

News From Eastern Ontario

GANANOQUE

(From Our Own Correspondent)
 May 14.—At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Hearn, of Front of Leeds and Landdowne townships, near South Lake, Miss Mary Loretta O'Hearn, passed to rest on Sunday after an illness of some duration. The funeral was held this morning at St. John's church and the remains placed in Gananogue vault.

Under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the local branch of the G.W.V.A., another enjoyable "progressive euchre" was held last evening.

No. 3 Troop St. Andrew's church Girl Guides, in charge of Miss Viola Crawford, has started into its greater production work for the season. It has a couple of lots and purposes raising potatoes.

An aeroplane from the aviation camp at Deseronto arrived in this section about 10 o'clock yesterday morning and in attempting a landing in the field adjoining the Roman Catholic burying ground met with a slight mishap requiring repairs.

The steam barge Isabella H. of the Hinckley line arrived in port on Sunday with a cargo of chestnut coal for the Citizens Coal and Forwarding Co. Miss Annie Wright, spending the

ARCHBISHOP'S ADDRESS

On "Obedience" Before the Children of Mary.

Archbishop Spratt gave an inspiring address on "Obedience" before the Children of Mary on Sunday afternoon. He showed that the only safe and sure way to eternal salvation is through obedience. There is no standing place in the spiritual life. Christ's precepts, "Be ye perfect," and "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His justice," urge all to greater effort in the cultivation of virtue. Obedience is its handmaid. Love is the fulfillment of the law, but the law is fulfilled by obedience.

Before speaking on his subject the Archbishop made an earnest appeal to the Sodrites to co-operate in the work of the Red Cross, which has his hearty approval, and exhorted those present to urge their friends and neighbors to help this great work for the sake of charity, the honor of religion and to fulfill the obligations they owe to those fighting their battles and suffering for them.

PLANS ARE APPROVED

For the Additions to Be Made to Ongwanada Hospital.

The plans for additional hospital accommodation on the grounds at the Ongwanada Hospital, have been approved. The property was recently purchased by the Militia Department from A. B. Cunningham, and consists of twelve acres. The plans call for an administration building, which will be located just west of the present building, and a series of buildings connected by corridors, all will be of the pavilion type and designed to accommodate 1,000 beds. The original estimated cost was \$250,000, but it is thought now that this will be greatly exceeded, possibly involving an expenditure of between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

The engineers' plans utilize the slope of the water by providing basement kitchens. The grouping of the building provides for a central heating plant thereby reducing fuel consumption to a minimum.

The malt house property is receiving consideration in connection with this matter, but nothing definite has been determined with regard to it.

The plans and specifications are now in the hands of the Public Works Department, but it is not likely that one contract will be given for such a large undertaking. It is thought that contractors will be asked to do the work on a percentage basis. In fact one building can be executed and occupied and the others added as required.

WAR BULLETINS.

It is now expected that the Germans will make their next offensive movement in the Arras sector.

A Rome despatch says there is great activity in the enemy's camps on the mountain fronts.

The Austrians are preparing to attack when the weather permits.

British troops pursued the Turks twenty miles beyond Kirkuk, Mesopotamia, after capturing that city.

BASEBALL RECORD.

International League.	
Syracuse	1 Baltimore
Rochester	0 Newark
Toronto	1 Jersey City
American League.	
New York	4 Detroit
Boston	7 St. Louis
Philadelphia	6 Chicago
National League.	
Philadelphia	3 St. Louis
Cincinnati	7 Brooklyn
Chicago	10 Boston

The Late Gordon F. Small.
 The service over the remains of the late Gordon Folger Small was conducted on Monday evening at the home of his parents on Earl street by Rev. A. C. F. Whaley. The remains were transferred to Cape Vincent on Tuesday morning, where the Anglican committal service was read before interment was made in the Folger plot. The remains were accompanied by members of the family and P. C. Stevenson, manager of the Bank of Commerce, where the deceased was employed.

Pte. W. H. Aubin Dangerously Ill.
 Mrs. William Aubin, Gore street, has received word from the casualties department that Pte. William Henry Aubin is reported dangerously ill in No. 5 General Hospital at Boston with a gunshot wound in the thigh. He was taken to the hospital on May 11th.

Portsmouth is still buying a liberal supply of Government fish, which is being supplied through the village council. The enterprise is making good.

Farmers who are busy seeding are returning thanks to the weather man for the change in the weather. The low lands have been well soaked.

The commandant and some of the members of the Army and Navy Veterans are attending a Dominion convention of the members in Winthrop.

