

FRIDAY

ANNUAL REPORT FROM CHIEF OF POLICE SLEMIN

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The proprietors of the above places have up to the present time, shown a desire to observe the regulations.

Street Traffic
There were eight cases and five convictions for breach of this by-law, against 32 cases and 23 convictions last year.

Motor Vehicles Act
There were forty-eight cases and 32 convictions under this act in 1913, against thirteen convictions last year.

Provincial Secretary marked "Important," calling the attention of the police to a more stringent enforcement of the regulations governing motor vehicles.

Traunt Officer's Report
The following is Traunt Officer's Boylan's report for the year 1913. It will be seen that we had no truants in 1913.

Traunt Officer's Report for 1913
No. of pupils of all ages enrolled in the public schools, 3,721. No. of pupils between the age of 8 and 14 years in the public school, 2,572.

No. of pupils of all ages enrolled in each school during the year: Central, 1,024; Alexandra, 741; Victoria, 660; King Edward, 703; Ryerson, 306; Dufferin, 186; Grand View for the city, 11. Total for the public schools, 3,721; St. Basil's, 273; St. Joseph, 106. Total for the separate schools, 379.

Total number of pupils of all ages for the whole city, 4,100. During the absence of families from the city during the summer and fall, we had 111 vacant houses under our

care. Nothing was stolen and none broken into. The following letter from Mr. E. E. C. Kilmer, speaks for itself: Feb. 17, 1914. To the Police Commissioners of Brantford: Gentlemen—I desire to bear testimony to the splendid services of Traunt Officer Boylan in connection with our schools, also to the improvement in attendance since we have had the services of a traunt officer for the entire day.

E. E. C. KILMER, Inspector Brantford Schools. The License Board
The license board is composed of His Worship, the Mayor, the chairman of the finance committee, and the City Clerk.

During the year 1913 the amount of fees under the various licenses granted is as follows: 1,000; Auctioneers, 5 at \$15; \$75; billiards, 6, \$70; cigarettes, 36, \$450; cirques, 7, \$25; hawkers and pedlars, 7, \$55; intelligence office, 1, \$2; jewellery board, 1, \$2.50; bowling alley, 2, \$120; laundries, 16, \$160; milk, 31, \$31; plumbers, 15, \$75; pawnbrokers, 1, \$60; restaurants, 15, \$87; shooting, 1, \$2.50; theatre and picture shows, 4, \$25; transient trader, 3, \$300. Total, \$2,881.

Detective Department
Detective Chapman reports that during 1913 he took thirty-one fingerprints of criminals or prisoners charged with criminal offences. In several cases this has been the means of locating criminals for this and other police departments, or getting their criminal records where they have served terms in prison from several cities.

Requirements
The magistrates office is not properly heated and I would recommend that a gas stove be placed there. The woodwork on the outside of the station requires painting badly, it has not been painted for years.

Complaints From Citizens Not Ventilated in the Police Court
There were 379 reports from citizens during 1913, against 319 last year investigated privately by the police without causing unnecessary inconvenience or publication of the names of citizens, thus arranging difficulties satisfactorily to all concerned.

Telephone Calls
The calls to the office through telephone from the city and outside places numbered 14,180, and were duly attended to by the police.

Brant Humane Society
There were 11 cases of cruelty to animals disposed of in the police court, consisting of 10 convictions; 2 being allowed to go as first offenders, and one withdrawn. Of these one person was arrested in the act, one arrested on a warrant, and nine summoned. The work of the officers of the Brant Humane Society has had the effect of educating many persons in charge of dumb animals to show more consideration and kindness towards them.

Report of Patrol Drivers for 1914
There were 389 arrested prisoners brought to the station in 1913 by the patrol wagon against 631 in 1912. Prisoners conveyed to the gaol 264, and from the gaol 141. There were 348 calls by phone for the patrol wagon. Fire alarm calls responded to 72. Miles travelled 662. The wagon was used as an ambulance to the hospital on six occasions for sick or injured persons. Total number of persons carried 1000, against 1200 last year.

