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**AS TO BRANTFORD'S PUBLIC BUILDING**

"Every thinking man in the county knows that it was Mr. Lloyd Harris who made the first practical move in the direction of a new public building, and secured the first appropriation; that Mr. Cockshutt is but carrying on the work so well begun, and that Brantford was not asked to give the market square for nothing, but to make an exchange of one-half the square for the present post office."—Expositor.

We'll accept your amendment as to the offer of the old post office building for half the square, but none of the rest of it.

As a matter of fact, the term "nothing" is even then quite appropriate, because:

1.—The market square cannot be used for other than market purposes, according to the deed of gift, and

2.—Said square appears in the assessment rolls as worth \$233,360, and the post office \$34,100, so that the Laurierite offer was not only impossible of acceptance, but also an insult.

How in the name of Heaven can it be said that Mr. Harris made "the first practical move," when the whole proposition was on an absolutely impracticable basis?

It was Mr. W. F. Cockshutt who got the Government to admit the need for a new public building, and that was a long time before Mr. Harris became a member.

The need admitted, why didn't the Expositor's friends get busy? And why didn't the organ itself urge them on?

Got any answer to either of the above queries or both of them? It is a safe wager that if the Liberals had stayed in power, Brantford's new public building would still be where it remained for years—in a state of nebulous desuetude.

**THE EFFECT OF THE CANADIAN OFFER ON GERMANY**

The effect of the Canadian naval proposals in Germany is described by the Berlin correspondent of "The Navy," the organ of the Navy League in England. This correspondent says of those who have been describing the British Empire as being on its last legs:—

"But they and their disciples of the press have again been thrown into confusion by the Canadian development, which with its implication of union between the mother country and its first Dominion on all matters touching the maintenance of the Pax Britannica, they rightly regard as being of immense significance. But it is too much to expect that henceforth the German nation, repudiating these false prophets, will arrive at a sane understanding of the facts that never before has the British Empire stood upon a firmer foundation, that a challenge to Britain means a challenge to a world-wide Empire, and that a blow struck at her will be returned with the united force of the Imperial Commonwealth."

The writer states that the idea that the British Empire is a flimsy framework has taken deep root in Germany. "But each fresh manifestation of unity in the British Empire will help to dispel this false idea and it is probably a sober fact that the signs of 'militarism' which short-sighted people at home affect to discern in the action of Canada and the other dominions will do more than any isolated efforts on the part of England herself could do to convince our continental rivals that a continuance of their anti-British policy can bring nothing save trouble and loss to themselves. As re-

gards their actual value as arbiters of peace, the Canadian Dreadnoughts represent much more than three additional units for the Imperial fleet. Certainly these three ships, or the principle to which they give expression, will inspire more respect in Europe than a whole squadron of Dreadnoughts built at the initiative of England alone."

**A POOH BAH OF A TELEPHONE**

There is only one telephone on the second floor of Brantford city hall, and it is in City Engineer Jones' office.

If you want the Assessors, call Jones.

If you want to talk to the Medical Health Officer, why ring up Mr. Jones.

If you want Mr. Glover, the Sanitary Inspector, hunt in the phone book for the number of Jones.

If you want to speak to Mr. Eddy, the Relief Officer, why get at Jones.

And if any of the gents above mentioned want to ring up anybody why they also have to call on Jones.

It is rumored that they recently got together and made up the following as a sort of a city hall national anthem:

"The temperature is chilly, And you feel it in your bones. Just slide across the mosaic hall And make a call on Jones.

If your razor mayhap be dull And stands in need of honing, Just make a triplet 'cross the way And tell your want to Jones.

If at the breakfast table Wifey said she'd like some scones, When you reach your place of work Just put it up to Jones.

If by some sardonic chance, Your face is full of groans, And you want to ring a dentist up, Just do it via Jones.

**NOTES AND COMMENTS.**  
An effort is being made to unseat Mayor Clay of Windsor. As for himself he hopes to stick.

The will of a French-Canadian contains bequests to newspaper men, here's hoping the idea becomes catching.

Grit members at Ottawa continue to talk against time on the naval question. They are not advancing anything new and their course is sim-

ply imposing vast expense upon the people for nothing.

The Hamilton Times says that city has all the territory it requires for many years. So has Toronto, but the promoter who wants to make a quick fortune out of suburban lots always starts off by engineering an annexation scheme.—Toronto Globe.

Hamilton doctors are talking of raising the medical fees there. If the disciples of Esculapius would get down to business methods of paying someone to draw up and present their accounts, they would see such a difference in their revenues as to make reductions and not advances advisable. As it is many of them have a happy go lucky plan of looking after the job themselves, with the result that the collections do not begin to jibe with their bookings.

Any ordinary business conducted in like manner would speedily be on the blink.

**A MOTHER'S PRAISE OF BABY'S OWN TABLETS.**

Mrs. Pierre Lambert, Paquetteville, Que., says: "I read in the papers of what Baby's Own Tablets were doing for other children so decided to try them for my baby who was suffering from constipation and stomach trouble. They worked like a charm and now I always keep them in the house and recommend them to all my friends. 'Baby's Own Tablets' cure constipation and indigestion; they expel worms, break up colds and allay simple fever and make teething easy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**CANADA LIFE'S SPLENDID STATEMENT.**

Many Records Broken in 1912.

Care, watchfulness and ability are evidenced in the statement of the Canada Life, and as a result of this good management the statement for 1912 stands out as one of the most successful in the whole sixty-six years' history of that great company. The General Manager, Mr. E. W. Cox, in the course of his address said: "At our last annual meeting I spoke of the policy of your Directors to encourage more particularly the expansion of the company's business in Canada, and as a result of this policy the Canadian applications for new assurances showed an increase of \$3,033,220 and the policies paid for, an increase of \$2,880,358

over the corresponding figures for 1911." The total assurance now in force in Canada amounts to \$103,534,696.65 and it is a noteworthy fact that this company is the first and only legal reserve company to carry upwards of one hundred millions of ordinary assurances on the lives of citizens of the Dominion."

