

RECOMMENDS LAYING OF SEWERS AND WATER MAINS

Board of Health Also States That Unsanitary House Must be Removed.

A short session was held last evening by the Board of Health, when a considerable amount of routine and other business was transacted. Those present at the meeting were J. W. Patte (Chairman), Dr. Pearson, Wm. Glover and M. M. McBride. A number of accounts were passed by the board, after which some discussion followed upon the subject of the laying of new sewers. It was finally moved by Dr. Pearson, seconded by Mr. M. McBride, that for sanitary purposes, sewers be laid on Spring street, from Jarvis street to the end; on Bruce, from Murray to Rawdon; on Emile from Brighton Place to Bruce to the G. T. R. tracks; on Catharine avenue, from Brant street to the end. It was recommended also by the board that the water commissions by water mains on Catharine avenue from Brant street to the end of the street.

On motion of Dr. Pearson, seconded by M. McBride, the secretary was instructed to notify John Fair, agent for the McMeans estate, that as the thirty days' notice given at the last meeting has expired, and as the order has not been complied with, he must forthwith attend to the matter by having the building put into proper habitable condition or totally removed, as in its present condition it is a nuisance and a menace to the surrounding properties.

Navy Department, U. S. A., will open a submarine school at New London, Conn., on July 1.

St. Louis, Mo., will be asked to provide by bond issue \$3,000,000 for school extensions.

Mrs. J. Schwartz of Rutherford, N.J., one of the five Leonard sisters who were noted for their beauty, died on Sunday night.

To The Editor

LETTER FROM MR. LLOYD HARRIS

Savoy Hotel, London, Eng. The Editor, Brantford Courier, Brantford, Canada:

Dear Sir—I have just received a copy of your editorial dated May 10th, in which you state as follows:—"It is generally understood that Mr. Lloyd Harris of this city, was one of the men from whom Mr. Kyte mainly derived the information on which he based his fuse charges in the Dominion House. It was also intimated that when he gave his testimony there would be a great deal of rotteness exposed, and some sensational disclosures."

Your assumption that I was one of the men from whom Mr. Kyte mainly derived information on which he based his fuse charges in the Dominion House, is entirely incorrect, as I never gave any information to Mr. Kyte nor to his colleagues in connection with this matter, and I was as much surprised as anybody when Mr. Kyte made his charges on the floor of the House.

I considered I had done my full duty when I went to the Prime Minister, and placed before him, on October 1, 1915, the information which had come into my hands.

As you have made a statement which is entirely unfair to me, I ask that you will publish this denial, and believe you will be glad to do so, knowing your desire at all times for fair play.

Yours faithfully, LLOYD HARRIS.

(The Courier, the day following the publication of the editorial to which above reference is made, hearing that Mr. Harris denied having given any information to Kyte, promptly published such denial. Presumably what Mr. Harris told the Prime Minister is what he related before the Commission, and Sir Robert showed good judgment in not taking action on same.—Ed. Courier.)

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SOUTH BRANT WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Annual Meeting Held Last Monday at Burford.

SOME FINE ADDRESSES HEARD Reports Received Showing Items Given to Red Cross Work.

The South Brant convention and annual meeting was held on Monday, June 5th, at the district president, Mrs. J. E. Brethour's lovely home, "Oak Lodge," Burford.

A special business session began at ten thirty in the morning for the annual business meeting and election of officers. Mrs. Brethour presiding. A report of the year's work was given by the district secretary. Special items were increased membership, a new branch formed at Oak Hill; 89 meetings were held in South Brant with total attendance of 2,297. Also concerts, bazaars, chain teas, and Cross teas, box socials etc. have been held to raise money for Red Cross purposes. Ten dollars was donated for prizes for children's school fairs. South Brant Institutes are undertaking to furnish a private ward in the Brantford Hospital which will always be at the disposal of its members.

NEW OFFICERS.
The election of officers followed, the district officers for the coming year being elected as follows:
Honorary President—Mrs. James Eadie, Oakland.
President—Mrs. J. E. Brethour, Burford.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. W. Parnell, Falkland.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. P. Vivian, Oakland.
3rd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. Weir, Cathart.
Sec. Treas.—Mrs. B. Roelfson, Mt. Pleasant.

