

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.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cournoyea have sold their farm near here and contemplate removing west.

Sunday, Feb. 24th., concluded the pastorate in 24th. of Rev. Jas. Ryan, Rector of St. James Church. J. P. Lacey was elected by acclamation on Monday to fill the vacancy in the Eganville Council.

At Madoc, Charles Mawson has purchased the harness business and good-will of Clarence Kilpatrick.

In the Renfrew Creamery A. A. Wright has the controlling interest and will bring new ideas into play.

The smoke stack of the Clyde Woolen Mills, Lanark, is being removed to Perth by Michael Byrnes.

Sheriff Alexander Morris has been chosen as chairman of Pembroke Board of Education for the fourth year.

Lorne Prentice has purchased the Clyde Cheese Factory in Lanark, formerly owned by Herron and Baird.

H. E. Hamilton, Toronto, died on Sunday aged eighty years. He was brother of Mrs. W. E. Smallfield, Renfrew.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards, Belleville, celebrated their golden wedding on Feb. 23rd. They have four children all living.

GANANOQUE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Feb. 27.—Under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the local branch of the Great War Veterans' Association a tea was held in the latter's club room yesterday afternoon, and was quite liberally patronized. At 7.30 p.m. the members of the local branch of the G.W.V.A. assembled and were entertained by the auxiliary.

The funeral of the late Janet Mitchell, relict of the late W. G. Matthew, of this town, was held from the family residence, King street west, yesterday afternoon to Gananoque cemetery, and was largely attended. Rev. C. E. Kidd, pastor of St. Andrew's church, of which she was a lifelong member, assisted by Rev. Dr. Gracey, who for upwards of forty years was her spiritual adviser, conducted an impressive service. The great banks of floral offerings from her many friends and relatives testified to the great love and esteem in which she was held by the populace. The following were the pallbearers: D. Ford Jones, Freeman B. Cowan, J. C. Lmklater, William B. Cotton, George K. Taylor and William G. Rogers. Deceased was in her seventy-seventh year, and besides her son, John Douglas Matthew, she leaves a brother and a sister, David A. Mitchell and Mrs. William Bryce, of this town, and one brother and one sister, Col. J. B.

Mitchell and Mrs. James Wellwood, of Wainipeg. A meeting of the friends and supporters of the Red Cross and Patriotic Maintenance Fund was held last evening. The collectors made a report of their canvass of the town, which met with a very generous response from the citizens in general.

Mayor Wilson's pet theory of a municipal piggery assumed a decidedly tangible shape yesterday afternoon when some sixteen well-known business men of the town took each one share of \$100 in what they have styled the Gananoque Greater Production Club. The names of the stockholders are: Mayor W. J. Wilson, Reeve T. I. Ellis, Councilors George A. Smith and Clifford Sine, J. T. Green, F. W. Bell, Dr. F. J. O'Connor, Dr. J. P. Sinclair, L. P. Shortill, George Dempster, W. J. Nuttall, H. F. Ward, O. J. Shaneman, Alfred W. Taylor, S. Clark Taylor and Michael McParland. They have decided to purchase a number of pigs and put on an extra hundred pounds in weight for this season, then to keep over some brood sows for litters for next year's stock. The driving park will be utilized for the piggery, the rear of which will be fenced and stys erected for housing their year's stock. Garbage will also be gathered from the hotels and private residences of the town for use as food where practicable. These officers were elected: President, Mayor W. J. Wilson; secretary, J. T. Green; treasurer, F. W. Bell; manager, T. I. Ellis; auditors, George A. Smith and H. F. Ward; executive, Dr. F. J. O'Connor, L. P. Shortill, W. J. Nuttall and George Dempster.

The club wish it understood that they have not entered on this as a money making exploit, but solely in the aid of increased production in this line and is not to discourage the farmers but to lend aid to them along this line of production.

J. M. Campbell, of Kingston, was

in town last evening to consult with the municipal council on the important question of a reduction in the cost of light for the town by cutting off the lights earlier and all together on moonlight nights.

