

GANANOQUE

From Our Own Correspondent. Feb. 4.—The funeral of the late John B. McMurchy was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence Stone Street South, to Willowbank cemetery and was conducted with Masonic Honors under the auspices of Leeds Lodge No. 201 of which he was a member of long standing. Rev. C. E. Kidd, pastor of St. Andrew's church conducted the service, which was largely attended. The merchants of the town closed their places of business for the funeral and a number of the local factories also closed for the afternoon. Sgt. John Bentham, Gr. John B. Gould and Pte. Walter Jackson left early yesterday morning for Ottawa to report and apply for discharge. Pte. George Kelsey should have been with the party, but he went to St. Catherine's recently for a visit with his sister, Mrs. William A. Taylor, and was taken ill there, and has been reported as being in a serious condition.

Word was received here yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keyes of the death of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Keyes, Jr., which occurred recently in Rochester, N.Y., where the family has been located for some time. Her husband is also reported as being very seriously ill. A family of three young children is left. The senior pupils of Gananoque High School held a dance at Collins, last night.

The Misses Eva Sheets, Stone street, and Clara Allan, Charles street spending the week-end here with their parents, returned to their studies at Kingston Business College yesterday afternoon. Ernest Bradley of Lansdowne spent the week-end in town with relatives. Mrs. William K. Crouter, King street was summoned to Kingston on Sunday on account of serious illness of relatives. Mrs. Samuel McGranahan of Kingston spent the week-end in town with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McGranahan, Clarence street.

No Ground for Criminal Action. Brockville, Feb. 4.—In a report to the town council last night Solicitor James A. Hutchison, to whom was referred the report of the fair price committee with reference to the prices of food commodities in Brockville, found that no action by council could be instituted against any local dealers as the report discloses no ground for criminal proceedings, nor does it recommend that such be taken.

Planning Big Reception. Brockville, Feb. 3.—Brockville is planning a mammoth public reception to her returned soldiers about the middle of February.

Merit often turns up in unexpected places.

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BELLEVILLE WON OUT.

In Intermediate Game at Belleville on Monday Night. Belleville defeated Kingston in the intermediate O.H.A. game at Belleville on Monday night by a score of 5 to 3. The score in the first period was 1-0 in favor of Kingston; in the second period it was a tie, 2-2. Had Kingston won this match it would have given the local team this group championship. Now the teams will have to play home and home games, and goals will count. Kingston won the toss, and the first game will be played at Belleville.

Brown and Derry carried off the honors for Kingston Monday night, while Arnott and Brouse were the pick of the Belleville team. The teams were: Belleville—Goal, Boland; defence, Brouse, Sutherland; centre, Arnott; wings, Green and Box; subs, Whelan and Corye. Kingston—Goal, Walsh; defence, Hagerman and Casterton; centre, Ruby Millan; wings, Terry Millan and Derry; subs, Brown and Smith. Lou Marsh, of Toronto, was the referee.

STOCK MARKETS.

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Table with columns: New York Stocks, Opening, Close. Includes Atchison, B. & O., C.P.R., N.Y.C., Reading, Southern Pac., St. Paul, Union Pacific, Marine, Baldwin Locomotive, Gen. Motors, Maxwell Motors, Studenbaker, Willys-Overland, Am. Loc., Ind. Alcohol, Am. Smelters, Anaconda, Inspiration, Utah Copper, Bethlehem Steel, Crucible, Midvale, Rep. Steel, U.S. Steel, Am. Can., Am. Car Edy., Distillers, Ind. Steel, Am. Samatra, Tobacco Prods., Int. Nickel.

Table with columns: Montreal Stocks, Amas-Holden, Amas-Holden, pfd., Brazilian, Brompton, Can. Car., Can. Steamship, Can. Steamship, pfd., Can. Loco., Dom. Steel, Maple Leaf, Montreal Power, Steel of Canada, Wahasco Cotton.

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

Sixty-seven divorce petitions are to come before Parliament this session, as against thirty-three in any previous year. Field Marshal Hindenburg is telling the German people that now is the time to work for the Fatherland. Anot'e prominent Toronto barrister died Monday, in the person of J. H. MacDonald, K.C., of the legal firm of MacDonald, Shepley, Donald and Mason. Hope that the expected return of Premier Lloyd George from Paris will have a good effect on the general strike situation is freely expressed in London.

