

News From Eastern Ontario

NEWS FROM THE DISTRICT

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MANY BRIGHT EXCHANGES.

In Brief Form the Events in The Country About Kingston Are Told—Full of Interest to Many.

John Childerhouse, Eganville, died on Tuesday last, aged eighty years. He was a very energetic resident.

Flight-Lieut. Clarence R. Holdcroft, Ottawa, was married recently in New York to Miss Julia S. Grenier.

Pte. I. Hampton, Lakefield, a member of the Canadian Army Service Corps, is officially reported killed in action.

Mrs. Robert Jones, nee Miss Estelle Fox, resident of Brockville, died Saturday at her home in Port Colborne, Ont., after a short illness.

The death took place at Brockville on Sunday of John Noonan, a respected resident of Perth, after a long illness at the age of eighty-three years.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rathbone, Peterboro, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Thursday last when a number of friends gathered to honor the occasion.

At Cornwall on Sunday John B. Brophy, C.E., Ottawa, connected with the engineering staff of the Cornwall canal for seven months passed away following a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Mary Smith, Lyn, was officially notified of the death in action of her son, Pte. William Harold Smith. He is reported to have been killed in action on March 27th.

DEATHS AT ODESSA.

Red Cross Tea Realizes a Goodly Sum of Money.

Odessa, April 1.—The many friends of Harry Freeman were sorry to hear that he passed away last Sunday morning after a very short illness. He had recently moved from near Ernestown Station to the M. Parrott farm on the York road.

Henry Benjamin passed away at the home of his son, Ralph Benjamin, with whom he had been living for some time, last Saturday night after a long illness, having reached his eighty-fourth year.

Mrs. Matcoll Denyes, Milton, arrived last Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Denyes. Miss Maud Gurdin and Miss Ellen Galloway, Kingston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Clark. Mrs. E. H. Robertson, Violet, spent the week-end with Miss Kate Kenyon. John H. Babcock has returned from spending a few days in Ottawa.

Mrs. Linda Pickering, who has been the guest of Mrs. James McConnell, left for her home last Saturday. Miss Kate Donohue, who has been the guest of Miss Toomey, left for her home in Marysville last Wednesday.

The Epworth League concert held

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VALUE OF JERUSALEM.

What the British Gained by Taking Holy City.

What is the advantage gained by the British in the possession of Jerusalem? Strategically the same advantage which the possessors of Egypt have always found in the possession of Palestine. That is, a fortress by which to hold the Asiatic invader far away from the Egyptian frontier and from which to threaten him with attack. True it is not easy of access from Egypt, nevertheless, given a strong, hostile power in Asia, Egypt has always found it necessary to hold Palestine in order to protect itself politically and morally the gain is enormous. The conquest of Jerusalem will find its echo not only among the twelve million Jews, orthodox and orthodox, infidels and believers, who look to Jerusalem as the sacred city of their ancestors, but among the Moslems who, in the hope that its reconquest may mean a Jewish national revival, Jerusalem is a sacred city for many times twelve million Christians, and many times twelve million Moslems. It is the sacred city which the British will consolidate politically, by its moral influence, the British position in Egypt, enhance Britain's prestige with its Moslem subjects in India, as also that of her allies in Moslem Africa, and it will tend to range all the Arabic-speaking peoples of Turkey on her side. It will have a profound influence on the minds of countless Russian peasants who look to a pilgrimage to Jerusalem with certainty as great a longing as do the most pious Jews, and it may consequently prove helpful in the general attitude of Russia toward the allies.

It will touch profoundly also the religious sentiment of France and Italy and Spain and Austria, from which Roman Catholic pilgrims in thousands yearly visit Jerusalem as a place of pilgrimage. The sacred cities of countries cannot help but look with a certain favor on the Christian power which has redeemed the Holy City and the sacred sites from the infidel. What part pilgrimages to the Holy Land play in all these countries, those only can realize who have visited Palestine. Enormous sums of money have been invested in hospices and institutions of every sort for the entertainment of pilgrims. Schools, hospitals, and religious establishments, Russian, Italian, Spanish, French, Austrian, German, English, Armenian, and even Arabian, dot the Holy Land, and cluster especially in and about Jerusalem.—American Review of Reviews.

