

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

S. O. E. CARPETBALL

The Sons of England are about to organize a carpetball club and a meeting for this purpose is to take place in the Temple building this evening.

PAID NO COSTS.

William Arthur, against whom M. Mullaney laid a charge of trespass, this week, had to pay no costs in court and the charge against him was virtually dismissed.

SEVENTH INSTALLMENT.

The seventh payment to the dependents of the Canadian Expeditionary force volunteers, was made this morning at the City Hall by Adjutant Hargrove. There was not a very big pay roll this morning.

NEXT WEEK'S WORK.

New sewers are to be laid upon Tecumseh street for 125 feet north and also upon Drummond street between Colborne and Dalhousie Sts. This work will be commenced next week.

BIG CONVENTION HERE.

On Thursday and Friday of next week the convention of the Hamilton conference Epworth League will be held in this city in Wesley Methodist church. There will be about three hundred delegates and the affair is looked upon as extra important, owing to the fact that it is the Silver Anniversary of the organization. Many prominent speakers will take part and a feature will be missionary moving pictures both evenings under the direction of Dr. F. C. Stephenson.

TRINITY SOCIETY.

The Girls Friendly Society of Trinity Church, held a most interesting meeting last Monday evening when Mrs. Walter Ziegler, Honorary President of the Berlin and Waterloo Red Cross Society, gave an address on Home Nursing, little Miss Edna Fisher taking the role of patient, when a practical demonstration was given. Mr. Fred Beaver and Miss Mabel Beaver (Orillia, Ont.) have returned home after attending the funeral of their late cousin, Leslie M. Mounce.

BUILDING A HOME.

Robert Kerr has taken out a building permit to erect a \$300 dwelling house of one and a half stories, constructed of brick on Jubilee Avenue.

HAS A KICK

The unsatisfactory sanitary condition of South Street is the plaintive wail of M. A. Money, resident upon that street, who requests that sewers be laid thereon immediately.

SEEKING EMPLOYMENT

Still mounting higher is the list of men who have added their names to those who have applied for work at the City Engineer's office. The number who have applied to date is 1,345.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The Board of Works met last night under the presidency of Ald. Ward when the progress of civic work was gone into. The question of the Park Drive was not taken up and nothing but routine business occupied the attention of the board.

THEY WILL HELP.

Another Brantford factory will be kept busy for some time on army orders. The Brandon Shoe Company to-day received an order for 5000 army boots to be manufactured immediately. The order is one of the results of the recent deputation which went to Ottawa, which was headed by Messrs. W. F. Cocksutt, M.P. and J. H. Fisher, M.P.

LOCAL OPTION.

The Dominion Alliance, Ontario branch, is making preparations for campaigns to bring on local option referendums in a number of municipalities next January. In a number of centres campaign work has already started and places that have already started and placed that have already determined to vote on the question of the coming municipal elections are as follows: Pelee Island, Ridgeway, Holland Landing, Bala, West Lorne (where there is at present an uncertainty as to the result of the last vote, although no licenses are being issued), Hagersville, Caledonia, Jarvis, Bradford and Newbury.

CLASS OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the S. P. I. Class and Club held in the club rooms last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, I. Pearce; vice-president, H. Bradley; secretary-treasurer, C. Buckbrough; corresponding secretary, G. Walton; sports committee, F. Ireland; A. Arncliffe; literary committee, E. Lorimer, C. Brown, E. Balne; social committee, R. Verity, M. Barton, H. Lake, C. Belyea. The closing year proved to be a very successful one, as well as beneficial to the members, much of the credit being due to the former president, Mr. C. Brown. Continued enthusiasm was evidenced by the large number of members who turned out to the meeting last evening, and everything points to another successful year. The principal course to be followed this year, is that of literary work.

INADVERTEDLY OMITTED

Roy Smith, of 30 Grant street, was inadvertently omitted from the roll of honor which was published yesterday. He has enlisted and is now training with the second contingent. By trade a carpenter, he has had no former experience in military matters.