The Manchester Cotton Control Board decided to remove all restrictions on cotton and to permit mill owners to run their machinery as they desire. Speaking before the Colonial Society at Berlin on Monday, Matthias Erzberger, one of the German armistice commissioners, protested against Germany being deprived of her colonies. Toronto shoemakers decided to ask for an increase of ten per cent. in wages and a reduction to a forty-five-hour week on the present schedule of wages and working conditions.

A majority of the Government buildings in Koenigsberg, East Prussia, have been seized by the Spartacists from Berlin. The governor of East Prussia has declared a state of siege in the Thorn district and instituted court-martial. The supreme council has agreed that the questions in the statement of Premier Venizelos concerning the Greek territorial interests in the peace settlements should be referred to a commission of experts whose duty it would be to make recommendations for a just settlement.

STORY IS AFLOAT OF PROFESSOR'S ESCAPE. He Was in Internment in England—Was the President of Ireland.

(Canadian Press Despatch) London, Feb. 4.—A report was current this morning that Prof. Edward De Valera, Sinn Fein leader, had escaped from his place of internment in England. No confirmation of the report was obtainable up to noon. Prof. De Valera was taken into custody last spring when the British Government rounded up a number of Sinn Fein leaders and interned them at the time when it was declared a plot, backed by Germany, was in process of incubation in Ireland. He has been held with other Sinn Feiners and was still under detention when he was elected to Parliament at the general elections in December, and when, last month, he was chosen as Sinn Fein delegate to the peace conference. He was called the "premier" of Ireland.

From The Countryside

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LAKE OPINION.

Feb. 3.—The farmers are all taking advantage of the fine weather getting their hauling done before the deep snow comes. A number in this vicinity are sick with the flu. The hum of the sawing machine is heard in the neighborhood. Miss Blanche Teepell is home after being in the General Hospital for three weeks. A. Darling and family spent Sunday at Perth Road. Mrs. K. Darling, after spending a fortnight in Kingston, has returned home. P. Best and family spent Sunday at Chaffoy's Locks. A number from here attended the ball at Battersa last week. Harold Austin has returned home to Buffalo after spending the past week with friends here.

WESTBROOK

Jan. 31.—The Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Grass, on Tuesday, with a good attendance. Mrs. Ernest Sproule is visiting her mother in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. L. Snyder, Napanea, were guests of J. P. Rose's; Miss Alice West, Kingston, at J. L. F. Sproule's. Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Kelly, Cataraqui, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Burt. Miss Edith Sandley has returned to Collins Bay after spending some time here. Peter Morley has purchased the house and lot of A. F. Perley's, Cataraqui, and will be moving in the near future. Newton Ames and family are about to move to Kingston; also William Smith and family. Both families will be very much missed as they are a help to the church and community.

DESERVING LAKE.

Feb. 1.—The many friends of Charles Orser are glad to hear he is improving. The stork again visited Mr. and Mrs. N. in Toronto. A few from here attended O. Bauder's sale at High Falls on Thursday last. Harold Snook and Miss Sadie Drader attended meeting at the corner on Sunday last. Mrs. Susan Snook and James Wilson spent a few days at Westport. Mrs. C. J. called at Mrs. M. A. Abrams recently, and is now engaged cutting wood for H. L. Bauder. The hum of B. J. Abrams' sawing machine can be heard in the distance. J. N. Abrams and B. J. Abrams visited their brother, Daniel, at Westport and report a good time. Miss S. Drader was the guest of H. Snook on Sunday last. Mrs. Hubert Bauder and S. Drader spent an enjoyable time Tuesday evening.

HOLLEFORD.

Jan. 31.—Cutting and hauling wood is the chief occupation. The Vanluvan brothers have been cutting with their gasoline outfit. School is progressing favorably under the management of Miss Warren. Miss Nina Shay is home again after spending some time renewing acquaintances at her former home near Sydenham, accompanying Miss Fitzgerald, who had spent a week at Holleford. Matcol Townsend and daughter, Miss Mildred, spent Sunday last at J. D. Medcof's. Mrs. J. Redmond, of Koper, was a recent guest at A. J. Redmond's. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Babcock, entertained on the evening of the 23rd inst. in honor of Bert Ross, Carleton, recently returned from overseas. Miss Luella Martin spent a few days this week at the home of her uncle, John Martin. Miss Ida Carslake was a recent guest of Miss Mabel Martin. Mrs. W. Vanluvan, Mrs. G. Shay and Benson Babcock are on the sick list. Mrs. Robert Babcock is visiting friends at Sydenham.

