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FORTY-FIFTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1916

PROBS: Wednesday—Moderately warm. ONE CENT

**French and Huns Claim Successes at Verdun
84th Battalion Left This Morning For Toronto
Steamer Kirby Goes Down on Lake Superior**

**THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE
GATHERED TO SEE THE
84TH LEAVE THE CITY**

**Civic Farewell Given at the Gore, and
Lt.-Col. Stewart Thanked Brantford
For Its Hospitality During Winter.**

AU REVOIR; NOT GOOD-BYE

The 84th Battalion left for Toronto this morning. Thousands upon thousands of people were out and assembled, first at the Gore opposite the armories where a civic farewell was held, then down on South Market street, and at the station. The 10th and 21st battalions turned out and marched to the station, while the bands of the 84th and the 15th entertained the occasion with martial

A CIVIC FAREWELL.
At 9 o'clock the battalion lined up on the Gore opposite the armories, surrounded by enthusiastic crowds of friends and relatives, the time awaiting the arrival of the civic officials being spent in singing patriotic and other songs. "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "Good Luck to the Boys of the Allies," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," and others. Shortly after the civic officials arrived on the scene, they being Mayor Bowlby, ex-Mayor Spence, Ald. Dowling, Bragg, Freeborn, Harp, Hess, Wiley. The other members of the City Council could not be summoned at such short notice. The company commanders and other officers then took command of their various units, and the entire battalion stood at attention, as Lt.-Col. Stewart addressed them in ringing tones:

THANKED THE CITY.
"Men of the 84th Battalion, I know that you feel, as I do, that we cannot leave the city of Brantford, without paying tribute to the council and the people of the city who have treated us in such splendid manner during our sojourn here. I hope, Mr. Mayor, that you will accept from me, on behalf of the entire battalion, our best wishes, and the assurance that

we will always remember the pleasant time spent by us in Brantford."

MAYOR BOWLBY.
"Men of the 84th," said Mayor Bowlby, who then spoke briefly, "I am sure it is a great pleasure for all to see such a fine body of men as those now before us. On behalf of the citizens of Brantford, I desire to give you a hearty send off. May every man make a record for himself to be proud of, and be received back home with a fitting reception. Do as the Canadians have already done; do your part in making the Huns beware of Canadians. Every man of you goes to uphold the honor of his king and country. I trust that it will be my pleasure to welcome many of you back from the trenches. I bid you, one and all, a hearty farewell."

Loud cheers came from the entire battalion and the spectators at Mayor Bowlby's words, following which ex-Mayor Spence spoke briefly.

EX-MAYOR SPENCE.
"Lt.-Col. Stewart, officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 84th Battalion, it was, indeed, a great pleasure for me to welcome you to the city upon your arrival last November. At that time I predicted that when the day came for us to say farewell, every citizen of Brantford would grieve to know that you must leave us. This feeling of regret is natural; we have appreciated the manner in which the 84th Battalion conducted itself while in our city, and I feel it is safe to say that no community in the Dominion has had so well behaved troops quartered, as has

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**Australian and New Zealand
Troops are Now in France**

Under Command of General Birdwood, Who Led Them at Gallipoli—Men Landed at Marseilles, Their Transports in All Cases Avoiding the Subs.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—The Australian and New Zealand troops who have taken over a portion of the fighting line on the British front in France are under the command of General William Riddel Birdwood, who was the leader of the colonials in Gallipoli campaign. The last detachment of the Australians left Alexandria on March 31 and were transported across the Mediterranean to prepared bases

at Marseilles and Havre without a single mishap. Several times the transports were warned of submarines laying in wait for them, but they managed to avoid their undersea enemies.

The New Zealanders followed the Australians to France and the colonials took their places on the firing line without delay. The first day that they occupied the trenches the Germans hoisted a banner on which was written "Welcome Australians."

HOW AN ESSEX (ENGLAND) VILLAGE WAS SAVED FROM RUIN



Burnham-on-crouch, which depended on yachting men, was faced with ruin as the result of the war, until Lieut. Reginald Tyrrell of the Guards and Mr. Warwick Brooks, M.P.P., opened a factory. Now everyone is making useful articles. Upper picture shows girls making flags. Lower picture, grandfather and grand-daughter making horse rugs.

**STEAMER KIRBY
SINKS; TWENTY
PEOPLE DROWNED**

Furious Storm on Lake Superior Broke Boat in Two.

**STOKER FLOATED
IN TO SHORE**

By Special Wire to the Courier.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 9.—Twenty persons are believed to have been drowned when the steamer S. R. Kirby, of the Northwestern Transportation Company of Detroit and Cleveland, broke in two during a storm on Lake Superior yesterday and sank. The disaster occurred four miles off Eagle River, Mich.

Otto Lindquist, a stoker on the Kirby, was picked up from floating wreckage yesterday afternoon by sailors on the steamer Joseph Block. When brought here to-day, Lindquist declared he saw the Kirby sink and that, so far as he knew, he was the only survivor. The Kirby was commanded by Captain David Girardin, Jr., of Detroit. The officers and crew totaled 22 persons. It was reported here that the mate of the Kirby was rescued by the steamer Harry Berwind, bound for Duluth.

The barge Hartwell, which the Kirby was towing, broke loose and was picked up by the steamer E. H. Utley, which towed her to shelter behind Keyweenaw Point.
The Kirby left Ashland Sunday evening, ore laden, for Cleveland. She ran into a terrific gale on Lake Superior early yesterday. According to Lindquist, the steamer made for Keyweenaw Bay, but the storm increased in violence, and at about 10:45 o'clock yesterday morning she broke in two. Lindquist was thrown into the water and clambered onto floating debris.

**LINER CYMRIC
SANK AT THREE
THIS MORNING**

White Star Liner Victim of a Hostile Submarine.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—Lloyds report that the White Star liner Cymric sank at three o'clock this morning. All on board were saved.

London dispatches yesterday said the 13,000 ton steamship Cymric had been torpedoed by a German submarine. A message from Queenstown last night said the vessel, torpedoed at four Monday afternoon, was still afloat.

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**ASSAULT ON HILL 304
BEATEN BACK EARLY
TO-DAY BY FRENCH**

French Forces Counter-Attacked East of the Meuse and Drove Huns Back From Positions They Took Recently.

VALUE OF MACHINE GUNS

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Paris, May 9.—After a violent bombardment of the French positions on Hill 304 on the Verdun front, the Germans attempted an advance at 3 o'clock this morning. The war office announces this afternoon that the attack was repulsed completely. French counter-attacks east of the Meuse drove the Germans from certain positions they had captured. The positions recaptured by the French consisted of some parts of the trenches northwest of Thiaumont. An intense bombardment was conducted by the Germans in the sectors of Eix and Chatillon and between Douaumont and Vaux.

There was grenade fighting at Apremont and in the valley of the Foch. South of Autrech, near Soissons, the Germans attempted an attack, but were repulsed.

At Bolante, in the Argonne, the French captured two small German posts, killing all the occupants. Elsewhere on the front there were no important developments.
The latest assaults of the Germans on the defenses of Verdun have served to demonstrate the high pitch of efficiency to which the French have brought the use of the machine gun. The French front line trenches are being defended by machine guns, but comparatively few men to serve them, and with the addition of new automatic rifles, two of which are equivalent to one machine gun.

The 48-hour preliminary bombardment of the Germans is described

by eye-witnesses as more severe than anything which has hitherto been experienced and it is remarked that the Germans were justified in believing no human being could have lived in the zone subjected to this bombardment. Nevertheless the French are such adepts at constructing underground shelters that when the German infantry stepped from the trenches scores of well placed machine guns opened concentrated fire, thinning the ranks of the attackers before the advance was fairly begun. French officers state that the losses of the Germans in proportion to the number engaged, were as great as in any other action of the war. It is said that a Prussian division which was engaged on Sunday on the Haudeumont wood, Thiaumont farm, Douaumont fort line, lost more than 50 per cent. of its effectives.

NOT ENDED YET.
This battle shows every sign of continuing. Artillery preparation now proceeding forebodes fresh attacks on both banks of the Meuse. The fighting might even be extended to the Woevre plateau, as the German artillery was redoubling its fire there last night.
It is generally believed here that the Germans have transferred considerable forces to Verdun both from other sections of the western front and from the Russian front. It is noted that since the present offensive began on Thursday, the Germans have not renewed attacks such as were made in the preceding week on other parts of the western line, especially those held by the British.

