

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

FOR LIBRARY

Two large bookstands were received in the court house this morning as additions to the Brant County Law Library.

FIRST LIVE STOCK SHIPPED

The first shipment of live stock over the L. E. and N. was made yesterday when the Percheron stallion, "Kairovan," belonging to Hamilton and Yeager, Simcoe, was forwarded to that place from this city. The trip was made in good time, and the accommodation was amply satisfactory to the shippers.

TOUR OF CITY

The Board of Works will make a special round of the city to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, some matters of importance necessitating the trip.

NOT FOR CAMP BORDEN

A report from Camp Borden that several Battalions are due to arrive there by August 14th, and among these the 215th, is not given much credence at local headquarters. "It is not likely they would order us to Niagara on the 7th, and then to Borden on the 14th," a 215th officer said to-day, and he also gave it as his opinion that the report had "nothing in it."

PAVING MATTERS

A joint meeting of the Board of Works, Finance Committee, and Street Railway Commissioners was held yesterday afternoon, to discuss the Erie Avenue pavement question. Nothing definite was arrived at. A small deputation from Eagle Place was present and asked that work be gone on with. It was decided to leave the matter to the Council, to be dealt with at Monday night's meeting.

GETTING MEN

Another recruit was signed yesterday by the recruiting sergeants of the Construction battalion, in the person of Herbert Aslin, a married Englishman, employed as a laborer

and residing at 27 Burford Street. Other applications have also been received at the local office, and two men are expected to report to-morrow for attestation. At the Brant theatre last night a slide was flashed upon the screen calling attention to the Construction battalion and the inducements offered by it. Ptes. Daziel and Jeff expect that their stay in the city will terminate to-morrow.

NUPTIAL NOTES

St. Jude's church was yesterday afternoon the scene of a very pretty wedding when Miss Bessie Burr became the bride of Mr. Carl Trumper the ceremony being performed by Rev. T. B. Jenkins, in the presence of about forty guests. The bride was given away by her father, and was unattended. She was charmingly gowned in white silk crepe-de-china, and carried a bridal bouquet of white roses. The wedding march was played by Mr. D. A. Wright. A very large number of handsome presents were received, and after a tasty luncheon served by Caterer Russell, the bridal couple departed on the 4.35 train for Buffalo and other points, after which they will take up their residence in this city.

THE BRANT

In a weird Oriental scene setting the Aki Japanese troupe at the Brant Theatre for the week-end presented one of the best novelty and conjuring acts seen for a long time in this city. From trick writing to feats of sleight-of-hand, all is new, and mystifying, and performed in suave and debonaire manner which is essentially Oriental. The three Higgie girls present a comedy "message of music and mirth" which cannot fail but elicit applause, and the picture bill is of the highest quality. The ever popular film star, Blanche Sweet, appears in an unusual role in "The Thousand Dollar Husband," while the second installment of the new serial "The Iron Claw" shows the rapid development of mystery and thrills galore, so that the picture bids fair to become the most popular the Brant has yet presented.

Died

SAYLES—At the General Hospital on Thursday, Aug. 3rd, Mrs. Ashley Sayles. The funeral will be held on Sunday, August 6th at 2 p.m., from her late residence, 213 Murray St., and proceed to Mt. Hope cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

THE PROBS

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 4—Showers and thunderstorms have occurred throughout the Western Provinces, while a few light scattered showers or thunderstorms are reported from Ontario and Quebec.

A shallow depression is approaching Lake Superior attended by numerous thunderstorms. Moderate southerly winds; fair and decidedly warm to-day. Saturday—Moderate to fresh south and southwest winds, thunderstorms in many localities, but partly fair.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

TO RENT—Partly furnished summer cottage, Port Dover; house-keeping facilities. F. Phipps, Port Dover. t13

WANTED—Wood pattern makers. Forty cents per hour. Apply, Dominion Steel Foundry Company, Limited, Hamilton, Ont. m13

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in A1 shape, cheap for quick sale. Apply 8 Terrace Hill St. a7

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner can have same by proving propriety. Apply Courier. 111

WANTED—Young man about 25 years of age, with office experience, for responsible position in accounting department. Apply in person if possible. Waterous Engine Works Co. m19

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VALUES

Crepe de Chene \$1.50 yd
arrived, silk and wool Crepe de Chine, all 42 in. wide, regular price \$2.00. \$1.50

Cream Wool Serges
range of qualities in cream serges. Our Specials range yard \$1.25, \$1.10, 95 and 50c