Lennox and Addington

WILTON. Feb. 3.—Miss Grace Asselstine left on Tuesday, Jan. 28th, for Fernie, B.C., to accept a position in a hospital and visit her brother, Dr. Bert Asselstine. Miss Milsell, of the Odessa high school staff, gave an address as the P.F.E. Society, on Friday evening, on "Longfellow." Liorn Storms has a number of men engaged getting out timber for his new barn. Mr. and Mrs. G. Shay and Benson Babcock are on the sick list. Mrs. Robert Babcock is visiting friends at Sydenham.

Leeds

FRANKVILLE.

Feb. 1.—Pte. Melvin Hart was in

GILLETT'S LYE. EATS DIRT. CLEANSE-DISINFECTS—USED FOR SOFTENING WATER—FOR MAKING HARD AND SOFT SOAP—GULL DIRECTIONS WITH EACH CAN.

Kingston last week, where he received his discharge after nearly three years' service. Miss Miss Jones, Carleton Place, who came here a few days ago owing to the illness of her nephew, was herself taken ill shortly after and is now suffering from pneumonia. Miss Norma, who has been ill with the flu, is much improved. Mrs. S. Montgomery spent the week-end with relatives in Smith's Falls. Mr. and Mrs. John Botwick, who have been among Frankville's most highly respected residents for a good many years, have sold their farm and will move to Lyn. The funeral of Percy Jones took place from his residence in Toledo, Ontario, on Tuesday last, followed by a large concourse of friends. The first carnival of the season was held at Killbourn's rink on Saturday evening last. There was a large crowd of skaters. The prize for the best lady skater in costume was given to Miss Alma Portsmouth. He was a guard of the staff of the penitentiary where he performed his duty in a manner that was an example to his fellow officials and the unfortunates over whom he was placed. His loss is greatly regretted by the officials with whom he worked. The deceased married Miss Fanny Strong, of Matawatchan, six years ago, of whom he is survived. He also leaves three brothers and three sisters, Kenneth, the youngest brother arrived from overseas Tuesday morning, too late to see the deceased alive. The other brothers are William and Harold Nicholson, and the sisters are Mrs. Mooney of Portsmouth, Mrs. Nelson, Winnipeg and Mrs. Moore in England. The deceased was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The funeral is to take place Wednesday afternoon to St. John's church and Cataraqui cemetery.

THE NEW PARLIAMENT HAS BIG PROGRAMME

Four New Ministers Are Planned—A Measure to Restrict Immigration.

(Canadian Press Despatch) London, Feb. 4.—A heavy programme of work faced the new parliament at its opening session today. After swearing in the members of the Commons, Speaker Lowther was re-elected. Financial problems and measures concerning social and industrial re-constructions are among the first things tackled. The budget probably will be taken up after the Easter recess. The Government, it is understood, will propose the establishment of several new government departments. Four new ministries have been planned. There will be land and housing bills. An industry and military service bill to give legal sanction to the constitution of the British armies of occupation. Measures are being prepared by the Government to prevent "dumping" and to restrict immigration.

CAPT. NEIL D. BLACK

Given Military Cross for Daring Work Under Fire. Recently, Capt. Neil Douglas Black C.A.M.C., 25th Battalion, Canadian Infantry, Nova Scotia Regiment was awarded the Military Cross for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the field. The recommendation of his superior officer reads as follows:

"With absolute indifference to the heavy shell fire, this officer advanced with the leading companies and attacked the wounded. The second and afternoon of the attack he advanced beyond the line under intense enemy machine-gun fire and dressed the wounded of other battalions. His coolness and example were a source of inspiration to officers and men."

Many Floral Tributes.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rosanna Smith took place on Tuesday, Feb. 3, at her late residence, 222 Rideau street, to Sand Hill cemetery. Among the many fine floral tributes were noticed those from the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. T. Howland, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Haffner, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haffner, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. William Haffner, Mr. and Mrs. George Woods, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes and family. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Ellis, assisted by Rev. Mr. Jones. An adopted son of the deceased, Charles, who resides at Portage la Prairie, was the only one of the family unable to be present at the funeral.

