

FOE TO BREAK ARMISTICE TERMS?

German Cabinet Fears Inability to Comply With Conditions

Holland Will Surrender Kaiser if Allies Insist

ALLIES TO OCCUPY BERLIN IF TERMS ARE NOT FOLLOWED

Holland is Willing to Surrender Kaiser and Crown Prince if Allies Insist, But Would Prefer to Intern Hohenzollerns For Life

By Courier Leased Wire.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—An extraordinary meeting of the German cabinet was summoned at Berlin on Thursday evening to discuss the possibility of the allies occupying Berlin, owing to Germany's alleged inability to carry out the terms of the armistice, according to Amsterdam advices to The Express.

FATE OF THE HOHENZOLLERN

If the allies insist on the delivery of the former German Emperor and Crown Prince to an international court of justice, Holland would, but will first urge that the allies con- sider with an undertaking by Holland to intern them for life in one of the Dutch colonies, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to The Express.

SEND THEM TO INDIES

Holland, it is understood, will suggest that Herr Hohenzollern and his son be placed on an island in either the East or West Indies, where he will be guarded by a Dutch fleet. It is also anticipated that Holland will be asked for compensation for permitting a violation of her neutrality by allowing German troops to pass through the Province of Limburg on their retreat from Belgium, and receiving German ships from Antwerp. This compensation may possibly be the cessation of certain territory along the Belgian frontier owned by Holland since 1839. Perhaps the southern part of Dutch Limburg will be demanded. The population of this region is principally Belgian.

DISARMING BEGUN

AMSTERDAM, Friday, Dec. 6.—The disarming of Field Marshal von Mackensen's army has begun in Hungary, according to a Berlin dispatch received here. The soldiers will not be interned but will be permitted to cross the frontier. They are selling their motor cars, horses and other equipment cheaply.

NEW FOREIGN MINISTER

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian premier, will probably succeed Dr. W. S. Solf, as German foreign minister. Negotiations on the subject are now proceeding between Berlin and Munich, according to The Cologne Gazette, quoted in an Amsterdam dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

TROUBLE IN MUNICH

MUNICH, Friday, Dec. 6.—via Geneva.—By the Associated Press.—Anxiety is being shown by the German, especially the Bavarian press, over the financial stability and even the honesty of many of the hundreds of Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils now conducting affairs in this city.

Reliable advices say that the disbursements of these councils for the last two weeks have totalled 800,000,000 marks. If this rate of expense continues to be the usual cost of operating the government, it will exceed the total German budget, with its enormous outlay for military upkeep, by several times.

The Bavarian Gazette says that the money difficulties of the councils are constantly growing more acute. The financial problem was simple in the beginning because, it is said, the soldiers occupied state buildings which were heated and lighted by the old staff, and requisitioned state automobiles.



BRITISH TO OCCUPY THE COLOGNE BRIDGEHEAD The allied armies continue to move towards the Rhine. The American troops are moving north-eastward on Coblenz, down both banks of the Moselle river, and will occupy the whole of the Coblenz bridgehead on the east bank of the Rhine, giving them a front of 60 miles. It appears that the British are swinging sharply north-eastward, and that they will hold all of the Cologne bridgehead, as well as Bonn and the ground immediately adjoining the American right. The arrows on the map show the direction of the advance of the British and American forces.

LICENSE INSPECTOR MADE BIG BOOZE HAUL

License Inspector R. J. Eacrett captured seventy gallons of alcohol by the half-way school house on the Paris road last night. Mr. Eacrett had paid a visit to Paris to locate some alcohol which he expected, but found that it wasn't there. A man was left to watch for it, and when the Inspector was returning to Brantford he noticed that a car had stopped at the road side, and that the occupants had cans of something or other. He asked them very casually if there was trouble. According to them there was none, not then, but to their surprise they soon found out that there was. A car happened along from Paris just in time to be of assistance. The Inspector told the driver to go ahead, then the men and the alcohol, and finally the Inspector. In this manner they were escorted safely to the Police Station here, where they were placed under arrest. The men were two Russians from Hamilton. They had had the alcohol sent to Paris under fictitious names. Some of the names were L. Call, P. Truss and T. Kelly. In all, there were seven cases, each containing about ten gallons. The foreigners are Mike Fraut, 3 Arthur street, Hamilton, and John Mishuk of the same address. They received a hearing today and were remanded for trial until next week.

W.H.A. CONDOLES FAMILIES OF THE INFLUENZA VICTIMS

Will Send Letters to Bereaved Parents and Other Relatives - Busy Session, Last of Year, Was Held Yesterday Morning

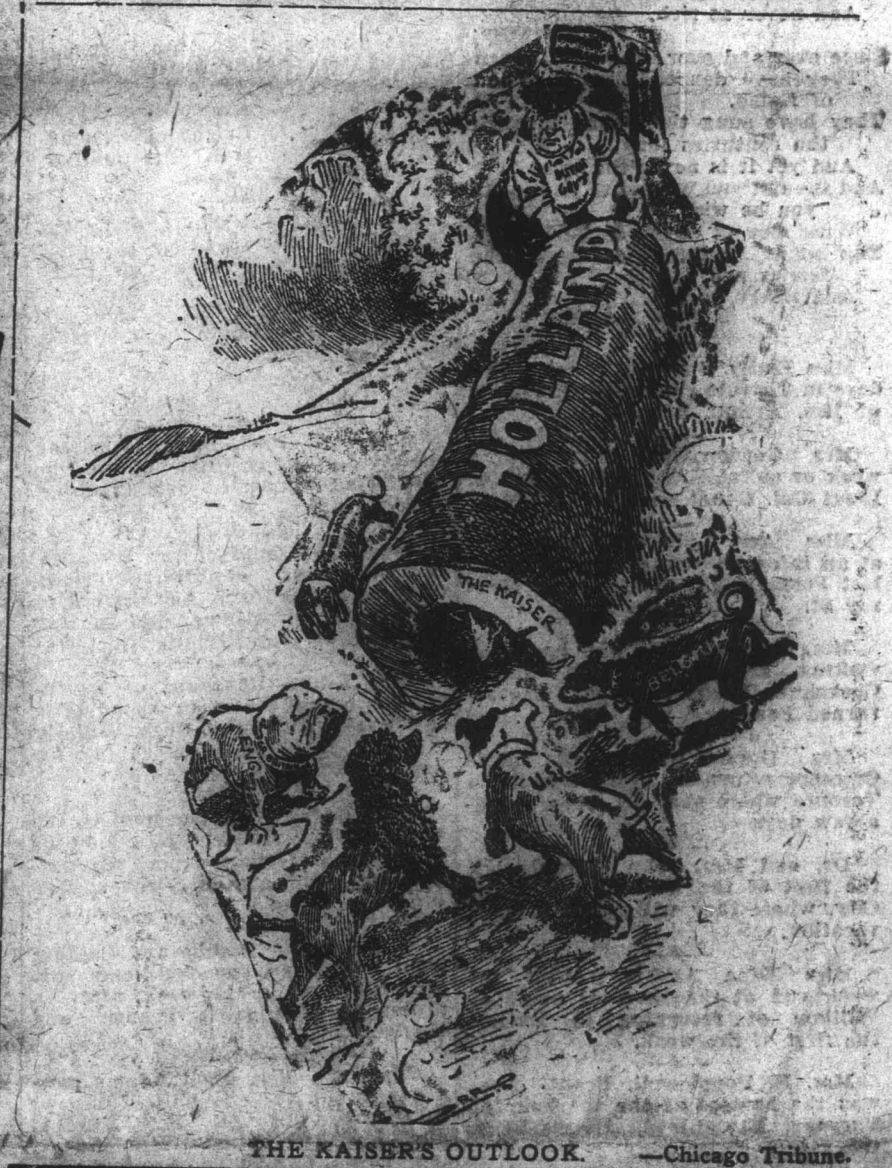
The regular meeting of the Women's Hospital Aid was held on Friday morning at the hospital with a good attendance. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Reville, though ill, the first Vice-president, Mrs. Laing, presided, and opened the meeting by reading Queen Mary's message to the women of Canada. The secretary and treasurer presented their reports, which stood commended. Fees were received from Mrs. Mitchell, \$16.35. Mrs. MacRae, secretary South Brant Women's Institute, sent a cheque for the yearly upkeep of their private ward at the hospital (\$25.00). The treasurer was authorized to receive all fees that are to be paid in before the end of the year. A report was presented of the Board of Trade meeting, at which the auxiliary was represented by the president, Mrs. Reville, stating that the erection of an isolation hospital as an appropriate memorial and tribute to those who had given their lives in nursing sufferers of the epidemic had been favored by representatives. It was moved by Mrs. Nellis, seconded by Mrs. Agnew, and carried unanimously. That the Women's Hospital Aid heartily endorse the proposition of a memorial to take the form of an isolation hospital, and agree to assist and co-operate with the promoters in every way possible. Letters were read from Mrs. Vanstone and Mrs. F. Baldwin, Paris, thanking the auxiliary for sympathy. Mrs. Waterous, convener of visitors committee, sent in the visitors' yearly statement, which was commended, as visiting at the hospital has been discontinued since early in October, and will not be resumed this year. Deep regret was expressed by the W.H.A. that Mrs. Waterous, on account of continued illness in her family, found it necessary to withdraw from active work in the auxiliary. Her long years of strenuous and devoted service will never cease to be remembered by her fellow-workers in the society. Mrs. Hurley, county convener, called attention to the sale of home-made cakes to be held to-day by the South Brant Women's Institute. Committees were appointed to make the usual Christmas purchases for the hospital. A resolution was passed that the

SHOCKING RECORD OF BRUTALITY

Further Government Report on Treatment of Prisoners of War in Germany FRESH ATROCITIES Captive Britishers Were Subjected to Every Form of Abuse

By Courier Leased Wire (London, Wednesday, Dec. 4.—) Two further reports were issued to-night by government committees, which have been investigating the treatment of British prisoners of war. The first deals mainly with the treatment of men captured during the spring offensive of 1918, and relates largely to the employment of prisoners directly behind the German lines. Like previous reports, it is a long, shocking record of brutality and callous neglect. Following are typical extracts from testimony given by prisoners who escaped to British or French lines: "Several prisoners died of starvation at Ramcourt." "Later deaths of starvation became even more numerous." "When I left Bazancourt, about 150 men were suffering badly from dysentery, and half of them were living skeletons." "There was a lot of sickness at Cappey, caused from exposure and lack of food. No attempt was made to remedy these conditions." "Large numbers of prisoners, no longer fit to work behind the German lines were sent to Hellsberg, East Prussia, or Treton, in Prussian Poland. A witness describing the arrival of about 300 of these prisoners at Hellsberg early in October, says they were mostly stretcher cases and were taken to the hospital, but many of those sent to the camp were so weak they could hardly walk. He says that youths of 20 years looked like men of 40 years old. At Treton, which is supposed to be a hospital for prisoners disabled while working on the western front, conditions were even worse. The place was supposed to accommodate 400, but there were 1,000 there. There was but one doctor in attendance on the men, many of whom were in shocking condition. Only one British spot is found in the harrowing record. This relates to the Deynse hospital for the Fourth German army, where, although many supplies were short, prisoners received careful treatment and adequate food, including wine and eggs when necessary. The second report, which is dated October 28, says that the conclusion was reached that events in the camps attached to the 10th army corps, fitness, with a definite purpose of reducing the health of officer prisoners. It is said that this impulse sprang from responsible German authorities and was directed by them. The war minister did not interfere for the alleged reason that he had no authority over the commander of any German army corps. The committee says that this seems a mere pretense.

rummage sale be postponed until some time not earlier than the end of January. As this is the last meeting of the year, a nominating committee was appointed to consist of Messrs. Agnew, Ames, Mitchell, Tidale and Henwood. On motion the date of the council meeting was left in the hands of the officers. The president sent a communication to the following: "Since our meeting in October, the appalling war of the last four years has been peacefully lifted from the suffering world, although it has left a harrowing trail of sorrow behind. Our sober rejoicing at peace at last, was further clouded by the strange and fatal scourge which is sweeping through all lands. And we would like to bear testimony to the splendid heroism of the nurses of the general hospital, the nurses, voluntary nurses and orderlies of the emergency hospital, the Victoria Hospital, and others who have done such courageous work in fighting the epidemic in our midst, many laying down their lives." Continued on page eight.



EXTRAORDINARY STORY OF SALVAGED SUBMARINE

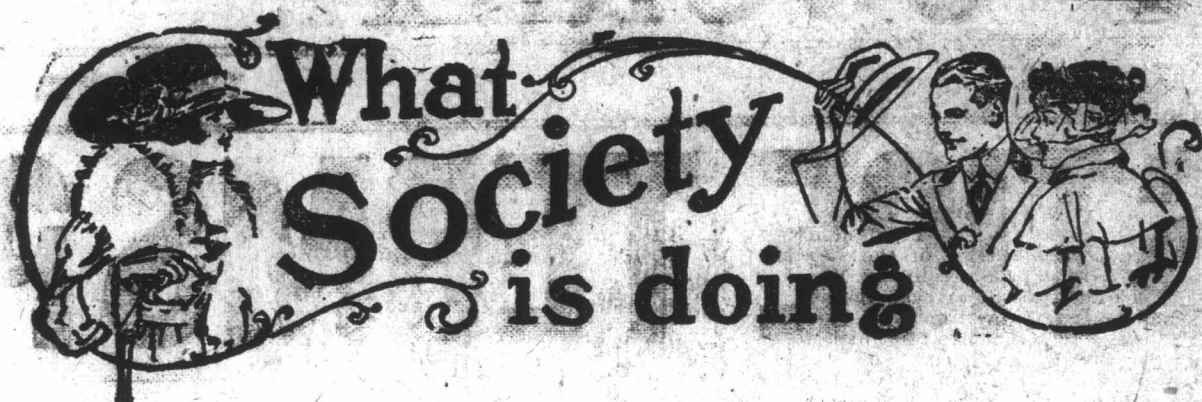
Capt. Goodhart Gave His Life in Attempt to Reach Surface Through High Pressure Bottle - Entombed Men Asked for Cards

By Courier Leased Wire (London, Nov. 29.—) (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—An extraordinary story of the salvage of a British submarine, which went down in Gaerlock lock, near the Clyde, has now been published. The submarine had 74 persons on board, including naval contractors and men from the yard, where she had been built. The order was given to submerge and she had descended just beneath the surface when waters began to pour into her aft and she descended stern down to a depth of fifteen fathoms. An inspection showed that the ventilating shaft had been left open and thirty-four persons in the rear of the vessel were immediately drowned. The forepart was shut off and the 42 persons there were saved. How their rescue was accomplished was sensational. A few hours had passed before divers were sent down on what they considered a forlorn hope, so far as bringing up alive was concerned. Getting to the bottom they discovered the stern of the vessel was embedded in many feet of mud. Knocking at the hull they were amazed to hear a responsive tapping. Then Captain Goodhart attempted a task which reads like a tale from Jules Verne. The high pressure bottles were brought into use and the captain undertook with their aid to be projected through the conning tower and shot into the water with the hope of reaching the surface and giving information regarding those below. He was shot forward, but his head struck a beam and he was instantly killed. Another officer volunteered and was fortunate enough to reach the surface and give information about the condition of the others below. Rescue parties inserted through a water-tight hatch a flexible hose, through which air, food and chocolates were passed. The entombed men asked by means of Morse signaling for playing cards to beguile the tedious of waiting. As one of them said: "Strong wiles were put round the vessel and the air bottles utilized to blow out the mud stored forward which enabled the vessel to drive upwards at high speed until the bow was well above the water in a perpendicular position. Immediately a big hole was made in her by acetylene burners and 42 men brought out and conveyed to an infirmary. They had been below 24 hours when Captain Goodhart made his ill-fated attempt and altogether the party was down 57 hours before being saved. Captain Goodhart was posthumously awarded the Victoria Cross.

Britain Claims Forty Billions

London, Saturday, Dec. 7.—Premier Lloyd George, according to the Daily Mail will announce speedily at Leeds to-day, a demand from Germany of 28,000,000,000 sterling on behalf of Great Britain and her Dominions as reparation for the war. This, according to the Daily Mail, is what the war cost Great Britain and her Dominions, and British taxpayers will be relieved of 240,000,000 per annum by the German payment. The British claim, says the Daily Mail, has been prepared by a committee, under Mr. Hughes, the Australian Premier, and Baron Curiale, former governor of the Bank of England, who is one of the principal members of the committee. It adds that it is expected the report will be published Saturday. The Daily Mail says the French claim for reparation will be infinitely larger than that of Great Britain.

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THE FAIRIES. The fairies have never a penny to spend. They haven't a thing put by. But there is the dower of bird and flower.

Miss Emily Bunnell spent a few days in Toronto this week. The guest of Mrs. Arthur Bunnell, Jr.

Mrs. Gordon Smith is spending a week or so in Kingston the guest of Lieut.-Col. Genet and Mrs. Genet.

Mrs. J. Gibbons who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. James Cockshutt, Lorne Crescent, has returned home.

Mrs. Gordon G. Duncan, Lorne Crescent returned yesterday from Toronto where she has been spending a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. John Marquis left the first of the week for Atlantic City, where they will spend a short vacation.

Miss Edna Ashbury spent the week end at the parental home on William st., returning to Buffalo the first of the week.

Captain D. Siemin is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mrs. Farmer of Toronto is spending the week-end with Miss Perley, Wellington street.

