Local News

POLICE COURT

George Hill, charged by Mellisa Hill with non support, appeared in the police court this morning. The case was adjourned for a week. Elizabeth Horsnell, charged with vagrancy, having secured work, was allowed to go.

GOLFERS BUSY

The qualifying round for the Canadian Golfers' Shield will be played at the golf links to-morrow afternoon. On Monday morning there will be a match between sides chosen by the captain and the president, and in the afternoon mixed foursomes and competitions will be held. On Thursday of next week the club goes to Simcoe to play.

LEAGUE SOCCER

A change in the provincial soccer league schedule will result in Brantford going to Toronto to-morrow afternoon, to play Toronto Wychwood. The following who compose the team will leave at 1.30: Goal, McGrattan; backs, Holland, Taylor; halves, Westcott, A. N. Other, Holland; forwards, Vipond, Lynn, Usher, Perrin, Richardson. The above team will also play Hamilton I. L. P. on Monday.

CHANCE FOR CLASS "B" MEN.

Though men in Category B of Class One are not being called up at present, a very good opportunity is afforded them to join the Royal Air Force as mechanics. In fact it is understood that the Air Force will circularize all the men in Category B, pointing out to them the advantages offered by this corps. The Air Force has its system reduced to such a degree of perfection that mechanical experience is not necessary, they are quite willing to take men with only clerical training, and will teach them the art of tinkering with machinery. Of course a man with a bent towards mechanical work, or a man with a knowledge of machinery is preferred, but apparently "No experience necessaary" has become a guiding principle in selecting men.

ALL NEED LICENSES

The Canada Food Board announced to-day that a considerable number of public eating places, boarding houses, etc., which are required to secure licenses by July 1st, have not yet sent in their applications. These licenses become operative on July 1st, and on and after that date it will be illegal for any person to operate without a license a public eating place or boarding house where meals or refreshments to the number of fifteen or more per day are sold or served to persons other than members of the family or household of the proprietor. It will also be illegal for grocers, butchers or any other dealers in food products, to supply goods to public eating places which have failed to comply with the licensing regulations of the Food Board.

It is the intention of the Food Board to enforce these licensing regulations strictly.

BOUQUET FOR INDIANS.

Though the Six Nations Indians may object to registration, their plea for exemption could not be other than a loyal one. Unchangeable records blazon their deeds of unfailing fealty, as brave alies, to the British crown.—Hamilton Spectator.

HOLIDAY BASEBALL.

Baseball fans will have an abundance of entertainment over the week-end, for double-headers will be staged by City League teams both to-morrow afternoon and on Monday. Pratt and Letchworth are now leading the league by a comfortable margin, but the season is still early, and any of the other three clubs may yet prove strong pennant contenders in the race.

PRESUMED DEAD.

This morning's official casualty list reported Pte. D. S. Vanfleet of this city as "presumed to have died." Pte. Vanfleet, whose home is at 13 Victoria street, was well known throughout the city. He went overseas with the 84th Battalion some two years ago, and since that time was transferred to the trenches. He was a Canadian and unmarried.

EXPERIENCE SOCIAL.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Marlboro Street Methodist Church held a well attended experience social last night. The president, Mrs. Robert Ellis, occupied the chair, and interesting reports were given by the members on their experiences in earning a dollar for the society's fund during the past month. Miss Ellis sang a very pleasing vocal solo, and Miss Edith Lamb gave an excellent piano selection. Refreshments were served and the proceeds of the evening totalled $24.24.

ENGINEERS MET.

There was a large attendance at last night's meeting of the stationary engineers of the city, when Past President D. Webster, who was a delegate to the C.A.S.E. convention at London, gave a report on the meeting. The next convention will be held in Brantford in June of next year. Grade licenses will be enforced after January 1, 1920, and will be obtainable after January 1, 1919. Mr. Webster was elected an executive vice-president of the association, whose affairs were shown to be in a flourishing condition. Methods of conservation of fuel and power were also considered. The local society is preparing a series of lectures so that engineers may prepare for their examinations.

ZION S. S. PICNIC

Zion Church Sunday School picnic was held yesterday at Mohawk Park. The program of events was very interesting, the competition in all being extremely keen. The primary events, tug-of-war, leap-frog and shoe races all being wothy of special mention. Zion Big Four and a picked team played at soft ball, the former winning, 17-14. Lack of practice and the inexperience of the umpire are reasons of defeat offered by the losers. All were ready for the delightful "Thompsonized" luncheon, which was served by the ladies. The record attendance of both young and old, the unstinted efforts of all who were in charge, and the ideal weather all worked together in making this annual outing successful in every way.