GANANOQUE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

April 3.—About eight o'clock on Monday evening Gananoque suffered another sad bereavement when Jeanette King, wife of Neil McCarney, for many years owner and proprietor of the Provincial Hotel, passed to rest in the sixty-ninth year of her age. She had been taken to St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, on the early train that morning and later operated on, but she gradually sank until the end came. The remains arrived here yesterday morning and were taken to the Provincial Hotel, where many of her happiest years were spent. The funeral will be held on Thursday morning to St. John's church where a solemn requiem mass will be sung by Rev. Father Kehoe, and her remains placed in the vault at Gananoque cemetery. Deceased was one of the kindest and most charitable of women. Besides her husband she leaves three sons, William G. and Harold, at home, and John G., of Gouverneur, N.Y., also three daughters, Mrs. Stanley Shields and Mrs. Frank Lutz, of this town, and Miss Kate McCarney, at home.

At the session of the town council last evening there was a large delegation of the boatowners on the St. Lawrence. It was requested that the town do something this season to place Bay Street in a condition that it may be used.

Under auspices of Grace Church Troop (No. 2 Company) Girl Guides, an entertainment was held in Grace Church hall last evening and received very liberal patronage. The proceeds are in aid of the Girl Guides' Summer Camp fund.

Under the auspices of Gananoque Council No. 284, R.T. of T., an excellent social was held in their quiet room last evening and well attended. Rev. Walter Cox filled the chair.

George Pickett is confined to his home, on North Street, suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. George F. Emery, of Kingston, spent the past few days in town with the Misses Heaslip, King Street.

Thomas T. Webster, former teller on the staff of the local branch of the Bank of Toronto, and now on the staff of the Sarnia branch of that institution, spent a short time during the past few days with friends in town.

Mrs. W. B. Fullerton, spending some time past with her daughter, Mrs. John Fairlie, in Montreal, has returned to town.

German Losses Heavier.

London, April 3.—There is no question but that the German losses in the past fortnight have been very considerably heavier than ours. Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the War Office, said today.

Tommy at the Opera.

Whole battalions of Thomas Atkins, now that the long-expected snowfall has buried the Austro-Germans in deep Alpine drifts, have been paying visits to the Milan Opera House and receiving immense ovations. By way of acknowledgment, Tommy gave the laurel-crowned "Tipperary" and created a sensation, as well he might, in that sacred Mecca of Italian opera. Flowers were showered upon him in most embarrassing fashion. The reason of this delicate attention was the kills, at which the people gaze in undimmed amazement. One veteran peasant exclaimed, "Fancy, women as well as men go to war in that country, and yet they look as though they would make mincemeat of the Germans." Little wonder that some of those killed "ladies" receive not only flowers, but equally embarrassing kisses.

What Is a Night Well?

In the desert of Western Australia there are wells which yield water only at night. Before the water begins to flow weird hissing and the sound of rushing air may be heard. The phenomenon is believed to be due to a change in the form of the rocky channel through which the water flows, and to the extreme change in temperature between day and night which occurs in this region. The hissing is due to the escape of air before the advance of the water.—Popular Science Monthly.

The Twins Named.

"So you have twins at your house?" said Mrs. Nabor to little Jack.

"Yesum," he said soberly, "two of them."

"What are they going to call them, my dear?"

"Well, I don't know, for sure, but I think their names is Thunder and Lightning, 'cause that's the names papa called them w'en the doctor came in and told him about them."—New York.

A New Alloy.

An alloy containing ninety-two to ninety-seven per cent of aluminium, and offered as a metal of strength and lightness, and non-corrosive, suitable for use in the manufacture of automobiles, aircraft, military equipment, hardware, etc., has been put on the market.

Prohibition of the tongue would change some men so that they would be much more agreeable.

I have no particular liking for the individual who dreads flowers and nates children.

CITY COUNCIL IS ASKED TO RE-NUMBER THE HOUSES ON CERTAIN STREETS.

Present Unsatisfactory Conditions Giving the Post Office Authorities Great Deal of Trouble—Streets That Should Be Considered.

