

Nuptial Notes

MURPHY-MALCOLM
The following will be interesting to many Brantfordites:
A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Francis' Roman Catholic Church yesterday by the Rev. Wm. McCann, when Miss Mary Malcolm was married to Mr. Frank Murphy.

Junior Hospital Aid

The first business meeting of the Junior Hospital Aid for the Fall season was held in the Y. W. C. A. on Wednesday, Sept. 22, the president, Miss Freston, presiding, and twenty members being present. The minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved.

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Toronto, Sept. 23.—The extensive and predominant part played by the late Lord Strathcona in the world of Canadian finance are revealed by the copy of the late High Commissioner's will which has reached Toronto for probate in the Surrogate Court of Ontario. The gross value of the estate is shown to be approximately \$28,000,000, but of this the amount of property held in Ontario, \$250,000 is comparatively small.

BALKANS SCENE OF CEASELESS INTRIGUE WORK

Daily News Despatch Tells of Germany's Efforts Since War Started.

London, Sept. 23 (In Montreal Gazette)—The Daily News says: "Bulgaria has been the centre of ceaseless German intrigue in the Balkans ever since the war broke out, and latterly, especially, the Kaiser has lavished flattery on Ferdinand. In August Prince Hohenzoln bore an autograph from his Imperial master to the ear of the Bulgarians, in which the Kaiser remarked he regarded the Bulgarian nation as the most vigorous of all the Balkan races and wished to strengthen his friendship with it."

SULPHURIC ACID SCANDAL GETS INTO DAYLIGHT

London Globe Gives Details of Rather Queer Contract.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, Sept. 23.—Great prominence is given by "The Globe" to-day to what it describes as the scandal of sulphuric acid. In the spring of this year, for reasons believed to be good and sufficient, doubtless, but which we hope will be made the subject of an inquiry by the House of Commons, says "The Globe," the firm of C. Tennant Sons and Company remotely connected in a familiar sense with a member of the cabinet, was commissioned to buy large quantities of sulphuric acid in America. Why no attempt was made to secure acid in this country we will not stop to inquire.

Completes First Lap.

Oswego, N.C., Sept. 23.—The Curtiss flying boat, which is attempting a record flight of 800 miles in continuous over-water trip by flying twice from Toronto, Oswego and return, completed the first leg of the trip to-day when it reached the entrance of Oswego harbor at 8:48 a.m. The craft was flying about 1800 feet above the water when it appeared here.

Don't Forget.

The Six Nations Agricultural Society Fair to be held on Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1, 1915. Good purses for trotting and pacing to be run under the rules of the Canadian Trotting and Pacing Association.



May Bell marks who has been playing to crowded houses in Hamilton, comes here with her company at the Grand Opera House for the week from Monday, the 27th to Saturday, October 2nd. High-class repertoire and vaudeville will be presented and popular prices prevail.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Mrs. M. F. Muir left on Tuesday for a three weeks' visit in Chicago.

Judge Hardy is absent in St. Catharines, acting as arbitrator on a suit Merritt versus the City in connection with lands.

Lieut. J. A. Pearce of the 58th Battalion, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is recuperating at his home here.

Mr. W. A. H. Hayes, agent G. T. R. at Canfield Junction, and Mrs. Hayes, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betts, Ontario street, during the week.

Master James Tallock, Lock Road, Echo Place, entertained a dozen little friends Tuesday, Sept. 21st from six to eight. It being "Jim's" seventh birthday he was kindly remembered by his friends. The time was spent in games and music until the tea hour.

Obituary

KATHLEEN JORDAN
Kathleen, the 9 months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordan died yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow from the family residence 33 Ontario street to Mount Hope cemetery.

BREWER.
The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Frederic Brewer of Cainsville. The late Mrs. Brewer leaves to mourn her loss a husband, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, as well as three brothers and five sisters, all of Wesley Methodist Church. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon to Mount Hope cemetery.

WOODCOCK.
Winnifred Laura, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Woodcock, 87 Port Street, died on Tuesday evening. The funeral took place this afternoon to Mount Hope cemetery. The Rev. Mr. North of Gospel Tabernacle, conducting the services.

BRITISH M. P. PUTS NUMBER DOWN AS FIFTY, AND ASKS QUESTION.
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LOSS IS 80 PER CENT.
Providence, R. I., Sept. 23.—The Providence Journal says this morning: The reason why the German Government has consented to change its submarine methods is because more than 80 per cent of the submarines have been destroyed and its undersea warfare brought to complete failure within the past two months.

FOUR MONTHS HARVEST.
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Montreal, Sept. 23.—While indications are that the Intercollegiate Rugby Football Union will suspend operations this Fall, the final decision will not be made until Saturday at a meeting to be held in Kingston when the question will be settled. Mc Gill are very anxious to continue the usual schedule, but Toronto Varsity are equally determined to discontinue football for this year.

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Ottawa, Sept. 23.—Sir Robert Borden leaves Ottawa Friday evening for his visit to Toronto and Niagara. He will be accompanied to Toronto by Lady Borden.

The Prime Minister will be at Niagara for a review of the troops on Saturday. He expects to reach Toronto on Sunday morning. His plans have been enlarged so that instead of returning to Ottawa immediately after the Toronto meeting Monday night he will divide a day between

London and Hamilton, speaking at London on Tuesday afternoon and at Hamilton in the evening. He will return to Toronto from Hamilton in time to catch the night train for Ottawa, reaching the capital Wednesday morning.

Ready for Offensive.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Rotterdam, Sept. 23.—During the past week the German positions in Belgium have been heavily reinforced, while the fortifications at Lille, in France, have been restored and strengthened. It is reported that these precautions have been taken in anticipation of a possible general offensive on the part of the entente allies along the western line before the autumn rains begin.

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