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## Waldron's

### FARMERS OFFER WOOD LOTS

A. W. SIRETT IS IN RECEIPT OF COMMUNICATIONS.

One Farmer Offers 800 Cords of Wood on the Stump, and It Is Close to the Railway.

"To relieve the probable coal shortage that will confront Canada and Kingston next winter, is a question which can be answered to a degree at least by the development of our wood resources," is the statement made by A. W. Sirett, district agricultural representative. He stated that he is in receipt of letters from farmers of the county who are willing to co-operate in this matter. The letters do not state a price as a rule, but the offering is of maple and beech on the stump and is made by farmers who want certain portions of their land cleared for farming purposes. A typical offering is that made by a farmer near Sangster, who has 800 cords on the stump not more than half a mile from the Deseret Lake spur of the C.P.R.

Mr. Sirett was unable to make any definite statements of the cost. The Whig, however, has been making inquiries and finds that the city can secure 50,000 or more cords of wood between now and fall, by the development of this county. Green wood was offered in stove lengths at Sharbot Lake last fall at from \$2 to \$3 a cord. From this one would base the cost of wood on the stump at not more than this price, which was all that the farmers received for cutting and hauling.

With a dozen men and a gasoline outfit—which might cost some \$250—from fifteen to twenty cords a day could be cut. It should be possible to lay the wood down in Kingston at about \$10 a cord. On this basis there would certainly be a tremendous saving of coal.

The Whig is in receipt of a booklet published by the Commission of Conservation, and is entitled "Wood Fuel to Relieve the Coal Shortage in Eastern Canada." The author is Clyde Leavitt. This book recommends the appointment of a commission in every municipality to take up the question. Kingston has a fuel committee which seems to correspond. Under the circumstances it seems quite probable that if the question is looked into and properly handled by the committee this city should not suffer greatly next year because of a coal shortage.

### THE WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM Tidings From All Over Told in a Pithy and Pointed Way.

The tax rate in St. Thomas will be about thirty mills.

Ex-President Roosevelt's son was slightly wounded in battle on Tuesday.

Food hoarding will be stamped out. Wide powers are given the food controller.

Daniel H. Tolman, known as "king of the loan brokers," who died at his Montclair, N.J., home last month, left an estate of \$4,000,000.

At Owen Sound, the death took place, Wednesday, of James H. H. Little, one of the best-known newspapermen in that section of the province.

It is announced that the dividend of the Russian 5 per cent. loan of 1922, which was due on March 1, will be paid by N. M. Rothschild & Sons.

The American Minister at Jassy says the Rumanians are at the mercy of the German conquerors and are being subjected to drastic persecution.

President Wilson has authorized Secretary Lane to conduct through the Federal Bureau of Education a nation-wide campaign for school directed home gardening.

Mrs. Lucretia Radolph Garfield, widow of James A. Garfield, twentieth president of the United States, died at her winter home in South Pasadena, on Wednesday.

A tray of diamonds valued at \$5,000 was the booty of two daylight robbers who made their getaway on a motorcycle after smashing the window of a pawnshop in the Bronx, New York.

Flags of the German Government to West Canada from the British Empire were touched on at San Francisco in the trial of thirty-one Hindus and other persons charged with conspiracy to overthrow British rule in India.

### WOMEN UNDER ARREST ACCUSED OF FRAUD

Alleged She Drew Separation Allowance For Two Men at the Front.

A woman giving the name of Jessie E. Diprose, who formerly lived in Kingston, was placed under arrest at Prescott, charged by the government with fraud.

Constable Arniel went to Prescott early Thursday morning, and returned in the afternoon with Mrs. Diprose, who was accompanied by her two small children.

It is alleged that Mrs. Diprose has been drawing government separation allowance for two men at the front. She will likely be arraigned before the magistrate on Friday morning.

### DID GOOD SERVICE Two Enemy Seaplanes Were Accounted For By British.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) London, March 14.—Two British seaplanes on Tuesday engaged five enemy aircraft over the North Sea destroying one seaplane and downing another. It is announced officially. Both British planes returned.