**Four Troopships Carrying
Over 14,000 Canadians are
Landed Safely in England**

Eleven Battalions, Supply Column, Cyclists, Drafts For C.M.R. and For Artillery, Pioneer Battalion and Nursing Sisters Included.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
Ottawa, Ont., May 9.—It is officially announced through the chief press censor's office that four troopships, which sailed from Canada late in April, have arrived safely in England. They conveyed the following troops:

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|-------------------------------------|--------|----|
| Draft army service corps | 1 | 80 |
| Draft Lord Strathcona's Horse | 1 | 70 |
| Draft Ft. Garry Horse | 1 | 75 |
| Draft cavalry | 1 | 70 |
| Draft medical corps | 1 | 50 |
| Nursing sisters for army | 8 | |
| Naval rating | 85 | |
| Details (all ranks) | 130 | |
| Total, all ranks | 14,504 | |

Mrs. W. H. Whitaker received a cable this morning from her nephews who are in the 55th battery, saying that they arrived in Folkestone, Eng. on Friday, May 5th.

GERMAN GAINS.
BERLIN, May 9, via London.—The capture of several French trenches on the Verdun front south of Haucourt was announced by the war office to-day.

**Casualties Among Troops
in Irish Revolt are 521**

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—The casualties in Dublin in the recent uprising were 124 killed, 388 wounded and 9 missing, a total of 521 among His Majesty's troops and the Royal Irish Constabulary, Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons to-day. The casualties were divided as follows:

Army officers 17 killed, 46 wounded; other ranks, 86 killed, 311 wounded, 9 missing.
Royal Irish Constabulary, 12 killed, 23 wounded.
Dublin Metropolitan police, 3 killed, 3 wounded.
Royal Navy, 1 killed, 2 wounded.
Royal volunteers, 5 killed, 3 wounded.

COURIER'S DAILY CARTOON



HE: "Extraordinary difference a uniform makes."
SHE: "Oh, I don't know, Samuel, I could pick you out any-where." —Passing Show.

**"THERE SPOKE AMERICA" SAYS
NEW-YORK TIMES ON WILSON'S
LATEST NOTE TO GERMANY**

**American Press Appears to be Satisfied
With Tenor of Tone of Latest Dis-
patch From Washington to Berlin.**

By Special Wire to the Courier.
New York, May 9.—In editorially commenting on President Wilson's reply to the German submarine note under the heading: "There spoke America," The New York Times says: "The people of the United States hear their own voice and read their own thought in the note that went from Washington to Berlin yesterday. It commands admiration as to the just and perfect answer to Germany's word that came to us in such questionable shape. It is a model in form, in tone, in brevity. No commendation of it would be misapplied, nor could any praise surpass its merit."

THE NEW YORK WORLD.
The New York World says: "By his answer the President has taken all the bargain and barter out of the German note, and made the continuance of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany dependent wholly upon the manner in which Germany carries out the new orders that have been issued to submarine commanders. This is as it should be. The great majority of the American people do not want war with Germany. They do not want to suspend diplomatic relations with Germany. All they ask is that Germany keeps its pledge."

Philadelphia Enquirer:
Another murder of an American citizen would bring about a suspension of diplomatic relations. The subject of the submarine dispute, and since the United States Government long ago made its position plain in this

the new orders to her naval commanders. We accept her declaration that the old lawless practices have been abandoned, and we say to her that we shall "rely upon a scrupulous execution henceforth of the now altered policy of the imperial German government."
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MARKETS

BRANTFORD MARKETS.

| FRUIT | | VEGETABLES | |
|--------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Apples, bag | 1.00 to 0.00 | Asparagus, 3 bunches | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Apples, basket | 0.35 to 0.40 | Pumpkins | 0.05 to 0.20 |
| Oranges | 0.25 to 0.00 | Beets, basket | 0.30 to 0.00 |
| Pears | 0.25 to 0.00 | Radishes, bunches | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Strawberries | 0.25 to 0.00 | Watermelons, baskets | 0.35 to 0.00 |
| Peppers, basket | 0.25 to 0.00 | Onions, bushel | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Onions, bushel | 0.25 to 0.00 | Potatoes, bag | 1.15 to 0.00 |
| Potatoes, bag | 1.15 to 0.00 | Parsons, basket | 0.30 to 0.00 |
| Parsons, basket | 0.30 to 0.00 | Cabbage, doz. | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Cabbage, doz. | 0.15 to 0.00 | Celery, 2 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Celery, 2 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 | Carrots, basket | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Carrots, basket | 0.20 to 0.00 | Turnips, bushel | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Turnips, bushel | 0.20 to 0.00 | Parley, bunch | 0.05 to 0.00 |
| Parley, bunch | 0.05 to 0.00 | Colery, 2 bunches | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Colery, 2 bunches | 0.15 to 0.00 | Lettuce, 2 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Lettuce, 2 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 | Bananas, 3 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Bananas, 3 bunches | 0.10 to 0.00 | | |

DAIRY PRODUCTS

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|---------------------|--------------|
| Cheese, swiss, lb. | 0.38 to 0.20 |
| Do., old, lb. | 0.30 to 0.20 |
| Hogher section, lb. | 0.30 to 0.00 |
| Butter, per lb. | 0.34 to 0.22 |
| Do., creamery, lb. | 0.34 to 0.22 |
| Eggs, dozen | 0.21 to 0.22 |

MEATS

| | |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Ducks, each | 1.00 to 1.10 |
| Turkeys, lb. | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Geese | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Best roasts | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Do. stibon, lb. | 0.18 to 0.25 |
| Do. boiling | 0.18 to 0.00 |
| Steak, round, lb. | 0.18 to 0.00 |
| Do. ribs | 0.18 to 0.00 |
| Shoulders, lb. | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Do. boiled, lb. | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Ham, hindquarter | 2.00 to 0.00 |
| Do. hind leg | 2.00 to 0.00 |
| Pork, lb. | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Streak, lb. | 0.15 to 0.18 |
| Mutton, lb. | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Best hams, each | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Kidneys, lb. | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Pork, fresh loins, lb. | 0.16 to 0.18 |
| Pork chops, lb. | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Dry salt pork, lb. | 0.20 to 0.00 |
| Spare ribs, lb. | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Chickens, pair | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Bacon, back, lb. | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Sausage, lb. | 0.18 to 0.00 |

FISH

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| Fresh Herring, lb. | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Smelt, lb. | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Peach, lb. | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Clupea, lb. | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Whitfish, lb. | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Salmon trout, lb. | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Haddock, lb. | 0.15 to 0.00 |
| Herring, large, each | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Do. three | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Do. small, doz. | 0.25 to 0.00 |
| Yellow perch, lb. | 0.12 to 0.00 |
| Silver hake | 0.10 to 0.00 |
| Hay, ton | 15.00 to 15.00 |

TORONTO MARKET
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Toronto, May 9.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards to-day were 861 cattle, 634 calves, 768 hogs, 41 sheep.
Trade was active and prices firm.
Export cattle, choice \$9.00 to \$9.25; butcher cattle, choice \$8.50 to \$8.75; medium, \$8.00 to \$8.25; common, \$7.75 to \$7.90; butcher cows, choice \$7.00 to \$7.25; medium \$6.50 to \$7.00; canners \$4.00 to \$4.75; bulls \$5.00 to \$5.50; feeding steers, \$7.75 to \$8.25; stockers, choice \$7.00 to \$7.25; light, \$7.00 to \$7.25; milkers, choice, each, \$80 to \$105; springers \$60 to \$105; sheep ewes \$9.00 to \$10.50; bucks and culls \$7.00 to \$8.00; lambs, \$10.00 to \$13.50; hogs, fed and watered \$11.40; calves \$7.00 to \$10.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
Chicago, May 9.—Cattle, receipts, 4,000; market steady; native beef steers \$7.75 to \$8.25; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$8.40; cows and heifers \$4.25 to \$9.35; calves \$6.25 to \$9.50; hogs, receipts 14,000; market, slow; light \$9.30 to \$9.95; mixed \$9.45 to \$9.80; heavy \$9.40 to \$9.85; rough \$9.40 to \$9.75; pigs \$7.25 to \$9.00; bulk of sales \$9.70 to \$9.85; sheep, receipts 9,000; market strong; native wethers \$6.30 to \$9.30; spring lambs, \$10.00 to \$13.00; lambs, native \$7.75 to \$11.75.

EAST BUFFALO.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
East Buffalo, N. Y., May 9.—Cattle receipts 125; active and steady.
Veals—Receipts 250; active, \$4.50 to \$11.25.
Hogs—Receipts 24,000; active; heavy \$10.20 to \$10.25; mixed, \$10.15 to \$10.20; yorkers, \$9.20 to \$10.20; pigs, \$9.10 to \$9.25; rough \$9.00 to \$9.15; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.50.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts 1,000; active; lambs, \$6.50 to \$10.30; others unchanged.