Any woman who can make a good pudding in silence has one point of superiority over the one who makes a tart reply.

Mayor Hughes left Tuesday afternoon for Kansas. He will be away a week.

R. Hepburn, Pine street, is confined to his home with illness.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE LIST

HELD BY PRINCIPAL TAYLOR OF QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

Harold S. Shurtleff Won the Boys' Prize and Doreene Lavell and Bertha L. Smeaton Tied for the Girls' Prize.

Some time ago Principal R. Bruce Taylor, of Queen's University, offered prizes to the boy and girl in the K.C.I. who gained the highest number of marks in a general knowledge examination. The test was held in Carruthers' Hall on Saturday morning.

Harold S. Shurtleff, son of W. M. Shurtleff, commercial master at the K.C.I. won the boys' prize, and Doreene Lavell, daughter of Judge H. A. Lavell, and Bertha L. Smeaton gained an equal number of marks for the girls' prize.

The questions, which had to be answered, follow:

General Knowledge Examination.
 (Only eight questions to be attempted, of which Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6 and 12 are compulsory.)

1—What do you know about these places in connection with the war: Plutonium, Bagdad, Courcellette, Salisbury Plains, Komeloh, Anafarta, Masurian Lakes, Salonika, Suez Canal, Zebruzge, Kiel Canal, Cocos Islands.

2—Who are the following: Col. Rapington, Sir Frederick Maurice, Viscount Milner, Lord Northcliffe, Commander Tyrwhitte, Admiral Beatty, Sir Eric Geddes, General Byng.

3—Explain the following terms: Division, brigade, battalion, company, platoon, squad.

4—Who are the following: W. F. Nickle, Sir Sam Hughes, Mayor Hughes, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Crothers, Dr. Michael Clark, General Hewburn, George Y. Chown, Dr. Edwards, Mayor Martin, Dr. Adam Shortt, General Hemming, Henry Gadsby.

5—What do you know of these ships: Lion, Raglan, Goliath, Queen Mary, Vindictive, Aréthusa, Monmouth, Sydney, Glasgow, Canopus, Goben.

6—How do you explain the high cost of living?

7—What do these letters mean: M.P.P., F.R.S., M.S.S., D.C.M., K.C.B., I.O.D.E., N.W.P., R.N.W.M.P., D.A., A.G., S.J., P.C., P.P.C., B.A., A.B., M.A., M.D., K.C.E., K.C.I.

8—Why is the surface of a golf-ball rough?

9—Why is the sea salt?

10—How can a sailing boat go to windward? Explain by diagrams.

11—Which do you consider to be the best Canadian newspaper? Give reasons.

12—Who wrote: Life on the Mississippi, Felix Holt, Esmond, Martin Chuzzlewit, The First Hundred Thousand, The Grammarian's Funeral, In Flanders Fields, Aurora Leigh, Kidnapped, The Tower of London, Little Women, Cranford, Pollyanna, Anne of Green Gables.

Millinery Opening.
 Formal showing of the newest summer millinery to-morrow, George Mills & Co.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM

Was Discussed by the House of Commons.

Ottawa, May 14.—The subject of nepotism in appointments to the public service occupied the attention of Parliament yesterday. That tough subject the Civil Service Act, was still the subject of discussion.

Horatio Hocken, of Toronto, had brought in an amendment providing that in its annual report the Civil Service Commission should give a list of the family in the Government House of Commons, Senate and public service of all those civil servants appointed or promoted during the year.

R. L. Richardson declared the "family relatives have been feeding too long at the public crib. This may put a check on nepotism, which has been rampant for 30 or 40 years," he said.

Hon. W. S. Fielding claimed the bill was for the best man to win, and that appointments should be for merit and not favors.

The Hocken amendment was lost by 73 to 10.

LABATT RESIGNATION.

Will Retain \$2,200 Pension and Foreign Salary.

Ottawa, May 14.—The resignation of Colonel Labatt as member of the Pensions Board will be accepted. The understanding, however, is that he will retain his pension, amounting to \$2,200, while foregoing the \$5,000 salary which attached to his position on the commission.

The Pensions committee has under consideration in private about twenty-five suggested clauses in amendment of the pensions regulations. They were drafted by W. F. Nickle, M.P., and Kenneth Archibald, of the Pensions Board. The intention is to make a report to the House during the week, and this would serve as a basis for whatever changes the Government might make in the regulations by order-in-Council. There will be no hurry in adopting a permanent act.

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