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### Music and Drama

**ELGAR CHOIR**

A most magnificent programme will be rendered by the Elgar Choir of Hamilton at the Grand Opera House, Tuesday, Feb. 15th. It will consist of choral gems from the works of Clarence Lucas, Edward German, R. Nathaniel Dett, Percy Grainger, E. J. Biederman, Mark Andrews and Louis Victor Saar, a quartette of Hamilton's best soloists will assist the Elgar choir. They are Miss Edith Whitaker, soprano; Mrs. George Allan, alto; Mr. Roy Mcintosh, bass, seats are on sale now.

**ETHEL BARRYMORE IN METRO PICTURES**

The production at the Colonial tonight Friday and Saturday will be the latest release of Metro Pictures Limited, in which the famous Barrymore, the brilliant stage star, will be featured in "The Final Judgment," a five-part photo-play written by George Scarborough, one of the foremost dramatists in America. Miss Barrymore is supported by an exceptional cast.

"The Final Judgment" will be seen on the speaking stage in New York late in December, but is offered on the Metro programme in advance of its presentation there, marking a reversal in the usual form of stage and screen productions.

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in colored and black, 1 1/2 to 4 yards length, suitable for children's school dresses or enough for separate skirt, all at special prices for Friday.

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## WITH THE SOLDIERS

SIX NEW ONES.

Six men joined the 125th yesterday. Their records:

HERBERT HOLMES, English, 29, checker, married, 105 Lyon's Ave.  
HENRY BEASLEY, English, 43, cook; single; 6 years 38th D. R. C.; 7 years 6th Warwick Regt., 2 Mt. Pleasant street.

ERNEST W. CORNER, English, 19, student; single; Oakland, Ont.  
JUMBO H. JARVIS, English, 35, farmer, single, Brantford P.O.  
JOHANN BARROWCLIFFE, English, 23, knitter; married; Paris, Ont.  
ELMER S. PEIRCE, Canadian, 22, clerk; single; Hamilton, Ont.

### Nuptial Notes

**Laid at Rest**

The funeral of the late William L. O'Connell, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Connell, took place this morning from his late residence, 133 Bruce street to St. Basil's church where high requiem mass, was sung by Rev. Father Drogorski. Very Rev. Dean Brady, D.D., performed the last rites at the grave side in St. Joseph's cemetery. He leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing father and mother and two brothers, Gordon and Merwyn. The following beautiful funeral service was held by the late Rev. J. C. Merwyn. The following beautiful funeral service was held by the late Rev. J. C. Merwyn. The following beautiful funeral service was held by the late Rev. J. C. Merwyn.

### Obituary

**INFANT HALL**

The death took place this morning about 7 o'clock of Gordon Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall, 77 Albion street. The child had been delicate for some time, but the end came very sudden. The child's father is very well known here being connected with the firm of John H. Hall and Sons Co. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 4 p. m. to Greenwood cemetery.

Three arrests were made in Syracuse N. Y., in connection with an investigation into alleged irregularities in the construction of the Onondaga County Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

The Rev. J. M. Cagle, aged forty, a Baptist minister of Sherman, Te., was shot and probably fatally wounded on the public square there by Mrs. Annie Faust.

### Must Enlist.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 10.—Mayor Walters edict to city hall employees to enlist or quit applies to married men as well as single, and also to department heads. The Mayor is going himself with the Tiger Battalion. He has a wife and three young children and sees no reason why other men should not make as great a sacrifice.

Mrs. Annie Hilbert, Jersey City, got a divorce from Eugene Hilbert because, she said, her husband gave nearly all his time to trying to invent something and neglected to provide anything for his family.

Harry Dillon, one time favorite of the variety stage and author of many of the popular songs, died on Sunday at his home in Cortland, N. Y.

### OTTAWA FIRE

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Mr. H. Sky, a farmer residing near Tranquilly, a short distance from this city, was married Sunday evening in Bay City, Mich., to Miss Sarah Lillian Berman of that city. On returning to Brantford, the happy couple will reside on Mr. Sky's farm in tranquility.