A Very Great Advance. (Canadian Press Despatch.) Ottawa, March 14.—The total Canadian trade of two billion three hundred million dollars for eleven months ending with February, or about three hundred millions more than for the same period last year, is reported in the trade statement to-day. The exports for February are up, but the imports are down.

### The Theatres

"Follow Me" To-night.

Anna Held's bewitching musical comedy success, "Follow Me," is to be seen at the Grand Opera House to-night only at 8.15 sharp. Replete with sartorial surprises, "Follow Me" is quite as appealing as a fashion show as for its fast, snappy fun and scenic splendor. Liane Held, daughter of the famous French comedienne, because of whose illness "Anna Held the Second" is essaying the principal role, wears all of Anna Held's gowns, the most wonderful the French star has ever appeared in, to describe which the critics are satisfied to regard as futile. Her peacock costume is startling as she leads the beautiful Anna Held girls in a fashion review, each member of the chorus draped in a gorgeous brocade creation. Chorus girls are seen in gowns supported by big flower bushes; in huge baskets decorated with carnations, and in dances in which floral adjuncts are utilized to picturesque advantage.

At Griffin's.

In his newest Artcraft picture, "Waves of the Rail," which will be shown at Griffin's to-day, Friday "Saturday," Van S. Hart, the famous star, is introduced in a new role, that of an upholder of law and order, rather than an outlaw, although the early scenes of the drama depict Hart as the leader of a daring and notorious gang of bandits, who so terrify the officials of a western railroad that a famous eastern detective, known as "The Bloodhound," is sent to break them up. How Hart as "Buck" Ardrade, meets this detective, how his reformation is brought about at the bedside of his dying mother, and how he does the work that "Bloodhound" came west to accomplish forms the basis of as thrilling and interesting a photoplay as Hart ever made. In addition to this great feature there is also Gladys Brockwell in a high-class Fox feature, entitled, "Conscience and a Chaplain"; two reel screams entitled "The Trap," also another chapter of the great serial, "The Fatal Ring." There is class to every inch of this bill.

At the Strand.

The performance last night of Dr. Zell Hunt in solving a young woman under the influence of his suggestion in the window of R. J. Reid's store and later having the young woman brought to the theatre and then awakened was so much in advance of the wonders which he had performed hitherto, that the large audience fairly gasped in astonishment. Every detail of the promise made the evening before was carried out, and Dr. Hunt established himself as a master of the hypnotic art. To-night he will continue his mystifying performances at the Strand, and in addition the management has secured that old-time favorite, Mary Miles Minter in "Her Country's Call," a picture which has been pronounced as Mary's best. This is some recommendation, as the versatile film favorite has a reputation of high character in the film world. Comedy and topical reels will also be shown. Dr. Hunt announces that he will give readings at the Hotel Frontenac on Friday afternoon from one till eight.

Treachery.

"Man Overboard," is the cry that resounds fore and aft the big yacht, full of men, tremendous battle, hand-to-hand fighting that thrills you to the core. This is but one of the gripping scenes that will hold you spellbound, in "The Mystery Ship," at the King Edward to-night, Friday and Saturday "Sittingroom," the notorious western bandit.

Ready To Leave Moscow.

Washington, March 14.—The Russian revolutionary government is prepared to move from Moscow to some point farther east if the German armies continue to advance into Russia. A message to the state department to-day from American Consul Summers at Moscow dated March 8th said the government was expected there next day and that arrangements would be made to go to some other city if it became necessary.

### DAILY MEMORANDUM

See top of page 3, right hand corner, for probabilities.

### BOBN.

MAKINS—On March 12th, at the General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Makins, (Sunbury, a son (still-born).

SEXSMITH—At Bath, on Saturday, March 9th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexsmith a daughter (still-born).

