

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

LICENSES ISSUED.

A number of license fees were paid at the City Hall this morning including those of C. L. Wong, restaurateur, Turnbull Elevator Co., electrical; W. Tipper and Son, plumbers.

ONLY ONE.

The Boy Scouts of Grace church are the only scouts in the city at present. They are going ahead at all speed with the assistance of scoutmaster, Reg Henwood, and the assistant scoutmaster, H. Guenther.

GRACE CHURCH CHIMES.

Good progress has been made with the erection of the Grace church tower and it has been stated on good authority that the new chimes will be installed in the edifice before the end of August.

RECOMES BACK.

Word was received in the city to-day that the stationing committee of the Hamilton conference, which closed its sessions to-night, had ignored the appeal of the Sydenham Street board and to Rev. Mr. Woltz, and have decided to send Pastor Snyder back to his old place.

The Courier yesterday in referring to the anniversary of the public burning of the two colored men, stated that the event would take place on Victoria Square. It has now been decided that the event will take place on the square near the Court House. The latter is a place of underbrush.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The correspondence which passed between the City Solicitor and George Hamilton re the gas situation, which resulted in a definite proposal to give Brantford a supply of gas immediately the construction permits, has been filed in the City Clerk's office.

CITY COUNCIL INVITED.

A hearty invitation is extended to the members of the Hydro-Electricity Association to attend the opening of the London and Port Stanley Railway, which will probably be held towards the end of June. The date has not yet been definitely fixed.

POST ORDERS.

Order No. 64. Referring to orders under 56 and 62 Company Leader and Colquhoun, retired, C. Com. Alexandra School, has qualified for a sum of 20 pounds for the posthumous medal presented by the National Strathcona Trust committee for competition by junior ex-soldiers. Thomas Bingle, Lieut.

PEERING IT UP.

Recruiting last night was good, and words of half a dozen men. One of the number three were found to be acceptable, and will now commence training the recruits of the regiment. The three whose names are now on Brantford's roll of honor are W. Sears, Thomas Sears, H. Eastman.

POSTOFFICE OPENING.

A preliminary talk was held yesterday on the arrangements to be made to welcome the Postmaster General, Mr. Casgrain, when he comes to the city to open the new post office on the 17th inst. Nothing was decided. Some fifty or sixty names are to be issued and a platform will be erected either inside or outside of the building from which speaking will take place. Mayor W. F. Cookshott, M. P., will be the chair, and after the ceremony a luncheon will be given, at which the honorable member and the Mayor will take charge of the guests, who will be conducted to the city. This is the general scheme as outlined by the committee, and it will be more definitely arranged at the next meeting of the committee.

FINE CATTLE.

There was a fine drove of cattle on the market this morning being weighed previous to shipment for Toronto and elsewhere.

OILING NOTICES.

Some nine hundred notices re. street oiling rates were sent out this morning by the city assessors.

FROM THE TRENCHES.

Private William Dawson, writing to Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard from the firing line in France states that he has recovered from a recent illness and is now back in the firing line. He closes his message with the sentence that all the Dragon boys are well.

GOOD RECORD.

Out of the 360 pupils from the schools who have received tuition at the "Y" swimming ponds, under Mr. George Mosley, 117 have passed the test. Six classes are thus held daily of school children in addition to the "Y" scheduled number of four.

DELEGATES CHOSEN.

The delegates who will represent the local Y.W.C.A. at the summer conference at Muskoka, which is annually held from June 23rd to July 2nd, have been chosen. They are a full list: L.W.T. Club—Misses Luell Elliott, Bessie Johnson and Evelyn Hext; Bible Classes—Miss Margaret Williams; Directorate—Miss M. Best.

Laid At Rest

JOHN EDWARD HOLLOWAY.
Tokens of sympathy and condolence have been showered upon the parents of the late John Edward Holloway, who passed away and was laid to rest in Mt. Hope cemetery yesterday, the funeral taking place from the family residence, 39 Winnet St. Numerous friends and friends of the family attended the obsequies, which were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Marshall of Oxford St. Methodist Church. The pall bearers were F. Feely, Douglas White, Norman Greenwood, Master Hicks, Harry McClelland and Lawrence Elliott.

