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DEATHS

BLAKE—In Jarvis, on Monday, May 7th, 1917, Mrs. Mary Blake, relict of the late Edward Blake of Toronto, aged 78 years.

The funeral was held from the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. Wm. Howell, Jarvis, on Tuesday, May 8th, at 11 o'clock, a.m. for service, thence to the Jarvis Methodist church for interment.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

See Holmes ad. on page 4.

Mother's Day next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Evans are in town

Mr. Henry Belbeek is visiting his son, Mr. Arthur Belbeck.

Hewson Sharp of London spent over Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Algie Mason were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Silverthorne and son of Brantford spent part of last week in Jarvis.

Lieut. Ivan Awde was in the village to-day. He is taking an aviation course in Toronto.

Col. Wm. Hendrie, and wife and Mrs. Hendrie Hamilton, visited at Ed. Eaid's on Tuesday.

Mrs. Philip Newman is spendinga few weeks at St. Williams visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parsons.

Word was received recently that Pte. Moffat, of Caledonia, who was reported in last week's issue as being wounded, has succumbed to his injuries.

Mrs. Allen Ross, who has been spending a few months in Notre Dame, Sask., at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, returned home Tuesday.

Pte. Albert Williamson, has been reported as wounded. He enlisted at Cayuga in the summer of 1915, going overseas with the 114th. We understand that his wounds are of the back, wrist and leg.

The Box Committee for the Jarvis soldiers comforts sent for the month of March $1.00 each and the month of May a box to each valued $1. They wish to urge everyone to keep up the good work as these are very much appreciated by our boys.

The I. O. O. F. Jarvis Lodge, 191, attended Divine service at Knox Church, last Sunday, when owing to the inclement weather, only about 40 brethren were present. Rev. A W. Hare occupied the pulpit taking for his subject the parable of the good Samaritan. The choir furnished excellent music and the solo sung by Mr. Merrill of Towas very much appreciated. Mr. Merril, as a singer, is a great favorite in Jarvis among the congregations of the churches who thoroughly enjoy hearing the singing of his sacred songs. The duet given by Misses Rutledge and Church was sung with much sweetness end expression.

For the out-of-door man Rod and Gun magazine, published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont , for May has much that is of interest to offer. Bonnycastle Dale, the Canadian naturalist, gives the result of a midnight study of the wild duck in the leading article. "The Terror that Passeth by Night", A Holiday in the Rockies is the story of a fishing trip and outing in the vicinity of Waterton Lakes, Alberta. Some Canadian Vacation Camps, gives an idea of some Northern Ontario camps where young lads can get more for their money than in any other way, enjoying many unique experiences at a moderate expense. Fishing Experiences of an Old Country Angler tells of fishing in the wonderful Georgian Bay region. There are other stories of equal interest and a treasure trove for the fisherman in this month's installment of Fishing Notes by Robert Page Lincoln. Guns and Ammunition is equally attractive to the gun lover, while Kennel men will find the report of the Toronto Kennel Club Spring Show in this issue and a list of the winners, and trap-shooters, the records of the the scores at the Hamilton Tournament on April 6th and 7th, as well as other trap notes of interest.

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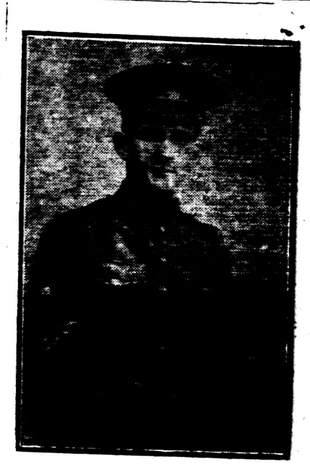

Peter Russel Brown.

Who was killed at the first battle of Vimy Ridge in France on April 9th. A cable to that effect reached his parents here on Tuesday of last week, April 23rd.

Deceased was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Brown. He was educated in Dunnville Public and High Schools. He enlisted on Aug 16th, 1915, with B Co. 114th Battalion, and went to Camp Borden in June of 1916, going to England in the fall. He could not get over to France aa a sergeant, in which capacity he had served from the first, so he reverted to the ranks in order to get across to the trenches, and left England Dec. 26th. First he was in the infantry, but later was placed in a machine gun section.—Dunnville Chronicle.

Pte. Brown was the sergeant in charge of the detail stationed in Jarvis.

