

ADMINISTRATIVE

AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock and Implements. W. Almas has been instructed by Mr. O. Thomas to sell by Public Auction at the residence, situated one half mile west of the village of Mount Pleasant...

MONDAY, APRIL 2nd

Horses—3-1 Matched span of Clyde Mares, weight about twenty-five hundred, fine splendid team; 1 general purpose mare, rising nine years old, good in all harness...

Hens—30 Aconas, 35 Rocks, Implements—1 Frost and Wood Binder, nearly new, 6 ft. cut; 1 Frost and Wood Mower, 5 ft. cut; 1 Frost and Wood Horse Rake, 10 ft. new; 1 Noxon Seed Drill; 3 section Diamond Harrows; 1 section Harrow Bar; 1 Scuffler; 1 Garden Drill, combination; 1 Economizer Plow; 1 Farm Truck Wagon; 1 Adams Stock Rack; 1 Horse Democrite; 1 Buggy; 1 Cutter; Root Pulper; Farming Mill; Ladder; Hay and Grain—10 Tons mixed hay; 25 bushel of potatoes...

Miscellaneous—Empire Cream Separator, 500 lbs. capacity; milk can large size; Creamers; cream can; Ice Cream Freezer; Lady's bicycle; Pork Barrel; Vinegar Barrel; Two Bedsteads; Chains; Cupboard; Organ; Magic Lantern; Sewing Machine; 1 Famous Parlor Cook Heater; 1 Home Comfort Wood Range; Post Auger; Horse Blanket; One Wheelbarrow, other articles too numerous to mention.

W. ALMAS, JAMES BIGGAR, Auctioneers

THE FARM Auction Sale

W. Almas has been instructed by Mr. Geo. Simpson, to sell by auction at his residence, situated one and a half miles north of Onondaga village, Electric car at Station No. 23, is about 1-2 miles from the farm. G. T. R. station at Onondaga is in sight of the farm. WEDNESDAY, April 4th, commencing at one o'clock sharp. Come early.

Horses—1 black horse rising 7 years old, suitable for hearse; 1 bay gelding rising 6 years; 1 brood mare, 1 yearling colt, by Britton. Sheep—10 pure bred Leicester breeding ewes; 4 yearling ewe lambs. Pigs—2 brood sows with litters at side. Cattle—Red heifer, red cow, big red cow, roan cow, red cow, red and white heifer, 3 head fat cattle two head rising 2 years old; 4 head rising 1 year old. Cows will freshen soon.

Implement—Massey-Harris binder nearly new; cultivator, Frost & Wood; hay rake, St. Mary's; Cockshutt, junior; 1 No. 4 Verity; Cockshutt No. 21; set diamond disc harrow; 1 set wood harrow; one portable saw; 1 root pulper; cutting box; 1 high wagon; 1 truck wagon; threshing tank, nearly new, 400 gal.; 1 set bolsleighs, Adams, nearly new; 1 hay rack; 1 stock rack; 1 cream separator; De Lavel, No. 450; one barrel churn, team harness, new; 1 collie dog, good cattle dog; about 20 bushels of reg. barley seed; and some seed oats reg. 72 O. A. C.; whitelutes, forks, hoes, chains and other articles not enumerated.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount 7 months credit will be given on furnishing approved security, or 3 per cent. for cash on credit amounts. Fat cattle cash. George Simpson, Welby Almas, Proprietors.

Sold the House

Auction Sale of Household furniture. S. P. Pitcher and Son have received instructions from Mrs. Hazelton to sell by public auction at 413 Chatham street on Tuesday, the third day of April, 1917, at 1:30 o'clock, the following goods...

Friday, April 3rd

Parlor—rug, gas heater, five rocking chairs, two tables, chairs and cushions. Diningroom—extension table, gas heater, carpet, linoleum, chairs, sideboard, dishes. Kitchen—coal range, table, washing machine, boiler, tubs, sealers, coal heater, cooking utensils. Bedroom No. 1—Iron and brass bed, springs and mattress, bedroom suite, carpet, bedding and pillows. Bedroom No. 2—Full bedroom suite, carpet, pictures, wardrobe and bedding. Bedroom No. 3—Iron bed and mattress and dresser, hall—hall rack, coat rack, vanity, washbasin. Everything will be sold without reserve. Terms cash.

