

News From Eastern Ontario Points

NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

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.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Saunders, Brockville, celebrated the forty-fourth anniversary of their marriage at their cottage, Butternut Bay, on Monday last.

At Brockville Rev. Dr. P. L. Richardson united in marriage Amos Blanchard Slack, a well known young G.T.R. employee, and Miss Florence Marion Woodcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Woodcock.

The death of William Conner occurred somewhat unexpectedly on Tuesday at Carleton Place. He was 77 years of age in June, and for some time had been suffering from arterio-sclerosis.

The marriage took place at Carleton Place on Tuesday of P. Anderson, clerk in the supervisory office at the G. T. R. station, Brockville, to Miss Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wood of Carleton, formerly of Brockville.

Ward was received in Peterboro of the death of Patrick Connelly by drowning at Broadway, and son-in-law of Mr. Connelly was a member of the Peterboro staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce up to June 27th, when he was transferred to Winnipeg.

The Smith's Falls Board of Education has engaged the following teachers to fill vacancies on the Collegiate staff for next term: Miss Grace Burns, E.A., Oshawa, art and junior work; Miss M. A. Y. McWhorter, Smith's Falls, modern languages, and Miss M. McCaffum, Smith's Falls, English and history.

Giles Poole, a well known and respected resident of Forfar, died on Tuesday after an illness of some duration, owing to heart ailment. Deceased was a prosperous farmer and lifelong resident of the locality. His wife and one daughter, Mrs. B. M. Cannon, Crosby, survive.

Capt. Albertson, Carleton Place, celebrated his fiftieth anniversary as an Orangeman by attending the demonstration at Almonte on the 12th. The captain has taken all the degrees of the order up to the Red Cross, and was the first elected Grand Master in Manitoba, although he never sat in the chair as he left the province between sessions.

Died in Hospital. Portland, July 20.—Word was received here of the death of W. H. Gallagher, who passed to the Great Beyond at the General Hospital, Smith's Falls. The body was brought to Portland on Tuesday night to the home of his brother, Albert Gallagher, merchant. The late W. H. Gallagher was born in 1847 and was well known and highly respected.

AN ENJOYABLE CONCERT. FAREWELL TO 109TH AT CAMP, WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Many Officers and Others in Address—Spoke of the Splendid Character of the Lindsay Battalion—Good Songs Rendered.

One of the most enjoyable concerts ever held at Barriefield Camp was that of the farewell entertainment to the 109th Battalion in the recreation tent of the unit on Wednesday evening.

Col. T. D. R. Hemming, Camp Commandant, spoke a few words of farewell, stating that he had two sons at the front and was proud of them as he was of every man who had the courage to put on khaki and

do his bit. While commanding Military District No. 3, many thousands had gone overseas but of no one unit was more proud than the 109th which represents Lindsay and Haliburton.

Mr. Wilson, Y.M.C.A., when called referred to the splendid work being done by the soldiers by that institution of which he is a member. The men of the 109th were cordially invited to take advantage of the services the institution offered at all times after reaching England and the front.

Lieut. Frederick Ingledeu, machine gun officer 109th Battalion, was called to the platform and presented by the Kingston Veterans' association with a beautiful morocco travelling bag. Major King, headquarters staff, Ottawa, was called upon for a few words. After referring to his inability to get overseas he delighted the audience by reciting a composition by himself, of

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NEWS FROM CAPT. HOOPER.

Improving in Health, But Still a Prisoner of War.

Carleton Place, July 20.—Mrs. Hooper had a letter last week from her husband, Capt. W. H. Hooper, who is still a prisoner of war in Germany, and written on June 7th. He says: "I got parcels containing cereals, just what I've wanted. All arrived O.K. Oh, say, a Lieut. O'Grady, from Edmonton, who up to three months ago was in hospital with Clyde Scott, tells me there is no doubt in the world but Clyde will be sent to Switzerland. I'm so glad. O'Grady says that with special attention and in time he will suffer only from a stiff knee. He says the brothers in the hospital all think the world of Clyde, and that they cannot do too much for him. O'Grady is here to appear before the Swiss Commission. I tell him he is a lucky beggar. Three months ago I'm sure I could have passed easily, but now I am so well finished that it's out of the question to see the muscles of my left leg still cause me anxiety. I am indeed lucky, for had one of the wounds gone an inch deeper into the stomach it would have been fatal."

HARRY KIRK ELECTROCUTED.

Detroit Papers Tell How Former Peterboro Man Lost His Life. Peterboro, July 20.—A Detroit paper gives the following account of the death of Harry Kirk, former well known Peterboro resident, and son-in-law of Edward Courtney, Concession street.

Harry Kirk, forty-nine years old, of 925 Pennsylvania avenue, was instantly killed when his arm came in contact with an electric wire in the plant of the Gemmer Manufacturing Co., of 741 Merrick avenue, Thursday afternoon. Kirk was employed by the company as a millwright for three years.

WANTED IN PICTON.

