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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Enquirer is informed that the

During the month of March there were eight births in the city hos-

pital, six of whom were boys, bear-

ling out the war time tradition, that

males predominate in times

the presentation to the Rev.

Superintendent of Parks, J.

SAILORS GOING

ify and was rejected.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

the classified columns of this paper.

umns. Want Ads., For Sale, To-Let

EXPECTED DEPARTURE

BIRTHS IN MOSPITAL.

egular weekly meeting of executive of the Patriotic Lea- Grand Trunk shops were removed as held in the Public Library from Brantford to London in 1897. night at eight o'clock. The us

MORIAL SERVICE. Aitchison who died at the result of injuries, will eld in the Riverdale Baptist h on Sunday evening.

BOLLER RINK. gang of men are commencing either to-day or to-morrow, ing the Alfred street rink for stress The floor is to be immediately, and will be in PRESENTATION.

for the opening by May

EW WASHOUTS. township of Brantford has Patterson-Smith by the Grace church ed little thus far this spring Chapter of St. Andrews Brotherwash outs on the roads in the hood of an oak sectional bookcase, nature have, as was inevitable, on, as a token of esteem. d the most serious taking near Newport where from PREPARING BENCHES -five to thirty loads of dire ill be required to fill in a hole uged out there.

GOOD ROADS CONGRESS. y Engineer T. Harry Jones is Ottawa this week attending the ninion Good Roads Congress. He delivering a paper on concrete ents and expects to return to

SIGNS OF SUMMER. George Smith at the City Hall having become convinced that and Halifax on the 9:30 G. T. R. spring has finally arrived to train Monday morning. Messrs T. J. ly, was busily engaged this mornng in removing the storm windows ing are the three men who are bid ding farewell to the city, while Mr. om the venerable stone pile.

OCIAL EVENING A social event was held last evenng in the Marlboro St. Methodist urch under the auspices of Mr John Greet's bible class. After an inesting program, the annual elecion was as follows; Teacher, Mr. Anderson; president, Mr. Wm. Walker; secretary, Mr. Clark; con-Irs. Aird; social, Mrs. Greet, after Courier, and in fact, citizens in gendrs. Aird; social, lines, creating to the eral, are invited to use these countries, and in fact, citation in the eral, are invited to use these countries. where a sumptuous epast was served, and the good Lost or Found or For Exchange wishes of the class were extended to every advertisement will be read, s who are leaving short-215th. every advertisement you to dispose of or to secure just what you need.



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A number of people from outside points arrived in the city to-day, expecting to see the departure of the 215th, in which battalion they have Auxiliary Bridge

> On Behalf of the 215th Battalion Proved a Great Success

A very pleasant episode of the Lads Brigade concert, held at Grace The Ladies Auxiliary of the 215th church Sunday school last night, was Twenty-two tables were in play while a number of ladies came in at the tea hour. In the dining-room Mrs. Harry Cockwith suitably inscribed plate thereshutt and Mrs. Hedley Snider pro-sided over the tea table, Mrs. Edmund Sweet relieving Mrs. Snider the tea room were the Misses Muriel Waller stated this morning that the Whitaker, Helen Oldham, M. Sweet, benches for the different city parks are being repaired and repainted the Misses Evelyn and Kathleen Buck, Misses E. Bunnell, K. Digb, and will be placed ready for use very soon. Men are also en-gaged in cleaning up Mohawk Park, garet Cockshutt. The spacious preparatory to the opening of this ated with flowering plants and cut

erarias and daisies in slender vases. The three local boys who have A prize was given for the too joined the navy have been instructed to leave Brantford for Toronto not only varied but very pretty and a net increase in membership of 13. useful, comprising needle books, The roll is now 346. sachets, handkerchiefs, work bags, Jones, W. E. Close and A. S. Pickerknitting bags, pin cushions, lace col-P. Jones, a brother of the first meutioned recruit, although he offered Mrs. Harry Etches of Toronto, Mrs. Gordon Smith of Hamilton, Mrs. his services, he was unable to qual-Watts of Summerlands, B. C., Mrs. Robert Jennings of Toronto, Mrs. El-

liot of Goderich. A number of Paris ladies were Readers of the Courier will find also present, among those noticed B.Y.P.U., and Mission Circle many items of particular interest in were Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. MacPherson, Mrs. R. Thompson, Mrs. Foley and Just now, while house-cleaning time Mrs. Wickson, Mrs. is on, you are sure to find something you do need or perhaps something Smoke and Miss Craig. you do not need. Subscribers to the

