

**Dissolution Sale**  
**AUCTION SALE**  
 Of Farm Stock and Implements.  
 Golden Bros. have instructed W. Almas to sell by public auction, at their farm, situated on the River Road, better known as the Waterhouse Farm, just South of Eagle Place, on

**Tuesday, Dec. 4th,**  
 Commencing at one o'clock.

Five Horses—One bay, 8 years old, Miller's horse, 1600 lbs.; 3 black horse, 7 years old, good in all harness, 1000 lbs; 1 bay mare, 4 years old; 1 bay mare, 3 years old, sucker colt.

Ten cows—Grade Holsteins, all under 6 years old, 1 black, due in March; 1 in April; 1 in February; 2 new milk cows, just fresh; 1 in good flow of milk, 1 due about time of sale; 1 heifer due in March; 1 dry cow, beef; 2 sucker calves.

Pigs—One fat sow, 8 sheats.

Fodder—Ten tons timothy hay, 500 bushels mangolds.

Set single harness, 1 buggy.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash; over that amount 10 months credit will be given on furnishing approved security, or 5 per cent. off for cash.

W. Almas,  
 Proprietors.  
 Auctioneer.

**AUCTION SALE**  
 Of Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.  
 W. Almas has received instructions from Graham Vanderlip to sell by public auction at his farm, situated 1 1/2 miles east of Orondaga, 1 mile west and 1 mile north of Middleport, better known as the Marshall Dawson farm, on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, commencing at 1 o'clock.

Horses—Sorrael horse, 1600 lbs.; Clyde mare, rising 2 years; which is a beauty (black).

Cattle—17—Four milk cows, 1 fresh and others to calve later on; 6 yearlings, grade Durhams; 6 spring calves, grade Durhams; 1 veal calf.

Hogs—One brood sow, due Feb. 20th; 8 fat pigs.

Fodder—Twenty ton of good hay; 2 or 3 hundred bushels of mixed grain.

Implements—Set farm truck; spring tooth cultivator, tanning mill, set platform scales, 2000 capacity; Oliver plow.

Poultry—A number of good chickens; 20 ducks.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 10 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved security, or 5 per cent. per annum off for cash on credit amounts. Fat hogs cash.

No reserve. Take 10 o'clock train to Onondaga.

Graham Vanderlip, Welby Almas,  
 Proprietors.  
 Auctioneer.

**MAIL CONTRACT**  
 Scaled tenders, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 28th day of December, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, on the Cainsville No. 1 Rural Route, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the postoffices of Cainsville, Brantford and Echo Place, and at the office of the Postoffice Inspector, London.

G. G. ANDERSON,  
 Superintendent,  
 Postoffice Department, Canada, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, November 16th, 1917.

**Notice to Creditors**  
 IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of Harvey Watt Cockshutt, late of the City of Brantford, in the County of Brant, a Lieutenant in His Majesty's Canadian Expeditionary Forces, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustees Act, R.S.O. 1914, Chap. 121, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of Harvey Watt Cockshutt, who died on or about the Second day of June, 1916 from wounds received while on Active Service somewhere in France, are required on or before the 26th day of December, 1917, to send by post paid or deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars, in writing, of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Brantford this 23rd day of November, 1917.

HARLEY & SWEET,  
 Solicitors for H. Cockshutt, George A. Baker and the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, Executors of the estate of Harvey W. Cockshutt, deceased.

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**THE GRAND**  
 A typical war drama, exposing the German system of intrigue, the "Seven Days' Leave" the attraction at the Grand last evening, this afternoon and to-night. The play is a melodrama, not of the lurid type, but of a high calibre. It is of a patriotic character and most appropriate at this time.

The submarine scene, showing the rise of a "U" boat to the surface of the sea, and its destruction there by British destroyers, is a well staged feature of the production.

Without exception the members of the company portrayed their roles to great advantage, but the work of the young lady who played Lady Mary Heather, and the men cast in the roles of Colonel Sharrow and Private Lord Arthur Pendennis, were prominent through their excellent interpretation.