FIRE IN PETERBORO.

Planing Mill Was Burned With Property Loss of \$10,000.

Peterboro, Feb. 26.—Fire on Saturday evening destroyed the Peterboro Planing Mill. The stock and property loss is estimated at about \$10,000. Spontaneous combustion was given as the cause. The company was manufacturing shell boxes, and a considerable quantity of shell-box machinery was destroyed. The fire was a stubborn one, and for a time threatened to spread to several adjoining buildings. Loss is covered by insurance.

A League Organized.

Pictou, Feb. 26.—The Soldiers' Relatives' League held its first regular business meeting on the 16th inst. Their quarters are in the old Quinze Hotel building and the room is decorated and made quite comfortable by gifts from friends and members of the League. Red Cross work is done, and a link of comradeship has been made with the War Veterans' Association. A letter has been written from Thornaby-on-Tees, England, by B. Prior to his parents, telling of the food conditions in England. S. Woodhouse, Calgary, after an absence of fifteen years, has been a Pictou visitor this winter. Pte. H. Franklin is reported wounded. Pte. E. Hickey, of the 80th Battalion, has been invalided home.

Bought Block in Smith's Falls.

Smith's Falls, Feb. 26.—An important sale of real estate has just been closed in Smith's Falls by J. E. Burns, acting for J. H. Ferguson, in which the frame block on Beckwith street, occupied by Baxter & Co., grocery; W. F. Lucas, barber; and Hamzy & Abbass, fruit dealers and confectioners, was bought by G. Arena, wholesale fruit dealer, Toronto, the purchase price in the neighborhood of \$10,000. The property has a sixty foot frontage. It will be altered and provision made for a large fruit store as a branch of the purchaser's Toronto business.

Pictou Officer On Leave.

Pictou, Feb. 26.—Capt. Gerald Allison, M. D., son of ex-Mayor G. B. Allison, of this town, who has been overseas for the last three years, reached home this morning on six weeks' leave. Capt. Allison enlisted from Toronto University in the spring of 1915, and has been in service at the Dardanelles, Salonika, India and France. He was wounded at Cambrai in December last.

Mrs. William Morton, whose home was in the township of Huntingdon, near Thomasburg, passed away suddenly Sunday night. Deceased, whose maiden name was Carrie Grills, was a native of Hungerford, where she was born about thirty-two years ago.

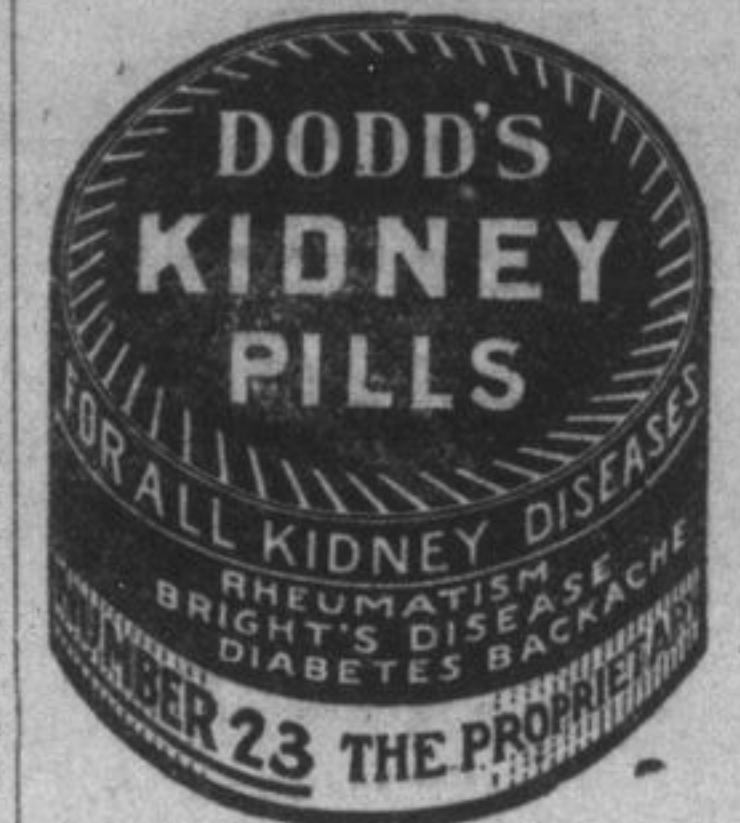
MAYOR MARTIN BOASTFUL.

