

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

## LOCAL MEMBER IN PULPIT

W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., will be the special speaker, to-morrow evening at the Choral and Patriotic Service at the First Baptist Church. There will be special music by the choir, by Mrs. Secord and the male quartet. Mr. J. T. Schotfield, the Organist will give a special twilight organ recital 6:30 to 7 p.m.

## NORMAL SCHOOL EXAMS

In the results of the provincial normal schools, announced this morning, the names of the following Brantford and Brant County pupils appeared: All but the last two have received interim second-class certificates, the Misses McDonald and Patton limited third-class certificates; George W. Cowper, Constance Heddie, Mary L. Hicks, Reta Hitchcock, Grace Lloyd-Jones, Evelyn Luard, Lena Malcolm, Eva Middlemiss, Aleck McWebb, Margaret McIntyre, Marjorie Standing, Mary McDonald, Ada Patton.

## FOR SOLDIER'S HOME.

The committee in charge of the production of the 'Ivory Gate,' which was put on recently at the Brantford Opera House by local talent, report proceeds of \$214.05 which amount is to be applied towards furnishing the home for returned soldiers. The members of the Kitchener Club and the ladies who devoted so much of their time to this worthy object, are very grateful to all who assisted them in any way, and especially to Mr. J. T. Whittaker, Manager of the opera house, for his interest and also for his donation of \$25 to the fund.

## EXCURSION TO DOVER

Brant Avenue Methodist Sunday School had a delightful excursion to Port Dover yesterday, over the Lake Erie and Northern Railway. More than 200 members of the school left on the two o'clock train, containing three special cars, arriving at Port Dover at three o'clock. During the afternoon a programme of sports was carried out and the picnicers returned on the eight o'clock train. The Lake Erie and Northern cars do not yet run to the wharf, but in another week's time this service will be given. Much credit is due the officials of the Railway for the excellent service given.

## GARDEN PARTY

A very pleasant occasion was celebrated when the children of King George School, with teachers and many visitors, assembled at the school grounds and enjoyed a most successful school closing garden party last night. The ladies of the school league sold refreshments in

four booths, placed at the corners of the grounds. The Salvation Army Band was in attendance and occupied the central area. Their excellent music was liberally offered, making them from the beginning the centre of attraction, and about them children's promenades circled. The beautifully decorated booths, well provided with a great variety of provisions, received a hearty patronage during the entire evening.

The programme consisted mainly of music, furnished quite steadily from 8 to 10. About 10 o'clock a few speakers took part. After Principal Wolts had called the gathering to order and expressed his appreciation of the large attendance and hearty support always given the school, Inspector Kilmer spoke briefly and introduced Pte. Broomfield, the speaker of the evening. Mr. Broomfield now gathered a very attentive and interested crowd about him, addressing himself to them very ably on his experiences as a soldier overseas. Music by the band continued for another half hour, when a vote of thanks was moved to those contributing to the programme. Dr. Gamble, chairman of the Board of Education, seconded the vote.

The order was excellent during the entire evening, all enjoying themselves. The proceeds, amounting to a considerable sum, will be devoted to school furnishings by the school league. Much credit is due to the president, Mrs. Dobbs and her strong following, for the successful event.

## RESULTS.

School Inspector E. E. C. Kilmer stated that the results of the Public School examinations will probably be announced on Wednesday of next week.

## PRESENTATION

Members of the Immanuel church choir and friends, together with Rev. Mr. Alexander, pastor, motored last evening to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilson, Newport, and presented Mrs. Wilson (nee Houlding) with an address and cut glass berry bowl. Prior to her marriage, she was a valued member of the choir. A most enjoyable time was spent.

## BASEBALL GAMES

The Dominion Steel Products baseball club has arranged to play games with outside clubs, the proceeds to go to deserving objects. The first will take place in Agricultural Park July 11th against St. Thomas. The next game will be against London, proceeds to go to the Red Cross fund, and the third against Dunkirk, N.Y., proceeds to go to the patriotic fund.

## KILLED IN ACTION.

Norfolk has lost a number of her most brilliant sons, the latest to make the supreme sacrifice being Flight Lieut. Sherwin Watt, eldest son of Matthew and Mrs. Watt, Langton, and nephew of Mrs. G. T. Wood, Brantford Township. Lt. Watt was one of the cleverest students ever enrolled in Simcoe High school. He passed his entrance to High school at 11 years, and upon entering the High school succeeded in passing senior matriculation, with first-class honors, and entrance to the Faculty of Education, covering in three years, work that ordinarily requires six years. Later on he entered the Agricultural College at Guelph, where he again passed the exams with first class honors. In 1915 he responded to the call of his country, and going overseas he joined the Imperial Forces. Last year he entered the Royal Flying Corps, and went to France some three months ago. The official cablegram to his father at Langton, from the British War-Office, stated that he had been killed in action on June 12th. Another brother, Gunner Arnold Watt, also of Guelph College, is overseas in the 66th battery. Lt. Watt had many friends in Brantford and his death will be sincerely regretted.