Mrs. Linn Bowman, of Southampton, has been spending a few weeks with Miss Ruth Minter, Mohawk Road, left on Friday for home.

Mrs. Harry Van Norman is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Julius Waterous, en route from Minneapolis to her home in Denver, Colorado.

Major Arthur, Bishop and Captain Wm. Coghill are expected home from overseas early in the week, after prolonged absence in France and England.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Patterson announce the engagement of their second daughter, Helen Irene, to Mr. J. H. Dunsheath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dunsheath, of Toronto.

Over one hundred women, representatives of the Red Cross Society, co-operating with the Women's Council and Patriotic League societies, met in the Assembly Hall, of the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday afternoon to participate in the Thanksgiving service.

Mr. W. F. Peterson is a business visitor in Montreal.

Mr. E. C. Gould returned on Thursday from a business trip to St. Catharines.

Miss Giles of Port Dover and Miss Louise Lang, of Port Dover were week-end guests of Mrs. S. P. Fassmore, 97 Charlotte street.

The Misses Marjorie and Kathleen Lang went down to Kingston on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Smith, to attend the dance at the Kingston Royal Military Academy.

A cable received in the city by Mr. and Mrs. J. Spence states that their daughter, Mrs. Henry McLean and her little daughter, and Mrs. Percy James have sailed for home from England. Mrs. McLean and Mrs. James are expected to arrive in the city early in the week.

Several motorolads of Brantfordites motored up to Paris on Tuesday evening for the dance given by the Paris Golf Club in the Town Hall. Beatty's Orchestra was in attendance and the visitors report a splendid time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Good, Paris Road, is leaving shortly for Sioux City, where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lane.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 8

JOSEPH MADE RULER OF EGYPT.

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 41:33-44. GOLDEN TEXT—He that is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much.—Luke 16:10.

Joseph's long years have passed since his brethren sold him. They have been years of sorrow testing for Joseph, but his faith is triumphant.

Joseph made Prime Minister of Egypt (vv. 35-44).

It is the interpretation of Pharaoh's dreams. In his dreams Pharaoh saw seven fat kine coming out of the river, followed by seven lean ones, which devoured the fat ones.

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News of the Churches

ANGLICAN ST. MATTHEW'S LUTHERAN CHURCH Queen's Wellington. Rev. A. A. Zink, pastor.

ST. JUDES ANGLICAN Rev. C. E. Jenkins, Rector, Dec. 8th, Second Sunday in Advent, 11 a.m.

Baptist CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Dalhousie St., opposite Alexandra Park. Educational Day.

CONGREGATIONAL FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Dalhousie St. Welcome and a helpful message await you at the First Congregational Church.

METHODIST BRANT AVENUE METHODIST 10:00 a.m. Brotherhood; 11 a.m. Rev. J. D. Fitzpatrick, subject, Jesus and Expediency.

COLBORNE ST. METHODIST Pastor Rev. C. E. Logan, M.A., 10 a.m. Class Meeting. Mr. A. W. Brown, executive secretary.

MARLBORO ST. Rev. John E. Foster, M.A., Pastor. Fifth Anniversary and Mite Box Sunday.

WILLINGTON ST. METHODIST Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Henderson, Pastor. 10 a.m. Class meeting and Junior League.

'When the Boys Come Home' Everybody—Men and Women—Old and Young—Should Hear

Reduce Your Fat Without Dieting Years ago the formula for fat reduction was "diet."

7 p.m., public service. Sermon by the pastor; subject, "Universal Brotherhood." Anthem, "Fear Not Ye, O Israel" (Spicker); soloists, Mrs. Leeming, Mrs. McWebb, Messrs. Stubbs and Hill.

PRESBYTERIAN ALEXANDRA CHURCH Corner Peel and Colborne streets. Rev. Chas. S. Oke, Minister.

ZION PRESBYTERIAN Darling St. Opposite Victoria Park. Rev. G. A. Woodside, Minister.

First Baptist Church 11:00 a.m.—Dr. Keirstead, McMaster University, will deliver an Educational Address.

'RAW MATERIAL' Anthem—"How Long Will Thou Forget Me Oh Lord." Flueger.

HOSPITAL SHIP BURE. By Courier Lensed Wire. Halifax, Dec. 5.—The hospital ship Argus, will arrive here Saturday with about eight hundred disabled men.

SUNDAY DEC. 8th, McMASTER UNIVERSITY DAY In Brantford City Churches

SPECIAL MASS MEETING One of Canada's Great Orators CHANCELLOR A. L. McCRIMMON, M.A., L.L.D.

St. Andrew's Church ANNIVERSARY Sunday, December 8th

St. Andrew's Church ANNIVERSARY Sunday, December 8th 11:00 a.m.—Rev. J. A. Wilson of Hamilton.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHRISTADELPHIAN Jewish Prosperity—the marvel of the age and God's great sign.

Park Baptist Church Cor. George and Darling Streets. Opposite Victoria Park.

Subject: "The Threefold Message of the Cross." Bible School and Bible Classes at 3:00 p.m. sharp.

Subject: "Why it was necessary for Christ to Die." Strangers to the city and all visitors welcome at all of the services.

REAL FRENCH IVORY. Splendid assortment of Ivory Toilet Articles, every price stamped, at Brander's Drug Store.

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That noon the lunch hour did. She might be so although she questioned R. Should she pride said "There were no York streets of motor cars. Brian might called his old thought. He

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THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

CHAPTER XXVI

Brian Remains Out All Night. Ruth is Anxious

Breakfast time came and yet Brian had not returned. Ruth drank some strong coffee and made ready for the office. Had something happened to Brian, or—? Once the thought came to her that she would call Mrs. Curtis, get Mollie King's address and call her and ask if she knew where Brian was. But her pride intervened. If he should be if he had remained out with her so late that he thought best to go to some down-town hotel instead of coming home, Ruth would only have humiliated herself unnecessarily. Or Mollie had not seen him and Brian was with someone else, she would have let Mollie see her anxiety and that would be almost as bad. Brian looked so pale and worried when she reached the store that Mandel, the moment he had welcomed her back, asked if she were ill. He had not mentioned the business upon which she had been engaged. Her appearance alarmed him. "No, I am not ill. I didn't sleep well." She could not avoid contrasting his very evident regard for her with Brian's seeming carelessness. He looked anxious too. His voice had held real concern. It made Brian's defection the more glaring. That noon she went home during the lunch hour, something she never did. She thought—hoped there might be some word of Brian. But although she pocketed her pride and questioned Rachel, there was nothing. Should she call his office? Her pride said "no," her anxiety "yes." There were many accidents in New York streets due to reckless driving. My chauffeur will take you home. Brian might have been hurt. She called his office, unable to endure the thought. He might even then be

lying in some hospital. "No, Mr. Hackett went out about half an hour ago. Who shall I tell him called?" "Never mind. I'll call again." Ruth had no need to try to disguise her voice. No one would have recognized it. She started back to the shop quivering in every nerve, angry and anxious, undetermined what to do—what attitude to take toward him when he came home. "Perhaps I've been too lenient. Too easy," she said to herself, she hurried back to her work. She again had been unable to eat and had only taken a cup of strong tea. Every nerve in her body was quivering with her emotion. Yet she could not decide what to do. Finally she made up her mind that for once she would question Brian. He must tell her where he had been and with whom. Then she thought, "He may not come up to the apartment again to-night. He doesn't know I am at home." And acting upon impulse she stepped in a public telephone booth and again called the office. Brian had not yet returned, but she left word to tell him that his wife was at home. The girl promised to tell him as soon as he came in. In a measure relieved, Ruth continued on her way to the store. All the afternoon Mandel watched her closely, and was unusually thoughtful, even for him. Ruth appreciated his care for her as never before. The difference between his anxious care and Brian's indifference, hurt her yet she was soothed that someone thought of her, even if Brian did not. "You'd better stop for the day," Mandel said to her about half past four. "My car is at the door. I shall not see you for another hour. My chauffeur will take you home. Let him drive you through the park. It will do you good." Ruth often had refused to use her

employer's car. But she was almost distraught over Brian's absence the night before. It would do her good to take a drive in the park. She perhaps could think things out better there, where everything was so peaceful and quiet. She thanked Mandel and he looked so pleased when she accepted his offer that she almost changed her mind. But that prospect was too tempting, so she allowed him to assist her into the car and nodded assent when he asked to take her to the park. "Take Mrs. Hackett home. Go through the park. I shall not see you for an hour or more." Then he turned and looked back at her. She was perfectly all right, don't try to work to-morrow. You look really ill." Tears stood in Ruth's eyes. His kindness touched her. She was weak from her long fast in addition to her worry. She brushed them quickly away, but not before he had seen them and speculated upon their cause. But before she had been riding long she recovered her poise. She must not let Brian see her with her eyes. So she looked back in the luxurious car and really felt almost like herself again when the chauffeur turned into her street. As he drove up to the curb in front of the apartment Brian rounded the corner. When she stepped out he was almost at the door. He stopped and smiled, curled his lips as he turned and assisted her from the car, saying: "The telephone operator told me you were at home, so I came early." Continued on Monday

Is There a Baby On Your Christmas List?

Then here are a few suggestions from our stock that you will find of value in choosing the proper gift.

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Bib Holders
Rattles
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JEWELLERS
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It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair! Just use Danderine. It is a small bottle or a tin of Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it. Apply a little as directed, and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will, you can not find a trace of dandruff or itching hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks use when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes, but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp. Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

BRITISH WARSHIPS AT REVAL
By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, Dec. 7.—British warships have entered the Russian seaport of Reval, according to The Petit Journal, in answer to an urgent request from the government of Estonia. Similar action will be taken, the newspaper adds if any other of the Baltic nations ask Allied protection.

WANT EARLY CONFERENCE
By Courier Leased Wire
Bern, Thursday, Dec. 5.—President Wilson is urged to do his utmost to have the peace conference held at the earliest possible date, in a cablegram sent to Washington by the Swiss committee for durable peace. It is pointed out that a prolongation of the present situation threatens Europe with anarchy.

AUCTION SALE
Remember the Auction Sale of stock on December 20th; of Edward Roberts, Brantford Road.

ALL CITIZENS
In sympathy with the aims and objects of

The Brantford Municipal League

For a Bigger and Better Brantford, are cordially invited to the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Dec. 9th, at 8 p.m.

Discussion of municipal questions.
Christopher Cook, President.
Hugh M. Bell, Asst. Secy.

NUN LOSES SUIT AGAINST CHURCH

Sister Mary Basil's Case Dismissed by the Supreme Court of Ontario

By Courier Leased Wire
Toronto, Dec. 6.—By judgment of the appellate branch of the Supreme Court of Ontario today, Sister Mary Basil loses her case against the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Kingston and the Sisters of Charity of the House of Providence. But jury's verdict in her favor against Archbishop Sprhan, Sister Mary Regis and Dr. Phelan is confirmed.

The court yesterday through Chief Justice Sir William Meredith, gave a finding sustaining the appeal of the two corporate bodies, against the jury verdict, but dismissing the appeals of the individual defendants in the case. In general terms the judgment declared that the corporate bodies in question were not responsible for their representatives' acts in this matter.

The verdict of the jury gave the Sister \$20,000 damages as against the Archbishop, Sister Mary Regis, Mother Superior, and the case of the Sister of Charity, and \$4,000 as against Dr. Phelan. In connection with the forcible removal of Sister Mary from the Sisters of Charity institution.

BRANTFORD MARKET

Butter	50	55 to 60	70
Eggs	0.57	0.70	
Chickens	1.10	1.20	1.30
Geese, alive	3.00	3.00	3.00
Grain.			
Hay, per ton	14.00	18.00	
Oats, bushel	0.90	0.76	
Rye, bushel	1.50	1.50	
Straw, bales	7.00	8.00	
Wheat	0.00	2.10	
Barley, bushel	1.00	1.05	
Vegetables.			
Beans, quart	25	30	30
Onions, basket	0.00	1.40	
Green tomatoes, bas.	0.00	0.25	
Cucumbers, basket	0.35	0.65	
Cabbage, head	6.05	0.10	
Celery, large	0.00	2 for 15	
Potatoes, per bag	1.00	0.00	
Beets, bunch	0.05	0.10	
Pumpkins	0.05	0.25	
Corn, dozen	0.20	0.20	
Peas, bushel	0.50	0.60	
Castor oil, each	0.10	0.25	
Squash	0.20	0.25	
Apples, bbl.	3.00	0.00	
Apples, bushel	1.00	0.00	

DONOVAN FOR TORONTO

By Courier Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 6.—From Toronto comes a story that Pat Donovan, veteran league manager, and later a prominent club leader in the International League, is to succeed Dan Howley, as manager of the Toronto club next season. Donovan managed the Buffalo club for several years, but opened the 1918 race as pilot of the Syracuse club of the International League. Announcement as to managerial plans will be made here at the meeting of the Farrell organization next week.

TOBACCO MERGER

By Courier Leased Wire
Montreal, Dec. 6.—The merger of tobacco companies, which received considerable attention in Wall Street gossip last summer, has again been revived for discussion. The General Cigar Stores Company, the Tobacco Products Corporation and the Sumatra Tobacco Company are the three concerns mentioned. So far speculation in the stock of these concerns appear to have more information about the proposed plan than even the men directly interested, who, as yet, have nothing to say. The Tobacco Products and American Sumatra Company lately decided to increase their outstanding stock through the medium of stock dividends and the step is said by way of preparation for the merger when it takes place.

MANUFACTURER SUES MURPHY

New York, Dec. 6.—Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, was named as co-defendant in a civil suit for \$10,000,000 damages brought in the Supreme Court by Louis Marlog, a manufacturer of malt products, against the Curn Products Refining Company and others for alleged breach of contract.

The complainant states that Mr. Murphy possessed and exercised as leader of Tammany Hall great political influence, power and authority, and with the other defendants "conspired to ruin the plaintiff."

LITTLE HERO OF THE FAIR

While father, mother and all other members of the family were laid up with the influenza recently, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. McClusky, of Crest on the C. G. R., tended the stock, milked the cows, kept the home fires burning, did the cooking and waited on the seven bedridden folk.

Having issued during eleven months this year the twenty-one millions fixed upon for 1918, the company closed its books on Saturday last so far as the issue of new business is concerned.

Mr. W. H. Hammond, the district manager, reports the issue through the Brantford office for the eleven months at over \$200,000 with nearly \$100,000 extra written, which, with business written during December, will be issued as 1919 business.

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THE PAPER CONTROLLER for Canada a few weeks ago added \$12 a ton to the price of news print paper—the kind used in printing the Courier. This addition, following closely upon several previous increases authorized by the Paper Controller, has meant to Canadian newspaper publishers a total increased publishing cost, in the matter of paper alone, in the past eighteen months, of three million dollars. This very considerable sum Canadian publishers must recover from their customers, their readers and advertisers.

In connection with the earlier increases the readers of many daily newspapers have been required to pay \$1 or more per year for their newspapers, while the subscription price of very many weekly newspapers has been increased from 50 to 100 per cent. In many cases still further increases will be necessary.

But all the three million dollars increase in paper costs cannot be loaded on readers; some of this sum must come from the advertisers—this in the form of increased advertising rates. Advertising rates in Canada are, generally speaking, much lower than those in circulation than in the United States. Speaking on this point the editor of Marketing, a Canadian advertisers' newspaper published in Toronto, says in his last issue: "In meeting the Canadian publishers' calls for higher rates, advertising buyers should not fail to recognize that for years they have benefited by the publisher's undervaluation of his space, and should be the more willing on that account to recognize the present necessities." To all of which The Courier agrees.

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HORSES—3—One bay horse, 12 years old; one bay horse, 5 years old; 1 roan horse, 12 years old, good driver.

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IMPLEMENTS—McCormick binder; Deering mow, 5 ft. cut; M-H loader; M-H disc drill; M-H rake; Cockshutt steel roller, new; Deering spring tooth cultivator, new; Cockshutt manure spreader, new; M-H manure spreader, good as new; Bain sifter; Chatham fanning mill; set 4 section diamond tooth harrows; tarpn drill, new; steel scraper; No. 21 Verity plow; road cart; root puller; J. G. C. riding plow; good heavy (Gray) demerit; set heavy double harness; good open buggy.

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rk Baptist Church

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ite Victoria Park.

Services at 11.00 a.m. Rev. Lewis Sperry, who has been holding evangelistic services during past week, will preach morning.

"The Threefold Messiah." School and Bible Class, 4 p.m. sharp. 5 p.m.—Chancellor McGeorge of McMaster University give an address. The will be: "The Day After

Baird and Dorothy will occupy the pulpit. "Why it was necessary for Christ to Die." Welcome to the city and all of especially glad to have

Dec. 5.—The hospital, will arrive here Saturday about eight hundred

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THE PROGRESSIVE RECORD.
 The Toronto Globe figures that Lloyd George will be retained as Premier and that the "Conservative electorate" will have a large part in this result. In reaching this conclusion the organ depicts said Conservatives as having to swallow a terrible dose on the basis that the party in question is opposed to radical changes and forward movements. This is an old time "Ort yarn" not warranted by the facts. Take Canada as an illustration. The main opposition to Confederation came from Liberal sources; in fact, a young lawyer named Wilfrid Laurier, wrote bitterly against the project and when it was completed penned these words:

"You have succeeded, gentlemen you obtained a temporary triumph, but you have killed nationality."
 When a Conservative Government introduced a national policy of protection at a time of great distress in Canada it was the Liberals who opposed the move.

