

News From Eastern Ontario

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.

Ernest Howard suffering with blood-poisoning in his hand, Miss Alice Cole, Deseronto, has accepted a situation with the Quinte Glass Company as book-keeper.

Miss M. Balderson, teacher on the Perth Public school staff, fell at the skating rink and broke a rib.

Rev. W. H. Stevens, pastor of the Almonte Methodist church, has received a pressing call to Coaticook, Que.

A pension has been awarded for the children of Pte. Albert W. Tamblin, Peterboro, who was killed in action Dec. 8th, 1916. It totals \$432 a year.

John Holmes, Deseronto, left last Monday for Niagara Falls, Ont., where he has accepted a position with the Esymite Co., manufacturing electric wire.

A daughter of John R. James, Ramsay, and daughter of P. Y. Sutherland, also of Ramsay, were operated upon for appendicitis on Saturday last at Almonte.

Rev. A. A. Acton of the Presbyterian church, Deseronto, preached his last sermon on Sunday evening, Mr. Acton has a lucrative position with the Quinte Glass Co.

The death took place Wednesday night at the Brockville General Hospital of Mrs. Robert Reynolds, after an illness of three months' duration. The deceased was born at Fairfield.

At a meeting of the directors of the Pembroke Curling Club Ltd., it was decided to rent the rink for eight months to the Thomas Pink Co. Ltd., for the purpose of storing automobiles.

Porter S. White died on Thursday at the family residence, Peterboro. Mr. White had not been in the best of health since four years ago, when he had a stroke. He was a grocer and aged fifty-four years.

John Christopher Kells, Millbrook, died on Thursday, aged sixty-two years. Deceased was senior member of the firm of Kells, Fowler & Co., general merchants, and a pusher for the village's prosperity.

A quiet wedding took place at Deseronto, on March 6th, when Miss Norma L. Perry, niece of Mrs. S. T. Tucker, was united in marriage to Robert Harold Thompson, son of Thomas Thompson, Napanee Road.

Miss Jean Boyce, Belleville, a graduate of Toronto General Hospital training school for nurses, is leaving very soon for overseas in connection with the nursing services of the Canadian expeditionary forces.

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Gananoque

(From Our Own Correspondent) March 16.—Upwards of forty of the members of the Young People's Society of Grace Church and of the Knights of Honor Young Men's Class of Grace Sunday school, drove to Lansdowne and gave the programme for an entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Lansdowne Methodist Church.

A largely attended oyster supper was held in the S.O.E. recreation room on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Metal Workers' Union.

Miss Lottie Root entertained a number of her friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Root, Charles street, last evening.

The funeral of the late Alexander Lalonde was held yesterday morning from the home of his brother, Amos Lalonde, Victoria avenue, to St. John's church, where mass was sung for the repose of his soul and the remains were placed in the vault at Gananoque cemetery. The employees of the spring department of the works of the Ontario Steel Products Co. attended in a body.

Deceased had been in the employment of that concern for a number of years.

Pte. Brown, who left here with the 156th Leeds and Grenville Battalion, and was since invalided home to recuperate, has arrived in town.

Mrs. William Tinney, of Toronto, a former resident of this town, is spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Cotton, Hickory street.

Mrs. P. J. Burns, of Montreal, spending the fast week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kenney, Pine street, has returned to her home, and was accompanied back by her mother, who will spend a short time there with her.

Mrs. R. S. Stevens, of Winnipeg, has arrived in town to spend the next two months with her mother, Mrs. Bethuel DeWolfe, Sydenham street.

Almonte Mute Killed by Train. Almonte, March 16.—Peter McGregor, a deaf mute, was run over yesterday in the C.P.R. yards and died in the Rosamond Memorial hospital, a few hours later. The unfortunate man, who was a life-long citizen of Almonte, was in the act of crossing the tracks on his way down street, and apparently became confused when he noticed the train so close.

One of his legs was severed and he died from shock and loss of blood, being a man well over seventy years of age. Deceased was the father of one of the best known families of athletes in eastern Ontario. All the boys played hockey and lacrosse for Almonte, while Doctor and now Captain Eben McGregor, of the Canadian Army Dental Corps, and Canadian all star home players figured on the Tecumseh team when they held the Minto cup, and also on the New Westminster team when they were world's champions.

