

The Rexall Stores CANADA'S FAVORITE DRUGS

What will you give for Christmas?

Talk of Christmas and Gift Giving may seem somewhat premature at first thought, but when one considers that Christmas is but a few weeks away, it begins to look as though we ought to be getting ready or at least looking around to see where the best selections are.

It will pay you to watch our regular advertisements from week to week and keep posted on what we will be showing for the Holiday Season.

This year we have planned to lead in:

- Toilet Articles Ebony Goods Safety Razors Perfumes Parian Ivory Manicure Sets

as we have already placed orders far in excess of anything ever shown in our line in town.

Watch Our Windows, it will pay you when making selections

BOYS' DRUG STORE The Rexall Store PEMBERKE, ONT

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WANTED MEN FOR GUARD DUTY PETAWAWA CAMP Apply to GRENADIER GUARDS RECRUITING OFFICE PEMBERKE, Ontario

Local News Items

Miss Alma Beatty is attending a meeting of librarians in Ottawa.

Rev. Fathers Dagnens and Murray of Coulongue were visitors in town yesterday.

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Because of lack of space in this issue we find it necessary to hold over until next week the list of contributors to the shower.

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A friend in town who sent tobacco through the Overseas Club to Pte. S. Simmons, prisoner of war at Glessen, Germany, has received acknowledgment of same, and a card also from another prisoner with whom Pte. Simmons shared the gift.

Some members of the Curling Club have spoken to the Observer this week asking us to urge that the rink be opened to the members in order that its social advantages may be available now that the cold weather has arrived.

Kryptok Lense With "CONSUL" MOUNTINGS THE ACME OF EYE-GLASS PERFECTION

W. T. C. BETHEL, Opt. D. PEMBERKE, ONT.

Rev. Father Lorant is spending a few days in Montreal this week. The Alexandra Club will meet on Saturday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Desros.

The engagement is announced of Mr. A. R. Mellander, of Pembroke, late of the C. N. R. engineering department, to Miss Gertrude, daughter of Mr. E. G. Millidge, District Engineer, Department of Public Works, and Mrs. Millidge, of Kootenai, N.S. The wedding will take place early next summer.

A visit to Pembroke this week was made by Walter D. McDonald, of Bismarck, N.D., who came to see his father, Mr. T. McDonald, and other friends. Mr. McDonald, who has prospered in Uncle Sam's dot-com here, was here for the first time in 12 years since his last visit.

In Police Court this week Joe Tetu, for assault on a Greek named Dookas was fined \$5, and J. Robin, for assault on a German, was fined \$5 and arrested at Petawawa charging with indecent assault, was remanded to jail.

The change in the management of the Grand Opera House went into effect on Monday, the new management being Messrs. Kistak and Roberts, of Toronto, who are understood to have purchased Mr. T. Kistak's interest in the opera house.

Messrs. Jas. Jones and W. C. Keighly while hunting at Mackey's quarry from Pembroke, killed four deer in as many minutes. The dogs started half a dozen in the early morning and Mr. Keighly shot one of them, while Mr. Jones brought down three more almost one by each other.

The installation of the newly-elected officers of Pembroke K.O. Club took place at the home of District Deputy Dr. P. J. Dodd as installing officer.

His many friends in Pembroke will be glad to hear of the progress of the work of the bank.

The clerk River correspondent writes to say that it was with great pleasure the people of that village learned of the death of Mr. MacDermid of Pembroke, last week.

Edison's latest and greatest invention, the Edison Diamond Disc Gramophone, which will keep the Edison Phonograph and Music Department of The Grigg Book and Stationery.

The Pembroke Woollen Mills, Limited, received a few days ago another order for \$65,000 worth of war blankets, which will keep the plant humming to capacity for some months to come.

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Mr. Martin, Enright, who until a few months ago conducted a barber shop in Pembroke, when he sold out to Mr. A. Primos, is, we understand, going to locate in Renfrew, where he has purchased a barber shop.

I have just received two cartloads of choice Winter Apples—Baldwins, Russets, Van Buren's, Sprys—\$2.50 per bushel.

Since Monday evening the atmosphere here has been decidedly cold and winter has seemed appreciably nearer. The frost has been down for the first time since the beginning of the year, and at this time in respect at least the season is later than it has been for many years.

The Fall Assizes were concluded in Pembroke on Friday last. In the case of Jamieson vs. the C. P. R., in which Mr. Jamieson, a Horton farmer, sued for damages on a claim that sparks from an engine had caused the burning of his outbuilding.

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That 24 hours after war was declared the debt which had been accumulating for 150 years had been increased, it is now, however, mountains high, and we as a people are trying to do something to repay it.

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PATRIOTISM!

Does it ever strike you that "Patriotism" is a big word and very hard to live up to; but I am proud to say that the majority of our good citizens of Pembroke try and reach what is demanded by the word, though again, I regret that we have a few narrow, would-be "Patriots" who do not try to live up to what the word demands, who can see nothing but their personal interests going to smash, and failure and ruin to the cause of the Allies, and that the British Empire is on its last legs, while nothing but ruin awaits us "Canadians" because we're British.

I would like to say here to one of the above that he may boast, on account of freedom of speech allowed in Canada, that "Germany will be in Canada and Pembroke in a year"—but I can tell him that Germany will never reach Canada, as Britain Rules the Waves and that the Cause of the Allies is just and right. They are fighting for world freedom and will succeed, and that, I hope, very soon.

At Home we are doing our "Bit" by conducting business as usual and you are always a welcome visitor to this store—especially our Ready-to-Wear Department—where we have a complete range of

Heavy Winter Top Coats for Ladies and Misses, \$5 to \$30. New Suits New Blouses

H. S. BOWDEN Be Loyal To Your Own Community

Clock Talk

In buying Clocks the public regard the outward appearance or show that the case makes without giving proper thought to its Mechanical Perfection, the vital part of the Clock.

Clocks that do not keep perfect time are an aggravation, and one that emits harsh grinding sounds in striking is grating on the nerves.

Our clocks are mechanically perfect and are encased as elaborately as the prices asked for them.

- FIRST, THE MECHANISM SECOND, THE APPEARANCE THIRD, THE PRICE

These three constitute a harmonious whole that makes it to your best interest to buy clocks here.

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The Farmers' Institute and the local Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture are co-operating to hold Short Courses in stock-raising at Cobden and Douglass at an early date.

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