

What Society is Doing

Mrs. Joseph Loebe of Cleveland is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. Whale, Church street.

Mr. Hugh MacKenzie of Montreal spent the week-end with his parents, the Rev. Archdeacon and Mrs. MacKenzie, William street.

Mrs. Matthew Wilson of Chatham has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. W. H. van Allen, Dufferin avenue, for the past week, returning home on Monday.

The many friends and former pupils of Mrs. A. T. D. Biggs will be sorry to hear that she has been quite seriously ill for the past few weeks, at her residence on Waterloo St.

Miss Lillian Hyslop spent a few days this week in Toronto, the guest of Mrs. Tyrwhitt.

Mrs. Henderson of the Wellington Street Methodist Parsonage has returned from spending a week or two in Sarina.

Mr. Walter Webling of Boston, Mass., is spending a few weeks in the city, the guest of his father, Mr. E. H. Webling, Nelson street.

Mrs. Lodger of Ancaster, who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jack Houlding, Park Ave., left this week to visit Mrs. J. Lloyd Jones in Burford.

Mrs. Frank Foster, Dufferin Ave., is spending a week or so in New York City.

Miss Marjorie Gibson, Dufferin Ave., has returned from a visit to Tillsonburg.

While the Archbishop of York was in Washington he christened the infant daughter of the Hon. and Mrs. John Lyon. Lady Maud Macintosh became the proxy god-mother, acting for Lady Spring-Rice.

Mr. George Scott of the Cocks-shutt Plow Co. staff, who has been in England for the past few months, on business for his firm, has returned home.

Miss L. H. Good left this week for Buffalo, where she is the guest of Miss Manchester for a week or so.

Mrs. J. B. Fotheringham spent a few days in Strathroy the first of the week, returning home on Wednesday.

The Rev. Mr. J. B. Fotheringham was in Toronto on Tuesday attending the funeral of his brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Henry, who have been staying at the Kerby House for the past few months, have taken a house at No. 2 Palmerston Avenue and expect to take up residence there shortly.

Mr. Dean Maitland of Moulson's Bank, Waterloo, is the week-end guest of Mrs. J. J. Hurley and Miss Hilda Hurley, Lorne Crescent.

The Red Cross canvass for the Bellevue District section 23, is now practically completed, a few small outlying districts, still to be heard from. The total monthly subscription pledge now amounts to \$531.25, while for the month of April alone \$107.65 has been turned in for subscriptions, including the whole year. The ladies who have canvassed this district, are delighted with the result obtained.

The Tuesday evening "Pupil Recitals" which were discontinued during the winter months, owing to the extreme cold, were resumed on Tuesday evening at the Brantford Conservatory of Music, Nelson St. These recitals, which are for the pupils and their parents, will be continued from now on to the end of June. Those taking part on Tuesday evening were: the Misses Isabel and Madge Brewster, Jean Wilson, Daisy Patterson, Grace Ogilvie, Eleanor Cutcliffe, Primrose Mabon, Mary Hughes, Marie Booth, Eileen Moley and Geraldine Hilton, pupils of Miss Shannon, Mrs. Keene and Miss Hutchinson.

Mrs. Andrew Cleghorn and Miss Mary Hughes left on Thursday for Chicago to spend a few months with Miss Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hughes. Mrs. Hughes and little daughter will return with Mrs. Cleghorn the latter part of June to spend the summer months in Brantford.

Mr. Iden Champlon is spending the week end with friends in Toronto.

The Dufferin Chapter, I.O.D.E., are holding a Talent Tea in the armouries this afternoon instead of their usual Thursday knitting tea. The hostess for this afternoon are, Mrs. J. J. Parr, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. J. Houlding and Miss Ball.

Mrs. Phelps, Wellington St., entertained very delightfully at the hour on Thursday for her daughter, Mrs. George Sweet, a recent bride, and Miss Marian Phelps.

Mrs. Morton Patterson has returned from Toronto, where she has been spending a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moffat, 29 Nelson street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mary Selena E. (Lena), to Mr. Lewis Lewis K. Cook of Marshall, Mich., the marriage to take place next month.

Mrs. J. A. Washburn of St. Paul's spent the week with her sister, Mrs. N. W. Andrews, Nelson St., en route from St. Thomas to her home in St. Paul.

Mrs. Gordon Jones of London and guests of Mrs. T. Harry Jones, Chestnut Ave.

Mrs. R. K. Duncan has returned from Toronto, where she is stopping at "The Kerby House" for a short time.

Mrs. James Cocks-shutt and Mrs. Wm. Watt have returned from spending the winter months in the South.

Miss F. G. Biscoe has returned from Toronto, where she has been attending the golden wedding anniversary of her aunt, Mrs. Haggerty.

At the request of the President of the Alford, Park, and Governor's Road Woman's Institute, Mrs. Warren Turnbull, Mrs. J. J. Hurley, Lorne Crescent, motored out to the home of Mrs. Kilgour on Thursday afternoon, and gave a very interesting address to the large assembly at Hospital Aid work, and also spoke on Red Cross work and Household Thrift.

Miss Madeline Fissette, George Street, entertained a number of her friends at the tea hour last Saturday afternoon.

The ladies of the Dufferin League are holding a talent tea and knitting place at Grace Church on Thursday afternoon. A large attendance is looked for. Proceeds for the Dufferin League funds for the continuation of this work.

His first grandchild has been born to Mr. Lloyd George, Prime Minister of Britain. The birth took place at Crichel, where Major and Mrs. Richard Lloyd George have been staying since Christmas, it being both the wish of the Prime Minister and the family that the expected grandchild should be born there.

The members of The Select Vestry and their wives and the Musical Committee of Grace Church entertained the adult members of Grace Church choir on Monday evening at The Conservatory of Music, Mrs. Haas at very kindly placing the lightful evening was spent in cards and dancing. Mr. F. C. Thomas, Treasurer of Grace Church, and Mr. Ted Foster furnishing the music. A short musical programme was also greatly enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Musical Committee and Select Vestry.

Mrs. Softley, resident now at Mt. Pleasant, will be at home on Thursday afternoon next, from 4 to 6.

Mrs. Sykes of Toronto is the guest of Mrs. H. McK. Wilson.

Mr. W. S. Wisner, Mr. C. Cook and other Brantford shareholders were among those present in Toronto at the annual meeting of the Massey-Harris Co. this week.

Lieut. C. Morgan Bennett of the Imperial Army Royal Field Artillery arrived in the city on Friday on a short furlough, and is staying with his aunts, the Misses Wye, Dufferin avenue.

A Strong-minded Woman. The strong-minded sister of the Duke of Bedford ran amuck of the English War Agricultural Committee of late by refusing to comply with the mandate to turn her dairy farm into a grain farm. Her defence was that she found her land best suited to dairy plans, that she ran it for the public good without gain, quoting the fact that she supplied scores of children with milk at a penny a pint. She was fined £100 and costs.

The Women's Patriotic League entertained the soldiers of the first contingent and their wives at the ten hour on Wednesday in the Reading Room of The Soldiers' Home, when a most delightful afternoon was spent. Mrs. W. C. Livingston, President of The Women's Patriotic League presented the returned veterans with their parcels which they had not received prior to going overseas and which every subsequent soldier received before leaving Brantford. Owing to the fact that these first men went off before the League had been sufficiently organized they alone had not been honored in this way, and the ladies were anxious to pay this slight tribute to these returned veterans.

The afternoon Miss Melita Raymond sang very charmingly. Mr. D. L. Wright accompanying her at the piano, while Miss Annabelle

had done so?" "I would."

Isaacs had caused trouble at the Duncan home twice before. In May of 1917, he had attempted to choke Duncan. A month later, Isaacs had gone to the house at one o'clock at night, intoxicated, and had been taken away by three policemen. He had been repeatedly ordered from the house by Duncan.

"That is a recent history," observed the crown attorney.

Dr. Phillips corroborated his previous testimony that Isaacs' injuries could have been inflicted as stated by Mrs. Gerrard. On his arrival at the house, witness had been told by Duncan, who was apparently sober, that Isaacs had been injured by an automobile in the street. Duncan also told witness that he had returned from Buffalo, after undergoing a serious operation, and the witness remembered that he (Duncan) must be a very strong man to carry Isaacs upstairs under such circumstances.

Later, in the police station, Dr. Phillips asked Duncan what he had struck Isaacs.

"With my hand, twice," replied Duncan.

Witness saw no blood on the bottom step of the stairs.

"Would you say the step was not smeared with blood?"

"To the best of my knowledge, it was not."

"You are going along well," observed Dr. Phillips, "for I was there myself, the next day, and saw the blood. I do not suppose you have any interest in the case."

"I most certainly have not," replied Dr. Phillips with some heat. "I am stating simply what I myself observed. I saw blood upon the wall along the staircase, but not upon the bottom step."

"The injuries to Isaacs face in themselves would not necessarily have caused death?"

"Not necessarily, but considerable violence must have been employed to inflict them."

"You are not suggesting how they were inflicted?"

"Certainly not."

"Could one fall have produced all the injuries on Isaacs' head?" asked the crown attorney.

"In my opinion, no."

"Do you say the man could not possibly have received those injuries in falling downstairs?"

"I most emphatically do."

"How can you explain it?"

"There was no sign of injury except to the head."

"But you well established that the man fell downstairs," observed Mr. Kelly.

"I am not gainsaying that," replied Dr. Phillips. "He offered to produce the head of the impression of the jury. The blood on the side of the wall on the staircase might have come from blood on the clothes of a person passing down the stairs."

This completed the evidence. Coroner Fissette charged the jury, explaining to them that they were to decide when, where and how Isaacs came to his death. It was not for them to decide whether the case was one of murder, manslaughter, or of justifiable homicide.

