### NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT SHOVELLING

MANY BRIGHT EXCHANGES.

Country About Kingston Are Told -Full of Interest to Many.

Lanark curlers defeated Perth by Challenge cup.

Fire in Dr. Caldwell's dental par-

but was covered by insurance. Austin Tribute, publisher of the home in Los Angeles, Cal. Athens Reporter, has been drafted for military service. He will sell men at work shovelling snow. Many

Mrs. Samuel White died at Madoc on Sunday. on Sunday. She was an aged lady who lived in Belleville for over half Tripp of Yarker

At Marmora on Thursday, Miss ed from here to Rosedale. The work Hawkins. Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. on the water tower and plant to

was moving along the street when an The Commercial House here has had Winnipeg. Miss Annie Finn, Enter- darts here, there and everywhere, for Only the shades of ancient indigesicicle fell from a building striking many storm-bound passengers at the prise, has returned home after spend- though he is clothed in the innocent tion can tell us what happened if the

passed away at the residence of his were buried at Beaverton. daughter, Mrs. Wm. C. Murphy. Belleville. Mr. Stoliker was born in the body was taken for interment. Deceased was a member of the Metho- stock raising. dist church. Three sons and three daughters survive.

### CHILD'S TONGUE **BECOMES COATED**

Cross Feverish and Sick Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit-laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely, George Wright Well Known in A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the re-

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfeetly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach,

"California Syrup of Figs," which years superintendent of Clarksburg has full directions for babies, chil- Woollen Mill, but for the past fifteen dren of all ages and for grown-ups years devoted his time to fruit and plainly printed on the bottle. Be- flowers. He was well known in Harled Injured Dog to the Police ware of counterfeits sold here. Get Beaver Valley. the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any burg, Wednesday, on the arrival of other kind with contempt

CLIPPED FROM THE WHIG'S THE C.N.R. HAS GANG OF MEN Oats are at a high price and in such BUSY.

In Brief Form the Events In The Work on Railway Water Tower and ply. Plant Completed - Many Trains Have Been Cancelled.

Yarker, Feb. 12. - The roads in their summer supply. three points for the Lanark County this section are in very bad shape for

lors in Belleville, did some damage home Monday. Mrs. William Gor- Wolfe Island. don and daughter have left for their

reight trains passed through here

Hugh Shannon, was united in mar-loperate same is now completed. riage to Harold Keast, Creighton of Cancellation of trains has been turned to their homes after spend-

Francis Shaw, Biggar, Sask., aged on Saturday and Monday was well for Cleveland, Ohio, where he in- ence of the centuries that are past. mance and history each threw a curschool, Brockville, died in hospital Rev. Mr. Everson has returned with his brother. Miss Edith Henon Monday from gastro-intestinal tax- with his children from Beaverton; nessy, Watertown, N.Y., has return- smile and he knows that the paraemia. He was a popular student. As far as known Mr. Everson was the ed home after recuperating among oxysms of hate and rage may trouble Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weese, se- first minister whose wife died on friends on the island.

cond line Thrulow, entertained a this circuit. Her sickness was but of host of friends on Thursday. The a few days' duration and the news of BOIL THE WATER evening was spent in card-playing, her death next day after being taken after which very elaborate and to the Kingston General Hospital On Saturday Joseph G. Stoliker came as a shock to all. The remains F. E. Benjamin is packing up his

household furniture for shipment to Leeds County in 1838 and for four Good Water, Sask., where he intends years resided in Gananoque, where to make his home. He has threre a fine farm and will go extensively into

Very many are busy working in the swamps getting out wood, this being the first winter in two or three years when work could be done in this effect on Tuesday, and it would the swamps. At present deliveries be well for citizens to adhere strictly Lupercalian festival of Rome, it had

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Marrion, have been caused by the water.

Auburn, N.Y., their home. Movement church, and family, have been stirred up and contaminated.

DIED AT TWEED.

