PAST TEN YEARS.

Same week 1915 ...

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Two weeks ago ... 1.55

Last week ..... 21 15-16

Same week 1915 ..... 16 11-16

REBELS KILLS AMERICANS.

Two Officers of Troops From United

States Fall in Battle.

gagement between American troops

Batista was killed. Several Ameri-

LAVAL STUDENTS FINED.

San Domingo, Oct. 26 .- In an en-

1914 ..... 15 1/2

This week ...

Last week\_...

Hogs.

# News From Eastern Ontario Points

#### NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

CLIPPED FROM THE WHIG'S MANY BRIGHT EXCHANGES.

In Brief Form the Events In The -Full of Interest to Many.

Toronto, announce the marriage of was 21 years of age and was born in their daughter, Eva Annie, to Dr. Scotland. He enlisted with the 59t Delos E. Bell, Lanark, formerly of Battalion and was transferred to the

ville, on Wednesday, Rev. Father chiffe, Eng., and two other sons, Pte. Killeen united in marriage Miss Ma- Alexander Connor and Sergt. Angus bel Waddell, daughter of Mr. and Connor, both of the Scots Guards are Mrs. Richard Waddell to James in hospital in England. Piper Hugh O'Hara, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Connor, of the 2nd Cameron High-

O'Hara, of that city. P. Bissell, Elizabethtown, formerly and was honorably discharged in Detown, is now at the front, but ex- being of a nature which would render! pects to return home in November, hinr unfit for further military ser- ronto after a year's service with the Im- | vice. His mother left a few days ago perial forces.

#### TO LEWY HALF A MILL. Marmora and Lake Will Give \$600 to

meeting of the Patriotic Association sides the mother and father are the British and Canadian Red Cross in Montreal. Societies \$600, to be raised by a direct levy of one-half mill on the dollar. It was decided not to appeal to the citizens personally for subscriptions at present.

Another Buell Brother Missing.

SIX OF FAMILY SERVING.

Killed and Four Wounded of the O'Connor Family. Cornwall, Oct. 25. Colin Connor

who for several years resided with his family in Cornwall after coming out from Scotland, and who now lives Country About Kingston Are Told at 336 Berri street, Montreal, has been notified that one of his sons Pte. Donald Connor, was killed in ac Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Drysdale, tion on October 6th. Pte. Conno Brockville, on Saturday, Oct. 21st. 38th Battalion after landing in Eng-Lieut. Dr. Edgar Bissel, son of A. land. Pte. John Connor of the 23rd At St. Michael's church, Belle- Battallon, is in hospital at Shornlanders, was wounded in May, 1916

piper home with her if his condition Driver, James Connor, the sixth member of the family in the service, several delayed subscriptions. lis with the 26th Battery in France Marmora, Oct. 25 .- At a special The other members of the family, beof the municipality of Marmora and Mary, Christina, Helen and Margaret, Lake, it was unanimously decided to in Montreal; Annie in Cornwall; ask the Municipal Council to grant to Colin, Duncan, Joseph and Andrew,

"Boomer" Is Missing.

heard of the pet.

#### COBOURG CONTRIBUTIONS WILL EXCEED \$7,000

Fully \$500 Ahead of Last Year's Giving to British Red Cross.

Cobourg, Oct. 25 .- Cobourg citi-the British Red Cross, more than Last week ..... met the committee's expectation of Two weeks ago ...... \$7.000, giving practically \$1.50 per Same week 1915 ..... capita. Last year the town contri- 1914.... buted \$6,500 to this fund. When the 1913....... total returns were made known last 1912...... night to an enthusiatic meeting of 1911 ..... prominent citizens there was general 1910 ..... rejoicing. Fifty citizens conducted 1909..... house-to-house canvass, and met 1998 ...... with a ready and generous response, 1907....... The appeal was preceded by a gener- 1906 .... mammoth public meeting addressed 1994 ...... a practising physician at Mallory- cember of the same year, his wounds by W. F. Nickle, M.P. of Kingston, and Sergeant Arthur Gibbens of To-

Since the outbreak of the war Last week ..... for Scotland and will bring the young Cobourg has taken a place second to Two weeks ago . . 7.75 no other town of its size in Canada will permit of his making the journey. in giving men for overseas service. scribed may yet be augmented by 1912 ..... 4.25

