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**GIVEN CHEAP POTATOES**

**WOLFE ISLAND FARMERS SECURED CARLOAD AT \$3.25 A BAG**

As Result of Action Taken by Reeve Dr. William Spankie, Who Ordered "Spuds" From Winnipeg—Are of High Grade.

As the result of the efforts put forth by Dr. William Spankie, the wide-awake reeve of Wolfe Island, the farmers of the island were on Monday morning able to purchase seed potatoes at \$3.25 per bag of ninety pounds, just \$1.25 less than what the potatoes secured through the Greater Production Committee are selling at.

The potatoes are of the very best quality. Experts who had an opportunity of inspecting them on Monday morning, remarked that they were the best seed potatoes they had ever seen. One could almost see them growing inside the bags. The farmers from the island were more than pleased and were delighted to get them.

The car arrived in Kingston on Wednesday, on Saturday, and was unloaded in the local railway yards Monday forenoon and the bags were taken over to Wolfe Island on the steamer Wolfe Islander.

The farmers were eager to get the potatoes as they are anxious to do their "bit" for increased production. The story surrounding the securing of this carload of cheap potatoes is an interesting one.

On April 28th, Dr. A. W. Richardson and R. J. Rodger of Kingston, addressed a meeting at Wolfe Island on behalf of the Greater Production Committee. They delivered most stimulating addresses, pointing out the great need for increased production. The farmers who were present in large numbers, were impressed and eager to plant, but there was a general feeling that the price of potatoes was altogether too high for them to pay. Dr. Spankie sized up the situation, and decided to take up the question of securing a supply of seed potatoes from the west. He wired Winnipeg and the price quoted to him on the open market was \$1.50

a bushel f.o.b., Winnipeg. The reeve did not allow any grass to grow under his feet, but immediately ordered a carload. He gave the order for the reason that he knew that if the farmers did not get potatoes at a lower price than had been quoted, namely, \$4.50, and as high as \$5, there would be very little planting done.

The car was ordered on May 8th and arrived in Kingston on May 15th, so the deal was transacted very promptly when one considers the great demand for potatoes these days. The carload amounted to 50,000 pounds, or 600 bags.

The township council approved of the action taken by their reeve, and an effort will be made to secure another carload as soon as possible, and the prospects look good for another car to arrive in a short time. In taking this action, Dr. Spankie simply had the interests of the people of the island at heart. He felt that the other prices quoted were too high.

A Whig reporter was present on Monday morning, when the potatoes were being unloaded, and found a happy lot of farmers, fifty or more, working like Trojans. Asked about the quality of the potatoes, they stated that they were first class in every respect, and that they were more than pleased at having the opportunity of getting them at this price. It was stated that no profit was looked for by any person in the deal, and that when transactions were completed that if there was a dollar over it would be devoted to the Red Cross Society.

A feature of the arrival of the potatoes was the speed in which they were unloaded. The car was placed on the track near the wharf in front of the City Hall Monday forenoon and in quick order the potatoes were put on the boat of the farmers and were soon on the island. Good "spuds" are now assured the island this year, providing, of course the weather man is out for increased production.

The potatoes secured by the Greater Production Committee are being sold in the market house at \$4.50 per ninety-pound bag, or in such quantities as required at five cents per pound. It is, indeed, a pity that the committee could not secure their consignment of potatoes at the same price as Wolfe Island.

**INCIDENTS OF THE DAY**

**LOCAL NOTES AND ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.**

**Happenings in the City and Vicinity**  
—What the Merchants Offer to the Readers of the Whig.

Mr. Swaine, piano tuner. Orders left at McAuley's, or 'phone 564. A Bible conference is to be held at Thousand Island Park the week of July 22nd.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner, 21 King Street. Leave orders at McAuley's Book Store.

Mrs. Miller, Patrick street, was removed to the Hotel Dieu on Sunday in Corbett's ambulance. A lone and lonely drunk was the only offender in police court Monday. He was fined \$10 and costs.

James E. McNeely, Calabogie, is a patient in the Hotel Dieu Hospital. He was operated upon for appendicitis.

Mrs. J. Roadhouse, Nelson street, lost a day for Foxboro to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Jones.

The President of the Board of Trade acknowledges the receipt of \$2 from Miss Janet Richmond for the Belgian Relief Fund.

meetings which will open Tuesday night will mark the fifty-second session of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario.

Mrs. J. G. Dewar died at Reist, Alberta, on May 6th, was Miss Agnes Lisle Margaret Allan. She graduated at Queen's University.

At the Strand to-night, Chas. Murray and Louise Fazenda, in "Maggie's First False Step," 2,000 feet of Keystone fun and frolic.

Miss Annie Walsh, superintendent of the Cobourg hospital, has just graduated two nurses, Miss Millington, Thessalon, and Miss Cole, Plainville. Miss Walsh is from Kingston.

Rural Dean J. W. Jones, of Tamworth, Rev. F. G. Kirkpatrick, of Pittsburgh, and Rev. R. H. H. Bullock, of Roslin, arrived in the city Monday to attend the sessions of the Ontario Synod, which open Tuesday.

Bishop Koper, of Ottawa, has been asked to preach the sermon at the service in St. George's Cathedral Tuesday night at which Bishop Bidwell will be enthroned as Bishop of the Diocese. The Bishop will be enthroned by Bishop Williams, of London.