## NARROW ESCAPE

While returning from the garden party at the Moyle school house on the Paris road last night, Mr. David Tattersall, assistant Township Clerk, narrowly escaped serious injury

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when the buggy in which he was driving was struck by a passing automobile that turned out to avoid another car. The buggy came within a few inches of striking a post, but although it was badly damaged, the occupants escaped without injury.

## SCHOOLS CLOSED

All the schools in the county closed yesterday afternoon and the pupils entered on the first of their two months' holidays.

## BULLETIN SERVICE

The Courier leased wire will be kept open part of the morning and afternoon on Monday and the usual bulletins posted.

## SOFTBALL

The Sunday School Softball League schedule was commenced last night when three games were played, all resulting in large scores. The contests were staged on the home grounds of the first mentioned clubs. Series "A", Allies 3, West Brant 18; Empire L. Whittaker, Canoose Club, 15, Builders 2, Empire H. Waddington; Series "B", Dodgers 14, Colborne Street 13, Empire A. Rose; William Street vs. St. Andrews postponed.

## GARDEN PARTY

Under the auspices of the Farmers' Club and the Moyle Tranquility Institute a very successful garden party was held, from which about \$150 was realized. There were about 350 persons present from Brantford and the surrounding district. They enjoyed a thoroughly good time. Judge Hardy acted as chairman and delivered a splendid address. M. W. G. Raymond spoke in his usual eloquent and appropriate manner while interesting addresses were given by Prof. Soissons of Toronto, and Mr. J. J. Hurley. Home made cooking, candy, flowers and strawberries were sold to ready buyers.

## THE MARKET.

A comparatively small quantity of produce was brought to the local market this morning and with a few exceptions the prices remained about stationary. Dairy products decreased slightly in price while chickens could be purchased at a lower figure. Home grown strawberries made their first appearance at from seventeen to twenty cents a box. There were three loads of new hay, also the first that has been brought to the local market this year. The price of potatoes again soared up four and five dollars a bag, the figure at which they were disposed of before the importation of the two carloads some few weeks ago by the city council.

## TENDER ACCEPTED

The tender of the Turbine Equipment Company and the Canadian Westinghouse Company for the booster pump and electrical equipment, that is to be installed by the water commissioners for the convenience of the Terrace Hill district, was accepted at a meeting of the commission held yesterday afternoon. The cost will be \$5,900, and the installation is to be made as quickly as possible. The commissioners will be responsible for the piping, the valves and the connections, at a probable cost of from \$1,200 to \$1,500. It will be necessary to erect a power line from the present pumping station to the new booster station, at a cost of \$1,500. The booster building and land, which will be located at the head of Albion street, on the west side near the subway, will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,500 also, making a total cost of from \$10,100 to \$10,400. The work will be proceeded with as soon as possible, time being the essence of the contract.

## CHOIR PICNIC

The Colborne St. choir held their annual picnic on Wednesday to Victoria Park, Galt. About 75 members and friends took the L. E. & N. at 2 p.m. The trip was greatly enjoyed, as the route is along the Grand River most of the way, and the scenery is lovely. Games and sports were the order of the day.

The First Aid competition was won by Mrs. G. G. White. The figure race was won by Dr. Amos and Ray Youman. Ladies' race, won by Mrs. Fred Youman. Wheelbarrow race, won by C. W. Turnbull and Dr. Amos. Knitting contest, won by Miss A. MacKenzie. Mr. W. A. Horne and Miss L. Adams won the biscuit eating contest, while the ladies' ball throwing contest was won by Miss Mable Walton and Miss L. Logan. The patching contest was won by Mrs. C. F. Verity and Mr. A. H. Brown. The supper, which was in charge of the married ladies of the choir, was enjoyed to the full by all. It was the general opinion that it was the best picnic ever given by the choir.

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## Dainty Neckwear

Every Piece is as Crisp  
and Fresh as You  
Can Imagine

Pique makes a smart addition to your summer dress—we are showing attractive styles in a variety of shapes, prices 25c to \$1.50. Organdie is certainly correct, and here you will find a varied selection, one pretty style comes in plain organdie with pointed shoulder and deep hemstitched hem, price \$1.00. The pointed collar continues strong, one style in Bedford Silk Cord, has dainty pearl buttons on shoulder points and hemstitched, price . . . \$1.50.

