

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

WOUNDED.

Pte. F. C. Hunt of this city, was reported in the official casualty list this morning as wounded.

SCOUT OFFICER.

Included in a list of subalterns who have qualified as scout officers, the name of Lt. E. A. Heatley is given this morning.

STORY HOUR

A treat is in store for the children who attend the story hour at the Public Library to-morrow afternoon when Miss Middlemiss will relate the tale of "Marce Lorian," which is very interesting throughout.

SHENSTONE CHURCH.

The Rev. David Alexander, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist church, delivered an inspiring and helpful address last night at the special services being conducted at Shenstone Memorial Baptist church. Adjutant Osborne of the Salvation Army will be the speaker to-morrow.

RED CROSS PAPER COLLECTION

Owing to a change in the management of the Brantford Rag and Metal Co., there has been an unavoidable delay in the collection of paper for the Red Cross. The committee in charge request that papers, etc., be saved for the Red Cross until the authorized collectors call again.

LETTERS FROM FRONT

A lengthy and interesting letter was received this morning by Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard from Pte. Robert Little, formerly of this city, who has been an inmate of the Canadian base depot hospital at Havre, France, after having suffered wounds at the battle of the Somme.

A COLLISION

A motor truck owned by the Hygienic Dairy Company, and a street car on Market street came into violent contact this morning about nine o'clock, with the former receiving the worst of the conflict. The motor truck was proceeding down Nelson St., and at the corner of Nelson and Market street the driver, not hearing the approach of the street car, collided with it, with the result that the automobile was hurled across the road into a telephone post in front of Mr. Secord's residence. Witnesses of the accident state that no blame could be attached to the man in charge of the truck, as the motorman failed to sound his gong to warn pedestrians and vehicles of his approach.

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RECRUITING LEAGUE

The Brant Recruiting League met this afternoon at 4.30 in the Y. M. C. A.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Courier is pleased to acknowledge the receipt of \$2.00 from Mr. A. Irwin, Mt. Vernon for Belgian Relief.

BIRTHS IN HOSPITAL

Eight births took place at the hospital during the past month, five of the children being males and the balance females.

ACTIVE SERVICE CARD

Private C. Flett, a former member of the 25th Brant Dragoons here, has written Lt.-Col. H. F. Leonard, an active service card received by the latter this morning, stating that the sender was quite well.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

During the month of January there were twenty-seven patients in the Brantford General Hospital, for whose treatment the municipality is liable. In all, they were given a total of 438 days' care, for which the city will pay \$396.60.

WOOD TO BE BURNED

As a means of relieving to some extent at least the distress being suffered throughout the city from the present shortage of coal, the Parks Board are desirous of stating that they have a large quantity of hardwood stumps stored at Mohawk Park which they are willing to place at the disposal of those who are unable to obtain fuel elsewhere and who are willing to cart the stumps away.

HOCKEY

To the devotees of the noble winter pastime of hockey, will be assured a treat to-night when the Couriers' P. H. L. (Printers' Hockey League) team will try conclusions again with the I. O. O. F. tenants known as the Expositor, exponents of bush league shinny. The game will commence at six o'clock; is expected to terminate at seven unless before that time the scorer has depleted his supply of numbers in counting up the Courier goals. The Alfred Street rink (arena) is to be the scene of the conflict between the famous gladiators.

BOYS' CLUB

The St. Andrew's Boys' club held their weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Codd, Lawrence St. last night. The principle feature of the program was a debate on the subject: "Resolved that Canada is to be preferred as a place of residence to the United States." The speakers for the affirmative were William Picken, L. Wilson and W. Patullo, and for the negative, Harold Jackson, B. Codd and Walter Wylie. The judges were Rev. J. W. Gordon and Mr. J. B. Wilson. The speeches were all of a very high order, and it was difficult for the judges to make up their minds. A dainty luncheon was served by Mrs. Codd, and a pleasant evening was brought to a close in prayer by Rev. Mr. Gordon.

