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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.

OLD TIMERS SAY.

The Season Was Same As This Thirty-Three Years Ago.

Old timers say that thirty-three years ago the season was similar to this one, raining every day in May, every other day in June, eleven days in July and the second week in August, then it came dry, and the corn and potato crops proved a failure.

Wheat, however, was good with the exception of a portion which was winter killed. The only difference between the season of 1883 and that of 1882 is that the present season is colder.

Civic Property Committee. A meeting of the Property Committee of the City Council was called for Monday afternoon, but there was no quorum.

Conducted Quiet Hour. The Bishop of Kingston conducted a quiet hour for the clergy and lay delegates of the Anglican Synod, in St. George's Cathedral on Monday evening.

Cream of Violets at Gibson's. Cheese sales: Watertown, N. Y., 10,000 boxes at 14 3-4c; London, 1,245 at 15 7-8c to 16c; Belleville 2,905 at 15 1-8c to 15 3-16c.

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ONTARIO SYNOD IN SESSION

IT WAS OPENED AT NOON ON TUESDAY.

Notice of Motion Was Given to Urge On Canadian Government Need of Immediate Conscription—Officials Were Re-elected.

The fifth session of the Synod of Ontario opened Tuesday noon in St. George's Hall. Forty-five clerical and eighteen lay delegates answered to the roll call.

Re-appointments Passed. R. J. Carson asked a suspension of the rules of order while he moved, seconded by Judge McDonald, of Brockville, the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Synod extend its hearty greetings to the Lord Bishop of Ontario on his return to the Diocese, after an absence of several months and assure him of their devotion and loyalty to him as head of the diocese, and pray God to bless and strengthen him in his usual health and strength.

Conscription Suggested. Rev. Dr. R. C. Blagrave of Belleville, seconded by Rev. J. H. Coleman, gave notice of the following motion:

In view of the recognized need of men to reinforce the Canadian Expeditionary force, and to further uphold the cause of King and Country, in this time of world crisis and Empire need, be it resolved, that in the opinion of the Synod, it is highly desirable that the Canadian government take immediate steps to put into effect in this country some form of conscription, so as to secure with the greatest expedition and effectiveness the required number of men to uphold the honor of Canada and the Empire.

The Treasurer's Report. Tuesday afternoon, the treasurer, R. J. Carson, presented his statement. The total for the consolidated fund was given as \$412,609.76, an increase of \$2,514.39 over the preceding year.

The Delegates. The following clerical delegates answered to the roll call Tuesday morning: A. S. Dickinson, Napanee; Controll, Bancroft; A. O. Cooke, Barfield; A. L. McTear, Bath; Canon G. R. Beamish, Dr. R. C. Blagrave, Belleville; Canon F. D. Woodcock, Belleville; Canon F. D. Woodcock, Belleville; John Lyons, Barfield; R. W. Spencer, Camden East; W. Roberts, Cataract; H. Pringle, Clarendon; V. O. Boyle, Coe Hill; C. E. S. Radcliffe, Deseronto; C. A. French, Cardinal; J. de P. Wright, Elizabethtown; W. Cox, Gananoque; Dean Starr, Rev. A. F. C. Whalley, Canon FitzGerald, T. W. Savary, Kingston; W. G. Swayne, Lansdowne; Rear: W. H. Smith, Leeds River; A. E. U. Smart, Madoc; T. A. Poston, Marysburg; J. H. R. Coleman, Napanee; T. H. H. Hall, Newboro; C. T. Easton, North Addington; W. G. Lansbury, Parham; F. L. Barber, Picton; F. G. Kirkpatrick, Pittsburg; Rural Dean Crisp, Portsmouth; H. B. Patton, Prescott; R. W. Irvine, Selby; C. Winter, Shannonville; Rural Dean Jones, Tanworth; Canon Armstrong, Trenton; C. M. B. Ryan, Tweed; L. G. O. Walker, Tyndinaga; E. Teskey, Westport; Thomas Leech, Wolfe Island; Ven. Archdeacon Dobbs, J. W. Forrester and Canon Loucks, Kingston.

The lay delegates present were: J. A. Wilmet, R. R. No. 1, Kingston; J. Sewell, Camden East; Percy D. Lyman, Kingston, representing Coe Hill; W. E. Dalton, R. J. Carson, A. E. M. Loscombe, J. B. Walkem, Kingston; G. F. Deane, Lansdowne; R. G. Wright, Napanee; J. Scally, Portsmouth; James McKeown, Belleville; F. Reid, J. W. Reid, Enterprise; E. Quinn, W. W. Russell, Westport; G. Friend, W. Fawcett, Wolfe Island.

CASES IN POLICE CASES

CITIZEN WAS FINED \$20 FOR THROWING MAN ON THE ROAD.

Two Citizens Were Fined For Infractions of the City By-Law—Aged Man Given Freedom After a Week's Remand.

"I just threw him out in the road," said Herbert Henderson, charged by George Murray with assault, in the Police Court Tuesday morning.

Thomas Hackett, old and feeble, has been spending a week in jail on remand, on a charge of drunkenness and vagrancy.

Constable Jenkins is inspecting yards, but is keeping his eagle eye open for by-law offenders at the same time. He also caught Victor Matthews taking a spin on a sidewalk on his wheel. His little spin cost him \$1, plus the costs of the court.

In Marine Circles

The schooner Julia B. Merrill cleared on Tuesday for Sodus. The steamer Jeska arrived from Oswego with coal, and is discharging at Crawford's wharf.

The schooner Kitchen cleared for Oswego. M. T. Co.'s Bulletin: Tug Bartlett arrived from Montreal with two light barges, and cleared with the barge Agnava to load grain at Port Colborne; tug Emerson cleared light from Charlotte for Port Dalhousie to bring down two grain barges to Kingston; the steamer Argo finished discharging her cargo of barley, and cleared for Ogdensburg to load ore for Cleveland.

The steamer T. J. Waffle passed over to Oswego from Smith's Falls on Tuesday morning. The steamer City of Ottawa passed down to Montreal from Toronto on Monday night.

THREE BOWLING GAMES.

Teams of J. F. McMullen, W. R. Givens and W. H. Graham won. Three bowling games were played at the green at Queen's University on Monday evening.

D. A. Shaw, D. A. Givens, John Jamieson, J. F. McMillan, skip. B. Culbeth, T. Lambert, W. Jackson; E. L. Rice, skip.

C. E. Taylor, E. Walsh, F. Crozier, W. R. Givens, skip. C. F. Schvab, T. M. Asselstine, J. W. Kelly, J. M. Elliott, skip.

J. Murray, W. Burns, L. A. Züfelt, W. H. Montgomery, skip. C. C. Hodgins, R. Uglov, J. Jamieson, R. S. Graham, skip.

Moontide Excursion.

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