

Rideau Ward.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I respectfully solicit your votes and influence to elect me as Alderman for 1917.

D. Couper.

To the Electors of Rideau Ward:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having for the last three years withdrawn my name from the ballot in favor of my opponent, this year I have decided to run for Alderman for 1917. If elected strict economy shall be my watchword.

R. G. Armstrong.

Rideau Ward

Ladies and Gentlemen: I respectfully solicit your votes and influence to elect me as one of your representatives for 1917.

Wm. R. Clugston.

To the Electors of Rideau Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having been nominated for re-election as Alderman for your ward, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence. With heartfelt thanks for your assistance in the past, and with all good wishes for the coming year.

Geo. Laturney.

Sydenham Ward

To the Electors of Sydenham Ward: I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to elect me as one of your representatives in the City Council for 1917.

D. J. Millan.

Sydenham Ward

To the Electors: As an Aldermanic candidate in Sydenham Ward, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence to elect me as one of your representatives.

Thos. Hewitt.

Sydenham Ward

To the Electors: Ladies and Gentlemen,—I respectfully solicit your votes and influence to elect me as one of your representatives for the coming year.

T. J. O'Connor.

Sydenham Ward

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to elect me as one of your aldermen.

Dr. D. Allen Black.

To the Electors of Sydenham Ward:

If my conduct as one of your Aldermanic representatives and my attitude toward the questions that have been before the Council for consideration and decision, during the past three years, have met with your approval, and you think me worthy of a continuance of your confidence, I shall appreciate your influence and votes.

It is not my intention to make a personal canvass either before or on election day. I leave the decision with you. If elected, I shall try in the future as in the past to serve you faithfully and fearlessly.

Hugh C. Nickle.

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At a united congregation meeting of the Dalhousie charge, held in the church at St. James on Dec. 18th, an unanimous call was extended to Rev. R. J. Wilson, Esq.

DR. ALEX. W. RICHARDSON

Having been requested by citizens to accept the nomination FOR MAYOR for 1917, has consented, and requests all citizens who believe his re-election would be in the best interests of the city to give him their vote and hearty support.

To The Electors of Kingston

Ladies and Gentlemen: At the request of a large number of citizens, I offer myself as a candidate for Mayor for the year 1917, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

J. M. HUGHES

Frontenac Ward

To the Electors: Ladies and Gentlemen—Your vote and influence are respectfully requested to re-elect me as one of your representatives in the city council of 1917. Thanking you for the support you gave me last year, and wishing you all the compliments of the season, I am,

S. S. Corbett.

Frontenac Ward.

To the Electors: I respectfully solicit your votes and influence to re-elect me Alderman for 1917.

Geo. Clark Wright.

Frontenac Ward

To the Electors: Ladies and Gentlemen,—As an Aldermanic candidate in Frontenac Ward, I solicit your votes and support. If elected I intend to look after the interests of Frontenac Ward, especially its streets.

James Wriley Smith, Contractor.

Frontenac Ward

I solicit your vote and influence to elect me again as Alderman, better still, to elect me a better Kingston by my only reason for making this request. Wishing you all a happy New Year, I remain, Yours truly,

William P. Peters.

Catarqui Ward.

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited by the undersigned for Alderman for Catarqui Ward.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, Yours truly,

Fred Simmons.

To the Electors of Catarqui Ward.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to re-elect me Alderman for this ward.

N. C. Polson, Jr.

Catarqui Ward

As an old resident of Catarqui Ward I have decided to stand as an Aldermanic candidate, and therefore solicit your vote and support.

James Norris.

Catarqui Ward

To the Electors: Ladies and Gentlemen,—Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited by the undersigned as Alderman for Catarqui Ward for 1917. Wishing you all a Happy New Year, I am, Yours truly,

Chas. S. Anglin.

St. Lawrence Ward

Ladies and Gentlemen: Having been offered by acclamation I take this opportunity of thanking those who promised to support me, and those who intended to do so.

Dr. Geo. W. Bell.

Rideau Ward Electors

Having offered to serve the city as School Trustee would respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Norman A. Smith.

