

TO RETIRE FROM COMMAND INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

ILL-HEALTH HAS AFFECTED BRIG-GEN. HEMMING.

He Has Given Splendid Service While the War Proceeded; Now He Feels Justified in Seeking Rest. Brig-Gen. T. D. R. Hemming, C.M.G., general officer commanding Military District No. 9, will on Nov. 27th inst. complete thirty-five years military service.

LOCAL NOTES AND ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Happenings in the City and Vicinity—What the Merchants Offer to the Readers of the Whig.

W. Swaine, piano tuner, orders at McAuley's, or phone 564W. Late Kingston go over the top for the Victory Loan; every cent is needed.

Take a slice of the Victory Loan; it is good for the Canadian appetite. L. T. Best is back from deer stalking, boyed by Mevha. The party had good success.

Kingston has a number of birds on exhibition at the poultry and pet stock show in Brockville.

The late John Inglis leaves, besides his mother, a wife and little daughter, Thelma, nine years old.

There is to be a meeting of the Frontenac Cheese Board to-day. There will be a meeting next Thursday.

The freshmen of Queen's University are to hold a reception in Convocation Hall on Friday evening.

Kingston is certainly on her good behavior. There was no session of the Police Court on Thursday morning.

The Red Cross Society gets \$100 from the collection at the victory thanksgiving service in St. George's cathedral Wednesday evening.

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If the Utilities Commission does not settle in full for its work in connection with the new gas tank, the Kingston Construction Company intends entering an action early next week.

Every merchant knows that good merchandising is hard to get. Yet every reader of the Whig knows that our merchants are succeeding in supplying the legitimate demands of their customers.

Leading Kingston ladies, who are working in the interests of the city's infant population, tell the Whig that owing to the increase in the price of milk many babies are now underfed, as their mothers cannot pay fourteen cents a quart.

Corpl. Ernest R. Kennedy, of No. 3 Detachment, Canadian Ordnance Corps, left on Tuesday for Victoria, B.C., to take up clerical duties with the Siberian detachment of the C.O.C. He is a son of Alexis Kennedy, assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Life, Albert street.

NOT TO HAVE RUSHES. Queen's Students Decided to Keep the Scraps Abolished.

A momentous decision was made at a special meeting of the Alma Mater Society on Wednesday afternoon, when it was decided, with few dissenting voices, to abide by a resolution passed at the books last session that all forms of initiation should be abolished.

The meeting arose out of a challenge by the sophomores to the freshmen, which nearly culminated in a rush on the cricket field on Tuesday afternoon. At the very large gathering in Convocation Hall on Wednesday afternoon the resolution on the books was maintained, after speeches for and against its rescinding had been given by a number of speakers, including Principal R. Bruce Taylor, Prof. M. B. Baker, President J. M. Haslett, Kenneth Kiell, John Herby and others.

It was a momentous decision inasmuch as it was declared at the meeting that if rescinding motion had been carried it would have meant that student government at Queen's would have had to be abolished.

For Fall and Winter. Prevost, Brock street, has a great assortment of ready-made clothing, and a splendid assortment of gent's furnishings. His order clothing department was never better assorted with new goods. It will pay you to examine his stock before buying.

A Distinguished Irish Chemist Appointed to Queen's. A new professor has been appointed to Queen's University in the person of Dr. James L. McKee, B.A. M.Sc., Ph.D., who has been appointed to a position in the chemistry department. Dr. McKee comes with a splendid record. He is an Irishman, and took his B.A., degree at Queen's College, Belfast, and his M.Sc. at the National University of Ireland, with first class honors in each case. Thereafter he studied for two years at Freiburg, Germany, where he took the degree of Ph.D. Returning to his native Isle, he was for four years demonstrator of chemistry at the University College, Cork. He was then appointed professor of chemistry at the University of Mount Allison, N.B. On the outbreak of the war he enlisted, but for medical reasons he was prevented from going overseas. He served his country, however, as a chemist in the explosive works at Trenton, where he was for one year in charge of the research work, and latterly chief chemist.

Prof. W. C. Clark Leaving. Queen's University is to lose for a time another of its professors. Professor W. C. Clark, M.A., assistant professor in political economic science, has been granted leave of absence at the request of the Government. He is to go to Ottawa to assist in the problems of Labor, probably in the Department of Labor, probably in the problems arising from the work of reconstruction. He is expected to return to the university in time to begin the session next fall.

