

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

SOME CAPTAIN

Team No. 10, division two, captained by Mr. Chas. Roth, have secured the largest number of members for the Y. M. C. A. membership campaign just closed. This is the second year that a team captained by Mr. Roth has won this honor.

SOME SELLER

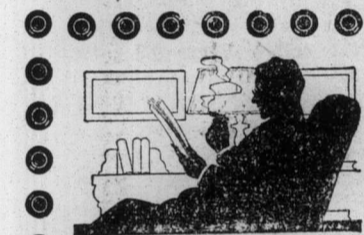
Longwood, Oct. 12—Welly Almas, of Brantford, conducted the most successful sale ever held in these parts when he disposed of the entire stock and household effects of Tri Pierce. The valuable trotting and pacing horses were sold at good figures. Unco the head of the stable, sold for \$1,000. Stephen, the pacing sensation, was reserved, however. Mr. Pierce will move to London this week.

FOR BRITISH RED CROSS

In connection with the British Red Cross appeal, advertisement of which appears in to-day's Courier, the local committee are taking steps to hold a meeting in the public library on Monday. At this meeting a committee will be appointed and plans formulated for the purpose of meeting the appeal of the British Red Cross to Canada.

BOYS' WORK CONFERENCE

The local Y. M. C. A. officials have received notification of a boys' work conference, to be held in Toronto from November 9th to the 12th. This is only one of a series of such conferences, extending from Charlottetown to Vancouver, and held from October 12th to December 10th. In the past, those who have attended these conferences were highly satisfied with the benefits derived, and returned with a new inspiration to carry on the work. Mr. J. F. Schultz is desirous of hearing from any of the boys or men who are proposing to act as delegates from Brantford. Full particulars will be given to all such persons upon their enquiry at the Y. M. C. A.



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COUNTY COURT

The case of Hyslop vs. Yeo is being tried before Judge Hardy in the county court to-day.

BUILDING PERMIT

A permit was this morning granted to Mr. John W. Blakney for the erection of a frame shed, at 234 Sheridana St., to cost \$150.

ON DUTY ONCE MORE

Governor J. W. Brown had so far recovered by this morning as to be able to appear in his office at the court house.

GRANT TO BANTAMS

An acknowledgement of the recent municipal grant of \$50 to the 216th Bantam Battalion has been received by City Clerk H. F. Leonard from Lieut. Geo. I. Walsh. Accompanying the letter was the request that the thanks of the battalion be conveyed to the city council.

WOUNDED

Word received in the city yesterday announced the wounding of Agnew Howard, a son of Brigadier Lt.-Col. F. A. Howard, of this city, now at Camp Borden. Agnew Howard went overseas last spring with the 83rd battalion, being since drafted to the front.

CLEANING ARMORIES

The advance guard of the second Brants are continuing their activities in preparing the quarters of the battalion for winter occupation. This morning they were busy engaged in repairing the building on Dalhousie St., used last winter as the mess quarters of the 84th battalion. One would-be recruit yesterday signified his willingness to join up with the battalion, but was unable to pass the medical requirements.

SOCIAL EVENING

Over 60 invited friends from Brantford, Toronto, Paris, and other points gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Birch, Newport, Thanksgiving evening and an enjoyable time was spent in dancing, music and games, the occasion being the return of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Campbell from their wedding trip. A dainty lunch was served and all journeyed homeward at an early hour in the morning, wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous life.

CAR SMASHED

The owner of a Ford automobile, carrying license number 42892, experienced a peculiar accident to his car this morning at about 11 o'clock at the corner of Queen and Dalhousie streets. While attempting to back up on the slippery pavement, the brakes refused to work, and the car crashed into the curb in front of the post office, breaking the rim entirely free from the spokes and hub. Aid was summoned and a new wheel put on, after which the car was towed away for further repairs.

