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**Has Suffered a Stroke.**  
Henrietta Armstrong, a former well-known citizen of Napanee, is very ill at his home in Carman, Man., having suffered a stroke.

**Sale of Boys Suits.**  
We will put on sale 100 boys suits, size from 26 to 35 at \$7.50 a suit, the regular price of these suits were from \$9.00 to \$15.00. Prevost, Brock street.

**Pastor Inducted.**  
Rev. T. McKim has assumed the rectorship of the Colborne, Grafton and Centreton Anglican Churches, of which Rev. M. Postwithwaite, now rector of St. John's church, Bowmansville, was the last settled rector.

**Not Likely to Play.**  
It is not expected that Bud Thomas will play on the Queen's senior basketball team this winter, owing to the fact that his duties of secretary of the Alma Mater Society will take up all his time.

**Passed Away at Calgary.**  
Word has been received in Napanee of the death last week, at Calgary, of Mrs. Frailek, mother of Messrs. Harry, Mac, Dee, Walter and Blake Frailek, and a former well-known resident of Napanee.

**Filmflammer Sentenced.**  
William Walters, Toronto, was committed to penitentiary for two years. He was arrested on a charge of filmflaming harvesters. Two of the victims of his skill in matching coppers appeared against him.

**Married in Chicago.**  
The marriage is announced in Picton of Miss Helen A. Brown, nurse in charge of St. Mary's Home for Children, Jackson Blvd., Chicago, and daughter of Mrs. A. P. Brown, Picton, Ont., to Ralph Eugene Scott, Chicago. The marriage took place in Park Centre Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago, on Nov. 28th.

**One Month of Grace.**  
Motorists will be unable to secure their 1924 license plates until the first of February. In past years Jan. 1st has been the date on which the plates have been available, but motorists have generally been given several weeks' grace in securing them. This year, however, the markers were not ready in sufficient quantities to satisfy the demand for them during January. An

order-in-council has, accordingly, been passed which specifies Feb. 1st as the date upon which distribution will commence.

**To Extend Block System.**  
It is understood that during the coming year, the Canadian National Railways will make an effort to extend its automatic block signal system, now operating between Montreal and Pointe Claire, to Coteau Junction, with ultimate continuance further westward over the main line of the system.

**Enlarging Station.**  
The C.N.R. station at Renfrew is undergoing enlargements. Built in 1893 this is the first addition made to it in a period of thirty years. It has long been regarded by the public as on the small side. There will now be more room for baggage and express. Men in service of the company are doing the work.

**Married in New York.**  
The marriage of Dr. John S. Fitzsimmons, New York, son of Capt. Fitzsimmons, Rockport, and Mrs. Marie Ackerman, took place in New York on Dec. 24th. Friends in Kingston have received announcement cards. Dr. Fitzsimmons, a graduate of Queen's, is a very successful specialist in the metropolis.

**Married on Christmas Day.**  
Miss Edna Babcock, Glen Park, N.Y., became the bride of Malcolm Bates, Cape Vincent, N.Y., Christmas Day at a pretty wedding in the Olin Memorial Episcopal chapel at Glen Park. About fifty friends and relatives of the couple were present. The church was beautifully decorated with green and red, the Christmas colors.

**Wharves Out of Repair.**  
A sailor man, who is in Kingston, after an absence of twenty years, finds the wharves along the water front in quite a dilapidated condition. The interior of the city looks fine, he says, but the water front where people arrive is quite disgraceful. In Detroit the owners of wharves have to keep them in good repair; in Kingston, the council should order a similar condition.

**To Speak in Ottawa.**  
Prof. Skelton, Queen's University, will be in Ottawa next week, and on Friday evening he will attend an informal gathering held by the

Queen's Alumni Association to be held at the Ottawa Ladies' College. The programme will consist of an address by Prof. Skelton, who recently returned from England, where he was present during the Imperial conference. Dancing and refreshments will be enjoyed later.

**Masons at Harrowsmith.**  
At a largely attended meeting of Albion Lodge, A.F. & A.M., held on Thursday evening, Right Worshipful Brother W. M. Campbell, assisted by Very Worshipful Brother J. R. Smeaton, Kingston, and past masters of the lodge installed the officers for the ensuing year. After the ceremony the brethren partook of dainty refreshments provided by the ladies, and a highly entertaining programme was rendered, being taken part in by Brothers J. F. Elder, Thomas Kelly, Percy Otten, Kingston, and others.

**Had a Family Reunion.**  
A family reunion has been an event this week at the home of Capt. and Mrs. James Dix, 128 Bagot street. Last August the couple completed fifty years of married life, but the celebration was postponed until Christmas week. The whole family are here and have had a delightful time together. In the company are Mr. and Mrs. Overton Dix and children; Asbury Park, N.J., Miss Irene Dix, Toledo, Ohio, and Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Angrove, and children, St. Anne de Bellevue, Que.

**Golden Wedding.**  
An event of interest to a wide circle of friends took place at their home, 31 Madison avenue, Toronto, on Nov. 6th, being the celebration of the golden wedding of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Chown, says the Christian Guardian. Mr. and Mrs. Chown were married in Kingston. Mr. Chown is the eldest son of the late senior partner of the well-known firm of Chown & Cunningham, Kingston, and is a cousin of Rev. Dr. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist church. Mrs. Chown was Miss Mary Richardson, daughter of Mr. James Richardson, Kingston. Their son and daughter, Harry Chown, and Mrs. Douglas Thom, live in Regina and were unable to be present. There are eight grandchildren. These were represented at the golden wedding by Mr. Stuart Thom, who is attending Victoria College. Mr. and Mrs. Chown's elder daughter, Miss Susie Chown, died in 1913. Their hosts of friends wish them many years of health and happiness.

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NET INCOME	THE STEEL BUSINESS
COSTS	LEARN YEAR

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