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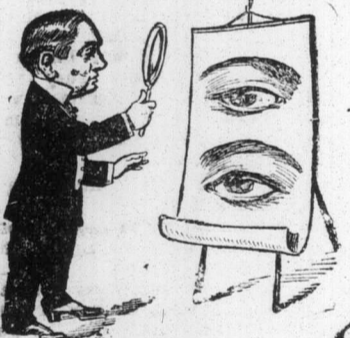
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**LIBEL SUIT.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire. — Henri d'Helencourt, editor-in-chief of Le Soleil Quebec city, today entered suit for libel against L'Evenement, claiming \$10,000 damages for articles published by the L'Evenement.

# SOCIETY

Mr. H. E. Rose was a business visitor in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Douglas Hammond, Dufferin Avenue, is spending a few weeks in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Preston are spending a few weeks in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Zairtz and little daughter, Winona, spent the past week or so in St. Thomas.

Dr. Charles Crompton was up from Toronto spending the week end at the parental home, Dufferin Ave.

Mr. Ransome Wilkes was a week-end visitor from Toronto, at the parental home, Darling St.

Miss A. Hossie was a week-end visitor from Hamilton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Garrett.

Mrs. W. S. Brewster and Miss Marian Brewster, have returned this week from a trip to New York.

Miss Parde, Superintendent of the Brantford Hospital is spending a few weeks in Atlantic City.

Mr. Harvey Watt returned this week from Birmingham, Ala., where he has been spending the Easter season with Dr. and Mrs. Woodson.

Mr. MacPherson of Toronto, spent a few days in town the first of the week, the guest of Mrs. A. J. Wilkes and family.

Mr. Joseph Stanley, of Calgary, Alta, a former well known business man, was a week-end visitor in the city.

Mrs. B. Williams of Toronto, is spending a few days leave in the city, the guest of Mrs. T. S. Wade, Brant Avenue.

Miss Dake, organist of St. Basil's church, was in Woodstock this week attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Dake.

Mrs. Grobb returned from England this week, bringing with her a little Belgian girl who will make her home with her.

Miss Emily Wickens, of Hamilton, is spending a week or so in the city, the guest of her brother, Mr. W. B. Wickens and Mrs. Wickens.

Mrs. Duckworth, of Toronto, was a week-end visitor in the city, bringing up to see her brother, Mr. Curran Hunt, who is at present at the Brant Sanitarium.

The sad news of the passing away of her mother last Sunday, was received by Mrs. Stanley, Wellington Street. Mrs. Stanley had just returned a few days previously from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Neilson, of Milwaukee, Wis.

The death took place recently in Toronto, of Mr. R. L. Patterson, formerly Manager of Millar and Richard type foundry. He had many warm friends in Brantford. Mr. Patterson was vice-President of the Confederation Life Association.

Mr. Ormond Harris, of Pittsburg, who was in the city the first of the week called home by the death of his sister, Miss Orrel Harris, returning to Pittsburg on Tuesday, returning to Brantford to-day to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. R. R. Harris, of Pittsburg.

Mr. R. R. Harris, of Pittsburg, formerly of Brantford, accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Ormond Harris, arrived in the city last evening. A great deal of sympathy will be extended to Mr. Harris in the loss of his wife, Mrs. R. R. Harris, who passed away on Thursday.

Miss Hilda Hurley has been accepted as a vocal student at the well known Conservatory of Music, Toronto, and started this week to take lessons from Mr. Dalton Baker, the celebrated English vocal instructor of the Conservatory. Miss Hurley's voice was tested by Dr. Vogt before her entrance, and he speaks most enthusiastically of her possibilities as a concert singer.

Many Brantford friends will be interested in the marriage of Miss Eva MacGregor of Perkus, (a former well known Brantfordite) which is taking place this afternoon at Trinity University Chapel, Toronto, to the Rev. John Philip Dykes of Toronto. The reception will be held at the Queen's Hotel. Among those who are in Toronto to-day attending the ceremony are Mrs. W. C. Livingston, Brant Ave., the Misses MacGregor, Chestnut Ave., and the Misses Marjorie and Stephanie Jones Chestnut Avenue.

