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LID IS ON VERY TIGHT

PROHIBITION BRINGS FALLING OFF IN LIQUOR CASES.

But Still Considerable Liquor Is Being Shipped Into the City—Liquor at the Bottom of Many Police Court Cases.

Prohibition is certainly putting the lid on in Kingston, judging by the number of cases for the Police Court.

There has only been one case before the Magistrate, this week, and there have been no complaints of a serious nature.

The closing of the bars has brought about a great change in police duty. When the bars were open seldom a night passed without a few tipplers getting into trouble, but now several days pass by, and sometimes a week, before a drunk is arrested.

And this record goes to show just how good prohibition is working out in Kingston. There has been a remarkable falling off in cases, and the work of the police has been lessened to a considerable extent.

The records show that strong drink was at the bottom of nearly all the trouble that resulted in Police Court cases.

While there has been a falling off in the number of Police Court cases this does not mean that there has not been any liquor coming into the city, but it means that people who have been indulging managed to keep clear of the police and out of trouble.

There is considerable liquor being shipped into Kingston, but the amount is nothing compared to the steady flow of "strong stuff" in the days before prohibition.

Orange Hall Opening.
 The dedication ceremonies of the new Orange Hall, Kingston, will take place on Thursday, Feb. 8th, next. The programme will consist of the dedication of the building by Grand Master Evan H. McLean at 2 p.m., to which every Orangeman is invited. The formal opening of the new hall will take place at 8 p.m., to which all Orangemen and their friends are cordially invited. Addresses, songs and instrumental music. Admission 50c.

Codey-Martin Nuptials.
 A quiet marriage ceremony was performed at 376 Alfred street at noon Wednesday by Rev. William Craig, when Miss Clara Amy Martin, daughter of Egerton Martin, Sydenham, became the bride of Arthur Wilmot Codey, Mirvale. The couple were attended by Miss P. Martin and the groom's brother. The bride and groom will spend their honeymoon with friends in New York state.

Great Clearing Sale.
 Prevost, Brock street, has made a great reduction in price of ready-made clothing and men's furnishings; also the order work department to make room for spring and summer goods. There is a good assortment to choose from at extremely low prices.

Coming to the Strand.
 Billie Burke in "Peggy" story complete in eight reels, coming Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 12th, 13th, 14th.

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COLLECTION OF VALENTINES IS NOW ON SALE IN THE CITY.

Between Eight and Ten Thousand Valentines Will be Sent Through the Mail on St. Valentine's Day—A Big Demand For Them Here.

Next Wednesday, Feb. 14th, will be St. Valentine's Day, and judging by the sale of valentines thus far, the letter carriers will have something to remind them of the big Christmas rush.

Kingston this year has the finest collection of valentines ever shipped to the city. They are being handled by the College Book Store and E. Uglow & Company. The window displays and also the inside displays at each of these stores have been much admired. Citizens who intend to make purchases should pay a visit to these stores at an early date as possible so that they might get the advantage of the best selection.

It may not be generally known, but from eight to ten thousand valentines are disposed of in this city every season, and this goes to show just how popular old-time custom of sending these messages through the mails is in Kingston.

"The demand for valentines is getting to be about as great as for cards at Christmas time," said one dealer to the Whig on Tuesday. "For many days now the sales have been quite heavy, and from now until the day arrives a big rush is looked for."

In regard to the valentines turned out these days, it must be stated that they are most beautiful. The old-time combs have been done away with, and it is to be hoped that they will never return, as they were never very popular, especially to the recipients.

This year the valentines show wonderful work of art, while the messages on the cards have been well selected. Citizens should not fail to see the window displays in Uglow's and at the College Book Store.

THEY WANT THEIR RELEASE

AMERICANS IN KINGSTON UNITS WANT TO FIGHT FOR U.S.A.

Have Appealed to the American Consul to Assist Them—Army Reservists Are Expecting Call.

There are a number of Americans enlisted in the R.C.H.A., and other units in Kingston. They have appealed to American Consul F. S. Johnson to ask for their release in case the United States declares war on Germany and decides to build up an army for itself. In view of the fact that an American, upon being sworn in as a member of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, throws up all claim of protection from the United States officials, makes it necessary for Mr. Johnson to decline to take any action. He stated to the Whig, however, that under these circumstances he would probably accede to the soldiers' requests and use his efforts towards their release.

There are in this consular district a large number of American army reservists, among whom is a prominent Kingston insurance agent who was in the 16th National Guards of New York. These men may be asked to go back and serve their country in the event of a declaration of war.

Consul Johnson on Wednesday morning was officially notified of discontinue acting in the interests of the German Empire. This means that he will, when notified as to the selection of a representative, turn over the work to whatever consular agent Germany wishes to act for it until the close of the war. Since the war broke out Mr. Johnson has been making periodical trips to Port Henry, making inspection and handling extensive correspondence about their personal affairs. This work will all be transferred to some other agent, in all probability the Swiss Consul-General at Montreal.

CHANGE OF PLACE.
 Frontenac Liberals Will Meet in Liberal Club Rooms.