The floral tributes, bearing a silent message of sympathy and hope were as follows: Broken circle, from the family; gates ajar, from Brantford Cordage Co.; wreath, Massey-Harris blacksmith shop. Sprays: R. M. C. A. boys' department, Grand River Lodge C.O.D.F., Ryerson school, Oxford Methodist Junior League, Oxford church choir, Oxford Sunday School Oxford Young Men's Bible Class, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neal, the Padfield family, Mr. S. Sudaby and family, Mr. and Mrs. McFears, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. R. M. Calbeck and family, Miss Alice Uden, A. and T. Gerrish, A. and R. Evans, Mrs. Pendlebury and son, Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Amos, Mr. S. M. Fadden and daughters, Mr. Elmer Davies, Mrs. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Shellard and family, Mr. Bert Rowen, Mr. and Mrs. Marshman, Mrs. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Indes, Mrs. Mattice.

MILITARY CLOTHES.

From the latest reports from spring resorts it is quite evident that we shall wear either linen or summer silk for morning. While there is much to be said for the fresh, crisp linens that bespeak coolness, if the truth must be confessed they are anything but cool, and the vote should go to the summer silk.

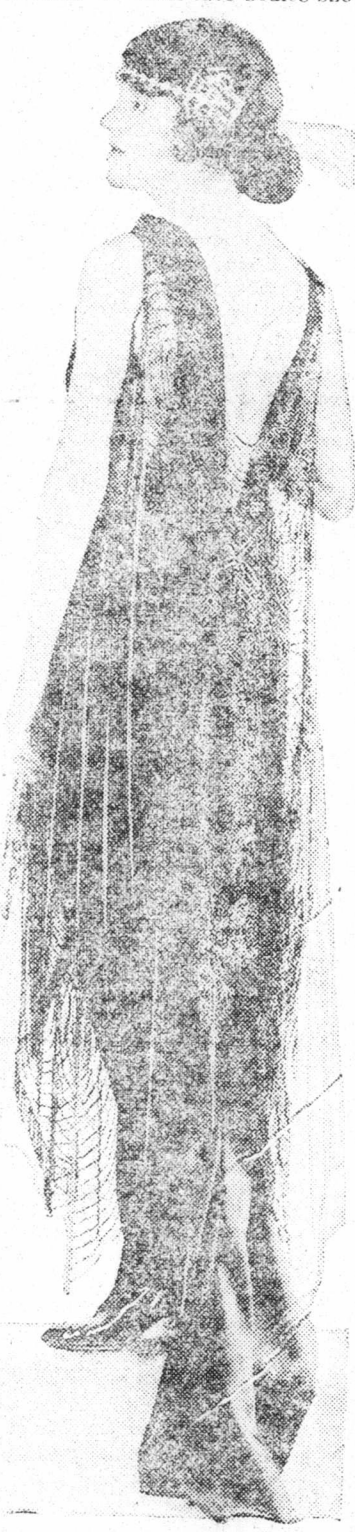
Now as to the method of fashioning the linen suits, they are to be the most military of all our clothes. Linen or mervelized cotton braids, frogs and buttons are to be employed in great quantities. The coats dip in the most approved fashion, are belted in the front and back or only at the sides and are black with white insets, all black, all white or white with black portions. Pockets have become necessary, trimming, should one say? Well, they are certainly in evidence. As many as four are used on a Norfolk suit.

Speaking of the Norfolk suit in linen it is to be a mighty attractive, made of white or the natural color linen. Waists made on the lines of the Norfolk jacket are to be popular also. A tailored waist of this sort is certainly practical for wear with the plain tailored skirt. A trig little morning affair for the woman who needs to market, go to town or especially suitable for the business girl.

There are two effects to be obtained by the ever popular Norfolk suit—that with a yoke and that without. With the three plait extending from the shoulder the line unbroken adds length to the stout figure, while the yoke is to be recommended for the very slender girl.

GORGEOUS FROCK.