FOR BOYS OVERSEAS. Big Pile of Christmas Boxes Have Been Sent From Kingston. Judging by the number of boxes put into the post office the past few days, the boys from Kingston who are overseas are not going to be forgotten by the folks at home. On Wednesday and Thursday a very large number of boxes were put into the post office. In order to make sure that the boxes and parcels reach their destination in time for Christmas they should be posted at once.

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GENERAL HEMMING.

1910; chief staff officer Aug. 1st, 1907; district officer commanding Military District No. 3 Sept. 1st, 1909; A.A.G. in administration and Division May 1st, 1911; officer commanding 3rd Divisional Area March 1st, 1913; brigadier-general May 24th, 1916.

At the outbreak of the great war Gen. Hemming offered his services to the Government for the C.E.F., but the Militia Council very wisely determined to retain him as general officer commanding M.D. No. 3. His administrative ability was well known at militia headquarters, and the record of M.D. No. 3, in the organization of overseas battalions and reinforcements, and their dispatch overseas, is a proud one. It is estimated that 45,000 men left this district. So thorough was the organization that troops of this district were among the first to entrain for Vascartier camp in 1914. His own son and son-in-law have been at the front for more than three years.

But this was not to be the only work our G.O.C. was destined to perform before the war terminated. The passing of the Military Service Act brought with it new and onerous duties calling for the exercise of rare qualities of astuteness and tact; and, while its enforcement in some districts was attended with more or less irritation, there was no opposition or bitterness here, which is a tribute to Gen. Hemming. His work entailed a vast amount of office work which has increased greatly during the past year, but his conscientious regard for duty and his wonderful spirit did not permit him to relax his personal oversight of the administration—even when his health demanded that he take a rest, he only yielded to the earnest solicitation of his immediate friends and his physician's advice, in the late summer.

A few weeks at his summer camp did him a great deal of good, but he feels that after his long service, and particularly after the exertions of the past few years, that he is entitled to a rest; and, it is said, that he has intimated to his immediate friends his desire to relinquish office before demobilization takes place. This is a cause for much regret among his civilian friends—particularly among the latter and the members of his staff by whom he is beloved.

Gen. Hemming is a thorough soldier and a gentleman, and it is the hope of his many Kingston friends that he may be suitably rewarded for his faithful and efficient service.

Last of Trawlers Launched.

The last of the five trawlers being built by the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company for the Naval Service Department was launched from the shipyard on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. These trawlers are 125 feet long, and are to be used in patrol work. The vessel just launched was designated T.R.57. As it left the ways and glided into the water it was named by Mrs. John Sowards, who performed the ceremony in a graceful manner.

An Active Worker.

Madoc, Nov. 14.—Miss Cross, Madoc, who has now completed 463 pairs of hand-knitted socks for the soldiers at the front, attended both the morning service and the parade in the evening on Monday as a guest of honor in the Red Cross car with the officials of the branch. Miss Cross not only knitted constantly, but gave substantially in every way to all the calls of the society, the officers and members of which have a warm spot in their hearts for her work.

Fine Has Been Paid.

The fine of a woman recently found guilty of hoarding sugar and flour has been paid, amounting in all, with costs, to \$395.

The five hundred pounds of sugar and three hundred pounds of flour confiscated by the police has been disposed of to the Home for the Deaf and the Orphans' Home at cost price. The money derived from the payment of the fine and sugar goes to the Government.

Sale of Real Estate.

E. W. Mullin & Son have sold the brick row, Nos. 324, 326, 328 Alfred street, known as the Bowen estate, to F. Hornbrook.

Now is the Time to Buy Victory Bonds "There's a Reason"

A few years after the American Civil War U. S. Government bonds were selling at \$121.00 per \$100.00 bond. Clarence J. McCaul, one of Montreal's largest brokers in writing of the last 4 1/2 % Victory Loan, said that in three years they should sell at \$111.70, in four years at \$114.40 and in five years at \$116.80 per \$100.00. At 5 1/2 % now offered on the Third Victory Loan just figure for yourself the premium they will command.

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