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Relations Between Germany and Holland Strained; Break May Come

BUDGET OF RECORD EXTENT RECEIVED WITHOUT MURMUR

Something of Grandeur in Acceptance by British House of Commons

Budget Does Not Go Far Enough, Say Some London Papers

By Courier Leased Wire. London, April 23.—The most stupendous budget in British history was received yesterday by the House of Commons and new taxes were greeted there without a murmur.

BRITAIN HAS HER BACK TO WALL, SAYS SPEAKER

Has No Longer Reserve Army to Send to France; Her Forces Exhausted on Thirty Seven Battle Fronts—Appeal to U.S. to Send Immediate Aid

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, April 23.—The Tribune this morning has the following: "Great Britain has no reserve army to send to France; the 7,500,000 enrolled by her since the beginning of the war have fought and died on 37 fronts and when it is said that she has her 'back against the wall,' it means that."

REICHSTAG ASSEMBLES

Amsterdam, April 23.—The Reichstag assembled yesterday. The vice-president, Dr. Hermann Fasseche, made an address, Berlin dispatches report, in which he said: "The success of the eighth week undoubtedly will help to show our opponents as well as neutrals, to what extent a web of deceit has been woven around Germany and also to reveal to them the fact that Germany's internal strength remains unbroken. We hope this victory in the financial field will contribute substantially to the attainment of our goal as quickly as possible."

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, April 23.—The barometer continues to cover northern Ontario and Quebec, but is rising over the great lakes in the wake of a high area now centered north of Manitoba. The weather is fair throughout the Dominion. Forecast: Fresh west and northwest winds, fair, cooler to-night and on Wednesday.

ULTIMATUM REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DELIVERED; DUTCH CABINET MEETS

Huns Would Not Hesitate to Use Communication Through Holland, in Order to Gain Victory on West Front—Situation is Acute, and Gives Rise to Anxiety

Relations between Holland and Germany are again reported near the breaking point, and the situation is said to be looked upon with anxiety in official circles in London. Rumors are current in the British capital that Holland has been served by Germany with a demand approaching an ultimatum. The Dutch press is becoming uneasy regarding Germany's attitude toward the smaller country.

CONSCRIPTION BILL ABOUT TO BE SUBMITTED

Compulsory Service Measure Introduced in Newfoundland Legislature

By Courier Leased Wire. St. John's, N.F., April 23.—With the opening here to-day of a special session of the Newfoundland legislature, the government was prepared to offer a conscription bill fixing the draft ages at 19 to 30 years. Under the act as proposed men between those ages who are unmarried or widowers without children dependent upon them would be liable for military service. Exemptions are specified in the bill providing for exemption in certain other cases of dependency and were public interests, and work related to the war would suffer if men were drafted.

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FOOD RIOTS IN GALICIA

Bloodshed Ensued When Troops Charged Starving Populace

Washington, April 23.—Serious food riots in Galicia are described in a dispatch from Vienna. It says: "A telegram from Vienna to the correspondent Neueste Nachrichten reports that offer many large towns of Galicia, riots involving bloodshed, took place last week because of the shortage of food. At Cracow these riots were particularly fierce, causing the deaths of a number of people. The troops charged into the crowd, and the disturbances have now spread to eastern Galicia more particularly in Lemberg and Tarnopol. The number casualties in the civil population is also high."

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North of Albert Positions Were Extended and Sixty Prisoners Taken—Prisoners Also Taken on Flanders Front—Artillery Active on French Front

By Courier Leased Wire. London, April 23.—On the Somme front north of Albert, the British last night improved their line by a successful local operation, it is announced officially. They took 60 prisoners. On the Flanders front, in the Robecq sector, and near Wyttschaete, the British took prisoners. The statement follows: As the result of a successful local operation carried out by us last night north of Albert, we improved our position and captured 60 prisoners. A number of prisoners have been taken by which areas local fighting occurred to our advantage. In the neighborhood of Fampoux, one of our raiding parties entered the enemy's trenches and penetrated his support lines.