#### FINE ACHIEVEMENTS

Of Sub-Lieut, Murray Galbraith, of

Royal Navy Aerial Service. Carleton Place, Oct. 26 .- Sub-Lieut Murray Galbraith, Carleton Place, is adding glory to his name by his excellent work in the Royal Belleville, Oct. 25,-There is at Navy Aerial Service. His first This week present gloom among not only the achievement was made by looping Last week . . . . G. T. R. employees at Belleville, but the loop and striking his enemy in Two weeks ago . . . . . . all along the line, owing to the fact, a vital spot and sending him to Same week 1915 ..... Howard Buell, another Brockville the name of "Boomer," is missing with an enemy seaplane at an alti- 1913 ...... member of the 59th Battalion, is from this city. This dog has a repu- tude of 11,000 feet, over two banks 1912 ..... reported missing, according to a tation of travelling all over the G. of clouds, when he had a very close 1911 ..... message received by his parents, Mr. T. R. system and usually boarded the call indeed, thes ight of his gun be- 1910 ..... street west. His brother, Pte, days ago it left Belleville in this ton's took and exploded the ma- 1908 ....... Joseph Buell, was reported missing manner and at Cobourg boarded the chine, sending it into the sea. The 1907 ...... a short while ago, and another bro- car ferry for a trip across Lake On- fight was witnessed by a French aer- 1906 ...... ther is a member of the 75th Bat- tario. This was the last seen or onaut, who congratulated the brave, young soldier upon his success.

#### - Last week ..... 1.58 THEY CAN'T WEAKEN THEIR WESTERN LINES Same week 1915...

Verdun Offensive Expected, 1918 and Germans, Too, Knew It Was Coming.

Paris, Oct. 26 .- The Verdun offen- 1908 ..... sive was no great surprise, either to 1997 ..... observers in Paris or to the Ger- 1906 ..... ient was told, "Keep your eyes on verdun, a big offensive is coming." "But the Germans, don't they nformant, "Yes, but they can't pre- This week ?.... ent an advance," was the reply. "The Last week ...... 36 pirit of those Verdun fellows is un- Two weeks ago . . . Same week 1915... preakable. One must see them in order to understand it. The Germans probably know that an important offensive is coming, but nobody out 1912 ..... here doubts the outcome,"

Despatches received here said that nothing since the war began has surpassed the heroism of the French Verdun defenders in yesterday's at-

Inspire All With Fresh Confidence.

London, Oct. 25 .- The Times says: This strikes a severe blow at German prestige, and shows the German staff the danger of weakening its lines in the west. The victory will disquick the enemy, heart for the Russo-Rumanian armies, and inspire all the Allies with fresh confidence."

The Daily Telegraph asserts: "The French have dealt a staggering blow, 1919 of the heavy, British blow delivered in the past week-end. The victory proves 1906 ..... 131/2 to what point of mastery our troops have attained in the business of grinding Germany in the mill."

War Tidings.

Rumanians in Dobrudja are retir- Two weeks ago ..... ver written. At the Grand on Monday evening, Oct. 30th. ing to prepared positions, where a same week 1915 stand will be made against the Teu- 1914 tonic invaders. King Ferdinand and 1913 his advisors are still confident. 

outh-east of Goritz. Cardinal Mercier, of Belgium is 1909 threatened with arrest for condemn- 1908 ing German methods in Poland. The Canadian official Eye Witness 1906 ..... says the Regina trench was captured 1905 ..... by Canadians, who drove the enemy out at the point of the bayonet. The French held all recent Ver-

PASSES FOR EMPLOYEES.

dun gains, with 4,500 prisoners.

Grand Trunk Thus to Reward Long and rebel forces General Ramon

Montreal, Oct. 26 .- The Grand cans are also reported killed, includ-Trunk Railway system is about to ing two officers, and one American faithful service rendered by em. The names of the American offiployees. President E. J. Chamber- cers killed are given as Captains Willain in a circular issued announces liam Low and Atwood. Lieutenant that, effective January 1, 1917, the Morrison was wounded Grand Trunk will begin the issuance The American commander attemptof 'meritorious or long service an- ed to arrest General Batisti, who renual passes," this being in accordance sisted and ordered an attack on the with the policy of the company to re- American forces. ward the continuous and efficent ser- Fighting continued for a considerable time, but the rebels were eventuvice of its workers.

PLAN CO-OPERATION.

Provincial Resources Commission Four Who Figured in Recent Rioting

Toronto, Oct. 26.—The Provincial Montreal, Oct. 26.—Emile Tasse Resources Commission, under the and Arthur Grenier, Laval students. chairmanship of his Honor Sir John arrested by the police during the riot S Hendrie, the Lieutenant-Governor, of Oct. 4, when recruiting parapher-Hendrie, the Lieutenant-Governor, met at the Parliament Buildings yesterday and went into conference with Lieut. Cot. Henry Brock, director of national service in military district. No. 1; Captain W. N. Bowen, of No. 2; and Mr. H. W. McKay, of No. 1.

