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soup kitchen. But things did go on. During a year without any advantage of war trade we had that wonderful increase. Is there much reason for blue ruin in a record such as that to-day? In November last, we increased our exports \$20,000,000 over the same month of the previous year, and for the last eight months of the present year we exported \$3,841,000,000 or \$2,700,000,000, over those of last year, and yet some people are grumbling. We have unemployment, but when are we without unemployment? It is most regrettable that men cannot find work at their hands, but we had it in 1914. In Vancouver, B.C., it was worse, but we have less registered there to-day than we had in 1914. So that perhaps after all some people are being unnecessarily alarmed. Our exports show that we are doing better than last year. What of the future? If ever there was a country whose future was all its own that country is Canada. We have great resources and great opportunities and that future is a future entirely for us, and I am sure that you are going to see to it that that future will be built upon a foundation that will not give, and that your work for Canada will be work carried on in the full recognition of the rights of others and all that she stands for. There is no room for pessimism in Canada."
Sir Henry was warmly applauded upon resuming his seat.

Toast To Kingston.

Rev. Dr. R. J. Wilson proposed the toast to the "City of Kingston". And his humorous "hits" were greatly appreciated. He was not a native of the city, he said, and did not know why he should dare to propose such a toast. A friend suggested that he was asked because if a Kingstonian was called upon he would talk too long. He referred to many of the traditions of Kingston. It was once the capital of Canada, and the present capital was only a compromise. We need here is a harbor because of our great transportation possibilities and out of that \$396,000,000 spoken of by Sir Henry Drayton we would be glad to have \$10,000,000 slipped in our direction. If we can get a harbor, Mayor Nickle might get a hotel, and then with a harbor and a hotel we would be all right. But after transportation, comes education, and the Royal Military College and Queen's University are great in the past, great in the present and great in the future. It was something to be a great seat of learning for it was a fact that out of the homes of Kingston there were more students attending Queen's than out of the whole city of Hamilton.

There is also evangelization and here we can always express our hopes. With all these things why is it that the only part that has grown is the chapel? Canon T. A. Smith; Sec. H. H. Lawson; treasurer, O. W. Daly; A. W. Cathcart; S. D. W. J. Gibson; J. D. W. J. C. Allen; G. A. W. Brown; D. C. P. H. Rider; S. S. William Peters; J. S. H. W. Davis; organists, Angus Orr; Tyler, R. Bunt.

THE NORTHMEN.

The question:
They came from vastness of mountain;
They rode o'er the wide lone plain;
They hurried from even the cities;
They sailed o'er the raging main,
When they heard the cry of the women
For their children being slain.
Oh! God in Heaven tell us,
Did they answer that cry—in vain?
These wondrous men of the North-land
Hold no regard for fame;
Tho' they felt the call of the spirit
In the soul's ignominious shame
When they heard the cry of the women
For children being slain.
Oh! God in Heaven,—tell us
Did they answer that call—in vain?
Seventy thousand Northmen,
Through war's cruel circumstance,
Await the dawn of the morning,
In Belgium,—and in France,
Where—they heard the cry of the women
For their children being slain.
Oh! God in Heaven tell us
Did they die—for them—in vain?
The Answer:
"There was a great multitude of people and a voice from Heaven did speak unto them."
Oh! Nation, born in the north wind's thrall—
Of King Frost Pain and Queen of Snow and trees—
When Prosper Peace comes wooing to thy call,
Then watch the lure of soul destroying ease, and thou shalt not
Hear again the cry of the women
For their children being slain
And the Great Spirit in Heaven will tell thee
They did not die—in vain.
MARGARET GREEN.

TWICE TOLD TALES

News of Kingston

TEN YEARS AGO.

Ira A. Buck, for years a member of the firm of Calvin & Buck, Garden Island, and a resident of Kingston for many years, died on Christmas day, aged eighty-five.

M. J. Kennedy is again in the field as a councillor of the village of Portsmouth.

R. W. Bros. Graham, of Gananoque, and Ponton, of Belleville, were the principal speakers at the Masonic Banquet at the Hotel Randolph last night.

Capt. Robert Fraser, of the M. T. Co., has been elected alderman in Catarqui ward by acclamation, for a one-year term.

The leading professors of Queen's are sending out letters to graduates urging them to work for re-organization of the university on a strictly non-denominational basis.

There will be eidermanic fights in five wards out of seven. Aids Fair and Kent are in by acclamation.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

A valuable horse-blanket was picked up on the market square yesterday by Clerk McCammon.

In 1877 there were only two days of sleighing during the whole winter in this district.

On Christmas Rev. Father Neville conducted both services in the Church of the Good Thief at Portsmouth. After the services, G. Sullivan, the organist, was the recipient of a handsome Christmas gift.

W. Robinson, Jr. is out as aldermanic candidate in Frontenac ward.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Abernethy, Almonte, John Abernethy, Toronto, and Frank Abernethy, Packenham, are all home for the holiday season.