White Middy Waists
and Misses' Middies, in fine twill white all white and color trimmed, long or short with and without belts. Very large choice and very special values, each—
c., 85c., 98c., \$1.25
\$1.50 AND \$1.75

Dainty
Night Dresses

25 Dozen at \$1 each
Ten different styles Ladies' Night Gowns in extra fine white Nainsook and muslins and crepe, variously and beautifully trimmed with embroidery and laces, tucked and hemstitched, and ribbons, usual values \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 each. Special in medium and extra large \$1

SUMMER DRESSES
\$2.00 Each

1 rack summer dresses, in-voile, crepe, linen, ratine, etc., odd clearing lines, Regular values \$5.00 to \$12.50 each. \$2.00 July Price, ea. \$2.00

2.00 Kimonos \$1.39 each
Ladies' Long Kimonos, Empire and loose styles, colors, satin trimmed, regular value \$1.39

Ladies' Bangalow Apron, each 39c
Boys' Cotton Sweaters, each 25c
Ladies' Cotton Hose, pair 12 1/2c
Silk ankle Hose, pair 35c
Children's Dresses in Gingham Prints, each 25c
Ladies' Knitted Combinations, suit 39c
Ladies' Vests, no sleeves and short sleeves, 12 1/2c

Baby's Straw Bonnets
\$1.00 Values 25c ea.

Assorted lot of Baby Straw Bonnets, 75c, 25c and 1.50 values, Special, each

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Two Italian Subs are Lost

By Special Wire to the Courier.
Rome, Aug. 4, via Paris.—The loss of two Italian submarines is officially announced. The statement says that the undersea craft, "left with orders on a mission to the enemy coast a long time ago. As they have failed to return to their base they are considered lost."

A Vienna dispatch of Aug. 3, reported the capture of the Italian submarine Giacinto Pullino by the Austrians in the North Adriatic. It was stated the submarine which was one of the largest owned by Italy, was almost undamaged and her crew had been taken prisoner.

Contracts aggregating \$56,000,000 have been let within the last few days to American manufacturers by the Entente powers in the European war.

NEILL SHOE COMPANY
BARGAINS FOR
SATURDAY

Small boys' box kip blucher cut lace boots, sizes 8 to 10, Regular \$1.38 \$1.85, Saturday
Women's tan calf button boots, sizes 2 1-2 to 4 1-2, Regular \$4 and \$2.48 \$4.50, Saturday
Child's White Canvas Strap Slippers sizes 8 to 10 1-2, Regular \$1.15, 89c Saturday
Youths' heavy blucher cut lace boots sizes 11 to 13 \$1.38 Saturday

Neill Shoe Co.

AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE

The Interest of the People in The August Clean-Up Sale is Wonderful and Inspiring---Unusual Values in Every Department

SUMMER
MILLINERY
A Clean-Up

A variety of smart Sport Hats, Values up to \$3, Clearing Sale .. 98c
Stylish Black Dress Hats, values from \$5 to \$8, Sale Price \$2
Smart Tailored White Felt Hats, Ranging from \$1.75 to .. \$3.50
An assortment of children's hats, values from \$3.50 to \$5.00. Leghorns and fancy made, clearing sale 98c. \$1.39
—Second Floor.



500 Lovely Voile Waists

\$1.50 \$2.00 and \$2.50 Values

SALE PRICES

98c \$1.19 and \$1.29

Often has this store given remarkable values but this offering, we believe, is the best it has been our good fortune to make. These waists are new and crisp—every one of charming style and perfect fit. They come mostly in embroidered and hemstitched effects—some fine tucks—long or short sleeves. All sizes.

NOW ON SALE AT

98c \$1.19 and \$1.29

Tapestry Carpet Ends and Mats At August Clear-Up Prices

Tapestry Carpet Ends, suitable for Archways, Halls, Dens, etc., in black, floral and medallion designs, all 1 1-2 yards long, \$1.00 value, Sale Price ... 79c

Tapestry Mats, in neat block patterns, 27 x 54 in., in red, green and tan colorings, August Price \$1.39

Oil Cloth Bath Mats in woven block patterns in combination colors, 18 x 36, August Price, each 39c

Feather Pillows, 18 x 25 covered with fancy ticking, suitable for summer cottage or camping, August, Price pair .. 89c