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—MAIN FLOOR

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For the fastidious eye of the fashionable woman, this remarkable variety of plain colors and novelty effects will certainly prove fascinating. Among the attractive and notable items in the collection are:

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Clock Hose, in black,

white, navy and grey, all

sizes, per pair . . . . . \$1.50

Silk Hose, large elastic

tops, double heel and toe,

size 8 1-2, colors black and

white, pair . . . . . 88c

Silk Boot Hose, black on

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heel and toe, perfect

black, pair . . . . . 69c

—Main Floor

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Size 6x8 ft., price . . \$2.00

Size 8 x 8 ft., price . . \$2.75

Size 10x8 ft., price . . \$3.50

Size 12x8 ft., price . . \$4.00

## GREEN SHADES

Size 4x8 ft., price . . \$1.80

Size 6x8 ft., price . . \$2.75

Size 8x8 ft., price . . \$3.50

Size 10x8 ft., price . . \$4.50

Size 12x8 ft., price . . \$5.50



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bed by night. It has an ad-

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with iron stand, khaki

covered mattress, special

. . . . . \$18.00

—Fourth Floor

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## Wedding Bells

## PERSALL-SCOTT

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Scott, Maple Grove, on June 20, when their only daughter, Muriel Irene, was united in marriage to Mr. Harold James McEwen, of Calgary. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father in the presence of the immediate families and relatives, and was followed by a family dinner.

The bride carried a shower bouquet of pale pink and white roses, and wore a travelling suit of rose gabardine, the coat opening over a delicate blouse of georgette crepe, trimmed with real lace, and hat of silver gray, faced with rose crepe de chine, and trimmed with the same color. The other contrasts were of silver gray.

The bride couple will spend their honeymoon touring through the mountains and among the lakes of British Columbia, and will make their future home in Calgary—Calgary Herald.

Mr. McEwen is a graduate electrical engineer and the Alberta representative of Canadian Westinghouse, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McEwen, Mt. Pleasant Road, Brantford.

## Paris Promotions.

(From our own Correspondent) Paris, June 30.—The following is a list of the promotions in the Paris public schools, as made in June. The names are in order of merit. F. H. Dearborn, Principal.

Central School

Passed from I to II. Book.

Promoted on Merit — Kenneth

Hatch, David Armstrong, Pearl Flet-

cher, Helen Butler, Willie Astel,

Helen Bishop, Clarence Stewart,

Blanche Cornell, Viola Wishart, Harold

Hume, James Sinclair, Frank Patterson,

Arnold Brockbank, Clara Snell,

Dunbar Heddie, Addie Waters.

Promoted on Examination — Eva

Busby, Margaret Lovett, Arthur

Moore, Willie Tomblin, Mildred Sop-

patine, Jack Watson, Stanley Hop-

kins, Thelma Grohns, Albert Hill,

Mary McKenzie, Edwin Howes, Le-

one Megs, James Harold, Douglas

MacQueen, Mamie Meary, Elsie Sto-

ver, Ivy Farmer, Kathleen Wall,

Isobel MacQueen, John Basile.

Teacher, G. Malcolin.

Promoted to Junior III. on merit —

Zeima Crendon, John Thompson, El-

the Fraser, Harry Goss, Reginald

Micks, Clara Cassidy, Margaret Mor-

gan, Gladys Snayel, James Inkster,

Clara Skinner, Florence Kuhlman,

David McBride, Willie Haggart, Mil-

licent Bradley, LaVerna Pickering,

Bernard Barrowcliffe, George Axford,

William Henderson.

Passed Examination — George Tate,

Laurine Bubyer, Gladys Barrow-

cliffe, Gordon Snell, Leonard Crump,

in Tuesday's issue.

Nellie Sugden, Archie McBride, Jack

Hunter, Sam Stead, Margaret Murray,

Walter Stone, Thomas Clegg, Thomas

Martin, Irene Glass, Teacher, B. H.

Inkster.

Promoted on merit to Senior III.

—Marion Newton, Mildred Wells,

Walter MacQueen, Joseph Sykes,

Gwendolyn Wilson, Fred Astle, S.

dneyn Gould, Leone McCormick,

Stanley Sparks, Lloyd Meggs, Mabel

Robinson, Burt Lilley, Henry

Broughton, Beryl Bradley, Helen

Howes, Elsie Skinner, Ernest Goss,

Marjorie Wells, Cecil Hume, Harry

Butler, Harriet Watts.

Promoted on Examination — Lola

Storey, Roslyn Dixon, Marion Wells,

Gladys Taylor, Thomas Cocker, Mar-

ion Wentworth, Henry Watts, Merea

Hammond, Eva Mayden, Willie

Catherall, Asa Morgan, Alfred

Clarke, Lloyd Kempthorne.

Teacher, E. E. Campbell.

Entrance to Junior III. — Ernest

Atkin, Keith Bonner, Stanley Sip-

clair, Elsie White, Le Roy Barker,

Raymond Payne, Victor Cann, Mil-

fred Telfer, Elmer Henstock, Robert

Laycock, Geoffrey Langton, Nellie

Richardson, Gerald Sykes, Stewart

MacQueen, Jessie Duncan, Alma

Storey, Annie Shawcraft, Thorne

Marsaw, Horace Langton, Homer

Hammond, Harold Howes, Florence

McLaughlin, Harold Walker, Agnes

Stewart, Eva Flavell, Irene Young,

Stanley Levitt, Carl Sabatine, Eugene

Bubyer, Gilbert Maguire, Viola Rey-

nolds, John Tomblin, Lloyd Sher-

man, Earl Keen, Teacher, E. A.

Mans.

The balance of this list will appear

in Tuesday