Beaton-Hill Marriage.

A pretty house wedding took place at seven o'clock on Monday evening, Feb. 3rd, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, 10 Rideau street, Kingston, when Miss Thema Rose, daughter of the late William John Hill, Ottawa, was married to Pte. Malcolm Roy, son of Malcolm Beaton, Lucknow, Ont. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. Pierce, Kingston. A sumptuous supper was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Smith, and much enjoyed by the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Beaton will reside in Kingston for a time, after which they anticipate moving to Saskatchewan. They have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy, prosperous life journey.

Christmas Parcels Returned.

Because they had left the front when the parcels arrived, there were 110 soldiers from this district who did not receive their Christmas parcels. The parcels, arrived at the Kingston post office on Monday night, and are being distributed. A number of the parcels were for Ottawa, Belleville, Brockville, Prescott and Toronto, and they were sent on their way. A number of the parcels were distributed at Barriehill camp.

To Meet on Wednesday.

A meeting has been called for 2.30 p.m. Wednesday, at W. F. Nickle's office, of representatives of the textile workers, the Board of Trade and the Trades and Labor Council to consider the report of R. E. Burns, chartered accountant, who went to Montreal for information respecting the wages paid the local operatives by the Dominion Textile Co., Ltd. The Turkish authorities have requisitioned the Constantinople Palace of Elver Pasha as a residence for the Allied Commander. The executive of the Synod of Ontario is in session to-day. There is fairly good attendance.

OBITUARY

The Late James Stewart.

James Stewart passed away on Monday after an illness extending over a period of four weeks. The late Mr. Stewart was born in Westbrook eighty-one years ago and spent most of his life on his farm there, removing to Colebrook upon retiring from active work. His wife predeceased him a number of years ago. He is survived by one son and three daughters, one of whom, Mrs. Benn, resides at 212 Division street. The funeral is to take place Wednesday from the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Walker, 175 Princess street, to Cataraqui cemetery.

The Late T. G. Nicholson.

The death of Thomas George Nicholson occurred at the General Hospital on Monday afternoon after about ten days illness from influenza and pneumonia. Mr. Nicholson was thirty-two years of age, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nicholson, and was born in the village of Portsmouth. He was a guard of the staff of the penitentiary where he performed his duty in a manner that was an example to his fellow officials and the unfortunates over whom he was placed. His loss is greatly regretted by the officials with whom he worked. The deceased married Miss Fanny Strong, of Matawatchan, six years ago, of whom he is survived. He also leaves three brothers and three sisters, Kenneth, the youngest brother arrived from overseas Tuesday morning, too late to see the deceased alive. The other brothers are William and Harold Nicholson, and the sisters are Mrs. Mooney of Portsmouth, Mrs. Nelson, Winnipeg and Mrs. Moore in England. The deceased was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The funeral is to take place Wednesday afternoon to St. John's church and Cataraqui cemetery.

The Late Melville Delos Grimshaw.

After a few weeks' illness Melville Delos Grimshaw died Friday at his home, 19 Dixon avenue, Toronto. Four weeks ago Mr. Grimshaw took influenza, which developed into pneumonia. He was born in Kingston thirty-four years ago, a son of the late Delos Grimshaw. He took a science course in Queen's University and after travelling extensively in Western Canada and the United States settled in Toronto ten years ago. Here he became a contractor and builder, later becoming vice-president of the Grimshaw Wool Company. He was also engaged in the moving-picture business.

Great Clearance Sale.

Prevost, Brock street has made a great reduction in ready-made clothing and gents' furnishings, also in the order clothing department to make room for spring importation. Nursing Sister Ethel MacNamee, has returned from overseas after three and a half years' service with No. 7 Queen's Military Hospital. L. L. Henderson of Montreal, general manager of the Montreal Transportation Company, is in the city today. A number of the local poultry men went to Belleville Tuesday for the opening of the poultry show.

10,000 Pounds Ceylon and Indian Tea. Worth from 80c to \$1.00. On Sale at 50c, 55c, and 60c per pound. This sale offers an opportunity to housekeepers to buy the best tea at a saving of 25 per cent. The Thompson Bottling Co. Phone 304. GEO. THOMPSON, Prop. 292 Princess Street.

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