The prizes were all made by Mrs. Harry Cockshutt who kindly donated them to the 215th Auxiliary. The Prize winners were:

Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Smoke, of Paris Mrs. Foley, of Paris; Miss Pyke, Mrs. Elliot, of Goderich; Mrs. Neili, Mrs. Charles Watt, Mrs. George Watt, Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Schell, Mrs. Marquis, Miss L. Large, Mrs. Jennings, of Toronto; Large, Mrs. Jennings, of Toronto;
Mrs. E. Watts of Summerlands; Mrs.
Nelles Ashton, Miss K. Buck, Mrs.
Frank Leeming, Mrs. Sheppard,
Mrs. Spence, Miss Tomlinson, Mrs.

The garden plot committee of the St. James Church Thrift League are progressing most **Vestry Meeting** satisfactorily in their department of GOD the thrift campaign, and a large

number of owners of vacant land throughout the city have assigned The annual vestry meeting of St. their plots over to the league for the James' church, Grandview, was held re-elected: mer months. Numerous citizens in the parish hall last who are anxious to assist in the the rector, Rev. E. Softley, in the work, have made application for chair. The attendance was unusually plots, and with the warmer weather large; the annual report of the work is speeding up more rapidly. Circular Number Three as isoued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, is being distributed to each house in the city, the object being to place some useful literature in the hands of everyone interested.

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The church officials for the complex of the complex of the church in good condition, and to the deacon's board on his term deacon's board on his term and to the deacon's board on his term deacon's board in the hands of everyone interested in the movement. The various wird Messrs. H. Wadman, re-appointed, committees now have their work and J. Piper; lay representative to well in hand, there being from 20 the Synod, A. P. Pickles; auditors, Messrs. E. Cornfoot and J. Wallis; are visiting each individual house. sidesmen, Messrs. J. Braby, R. Howand ascertaining particulars that may ting, E. Cornfoot and Messrs. Harding, E. Cornfoot and Messrs. Harding, Wilson and Weir. Suitable wanner, those who are willing to place their lots at the disposal of the Ladies' Guild, Grace Church for fincommittee are enabled to fill out the ancial assistance, Mrs. Softley as orassignment blank, and those wno de- ganist, the choir, the rector and the sire to acquire a lot, are supplied church wardens, with an application blank, and the A pleasing fea

A pleasing feature of the proceed league will endeavor to place a near ings was a presentation made to Mr. by lot under the applicants direc- H. Blacker, retiring church warden who is leaving with the 215th. He has been a valued member of the choir and an efficient church warden. Gifts were also made to two other nembers of the 215th, Pte. H. Dunston and Pte. P. Davidson, who have been active in church circles. Rereshments were then served by the ladies, bringing to a close a most

Young Man Went Overseas With 54th Battery

Mrs. J. Robbins, 23 Mount Pleasant street, this morning received ed the front either as a unit or by

