

## COMING EVENTS

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURES—  
See Church Notices.HEAR "JUDAS MACCABAEUS," by  
Brantford's "Oratorio" Society,  
in Wellington Methodist Church,  
Tuesday, at 8. Mrs. Reanna  
Woodstock, Soprano; Mr. McKin-  
ley, Tenor. Admission 25 cents.SOUTH BRANT Women's Institute  
convention will be held on Friday  
June 1st, at Mrs. Chas. Vivian's  
home, Oakland. Luncheon served  
at 12 o'clock.PLACE? Mt. Pleasant Public  
School. WHAT? Concert, by  
Brantford talent. DATE? May  
30th. TIME? 7.45 p.m. PRICE?  
ten and twenty-five cents. All  
welcome.HOSPITAL ROSE DAY on Saturday.  
Be ready with your donation of  
10 cents and up to 25 cents. Collected  
on every street with roses. Do  
the duty nearest.

## Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Verandah and shed.  
Apply 62 Brant Ave. Evenings.WANTED—Good price paid for  
live hens. Apply Gringarten.  
Phone 2185.WANTED—By experienced wait-  
ress, table waiting at private  
luncheon, teas, etc. Phone 1413.

## BIRTH NOTICES

EDDY—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Eddy,  
48 Grand St., on May 27th, a son.

