trie and Gasoline Engines-Zwick's Island Infiltration exist at the end of the intake.

works Commit ee. The Hydro- the bay." reason for suggesting any modificat- orary and partial measures. ions in respect of the total pumping "It is not necessary to defer order- good.

"The stated capacity of the plant ander maximum fire service pressure is sufficient for a population of about 15,000. It is likely that with N:W PAPER improvements in the describution system, the increased supply available will meet with the Underwriters requirements until the population reaches 18,000 or possibly 20,000.

'The adoption of small sized units of different capacities is desirable because of the greater economy and convenience possible in their operat ion under the power rates and the prevailing operating conditions at field a new publication to be issued deputation of the Board and was are able and willing to cultivate and Belleville. It is desirable to keep monthly by the Ritchie Company of pleased to find them quite alive to care for vegetable gardens during the water level in the stand pipe this city. The new venture is apwithin a moderate range.

maximum fire pressures, we are not of all concerned. The cover is quarters for the school." quite in accord with the views of the tastefully printed in two colors, The Chairman, Mr. Mallory, available in the vicinity of their reresulting pressures on the distribut- layout. no objections to carrying high prest to be found in the great Ritchie English language. sures on pipe lines that were laid stores. But there is in addition a Principal MacLaurin wrote re- es to be apportioned by a committee and tested before back filling in an synopsis of news events specially ferring to the inspector's report. It of the Board for the best work to sures. An Belleville, however, we or general movements in reference to the grading of English as I-II was season in this connection." are dealing with a system, part of the business. by a company. So far as we can learn ciates four principles that have been at work. Principal M. W. Mott stat- sible for the care of the old Octavia it is not definitely known whether in force in the Ritchie establishment ed in a letter that Mrs. R. J. Graham St. school. or not the leakage is bad. At any for many years and which account desired to give a prize for general, Col. Ponton and Mr. McGie said

ewered, the percapita consumption Ontario The principles are,will be greater than it now is and in view of the fact that filtration may eventually be required the loss due to leakage or waste of any kind will not be confined to the cost of oumping it alone.

this connection

"Considering every feature of the case, it is our opinion that the city is well advised in its proposal to discard the stream driven outfit and adopt a motor driven and gasoline engine driven plant."

house a motor driven plant is required.

water taken from the bay is usually dows. Their names are: satisfactory, both with respect to the turbid in windy weather and for a France. week or so in the hottest part of the due to tastes and odors.

"The possibility of improving the supply by an infiltration system on Battery, 9th Brigade, C.F.A., now in Zwick's Island has been under con- France sideration for some time. This isand is said to be a sand and gravel tery, 9th Brigade, France lying rock. It is elleged that there C.E.F. are springs in the bottom of the bay | Plight Lieut. Harold Reid, Royal around the end of the intake. The Naval Flying Corps, Eng. dirty when drawn from dead ends or lery. hydrants. Algae or other aquatic vegetation collects in the standpipe numbered 4500 copies. This will be regular intervals. We may say that casion demands. considering the source of the supply is surprising that the sanitary quality of the water has been so

uniformly good. We believe that filtration is inevitable unless the infiltration scheme proves a success. We are frankly without much faith in this scheme, but the conditions as described to us appear unusually favorable, and we therefore think it is worth while trying out.

"The whole question should be settled now as to whether the supply is to be taken from the bay of the island. It should also be decided whether or not filters will eventually be required with either source and if so of what type they will be.

matter up with the Provincial Board After the meeting there will in all business to buy the Taylor property, be stunted in its growth. It is a mer of Health. If they approve of the probability be a shoot. The annual even if no buildings were put on the ciful act to rid it of these destructive tests on the island, they have the meeting will bring to Belleville about school grounds. facilities for making the necessary fifty visitors.

bacteriological and chemical anal-WILL TAKE UP way of determining what improve-ment is effected in the water by natural filtration. These analyses should include samples of the present sup-Report on Installation of Elec- ply as well as of the bay water and Board of Education Asks Prinwater from the island, to find out whether or not springs do actually

"The fact that the existing intake will not at low water supply a suffi-The report of Messrs R.S. and W.S. cient quantity for the new pumps in Lea, of Montreal, who have forward- itself forces a decision as to the ed to the city a report on the pro- zwick's Island scheme. The top of

Electric report was for the install- The report suggests means of in- Baily, Woodley, Reid, Ketcheson, Col. Ponton asked that his notice today. gasoline pump. "The equipment at a lower level after it leaves the Pascoe, and Elliott.