### ASTLE—SYMONS

One of those interesting events which has been looked forward to by so many, took place Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Symons, 24 Brighton Ave., when their only daughter, Evelyn Irene Symons, was married to Mr. Enoch Astle. They were unattended, the ceremony being performed by Rev. G. H. North. Immediately at high noon, the bride and groom, on the arms of their father to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. Donaldson, the bride and groom taking their place under an arch of red, white and blue.

The bride looked very pretty gown in ivory duchesse, satin trimmed with silk embroidered net and applique, also carrying a shower bouquet of roses and carnations, also wearing a bridal veil of Brussels net finished with a wreath of orange blossoms.

The only jewelry worn by the bride was pearl necklace, the gift of the groom.

After the usual congratulations, the guests sat down to a dainty lunch. After all had done justice to the repast, the bride and groom left for Toronto and points east amid showers of confetti and good wishes. The bride's going away gown was navy blue serge with white silk crepe-trimmed and a blue velvet hat. The presents were very beautiful, showing the esteem and affection in which the bride and groom are held by their friends.

### STAFF SONGSTERS COMING

On Saturday and Sunday next, Feb. 12th and 13th, the Canadian Staff Songsters of the Salvation Army, from Toronto will visit Brantford. This organization which was formed shortly after the loss of the Army's splendid Staff Band, in the "Empress of Ireland" disaster, comprises an orchestra, male choir, full chorus and a number of talented instrumental and vocal soloists, and the organization is fast winning the fame which the staff band enjoyed. Lieut.-Col. Smeeton, the financial secretary for the Salvation Army in Canada is the leader.

The services will be under the direction of Colonel Albert Gaskin, the Chief Secretary for the Salvation Army in Canada, Colonel Gaskin has been associated with the army in Canada for about twenty years, has travelled extensively, and is well and favorably known as a public speaker of distinct ability. He will address the gatherings.

All services will be held in the Victoria Hall, as follows:

Saturday night at 8 p. m., grand musicale, chair to be taken by W. Norman Andrews, Esq.

Sunday morning, 11 a. m., holiness meeting. Addressed by Col. Gaskin.

Sunday afternoon, 3 p. m., patriotic meeting by the Staff Songsters, Col. Gaskin will deliver his wonderful address on "The Salvation Army and the World War." 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service.

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# Fight or Pay?

## Twelve Good Reasons Why I am Subscribing to the Brantford Patriotic Fund to the Extent of my Ability

1. BECAUSE I wish to do "my bit," and not to let "the other fellow" do it for me. Common decency demands this much, at least, from me.
2. BECAUSE I owe to my country, and to the Empire of which it is a part, either to fight myself or to make it possible for others to fight in this supreme struggle.
3. BECAUSE, as a Canadian, I have up to this time enjoyed the protection and privileges of British citizenship, and have never before been called upon to assist in the defence of the Empire.
4. BECAUSE I paid no war tax previous to last year. My Mother Country has borne the full burden of my protection alone.
5. BECAUSE I desire Great Britain to realize in this hour of trial that every Canadian is faithfully supporting and loyally upholding her cause.
6. BECAUSE in this war the cause of our Empire is a righteous one. It is a necessary struggle for Truth, Liberty, the Sacredness of Treaties and the Given Word, of Democracy against Autocracy, for the supremacy of British Ideals or Prussian Militarism.
7. BECAUSE, though I cannot go myself, I can help to make it possible for others to go by guaranteeing that their families will be provided for in their absence.
8. BECAUSE every soldier who has gone from Canada is as truly my representative as the soldier who went from Brantford County.
9. BECAUSE the object of the CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND is to make provision for ALL families of soldiers who go from Canada to take part in this present war.
10. BECAUSE those who have enlisted and are going to the front to fight our battles are making a greater sacrifice—and anything which I can do at home will cost either me or my family.
11. BECAUSE I realize that if I will lose not only all my property and my self-respect—if I have done less than my best—but will have to contribute to the government of the conqueror whose ideals I abhor.
12. BECAUSE an unparalleled crisis in the world's history calls for the greatest possible sacrifice from all of us.

