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Information regarding  
Voters Lists, or in connection  
with the approaching  
elections, cheerfully furnished.

**W. F. Cockshutt**  
Our Win-the-War Candidate.

**HALIFAX FUND NEARING \$14,000 MARK TO DATE**

Total Sum of \$13,705.14 Has Been Subscribed in This City

Halifax Relief Fund.	
Previously reported	\$13,180.14
Manufacturers, as under	280.00
Other subscriptions, as under	245.00
<b>Total to date</b>	<b>\$13,705.14</b>
Manufacturers—	
Brandon Shoe Co.	\$ 180.00
Brantford Emery Wheel Co.	100.00
Other subscriptions—	
C. L. Gamble	5.00
Ladies' Guild, St. Jude's Church	100.00
Robt. W. Linscott	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wells	10.00
Isaac Davidson	2.00
Mrs. J. Moffatt	3.00
Hurley Printing Co.	25.00
Preston and Sons	75.00
E. A. Burgess, Burford	10.00
Mrs. J. W. Watkins	5.00
Mrs. Vaughan	5.00
Geo. A. Sigman	2.00
Cheques in favor of Brantford Board of Trade.	
In yesterday's list the Brantford Piano Case Co.'s contribution should have read \$25.00—not \$10.00.	

Mr. Norman Sommerville announced that \$416,000,000 had been subscribed to the Victory Loan.

Convalescence after pneumonia, typhoid fever and the grip, is sometimes merely apparent, not real. To make it real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands testify. Take Hood's.



MAKE EVERY BALLOT A BULLET FOR BILL

**If You Really Want to Save PAY CASH**

24 lbs. flour	\$1.48	2 lb. Icing	23c
20 lbs. Redpath Sugar	\$1.95	Almonds, per lb.	55c
Creamery Butter	46c	Walnuts	65c
Eggs	47c	Pure Fruit Jam, 4 sizes	68c
4 Gold of Surprise	25c	3 Extracts, Camp.	25c
Potatoes, per peck	40c	Pork and Beans	18c
Lard, pure	32c	Syrup 2	23c
Crisco	35c	Molasses	14c
3 Old Dutch	25c	Macaroni	10c
2 Lux	23c	2 lbs. Starch	25c
Oxo	9c and 22c	2 Corn Starch	25c
Jello, 3 for	25c	Roman Meal	27c
Pumpkin, per can	21c	Rolled Oats, 4 lbs.	25c
Prunes	15c	Marmalade, 4 sizes	80c

**LEO J. KLINKHAMMER**  
138 ALBION ST. BOTH PHONES 484.

**Two Meetings**

in the Interests of

**JOHN HAROLD**

UNION GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE

will be held as follows:—

**BURFORD ARMOURIES**

Friday, December 14th

at 8 p.m.

Speakers:—J. L. Ross, lawyer and farmer, of Toronto and Peel County, and others.

**Fire Hall, Paris**

Saturday, December 15th

at 3 p.m.

Speakers:—R. Mackay, K.C., and Sir John Willison, of Toronto and others.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

**LIGHT ON CAMBRIA**

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It is certain that but for the British forces at Salonica, the Germans would have been in possession of Greece and the whole Balkan peninsula, and Germany would have regarded that as one of the greatest successes of the war.  
During the debate there was considerable criticism of military operations, especially those at Cambrai, in the light of the editorial in The Times demanding an investigation. John Dillon, Irish Nationalist, condemned the government for keeping the public in the dark and said there were rumors that the Germans got three or four miles behind the British lines in the Cambrai affair before they were discovered. He added that in one village, where transports were being unloaded, the Germans walked down the street before the British were aware they had penetrated the lines.

**CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY.**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
Petrograd, Dec. 11.—The latest returns from the elections to the Constituent Assembly show that 195 members have been chosen, as follows:  
Social Revolutionists, 102; Bolsheviks, 44; Constitutional Democrats, 17; Ukraine Social Revolutionists, 9; Minimalists, 11; Jews, 3; miscellaneous, 9.  
The Socialist Democratic representatives include M. Khiskin, former Minister of Public Welfare, who is under arrest in the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress, and Prof. Paul N. Milukoff; Social Revolutionists, M. Kerensky, Mme. Breshkovskaya, and M. Tchernof; Bolsheviks, Nikolai Lenine, Leon Trotzky, Foreign Minister; M. Zinovieff and M. Kaminoff; Minimalists, M. Tseretelli and M. Chelidze; Michael Vladimirovitch Radzianko, former president of the Duma, was chosen as representative to the Assembly by the land owners.