Church Shown to be in Satisfactory State Generally PRESENTATION MADE

To Rev. W. E. Bowyer, Pastor, and Others A large gathering of the members

of Calvary Baptist church met last evening in annual meeting. At the commencement of the meet-

ing the pastor, Rev. W. E. Bowyer, presented his report for the year, which was received with much enthusiasm by the members assembled. In reviewing the work of the past year, Mr. Bowyer mentioned the dif-Battalion held a most successful with this last year, among which he stated that there had been considerable home of Mrs. Harry Cockshutt ficulties that had to be contended manhood had responded to the call of King and Country and had gone overseas on active service. Notwithstanding these difficulties and the strenuous war times, the church had made good progress both from a finlater in the afternoon. Assisting in ancial standpoint and also by crease in membership. The pastor thanked the members for their kindness in standing by him so faithfully during his illness last year and for their earnest efforts to keep the work going on the same in his abrooms were most artistically decor- sence from the pulpit. He said that we are conscious of the fact that the lowers in profusion everywhere, the guiding hand of God had been with tea table being centred with cin- us during the year and in the past, for which we are very thankful. score at every table and these were Clerk, presented his report, showing

The report of Mr. Geo. Cowie, Church Treasurer, showed a marked lars, fancy articles. A number of progress this year over the previous visitors were present from out of one, notwithstanding the conditions. own, among those present were There was a total of \$2287.16 raised for current expenses and \$535.28

The reports of the various church organizations showed fine progress, especially so in the Sunday School.

The Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. have recently purchased a fine piano for the services, and have raised splendid contributions toward the same by special effort. Also the other church organizations are helping in this object.

A pleasing feature of the evening was a number of presentations that were made. Mr. Bowyer was surprised with a purse of \$100.00, given by the members, and he expressed his thanks very appropriately. The retiring church Sexton, Mr.

Geo. Stenabaugh, and his wife, were presented with a fine umbrella each. Also Mr. Will Crandall of the 215th Battalion was made the re cipient of a pocket book, and Mr Edgar Simpson, also of the 215th was presented with a fine belt, or the eve of their departure for active service overseas. All those who received the presentations responded feelingly in their thanks.

A special vote of thangs was tendered the choir for their services. The following church officers were

Clerk-Mr. F Treasurer-Mr. Geo. Cowie. S. S. Superintendent-Mr. L. C.

comed to their board. Mr. George Cowie, retiring dea-

con, was honored with the appointment as Honorary Deacon. The Church Auditors, Mr. L. C Schmidt and Mr. R. L. Simmons gave their report, showing that everything was in good order, and in making the report Mr. L. C. Sch-

midt commented on the admirable work of our Church Treasurer, Mr. The meeting closed with a verse f "Blest be the tie that binds."

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

Constipation is one of the most F. organized in the year 1890. His death being the first break in the the child suffering from it cannot thrive. To keep the little one well its most active members, one who the bowels must be kept regular and had ever its welfare at heart. the stomach sweet. To do this nothing can equal Baby's Own Tablets. Widow and two sons, Fred Stanle, the stomach sweet. To do this noth-Concerning them Mrs. Romain Poir-ier, Mizonette, N.B., says—"My so two sisters, Miss Mary Reeker of baby suffered from constipation but this city and Mrs. Cornell of Lynthanks to Baby's Own Tablets he is perfectly well again." The Tablets ficiated at the funeral. He also revery consideration. are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville,

REAL TRAVEL COMFORT

Spring is here, and patrons of the Spring is here, and patrons of the church: B. Howden, Canadian Northern Railway will find Smuck, N. Atkinson, H. Price, renewed pleasure in the compartment-library-observation cars on all

A magazine and library bureau occurred on April the 10th following A magazine and library bureau having its men drafted to other bodies. Gunner Robbins at the time of his enlistment was 23 years of age; unmarried, a mechanic by profession and of Canadian birth.

