

# Local News

**BY HOUR**  
Abriel Jackson's "Story of Silverheels," an interesting tale of a wonderful horse, will be retold at the children's story hour, at the public library to-day.

**VALUE OF EDUCATION**  
The Wellington St. Church Radiators C. S. E. T. group enjoyed a great treat last evening at their weekly supper when Rev. J. W. Gordon gave an inspiring address on "The Value of an Education."

**IS FLIGHT IT**  
Word has been received by Mr. Robert Foster, Arand View, that his son, Harry, who left with the first contingent, has been appointed flight lieutenant in the R.F.C.

**BUILDING PERMIT**  
Through the city engineer's office a permit has been issued to Burnley Bros. amounting to \$80 for alterations to store No. 78 Colborne street.

**SERVICE FLAGS**  
Officials of the Rotary Club have been deluged with applications for service flags yesterday and to-day. The distribution is to be continued this week, and all applications should be made at the G.W.V.A. home, where they will receive consideration.

**NOTABLE CALENDERS**  
Lt.-Col. Wilkes, the representative for this part of Canada of the Royal Colonial Institute, headquarters, London, England, has received some very interesting literature including a "German Crimes Calendar" and a "British Victory Calendar." For each month there is an appropriate record in each respect.

**FEAR POLICE ANNOYANCE**  
A despatch from Toronto says: The past week has been an exceedingly heavy one for the staff of the Registrar-General's Department, it being calculated that, to date, nearly 5,000 certificates have been issued to persons wishing to avoid molestation by the officials seeking defaulters. The demand from Hamilton, London and Brantford has been keen, and numerous requests have been received from Northern Ontario. Applications have been received at the rate of six or seven hundred a day, and the searching staff has its hands full to cope with the demand.

**POLICE COURT**  
Simon Mitski appeared in the police court this morning on a charge of having taken in an unauthorized place in Front Street following the raid under Inspector Baerett on Sunday night. Mitski was remanded until to-morrow.

**REVERT IN RANK**  
Mr. W. D. Coehill received from his son, Captain W. H. Coehill, a letter dated Witley Camp, Feb. 14th in which he stated that he along with other officers of the 125th Battalion, were reverting to a lower rank in order to go to France.

**URBAN SHOCKER WEDS**  
Cupid scored a home run in the matrimonial game at Detroit on Friday, when Urban J. Shocker, International League Club, married Minerva Davenport, a footlight favorite, who recently retired from active work. Shocker was recently traded by the New York Yankees to the St. Louis Browns, and will be a wedding tour of his training camp trip which begins next week. Shocker has many friends in Brantford, and was the star pitcher in the Canadian league in 1915, being a member of the Ottawa club.

**EPWORTH LEAGUE**  
The weekly meeting of Elm Avenue Epworth League was held last evening. After the devotional services a debate was conducted, "Resolved that Jonah was a greater failure than Judas," the negative winning by one point. The attendance was very large and all present enthusiastic throughout.

**HEATLESS RULE?**  
Mr. C. A. Magrath, Canadian Fuel Controller, has under consideration the abolition of "heatless" days for theatres. Action may be taken today. The order expires on March 30, so that there are still three "heatless" Mondays. Strong representations have been made that the "heatless" days conserve but little fuel. In view of the fact that the situation has greatly eased and that the coal shortage seems to be near an end, for this season, it is very probable that the ban on the theatres and places of amusement will be lifted this week.

**CHICKEN THIEVES**  
For several weeks a gang of chicken thieves have been operating in different parts of the county, only last week getting away with eight hens from a coop on Wallace street, just outside the city. Near Cainsville eleven were stolen from one coop.

**WASLEY LEAGUE**  
Last night at Wesley League, Dr. Robinson gave an interesting address on his trip to Vancouver, speaking of the beautiful province of British Columbia. Miss Edna Graham presided at the meeting, and the lesson was in charge of Miss Lillian Hedden. A piano solo was given by Miss Davidson of Elm Ave. Church.

**RETURNED MEN**  
The following Brantford men arrived in Quebec on Sunday and are expected to arrive here to-night or to-morrow: J. Dickson, 190 Sheridan St.; D. Hall, 16 Burford street; G. Knight, 103 Cayuga St.; H. McDermid, Brighton Place; D. Richardson, 80 Murray St.; A. Weston, 66 Palace St.