Jet Sequins In Spider Web Effect. Make Handsome Evening Gown. Stunning in the extreme is this evening gown of jet sequins woven upon net in spider web effect. The under dress is a trained princess of blue satin, resembling the once popular Alice blue. A white lace bodice shows.



HANDSOME CREATION.

A Story of the Wayside.

Once upon a time a Traveler woke up in a valley and seen a bright face Young Man stannin' nigh, an' de Traveler axed him ter please show him whar his Happiness lived at, an' de Young Man said:

"You on de spot right now. It's whar you done had dat good rest last night. Mr. Happiness lives in de ground at yo' feet, an' w'en he hears de sound of yo' plov an' yo' pickax an' yo' hoe he'll come up an' almos' shake yo' two hands off—he'll be so glad ter see you!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Numbered Teaspoons.

Tea table etiquette was somewhat complicated in the days of that "hardened and shameless tea drinker," Dr. Johnson, when many people thought nothing of drinking ten or twelve cups at a sitting. It was considered proper for the cups and saucers of a party of tea drinkers to be all passed up to the hostess in one batch when replenishment was considered necessary, and in order that each person might be sure of getting back the right cup the teaspoons were numbered. When the cups were passed up those who did not require any more tea were supposed to place the spoon in the cup.—London Saturday Review.

Brilliant Mme. de Stael.

Mme. de Stael was about thirty-two years old when Bouilly wrote that she was neither imposing nor pleasing, but had "an eager, almost ravenous expression in the eyes and something masculine and assured in her countenance. Her lips were dry and arid, her movements and gestures imperious; her voice was sonorous and her utterance rapid and energetic." She gave him the idea, he adds, "of creative genius taking the form of a woman destitute of beauty." It is said that she loved nothing better than to place herself beside Mme. Recamier, thinking that this beauty made the best foil to her own brilliant wit and expressive countenance.

Taking After Father.

"It has its father's nose!" "And its mother's eyes!" "And Aunt Alice's mouth!" "And Uncle Ebenezer's ears!" Such, multiplied by about a hundred, were the criticisms leveled by kind friends against the charming Fitzboodie baby.

Then the unconcerned baby began to calmly chew his big toe.

"Ah!" murmured Mr. Fitzboodie. "Baby is certainly endowed with some of my wife's chief characteristics!"

"Not to mention you, Fritz Fitzboodie," snapped his wife. "Baby never opens his mouth without putting his foot in it!"

No Time For Art.

"Real high art," said a comedian, "seldom strikes home. I played in a melodrama in my youth where the leading characters were grand artists, but their best scenes were only scoffed at. Our villain had a death scene in the sixth act. He revealed in that scene. He writhed all over the stage. It was real high art! In a small town one night the scene shifter started to lower the slow curtain on his death march too soon. The dying villain, as he kicked about, whispered hoarsely: "Time there, young fellow. I ain't dead yet!"

"Dead or not dead," said the shifter, "me hot supper's waitin' fur me."

Gone Too Long.

"Did you ever chase a rainbow, Tommy?" asked the teacher.

"Oh, yes, ma'am!" replied the boy.

"And did you catch it?"

"Sure, I caught it from mother when I got home."—Yonkers Statesman.

That Awful Certainty.

"It's a great thing to have a wife you can depend upon."

"Do you mean yours?"

"Sure. I can depend upon her to exceed her allowance for next month."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Most of Us Lie Then.

"Is he a truthful man?"

"With one exception he is."

"What's the exception?"

"I have never known him to tell an untruth except about himself."—Detroit Free Press.

Too Busy.

"Well, you would marry her. Now you can repeat at leisure."

"If I could do that I wouldn't be kicking, but she is so doggone extravagant that I don't have any leisure."—Houston Post.

Most Tactless of Men.

"Clarence unintentionally offended the aspiring young poetess."

"In what way?"

"He sent her a gayly decorated wastebasket as a birthday present."—Philadelphia Record.

Then He Wouldn't Have It.

"How much of an income do you think you could live on comfortably?"

