

## Local News Items

## ONE RECRUIT

There was one recruit signed up yesterday by the 125th. John Thomas Bridgewater, English, 38, three months Duferin Rifles, single, Paris.

## GOOD RECORD

Ninety-three members of the church of the Good Shepherd in Toronto, have enlisted and also the Rector. The rector is Rev. G. M. Barrow, chaplain of the 84th battalion.

## AT ELM AVENUE

The Epworth League of Elm Avenue church had its weekly meeting last evening. The meeting was composed of reports from the recent Epworth League convention in Wellington St. Church. The Misses Davidson furnished a piano duet and Miss L. Tear a reading. Miss L. Hartley occupied the chair.

## ST ANDREW'S Y. P. G.

The regular meeting of the society was held last evening. Mr. W. Johnson acting as chairman. After the reading of the Gazette and the minutes of the last meeting, a very much appreciated trio was given by Messrs H. J. Banner, W. Johnson and A. T. Wallace. Two very interesting papers on "A Profitable Sunday," and "Lessons of our Immortality" were given by Messrs A. T. Wallace and H. J. Banner.

## COMING EVENTS

BUSY BEE CLUB Talent Tea, Thursday afternoon, 3 to 6. 54 Duferin Avenue.

FREE ENTERTAINMENT given by Grandview Improvement Association on Thursday evening, April 27th at 8 o'clock in Grandview School. Programme provided by Echo Place Improvement Association.

CONCERT THURSDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock, Colborne St. Methodist Church. Miss Jessie Irving, reader, Miss Mildred Sanderson, violinist, Mrs. A. O. Secord, soprano, Mr. Walter Carpenter, bass, Mr. G. C. White accompanist. Tickets 25 cents.

## THE PROBS

Toronto, April 25.—Pressure is lower over the eastern portion of the continent, and a fairly pronounced high area is centred over the western provinces. Light showers have occurred in Manitoba, Ontario and Western Nova Scotia, while in other parts of the Dominion the weather has been fair.

## FORECASTS:

Moderate west to northwest winds, unsettled with occasional light showers to-day and on Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

## NUPTIAL NOTE

Rev. W. E. Baker of Colborne St. Methodist church, on April 22, united in marriage Richard Potter and Millie Shellington.

## A HERO'S DEATH

News of the death of Jack Bull, who left Brantford with the first contingent, was received by his sister here to-day. Pte. Bull resided in West Brantford, and was a member of St. John's Anglican church. He left the city as a member of the first active service quota of the 38th Duferin Rifles. Many friends will join in sincere sympathy to the bereaved.

## TWO PERMITS

Building permits have been issued at the city engineer's office to Dr. C. D. Chapin for the erection of a brick dwelling to cost \$5,600 at 45 Wellington street, the work to be done by Nathaniel Kew; and to George W. Markle for the erection of a sleeping porch at 162 Murray St., estimated cost \$50, the work to be done by the owner.

## WESLEY EPWORTH LEAGUE

Wesley Epworth League held a very enjoyable social evening last evening at their regular weekly meeting. There was a large turnout of members of the league and their friends. The following program was very much enjoyed: Piano duet, Misses Florence and Thelma Yeates; solo, Mrs. Cook; address by Mr. Clarence Chittenden, which was very interesting; instrumental quartette, Mesdames Donaldson, Cook, Scattergood and Tyler; solo, Miss Eva Graham; piano duet, Miss Mae Porter and Mr. Porter. A number of contests added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening, after which a dainty lunch was served. The affair was in the hands of the social committee in charge of Miss Thelma Luck. Mr. Harold Foulds presided during the evening.

## Eye Talk

—No. 11—

## READING GLASSES

Why does a man of forty-five or fifty need "Reading Glasses?"

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TAYLOR'S  
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25c and 50c Jar

MELBA  
Cleansing Cream

50c Jar

MELBA  
Vanishing Cream

50c Jar

REJANE  
Vanishing Cream

25c and 50c Jar

POND'S  
Cold Cream

35c Jar

MINTY'S  
Cleansing Cream

Regular 50c  
SPECIAL 35c

TAYLOR'S  
Blue Bird Vanishing Cream

25c and 50c Jar

MELBA  
Face Cream

50c Jar

ORCHID  
Cold Cream

50c Jar

REJANE  
Cold Cream

25c and 50c Jar

REJANE  
Peroxide Cold Cream

25c and 50c Jar

MINTY'S  
Vanishing Cream

Regular 50c  
SPECIAL 35c

POMPEIAN  
Massage Cream

50c Jar

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## BOARD OF WORKS TOUR.

