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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

ON LEAVE.

Many soldiers were on leave from Niagara Camp over the week end and outgoing trains last night witnessed many touching farewell scenes. The men look in a splendidly fit condition.

ODDFELLOWS OUT

A very brilliant affair was the C.O. parade which was held in Ancaster yesterday at which a number of local lodges were represented, some thirty Brantford Oddfellows being out.

KILLED AT FRONT

Lieut. Jasper Mayne has been killed in France. He was the eldest son of the late Colonel Mayne, R.E., at one time a professor at the R.M. College, Kingston. Lieut. Mayne is a nephew of Colonel Gould, M. Pleasant.

ON THE SIXTEENTH.

Back again opens on the 16th of this month a big company of local sportsmen are busy trying their new rods and the verandahs were no, income from "fishy" talk yesterday in many quarters.

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AT SYDENHAM ST. CHURCH.

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NEAR FATALITY.

Yesterday in the Mohawk Lake there was narrowly averted a fatal accident when two lads on returning to the boat house, fell into the water from their canoe and after some struggling got to the bank. Care will be required to be exercised lest the depressing features of other boating seasons be repeated.

RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Comparison of Street Railway earnings for the week ended, June 12: city lines only.

	1915	1914
Monday	\$177 80	\$108 60
Tuesday	118 81	110 83
Wednesday	124 08	104 50
Thursday	123 67	84 50
Friday	122 20	234 05
Saturday	201 29	135 86

Showing an increase of \$91.45.

Friday of last week in 1914 was the occasion of the visit of a circus to the city, and on that account the receipts were at least \$500.00 over the normal. Therefore, it may be safely stated that the revenue for the last week has \$191.45 increase.

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TEMPERATURE

Record for the last 24 hours. Lowest 50; highest 87. Same date last year, lowest 49; highest 80.

BUILDING PERMIT.

Dr. Barber of Charlotte street, is to build a frame balcony at a cost of \$50 and has taken out a building permit for its erection.

ASKS REDUCTION.

Godfrey Caswell of the Barber-Elis Company complains that he has been taxed for \$240 which he did not have liability for and asks for a remission.

AN ADDITION.

Mr. James Nightingale of Brant Avenue, has applied for a building permit for the erection of a brick sleeping porch to be added to his home at a cost of \$300.

AT EAST END.

It is likely for the greater convenience of the public that receptacles for letters and papers will be added to the East end of the new post office building.

SECURED CONTRACT.

P. H. Secord and Son, Limited, have secured the contract for the erection of a new Registry Office for Halton County. The structure, will be erected in the town of Milton and will cost about \$75,000.

WENT TO PARIS.

A number of Masons from the city attended the church parade which was held in Paris yesterday to St. John's Presbyterian Church. Among the many speakers were J. H. Fisher, M. P.

MEET TO-DAY.

Mr. Wittenberger will be present this afternoon, when, at three o'clock the Railway Committee of the City Council and the Street Railway Commissioners meet. Points of interest will be visited by the body and later discussed.

CROMPTON PERMIT.

For the erection of Compton's new store a building permit has been applied for. The estimated cost of the structure is \$63,000 and its measurements will be 76 by 132. Schultz Bros have secured the contract and the approval of the fire chief is awaited before the necessary permit is issued to W. C. Livingston, as owner.

TIGERS MEET.

There will be a general meeting of the Holmedale Tigers football club on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at 213 West Mill street. Every signed player is earnestly requested to attend as important business as to the club's future will be discussed. All players who are really interested in the welfare of the club are requested to attend.

THE SMOKE NUISANCE

The William Paterson Co. in a letter to the Mayor, voices the opinion that possibly recent complaints with regard to the smoke nuisance are made without cause, and the company asks for fair consideration, whilst wishing not to be a nuisance to anyone. They further state that they are aware that any building has been damaged, but have recently spent considerable sums overhauling the boiler and changing the furnace, while experiments have been carried out with different kinds of coal.

Y. W. C. A. REPORT

The following is the report of the nominating committee of the Y. W. C. A. Honorary members, Mrs. Shuttlesworth and Mrs. Peter Wood. President (pro tem) Mrs. J. Ott; vice-presidents, Mrs. Oldham, Mrs. D. J. Waterson, Mrs. W. C. Livingston, Mrs. W. J. Verity and Mrs. J. L. Sutherland; recording secretary, Miss E. M. Perley; treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Mann. All former directors were re-elected with the addition of Mrs. Percy Verity, Mrs. T. H. Jones, Mrs. John Spence, Mrs. C. L. Laing.

