

# 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.  
Mrs. E. Eaton has resigned her position as librarian at Athens, and Mrs. G. F. Donnelly succeeds her.  
At a meeting of the Renfrew Knights of Columbus John Devine was again elected Grand Knight.  
Major D. C. McIntosh, chaplain of the 130th, will not go overseas, as there is a surplus of chaplains already.  
David Scott made a shipment of live hogs from Belleville to Montreal. The price paid was \$11.50 per hundred weight.  
The list of Canadian wounded contains the name of Major Arthur Edwin Bywater, senior major of the 39th Battalion.  
Miss Elizabeth Daley, a native of Chesterville, receiving treatment in Brockville, passed away Monday, aged forty-four.  
S. Orser is shipping feldspar from his mine near Maberly. He has shipped nine cars so far, and is averaging a carload a day. He ships to Buffalo.  
The house occupied by Myles Lucas, Belleville, was burned while the family were away. None of the contents were saved. Mr. Lucas' loss is covered by insurance. William Thompson owned the building, and his loss is partially covered by insurance.  
The Renfrew women are planning to send a Christmas gift to every soldier prisoner of war and nurse at the front who have gone from Renfrew and vicinity.  
In the case of H. Doyle, Prescott, charged with indecent assault, the prisoner was acquitted. Judge Dowdsley said he could not see anything that in any way reflected on the young man's character.  
A pretty wedding was solemnized on Monday at Brockville, when Miss Eva Blanche Hough, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hough, was married to Louis Philip Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clements, Sherbrooke, Que.  
A pretty wedding was solemnized in Greenbush church on Sept. 20th, when Rev. Mr. Balden united in marriage Miss Ethel May Smith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Greenbush, to Ethan A. Gifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Gifford, Greenbush.  
Four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Houston, Drummond, are wearing the khaki. Brice, the eldest son, enlisted in the west with the 210th Battalion and is training at Camp Hughes. Fred, Stewart and Arthur are at Kingston with Queen's Field Ambulance, the former holding rank as captain.

## VILLAGE OF LANSDOWNE.

**The Lambert-Kahut Wedding—Alpha Class Concert.**  
Lansdowne, Sept. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Landon and son, Fine View, N. Y., spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. E. Sheppard.  
C. M. Quinn, Toronto, attended the fair. Rev. Mr. Watson, Escott, preached in St. John's church Sunday evening.  
A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday, when Miss Pauline Kahut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kahut, Rockport, was united in marriage to Charles Lambert, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. Lambert, Rockport. Dr. Cooper officiated.  
Mrs. Turner and daughter, Miss Alma, left on Monday to spend some time at the Kirker cottage, Rockport. Malcolm McDonald and family expect to remove to Kingston, where Mr. McDonald has a position in the shell works. P. S. Frederick has accepted a similar position in Brockville. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Johnston, Herbert Johnston and Miss Tena Johnston motored to Lanark on Sunday. Miss Dillon, Warburton, spent the week-end the guest of Miss Laura Nicholson.  
Miss Dunlop is milliner for Mrs. H. C. Mulvaugh this season. Mrs. S. P. Moore and son returned on Thursday from several weeks visit to Regina and points west. Miss Cross has returned to her home after spending a couple of months at the river.  
The Alpha Class of the Methodist church gave a concert in the Village Hall on the 22nd, which proved a success. Miss Mildred Walker, elocutionist, Toronto, delighted the large audience with her numbers. Musical numbers constituted the remainder of the programme.  
S. C. E. Dixon has made a great improvement to his house by having it stuccoed. G. Morrow, of the firm of Murphy & Morrow, Ottawa, completed the work.

## WOLFE ISLANDER MOVES.

**Hiram Davis Has Purchased a House in Cape Vincent.**  
Wolfe Island, Sept. 28.—Hiram Davis held a successful sale on Thursday and disposed of his household effects. Mr. Davis has purchased a house at Cape Vincent, where he intends to reside in the near future. He always took a keen interest in politics. Mr. Davis was a kind neighbor, and will be greatly missed in the village.  
Mrs. Frank Brice had returned home from Toronto after three weeks' visit with relatives. Oscar Fawcett has purchased Richard Laughlin's farm on the shore of the island. James Conley and wife are visiting relatives in Brownsville and Watertown, N. Y. Dexter Kiel has purchased Oscar Fawcett's farm.