FRENCH OFFICIAL

Paris, April 23.—Active artillery operations on the Somme front and east of Rheims are reported in to-day's official communication. The statement follows: Rather spirited artillery engagements occurred on the Somme front and east of Rheims. German raids between Lassigny and Noyon, northeast of Rheims and in the Vosges were without results. Prisoners remained in our hands. Everywhere else the night passed in quiet.

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On the Pleadry battlefield the Germans show increased activity north of the Somme, to Albert. This is at the base of the triangle, whose apex is the juncture of the Somme and Ancre Rivers almost directly east of Arras. It is not improbable that the Germans may attack simultaneously the northern leg of the salient, probably in preparation for further attempts to overcome the Mont Kemmel positions and outflank Ypres. They have carried out small raids in the vicinity of La Bassee and Peurbert, where the southern leg of the salient joins the old battle line. In the center the British have further improved their positions around Robecq.

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### NEWS FROM NORFOLK COUNTY

#### BEAUTIES OF OLD ENGLAND

Simcoe, April 22.—(From Our Own Correspondent).—A letter from Capt. ... written to his uncle, McNally, from Witley Camp, Surrey, Eng., runs in part as follows:

The Voyage.

"We had a grand voyage, which in itself was a little experience. We were constantly on the look-out for subs, but did not see any—lucky for us and perhaps luckier for ourselves. However, the sign of transport always, is to avoid coming in contact with those destructive war machines.

The convey following us were encountered by two and one of these went down by a destroyer, the other made off.

Our ship, the Megantic, was one of a convoy of eight. It was a fine boat. We travelled saloon, three officers to a stateroom, meals simply great, but appetite for the most part not as ravenous as before or since. For the first three days our head weighed about an ounce, but as time went on it resumed normal. Only for one day we had what is called a high sea, but for me that old tub rolled quite easily.

Entering Liverpool.

"We arrived in Liverpool on March 14th. Some birthday! It was extremely foggy. All were on deck to welcome the sight of land once more after days of nothing but the great expanse of water.

"I never heard such a conglomeration of sounds in my life. (It had the greatest charivari that any of our grand-dads ever dreamed of—and then some), fog horns, gongs and what not giving warning to vessels coming into port. You know Liverpool harbor is one of the biggest in the world. After a wait till late in the afternoon while ships ahead unloaded, we finally docked, waited till late in the evening and entrained for Camp Bramshott.

We detrained at 4.30. Still dark, and mired into camp in a driving rain. But fortunately the roads are good and hard here in England, so the mud was only the thickness of thin batter. The weather seemed to clear with approaching dawn, and as the sun broke over the horizon it showed us the beautiful green country and winding roads so prevalent in good old England with hedges on either side. How beautiful the song birds and how vigorously they sing at break of day, and there seems to be an abundance of songsters in this country.

#### Memories of Old Niagara.

"Well, as we approached camp the bugles were sounding 'reveille' and I could hear in the distance a band playing, and what it fell on my ears, as an old familiar march that we used to play at Niagara when we didn't dream of war.

No wonder.

"After a short-march we landed at segregation camps, there to remain in quarantine for ten days.

"I don't wonder at English people in Canada speaking so frequently and admiringly of back home, because it's without doubt, a beautiful country with all its historical places and beautiful scenery, and we saw some of it while in quarantine, for we were allowed freedom to stroll about.

#### Old London.

Quarantine over we got six days landing leave and I hiked for London. I never saw a city, I think, before. It's simply wonderful and I did not really see much of it, but I visited a few places of interest. I was glad of an opportunity to visit the King's stables and saw everything, finishing with state carriage, which, of course, is only out on a coronation occasion.

I also visited Westminster Abbey; I won't attempt to describe it, it's wonderful. I saw where the various regiments deposit their respective colors before going to France. The sepulchre work is magnificent and beyond description.

#### At Work Again.

But we are settled down to work and there's lots of it. I was tired of idleness. Part of the fellows were left at Bramshott. I was drafted for Witley Camp and am glad of it.

We mess with a number of Regimental officers and the fare is good. What a drive the Hun has been making! Its Hell! I can say that from what I have already seen but who could stay out of it?

Geo. Blake Jr. Wounded for Second Time.