Ryerson gave some humorous recitations, which were much enjoyed.

Mrs. August Belmont of New York, better known in Brantford as Eleanor Hobson, a charming American actress, was in Toronto on Wednesday and received a wonderful reception at the Empire Club's lunch room at a Red Cross meeting. "Nothing I have heard," she said, "of the luncheon, had prepared me for what was being done in Britain. I cannot describe to you the atmosphere there. London at night time is one of the most beautiful sights I have ever seen. It looks like a dimly-lighted cathedral." The women's organizations in Britain, she said, were everywhere and everywhere they were doing without things, but the white bread she had not seen in Britain she saw among the soldiers in France. She told the story of an English nobleman who had got some position as mess sergeant, and when asked what he was going to do in the interval since his repatriation in effort to help the prisoners of war in Germany. This distinguished officer was himself a prisoner of war for two years, and during that time he had seen the patriots in effort to help the prisoners of war in Germany. This distinguished officer was himself a prisoner of war for two years, and during that time he had seen the patriots in effort to help the prisoners of war in Germany.

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NEWS FROM SIMCOE

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The Council of the Corporation of the City of Brantford intends to construct as Local Improvements Concrete Walks on the following Streets:

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1. The estimated rate per foot frontage per annum is 12.4 cents for the West St. walk, and 4.2 cents for the Morrell St. walk. The special assessment is to be paid in 20 annual instalments.

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THE SITUATION.

There has come a halt in the German offensive on the Western front, although the Allies are fully alive to the fact that this is merely the prelude to another attack in force. At the same time the significant fact remains that the Teuton rush, which was to carry all before it, has most signally failed to live up to the schedule. Ground has been given, it is true, but the British lines have not been broken at any one point and the confidence and determination of the troops is supreme and unabated. Moreover, they now have the assistance of French and Italian forces. The latter are situated on the right of the battle line at Oise and their incoming confirms once more the solidarity of the nations which are bound to crush Prussian militarism and all that it stands for. The pause in the struggle will enable the defending positions to be still further strengthened. Hun losses in some instances are said to have been 55 per cent. of certain companies, but Hindenburg is credited with the assertion that he will sacrifice one million men if necessary.

Word from Palestine tells of the Austrians, during a raid into Gilead, inflicting severe losses on the Turks. The latter secured large quantities of war material and provisions when they recently captured Batun, which was practically abandoned by the Bolsheviks. They are now marching towards Kars. The French in a brilliant attack on a five-mile front near Thennes secured some important points and any prisoners. They went over their knees in mud to take commanding ground.

The British budget to be introduced next week is regarded as certain to involve increased taxation. The Chancellor will ask for a five-billion budget and increase of a billion and a half over the receipts of last year. The chances are that incomes above \$2,500 will be subjected to additional levies.

THE INCREASED LEVY

The call has come for an increased levy on the young manhood of Canada for service at the front, and it must be met with loyalty on all hands. Many homes are going to be affected and many businesses still further hit, including that of farming, but the crisis is one which warrants the step and the rest of us who cannot serve in the battle area will have to redouble our efforts and do the best we can. It should be remembered that Canada, notwithstanding the sacrifices which have been made and must still be offered, has suffered very little in comparison with other countries engaged in the conflict. Her communities and establishments are still intact. Ordinary vocations are still pursued in peace, and there has been no devastation or violation of personal safety.

Reinforcements must continue to go forward in a steady stream; there can be no doubt at all about that, and the dislocations which result will have to be met in a whole-hearted and ungrudging manner.

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SIDELIGHTS AT OTTAWA

H. F. Gadsby's Weekly Letter From the Capital; Equal Suffrage as Seen by an Old Fashioned Member of Parliament

Ottawa, April 20. One must not bank altogether on the debates in Parliament. They are the dress parade of dissimulation—language is used there to conceal thought. The last word is always said outside the House and that which fills Mr. Speaker's ears. As some members make a practice of it to talk one way, vote another to keep track of their real opinions. I am not sure that the woman suffrage does not go through the House with a shrug of the shoulder. The Old Fashioned Member does not believe in it, but he regards it as inevitable—part of the ferment of the age—and he is not without hope that it will soon pass and that men and women again in the good old way that Providence intended.

"I would," said the Old Fashioned Member, "that I could utter the thoughts that arise in me, but my constituents won't let me. I have a good sized woman's vote in my riding and I may need it at the next election. At the same time I'd be glad to do without it. They'll vote the same way as their men simply double the canvassing—that's all I can see in it."

"Woman," I suggested, "will regenerate politics. You must remember that she is man's equal and has an equal right to share the responsibilities of state with him."

"Equal," snorted the Old Fashioned Member, "equal—yes, but not her superior. Some of them go that far—but I'll never agree to that. Equal rights with man. Granted. Then equal duties and equal penalties. Having edged in on man's rights they can hardly lay claim to woman's privileges. For instance why shouldn't a brisk young woman of voting age give up her seat in the street car to me, a tired old man of sixty-five?"

"I suppose," continued the Old Fashioned Member, chewing his cigar savagely, "that when a woman kills her husband by putting powder in his tea that she will expect to escape hanging as usual. The mere fact of her having a vote won't prevent her chivvying friends of both sexes from netting the kind heart of the Minister of Justice with pleas to let her off because she is a woman. And what's more, I suppose the Minister of Justice will go on doing it. He's old fashioned too and doesn't like to see a woman dancing a jig on the empty air."

"Evil," I said, "you're on the same side as those bright young men from Quebec—Sir Wilfrid's rising hopes—who developed their college theses the other day to the effect that the woman's kingdom is the home. How did one young gent put it—that her throne was on the fireplace? A pretty hot spot for the throne?"

"Those bright young men from Quebec," replied the Old Fashioned Member, "were quite right. I say nothing about the influence of the church which has sanctified motherhood and does not want to unsanctify it, but I do take my ground on human nature. Woman suffrage is a great deal more serious than politics. Politics may shift but sex is immutable. I am disinclined to do anything that would interfere with love making the world go round as it has done ever since Eve was created. There will be many social, economic and political readjustments after the war, but I don't see how we're going to readjust sex. "The women are doing their best right now," I objected, "especially the pretty ones." They say that

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FOUGHT IN PALESTINE.

Canadian Soldier Gives His Impression of the Orient.

Under date of Dec. 28th, 1917, H. H. Dewar, M.P., of Toronto, has received the following letter from Capt. Norman S. Macdonnell, Royal Field Artillery, Palestine: "It is a long time since I wrote you a decent letter. So but it is also a long time since I have had any spare time to write in. Fighting here is not so fearfully severe, but with open warfare, a far-away base, impoverished and undeveloped country, and scanty equipment, the work of carrying on is pretty considerable and not much time is left over.

The capture of Jerusalem was great. One division of the west, the south, my own from the west. The main fight occurred outside and the city surrendered. We marched our own battalion and battery on its fine. No spit and tattle here. Heavy rain had deluged the horses, men and vehicles in mud; clothing and equipment was torn and lost. But it was a great thing. And I had all the pride of the world at the head of my guns through all the starting throng of Orientals of three continents. It was splendid to be there on earth in a day of our triumph. The point of view of immediate military advantage the fall of Jerusalem is not important as compared with the great view of the world. It is something for the Cross to have swept away the Crescent after so many centuries; and it is something to feel that it has been done by Britain. Bagdad, Mecca, and all gone from Islam. Only Damascus and Constantinople remain. As I rode into the city and out again along the old road I felt the Damascus Gate I thought I was in Fairyland. All the old Bible stories and legends of the Old Testament and the Crusades; the history learned later at college—Rome and Mahomet; the romance of the Crusades; the present conditions—it all galloped through my head, and I laughed to think that it was all true.

"This is an extraordinary land in that way. It is at once a strange and so familiar. The names are familiar. One night we camped at an inn only eight miles away; I am near the Mount of Olives at present, ahead are the hills. The hills are wondrously brilliant; no wonder they impressed the ancient imagination. And those hills have looked for 6,000 years. "The London St. Paul climbing the mountain tracks, with kilt and pipe, must be not unlike those older battalions. (Man! it is great to see them—the hills and the pipes!) And yet it is cut off. We never heard of the collapse in Italy till after six weeks. We read of things at home and in England and the names are all the same. And the names are all the same. Much that is strange has intervened. Somehow it is a very lonely land. To fall here seems very lonely. But cheer up. I have taken Jerusalem; things are O.K. And everybody is hearty. On the whole in the last two months the weather has been great. Now it is terrible. The rainfall here all comes at once. It is getting it now, and it has made transport almost impossible; even the camels are giving out. But who cares? It is been among the best of my life. The East has its points."

Out West.

Americans in thousands are planning an invasion of Western Canada—Saskatchewan particularly—in the coming spring and summer. It is a peaceful invasion they plan, and Canada should welcome them with open arms. The materials of war the British bring will be batteries of ploughs, harrows and binders. We need their experience, their energy and their equipment. We want their aid in production. Saskatchewan has the rich but untapped resources. They have the energy and the experience to apply to it. The fear of conscription, insidiously instilled, has kept many back from the front. Settlers have discovered, in the possession of a dime, he was equal to the emergency. He clicked his heels together, saluted and remarked, "Cor'ral, Ah 'ank yo', sah."

His Comment.

An amusing story of an ingenious Canadian sailor comes from the Y.M.C.A. hut in the Strand, London. The waitresses are most of them American ladies, who, of course, give voluntary service to the canteen. The other day a sailor proffered a tip to the "waitress" when he had finished his meal, and it was refused. "What! Have you really plenty of money?" said the sailor in astonishment. She assured him that she had, but was somewhat taken aback when the sailor or boy, looking her up and down, remarked: "Well, you don't look it."