## Historian From Perth.

Perth, Sept. 28.—The Winnipeg Free Press says Lieut.-Col. William G. Bell will be given a special department at the Winnipeg military headquarters for keeping records of historical value regarding the troops at Camp Hughes in Manitoba this fall. Lieut.-Col. Bell was formerly commander of the 174th Battalion, and was the organizer and commander of the Highland Cadets. He is the son of the late James Bell, Perth, registrar and brother of Mrs. James Armour, of this town.

## Brakemen Rob From Cars.

Brockville, Sept. 28.—Benson Dickson and Donald Beach, two brakemen, pleaded guilty in the local police court to extensive robberies from G. T. and C. N. R. freight cars, and were sent to a higher court to have their cases disposed of. Robert Dickson, father of one of the prisoners and a conductor, was liberated on a charge of having stolen goods in his possession.

## Could Not Get Exchange.

Carleton Place, Sept. 28.—A recent letter from Capt. Hooper tells how he got within sight of the Alps with a view to a transfer, only to find that there was no fellow on the other side to complete the exchange, and he had to return. Better luck next time. We regret to learn that the gallant captain's wounds are still causing him much discomfort.

## May Lose an Eye.

Deseronto, Sept. 28.—While working on the roof of the Dominion Hardwoods on Wednesday, William Bowers met with an accident which may result in the loss of one eye. Mr. Bowers was snapping the chalk line when the fastening at one end released and shot through the air, striking him in the optic. He went to Kingston to consult a specialist.

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## FINE BUSINESS EXHIBITS

THEY WERE THE SOURCE OF GREAT ATTRACTION.

Fair Visitors Found Much to Admire—Booths Were Numerous and Goods Were Well Displayed.

The exhibits in the main building by business houses at the Kingston Industrial Exhibition this week attracted a great deal of attention, and prospective purchasers in many lines found much to interest them.

There was a splendid display of automobiles. Moore Bros. exhibited a luxurious Studebaker and a classy Gray Dorr, along with all kinds of automobile supplies. W. W. Gibson and W. J. Martin had on exhibit two handsome Chevrolets; George Boyd displayed two Reos, which were much admired, and Anglin Bros. showed three Buicks, a car that is growing rapidly in popularity.

There were two excellent fur exhibits, one by George Mills & Co. and one by John McKay. On Wednesday the former exhibited the more costly furs, and on Thursday popular priced furs were shown, with name and price attached to each article. Mr. McKay displayed only the finer class of furs, and emphasized the fact that all the articles displayed were made at his own plant.

Todd & Sinclair had an attractive display of upholstering goods and draperies.

The Singer Machine Co., of which Alex. Darragh is local manager, had a number of fine machines on exhibition, one of which was kept in operation.

Lowe Bros., Toronto, had a large exhibit of paints, oils, varnishes and brushes. The agents of this firm are J. B. Bunt & Co., hardware dealers, who also exhibited stoves, washing machines and cream separators.

A. Chown & Co., wholesale hardware dealers, had an extensive exhibit, featuring alabaster and china, enamel, grates, stoves and varnishes.

The Petrie Manufacturing Co., of Hamilton, had a display of Magnet cream separators and engines. The agent of this firm is Mr. McFarvey, Mount Chesney. The De Laval separator, of which W. P. Ahlre is the local agent, was also exhibited.

There were booths containing exhibits of the Egg-O baking powder and the Magis baking powder, and pastry was made while you waited. Mrs. Greer, of Edmonton, was in charge of the Egg-O exhibit, and Mrs. Hunt, of Australia, in charge of the Magis display. Both are expert cooks.

Elliot Bros. and Lemmon & Sons had good exhibits of furnaces and stoves.

F. J. Hoag, druggist, had a neat display of kodaks, supplies and candies.

The Gun Co., of West Toronto, had a large exhibit of ham, bacon and lard, which was sold to James Redden & Co. An interesting feature of the collection was a little roasted pig.

The sweetest booth of all was in charge of W. H. Dolby, who displayed a large collection of Lantic sugar. J. H. Arthur, the local agent, exhibited some very handsome Newcombe pianos.