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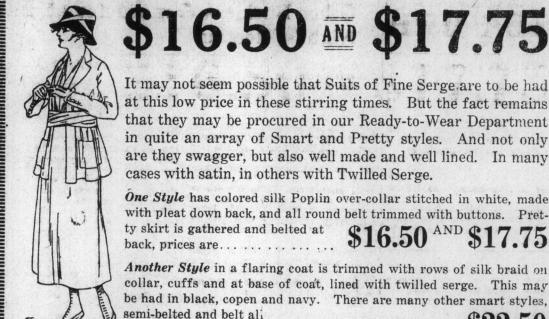
A magazine and library bureau myhaving its men drafted to other bodies. Gunner Robbins at the time of his elatest and most friends in this city and district. In addition to her parents, who reside friends in this city and district. In addition to her parents, who reside friends in this city and district. In addition to her parents, who reside friends in this city and district. In addition to her parents, who reside from the deceased is survived by seven sisters, Mrs. E. Wright of Detroit, Mrs. Kinger of the 13th Battery, returned to his office has, in some inexplicable manner, become blocked, it is thought from the mud that has washed low a from the from the mud that has washed low a from the pavement around the building. Caretaker Chas. Vanfleet had men engaged in locating the Misses Jean and Edna at home.

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Obituary

Infant Whiting Mr. and Mrs. John Whiting, infant son, Vincent, aged two and a family residence, interment taking half years, who passed away yesterday. The funeral will take place tomorrow to St. Basil's church and St.

AGNES GIBSON. The following is a further list of floral tributes at the funeral of the late Miss Agnes Gibson, which took

circle. The lodge has lost one of

ceived the rights of the Canadian Order of Forresters, the members of the order attending in a body.
The draping of the church and the many floral contributions testified to the respect and esteem in which, he was held. The pall bearers were three Forresters and three Deacons Mulligan, T. Walker.

training, in her second year. Death There were many floral tributes.

One brother, Mr. Winn, is also left at home. The remains were accom panied from New York by Miss Mabel Clark, and Miss Velma Shultis of this city. The funeral will take Cayuga St., mourn the loss of their place to-morrow afternoon from the

place in Farrington cemetery.
She was of a most loveable character and the sincere sympathy of many friends will be extended the

To The Editor ******** RE APPOINTMENT OF GAOLER

We have quite a number of returned soldiers, and I would like to see one of these deserving fellows get this appointment, providing one can be found, possessing the required ability. The boys are usually given a spend of the township of Onondaga, occurred at his residence on Saturday April 7th, after a lingering illness borne with patience. April 7th, after a lingering illness borne with patience and Christiau fortitude. The deceased was born on Feb. 14th, 1856 on his father's farm, where he spent his entire life as a successful farmer. He was an active member of the Bantist an active member of the Baptist Church of Onondaga, in which he for many years held the office of Council as well as private donations Deacon. He was a charter member and the recruiting league possibly of Court Endeavor 337 of the C. O. wonders why recruits do not come forward for enlistment at a faster rate Would not appointments as above mentioned act as a stimulous to encourage recruiting. I am not criticiz-ing those who have done all in their power to place our returned heroes in congenial positions and while I believe there are some applications from "able bodied Canadians", I feel every consideration.

Yours Sincerely, A. G. Brown

Laid at Rest

The funeral of the late Miss Fair, took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence in the Township ant street, this morning received word that her son Gunner Alfred Robbins, of the 54th battery had been wounded on the western front. This is the first casualty reported from the 54th battery, which was recruited here a little over a year ago by Major T. W. henderson, and indicates that the battery has reached the front either as a unit or by

and street, this morning received ment-library-observation cars on all its transcontinental trains, which not only allow the passenger to gain the full benefit of the wonderful scenery along the route, but also to take advantage of the many new comfort features which have created so much favorable comment among training, in her second year. Death of Onondaga to Brant church cemetry. There was a large attendance of sorrowing friends and relatives. Rev. Mr. Campbell of Balfour St. Cev. Mr. Campbell of Balfour St. Cev. Mr. Campbell of Balfour St. New York Hospital, New York Hospital, New York, where she was a nurse in training, in her second year. Death of the recent demise at the New York Hospital, New York, where she was a nurse in training, in her second year. Death of the recent demise at the New York Hospital, New York, where she was a nurse in training, in her second year. Death of the recent demise at the New York Hospital, New York, where she was a nurse in training, in her second year. Death of the recent demise at the New York Hospital, New York Hosp of Onondaga to Brant church ceme

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