POLICE COURT

An attempted miniature persecution of Armenia by Turkey took place yesterday at the factory of the Verity Plow Company when hostilities were commenced by a Turk, who however emerged from the encounter in a much worse condition than when he entered it. The original aggressor, Mamed Hussian, the Turk therefore laid a charge of assault causing bodily harm, against Marin Galovin, but was unable to convince the Magistrate in the police court this morning that he had been innocent of blame in the matter, and the charge was accordingly dismissed. Burton Young, formerly the local representative of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, again appeared before Magistrate Livingston this morning, facing three charges. They were preferred by T. J. Sutherland, supervising agent of the company. The defendant was committed for trial before the court of general sessions, to be held in the second week of June.

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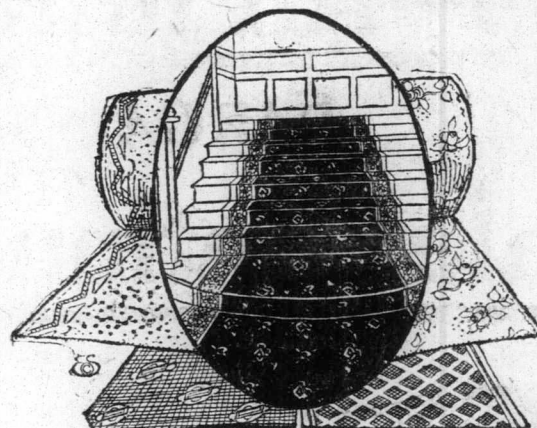
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Only four of these very desirable rugs for your choosing, made of best wool and finished with close cut pile in one piece, colorings in rose and fawn, brown and fawn combination colorings.

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UNION SQUARES.

Made in one piece, suitable for bed rooms, very serviceable, colorings of brown green and fawn.

Green Tag prices \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00
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LINOLEUM

2 yards wide, special good wearing quality in block, tile and floral designs, Green Tag price, yard... 48c

Linoleum and Oilcloth Remnants, in pieces up to 10 yards square, Green Tag price, sq. yard... 38c

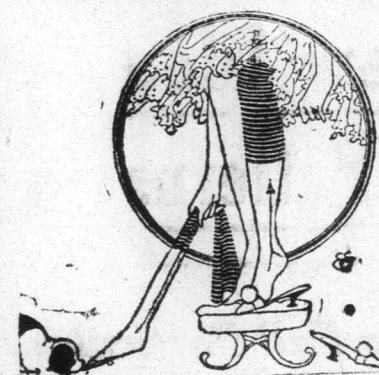
CARPET ENDS

1 1-2 yards long, comprising several good qualities of carpet, can be fringed to make attractive hearth rugs.

Green Tag Sale price, each... \$1.00
Third Floor

FEBRUARY Hosiery Sale

Buy Hose NOW! Buy Hose Aplenty!



Being in close touch with the largest Hosiery concerns in the world, we are in a position to advise you correctly regarding the question, not so much the advancing prices as the improbability of procuring Hose at ANY PRICE later. Wools are soaring in price and are in most cases being completely command-

eerred by the British Government for war purposes. In the midst of all this upheaval we are endeavoring to give our patrons the best possible selection at prices of the old days—

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

We are giving over one-quarter of our floor space on the main floor to our Hosiery Department.

Do Not Hesitate to Supply Your Needs For a Year to Come At the Prices We Are Offering

With every pair of Cashmere Cotton or Silk Hose we give you free a card of mending Silk, wool, or cotton, also needle.

Ladies' Cashmereno and Silk Fleeced Hose, worth 35c pair, for... 25c

Boys' 2 in 1 Cashmere Hose, Elastic top, fast dye and good heavy weight, worth 40c., per pair, for... 25c

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, extra fine quality from, pure botany wool fast dye in all sizes, double garter top, regular \$1.00, pair... 85c

Misses' and Boys' 1 and 1 Rib Cashmere Hose, heavy double knee, sizes 8 1-2 and 9 1-2, worth 45c., special... 29c

Girls' and Women's 2 and 1 Ribb, cashmere hose, fast dye, spliced heel, toe, regular 50c., special for... 35c

Boys' Worsted Hose, pure wool, full range, all sizes, extra good value at 75c., for... 50c