Geo. Blake, reported in yesterday's casualty list, was wounded by gunshot in the elbow. He went overseas as Sgt. with the 133rd. His father, Sgt. Geo. Blake was shoemaker in the same unit and at present at Havre at his trade.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Petheram visited their son, Flight Cadet Gordon Petheram at Beamsville camp on Sunday.

Mrs. Aaron Pettit of Windham Centre was taken ill on Sunday.

Will Vote On Thursday.

Jarvis Citizens will vote on the question of increased gas rates on Thursday. The village will be wise in favoring the increase proposed. Gas as other commodities is bound to go up or go short, and Jarvis well knows what the latter means. As a matter of fact the gas situation in Dresden is the most serious as it is vital in this district as the food situation. We could freeze with the larder full.

A rather formidable contingent of young people considering these days of war-time economy, were prepared last evening to leave early this morning by automobile accompanying a three and a five-man team

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to play in Toronto this evening. Some five or six big cars were registered for the enterprise.

Simcoe Firm to Buy Auto-Hearse? It is persistently rumored that a local undertaking firm has decided to purchase in the near future an auto-hearse. No local firm up to the present has made the move, and scores of automobile owners are deprived of attending funerals owing to the difficulty of running on low gear behind the heavy-duty hearse. The Delhi outfit will be in town tomorrow for the funeral from St. Paul's.

#### REGISTRATION BY END OF JUNE

#### Man and Woman Power of the Dominion to be Recorded

Ottawa, April 22.—Registration of man and woman-power throughout the Dominion is expected to be complete by the end of June. Announcement to this effect was made in the House of Commons today by F. B. McCurdy, one of the members of the Canada Registration Board. Mr. McCurdy sketched in some detail the scope of the registration and the methods by which it will be carried out. The Canada Registration Board, he said, was representative of all interests—of labor, of manufacturers, of women workers, agriculture, with the addition of the chairman of the Military Service Council.

The regulations under which the registration of the man and woman-power of Canada will be effected have now been approved by order-in-council. The plan of operations which they disclose is very similar to that employed for the registration of a Dominion election. It is to be carried out by the Registrar, whose duty it will be to provide a sufficient number of places of registration, and to appoint for each place a Deputy and one or more Assistant Deputy Registrars.

"Upon a day that will be fixed by proclamation, every person sixteen years of age or over will be required to extend at one of the places of registration and there answer truthfully a few simple questions set forth upon a card.

Keep It Up to Date.

"Provision is made in subsequent regulations for the Registrar to visit, for any good and sufficient reason, such as sickness, absence from the country, etc., cannot register upon the day appointed. The same facilities will be open to those who, after registration day, attain the age of sixteen, or are discharged from active service. From this it will be seen that it is the intention of the Government not only to take a complete inventory of Canada's man and woman-power, but when taken, to keep it up to date.

Penalties for Non-compliance.

"Any person failing to register will expose himself to serious penalties and disabilities. He may be fined or imprisoned, or at the discretion of the court, he may be both

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and sentenced to imprisonment. He will forfeit his rights, he might otherwise have had to vote at a Dominion election. He will be disqualified to receive any wages or salary, to obtain board or lodging at any hotel, restaurant or boarding house, or to purchase a ticket for travel upon any railroad or steamboat. Any employer knowing him to be unregistered, permits him to expose himself to the same penalties through failure to register. Any person, knowing him to be unregistered, who gives him board or lodging, or who sells him transportation, or any conductor, captain, purser, or other officer, knowing him to be unregistered, permits him to proceed upon a journey, will thereby render himself liable to heavy punishment.

The Government has no present intention of conscripting Labor, though subject to approval by order in Council, the Canada Registration Board may make regulations which assign certain classes of employment to able-bodied men or to men between certain ages. Such regulations, if adopted, would help to give effect to the recent order in Council requiring every person to be usefully employed.

#### Basic for Food Rationing.

Another very important purpose which the registration may serve is as a basis for food rationing. If it is to do her full duty by the Government and her European allies the time may come when she must submit herself to some system of food rationing—something which she cannot do intelligently and equitably unless she has first secured accurate information as to the number and distribution of her population. Canada's exportable surplus of food products can be greatly increased by greater food production; it can be still further increased by strictly limiting the per capita consumption of meat and wheat products.

Some of the Questions.