ANNUAL MEETING FIXED.

The annual meeting of the Brantford and Paris Football League, will take place on Thursday, December 12, when the season will be wound up. Last night when the executive assembly, there was little business to transact. The presentation of the prizes was discussed, and it is probable that a concert will be held, in the course of which the presentation will be made. John Hill, the president, was present.

POULTRY NOTES.

The Brantford and Brant County Poultry Association met last night in preparation for their annual exhibition, which will be held November 23rd to 27th inclusive. Four judges were appointed and allotted their respective classes. The prize list committee was also appointed, and will meet to-night to draft the prize lists. The treasurer stated that the annual government grant had been received, and the opinion was expressed that the city, township and county councils would also stand by the association this year and vote their usual grants, and thus enable the Association to go ahead with "business as usual."

RIFLE CLUB DRILL

The civilian rifle club turned out in large numbers last night when the second drill was taken in hand by Captain Gibson, at the Collegiate Institute. They were over 200 strong, and were much too big to be handled as one class. However, Cap. Gibson was able to give a very instructive lecture and to give the men their second lesson in the art of musketry. So large is the number enrolled that the club is to be divided into two squads. One squad will be formed of those who have a little experience and the other will be of those who have no experience. Thus the present difficulty of drilling the body as a unit will be solved. Capt. Gibson was so pleased with the performance last night that he has promised to take charge permanently. Mr. J. H. Fisher, M.P., Paris, and Mr. Thompson of Paris were amongst the interested spectators. Mr. Fisher gave a brief and patriotic address.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

The official opening of the indoor baseball league at the Y.M.C.A. took place last night, when the business men fell in opposition to the Dormitory Kolts. From the first the Kolts put up a star brand of ball and their score went away ahead of the business men's tallies, and they finished easy winners. The score was estimated at 17-9. The fact that the business men lacked practice, while the Dormitory men have been steadily pegging away for some time, may account for the difference in the teams. The business men, however, promise to come back strong and show the Kolts what they have been. The battery for the younger men was Fleming and Robbins, while the battery on duty for the older men was Atkinson and Thorburn. George Nixon of Hamilton was umpire, and he never had occasion to lecture Harold Good or his helpers in the fray. The Kolts proved a good hard-hitting side and beat the moderate fielding with their terrific drives to field.

ALL WOOL BLANKETS.

\$7.50 all wool blankets on sale for \$4.98, at J. M. Young and Co.

A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO HEALTH

To every woman belongs the right to enjoy a healthy, active, happy life, yet nine out of ten suffer, often in silence from splitting headaches, torturing backaches, violent heart palpitation or some other of the many evils that follow anaemia, or bloodlessness. That is why one sees so many women with pale, thin cheeks, dull eyes and drooping figures—sure signs that the blood is out of order. All suffering women should take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Through this medicine, thousands of tired, suffering women have found new health and strength. Mrs. James Dross, Chipman, N.B., says: "For years I did not know what it was to be entirely free from headache or backache. My hands were cold and clammy all the time. It was the doctor stopped giving me medicine as he said he could not help me. Do you wonder that I was in despair? My mother urged me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but I said, 'what's the use, medicine can't help me.' However my husband got six boxes of the pills, and to please him began to take them. By the time I had finished them I undoubtedly had improved and there was the signs of returning health in my cheeks and hands. My husband thought the improvement so great that he got another half dozen boxes, and before these were completed I was enjoying such good health as I had not had in years, in fact I was a well woman, and have since enjoyed the best of health. I sincerely feel that I owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and shall always recommend them to all sick people." You can get these pills at any medicine dealers, or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. The German cruiser Emden sank a Russian cruiser and a Japanese destroyer in the Straits Settlements.