Michael Gratton received a fine gold watch for Christmas from friends in Rochester.

A splendid musical programme was rendered by Allen's orchestra and J. D. Bankier, Dr. A. Hafner and Mr. Saunders sang some popular songs.

The officers installed were: Minden Lodge: W. J. Geo. Vanhorne; S.W., C. Higgins; J.W., R. Crawford; treasurer, H. Milne; secretary, T. D. Minnes; S.D., R. Robinson; J.D., Dr. Filson; M.C., H. Moore; S.S., G. McGleann; J.S., C. VanAlstine; chaplain, Rev. J. S. LaFlair; I.G., H. Hughes; T. R. Bunt; I.P.M., W. Moore.

ANCIENT ST. JOHN'S HOLDS A BANQUET

Several Interesting Speeches Delivered—Toast to Oldest Mason.

The ceremony of installation was conducted at the Ancient St. John's Lodge at high noon Monday by Right Worshipful brothers James Minnes, A. Shaw and John Nicolle, and the annual banquet took place in the evening at the Hotel Randolph. Prof. P. G. C. Campbell, worshipful master presided, and the addresses marked the occasion as one of the best ever held by this lodge. Those responding were: R. E. Burns for Grand Lodge; Dr. Bruce Taylor, principal of Queen's University, to "Canada and the Empire." Dr. Taylor showed that he has been a close student, not only of our history but also of current events, and his eloquence was a feature of the occasion. He was repeatedly applauded. Bro. F. S. S. Johnson, United States consul, responded for "sister lodges," in a very feeling manner. Rev. Mr. Lennon also spoke to this toast.

A unique event was a toast to the oldest member, and the reply of Past Master Bro. George King, the oldest member and oldest past master. Worshipful Bro. King has been a Mason since 1863.

Very Worshipful Bro. P. H. Burke responded for the "master of the Lodge who this day vacates the chair" and Dr. E. J. Austin to "Masons' wives and bairns." Dr. Austin's humor was greatly appreciated. Canon FitzGerald, in the absence of the junior warden proposed the J. W.'s toast.

During the evening a very fine musical programme was rendered by the Ancient St. John's orchestra and quartette composed of Bros. A. Orr, L. A. Gask, W. Saunders and H. Singleton. These singers also rendered a number of solos. Master Arthur Christmas, gave an instrumental solo.

The newly installed officers are: W. M., P. G. C. Campbell; J. P. M., P. H. Burke; S. W., H. Edgar; J. W., H. H. Lawson; treasurer, O. W. Daly; chaplain, Canon T. A. Smith; Sec. A. W. Cathcart; S. D., W. J. Gibson; J. D. W. J. C. Allen; G. A. W. Brown; D. C. P. H. Rider; S. S., William Peters; J. S. H. W. Davis; organists, Angus Orr; Tyler, R. Bunt.

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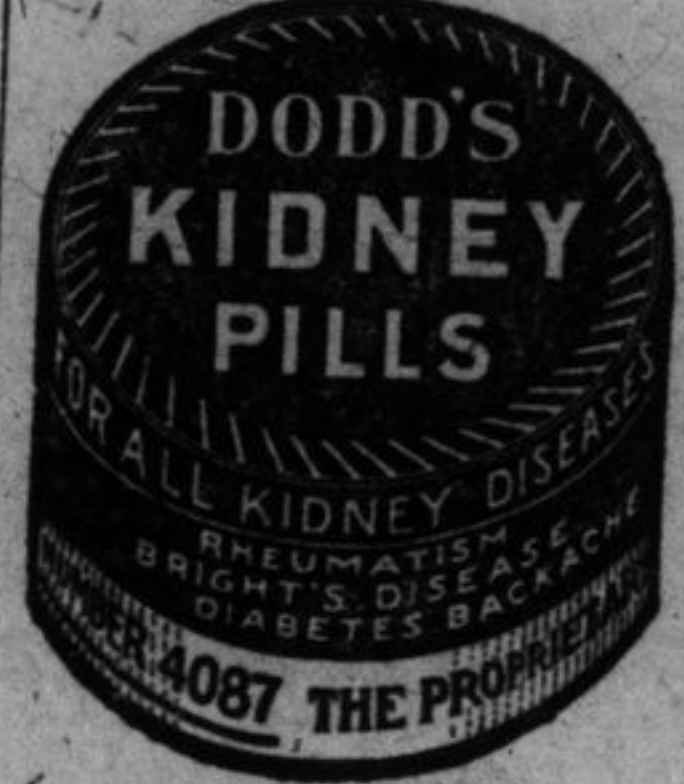
LETTER TO THE EDITOR

An Explanation to the Electors.