Pulsation of the Heart.

Each pulsation of the heart of an average adult sends 10 pounds of blood through the veins and arteries of the body. No more hard coal is to be permitted to be shipped into the Canadian West, and only a small supply to Winnipeg.

Margaret Garrett's Husband

By JANE PHELPS

VAIN ARGUMENTS.

Chapter XXXIV. Several times in the days following I tried to get Bob to promise me that he would not accept any more invitations from his old set. The Roots had gone away for a month or two so there was no present danger from them; and I thought it wise to secure Bob's promise before they returned. But it was not the easy task I had imagined it would be. Again and again I returned to it only to be put off with either a laugh, or an impatient request "not to be silly!"

Once more the four friends had gone down in the country for the week end, once more I had kept entirely to myself while they were gone. Also once again I had made much of my loneliness; my unpopularity when so alone. And had answered all Bob's arguments that it was his fault; by declaring it was his fault as I could have no enjoyment without him; no possible pleasure when he was away from me. Finally he became quite angry. "I can't understand you, Margaret," he exclaimed one day when he had mentioned the fact that he was going to see John Kendall and that John had asked him to bring me along if I wouldn't be bored. "Most women would be delighted to be asked. And, Margaret, Mand Warren will probably be there, so you will not feel awkward. John has a new writer; he is very enthusiastic over it. If you won't go I shall go without you." "You really mean that you will go without me?" "I certainly do. As you know, as I have told you times will have number, John Kendall is my best friend, whatever is of interest to him, interests me, to say nothing of the

that when she left me my world was turned upside down. Father and I don't know. He never seemed to understand me. Then, when I met you you seemed so sweet, so sympathetic, I said to myself that if you would marry me I would be happy in your love, that you would be like mother, sympathetic and understanding. And even after we were gentle spirit I had believed you still kept away from the friends whom she knew and loved for my sake, because the hurt was still too raw, the sorrow too great. "And now you have ceased to grieve?" "No, Margaret, I never shall cease to miss her; but thank God we can't always sorrow as we do at first; else we could not get on. Pain which comes to us and goes on trying to forsake us. And now that the pain is less, instead of keeping away from those to whom she was dear; I am again drawn to them as I was when she was with me; and for my sake entertained and loved my friends."

"It would have been better for you—and for me, if she hadn't! but as I have told you many times, Bob, I met you, you seemed to care nothing for society—other than mine. You were quiet, I supposed domestic, and showed nothing of this side of your character or disposition. You call it; the disposition to mingle with a Bohemian crowd; and which I had no slightest interest in. Surely thought you would be the same after we were married; and you will recall the fact that my darling mother died just before I met you, you may perhaps understand something of my feelings at that time. Mother had been such

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SCOTLAND

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Miss D. Gundy spent Saturday at Ancaster.
Mr. Wm. Donald is holding an auction sale of his stock on Thursday.
Mr. Geo. Campbell entertained a few friends on Wednesday night.
Mrs. Jno. Smith entertained friends to a sugar party one night last week.
Mr. Lloyd Taylor is preparing to move into his new home in the village.
Messrs. Gould & Proper shipped a carload of cattle to Toronto on Monday.
Mr. Bert Hass has moved on the farm he has rented from Miss Johnson south of the village.
A few from here attended Mr. Henry Teeter's funeral at Waterford on Tuesday.

CAINSVILLE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
A few people from Cainsville were present at Elm Avenue Church concert on Monday evening.
Miss Annie Smith spent a few days in Hamilton.
Mrs. R. T. Stillman of Brantford and Miss Holmes of Toronto were week-end guests of Mr. G. S. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. D. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hawley and Mrs. Dutton were the Sunday guests of Mr. J. D. Norrie and family.

LANGFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Rev. Mr. Down had charge of the service on Sunday morning and Mr. A. B. Cornwall looked after the Sunday School.
Miss Louie Reynolds, city, was the guest of Mrs. E. Mulligan over Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, Brantford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cornwell.
Miss Mason and Mr. Rosebough, St. George, spent Sunday at Mr. Robt. Ireland's.
Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter spent Sunday at Mt. Pleasant with friends.
Mrs. Harry Griggs' sister and daughter, Winnipeg, are spending the week with her.
Miss Robertson of the Hanley-Fisher party, was a guest at Mr. James W. Westbrook's on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hunter and family spent Sunday at Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. James W. Westbrook and family spent Sunday afternoon in the city with Mr. and Mrs. F. Lundy.
Mrs. F. L. Lanes spent Monday afternoon in the city.

BURFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mr. and Mrs. W. Messecar spent a few days last week with relatives in Brantford.
Miss Force of Harley spent the week-end with Mr. Wigglesworth.
Mrs. McCracken and Mrs. Emsworth last week.
Mrs. Emphrey and daughter are in Hamilton with Mrs. Braddier, who is seriously ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Brennan spent a few days last week at Niagara Falls.
Mr. Hill and family of Scotland have moved into Mr. Keale's house on Maple avenue south.
Mrs. A. Kelly had a bad fall on the Sabbath, but fortunately no bones were broken.
Mrs. Shearer of Toronto visited her brother, Dr. Johnston, for a few days last week.
Mrs. Henderson of Brantford is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Dutcher.
Mr. Hunt has returned after spending the winter in Oregon.
Mr. McCallan is moving into Mr. B. Amy's house on King street west.
Miss T. Jackson of New Durham spent the week-end at home.
Mr. and Mrs. D. McIntyre of Mt. Pleasant spent sabbath with Mrs. McIntyre.
Quite a blaze resulted from starting a fire in some dead grass on Dufferin avenue Monday afternoon. The fire spread very rapidly and before it was under control it had entered the barn of Mr. Stephenson. However, by the prompt action of neighbors, the fire was extinguished before any damage was done.
Mr. Daubeiser's mother, Mrs. Jackson, passed away at her home Monday morning. Mrs. Jackson, who had been ill for a long time, had reached the advanced age of 94 in Woodstock. The funeral took place on Wednesday to Bloomfield Cemetery.

MOUNT PLEASANT

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
A Red Cross Tea was held at the home of Mrs. D. Macpherson on Tuesday afternoon. There was a goodly number present and a substantial sum realized for the work.
Mr. Chas. Darling has gone to Grimby to resume his duties as superintendent of the Grimby Men's Club.
The Ladies' Guild of All Saint's Church have let the contract for decorating the interior of the church. This is a good work which the ladies have taken in hand and one that was needed.
Production is now the aim and every person as far as possible according to the order of the busy preparing their land and lots for this purpose. The farmers have taken full advantage of the favorable weather and a great deal of splendid ploughing on Wednesday and Thursday have helped out the wheat and corn crops.
The community prayer meetings which were begun during Passion Week are to be continued and held weekly. On Wednesday evening last a prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. G. S. Allen. The attendance was not as large as attendance as usual owing to the heavy rain.
Mr. Amaza Chatterton has bought the house now occupied by Mr. Smiley in the South Hill.
Daylight saving came into effect on Sunday last and was generally observed. Service was held in Methodist and Presbyterian churches morning, but next Sunday the new time is to be followed. The Anglican church held their service usual closing in the afternoon.
One indication of progress in our village is seen in the number of applicants for the installation of telephones. Only a few applications are being granted as the Bell Telephone will not undertake any extra construction.
Mr. Huffman of Brantford has moved into the residence and store occupied last by Mr. Brocklebank.

WINDAM CENTRE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The social held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening was well attended and a most enjoyable time was spent.
Mrs. Peter Billo has moved on his farm near Boggs.
Mr. Algy Campbell of Somerville is visiting his brother, Salem, at Pleasant Valley Manor.
Mrs. Green of Peterboro is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Peacock. The wind storm damaged the roof of Mr. Harry Cotton's house.
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KELVIN

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The weather is nice and warm after the recent snow storm.
Mrs. W. Smith spent one day last week with Mrs. F. A. Goring.
Mr. E. D. Bloomfield spent Sunday afternoon with his daughter, Mrs. S. W. Campbell.
Mr. E. Eastman of Simcoe was visiting friends here for a few days last week.
Mr. N. H. Swackhammer of Windham Centre was visiting friends here while ago.
A few friends spent Saturday at Cedar Lawn.
A prayer meeting will be held on Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. Leon Thomas.
Mrs. David Phipps spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Messecar.
Mrs. Pardue and daughter, who has been residing in England, for the last couple of years, has returned, and are spending a few weeks going to their home in the Telephone City.
Mrs. D. Phipps spent Saturday in Brantford.
Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Henry spent Sunday with friends in Vanessa.
Miss Olive Wingrove and Mr. Oliver Phillips were united in marriage on Wednesday. Congratulations.
Mr. Henry Wingrove and family have moved into the house he recently purchased in Scotland from Mr. Harris.
Mr. D. A. McIntyre has recently purchased a new automobile.

