THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1917.

Got Your Victory Bonds Yet?

THE fury and danger of the Cyclone is nothing compared to the destruction levied by the mail order business. The havoc caused by this evil will never be known. It can not be reckoned in figures. One wellknown mail order house alone issued and circulated in one year twenty million catalogues. Towns have been wiped out of existence, land values wrecked, farms depopulated and business brought to a standstill. Thinking people of all classes—farmers, merchants, manufacturers— are now alive to the danger and have begun to arouse to counteract its effects. Every town is being urged to wage a campaign of education to arouse the thought of the people. The imaginary, long-distance bargain has never yet measured up to the standard and value of HOMEbought goods.

HELP WANTED!

KEEP away from the flame of the candle if you don't want your wings singed" is a proverb as old as the hills. So old we have almost forgotten to apply it to OUR-SELVES. In every community men and women are imitating the moths. How many times have WE been singed by the fascination of that LONG DISTANCE "bargain"? And how many times have WE come BACK, and back AGAIN, to the flame? How much MONEY is lost each year to this community by this same SINGEING process? The flame of the candle mounts higher. The moths crowd closer and closer to the flame. It is OUR business to putthat flame OUT. WANTED:—a few MEN and WOMEN in OUR community to apply the SNUFFER.

N^O goods purchased abroad are cheap that take the place of our own labor and our own raw material. The Cyclone

DRIVEN FROM HOME

OUR boys and girls are leaving the farms and Home Towns by the thousand and swarming into the congested CITIES. There they work and struggle against frightful odds, the majority never getting a chance. If WE had always spent our money at home we could have built up industries at home to give employment to these boys and girls. How many children has OUR NEGLECT of home intrests DRIVEN away into the Big Cities? Just in so far as we failed to give OUR support to our home community are we responsible for this condition. We are not ones who have blocked THEIR chances. WE have placed a handicap in THEIR lives. They are not OTHER people's children. They are OURS. But it is not too late to do our duty by the NEXT generation. They belong to us, too. Let us do every thing in our power to keep these children at home.

is a Resident of Brantford I Hereby Pledge Myself:-
1st.—That I will Boost Brantford at all times.
2nd.—That as a Booster I will buy, as far as pos- sible, everything I need for myself or for my family, in my home city.
3rd.—That I will, where possible, purchase Brant- ford-made goods in preference to goods manufactured in other cities or towns.
4th.—That I will, on every occasion, urge my friends and neighbors to buy in Brantford and Boor Home Industries.
(Signed)
Address

Shop in BRANTFORD With YOUR Home Merchants

Are we each and every one of us doing all we can to build up Brantford into a large and beautiful city? We have the opportunity but are we making the best of it? A community is no better than the men and women living in it. If our outlook is narrow and selfish, our community viewpoint will be dwarfed and unresponsive to the spirit of progress. If we do not work for the best welfare of our industrial, commercial and mercantile life, of our community suffers collectively and we all suffer individually.

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Brantford Merchants Have the Goods, and the Prices Are Right

Think what Brantford would be without our ret iil merchants. Where would be the value in our real estate, in our educational institutions, in o ur beautiful park system, in our factories, if we did not have a growing population to enjoy them and maintain them.' The best way to benefit Brantford is to keep our money in local circulat on as far as possible. A policy which is endorsed by the leading manufacturers, merchants and b usiness men of this city is worthy of our careful consideration. Once again, let our motto be

First, Last and Always, "Buy in BRANTFORD

Campaign Endorsed by the Following Business Men:=

J. M. Young & Co., Dry Goods, Rugs, Linoleums, Etc.

Ogilvie, Lochead & Co., Drv Goods. Rugs. Linoleums, Etc.

E. B. Crompton & Co., Limited, Department Store.

The Crompton Grocery, Pure Food Store.

- C. J. Mitchell, Automobiles and Sporting Goods.
- J. W. Burgess, Furniture and House Furnishings.
- The Brantford Willow Works, Willow Furniture.
- R. Stoler, Furniture and House Furnishings.
- Sheppard & Co.-Shoe Repairers.

- T. A. Cowan, Plumbers & Electricians.
- M. E. Long, Furniture Co., Furniture. Dominion House Furnishing Co. Furniture and Clothing.
- Howie's—Heavy and Shelf Hardware. W. G. Hawthorne, Bicycles and Sporting Goods.
- Ludlow Bros.—Clothing, Boots and Shoes.
- A. C. Percy-Gents' Furnishings.
- J. G. Townsend—Boots and Shoes.
- A. N. Pequegnat-Jeweller.
- The Scotland Woolen Mills Stores-Men's Clothing.
- T. A. Squire—Shelf and Heavy Hardware. M. E. Buck—Millinery.

Henkle Bros., Limited—Clothing, Furs, Etc.
E. H. Newman and Sons—Jewellers.
Greif's—Jewellers.
The Western Fair—Millinery.

- F. J. Calbeck—Men's Clothes.
- L. Pettit-Millinery.
- Clark Lampkin Co.-Milliners.
- Joseph Orr-Harness Maker.
- W. L. Hughes, Limited-Ladies' Wear.
- W. L. Hughes, Limited Lucies (1994-
- S. G. Read & Son-Piano Dealers.
- Buller Bros.—Jewellers, etc.
- Andrew McFarland-Clothing and Gents
- Furnisher.
- Grafton & Co., Limited-Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Cans. S. Nyman-Ladies' Furs and Clothing. Edy's Limited—Drugs, Successors to F. McDowell. Agnew's, Limited-Boots and Shoes, Chris. Sutherland, Merchant Tailor. Gordon Brander-Druggist. 」 Neill Shoe Co.-Boots and Shoes. A.R.P Tip-Top Tailors-Men's Clothes. Wiles & Quinlan-Men's Furnishings and Clothing. Levy's Limited-Ladies' Ready-to-Wear. Northway & Co.-Ladies Wear and Lin-

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