Tenders are invited for all privileges of catering for Mohawk Park, for the season of 1916, including:
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Chairman
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FOOD TROUBLES IN GERMANY

Minister of Interior's Rest Cure Probably Connected With Them.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—A Berlin official statement says that Clemens von Brock, minister of the interior and vice-chancellor, who recently resigned work after three weeks leave of absence on account of a furuncle, has not yet completely recovered and has therefore been obliged to discontinue work for the present.
Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent, commenting on this statement, says:
The prolongation of minister's rest cure is believed to be closely connected with the recent food troubles in Germany. The interior department of the interior is forcing the dealers in food stuffs to sell their stocks instead of withholding them for higher prices.
All the Berlin papers give a prominent place to long accounts of the disturbances over the shortage of food, especially to riots occurring before butcher shops where the police were frequently forced to interfere to protect the lives of the owners.

WOODBURY

(From our own Correspondent.)
Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of Cathcart and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lester of Burford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reid.
Messrs. T. and Brooks, building movers, also Messrs. Stephenson and Tunc, cement contractors, have started their season's work.
Another of our oldest residents passed away on Wednesday, May 8th in the person of Mrs. Barker, of the 2nd Concession, her husband, Mr. Jno. Barker, predeceasing her about two years ago. Mrs. Barker is survived by two sons and two daughters.—William on the homestead, John of Cathcart, Mrs. John Brooks of the 4th Concession and Mrs. A. Disher of Tansley.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Tunc and children were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Force.
Mrs. Elizabeth Sibbick of the 3rd Concession, Burford, is spending a couple of months with her daughter, Mrs. Jos. VanEvery here.
Robt. McKay and Miss Vera moved to Bright on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Radford visited on Sunday with the latter's brother, Mr. Wm. Brooks.
Mr. Roy Kennedy and family, of Tansley, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tunc.
The regular Sunday services in the Methodist church were conducted by a minister from Bright.
Mrs. Jas. Force is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Siple of Newark.
Mrs. A. Sibbick is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. George Force, of Newark.
Eight hundred New York University students cheered Major-General Wood when he urged them to join the preparedness camp.

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PHILIPPINES GIVE UP IDEA OF INDEPENDENCE

Self-Government Appeals to Them Now More Strongly.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Washington, May 9.—Manuel Quezon, Philippine commissioner, who has been urging Philippine independence, told President Wilson to-day that he and his followers had abandoned the idea of freedom in the near future, and hoped Congress would pass the House bill giving a greater share of self-government to the islands, but setting no date for independence.
Mr. Quezon urged the president to support the collection of funds upon the Clarke amendment proposed by the Senate, which would give independence by 1920. The whole question was discussed at length, and the president promised to consult with the Senate and House leaders.
Nothing but silver dollars were wanted on the collection plate, announced Edwardsville, Ill., pastor announced for a certain Sunday, and 1,155 were rung down on a table in front of the pulpit.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Application must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made if any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub Agency), on certain conditions.
If the homestead is to be in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A homestead holder is required to erect a residence in the vicinity of the homestead. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$200 per acre.
Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$200.
The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of tough scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.
W. W. COBT, C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

SIR ROGER'S TRIAL WILL BE PUBLIC

Judges of High Court and a Jury Will Dispose of Him.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—The trial of Sir Roger Casement for high treason in connection with the Sinn Fein rebellion will be public. The first hearing will be in Bow street police court to-morrow when a formal charge will be made before a police magistrate. The real trial will be held later before a panel of the judges of the high court of justice and a jury.
It is understood that Sir Roger intends to conduct his own defence. The crown prosecutors have completed their case.
Lewis Harcourt has declined to succeed Augustine Birrell as chief secretary for Ireland, giving ill-health as his reason. The choice for Birrell's successor is now believed to rest between Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary of war; Col. Sir Mark Sykes, member of parliament for Hull and Brigadier-General John Edward Bernard Seely, former Minister of War.

GERMANY IS READY TO CLIMB DOWN ON CLAIMS

Does Not Want So Much Now as the Price of Peace.

MUST HAVE COURLAND
By Special wire to the Courier.
London, May 9.—The Rotterdam correspondent of The Daily Telegraph in announcing that the Germans have already issued new orders to the commanders of German submarines, in accordance with the concessions set forth in the reply to the American note, appends a long statement concerning Germany's attitude toward peace, which he says is based on information received from Berlin. He declares that Germany is now willing to give up absolutely any claim on France and Belgium, including even demands for military and economic guarantees of which Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg has spoken in the past.
"In the east," the correspondent adds, "Germany's ambitions remain the same, with the possible exception of autonomy for Poland. Germany will insist on retaining Courland."

High Finance

Hamilton Man, With Chicago Magnate, Gets Control of Big Industries.

By Special Wire to the Courier.
Hamilton, Ont., May 8.—A. B. MacKay, of this city, and a prominent Chicago financier are said to have secured control of the Montreal Transportation Company, the Nova Scotia Steel Company holding the balance of the stock. Mr. MacKay's investment is understood to represent about half a million dollars.

Wood's Peppermint Cure

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Accepts Part of German Reply, But Repudiates the Rest.

Washington, May 9.—President Wilson yesterday sent a note to the German Government, accepting its declaration of abandonment of illegal submarine warfare and rejecting the suggestion that the United States regard this abandonment as conditional upon Great Britain's action with respect to the blockade. The note is courteous in tone, but firm and definite. It is intended to remove all doubt on the part of the Imperial Government as to the position the United States has taken.
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125th Battalion Have Men Practising There Every Day.

A hearty invitation is extended to any citizen of Brantford who desire to do so, to pay a visit to the scene of the trench work being done by the 125th battalion just back of the old Mohawk Church. An officer and a company will be on hand there each afternoon this week, and all desirous of availing themselves of the opportunity of seeing something of the most interesting branch of warfare should lose no time in paying a visit to the spot. The trenches are exactly the same as those dug in France. Next week the excavations will be filled in once more. The battalion band and the headquarters detail were engaged in the work yesterday, while E. Company, including the Paris quad, is digging hard shooting there to-day. Visitors will be courteously received any afternoon this week.
A truly excellent showing was made by the class of N.C.O.'s and men from the 125th battalion who attended the school of bombing at Hamilton last week. Classes from four battalions were in attendance, and the results of the examinations were as follows: 98th Batt., 20 men, passed; 114th (Brook's Rangers) 20 men, 3 passed; 120th (Hamilton) Batt., 20 men, 10 passed; 124th (Brant) Batt., 20 men, 15 passed. The 24th thus heads the list, with a percentage of 75 per cent of its men having passed. Forty marks were obtainable at the examination, and 30 were required for a pass.

Bull at Large.

Toronto, May 9.—A thoroughbred leading Holstein bull, consigned by Greens from St. George, Ont., to St. Yacincite, caused some excitement at the Union Station last night when he managed to escape from a crate in which it was consigned, and started upon the long station platform on a voyage of discovery. The bull was quickly re-captured and re-confined, and then for safety taken to the eighth sheds where it passed the night.
Counsel for the British Consul-General in New York will ask for immediate extradition of Ignatius T. Nicol, alleged German spy, to England.

Louise Grassler, in Omar, the Tentmaker, Grand Opera House, Friday, May 19th.

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A Popular Elevation.

The elevation to the peerage at the ripe age of 75, of the Rt. Hon. Henry Chaplin, M.P., for Wimbledon for the last nine years, is one of the most popular acts in the reign of King George, and it places in the House of Lords a representative of the "landed gentry," whose lineage is more ancient and honorable than many of the men who have had seats awarded them there during the last few decades. Mr. Chaplin, under the affectionate nickname of "The Squire" has been known in every household as an English gentleman, straightforward, blunt and bluff, typical of the old school. A farmer, who had been personally acquainted with his tenant and his laborers, sharing their joys and sorrows, watching with them the growth of the crops and devising for their benefit the best channels for marketing the produce, he has been a farmer among farmers, respected and venerated.

As a sportsman he knows more about horse racing than, perhaps, any other man in the country. He believes in the race course as an economic adjunct to the breeding stable, but he enjoys a horse race to-day with the enthusiasm of a boy at his first circus. "The Squire's" presence at any race course made the assemblage more complete, from the sportsman's point of view, than could be given to it by the Sovereign, or a brace of dukes.

Mr. Chaplin was president of the board of agriculture from 1886 to 1893; president of the local government board from 1895 to 1900; member of the royal commission on agriculture from 1881 to 1893; member of the royal commission on horse breeding in 1887. After the South African war he was a member of the royal commission which sought to solve the problems of the supply of food and raw material in time of war, and since August, 1914, he has been the guiding genius of the nation's plans to meet the same fundamental question.

He stoutly maintains the necessity for the continuation of racing during the war, for the sake of the thoroughbred horses, so valuable to the remount department, and he, as a member of the Jockey Club since 1884, and the winner of the Derby in 1867, took a stand against the governors of the Jockey Club when they yielded to pressure from the cabinet and called off the big racing fixtures.