When a Conservative Government undertook the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway thus opening up the great North-West, it was the Liberals who fought the project tooth and nail; one of their leaders declaring that the road would never pay for the grease on the wheels and so the list might be extended.

Take Ontario as another illustration. For long over a quarter of a century the Liberals held power in this Province and during that period progressive moves were noticeable by their absence; instead, monopolies with regard to school books, water power and in other directions held full sway. Then the Conservatives obtained power. The school book ring was abolished, HYPER-POWER was introduced on behalf of the people, there was the placing of a Workmen's Compensation Act on the statute books; a prison farm method was established and so on through an exceedingly extensive list.

The idea so sedulously cultivated by the Globe and kindred Liberal newspapers that the Conservative party as such is not progressive, has in reality not a shred of a foundation upon which to rest. In truth the facts as Canada knows them are altogether the other way round.

THE CLOSING OF CHURCHES.
 The Courier does not see eye to eye with Rev. R. White in his criticism of Health Boards for closing churches during the Spanish influenza epidemic.

Mr. White takes the stand that "churches do not operate under a license like a theatre, or a pool room." Quite true; their license is one on behalf of the Master and the blessed truths of Christianity; and he is a benighted individual indeed who would seek to question, or lessen the uplifting and incalculable influence for good of public worship. A story is told of Robert Ingersoll and Henry Ward Beecher once happening to meet at a social gathering. It had been a very rainy day, and during proceedings Beecher related the incident of a sad sight which he had witnessed on the way thither. A cripple was negotiating a muddy crossing when a man came along and kicked both of his crutches from under his arms, leaving the unfortunate floundering in the mud. Ingersoll was the first to express his deep indignation over the occurrence when Beecher rounded on him and exclaimed, "You are the man. You see humanity leaning on Christian hope and faith, and you are all the time kicking away those supports and throwing the believer into the mire of despair. It is a hypothetical yarn, no doubt, but it enforces the great truth of the propprium which rightly attaches to those who would wantonly interfere with the means of grace, or the observance relating thereto.

This paper does not believe that the members of the Brantford Board of Health, or of kindred boards, have acted in any such spirit. It has been demonstrated beyond all that any assemblage of people constitutes a potent factor in the spreading of the "flu" and that truth holds good whether such an assemblage is in a church or anywhere else. The worthiness of the unworthiness of the cause in thus getting together, does not manifestly appeal to any sense of differentiation, as far as this particular microbe is concerned. Under such circumstances it is not

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To The Editor of The Courier
 Dear Sir—Would you kindly allow me space in the local press to make a few remarks in answer to Mr. Turnbull's letter of November 17th, which he calls a summing up of the Railway situation.

Mr. Turnbull states that the Street Railway commission is suffering from a lack of funds, and not from any lack of policy. Has Mr. Turnbull and his commission asked for funds which they have not received. A short time ago the Municipal Council, at the request of the commission granted the sum of eight thousand dollars to equip the Paris line with new cars, and at an earlier date the ratepayers of the city, including Terrace Hill, voted for the sale of the Gall end of the line, with the understanding that the proceeds were to be spent on Terrace Hill extension.

Dear Sir, I do not wish to mislead the public. Mr. Turnbull was in favor of the extension to Terrace Hill then, now and ever shall be, absolutely so, declared Mr. Turnbull. There could be no two opinions on that question. They would have had it long before the present had the war not upset the plans of the commission.

My I ask what were those plans? What is the policy Mr. Turnbull boasts of. Some time ago the Mayor asked the question "what is your policy" and in my memory serves me right Mr. Turnbull said we have no policy. Yet in the face of this Mr. Turnbull publicly resents the man who has a policy and tells us that he, Mr. Turnbull, has not been consulted. On April 23, 1917, I introduced a resolution which was carried, appointing a committee consisting of Aids, Jennings, Kelly, Hess, Jones, Secord, Harp and English and Messrs. Armstrong, Keeves, Strigon and Leggett.

Said committee waited upon the Railway Commission and almost begged them to give us some kind of service to that section. One proposed service was a sub line to be laid with the rails they had on hand. Another was a jitney service with transfers at Market street crossing and St. Paul Avenue. But Mr. Turnbull, as chairman, was immovable and finally sent us the following letter:

Brantford, June 2, 1917.
 Ald. English and Members of Com. City.
 Re. Extension of Ry. to Terrace Hill
 Gentlemen—Since your interview of recent date with our commissioners re. extension of St. Ry. to Terrace Hill, we have gone thoroughly into this important matter as to cost, and possibility of executing the work this year, and have come to the conclusion that it is not practicable or possible to undertake this work until the question of labor and material becomes much more favorable.

Our commissioners regret our inability to meet the request of your committee meantime. Thoroughly realizing the necessity of railway service to Terrace Hill for the accommodation of the residents of that important section of our city, also for the increased revenue we would receive from this extension to our incomplete system, your Commissioners sincerely hope that in the near future we will be able to undertake and complete the extension as requested by your committee.

Yours sincerely,
 Brantford Mun. Ry. Com.,
 W. R. Turnbull, Chairman
 Tell me Sir, have I ignored the Railway commission? Now Sir a word as to the advisability of the road. Mr. Turnbull says that the steel mills of Canada and the United States have more orders for reconstruction work alone than they can fill for some time to come. Somebody is optimistic, why not us? Or would Mr. Turnbull advise us to halt until the price of labor comes down, and the working man who has a \$50 or a \$100 Victory Bond saved from the sweat of his brow must sell it to buy bread?

The route which Mr. Turnbull states cannot be laid out yet has been laid out, and I have no doubt will secure a lion's share of criticism. Yet a venture to say that the best of traffic experts will have very little criticism to offer, Mr. Turnbull's urgency takes

CHINESE PEACE DELEGATION.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Peking, Dec. 2.—Lu Chen, Chinese foreign minister who will head China's delegation to the peace conference at Versailles, left last night. He was accompanied by a party of fifteen, which included De Coof, a Belgian, who will act in an advisory capacity. The delegation was given a rousing send-off by officials and the diplomatic corps. After a short stay in Japan the party will proceed to Paris by way of America.

it for granted that we have had no traffic expert on the job. How does he know?
COST OF ROUTE
 Now Sir, just a word as to Mr. Turnbull's summary of estimates of cost, and I shall speak plain, as I have no use for insinuations. Mr. Turnbull says, when a policy is submitted to the people it must be accurate and not haphazard. That is an insult too small for a man. The commissioner stated that he had never figured on the Terrace Hill end of the line costing any such figure. May I ask Mr. Turnbull what were his figures or did he ever have any.

Mr. Turnbull did not believe Ald. English was competent to outline the route for the line. He himself would not have undertaken it. Ye gods, how the mighty have fallen. Almost low enough to insinuate that just before the election I had some selfish motives.

To the residents of Terrace Hill and those enroute, I would say that God willing I shall on Monday evening next introduce the much abused by-law to the Municipal Council for its first and second reading, and ask that it be placed before the ratepayers in January for its final ratification, and to Mr. Turnbull I would say, that I shall be pleased to see him present at that meeting if he has any further opposition to offer.

JOHN W. ENGLISH,
 Brantford, Dec. 7, 1918.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Market stalls in the City of Brantford will be offered for sale by public auction on Saturday, the 14th December, 1918, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, by Welby Almas, Auctioneer.

W. J. BRAGG,
 Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee
 Brantford, Dec. 7, 1918.

AUCTION SALE

Of Groceries, Hardware, Boots, Shoes, Glass and Chinawares. Full line of everything to be sold Monday afternoon and evening at 27 GEORGE ST.

W-S-S
What is a WAR-SAVINGS STAMP?
 It is a stamp for which the Dominion of Canada will pay you \$5.00 on January 1st, 1924.
 It enables you to lend small savings to the Government at a rate of interest which accumulates 20 cents a year on each \$4.00 invested.
 A War-Savings Stamp costs you \$4.00 if purchased in December, 1918, or January, 1919, and the price increases one cent each month after January.
Canada's Pledge for FIVE DOLLARS
 Every man, woman and child in Canada should invest in War-Savings Stamps all the money that he or she can save by STRICT ECONOMY.
 With W-S-S, you can "build a bond" at your own convenience, taking advantage of the unexcelled security and the high interest. You are not tied down to making payments at stated times, though it is desirable to purchase as regularly and as often as you can.
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 By placing your W-S-S on the Certificate provided, and registering same, you are protected against loss by fire, theft or other cause. Your registered Certificate is of no value to anyone but yourself.
 As an aid to the purchase of W-S-S, you can buy THRIFT Stamps of the value of 25 cents, 16 of which may be exchanged for one W-S-S.
 W-S-S are on sale at Money-Order Post Offices, Banks, and other places displaying the W-S-S sign shown at the top of this announcement.
LOOK FOR THE SIGN.

The Proposed Crusade of the British Seamen
HOW OUR SALORS are determined to make the Huns pay for their dastardly crimes.
WHY THE British Jackies hate the German Sailors.
THE DECISION of British Seamen to take the law into their own hands and boycott the Germans on every sea.
 The above are a few of the many points which Councillor Peter Wright will take up in his talk on the German boycott, to be held in Y.M.C.A. Wycliffe Hall, Monday, December 9th, at 8 p.m.
 Councillor Peter Wright, of London, Eng., apostle of the German boycott, disciple of Havelock Wilson, and trustee of the Seamen's and Firemen's Union of Great Britain has been the greatest thorn in the flesh to German Unionism and Socialism. His implacable denunciation of Germany for her unbelievable atrocities made him a marked man.
Board of Trade Rooms
Monday, December 9th, 1918
 AT 8 P. M. SHARP
All Seats FREE Come Early
REMEMBER THE DAY — THE DATE — THE TIME
 Auspices NAVY LEAGUE OF CANADA

FOR RED CROSS
 Red-Cross subscribers are now arrears are being up back payment year.
ANNIVERSARY
 St. Andrew Church will observe to-morrow, Dec. 8, the anniversary of the death of two clergymen.
CASES SETTLED
 The cases of Ham, and Berlin were slated for winter sessions, but have been settled out of list of cases by two.
TRUE ENOUGH
 "It looks as if this Christmas after all," a local commentator says, "he does, it will be the dinner water."
HEATING PLAN
 St. Basil's Church which was closed and summer has gone fresh re-arrangement of an heating plant, and giving good.
CHRISTMAS SHOP
 Merchants of did a brisk business and report that is beginning. A prominent among the day.
VICTORY BOND
 Local banks yesterday received statement on Victory loan. Practically all necessary instalment purchases.
WARBURTON
 Considerable the visit of G. Toronto, to this Warburton, leading figures in Canada, will be local institution.
EXPECTED BIRTH
 Chief of Police his son, Lieut. Olive home some Lieut. Slemin, who was 125th wounded in the summer. His Slemin, arrived.
FARMERS MEETING
 A. Powers, G. Gurney and W. principal speakers farmers' meeting for purposes in afternoon. A present, and severance came up.

Local News

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Red Cross subscriptions for December are now due. Subscribers in arrears are being requested to make up back payments to complete the year.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will observe its anniversary to-morrow. Special services will be conducted morning and evening by two clergymen from Hamilton.

CASES SETTLED.

The cases of Ritchie vs. Cunningham, and Bertus vs. G.T.R., which were slated for a hearing at the winter sessions next week, have been settled out of court, and the list of cases is accordingly reduced by two.

TRUE ENOUGH.

"It looks as if the Kaiser may eat this Christmas dinner in Paris after all," a local citizen was heard to comment this morning. "But if he does, it will be in a jail cell, and the dinner will be bread and water."

HEATING PLANT.

St. Basil's Church, the interior of which was decorated last spring and summer, has recently undergone fresh renovations by the installation of an up-to-date steam heating plant, which is now in use and giving good satisfaction.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Merchants of nearly every class did a brisk business all day to-day and report that the Christmas rush is beginning. Rural residents were prominent among the shoppers of the day.

VICTORY BONDS.

Local banks put in a busy day yesterday receiving the second instalment on Victory Bonds of the last loan. Practically all subscribers were of hand in time with the necessary instalments to cover their purchases.

WARBURTON COMING.

Considerable interest centres on the visit of G. A. Warburton, of Toronto, to this city on Monday. Mr. Warburton, who is one of the leading figures in Y.M.C.A. work in Canada, will be entertained at the local institution.

EXPECTED HOME.

Chief of Police Slemin expects his son, Lieut. Cliff Slemin, to arrive home some time next week. Lieut. Slemin went overseas with the 12th Battalion and was wounded in the heavy fighting last summer. His brother, Capt. Duff Slemin, arrived home a week ago.

FARMERS MET.

A Powers, Col. Fraser, C. W. Gurney and W. C. Good were the principal speakers at a monster farmers' meeting held for organization purposes in the Y.M.C.A. this afternoon. A large number were present, and several matters of importance came up for discussion.

McMASTER DAY.

A professor from McMaster University will occupy the pulpit at each of the local Baptist churches to-morrow, in observance of McMaster Day. Chancellor McCrimmon, of the University, will address a mass meeting in Park Church in the afternoon.

SIDEWALKS SLIPPERY.

The accumulated snow of a week has rendered pedestrianism among the most dangerous of sports in some parts of the city, where the sidewalks are in a very slippery condition. Action by the police is likely to follow if conditions are not improved by the householders.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Interest in the newly formed Municipal League, the inaugural meeting of which was held this week, is growing daily, and a large attendance is promised for the next meeting of the association, on Monday evening. Several matters of important business are scheduled for consideration.

THEIR TERMS ARE UP.

There will be five vacancies on the Board of Education at the end of this month, when the terms of Mr. Gamble, Dr. Marquis, L. L. Miller, A. Coulbeck and M. W. McEwen expire. C. H. Hartman's term on the Railway Commission also expires, as do those of F. Cookshutt and W. Glover on the Parks Board. Members of the two former boards are elected by the ratepayers, but the City Council makes the appointments to the Parks Board.

KITH AND KIN.

A meeting of the Terrace Hill Kith and Kin was held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Borthwick, Dundas street. The meeting opened with the National Anthem, followed by the Kith and Kin prayer. Various business was attended to and it decided to donate a sum of money to the influenza fund. Dainty refreshments were handed round by the hostess, which were much enjoyed. The meeting closed with the Women's Anthem.

DAMAGES CLAIMED.

A vexatious question arose at the meeting of the Parks Board Thursday night, when a claim for damages sustained in a fall on the platform at the entrance to Mohawk Park, was submitted by a local woman. "Does that platform belong to us or to the Street Railway?" one member of the Board wanted to know. "It was built by the Street Railway," observed another. "But we took it and all the other buildings when we bought the park," declared a third. The claim amounting to \$25, will be settled.

SOCIAL EVENING.

A very pleasant evening was spent by some of the members of Terrace Hill Kith and Kin on Friday, December 6th, at the home of their president, Mrs. Earthy, Dundas street, it being the occasion of her birthday. The members gathered together and called to make her a presentation of a silver tray and a bouquet of roses. An address was also read by Mrs. Rothchild. The president was very much taken by surprise and suitably acknowledged the gifts. Music, games and dancing was then indulged in, refreshments later being served. A very happy time was spent by all. Three cheers were given for the president. The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

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Misses' dongola bals, high cut. Sizes 11 to 2. Regular \$3.50. Saturday, per pair **\$2.48**

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PATRIOTIC FUND.

The regular meeting of the Patriotic Society was held last evening, when business of a routine nature was dealt with.

RECEIVE BONUS.

The employees of the Department of Civil Service have at last received their bonus which was promised them from the 1st of April last to December first.

MAILS HEAVY.

British registered mail was received at the Postoffice this morning. Last night the regular mail arrived. The mails are growing heavier each day with the approach of the Christmas rush.

BRITAIN DAY.

To-day is observed as Britain Day in the United States, when the republic pays tribute to her Anglo-Saxon ally in the great war for democracy. The day is being specially celebrated in all the large American cities.

WILL BE IN COOGNE.

Major Gordon J. Smith has received word from his son, Lieut. Morson Smith, that he expects to be in Cologne, Germany, on December 12th. Lieut. Smith will overseas with the 25th Battalion, transferring to the 4th Battalion whilst in England.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

To-morrow is observed as a holy day for the feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Roman Catholic church. As the feast this year falls on Sunday its observance takes the form of the usual Sunday services.

HIGH SCHOOL CLUB.

The regular meeting of the High School Club was held last night the Y. M. C. A. Three group leaders were chosen during the evening to take charge of study groups, two for the school groups, and one for the "Possibly" or old boys of the school. These were B. Kitchen, S. Watt, and Ralph Williamson, respectively. The first regular study night will be taken next Friday.

SPEAKS FOR SEAMEN.

If you are interested in unionism you should hear Peter Wright. If you are interested in the British seaman and his work (during the past four years) you should hear Peter Wright. He is the representative of the Merchant Seamen and Firemen's Union, and has a big story to tell of Hun atrocities on the sea. He tells, too, what the Seamen's Union has decided upon as fitting punishment for the Hun. He declares politicians will not be permitted to dictate how the seamen shall treat the Hun. You should hear Peter Wright on the Board of Trade rooms Monday night at 8 o'clock. He speaks on behalf of the Navy League. Mr. W. G. Raymond will be chairman.

FIRE PREVENTION LEAGUE IS BEING ORGANIZED HERE

Preliminary Meeting Held Under Board of Trade Auspices Last Night

A meeting of the Committee appointed to make arrangements for the General Meeting to be held next Friday, Dec. 13, for the purpose of considering the formation of a Brantford Branch of the Fire Prevention League.