ECHO PLACE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Mrs. Phelps and Miss Reva spent the week-end with friends in Brantford.
Miss Ritchie, city, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, Ancaster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith on Sunday last.
Maple Leaf Club gave a very successful concert in Elm Avenue Church last Monday evening.
The Institute met last Thursday with a record attendance.
Mr. Heilbridge, James street, has sold his home to Mr. Street of the Waterous Engine Works.
The Misses Helen and Mariel Smith entertained the S. S. class of which they are members, Thursday evening.
Place Women's Institute held their regular meeting, April 17th. President, Mrs. J. J. Burch, in chair. Meeting opened by singing Institute ode, after which Mrs. Mowat read the Institute motto.
Mrs. J. L. Barnes, secretary, read

ST. GEORGE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Miss Mary Malcolm of St. Thomas is the guest of her father, Mr. John Malcolm.
Mrs. Chas. Herbert and son, Darcy spent a couple of days of last week with relatives in Hamilton.
On account of sickness Rev. Mr. Brandon will be unable to occupy his pulpit for at least a month and during that time union services will be held in the churches.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Little, Miss Mae Little and Miss Ada Hilliard spent Sunday last with relatives in Hamilton.
Mr. Roy Kitchin of Brantford was the Sunday guest of relatives.
Miss I. Callaghan returned home from Hamilton Hospital on Monday last.
On Sunday last union services were held in the Presbyterian and Methodist churches. Morning service was held in the Presbyterian church and evening service in the Methodist church. Mr. Farquharson had charge of both services.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Osborne, who were married a week ago have settled down to farm life on Mr. Osborne's farm, north of the village.
Mrs. J. W. Waite has returned home after a week's visit with relatives in Toronto.
Rev. Mr. Brandon is spending a month in Clifton Springs.
Messrs. Wallace and Oscar Waite have returned home from a business trip to Rochester, N.Y.
Miss Margaret Skelly of Brantford is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Green.
Mr. and Mrs. John Walley, who have spent the past fortnight with their daughter, Mrs. Firman A. Howell, have returned to their home in Ingersoll.

SALEM

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
We are pleased to see Mr. Stanley Howey around after his serious illness.
Mr. Ray Carter spent the week-end with his mother, who has been very poorly all winter.
Mr. Malcolm Terryberry has returned and settled with his bride in the old homestead. We wish them many long years of happiness and prosperity.
Mr. Wm. Milne and daughter spent one day last week with friends in Woodstock.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Chant spent Sun-

letters of appreciation from boys overseas, who had received boxes from our Institute.
Mrs. Mowat, president of the Maple Leaf Club, announced a lecture by Captain Jenkins in the school house some time on Wednesday, May 1st.
Institute members will be able to turn all work finished and to quit a member, attended the funeral in a body and held their usual service.
Mr. R. D. Gibson reading it. The sympathy of a large number of friends is extended to Mrs. Teeter and the daughters who will miss the husband and father.
The sad news came to Mr. and Mrs. William Stewardson, on Saturday last, that their son, Pte. Guy Stewardson, had died that morning in Toronto. He was on his way back from Halifax, where he had been very ill but it was thought that he would be able to stand the trip alright. He was twenty-five years and four months of age. The remains were brought here on Sunday night and the funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon at 4:15 past three. He had been living here about a year and had gained many friends during that time. Rev. Henry Caldwell conducted the service for the home of our pastor, east of the town. A large number attended the funeral. Besides a mother and father he leaves one sister, Miss Alice, at home and seven brothers, Lloyd, at Brantford, Harry, at Aylmer, and Lynn, Harris, Rex, Willis and Louis at home. Deep sympathy is felt for the sorrowing ones. A memorial service will be held in the Methodist church here next Sunday morning in his honor.
Miss Lillian Savage spent the week-end in Brantford in her aunt, Mrs. Walter Gardner.
Lieut. Nursing Sister Alice Truher of London, spent Sunday and Monday at her home here. She has

conducted by Rev. James Ward of Simcoe and Rev. Frank Anderson, Mr. F. C. Savage sang a beautiful solo. The remains were laid to rest in Greenwood Cemetery. The A.F. & A.M. lodge, of which he was a member, attended the funeral in a body and held their usual service.
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received her call for overseas and expects to leave shortly.
Misses Buelah Scott and Violet Evans spent the week-end with friends in Paris.
A derailment of several cars, belonging to a freight train, near Hawtry, on the M.C.R. caused traffic to be blocked on the road for several hours on Monday morning. The accident happened about five in the morning and two express trains and also the mail train were held up here. About one hundred were able to get breakfast at the Caldwell House and twenty-five more at the Teeter Hotel. Others bought lunches and the scarcity of bread over the week-end made matters worse. About four hundred were held up here altogether and the track was not cleared so they could proceed until after nine o'clock.
Miss Lillian Marchand left on Monday for Paris, where she has accepted a position with Penman's.
Miss Mildred Bauslaugh left this attend Alma College. A number of her friends gave her a surprise party last week before she left.
Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Beemer have returned from their home after spending the winter in Detroit, Mich.
Mr. W. H. Trusdale spent the week-end at his home here. Mr. Lon Trusdale of Brantford spent Sunday with him here.
Miss Edith and Jean Thompson were in the north-west, where they intend visiting relatives during the summer. Their mother, Mrs. John G. Thompson, went as far as Toronto with them.
Miss Wendolyn Sedon is visiting her cousin, Miss Aileen Granger at Windham Centre.
Mrs. Clarence Tench spent the

week-end with Miss Claryn Henry at Scotland.
Mr. C. G. Norris of Toronto, is here and looking into the matter of starting a milk factory here. A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on Wednesday night and it was thought that a good supply of milk will be raised if the factory is built. It is up to the people to invest their money in this enterprise.
The W.C.T.U. held its annual convention in the Methodist church here on Thursday. There were three sessions one morning, afternoon and evening. Owing to the disagreeable weather the attendance was not as good as it might have been.
Mr. Joseph Lange, who lives just south of the village, is quite ill and is not expected to recover. It has been reported several times in the past week that he had passed away but no truth was in it.

J. O. Stertz, an employe of the Bank of Ottawa at Emerson, Man., was sentenced to three months jail for theft of \$900 from the bank.

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It is one of the most persistent traditions of the human race to take a tonic for the blood in the spring, and like most of the accumulated wisdom of mankind it has a sound scientific basis. Winter is always a trying season for people who have small reserve of physical strength. Not many of us get as much exercise and out-of-door air in winter as in summer. Much of our time is spent in rooms none too well ventilated, our diet lacks the fresh green foods of summer, and it is no wonder that the blood grows thin and sluggish with ill effects on the entire system.

Many people who need a tonic neglect it, because they are not sick enough to cause them any worse feeling than one of fatigue and discomfort. They do not realize that the decline in health is so gradual that they themselves do not realize how far from normal they are until the pale face, weak nerves, languidness and irritability attract the attention of friends. Even then a tonic is the right remedy, and there is absolutely no other tonic to compare with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This medicine builds up and enriches the blood and sends renewed health and strength to every part of the body. The appetite is improved, the digestion is toned up, there is new color in the cheeks and lips, vigorous health replaces weariness and lassitude and you find a new joy in living.

INDIGESTION CURED
Mrs. Harry Odd, Nipissing, Ont., says: "For a long time I was a great sufferer from indigestion. I could not eat a meal without undergoing much suffering and as time went on I naturally became much run down and found the greatest difficulty in doing my household work. In fact only those who have suffered from stomach trouble can realize how deplorable my condition was. I was treated by a doctor, but as he was not helping me I began taking other medicines and had used several kinds, without benefit before I heard that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended for this trouble. The result was that I was constantly growing weaker and weaker, and my mother advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After using a few boxes I found they were helping me, and I continued taking them until I had used eight boxes, by which time the trouble had disappeared and I was again enjoying the best of health."

NERVOUS WRECK
Miss Faith Scott, Brantford, Ont., says: "It would be difficult to find a person more benefited by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills than I. I had been a nervous wreck, suffering from sleeplessness, dizziness and a general form of nervousness. I was recommended to try your pills and did so with such good results that today I am enjoying the best of health and feel like a different girl. A dose of the pills occasionally keeps me in the best of health."

RHEUMATISM CURED
Mr. Fred Elsie, Dashedown, Ont., says: "When I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I was in much better than a week; for years I had suffered periodically from rheumatism and lameness. I was constantly doctoring, and while this gave me some relief, it did not cure me. As a matter of fact before I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I had spent more than a hundred dollars in other treatment and was still a sufferer. Then I was recommended to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and the use of only two boxes made a cure, and I have not had a twinge of the trouble since. While taking the pills my weight increased and my general health improved. I am most gratifyingly pleased, and you may be sure I will always be a warm friend of this medicine."

ST. VITUS DANCE CURED
Mrs. Wm. Hill, Stratford, Ont., says: "I suffered from a nervous breakdown after the birth of my first child, and the trouble developed into St. Vitus dance, which put me into such a condition that I was scarcely able to do my household work; my hands twitched and trembled so that I could scarcely hold anything. I walked so unsteadily that I was afraid to go out. Before beginning the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I tried several remedies, but they did not help me. It was on the advice of a friend that I took the pills, and in a short time they made a complete cure and I have since enjoyed the very best of health."

BAD BLOOD PURIFIED
Miss Annie Durocher, Madstone, Ont., says: "I am more grateful than I can say for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me. My blood was in very bad condition. I was weak, appetite poor, the least exertion would leave me breathless and my face was covered with pimples. I tried many medicines without getting any help, and then through a friend heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to give them a fair trial. The result is that this medicine purified and enriched my blood, cleared away all the pimples and left me enjoying the best of health. If I feel that I need a medicine again, you may be sure that it is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I shall take."

DIZZINESS AND FATIGUE
Miss Beatrice M. Thomson, Gluelph, Ont., says: "I have derived great benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. For nearly a year I was troubled with anemia, and many of its attendant evils. My face had a pale, tired, worn-out appearance, and I suffered from dizziness and fatigue with the slightest exertion. I tried many different medicines, but instead of helping me I was actually growing worse. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and by the time I had used three boxes I felt much better. I continued using the pills until I had taken six boxes, when I found my health fully restored. I most warmly recommend these pills to anyone who may be in poor health."

