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City Solicitors of Kingston and London Agree on Matter.

The London, Ont., Advertiser has the following: "Because City Solicitor T. G. Meredith and the city solicitor of Kingston both have decided that fire trucks have no more right to exceed the speed limit under existing regulations than any other citizen."

It is not thought likely that anyone will prosecute the city if the department exceeds the speed limit, but should an accident occur it might be held liable for injuries to persons or damage to property.

"Under permissive legislation in 1910 councils were given the right to pass by-laws giving to fire departments the right-of-way over all other traffic when responding to an alarm."

"Locally the matter has been referred to Mr. Meredith. At Kingston it has been taken up with the member of the legislative assembly for that city. He will arrange a conference with the Hon. E. C. Diggs, minister of highways, at the earliest possible moment."

PREPARING A VOLUME

Telling of the Achievements of Ex-Cadets of R.M.C.

An effort is being made by the authorities of the Royal Military College of Canada to bring together in one volume the achievements of the ex-cadets of the institution, and it is fully anticipated that, when completed, the record will be one which is unparalleled by any professional educational institution in Canada.

It is but natural that in an institution maintained by the dominion we should expect to see the graduates imbued with a zeal for service to their country, but the results would appear to exceed the hopes of even the most optimistic.

The records of the first hundred graduates of the college have been completed, with the exception of eleven whom it has been impossible to locate showing those who attended the institution between the years 1876 and 1880. Of these, eight have been killed in action or died on service, and 89 of the first hundred have gained one hundred and sixty-six decorations and medals.

They have been thirty-nine times mentioned in despatches for services, and representatives have served the empire in the following wars and expeditions:

- Soudan Expedition 1882
- Bechuanaland 1884-1885
- North West Rebellion 1885
- Burma 1885-1887
- West Africa 1887-1889
- Burma 1887-1889
- East Africa 1889-
- Manipur Expedition 1891-
- Central Africa 1891-1892
- West Africa 1894-1895
- Central Expedition 1895
- South Africa 1899-1902
- Chitral 1900
- West Nigeria 1900-1901
- Indian War 1904
- Zulu Rebellion 1906
- Great War in France, Egypt, Italy, Dardanelles and North Sea 1914-1919

Fleming-McGuire Wedding.
Thomas Fleming, formerly of Kingston, was married in Saskatoon last week, to Miss McGuire. After the wedding breakfast the happy couple left for the coast. Mr. Fleming was presented with a handsome chest of silver from the boys in his office. Mrs. Fleming was given a silver tea service by the manager of the Royal Bank, Saskatoon, where she held office for four years.

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To Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary of Ordination on the 17th.

Rev. Father Charles A. McWilliams, who has been under the kindly care of the sisters of the House of Providence, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Friday, 17th instant.

Father McWilliams was born in Burlington, Vermont, and at an early age took up his studies in the Montreal College, where he achieved distinction for general proficiency. Leaving there he entered St. Charles' College, in Baltimore, afterwards returning to Montreal, where he followed the theological course in the Grand Seminary. He was ordained to the priesthood in St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, by the late Bishop Horan, on December 17th, 1870.

After a short time in the cathedral, Father McWilliams was appointed curate to the late Dr. Chisholm, Perth, where he labored for a short time with great success. He was afterwards appointed parish priest of Hamilton, which at that time comprised also the outlying missions of Amherst Island, Bath, Odessa, and Sharbot Lake. Here for upwards of twenty-five years he labored in his priestly calling, and won the good will not only of his parishioners, but of all those of other denominations with whom he came in contact. For several years he was in charge of the parish of Spencerville, and the work accomplished there spoke well for his priestly zeal.

During later years Father McWilliams was attached to the staff of St. Mary's cathedral, and now in his declining years, is enjoying the fruits of a well spent life.

Father McWilliams was called to act as spiritual adviser to Louis Rell, who was executed at Regina in 1885 for his part in the North West Rebellion. While in college in Montreal a warm friendship was formed between these two, and it was this friendship which prompted the unfortunate Rell to send for his old college friend to attend him in his last moments.

A close friendship always existed between Father McWilliams and the late Sir John A. Macdonald, and one of the big events in the Raitton district in the old days was the annual picnic of the parish, at which Sir John was always a guest.