1.—The formation of a Brantford Branch of the Fire Prevention League.

2.—The formation of Chapters in the City and County representing special interests and localities, was held last evening in the Board of Trade Chamber, the following being the Committee:

Frank Cookshutt, Member of Executive Committee.

D. J. Lewis, Chief Fire Dept.

Ald. H. J. Symons, Chairman, Fire and Light Committee.

G. J. Mianes, Chairman Board of Health.

E. C. Tench, Chairman, Manufacturer's Committee.

C. F. Ramsey, Chairman Retail Merchants' Committee.

B. Inglis, Chairman, Merchant's Club.

C. Gress, Representing Grocers' and Butchers' Association.

E. Y. Bunnett, Representing Fire Underwriters' Association.

E. E. C. Kilmer, Inspector City Public Schools.

T. W. Standing, Inspector County Public Schools.

Joe. H. Ham, M. P.

Mrs. C. F. Ramsey, Chairman Dufferin School League.

Mrs. J. A. Marquis, Chairman Victoria School League.

Mrs. A. N. Reck, Chairman Alexandra School League.

Mrs. F. E. Morrison, Chairman Ryerson School League.

Mr. C. E. Baldwin, Chairman King Edward School League.

Mrs. Robert Henderson, Chairman King George School League.

Miss W. Phair, Chairman Central School League.

Mr. C. L. Gamble, Chairman Central School League.

Representing Board of Trade.

C. M. Thompson, L. M. Waterous, M. MacPherson, Cook, J. S. Downing, Geo. Hately.

Representatives of Separate Schools to be appointed.

The president, Mr. U. G. Ellis, and Secretary Mr. Hately of the Board of Trade, were Chairman and Secretary of the meeting.

After the object of the meeting had been explained by the Chairman, and addressed by Messrs. Frank Cookshutt, Mr. F. Bunnett, Mr. T. W. Standing and others, Resolutions were adopted as follows:

1.—The formation of a Branch and Chapters, moved by Mr. B. Inglis, seconded by Mr. K. V. Bunnett.

That in the opinion of this meeting a Brantford Branch of the Ontario Fire Prevention League should be organized, and also that Chapters should be formed representing the various interests and localities in the city and county, and recommended that for these purposes an Organization Committee be appointed at the General meeting on Dec. 13th.

General invitation moved by Mr. U. Gress, seconded by Mr. T. W. Standing.

That a general invitation to the Board of Trade Council, Fire Dept., Board of Health, Board of Trade, Merchants' Club, Grocers' and Butchers' Association, Collegiate Institution, Public and Separate School Teachers, Members of the School Boards and to all who may be interested in preventing waste by fire.

CLOSING THE CHURCHES.

To the Editor of The Courier:

Sir,—I notice in your issue of yesterday, 5th, that the Rev. Robt. White objects to the closing of churches during the epidemic. I was always under the impression that the representatives of churches as a rule, were supposed to be law-abiding. Evidently this gentleman is not so. Epidemics are quite as contagious in churches as anywhere else where people congregate, and by the bye, does not the church arrogate to itself the right to dominate over the will of the people (and without)? Vote prohibition, etc. He denies the right, etc. Who gave him the right to override the civil law, which every citizen has to submit to? Personally, I consider prohibition (not yet a law except Prussianized) compulsory vaccination, poll taxes, etc., inhuman laws. If it is good to shut up a theatre it is good to shut up a church. And the days of superstition are nearly gone, my good sir. And in an epidemic a doctor is much more important than a church full of persons. You wonder why the workers keep away from church. I will tell you, because of your inhuman attempt at dominating and interfering with things that don't concern you. "Sparing souls" is what you should keep to.

REG. HESTER.

A YEAR AGO.

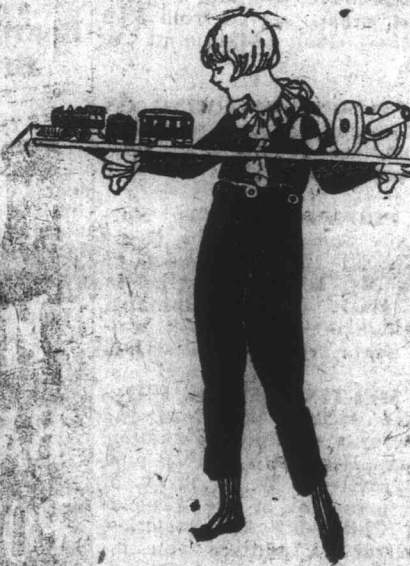
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Police, Magistrate Livingston, Chief Slemin and Mr. J. H. Spence are in receipt of the following letter:

I have been constantly informed by my officers in charge of Recruiting of the sterling service you have rendered in connection with recruiting for the Royal Air Force in Canada.

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking you for your aid and congratulating you upon the splendid results achieved through your efforts.

I wish also to say that it was not until Civilian Recruiting Committees were organized throughout Canada that a sufficient supply of Cadets was ensured, and the success of our efforts in establishing training guaranteed.

You will be interested to know that we have sent overseas 2336 trained Pilots, while we have 552 in Canada, who have completed their training. These figures are considered very remarkable in England.

Yours very sincerely,

C. ROAKE,

Brigadier-General Commanding Royal Air Force, Canada

To the above it may be added that 50 of the finest type of young men were secured from Brantford and Brant County.

LEADER OFFICERS.

At last night's meeting of the Mt. Horeb Chapter, the following officers were elected: Mr. Geo. Bloomfield, 2; Mr. John Drysdale, 3; Mr. S. Tapscott, 4; Mr. H. B. Gardner, treasurer; Mr. F. S. Bialn, secretary; Mr. E. J. Mopper, 5; Mr. C. E. Kitchen, P.S. The first review was then put on by the members, immediately afterwards the adjourned to be published when Mr. R. E. Hutt, of Inspector and Grand Superintendent of Brant District, No. 3, gave a most inspiring address.

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RED CROSS SUBSCRIPTIONS for December now due. Subscribers in arrears are requested to make up back payments to complete the year.

KITCHENER CLUB WILL HOLD bazaar and tea in Y.M.C.A. Home-made cooking for sale Saturday, December 14th. Come. Help us to buy food and comforts for our prisoners of war.

MRS. BOND'S CLASS BAZAAR ON Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 12th, in Alexandra Sunday schoolroom. Fancy goods, aprons and home-made cooking. Pork and bean supper served from 5.50 to 8.25c. Good program in the evening.

GIRLS AND BOYS WORKING ON S. S. Census, please attend last mass meeting at Y.M.C.A., Sunday afternoon at 4.15.

JEWISH PROSPERITY—The March of the Age and God's Great Sin. Special subject, Sunday, 7 p.m., by Mr. E. W. Mayell, in C.O.F. Hall (Christadelphian), 136 Dalhousie street. All well come. Seats free. No collection.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CHILDREN'S Aid Society, Brantford and Brant County, Children's Shelter, Thursday, Dec. 12th, at 3 p.m. All are invited. W. L. Scott, of Ottawa, president of the Association of Children's Aid Societies, will deliver an address on juvenile courts.

SUBJECTS OF VITAL IMPORTANCE dealt with by Lewis S. Chaffer at Park Baptist Church, Saturday, 8 p.m., "The Blessings of the Believer at the Coming of the Lord." Sunday, 11 a.m., "The Threefold Message of the Cross." 7 p.m., "Why Was It Necessary for Christ to Die."

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NORFOLK NEWS

SIMCOE AGENCIES WANT PERMANENT ROADS

Public Meeting on Highway Question Was Held Last Night DEMAND IS GENERAL

Board of Education Held a Brief Session of Routine Business

From our own Correspondent. Simcoe, Dec. 7.—Mayor Sihler being engaged with his colleagues on the utilities commission, Reeve Carter presided at a public meeting held last night in the town hall to discuss the road question. Engineer Marston gave a lucid account of kinds of roads, their cost, construction, degree of resistance to traffic, and maintenance cost. The meeting was called to sound the alarm and get a consensus of opinion regarding next year's program.

All of One Accord "We've been talking for thirty years about doing something and still nothing is even started."—F. Reid. "A Brantford man told me years ago that Simcoe would not progress for the present generation, as the business men were a self-satisfied bunch; though fine fellows."

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Finally a committee of five was appointed to consider the best method of financing an annual levy for small additions or alterations for at least half a mill. It really looks as if Simcoe is going to make a new start.

Mr. David Skeely presided at a public meeting held in the council chamber last evening to elect officers for the hockey club. The fraternity joined the mass meeting after electing the following: Hon. Pres.—James Peachy, President—D. Robt. Tisdale, 1st Vice-Pres.—Dr. McGuire, 2nd Vice-Pres.—J. Porter, Sec.—Treas.—E. D. Holding, Managing Committee—L. Cratt, E. Carter, J. E. Edgeworth.

The management will go to victory or defeat with an all home brew at the school. The school contract was reported in progress. The usual routine business was wound up in little more than half an hour.

It is hoped that Mrs. McCool will be able to resume work at New Year's. The architect's final certificate for the last \$2000 due the contractor on the school contract was reported in progress. Mr. Chapman was in town and the school contract was reported in progress.

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Norfolk County Council Through

Closed Its Deliberations for 1918 Yesterday Afternoon

NO GRANT TO WARDEN Motion to Issue Cheque was Abandoned at His Own Request

From our own Correspondent. Simcoe, Dec. 7.—The county council of 1918 completed its deliberations yesterday and adjourned "sine die" without voting the Warden the time-honored cheque for \$100. Instead the minutes will show a resolution of appreciation offered by the representatives of Townsend and optimistic all that was said to that end at Thursday evening's social luncheon.

But the motion was proposed however and withdrawn at the request of Warden Buck, who observed that his predecessor, ex-Warden Cridland, had refused to sign the cheque in his own favor, although the press reports left the impression that he had received the money. Two previous Wardens since 1914 accepted the gift and turned it over to patriotic purposes. But since 1914 there has been no Warden's supper in Norfolk, a function which furnished for years previous thereto, an excuse for the grant which was originally made to reimburse the First Magistrate for services for which at present an allowance is made.

At the request of the warden, a resolution, setting forth the reason for discontinuing the grant, was passed. Henceforth, it will be "no warden's supper, no honorarium."

A by-law to include in the county road system streets through Delhi, Pt. Dover and Waterford to quagmires dead ends, was formally passed. The public buildings committee recommended the purchase of half a dozen modern jail beds, and the report was adopted.

The jail was reported to be in general good condition, under good management.

Road Making in 1919. The report of the special committee on county roads foreshadowed activity in construction work during 1919. The centre of operations will be between Port Dover and Simcoe, and between Courland and the western county limits towards Tillsonburg.

A new snow fence by-law replacing that passed a few months ago, altered somewhat the character of the reimbursement to those removing stump and rail fences, and designated wire fencing as to height, 4-ft., and numbering of strands, 7 to 9.

W. S. Maintenance The committee on education recommended the payment of \$711.28 to Port Dover, and \$186.16 to Vienna high school, for cost of maintenance of county pupils, and a special grant of \$150 to Delhi continuation school. The report was adopted.

Sons of Scotland Re-organizing

Women Will in Future be Admitted to Membership in the Order

The regular meeting of Camp Scotia, S.O.S., was held on Thursday evening with Past Chief Hodge presiding, and showed a marked increase of interest in the work of the Camp. A very large amount of routine business was put through in a quick order. Very keen interest was shown in the coming visit of Harry Lauder, and the Camp decided to do all in its power to tender him a cordial welcome. Considerable satisfaction was expressed in the arrangement to reserve a large block of seats for the benefit of members and friends, while the secretary reported that the greater part of those were already taken up, and the list will probably not long remain open.

Now that the society, recognizing the equality of superiority of women, has opened its doors to admit daughters as well as sons of Scotland. A very lively interest was taken in the matter of organization, which is expected, will be inaugurated after the holiday season. With a new and wider field of operations, prospects are bright that Camp Scotia of the Sons and Daughters of Scotland, will soon be in a position, better and stronger than ever before, able and ready to give help and sympathy where such is needed, and fitly do their part in upholding the glorious deeds and traditions of their native land.

Where Brothers Meet. Frank Maxwell, writing from France, after the armistice began says: "Been celebrating here for a week, holding one morning for president another battalion coming up halted for a few moments and who did I meet but Clara. 'Is was Clara Maxwell of Brantford, his brother who went overseas last February. Writing to his wife a day or so before the same writer said, 'can't tell you all that happened when fighting ceased, would take too much letter or words to that effect."

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TEACHERS SALARIES LOW. Montreal, Dec. 5.—That salaries paid to teachers in the rural elementary schools of the province averaged \$24.27 per month, and that the lowest salary paid was \$18 per

month, was the statement in the report read last night before the 54th annual convention of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers of Quebec held in the high school

In selecting your reading for 1919 do not overlook that old standby, The Farmers' Weekly Sun. There is no other paper like it. No increase in price. One Dollar per year. Free sample copies will be sent on request.

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An interesting organization of clubs through given by the international of the movement members of here, at a luncheon at the Club at noon.

Previous to the had been decided to hold a meeting there on the 13th of the year 1918. In the 78th year of the club's existence.

In Australia there are many clubs and this is the cream of the club's activities. The speaker said that the club like Winnipeg, where both clubs are in hand in hand in the feelings of the club.

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In some cities 12 o'clock noon is set for one of the meetings. There is an hour spent at minutes lost, a great deal to avoid this loss at the meeting.

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The International Organizer Spoke to Local Members of That Body

An interesting outline of the organization and work of the Kiwanis clubs through North America was given by Allen S. Browne of Buffalo international organizer and founder of the movement, to some fifty members of the newly formed club here at a luncheon in the Brantford Club at noon yesterday.

Mr. Hazen of the Kiwanis club of Montreal, and a member of the Educational Council, stated that with such a class of men, we do not think an Educational address necessary and as the time was limited, Mr. Browne should be given a chance for as long an address as possible.

Mr. Browne, Previous to 1914, Mr. Browne stated he had been a worker in Fraternities and societies and had decided to start a business men's club. As a result the speaker went to Detroit in January 1915 and started organization work. At the first meeting there were only five members present but in July the membership had mounted to 186 and now the figures are nearing the 300 mark. The second Kiwanis club was organized in Cleveland, Ohio, and the third in Pittsburgh, Pa., in January 1916. In December 1917, there were 72 Kiwanis Clubs reaching from Winnipeg, Man., to Dallas, Texas.

In Australia and the capital of Ireland there are some 1200 members and this shows the popularity of the club in the business men of the cities.

The speaker then emphasized the fact that the Kiwanis club is not a rival of the Rotary Club. In cities like Winnipeg, Windsor and Buffalo where both Kiwanis and Rotary clubs are in existence, they work hand in hand and there are no petty feelings of jealousy or dissension. Mr. Browne felt that when the Kiwanis club is finally established in Brantford the Rotary club will be glad to join hands and work together for the benefit of Brantford. As a rule the Kiwanis hold their meetings for an hour at noon, 20 to 25 minutes being spent for lunch, 5 minutes for roll call, 5 minutes for conversation and remainder for addresses.

There should not be more than an hour spent at these meetings as 10 minutes lost from business means a great deal to a business man. To avoid this loss it is essential to be at the meeting at the hour appointed. In some cities the Club meets at 12 o'clock noon, and an alarm clock is set for one o'clock. If the speaker is on the floor, and the clock rings those present are entitled to leave the meeting.

There is an annual meeting held by representatives of the Kiwanis Clubs in different cities each year and the meeting place for the coming year is decided at each annual meeting.

This year it will be held in Birmingham, Alabama. The meeting of the representatives was to be held in Winnipeg but the club in that city had decided to wait until the end of the war, when the representatives will be given a better time.

Demobilization of Troops

THE demobilization of the Canadian Expeditionary Force is perhaps the most important problem now confronting the Dominion Government, and the transportation of the troops from the port of landing to their home destination is a work which will require skilful handling. On reaching Canadian soil, and their hard fought battles in foreign countries, the veterans will deserve all the consideration that can be given to them.

It was therefore a wise decision on the part of the Dominion Government when they decided that the Canadian Railway War Board should appoint a committee that will make all the arrangements necessary for the transportation of the soldiers through Canada.

The War Board so constituted the committee that it is representative of the three principal Canadian railways. Ever since the beginning of the war officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway have been conspicuous as leaders in the country's patriotic efforts, and now Lieutenant Colonel Walter Maughan, Assistant General Passenger Agent of the C.P.R., has been chosen chairman of the committee that is to undertake the responsibility for the train transportation of the soldiers to their places of abode in Canada. Lieutenant Colonel Maughan's long experience and his thorough knowledge of railroad affairs make him thoroughly qualified to fill the position for which he has been selected.

In March, 1912, at the age of sixteen years, Walter Maughan joined the staff of the Canadian Pacific Railway as a clerk in the Toronto office. In September of the same year he was transferred to Hamilton to act in a similar capacity. In 1913 he was again brought back to the Toronto office, and in March, 1917, he became city passenger agent in the Queen City. On November 1st, 1917, he became assistant district passenger agent in Toronto. One month later he was promoted to become assistant general passenger agent in Montreal.

Lieutenant Colonel Maughan is representing the C.P.R. on the newly formed committee. Mr. H. H. Melanson will represent the Canadian Government Railways, and Mr. C. W. Johnson the Grand Trunk Railway.