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LIQUOR CASE DISMISSED BOXING BOUTS CONTINUED

CARETAKER CHARGED WITH VIOLATING TEMPERANCE ACT.

Wife Received Parcel in His Absence and Did Not Know What It Contained—Another Charge May Be Laid Over the Case.

After hearing evidence License Inspector William McCampong and C. R. Webster had to offer in the case of Thomas Brown, caretaker of a local club, charged with a violation of the Temperance Act. Magistrate Farrell dismissed the charge.

The evidence showed that in the absence of her husband Mrs. Brown received a case of liquor from the express company, but did not know at the time that it was liquor. The case was addressed to "W. Brown."

Magistrate Farrell said that he could not find a conviction on this evidence. Perhaps a hundred and fifty men belonged to this club, and a parcel left there. Mrs. Brown wrote that she did not know what was in the parcel.

Mr. Webster argued that there should be a conviction when the liquor was found in Brown's possession, but the Magistrate pointed out that Brown was away at the time, and that it could not be presumed that his possessions were also his wife's.

The Magistrate further stated that there was another way for the prosecution to take action if they desired and stated that action might be taken against the club.

Henry Bowman, up for non-support of his wife, was given a chance to make good.

PUT MILITIA ACT INTO FORCE MAY 1ST

On Which Date the Farmers Will Have Finished Their Seeding.

(Special to the Whig.) Winnipeg, March 16.—That the Militia Act will be put into force on May 1st was the belief expressed by E. R. Chapman, member for Manitoba of the National Service Commission. Mr. Chapman said that on that date seeding would be practically completed and recruits sorely needed. The commission will meet in Ottawa early in April. Colonel Williams, chief recruiting officer for Canada, said all farmers should stick to their seeding and leave the filling up of the overseas battalions to city men.

THE STOCK MARKETS.

The Quotations on the Various Exchanges.

New York Stocks. Open. 2 p.m. Baltimore & Ohio ... 75 1/2 C. P. R. ... 154 N. Y. C. ... 94 1/2 Erie ... 26 1/2 Erie pfd. first ... 26 1/2 St. Paul ... 81 1/2 Union Pacific ... 135 1/2 Pennsylvania ... 53 1/2 Reading ... 93 1/2 Bethlehem Steel ... 132 1/2 Marine ... 27 Rep. Steel ... 79 1/2 U. S. Steel ... 111 Inter. Nickel ... 42 1/2 Amer. Loco. ... 70 1/2

Toronto Stocks. Steel of Canada ... 66 1/2 Steel of Canada pfd. ... 95 Dominion Steel ... 67 1/2 Cement ... 63 Locomotive ... 55 N. S. Steel ... 102 General Electric ... 108 1/2 Bid Steamers ... 37 1/2

RAPIDLY ENVELOPING THE TURKISH ARMIES

British and Russians Are Advancing From Both East and West.

(Special to the Whig.) London, March 16.—According to both Russian and British reports from Persia and Mesopotamia, the Turks are being rapidly enveloped in advances on them from east and west towards the Tigris river.

The Russians report a fresh three-mile advance to-day and the British are also pushing ahead twenty miles east of Bagdad.

EMBARGO BY G. T. R.

Placed on Freight—Full Particulars Not Yet Given.

(Special to the Whig.) Montreal, March 16.—The Grand Trunk has placed an embargo on all freight.

It is not known at present whether this means an embargo on freight for all parts of Canada or for the United States only. The action is taken probably on account of the seriousness of the strike threatening on United States railroads.

Sheriffs Favor Electric Chair. (Special to the Whig.) Toronto, March 16.—Sheriffs of Ontario province in convention here to-day discussed the substitution of the electric chair for hanging, and will pass a resolution in favor of the electric chair and forward it to the Government at Ottawa.

Destroyer Sunk by Mine. (Special to the Whig.) London, March 16.—An English destroyer of an old type struck a mine in the Channel yesterday and sank. The Admiralty announced to-day. One man was killed and twenty-eight men are missing.

With as much speed as possible the alien enemies in Fort Henry will be taken to the internment camp at Kapuskasing, not far from Cochrane, on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

The Chatham Presbytery has gone on record as against the admitting to Canada of U.S. Sunday papers and against the increase in the number of race tracks at Windsor.