Men will be asked to say whether circumstances would permit them to be changed in the present crisis by changing present occupation, to some other for which qualified if the conditions offered were satisfactory. Women will be asked to state, considering their health, training, and experience and the national needs, in what capacity they think they could best serve the country. They will also be asked if their circumstances would permit them to do regular full-time service without remuneration.

#### Women's Institute

The monthly meeting of the Alford Park and Governor's Road Women's Institute was held on Thursday, April 19th, at the home of Mrs. R. Kizour. The opening exercises were conducted by Mrs. Turnbull, the president.

Legal inspection for the rural schools was discussed and voted upon and unanimously carried.

Mrs. Hurley gave a splendid talk in the interests of the Brantford and Red Cross Work.

The members of the institute took this opportunity to present a letter to Mrs. Roseburgh who was recently married with a set of table linen in appreciation of her faithful services.

During the afternoon Miss Sage and Miss V. Burrill gave instrumental numbers which were very much enjoyed by the audience.

The meeting was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Sage's home.

#### A French Aviator

Landing from the effect of a bullet in the heel, Second Lieut. Constant Soulier has returned to the United States to join the French Mission and to act as instructor in American camps. Although only 20 years old, the lieutenant is an Ace of the 26th Squadron of the French Flying Corps and has shot down fifteen Germans.

"I have had some interesting experiences," he said, "but they are only the kind that come to every flyer with chance playing no small part in the game. I did bring down fifteen Germans but it must be remembered that they brought me down three times and each time I thought the end of things had come. The last time I got a bullet in the heel and so I was unable to control my machine."

Lieut. Soulier was asked what he thought of the German Air Force. He replied that most of them he had seen had been dead. In this connection he said that one of the down was an ace. He fell unharmed within the French lines and the lieutenant said he found him a very agreeable fellow with whom he exchanged photographs.

One thrilling experience he noted was in July last when he went up to meet a German machine and immediately eight German came up after him. He said he put two planes out of commission, when his machine guns choked and he only escaped by a freak of luck and a long spiral dive.

#### Britain's Birth Rate

Sir Bernard Mallet, the Registrar-General of Births and Deaths, shows that since the war began the population of the United Kingdom has increased by excess of births over deaths to such an extent as to more than counterbalance the whole of the losses of our armies in the field. On the other hand, the civil population of the Central Empire has steadily and even rapidly declined since the war began, and estimates that this loss, added to the loss by deaths in the field, has reduced the total population of the Central Empire by at least four millions.—Family Herald.

#### Population Fluctuates

Amsterdam, April 22 (Associated Press).—War has produced some remarkable changes in the population and relative importance of big German cities. The five principal centers of the munition industries have suddenly mounted to places among the nine largest cities in Germany. Before the war Munich was the third largest city in Germany, ranking immediately after Berlin and Hamburg. Munich has dropped into seventh place, and Bochum, in Westphalian Prussia, has risen to third place.

Bochum is the seat of great coal iron and steel industries. In 1900 it had a scant 85,000 inhabitants. Now it boasts of more than 764,000.

Dresden and Breslau, which were formerly the fourth and fifth cities in Germany, have fallen well behind Dortmund and Essen.

An official tabulation of the chief population centers of Germany gives them in the following order:

Berlin	1,335,624
Hamburg	1,014,654
Bochum	764,774
Leipzig	783,835
Cologne	571,220
Duisburg	519,800
Munich	608,124
Dortmund	566,055
Essen	562,507
Dresden	531,697
Breslau	514,947
Dusseldorf	449,848
Frankfurt	414,578
Königsbrunn	413,786
Hannover	407,800
Kiel	370,258
Bremen	293,526

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#### WEDNESDAY and Following Days

Our Summer millinery will be on display. Most of them are imported hats from New York, others are smart tailored effects from our own workroom. Each a stunning representative of the season's popular models. We invite you to see this display.