By a co-ordination of effort it is believed that the representatives of the three big Canadian railways can so regulate railway transportation arrangements as to insure the safe and comfortable return of the Canadian soldier to their homes. The headquarters of the committee will be in Ottawa, where the committee will be in direct touch with the Canadian Government.

A preliminary meeting of the committee was recently held in Montreal, when the Minister of Militia was represented by Colonel E. E. Clarke, Director General of Supplies and Transport.

Under the circumstances it is believed that the Canadian soldier who so bravely answered the call of duty when the country was in danger,

than could be given them during war time.

The representations sent consists of the presiding officer of the Kiwanis club and one member, the two to cast one vote between them. This system eliminates unfairness in any degree.

Mr. Brown stated that in Montreal where the International Association have their headquarters, there are the following officers: president, 3 vice-presidents, a treasurer and 8 trustees. This international Association is in charge of all the Kiwanis clubs in existence.

In the city of Hamilton the club has been formed only two years and already they have done much good for the city. At the second meeting of the Kiwanis club of Windsor, which has been in operation for only 3 months, it was suggested that they could raise \$800.00 for the returned soldiers fund, which so far had been unobtainable. This campaign had been given a great deal of publicity and was to last one day. They started at 8.30 in the morning and by 10.30 the same night they had obtained \$1,100.00. Mr. Brown stated that one of the ideas of the Kiwanis club was to have its members live "above the dock."

That is to be the same on Friday and Saturday nights, when the members dress for church on Sunday. Not to act with one spirit at business and another at church.

The speaker made reference to the fact that the members of the club are each other and of the business, in which they were concerned. He thought the Brantford association would be a success and would try to arrange a party to be held after the holidays. The intention is to invite the Windsor members to Brantford for a night.

The hour allotted for the luncheon had then expired and Mr. Browne promised that in a couple of weeks time he would return and bring with him some concrete examples that would make the Kiwanis club in Brantford a most successful organization.

For Soldiers' Kiddies.

Capt. the Rev. C. E. Jenkins said he was glad to hear of the work done for the G. W. V. A. in Windsor and told the members that the War Veterans of this city were having a Christmas tree for the soldier's Kiddies. There are to be four trees distributed evenly about the city. However \$500 is needed to carry the project out and he appealed for funds.

The speaker then moved a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Brown for his work and for giving them such a splendid address, seconded by Mr. E. H. Boddy, and passed unanimously.

The entertainment committee for next week will be composed of Messrs. E. R. Road, A. H. Boddy, and J. Minnes. The collection for the Kiddies Christmas tree was then taken up and \$115 was realized.

During the luncheon Mr. A. E. Warren sang "La Marseillaise" very acceptably.

A song was then sung by the members.

INCREASE PENSIONS

By Courier Leased Wire

London, Dec. 5.—The British government, it is announced officially, has decided to increase war pensions owing to the high cost of living. The increase will be 20 per cent.

FLU IN NOVA SCOTIA

Halifax, Dec. 7.—Influenza has again become prevalent in Nova Scotia. In a report issued by the department of public health to-day, it was stated that the disease was present in 46 districts of the province.

SPoke to Baptist MISSION CIRCLE

Miss Hume of Y. W. C. A. Gave Address on "Raising of Nazareth."

Members of the First Baptist church Mission Circle met yesterday afternoon with a large attendance. The first part of the meeting was given to the scriptural roll call of membership. Miss Hume gave an address based upon the story of "The Raising of Nazareth."

Miss Hume dealt with her subject in a clear and very convincing way for the marked interest it evoked amongst her listeners. Mrs. F. L. Wright took for her text, "Man shall not live by bread alone." Mrs. Wright's paper showed careful and interesting preparation, and members expressed much pleasure in two such splendid addresses. Miss Secord rendered a pleasing solo.

CAR SERVICE RESUMED.

By Courier Leased Wire

Cleveland, Dec. 6.—Normal street car service in this city was resumed at five o'clock this morning after a complete tie-up since 5 o'clock Tuesday morning.

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South Brant Members to Send Aid to Convalescent Hospital Overseas

Three years ago the members of the South Brant District of the Women's Institute furnished a cot at the Canadian convalescent hospital, Hampton Court Road, England, an institution where many brave Canadian boys have been nursed back to health. To-day, the ladies of the institute are holding a cooking sale and the proceeds will be forwarded overseas to be used towards the upkeep of this splendid piece of philanthropic work they commenced.

The ladies of the executive board are Mrs. Brethour, district president, Miss B. Roselofson, district secretary, Mrs. H. J. Jennings, 1st vice-president, Mrs. John Weir, and vice-president, Mrs. Clement, 3rd vice-president. A committee having tables with home-made cooking are Mesdames D. Minnes, Joseph Even, Joseph Williams and the Mesdames Margaret Laird, Mabel Jennings and Flanders. Mrs. J. J. Hurley, an honorary member, is also assisting. The sale commenced at 3 o'clock this morning and continued all afternoon. All kinds of pastry, bread, vegetables, eggs and butter were for sale. A list of specialties were Christmas cakes, plum puddings, potted meats and mince meat.

CITY ENGINEER ASKS INCREASE

Presents Facts and Figures in Justification of Same

At a meeting of the Board of Works Committee, City Engineer Jones asked for an increase, and in doing so submitted the following data:

Engineer for city for 33 years. City Engineer under salary for 25 years. During that time the waterworks, storm and sanitary sewer system, flood prevention works, bridges and local improvements have been constructed.

Present salary \$2,600. Application for \$3,800.

Only increase during past 9 years ending with this month has been \$200, or an advance of 8 per cent.

The rate of wages paid by the corporation has doubled during these 9 years and the cost of living (see pages 768 and 772 of the Sept. 16th issue of the Courier) has doubled while the advance in the salaries of the other officials has averaged over 70 per cent.

While some of the officials holding professional positions require only part of their time, the local improvement charges for engineering under normal conditions are more than sufficient to meet the salary.

Since the retirement of the retiring inspector the city engineer has carried out the work the fees paid in this year amounting to \$835. A table prepared in 1916 of the salaries paid the city engineers in 33 cities and towns shows an average of over \$3,600, while in more than half the places the average amount is \$4,650.

FISH TIPS AND CHIPS

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Flat Fish Fred and Cod Fish Alf retain their confidence

Hotel owners and proprietors of restaurants in New York have joined forces to fight the waiters on strike.

Henry P. Davison, chairman of the War Council of the American Red Cross, urges no cessation of the work of the organization at present.

EAT MORE SEA FISH

The people of Ontario are eating much more fish in many places 100 per cent more than year ago, was a statement made this afternoon to The Courier by E. O. Sawyer, Jr., of Ottawa, assistant superintendent of the Fish Department of the Food Board. Mr. Sawyer is making a tour of Ontario cities conferring with dealers and civic officials with a view to promoting the consumption of sea fish in particular.

The need for conservation of beef and other meats is still as pressing as it was while the war was actually on, Mr. Sawyer points out. In addition to sending meat overseas, America must send live cattle to replace the lost herds of France and Belgium. Therefore the use of sea fish, cod, haddock, sole, plaice and flounder, is being advocated. A campaign to popularize cod fish is at present under way with good results.

Some women, unaccustomed to the use of codfish, have bought some of that fish in 25¢ packages and mistaken the cod small, which disappears in the cooking,

for the aroma of diseased fish, Mr. Sawyer states. It is to overcome such prejudice as to this that the Fish Department is now sending sixty per cent of its work is along educational lines, now that distribution and transportation are no longer problems. All of the sea fish named above can be obtained by the public at a cost of less than fifteen cents a pound.

Mr. Sawyer has visited twenty-five cities in Ontario, and in all of them his work has been successful with the exception of Kitchener, where, he states, the inhabitants prefer sausage to fish.

INTER-ALLIED CONFERENCE

By Courier Leased Wire

Paris, Dec. 7.—The Inter-Allied Conference at Paris to deal with the peace preliminaries will open on December 17, according to The Echo de Paris. The session of this body is thought will end about January 15, when the preliminary sessions of the peace conference will begin with the admission of the German plenipotentiaries. The probability of the conference may finish its labors at the end of April or at the beginning of May is indicated, according to this journal.

It is believed, the newspaper adds, that the French plenipotentiaries will be selected from among the members of the government who will be assisted by eminent technical advisers.

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FAREWELL TO W.C.T.U. WORKER

The Paris Association Bade Adieu to Miss Julia Roberts This Week BIBLE SOCIETY MET Annual Reports Submitted, and Officers Elected For 1919

From our own Correspondent
Paris, Dec. 5.—A very pleasant time was spent at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Sprinagle, yesterday afternoon when the members of the W. C. T. U. met to say farewell to one of their valued workers in the person of Miss Julia Roberts who is leaving town shortly. During the afternoon, Mrs. John Davis, president of the W. C. T. U., read an appropriate address, and Mrs. Geo. E. Taylor presented Miss Roberts with a handsome bible on behalf of the society. Before leaving a dainty repast was served by the hostess.

At the annual meeting of the Upper Canada Bible Society, held in the Baptist church last evening, the Rev. Jesse Gibson, secretary of the Bible Society, told a thrilling and interesting story of what the bible has accomplished on the battlefield's during this war. A large number of actual battle photos were taken under the authority of the British Government, were shown on canvas, which held the large audience spell-bound throughout the meeting.

The President, Mr. John Penman, occupied the chair. After devotional exercises, the secretary, Mr. Ernest Apps, read the following report:

The executive of the Paris branch of the Bible Society take pleasure in presenting their report for the year ending Dec. 30, 1918.

From a financial side we are happy to report that the year just closed has dealt very kindly with our branch; some \$30.90 more have been raised than was obtained last year, this setting a high water mark for this branch with total contributions of \$376.80, which we believe would have been greater had it not been for the influenza epidemic.

This society is deeply indebted to the lady collectors for their splendid services so cheerfully rendered, not only in collecting money but in the distribution of Bible Society literature during their calls, thus educating our people in the work of the Bible Society and the advantages resulting from the distribution of God's word to the new comers to our country.

In looking over the year 1918, we think all those who have helped make this work a success, have cause for encouragement. We have also cause for regret, for we have this year lost the services of one who has been intimately associated with the Bible Society work for many years,

and who served it so faithfully and well as treasurer, I refer to our esteemed friend, Mr. Lewis Maus, who was compelled through ill-health to sever his connection as an officer of this society, and we desire in this way to place on record our esteem for him and our appreciation of his services.

We desire to thank those who have contributed to this work, and trust that the people of our community may become increasingly interested in the work of the Bible Society, and that it may increase and grow from year to year.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mr. John Penman; vice-presidents, Mr. J. Moyle, Dr. Burt, and Miss James; treasurer, Mr. John Lindsay; secretary, Mr. E. O. Apps. Members of the executive committee: Mr. D. M. Lee, Mr. Henry Rehder, Mr. John Inksater, Mr. John Carnie, Dr. Jeffrey, Mr. Fred Wallis, Mr. James Smiley, Mr. Geo. Featherstone, Mr. David Patton, Mr. R. E. Paine, Mrs. S. McCosh, Mrs. E. O. Apps, Mrs. N. Brockbank, Captain of Salvation Army, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and of the Y. W. C. A., with the ministers of the town.

The financial report, presented by Mr. John Lindsay, showed a total of \$429.15 collected during the year, with an expenditure of \$9.60. The treasurer of the British and Foreign Bible Society.

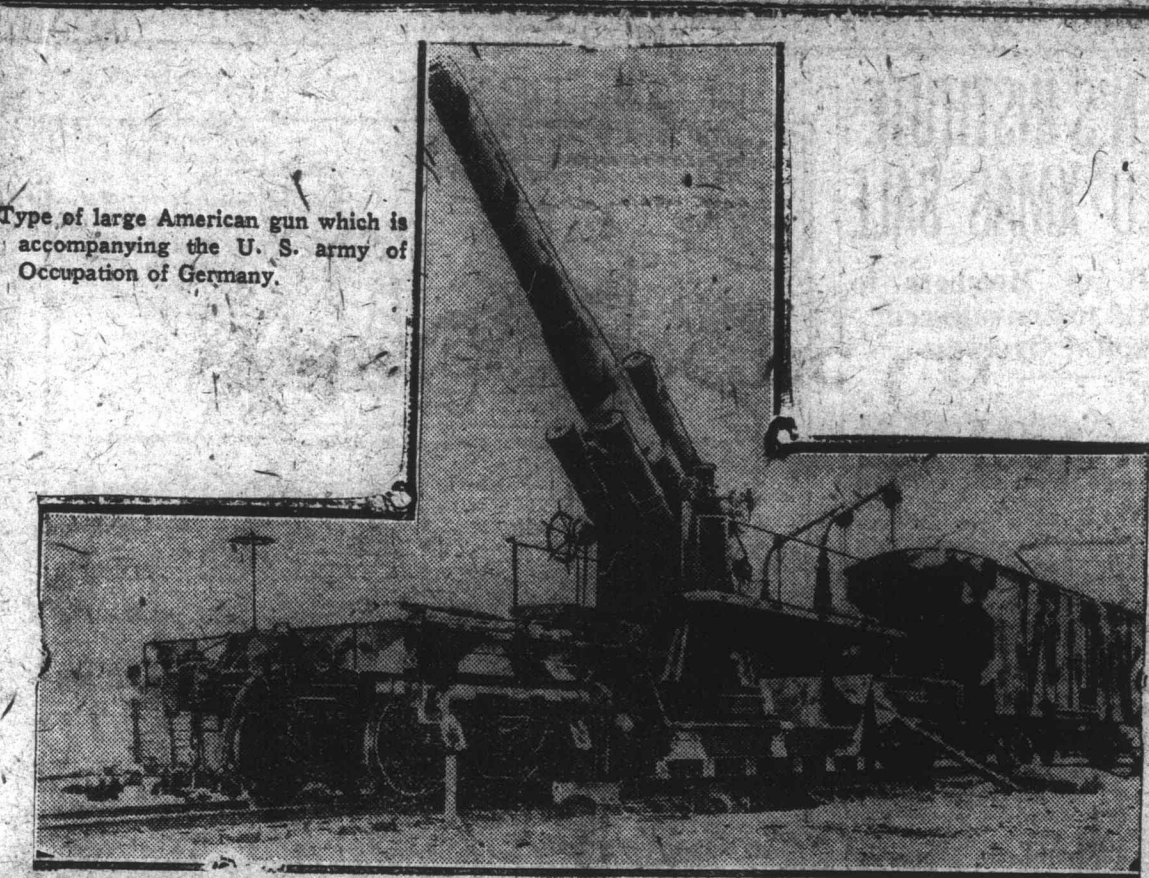
The collections by districts were as follows:

- No. 2.—Mrs. Easton and Mrs. R. Maus, \$14.00.
- No. 3.—Mrs. Geo. Telfer and Miss A. Smith, \$7.35.
- No. 4.—Mrs. J. Cochrane and Mrs. M. Scott, \$10.20.
- No. 5.—Miss Hess and Mrs. Hatch, \$18.25.
- No. 6.—Miss Jones and Mrs. L. McCosh, Miss F. Taylor, and Miss A. Patton, \$96.05.
- No. 7.—Mrs. Robson and Miss M. Carnie, \$33.
- No. 8.—Mrs. J. P. McCammon, Mrs. J. Hicks and Mrs. J. Telfer, \$74.70.
- No. 9.—Miss M. Kay and Miss L. Skee, \$29.65.
- No. 10.—Miss N. Brockbank and Miss Hall, \$33.15.
- No. 11.—Miss A. McLeod and Mrs. Dr. Howell, \$16.85.
- No. 12.—Miss Depew and Miss Parkhill, \$14.60.
- No. 13.—Miss Gurney, \$10.
- No. 14.—Mrs. Lowe and Miss R. Sharp, \$11.45.
- No. 15.—Mrs. Boaker and Miss Rutherford, \$16.75.

Collections at the annual meeting held on the evening of December 4th, 1918, \$51.84.

Total, \$429.15.

The friends in the town of Paris, Robert Mullinder, who has been a prisoner in Germany for over two years, will be glad to learn that he has been released and is now over in England. Pte. Mullinder went overseas with the Canadian Mounted Rifles, with Col. W. R. Patterson, from Paris.



Type of large American gun which is accompanying the U. S. Army of Occupation of Germany.

NEW TURK SULTAN UNLIKE BROTHERS Mohammed V. Has the Appearance of a University Professor

By Courier Leased Wire
London, Dec. 7.—The London newspapers print an interview with Mohammed V., the Turkish sultan, obtained by a British correspondent in Constantinople, who describes this ruler as a very different personality from his two brothers who preceded him on the throne.

Mohammed V., says the correspondent, gives one the impression of possessing a strong character and considerable intellectual force. His tall and slender and his appearance suggests a university professor.

In talking with the correspondent the Sultan condemned the unwisdom and lack of foresight which brought Turkey into the war and led her to the calamity which had befallen her. He declared that if he had been sultan this would never have happened.

The ruler expressed great sorrow at the treatment of the Armenians by "certain political committees of Turkey," and added:

"Such misdeeds and the mutual slaughter of sons of the same fatherland have broken my heart. I ordered an inquiry as soon as I came to the throne, so that the fomenters might be severely punished; but various factions prevented my orders being promptly carried out. The matter is now being thoroughly investigated. Justice will soon be done and we will never have a repetition of these ugly events."

The sultan asked the interviewer to publish the following from the ruler:

"The great majority of the nation is entirely innocent of the misdeeds attributed to it. Only a limited number of persons are responsible."