S. P. PITCHER, Auctioneers

AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture. S. P. Pitcher has received instructions from Mrs. Howarth to sell by public auction at 133 Charlotte street, on Thursday, April 5th, at 1:30 o'clock, the following goods: Diningroom: oak extension table, 5 high back diningroom chairs, 25 yards of carpet, Morris chair, book shelf, sideboard, rocker and chair, kitchen—coal range, extension table, 6 chairs, linoleum and dishes, Hall—Hall rack, rocker, hall chair, case, books and pictures. Bedroom No. 1—Beautiful brass bed, springs, dresser and commode, toilet set, commode, toilet set. Bedroom No. 3—Iron bed, springs and mattress, toilet set. Bedroom No. 4—Iron bed, springs and mattress, commode, quilts, pillows, and curtains. Terms, Cash.

Mrs. Howarth, Proprietress. S. P. Pitcher, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

The Brantford Trust Co., Ltd., Administrators of the Estate of Christina Duncan, hereby authorize S. P. Pitcher to sell by public auction on Wednesday, April 4th, 1917, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon at house No. 140 Alfred Street, the following household effects and chattels owned by the late Christina Duncan: Parlor—Oak bookcase, five piece parlor suite, extension table, plush carpet couch table, lawn chairs, blinds, pictures, arch curtains, dishes, books, stool, rug, screen. Diningroom—Oak sideboard, dishes and glassware, drop head Singer Sewing Machine, oak extension table, six leather-seated oak chairs, radiant home heater, carpet, lace curtains, pictures, couch, carpet sweeper. Kitchen—Extension table, sideboard, side table, Happy Thought range with gas fixtures, cooking utensils. Summer Kitchen—Stove, washing machine, refrigerator, lawnmower, upright boiler. Hall—Oak set with leather upholstery, hat rack with mirror and stair carpet. Cellar—Floor chest, fruits and pickles, sealers, boxes and jars. The contents of five bedrooms with feather beds, blankets and quilts and carpets will be sold and many other articles too numerous to mention. One good phaeton and buggy. Terms, Cash.

Brantford Trust Co., Ltd., Administrators of the Estate of Christina Duncan. S. P. PITCHER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

Auction sale of household furniture. S. P. Pitcher has received instructions from Mrs. James McHugh, to sell by public auction at her residence, 367 Dalhousie street, on April 10th at 1:30, the following goods: Parlor: Settee, 2 leather rockers, centre table, arch tapestry curtains, curtains, blinds and table. Diningroom—sideboard, eight-day clock, drophead singer sewing machine, centre table, six diningroom chairs, linoleum, rocker, couch, Radiant Home coal heater, curtains, blinds, plates, pictures and dishes. Kitchen: Gurney-Oxford gas range, kitchen cabinet, tubs, boiler, cooking utensils, curtains, blinds, table, lawn mower, cupboard. Bedroom No. 1—bed, springs and mattress, and dresser. Bedroom No. 2—Dresser and commode, bed springs and mattress, linoleum, toilet set and chair. Bedroom No. 3—Iron bed, springs and mattress, dresser, carpet, curtains, blinds and table, two iron beds, baby buggy, baby's chair, verandah chair. Terms—Cash. Mrs. James McHugh, Proprietress. S. P. Pitcher, Auctioneer.

S. G. READ, AUCTIONEER

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of the homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed on the vicinity. Title stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after receiving homestead patent, also 90 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as on homestead but on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years on 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. CORY, Deputy Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will be paid for.

KNOCK THE FOE OUT THIS YEAR

Country in Deadly Peril at Present, Says Wm. Hayes Fisher. NATIONAL SERVICE Is Needed for Everyone in the Empire Today. THREE YEARS OF WAR Are All Britain Intends to Stand.

London, March 31.—The Right Hon. William Hayes Fisher, Parliamentary Secretary to the Local Government Board, in an address at Hull to-night, said it was not an exaggeration to say that the country was in deadly peril at the present moment. "We must have national service for everybody," said Mr. Fisher. "We did not intend to stand more than three years of war. Germany's idea was to starve us out before we could knock her out. What we want is to knock the enemy out this year, and we are beginning to do it."

Treasurer's Notice Re Tax Arrears

Public Notice is hereby given that a card index of all lands in arrears of taxes up to December 31st, 1916, as well as a list of lands "Liable for sale in 1917" has been completed and may be seen at my office. No further costs will be accrued until May 1st next, to allow an opportunity for interested ratepayers to make payments previously. A. K. BUNNELL, City Treasurer.