Do not be persuaded to take a substitute. See that the full trade mark name, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," is printed on the wrapper around the box. If you cannot get these Pills through your dealer they will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS. The sole head of a family or any male member of the present or future generation of a subject of an allied or neutral country, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion or Crown land in Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at District Office of Sub-Agency for District. Entries by proxy may be made on certain conditions. Duties—six months residence upon cultivation of land in each of three years. In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as well as the six months in each of three years after settling homesteaded patent and cultivation of 50 acres extra. May obtain patent on certain conditions. A settler after obtaining homesteaded patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may take a purchased homesteaded in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years. Cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00. Holdings of entries may count time of employment as farm labourers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions. When Dominion Lands are advertised or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honourably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local agent's Office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent. Deputy Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

Three enlisted men were killed when a broken rail derailed a troop train on the Long Island Railroad. Circus freaks have given the Liberty Loan a great push and in a parade for patriotic purposes twenty-five elephants were in line.

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MAJOR ALEX. MACKAY, of Toronto, who has been appointed to the position of Inspector of Prisons and Asylums in Ontario and Inspector of Institutions receiving aid under the Hospital and Charitable Institutions Act.

Tanks Were Used Centuries Ago. One has to be inside of a tank and feel that strange, gliding motion which it goes along before he can realize what a tremendously effective war machine it is. And as the sightseer stoops within those steel walls he perhaps has a queer feeling of reminiscence, for some one may have gone to attack walled cities or to bridge the entrenchments of the foe in just such an engine of destruction as this. The tank, as we call it to-day, retains some of the principles of the battering rams of ancient days. It is not unlike those armored and protected platforms used by armed men of old in overcoming fortress and castle. There is in an ancient tome, "De Re Militari," published in 1534, which was obtained from the library of Whitney Warren. The picture of the device of about the same size as the modern tank. It was a closed van, and propelled by a treadmill device within, which kept its wheels in motion. As it set forth in the Latin text of the book, it was able to cross ditches; it had holes shaped not unlike eyes, from which darts and arrows and even heavy shafts could be discharged. A formidable aid to warfare it was in its day, although it was not until recently that its importance was realized. Mobile land forts have been used from time immemorial. The tank is fort and cruiser.—Shanghai Times.

A Vegetable Reservoir. In the desert of Sonora, Mexico, there is a plant, the guarequi, which shows its water supply. The guarequi is a relative of the squash and pumpkin, and inhabits a locality in which practically all the rain falls within a period of six weeks. The base of the stem is swollen to form a hard woody structure, which in turn attains the size of a large squash. The gray of the sands of Sonora is limited in the color of the appearance of the mass, which presents projecting above the sand, and the structure is almost as hard as stone. It is really nothing more than a vegetable reservoir designed to hoard up the scanty moisture and dole out the precious fluid in time of need. In many instances this stored moisture would be precious to man or beast, but the natives say the liquor is poisonous. After the close of the short rainy season the vine-like stems of the plant die down, the small roots dry up, and the plant, in the form of its tuber, lies quiescent on the hot days of nine rainless months. With the return of the rainy season the plant rapidly reforms its roots, stems, leaves and flowers, completes its brief season of activity, and as quickly lapses into another long sleep under the cloudless sky.—Family Herald.

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Barn as an Educational Institution. As education through home arcs has declined, people have begun to realize that the school house has received too much credit, and the barn now comes to the fore. So we are beginning to reproduce the latter in our educational system, as witness our farm schools, trade schools, mechanics' institutes, and the modern trend toward practical education. Just now we have a feud between the barn and the school house. Some of the men who have rediscovered the barn and are building these practical schools, and even some of our advanced technical schools, despise any training which cannot be measured in terms of the pocketbook. As for our classed men, they usually have denied the existence of the barn as an educational institution.—Atlantic.

Fair Play. A sailor on furlough was strolling in the country when he saw for the first time in his life two men working on a cross-cut saw, sawing a tree in two. The sailor stood for about a quarter of an hour watching the two men, one of whom was very tall, while the other was very short. The sailor at last made a sudden spring and dealt the tallest man a blow in the face. "What—what's this?" stammered the big man. "You big coward!" cried the sailor. "I've been watching you for the last quarter of an hour trying to take that saw from the little fellow!" A horse is backed into his stall in Japan. The U.S. has speeded up the Liberty Loan, the total up-to-date being nearly \$51,000,000.

CHINESE ARE ANGRY.

Japanese Are Busily Occupying Conquered Territory. Substitution by the Japanese of civil administration for military rule in Tsingtau and along the Tsingtau-Peking railway, which is regarded as permanent to Japan's occupation of that territory in Shantung wrested from the Germans at the beginning of the war, has aroused the indignation of the Chinese. This has been expressed in petitions to the Central Government, to the governors of other provinces and to influential organizations.

The Chinese Government has protested to Tokyo and has received a reply stating in effect that the inauguration of civil government was done with the idea that it might please the local population better than military rule.

Japan's point of view is that any obligations to vacate the territory by virtue of Japan's declaration of the time of its occupation, has been annulled by China's declaration of war against Germany and the consequent cancellation of existing treaties.

It is understood in Peking that Japan holds that the ultimate disposition of this territory must be the subject of further negotiations between China and Japan.

Meanwhile Japan is perfecting and extending her civil administration on the ground that it is her duty to maintain peace and prosperity in the territory she captured from Germany. Leading Shantung men, who view with despair Japan's action, say much capital is being made at the expense of the Japanese. According to their position as special guardians of that territory is now fully conceded and that no power can resist it.

The bitterness which has developed on the part of the Chinese is indicated by the paragraph in a written protest by the Shantung Provincial Assembly, which reads: "Our fellow men in the province of Shantung in their struggle to be released from political calamities have determined never to taste Japanese fish or meat even though they starve."

Causes of complaint cited in protests which are being in upon the Central Government follow: "In Tsingtau, Fangtze, Changtien Tainan the Japanese have established civil administration departments in disregard for Chinese sovereignty. The Germans during the entire time of their occupation, it is pointed out, never attempted to institute civil administration and left China the right to police the railway. They are already Japanese consulates throughout Shantung to look after the welfare of Japanese residents making unnecessary establishment of civil administrative offices.

"Japanese civil officers have already assumed jurisdiction in cases of rents and debts. "Whereas the Germans only enjoyed priority in acquiring mining rights, the Japanese actually interfere in some instances with mines already owned and exploited by Chinese, even to the length of prohibiting the sale of produce from the mines. "The building of roads, establishment of an industrial school and the taking over of control of a railway are regarded as a large part of the evidence of intended permanent occupation."

"The Chinese could perhaps forgive the Japanese for other acts if they had not extended their jurisdiction to the railway and to a 'railway zone' about ten miles wide extending as far as Tainanfu. According to competent authority no convention was even entered into with the Germans for a railway zone for a 'railway zone' is being urged by a Chinese Foreign Office in its protest against the alleged encroachment. The Japanese, in reply, argue the difficulty of altering a treaty issued by their emperor, declaring that they are doing in Shantung is such authority.

The Chinese declare that under existing treaties any degree of Japan can only affect the Tsingtau district, and the erstwhile German leased territory, therefore there is no need of modifying the decree, the only requisite being to properly interpret it. While the respective Foreign Offices discuss the merits of the controversy the influx of Japanese into the territory in question is said to be growing from day to day.

WAR CABINET CHANGES. From the top: Earl of Derby, Lord Bertie and Viscount Milner.



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Rippling Rhymes

I hope the end of war is nearing, and when the peace bells chime, the men enriched by profiteering will have a beastly time. Just now, in all the hurly burly, they may put things across; by profiteering late and early, stack up a lot of dross. Just now they may be untotched, we have so much on hand, with countless problems unexpected to solve and understand. We are so busy chasing traitors, unearthing evil spies, we're wearing out 'our Sunday gaiters, and skip the cheaper guys. But soon or late they'll all be spotted, no man can be exempt; and they'll be beaten down and swatted by honest men's contempt. The open foe may be forgiven, but pardon there'll be none for him whose bargains all were driven to help out 'Number One. We may forgive the spy whose labors were by his king ordained; the work of one who bilks his neighbors can never be explained. When war is done, and clouds have lifted, and Mars has sunk to sleep, we'll see that all the goats are sifted and sorted from the sheep. Then haply the ragged pauper, without a coin in hand, than any man who thought it proper to cheat his native land.

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THE LUMBER INDUSTRY

HOW WAR CONDITIONS HAVE AFFECTED THE DEMAND.

The Trade in Ontario Picked Up in the Past Two Years, but Quebec's Output Was Below Par — From the Pacific Coast Come Reports of Increased Activity.

FOR over two years after the outbreak of the war the lumber trade of Ontario remained below normal, but considerable activity then developed with the increasing demand for military and manufacturing purposes, prices advanced and a steady improvement set in which has continued throughout the greater part of the past season. As predicted in 1916 the scarcity of labor, high wages and the greatly increased cost of supplies tended to curtail the cut of logs, with the result that the output in the Georgian Bay district was much reduced in 1917. The first six months of the year were active ones, with a strong demand from the United States as well as from the home trade, principally for munition and other purposes, with the result that dealers in western Ontario are carrying over lighter stocks than in the previous year.

The cut of lumber last year in the Province of Quebec was from 30 per cent. to 40 per cent. smaller than that of 1916. Unfavorable logging conditions last winter, together with the great scarcity of labor, contributed to the decrease. Another reason is that a number of firms which ordinarily manufacture both lumber and pulpwood have been concentrating all their energies into

the production of pulpwood. The position of the lumber industry at the present time is unsatisfactory as far as the manufacturer is concerned, owing principally to labor conditions and to the excessively high cost of everything used by the lumberman. The effect will be to curtail logging operations again this winter and to reduce the output of lumber for 1918. The export trade to Great Britain has been very light owing to the lack of tonnage. There has been a good demand for Canadian lumber in the United States, but shipments to that country have been hindered by the car shortage. The market in Canada for manufactured lumber has been quiet on account of the inactivity in building operations and the temporary falling off in the demand for munition boxes. The demand for lumber, however, has been better than in 1916 and prices have ranged from 20 per cent. to 30 per cent. higher.