The annual tour of the city streets by the Board of Works will be conducted next Thursday. It will start in the morning and will likely last all day. All the city is visited and any portion of it falling under the jurisdiction of the Board needing attention, is carefully noted and will be looked after if possible.

## POLICE COURT

Two foreigners, Daniel Bondra and Ignat Vokar, were charged in the police court this morning with fighting on George street. After hearing, the case was adjourned until Thursday. Four drunks were assessed \$3 each, and a sidewalk bicyclist \$2.

## COLBORNE ST. LEAGUE.

On Monday night the Colborne St. League held its last meeting prior to the election officers with Miss Grace Cowherd in the chair. An exceedingly appropriate address was given by Mr. Fern Sayles, who outlined most thoroughly the league's work for the coming year. Methodism has set the Epworth League a high standard and if this standard is reached the church and community will show the results of such an active organization. Closing the speaker emphasized the necessity of each member doing his or her part gladly, remembering that all are in His service.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

## THE BRANT.

There is an extra good show for the first half of the week. Copely, McBride and Carroll do a most laughable minstrel end man act and Madame Oberia and girls have a sensational dancing novelty which is graceful, as well as beautiful. The instalment of the "Red Circle" is as interesting as ever and the photograph "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" most excellent.

## EASTER IN THE S. A.

Special Easter services were held in the Salvation Army barracks on Sunday, when a farewell was tendered to a number of S. A. men who are in the 84th Battalion, they being the following Brantford men: Privates Chesebourn, Jordan, Brown, Dimond, Barwell, Walsh, Holman; Saunders, Rodwell; Evans; Wilbee; Barringer. Toronto men: Privates Foulcher, Rock; Buchanan; Swan; Solly; Innis; Gooch (three brothers) and Cunceliffe (two brothers). Over 200 eggs were collected, which have since been donated to the hospital and other institutions. Adjutant Osborne was in charge of the services.

## To the Grave

MRS. BRADT

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bradt took place yesterday afternoon from 252 Marlboro street to Mt. Hope cemetery, Rev. Mr. Robertson conducting the services. The pallbearers were all relatives of the deceased.

## CANADA PRESENT AT CONVENTION

Represented at Annual of  
International Association  
of Accident Boards.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Columbus, O., April 25.—Authorities from Canada, the United States and South America assembled here to-day for the opening session of the third annual meeting of the International Association of Industrial Accident boards and commissions. The convention will continue through four days.

Mayor Korb of Columbus delivered an address of welcome at the opening session, and President Floyd L. Daggett, chairman of the Industrial Commission of Washington, responded.

The sessions are being held in the chamber of the House of Representatives in the state capital.

Peter Cullen, prison "disciplinary" and John Boris, another convict, escaped from Sing Sing prison.

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## Too Late for Classification

WANTED—Sexton for Grace Church. Apply by mail to Wardens of Grace Church. P.O. Box 42, city.

LOST—Saturday night, on Goderich train, lady's gold watch and fob. Initials on fob, "C.B." Finder please phone Courier. Reward. 143

WANTED—Experienced maid. Apply to Miss Sibbitt, 97 William St. 147

FOR SALE—Thirty horsepower E. M. F. 5-passenger Touring Car for sale cheap; would make a good truck. Phone 1319. 149

TO RENT—Frame cottage with large garden; possession at once. Apply 48 Sheridan St. 147

WANTED—At once, first-class fur-trimmer; permanent position. Apply Lyons Tailoring Co., Hamilton. m47

WANTED—Pupils for shorthand and touch typewriting, etc. 564 Colborne. Phone 1217. mw51

WANTED—Junior hand for general office work. Box 11, Courier. m45

WANTED—Helper on coats, man or woman; also good vest and pant makers. Apply Dick Katchadourian, 154 Market St. mw47

WANTED—A steady man the year round. W. T. Holder, 264 Wellington St. m47

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From premises 160 Market St. light pup, white with black and tan markings. Kindly notify Art Tuck at above address. 145

WANTED TO RENT—Small modern house. Apply Room 4, Temple Building. Phone 1057. mw47

WANTED—At once, maid for general housework; two in family; no washing or ironing. Apply 67 Lorne Crescent. Telephone 302. 143t

LOST—On Marlboro St., watch and leather fob, initial "B". Return to 135 Marlboro. 149

Small infantry engagements in the upper Astico and Sugana Valleys and on the upper Cordevole fought by the Italians gained them four prisoners.

## LAST CALL

Jan. E. Johnson & Bros., Simcoe, Ont. You want strawberries this year? This is the last call—send for our booklet to-day. Grow the best—it tells how. JAS. E. JOHNSON & BROS., Simcoe, Ontario.

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