Kingston, Dec. 27.—(To the Editor.) Upon the solicitation of many voters in Rideau Ward I consented to offer myself for the candidature of alderman for that ward. Subsequent events prevented me from doing so, therefore I think it is quite in production as to the reason. At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Kingston Industrial Agricultural Association the matter was brought up and discussed, the directors maintaining that owing to the distressing weather conditions prevailing while the exhibition was in operation in 1920, thereby creating a liability of \$4,000, which they assumed in order that Kingston City should have an annual exhibition worthy of note, that it was demanded that I should not divide my energies but devote all that is in me in order that the said liability be met in 1921. As the directors have in the past been loyal to me, I therefore agree with them and intend to be loyal to them, and use all energy that I may be possessed of, in order that the said liability may be removed. I therefore submit it would be most unfair to the directors if I were to divide my energies in part or whole for any other interests for 1921. I thank those electors in Rideau Ward who offered to support me for aldermanic honors, and can say to them not to be dismayed, as I may be in a position at some future date to not only promote their interests but the city as a whole.

Might say for your information that many new and important features have been added already to the exhibition for 1921, which will make it one of the best in Eastern Ontario. I trust the electors of Rideau Ward and the city will give us their co-operation, which is needed, and you will be glad you have helped to make it such a good fair after it is over. Wishing you all a happy and prosperous New Year.

I remain,
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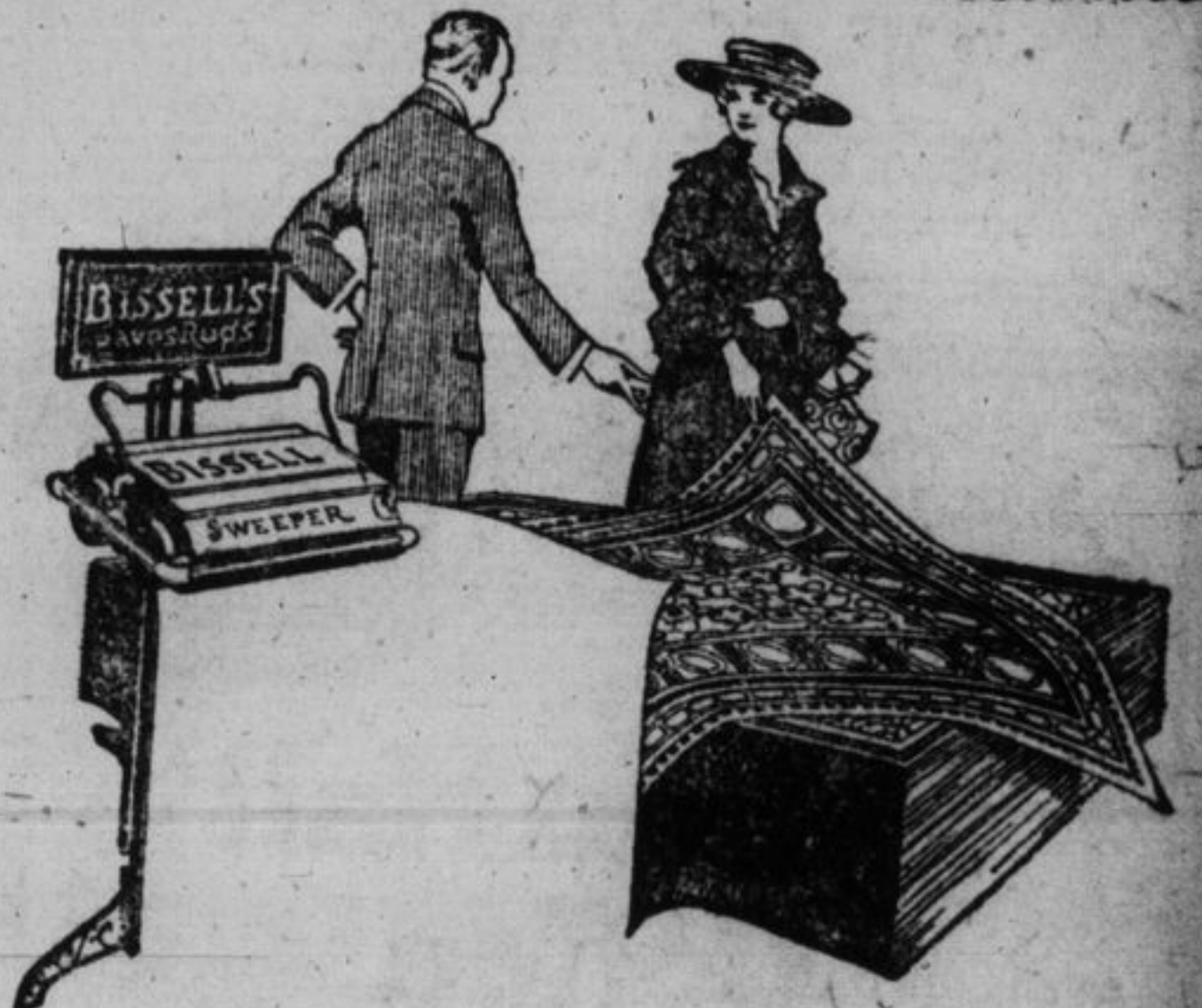
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