EARTHQUAKE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA Severe Shock Recorded at Dominion Observatory Yesterday

By Courier Leased Wire
Ottawa, Dec. 7.—A severe earthquake was recorded at the Dominion Observatory here this morning. The first preliminary tremors arrived at 3:47.51 a. m. eastern standard time and the disturbances lasted for about an hour and a half. The distance to the epicentre is 3,600 kilometres or 2,200 miles.

The shock was preceded by one of considerably less intensity and from a more distant source at a little before 3 o'clock and was followed by another at 7:15 o'clock. The latter was possibly from the same source as the large one.

Ernest Hodgson, seismologist at the Dominion observatory, stated that the shock of the severe earthquake was great enough for the amplitude of the swing to be one and a half inches.

Officials at the Dominion observatory commenting on the report of an earthquake recorded at Washington, say that the direction from which it came was probably inaccurately determined, and that instead of being in South America, it was the one felt in British Columbia.

Reconstruction will be the chief subject of discussion at the meeting of the Chambers of Commerce of the United States in Atlantic City.

W.H.A. CONDOLES

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down their lives that others might live.

On motion, letters of sympathy will be sent to Miss Forde, of the general hospital, to the families of Miss Van Valkenburg, Miss Plumstead, Miss Henderson, Miss Neff, Miss Stewart, Miss Livingston, and Russell Sweet, also to our past president, Mr. T. H. Preston, Mrs. Colquhoun, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Lovat, Paris, and many other members who have suffered bereavements since the last meeting of the auxiliary.

Regret was expressed that the President, Mrs. Reville, was unable to be present through illness, and the meeting was adjourned.

NOTICE

Owing to having a large number of orders already booked for shipment, the sale of Native Wines at our Wine House at Brantford will be discontinued from Saturday, Dec. 7, to Monday Dec. 16.

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COURIER COMICS

Talking Shop
The applicant stood erect as
the prospective employer interview-
ed her three times a day.
"Patient—You advertised as a chauffeur-
ette-maid?"
"Ves, madam."
"Vhat were your duties at your
last place?"
"I drove and cleaned the cars
single-handed."
"Vnd as maid?"
"Indeed, your honor, an' that's
just vhat I'd have given him next,
if he hadn't unfortunately died."

His Very Plan
A quack doctor was being ex-
amined at an inquest upon the
treatment of a patient who had been
in his care.
"V gave him ipocastanata," he said.
"Vou might just as well have giv-
en him the auroa borealis," replied
the coroner.
"Indeed, your honor, an' that's
just vhat I'd have given him next,
if he hadn't unfortunately died."

Try a Change
"I like to air my opinions occa-
sionally."
"Vut why do you always use hot
air?"

Hurry it on the Market
Vhat's become of the Yankee in-
vention which conveyed the sound of
snoring directly into the ear of the
snorer and woke him up?"

Directions Wanted
Occulist—Drop a little of this into
your eyes three times a day.
Patient—Before meals or after,
doctor?"

A Rural Methuselah
"Vncle Ike Bassett says the best
fence posts are red cedar, and that
they will last a hundred years. I
know," says Uncle Ike, "because I've
tried 'em twice." — Clarence
Courier.

Proved His Words
"A great deal may be said on the
subject," said the prolix person.
"Vhat," said the weary auditor,
"js the one point on which you have
convinced me?"

In Both Senses
When we see a man on the op-
posite side of the street who owes us
a dollar we wish he'd come across."

It Depends
"Does your wife make a fuss over
a late dinner?"
"Depends on whether it is due to
my meeting a friend or her being
to the matinee."

Placing Him
Guest—Vou are awfully weak
bed in that room you gave me.
Hotel Clerk—Vou said you were a
light sleeper.

Every Stroke Counts
"Look here, Hogatt," exclaimed
the irascible old golfer, "if you don't
stop your infernal chatter I'll crack
you over the head with this broom."
"Vll right, Morris, swing away,"
was the cal mresponse, "but remember
this—V'll cost you a stroke."

BABEL OF VOICES AT PEACE TABLE

24 Languages Will be Represented at Versailles Convention

Paris, Dec. 5.—Translators in 23
languages, including Chinese, Ara-
bic, Turkish, and some not even so
well known, have been called for
by Brig-General William W.
Harts, who is directing the equip-
ment of the American peace dele-
gates. The number required is in
indicative of the diversity of the races
and countries before the Peace Con-
ference, either through participation
in the war or by reason of
treaties or other relations.
The full list of languages com-
prises French, Italian, Greek, Japa-
nese, Spanish, Montenegrin, Nor-
wegian, Bulgarian, German, Hun-
garian, Turkish, Swedish, Persian,
Russian, Serbian, Armenian, Czech,
Rumanian, Danish and Arabic.
This with English, makes the quota
24.

The knowledge of the languages
possessed by translators must be
complete in order to get the precise
meaning of treaties and documents,
and not the ordinary speaking
knowledge.
The first effort will be directed
at obtaining translators from
among college men or army men,
and should these be lacking others
from various civilian occupations
will be taken.

BURYING VICTIMS
By Courier Leased Wire
Stockholm, Dec. 7.—Nine hundred
and fifty-six victims of the anti-Jew-
ish outbreak in Lemberg, Galicia
have been buried so far, according
to the newspaper Nowy Dziennik
of Cracow, as quoted by the Jewish
Press Bureau here. Many bodies are
yet lying in the bins of burned
dwellings, it is added.

DOBBS' KIDNEY PILLS
RHEUMATISM
BRIGHT DISASE
DIABETES BACKACHE
THE PROPHET

Reminiscences of Belgium



The same people are now returning to their devastated homes. They need your help.

Radical Railroad Changes Needed

Whether U. S. Lines Remain in Hands of Government or Not

Washington, Dec. 6.—Regardless
of whether railroads finally go back
to private management or remain
in the hands of the Government,
radical changes should be made in
their methods and theories of opera-
tion to provide a partial merger
under some sort of Government
regulation, the Interstate Com-
merce Commission says in its an-
nual report made public today.
The Commission believes the
time is not ripe to recommend con-
crete proposals for legislation re-
lating to the future policy toward
railroads, but says whatever be the
nation's decision, there should be
provision for complete unification
of the railroads in war time, partial
merger in ordinary times, limita-
tion of railway construction to pub-
lic necessity, and systematic en-
couragement of the development of
inland waterways, and their co-
ordination with rail carriers.
In other words, the Commission
is opposed to restoration of the old
conditions of individual competi-
tion, in which pooling of traffic
was forbidden by law, and to the
building of new lines without proof
to the Government that they are
economically necessary.
If it is finally decided to restore
railroads to private management,
says the Commission, there should
be legislation to permit their co-
operation, emancipation of railway
operation from financial dictation,
Government regulation of security
issues; clearing away of the exist-
ing twilight zone between the auth-
ority of state and federal authori-
ties in railroad supervision; effi-
cient use of equipment and com-
mon use of terminals.
On the other hand, if the policy
of Government ownership should
be adopted, the principal question
to be considered are: The price to
be paid for the roads; means of
preventing the railroads from be-
ing made sources of revenue to the
Government, and also to maintain
them as self-supporting; measures
to define carefully the responsibil-
ity of the railway administration
to Congress and other federal and
state authorities; guarantees
against intrusion of partisan poli-
tics into railway management; and
creation of a tribunal to settlement
of controversies over railroad mat-
ters.

MAY TAKE KAISER BACK TO GERMANY

Strong Delegation From Berlin Has Arrived at the Hague

By Courier Leased Wire
Copenhagen, Dec. 5.—A delega-
tion from the Berlin Soldiers' and
Workers' Council has arrived at
The Hague, a Berlin despatch re-
ports. The message indicates that
its presence at the Netherlands
capital has to do with negotiations
concerning former Emperor Wil-
liam in progress at the German
legation in The Hague, the nature
of which is not stated.

CATARH LEADS TO CONSUMPTION

Catarh is as much a blood dis-
ease as scrofula or rheumatism. It
may be relieved, but it cannot be
removed by simply local treatment.
It breaks down the general health,
weakens the lung tissues, and leads
to consumption.
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cessful in the treatment of catarrh
that it is known as the best remedy
for this disease. It purifies the
blood. Ask your druggist for it.

Hear Antonio Salo at Victoria
Hall this evening. Arrives Brant
Chapter I. O. O. D.

THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

Comic strip featuring a man and a woman. The man says: 'NOW WHO 'S SAM HILL WENT AN' BOUGHT ALL THAT EXPENSIVE CANNED STUFF I WONDER?' The woman replies: 'WHY, DAWGONE IT, MA, WE COULDN'T EAT ALL THATS IN THEM CANS IN FIVE YEARS?' The man says: 'WE DONT INTEND USING THE CONTENTS OF THOSE CANS, PA.' The woman says: 'THEN WHAT?' The man says: 'CEDRIC ORDERS THE STUFF FOR THE CANS, NOT THE CONTENTS.' The woman says: 'YOU SEE, CEDRIC'S PET GOAT REGARDS TIN CANS AS A GREAT DELICACY, AND CEDRIC WAS AFRAID THAT OLD CANS PICKED UP HAPHAZARDLY, MIGHT NOT BE STRICTLY SANITARY.'

BIBLE LECTURES AT PARK CHURCH

Satan's Career Traced by Mr. L. S. Chafer Yesterday

Lewis S. Chafer, who is giving a
series of Bible lectures at the Park
Baptist Church, spoke yesterday
afternoon on the future of Satan.
The address began with the Garden
of Eden and traced the career of
Satan to his final place in the lake
of fire. "Satan," the speaker said,
"has never been in hell and will not
be until placed there at the end of
the thousand years of the reign of
Christ on the earth. During that
reign Satan will be bound and put
in a pit that he shall deceive the
nations no more. He is then loosed
for a little season and after pro-
moting the last war on earth, he is
cast into the lake of fire. This is
his eternal abode. This, too, is the
execution of the judgment that
was gained against him by Christ
at the cross. Since the cross, Satan
reigns as a usurper and will con-
tinue so to reign until the kingdom
of Christ is established in the earth
by His return in power and glory."
Mr. Chafer makes large use of
the Scriptures and proposed a
but a careful exposition of what is
taught in the Word of God.

The subject last night was two
of the three conditions upon which
Christianity may receive the filling
of the Spirit. "All known sin must
be confessed and the human will
must be yielded to the divine will."
The speaker stated: "Any Chris-
tian who will comply with these
conditions and one other, yet to be
discussed, will know a life of the
fullest blessing for himself and of
service to others. This is not a
theory; it has been proven by a
multitude of Christians in all the
history of this age. It is the plain
promise of God."

PARLIAMENT MEMBER SOLD EXEMPTIONS

Charges Against M. P. and Army Officer Heard in Quebec

By Courier Leased Wire
Quebec, Dec. 5.—Further evi-
dence of an astonishing character
was brought out at the resumption
of the inquiry yesterday into the
charges of trafficking in military
service exemptions against George
Pion, M. P. of Montmagny, On-
tario, and Captain Goulet of this
city.

Adelaide Dubé, aged 23 years, of
Montmagny, one of the witnesses
heard, swore that Abbe Lafre,
assistant priest at Montmagny, had
told him that he (the Abbe) and
Pion had secured exemptions for a
number of young men, but it would
cost \$2,000. The witness and his
father had called to see Pion and
had later come to Quebec and had
met Pion and Guay. They were
told on that occasion that the ex-
emption could be given for less
than \$2,200, and the next Sunday
when they went to Pion's home at
Montmagny to settle, Pion agreed
to cut off \$100. Aubert, Dubé,
father of the witness, corroborated
his son's testimony. He said that
he had gone to Pion's house one
Sunday and had given Pion's wife
\$500 in cash and a draft for \$1,600
payable in three months.

GIRL BRIDE AS A SIX YEAR MARRIAGE

"An unexpected" story of nec-
essity was unfolded at Detroit last
week in the divorce suit of Mrs.
Grace Maynard. She had married
William Maynard at Banff in 1913.
Soon afterwards Maynard took his
fourteen-year-old bride to a home-
stead, he had acquired forty-five
miles from the nearest neighbor,
where he left her with instructions
that she must not leave the place or
they would lose it. She did so ut-
terly alone in the wilderness for six
long years, except for occasional
visits from her husband. Her only
clothing was of skins and furs, and
during the exile she bore three
children, without a soul to help her.
Her position was ultimately discov-
ered by accident, while she was still
maintaining her vigil.

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blood purifiers. The perfect combination
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Rippling Rhymes

HARD UP.
With winter knocking at the door
I lack my 'slin possessions o'er, and
shoe, a brace of slugs; I'm needing
bison, maul and spuds, I'm needing
shoes, and hats and suits, and
prunes and hooks and eyes. I'm
needing cabbage leaves to smoke, I
need the coat that is in soak, my
needs are urgent, sore; the shelves are
bare of pie and cake, the teehox has
no luscious steak, and winter's at
the door. But peace is also at the
door, so let my soul be sad no more,
and let my heart rejoice; the dove
of peace is overhead; and war's at
thing that's done and dead, she
says, in cooling voice. And if the
dove has got it straight, that man's
a rather yellow' skate who hands
out tears or sighs, though he may
find his cupboard bare, no Hoover
bread or doughnuts there, and no
denatured pies. My shoes let in the
wintry breeze, my pants have
patches on the knees, they're shiny,
aft and fore; but triflings things
don't matter now; I smoothe the
creases from my brow, for peace is
at the door. The winter's coming,
pretty swift, and soon the air cooled

STRIKERS WIN OUT

By Courier Leased Wire.
Cleveland, O., Dec. 5.—The 2,400
street car men, who went on strike
at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning because
of the employment of women conduc-
tors and since which hour not a car
has been operated, probably will re-
turn to work at 4.30 o'clock this af-
ternoon, with cars in operation on all
lines. The strikers will assemble at
1 p.m. today to vote on terms that
their union leaders have accepted for
them.
Women conductors are to be elim-
inated from the street car service no
later than March 1. That is the pro-
position union leaders will endorse to
the strikers, and it was evolved at a
conference of all interested parties in
the mayor's office that ended at 8.00
a.m. today. This conference follow-
ed an all-night meeting of the city
council.

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REGARDS TIN CANS AS A
GREAT DELICACY, AND CEDRIC
WAS AFRAID THAT OLD CANS
PICKED UP HAPHAZARDLY,
MIGHT NOT BE STRICTLY
SANITARY.

SIDELIGHTS OF THE STAGE AND SCREEN

AT THE GRAND.
Sophisticated farce may be fresh and perversely comic ideas run in nimble and playful progress, as will be witnessed at the Grand on Monday Dec. 9th, in Mr. William LeBaron's merry and insinuating comedy, "The Very Idea."

Therein shall the spectator see and hear, not through glass darkly nor in the echo of his words, the proud and pigish theorist eager to test his theories by the supervision of a perfect baby as human parentage will permit; widdling into his experiment a scatter-witted young husband and wife of his kind, childless, but craving for offspring and choosing as their proxies their newly-wedded chaffeur and parlor maid, twin pinks of physical perfection. In such complication not merely a cog slips but the wheel of material love revolves and the end of "The Very Idea," is as sportive and diverting as beginning and progress with it. In a word, the farce is a fresh notion, freshly handled, of a keen-witted, merry and frank-tongued playwright, who, with remarkable degree of delicacy and with every motive, character and situation wholesome and genuine has written a play dealing with phases of married life that people are not usually in the habit of discussing except "a deaux" and yet one which

is fetchingly funny and basically innocuous.

"Cinderella."
Once upon a time there was a little girl named Ella, who used to spend most of her time in a corner of the old-fashioned fire-place in her father's home, dreaming, as all virgins dream of the day when she would meet her Prince Charming.

Because the cinders from the fire used to get in her hair and upon her clothes her ugly step-sisters nicknamed her "Cinders" and used to tease her by calling her "Cinderella." Every kiddie knows the story, and its sweetness and charm remains with us through life. Our subconscious definition of romance is always "Cinderella."

Because a certain Wizard of stagecraft, not witherhaft, realized this and at the same time knew that all the world loves romance he set about to find little Cinderella, Prince Charming, the ugly sisters, the old baron, who was once a King, and all of the other well remembered characters of the story.

These discovered, he called to his aid the Wizard of the Paint Brush and many other Wizards of the Union, and together they reproduced all of the famous scenes of Fairyland, from the chimney corner to Prince's Castle. Of silks and sat-



Music in the Home

OPEN YOUR LIFE TO THIS POWER.
Those in attendance at a recent concert by a southern Municipal Symphony Orchestra had impressed upon their minds the power of music by the following which appeared on one of the pages of the program booklet:

"Make a large place in your life for Music; and it will bring you a priceless reward.

All the desires of your heart will come closer as you become attuned to the rhythm and harmony of life.

In the hour of rest Music will uplift your spirit and give refreshment to every faculty of your being.

In the hour of work you will rejoice in the strength and energy which Music has given you.

In the hour of jubilee Music will bring you thrills of delight that compensate for all that is dull and commonplace.

In the hour of prayer Music will quicken the aspirations of your soul and perfume your life with the breath of heaven's blessing.

In the hour of fellowship Music will blend your spirit with others in unity and understanding.

In the hour of love Music will enrich your heart with feelings that magnify the meaning of existence.

In the hour of memory Music will unveil the treasures of the past and bring a sacred glory to the present.

In the hour of death Music will speak to you of a life filled with an eternity of joy and song.

In the hour of vision Music will give power and scope to your imagination and bring into reality the

things that were not.

