

# THE REAL TEST

There is no surer test of the real success of the management of a Life Company than the feeling of its clients, the policyholders, towards it.

## How the Canada Life Stands the Test

The Company is constantly receiving letters expressing gratification for increasing policy dividends, appreciation of generous treatment by the management, or grateful thanks for prompt payment of claims.

### In Illustration

A CHICAGO BANK PRESIDENT lately wrote: "This dividend is particularly gratifying . . . and reflects great credit on the management of your good Company."

SIR WILLIAM WHYTE'S EXECUTOR wrote: "I have to thank you very cordially for the promptitude with which you settled our claim."

A PHILADELPHIA POLICYHOLDER says: "Your methods seem to make a friend of a policyholder, and I assure you that after dealing with your company fifteen years or more, I feel enthusiastic of your worth and kind treatment."

These letters are not exceptional; they are typical of those being received nearly every day.

Herbert C. Cox

President & General Manager

Schmidt & Lindsay, Agents BRANTFORD ONT.



### Social and Personal

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

Mrs. Arthur Roberts and children have returned home after spending two weeks at Waterford and Windham centre.

Mrs. J. H. Flock of Lynnville, and Mrs. Charles Schier and little daughter, Grettie of Dunville, spent a couple of days the guest of Mrs. Arthur Roberts, 45 Sheridan St.

On Tuesday night last a number of friends of Mrs. Luke White gave her a surprise party at her home, 42 Eagle Avenue. A very pleasant evening was spent in games, music, etc.

### Austrian's Case Thrown Out

The case of Jarus Croch, an Austrian, was thrown out of court yesterday on the evidence, when the case was heard by His Honor Judge Hardy. The plaintiff, a 3-year-old child, sued the Schultz Bros Company through his father. The point of nationality was raised and it was claimed that the plaintiffs being enemies of the country had no legal rights. His Honor overruled this and gave an interim judgment that the case could be proceeded with in the meantime. However, the evidence showed that the child was on the Schultz Bros property when it was struck by the truck and on this ground it was held that there was no claim against the company. The case was therefore, thrown out.

The case of Warden v. S. S. Harper and Son was next under the attention of the court and it was still being heard at noon to-day when the court adjourned. It concerns a building contract between the parties which is disputed. W. Charlton is appearing for the plaintiffs and James and A. M. Harley for the defendants.

A FORCED VOYAGE  
NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Because a storm was raging at Liverpool when the Steamer Megantic sailed for New York, J. Ankers reached here to-day, completing half of a six thousand mile voyage across the Atlantic and back which he had no intention of taking. Ankers is a Liverpool pilot. He could not be landed when the Megantic left Liverpool because of the storm, and had to remain aboard the ship.

LOAN PLACED HERE  
LONDON, Dec. 10.—A Canadian banker states that of the £350,000,000 war loan, Canadian banks secured £20,000,000.

Hamilton city obtained an order from Mr. James Riddell allowing it to take preliminary steps towards submitting a license reduction by-law.

### A MASTER WORK OF SONG MUSIC.

During our remarkable distribution of "Heart Songs"—the greatest single-volume song collection ever published—we have come into personal contact with hundreds of our readers. This is one feature that has been especially agreeable to us, since we have come to know that they are among the most refined and cultured classes of this community. That we have been able to render them a service, and provide them with a means of enjoyment that will last for years, is also a matter of congratulation to ourselves. We have only one regret, and that is, that we are unable to renew our contract for more "Heart Songs." Unless we are greatly mistaken, the number on hand will barely satisfy the coupons yet to be presented. These latter are printed each day in the paper.

Two million Jews are reported to have been driven out of Poland by the hostilities there.

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## MAKE THIS YOUR HEADQUARTERS FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING!

Don't leave your shopping to the last minute, but commence now. Only two weeks more before Xmas

### GIFTS FOR MEN

Umbrellas, Gloves, Ties, Collars, Braces, Hose, Shirts, Underwear, Sweater Coats, Mitts, Handkerchiefs, all nicely put in separate boxes; Comb and Brush Sets.

### GIFTS FOR WOMEN

Handkerchiefs, Ties, Gloves, Silk or Cashmere Hose, Hand Bags, Sweater Coats, Silk Waists, Underskirts, Mufflers, a nice piece of Fur or Fur Set, a Dress or Waist Length of Silk, Dressing Sets, etc.

## SPECIAL PRICES ON CUT GLASS

All Cut Glass, as Water Pitchers, Berry Dishes, Salad Dishes, Spoon Trays, Salt and Pepper Sets, ALL TO CLEAR AT SPECIAL PRICES.

25c Cups and Saucers to Clear at 15c

\$1.75 Black Satin \$1.25

1 piece only Black Duchess Satin, full 36 in. wide, rich bright finish. Regular \$1.75. Special \$1.25

\$1.35 Black Paillette \$1

2 pieces Black Paillette, 35 and 36 in. wide, elegant wearing qualities. Worth \$1.35. Special \$1.00

\$2 and \$3 Silks \$1

300 yards Fancy Silks to clear at \$1.00

\$1 Velvet Corduroy 59c

10 pieces Velvet Corduroy, 27 in. wide, in black and colors. Special \$1.00

## J. M. YOUNG & CO.

### GRAND JURY REPORT GIVEN

The Grand Jury, which was charged by Judge Hardy, at the opening of the County Court of the County of Brant, returned last night and drew up their report, which found every satisfactory, and was as follows: To His Honour, Alexander David Hardy, Judge of the County Court, County of Brant: May it Please Your Honour: We the Grand Jurors at this sitting of the County Court, beg to report as follows: We congratulate Your Honour on the fact that there are no criminal cases on the calendar, which is marked evidence of good citizenship and of strict adherence to law and order on the part of the populace throughout the jurisdiction of this Court. We first visited the gaol, where we found everything in good order, indicating efficiency on the part of the

officials in their respective positions. We would recommend however, that the shed in the goal-yard be replaced by a more substantial one which would not only add dignity to the premises, but would also eliminate fire risk. We next visited the House of Refuge, the good management of which is everywhere apparent. We would suggest however, that the floors be replaced with hardwood ones as soon as possible, as those now in the building are unsanitary and so rough as to possibly cause injury to the inmates. We next visited the Brant Sanitarium which building is beautifully situated and up-to-date in every way. The staff is thoroughly efficient and any one needing treatment for the disease which is treated at this Institution is sure to find the best of care and attention there. All of which is respectfully submitted. Signed on behalf of the Grand Jury, J. HARVEY CLEMENT, Foreman. Grand Jury Room, Brantford, December 9th, 1914.