### DIED.

HAY—At Montreal, Wednesday morning, March 13th, 1918, in her 77th year, Margaret Isabel, beloved wife of Charles Hay, formerly of Glenburnie.

Funeral from Chalmers' Church, Kingston, at 2 p.m. tomorrow, Friday, March 15th, at 3 p.m.

HUGHSON—At the General Hospital, Kingston, on Tuesday, March 12th, 1918, Irene Hughson, beloved wife of Melvin Hughson, aged 35 years. Funeral from her late residence, Lake Opinicon.

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### Familiar Quotations

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—A. F. HORT.

### Military News

The recent agitation by the Great War Veterans' Association against Captain Thomas Flanagan has resulted in his jurisdiction being limited to military districts No. 1 and 2. Lieut. Bob Bibble, who trained here with the 34th Battery under Major R. P. Massey, has been appointed inspector of the northern section of the province.

The Militia Department has a gang of men cutting wood at Barrfield to help out the coal supply for the city barracks. This work will continue all summer.

In spite of the transportation difficulties since the first of the year, the exports from this port have been \$975,000 as compared to \$445,000 for the same period last year.

Lieut. Col. L. T. Martin, Renfrew, was at headquarters on Thursday morning in conference with Brig. Gen. T. D. R. Hemming and other officers. Col. Martin became well known throughout this district when he raised the 25th Railway Construction Battalion and took it overseas about a year ago. The battalion spent three weeks in England and was equipped there. It then went to France to become the 7th Canadian railway troop, and was engaged in building narrow gauge railways. These railways are building even as close as 2,500 yards with the firing line, and many casualties resulted. The battalion is classed almost as engineers, and for that reason Col. Martin had thousands of navvies under him in this important construction work. In the recent election he was a candidate for Renfrew, but on the first count was defeated by sixty votes. A recount is being made. The colonel was granted leave to attend to his and other matters, but will be returning shortly to France to again take the command of the battalion.

The work of the Leave of Absence Board grows bigger every day, and the president, Col. G. H. Hunter Ogilvie has dozens of callers. The hall of the Armouries is constantly crowded with young men who are appealing for leave of absence to allow them to return to their farms or other duties. Careful consideration has to be given each case and a tremendous amount of work has resulted.

Capt. H. J. Horsey, Ottawa, was at headquarters on Wednesday afternoon.

Capt. C. M. Scott, A.M.C., has been detailed as medical officer of the C.A.S.C. Depot at Ottawa.

Major A. E. Bywater, who has been so successful in his handling of the Special Service Company, is the temporary officer commanding the 2nd Depot Battalion at Ottawa. He left on Wednesday for Ottawa.

Lieut. W. L. Smith, late 39th Battalion; Lieut. G. H. Grahame, late 12th Battalion; and Lieut. Stanley J. Ellis, late 8th Battalion, have been appointed as Lieutenants to the Special Service Company.

Lieut. F. C. Badgley, M.C., C.F.A., has been detailed for duty with the British and Canadian recruiting mission in New York.

Lieut. J. F. Cadenhead, late 16th Battalion, has been temporarily attached to the Special Service Company.

Lieut. R. E. Leary, C.F.A., has been granted the rank of captain while recruiting men for Halifax.

Pte. J. O. O'Ryan, Depot Batteries, is re-enlisting in the Royal Flying Corps.

### A Valuable Addition.

Ottawa, March 14.—Robert A. Mulholland, for years mayor of Port Hope, and one of the leading business men of that town, has been appointed to the Senate. The official memorandum states that Mr. Mulholland has been active in all patriotic endeavors, and that his appointment will not only please the citizens among whom he lives, but will prove a valuable addition to the Senate.

### Granted 15 Per Cent. Increase.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) Washington, March 14.—The Interstate Commerce Commission to-day granted a fifteen per cent. increase in rates to the Canadian roads running into the States, including the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk, Pere Marquette and Wabash.

Walter Burridge, London, was sentenced at Woodstock to five years in the penitentiary on the charge of theft of furs and other goods.

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