AUCTION SALE

OF REAL ESTATE. S. G. READ, Auctioneer, has received instructions from the Executors to the will of Rebecca Stewart, to sell by public auction, at the Exchange of S. G. Read & Son, Limited, 429 Colborne St., on Thursday, the 5th of April at 8 o'clock in the evening, the following lands and premises belonging to the Estate, namely: All and singular that certain parcel and tract of land and premises being composed of Part lot Letter "W" of the east of Main St., City of Brantford, excepting thereout the portion thereof heretofore sold by Rebecca Stewart to one Mellan. Upon said premises is erected a house measuring 55 ft. of ground fronting on Grey St. and a depth of 212 ft. on Stanley St. House is frame, 1-2 stories, containing 7 or 8 rooms; small barn on premises. Property will be offered for sale, subject to reserve bid, in one block, and if a sufficient price is not obtained it will be offered in two lots, each as follows:—House and 107 ft. frontage on Grey St. Secondly—450 ft. of land fronting on Grey St.

Terms—10 per cent down at time of sale and sufficient to make up one-third of purchase price within thirty days; remainder to be secured by mortgage for five years. Property will be offered as usual, and all usual conditions of sale apply to the undersigned auctioneers. Remember the date of sale, Thursday, April 5th, at 8 o'clock in the evening. S. G. READ, Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of William Martin, late of the Township of Brantford, in the County of Brant, deceased. Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 95, Chapter 19 of the Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said William Martin, who died on or about the 14th day of February, A. D. 1917, are required to send in and forward only to the undersigned a statement of their claims, which shall then have notice, and the said Administrator will provide the same to the said Administrator. The Administrator will be liable for the said claims only if they shall not then have received notice. Dated at Brantford this 16th day of March, A. D. 1917. W. M. CHARLTON, Solicitor for the said Administrators.

MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in three certain Mortgages, which will be offered for time of sale there will be offered for sale by public auction, on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, next, at the hour of eight o'clock in the evening at S. P. Pitcher's Office, 43 Market street, in the city of Brantford, the following property, namely: Parts of lots being a subdivision of blocks "O" and "S" east of Wilkes Tract in the said city of Brantford, having a frontage on the West side of Rawdon street of forty feet and a running back sixty feet on which is erected a new brick store and a half house, No. 288 Rawdon St. Terms—Ten per cent on the purchase to be paid down at the time of sale, balance to be paid within thirty days thereafter. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned, ANDREW L. BAIRD, K.C., Temple Building, 78 Dalhousie St., Brantford, Ontario, Solicitor for Vendor. DATED at Brantford this ninth day of March, A. D. 1917.

MARKETS

FRUITS. Apples basket, small .025 to 0.00. Apples, basket, large .050 to 0.00. MEATS. Bacon, side .032 to 0.34. Bacon, back .034 to 0.36. Beef, per lb. .018 to 0.22. Beef, hinds .014 to 0.15. Chickens, each .090 to 1.25. Chickens, lb. .016 to 0.17. Ducks .085 to 1.00. Dry salt pork .020 to 0.25. Dressed pork .022 to 0.25. Kidneys .010 to 0.12. Lamb .025 to 0.30. Live Hogs .018 to 0.00. Smoked shoulder .018 to 0.18. VEGETABLES. Lettuce, each .08, 2 for 15c. Beans, quart .015 to 0.35. Potatoes, bushel .325 to 0.25. Celery .098 to 0.10. Turnips, basket .030 to 0.30. Honey, comb, clear .015 to 0.15. Honeysuckle .015 to 0.15. Cabbage, each .005 to 0.15. Cabbage, doz. .200 to 2.00. Onions, pk. .075 to 0.80. Parsnips, bushel .025 to 0.50. Turnips, basket .040 to 0.45. FISH. Halibut steak, lb. .030 to 0.50. Kippered Herring .015 to 0.16. Pickled .012 to 0.18. Perch .012 to 0.12. Salmon trout, lb. .017 to 0.17. Whitefish, lb. .018 to 0.18. DAIRY PRODUCTS. Butter, creamery, lb. .045 to 0.45. Butter, dairy, per lb. .043 to 0.42. Eggs, doz. .030 to 0.32. Cheese, lb. .025 to 0.00. Honey, comb .015 to 0.00.

Financial and Commercial

S. G. Read & Son, Limited Offer The Following Valuable Properties For IMMEDIATE SALE

Brant Avenue:—2 storey white brick on full sized lot, containing large parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry and summer kitchen, and four rooms and complete bathroom on second floor; front and back stairs; slate roof; two toilets; mahogany gas mantel in parlor; furnace; verandah; electric; gas; newly and nicely decorated. Electric fixtures included in price of \$4,600. Terms arranged.

Brant Avenue:—Fine white brick cottage with large front verandah, also verandah at side and back. Double parlors, dining room, kitchen, four bedrooms, pantry, complete bathroom, furnace, gas, electric, fixtures included, full sized lot. Property in first-class repair. \$3,600. Terms arranged.