"I think I could manage to be very comfortable on about \$10,000 a year until my wife found out that I was getting that much."

Thorough.

He—When I proposed to Flossie she asked me for a little time to make up her mind.

She (the hated rival)—Oh, so she makes that up too, does she?—London Opinion.

President Wilson signed an order for a job or Mrs. T. Pierrard widow of a gunner on the submarine F-4.

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Union Bath Towels, strong heavy quality, part linen, very absorbent, large size. Regular 30c each. Special, each 19c

Ground Floor—Left Main Entrance.

COURT OF REVISION

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Brewster & Heyd notified the council of the claim for damages registered by John Crovan, who met with an accident on the Hamilton Road, through the poor condition of the road.

The report from Jackson & Company re. the maintenance of 1914 sidewalks was read.

The abstract of receipts and expenditures of the Township of Brantford was also read.

This consisted of all the communications. The Council then became active. It was moved by A. J. McCann that the council resolve itself into a Court of Revision to hear and determine appeals against the 1915 assessment.

It was moved by Mr. McCann that the assessment rolls of the municipality for 1915 as revised and corrected by the Court of Revision, be finally confirmed and passed, except in so far as may be amended by the judge of the County Court. Passed.

It was moved by J. A. Scace that the reeve be instructed to retain W. S. Brewster if possible as solicitor for the Township in connection with the appeal against the equalization of the county assessment. Passed.

It was moved by Mr. Scace that the clerk be instructed to sign the notice of appeal against the decision of the County Council re. the equalization of the county assessment. Passed.

It was moved by Mr. Scace that the clerk be instructed to write to the Gilbert Realty Co. to ascertain what action they are going to take in connection with the re-imbursement of Geo. Harrington. Passed.

It was moved by R. Greenwood that Miss E. Hyndman be refunded the sum of \$2.00, which was wrongfully charged her. Passed.

It was moved by Mr. Greenwood that the clerk be instructed to write to the concrete abutments to be placed on the town line opposite George Braden's farm, each township to bear half of the cost. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Scace that J. W. Clark, path master, be instructed to have tile laid on his beat on the Onondaga Road, where required. Passed.

It was moved by Mr. Scace that the communication from T. Harry Jones be received, and that the clerk be instructed to advise him that the council will prosecute this work, charging

the city for its share at 12c per square foot. This price also to apply to the crossing required at the corner of Grand and St. George streets. Work will be proceeded with at once if satisfactory to the City Council. Passed.

It was moved by Mr. Scace that the communications from Mrs. Sweetney, E. McIntyre, Mr. W. McEwen, H. S. Maus, F. McGarry, Board of Railway Commissioners, Toronto, Hospital for Incurables, Brent, Nixon and Co Echo Place Improvement Association, Oak Park Farm, W. W. Dunlop and E. Kirtley be received. Passed.

It was also moved that the communication from Jackson and Co. be received and filed.

It was also moved by Mr. Greenwood that by-law for the purpose of borrowing \$15,000 for the erection of school No. 6, be introduced and that by-law 6 and 4 be read the first, second and third time. Passed.

Upon the motion of R. Greenwood the council adjourned to meet again on Monday, July 5th, at 10 o'clock.

ORDERED SEIZURE.

Paris, June 8.—The Government has ordered the seizure of the newspaper La Guerre Sociale, edited by Gustave Hervé, owing to an article not approved by the censor, in which he violently attacked the conduct of the war.

"Rough on Rats," clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't die in the House. 15c, and 25c. at Drug and Grocery Stores.

With the City Police

Magistrate Livingston found a light list awaiting him at the police court to-day. Ferde Della Rosa and Joe Della Rosa, hailing from the land of Caruso, patched up their differences at the sign of the law and the costs. She had charged him with using insulting language, and he promised to be more circumspect literally in the future.

W. R. Henderson will settle up with Chester King, who was out after wages due to him.

John Flett was charged with a breach of the carters' by-law, but as the charge was some two years old it could not be pressed.

Joseph Lipovitch was charged with fraud in connection with the failure of the National Coal Company, and the case against him was adjourned.

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