TAX ON MATCHES

Matches held in stock by all dealers on Monday, July 1st, are subject to a war tax, at the rate of 1 cent for every one hundred matches, or fraction thereof. War stamps for the payment of this tax are now on sale at the local Inland Revenue office. Dealers having matches in their possession who have already paid the duty, may obtain war stamps free of charge to cover the small packages as retailed upon producing evidence by presentation of invoice or otherwise, that such duty has been paid. All matches in the hands of dealers, after July 1st that have not paid the duty, by purchase of war stamps, will besubject to seizure and a penalty of from $50 to $350. Playing cards are dealt with in a similar manner.

ATTEND CONVENTION.

Captain Jeakins, Capt. Boddy, and J. E. Hutcheon have been appointed delegates from Brantford to attend the national convention of the Great War Veterans Association in Toronto, July 29-Aug. 2.

NIGHT FIRE.

Fire from some unknown source broke out in the kitchen of a house at 139 Campppbell street, last night at 10 o'clock. The firemen were called, but on arrival found the residents of the house had partially put out the blaze with buckets of water and a little use of chemicals soon ended the fire. Some damage was done to the house and contents.

SEMI-PRO BASEBALL.

The semi-professionals of the city go to Dundas to-morrow afternoon, and on Monday will play two games at Woodstock. On Wednesday of next week they will visit Hamilton again. On the morning of Civic Holiday the semi-pros will play a benefit game for the G.W.V.A. at Agricultural Park with the Veterans' team of Toronto. The semi-pros have a fast outfit, and are drawing big crowds wherever they play.

BOWLING

Seven rinks of Heather bowlers went down to defeat, 138 to 98, yesterday on the Pastime greens. The score by skips:

Pastimes		Heather	
A. Aitken	24	J. Miller	10
T. McPhail	20	D. Morrison	7
J. C. Spence	23	J. Ogilvie	12
F. Kingdon	31	J. Broadbent	10
F. Corey	9	H. Beckett	22
D. McPhail	11	A. McFarland	24
W. H. Inglis	20	D. Coates	11

ORPHANS' PICNIC.

The children of St. Joseph's Orphanage, Hamilton, held their annual picnic at Mohawk Park this afternoon, accompanied by a number of sisters from the convent. Lunch was provided by the ladies of St. Basil's and St. Mary's Churches, and the afternoon was spent in games and other amusements. A soft ball game between the visitors and a home team was a feature.

23,380 REGISTERED.

Registrar J. S. Dowling and his staff of assistants completed their tabulation of registrations at noon to-day. The completed figures show that 23,380 persons over sixteen years of age registered on or before June 22. Of this number 11,055 were male and 12,325 female. The cards of those who volunteered for farm service are now being separated from the others, and will be sent to Toronto, while the remainder will be forwarded to Ottawa.

EARN AND GIVE PICNIC.

The boys who took part in the Red Triangle Earn and Give Campaign are holding a picnic at Whiteman's Creek on July 1st. An informal programme of sports and games will be held during the afternoon. Particular interest centres around the soft ball games for which a prize watermelon has been offered as an inducement toward heavy hitting. The boys will leave the Y.M.C.A. by motor at one o'clock and return from the Creek at 7.00 p.m. Boys are taking supper with them but ice cream for the party has been donated and will doubtless be welcomed.

CRICKET.

The Brantford Cricket Club are playing the A.M.C. team of London at London on Monday next and are making the journey by motor. The locals are practising to-night and Saturday afternoon to get into good shape. Final arrangements will be made on Saturday afternoon in regard to the trip. The following have been selected to represent Brantford: T. Davis, Perkes, Wyse, Whitwill, L. Elliott, G. Elliott, L. Edwards, F. Scattergood, J. Deans, Chas. Smith, Cyril Smith, Cyril Farnsworth, E. Riseboro, L. Lees, J. Bona H. Atack, P. Farnsworth (scorer).

GARDEN PARTY

The garden party held by the Oak Hill Women's Institute, at the home of Mr. Hudson Jennings last night, was very successful, there being a large attendance and a splendid program. A musical program was put on, Sheriff J. W. Westbrook officiating as chairman. The numbers were: Instrumemntal, Miss K. Avery solos, Miss Moody, Miss Heath, Mr. Harp, Miss MacLaren; recitations, Miss Leggett, Miss Tench, Jack Fairlie. Other numbers were supplied by W. J. Sweetman's orchestra, of Brantford, the Bethel Quartette. The Oak Hill and Mount Pleasant girls also assisted. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Oak Hill Institute.