## DEATH NOTICES

HUTCHINSON—In Brantford on  
Sunday morning, May 27th, John  
D. Hutchinson, in the 50th year of  
his age. The funeral will take  
place from his late residence, 194  
Nelson street, to Greenwood Cem-  
tery on Tuesday afternoon at two  
o'clock. Friends and acquaintances  
kindly accept this intimation.  
Please omit flowers.Reid & Brown  
Undertakers  
814-816 Colborne St.  
Phone 459 Residence 448H. B. Beckett  
Funeral Director  
and Embalmer  
158 DALHOUSIE STREET  
Both Phones 25.FOR SALE  
1917 Model Stromberg Car-  
burators for any car. Mileage  
trial on all sizes Pathfinder cars  
Wescott and Allen.  
GIBBS & MADDOCK  
25 Mohawk St.CARD OF THANKS.  
Mr. John Philippon and family,  
12 Dundas St. wish to thank their  
many friends for kind expressions of  
sympathy extended in their recent  
bereavement, in the death of their  
son, Norman Philippon, who fell in  
the battle of Vimy Ridge.FUNERAL NOTICE  
The officers and members of Har-  
mony Lodge, I.O.O.F., are requested  
to meet at their Lodge Room on  
Tuesday, May 29th, at 1.30 p.m.  
sharp, for the purpose of attending  
the funeral of our late brother, John  
Hutchinson.  
A. Watson, Secy.  
J. R. Neilson, Secy.A "1900" Electric Washer  
in your home insures a  
saving in your health,  
clothes and time. Costs  
about 1 cent per hour to  
operate. Call in and see  
them.T. J. MINNES  
Phone 301. 9 King St.Hats Cleaned  
Your old straw, panama,  
or felt hat cleaned and  
pressed.  
We will make a new hat  
out of your old one.  
BELMONT SHOE  
SHINE PARLOURS  
155 Colborne St.Broadbent  
Tailor to the well-dressed Man  
or Woman  
Agent for Jaeger's pure wool  
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"Borsalino" and other high  
grade Hats  
Phone 312 4 Market St.REIGN OF TERROR RESTORED IN  
BELGIAN BY HUN OPPRESSORSTeutonic Atrocities Are Now Intensified, Hundreds of  
People Being Murdered; Spies of Germany Fly  
Abominable Trade Through CountryLondon, May 28.—An interview  
was had today by a representative of  
Reuters with a Belgian gentleman of  
high social position, who succeeded  
in escaping from Belgium, knowing  
that he was about to fall into the  
hands of the German secret police.  
He gives a terrible account of the  
Germans' so-called judicial methods,  
which have produced a renewed ver-  
itable reign of terror, in many re-  
spects resembling the procedure of  
the Inquisition. "In a vague way,"  
he said, "the world knows something  
of Germany's military actions, but  
there are 1,000 citizens condemned  
every month for patriotic offences.  
During the three months preceding  
January last forty-two death sen-  
tences were inflicted in one court  
alone.""Nobody who has not gone  
through it can realize the extent of  
terror which prevails owing to the  
methods employed by the German  
secret police, and for obvious reasons  
very few people are able to give any  
precise facts. Only those who, like  
myself, have narrowly escaped the  
clutches of the German spies and  
agents provocateurs have some  
knowledge of their methods.""A German Sergeant was ordered  
to arrest 'Franc-Tireurs' in the early  
days of the war, but as he was un-  
able to find any, and not daring to  
present himself before his chief empty  
handed, he simply arrested the first  
unoffending peasants he met on the  
road. This sort of thing now hap-  
pens daily in the campaign of perse-  
cution directed against the patriots."Spies Busy Everywhere.  
"Large towns like Brussels and  
Antwerp continue to swarm with  
spies, and they often visit small  
towns and even villages where they  
think there is the slightest chance to  
procure their abominable trade.  
Whether their zeal is stimulated by  
fear or greed I cannot say, but the  
result at any rate is the same. If  
they do not succeed in discovering a  
genuine crime they invent one, and  
force perfectly innocent people to  
confess imaginary crimes or de-  
nounce friends. Occasionally the se-  
cret police disguise themselves as  
escaped French prisoners, or pose as  
guides ready to help the patriots  
to escape through the electric  
wire frontier. When they have suc-  
ceeded in gaining the confidence of  
their victims they promptly betray  
them to the Kommandatur. The next  
stage in the tragedy is prison, from  
which escape is almost impossible.  
Every day the victims are taken to  
their cells, not by judges and lawyers  
but by German officers and police  
bullies, who wring confessions from  
them at various points. They are  
cross-examined in this way for eight  
hours without intermission and with-  
out food. When the first torturer  
was exhausted he was replaced by  
a second, who continued the  
interrogation. The prisoner  
refusing to confess was threatened  
and humiliated in the face."Hunchback Lad Tortured.  
"In a prison where I have been I  
met some peasants who were char-  
ged with helping a young man to  
join the Belgian army. These pris-  
oners were led to a separate room  
and every time they returned their  
faces were bleeding. Another batch  
of prisoners was suspected of circu-  
lating forbidden newspapers. Among  
them was a weak hunchback, led  
from whom the police hoped to ex-  
tract information. He was removed  
from his cell and invited to lodgings  
in town occupied by a police agent  
and his mistress. They gave him  
drink and promised him all sorts of  
things, but he still refused to con-  