### REDUCED FARES TO TORONTO DEC. 10, 11, 12, ON ACCOUNT "FAT STOCK SHOW."

The Grand Trunk Railway will sell return tickets to Toronto from stations in Canada, Kingston, Renfrew and West, thereof at fare and-a-third, good going p.m. trains December 10th and 12th, account Toronto "Fat Stock Show." All tickets valid for return until Monday, December 14th, 1914. Full particulars and tickets at Grand Trunk ticket offices.

### TOYS HELD UP.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 10.—A shipment of toys for a Halifax store has been held by the customs pending satisfactory proof regarding its origin. The toys are said to be of German manufacture, but were purchased in New York from a firm there. The owners will be required to show that the toys were not shipped from Germany after August 4. In the absence of such proof the toys are subject to confiscation.

## Cosy Slippers

NOW, don't you think that maybe Mother, or perhaps Father, would like a pair of good, warm, cosy House Slippers? We have the newest designs that can be bought, and we sell them at low prices. Now, we think perhaps Brother or Sister would appreciate a pair of Evening Pumps or Slippers. We have them in all styles. We have the best line of Leather Goods in the city at the lowest prices.

## Coles' Shoe Co.

Brantford's "Better" Shoe Store  
PHONE 474 122 COLBORNE STREET  
THIS IS A CONTEST STORE—SAVE THE COUPONS

### Xmas Presents Arriving Daily!

Come in and see our Xmas Stock before the rush. We have already laid away a great many articles for Xmas. A small deposit will hold your selection for Xmas. No extra charge for Engraving.

E.H. Newman & Sons  
Opposite Crompton's  
Grand Trunk Railway  
WATCH INSPECTORS

### Lodge Notes

SALISBURY LODGE  
Salisbury Lodge last night elected officers for the year and there was an enthusiastic meeting which could not refrain from singing "Rule Britannia." The officers are as follows: P. President, Chas. Uden; president A. B. Lee; vice-president, A. S. Pickles; financial secretary, A. J. Stevens; assist. secretary, T. H. Chamberlain; treasurer, Jno. H. Adams; committee, N. Row, F. W. Marks, Jno. W. Patte, R. Ward; inside guard, E. B. Row; outside guard, F. Cutmore; physician, A. J. Herwood; Auditors, C. P. Coles, Tom Brown, W. H. Walsh; pianist, A. Ramsbottom; Trustees, R. E. Yeates, C. B. Hitchon; Fred Short; Juvenile Committee: E. Uden, E. B. Rowe, H. Fellden, F. Gibbs. There were two new members initiated last night and the outlook for 1915 is very encouraging, for Salisbury expects every man will do his duty.

ST. BASIL'S COURT  
The annual election of officers of the St. Basil's Court, Catholic Order of Foresters, was held on Tuesday, Dec. 8th, resulting as follows: Spiritual Director—Rev. Father Doyle. Chief Ranger—W. F. Kelly. Vice C. R.—J. C. Waller. Past C. R.—W. J. Hampel. Treasurer—John Ryan.

### PLEASING EVENT

Field Glasses Presented to Brantford Officers at Toronto Yesterday.

A pleasing event took place at Toronto concentration camp yesterday when on behalf of the city of Brantford, the Brantford officers were presented with field glasses. The presentation was made by Mr. W. P. Cocksbutt, M.P., who was accompanied by Mayor Spence, Ald. Ryerson and Pitcher. Mr. Cocksbutt voiced the sentiment of the city when he expressed satisfaction that the officers had answered the call of the country, and it was felt that the officers entrusted with the lives of men could not be too completely equipped. Mr. Cocksbutt trusted that they would have a safe and successful return and that their mission would be accomplished in full. Mayor Spence and both Ald. Pitcher and Ryerson made pleasing speeches. Replies were made by Capt. Newman and Lieut. George Cocksbutt, who accepted the gift in behalf of other officers unable to be present. The Brantford visitors were shown through the camp and were greatly surprised at the excellence of all the arrangements and the comfort of the troops. Friends of Lieut. Dickson will regret to hear, as in the hospital at Toronto, and will be forced to undergo an operation. It is not thought to be serious, however.

8100 REWARD SIOO.  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. The Labor Department reports practically no men on strike now throughout the Dominion. One traveling unknown name, mysteriously disappeared from Simcoe, where he got off a Wabash train.

Watch Our Window for Special Bargains Our Aim is to Please

## MID-WINTER MILLINERY OPENING

WE have prepared new hats for the holiday season, which will be of much interest to you and your friends—among the assortment are new designs with fur trimmings, the transparent effect of gold and black lace, and smart toques in pretty military styles. The prices of these hats are moderate.

### Our Semi-Annual Sale Continues MANY HATS AT VERY LOW PRICES

Trimmed Hats from..... 98c to \$3.98  
Girls' Velvet Toques, trimmed..... 98c to \$1.98  
Children's Hats from..... 50c to \$1.98

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