WHITEWEAR

At Clearance Prices

Children's Princess Slips of good cotton trimmed with Torchon Lace, all sizes, 6 years to 16. 65c
Price
Children's Night Gowns, slip overs, lace trimmed, all sizes, 2 years to 16. Price 50c
Child's Knitted Cotton Waist, plenty of buttons for attaching skirt or pants, all sizes, 2 years to 16. \$1.25
Children's Cover-all Aprons, good print, sizes 6 years to 12 years. Price 35c
Ladies' Night Dresses of excellent cotton, slip overs, neck and short sleeves, embroidery trimmed and run with ribbon. Price 75c
Ladies' Night Dresses of excellent cotton in slip-over and open front styles several good styles in embroidery or lace trimming and run with ribbon, 98c
Price

These Extremely Favourable Savings Suggest Quick Action

PALM BEACH AND LINEN SUITS

At Savings of \$3.00 to \$5.00

Smartly Tailored Suits of Palm Beach and Palm Beach Crash—made in Norfolk and belted styles, values \$9.50 to \$8.50, Sale Price \$5.95

Six only Ramie Linen Suits, representing a lot of New York Models, colors are tan, pink, blue and white, originally priced at \$13.50 to \$15.50, Sale Price \$10.50

Linens - Too, Must Go

White and Colored Bath Towels, useful size, good quality, pair 25c
Hemmed Pillow Cases, nice quality neatly finished, pair 29c
White and Unbleached Sheeting, splendid quality, special for this sale, 2 yards wide, 33c. value, yard 27c
72 in White Table Damask, excellent quality, strong for every day use, 5 designs, 75c value, yard 50c
6 Pieces Bordered Roller Towelling, very absorbent quality, extra strong, 17 in. wide, worth 15c., Special, yard 10c
15 Tablecloths, sizes 2 yards x 2 yards, and 2 yards x 2 1-2 yards. These must be cleared; Splendid for Breakfast Cloths, 2 yards x 2 yards, \$1.39 each; and 2 x 2 1-2 yards \$1.59 each
White Turkish Towelling, good quality in all widths, very absorbent, 24 in., 18 in., 27 in. and 22 in. at 25c
Extra Large Size White and Colored Bath Towels, excellent quality, all fast colors, worth 50c., each. Special, 29c each
White and Blue Bordered Huck Towels, strong and very absorbent, ready for use, pair 29c



DON'T MISS OUR Remnant Table - ON - SATURDAY

All Kinds of Remnants to Clear

Covered Market Baskets 23 and 29c

Satchel Market Baskets in 4 sizes, well made, strong, hinged lid, with double copper handles.
ON SALE SATURDAY 23 and 29c EACH

Household Woodenware and Baskets

Wood Clothes Horse, 3 section stand, 9 bars 50c
Ironing Boards, 5 feet length, well shaped 60c
Folding Ironing Board well made \$1.40
Step Ladders in 5, 6 and 8 feet lengths, adjustable pail holder, very strong, Prices 95c., \$1.15 and \$1.45
Wardrobe Boxes, matting covered, plain or varnished inside, with or without inside tray Prices, each \$3.25 to \$10.00
Cane Clothes Baskets, round or square design with lid \$1.25 to \$2.50
Japanese Suit Cases, leather trimmed, brass fittings with lock and key .. \$2.25 to \$3.50
Lunch Baskets, with single handle and patent fastener. Price 10c. to 40c

Clear-Up Prices From the STAPLE LINEN WASH GOODS Departments SATURDAY

1,500 Yards Double Width Prints, splendid range of patterns, light and dark, fast colors, Saturday 10c
1,000 Yards 36 in. Pure Indigo and Red Prints, plain colors, for trimming, and printed designs for house dresses, value 20c., Saturday, yard 15c
300 Yards Pretty Fancy Floral Voiles and Batistes, excellent quality, splendid for Children's Dresses, 28 in. wide, value 20c. to 25c., Saturday, yard 15c

Towel Bargain Repeated

12 Dozen Large Size Colored Bath Towels, fast colors, very absorbent, to-day's value 40c. each, Saturday 24c

12 Dozen White Turkish Towels, useful size, pure white with red borders, nice and soft, worth 15c. each, Saturday, each 11 1/2c

15 Dozen Extra Large White and Colored Bath Towels. This line is very special, fast colors, double loop, very absorbent, worth 50c. Saturday 29c

H. S. Huck Towels, good size and quality, fine even weave, splendid for the bedroom; good wearing, Saturday, each 24c

Hemmed Huck Towels, plain or with blue borders, no dressing; can be used as tea towels; more economical than buying by the yard, Saturday, 29c pair



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