fess. The woman then attacked the  
victim and tried to strangle him with  
a scarf. To avoid further violence,  
he confessed, but retracted every  
word when taken back to prison."Disguised As Prisoners.  
"Sometimes agents provocateurs  
disguised as prisoners mix with the  
patriots, abusing the Germans and  
complaining of their cruelty. In this  
way they obtain the sympathy and  
confidence of their companions, and  
if the latter are unwisely con-  
fident, they are promptly con-  
fronted with them and obliged to  
confess their guilt. I also know  
cases where relatives and friends of  
prisoners were arrested, and the  
latter told that their mother or sis-  
ter had denounced them. Knowing  
the sufferings to which they would  
be subjected, the prisoners preferred  
to confess even an imaginary crime  
rather than to see their loved ones  
ill-treated by the German bullies. I  
know for a fact that in one prison  
a pregnant woman was awakened in  
the middle of the night by the elec-  
tric torch flashed into her eyes and  
a revolver alighted against her fore-  
head, in order to terrorize her into  
a confession."Trial Only Farce.  
"It can easily be imagined that  
under such circumstances many enter  
the prisons, but few succeed in  
getting out. Whether or not they  
committed the offence which they  
are accused of, they generally admit  
guilt, preferring imprisonment, or  
even death, to such moral and phys-  
ical tortures."Low Spirited and Weak.  
Most women and many men suffer  
at times from fits of depression and  
low spirits from which they are un-  
able to free themselves. They can-  
not attend to business, they are un-  
able to do their work, and they are  
unable to get any pleasure out of life.  
Everything is a burden and a tax upon  
their strength; nothing gives them  
any satisfaction. Then come periods  
of nervous irritability, headaches,  
and weariness. People who suffer in  
this way lack vitality because their  
blood is poor and ill-nourished. It  
is too weak and watery to absorb  
the nutriment from food and carry  
it to the brain, nerves and muscles.  
It is too poor and thin to destroy  
the impurities which clog it in in-  
creasing quantities, and a complete  
breakdown in health is likely to fol-  
low. What is needed is to enrich the  
blood and restore health is Dr. Wil-  
liams' Pink Pills. These Pills make  
new, rich, red blood, strengthen the  
appetite, and give tone to the  
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boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Wil-  
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Twenty-eight thousand fans saw  
the Giants defeat the Cubs on Sat-  
urday at New York and even up the  
series.  
Jess Altman had two doubles  
in the second game at the Stadium  
on Saturday.  
"Smoochy Joe" Wood pitched his  
first game of the season for Cleve-  
land on Saturday, and was beaten  
4 to 3 by New York.  
Ray Demmitt is the leading hit-  
ter in the American Association,  
with 358, while George Burns, of  
the Giants, leads the National with  
370, and Tris Speaker, of Cleve-  
land, the American league, with  
336.Graham, a recruit pitched of the  
St. Joseph team, held Wichita hit-  
less for nine innings Saturday in a  
Western League game won by St.  
Joseph 4 to 0. He struck out four  
men and gave five bases on balls.  
CHARLIE WHITE TO ENLIST  
Chicago, May 26—Charlie White  
today declared he would follow the  
plan of Joe Welling and would en-  
list in the United States Army. He  
wants one more fight, and then will  
slip into a khaki suit.THE WESTERN FAIR.  
Sept. 7th to 15th, 1917  
The Management of the Western  
Fair, London, Ont., are planning  
great things for their Exhibition this  
year which will be held from Sept.  
7th to 15th.  
This will be the fiftieth year with-  
out a break and having adopted as  
their slogan the words  
"A HALF CENTURY OF SUCCESS,"  
they are going forward with a deter-  
mination to make this year's Exhi-  
bition surpass all former ones, good  
as they have been. The board have  
sustained a very great loss in the  
death of their President, Mr. W. J.  
Reid, who filled the position so ac-  
ceptably since the year 1905. Lt.  
Col. W. M. Garshore has been elec-  
ted his successor, and with several  
other members of the board, the Exhi-  
bition will be the best this year ever  
held.  
Any information regarding it will  
be promptly given on application to  
the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, Domini-  
on Savings Building, London, Ont.SGT. DUNCAN MACNEIL  
OF THE CANADIANS  
ing. Address: Harold F. Ritchie  
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Dr. Cassell's Tablets are the sur-  
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Ltd., Manchester, Eng.The lifeless body of Sam Scardina,  
a Chicago taxi driver, was found in  
the suburbs of that city by the ro-  
mans. He had been murdered and his  
taxicab driven away by his slayers,  
of whom there is no clue. He was  
last seen taking a man and woman  
in a westerly direction.  
Abundant Health is assured when there  
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Brooks, Mr. Green and Mr. Woulfe.  
The lodge men were welcomed by  
the pastor, Rev. W. J. Thompson,  
himself an Englishman, and his re-  
marks were given with abundant  
patriotic references. His ser-  
mon was based upon the vision of  
Ezekiel the figure with the four  