For further particulars call on

S. G. Read & Son Limited 129 COLBORNE STREET. BRANTFORD

FOR SALE

For Sale—Good white brick house on Mary Street, contains hall, parlor, dining room, kitchen, summer kitchen, four bedrooms, three clothes closets, all newly papered and grained. Extra lot for sale at a bargain. For Sale—Two storey red brick house on the corner of Grey and Clarence Streets, all conveniences... For Streets and particulars apply to S. P. PITCHER & SON, 43 Market St.

If You Want to be Settled in June Just Get Busy Now

\$875—Five Room Cottage on Bruce. \$950—New Five Room Brick Cottage, Bruce. \$1,200—New Red Brick Cottage, Emily St. \$1,150—New Red Brick Cottage, very neat. \$350 down and balance at 6 per cent. \$3,800—Beautiful Bungalow, with every convenience, hardwood floors, and hardwood finish. L. BRAUND, 7 South Market St. Phone 15331. Open Evenings.



And Washington Determines Course of Action Accordingly. ARMY OF MILLION MEN To be Raised for War in United States

Washington, March 31.—The administrative branch of the United States Government has determined definitely upon a course of action to meet the hostility of Germany. While official announcement is withheld pending the appearance of President Wilson before Congress, formal recognition of the existence of a state of war is expected to occur soon after the President's session begins.

AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, April 4th. The Central Auction Rooms, 8 Wharfe St., Rear of Pursel & Son, at 1:30 Sharp. LOT 1.—2 Beds, 2 Springs, 2 Mattresses, 1 Dresser, 1 Large Rocker, Odd Chairs, 1 Range, good as new; 1 Hanging Lamp, Etc. LOT 2.—A number of pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains; a quantity of Fancy China; a number of pairs of Green Tapestry Portiere Curtains; a line of Ladies' Handbags and Purse. LOT 3.—Axminster Rugs, 27x54, Dressing Tables and Chiffoniers, mahogany finish; Odd H. Rockers; 1 Genuine Mahogany Veneer Hall Rack; 1 Davenport Bed. LOT 4.—Sideboards, Dressers, Curtains, Linoleums, Carpets, Etc. Lots 2 and 3 we guarantee absolutely new. Terms cash. No Reserve. WALTER BRAGG, Auctioneer

Why War Exists. Officials believe that Germany is making war on this nation because she has taken more than 240 American lives on the high seas, because she has destroyed American ships of the wholesale, because millions of dollars' worth of damage has been done as a result of German plots in the United States, because she has attempted to set on foot a conspiracy with Mexico and Japan to dismember the republic, and finally, because of the belief that Germany, triumphant, will constitute a future menace to the peace of the world in general and of the United States in particular.

The United States it is emphasized in official quarters, has not in the past and does not now desire war with the German people, but on the other hand, German treachery and German government responsibility is placed for terrorism in a land and sea, which, now that it has been directed against American citizens and American interests, must be actively combated.

COPPER!

Based on current dividend rates and earnings, the copper stocks are cheap. Most of the large producers will have surplus accounts at the end of 1917 sufficient to pay current dividends for three or four years. There is today no one group of securities in which the protection of the investment is so great in measurable values, or on which the yield is so high as in the securities of the leading copper producers. Get our weekly market letters mailed free.

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WAR RELIC EXHIBITION

The art loan and war relic exhibition under the joint auspices of the Women's Patriotic League and Brant Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, was brought to a conclusion last evening after a four days' career, during which time it was patronized by a large number of citizens, all of whom were loud in their praise of the splendid collection of souvenirs, trophies and mementoes, while those who failed to attend the exhibition will probably never realize what they missed. A most acceptable program was rendered at last evening's exhibition by Miss Jessie Whitney. The proceeds of the event will be devoted to the purchase of a fund for the purpose of founding a club in the city for the benefit of returned soldiers.

Automobile Washing

Have your Car cleaned at The WASH-RACK, Water Street. Just down from the L. E. and N. station, along the Canal. Expert washers, and prompt attention. We do no repairs. Phone 295.

DR. DEVAN'S FEMALE PILLS. Reliable medicine for all Female Complaints. 25c per box or three for \$1.00, at drug stores. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. THE SCORRELL DRUG CO., St. Catharines, Ontario. PHOSPHONOL. FOR MEN. Restores Vitality. For Nerve and Brain. Increases "grey matter." Takes—will build up—25c box, or two for \$1.00, at drug stores. or mail on receipt of price. THE SCORRELL DRUG CO., St. Catharines, Ontario.

WAR LOAN

We purpose taking subscriptions for the new Canadian War Loan which will be on sale very soon.

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