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EIGHT CASES IN COUNTY COURT ARE ON DOCKET

There are eight cases to come up for hearing when the County Court of Brant, Jury Sittings opens, Tuesday, December 8th, before His Honor Judge Hardy. Three cases are for the jury and five are non-jury hearings.

The following is list of the cases, and a brief summary of the ground of action:

Nathaniel D. Neill v. A. Brandon of the Brandon Shoe Company. Plaintiff alleges that he helped to set up the defendant in business in the city and in respect of his services was to be remunerated with shares to the value of \$600 in the company. This is denied by the defendant who claims he was asked to begin business here by the Industrial Board, and that they subscribed his capital, with which Neill had nothing to do.

Evans v. Lake Erie and Northern Railway--Harry Evans well known as the boatman proprietor near the Lorne Bridge sues the Railway for loss to business owing to their wrongful entry to the lands. He asks for \$500 damages and costs. The railway company deny that he had any lease of the premises, and say that their action was taken with his consent. They claim that this should be settled by arbitration.

Coch v. Schultz--This case arose through the alleged negligence of the Schultz Bros firm in allowing trucks to remain unsecured, fastened, one of them having run over and severely injured Jarvis Coch, a three year infant, who sues through his father. Five hundred dollars is asked for. Defendants deny liability, alleging that the child was trespassing.

Thomas Warden v. Samuel Harper and Son--This is a builder and contractors dispute over prices in the erection of a house on Mintern Ave.

John Gott v. Township of Burford--John Gott, who is a commercial traveller, claims damages from the township in respect of injuries sustained while motoring near Paris. He was precipitated into a ravine which ran across the road. He asks for \$1,500 damages. The Township deny negligence and say that the accident was avoidable but for excessive speed.

G. H. Lottridge v. C. Hornung of the Ontario Wind Engine and Pump Co.--Lottridge is a farmer who bought windmills from the defendants who guaranteed they would work for three years. They did not and defendants did not repair them as promised, and he, therefore, takes action. The company alleges default in payment for the windmills.

Cockshutt Plow Co. v. Joseph P. Denham--Plaintiff's Company claim \$75 for goods sold and delivered. Defendant says the goods were not up to contract.

James Dutton v. Grant, Campbell & Co.--Dutton is a farmer and claims \$300 for rental of a portion of his farm by defendants, who are railway contractors. Defendants bring into court \$45 and claim that that is sufficient to reimburse the plaintiff.

Ovation For King BY THE BRITISH TROOPS IN FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 3--President Poincaré, accompanied by Premier Viviani and General Joffre, met King George yesterday at the British headquarters. After a long conversation the King and the President departed in an open automobile for a tour behind the British lines. They received a great ovation from the troops and the inhabitants of the villages through which they passed.

The day was passed with the British troops. In the evening King George gave a dinner at the headquarters to the president, the premier, Gen. Foch, the Prince of Wales, Gen. Duparquet and Cois. Huguet and Penelon. General Joffre was compelled to return to his own headquarters before the dinner.

President Poincaré and Premier Viviani left for Paris during the night, arriving in the morning.

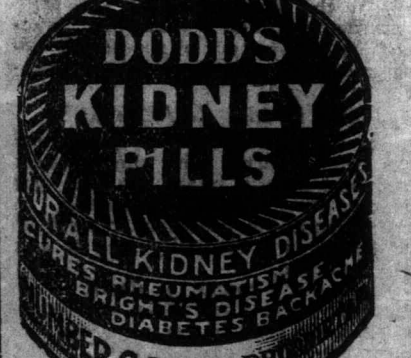
Victorian Order

The Victorian Order of Nurses held their regular meeting in the public library on December 2nd. This being the last meeting of the financial year, a number of matters were reported on and discussed.

Three nurses of the order are kept busy in Brantford, night and day, as the following report shows:

Number of new cases, 72.
Total cases nursed during the month, 95.
Average daily hours on duty, 8 1/2.
Average Sunday hours on duty, 4 1/2.
Total number of night cases, 13.
Operations, 9; confinement, 24;
nursing visits during month, 415;
casual visits, 36.

Ormond E. Baptiste, a Jamaican waiter, who has been out of work and starving, committed suicide by a revolver shot.



Notes On the War

By An Unmilitary Critic

The First Thing we know the Kaiser will get mad and strike Paris, Calais and Warsaw from his visiting list.

No less a poet than Robert Browning rhymed "malice" with "Calais." It may be all right for Browning to pull off a rhyme like that, but none of the amateur war poets operating to-day could get away with it.

The fact that the Crown Prince is still alive, after being in several battles is another vindication of the popular slogan of the Imperial family--"Safety First."

It was the Washington Post that had to point out the cruelty of killing Turkish soldiers because they leave so many widows behind them.

A JULY DAY.
Another Small Batch of Russian Prisoners Captured in the Iron Cross. Special to Count von Bernstorff.

BERLIN, Nov. 30 (via Sayville)--Things were very quiet to-day, and we captured only 4,000,000,000,000,000 Russian prisoners.

The Emperor has bestowed the Iron Cross on Fritz von Seezenhelm for bravely finding a package of cigaretttes lost by the Crown Prince.--S.T.L.

Anyway, the Kaiser is not traving to Calais fast enough to break into the joy-riders class.

WAR LOSSES.
The German merchant marine has lost 89 per cent. of its shipping, and the British 2 per cent. Delving a little further into statistics, we learn that the Kaiser has lost 11.9 per cent. of his moustache.

