

## Carleton Sentinel

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## THE TAX RATE.

There is distinct disappointment on the part of the people of Woodstock, particularly the tax-payers, over the act of the council in making the tax rate \$2.75. If the town's representatives cannot carry the town through on a lower rate the situation reveals that it is absolutely necessary to begin to trim expenses, or Woodstock will be in a slough and its growth seriously retarded. A reasonably low tax-rate always has a tendency to attract capital to invest; but there is nothing, under present conditions, to rejoice over the outlook.

There is too marked a tendency to "loosen up" to the demands for money to carry on town affairs. These demands would be all right if the town were over-rich, but under existing conditions it cannot be done and keep the finances in good shape. It is quite proper to give \$1800. to the library; \$4000 to the streets; \$1000 for house numbering and all other improvements but these things cannot be done without great impairment to the town's financial condition and causing a spirit of uneasiness among the people.

## SHOULD TAKE WARNING.

The long sentence passed on the Russellites, in New York, for seeking to obstruct the operation of the draft law and weaken the war strength of the nation, was well received by all loyal people.

The Russellites, who are operating in this County, base their seditious teachings on religious belief. But religion is not a cloak for disloyal acts.

The sentence imposed should have a deterrent effect on the members of this cult all over the country.

## A VIGOROUS PROTEST.

(St. John Globe.)

The Ottawa Journal-Press calls for vigorous action against judges whose courts are the centres of legal proceedings by those seeking to escape military service, and against lawyers acting for the would-be service evaders. After declaring that Canada is at war with a "set of human beasts," and outlining the steps taken by the government and parliament to strengthen the army, the Journal-Press asks:

Who rules this country, the elect-



ed representatives of the people, or a few lawyers, some of them politicians, pitchforked on to the judicial bench?

Whether these few lawyers and judges—who are, of course, exceptions to a great and splendid profession—are in Ontario, in Alberta, or in Quebec, the opinion of The Journal newspapers about them is that they ought to be in jail. If they were in Prussia they would be stood up against a wall and shot. They ought to have more respect for the decent country they live in than play the wretched part they are doing. They are disgracing both themselves and the law.

The very strong language is clearly based on a belief that the avenues of appeal in the Military Service Act provide all the facilities necessary to secure justice in each and every case, and that the use of the courts should not be permitted to further the efforts of those who cannot get war exemption in the recognized way. Government orders to military officers to pay no need to habeas corpus and other legal orders designed to upset the military tribunal decisions plainly based on the same premises, are indications of a determination to uphold the Act, even should doing so necessitate a special parliament to make plain to lawyers and judges that the only courts of jurisdiction are the courts provided by the Military Service Act.

Where is the drastic and far-reaching economy promised by the present council? The taxes show no evidence of an particular effort to lighten the burden.

It is possible that the Germans have a huge corruption fund available for planting in Canada at all times. The enemy, no doubt, pays liberally the insidious, veiled and harassing mischief maker.

Miss Marie Thompson has gone to Fredericton to spend a few days with her friend, Miss Feeney.

F. W. Boyer and his sister, Mrs. John Wallace, went to Boston on Saturday of last week to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. E. M. Boyer.

Miss Gertrude Thompson arrived from Halifax last week to spend her

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vacation with her parents at the Carlisle.

A meeting of the executive of the Agricultural Society was held Tuesday evening when the committee was authorized to sell the hay on the society's grounds.

Inspector Deming accompanied by Constables Holyoke and Ryan visited Waterville and Hartland, July 12, where picnics were being held. Some of the home made beer on sale was sampled. They did not find any violation of the prohibition law during their trip.

## TRACTORS IN GREAT BRITAIN

In connection with the completion of shipment of 6,000 Fordson tractors to Great Britain by Henry Ford & Son, it is interesting to notice that Messrs. Ford's London Manager, Percival Perry, has been knighted by the Imperial Government for his services in connection with the sale, importation and distribution of this most wonderful tractor. It is conceded that the importation of these tractors into Great Britain at this critical time will do more than any other one agency toward providing the Mother Country the coming season.

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## SACRED CONCERT A RARE TREAT

(Continued from Page One.) followed His Honor Judge Carleton gave a short address on the "Navy League" and his remarks were as usual listened to with deep attention. The Misses McPhail and Dickinson opened the second part of the program in a duet number which was one of the jewels of the evening. Miss McPhail's rich soprano blended most beautifully with the excellent quality of Miss Dickinson's alto and the combination brought the audience to a realization of the fact that they were listening to something more than worth while and an encore was demanded.

The violin solo by Miss Everett added variety and enhanced the value of the program to a great extent, and she easily won the plaudits of the audience who once again insisted on an encore.