In the hour of high purpose Music will summon the potentialities of your soul and urge them toward great and glorious achievement.

Such is the power of Music; to this power open the doors of your soul and there will enter into your life a greater fullness of all that makes for progress and joy.

MUSICIANS ARE SMALL IN STATUS.
Professor Gowin of the New York University has recorded some interesting statistics in an article in which he inquires into the status of various classes of persons—reformers, railway presidents, bishops, chiefs of police, musicians—all of whom come under the professors' investigating eyes. He finds the reformer at the top of the class so far as height goes, and the musicians at the bottom.

While he discovers notable exceptions, such as Paganini, Verdi and Bachmaninoff, the average musician he finds is not tall. He instances, for example, Beethoven, five feet six; Mozart, five feet five; Haydn, Mendelssohn and Wagner, all middle height; Brahms, "rather short"; Schubert, "short and stumpy"; Chopin, "a little fragile looking man." Of Dvorak's height his report is "nothing definite known."

the government's appeal for economy and conservation. Through the schools and in various ways they have accomplished much. In music they can also effect the same economy by their practice. A boy who practices in a slipshod way or skips the hour, and then has his hand in his "pocket" "hooking" quarters, even who fails to get up his lesson properly so that his teacher has to give her the same part of the piece, the same scales and exercises over again, is asking her mother to pay twice for the same thing. No little girl would like to go to the store for mother to buy a loaf of bread, and then go back next day and pay over again for the same loaf. Yet that is exactly what some are asking their parents to do for their music lessons.

But perhaps someone says practice is so hard, so monotonous. Well did you ever hear of the Chinese legend which tells that Confucius, when a boy, got tired of the tasks his parents set him to do. They were too monotonous so he decided to run away from home. After he had gone a long distance he came across an old woman sitting at the roadside employed in the strange task of rubbing a great steel bar on a large rock. Confucius inquired what she was doing and received this reply, "I wish a needle but have no money to buy one; but I do have this bar, and am rubbing it down to make a needle." This impressed Confucius and when he thought of his own light tasks at home in contrast to the slow process of grinding down a huge bar to make a needle, he decided to return home and face his duties. This is the day of doing hard things, and the boys and girls will not ignore the challenge.

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Wednesday, Dec. 11th

F. Stuart-Whyte Presents His Third English Pantomime Success

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PLAYING SQUARE WITH FATHERS AND MOTHERS.
It must be said to the credit of the boys and girls of this country that they are loyally responding to



The star in the house
MARY PICKFORD, Johanna Enlists
As AUNT DRAFT
At the Brant Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

ins and cloth of gold they fashioned the costumes of long ago, so that nothing might be looking from the illusion when the world's greatest sweetheart, Cinderella, and her Prince Charming, come straight from the Land-Of-Dunno-Where to the Grand Opera House on Wednesday Dec. 11th.

The name of the chief wizard is F. Stuart-Whyte, and because this fairy pantomime production of "Cinderella" bears his mark we all may know that it is well done and worthy of support.

AT THE REX.
Tom Moore, who made such a hit with patrons of the Rex Theatre in his first starring picture, "Just for Tonight," returns to the house on Monday of next week in "Thirty a Week," a romantic comedy-drama of the first class. While the previous picture met with approval on all sides it is not stretching the point to say that the present one is superior to it in many ways. It is based on the popular play of the same name by Thompson Buchanan, an experienced author. Certainly Mr. Buchanan's comedy sense showed itself well in the writing of "Thirty a Week." Sparkling originality marks almost every passage of consequence in the picture and with Mr. Moore as the chief player they appear in a particularly attractive light.

The star is cast as Dan Murray, a chauffeur who loves and is loved by his employer's daughter, Barbara Wright. Barbara thinks Dan is much superior to the average man she meets in her own set. He is a gentleman, keen and good looking, Barbara doesn't ask for more. But how to get Dan is a question, as he realizes the difference in their positions and hesitates to propose. So finally Barbara hits upon a plan to make him speak the magic words. While out riding, the car breaks down and Dan seeks the cause of the trouble. He is so impressed in his seeking that he doesn't notice Barbara removing one of the vital plugs of the engine. So when the car won't go there is nothing to do but to stay out all night as they are far from shelter. Moved by the magic of the situation Dan proposes and the next day Mr. Wright hears of a marriage that doesn't please him at all.

But we aren't going to tell you all the happy story about Mr. Moore, aided by Thelma Hankhead and Alice Francis, do it much better on the screen.

"The Iron Test" is everybody's love adventure. And we doubt if there is a man, woman or child in this audience who would miss seeing the circus when it comes to town.

So in "The Iron Test" adventure lovers and circus lovers will get both elements combined.



Showing at the Brant Thursday, Friday and Saturday
CHARLES RAY in "The Law of the North"
As Dan Quinn
Showing at the Brant Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

In addition to the circus atmosphere you are going to see Vitagraph's two daring stunts and the members of their company in their numerous feats of daring outside the circus tent. For instance, Antonio Moreno and Miss Holloway, at one stage of this remarkable story, are bound with ropes and lowered into the ocean; the water rising up to their eyes as the tide comes in. Again, Mr. Moore does a high dive from a falling airplane into the sea.

"The Iron Test" starts at the Rex the last of next week.

AT THE BRANT
For genuinely delicious humor and timely interest, an announcement is made that Mary Pickford's newest photoplay, "Johanna Enlists," a screen adaptation of Rupert Hughes' successful story, "The Mobilization of Johanna," which will be shown at the Brant theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, is perhaps the most pleasing offering of the



MABEL ALLEN,
in "The Very Idea," Grand Monday, December 9th.

Asked the reason for the choice, Mr. Flagg said a girl to be attractive and "romantic" must have in her eyes a "come-hither" look and on her lips a "stay-there" smile. It is thought that the two Peggy's will attract all audiences as distinctive types of American Beauties.

"Nery" Charles Hutchinson is Leah Baird's leading man in the big Pathé serial, "Wolves of Kultur," being shown weekly at the Brant theatre. Motion picture lovers, used to be so physical hazards in their stories, are astounded by the chaste dare-devilism of this athletic, good-looking young leading man.

Climbing to the walls of burning houses, jumping from runaway auto, swinging from mountain to treetop, and leaping across foot tops where a mis-step meant death, are only a few of the really hazardous hazards which Mrs. Hutchinson undertakes in the patriotic serial.

HOCKEY STAR RETIRES
Montreal, Dec. 6.—Harry Hyland, formerly of the Wanderers, and last season with Ottawa, announced last night that he had retired from hockey. Hyland now holds a position at the Canadian Allis-Chalmers plant and cannot devote any time to hockey. Hyland during his career with the Wanderers played every position with the exception of goal and was one of the most useful men in the club.

BRANT Theatre

ATTRACTIONS EXTRAORDINARY

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
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—IN—
JOHANNA ENLISTS
SHOWING CANADA'S SWEETHEART AT HER BEST

2ND EPISODE
HANDS UP
Featuring
Ruth Roland
J. Montgomery Flagg's Paramount Comedy
Hick Manhattan

SPECIAL ATTRACTION
WALTER F. NIXON
The Sensational Silver-Voiced Tenor
In a Repertoire of Classy and Popular Songs

Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday
—IN—
CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "Shoulder Arms"

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
TOM MOORE
—IN—
"Thirty a Week"

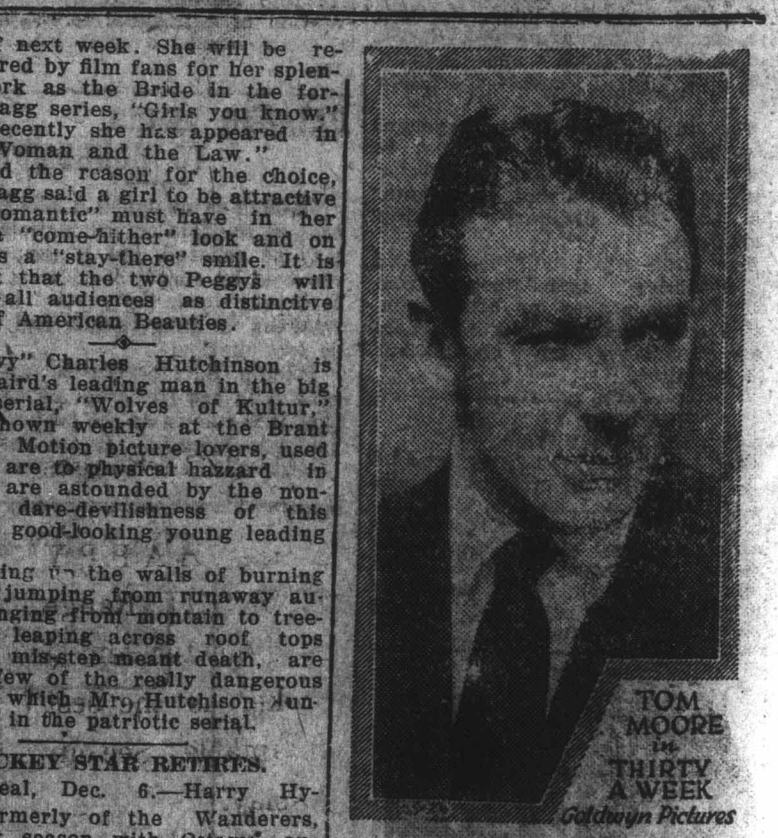
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Basketball on Bicycles
Charlie Chaplin
—IN—
"A Reckless Fling"

THE LION'S CLAW
—WITH—
ANTONIO MORENO and CAROL HOLLOWAY

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MME. LINA CAVALIERI
—IN—
"A Woman of Impulse"



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District News

FROM
COURIER CORRESPONDENTS

ECHO PLACE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell visited Mr. Campbell's brother on the Cocksbutt Road last Wednesday.
Last Thursday Miss Jesse Edmondson visited at her home.
We are glad to report that Miss A. Graham, one of our Echo Place school teachers, is progressing nicely after an operation for appendicitis.
Several families are having their houses wired for Hydro-Electric lights.
Mrs. H. Harding and children are visiting Mr. Harding's mother at Cainsville.
Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Burns and children visited last Sunday at Mr. C. Montgomery's, city.
Mrs. G. Campbell, Mrs. Feldcamp and Mrs. M. Smith visited Echo Place Institute last Tuesday. Mrs. Feldcamp giving two solos on the program.

ECHO PLACE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Echo Place Women's Institute held their first annual meeting which being closed on account of the flu epidemic on November 21st, President Mrs. C. Edmondson in the chair. Meeting opened by repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.
One of the members read a paper on "Canada, its Resources and Possibilities." Secretary Mrs. A. E. Williams told of the hearty response made by the Echo Place residents when we appealed to them for money to provide the usual Christmas cheer for our boys overseas, \$42 in cash, besides donations of fruit being received. Several letters were read from grateful boys for boxes sent in August.
Miss Annie Graham recited in a very delightful manner "A Mother's Treats' Shopping for Jimmy."
A pleasing feature of the day's program was musical numbers provided by the daughters of three of our members, the Misses Williams, Miss Brillinger and Miss Fiddell, each number being gladly enjoyed by the institute.
Mrs. Wood will be asked to address our February meeting.
Roll call for December 19th will be war-time Christmas suggestions.

ST. GEORGE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The Mission Circle of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Frank Ellis Wednesday afternoon of this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrison and family moved to Jarvis this week, where Mr. Morrison has secured a position in a grist mill.
An auction sale of 45 head of cattle was held on the premises of Mr. S. G. Kitchen on Wednesday afternoon of this week.
The remains of the late Mrs. Durman were laid at rest on Friday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Freeman, to the Methodist Cemetery. The funeral was private. Rev. Mr. Farquharson conducted the services at the home and grave.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson have returned home from Dunnville from the funeral of Mrs. Johnson's father.
The remains of the late John Fletcher Lawson, of Cainsville, a relapse of the Spanish influenza in Winnipeg, were laid at rest in the Methodist Cemetery here on Sunday afternoon. Deceased was well known in this village and vicinity and leaves to mourn his loss besides his wife, his father, Mr. S. Lawson, of Brantford, one brother, Floyd, in Detroit, and two sisters, Mrs. Cassie, of Rochester, N.Y., and Mrs. Allen VanEvert, of Brantford.

There passed away in South Dumfries on Saturday, November 30th, W. Wallace Kitchen, in his 64th year. Deceased was taken to his bed with pneumonia on Friday afternoon and passed away early Saturday morning. The funeral took place from his late residence, "Spruce Lawn," on Monday afternoon to the Methodist Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Farquharson conducted the services at the home and grave.
Mr. Charles Campbell, jr., spent a couple of days this week with his mother.
-Pis. Joseph Campbell of Hamilton was the guest of his mother one day this week.
-Pis. Edward Ronald of Toronto spent the week-end with his parents.
The local Masons entertained the Right Worshipful Brother W. B. Soace, of Brantford, on his official visit to St. George Lodge last Thursday, 28th ult. Owing to the rainy weather and bad roads only three carloads of Brantford brethren accompanied the D.D.G.M., as well as visitors from Paris. After conferring the third degree, the brethren sat down to exercise the working tools of the force degree, the knife, fork and spoon, after which speeches were indulged in until a late hour. The brethren report a very enjoyable evening.
The Mission Circle of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Green on Thursday afternoon of this week.
Miss Mary Foran spent a few days of this week with relatives in Hamilton.
Owing to illness in the family of Rev. Mr. Brandon, Rev. C. Farquharson had charge of the united congregations of the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches last Sabbath.
The decorators have finished renovating the basement of the Presbyterian Church and it will be reopened for service next Sunday. Mr. Burke, superintendent of the Sunday School is preparing a special program.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cornell and family have returned from the West and are spending the winter with relatives in Paris.
Mrs. Brown left for her home in Buffalo, N.Y., on Friday, after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. George Bawlinheimer, and other relatives.
Mrs. John Eutherford, of Mount Pleasant, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Grantham.

HARLEY

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Harold Casner spent over Sunday with Mr. Howard Shaver, Brantford.
Mrs. E. Kelly, Mrs. E. Swift, Mrs. C. Dean and Mrs. F. Casner spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Brown, Brantford.
Quarterly sacramental services were held here on Sunday last, Rev. Mr. Kay having charge.
Mr. Geo. Shellington has been confined to his bed with influenza.
Mrs. John Force has returned home after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. Hamner, Norwich.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Terryberry and daughter, Etta, motored to Woodstock and spent the week there with relatives.
Mrs. C. Loese, of Burgessville spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. H. Force.
Miss Kathleen Lane of Brantford spent over Sunday with Miss Vera Hammond.
Mrs. E. Swift has returned home after spending a few days in Brantford.
The Sunday School is busy practicing for their Christmas entertainment, which will be held on December 29th.

WINDHUR CENTRE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The farmers are busy moving the stumps from the fences on the North road, getting ready for the County Road System.
The Windham Sunday School convention was well attended on Wednesday in the Presbyterian Church here.
The school children are busy practicing for their Christmas entertainment.
Mr. Pettit shipped a fine carload of hogs on Thursday.
Mrs. Aaron Pettit is quite ill at present.
A large crowd of young people gave Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hagerman a variety shower on Wednesday evening.
Miss Erwin of Otterville has been spending some time at Mr. S. H. Campfield's.

CAINSVILLE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mr. and Mrs. G. Green and Miss Madeline Dick spent Sunday with friends in Hamilton.
Miss Linda Dickens of Brantford spent Sunday with Miss Netta Angus.
We are sorry to report that Mrs. A. Taylor has been removed to the General Hospital and has undergone an operation. We hope for her speedy recovery.
Miss Pearl Ludlow of Galt is spending a few days with her mother.
Mrs. Legacy of Brantford spent a day this week with Miss K. Campbell.
Miss Anna Graham has been removed to the hospital and undergone an operation for appendicitis. We hope for a speedy recovery.
People of this vicinity were very busy Saturday and Sunday sweeping snow from the doors.
We are glad to see Echo Place so well lit up with Hydro. We hope to soon see the same in Cainsville.

HATCHLEY

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The Mission Circle will meet at the home of Mesdames N. and F. Rush on Thursday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Anson Chambers of Fairfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Chambers.
Misses Cora Burris and Vivian Dean are visiting relatives in Brantford.
Mrs. E. Morris spent the week-end in Brantford.

FAIRVIEW

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mrs. Joshua King and Mrs. D. Fair were calling on Mrs. A. Norris on Tuesday last.
Mr. Rodgers was calling on the sick in the neighborhood last week.
Miss Alfretha Bradell spent over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Ferris, Burleigh.
Mr. and Mrs. Leaman Schuyler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Norris, Fairview.
Mr. Frank Cross is spending a few days around here.
Mr. Taylor of London is around setting subscribers for the Advertiser.

RANELAGH

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Shellington and Mrs. Cecil Shellington called on Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wood on Tuesday.
Mr. H. Carpenter of Fairfield spent last week at Mr. Roy Utter's doing chores for them, as they were all down with the flu. Glad to report they are all in a fair way to recovery.
School reopens tomorrow after being closed for some time while the flu was raging.
Mrs. J. A. Jull and daughter, Etta, who have been very ill with the flu, are improving rapidly.
Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson spent

BURFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mrs. Ripley has returned from visiting relatives in Toronto.
The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church was held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. Hall.
H. H. Stuart of Brantford spent the week-end in the village.
Miss Helen Muir of Brantford spent a few days last week with Miss Ruth Muir.
A successful banquet for the Children's Shelter, Brantford, was held at the home of Mrs. A. D. Muir, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. McCracken of Glenora, spent the week end with Mrs. Ellesworth.
Mrs. Trickle is slowly recovering. Her illness was due to rheumatism, Maple Ave., south.
Mr. Wooley moves this week to his farm on the Townline.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Messecar of Brantford have been visiting Mrs. L. Clark.
Mr. Leslie Metcalfe suffered a severe loss on Sunday night when his barn opposite his home, and known as the Johnson barn, were destroyed by fire caused by the upsetting of a lantern. In addition to the barns, a lot of grain was destroyed.