Prevost, Brock street, has received all his spring and summer goods for his order clothing department, in Ready-made clothing he has in stock a very fine line of Blue and Gray worsted suits for those not wishing to leave their order. He has also received some very nice lines of Gents' Furnishings.

**A QUEEN'S STUDENT FALLS.**  
Lieut. W. G. McIntyre, of No. 5 Field Company, C.E.

Lieut. W. G. McIntyre, a former sapper of No. 5 Field Company, Canadian Engineers (Queen's), who was promoted to a commission on the field, fell in action at Vimy Ridge. His death is reported in letters received by his mother at Clearwater, Man. At Queen's he was president of his year '15 Arts, securing his degree with that year. He was forward on the first soccer team for two years and was ever an eager worker for his college.

The dead hero enlisted with No. 5 F.C.C.E. and served as a sapper at the front for many months, securing his death to his mother he gave much comfort to those left behind. He seemed to feel that the morning would be the end and the closing sentences of the letter were absolutely typical of the spirit that guided him all through his long months at the front. "I trust humbly in God, whichever way the issue goes, and ask success for our arms, forgiveness for our sins and rest after our much toiling. So now, goodbye, and if I go, I go to join Jack. God bless you." His brother Jack was killed on the Somme last September with the 5th Battalion.

**Asparagus From Wolfe Island.**  
First lot of the season received today at Carnovsky's.



**OBITUARY**

**Late Mrs. James Graham.**  
On Saturday morning Mrs. James Graham passed to rest at her home, 789 Albert street. She had been a patient sufferer for a number of years from paralysis. The deceased was born in Nottinghamshire, Eng., seventy-four years ago, coming to Canada at the age of thirteen. In religion Mrs. Graham was a Methodist and a member of Princess Street Church. She is survived by three sons, Capt. James and Henry, of Kingston, and Samuel of Long Beach, Cal.; four daughters, Mrs. J. M. Graham, of Nanapanee; Mrs. F. H. Rutherford, of Kingston, and Misses Sara and Nellie at home; also one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Ashurst, of Kingston. She was a faithful wife, a good mother and a true friend, and her death causes the deepest regret by all who knew her.

**The Late Pte. S. Helem.**  
Samuel Helem, a former resident of Manotick, enlisted under Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low when the 146th Battalion was being formed, died in the Mowat Memorial Hospital on Saturday after a long illness. The deceased was discharged several months ago from the service but received treatment because of military Mowat Hospital on April 23rd last and has been steadily sinking since then. The deceased was about fifty years of age. One brother, William G. Helem, Manotick, survives. The remains are being sent to Manotick by James Reid & Co., undertakers.

**The Late A. Lazier.**  
Allan Lazier, who was born ninety-five years ago at Belleville, died in the House of Providence on Sunday after a short illness. The deceased has been at the House of Providence for some time. The remains are being transferred to Northport for interment by S. S. Corbett, undertaker.

**The Late J. Kimpson.**  
The funeral of the late Joseph Kimpson took place on Monday morning from his late residence Bay street. Rev. E. R. McLean conducted the service. The deceased was for forty years the honored and faithful sexton of Cooke's Presbyterian church and the following members of Cooke's Session acted as pallbearers at the funeral: J. V. Burton, John Murray, James McCulla, William Anderson, J. W. Bradshaw and D. A. Shaw.

**Helpers Needed For Red Cross Collection.**  
The Red Cross workers have opened a committee room in the office of the British-American building in order to prepare for the house to house canvass of May 30th. Collectors are needed for the canvass. Those who are willing to help kindly give in their names at the above office as soon as possible.

**6 Important New Novels—4s.**  
"The Hundredth Chance," by Ethel M. Dell. "Much Ado About Peter," by Jean Webster. "The Tiger's Coat," by Elizabeth Dejeans. "The Stingy Receiver," by Eleanor Hollowell Abbott. "Piccadilly Jim," by F. G. Wodehouse. "The Preacher of Cedar Mountain," by Ernest Thompson Seton. For sale by R. Uglov and Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. W. Buck, Uppet William street, left on Monday for a two week motor trip around Lake Ontario and through New York state.

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C.N.R. . . . . 2:00 p.m.

**FATHER SERVES AT 65.**  
This Family of Harveys Have Certainly Done Their "Bit."  
F. E. Harvey, 295 Queen street, has received word from his father that he has been called upon, at the age of sixty-five, to serve in the 5th Buffs in England. Mr. Harvey has had four brothers on active service. One was killed last September and one was wounded.

**Steamers Have Trouble.**  
Word reached the city Monday afternoon that the Donnelly Wrecking Company had released the barge Brighton, which went ashore at the head of the Narrows, near Brockville, and that the wrecking outfit was now on its way back to go to the steamer Earn Whittaker, which is ashore at Salmon Point on Lake Ontario.

**Empire Day Celebration.**  
Victoria school is to have a special celebration of Empire Day in aid of the Red Cross. Spydnam street church has been kindly lent to the pupils for the purpose. Service begins at 2:30 p.m. Empire Day, Wednesday, May 23rd. Silver collection. Public are invited to the gallery.

**Inspecting Premises.**  
Constables Marshall Armstrong, and Daniel McCarey started out Monday morning to make the usual inspection of the yards and premises. Constable McCarey has taken the north side of Princess street and Constable Armstrong the south side.  
Rev. Dr. Blagrove has recently been appointed Honorary Chaplain to the Bishop of Kingston.

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