capacity provided, the number of ing the equipment until a decision is "The lower grading in physical was again left over as a notice. units adopted and their relative reached with respect to the source culture is the fault of the Board, Mr. A. E. Thrasher was appointed sizes or the standby equipment avail- of supply or the treatment it may in not of the teachers." There is ab-examiner for the coming June examable in the event of failure of the the future require. These pumps solutely nothing, in the nature of inations. Electric Power. will suit any scheme." equipment. "The Principal and his Mr. Sn

Monthly Publication to be Is sued by the Ritchie Company.

propriately named "Store News" and tion as soon as conditions would per- to furnish an appropriate estimate "With regard to the matter of is a production greatly to the credit mit a move in the direction of new of the number of acres required, and

cupy the leading position among en- was requested and granted. "When Belleville is completely terprises of their kind in Central

> that price always rigidly main- istration of 1489 pupils. tained. But one standard of qualupt and courteous atten-

tion. On the last page is the "Honor ing the citizens. Roll," showing the names of seven Country. Their photos are now on consideration. Another property, if tainment called a "Birthday Party."

dians. France.

The first edition of "Store News" and has to be removed at increased from time to time as oc-

RIFLE CLUB

The Belleville Rifle Club held shoot last evening with the following

scores: C. J. Symons 99 J. C. Wills 97 A. R. Symons 96

G. Brown 96 A. Edwards 96

H. Hall 95 J. Woodley 93 W. J. Andrews 91

TRENT VALLEY LEAGUE

in fact the proper thing to do is to Trent Valley Trapshooters' League delay the purchase. "I don't want mother who allows her children to decide on the location and arrange- will be held in Belleville on Good Fri- to see the High School moved and suffer from the ravages of worms in ment of the filter plant before any day, April 6th. Four outside Clubs two-thirds of the citizens hold the unwise and culpably careless. A inyout is adopted for the new pumps, will be represented, Peterborough, same view."

"We would advise your taking this Cobourg, Port Hope and Stirling. Mr. McCreary said it was good worms is always unbealthy and will

cipals to Furnish Data of suitable for a collegiste. Scholars Willing to Work Land in the City.

(From Saturday's Daily)

The Board of Education met last The Board decided to purchase lory, (chairman) McCreary, Sneyd, sum,

recommended," says Mr. Lea, "meets bay or by the use of an elbow if the Inspector J. A. Houston's report on pital for Canadian wounded be left with the approval of the Under- present land line is airtight. These the High School, was read. It show- as a notice of motion, because their writers Association and we see no at best would however be only temp- ed that the attendance is: boys 124; [arrival has been delayed owing to girls 179; -total 303. Discipline is the submarine menace.

> equipment. "The Principal and his Mr. Sneyd said he had visited the pansion. This department should be produce from the seeds. one of the strong features of a Col. Ponton moved, seconded by

commission's Engineers as we under-black and green, with plentiful il-thought the report should be a con-spective school districts for this purstand them. We consider that the lustrations and a most attractive sidered a matter for congratulation. pose, and to report to a special comon system may be too high if a head The primary purpose of "Store report, but desired to impress upon att, with a view of concerted and orof 350 feet is adopted as the max- News." is to give to its readers some teachers and scholars the absolute ganized action in co-operation with imum for fire pressure. We have idea of the different lines of goods need for a sound knowledge of the th's Board, and that this Board do

icipation of unusual working pres connected with members of the staff was generally satisfactory, although be done by the pupils during the not understood, because the inspect- motion carried. which was installed some years ago The editorial announcement enunrate the exceptionally high water to a large extent for the fact that proficiency to Queen Alexandra no battalion had been using the consumption is not reassuring in the Ritchie stores have come to oc- School. The permission of the Board school building since the 155th.

Inspector Clarke's report for the public schools showed an average But one price for an article and daily attendance of 1292 on a reg-

The need for gardening in these ity—the best of its kind for the days to increase production, and the asking price. But one method of describing goods—plain, honest, ical, moral, and spiritual life of the full-fledged facts. But one way of child were urged by the inspector. dealing with the customer-giv- There is an immense amount of vaccant land in the city which, if cultivated, would go a long way in feed-

The Deputy Minister of Education acres necessary for a collegiate, and ed. In a prominent position

Signaller D. A. Montgomery, 80th offer to tune the school pianos (four sumed to be older, than 25 years. summer, is somewhat disagreeable Battalion, now with the 44th Cana- in number) twice a year for four Twelve tables were arranged upon dollars each piano. The Board de each of which was placed decora-

ing permission for West Belleville possible to describe the various de-Driver Percy G. Palmer, 33rd Bat- ladies engaged in Red Cross work to corations. January table had a silper week.