DANGER FROM FIRE.

Against Law to Place Decorations Near Light Fixtures.
Fire Chief James Armstrong has received the following communication from Secretary John Robertson, of the Fire Underwriters' Association of Ontario:

"Following usual customs of this season of the year, I beg to call your attention to the danger to life and property from Christmas decorations, displays, etc., which are frequently made at this time of the year. Christmas displays are made of inflammable materials and are a decided increase of hazard to all, especially where they are draped around electrical fixtures."

"It is contrary to the statutory conditions of any fire insurance policy to have decorations around electrical fixtures, and the fire insurance company will not be responsible if a fire occurs."

"In addition to the danger to property from displays referred to, the danger to life in crowded stores or places of meeting by reason of panic occasioned by fire, is so great that the underwriters, who have made a study of such hazards, would fall in their duty should they not give this warning."

Too Foggy For Steamers.
The fog of the lake was so heavy on Thursday morning that the steamer Missisquoi, which cleared for Cape Vincent, had to return to the wharf. The captain, when speaking to the Whig stated that the fog was so dense that he could not see more than ten yards ahead of the steamer. It was expected that the steamer Wolfe Islander, which went to the foot of the island, would experience the same difficulty. It is the intention of the owners of the steamer Missisquoi to take her off the cape route on Saturday.

Leman Smith, resident of Brockville and vicinity all his life, was found dead by his son, Gifford Smith, who resided with him. The late Mr. Smith was born at Fairfield East seventy years ago.

See Lemmon & Sons display of child's sets and toys for Christmas.

TWICE TOLD TALES

News of Kingston

TEN YEARS & SO.
A deputation from the county council waited on the Board of Education in order to find out on what terms county pupils will be allowed to attend Kingston Collegiate.

Cadet Stewart Ferguson is soon leaving R.M.C. and may be available for Frontenac if the junior hockey team this winter.

Warder Thompson wants to build a county high school at Sharbot Lake.

D. Milne, as elected president of the city hockey league at last night's meeting.

W. F. G. de, Frederick Costler, Holland, others, George Robertson, Ottawa and the Poultry Association, are all taking up cups for a winter poultry show.

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Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus: I am writing this to tell you what I want for Christmas. I am nine years of age. I would like a doll with blue eyes and ginger hair. If you don't think I am greedy I want a hair ribbon with some pretty colors in it. I would like a sleigh for myself, and a pretty picture book with a lot of funny stories. I would like very much to have a kiddie car. I will wait until you come and be a good girl. Good-bye, Santa. Hoping to see you soon. Lillian Matheson, 34 Simcoe street, Kingston.

Dear Santa: Would you please bring me a hockey stick and a run-away team and a pair of skates and some other toys. Would you please bring me a drum and some story books. I hope you are feeling well. I have felt well so far and I hope your reindeers will be feeling well for the trip. I am a pretty good boy and I think this is all I'll say this time, so good-bye. I hope you will enjoy yourself. Yours truly, Carl Davis, 210 Union street.

Dear Santa: I am only a little girl. I can't write by myself so my mother has to help me move the pencil. Will you please send me a doll and carriage, a few candles, an orange and a sewing box. Thanking you, dear Santa, for the nice things you brought us last year. Mary Yates, (four years old), 6 street.

Principal Dyde at Bowmanville. St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Bowmanville, anniversary, thanksgiving and lecture drew capacity congregations on Sunday and Monday evenings. The preacher of the day and lecturer was Rev. Principal S. W. Dyde, D.Sc., D.D., of Queen's Theological College, Kingston. Sunday morning he gave a masterly exposition of the doctrine of Christian liberty. His evening sermon on "The Ideal Leader" was a study of the life of Jesus. Principal Dyde at his lecture Monday evening on "The Tragic and Comic in Shakespeare", emphasized the poet's penetrating insight into the deepest things, and his dramatic power.

Montreal, Kingston, Trenton Sleeping Car.
Effective December 1st, 1920, the above car is now operated in and out of Kingston city instead of Kingston Junction. For reservations, tickets and other information apply to J. P. Hanley, C.P. & T.A., G.T.R., Kingston, Ont.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. James M. Callery, Madoc, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Zita, to Tobias S. Forestall, Campbellville, the marriage to take place quietly the latter part of the month.

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