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EPWORTH LEAGUES HOLD FINE RALLY LAST NIGHT

An Address by Rev. Bartlett—Other Pleasing Features.

The big rally of the Epworth Leagues of the city held in Wellington St. church last evening was a splendid success in every particular. The gathering was a very large one and the enthusiasm very marked. The chair was taken by the District League President, Mr. J. W. Shepperson, and he made an ideal chairman. The speaker of the evening was Rev. S. T. Bartlett of Toronto, general secretary of Epworth Leagues and Sunday Schools for Canada, and an ideal speaker to young people is he. A noticeable feature of the gathering was the number of juniors present, and Mr. Bartlett proved to be a good "mixer" making his remarks of such a nature as the boys and girls could understand and appreciate.

One of the features of the evening was the roll call of Leagues to which each league president gave a brief report of the work of the league and the members of his local responded with a hymn original or otherwise. This proved to be an interesting part of the programme. The response of the Sydenham St. League made the "hit" of the evening and they were given an ovation. The musical part of the session was excellent. Duets were rendered by Misses Gaudet and Little of Wesley League, and the Misses Ariel and Hazel Huffman of Sydenham St. League, while Brant Avenue supplied a double male quartette. The church had been allotted to the different societies, and the new Marlboro St. and Elm Avenue sections received a hearty welcome.

The chairman of the district, Rev. A. E. Lavell, introduced the speaker of the evening in a brief eulogistic address. Rev. Mr. Bartlett said that gathering was the most ideal young people's meeting he had been at in many a long day and naturally he was very much pleased. His address centered around how a league couple be made to do the best work. It was brimming over with bright, practical suggestions, and he had a fund of splendid illustrations and stories, which tended to impress his points and make the address quite interesting and well worth listening to.

During the evening Mr. Shepperson called the presidents of the different societies to the platform, as he said to let those present see who were running the leagues and that they might become better acquainted. They were: Wellington, Mrs. (Dr.) Norris; Brant Avenue, Mr. Hart; Colborne St., Mr. Bassett; Sydenham, Mr. I. D. Scarton; Wesley, Mr. R. Collins; Oxford St., Mr. McMillan; Marlborough St., Mr. A. Lamb; Elm Ave., Mr. J. L. Barnes.

A motion was made to have the next rally on the first Monday in May in Colborne St. church.

A GOOD GUESSER

Missed Only Three Out of Twenty one Old Country Games.

Percy Williams of Darling St. was the winner of the Courier Soccer competition of last week. He had every answer with the exception of three correct; two errors in the cuppies and one in the Scottish league. Three mistakes in a total of twenty-one decisions is a meritorious effort and shows the winner to know something of Old Country Football. He is very closely followed by I. Scanton of 80 Brock street. There were many competitors, who secured sixteen correct solutions, whilst a large number of the hundreds of football followers gave an average of three-fourths correct. The great interest shown in the competition is increasing and fully justifies the action of The Courier in promoting an event of this kind.

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Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 1783

Mrs. M. Mintern is spending a few days with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bishop are leaving shortly on a tour of Europe.

Mrs. Cavendish of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. Duncan, 58 Lorne Crescent.

H. P. Kennedy and family of Toronto, are visiting in the city, guests at the Kerby House.

The Ladies Bridge club was most enjoyably entertained last evening by Mrs. George Watt, St. Paul's Ave.

Sheriff Ross is reported to be very critically ill, following a fall he sustained last week in his own home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Muir announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ada Evelyn to Mr. Charles A. Howey, of Barford, the marriage to take place in February.

Mrs. Dave Gibson, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Williams, Toronto, is reported ill with double pneumonia. Her many friends will wish her a speedy and safe recovery.

Miss Ida Mattingly and Mr. Herbert Locke, both well known people of this city were quietly united in matrimony on Saturday last by Rev. J. J. Liddy, pastor of Wesley Methodist church.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. A. Sutherland, 283 Darling street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brewer, of Vernon, B.C., and Miss Shavelear, Selkirk, as they are about to return to their homes. Miss Shavelear carried off the honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harris have arrived home from Japan, where Mr. Harris has been Canadian Trade Commissioner for some time. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harris, Mr. Pleasant, and Mr. Harris may not return to the Flowery Kingdom.

Many Brantford friends will be sorry to learn of the removal of Mr. Wm. Ellsworth from this city to London. Mrs. Ellsworth has been popular socially and will be much missed. They will take up their residence in London about the middle of February.

The many friends of Mr. J. H. Fisher, M. P., will regret to hear that he is confined to his house, owing to sickness. While in Ottawa, attending to his duties, he contracted a very heavy cold, which ordered to his bed then, but stuck to his post in characteristic style. Upon returning to Paris, he became worse, but is now resting easily.

STAR ATTRACTIONS

Grand Opera House Policy One of High Commendation.