The aim was to see in what manner, and in how far, the provincial body could co-operate with the directors in national service in appealing to the manhood of the province in accordance with the call made by the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Benden.

In the lieutency Governor, and the Costs of the prosecution of go to jall for ten days. Albert Erosent, student, was released on suspended sentence, while Romeo Laporte, student, charged with throw-ling stones at the police during the fight on the steps of St. Phillips Catheller and the call made by the Square fracas, was fined \$25 with the lalter untire of two months in jail.

PAID FOR PRODUCE DURING THE MYSTERY OF TRENCH IS SOLVED. Successful Action on Saturday

he Increases Since 1906 Are Very The Official Eye Witness Tells High-Eggs Have Doubled and Hogs Have Almost Done the Last -Trench War Within Ten The Toronto Sun gives the follow-

A COMPARISON IN PRICES TAKEN BY THE CANADIANS

Ottawa, Oct. 26.-Lieut.-General ing interesting comparisons of prices Sir Sam Hughes has received the folthis present week with those for the lowing report from the Canadian same week during the past ten years: | War Records Office:

> "Canadian Corps Headquarters in France, Oct. 22 (via London, Oct. \$8.50 25).—The mystery of the Regina 8.75 trench is solved. The resistance of 8.00 the Germans at this point has been 7.75 finally broken, and the British are 8.00 now in possession of a line to which 7.75 the enemy attached considerable 6.25 tactical importance. Three times the 6.45 Canadians had attacked this position. 6.40 Each time they had successfully 5.65 broken into the trenches and had in-5.00 flicted heavy losses upon the enemy, 5.00 but each time strong hostile counter-4.75 attacks, had driven them out again. 4.65 "The German defences had indeed 4.75 been so organized that almost an air

of mystery and of sinister hidden danger had come to be attached to \$11.50 the Regina trench. It was known to 11.25 be strongly built, with many deep 10.75 dug-outs, and to be protected by 9.00 heavy wire entanglements, but the 7.30 line ran for the greater part below 8.00 the crest of the intervening ground 6.25 and could be reconnoitered only by 5.65 night.

Wounded men who returned claim 5.75 ed that the enemy rifle and machine 4.50 gun fire came from behind the trench 5.00 and that in counter-attacking the 6.25 Germans appeared to spring from a 6.10 concealed position immediately in the

> Success Last Saturday. In the big advance of October 21,

which carried the British line forward on a frontage of 5,000 yards and to an average depth of 500 yards, the Canadians, with other troops, advanced to the attack of Regina trench. They were successful. Profiting by the former experiences, their artillery maintained a continuous bombardment of their objectives until the wire entanglements were all completely blown away and no longer presented an obstruction to the infantry advance.

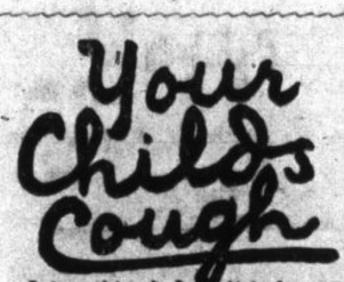
In the general assault the task of the Canadians was a minor but a very important one. Their actual objective was only a length of 6001 yards of the Regina trench immediately to the north of the village of Courcelette. But this formed the right flank of the attack, and the Canadian troops were obliged nto only to secure their proper objective, but also to connect the right of the captured position with their original line in such a manner as to make a defensive flank to the east.

For this purpose-troops from western Canada and Montreal were employed. An Ontario battalion was also to advance in close support. During the night of October 20-21

Farmers' Creamery the assaulting troops took up their Separator. Prints. position. The night was clear and frosty. The trenches, dug in heavy soil, were half filled with mud and water, for there had been much rain 30 1/2 during the previous days. The ground about was in a difficult condition, churned and beaten into a sticky pulp 27 1/2 by the long bombardment. The morning sun could do little to dry the water-soaked earth.

Won Within Ten Minutes.

Shortly before noon the enemy, suspecting perhaps the imminence of an attack, began a heavy artillery fire upon our front lines. About noon our at local boards, of their massed batteries. The conown guns opened with the full fury of heavy shells and shrapnel descended with deadly force and accuracy. The infantry advance began. The men clamored out of their trenches, and in long lines dashed forward close under the barrage, advancing as rapidly as the state of the ground would permit. In ten minutes the 500 yards of open ground had been crossed and



Regina trench was ours.

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