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Fancy Silks for Dresses, Skirts or Kinomas in stripe, check, plaids and floral designs. Special at \$3.25, \$2.50, \$2.00 to \$1.00

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These beautiful Silk Sweater Coats just to hand in big variety of styles. Coloring and weave come in plain and trimmed with contrasting colors, large or shawl collars, belt on sash, and made with military or patch pockets. Prices range \$35.00, \$30.00 to... **\$9.00**



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#### Rippling Rhymes

The trifling thing is trifling still, though gifted men defend it; there's just one thing that fills the bill—to win the war and end it. To end the long drawn Prussian crime is all that is important, and if you waste your precious time on lesser things, you'd ortn't. Your prifling talk of politics, of offices you're seeking, of vote machines and campaign tricks, with selfishness is seeking; you talk of art and books and song, but silence of the world's great wrongs and the killing kaiser. Of margin, profit, cost and prize, the man o' war, interce chatters, but all such doodads cut no loss—the war is all that matters. Do you still chase the sordid yen wherever you may find it, while war is eating living men, and strewn bones behind it? Are you for football games and sports with fey silent courts, while in Vashalla's somber? So long as Prussian eagles scream, and kultur blasts and shatters, there's only one important theme, and war is all that matters.

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#### ASK FOR A QUARTER OUNCE OF FREEZONE

Any corn will dry up and lift off says a Cincinnati authority.

Let folks step on your feet heretofore, wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is said to simply shrivel up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue.

It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce obtained at any drug store cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Cut this out especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

#### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

AUCTION SALE AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, will sell by public auction on Wednesday next, April 24, at 10 Arthur street, commencing at 1.30 p.m., sharp, the following goods: Six velvet carpet, quartered oak sideboard, mahogany parlor table, parlor lamp, mahogany settee covered in silk, 14 yards Brussels carpet, oak flat top writing desk, 1 secretary, oak beds, spring mattress, kitchen cabinet, closed top gas range, 4 chairs, table, tub, lawn mower, glassware, dishes, silverware, pans, one power washing machine, one ironing board, coffee grinder, tinolium, 1 set scales, a quantity of garden tools, many other articles. On Wednesday next, April 24th, at 16 Arthur street, at 1.30 p.m., sharp. No reserve. Terms cash. Luther Whitaker, W. J. Bragg, Proprietor, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE I have sold part of my farm. AUCTION SALE OF STOCK, BAY GRAIN, IMPLEMENTS AND HARNESS OF FAIRM. I have sold part of my farm and my stock, grain, hay, implements and the balance of my farm with the good buildings on, containing 60 acres more or less, Thursday, April 25th, commencing at one o'clock sharp, the following: HORSES—One pair, 1 grey, 1 brown, rising 4 years old, weighing about 2,500 pounds; 1 grey mare, rising 3 years; 1 grey mare, rising 4 years, supposed to be in foal by Percheron horse (imported); 1 grey mare, rising 2 years, a black; 1 colt, rising 1 year. The above are Percherons, are good colors and very hard to beat. CATTLE—Ten milch cows, all Holsteins, all young, fresh and others springing; if you want to buy good cattle come to this sale. Four yearling heifers, 2 yearling bulls, and 1 pure bred cow, 2 years old. Papers will be given at sale. Four yearling steers, 6 veal calves, 5 fat hogs, one brood sow due to farrow in May, 2 nannies, goats. POULTRY—Thirty-five pure bred Wyandotte (Martin's strain). IMPLEMENTS—Disc and walking plow, No. 21, nearly new; wagon, Kangaroo 2-furrow plow, 6 veal calves, 5 fat hogs, one brood sow due to farrow in May, 2 nannies, goats. THIS REAL ESTATE will be offered for sale at three o'clock sharp, subject to reserve bid. On the farm is erected a good hip bank barn, 72 by 20 ft. Hog pen on a wall, and drive shed and a red brick, 2-roomed house with good cellar, and cistern and 2 good wells, plenty of good water. The soil is in A1 shape, the location is grand and good neighborhood and is convenient to electric car line, L. E. and N. A quantity of fall wheat, 7 acres of new seeded last year with clover, 6 acres oats, are in and ready to elect seed. The farm is situated one and half miles south of Mount Pleasant, better known as the Wm. Develin farm. Get off L. E. and N. electric car at the Maple Grove to come to the sale. TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount six months credit will be given by joint promissory note, 6 per cent. per annum off for cash on credit amounts. Grain, poultry and pigs cash, if pigs not previously sold. Terms of real estate will be made known at time of sale. No reserve. W. T. Barnes, Auctioneer. W. Alams, Proprietor.