"Seven Days' Leave" is presented in four acts, the action is speedy and continuous and there is not one dull moment from the commencement until the drop of the curtain. It is distinctly the military melodrama of the year, insofar as Brantford is concerned.

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**MARKETS**

Markets for grocery commodities presented numerous changes during the week and included such lines as sealing wax, candles, grape juice, tobaccos, catsup, jam, baking powder, molasses, dates, pink salmon, cream of tartar, pecan nuts and shelled walnuts. The run of lake herring came to a rather abrupt end due to the storms of the lakes and cold weather which froze the bays. Frozen fish will now take the place of fresh lake fish. The science of freezing fish has been developed within recent years and large stocks of this food product are thereby conserved which would otherwise go to waste.

An embargo placed on the shipment of cottonseed oil by the United States Government has had the effect of shutting this basic material in shortening out of the Canadian market for the time at least. It is anticipated that licenses will be granted by the United States Government to bring this commodity into Canada, but in the meantime stocks are very light. Some manufacturers are not quailing on shortening as a result and prices here were firmer in consequence.

Representatives of the Cuban cane planters have agreed to accept a price for their sugar on the basis of 4.90c per pound cost and freight Atlantic ports. If the International Sugar Commission thinks favorably of this offer and agrees to take Cuban sugar for the allies at this figure there should be a reduction in the price of refined sugar to the extent of about one cent per pound. Flour prices have not yet been announced, but it is expected, as advised by the Food Controller, Business with the wholesale grocers is reported brisk. Shortage of goods is constituting the greatest obstacle to the trade at the present time.—Canadian Grocer.

**SOCIAL and PERSONAL**

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greiner announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence Seburn, to Mr. Maurice Jerome Huber, son of the late James T. Huber, and Mrs. Huber, of Guelph, Ont., the marriage to take place quietly early in December.

Mr. F. Bain, for some time manager of the Brantford branch of the Royal Bank, has been promoted to the management of the Hamilton branch. Mr. Bain has made himself exceedingly popular while here and will be greatly missed.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mann, tranquility, Thursday night, when fifty or more of their friends gathered together to bid them farewell. The party broke up in the early hours of the morning, after giving hearty cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Mann, who will take up their home in Shellard's Lane.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**

The wholesale grocers have decided, and so notified the retail trade, that hereafter certain lines of staple goods must be settled in full every ten, fifteen or thirty days.

The retail grocers are very seriously considering the advisability of running their business on strictly cash basis, but before starting this they will try out asking each of their customers hereafter to settle their accounts in full either semi-monthly or monthly, and unless this is done, the cash basis will be resorted to, as all goods have advanced to such a high price, thus requiring extra capital to run their business.

It is sincerely hoped that the general public will assist the trade by making prompt payments for their goods.

**Y.M.C.A. DIRECTORATE.**

The monthly meeting of the Board of the Y.M.C.A. was well attended. T. E. Ryerson, president, in the chair. W. S. Brewster took his place as a new member and was warmly welcomed. The Men's Club report showed a good start on re-organization. The board decided to redecorate the walls of the club rooms. The "300 Club" membership campaign to secure 300 new members by December 8 was presented by Chairman Danby and enthusiastically endorsed. Treasurer Cook in the absence of the chairman of Finance, Geo. Wedlake, introduced the budget for 1917-1918, amounting to \$16,449 for the year. Recognition of the services of Geo. Wesley, physical director; Miss Elvidge, stenographer, and Mrs. Gardner, assistant matron, was shown in increases in salaries. Mr. Cook pointed out that the greatest economy would be required in carrying the work for the year. A letter was read from the Patriotic Society appointing the president, T. E. Ryerson, as Y.M.C.A. representative on the body. Chris Stodden, a Y.M.C.A. man, was appointed a member of the staff to succeed D. Gardner, who resigned. The House Committee were empowered to appoint a night janitor. The question of semi-centennial celebration was deferred until later owing to other matters attracting public interest at present. The report of the Ottawa National Convention delegates was left over for the next meeting.

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That 10 acres of garden property of Mrs. Steedman's was not sold by auction. I have it listed and reasonable terms and price would be considered. This is a very fine garden property and close to the city.

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