The request was granted.

cussion. There seemed uniformity which depended icicles, August,man and Murney-were 5554 resi- taelbs, February, Valentine day, dents, almost half the population. April, Easter lilies and chicks. Murney Ward has nearly 2500; Cole- The musical program was of man 1600; and Bleeker 1500. These very high character. Mr. Hunt people who would have to vote on presided at the plane. Mrs. Singer the expenditure of \$100,000 for a Mrs. Duff, Mrs Grant were in excelcollegiate, would certainly not vote lent voice and charmed the audience to send their children one and a Mr. Clark and Mr. Yott sang two half miles to a collegiate, planted fine songs. Miss Young and Miss away in East Belleville. If the Tay-Stocker rendered readings most suclor lot could be secured reasonably cessfully. After a few excellent re-

it would be a good purchase. Mra. McGie said the School Board evening came to a close, all feeling had real estate "to burn." In one happy. and the same time we are told to practise economy and the Board is eager to spend.

were needed for a new public school. "The place for the High School is

in Murney Ward. The residents of Mr. Fred Duesberry and family East Belleville do not want the desire to thank their many friends school on the Bridge St. play- for sympathy and kindness extended grounds." Four thousand dollars during their recent sudden and sad would be sufficient for the Taylor bereavement. property. The present site is not

Col. Ponton opposed delay. \$3,600 was in the bank to the Board's only a small expenditure to the city arrived home. He saw service in after this amount was used.

posed new pumping plant was read the 20 inch pipe in the intake well evening in regular session. The the Taylor property immediately if by Alderman Deacon at the water- is only two feet below low water in members present were Messrs. Mal- it can be secured for a reasonable fined to the house with a severe at-

ation of three Electric pumps and a creasing the capacity by a new line Ponton, McGie, Ackerman, Moore, of motion re turning over a school building to the military for a hos-

Mr. O'Flynn's notice of motion

staff are doing good, faithful work, three public schools during the past though in many ways teachers and few weeks, and urged the need of pupils are struggling against adverse cultivating back yards. The childconditions. The commercial depart- ren all seemed delighted with the ment cannot be what it should be idea. He had thrown out the sugwith the present arrangement, and gestion that \$25 be donated by the there appears to be no room for ex- Board for prizes in the autumn, for

had the pleasure of discussing con-respective schools with a view of as-your Glasses Toric today. Alexander We welcome to the journalistic ditions with the Chairman and a certaining the number of pupils who Ray, Belleville's Eye-Sight Specialis the number of acres of vacant land Col. Ponton was pleased with the mittee of the Board with power to

Auspices of Ladies' Aid Last

(From Saturday's Daily) The Ladies' Aid Society of Bridge A completely fireproof building to young men from the staff who have wrote stating that the proposition re Street, presented last evening a tendered their services to King and the High School site was still under unique and most delightful enter-"According to our information, the display in the Ritchie Company win-purchased, would round out the three The room was appropriately decorat-Gunner William Patterson, 1st the Deputy Minister of Education placed a large cake, upon which 25 quality and its appearance. It is Canadian Artillery Brigade, now in felt certain of its being satisfactory, candles were placed, signifying the Mr. W. J. McCullough made an ages of the guests. No one was pre-Gunner Vernon Doolittle, 33rd cided to accept the offer. tions suitable for the month, the Mrs. Hurst, Dunbar St., wrote ask- table represented. It would be imoccupy the assembly room in the ver stork and a tiny baby, representeposit 25 or 30 feet in depth over- Pte. Roy Buck, 155th Battalion, Queen Mary School one afternoon ing the first month. The stork was from a Japanese temple. March of course, had the beautiful Shamrock. The Board decided that Mr. B. July, Dominion day; June, garlands water mains are said to be quite Lieut. Douglas Reid, in training Mallory and Mr. F. S. Deacon be of roses; May the May pole; Sepclear, but the water is frequently at Kingston, Canadian Field Artil-delegates to the meeting of the Ed-tember a school house and children ational Association, in April. November, beautiful maple leaves The problem of the site of the pro- with their autumnal tints. December, posed collegiate again aroused dis- Father Christmas, evergreens from of opinion. Col. Ponton said that sheaves of golden grain, October a in the three wards-Bleecker, Cole-shock of corn, and various vege-

marks from the pastor, Dr. Scott, the

.With so thorough a preparation The fourth annual meeting of the Mr. Bailey thought it unwise to hand as Miller's Worm Powders the paarsies, especially when it can be Mr. C. M. Reid said the grounds done without dimenty

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Mr. P. P. Dovle who has been cor tack of bronchitis is much improved



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