To the Rate Payers of Kingston Township:

Gentlemen,—Not being in a position to make a personal canvass, I respectfully solicit your support to elect me to the office of Councilor for the coming year. It is my endeavor to safeguard your interests to the best of my ability.

Henry S. McIvor.

Peter McLachlan, who spent his boyhood days with the late Edward Ball, Hopetown, and later was a resident of Arnprior for some years, died at Prince Rupert, B.C., on Sept. 27th in his sixty-fourth year.

News From Eastern Ontario

NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

CLIPPED FROM THE WHIG'S MANY BRIGHT EXCHANGES.

In Brief Form the Events in the County About Kingston Are Told—Full of Interest to Many.

Colvin Minaker, for many years a merchant in Cobourg died on Saturday.

Harry Prosser, Merrickville, has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the office of Barrett Bros.

On Wednesday Edward Hurdis, Carleton Place, and Miss Irene James, of Appleton, were quietly married.

The late Mr. Dudley was born at Smith's Falls and was nearing the close of his eighty-seventh year.

The death occurred at Row's Corners on Tuesday of George Dudley. He had been in ill-health for one year.

The death occurred at Spencer-ville on Saturday of Patrick Gorman, an elderly and former resident of Prescott.

Up to Wednesday, Miss Morrison, Picton, had received \$378.91 in response to her appeal on behalf of the Belgian children.

The death occurred at the home of Mrs. William Prue, Row's Corners, on Sunday, of Henry Prue, at the age of seventy-two.

Daniel Hillman, a former well-known resident of Brockville, died suddenly in Toronto on Tuesday. He was a railway conductor.

John Bedlow, who lost a leg in France, succeeds Cyrus Stowell, who resigned from the Brockville customs department.

Major the Rev. J. C. Davidson, rector of Peterboro, has resumed chaplain duty at No. 3 Canadian Stationary Hospital, France.

Large quantities of dressed turkeys have been shipped out of Picton in the last few days, price averaging 30c per pound, rough dressed.

While washing dishes Mrs. W. G. Fenwick, Brockville, had the misfortune to sever an artery in her right wrist through the breaking of a dish.

On Friday, at Picton, Orlean, only daughter of John T. Brignall, Orillia, Ont., was united in marriage to Edward G. Cole, son of Fred Cole, Picton.

Samuel Shipman, Minnedosa, Man., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Robert White, Lanark. This is the first time they have met in thirty-eight years.

In Brockville on Tuesday Dean Murray united in marriage Harold Edwin Easter and Miss Mary Kathleen Ranger, daughter of John Ranger, all of Brockville.

Edward Harry, Gouverneur, N.Y., a native and former well known resident of Elizabethtown, is ill at his residence in Gouverneur suffering from a second stroke of paralysis.

Miss Ruth Williams, Napanee, stenographer in St. Sunday to take a position in Winnipeg. Before leaving the members of St. Patrick's choir presented her with a crescent of pearls.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at Trenton on Dec. 20th. The bride was Marjorie E. Smith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Smith, Trenton, the groom, James E. Hill, Ottawa.

Mrs. E. J. Whitmarsh, Carleton Place, announces the marriage of her youngest daughter, Grace Ermine, to Capt. James Clow Little, of the 16th Overseas Battalion, London, Ont., on Oct. 13th.

The death occurred in Calgary, Alta., on Nov. 20th, of John McIntyre at the age of sixty-six. The late Mr. McIntyre was for many years a prominent and well respected citizen of Merrickville.

The Grand Meadow Record, Minnesota says, Alvah Hunt passed away last on Monday after several weeks of illness. He was born at Athens, Ontario, and at his death was seventy-three years old.

E. B. Purteile, Bloomfield, has sold his champion cow Princess Segis Walker, and sister, Keyes Segis Walker two of the famous Holsteins raised by Mr. Purteile, to W. L. Shaw, Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid, Perth, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Minnie Matilda, to William Bunting Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stanley, Toronto, the marriage to take place Jan. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble McDonald, Hungerford, having sold their farm, will return to Treed. Neighbors surprised them, gave them an address and gave a handsome three piece oak library suite, table, chair and rocker.