Charge Involves Sale of Shares American Corporation. Pictou, July 20.—On a warrant issued by the chief police of Pictou, Sidney McBrien, Toronto, was arrested by Detective Levitt on a charge of the theft of \$1,800. It is alleged that McBrien sold certain shares of stock in an American corporation which resulted in the charge being laid against him. An officer has gone to bring him here to face the charge.

Port Hope Man Killed.

Port Hope, July 20.—Word has been received here that another man from this town, Lewis Feveverle, has made the supreme sacrifice for his country. He had been at the front nearly a year, and went overseas with the 21st Battalion Pte Feveverle was a fine type of soldier.

Sentenced For Theft.

Brockville, July 20.—For shoplifting and a series of thefts, Mrs. Armstrong Scott was sentenced to serve six weeks in the local jail. Her daughter, May Scott, arrested with her, was acquitted.

LOCAL MEN PLAYED WELL.

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An electric storm did serious damage in the Eastern Townships.

Gananoque

July 20.—The town council holding until September, held a special session on Tuesday evening which was quite largely attended.

The business of the session was the putting through of a by-law authorizing the issue of \$8,000 in debentures for the extension of the local water works and sewer connections. E. Cole, Arthur street, had a couple of the local factories on Tuesday afternoon. Dr. C. H. Hurd, dressed his injuries, which will lay him up for some time.

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NO GENERAL ELECTION IN GREAT BRITAIN.

London, July 20.—The question as to whether a general election should be held when the present Parliament expires in November led to the Government receiving a rebuff in the House of Commons yesterday.

Heavy Fines for Fighters

Bellefleur, July 20.—Judge Derche handed out severe penalties for Alex Wanklinschaw and David Livingston, Radway township, the two principals in an assault case. After hearing the evidence Coveney was acquitted but Wanklinschaw and Livingston were each fined \$10, or in default, four months in jail.

Indian Boy Shot.

Deseronto, Ont., July 20.—While Chief and Mrs. J. J. Hill, residents of Deseronto, their two sons, aged eleven and fourteen years, began cleaning a gun preparatory to shooting crows. While the weapon was in the hands of the elder boy it was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering his brother's temple and inflicting a wound from the effects of which the unfortunate boy died at midnight.

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Who Was Wounded at the Front Was in Camp.

Pte. W. Styles, who went overseas with the 2nd Battalion, and is now with the 12th Reserve, was at headquarters on Wednesday to make application for a discharge from his position in England, so that he may remain in Canada. Pte. Styles was wounded twice at the front and was invalided to England on the Imperial Medical Board, the officers of which decided that he be given fatigue duty in England until the close of the war. It is this decision that will be reversed is Major Ponton, who is making the application for him, succeeds. The man will be allowed to stay in Canada and live with his friends, since it is absolutely impossible for him to return to the front where he so much wishes to go.

THE NEW BELVIDERE CAFE

A Special \$1 Dinner Served Every Evening. The new Belvidere Cafe, at 164 King street, will be open tomorrow. A special \$1.00 dinner will be served from 6.30 to 8.00 o'clock. The caterer in charge will be A. Verger, who has had twenty years' experience in the business. For ten years he was private chef to Lord Derby. The following will be the attractive menu for the opening dinner:

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OFFICIALLY REPORTED DEAD

A MESSAGE RECEIVED BY MRS. J. FLEET, RAGLAN ROAD.

Her Son Had Been Searched For For Over a Year Without Avail—He is Now Officially Reported as Dead. Mrs. J. Fleet, 111 Raglan Road, has received the following letter from Frank Beard, in charge of the record offices for the adjutant-general:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th ultimo, and in reply I beg to inform you that the only official report which has been received at Military Headquarters concerning Private Fleet is that he was missing between April 22nd and 24th, 1915.

"Owing to the length of time that has elapsed since he was reported missing and to the fact that his name has not appeared on any official list of prisoners-of-war, nor that, after full inquiry made, has any information been received which would indicate that he was alive, it is regretted that he has been presumed to have died on the 22nd day of April, 1915, as stated in the accompanying certificate.

Accompanying the letter is a death certificate signed by Major-General W. E. Hodgkinson, 8095, Private William Fleet, 2nd Overseas Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force, has been officially reported as missing between the 22nd and 24th of April, 1915, and that, after full inquiry made, no information has come to hand which would indicate that he is not dead. It has, therefore, been presumed for official purposes that he died on or since the first named date.

"On attestation he gave the name and address of his next of kin as follows— Mrs. Jane Fleet, (mother), 111 Raglan road, Kingston, Ont."

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BURNED HIMSELF ON PYRE.
Story of Abraham and Isaac Inspired Him.

Denver, July 20.—Abraham's attempted sacrifice on his son is believed to have caused Thomas Sawyer to burn himself to death near here. The body was discovered near Castle Rock. It was resting on a pile of stones and charred wood. Nearby was found Sawyer's Bible. Opening the charred Bible, Mrs. Sawyer found heavily marked with a pencil describing Abraham's attempted sacrifice.

Relatives believe Sawyer built a pile of wood and stones and offered himself as a sacrifice to the Lord.

Germany Bombed Hospital.
London, July 20.—German aviators dropped forty bombs on the Empress Federova's hospital on the Drinsk front, killing several inmates, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Petrograd to-day.

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