To-morrow is St. Patrick's Day.

AT THE ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Class Event, Senior vs. Recruit, Proved Best Bout of Day and Was Exciting From Start to Finish.

The boxing contests were continued at the Royal Military College on Thursday afternoon. There were a number of very interesting events, and the programme was one of the best put on in the present series.

In the second series of the light-weight novices, Barwis went up against Pearson. Barwis was declared the winner at the end of the first round. Pearson had the misfortune to sprain his arm and could not go on.

In the bout between Ross and Robertson, Ross was declared the winner at the end of the second round. Ross had a much longer reach than Robertson, and in this way had a great advantage.

Davidson vs. Baker.—This bout went three rounds, and Baker had the best of it all the way through, and was declared the winner. Davidson put up a pretty plucky fight and took a lot of punishment. He tried his best to put Baker out with a right to his jaw, but Baker was too quick for him in ducking, and retaliated with a left and right to the jaw.

The boxing bout between Sills and Ince started at a rapid pace and after some thrilling encounters, Ince was declared the winner.

Sills gave Ince some blows on the body that knocked him drowsy in the first minute, but Ince recovered quickly, and was lucky in getting a terrific right to Sills' jaw, which he followed up quickly with a left and right, and Sills was knocked out. He took the count and Ince was declared the winner.

McKenzie vs. Holmes.—In this McKenzie was the best boxer, but McKenzie was the best boxer. At the end of the first round the honors stood with McKenzie. The second was good, with honors even. In the third round McKenzie was very aggressive, never giving Holmes a chance, and was declared the winner. Holmes is a very clever boxer, but McKenzie's clever aggressiveness and hard hitting won out for him.

Jackson vs. McKee.—Jackson had the best of the three rounds and was declared the winner on points. He has the making of a first-class boxer. McKee took a lot of punishment.

Bibert vs. Rogers.—This bout only went two rounds, and Bibert was declared the winner. He knocked Rogers all around the ring.

In the first series of the featherweights Dobell went up against Howard. He proved himself a very quick and clever boxer, and he evidently had Dobell guessing during the first round. Dobell jut up quite a fight, too, and took a lot of punishment. The second round started at a very rapid pace. Howard landed very heavily on Dobell's face and body, and at the end of this round Howard was declared the winner.

Gash vs. Calverley.—Gash knocked Calverley out in the first minute, and was declared the winner.

Hill went up against Dowville in the first series of the welterweight. This bout went three rounds, and Hill had the best of it all the way, although he had the misfortune to sprain his right thumb in the first round.

Dowville fought a defence fight, but was outpointed. He showed great lack of judgment in not landing heavily when he saw that Hill had sprained his thumb. Hill was declared the winner.

George vs. N. D. McKay.—McKay was declared the winner at the end of the second round. He is a skillful boxer, and had an easy thing on George.

B. H. McKay vs. Barwis.—This was a class event, senior vs. recruit. The first round started off at a rapid pace, McKay thinking he had a soft thing on, and landed a left and right on Barwis' face. This cause Barwis to smile, and he retaliated with a straight left to the face of McKay, which proved that he could punch with his right as well as his famous brother could kick a football.

The officials were the same as in the previous events.

MAY OPPOSE SCHOOLS.

(Special to the Whig.) Stratford, March 16.—The Orange Grand Lodge of Ontario West threatens to oppose separate schools in Ontario.

SHIPS AND MUNITIONS NOW AHEAD OF TIME

Work Finished at an Earlier Date Than Had Been Expected.

London, March 16.—In regard to munitions, Bonar Law said in the House of Commons yesterday the necessity for munitions now was a satisfactory indication that deliveries were being made more rapidly than in the past, on which the treasury had based its estimates for the time of payment.

It was not desirable, he added, to indicate how much of the \$25,000,000 was for munitions and how much was for shipping, but he was also able to say with regard to shipping that work had been concluded at an earlier date than had been expected.

The total of \$3,792,000,000 in votes of credit since the war began, the Chancellor explained, included all amounts to the present financial year, but not the vote already made in respect of next year.

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\$12.50 men's raincoats for \$7.50
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