The days of Drake, Hawkins and Grenville were recalled on April 20th when two British destroyers off Dover met six German destroyers in a hand-to-hand fight. The captain on one of the British destroyers, the "Broke," was Commander Evans, the brilliant second in command of the ill-fated Scott Antarctic expedition. Commander Evans it will be remembered, was a visitor to Canada three years ago on a lecture tour, and Brantford was amongst the cities visited. He met with a most flattering reception here, and was entertained by Lt.-Col. Harry Cockshutt and other Brantfordites. His name will now for all time be recorded among the most illustrious naval heroes. Brantford friends this week sent him a cable of congratulations.

Miss Mae Roberts, Elizabeth St., was a week-end visitor in Ayr.

Miss Muriel Wittaker entertained informally at the tea hour at her home, Chatham street, on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Hyslop, who has been spending the past month or so in the city, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. R. Yates, is leaving to-day for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. W. F. Newman returned this week from England where she has been staying for the past six months or so, and is staying with her brother Mr. Joseph Newman, at the family home, Brant avenue.

Mr. Agnew and Miss Kathleen Agnew of Victoria, B.C., are visitors in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Waterous, River Road.

Mrs. A. K. Bunnell returned Friday from spending a few days in Toronto, the guest of Mrs. Andrew Muirhead.

Lieut.-Col. Harry Cockshutt was a business visitor in Toronto this week.

Mr. Clem Coles and little daughter, were visitors in Toronto this week.

Miss Enid Hatley of the Bishop Strachan staff, returned to Toronto on Tuesday, after spending the Easter vacation at the parental home on Albion street.

Mrs. H. K. Jordan returned this week from Whitley Camp, England, where she has been staying with Captain Jordan and is now visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Roberts, Palmerston avenue.

Mrs. M. E. B. Cutcliffe and daughters returned this week from England where they have been for the past few months at Witley Camp, and are residing at their residence, Dufferin Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Lamoureux and family, who have been occupying Mrs. Cutcliffe's residence, are staying at the Kerby House for a time.

Miss Margaret Bishop and Miss Phyllis Cockshutt returned on Tuesday to the Bishop Strachan School, Toronto.

Mrs. Donville and Miss Mary Donville of Hamilton are week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. J. W. Digby.

Mrs. W. C. Livingston is spending a few days in Toronto, the guest of Miss Sproule.

The Duke of Devonshire is making a two days' visit to the neighboring town of Woodstock, May 23rd and 24th. His Excellency is a great agriculturalist, and states that he wishes to spend the greater part of his time visiting the well known farms of Oxford county.

Miss M. Bailey of Hamilton, and Miss E. Campan of Windsor, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dowling, West St.

The many friends of Miss Mary Dowling, 127 West St., will be pleased to hear that she is progressing favorably after her recent operation at the general hospital.

Many Brantford friends were shocked to hear of the death at her home in Pittsburg on Thursday of Mrs. R. R. Harris, formerly Miss Jeannette Bowly, of this city. Only last Sunday the funeral took place of her niece, Miss Orrel Harris, who passed away very suddenly in Chicago last Friday week, and now relatives and friends in this city are called upon to mourn the loss of Mrs. R. R. Harris.

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Paul Jones Middy Blouses in white or trimmed, colors also navy flannel collar and cuffs, special at . . . . \$1.50

Middy Blouses, white or white trimmed, navy, copen or red, also stripes, some with belts, special at \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25 and . . . . \$1.00

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mother, Mrs. Cornelius, of this city, are spending the week-end in London.

A most enjoyable dance was held by the Knights of Columbus on Thursday evening last in their club rooms, Colborne Street, when they entertained a number of their friends. The happy throng tripped the light fantastic until a late hour, light refreshments being served at midnight. The excellent music was supplied by the Beauty orchestra.