Mr. Chaplin married the daughter of the third Duke of Sutherland, a brilliant match, which, however, did not make people forget his first engagement to a lady of high social position and great beauty. Their marriage day was close at hand when the two made a shopping tour in the West End. Entering a fashionable shop, the lady, under pretext of visiting a different department, slipped out a side entrance and eloped with a well known peer.

Two years later Chaplin won the Derby with a horse of his, which was regarded as a "rank outsider" and stood at 60 to 1 against in the betting. The peer, who eloped with his first sweetheart, had all his money on the favorite, beaten by Chaplin's entry, and said peer was ruined. The incident is known to British turf followers as Chaplin's unexpected revenge.

Canada's Railway Problem.

The Canadian Northern Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway are all the time coming to Ottawa for renewed financial aid. Both enterprises continually find themselves unable to make ends meet, and at the same time the collapse of either, or both would bring financial disaster to the Dominion in addition to causing irreparable damage to Canadian credit in the Old Land. In the House yesterday, Finance Minister White pointed out that the Dominion and the provinces had already guaranteed \$115,000,000 worth of bonds in connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific and \$211,000,000 worth in the case of the Canadian Northern, and he intimated that the government might eventually have to undertake the ownership of both systems, and, perhaps, nationalize all the railways of Canada.

This, of course, would be a tremendous order, but many are commencing to regard it as the only sensible solution. It is generally considered that government owned railways are liable to more or less graft, and largely subject in the manning of them, to political pull, instead of appointments on merit. This has in the years gone by been quite largely true of the Intercolonial. However, with such factors absolutely eliminated, and with a man, say of the calibre of Lord Shaughnessy at the helm, there does not seem to be any earthly reason why a business-like administration should not be maintained.

In the case of the G.T.P. and the C.N.R., they are both unquestionably far ahead of existing requirements and their operation cannot fail to result in large annual losses for many years to come. Even with this fact admitted, state control would seem to be the only common sense plan.

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FAREWELL OF REV. D. SOWERBY

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH VESTRY MEETING
 Mr. John Lilley Met With Accident Saturday Afternoon.

The funeral of Hannah Barker, relict of the late Wm. Elkington, took place this afternoon from the family residence, Oak Ave., and was largely attended by many sorrowing friends. The deceased, who was in her 66th year, had been ill for some time, and death came as a happy release. The late Mrs. Elkington was born near Paris, and for the past 30 years has resided on Oak Avenue. She was a staunch member of the Methodist church, and always took an active part in all its services when able. The service this afternoon was conducted by her esteemed pastor, Rev. Mr. Brandon, who spoke very feelingly of the deceased. One son, Clifford of Hamilton, and two brothers, Mr. Fletcher Barker of Medicine Hat, Alberta, and Mr. Wesley Barker, are left to mourn the loss of a loving mother and sister, and to them the sympathy of the community will be extended.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. John Lilley, Walnut St., met with a nasty accident. While out wheeling, he fell off his bicycle, striking his face and causing a deep cut which required several stitches to close.

On Sunday the 12th Battalion paraded to the Baptist church, when the Rev. Dr. Sowerby gave his farewell address to them. Dr. Sowerby preached a very powerful sermon to the men, and at the close of the service they were each presented with a new testament. The commanding officer, Lieut.-Col. Hutchie, accompanied by Colonel Cockshutt and the chaplain, Capt. Lavell, of Brantford, were also present. The chaplain gave a few remarks, and pointed out that we liked to read our books on military duties, etc. These he helped to prepare us to meet the great foe, but the Bible after all was the greatest book in the world. Honorary Lieut.-Col. Cockshutt spoke a few stirring words, congratulating the Paris boys on their splendid showing and fine discipline.

The Canadian branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society, are supplying testaments to all the Canadian soldiers, and this was the occasion for the presentation of the testaments.

Rev. Dr. Sowerby who has been here for the past six months will be very much missed by the men, as he always assisted with the services at the armories during the week, and during his short stay here had made many warm friends among them.

At the adjourned vestry meeting of St. James Church last night the following officers were appointed: People's Warden, W. H. Patterson; recorder, Lieut.-Col. Hutchie; vestry clerk, F. Blackhurst; sexton, Thomas Muirhead; auditors, J. Smiley and A. E. Finemore; sidesmen, A. White, E. Hayden and J. Sugden; delegates to the Synod, Messrs. H. Stroud and J. Smiley; alternates, A. E. Finemore and A. White. It was shown that St. James' church had the proud distinction of having some 100 of its members and adherents now in khaki, either at the front or in training. A roll of honor is being prepared.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Barker, who passed away in Burford Township, took place from her late residence to the Princeton cemetery. Mrs. Barker who was in her 82nd year, was well known to many in Paris and was an aunt of Mrs. Elkington whose funeral takes place in Paris to-day.

Miss Lottie Hicks has returned home after spending a few days at Dundas.

Mr. J. A. Neale, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., St. Catharines, has returned to his duties after spending a few days with his parents in town.

Miss M. Teifer and little niece, Elizabeth are visiting with relatives at Grimby.

Mrs. C. Patton and little son of Hamilton are visiting her mother, Mrs. T. McCosh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiley and children have returned to town, after spending the past three years at Long Beach, California.

Miss Lizzie Rowe has left on an extended trip to Calgary, Alta.

THERE SPOKE AMERICA

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regard, it was an impertinence on the part of Germany to lug it in. However, the President has seen fit to add to his list of a later word—a postscript if you please to call it such. Let us hope that this will be the final communication.

BOSTON'S VIEW.
 Boston, May 9—The Courier's Boston note to Germany is a diplomatic treading on egg shells. It takes many things for granted and displays unexampled faith or credulity in professing to believe once more that Germany means what she says.

United States marines landed at Domingo, as revolt started.

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THOUSANDS (Continued from Page 1)

the city of Brantford in the 8th Battalion. It affords me great pleasure to speak these few words of farewell to you on the occasion of your departure, and all of us echo the wishes extended to you for God-speed and a safe return.

THREE HEARTY CHEERS.
 Lieut.-Col. Stewart then called upon the battalion to express their esteem for the Mayor, the council and the citizens of Brantford, friends whom they would always remember with pleasant recollections, by removing their hats and giving three hearty cheers, which was done with a will, until the welkin rang. The parade, headed by the 12th and 21st Battalions, then commenced.

The route of parade was via Dalhousie street and Market street. The crowd left the gore and hurried up Colborne street to Market and South Market streets, from the top of the hill to the station was one black mass of humanity. A narrow strip of roadway in the centre was left for the soldiers to march through, the crowd pressing close on either side. The view of both soldiers and civilians from the top of the hill was especially magnificent.

The 12th led the parade, the 21st next, then came the 84th in full marching equipment. Near the station the preceding Battalions opened out forming a lane through which their brother battalion walked. The train was ready for them and no time was lost in getting aboard.

AT THE STATION.
 Tremendous as were the crowds which lined the streets along the route of the parade, they were as nothing beside the throng which had assembled at the station, when the battalion arrived there. Every available foot of space was occupied, and farewells were waved and exhortations shouted from the waiting room, from the platform, from adjacent shop windows and the roofs of freight cars on a siding nearby. The battalion promptly entrained, and waved goodbye once more through the car windows. Many and tender were the parting scenes that touched the heart-strings of all.

"Goodbye," whispered a red-eyed young wife to her stalwart warrior, leaning out of the car window.
 "No," he rejoined, "Don't say good-bye. It's only an revoir."

Then came the moment for departure, and amid the strains of "Auld Lang Syne," as played by the band of the 12th battalion, the train pulled slowly out. On the rear platform stood Lt.-Col. Stewart and other officers of the battalion, waving goodbye, until the train passed out of sight. But no, say what the soldiers said: "Not good-bye; it's only an revoir."

The court complimented the prowess of a Cleveland wife who gave her wayward husband a black eye and recommended a ball bat for the next round.

THE PARADE.

37th Annual Church Parade Canadian Order of Foresters

A NEW TREATY

Germany, Turkey and Bulgaria In, But Austria-Hungary Out.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, May 9—An Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that negotiations are now being concluded in Berlin for the inclusion of Bulgaria in a new treaty between Germany and Turkey. The treaty will be for a period of five years. Some surprise is expressed over the fact that Austria-Hungary is not a party to this convention.

Six negroes working in the chemical plant in Woburn, Mass., looked in a mirror, saw their skin and hair were turning yellow and resigned.

A white leghorn hen at Willington, Conn., celebrated her birthday by laying six eggs at one cackle. She had stopped laying a week ago.



