaker went into the Kingston Shipbiulding Co's. dry-It is expected that the yacht Corona will go in to the Kingst:n Shipbuilding Co's, drydock shortly for

CITY CANNOT COLLECT

The Business Tax From the Liquor

pay the tax. 'The liquor men's defence for the refusal to pay is section 148 of the Temperance Act, which states, in brief, that no distil- University are now in use. ler, brewer, malster or holder of a tavern, shop or a wholesale license, or club in which spirituous or fermented liquors are sold-or furnished. shall not be liable for, nor shall any corporation levy or collect from any such person or club any taxes for the year 1916 in respect to the business

The treasury department will consult the city solicitor in respect to the city's powers. The opinion prevails, however, that the city will be unable to collect. If the taxes cannot be collected, the corporation will lose about \$1,200.

AN OFFICER SPOTTED DESERTER ON STREET.

Major Stroud Gathered in Two Men Who Left the Major W. A. Stroud, of the C. M.

R., at Hamilton, spent the week-end in the city, and while here gathered in two deserters, who were taken back to Hamilton by an escort on

Major Stroud "spotted" one of the leserters while he was walking along the street, and he immediately had the man locked up. The other of-fender was taken in charge later on. Love for strong drink is responsible In one pound sections, 25c for one of the men taking "French leave." . This man went to the front with the Princess Pats Own Regi-Fresh California Prunes, ment, but was sent home. A short time ago he went to Hamilton, and was taken on by the C. M. R.
Major Stroud left here for Ottawa

> Mrs. Alfred Campbell and daughter Florence, Barrie street, with her on, Pte. Bert. Campbell, who has been home on his last leave from Ottawa, left at noon Monday for Ot-tawa, where Pte. Campbell will rejoin the 77th Battalion, which leaves

The matriculation examinations started Monday morning in Grant Hall.

Selzed With Heart Failure While Spoke of Awakening of India-Thinks that in Twenty Years Britain Will Have to Decide on New Indian Policy.

passed away at his home on Earl Mr. Wood introduced to the congrestreet. He had been out walking, and about half past ten retired for the night. Shortly before midnight architect, having the largest practice a peculiarity in his breathing was in that country, and is also a justice noticed by his wife. Dr. G. W. of the peace. He is in this country Mylks was called but death had expired before he arrived. Heart fail- the Methodist Conference at Saratoga

Mr. Frichley gave two distinct The late Mr. Twigg was born in talks. His first talk dealt with the this city fifty-two years ago. He was awakening of India. He said that educated in the public and grammar India was fast awakening from her schools, and then went into the sleep and that one of the greatest drug business with H. Skinner and problems Great Britain would have Co., he went into the employment to face would be its future policy to-of N. C. Polson and Co., manufac- ward India. India is loyal to the core turing druggists. He worked with except for a few Bengalis who have the Polson and Company over eight been educated wrongly, but the coun-years as manager and was held in high esteem.

In religion the late Mr. Twigg seen the results of this system in was an Anglican, being a member Australia, Canada and other of the of St George's cathedral. He was British Dominions, and feels that a Conservative and a member of some time in the near future (the Lodge No. 253 A.F. and A.M. There speaker put it at twenty years at the are left to mourn his loss his wife latest) Great Britain would have to and one son, Ferguson, Toronto. He decide on a new policy toward India. is also survived by one Brother, Wil- He gave several personal experiences liam A. Twigg, Barrie street and with the educated Indians and show-

short sermon the words of Christ Deceased was a quiet, earnest when he said "Consider the lilies how citizen, possessing qualities of in- they grow." He gave the analogy betegrity and uprightness that made tween the lily and the pure man and

He also paid a fine tribute to Lord Kitchener, who, he said, was a gentleman in the true sense of the

MUST CLING AND PLEAD FOR A BLESSING.

Same Applies To Nations And Individuals As To Jacob.

Rev. George Brown, of Campbellford, preached most acceptably in St. Andrews' church on Sunday. In the morning he dealt with Jacob's strugbarge Kingston and cleared with gle with the angel, and pointed out the barge Muskoka for Fairhaven; that Jacob did not receive the blessing until he was worn out and could

When individuals or nations were ready to cling and plead for a blessfor Montreal; tug Bartlet arrived ing their prayers would be answered. from Montreal, with three light Admiral Beatty had said that when barges, and cleared with the barge Britain was ready to plead as a nation and confess her unworthiness, then and not till then would these days of trial be over and the war end

First Congregational Flower Sunday. The special flower day service was held at the First Congregational church Sunday morning. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, and the service was most impressive. There were a number of fine choruses and selections by the children of the Sunday school, who occupied the body of the church. Mrs. John Lyall, of Calvary Congregational church, gave an appropriate address to the children.

A Gospel Address.

A good-sized congregation, including many of the lads in khaki, was present Sunday evening at the Ideal Theatre, where a gospel service was held in connection with Brock Street Gospel Hall. Richard Irving, evangelist, was the speaker, and gave an interesting talk on "The Salvation of God." The proceeds of the offering will be turned over to the Queen's Hospital.

Mrs. M. Lavell Very Ill. Capt. A. E. Lavell, chaplain of the 125th Battalion, Brantford arrived in the city Saturday evening, The liquor men of the city will re- cwing to the illness of his mother, fuse to pay the business tax for 1916. Mrs. Michael, Lavell who is suffer-One has already intimated to the ing with pneumonia. Prof. Cecil Latreasury department that he will not vell and Miss Sarah Lavell, Toronto, also came to the city.

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WEDDED IN TORONTO

The Galbraith-Ross Nuptials or

A pretty wedding took place on June 7th at the residence of Mr and Mrs. David Irish, 445 Indian Grove, Toronto, when Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross, was united in marriage to William Galbraith, Camden East. Rev. Mr McCroy, Presbyterian minister Pickering, brother-in-law of the bride, performed the ceremony. Mrs. J. Ross, acted as bridesmaid, dressed in Rajah silk and J. Ross as groomsman. The drawing room was adorned with many beautiful flowers. The bride was the recipient of many useful gifts. After the ceremony all partook of a very sumptuous dinner. For her honeymoon trip the bride suit with picture hat. The happy couple toured Toronto in an automobile before leaving for their future wanted.

home in Camden East. Capt. Ronald Skinner Cables. Mrs. William Skinner, Gore street, and look them over. received a very encouraging cablegram Friday morning from her son, Capt. Ronald Skinner who was recently wounded at the front. In it. he states that he was slightly wounded and had been admitted to a London hospital. He expects that we have large assortment of small he will be confined for about two Refrigerators, two doors, galvanized

Pte. Lowell Chenier, who was shot at the camp last Friday by ing in the Hotel Dieu.

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