Died of Wounds

Word was received on Tuesday that Pte. Chas. Harrop, 2nd son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Harrop, of Garnet, had died of wounds received in actions. He left for Overseas last Spring from Toronto and has been in France since last summer

The late Charles Harrop, who was in his 23rd year, received his early education at Hagersville, graduating with high credit from the high school there. He had obtained his senior matriculation and was an undergraduate of Toronto University. Of a quiet unassuming character that was an inspiration to know, his many admirers, although deeply mourning the loss of a true friend, will take courage in remembering him as a Christain of the highest standard His bereaved parents and relations have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

Renton.

The wet spell last week made the farmers change their plan of work.

Mr. Roy Stone has secured the milk drawing again for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lewis of Jerico spent a couple of days last week at Prospect Farm, with Mr. and Mrs. D. Secord

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brock of Nanticoke spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Newell.

N. J. Campbell ssent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. G. Secord, near Simcoe.

Mrs. John Rowntree, sr., is slowly improving from an attack of rheumatism.

N. J. Campbell spent one day last week with friends near Nober.

Annual Business Meeting.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Epworth League of the Jarvis Methodist church was held Wednesday evening, May 2nd. Officers were elected, with Mr Foote in the chair, as follows: Honorary Pres., Rev. J. G. Foote; Pres., W. J. Bailey; 1st Vice-Pres., I. Osterby, Christian Endeavor; 2nd Vice Pres., V. Sceuyler, Missions; 3rd Vice Pres., L. Robinson, Literary and Social; 4th Vice Pres., Mr. Machell, Citizenship; Secretary, M. Smith; Cor. Sec., A. Jackson; Treasurer, Mrs. A. Q. Jackson; Organist, A. Dennis.

It was decided to carry on the forward movement the same as last year.

Court of Revision

A Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll of the Village of Jarvis, in the County of Haldimand, will be held on Tuesday June 6th. 1917, at the hour of 8 p.m., in the Council Chamber in the village of Jarvis, for the purpose of hearing and determining the appeals against the assessment of the said village of Jarvis. All parties interested in the said Court are requested to attend.

A. RODGERS, Village Clerk.
Jarvis, May 9th, 1917. 3t-10

Rev. J. G. Foote attended the quarterly Official Board meeting at Osbourne on the Decewsville Circuit on Tuesday afternoon. A most successful year was reported.

Letters from England

April 21, 1917.

Ward 13, Military Hospital,
Woking, Surrey, England.

Dear Friends:

Just a few lines to let you know where I am. No doubt you have heard that I was wounded. I was wounded by a shell on April 9th in both legs but I have none of my bones injured, just nasty flesh wounds Am glad to say that they are getting along as well as can be expected.

It was a great battle, and nothing like it since the war has been going. I just managed to get a little further than the first line of the enemy trench, and there were a good many that did not get that far.

I had a few close shaves as I got in. It was a very nasty day, raining and snowing most of the time. I had to lie out quite a while before I could see my way clear to crawl in I managed to get to the dressing station before noon, and was wounded at six in the morning.

I spent a week in the hospital in France before I could travel to England. I am very glad I am back and likely to be here the biggest part of the summer.

We saw some terrible cases and I crawled through a pile of dead. I do hope they will bring this to a close this year, which no doubt they will. I am not writing much as it is very tiresome writing on your back.

My sister said she hoped it would not be long before I could go out in the grounds in a chair.

I am not writing much at present. Give Pearl my address and I will write to you all when I can get up in some kind of a shape.

If you see Jim tell him I am writing to him in a few days. I do not know of any more this time so I think I had better close. Hoping all are well and expect to hear from you soon. Good-bye.

Yours faithfully
W. A. HARVEY.

P. S.—Remember me to Mr. and Mrs. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Overholt.
W. A. S.

NOTE—The above letter was received by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and family, Pte. Harvey having worked for Mr. Smith before his enlistment.

4th Can. Res. Bn., H. Co'y.,
Bramshott Camp,
Hants, Eng.
April 16th, 1917.

Mrs. E. Silverthorne,
Jarvis, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

I was issued with some new socks yesterday and as I was examining them I came across your name and address, and as you wished the man who would get them to write, so now I take the greatest of pleasure in doing so, and must say that they are a lovely pair. I have not tried them on yet.

Well Madam, I am from Obsweken. I belonged to D. Co'y., of the good old Brock's Rangers, 114th Bn It is really too bad how us fellows are scattered, we are in different parts of England and France and a few are lucky enough to get back to good old Canada, and I only hope we will all be back home again. I was in Sandling Camp, Kent Co., until about six weeks ago our bn. moved here, and I am expecting to move again soon. I do not know where but I only hope it is to France. There are some forty or so of us Indians here yet and a few of the pale faced Brocks and some in Whitley camp. It has been some time I saw Colonel Thompson. I believe he is in London. Just before I left Sandling I saw Major Cowles, but I have not seen Major Davis since about three months ago. But I am very glad to say we have dandy fine officers over here since we got into the 4th. I am sure we will never get better and we will certainly feel bad to leave them. This is a very lovely looking country but the weather is something awful. There seems to be no end of rain and once in a while we get a snow storm, very unpleasant indeed, but for all that we are all in the best of spirits. We just pack our troubles in our old kit bags and smile, smile, smile.