**SKATING RINKS FOR CONVALESCENT SOLDIERS.**  
Canadian Boys to Enjoy National Sport Under Medical Supervision At M.H.C. Homes  
Arrangements have been made for skating rinks at many of the convalescent homes conducted by the Military Hospitals Commission for the returned soldiers needing further medical treatment or industrial re-education before their return to civil life.  
Hardly a man in the Canadian Army but enjoys skating and the exercise in the fresh air will be beneficial to all of the convalescent men who are able to participate in such active exercise. No one, of course is allowed to skate except by permission of the medical officer.  
The boys have a great time, and the rinks promise to be one of the greatest sources of amusement during the winter season in many of the out of town centres. Skates in many places are being supplied by patriotic citizens. Some are new and others are skates worn by men discarded by men overcome by old age or dignity, but sharpened and put into shape they suffice.  
It is interesting to note that even in the schools for blinded soldiers in England and France the men enjoy skating.

**RESUME TRIP**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
Detroit, Dec. 12.—30 lake freighters, including some of the largest on the lakes, icebound since Saturday between Port Huron and the lower Detroit River, resumed the trip down the lakes late yesterday, after a fleet of icebreakers had opened a passage from the lower river into Lake Erie.  
Most of the vessels were caught in the ice formation below Port Huron and after being released there late yesterday, were held in the Detroit river until late to-day, when two more channels frozen over were opened to clear the way into Lake Erie. Several icebreakers were assisted through the canal to-day.

**OFFICIAL**

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Robertson, K.C., for the Halifax Pilotage Commission  
Joseph E. Nolan, New York, regular counsel for the owners of the Mont Blanc, was extended the privilege of the bar.  
When the inquiry opened only the members of the commission, counsel, witnesses and a few newspapermen were present, the general public apparently being too busy rebuilding to attend the session.  
At the outset Mr. Henry asked the exclusion from the court of all witnesses except Pilot Mackay and Captain Lamedoc of the Mont Blanc, and Alex. Johansen, the steward of the Imo, the principal witnesses.  
Mr. Eurchell asked for the exclusion of all witnesses except the one giving evidence.

**POLICE COURT.**  
On application of the defendant, Delta Pass, an enlargement of one week was granted by Magistrate Livingston in the case in which Mrs. Annie Henderson is the complainant in a charge of defamatory libel. It is alleged that Miss Pass wrote letters to Mr. Henderson, belittling the character of his wife.  
Charles VanDusen, of Scotland, agreed to pay \$50 per month to his sister, Mrs. Jennie Campbell, for the support of his father. He paid the costs of the case, \$35.63, and the case was dismissed.

Frederick John Waters has apparently been attempting to put over a confidence game on his landlady, Frederick John slyly pretended that he was working, a common practice among people not under the supervision of the Police, and in this way persuaded Mrs. Martha Pitts to allow his board bill to increase. Mrs. Pitts finally awakened to a realization that her lodger was kidding her along, and preferred a charge of false pretences. The kiddy, Frederick John, was given one week to carry out his bluff and get to work.  
Wesley Pollard, a motorman on one of the municipal street railway cars was charged with willful damage to the traffic sign at the corner of Richmond street and Brant avenue. The case was adjourned until action regarding the traffic signs is taken by the city council.

**THE OFFER STILL HOLDS GOOD!**

Several gentlemen in Brant, who are endorsing Mr. Harold's candidature, have styled themselves the "Union Government Executive Committee of Brant."

They have no authority for so doing and their attempt to get out of their dilemma by the claim that Sir Robert L. Borden recognizes such an "Executive" Committee is simply drawing a red herring across the trail.

**Read the Following Telegram: "The Red Herring"**

PARIS, DEC. 12, 1917.

TO HARRY COCKSHUTT, BRANTFORD,

PLEASE HAND THE CAINSVILLE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE THE ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS PROMISED, AS THE PREMIER HAS ESTABLISHED OUR RIGHT TO USE THE NAME "UNION (\*) GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE," BY RECOGNIZING THE NAME IN HIS TELEGRAM TO US FROM HALIFAX ON THE EIGHTH.

(SIGNED)

BY THE COMMITTEE.

(\* Note that the word EXECUTIVE is carefully omitted.)

**The Answer**

J. B. ROBINSON, PARIS,

YOUR MESSAGE PROVES NOTHING. NO GENERAL MEETING OF THE ELECTORS OF BRANT HAS EVER BEEN ADVERTISED OR CALLED THAT AUTHORIZED YOU TO USE THE NAME "UNION GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE."

MY FRIENDS, WHO FORM THE MAJORITY OF THE UNIONISTS OF BRANT, DECIDEDLY OBJECT TO YOU MISREPRESENTING THEM.

H. COCKSHUTT.

As a matter of absolute fact no Union Government meeting for the election of officers has ever been advertised or called in the Riding of Brant, and the self-styled Union Government Committee has not the shadow of an excuse for appropriating the title.

**YOU Are Justified in Voting For HARRY COCKSHUTT**

THE UNIONIST WIN-THE-WAR CANDIDATE FOR BRANT.

**Union Government Candidate Meeting of Workers TERRACE HILL Wednesday 8 P.M.**  
Subdivisions 7 and 8 at the residence of JOHN COWBROUGH, 38 DUNDAS ST.

**WANTED For Monday Evening 20 BOYS**  
20 boys of 16 to 18 years, to assist at The Courier of office. Apply to Mr. F. D. Reville.