All members of the above Order are requested to meet at 6:30 p.m. sharp on Sunday, 14th May, at the Court Rooms, Heyd Block, Dalhousie St.

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POLICE COURT
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BUILDING PERMIT
 A permit for the erection of a veranda, to cost \$27 has been issued by Building Inspector B. Mrs. Anna Carroll, 15 F. The work is to be done Taylor.

FAREWELL DANCE
 The officers of the 84th gave a very jolly farewell dance at Masonic Hall last evening. The orchestra supplied the music. Stewart and his honor in excellent style.

MILITIA ORDERS
 A copy of the headquarter militia orders, received morning by Lieut.-Col. H. H. ard, city clerk, contains the several local men to whom certificates have been granted. They are: Lieut. 12th Bn. R. Gundy, 21st (formerly 12th) and W. J. Colquhoun Hamilton Battalion. All through the Dufferin Rifles.

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 —No. 17—

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HIGH COURT The non-jury high court will be held before Chief Justice Britton on May 23.

VITAL STATISTICS A communication from the Department of the Provincial Registrar-General calls the attention of the city clerk to the vital statistics act...

WILL TAKE \$100 Wilkes & Henderson have written to the city council in the matter of the payment of Taylor & Bodley for plans drawn up for the new city hall.

WESLEY E. L. Wesley Epworth League was largely attended at the regularly weekly meeting last night.

BOARD OF HEALTH The collection of night soil in Brantford Township was amended at yesterday's meeting of the Township Board of Health...

RIVERDALE B.Y.P.U. The meeting of the Riverdale Baptist Young People was of unusual interest last night.

OFFICERS INSTALLED The Epworth League of Marlborough Street church held its weekly meeting last night.

JUNIOR LEAGUE OFFICERS The Junior League of Marlborough Street church was re-organized last night.

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Lingerie Cloth Nightgown, Empire style, trimmed with Baby Irish and Val. lace. Price \$2.00

Nainsook Nightgown, slipover style, with inset of embroidery outlined with wide insertion. Price \$2.50

Empire Style Nainsook Gown, deep yoke back and neck, also short sleeve made entirely of fine embroidery run with ribbon. Price \$2.75 to \$3.25

Bridal Cloth Nightgown, with deep yoke back and front of beautiful Val. lace, sleeve same lace, accordin pleated, wide band of ribbon below yoke, bow tied. Price \$4.50 and \$5.00



Hosiery

The most luxurious little bride-elect who ever planned a trousseau could imagine nothing more dainty than that which Dame Fashion has supplied for the present season.

Ladies' Glove Silk Hose, for the bride, in pure white, all sizes. Price \$1.50

White Silk Hose, embroidery clocks and fronts in floral design, also white silk with fancy drop stitches. Price \$1.50

Misses' Silk Hose, white or black, splendid wearing quality. Price 75c

White Radium Hose, wide garter top of fine lisle, all sizes. Price, \$2.00

Her Smart Travelling Suit A Host of Wonderfully Attractive Models

Misses' Suits in fine dice checks, chic style of coat, with yoke in back with box pleats, full ripple on sides, prettily trimmed with black taffeta and clusters of bullet buttons, skirt full ripple. Sale price \$12, \$13.50, \$15.00

Ladies' Check Suits, loose semi-style, with black and white patent belt, corded green, silk collar and pipings, full skirt with deep slack belt. Special price \$16.50

Stylish Serge Suits of Navy, Copenhagen, Black and Taupe, in four very smart mannish styles, convertible-roll collars, loose or belted backs. Others featuring extra full ripple coats, with leather or self belt; skirts wide flare with high waist line ornamented with self buttons. Price \$15.00

Ladies' or Misses' Suits, in medium shades of lawn, amure and poplin cloths, nobby style of coats, giving soft pleated back with ripple and all around belt; others showing lace semi-fit to waist line and ripple; full skirt with shirred back and separate belt, finished with buttons. Prices \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$22.50

Many exclusive styles too numerous to mention in all the best shades and finest grades of fabrics, no two alike. Prices \$22.50 to \$30.00

Everything That Is New in Embroideries

45 inch Embroidered Voile Flouncing for dainty dresses, in floral design and scalloped edge, some with small or large blind work. Prices, yard 75c to \$1.50

Beautiful Organdie Flouncing, 45 inches wide, in new patterns, for sheer dresses, with pretty square scalloped edge. Price, yard, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Voile and Organdie Edgings, 4 to 5 inches wide, for making dainty collars and cuffs, also suitable for trimming children's dresses, with very dainty design in blind or eyelet and square edge or hemstitched edge. Prices, yard 30c to 75c

27 inch Embroidered Voile, suitable for overdrape effects, in pretty shadow or fine pattern. Price, yard \$1.25

Embroidered Voile, 40 inches wide, for waists, in dotted or floral design, in plain white, pink or blue embroidered. Price, yard, \$1.00 to \$1.50

E. B. CROMPTON & CO. LIMITED

NEILL SHOE COMPANY Some of Our SATURDAY BARGAINS Men's Working Shoes, Regular \$1.85. Saturday \$1.68

Special Values in FURNITURE at PURSELS

DIVISION COURT His Honor Judge Hardy goes to St. George to hold division court tomorrow.

RAISED PRICE. Owing to the increased cost of provisions, many of the local restaurants have raised their prices five cents a meal.

FACTORY WHISTLES. The noise from factory whistles, especially in the morning, is a subject for complaint again. It is claimed by those who object, among whom are many women, that they really are unnecessary, as the men get to work by alarm clocks. One party threatens to bring the whole affair to the attention of Mayor Bowly.

ST. ANDREWS' GUILD. At the meeting last evening Mr. H. J. Banner occupied the chair. After the reading of the "Gazette" and the minutes of the last meeting Mr. A. Jull read the report of the Nominating Committee. Two excellent papers on "What Christ wants us to do" were given by Messrs. A. V. Sedgewick and Pte. A. Wallace.

ZION CHURCH GUILD. The Y. P. G. of Zion Church held its regular meeting last evening and was the final programme of the seasonal National Committee for the season. Mr. George Scott occupied the chair and called on Rev. G. A. Woodside, who gave a very interesting address on "The Love Story of Beethoven." Portraying the many phases of character of this great master and musical genius, Miss E. Burr played Beethoven's Sonata Opp. No. 2, and Miss Mary O'Grady played Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata, both of which were thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

COMMITTEE MET. The finance committee of the City Council met last night and transacted considerable routine business.

THE CASUALTY LIST. Pte. E. W. Cahill, 57 1-2 Winnett Street, died of wounds received in action. He was in hospital only a day. He was 22 years of age, enlisted in England, having been rejected here. He worked at the Massey-Harris Co. and was a member of Balfour street Presbyterian Church. Harry Shaw, who left Brantford with the 1st contingent, has been wounded.

C. O. T. C. Among the list of those who passed the recent Canadian Officers' Training Corps examinations appears the name of F. Halbus. Mr. Halbus was last year a teacher at the Collegiate Institute here. He is well known throughout Canada as an athlete, having won high honors at the Olympic games in Sweden.

SOLDIERS' SERVICE FUND. Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, the Special Citizens' Committee, having charge of the campaign for funds to support the splendid service of the Y.M.C.A. for Canada's soldiers, will call upon some three hundred Brantford citizens for their contributions. The National Council of the Y.M.C.A. has suggested \$5,000 as the minimum amount from this city and from the interest already shown, the committee hope that this sum will be greatly exceeded if not doubled. Be ready for the call with as generous a contribution as possible, for this work is vitally important and deserves a hearty response. If any are not seen by Thursday evening contributions can be sent to the Hon. Treas., Mr. H. W. Fitton, Canadian Bank of Commerce,

LINER CYMRIC (Continued from Page 1)

afloat and was proceeding to an Irish port. The Cymric left New York, April 29, with a large cargo of war munitions for Liverpool. She had been in service as a freighter for several weeks, and carried no passengers. Her crew numbered about 150 men, none of whom, so far as is known at the White Star office, were American. SANK THIS MORNING.

New York, May 9.—A message received at the White Star Line office here to-day from the office in London said that the Cymric sank at 3 a.m. This message concluded: "Believed crew saved."

SAVED MONEY. They not only were delighted with the quality of the Carpets, Rugs and Curtains they bought at Crompton's, but they said that they had such a light and beautiful place to see them in that they realized just how they would look at home and beside all this he said, they had saved money.

Winnipeg was visited on Sunday afternoon with the most severe wind-storm of recent years, estimated at 60 miles an hour. William Henry Brickman, who died at his home at Rednersville, aged 81, was for sixty years a member of the Orange Order.

COMING EVENTS THURSDAY AFTERNOON. Nursing at Home Class will unite this week with the evening class.