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Pure Irish Linen Huckaback Towels, made from the finest yarn and purest flax, hemstitched and scalloped end, many beautiful designs, size 24x40. Each... 60c. Hand Embroidered Initial Guest Towels, beautifully worked by Irish peasants, on very fine huckaback, with damask borders, stocked in all initials, size 15x24. Each... 50c. Special All Linen Hemstitched Huck Towels, plain or damask ends, size 22x38... 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c. Beautiful Range of Guest Towels, scalloped and hemstitched, with space for initial, extra good qualities, size 16x24. Each... 25c, 30c, 35c, 45c, 50c and 60c. —Left Main Aisle, Rear.

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Cot size, very special... 45c a pair. Large size, heavy quality, white or grey, with pink or blue borders. Special, a pair... \$1.29. —Third Floor.

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Misses Suits, in heavy dark tweeds, Norfolk style, plain tailored skirt with bias band trimming. Regular \$12, sizes 16 and 18, \$15. Bargain... \$6.95. Ladies' Suits, medium and dark shades, of grey tweed, semi style, 34-inch length of coat, plain skirt with side plait. Values at \$13.50 to \$18.50. Sizes 36, 38, 40. Sale Price... \$6.95. Brown Serge, \$15. \$6.95. Tan Eponge, \$16.50. \$6.95. Black and White Check, \$15 and \$16.50. \$6.95. Fawn Whipcord, \$17.50. \$6.95. See our Special Jaunty Misses' Coat, in college style, good tweed cloth, in Brown, Blue and Grey mixtures. Regular \$8.50. For... \$5. Sizes 14, 16, 18. —Second Floor.

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DIED

RYAN—At Brantford, on Friday, October 29th, 1914, Catharine Lannon, beloved wife of John Ryan. The funeral will take place from the family residence, 6 Allison St., on Saturday morning, October 31st, at St. Basil's Church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated, thence to St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Personal News

Miss Freeborn of Philadelphia, Pa., is at present paying a visit to the city. F. J. White of Montreal is sojourning for a few days in the city. Carl Morris of Smiths Falls is visiting city relatives to-day. William Johnson is a visitor in the city for a few days from Buffalo. F. J. Daniels of Providence, R.I., is a visitor in the city to-day. Ernest Evans of Niagara Falls has returned home after a short visit to city friends. The Rev. Mr. Sottley of Corrunna is at present paying a visit to the city in connection with the St. James' church rectorship. He looked over the church yesterday. ALFRED ST. UP. The street railway tracks are up at present on Alfred St., east of Colborne St., and an army of teamsters and graders are at work remaking the new level. The condition of the street necessitates careful driving at night. DESERT THEIR ARMY. LONDON, Oct. 30, 1.30 p.m.—A despatch to the Central News agency from Amsterdam says it is reported that a hundred German soldiers have discarded their uniforms and crossed from Belgium into Dutch territory. SHIP IN DISTRESS. LONDON, Oct. 30.—1.30 p.m.—Signals of distress have been sent up since last night off Whitby, on the Yorkshire coast, from a steamship believed to be the Rohilla, a British vessel of 7,000 tons being used as a hospital ship. The gale blowing, however, has caused such seas that the launching of the boats has been impossible. BLANKET SALE. \$6.00 wool blankets, manufacturers' samples for \$4.29, at Young and Co.

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EMDEN WAS DISGUISED. PETROGRAD, Oct. 30, via London 12.46 p.m.—Russian naval headquarters has received some details of the destruction in the harbor of Penang of the Russian cruiser Jemtschug by the German cruiser Emden. The Emden appeared disguised off Penang at 5 o'clock on the morning of October 28. She was taken by the lookouts on the fort to be a vessel belonging to the allied fleet. She came forward at full speed and approaching the Jemtschug, fired a torpedo, which exploded near the boat. The Russian cruiser opened fire on the Emden, but a second torpedo from the German vessel sent her to the bottom. Eighty-five members of her crew were drowned. Out of 250 men saved, 112 were wounded. GERMAN CONTRADICTION. BERLIN, Oct. 30 (by wireless to Saville, L.I.)—The alleged raid of German troops into Angola, West Africa, is declared officially to-day to be a "flat lie forged in order to justify Portugal's participation in the European war."