Nuptial Notes

SHELDRAKE—HOLMES.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in Hamilton on Tuesday, June 25th, 1917, when the Rev. W. B. Tighe united in marriage Miss Myrtle M. Holmes and Mr. Roy B. Sheldrake, both of this city.

CANADIAN FLYER JILTED ACTRESS

Must Now Pay the Lady $3,750 for Breach of Promise

London, June 27.—"Teddy" O'Neale, an actress in the Gaiety Theatre, to-day obtained a verdict for £750 for breach of promise against Donald Hammond, of the Canadian Flying Service.

KILLED BY ENGINE.

By Courier Leased Wire

St. Mary's, Ont., June 27.—Morley White, farmer near here, was killed last night through his leg being caught in the wheel of a gasoline engine while sawing wood.

GERMANY "FAKED" SLAV ATROCITIES

Krupp Director Says That Commission Fud No Evidence

Washington, June 27.—Further revelations by Dr. Meuhlon, director of the Krupp Company, who is in Switzerland, showing that Germany falsified stories of Russian atrocities during the early days of the war, are summarized in a despatch to-day from Berne. According to Dr. Muehlon, the commission of Cabinet officers sent to East Prussia to investigate returned without evidence of atrocities and with a report that the population spoke in terms of praise of the conduct of the Russian soldiers.

Dr. Muehlon also is quoted as saying that in August, 1914, high German officials boasted that Germany possessed the means of destroying Russia without a single battle, by inciting revolution, and that the German plan also included the "liberation" of Finland and the Baltic countries, the pretended reinstatement of Poland as a kingdom; the turning over of Bessarabia to Roumania and the giving of the Caucasian territories and Persia to Turkey.

THE DOWNSTAIRS STORE A POINT OF INTEREST THESE DAYS.

When a good chance comes to secure a line of goods on which a real bargain can be given to its customers, the Crompton Store is always in the van, ever on the lookout for its customers' interests.

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Nothing better for the children these warm days than a pair of those Strap Slippers at $1.24. Coles Shoe Co., 122 Colborne street.

FRANCE TO BAR FOOD CORNERS

Boret Plans Measures to Prevent Increase of Meat Prices

FAVORS CARD SYSTEM

He Inclines Toward Monthly Ration Scheme—Potatoes Are Plentiful

Paris, June 27.—M. Victor Boret, the French Food Minister, it is said, will bring before the Cabinet important measures for preventing the increase in meat prices and in the cornering of supplies. The commission that he sent to London, it is understood, has reported unfavorably on the introduction, for the present at least, of the English meat card.

The French bread card has given good results and the Food Minister inclines toward the monthly meat card, which for 19 days will entitle the holder to 2½ ounces of meat, for eight days 4½ ounces of tripe, rabbit or fowl, meat for four days six ounces of cold meat.

He points out that the French herds have suffered much more than the English, there being larger supplies of fish and frozen meat in England than in France. M. Boret adds that there are plenty of potatoes, that he is trying to increase the catch of fish, and that larger quantities of macaroni in its various forms will be available.

Parisians who sometimes find that their baker supplies them with bread of a darker flour than usual are advised in a note issued by the Food Ministry not to make this a reason for buying at another shop. The variation in the color is due to the fact that some of the color imported from the United States is for reasons of tonnage economy not refined to the same degree as in France, and transport difficulties sometimes prevent the making of uniform mixtures. As the same variety of flour is rarely delivered twice in succession to the same baker, it is in the customer's interest that he should always make his purchases at the same shop.

FACTORIES IDLE IN BUDAPEST

Troons to be Used to Force the Men to Resume Work

Amsterdam, June 27.—Budapest advices received here say that in the Lower House of parliament on Wednesday Dr. Alexander Wekerle, the Hungarian Premier, drew a gloomy picture of conditions in Budapest. The Premier said most of the factories had ceased work and that the non-appearance of the newspapers had resulted in a regrettable spreading of false rumors which had fanned the agitation among the working people.

Dr. Wekerle strongly opposed the demand for the substitution of the military for the gendarmerie in factaries, and declared that those persons having the people's interests at heart desired the milder police supervision rather than the severer rules of the military in the factories.

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