Just to show that it is thoroughly up to date, the Berlin War Office has not yet announced that the Japs have captured a Tatu.

Berlin points that it still admires Shakespeare. Of course, Any dead English is popular in Berlin.

The rumor is not officially confirmed, but it is believed to be reasonably true that the two armies are knocking Flanders into flinders.

WINNING THE V. C.
A V. C. man in the British army is one who wears the Victoria Cross. A V. C. man in the American army is one who spent the summer months at Vera Cruz.

We don't know who counted the 40,000 Russians the Germans say they captured in Poland, but he evidently didn't overlook anybody.

Germany's imports from America last October were \$70,000,000 worth. That's a big sum for a year ago. That \$70,000,000 must have slipped through during a dense North Sea fog.

After breaking through the Verdun forts, marching through France and capturing Calais and Paris, the Crown Prince is now fighting the Russians back near Petrograd.

The "Statz Zeitung" is the paper to read on this matter. It is a moratorium on its Kultur.

Laid at Rest

LATE ORA WOODLEY
The funeral of the late Ora Woodley, took place yesterday at Mount Hope cemetery upon the arrival of the remains at the Grand Trunk station from Hamilton, where death occurred, by special car. Rev. Clifford Loney conducted the last ceremonies over the body, before many friends of the deceased.

The pallbearers were: Walter Lams, William Newell and Wilfred Sterne, Edgar Woodley and J. Greiner.

VERY BRIEF TO-DAY.

BERLIN, via London, Dec. 3, 10 p.m.--To-day's official statement was limited to the following brief announcement: "In neither theatre of war has anything of importance happened."

EMPEROR CONFERS.

BERLIN, Dec. 3, via London, 2:55--Emperor William yesterday had a conference at Breslau in Silesia with Archduke Frederick, commander-in-chief of the Austro-Hungarian army, according to a telegram received here to-day at general headquarters. Archduke Charles Francis, heir to the throne and General Von Hottendorf, chief of the general staff also were present. Later Emperor William visited a military hospital at Breslau.

TURKS IN MUTINY.

LONDON, Dec. 3--The correspondent of the daily News at Rome, telegraphs: "The report of the mutiny of the garrison at Adrianople is confirmed. Telegraphic communication with Beirut has been cut off and navigation has been suspended."

GERMANY'S CLAIM TO OVERLORDSHIP.

London Daily Telegraph: Since the war-cloud burst three months ago there has been a very notable outpouring of that German spirit which made the war. Under the influence of the emotions of the situations, both pride and the fear of ridicule have been overcome, and we have had the gravest and most responsible among our enemies openly putting forward the monstrous claim that Germany should rule the world as of right, founding that pretension upon an equally monstrous claim to higher civilization and profounder culture than exists outside the bounds of the Kaiser's Empire. The inconceivable arrogance of this would have been merely laughable if it had not been backed up by the most revolting and barbarous efforts of brute force that have been recorded in the annals of modern warfare.

Social and Personal

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

Mr. A. M. Harley was a business visitor in Tillsonburg yesterday.

Miss Leita Peterson is at present the guest of Hamilton friends.

Walter J. Haugh is visiting for a few days in the city from St. Thomas.

T. Moore, of Niagara Falls, is to-day a visitor in the city.

Miss Miriam Adams has returned to her home in Chatham after a sojourn in the city with friends.

A. W. Cope of Montreal, who has been visiting in this city, left this morning for Quebec.

Mrs. Roy M. Cook (nee Mons F. Bachelor) who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Bachelor, for the past few months, returned to Quebec on Monday. Mrs. Cook was accompanied by Miss E. Bachelor, who will remain with her for the winter.

Judge Hardy on Tuesday celebrated the anniversary of his wedding, and the Library Board, which met that day, decided to observe the event, and passed the following resolution: "That the Board desires to offer the felicitation and congratulation to His Honor, Judge and Mrs. Hardy, of the 20th anniversary of their wedding to-day, and to wish them a long, prosperous and happy life."

TRADES AND LABOR

Various Matters Were Disposed of at Meeting Last Night.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council took place last evening and was fairly well attended by the delegates.

The committee appointed at the last meeting to look into the question of starting the manufacturing of toys, etc., reported that they had met Mr. Marks of the Toronto branch of this business, and also that one of their number had visited Toronto to look the proposition over. They were now awaiting samples of the different lines which it is proposed to make, in order to make a start. In Toronto, it was pointed out, that the laboring men having this thing in hand, had been a first cost, but this price was deemed to be too high, and the committee were again authorized to continue negotiations and report later.

Credentials were received from the United Garment Workers union of this city, and the following delegates to the council were introduced and seated: Mrs. Huggins, Delia Lethbridge, Helen Spinks, Olive Thompson, Elsie Moorley and Mr. Hepton.

Credentials were also received from the Electrical Workers union for the following delegates: J. Finnerly, N. W. Livingston, T. O'Connell, etc.

Among the topics that came up for general discussion was one that was in relation to the Gas Company, the supplying of pure gas, the different charges for their meters, and the demanding of a deposit before installing gas in houses, were among the many irregularities claimed by some of those present. A committee will interview the company and try to get some light upon the various subjects.

HELPS TO PROLONG THE WAR

The Broad Arrow--There can be no doubt that while Germans now regretfully admit the abnormally high quality of the British troops, they comfort themselves by the reflection that their numbers are not merely small, but that they cannot readily be augmented. This is a delusion which, continuously entertained, helps to prolong the war, and it is one which can only be shattered by our own young men abandoning their own cherished delusion that they won't be wanted.

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