The next on the program was Mr. S. C. Hurley and his recital of a tabloid version of Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice" came as a distinct surprise to the audience, who had no idea that the genial manager of the Hayden-Gibson was endowed with such marked histrionic ability. His Shylock was admirably done and displayed the art of a close student of the immortal bard. As an encore Mr. Hurley recited a pretty legend of Breton, "Ave Maria". His work was most favorably commented on and the reception he was accorded must surely have been gratifying as it was quite evident he has made many friends in Woodstock during the short time he has been here. The program closed with a piano solo by Mr. Bayard Currie, a St. John boy who proved himself to be a master of the piano. His opening

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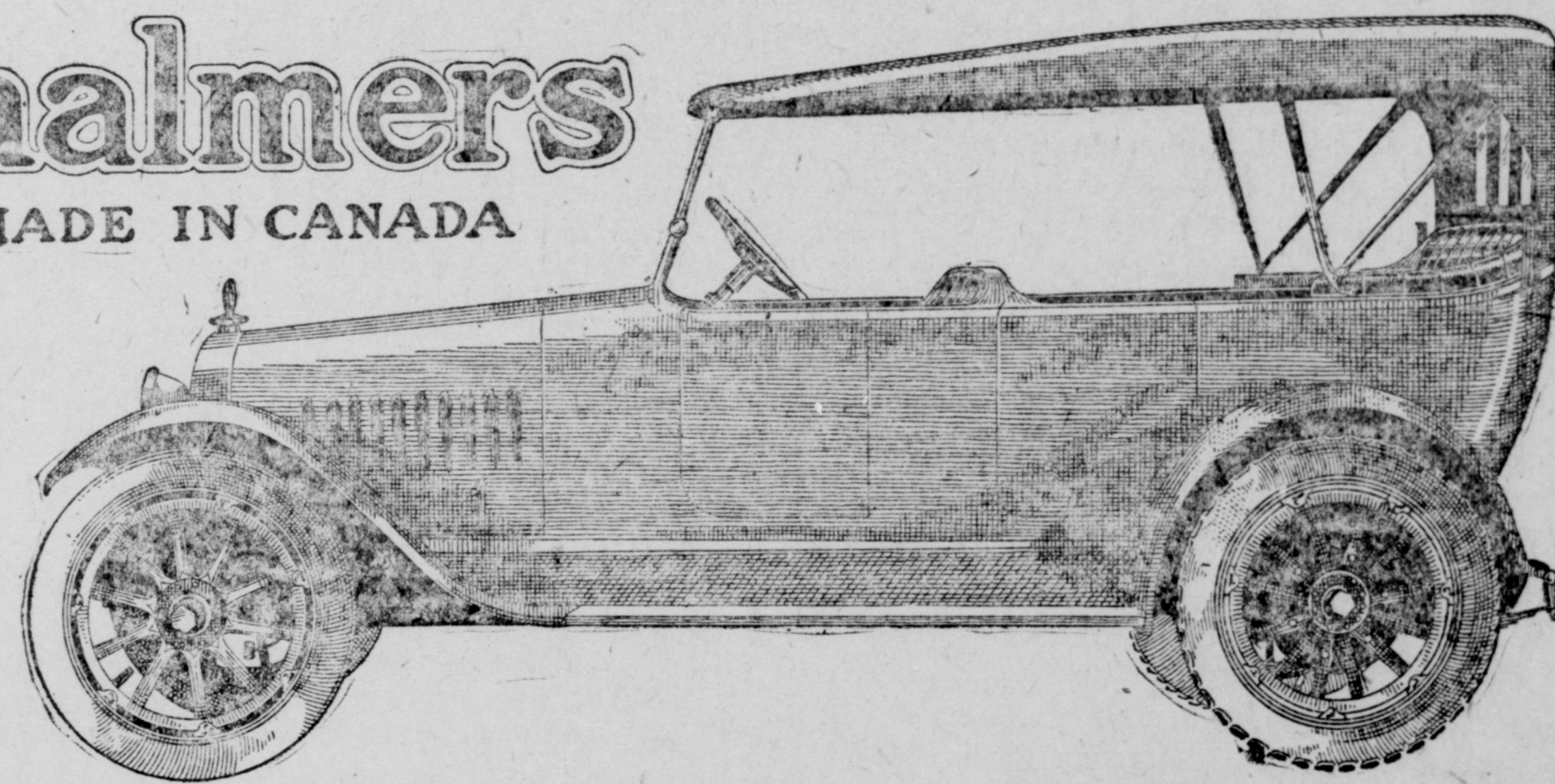
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