As I cannot think of any more to speak about that I think would interest you I think would interest you I shall have have to be coming to a sudden close. I have three brothers in France. I heard from them a few days ago and they are all well yet, and I hope they will keep so until they get back home. Well, before I conclude I must say that I hope to get more socks from you or some of the good ladies that are interested in the good old Brock's Rangers. I am sure they will do their best wherever they are. As for us here we have trimmed everything in anything and that is going some. Well, I think I'll ring off now for you might think that I am too much of a blow, so with these few lines I'll close by sending you My Best Regards. I remain

Yours truly
Pte. W. White,
No. 730283, 4th Can. Res. Bn., H. Co'y.,
Bramshott Camp, Hants, England,
Care of Army P. O., London.

Town Fathers Meet

Jarvis, May 3rd, 1917.

Pursuant to notice the Municipal Council of the Village of Jarvis met in the Temperance, all the members present, the Reeve in the Chair.

The minutes of last meeting were read.

Holmes-Pond—That the minutes of last meeting be adopted as read. carried.

Pond-Burwash—That the report of the Milk Committee be received and read. carried.

To the Members of the Village Council.

Gentlemen—We your Committee on the Milk By-law are of the opinion the By-law furnished by the Provincial Board of Health is not practical for a village of this size—I. W. Holmes and R. G. Howell, committee.

Burwash-Pond—That the report of the Milk Committe be adopted. carried.

Howell-Holmes—hat all parties regularly supplying milk to the people of this village subject their cows to the test for tuberculosis as a very important safeguard to the health of the community and that this resolution be communicated to the Board of Health carried.

Burwash-Howell—That the following accounts be paid and that the Reeve issue his cheque for the same. carried. I. W. Holmes, chairs for hall, $19.45; W. E. Wood, care of tramp 75c; Mrs. A. Booth, Red Cross Work, $10.00; Mrs. N. R. Pond, Red Cross Work, $10.00.

Howell-Pond—Tthat a grant of $5.00 be made the Salvation Army Headquarters at Toronto as a small recognizition of its usefulness to the poor and the fallen. carried.

Burwash-Howell—That wire netting be placed on creek in this village adjacent to the Hamilton and Port Dover Railway also at the bridge on Talbot street to hold up weeds and tin cans complained of by farmers south of Jarvis. carried.

Howell-Burwash—That ant owners observe the law in the use and management of their cars and that the clerk be authorized to notify them in the Jarvis Record. This must be strictly observed or prosecution will follow. carried.

Burwash-Pond—That the Clerk be authorized to request the Grand Trunk Railway to repair driveway to the stock yards, which is on said company's property. carried.

Howell-Pond—That we sell to Andrew Rodgers the telephone booth in the Hall for the sum of three dollars. carried.

Burwash-Pond—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on the first Tuesday of June for the transaction of general business and Court of Revision. carried.

A RODGERS, Clerk.

War As It Really Is

Being in 7 reels of pictures showing actual fighting on the front lines in France and about Verdun, will be shown at the Gem theatre, Port Dover, on Saturday, May 12. Matinee at 3 o'clock, doors open at 2:30. Evening, two shows, 7 and 9. Admission 25c plus 2c war tax. This picture might well be called the French offensive before Verdun for that is what it really shows, and any attempt to describe it in detail would be futile as every phase of warfare is displayed. The pictures open with views of the great ramparts of Verdun and the shell swept city where fires occur every five minutes of the day and night. The actual destruction wrought by shell fire is displayed as never before and then the audience is carried into the midst of the French army showing every position in the defense of the greatest stronghold on the allied line. Don't miss seeing this picture at tre Gem on Saturday, May 12.

Re Council Meetings

I would like to suggest to the citizens of Jarvis that they turn out to the meetings, take more interest in the affairs of the village and in general assist those who have been elected to carry out their wishes in the management of this municipaliiy. No five men know just what is best to be done or not to be done, to the exclusion of everybody else and I am sure it would be more business like and unselfish if rate payers would come out to the meeting and anyway. whatsoever. do their duty to those who are managing their affairs for them without money and without price. Come out and see so that each may become familiar with the workings of the council and be able to take up the management of this corporation where the others leave off.

R. G. HOWELL.

To the Public

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