**BUILDING PERMIT**  
An application has been filed at the city engineer's office by W. F. Cookshutt for a permit to make alterations to the second and third stories of the Cookshutt Building on Queen street. The cost is estimated at \$6,000.

**SOCIAL and PERSONAL**  
The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

**Mrs. Martin Birk and daughter of Toronto** are the guests of Mrs. Geo. H. Williamson, Park Ave.

**Mrs. Creech and Miss Huffman, of W. L. Hughes Limited**, are in Toronto to-day attending the spring display of suits, dresses, blouses, etc.

**J. A. Miller is an Ingersoll visitor to-day.**—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

**Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Hotson, of Edmonton**, have returned home, after spending the winter with Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Harvey.

**MRS. C. BLAYBOROUGH.**  
Death called one of the city's oldest residents last evening in the person of Mrs. Charlotte Blayborough, relict of the late Joseph Blayborough. She was 73 years of age, and was a resident of this city at the time of the cholera outbreak in 1845. A private service will be conducted to-morrow afternoon in the undertaking establishment of H. B. Beckett, and interment will take place in Greenwood Cemetery.

**MRS. E. A. HULL.**  
At the Brantford General Hospital yesterday the death took place of Elizabeth A. Hull, widow of the late Thomas Hull, at the age of 66 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at three o'clock from the residence of the son of the deceased, Henry A. Hull, 288 West street, to Mount Hope Cemetery. The late Mrs. Hull leaves one daughter, Mrs. H. Crichton, of Burford, and two sons, Henry A. and John William, both of Brantford.

**MRS. E. J. JONES.**  
The death took place yesterday of Elizabeth Jane Jones, beloved wife of William Henry Jones, 11 Feather street, at the age of 57 years. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Emma, and three sons, George and Laverne at home, and Pae. John Jones, in England. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock to Mount Hope Cemetery.

**D. R. FAWCETT.**  
(Dallas, Texas, "Morning News")  
The body of David R. Fawcett, pioneer express man of the South-west, who died Wednesday night, was forwarded to Perth Worth yesterday for burial. Funeral services were conducted at Perth Worth, F. Peden, brother-in-law of Mr. Fawcett, in Bell Place, Perth Worth, by the Rev. Mr. Echols, rector of St. Andrew's Parish. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

**Mr. Fawcett's home was at 712 Crisler street.** He is survived by his wife and two sisters in Brantford, Canada, Mrs. W. G. Fly and Mrs. M. Roy. He was born in Canada and came to Texas when a boy. Later, in 1876, he came to Dallas and had made his home here ever since. His first employment in Dallas was as assistant agent of the Texas Express. The express business in the State at that time. He remained with the firm until it was absorbed by the Wells Fargo and Pacific interests, during which time he had been advanced to the position of agent. About twenty-six years ago he was made agent of the Pacific Express Company. There were only two express wagons in Dallas at that time, but they were ample to handle the business.

**Presented with San Bass Horse**  
It was about this time the San Bass train and bank robberies and other depredations started, and Dallas was made headquarters for detectives and others interested professionally in the capture of the band. After the death of San Bass, Mr. Fawcett was presented with the band's horse, which was a good steed. The express business was considered a dangerous occupation in those days. A messenger with a sackful of money was held up and robbed near what is now Commerce and Pearl streets and express cars were frequently robbed in train hold-ups.

**Mr. Fawcett was with the American Express Company for some time and was commercial agent for the Cotton Belt for several years.** When the Interurban Express Company was organized he assisted in the organization and systematizing of the business. During recent years he has been cashier of the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association. He was a member of the Travelers' Protective Association, St. Matthew's Cathedral and the Men's Club of the Cathedral. He was very popular with all of the employees and officials of the companies with which he was connected, and was considered one of the best express men in this part of the country. George Williams, an old friend, said that Mr. Fawcett was an upright and honorable man and a true friend.

**He married Miss Laura Phillips of New Orleans in the old Delaware Hotel at Fort Worth, which occupied the site now covered by the Westbrook Hotel.** Mr. Fawcett's first office was at Main and Martin streets, where the Big Building now stands. Later the company moved to a structure on the site now occupied by the Seolard Building.