Y. W. C. A. Annual Meeting, open to all members, Friday, May 13th, at 4:15 p.m. in the reading room.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING of the Women's Patriotic League, will be held at the rooms in the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

LADY ABERDEEN will speak in Victoria Hall, Thursday, 3.30 on Organized Womanhood. All affiliated Local Council Societies, requested to be present. Every woman in Brantford cordially invited. Silver collection to defray expenses.

THE PROBS Toronto, May 9.—The disturbance which was centred north of Lake Superior yesterday has moved quickly eastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, causing light showers from Ontario to the Maritime provinces. In the west the weather has been generally fair. FORECASTS Moderate to fresh northwest winds, fair, Wednesday.—Moderate winds, fair and moderately warm. Sir George Posters announced arrangements for expansion of trade forecasted efforts to co-ordinate trade research.

Too Late for Classification

TO LET—Furnished house, desirable locality. Apply Room 16, Temple Building, Dalhousie St., Brantford. 126

LOST—Silver charm off fob. Reward at Courier. 120

FOR SALE—Heavy mare, 7 years old; good single or double. R. Gowman, 144 Sydenham St. a20

WANTED—Two good boys; make themselves generally useful; good wages. J. M. Young & Co. m147f

TO RENT—Frame cottage, garden, immediate possession, 199 Murray St. Apply 48 Sheridan St. 120

WANTED—Cook-general; good wages to competent person. Apply Mrs. Geo. Watt, 65 Dufferin Ave., between 7 and 8 p.m. 118

Pte. Logie, 26th Battalion, eldest son of W. S. Logie, M.P. has been wounded.

A great military demonstration is to be held in St. Thomas on May 24th. A. D. Weber, manager of the Kinmen Felt Co., Berlin, is dead, aged 42 years.

LOYD HARRIS CALLED TO GIVE HIS TESTIMONY

President of Russell Motor Car Co. Examined by Mr. Hellmuth.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Ottawa, May 9.—Mr. Lloyd Harris, president of the Russell Motor Car Company, was called and examined by Mr. Hellmuth.

He stated the Russell firm had most adequate facilities for fuse making and was in a good financial position.

MR. HARRIS' EVIDENCE. On April 30, he had heard from the firm of Janney, Steinutz and Company of Philadelphia, that the Shell Committee was looking for fuses.

On May 6, Mr. Harris had interviewed General Bertram and Colonel Carnegie in Montreal. There had been a rather heated interview.

whole fuse contract had been given to United States firms. The firm's mechanical superintendent, said Mr. Harris, was at the time in Europe.

WENT TO OTTAWA. A wire had been received from the Shell Committee in reply to defer the proposed visit till further advised.

On July 19, the Shell Committee had written offering an order of 500,000 fuse fuses. General Pease, the war office expert, had meanwhile visited the Russell plant and had been favorably impressed.

HONOR ROLL OF INDIANS. Thirty-three Men From Reserve Don Khaki During April.

The following is a list of Indians for the month of April, 1916, who have enlisted:

Oshweken.—Thomas Barnes, single; Jos. Beauvais, single; John Bruce, married; L. Clause, single; William Doctor, single; John Dove, single; Robert Hill, married; Elmer Jamieson, single; Norman Jamieson, single; Jacob Jacobs, married; John F. Johnson, single; Simon Laforce, married; James William Latham; Welby Lotteridge, single, transferred from 135th Battalion; Melvin N. Martin, single; Leonard L. Martin, single; John Mayo married; Ackland Martin, married; Andrew Martin, single; D. LeClaire, single; James D. Paisley, single.

MORATORIUM ASKED FOR AFTER THE WAR

British Firms Will Collect Enemy Debts and Then Pay Their Own.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Washington, May 9.—British trade associations are demanding wide measures as an aid to extension of Britain's foreign commerce after the war.

Legislation is asked to provide that after the war consular certificates of origin be required with goods imported to prevent importation of enemy goods through neutral or allied countries.

Introduction of decimal coinage and use of the metric system in dealings with countries using that system are asked.

Dr. Angus McKay, member of the Legislature sixteen years for South Oxford, died at his home in Ingersoll, aged 62.

NATIONAL GUARDS CALLED OUT TO STOP THE RAIDERS

President Wilson Issues Call For Soldiers of Arizona, N. M. and Texas.

Washington, May 9.—National guardsmen of three states, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas were called out by President Wilson to-day to aid in protecting the border against Mexican raiders.

By these orders approximately 8,000 additional troops were placed under Major General Funston's command. Behind the orders is the plain intimation by administration officials that the whole strength of the National guard will similarly be employed if necessary.

TWENTY-EIGHT NAMES ON HONOR ROLL OF CHURCH

Balfour St. Presbyterian Has Given Many Men For War.

FAREWELL LAST NIGHT. Social Evening Spent For Benefit of the Boys in Khaki.

Last evening at Balfour Street Presbyterian Church, the Christian Endeavor Society tendered a formal farewell social to those of the church who had enlisted for Overseas service.

the boys are held. The pastor, Rev. D. L. Campbell acted as chairman in his usual pleasing manner.

The main feature of the evening was the presentation of a Patriotic Honor Roll to the church by the Sunday School. Mr. E. A. Danby, superintendent, had charge of this and gave a short talk on what the boys, who had enlisted had done for the church and Sunday school.

Capt. A. E. Lavell was present and gave a brief address together with

a couple of his bright humorous readings which were much appreciated.

Corp. Chas. Dewar also spoke on behalf of the military men present, thanked the Society and Church members for what they had done for them in the past, and that they would always remember Balfour St. Church, and if spared to come back would be pleased to come and take their places again.

A short program was then given, as follows:—Solo, Miss Maud Taylor; reading, Miss Edna Glass; solo, Miss Margaret Powell; address, Capt. A. B. Lavell; solo, Mr. Fred Widdis; musical trio, Miss C. McIntosh, Corp. Dewar and Pte. Raynor.

After the programme, there was fifteen minutes intermission for the people to get acquainted. A dainty lunch was then served by the young

people and to which all did ample justice. Many thanks are due Miss C. McIntosh for the splendid manner in which she accompanied the soloists of the evening.

A most enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Kingly Economy

By Special Wire to the Courier. New York, May 9.—A cable to The Tribune from London says: War economy is being widely practiced in the royal household.

Advertisement for N.P. SOAP. Includes image of a soap box and text: "Cut the Bar and Save 10% When you cut a 15 cent bar of N.P. SOAP into 5 cakes, you get as much soap as you would get in five 5 cent cakes. You really earn 10% by cutting up the N.P. SOAP yourself—and you get the best kitchen and laundry soap you ever used."

Advertisement for Zimmerknit Underwear. Includes image of a man in a suit and text: "THE boys at the factory took the first Hatch One-Button Union Suits we turned out. They knew what ten buttons meant in the early a. m. when they had to punch the time clock."



Find Two Pitchers the Leafs Can

Providence, R.I., May 9.—Birmingham's Maple Leafs took the measure of the Grays in fine fashion here yesterday afternoon, due mainly to the fact that they could hit both Providence pitchers almost any time they desired.

MUIRENNAN DIDN'T LAST LONG. Herbert was chosen for the most work by Birmingham and Joe decided to send Thompson into a middle garden in his place.

Toronto scored in the second, third, fourth, seventh and eighth stanzas their only double score coming in the eighth. The Grays got their run in the first, fourth and sixth.

Large advertisement for the Y.M.C.A. featuring the slogan "They're Fighting, Winning and Dying for US! What Are YOU Doing For Them?". Includes images of a horse-drawn cart and a soldier. Text describes the need for support and provides details on how to contribute to the Brantford Committee for the Military Fund and the National Council Y.M.C.A.

Advertisement for Newark Bruch Hits and Defeats Montreal. Includes a table of baseball scores and names of players.

Advertisement for O'Keefe's Pilsener Lager. Includes text: "the healthful drink, the wholesome drink, the cooling drink, the delicious drink, the satisfying drink is O'Keefe's Pilsener Lager."

Advertisement for HOWIE & CO. featuring an image of a rabbit and text: "NEXT NEW P".

DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

SIMPLE FROCKS FOR DAUGHTER

Hand-Embroidery Easily Duplicated One of Chief Charms

By ANNETTE BRADSHAW

YOUTHFUL frocks that are simple in line and not overtrimmings are most becoming and appropriate for growing girls.

In the shops are displayed lovely designs which can be easily duplicated by the nimble-fingered mother who sews for her little daughters.

The jumper-frock is always in good favor. The model shown here is of pink linen with a collar of white mull. The jumper of the linen is hand-embroidered in white, and has a square neck line which is decidedly becoming to youth. The sleeves are trimmed with smocking which is done with brown thread. French knots and a buttonhole-stitched edging trim the collar and cuffs. The skirt is fitted with a box-pleat down the center front.