There were no forest fires of consequence during last year in the Maritime Province. The lumber cut in these provinces in 1917-18 was estimated at 700,000,000 feet, or about 25 per cent. below the average of the past six or seven years. The cost of production was 40 per cent. greater than the average for the same period, nevertheless the manufacturers who were able to make deliveries have secured a fair margin of profit. In 1917, the year before the war, spruce deals alongside a vessel in Maritime Province port cost about \$12 per thousand and were sold for about \$16. Last year the cost was \$15 and the selling price \$21. The manufacturing cost of boards and scantling is, as a rule, about 10 per cent. more than that of deals, and the selling price is generally about \$2.50 per thousand feet less, except in the case of good pine boards. The latter are worth at the time of writing about \$20 per thousand loaded on cars for export to the United States. It was impossible this year to ship deals to England on private account, excepting in small odd steamers, and early in the season, by sailing vessels.

After agriculture, the only two important industries, as yet, in the prairie provinces are lumbering and coal mining, and in proportion to their relation to agriculture, lumbering contributes appreciably to the prosperity of the northern districts of all three provinces.

With the cessation of building operations after the commencement of the war, the lumbering industry suffered a severe setback lasting for about two years, but with the high prices for agricultural products a strong demand set in for lumber for farm uses, and during the past two years the sawmills and lumber yards have experienced a marked return of prosperity. The cut for 1916-17, which would probably show some increase over the preceding seasons, is not yet ascertainable. The figures for the previous year are as follows:

Year	Feet	Value
1912-13	231,223,000	\$3,463,843
1913-14	146,573,000	1,874,270
1914-15	123,196,000	1,674,270
1915-16	160,336,000	2,304,226

In the British Columbia lumber industry the improvement reported over 1916 was more than maintained, although the demand has now slackened considerably, the feeling is distinctly encouraging. The output of the coast mills was about normal as compared with the 50 per cent. cut of the previous year, and the selling price of common lumber has been about \$5.25 over the price prevailing in 1916. The production of the year is estimated at 1,250,000,000 feet, an increase of 25 per cent. over 1916. The consumption has been almost exclusively either local or for export eastward. As only the very best quality of spruce can be utilized for the manufacture of aeroplanes, it is feared that the large quantity found unfit for this purpose will glut the market. Fortunately stocks on hand are about the same now as in 1916, when they were the lowest for several years. The Queen Charlotte islands, where there are large blocks of standing spruce, are coming into the field as producers, and several new mills are being erected.

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Some of the Problems That Face Our Nation.

Very serious difficulties confront a number of industrial enterprises as a result of the embargo placed by the United States upon certain classes of exports which require in large quantities. With a view to removing some of these difficulties, a representative deputation of Canadian manufacturers has urged the Government to establish a War Industries Board, for the purpose of conciliating as far as possible the importation of essential raw materials. With this proposed body, committees representing various industries will co-operate by supplying the necessary technical information. It is hoped, says the Canadian Bank of Commerce, in its circular through such board to reach the authorities at Washington directly, and thus to eliminate official delays. The difficulties are very real, and affect the entire fabric of Canadian industry.

Another difficulty, not less grave, is the delay incident to the inefficiency of transportation facilities. Not only does this apply to the distribution of factory products, but also to the movement of the raw materials required to keep industrial plants in operation. During the past winter lack of fuel to reach the immediate consequences of inefficient transportation — caused many factories to close down. A spell of unusually cold weather necessitated the diversion to domestic use of fuel intended for industrial purposes. To grapple with the situation the Canadian Railway Board is asking the Government to permit drastic measures to be taken, one of which is to tear up the rails on non-essential lines, so that they may be used on lines upon which traffic might be heaviest.

The plans for making the Dominion self-contained with regard to shipbuilding are expected to provide a sound basis for the revival of a valuable industry, which had declined to negligible proportions as a result of European competition. Practical shipping men do not expect the retail conditions until after the war, and three or four years after the war, and the policy of subsidizing dry docks and shipbuilding for a time, and permitting free entry of necessary materials is regarded as likely to ensure the permanency of this industry on a considerable scale.

Has Hand-Written Bible.

Hugh Russell, of Notre Dame de Grace, Que., is the reverent possessor of what is one of the most wonderful books in the world. It is a copy of the Bible written entirely in his own hand, and now being is not larger in size than the old style family Bible. It is beautifully written, too, bearing evidence in every word of an infinite patience and reverence, recalling the work of a medieval monk. It is certainly a wonderful piece of calligraphy throughout. Mr. Russell is very modest about his achievement. "No, I am not a minister," he said, "I am only an ordinary commercial traveller — a knight of the road — but I was brought up by godly parents, both of them living still in Montreal, and I have love for the Book of Books, in which this great conflict is assuredly foretold."

Mr. Russell, who is a Presbyterian Scotsmen, began his work in 1894 and finished it on St. Andrew's Day, Nov. 30, 1916. The work was done in odd moments of leisure, although more than half of it was done since the present war began.

It is written in what Mr. Russell himself calls "peculiar handwriting," almost half printing. It is perfectly legible, and, says Mr. Russell, "without making any boast, I would be willing, if I had money, to offer \$100 for every error or omission anyone could find in it." There are altogether 1,987 pages, the New Testament taking up 471 of these. There are double columns on each page, and was written in sections of twenty-four pages each.

World's Strangest City.

The most curious of cities consists of wooden huts on wheels, the number of about one hundred and thirty, which, when the season arrives, are rolled on to the ice on Basin Bay, Lake Huron. The population of this city is 100. Each hut is about five hundred. Each hut is fitted with cooking utensils, hammocks, and a stove, and is occupied by three men, whose business is to follow a peculiar method of fishing.

In the centre of each hut a hole, about a yard square, is dug to the water. One of the fishermen then takes a live fish of the herring tribe, and after fastening it to a piece of pack-thread drops it into the water. The fish dashes away as swift as an arrow until it is pulled up by the thread, when it returns towards the hole followed by a host of pike and other fish desirous of feasting on the dainty morsel. Besides the hole stand the fishermen, harpoon in hand, waiting the arrival of the pursuers, who are received with thrusts of the four or five-pronged instrument, which rarely fails to bring up some writhing victim.

Some huts can show two hundred or more of fine fish at the end of the day's work. The most weird appearance of this city is at night, when the fishermen prosecute the work by the light of torches, which, as is well known, attract fish without the aid of the herring bait. The flaming torches and the shadows of the men leaning over the holes make a strange spectacle. If fish are not abundant in the spot chosen the hut is wheeled to another site.

Wind whipped \$57 in bills out of the hand of Mrs. Mary Guls, of Shepperton, Pa., and not a dollar was recovered.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A ROYAL WEDDING.

Japanese Crown Prince is Engaged to be Married.

The engagement of Princess Nagako, eldest daughter of Prince and Princess Kuni to the Crown Prince of Japan was formally announced on Jan. 17, although the official statement is not issued until April 20th, the seventeenth birthday of Prince Hirohito, heir to the throne. Princess Nagako, the Imperial fiancée, celebrated her fifteenth birthday on Feb. 6th, this year. She is now a pupil in the third-year class of the Peer College, and is known as one of the prettiest young princesses of the Imperial Court. Her father, Prince Junyoshi, Kuni-no-Miya, is Lieutenant-general in the Japanese army and commander of the Fifteenth Division, Toyohashi. Born in 1873, he entered the military service in his teens and was attached to Gen. Kokki's staff during the Russo-Japanese War as a major of infantry. From 1907 to 1910 he travelled through Europe, studying military affairs in Germany and other countries. The fiancée's mother, Princess Chikako, is the seventh daughter of the late Prince Tadayoshi Shimadzu, one of the greatest feudal lords of the pre-retorian era. She was born in 1879 and married to Prince Kumi when she was only seven years old. She travelled in Europe with her husband.

In Japanese history there are many precedents for creating a Crown Princess, or the future Empress, from among the daughters of the Imperial family. But up to the recent date, says the Japan Advertiser, it has been almost the common custom to select the Crown Princess from the daughters of the Gosekko, the five noble families of Ichijo, Kujō, Sanjo, Konee and Takatsukasa, from whom every Prime Minister of ancient Japan was to be appointed. The late Dowager Empress was the daughter of Prince Ichijo, and the present Empress is the daughter of Prince Kujō. The unexpected happened and the engagement being decided, Baron Hatano, Minister of the Imperial Household, visited Prince and Princess Kuni on Jan. 14th for the transmission of the imperial judgment.