READING ROOMS OPEN

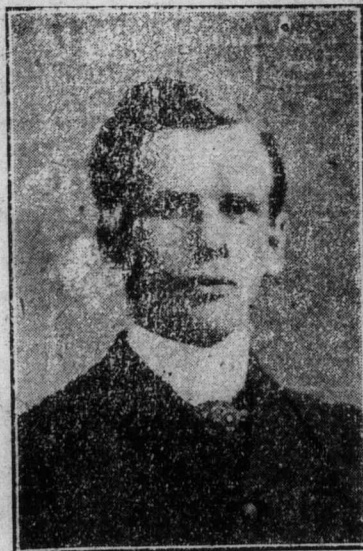
The reading rooms of the Public Library will be open next Sunday afternoon from two to five o'clock. The rooms have been closed during the summer months, but with the approach of the winter months and the inclement weather, the attraction of outdoor exercise will give way to the inclination to stay inside and read, and it is to accommodate this desire on the part of the patrons of the library that this move has been taken.

Can't Find Dandruff

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderrine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderrine at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any falling hair, and the scalp will never itch.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TO LET—Furnished house, at one thirteen Brant Ave. Apply 64 Brant Ave., or Room 16 Temple Building.



Rev. Mr. Gordon, Pastor of St. Andrews Church, which is celebrating its 25th anniversary.

CONTEST HELD IN ELOCUTION

Miss Beatrice Richards carries off Honors in R. T. of T. Contest.

Another of those oratorical contests so popular with the citizens of Brantford was held last evening by the Royal Templars of Colborne St. Church. The popularity of these contests was evinced by the splendid turnout, both of spectators and contestants to participate in the event.

Mr. J. W. Shepperson discharged the duties of chairman in his most acceptable manner, and introduced a splendid program to his hearers. The chairman, in a brief opening address recalled reminiscences of the early days of the order and of the first gold medal contest ever held in the Dominion. After viewing the many benefits to be derived from taking part in such contests, he called upon Mr. North, the Dominion superintendent of the order, to say a few words.

Mr. North proceeded directly to explain the details of the contest, and the regulations governing the candidates. The winner was chosen by three judges, who sat in different parts of the room, and who afterwards compared their results and thus arrived at a decision.

The opening number on the program was a delightful solo by little Miss Grant, Contestant No. 1, who then called on to give her selection. Miss Oldham sang a delightful song, Candidat No. 2 then took part, and at the conclusion of her effort Miss Adams was called upon for a solo. Contestant No. 4 then heard from Miss Oldham rendered another solo.

The remaining contestant having been heard, the judges, Mr. A. V. Durt, Mr. North of Hamilton, and Mr. Bert Brown, retired to select the winner. Miss Adams was once more called into service and responded with another solo.

Mr. Shepperson, in an address on the order, made a comparison between the conditions of temperance to-day and that which existed some time ago. Many of the prominent men connected with the recent legislation effecting provinces wide prohibition, had obtained their start in this direction within the R. T. of T.

Mr. Townsend, on behalf of the local council of the order, expressed gratification of splendid attendance and for the enthusiasm displayed by those competing for the medal.

Mr. A. W. Durt advanced to the platform and delivered the decision of the judges, announcing Miss Beatrice Richards as the victor.

He stated that much difficulty had been experienced in selecting anyone whose effort surpassed the others, as they were all exceptionally excellent. Mr. Durt then gave a brief address, advising the candidates of improvements which might be made in their delivery and concluded by expressing pleasure at being present on such an auspicious occasion.

Mr. Colver presented to Miss Richards the gold medal and after a short speech of a congratulatory nature, he invited the gathering to the hall of the order to engage in a pleasant social time and to partake of the dainty refreshments provided.

With the City Police

A family dispute was aired in the police court this morning when William Timbers was charged by John Vincent, his son-in-law, with the abduction of his child. The case was adjourned for a week. James Turner charged Charles Walker with the conversion of \$5. He was ordered to make restitution and pay the costs, amounting to \$7.85.