Place of a fine waist is used to fashion the second frock, which is unusually attractive.

The long-waisted frock is scalloped and buttonhole-stitched in points which are bordered over a grade of old blue ribbon with coin-shaped crocheted buttons. Hand-embroidery trims the sleeves and bodice front. All edges are scalloped and buttonhole-stitched in white.

The short skirt is arranged in wide, deep pleats.

The chief charm of youth lies in its unaffected simplicity, and should be clothed accordingly.



Simple Simplicity of Lines and Trimmings.

WINIFRED BLACK WRITES ABOUT A Real Man

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I MET a real man today, and I feel like going down to the newspaper office and trying to have them get out an extra about it. Of course, there are a lot of real men in the world, but I meet so many imitation ones I sometimes wonder whether there are any real ones left at all.

Two of the imitation ones who have bothered me the most were lawyers. That's the reason I'm so delighted about this one, for the real man is a lawyer, too.

His first imitation man who "crossed my path" as they say in the melodramas, was one of the dapper well met, delighted-to-see-you, any-friend-of-your-kind sort of chaps—not bad looking when his valet has worked over him long enough—clear-eyed, clean-skinned, quick-witted and with a tremulous stop in his voice warranted to get the vote at any precinct meeting in any simple district in any town.

Born poor, he used his early poverty for a picturesque background. Born a trickster, he laughed at the stories of his own trickery, and made them somehow seem like the clever tricks of a good-natured boy, condoned but regretfully remembered.

He took the case of a woman who was in deep trouble and who trusted him, and because she was dazed with grief and with a bewildered sense of being bitterly wronged, she did not see through him at first, and he fooled her and made a bargain with her enemies and did his best to take away from her woman and her little children every penny that she honest law, honestly administered, would have given her. And when the women saw what it was that he was trying to do, and told people of it, they laughed and said:

"Of course! We could have told you from the first the sort of fellow he is!"

But they had not told her from the first, and she saw them dining with him and talking with him and treating him as if he were an honest man, and it made her very unhappy, for she was a woman who likes to believe that honesty pays, not only in money but in friends and in reputation.

Then she went to another lawyer—a bluff, blunt man, with no pretence of good fellowship or courtly manner; one of the old school, he called the man a fighting lawyer, and he promised to fight for her woman and for her children.

But when it turned out that the enemies of the woman and of her children were powerful and vindictive, the bluff, outspoken lawyer became suddenly secretive, and he was too busy to bother with her case.

Justice, right, the triumph of honesty and straight dealing—that concerned him not at all—not in the least at all.

"You have had one great sorrow, but she was more than a little bitter. "Where are all the real men I father used to tell me of?" she said. "Men who were chivalrous to women, men who would risk their lives to protect helpless children or to lead a forlorn hope in the cause of justice?"

And her friends laughed and said: "Oh, we could have told you about that fellow long ago!" But they had not told her and they do not ostracize the man I look down on him, but she was more than a little bitter.

Then I took that woman to a man I knew—a lawyer. She didn't want to go at first. "What's the use?" she said. "He'll be like all the rest."

But the man we went to see was not like the others that she knew. He made no great pretensions. He promised nothing in particular, but "You have had one great sorrow, but she was more than a little bitter. "Where are all the real men I father used to tell me of?" she said. "Men who were chivalrous to women, men who would risk their lives to protect helpless children or to lead a forlorn hope in the cause of justice?"

Every man I have met in my life has had some good points. It is not the good points that I value, but the fact that he has some. He has restored her belief in human nature—and that is a great thing to do.

What is to be done? Often a simple thing such as a long, broad strip of adhesive plaster may alleviate the most violent pain of backache.

Gymnastics with military drill manoeuvres serve a good purpose in defeating the backache of department store clerks, police, letter carriers, bookkeepers and those who bend over desks.

If the backache is of the "toxic neurotic" sort—a sequence of alcoholic indulgence or some similar excess—the taboo of the police, the application of heat, the use of laxatives and vigorous massage are sometimes sufficient to remedy the ailment.

Briefly, it may be said that sedative and anaesthetic drugs, such as aspirin, salicylate of soda, quinine and the coal-

About Home-makers' Clubs and What they May Mean to You

HOUSEHOLD HELPS

By ISOBEL BRANDS

I haven't any time to go to a system that will help me get through my work more quickly? Certainly not. And neither can you!

"But you and I can positively squeeze an hour or even two hours a week out of our day, and I'm sure you can. It's not a matter of doing more work, but of doing it better. You see, I've been studying these things. And that is not all. I've been studying the most interesting thing in the world today—the home-makers' club."

"If you could meet it, it would be the most interesting thing you could meet. It would be a club where you could get together with other women who are just like you. They would be interested in the same things as you are. They would be interested in making their wash day a less hard, wouldn't you be willing to listen?"

The three young home-makers were much less belligerent. "She was beginning to be convinced," I suppose so," she said weakly.

"Come along then," said the club president, briskly. "We've a meeting this afternoon that you'll be interested in."

That was six months ago. Today the thrifty little home-maker is one of the most valuable members in the home-makers' club.

"I found out I had a wrong idea of women's clubs," she admitted, in explanation. "I thought it was just gossiping and more social entertaining than we can afford just now."

"But it's done me so much good. Why, do you know, I like housekeeping so much more since I've found out all the interesting tests and experiments that these bright women are making in order to improve it, and I make lots of them myself. When there are so many good ideas that all these women have, we get discussing plans and methods at a meeting. Why, I've learned more about how to make my wash day a less hard, wouldn't you be willing to listen?"

"Do you belong to your woman's club?" asked the club president, making a note of the home-makers' club in the place where even the most timid, most discouraged housekeeper can get help and interest for her very important job of doing housework.

"I am not a member, but I'm very interested in it. I'm glad I met the real man today and I'm glad he's a lawyer. Sometimes I think it takes a good deal of a man to be a lawyer, and to stay—real."

What It Meant.

Don't Lose Faith.

Advice to Girls

By ANNIE LAURIE

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: Would you kindly advise me what to do under these circumstances? I have been keeping company with a young man for over a year, and was almost engaged to him, but I found out I did not love him, and told him so.

Today I received a letter from him, asking me to return all the gifts he gave me, and he would do likewise. Should I send them back to him, such as perfume, brush and comb, raincoat, and one or two other little things? ELSIE B.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: If you are not engaged to the young man who did you accept the gifts he gave you? No one save an engaged gift should receive from any young man anything of greater value than a box of candy, a book or some flowers. Of course you should send back what he has given you. If you do not care to keep something which in the first place you should never have accepted, and in the second place, he now asks you to return.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: I am a young girl of about 17, and have been keeping company with a boy about a year. My mother and a few other friends, too. During ten another one of my boy friends called. We asked him in and introduced him around. In a case of necessity I leave one if she has a heart for us to leave. Was it an insult on his part for him to do so?

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: Please answer as quickly as possible, for we are very anxious to appreciate it. BROWN AND BLUE EYES.

BROWN AND BLUE EYES: You will only stop to think a moment before you realize how difficult it is for any one to please a really sensitive person. Really, it isn't worth while trying to fit our actions so that the feelings of the ultra-sensitive are spared. The only thing you can do is to do the very best you know and not worry because so sensitive a person becomes hurt.

Really, I do not think that you are the one who should apologize. If the young man has not forgotten his crossness long before this let him go and forget him, for if any one should apologize he ought to, because his departure was certainly not courteous.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: We are two girls, going to boarding school. We expected to be home on a certain day, and made arrangements to go out with two boy friends the following day. Then we were told that school was not to close for another week. We wrote to the boys and told them, but they would not believe us, and said we just made up that excuse because we did not want to go with them.

Would you be kind enough to tell us what we should do, as we do not want to be unfriendly with them? Thanking you for any advice you might give us, we are,
A PERPLEXED PAIR.

A PERPLEXED PAIR: Your simple way should be enough to convince any young gentleman of the truth of what you say. If these particular young men refuse to accept your statement of the fact that they have anything more to do with them, and seek your friends among the many good young men who do not have to have a truth proved to them.

Of course you do not want to be "unfriendly with them," but if they are so ungenerously that they will not believe what you say it is not your fault. There are plenty of fine young men who will believe you, so cease worrying about those who will not.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

This year's wheat crop of the western provinces of Canada is estimated at 20,000,000 bushels.

The word "salmon" is taken from the Latin "salmo," the leaping fish.

The first museum was part of the Palace of Alexandria, Egypt, where learned men were maintained at the public cost, just as eminent public servants were in the Prytaneum at Athens. Its foundation is due to Ptolemy Philadelphus about 285 B.C.