"Men Who Can Defeat Me Not Born Yet."

Montreal, Feb. 27.—"The man who can defeat me is not born yet," declared Mayor Mederic Martin at a meeting in St. Jean Baptiste Market Hall.

Pioneer Paper Transferred.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 27.—The entire capital stock of The Union and Advertiser Company, publishers of the Union and Advertiser, the oldest daily paper in the country west of the Hudson River, was transferred at a meeting of stockholders today to Frank E. Gannett, Erwin P. Davenport and Dr. Woodford J. Copeland of Elmira, who will assume the editorial and business management of the paper to-morrow. The company was originally capitalized at \$300,000.



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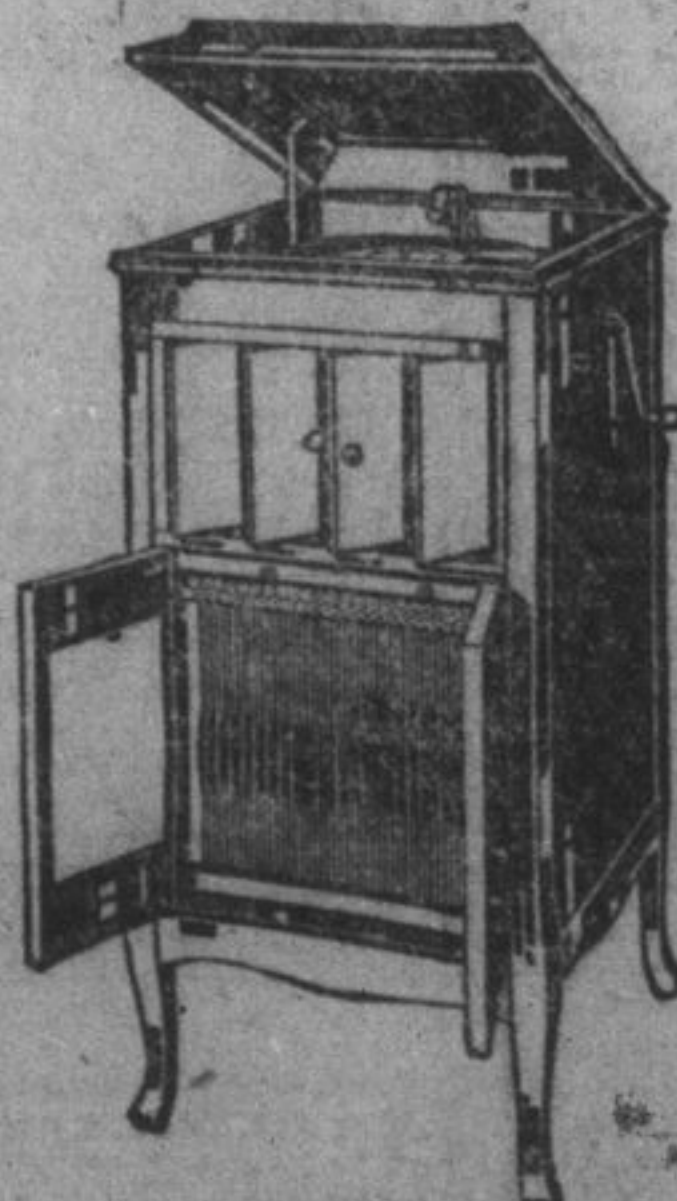
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