SMOKE El Fair Clear Havana Cigars 10 to 25 cents Fair's Havana Bouquet Cigar 10 cents straight Manufactured by T. J. FAIR & CO., Ltd., BRANTFORD, ONT.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS. The sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, who was at the commencement of the present war, and has since continued to be a British subject or of a subject of an allied or neutral country, and cultivation of land in each of three years, may homestead a quarter-section available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at Dominion Land Agency or Sub-Agency for District. Entry may be made on certain non-forest lands. Duties—six months residence upon the cultivation of land in each of three years. In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as pre-emption. Price \$300 per acre. Duties—six months residence upon the cultivation of six acres extra. May obtain pre-emption as soon as homesteaded patent on certain conditions. A settler after obtaining homesteaded patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may purchase a quarter-section in certain districts. Price \$300 per acre. Must cultivate six acres in each of three years, or six months residence upon the cultivation of land in each of three years. Holders of entries may be granted employment as farm labourers in Canada during absence from residence duties under certain conditions. When Dominion lands are advertised or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honorably discharged, shall have priority in applying for entry at local agencies (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent. W. W. COY, Deputy Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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AMERICAN TROOPS ARE FINE TYPE OF FIGHTING MEN

Behind the British Lines in France, April 23.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—The Germans are in for a rude awakening if they are sincere in discounting the American army in France, in the opinion of P. M. Cutlack, assistant official correspondent with the Australian Imperial Force here. "The Americans," he asserted, "have a spirit for which the Kaiser would sacrifice a good half of his numbers if he could get it into his hands to use against the American forces, Mr. Cutlack writes: "The dominant fact in the arrival of the United States army is the sheer bluntness of it. It is new—new in training—or rather a whole pattern of race horses. The chance will probably not have the reward of seeing such a spectacle of earnestness, for the Americans are learning very fast. "It saw something of the same when the Australian War Army began long ago in 1914—the same light-hearted enthusiasm, the same rich quality all untrained and inexperienced, the same outpouring of the very best of a whole country in an emotion of national pride, counting neither cost nor return. The Americans are not soldiers yet, and no people realize better than I do to make themselves soldiers, but they will be a great and powerful army in probably shorter time than their officers as attaches of one sort or another have seen a lot of this war from the German and Turkish side as well. We found a major who had watched the Gallipoli campaign from the top of Battleship Hill and was in the confidence of Liman von Sanders and the Turkish Pashas. He has therefore a particularly warm regard for the Australians. "We went up to see the American line in Lorraine. In their khaki and round, tin hats among the Lorraine hills they look and act very much like our own men; indeed they might be our own fellows. They have the same sturdy, self-reliant look. They stand themselves over country in the fashion of men accustomed to vast spaces. They walk with the same easy, free-limbed carriage. Their discipline, like ours, is a trencher which force could never impose or maintain, but is rather emanated voluntarily to a common good in violation of temperament and upbringing. "Against these men, as against the men of the British Empire, the Germans have no chance."

JOHNSON AGAIN LOST Eddie Collins Ties Sam Crawford's Major League Record. Boston, April 22.—Mogridge stopped Boston's winning streak after it had reached six, by letting down Barrow's men with eight hits, New York winning, 11 to 4. Not until the ninth inning did a Boston player single outside the right-field fence. Cleveland made it two out of three from St. Louis, pitching his second victory of the season, held his opponents to five hits, Nunamaker's triple saving St. Louis from a shut-out. Chapman's base-running, Roth's batting and Wambagans' fielding featured the contest. Chapman scored four runs, drawing two passes, making two hits and stealing three bases. Score: St. Louis, 11; Cleveland, 4. At Washington.—Walter Johnson lost his third straight game of the season here today when Philadelphia bunched hits with errors in the sixth inning and defeated Washington, 5 to 1. Johnson struck out seven men. Score: Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 1. At Chicago.—By playing in today's game, won easily by Detroit from the White Sox, 7 to 2, Eddie Collins tied the major league record made by Sam Crawford, of Detroit, for number of consecutive games played. Collins has played in 472 games without a miss, starting in 1914 with the Philadelphia Athletics, when he played the last three games of the season. He has not missed a game since Crawford