The Canada Life now has over \$14,877,000 of business in force, an increase of \$9,252,000.

Several years ago the Canada Life broke all records by earning \$1,000,000 of surplus in a single year. Since then, for five successive years it has yearly earned a greater amount than ever before. In 1912 the surplus earned was \$1,530,000.

The income last year was \$7,596,000, this constituting a new record, and the rate of interest earned, which had been steadily advancing since 1890, was further improved. The assets were increased by over \$4,000,000, and now stands at \$48,301,000. It is noteworthy that when the Canada Life was just half its present age its total assets were no greater than the increase of this single year. The funds are now twelve times as great as they were thirty-three years ago. From every point of view the statement of the Canada Life Assurance Co. for 1912 calls for congratulation, and its policyholders will doubtless study its many favorable features with deepest satisfaction.

**DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflated you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed. Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh), that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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**Immense Embroidery Sale**

A Manufacturers' Entire Stock of Beautiful Fine Swiss Embroideries Go On Sale Saturday at 8:45 A. M.

JUST a word or two about this IMMENSE SALE. It is no sale of remnants, but all full pieces, and there is enough to go around, but of course the early shoppers will get the choice. Remember that we positively refuse to sell one yard of these Embroideries before 8:45 A. M. Saturday morning. You will find 18 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncing, 45 and 48 inch Flouncings and Skirtings, Corset Coverings, Edgings and Insertions, also a very fine lot of beautiful, dainty Baby Embroideries "AT PRICES THAT CANNOT BE DUPLICATED ANYWHERE." See our window display for a few of these marvelous values, and don't forget that there is plenty for everybody, but as we say the early shoppers get the choice. SHOP EARLY.

**200 YARDS** of Fine Nainsook Embroidery Edgings and Insertions. In this lot you will find some very beautiful and dainty designs put up in lengths of 4 1/2 yards, regular 1 1/2 and 20c.  
**SATURDAY, 4 1-2 Yards for 25c**

**FINE BABY EMBROIDERIES**  
**400 YARDS** of the very finest Swiss "Baby" Embroideries, 27 inches wide, in hemstitched and scalloped edges. These are really the daintiest and most beautiful lot of Baby Embroideries we ever had. Regular price per yard \$1.00 to \$1.50.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 39c**

**100 YARDS** of very fine Swiss Corset Cover Embroideries, in crossbars and plain muslins. We had to take just what this manufacturer had, which accounts for so small a lot. Regular prices per yard 35c to 60c.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 19c**

Remember These Are Not Remnants

Remember there is nobody can buy one single yard of these before Saturday, so you will be able to have full choice of this entire stock. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

Bargains That Can't Be Duplicated

**1000 yards** 45 inch and 48 inch Fine Swiss Flouncing Embroideries, hemstitched plain and scalloped edge. We wish to call your special attention to this lot—it is, without a doubt, the biggest bargain in Embroideries that was ever given. It is beyond us to describe them to you. Take a look at the window and see a few of them; regular prices per yard \$1.75 to \$3.50  
**SATURDAY ONLY 98c**  
The Rush Will Be For These.

**27 INCH FLOUNCINGS**  
**500 YARDS** of Fine Swiss Flouncing Embroideries, hemstitched and scalloped edges, both heavy and fine embroidery is in this lot. A bargain is no name for it. Regular prices per yard \$1.00 to \$1.75.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 49c**

**27 INCH FLOUNCINGS**  
**200 YARDS** of Beautiful Fine Swiss Flouncing Embroidery, 27 in. wide hemstitched, plain and scalloped edges; some of the most beautiful and elaborate designs are in this lot. Regular prices per yard \$1.50 to \$2.75.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 63c**

**300 yards** of 45 inch Fine Swiss Flouncing Embroideries, hemstitched, plain and scalloped edge. Here is another bargain that cannot be duplicated. Just come and examine the qualities, and you will agree with us. Regular prices per yard \$1.25 to \$2.25.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 59c**  
These Won't Last Long

Be Wise and Come Early

**NAINSOOK AND FINE LAWNS**

None Sold Before Saturday

**850 YARDS** of Fine Swiss 18 inch Flouncings and Corset Covering Embroideries. Never before have you been able to buy their equal at such prices. LOOK! Regular prices per yard 75c to \$1.25.  
**SATURDAY ONLY 29c**

Along with this grand purchase of beautiful embroideries, we secured an extra good bargain on Nainsooks and Lawns and have marked them at special low prices to go with these embroideries so you can match any of them you want.

4000 yards of extra fine 50 inch wide Robe Lawn, regular 35c. Sale price.....	<b>19</b>	50 inch extra fine White India Lawn, just the thing for fine dresses, regular 40c. Sale price...	<b>19</b>
48 inch Extra Fine White Linen Lawn, a beautiful even thread, regular 25c. Sale price....	<b>25</b>	32 inch very fine White Nainsook for fine Underwear, etc. It can't be beat, reg. 20c. Sale.	<b>11</b>
42 inch very fine white "Madapolam" Cotton for underwear, etc., regular 25c. Sale price.....	<b>15</b>	48 inch Fine Robe Lawn of the sheerest and finest muslin, regular 30c. Sale price.....	<b>15</b>

**190 YARDS** of the Finest Nainsook Embroidery Edgings and Insertions. This is just the thing for fine underwear, etc. Regular prices per yard 25c to 35c.  
**SATURDAY, 10 Yards For 75c**

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