At Prescott by Rev. William Howitt, on Saturday, 16th instant, Erna May, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William James, Prescott, was united in marriage to Charles F. Black, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Black, Prescott.

There passed away at her home near Crystal City, Man., Elizabeth Taylor, aged seventy-three years. Mrs. A. Taylor went west from Lanark, with her husband, Archibald Taylor, some thirty-six years ago. She was a daughter of the late John Hinton, Darlington.

Mrs. H. M. Love, Picton, has suffered a double bereavement. She was recently called to Cobourg to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. Argue, and on Wednesday a message was received, bringing the news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Salsbury, also of Cobourg.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Gordon Ramsay, Edmonton, on Nov. 22nd, the marriage took place of Mr. Ramsay's sister, Miss Annie M. Ramsay, formerly of Fortune Cove, P.E.I., and William G. Peppers, Ryker, Alta., second son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pepper, Lanark.

At St. Andrew's church, Toronto, on Saturday the marriage took place of Dr. Beaumont Borell, son of Mrs. Helen E. Cornell, Athens, to Miss Margaret Grant Wilson, B.A., of Brantford. Dr. Cornell is a member of the Canadian Army Medical Corps, leaves shortly for overseas.

DARLINGSIDE HEARD FROM

FREDERICK LATIMER CONTINUES VERY CRITICALLY ILL.

Lots of Snow and Fine Sleighting—Christmas and General Comment by the Darlingside Philosopher.

Darlingside, Dec. 26.—There was a heavy fall of snow here Friday and there is now excellent sleighing. Benjamin Kirker and daughter Margaret have left for Rochester, N.Y. William Trickey and family have left to spend the winter in Toronto.

Hazel Tilton, who has a position in Kingston, as stenographer, is spending the holidays at her home here. Samuel Krker, who has spent the summer near Gouverneur, N.Y., is at his home here for the winter.

Mrs. A. Bishop has lost a fine horse. The teacher, Miss Webster, is spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Athens. We understand Miss Webster has been engaged to teach the school here for another year. W. E. McNeil is steadily improving in health. Fred Latimer still continues very low.

Mrs. M. E. Wallace has left for Montreal the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Duce, whose husband holds a responsible position in one of the large department stores of the Canadian metropolis.

Chinese eggs are once more being imported into Western Canada in large quantities. There is mystery about the fact that Western Canada should have to import eggs from anywhere. But no more than there is about eggs from China.

Is it only a coincidence that Germany makes definite peace proposals as soon as Britain's determination to win the war is shown by Lloyd George's success in forming a cabinet? It is to be hoped that the terrible sacrifices of the past years by the Entente Allies will not be thrown away in an inconclusive peace, now that they have become equipped for war.

In those days when so much is said and written about the shortage of wheat and the high price of bread we are pleased to call attention to the record of C. S. Noble, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. A few days ago Mr. Noble hauled his last load of wheat to market, completing a total of 54,383 bushels from 1,000 acres, that represents a new world's record in the growing, harvesting, threshing and marketing of wheat on a big acreage. It also represents \$100,000 in coin of the realm.

Probably you may be interested in knowing that at least one man on the North American continent will not worry about getting to the bottom of his flour barrel before next year's wheat crop is ready for the thrasher.

Inefficiency helps the enemy. It is the third Christmas of the war.

SCHOOL INSPECTOR IS NOT PRO GERMAN

Charges Against Public School Inspector Are Not Proven.

Pembroke, Dec. 27.—The whole list of charges has failed to materialize. None of them have been proven. It was the succinct manner in which Judge Dewey, of Brockville, conducted the investigation which he conducted at the Court House here into the charges of incompetency, partiality, double dealing and pro-Germanism preferred against I. D. Brueles, inspector of public schools for the north riding of the county of Renfrew. These charges, eight in number, were made by a few members of the Renfrew County Council.

KILLED WHILE HUNTING.