heads of man, lion, ox and eagle,  
going on to illustrate the necessity  
for the highest type of Christian  
manhood to possess the character  
and courage of the lion, the patience  
and gentleness of the ox, and the far  
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Clean to handle. Sold by all Drug-  
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MEMORIAL SERVICEPtes. Albert and Leonard  
Mears, Fallen Heroes,  
Honored Last EveningSolemn and impressive was the  
memorial service held in the Mar-  
lboro Street Methodist Church last  
night in honor of Albert and Leonard  
Mears, the two brothers sons of Mr.  
Henry Mears of this city, who sacri-  
ficed their lives on the altar of free-  
dom while making a gallant charge  
on German trenches with their com-  
rades of the 15th Battalion. The  
Rev. J. E. Peters, who conducted the  
service, spoke feelingly of the up-  
right character of the two young  
men, and of the popularity which  
they had enjoyed among a large cir-  
cle of friends before their departure  
from the city, and referred to the  
gap that had been created by their  
noble deaths. The pastor spoke at  
some length of a letter that had been  
written by Pte. Cowie Wallace, also  
of the 15th, who described the sit-  
uation in which the two boys gave up  
their lives. A charge on the German  
trenches had been ordered, and had  
commenced when the enemy artillery  
was directed at the onrushing  
troops, and for a time stemmed their  
progress. The writer himself had  
been forced to take refuge in a near-  
by shell hole, and remained there for  
about two hours, at the end of  
which time he emerged to partici-  
pate in a renewal of the charge.  
Just outside the hole, he had come  
upon the body of Leonard Mears,  
with life extinct. He collected some  
personal effects from the body to  
take back to the brother, Albert,  
but shortly after discovered that he  
too had given up his life in the same  
charge two or three minutes pre-  
viously. Thus the two brothers had  
each made the supreme sacrifice  
without the knowledge of the other.  
The father, Mr. Henry Mears, re-  
ceived letters from both boys in the  
latter part of the week in which they  
stated that they were quite well.  
The missives bore the date of May  
21st, and two days later, May 23rd,  
they "went over the parapet" for the  
last time.  
While these two boys, well known  
and well liked by all, had given up  
their lives that night, the pastor  
pointed out the nobility of the  
cause for which their lives had been  
shed. Leonard, who was employed  
as a letter carrier at the local Post  
Office, had been in this country for  
six years, and his brother, who was  
a blacksmith, had been here for  
about nine years. They were born in  
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During the service, an especially  
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GOT THEIR NAMEOne day a band of Sunbeams scam-  
pered away from Mother Sun and  
sailed to the meadow below. The  
Brook called them and the Sunbeams  
tired after their long journey, threw  
aside their golden gowns and plung-  
ed into the cooling water.  
"Well, is that all you can find to  
do?" called a voice from the grasses,  
and the Sunbeams looked up and  
waved at the West Wind."Come, join us," they cried.  
"The West Wind shook his head.  
"Indeed no," he replied. "There  
is too much to be done to waste my  
time playing in the water," and  
gathering up the Sunbeams' golden  
gowns he sailed away.When the Sunbeams grew tired of  
their play they started for shore.  
"Where are my clothes?" cried the  
first Sunbeam."Some one has taken mine," cried  
another.When they found all their clothes  
were missing they searched among  
the weeds and grasses, but the gold-  
en gowns were nowhere in sight.A rustling in the grasses made  
them jump back into the brook just  
as a beautiful Flower Fairy came in  
sight."I saw the West Wind taking  
your clothes through the sky," cried  
Flower Fairy and the Sunbeams be-  
gan to cry."What shall we do?" asked one,  
and Flower Fairy promising to help  
them, ran away, leaving the little  
Sunbeams shivering, for Mother Sun  
had hung a heavy curtain before her  
door and the water of the Brook  
was growing chilly.A flutter of wings above them  
and Flower Fairy perched on the  
back of a gray bird flew to the  
ground."Mr. Tailor Bird brought you  
clothes," cried Flower Fairy, and she  
hid in the tall grasses while Tailor  
Bird fitted suits on the Sunbeams."But I don't like these things,"  
cried one little Sunbeam."Our gowns were golden and  
flowing," cried another, and Tailor  
Bird scratched his head."That is the best I can do," he  
said. "If you don't want them so  
back into the water." He started to  
go away, but Flower Fairy called to  
him."Oh, do come back," cried Flower  
Fairy, and she told the Sunbeams  
that Mother Sun was angry because  
they had idled their time away and  
that they had better hurry."When you get home send them  
back to me. I'll buy them from you,  
put them on and go at once," she  
begged, and the little Sunbeams  
dressed and flew away home, where  
Mother Sun scolded them for their  
idleness, and above all for losing  
their golden gowns."For shame," she cried. "You look  
like a lot of Dutchmen." And she  
sent the things back to Flower Fairy  
who sold the patterns to other flow-  
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