Metallic sodium hardens lead without changing its color. Two per cent. of sodium is said to harden lead so that it will stand when struck by larger amount causes it to become brittle.

A very excellent exercise that will develop the arms and legs and offers a splendid opportunity to expand the chest is to kneel on the floor and stretch the right leg back as far as possible, the right arm down and the left arm up to the furthest limit. Then do the same with the left leg, with the right arm up and the left arm down.

To keep fat from accumulating about the waist, rest on the hands and toes, face downward, on the floor, and then stretch the head and body as far ahead as you can. While in this position you can go further and straighten rounded shoulders by lowering the body until it

one exercises vigorously after indulging in a heavy meal, the blood will be drawn to the part exercised and away from the digestive organs. Therefore, the digestion would be impaired. An hour after breakfast or a light lunch and two hours after dinner would seem to be the most desirable time for exercising.

In order to secure the best results from any exercise the room must be filled with fresh air, all light clothing removed and the mind should be free from worries and care.

Stretching, a Simple Home Way to Make Your Figure More Beautiful

By LUCREZIA BORI

Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York.

There is no better form of exercise than stretching. Fifteen minutes a day devoted to stretching the muscles will do a great deal toward taking off superfluous flesh and building up impoverished tissues. So, whether you are too stout or too thin, my talk today will interest you.

Every one longs for a good figure, and those who have perfect measurements usually are willing to work hard to retain them.

It should be remembered, however, that severe exercises should never be taken after eating. It is said that if

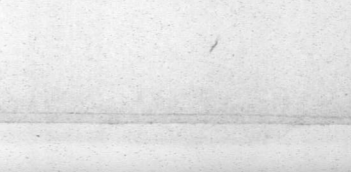
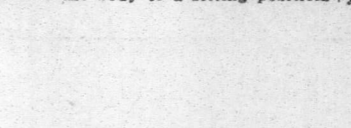
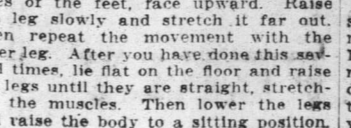
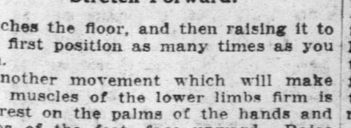
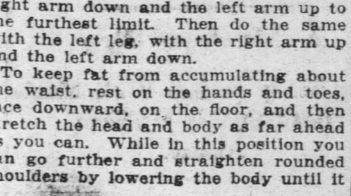
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Rest on Hands and Toes.

Stretch Forward.

Exercise for the Leg Muscles.



Do this without the assistance of the elbow. It also reduces the hips. In a standing position stretch the arms as far out in front of you as you can, slowly swing the arms to the sides until they are on a line with the shoulders. Stretch each arm first to one side and then to the other. By following the first two movements the arms will be developed and the shoulder muscles made firm.

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In his statement in connection with the railway and Sir Thomas explained how the war had affected both C.N.R. and G.T.P. as regards sale of securities and in earning. He pointed out that the policy of Government had been to maintain Canada's credit during the war, and since the Dominion and the provinces had guaranteed \$15,000,000 bonds in the case of the G.T.P. and \$21,000,000 in the case of the Canadian Northern, the country's credit was involved to that extent. The Minister gave details showing that fixed charges and earnings, etc., both companies and pointed out that unless assistance was granted the

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The start is planned, it was said today, for late in May or early in June in a launch cruiser built to buck successfully the ice floes and to navigate the shallow waters. Captain Bayne expects to encounter.

Hope of recovering scientific records and data believed to be hidden in the resting place of Sir John investigated the expedition.

Captain Bayne was with the Hall expedition which sought the Franklin tomb in 1869, and led a second party to the region in the nineties.

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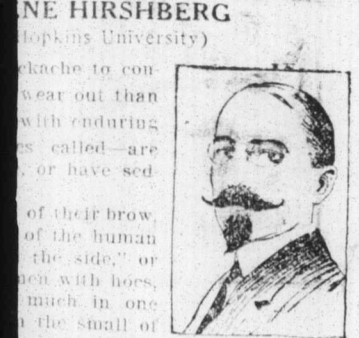
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AN EPIGRAM FROM BERLIN

A Person May be a Good Organizer and a Poor Politician.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Berlin, May 8.—Via London, May 9.—A striking article on German-American relations, which is construed here as a criticism of Admiral Von Tirpitz, appears in today's issue of The Lokal Anzeiger. After expressing approval of the German Government's reply to the American note, the article says: "The decision would have been easier if public opinion had not been influenced and inflamed in other directions by certain irresponsibles. It is just the same proposition as was the great mistake made in announcing the submarine war on commerce at the beginning of 1915 with great words and prescribing for the untired weapon successes which it could not obtain. It was wrong to preach that the submarine war on commerce was the only effective weapon against England, although this may have been done with the best intentions. "Neutrals were led to prick up their ears by the pompous announcement of the new war method and difficult problems in international law were needlessly injected into the debate. A person can be a good organizer and still be a poor politician."

Trouble in S. Domingo.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Santo Domingo, May 8.—General Juan Jimenes, president of Santo Domingo, has resigned. He took this action in order to prevent armed intervention by the United States. Quiet has been restored and Congress will appoint a provisional president.

The monument to John Chapman, better known as "Johnny Appleseed," was unveiled at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Advertisement for Benson's Corn Starch, featuring an illustration of a cornucopia and the text 'She Said: "I buy my Corn Starch just as I buy my tea, and sugar, and rolled oats—BY NAME."'

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that various disease germs have their breeding-place in the waste products of the body. Don't, then, let your bowels clog and throw these harmful germs back on the blood. Take no chances with serious illness. Keep your bowels free, and the bile regulated with

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which promptly and surely relieve constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sick headache. They are compounded from drugs of vegetable origin—harmless and not habit-forming. The experience of three generations show that Beecham's Pills prevent disease and are

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SWITZERLAND NOT IMPRESSED

German Note More Derisive the More It is Studied.

Geneva, May 9.—(Via Paris)—The Journal de Geneve in an article today on the German note to the United States, says that the note seems derisive the more you study it. In a similar article The Gazette de Lausanne says: "If President Wilson accepts the language wherein Germany's reply is couched, one must conclude that the United States has decided not to quarrel with Germany whatever happens. What has President Wilson's note gained except that in future merchant ships whose nationalities are unspecified, shall be warned before being torpedoed. Germany had already made this promise before sinking the Sussex. Germany seems to be playing with America."

VIOLENT ATTACKS OF DYSPEPSIA

Suffered Tortures Until She Tried "Fruit-a-tives"

ST. JEAN DE MATHEA, Jan. 27th, 1914. "After suffering for a long time with Dyspepsia, I have been made well by "Fruit-a-tives." I suffered so much that at last I would not dare to eat for I was afraid of dying. Five years ago, I received samples of "Fruit-a-tives" and after taking them I felt relief. Then I sent for three boxes and I kept improving until I was well. I quickly regained my lost weight—and now I eat, sleep and digest well—in a word, I am fully recovered, thanks to "Fruit-a-tives." MME. CHARBONNEAU. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Advertisement for McLaughlin Garage, featuring the text 'Every One a "Six" HOW MANY MILES Are There in a Gallon of Gasoline?' and 'McLAUGHLIN GARAGE 261 Colborne Street - Opp. Ker & Goodwin's'

Advertisement for J. S. Hamilton & Co. Canadian Wine Manufacturers, 44 - 46 Dalhousie St. Brantford

Advertisement for J. S. Hamilton & Co. featuring a list of wine prices and 'WAR STAMPS INCLUDED IN THESE PRICES'

Let us help you choose the right paint, varnish or enamel

Advertisement for W. S. Sterne, 120 Market Street, featuring illustrations of painting and varnishing work.

Advertisement for Sutherland's Athletic Goods Agency, James L. Sutherland, featuring 'Golf Balls, Golf Clubs, Base Ball Goods, Tennis Goods, SPALDING'S Athletic Goods Agency'

Advertisement for PUSH BRANTFORD-MADE GOODS! featuring 'SMOKE El Fair Clear Havana Cigars' and 'Your Dealer Can Supply You With BLUE LAKE BRAND PORTLAND CEMENT'

Advertisement for The Courier Job Dept., 'With New Equipment and Expert Management' and 'Is Prepared to do High-Class Printing Promptly'

Advertisement for "Made in Kandyland" chocolates, 'When Your Sweet Tooth "Akes" For Something Really Toothsome and Nice'

Advertisement for TREMAINE The Candy Man, 50 Market St., 'We Make the Goods Fresh Every Day on the Premises'

Advertisement for THE COURIER, 'Your Next Job of PRINTING' and 'Let us figure on your next piece of job printing. We have a well equipped Job Printing Plant and competent workmen.'