I Must Do My Duty I Must Fight or Pay  
A CANADIAN.

### Gossip of Notables

Lord Knollys has a collection of thirty-two rings given by different royalties.

Prince Alexander of Teck wears a gold and enamel wrist watch which was a present to his Royal Highness from the Tsar.

Dussan, the Princess Mary's governess is now acting as secretary to her Royal Highness. The Princess receives over 200 letters a day.

The silver inkstand in Mr. McKenna's room at the British Treasury has been used by 44 Chancellors of the Exchequer. It was presented to Mr. McKenna by his son-in-law in his possession of the apparatus with which he made his first experiments in wireless telegraphy in the garden of his father's house in Italy. He was then fifteen years of age.

Sir Guy Laking, the King's Armourer, has in his possession a helmet of the fifteenth century, which is worth \$70,000. It is in perfect condition and the same period in perfect condition is known to be in existence.

Prince Leopold, the eldest son of the king of the Belgians, who is a pupil at Eton, is one of the best gymnasts in the school. He began his gymnastic training at five years old. He is also a good rifle shot.

Lord Kitchener is never called in the morning; he awakes regularly himself at 6.30 when he has his private letters and a cup of tea brought to him. He rises at seven o'clock and retires, if his duties at the war office permit, at midnight.

The Earl of Crawford, who is serving as a private in the R.A.M.C., is a collector of walking sticks. The latest addition to his collection is a heavy rose wood, ivory headed one, which Lord Crawford found in a captured German trench.

Lady Scott, the widow of the explorer, is a keen motorist and a first rate driver. She is now driving a Red Cross car at the Anglo-French Hospital near Chaumont, in the Marne.

A large number of English ladies are at the hospital, among them being Lady Elizabeth Keppel.

The Baroness Cedarston, or to give her the name by which she is always to be remembered, Madame Patti is an assiduous theatre goer, and hakes a habit of a regular theatre week in London from time to time coming up specially from Wales to see all the latest plays.

Monsieur Paul Cambon, the French Ambassador to Britain, is the chess champion of the Diplomatic body in London. Working out chess problems is the popular diplomatist's favorite recreation, and after a hard day's work at the embassy he will often sit up far into the night solving intricate chess problems.

### SCIENTIFIC AND USEFUL

Perfume cut into blocks and sprayed with petroleum is found of great utility, and may be used as an inexpensive fuel.

In Germany new houses are being supplied with floors made of compressed paper. They are soft to step on, and having no cracks of any kind harbor no dust.

A recent invention is the bulletproof gun, which shoots a gas which temperatures, which resembles a double action revolver, holds five cartridges. The weapon has been adopted for use in the secret service department of the United States.

Sponges are really animals, and when first brought to the surface of the ocean are black and slimy. The sponges sold in shops are merely the skeleton or frameworks which give strength and form to the soft, gelatinous tissues of the living animal.

The so-called roots are only so-called anchors. Sponges fishing is profitably carried on off the coasts of America, Cuba and the Bahama Islands and in the Mediterranean. The average sponge fish is about four years old. A plant may suffer and perish from fever, caused by a wound, which rapidly consumes its reserves of organic matter and brings on emaciation, sometimes sufficient to cause the death. Du Sable has experimented with potatoes rendered feverish by a temperature about one degree, and the quantity of carbonic acid given off increases several hundred per cent. If the potato survives its "respiration" after a few days becomes normal, but Nevada, Texas, Arizona, etc.

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Chancellor David Starr Jordan addressing students of Leland Stanford University said: "There are too many 'low brow' in college." A "low brow," he explained, was only one degree removed from a "rough neck."

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