Horticultural Work. Tweed, Feb. 11 .- The death ocsult is, they become tightly clogged curred here Sunday evening of Geo. with waste, liver gets sluggish, Wright, in his seventy-fourth year, rain on Tuesday. The bright sun on forth, a radiant king unto his crowns [17] bet you've got it yet! Oh, dear stomach sours, then your little one of arterio-scierosis. He was born in Wednesday continued the melting ing . And ever since, through all becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, Glasgow, Scotland, and was educat- process started by the rain of Tues- these centuries, he has happily wielddon't eat, sleep or act naturally, ed in (Ancaster district. For about day, and the drains being blocked ed his arts and his graces, and if perbreath is bad, system full of cold, thirty-five years he resided at the water is backing over the side- chance, we in this prosaic 1918 do diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if the home of his son-in-law, Dr. D. A. most impossible to walk from one portance that we might, he may come tongue is coated, then give a tea- Volume, in Tweed. He was a bro- corner to the next without going out sole himself with the memories of spoonful of "California Syrup of ther of Alex. W. Wright of Toron- on the road. Some of the merchants grandmother's day when the flutter Figs," and in a few hours atl the to, vice-chairman of the Workmen's shovelled their walks while others of the lacy valentine breathed soft constipated waste, sour bile and un- Compensation Board, and is surviv- are content with having several whiffs of romance over all the land. digested food passes out of the sys- ed by another brother, G. W. Wright, inches of snow and ice on their part tem, and you have a well, playful in Washington State, as well as by of the frontage. The water drains that are gone! It is like lifting the three sons, W. G., of Ross & Wright, from the higher to the lower levels lid of a sandalwood box, just to think adjusters for assured, Toronto; H. make the shovelled off parts almost of them. The gallant lover of those A., in Wisconsin, and D. E., in Win- like little lakes. nipeg, and one daughter, Mrs. Vol-

Ask your druggist for a bottle of cultural societies. He was for some

The funeral will be held at Clarks-

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House Dresses, good prints, dark and light, all sizes, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Large Aprons to clear, 69c.

# Kingston, Ont.

WOLFE ISLAND NEWS

Hay Being Shipped.

Wolfe Island, Feb. 11 .- Traffic is being suspended owing to the heavy snows. Although every effort is being made to effect a remedy the roads are still impassible.

Large quantities of hay are still being shipped to the American side. a great demand that many of the farmers are getting rid of their sup-

present. Many men are gathering in

and Billy Rothwell, of Perth, are visiting friends on the island. Miss M. O. Neil, Cape Vincent, is spending a few days with Miss , Lettia

Miss V. Boyle, Gananoque, and

### IS ORDER OF THE DAY that heart

Slight Contamination And the Medical Health Officer Gives Order.

medical health officer, Dr. A. R. Williamson has ordered citizens to

A notice was issued in the Whig to nomer in this way:

STREETS IN BAD CONDITION.

Almost Impossible Because of Water.

The merchants say that the last choose from a stock of thousands, the two days have been very hard on token for his best beloved. He chose their customers, as the walking was a sheet of thick, creamy paper, sharp-

BOYS DID GOOD WORK

Station To Be Shot.

Two hoys, a collie dog and a sleigh and then he must perforce fall back figured in an incident on Tuesday afternoon. Citizens who happened to ee the lads hauling a dog to the police station wondered what was

The collie dog, which had a mania for running after automobiles, sleighs and vehicles of all kinds, played the game once too often, and as a result was badly burt. The boys found | and securing a hand sleigh they haul- with a glimpse of these quaint affairs ed the dog to the police station which the sighing lover of old evolved where it was shot by Constable Ar- from the depths of his own artistic niel. The youngsters are to be com- soul mended for their kindly, humane ac-

SOLDIERS' SOCIAL EVENING.

Queen Street Sunday School Entertained at Valentine Event,

Class twenty-seven of Queen of Love was still supreme and tal on Tuesday evening, about sixty sioned plea: people being present. Miss L. Allen, class teacher, presided. During the evening there were guessing con- Sweetly consent or else deny. tests of various kinds, solos by Mrs. Whisper softly, none shall know. Dickson and Miss Ethel Ross, a chorus, "The Huckleberry Picnic," by the class, and other events to enserved at the close.

TENANT LOST SUFF

Trouble Between Landlord and Ten ant Settled by Judge Lavell.

Judge Lavell heard on Wednesday morning an action for possession under the Overholding Tenants' Act. The landlord, B. Niles, had a house on Montreal street and was the plaintiff against Mr. Leveque, a tenant, The judge decided against the tenants, ordering them to pay the costs and to vacate the premises by Saturday next. C. R. Webster appeared for the plaintiff and A. E. Day for the defendant:

As automobile got stalled in a snow drift at the corner of University avenue and Stuart street early Tuesday afternoon and it was long after nightfall before the car was

THURSDAY.