The annual meeting of the Frontenac Liberal Association was at first advertised to take place at the Court House, as in past years. Owing, however, to the fact that government workmen on Tuesday began the work of preparing the Court House for the use of the Canadian Hospitals Commission, it has been found necessary to hold the meeting elsewhere. The Liberal Club rooms, at 333 King street, near the Bank of Toronto, have been secured. President Halliday sent out an invitation to all Liberals in Frontenac to make it a point to attend this very important meeting, which will be held on Thursday, Feb. 16th, at 2 p.m. Hon. George P. Graham, M.P., has written present. There will be also other liberal speakers present, and a good programme is promised.

Died at Ernestown Station.
 On Sunday, February 5th, at the residence of her son, Robert Baker, Ernestown Station, Mrs. Amanda Baker, widow of the late Robert Baker, passed away at the age of eighty-nine years. Mrs. Baker was born at Newburgh, and for a number of years lived on Amherst Island. She leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother four sons, William, of Amherst Island, David, of Kingston Junction, Robert and John, of Ernestown, and two daughters, Mrs. Albert Doherty of Shannonville and Mrs. John Holmes, of Deseronto.

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Corrigan's.
 "The Miracle of Love." What is it? The patched garment is often in evidence because the wearer through sheer indolence, failed to earn a whole one to take its place.

FRONTENAC CLUB MOVES TO OVERCOME LOSS OF MEMBERS.

Many Are Overseas, and a Campaign for New Members Will Be Started—No Admission Fee.

The annual meeting of the Frontenac Club was held on Tuesday evening, at which fifteen new directors were elected.

The fact that a large number of members of the club are overseas is interfering with the management of the club, and the members took steps to overcome the difficulty. All members who are overseas have no dues to pay while away. A special war tax of \$5 is being placed on the dues of all home members to make up this deficiency. The finances of the club were found to be in good shape.

It was decided that the club could be made to fill a bigger sphere of influence if an effort was made to enlarge its membership. A committee was appointed to take this matter up, and the city will be canvassed. A special inducement, that of cancelling the usual admittance fees was decided on for all those who become members before April 1st.

The directors elected are: S. C. Calvin, W. B. Dalton, Sr., W. J. Fair, W. C. Kent, John McKay, J. F. McMillan, George Robertson, E. A. Turner, W. Cook, H. C. Welsh, J. Hanley, M. B. Baker, A. B. Cunningham, Elmer Davis, A. J. Macdonnell.

MARRIED IN KINGSTON.

An Ottawa Groom Carried Off a City Lady.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hall, 10 Aberdeen avenue, was to-day the scene of a very interesting event when their younger daughter Edna Gladys was united in marriage to Otto Beere Roberts, Ottawa. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Brown. The pretty bride was married in her travelling suit of navy blue broadcloth and a large picture hat of gold lace and American beauty velvet. The happy couple left on the noon train for New York and Boston where they will spend their honeymoon.

Small Increase in Licenses.
 The special committee appointed by the City Council to consider the question of raising the local licenses fees, held a meeting last evening, with Aid Millan presiding. It was found that little could be done in the way of increases. The theatre licenses are fixed by statute. It was decided to raise the restaurant license fee by five dollars, which would yield \$75 increase.

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AMHERST ISLAND WEDDING.
 Nuptials of Miss C. Beaubien and Ernest Filson.

The marriage took place at Amherst Island at the home of the bride on Feb. 1st of Miss Clarice Beaubien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Beaubien, and Ernest Filson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Filson. Rev. James Cumberland performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Edna Fleming, while the groom was supported by his cousin, H. M. Montgomery.

The bride was given away by her father. The bridal couple stood under an arch of evergreens.

The bride was dressed in a suit of white tulle, with a travelling hat of navy blue, white hat and gold trimmings. The house was beautifully decorated with evergreens and white chrysanthemums.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold wrist watch, to the bride a gold pin, and to the groomsmen gold cuff links.

Mr. and Mrs. Filson left via the G.T.R. on a trip to Chatham and other western points, and upon their return will take up their residence on Amherst Island.

Received Another Lot of \$1.60 Silk Waists.
 We received to-day another lot of white silk waists, fancy fronts trimmed with baby Irish, and are selling them at \$1.60. These waists are as good as lots of \$3.00 waists.
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CAPE E. E. McCAMMON
 Newspaper Man Returns From Front After Being in Hospital.
 Capt. Edward E. McCammon, Portsmouth, who went overseas with No. 1 Tunnelling Company, arrived back in the city on Wednesday morning on sick leave until March 6th. Capt. McCammon has been in a hospital for some time suffering from "trench feet," and was granted leave to come to Canada to recuperate. He met many Kingstonsians while overseas.

A Perth Wedding.
 The marriage took place at Perth on Jan. 31st, of Miss Mabel Whyte, daughter of Mrs. R. Whyte, and Joseph Devlin, son of William Devlin. Rev. A. H. Scott performed the ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride. The couple were unattended, and only immediate friends were present. The bride was given away by her brother, Nelson Whyte. She was dressed in a suit of white silk poplin. Mr. and Mrs. Devlin left for their home in Drummond.

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