DRAINAGE DEMONSTRATION.

A very successful drainage demonstration under the auspices of the District Representative, R. Schuyler, was held on the farm of Albert Richardson just south of Cainsville, Friday afternoon, June 11, when over one hundred farmers gathered to see the large traction ditcher work and to hear Prof. H. H. Day from Guelph speak on the subject of under drainage. Mr. Schuyler each year surveys over twenty-five miles of ditch free of cost to the farmers of Brant and he expects this will stimulate a greater interest in this important work. The men in charge of the ditcher report that they have now received sufficient orders to keep them busy throughout the fall.

With the City Police

Hannah Temperance was found guilty of keeping a disorderly house at 239 Nelson street to-day by Magistrate Livingston, and she was fined \$50 with the option of six months imprisonment.

John Murray, charged with frequenting a house of ill-repute, was fined \$5. For obtaining liquor, being a billed man, John McDonald was fined \$10 and costs of \$6.75 in all.

David Katz was ordered to appear before the Bench a week hence to answer, a charge of fraud, and Reuben Lowe received a week to think things over with regard to his wife's charge of non-support.

A warrant will be issued for Mazin Teresin, who did not appear to answer a charge of assault preferred by Adam Dotoff.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

FELL OVER BRIDGE ON WAY TO CAR

Hamilton Man, Mr. Galvin, Meets
With a Nasty Accident on
Saturday.

On Saturday night while John Galvin, a son of Mrs. J. Galvin of Galvin Hide Company, Hamilton, was rushing for the 6.50 radial car to the Ambitious City, he met with an unfortunate accident. In descending the steps at Victoria bridge. Missing his footing in the descent he spun round and toppled over or through the railing on to the car platform below. A rail was run into Hunt and Colter, and the emergency ambulance picked up Galvin, who was severely cut about the face and head, and removed him to the American Hotel. Dr. Bier was called in and dressed the wounds but after a restless night it was deemed advisable that he be removed to the hospital and at 10.50 on Sunday morning he was conveyed to the General Hospital. Galvin rested easier overnight but has had a severe injury and it will be some time before he is able to be about again. He had some ribs fractured.

AUTO JUMPS TWENTY FEET AND DROPS EASILY

Brantfordites in Bad Smash—Car
When Righted Was
Driven Home.

CASUALTIES.
Broken collar bone, Mr. W. Biggar. Back strained, Mr. A. Burnley. Leg badly contused, Sergt. Hart. Mr. S. Burnley, nose badly cut, forehead bruised and cut, to which he wittily adds: "I'm ahead of Charley Chaplin as a freak for picture shows now."

Mr. Arthur Ames escaped with only a few scratches.
There was a bad motor smash on the Hamilton Mountain Road, late Saturday afternoon, in which some Brantfordites participated with surprising luck.

The accident leaves one to marvel how any of the party escaped with their lives, or how a car after such a mishap was able to be driven home under its own power.

It would appear that a party including Messrs. Arthur Burnley, Samuel Burnley, and A. Hart, were being taken by Mr. W. Biggar to Niagara on the Lake, and were proceeding at an easy clip down the mountain side. The car was coasting at the turn of the bend, when Mr. Biggar, to maintain his control, placed his foot as he imagined on the brake and in so doing pressed the brake and in so doing pressed the brake and in so doing pressed the brake, and so on. They further state that they were with a bound cleared the highway and dropping them through the air 20 feet, landed them on the road beneath, overturning on one side as it did so. The passengers were thrown out in various directions and contused in many ways by the fall, Mr. Biggar being seriously injured, and is now lying in the Brantford hospital, where he was resting easily last night.

The Keeton Company agent hearing of the mishap, immediately left for the scene, and the car on being righted and tested came back to Brantford at a good pace. Beyond the buckling here and there of splash boards, etc., the car appeared to have suffered little from its experience.

BRANTFORD'S FINE NEW BUILDING

Formal Dedication on Thursday
Should Prove a Notable
Event.

The formal opening of Brantford's fine new public building on Thursday of this week promises to prove a notable event.

Hon. Mr. Casgrain, Postmaster-General, writes that he will leave Ottawa on Tuesday night for Toronto, where he spends Wednesday and leaves there Thursday morning at 9.30 by C. P. R. for Brantford, arriving here (T. H. & B.) at 11.31. He will return by the 7 p.m. train, reaching Ottawa again the same night. Mrs. Casgrain will accompany him.