With reference to an item which appeared some weeks ago in these columns, that Brantford had been shabbily treated with regard to stage attractions as compared with other cities, and that when stellar productions did come stellar prices were charged, it is only fair to say that such statements were too sweeping. Manager Johnson of the Brantford Grand Opera House has had such companies here this winter as the famous Stratford-on-Avon Players, Margaret Anglin, and so on—people who usually play only the larger centres. In the matter of prices, these, of course, are fixed by the headquarter and producers, and cannot be made lower than the schedule. In short, the record of Brantford's Grand Opera House is one for hearty commendation.

Paris News

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Bright won the Western Tankard Primary played here yesterday. Drumbo, Plattville and Brantford defaulted their games, leaving only Paris, Ayr and Bright to fight it out. Ayr drew the bye, and in the morning game Bright defeated Paris by 38 shots to 22. The boys from Bright played an equally good game in the afternoon, and won from Ayr by a score of 40-27. The skips were: Bright, B. Cutbertson, J. Bristow, Ayr, J. Reid and J. Reid; Paris, C. Tate and C. Cavan.

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STOCK-TAKING SALE Continues for the Next Three Days

WE have many lines of Winter Goods to be cleared out in the next three days. They have all been marked down regardless of cost, such as Furs, Coats, Suits, Dress Goods, Blankets and Comforters, and Winter Cloakings.

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Remnants of Dress Goods, Cloakings, Silks, Sheetings, Linen, Flannelles, Towelings. All to clear at nearly half price.

All Winter Coats Reduced All Ladies' Winter Coats, all A1 styles, this season's buying, full range of sizes, coats worth up to \$20.00, for \$10.00

Ladies' and Misses' Coats, in Tweeds, Diagonals, Reversible Cloths. \$7.50 Worth up to \$15.00. For \$5.00 1 lot Ladies' Winter Coats, 3/4 lengths, to clear at \$5.00 Many lines of Furs to clear at from 25 to 50 per cent. off regular prices. Your chance to buy next winter's furs at a big reduction.

Tailor-made Suits Reduced 1 lot Ladies' Tailor-made Suits, in serges, tweeds, etc., all sizes; good styles. Worth up to \$18.00. To clear at \$10.00

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Seen in the Shops of Paris

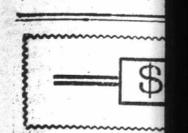
Jet continues to be much liked. The plain net guimpe continues in good style. The black velvet costume is also very correct. It is a great season for colored handkerchiefs. Chinese ideas are prevalent even in shoe buckles. Brocade moire silk handbags are in good style. Satin or silk cut bias should be chosen for girdles. Straight round belts for coats are coming back again. There is no diminution in the favor shown to tassels. Jacquard crepe, white, is seen in new frocks for the south. All the fancy materials seem just now to be in great request. The new lingerie dresses are often entirely of shadow lace. The Japanese giraffe bow is losing nothing of its present favor. The best veils show small designs on hairline and craquelé meshes. Full godet basques are noted on coats, producing a flaring effect. There seems to be no end to the use of black and white net frills. Gloves are used chiefly in pale tints—white, pearl, gray or beige. Supple moire and lace is one of the new evening dress combinations. There seems to be no end to the variety of rhinestone hair ornaments. Some of the prettiest new underclothes have casings of net and net frills. It is said that among gowns worn by royalties abroad the slit is notably absent. Crepe embroideries will be more seen than ever as the spring approaches. Printed leather is expected to appear in the shape of waistcoats and half belts. Stockings still have flights of butterflies or dragon flies in real lace going up them. Some people are even prophesying rigid waist lines instead of the extremely supple ones, which have been such a comfort to so many women. In Paris short waists are made with long sleeves and costume bodices have short ones. Gimpes with low turn down collars are wholly of net, heavily hand embroidered. Embossed a fresh rich green cloak of imbossed velour delaine lined with fawn color, and the collar of Russian sable. Large heads of mother-of-pearl are among the rarest and prettiest in the market. The craze for dancing has resulted in afternoon and evening gowns of remarkable shortness. The brilliant colored vest of some rich texture is one of the prettiest points of winter suits. People possessed of lace flounces are lucky, for they can be used to make a fashionable skirt. There seems to be no doubt that the fashionable figure of the future will have much larger hips. Practically all the new corsets are of flexible boneless character. Some are even made minus the bust. Some of the soft, shapeless Rembrandt hats edged with skunk fur are picturesque enough for a painter. Low necked styles, soft and simple dominate in women's neckwear, although high stocks are promoted. Blue probably will be the greatest favorite among spring colors, unless yellow proves too strong a rival. The fashionable woman has left her hood tops the same color as her costume. It is said the graceful low collars are to be changed for high and masculine methods of hairdressing.

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