Short Review of the Work of the Department for 1913
There were all told, 1883 cases tried in the police court in 1913. There were 1485 reports from citizens investigated by the police of which 1273 were cleared up. The drunken persons arrested numbered 52, of whom 331 lived in Brantford.

Chief Constables Association of Canada
The above association is being reorganized more and more every year as forming a link between Chief Constables in the Dominion from the Atlantic to the Pacific Oceans, thus in a way, connecting the various municipalities which they represent.

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of nearly 32,000, which we are called upon to police.

The population of Brantford is now beyond the power of the force to protect as it should be in the interests of property and of life. I would again bring before your Hon. Board the great urgency of more police being added immediately to the force.

The population and value of property by wards is as follows: Ward 1, Population, 5222; assessed value of property \$3,549,763.

Ward 2—Population, 5776; assessed value of property \$2,347,850. Ward 3—Population 4018; assessed value of property \$3,362,700.

Ward 4—Population 5002; assessed value of property \$2,382,525. Ward 5—Population 6,458; assessed value of property \$3,614,725.

Total population 26,454; total assessed value of property \$12,257,563. I have only ten constables to cover beats extending to more than 70 miles of streets and the two patrol drivers work twelve hours a day, and the two sergeants and detective sergeant work a full day.

Patrol Boxes
We have now six patrol boxes in operation, which have rendered valuable service to the department. We are still in need of three boxes in the outlying districts. I would recommend that the same be added to meet the increasing calls. I desire to thank the citizens who allow the police to use their phones in outlying points of the city.

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First News Section

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

COUNTY COLLEGE AGAINST TOLL ROAD

Present Methods Would Have Acquired Desired Results

That to acquire the two toll roads in Brant County, under the present system of road maintenance, is theoretically attractive, would be a step backwards at the present time from the standpoint of utility to the state.

Good roads are desirable, and in recent years the automobile and other means of transport have advanced economic arguments therefore. Brant County's case is likewise weighing the arguments of the one with the outlay, and the other of the Brant County, perhaps to an individual will of the expenditure looms up big under present conditions.

What are the conditions in the county? As a total road of 130 miles, the toll roads are 12 miles of this total. To buy would involve an outlay of \$50,000. All portions of county would be asked to contribute while it is well known to a study of the map of Brant County that the toll roads would receive scarcely a cent from the millage.

There are two toll roads in the county, the Paris and Cockshutt highways and the last financial year of the owners of these will be of interest. In return of the Paris and Brantford January last showed that it cost \$353. The paid up cap

THE END OF FAR DISTANCE

Crimes Are Now Nearly All of "Wh and Mouse" Act Further Legislation

LONDON, March 14.—The Mail prints what it calls "a considered statement obtained from high official sources in reference to the Government's attitude towards the militant Suffragettes." It states subsequent statements "same paper to the effect that the 'Mouse Act' is steadily a militant movement, and the Women's Social and Union is no longer able to the activities of more than few militants. The days of conspiracy and big raids are year ago there was fifty women ready to commit crimes. Nearly all of them have been forced to abandon the militant activities by repeated arrest. Militant crimes are confined to about a dozen women whom seven are well known of them are paid servants.

"We are rapidly approaching the residue of these fanatics." remaining militants continue to appear in connection with fresh crimes. Reference is made to the suggestions sent to the Home Office the most usual one of these women should be allowed in jail. The Daily Mail says responsibility the government not at present assume. The latter leaders are undoubtedly for the death of one of them in order to regain public sympathy which the movement has lost. Objections apply to placing lunatics in an asylum. In deportation of the women, who is going to feed the

MR. BALFOUR AT 66 IN A TENNIS TOURNAMENT

FORMER PREMIER OF GREAT BRITAIN SHOWS REMARKABLE AGILITY.

NICE, France, March 13.—Craig Biddle, of Philadelphia, with Mme. M. Gondoin as a partner, yesterday defeated Arthur J. Balfour, former British premier, and Mrs. Lambert Chambers in the first round of the mixed doubles in the international lawn tennis tournament.

Mr. Balfour, despite his 66 years, was remarkably alert, and played with great judgment. He earned the enthusiastic applause of the large and fashionable assemblage that had come to see him play.

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