War Times Makes No Difference to was often a most expensive proposithe Patron Saint of Lovers Who is as Busy as Ever Assisting Little

Cod of Love. That is why we have "laid out" on her before the same ex-An entertainment was held in the our dainty bits of valentines, and our change!" C.M.B.A. hall on Friday evening in shop windows gay with crimson Mac Vanluven of Kingston was aid of the new Sacred Heart church, hearts and true-lovers' knots all garlanded with flowers and poems, just | And the funny old superstitions be-On Wednesday morning Miss as usual this year as other years. And lieved by these old-time maidens! mance which the gods call Love?

cherubic little self, with bow and ar- word dare she speak till morning. the surface of things, yet, through it all, the heart of the world is as sane and sweet and sound as ever it was, and that he, Little Cupid, is king of

I don't know why we should call this day of his Saint Valentine's Day, for Saint Valentine, poor martyred dow of whose name lurks many man, pasesd from mortal ken away bashfully anonymous lover. "He back in the third century, and cer-Owing to the fact that there is ful love behind him which might entitle him to be patron saint of lovers. We should have called it Cupid's Day and given credit where credit was due, but history excuses the mis-

At the feasts of Pan and Juno, the of wood are cancelled owing to bad to the regulations, as there are always been the custom for the) of the maidens fair who were to be spending part of the winter here, Some repair work has been going their partners for the festivities. leave for Buffalo, N.Y., thence to on at the waterworks plant. A diver When spreading Christianity began Rev. Mr. Raymond of the Holiness and it is believed that the water has early Christians gave to this festival the name of Saint Valentine because was also the date of his martyrdom. They tried to have the people instead Walking Even on Princess Street the lottery, draw the names of saints for patrons for the year, or religious The streets to-day are in a very mottoes to inspire them to goodly bad condition-worse than they deeds. So poor little Cupid trailed have been all winter. The snow is his wings in sad dejection for a while plled deep along the walks and on until youth in buoyant indignation.

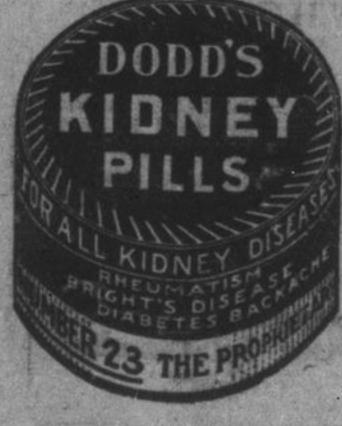
years did not walk into a store and orain for the choicest of poetry in Sometimes, sad to say, the

upon some of the many books of valntine sonnets prepared for the relief of love-lorn swains in just such pre-The manufactured valentine with all its many variations did not appear until 1800, and slowly and surely day noon much of the old-time glamor faded gradually away with its coming. Ceris conjured by the valentine of tothe canine suffering on the 'road, day, pretty as they are, as pring to life purpose. Sincerely yours,

In the British Museum, treasured tion. The dog had its spine injured. with the most important of royal papers, there is carefully kept the very Young Man Taken in Charge It was written by the Duke of Or leans while he was confined in the tower of London after being taken at the battle of Agincourt in 1415. But Street Church Sunday School held a wonders who was the pretty idol of Valentine social for the convalescent | the proud Duke's dreams and where soldiers of Queen's Military Hospi- was she while he wrote his impas-

Wilt thou be mine, love Av or no?"

Swiftly the years sped on and cen- Belleville early Wednesday morning tertain the men. Refreshments were trry by century young Cupid held his by the military authorities. court while swain and lady both held the fourteenth of February in equal seriousness. In the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries ti became the



he chosen one was married or single mattered not at all. Gifts must be forthcoming just the same, and as sometimes the gentleman besides ! choosing his own valentine, might be the chosen of some other person, it tion for a popular young man. For instance, Samuel Pepys, who lived in the reign of Charles II, chronicles in his diary of 1661: This afternoon my This poor old world is storm-toss- wife and I, and Mrs. Martha Batten, ed, weary of the sordidness of real- my valentine, to the exchange, and ism, and shuddering 'neath the sha- there upon a payre of embroidered dow of the hateful God of War, but and six payre of plain white gloves I right in the heart of the whirlwind of laid out 40 shillings on her." Well. sorrow and doubt there is a little spot he was a real good sport anyway. of perfect calm, and in that sheltered wasn't he and no doubt Madame sacred spot there sits secure the little Pepys saw that an equal amount was

An Old Custom.

Stella Hagar was united in marriage isn't it good to think that over all Firm in her faith, she pinned on The C.N.R. has quite a gang of to Robert O'Neil, of Cape Vincent, the sad dun smoke of battle, and the Saint Valentine's Eve a leaf of bay N.Y., in the Sacred Heart Church by crushing woes of war, still rises, in- on each corner of her bed and one on Rev. Father Fleming. F: J. Gray cense-sweet the rosy sheen of ro- the centre of her pillow. On each leaf was scratched with the thorn of Dear fat little Cupid! All the rest | the hawthorne bush, the name of the of the year he may wear his khaki like lad she liked best. Then she took the rest of the world, and shoulder a hard-boiled egg with its wolk well his rifle too, but for the fourteenth of mixed with salt and promptly on the February he casts it all aside, and stroke of twelve he ate it all to the comes to us once more, his own pink, very last crumb, and not another turned to their homes after spend- rows poised as usual and hearts gathe charm worked properly, then she ing a couple of weeks among friends lore at his mercy. No wonder he fell asleep and sweetly dreamed of It is said a workman at Trenton heavy drifting of snow and storms. and relatives. The latter is now in smiles so enigmatically as he aims his the swain she cherished in her heart. ing several days with her sister, Mrs. sweetness of youth he is old in the charm did not work properly, but The closing of places of business J. O'Rielly. Edwin Staley has left wisdom of life and rich in the experi- over this phase of the question ro-