QUIET IN CALGARY

By Courier Leased Wire.
Calgary, Alta., Oct. 13.—The city was absolutely quiet last night and there was no echo of the disturbance of the previous night. Brigadier-General Cruikshank and Chief of Police Cuddy conferred and the latter said they expected no more trouble.

Relatives at Ottawa of Pte. J. T. Davis, 38th Battalion, reported a month ago as killed in action, have received a letter from him dated Sept. 7, saying he was all right.



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MOST CAPABLE PAPERS HEARD

Prof. M. Hutton and Mr. F. E. Coombs Addressed the Teachers' Convention.

The danger of conveying to the minds of the young wrong and distorted ideals by imparting to the study of literature too much of an intellectual aspect and not sufficient of an artistic and spiritual significance, was the subject of a stirring and impressive delivery yesterday at the afternoon session of the Brant County Teachers' Convention, by Mr. Coombs of the Toronto Faculty of Education. In the course of his paper, Mr. Coombs answered most satisfactorily and masterfully questions which had been asked by various members of the convention, arising out of his morning address, which was the subject of some discussion at the opening of the meeting.

Must Appreciate
Mr. Coombs emphasized the necessity of the teachers being imbued with a proper appreciation of the message intended by the writer to be conveyed, and of the loftiness and beauty of the message.

The report of the nominating committee was also submitted to the convention and approved and ratified by them.

Prof. Hutton
The majority of the evening session last night was consumed in the hearing of a most helpful instructive and edifying address by Professor Maurice Hutton, principal of the University of Toronto, and President of the Ontario Educational Association. Professor Hutton selected as the subject of his address "Democracy and Education," and in the course of his speech gave out information and advice gladly received by all present. General approbation of the exceptionally high class of the papers read was expressed by all in attendance at the convention.

To London
This morning at 8 a.m., the majority of the teachers of city and county left via G. T. R. for London, where the second day of the convention will be commenced in visiting and inspecting the schools.

Five hundred more Army Service men are asked from Canada by the War Office, being needed in connection with transport and supply work.

Kitchener Y.M.C.A. has begun a campaign to raise from \$5,000 to \$7,000 toward the Canadian contribution of \$300,000 for the overseas work.

Charles N. Sterling, District Game Warden of Kenora, is dead after a short illness, aged 58. He went there from Richmond Hill, Ont., in 1882.



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A safety device, which, if adopted generally by railroads, will revolutionize the present system of hose bags now in vogue on railroads, has been recently patented by Mr. J. W. Roberts of Sarnia.

The invention is primarily a safety device, but the elements of simplicity, efficiency and durability are all embodied in its construction. The contrivance operates automatically, and eliminates the hose bags now used, thus obviating the dangers hitherto experienced by trainmen in coupling and uncoupling while the train is being made up.

The device, which is about four feet in length, made of malleable iron, weighs about 90 pounds. There are three separate lines of pipe in its mechanism, each of which acts independently of the other two. The first models were made by the Pratt and Letchworth Company of this city, and when they were submitted to an air pressure of 105 lbs. in the preliminary tests, under the supervision of Supt. C. S. Hotham, of the Brantford Motor Truck Co., they endured the pressure in a most satisfactory manner.

As to the general dependability of the device, such authorities as Mr. Ogilvie, mechanical expert of the Dominion Railway Board, Mr. Parade's, of the New York Central, and Mr. Kelly of the P. and M. Railroad, have all expressed the opinion that it is the only practicable solution for the difficulty on steam roads.

A special feature is the allowance made by means of guards on the sides of the heads, which will automatically force them to couple in places of 5 1/2 inches difference, or if they are out of line not more than six inches. The universal joint to the rear, and upon which the two sections operate, prevents the device from turning, and thus no air can escape, as is the case in all other inventions of a similar nature.

Mr. Roberts stated to a Courier representative, that he had spent the past six years in perfecting his invention, which is well worth the time spent in examining it. It is at present open for inspection at the Brantford Motor Truck Co., on Jarvis street.