That it is high time that some steps should be taken by the civic authorities to re-number the houses on certain streets, is the opinion of the local post office authorities, and with the hope that the matter will receive immediate attention, deputy postmaster C. G. Shannon has written to Mayor Hughes. A letter has also been forwarded to the Board of Trade, asking that body to take up the matter in the interests of the city. In his letter to the Mayor and the Board of Trade, Mr. Shannon says: "Some years ago, I reported to the City Council the very unsatisfactory numbering of the city streets. I wish something could be done. It is very hard to make sortation in the summer months, when the streets very often have duplicate numbers. Please go over the under-numbered streets with your engineers."

Boys' Black Rubber Coats.

100 boys' fireman's rubber coats on sale this week at \$2.49. Sizes 6 to 11 years.

—Corrigan's.

Woman Brought Here.

County Constable W. J. Tomlinson brought Mrs. Margaret Sharbot of Sharbot Lake, to the county jail on Wednesday to await trial on the charge of assault. The prisoner was remanded for trial on Tuesday, Gordon who heard the case on Tuesday.

Daily Arrivals Now.

Louisiana strawberries in pint and quart boxes at Carnovsky's.

Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium Classes.

have been resumed this week and the lads are now at their work.

GERMAN OR RUSSIAN HELD BY THE POLICE

Aged Man Said to Have Been Sent Here by Brockville Authorities.

An aged man, who is being detained at the police station is either a German or a Russian. His case is now under investigation.

It appears that the man has been living in the United States and crossed over to Brockville a few days ago, and came on to Kingston on Tuesday. He was without money or friends and found his way to the "lock-up." From what can be learned the authorities at Brockville sent him on to Kingston, but just why he was sent here is not known, and it is likely that he will be sent back to Brockville. Local deportation officers are looking into his case.

KINGSTON LADY MAKES GIFT

Of Two Farms to the Archbishop of Toronto.

A Brockville despatch says: This week an important real estate transaction was entered in the Leeds registry office, this town. By execution documents two farms containing 172 and 111 acres respectively were conveyed to his Grace, Neil McNeil, Archbishop of Toronto, for St. Augustine Seminary. The person making the magnificent gift is Mrs. Catherine Murray Warnock, of Kingston. It is not known here as yet what use will be made of the land, but it is presumed that an educational institution will likely be erected on the property. It has a splendid location nearby the Rideau chain of lakes.

Papers for Overseas.

The postal authorities have been advised of new regulations governing the mailing of newspapers for the United Kingdom and other points overseas. Newspapers may still be mailed in parcels containing one or more copies up to ten, but each copy is liable to the same postage as if posted separately. Newspapers and periodicals may be sent by parcel post in parcels not exceeding seven pounds in weight, prepaid at parcel post rates. Newspapers and periodicals for France and other foreign points may be sent to ten copies in one bundle, but the rate will be one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

Dr. A. P. Knight's Views.

At the Ontario Teachers' Association convention in Toronto on Tuesday, Dr. A. P. Knight, of Kingston, deplored the lack of time in training teachers in the problem of detecting contagious diseases. The problem of venereal disease was also touched upon. He pointed out the urgent need for prevention from the standpoint of both economy and humanity.

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Now, take the sides and turn lower edges under on slot perforations, lap on front and back, notches, center-fronts, center-backs and edges underneath even; stitch 1/2 inch from folded edges. Close under-arm and shoulder seams as notched.

Next, sew the collar to neck edge, notches and center-backs even. Ad-

just facing over collar and underneath front, center-backs and corresponding edges even. Roll collar as pictured.

The sleeves come next. Close the seam and gather lower edge along lower crossline of small "o" perforations and make 3 rows of gathers above, 1/2 inch apart; draw gathers to the required size and stitch a straight band of material under gathers for a stay. Sew sleeve in armhole as notched, small "o" perforation at shoulder seam easing any fullness.

The belt may not be adjusted to position on the blouse, the center-backs being placed even with the center of belt at large "o" perforation near center-back. Close in front. Trim the belt with buttons, braid or machine stitching.

When the summer woman wishes to be really dressed up, she selects one of the pretty gingham so high in favor this season. This model is carried out in brown, the blouse being in Russian effect with shirred sleeves.

One glories in the possession of a gingham frock this season, and the smart shops are showing models in this material. An attractive shade of brown is used for this Russian blouse costume. The front of the blouse is tucked and joined to a square yoke, and the back is treated in the same way. The skirt is a two-piece circular model, in medium size the design requires 9 1/2 yards 36-inch gingham.

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