> Still Ever Welcome. Well, little Miss 1918 doesn't do

that sort of thing in these busy days, but she likes her valentines just the same. And she gets them too. Flowers and books and gay cards galore come drifting in to her from the good Saint Valentine, under the sha may be overseas, but the mails are tainly left no flaming record of faith- still "carrying on" for him, and so the postie is even busier than usual this year of war. And the little lady loves every single valentine that comes her l way, but none, be they ever so wonderful, can compare at all with the very first valentine that ever came for

You found it in your desk at school, several cases of sickness believed to young men to draw by lot the name | didn't you? And my! how indignant you were when you spelled out !! the wiggly writing, "You're my valentine," and saw a little girl with has been at work at the suction pipe to oust these pagan festivals, the "Mary" scrawled on her pinafore gleefully taking a huge red heart from its date, the fourteenth of February, And the other little girls teased you. a most polite little boy called "Me." and you cried, but yet you were a little proud too, because you thought you knew she sent it, and he was rather nice. Then wasn't it awful all, but the horrid little, red-headed, freekle-nosed kid across the aisle. Why, your very pigtails shook with Saint Valentine's Day! It is a busy old world without much time for the pretty things of life, but let us all be glad that there is still a fragrant halo of romance clinging around this fourteenth day of February.

Opportunity to Help Soldiers. Kingston, Feb. 13 .- (To the Editor): Next week I shall be returning overseas, and in all probability there spent hours and hours in its making. | soldiers on board ship. These men He etched and scrolled and racked his will have no reading material, and I know from previous experience that which to extoll the charms of his lady | books and current magazines would

May I appeal through your paper assist kindly leave their contribu-

Send along that Christmas novel which you have finished reading, and lonely hours it will serve a useful -A. D. CORNETT, Major, Canadian Army Chaplain

FIRST COURT SESSION IN OVER A WEEK

By Military on Charge of Desertion.

Just when Kingston was making even though a prisoner the little God a great record in police court circles, dor is equaled by his voracity and charge of desertion. He was remand- with fixing it against the ground particulars regarding his case Newton was brought down from

> Due' to Defective Eyesight. umber of street accidents happen-Medical Journal, "does it ever occur its claw. Then he called up two of wanting anything done in the carpen-to us that perhaps a certain percent- his guides, and the three men man- bery line Estimates given on all kinds to us that perhaps a certain percentage of them is due to defective vis- envered to take the bird alive. ion on the part of drivers?"

Dr. James McHoul, a captain the British army and opthalmolo- blow from a hatchet. The British Medical Journal that of s'x chauffeurs examined by him recently all had defective eyes and four New York Medical Journal says this cate health. side of the Atlantic.

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Strength of the Condor.

it remained for one Pte. Arthur New- boldness. This immense bird often ton to spill the beans. There had pounces upon small animals, but not been a session of the court since from the shape and bluntness of his a week ago Monday. Wednesday claws it is unable to carry anything morning Newton was arraigned on a very heavy, so he contents himself ed for a day in order that the Mag- with his claws, while with the other istrate may be able to secure more and h's powerful beak he rends it to pieces. Gorged with food, the bird then becomes incapable of flight and may be approached, but any attempt at capture is furiously resisted. An American traveler in the Andes encountered a large condor just lafter it had finished a hearty ban-"When we stop to reflect on the quet on a young sheep and foolishly attempted to seize the bird, with the ing every year," says The New York result-that he received a gash from

Ex-Greek King's Son Weds. London, Feb. 13 .-- Mrs. William B. of them had had accidents, at least Leeds, a wealthy American widow, one of these resulting in death. He and Prince Christopher of Greece, urges that all persons applying for according to the Daily Sketch, have license to drive cars be subject to been quitely married in Switzerland. Choice Oranges and Grape rigid optical examination and, that where Mrs. Leeds has been stopping this be repeated once a year. The for a time with a son who is in dell- water.

the end one of the men killed it by a

idea is well worth taking up on this Prince Christopher is the youngest brother of Constantine, the deposed King of Greece, His father was Charity covers a multitude of sins the late King George. He is about thirty years of age.

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