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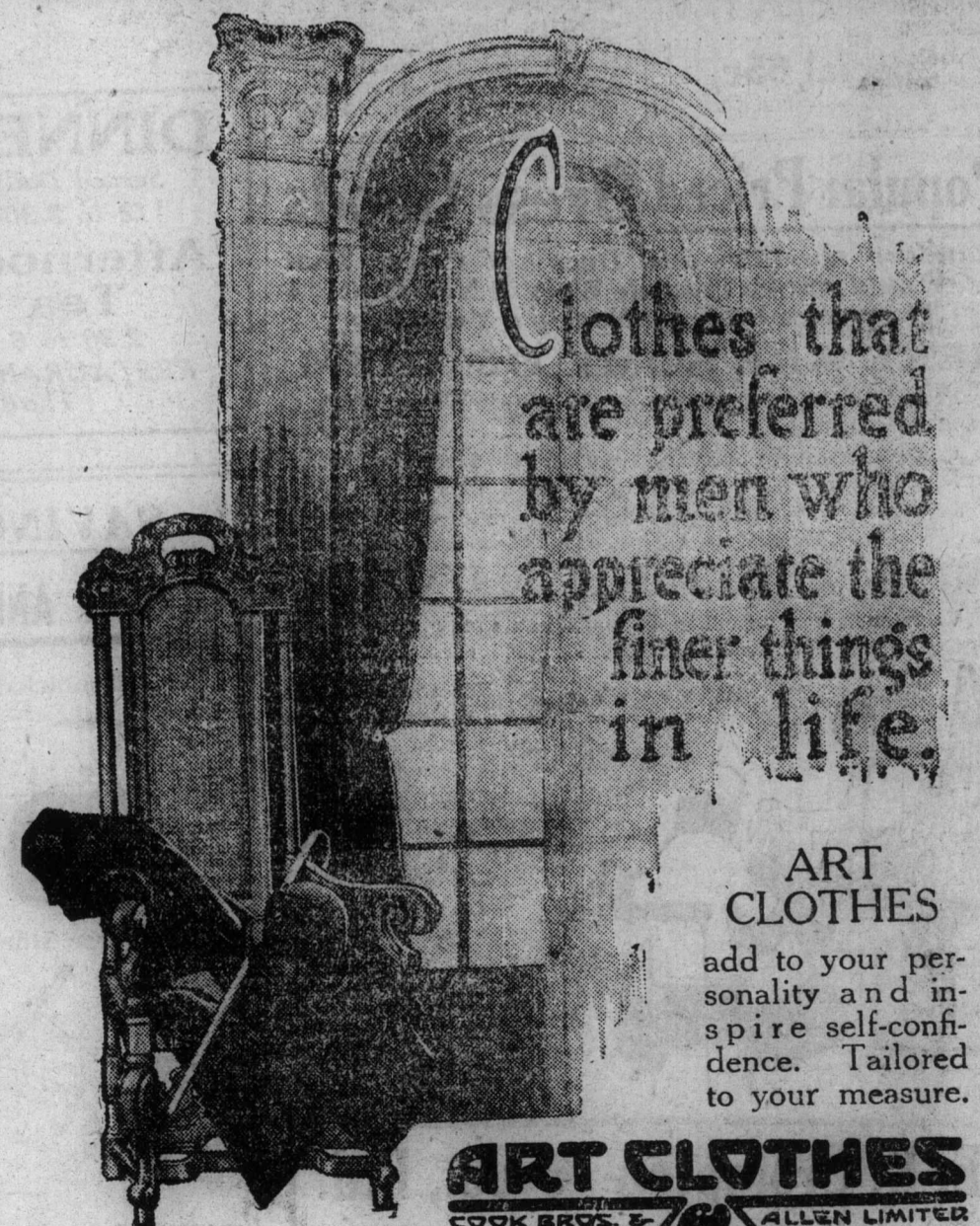
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