Representatives in Brant County Board of Agriculture, president, vice-president and secretary.

South Brant has seven branch institutes: Burford, Falkland, Whitman's Creek, Tansley, Oak Hill, New Durham, Cathart, Burtch, Oakland, Scotland and Mt. Pleasant. Forty branch officers attended the annual meeting.

RED CROSS WORK.
Five minute reports were given by each branch secretary. Special items of reports for Red Cross work:
Oakland sent cash, \$107.05; surgical shirts, valued at \$35; 1 barrel of jam, value \$6 and 94 pair socks.
Cathart sent cash \$108.63; 1 dozen hospital shirts; 104 dozen mouth-wipes; 12 dozen handkerchiefs; 15 dozen bandages; 16 pairs socks; 7 rolls old cotton; 1 roll linen; 17 dozen wash cloths; 1 dozen shirts.
Scotland: \$34.68 cash; 50 pair socks, \$29 to Belgian relief.
Burtch: \$50.70 cash.
Oak Hill: \$2 cash; 2 balls flannel-ette made up into shirts; 20 pair socks; 6 dozen wash cloths; 15 towels.
Whitman's Creek sent cash \$157.00; 6 pair socks; 25 surgical shirts; 27 bandages; 3 dozen towels; 5 dozen wash cloths; 6 dozen handkerchiefs; 10 dozen mouth wipes; 6 dozen slings; 4 scarves.
Mt. Pleasant sent \$102 cash; 17 dozen surgical shirts; 7 dozen long night shirts; 23 dozen handkerchiefs; 7 dozen nightgales; 18 dozen pyjamas; 75 pairs socks and collected money for gifts for local boys who had enlisted.
Burford sent cash \$1,273.78; several bales of new goods; 1 bale of field comforts; 2 bales to Serbian relief; 10 bales in all, value at \$46.
Tansley sent \$72 cash; box of comforts; 3 boxes provisions; 2 boxes of tobacco.
Falkland sent \$71.50 cash as raised through the efforts of Farmers' clubs and Women's Institutes; 35 surgical shirts; 700 mouth wipes; 13 dozen bandages; 5 quilts; 7 sheets; 1 bale clothing and toys for Children's Shelter.
The District gave \$50.00 to endow a cot at Cliveden, Canadian Hospital.
Mr. Putnam spoke briefly, congratulating the Branch workers for the splendid reports they had given.
The business session adjourned at 12:30. Luncheon was served to over two hundred ladies on the lawn, after which a very interesting programme followed.

MR. PUTNAM'S ADDRESS.
The afternoon session was opened by all singing the opening Ode. Honorary President, Mrs. James Eadie, presided, and gave the address of welcome, to which Mr. Putnam, Superintendent of Ontario Institutes, replied, and explained the great part the organization of the Women's Institutes throughout Canada has taken in helping in every way since the war began. His address was listened to with keen interest. It is always a pleasure to the Institute members to have Mr. Putnam address them.
A piano solo was given by Miss Anderson, and a vocal solo by Miss Eadie.

MILITARY SPEECHES.
Capt. McKegney, Chaplain of the 21st Battalion, gave a short and forceful address on the war, and recruiting Captain Andrews followed, and urged everyone to do their bit in every possible way.
Dr. Brown of Toronto, then gave a splendid talk on "The war and needs from Canada," and on medical inspection of schools.
Mrs. Brethour spoke briefly, welcoming all present to her home and thanked the ladies for electing her again as their President, assuring them she would try to make good.
Five minute papers, followed by representatives of the various branch-

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These were very interesting and well prepared.

PUBLICATION MATTERS.
Miss Fort, representative of the Canadian Home Journal was present and gave an outline of this publication which is the official organ for the Institutes.

A very kind expression of thanks was given Mrs. Brethour for her hospitality in opening her home for the convention. Collection was taken up for Brantford hospital which amounted to \$15.00.