Proceedings will take place inside the structure at 12 o'clock noon. A small platform will be occupied by invited guests and speeches will be made by the Minister, Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., and Mayor Spence. At 1.30 a luncheon will be given in honor of Mr. Casgrain at the Y. W. C. A. and later in the afternoon there will be a tea at the golf club.

Owing to the fact of the war, preparations have been made of a more or less quiet nature, but it is to be hoped that there will be a large turnout of citizens. The handsome building is theirs, and the event is one which should be heartily and suitably observed.

HOPEMOUNT SUNK

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, June 14.—The British steamship Hopemount, of 3,300 tons gross, was torpedoed and sunk to-day at a point west of Saint Ives, England, by a German submarine. The crew of the Hopemount was saved.

Eleven cases of horse stealing figured on the docket of the Assizes at Calgary Criminal Assizes.
A record beginning for cutting of alfalfa was made at Lethbridge the last day of May.

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4,500 Yards of Rich Silks Join the Great Re-Building Sale at Prices Near Half



Just twice a year we feature a Sale of Silks at such low prices as these—So unusual are these values and so wide the range, that you will find almost every kind of fabric on display. Although the savings are extraordinary, every one is guaranteed to be the value as advertised, and to give such service as may be expected from a fabric of its value—if it fails in either of these you may return same at once.

Colored Paillette Silk, for waists and dresses, one yard wide, in Pink, Sky, Copen, Navy, Black, Brown and White. Regular \$1.25 value. Rebuilding Sale Price, yard **69c**

New Florence Silk, the strongest silk made, will wear like leather, heavy quality, in neat check or stripe pattern, in plain white ground, colored checks and stripes, as Brown, Navy, Copen, Grey, Black and Green, 36 inches wide. Regular \$1.25 value. Rebuilding Sale Price, yard **59c**

Silk Crystalline for summer dresses, with coin spot and floral design pattern, in Rose, Maize, Black and Helio, double fold, a real hot weather fabric. Regular 85c value. Rebuilding Sale Price **59c**

Brocade Messaline Silks, heavy quality, in self color pattern, all pure silk, design well covered, the fashionable silk for the coming season. New York now showing these for fall, very suitable for waists and dresses, shades as Pacific Blue, French Tan, Marine Navy, Shell Pink, Ivory White, Shrimp, etc., full 36 inches wide. Regular value \$2.50. Rebuilding Sale, yard **\$1.39**

Plaid Silk Suitings, the new silk for tailored suits, heavy weight, combination color, plaid effect, also makes splendid trimming silk. Regular \$3.00 yard. Sale Price **\$1.49**

Raw Silks, in natural shades only, 34 inches wide, entirely free from dust, fine even weave, light shade, suitable for waists, dresses, underwear, curtains, auto coats, etc., 60c value. Sale Price **39c**

White Habutai Washing Silk, suitable for under wear, middies, waists and dresses, very heavy quality, full one yard wide. Regular \$1.50 value. Sale Price, yard **\$1.10**

Silk Crepe de Chine, a beautiful sheer fabric for summer waists and dresses, 40 inches wide, in shades as White, Black, Vanderbilt Blue, Copen, Navy, Brown, Flesh and Helio. Regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 value. Rebuilding Sale Price, yard **\$1.29**

Silk Poplin, for dresses and suits, 36 inches wide, shades as Navy, Tan, Nigger Brown, Battleship Grey, White, Russian Green, Saxe, Copen, and Purple. Regular \$1.25 value. Sale Price **79c**

—Ground Floor—Left Main Entrance.

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Lots of times you are at your wit's end for a dessert idea—especially when you have friends to dinner. Let us remind you that good ice cream is always acceptable. You can serve it with fruit, preserves, chopped nuts, minced raisins, Chinese ginger, etc., in dozens of different ways and any number of fancy shapes. Your guests will specially relish the frozen dessert if you take care to serve

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(A suggestion for ladies particularly anxious to please:—Serve Brant Vanilla Ice Cream with hot chocolate sauce.) Why bother with laboriously made desserts? In the end they are not nearly so nice as our exquisite ice cream, nor as highly appreciated. Order a trial brick or pint to-day. Ask for Brant Ice Cream at your dealer's.

N. B.—Brant Ice Cream bricks are carefully packed in improved sanitary cartons.
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NEILL SHOE COMPANY

Saturday Bargains

Youths' medium weight boots, sizes 11 to 13, Saturday **\$1.18**
Women's dongola lace boots, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, Saturday **\$1.23**
Men's high-grade boots, regular \$5.50 and \$5, sizes 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2 **\$2.98**
Girls' gun metal blucher bal, regular \$1.75, size 8 to 10 1/2, Saturday **\$1.28**

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