**Difficult and dangerous operating**

# MARKETS

Grain	
Hay	14 00
Oats	0 70
Rye	1 60
Straw, baled	6 00
Wheat	2 10
Barley	1 00
Dairy	
Eggs	0 66
Butter	0 40
Vegetables	
Beans, quart	0 25
Cabbages, dozen	0 10
Cabbages, head	0 05
Carrots, basket	0 25
Onions, basket	0 35
Celery	0 05
Onions, bushel	1 00
Onions, basket	1 50
Farsnips, basket	0 25
Potatoes, bus.	1 50
Potatoes, basket	0 65
Potatoes, bag	2 15
Turnips, bushel	0 40

Meats	
Bacon, back trim	0 45
Bacon, back	0 45
Beef, boiling, lb.	0 15
Beef heart, each	0 25
Beef, boiling, lb.	0 16
Beef, hinds,	0 17
Chickens, dressed	1 25
Ducks	1 25
Geese	3 00
Chickens, live	0 75
Dry salt pork	0 20
Fresh pork	0 25
Hogs, live	0 17
Beef kidneys, lb.	0 15
Lamb	0 35
Sausages, beef	0 20
Sausages, pork	0 23
Smoked shoulder, lb.	0 25
Veal, lb.	0 25

Fish	
Halibut, steak, lb.	0 20
Chipped herring, pr.	0 10
Salmon trout, lb.	0 20
Salmon, sea	0 25
Mixed fish	0 10
Herring, fresh	0 10
Butter, creamery	0 50
Butter	0 50
Cheese, per lb.	0 28
Eggs	0 50

TORONTO MARKETS	
By Courier Leasell & Wro	
Toronto, March 5.—The market at the Union Stock Yards was slow this morning. Hogs and cattle were steady; sheep slightly higher. Receipts 45 cars, 635 cattle, 235 calves, 899 hogs, 81 sheep.	
Export cattle, choice, \$12 to \$12.25; bulls \$9 to \$10; butcher cattle, choice, \$10.50 to \$11.50; medium, \$9.25 to \$9.75; common \$8.50 to \$9; butchers, cows, choice \$7.50 to \$10; medium \$7.25 to \$7.50; heifers \$5.75 to \$6.25; bulls \$7.25 to \$8.25; feeding steers \$8.50 to \$9.75; stockers, choice \$8 to \$8.75; light \$7 to \$7.50; milkers, choice, \$8 to \$12; springers \$5 to \$12.5; sheep, ewes, \$12 to \$14.00; bucks and culls \$7.50 to \$10; lambs \$18 to \$19; hogs, fed and watered, \$14.75; hogs, f. o. b., \$18.75; calves, \$16 to \$18.	

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK	
Chicago, March 5.—Cattle receipts, 22,000. Market weak. Texas steers, \$14.10; stockers and feeders, \$7.60 to \$11; cows and heifers, \$9.60 to \$11.75; calves, \$8.50 to \$14.00.	
Hog receipts, 48,000; market slow. Light, \$16.15 to \$16.95; mixed, \$16.15 to \$16.90; heavy, \$15.70 to \$16.90; rough, \$15.70 to \$15.90. Bulk of sales \$12.50 to \$16.40.	
Sheep receipts, 12,000; market firm. Sheep \$10.40 to \$13.50; lambs, \$14.00 to \$17.60.	

conditions made express rates high in those days. Apropos of the high rates, Mr. Fawcett used to tell a story about his friend, Ed Reardon, who had just opened a bank in Dallas. Mr. Reardon had a large shipment of currency for Ennis. When told the rate would be \$1 per \$1,000 regardless of whether the shipment contained \$1 or \$100,000, he protested vigorously. Mr. Reardon said the charge was an outrage and declared that before he would pay it he would take the money from Dallas to Ennis himself. Mr. Fawcett said the express company did not carry the currency, and that he presumed Reardon delivered it

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personally. Mr. Fawcett made friends in many sections of Northern Texas and for many years was the most popular express agent in the Southwest. He knew the business from top to bottom and was a good executive. He had much initiative and was highly original.

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