"The singing of 'God Save the King,' brought a very successful and profitable convention to a close.

PTE. VAN FLEET GETS FURLOUGH

Granted Six Weeks' Leave, and Will Arrive Here by End of Month.

Pte. H. J. VanFleet, 128 Oxford street, son of Mrs. James VanFleet, and who went overseas with the first Canadian contingent, is coming home on furlough. Yesterday Mrs. VanFleet received an official looking envelope from the Old Country, and on opening it the contents read as follows: Shorncliffe, May 22, 1916.

To Mrs. James VanFleet, 128 Oxford Street, Brantford, Ont.

Dear Madam,—You son, No. 11627, Pte. H. J. VanFleet, 2nd Battalion, 1st Canadian Infantry Brigade, has been granted six weeks' furlough from the date of sailing.

He should arrive in Canada about the end of June.

Yours truly,
H. W. TEED, Lieut. Headquarters C.T.D., Shorncliffe.

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Saturday we give you the choice of our entire stock of beautiful Crepe-de-Chine, Georgette and Silk Waists, all new styles, with large cape collars and cascade front. Colors are White, Pink, Rose, Melon, Maize, Yellow, Green, Copenhagen, also fancy striped Silk and Crepe Waists on the tailored order.

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Onondaga Council Holds its Session
Chiefly Routine Matters Up and Some Accounts Were Passed.

Onondaga, June 5, 1916.—After a busy forenoon of work in looking at the Bridges and culverts on River road west, the Council met in the Town Hall at 2 p.m., all the members being present.

Several communications were received and ordered filed. There being no appeals on the assessment roll, it was finally passed. Councillor McBlain reported that the Middleport improvement society were getting a liberal response from the villagers and the surrounding neighborhood, some \$350 being already paid in. The work on the walks is being pushed forward rapidly.

The report on draining part of road on beat No. 32, placed the cost at about \$15.00. The committee were ordered to go on with the work.

The Reeve and Councillors Barton and Walker were empowered to purchase plank and stringers for Howell Bridge, and Councillors Barton and Hunter were ordered to get the work performed as soon as lumber arrives.

The following accounts were ordered paid: Brant Mutual, insurance on Hall \$4; Sarnia Bridge Co., road scraper \$15.00; the Stratford Corrugated Pipe Co., 13 iron culverts \$233.50; A. W. Hamilton, filling in wash-out on Beat 4, \$15; clerk's balance of salary to June 1, and stationary and postage \$73.05. The Reeve long distance phone \$1.00; House of Refuge, 61 days care of inmate \$6.79; Dominion Guarantee & Treasurer's, Lond \$12.

The Council adjourned to meet at call of Reeve. The next regular meeting will be in Middleport on Aug. 1 at 1.30 p.m.

Dr. S. J. Crumline is leading an anti-weeds crusade in Topeka, Kansas, as a health measure.

Anton Hoffinger, 59, of New York, recently married for the fifth time. No divorces. All tombstones.

John Godfrey, of Middletown, N. Y. found a basket on his porch here. In it he found twin boys, about two weeks old.

LIEUT. R. E. WATTS
Only son of Mr. and Mrs. Watts, 84 William St., and the 54th Battalion, who died in day in the military hospital from scarlet fever.

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FORTY-FIFTH RUSSIANS GAINS

Have Pushed and Styr River and Have Reached Burg, and others.

London, June 10.—In the light of their big and offensive on the entire front from the Priepet marshes and the frontier in Bukovina, Galicia, Lychynia, the Russians have made important progress they have pushed back the German forces from the Stripa and Styr an average of 15 miles reached the Zlota Lipa River, on the road to Lemberg, the capture of Lutsk enables, in a three days' start on movement on Lemberg from along a good metalled road. Despite a stubborn defence which is being put up in some by the enemy, the Russian headquarters officially proceeding with the offensive whole front. It is officially announced by the same source total number of prisoners to yesterday is now 1143 of 64,714 men, an addition of 18 and 13,714 men over the day.

TOOK STYR BRIDGE
The Austrians were driven Opolichen and back on the one of the Russian divisions troops and these followed.