NEWPORT

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
A flock of wild geese were seen flying south on Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Emmott and Miss Kingston returned to the city on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. F. Emmott, Erie St.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grantham, of the city were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis are moving on a farm near Paris.
Mrs. Fred Walker of Hamilton is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew.

LANGFORD

The trustees of the church met last Wednesday afternoon to attend to regular church business.
Mrs. F. L. Langford spent one day last week in the city with her patients.
Mr. Andrew Westbrook spent the first of the week in Hamilton.
Mrs. Westbrook returned from the city on Tuesday afternoon after spending several weeks there.
Miss M. Bradshaw was the guest of Mrs. David Westbrook on Tuesday.
Mr. D. Stuart was in Hamilton on Monday.
Mr. George Westbrook returned from the city on Tuesday suffering with a very bad cold.
Dance rumor says wedding bells are ringing.

BURTON

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Thanksgiving services were held on Sunday at the Baptist church, attended by Rev. Mr. W. A. Roberts, the services, morning and night. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion.
The ladies held their mission circle meeting in the church on Tuesday evening.
Miss Cora Greenfield of St. George was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Charlton.
Mr. and Mrs. Fair and two daughters, of Brantford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cox. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rader gathered at their home on Tuesday night with many good wishes of congratulations for the newly wedded couple. The evening was spent in games and singing, and the many useful presents show the high esteem in which the couple are held.
The work has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Campbell. Miss Gladys Smith spent Sunday with Miss Isabella Chapin.
Mr. Daniel Burton is back from the West and visiting in our vicinity.

WATERFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Rev. Mr. Hassard occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church on Wednesday morning. He represented the British and Foreign Bible Society, and spoke most interestingly of their work and needs to carry on. In the evening a union meeting was held in the Anglican church with Mr. Hassard as speaker.
Rev. J. D. McLaughlin of Strathroy has accepted a call to the Waterford Baptist church and will be here the first of January. Mr. McLaughlin went from Galt to Strathroy about eight years ago, and has been very successful in his ministry, and during his pastorate the fine new church building was erected. He leaves the church practically free from debt and in a thrifty condition.
Mr. Walter S. Hellyer, an old resident of Waterford, who has been in poor health for some time, passed away at his home here this morning. He will be buried from his residence on Temperance street, East, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Greenwood cemetery. He was in his 89th year.
Mr. R. D. Gibson received the sad news on Wednesday of the death of his brother-in-law, James Glenister, in Winnipeg. He was taken with influenza, followed by quinsy which caused his demise.
Mr. John Denning has bought Mrs. Albert's house on Main St.
Miss Marion Boyd of Kitchener and Miss Connie Roberts of Brantford spent the week-end with Mrs. F. G. Wilcox. Mrs. Wilcox's post office has been closed. It is now Vanessa R. R.
Mrs. Andrew Jackson and little daughter, Maribel, of Tillsonburg, are spending a week with Mrs. W. Watkins, and other relatives in town.
Mr. Alfred Kitchen and Mr. C. Cowl of Brantford spent Sunday with Miss Violet Evans.
Another of our soldier boys is home. Mr. John Walters arrived home on the 6:30 P. M. and left by train on Wednesday night. He went overseas with Norfolk's Own, 133rd Battalion, which went overseas on November 1, 1918.
The congregation of the Baptist church was very sorry that Mr. F. C. Elliott was not here last Sunday.

DEATH AT DUNVILLE

Levi Messecar, a well known citizen of Dunnville for over 50 years passed away at his home on Wednesday, Nov. 30th, 1918. His death was due to heart trouble and other complications. He was born on April 12th, 1846 on the outskirts of Waterford, and was educated in the old town school. Of this old-time institution with its broad curriculum and versatile old country master, he had frequent and interesting reminiscences. In early life he was a telegraph operator for the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and held positions at Paris, Bright, and Dunnville. He was license inspector for Moore, He married Alice Moots, daughter of the late W. N. Moots, and except for a brief residence in Forest, he was a staunch Liberal and a zealous worker until his official capacity rendered active service no longer feasible. A most ardent admirer of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, he died on the birthday of this great master of Liberalism. In religion, as in politics, he was progressive and tolerant. Though a member of no church, he was a firm believer—not in creeds or dog-

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JUDGE'S WIFE DEAD

By Courier Leased Wire
Chatham, Ont., Dec. 7.—Francis E., wife of Judge Stanworth, senior, Judge of Kent County, died at her home here at midnight following a long illness. Besides her husband, one son, James, a student at Ridley College, survives.
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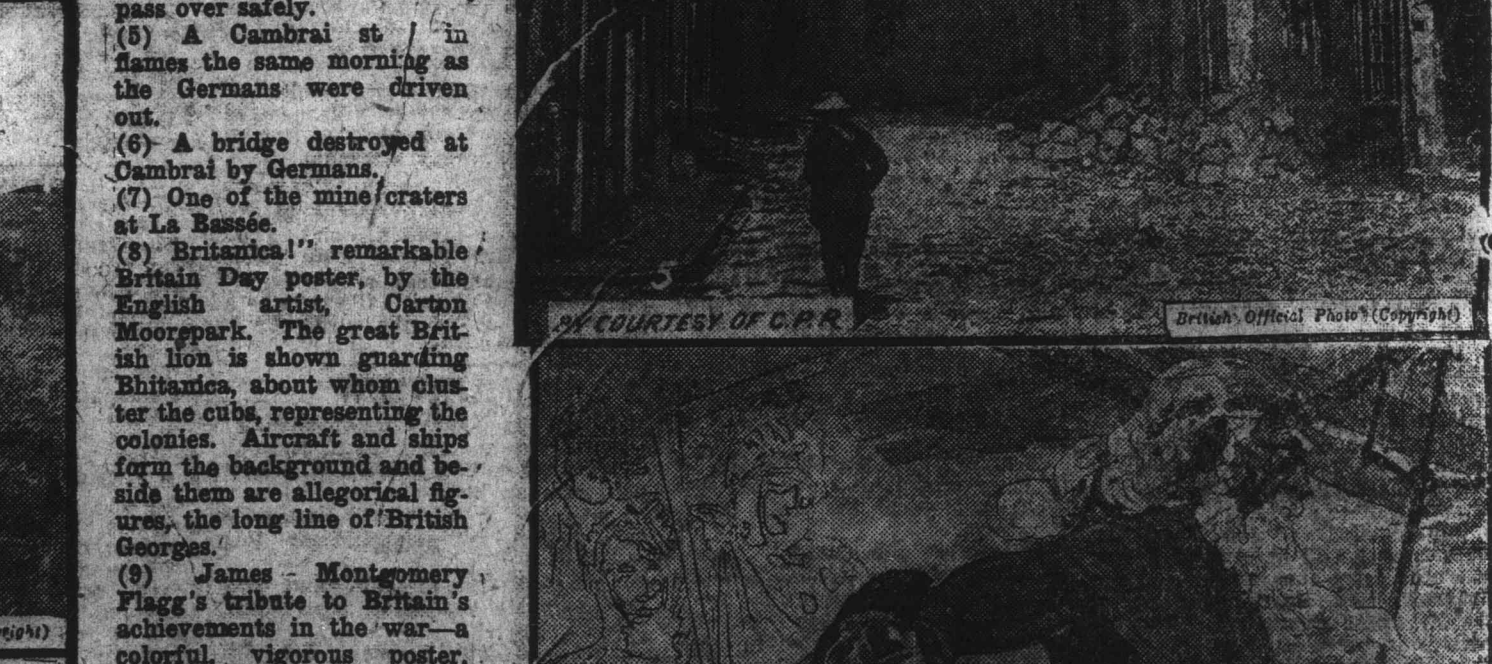
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Smashing The Germans—Canadians' Gallant Deeds



- (1) German machine guns and minenwerfers captured at Oheluvett.
- (2) The best seats in the theatre were reserved for the officers. This picture was taken in a German cinema in Cambrai the morning it was captured.
- (3) Troops and tanks advancing on Hindenburg Line.
- (4) The construction as seen on the front of the tanks is made to dump into very deep trenches so that the tanks can pass over safely.
- (5) A Cambrai street in flames the same morning as the Germans were driven out.
- (6) A bridge destroyed at Cambrai by Germans.
- (7) One of the mine craters at La Bassée.
- (8) "Britannica!" remarkable Britain Day poster, by the English artist, Carton Moorepark. The great British lion is shown guarding Britannica, about whom cluster the cubs, representing the colonies. Aircraft and ships form the background and beside them are allegorical figures, the long line of British Georges.
- (9) James - Montgomery Flagg's tribute to Britain's achievements in the war—a colorful, vigorous poster, "Side by Side," which will be circulated from coast to coast to spread the news of America's honoring of Dec. 7th - Britain Day.

Britain Day in the United States

Britannia for the first time will figure in a poster to be widely circulated in America. Carton Moorepark, an English artist, who has given the full four years of war service to the cause of Great Britain and Canada, has just put the finishing touches to a typical British poster which will be distributed by the New York Committee having in charge America's tribute to Britain, December 7, 1918.

The British Lion and his cubs, representing the colonies, will be striking figures in the poster, of which a first edition of 30,000 is to be distributed shortly throughout the country.

The Honorary Chairman of the Committee, whose headquarters are at the Hotel Belmont, New York City, is Dr. Charles H. Elliot, of Harvard, and the Chairman is Judge Alton B. Parker. Strong committees are being organized throughout the country, and the outlook is that a very strong showing will be made as to the esteem in which America holds the part which Great Britain has borne in the war for the protection of this country against the murderous Huns.

Her eight millions of men given to the allied cause means that if the United States ever were to equal Britain's contribution in men up to the present time, the American Republic would have nearly sixteen million soldiers in khaki.

Last July the French nation was honored on Bastille Day, and now it is the turn of Great Britain, which has so long been misunderstood and inadequately appreciated by the average American, but which now is coming into its own, from the respect and admiration which have resulted from the bulldog grip which they fastened upon the Germans more than four years ago, and have held it steadily ever since.

The mayor of every city having a population of 5,000 and upward has been invited to join this nation-wide demonstration of American friendship for the British nation and people. Public meetings are being organized in many places, and band concerts and other special entertainment features will be given, made up in considerable part of British airs.

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THE ROYAL AND ANCIENT

In the Philadelphia district last month they had a "causal" tournament. Needless to say, clergymen were the only entrants.

Several of the larger centres are already arranging for winter golf schools in charge of leading professionals. These indoor schools undoubtedly make for the good of the game, as it has been the experience in the past that hundreds of beginners take advantage of the winter instruction to "break into the game," and acquire much useful knowledge of stance and swing, so that in the spring when the courses open up they can step onto the tee, club in hand, and find themselves not altogether novices.

In this connection quite a new stunt is being tried out at the Granite rink, Toronto, where an indoor golf course has been installed in the big rink. The tees are located in the gallery at the west end. The courses are 50 feet in length and 12 feet wide and constructed in such a manner as not to interfere with curling during the winter. Bunkers are arranged on the sides of each of the three courses and an opportunity for the use of all the different clubs will undoubtedly be appreciated by golf enthusiasts.

This novel course was opened on December 1st, and promises to become very popular with the golfers of Toronto. The idea might very well be copied by other golfing centres where large rinks generally are to be found.

It is a number of years since the golfers of Canada have enjoyed such a long season as that of 1918. Many players started their first round in April, and were still playing the game well into the end of November in Winnipeg, on Nov. 3rd and 4th, golfers were seen on the links in their shirt sleeves in Ontario. Here's hoping they may "The winter of our discontent" made doubly disagreeable by the coal shortage, can't be too brief for the average golfer, who even now has not yet decided to put away his bag of clubs.

When the clubs are finally and reluctantly retired from active service, see to it that they are not kept in too hot or too cold a place. Don't by any chance leave them in an unheated and damp locker-room at the club house, or the chances are that they will lose much of their "character" and virtue. An attic with a temperature of from 40 to 50 is the best place to store the trusty woods and irons. If the clubs are properly cared for and put in a place where they are not too dry or too wet, they will last for a long time.

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'Chickie' Evans, the present U.S. Travers has not been in the familiar figure on the courses of the Dominion. Some five years ago he was a visitor to Toronto, and only last August, in company with G. Anderson, played in an exhibition Red Cross match at the Royal Montreal Golf Club, when he and his partner defeated the ex-amateur Canadian champion, Mr. C. H. Turpin and Mr. James Hill, captain of the Royal Montreal after an intensely interesting game by 1 up. Mr. Travers, who will be 41 years of age in 1919, 1912 and 1913, and the open in 1916, is easily one of the best exponents of the Royal and Ancient ever produced on this continent, and has to be reckoned with still in any championships. It is very generally hoped his sad bereavement will not mean his absence from the links the coming season, which promises to be the most brilliant on record, both in the States and Canada.

The price of golf balls is to be advanced soon, and the output for the coming year is to be limited by the United States Government to forty per cent. of the production in 1918, according to reports from the U.S. It is said that leading makes now selling at 85c. or \$1.00 each, will be advanced to \$1.25, and those of a lower grade will be increased accordingly.

Golfers in Canada use British balls exclusively and unless the British Government takes similar action the situation here should not be materially affected.

Some golfing with a love for the statistical, has recently been undertaken on this continent by players in the United States and he arrives at the conclusion that the golfers there "come across" with \$10,000,000 per year for the "rubber-covers" which are being peddled more and more, every season clean across the continent, from Coast to Coast.

It looks like a large order, but it is claimed that the game of golf in the States is played now by over half a million devotees, and \$20 per player for balls would figure out about right it is thought, or a couple of dozen each. Of course there are a large number of golfers who stick day in and day out, to "brasserie beauties" sans life, sans resiliency, until they lose them to the relief of partner or opponent—plus much distress to themselves. This type possibly, manages to wreck the "rubber-covers" of balls or less, during a season, and on the other hand, the scratch player and the fair handicap man, is generally prodigal with his "special" net spheres, and uses up three or four dozen, and upward, during the season, quite easily. This estimate of the money spent on golf balls in the country to the South of us naturally brings up the question of a similar expenditure in Canada.

There are for instance, some \$800 members of golf clubs in Toronto. At \$20 per club, this is the U.S. figures would mean \$160,000 for "rubber-covers" in that centre alone. Montreal and district, has it is first estimate, 4000 golfers; ergo \$80,000. Winnipeg probably 2500; total \$80,000. There are undoubtedly some \$500 members of golf clubs in the Royal and Ancient, scattered throughout the other parts of the Dominion, so if the Canadian golfer, is as prodigal with balls as he or she of the United States, is reported to be, a total of \$1,000,000 or more would represent the expenditure here in a season.

cal ball, saves strokes per round. There can be no disputing that fact, and what are a few dollars more or less anyway, to the ardent golfer, if strokes can be saved and his curl correspondingly improved? An irascible golfer, while playing with a clergyman on a very warm day this summer, was considerably annoyed by flies, and at length got desperate, and reared his "feet" in a burst of desecrated, unparliamentary language. The clergyman remonstrated and pointed out the advantages of self-control. For instance, there is by now a fly forehead. It does not trouble me. By the exercise of self-control I can play my shot without giving that fly a thought. For now it's now on the bridge of my nose, but—Oh Hush!—it's a wasp!

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The Hospital for Sick Children

Dear Mr. Editor:—The annual report of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, marks a new record, despite the heavy handicap the war placed upon its work. The task of ministering to the suffering youngsters of this province was no light one in view of the Hospital's splendid response to the national call 25 doctors and 48 nurses from its forces have seen service overseas.

Yet the number of patients treated is 5,048, or 1,308 more than last year. Of these in-patients, 269 were from outside of Toronto.

The tireless efforts of the staff made possible also a reduction in the average length of stay necessary for the little patients from 31 days in 1914 to 24 days.

These results show that the Hospital has again paid to the children rich dividends of health upon the invested assistance of its supporters.

There has been careful stewardship of the funds entrusted to the Hospital. There has been saving—almost scrupulous—in every direction except where it would prevent the Hospital's meeting the suffering or shortening the sickness of one child. The daily cost of operation was held at the lowest point which would still allow for the children entrusted to the Hospital to get the best medicine and the best of care.

And yet so thin has risen the cost of every item in the Hospital's budget—in labor, in fuel, in food, and above all, in medical supplies—that the minimum expense of taking care of one child for one day has risen from \$1.00 in 1914 to \$2.21 in 1918. Or that \$1.98—the amount per patient per day from the official Government grants do not cover—must come from voluntary contributions.

Our Language. Though a fawn may grow into a buck, gender conditions being right, there is no known process whereby fawning and bucking can be made to resemble each other. Somebody says the Philippine islands could supply enough food for the human race if transportation would be arranged. No doubt. Also hider could furnish heat for all the world's cities if a pipe line could be constructed and maintained.

Height of Ignorance. A fond parent noticed his youngest boy in very animated conversation with a number of other boys and a young woman and that evening inquired of the boy what all the excitement was about.

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