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, seamless feet, fast dye, all sizes, double heel, sole and toe. Reg. 50c., for... 39c

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, good heavy weight, spliced heel and toes, seamless feet, good fast dye, all sizes, reg. 65c., for... 50c

MEN!
Dine in the Grill Room
Smoke if You Wish
—THIRD FLOOR—

Buy Linens To-morrow

Three slightly soiled sets travellers samples, all pure linen, double damask, value \$18.00, special... \$10.95



Pure Linen Tea and Glass Towelling, the best makes that are satisfactory, all widths, prices 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., and per yard... 35c

Thurs. Morning Specials

—IN—
Staple and Wash Goods Section

500 Yards White Flannelette and Canton Flannel, heavy quality, in lengths of 3 to 12 yards, value up to 18c yard, at per yard... 10c

48 Pairs White Flannelette Blankets

Extra good quality, slightly soiled, large size, value \$2.00, special at... \$1.48

Floral Kimona Cloths, Special 15c Yd.

Pretty designs, light and dark patterns, values 20 and 25c., special per yard... 15c

Asia Flannel, beautiful fine quality, pretty, neat stripes for women's and men's wear, value 20c., special for... 16c

Main Floor

Groceries!

Big Grocery Sale starts to-morrow, no limit to purchases, buy as much and as often as you like. Prices greatly reduced. A mighty sale for people who want pure food at a lower price—

20 lbs. Redpath's Granulated Sugar for... \$1.59
Tea, Black, Green or Mixed, 50c. lb., 3 lbs. for... \$1.25
Flour, high grade Bread, 24 lb. Sack for... \$1.18
Soap, Surprise, 6 bars for... 28c
Ammonia, 10c. pkg., 3 for... 23c
Walnut Meats, choice, new, per lb... 49c
Tomatoes, fine grade, 2 cans for... 35c
Extracts, any flavor, 3 bottles for... 22c
Icing Sugar, 2 1-4 lbs. for... 25c
Yellow Sugar, 5 lbs. for... 40c

Don't miss this sale—hundreds of Great Bargains—one week—February 14th to 21st.

The Pure Food Store

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An Opportunity in Gingham House Dresses

LOT 1.
Special shipment of House Dresses, including the best washable prints and gingham, light or dark shades, well finished and prettily trimmed with strappings and pearl buttons special at... \$1.00

LOT 2.
Gingham and Percale Dresses in pin and medium stripes, light or dark shades, turn back collars, pearl buttons, prices, each \$1.25 and... \$1.50

LOT 3.
Special House Dresses for Stout Figures, in copen, navy and black pin stripe, very generous skirt, long sleeves and high neck price, each... \$1.50

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Mrs. Craft

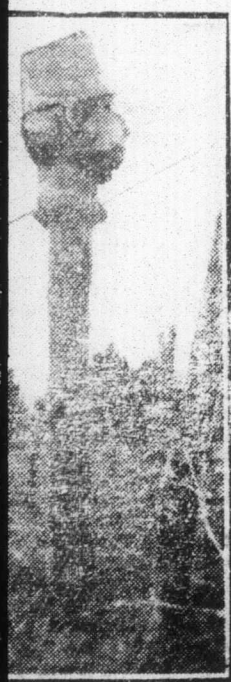
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ev. 14.—J. B. Plamonn- purchaser for the lo- and Cote, produce instantly killed and ed at eight-thirty this on he rolled under a al train he was at- board on his way to St. Dorchester county. The s well known throughout novino. It seems every body was crushed and s found alongside the the lower part of a leg ed under the truck of a

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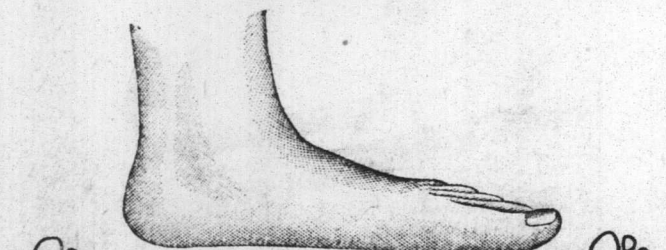


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