T. F. Harrison Co. had a most inviting display of rugs, curtains, lounges and kitchen cabinets.

J. H. Walker's collection of miniature furniture was greatly admired and showed his skill as a cabinet-maker.

The Kingston Hosiery Co. had an attractive display of high-class underwear.

Steele, Briggs, Toronto, had an extensive exhibit of seeds and of the vegetables and plants produced by their seeds. A unique feature of this exhibit was some mushroom spawn.

Rockwood Hospital had a magnificent display of plants and vegetables.

**OBITUARY**  
The Late Mrs. Eliza Kennedy.

On Thursday morning the death occurred suddenly of Mrs. Eliza Kennedy, widow of the late Robert Kennedy. Mrs. Kennedy was born in Ireland seventy-nine years ago, but when a very young child came to this country. She settled with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tweed, in the city, and has been a life long resident. She was highly respected, and her lovable and friendly disposition acquired many friends.

In religion the late Mrs. Kennedy was a Presbyterian, and was a faithful member and attendant of Chalmers Presbyterian church. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. William Kirby, Portsmouth; one brother, John Tweed, Toronto, and seven children: Mrs. C. A. Morland, Chicago; Mrs. C. H. Knowles, Quebec; Mrs. (Rev.) Gustavus Munro, St. David's, Ont.; Miss Jane at home; James in Louisville, Ar.; Thomas, Hamilton, and William in Toronto.

**Y.M.C.A. LADIES' AUXILIARY.**  
Is Arranging For an Active Season of Work.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary was held Wednesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. R. H. Toye, occupied the chair.

The plans for the year's work in connection with the senior department were outlined and committees appointed. The matter of redecorating the social rooms and lobby in the men's department will be taken care of by the auxiliary, and for this purpose a committee, composed of Mrs. Toye, Mrs. W. H. Dy, Mrs. R. B. Meek, Mrs. J. Wright and Mrs. O. Chown, were appointed to form plans for the raising of funds to go on with the work.

The social work of the senior department will be in charge of Mrs. J. Wright and Mrs. R. Douglas, and it is the purpose of this committee to request the assistance of the different church auxiliaries in carrying on the work for the soldiers and young men of the city.

## THE GERMANS' SPIRIT HAS BEEN BROKEN

Their Initiative is Now Turned in Favor of the Allies.

Paris, Sept. 28.—A semi-official account of the battle of the Somme from its beginning (July 1) appearing in the Bulletin des Armees says that the French have captured 180 square kilometers (about 70 square miles) of territory, captured 30,000 unwounded prisoners, removed 4,503 wounded and taken 144 cannon, most of them of heavy calibre, 500 machine guns and other material.

It is pointed out that the Allies have broken the spirit of the Germans at Verdun, definitely deprived the enemy of an initiative and turned it in their own favor. Since the opening of the battle, the account says, the Germans have thrown into the battle 67 new divisions and 17 battalions, of which thirty-four divisions were on the British front and thirty-two on the French front.

**RUSSIANS SECRETLY MAKING REGROUPINGS**  
Important Developments Impend as Result of Fresh Slav Manoeuvres.

London, Sept. 28.—Under great secrecy the Russians are conducting important movements and regroupings on the front between the Pripiet marshes and the Rumanian frontier with the object of waging further vigorous war against the Germans. The Teuton official communications mention the repulsing of Russian attacks in the region of Manajow, Galacia, but the Russian communications refer merely to German attacks in the region of the Dvina and not distant from Dvinsk.

Archduke Charles of Austria also reports that in the Ludova sector, violent Russian attacks were launched, but he does not mention the repulsing of these, saying only that further south separate attacks were repulsed.

**ADMITS HIS GUILT**  
Blackmailer Sentenced To Eighteen Months in Prison.

New York, Sept. 28.—William Butler, chief figure in the country-wide blackmailing conspiracy under investigation in several cities, yesterday pleaded guilty to swindling Mrs. Regina Klipper of Philadelphia. He was sentenced to eighteen months in the Atlanta Penitentiary.

Butler was brought here from Philadelphia for arraignment. He was accused of blackmailing Mrs. Klipper at a hotel here last April under the guise of a special agent of the Department of Justice.

Butler is the first of the alleged blackmailers to get a prison sentence. They operated in various cities with many persons of wealth as their victims, using the Mann white slave act as a means of blackmail.

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