Their Majesties the Emperor and the Empress received in audience Prince and Princess Kumi, where congratulations were exchanged. — East and west news

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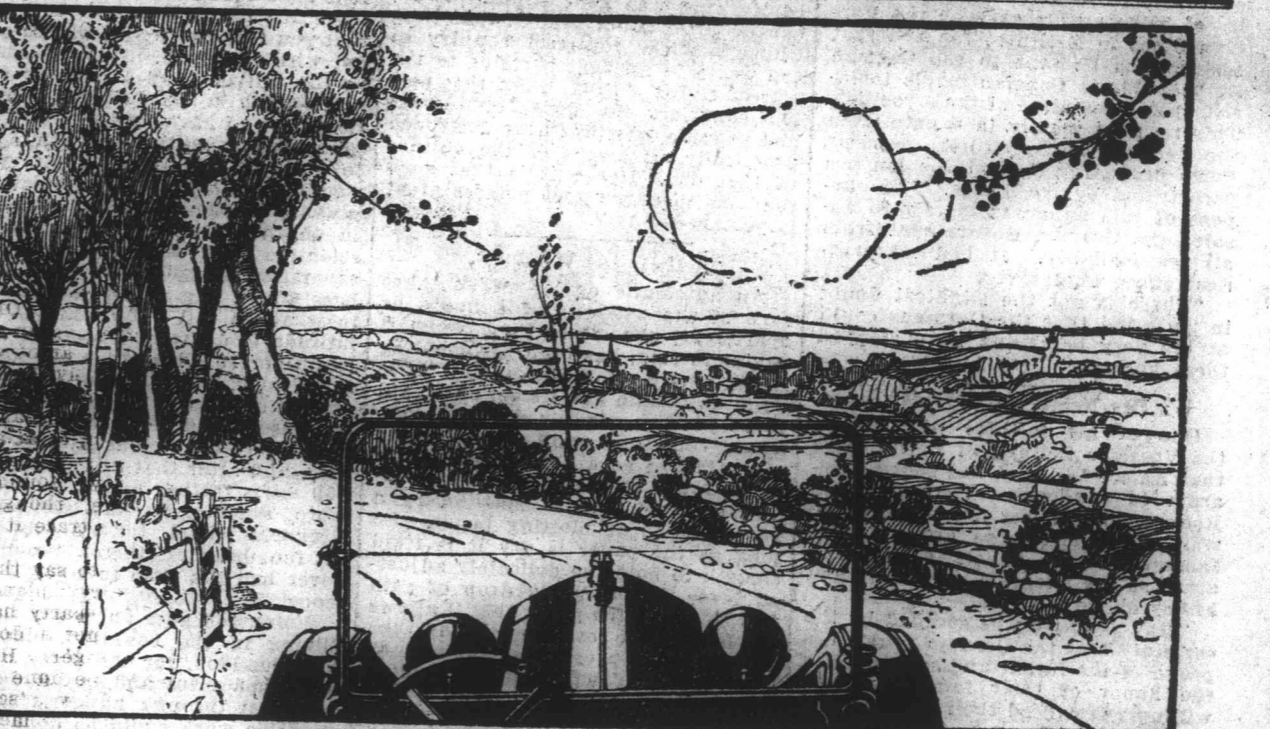
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DID NOT TRY TO STOP MURDERS

Germany Permitted Massacre of Armenians.

MR. MORGENTHAU SPEAKS

He Attempted to Prevent the Horrors That He Witnessed in Turkey, But He Was Helpless and the Berlin Government Looked on Cynically, But Did Nothing to Help the Suffering People.

GERMANY'S guilt in the murder of the Armenians is clearly described by Henry Morgenthau, one-time United States Ambassador to Turkey in the Red Cross Magazine. He says: "How far was the German Government responsible for the murder and deportations of the Armenians? Let me say most emphatically, the German Government could have prevented it. My strenuous and repeated efforts to enlist the interest of the



HENRY MORGENTHAU.

German Ambassador, Baron Wangelheim, in behalf of the Armenians were absolutely fruitless. In my numerous interviews with him I tried to impress him with the thought that the world would consider Germany morally responsible for the crimes of her ally. I urged that even from an economic point of view it was not to Germany's advantage that the Turks should destroy the constructive elements of the country, as that would mean the economic ruin of the Turkish empire. Then, in the event that Germany should become the ruler of Turkey, she would find it an empty shell! When I found that my arguments were of little avail, I suggested to my government the desirability of bringing pressure on the Foreign Office in Berlin to the end that instructions be sent to the German Ambassador in Constantinople to insist upon a cessation of the atrocities. This resulted merely in a note from the German Embassy to the Sublime Porte protesting against the horrors perpetrated by the Turks. The purpose of this note was merely to absolve the German Government from all responsibility. It had no practical effect whatsoever.

"There is not the slightest doubt in my mind that the Germans could at the very beginning have stopped these horrors."

His Nerve Still Holds.

One of his faithful newspapers, the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, says that Kaiser Wilhelm has sent a telegram of condolence to Count von Roon, who has lost five sons in the war. The von Roons are a family famous in the annals of German arms, so the telegram very aptly and kindly observes:

"May your pain be soothed by the certainty that the German people are proud of the father and sons who, to the honor of their famous names, willingly sacrificed their lives for the fatherland."

Which is quite decent of him, but the Kaiser has some five or six sons and a son-in-law—all of military age and able-bodied, all alive and whole now, and perfectly safe for the future, even if the war should last ten years more. One of the few very tolerable medals struck by the Potsdam Government during the struggle is that to commemorate Count von Spee and his two sons—all three of them lost in the battle of the Falkland Islands. If a truthful portrait medal were struck now of the Potsdam plotter and his numerous progeny, it might show Wilhelm II. looking a bit worried. A good inscription for it would be, "Our safety is our supreme law," or something in the same effect, preferably in hog Latin. When the Kaiser has passed to his final restlessness, we'd like to furnish the epitaph: "He had the nerve." Certainly he had no humor, or humility, or justice.—Collier's Weekly.

Diving Water-Birds.

Water-birds which are ordinarily able to float high on the water can also sink at will by expelling the air which is enclosed within the film of feathers surrounding their bodies, thus making them heavier than water. This mechanical trick on the part of diving birds is probably familiar to all who have watched the kingfisher at close quarters, and have noted the sudden contraction in the bird's apparent size as it takes the plunge. This is much more easily observed in the case of the kingfisher, which sometimes imitates the kingfisher by plunging into water for food. The shrinkage of the birds in apparent size is very noticeable when, after hovering above the surface, it turns downwards to dive.—Family Herald.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A FAMOUS CHURCH.

Three Sects Use Building and Quarrel All the Time.

Jerusalem and Bethlehem both have their famous churches. But if neither the Church of the Holy Sepulchre nor the Church of the Nativity existed, the associations which have made Palestine the holy land of the Christian religion would be more pleasant to the traveller journeying through Bethlehem or standing on the hills outside Jerusalem. What is there left of Bethlehem of the tribe of Judah in this description given by a British officer of the Holy Sepulchre, the Church of the Nativity belongs to the three sects—Latin, Greek and Armenian. The squabbles and jealousies of these three bodies are extraordinary. It is nothing for one to interrupt the service of another, when a struggle follows in the church. It is the duty of the guard to keep the peace. Husks, and sour ones at that, thinks the traveller, and turns for refreshment to the hills of which Jerusalem sang. But to continue the officer's description, which is quoted in the Manchester Guardian: "In the Chapel of the Nativity a sentry stands on a little platform, about twenty-four inches by twelve inches, and his sole duty is to guard the head of a screw about the size of a boot nail. It is only a brass screw. It is in a holy carpet which hangs on the chapel wall, and belongs to all three sects. There are holes in this carpet, and the edges of the holes are protected by a brass flange. Some years ago one of the screws holding the flange fell out, and the sects would not agree as to which sect was to replace it. In the end an unbeliever was called in to replace the screw. So many attempts by the different sects have been made to replace the screw that the Turks placed a guard over it. Our sentry took over the duty from the Turks." One wonders what the British Tommy thinks of it all as he guards that screw.

Ancient Chinese Civilization.

It is impossible to describe the feelings of solemnity and awe which overwhelm the beholder upon his first entrance into one of these cathedral-like interiors. The gigantic central figure of the seated Buddha seen dimly in the gloom appears to tower over one in the spiritual as well as in the physical sense, and one seems almost to feel the presence of the countless thousands of worshippers who thronged his sacred precincts in the days when Buddhism was the faith of the greater part of the continent of Asia.

It is difficult, too, to realize that at the time the civilization of China had attained such a wonderful development as is here portrayed, Europe was in the grip of those long years of despair and widespread ignorance which we term the Dark Ages. The Roman Empire in the West had just been overthrown by the barbarian Odoacer. Franks and Goths and Vandals were destroying the last vestiges of the old Graeco-Roman culture throughout the greater part of Europe. Angles and Saxons were commencing their conquests of Britain. It was only in Ireland that the torch of learning was kept alight. There can be little doubt that at that time China was the foremost country in the world in all that pertains to the arts of civilized life. Since that period countless invasions, civil wars and popular uprisings have destroyed practically all traces of the culture of that day. Hence it is that such relics as these grottoes possess great importance.—Asia.

Self-closing Windows.

An automatic device which takes care of the windows of a house or apartment, and closes them when it begins to rain, has been perfected by L. M. Phelps, of Philadelphia. It is a lever, connected with a stationary rod attached to a permanent fixture to the lower corner of the upper window sash, is held in position by a narrow strip of blotting paper. So long as the paper is dry it is rigid enough to hold the delicately adjusted lever, but a single drop of rain will soften the paper that it allows the loop of the lever to fall and thus to release the pressure of the sash or small shot, it will drop and close the window against the rain.

In addition to acting in case of rain it can be made to work at a predetermined time by alarm-clock.—Popular Science Monthly.

The Spirit of France.

Still another bad day. Since six in the morning the aeroplanes have been flying in every direction. At a quarter past eleven a Boche plane flew over the Courlaency quarter and dropped five bombs, one on the road to Biennes, where it killed a woman. Tremendous excitement among the school children of Courlaency when they heard those tremendous reports. I had the children collected in a small square room in the middle of the building which seems to me more sheltered than the others. A word of encouragement to them all, and the children recovered their cheerful aspect; and, when the aeroplane had passed over, the classes were resumed within a quarter of an hour. The next day not a child was missing; such is the effect that German bombs produce on the children of Rheims!—Atlantic.

Beginning Early.

Teacher—If any little girl knows the answer let her hold up her hand. Well, Hazel?

Hazel (aged six)—I don't know.

Teacher—Then why did you hold up your hand?

Hazel—I couldn't help it. I just had to show my new ring I got for my birthday.

Advantageous Position.