Mrs. W. L. Hughes spent a few days in Oakville this week.

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### NEWS OF NORFOLK

#### Eleven-Year-Old Boy Killed in Collapse of Old School House

Simcoe, April 27.—Orin England 11-year-old son of Edmund England met instant death this afternoon when the walls of the old Shand's school house collapsed and buried the little fellow, who had entered the building in search of a lost ball. During the afternoon recess a ball was lost, and following the dismissal of the school the boys started a search for the missing plaything. Orin entered the old school house, replaced last year by a new structure and which workmen had started to tear down yesterday, one end having been removed, in the belief that it might have gone there. He had hardly entered the half-demolished building, before the walls collapsed without warning.

According to the statements of the school the boys were touching the shaky walls and the fatality was a pure accident.

Dr. Richardson of Simcoe, who made the trip from town to the scene of the accident in fifteen minutes, declares that death was instantaneous. The little boy was terribly bruised by the falling walls and both legs were broken.

Besides his parents the dead boy is survived by two sisters and a brother, all older than he was.

### CANADIAN CASUALTIES

**Killed in Action**

London—Pte. Wm. Hebdon, Pte. F. Johnston, Sergt. F. Pepper, Pte. R. Leslie, Pte. C. N. Taylor, Elgin—Pte. H. N. Thompson, Exeter—Pte. H. E. Windsor, Delhi—Pte. C. McLentia, Gorria—Pte. M. T. Mosgrove, Sarala—Pte. K. L. Parker, West Lorne—Pte. G. H. Kelly, Pte. D. N. Meecher, Wyecombe—Pte. H. Booth, Lynedoch—Pte. G. Peake, Simcoe—Pte. R. L. Scott, Petrolia—Pte. L. Volter, Sergt. E. E. Portsmouth, St. Thomas—Pte. C. V. Phipps, Port Stanley—Pte. G. Jennings, Inwood—Sergt. G. Riley, Mount Forest—Pte. P. F. Scoles.

**Died of Wounds**

London—Pte. F. E. Jackson, Port Stanley—Pte. G. Jennings, St. Thomas—Pte. G. Catter, Paris—Pte. W. G. Britton, Owen Sound—Pte. R. B. McKen-Zie, Tilbury—Pte. R. R. Morris, Windsor—Pte. C. T. Grant.

**WOUNDED**

London—Acting Sergt. A. F. Moore, Kitchener—Pte. J. C. Dunn, Sarnia—Pte. E. Woods, Belwood—Pte. G. H. Park, Owen Sound—Pte. B. C. Douglas, Oil Springs—Pte. B. M. Sutherland, Wallacestown—Pte. S. J. Kellor, Aylmer—Pte. Wm. S. Walker, Pte. G. H. Haight, Galt—Pte. St. T. Zimmerman, Strathroy—Pte. E. Couper, Drayton—Pte. J. McCre, Collingwood—Lance-Corp. G. F. Scoles, Guelph—Pte. L. Robertson, Clinton—Pte. F. D. Forrester, Alvinston—Pte. A. D. McNail, Blyth—Pte. J. W. Anderson, Enniskillen—Pte. G. W. Gilbert, Wingham—Pte. G. Monk.

### PARIS RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

Christopher Baker, Well Known Citizen, Passed Away Yesterday

Paris, Ont., April 27.—Mr. Christopher Baker, of Hilliers died this afternoon in his eighty-second year. He was born in the town of Paris, and had passed an honored and active career in this vicinity. He was prominent in educational matters and a member of the local Agricultural Society for more than forty years, being four times President. Mr. Baker was a Justice of the Peace for more than thirty years, a Licensee since a complete fighting machine for some twenty-five years. Mr. Baker was a faithful member of the Methodist Church, and a staunch Liberal. His wife, Lydia E. Pitt, predeceased him, and he was survived by his son, Mr. R. Baker and two daughters, Mrs. W. R. Baker and Mrs. S. W. Culp, survivors.