Ray Miller Met Death Near Home at Rideau Ferry.

Lombardy, Dec. 26.—A sad fatality occurred on Friday last when Ray Miller, son of Mrs. Miller, at Rideau Ferry, accidentally discharged a gun, killing himself almost instantly. He was hunting in company with John Willis, and the gun which he carried was accidentally discharged. He was an exemplary young man of 21 years and had returned only the previous day from the western provinces. The funeral held on Sunday was very largely attended. Interment being made at Rideau Ferry cemetery. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved widowed mother, sister and brothers of the deceased.

No Voting in Belleville.

Belleville, Dec. 27.—There will be no municipal election in this city, the council for 1917 being elected by acclamation. Of the 28 nominated for alderman only 9, the required number, took out their qualifications papers. They were Aldermen W. A. Woodley, W. S. Smith, W. B. Deacon, Dr. O. A. Platt, J. E. Parks, James O. St. Charles, C. Whalen, ex-Ald. O. A. Marshall and ex-Ald. A. Robinson. They with Mayor Ketcheson, re-elected by acclamation, will constitute the council for next year.

The Officers Chosen.

Lanark, Dec. 27.—At the annual meeting of the Curling Club held on Wednesday last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. Pres., T. B. Caldwell; Pres. Carmen McInnes; Vice-Pres., W. J. Drysdale; Sec-Treas., W. D. Cuthbertson. Committee—E. J. Buffam, B. A. C. Caldwell, R. W. Robertson and Geo. J. Hunt. A. C. McIntyre has been engaged as caretaker.

The Late Mrs. John Baillie.

Picton, Dec. 27.—The death occurred on Sunday, after a long illness, of Maggie Fraser, wife of John Baillie, managing director of the Dominion Oil Cloth Company, Limited, Montreal. Mrs. Baillie, the daughter of the late Donald Fraser, commission merchant, was born at Picton. She is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters.

Death Calls Bishop of Arras.

Paris, Dec. 27.—Monsignor Emile Lobbey, Bishop of Arras, who was recently decorated by President Poincaré with the Legion of Honor for remaining in the city during the bombardment and aiding the soldiers and the civilian population, has died at Boulogne-Sur-Mer.

Death Calls Bishop of Arras.

Mrs. Martha J. Pitman, aged fifty-four, died on Tuesday in Tyendinaga. M. Dorville, Belleville, aged sixty-nine; Miss Emma J. Canniff, Belleville, aged sixty-seven, are also reported dead.

A Saskatchewan Wedding.

Dewar Lake, Sask., Dec. 26.—On Dec. 14th, at Dewar Lake, the wedding took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Andrew Arthur, of Miss Bertha Hampel, of North Bay, Ont., to George R. Bolton, of Dewar Lake. Rev. Mr. Robertson, of Levern, Sask. officiated. The charming bride was attired in a gown of white duchess satin with veil and wreath of orange blossoms. The happy couple left on the noon train for North Bay to visit the bride's parents, the bride travelling in a costume of navy blue broadcloth with fur trimmings and large black picture hat.

ELIZABETH ASQUITH

Daughter of ex-Premier Asquith. Her engagement to Hugh S. Gibson, of the American Embassy, is announced.

Died of Heart Failure.

Belleville, Dec. 27.—Mrs. W. E. Armitage, of this city, died suddenly from heart failure. The deceased was thirty-three years of age. The husband, Sergt. Armitage is in England with the 155th Battalion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rodger, Lanark, left Monday for Cobalt, where they will take up residence. Mr. Rodger having taken over a barbering business in that famous mining town. William Dean, son of the late Judge Dean, Belleville, died in New York City. His remains will reach Belleville on Thursday.

W. W. Pittard was elected mayor of Almonte by acclamation and R. Kytle was chosen mayor of Lindsay. Ex-Reeve T. H. Thompson, on elected reeve of Madoc by acclamation.

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25c TO \$1.00

FINE SHIRTS and PYJAMAS

\$1.00 TO \$5.00.

LOUNGING ROBES

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UP TO \$12.50

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