"The bride's mother, has all the best of it at a wedding."

"How so?"

"She can sob and whoop and faint. And there's no way for the groom's mother to get back."

Recognition of Wisconsin as a loyal state has been asked by the Loyalty Legion through a newspaper campaign.

Stefansson Makes Plans

For More Explorations

Of the Arctic Regions

IN two letters received the other day by Mr. Johansen of the Geological Survey, from Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the famous explorer, says it is his hope that should he be able to come home in the fall of 1918 he will go north again in the spring of 1920. He writes that it is his desire and dream to continue his Arctic work, and says he has several plans for the future, all of which contemplate the establishment of a base from which geographical surveys can be made in the interests of scientific work; to occupy three or four years.

The first letter from Stefansson is dated Sept. 18, 1917, and is written from Barter Island. He refers to the receipt of a letter from his Ottawa correspondent just a week before, though it was posted from the capital in December, 1916. Stefansson refers in this letter to Mr. Johansen's work with the Anderson party to the South Arctic.

After relating that Hadley and Capt. Bernard, of his party, had secured some wonderful collections of fish, butterflies, insects, and birds and mammals, Stefansson goes on to refer to Bernard's tragic death, with the result that his collection was left incomplete and unshelved. Stefansson writes that his party intended to collect what they could from where he was writing, but he



VILHJALMUR STEFANSSON.

said if the party could have only got out near the Golvile river they would have been much better situated, especially for sea exploration.

"I am afraid that now my Arctic work is the only work I am good for," Stefansson wrote, "or at least I am not fit for any other work. It is my desire and my dream to continue it. I am therefore very glad that you feel you would like to come out with me again. If we set home in the fall of 1919 I hope to come north again in the spring of 1920, at the latest. I have several alternative plans, one or another of which I hope to put through. Each of my plans contemplates a base from which geographical journeys can be made, and in the vicinity of which detailed scientific work can be done by short excursions as well as by work at the base itself. We found a coal mine in what we call 'Third Land' near latitude 77 degrees 33 minutes north, longitude 107 degrees west. My ideas is for a three or four years' expedition, in the first year of which our base would be at Morville Island or some other point accessible by ship, and after that at Greenland, 150 miles farther north, or at a still more northerly point, perhaps in the beaches there, though we never had the time to trace it to its scope.

Stefansson goes on to say that his "living in the country" plans had been justified, for the party had yet to miss a meal and not a dog had been lost through hunger. He said scientific work could be done in any quarter of the Arctic by a scientist who was willing to live on meat and dress in skins. He refers further to the difficulty of transporting bulky collections and reports that half his collections hauled home from new lands had been lost.

In another letter dated Oct. 28, 1917, from Barter Island, the explorer says in part: "If men come to think that I have succeeded I shall, if I have my health, try to organize another as soon as the results of this one are off my hands."

He refers to an approaching trip from Cape Halkett to Wrangel Island, keeping fifty miles or more outside the explored area, and said he hoped to be able to make deeper soundings than any of the "Karluk" took, and, with luck, hoped to determine the bottom slope both north of America and Asia to deeper depths than had been done east of "Nansen" work. He reports the only difficulty facing him to be troublemakers within his own party, but he said he was handling the situation differently.

"If our coming trip succeeds," he closes, "I think our work in general will have to be considered fairly successful, so far as the Beaufort Sea is concerned. In that case I hope I can eventually organize an expedition which will have an unadulterated scientific spirit."

Hun Marriages.

There were 14,343 marriages in Berlin in 1917, as compared with 13,687 in 1916, according to the Berlin Vorwaerts, which adds: "The number of marriages is far below that of normal times, but the 1917 figures are noteworthy as indicating the first increase since the decline began."

"There is no such thing as a technical violation of the law," Judge Goff has ruled in the Supreme Court of New York.

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The trial is proceeding in Chicago of 112 members of the I.W.W., charged with conspiracy to interfere with the Government's war activities.

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SIDELIGHTS OF THE STAGE AND SCREEN

"THE DANGER GAME"
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ORATORIO CONCERT
 R. Pankhurst, in Musical Canada, writing of Miss Helen Beaty's concert in Victoria Hall on Tuesday next, says, "a most unusual attractive recital was that given by Miss Hunt in the Conservatory Music Hall. This young student who has been studying with the Røplog Larsen, the eminent Scandinavian virtuoso, the eminent here, proved to be one of the genuine musical treats of the season year. Her programme, which consisted of 'Vieuxtemps' famous concerto in D minor, played with surprising warmth of tone, brilliance of technique and considerable abandon, comprised also Vitali's 'Chaconne,' a group of charming Kreisler numbers, a 'Sapho Nocturne,' and Wieniawski's difficult Caprice. The last mentioned piece proved one of the most popular and excellent rendered of an extraordinarily delightful concert. This praise from such a well-

known critic is gratifying to the Society and Brantford's musical patrons are assured of a performance of the highest class.

"WATCH YOUR STEP."
 Fascinating, entrancing, catchy and enticing music is what one will hear in Watch Your Step, Irving Berlin's international syncopated musical success, which will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House, April 30th.

"Watch Your Step" is a real novelty in latter day musical plays, depending largely on its enormous and the clever ability of the members of the cast and chorus. A distinctive "something" pervades the whole performance of Watch Your Step which sends its audiences out with melodies to remember and whistle. The quality of the music has been made familiar to theatrical goers through the kind offices of the orchestras, who have found the song hits, especially "Settle Down in a One-Horse Town," appropriate for many occasions.

The plot is light and has to do with the reading of a will and a huge sum of money. The inheritance is to go to the man who has not been ensnared by woman, and if none such quality, to the young man. There are two candidates and both are led out to see the town and temptations thrown their way. This gives an opportunity for visits to a stage door, to a fox-trot palace, the foyer of an opera house, a box-

"THE EAGLE'S EYE."
 Chief Flynn's photodramatic Secret Service expose of the Imperial German Government's spy system in this country, "The Eagle's Eye," a serial by The Whartons, who have made a wide reputation as producers, is a novelty in that while its principal interest lies in the facts the great detective reveals, they are interwoven in a strong dramatic love story in which King Baggot and Marguerite Snow play the leading roles.

The cast in the fictional connective story remains the same throughout, but in the different episodes there are introduced many roles representative of Imperial Germany's spies and their tools. "The Eagle's Eye" will be presented at the Brant Theatre, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"LOVE ME."
 A fascinating story of a breezy Western girl, who, after a long struggle, captivates the hearts of her husband's exclusive and very wealthy family, who at first had refused to receive her, is "Love Me," the latest Dorothy Dalton-Paragon picture, showing at the Rex Theatre, the last of next week. Always winsome, Miss Dalton is more than ever adorable in her new role and some of the gowns she wears, as well as those of her socially correct "in-laws," caused gasps of pleasure from the feminine contingent of the audiences. William Conklin plays the "villain" as usual in Miss Dalton's pictures, while Robert McKim ably assists him in his machinations and clever young Jack Holt is the husband. There is another "woman in the case," too, played by Dorcas Mathews, while Eleanor Hancock makes a stunning mother.

An added attraction will be Charlie Chaplin in "One A.M."

"JOAN THE WOMAN."
 That the motion picture has opened up an entirely new and unlimited field for the presentation of great historical events in the form of most stirring dramas, is the opinion of those who were acquainted with the preparatory work on "Joan the Woman," in which Geraldine Farrar appears as the star and which was produced by Cecil B. DeMille. It will be shown at the Grand Opera House on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, April 22, 23, 24.

There is a vast difference between motion picture productions, the stories of which have modern or fairly modern backgrounds, and a great cinema story of the early 15th century. Even before Miss Farrar went to California three months ago to devote her entire summer exclusively to a characterization of Joan of Arc, the most careful prepara-



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"WRATH OF LOVE"
 Roma Winnet (Virginia Pearson) is the author of "Jealousy," a novel which has created a sensation in social circles. Fear that she herself will come under the spell of the "Green Eyed Monster" has prevented her from marrying.

The first man she really loves is when she meets Bob Lawson (Irving Cummings), an easy going business man, and a great favorite with women. Bob is also attracted to Roma, and, thanks to his adoring mother, is put well on the way to win her.

Bob finally musters courage enough to propose. Roma reluctantly consents, though fearing at the time that jealousy might wreck their happiness. They wed and Roma experiences great happiness. All fear of jealousy vanishes.

The First Tinge of Jealousy
 Ethel Clark (Louise Blake), Roma's dearest friend, is engaged to Dave Blake, Bob's chum. When war is declared Dave is called to colors. On leaving he tells Bob to take care of Ethel. Roma expertly takes her first tinge of jealousy when Bob throws his arms in a brotherly way about Ethel's shoulders.

These stirring events, and what follows, will be seen at the Rex the first of next week, in "Wrath of Love."

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To The Editor of The Courier
 THE NEW GOVERNMENT DECISION.
 Editor Brantford Courier:
 Dear Sir—I wish to draw your attention to the recent M. S. A., in which the Government propose to conscript all young men between the ages of 20 and 23 years. I am fully in accord with every means that will assist in the winning of the war, but is this a measure calculated to produce the best results? We have been told by those in authority, who should know that food production is as important as men, and the farmers have been asked to speed up their production of food

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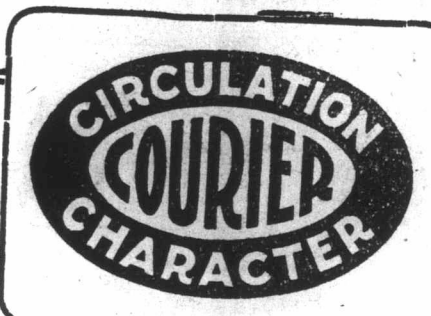
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