### A Broadway Dreadnaught

By Courier Lensed Wire. —Work was begun to-day on the construction of the first dreadnaught that ever cruised along Broadway. In about three weeks the U. S. Recruit will stand in Union Square, to all appearances a complete fighting machine with twelve guns each 6 feet long mounted in her four turrets.

The Recruit will be used as a platform for enlisting men for the navy. She will be 200 feet long and with 40 foot beam and stand 18 feet high to her deck flooring. She will be built of wood with a covering of sheet metal and an outer layer of concrete in exact imitation of steel armour. Mayor Mitchell has issued a proclamation designating this week as "Navy Week" and enlisting the young men of New York, set an example for the rest of the nation in naval recruiting.

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W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, will offer for sale on MONDAY NEXT, APRIL 30th at 167 Clarence St., near the Grand Trunk subway, at 1:30 p.m., the following goods:

Oak sideboard, 6 chairs, extension table, 12 chairs, parlor table, kitchen table, 6 chairs, organ, 3 rockers, Happy Thought coal range; high shelf and washing machine; 1 camp bed, 3 springs, mattress, dressers, commodes, toilet set, curtains and blind pots, pans an dall kitchen utensils, grocery delivery wagon; 1 camp bed, etc., on Monday next, April 30th at 167 Clarence St., at 1:30 p.m.

Terms, spot cash; no reserve, a Mrs. Alfred is leaving the city, a must be sold.

MRS. ETTA ALFORD, W. J. BRAGG, Proprietress, Auctioneer.

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May 1st, 1917.

Good coal and wood range; Day engine, bed, solid oak, upholster in Rexine leather; Rexine leather rockers; a quartered oak buffet, extension table, 12 chairs, a set of segment of Nottingham and Swiss Lace Curtains; several couches, dressers, odd wash stands; 1 iron bed; number of household articles. These sales are conducted every Tuesday, if you have any article you wish sold, we shall be pleased to also storage of furniture, baggage, pianos, Phone 295.

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of Farm Stock, Implements, etc.

I am going to sell on Tuesday May 1st, for Mr. Burgess Baker, his farm situated about five miles from the city on the Cocksfoot Road, better known as the McGill Tract, commencing at one o'clock sharp the following:

Horses—Three—One span of horses, rising 6 years old, broke single and double, good in all harness, and extra good; 1 gray mare, 1 black mare, good; 1 brown mare, 8 years old, good farm mare, 1 yearling cow, about five months old, been in about five weeks fresh milk; 1 cow, six years old due in June; three-year-old heifer supposed to be in calve, due in August, milking now; 1 heifer calf, 2 months old.

Implements—Massey-Harris Binder, nearly new; mower, Nox make; hay rake, Deering make, spring tooth cultivator, 1 disc, fast running, 20 ft. wide, 12 ft. wide, on 2 in. tire; heavy democrat, cedar democrat, two seats; cultivated box and power, hand cutting box, drill, roller, cutter, hay fork, pull and 160 feet of new rope, pulp cart, set of bob-sleighs, separate National, good as new; barrel chum, walking plow, Cocksfoot No. 21; 8 heavy drags, set light drags, 8 horse cultivator, water trough, 500 barrels, wagon box, new; about 50 fencing staks, stock rack, Cocksfoot make; cross cut saw.

Harness—Set of double harness set of single harness.

Poultry—Twenty hens, white and brown leghorns, good layers; 15 key hen, 3 guineas.

Seed—Ten bags seed potato New Yorker's No. 2; 2 bags East Surprise potatoes, forks, hoe chains, shovels and other articles numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 or under cash, over that amount, months credit will be given on finishing approved security or 3 percent off for cash on credit amount.

Burgess Baker, J. Smith, Proprietor.

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