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BASEBALL TASTED DEFEAT FOR FIRST TIME Boston Red Sox Given a Bad Beating by the New York Yankees. Boston, April 22.—Mogridge stopped Boston's winning streak after it had reached six, by letting down Barrow's men with eight hits, New York winning, 11 to 4. Not until the ninth inning did a Boston player single outside the right-field fence. Cleveland made it two out of three from St. Louis, pitching his second victory of the season, held his opponents to five hits, Nunamaker's triple saving St. Louis from a shut-out. Chapman's base-running, Roth's batting and Wambagans' fielding featured the contest. Chapman scored four runs, drawing two passes, making two hits and stealing three bases. Score: St. Louis, 11; Cleveland, 4. At Washington.—Walter Johnson lost his third straight game of the season here today when Philadelphia bunched hits with errors in the sixth inning and defeated Washington, 5 to 1. Johnson struck out seven men. Score: Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 1. At Chicago.—By playing in today's game, won easily by Detroit from the White Sox, 7 to 2, Eddie Collins tied the major league record made by Sam Crawford, of Detroit, for number of consecutive games played. Collins has played in 472 games without a miss, starting in 1914 with the Philadelphia Athletics, when he played the last three games of the season. He has not missed a game since Crawford

MEDICAL SCIENCE CONQUERS DISEASE London, April 2.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—Trench fever and shell shock are the two most difficult problems that this war has presented to medical science according to a report issued by a British-American medical commission which recently has been sitting here. Cases of trench fever were reported from France as early as 1915 and the disease has been continually studied ever since but the organism which causes it has not been discovered nor has any drug been found for its successful treatment. The American army doctors believe that they have definitely established that trench fever is communicated by a body-louse a fact which has been repeatedly suspected by the British investigators also. The fact that the disease is growing more prevalent and is spreading from trenches to back areas is also noted in the report. The original causes were all among troops in the trenches, but the disease is now prevalent on various lines of communication and at the bases. Even hospital orderlies and nurses are occasional victims. The actual crux of the discussion seems to be whether trench fever is a disease of man transmitted by the louse, or some disease among lice which in the latter, the cure would seem to be the eradication of the louse and almost hopeless task in war time. If the former, the dissemination of the disease comes down to a control of the human carries and probably an easier task. The Commission recommends energetic action in the direction of greater trench cleanliness, which will also contribute greatly to the general comfort and health of the troops. Mayor H. P. Stephens, of Niagara Falls, makes a protest against the wholesale exportation of Lake Erie fish to Buffalo.

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MARKETS

Grain. Hay ... 14 00 16 00 Oats ... 1 20 1 20 Rye ... 1 60 1 60 Straw, baled ... 6 00 7 00 Wheat ... 2 10 2 10 Barley ... 1 00 1 00

Vegetables. Cabbage, dozen ... 0 50 0 75 Cabbage, head ... 0 25 0 25 Carrots, basket ... 0 00 0 25 Onion, bunch ... 0 05 0 05 Parsnips, basket ... 0 25 0 15 Potatoes, bus. ... 1 50 1 70 Potatoes, basket ... 0 65 0 70 Turnips, bushel ... 1 25 1 50 Lettuce, bunch ... 2 for 15 0 08

TOBACCO MARKET. By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, April 23.—There was a small market at the Union Stock yards this morning which resulted in the trade being very slow. However the tendency of cattle in all lines was firmer. Hogs were earlier, sheep market hardly amounting to anything. Receipts 42 cars: 648 cattle, 514 calves, 512 hogs, 8 sheep.

EAST BUFFALO MARKET. By Courier Leased Wire. Buffalo, April 22.—Cattle Receipts 5 cars; easier. Calves—Receipts 1,000; slow. \$7.00 to \$14.50. Hogs—Receipts 6,700; slow and easier. Heavy, \$18.00 to \$18.25; mixed, \$18.00 to \$18.50; light, \$18.25 to \$18.75; roughs, \$16.00 to \$16.35; stags, \$13.00 to \$14.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 3,000; slow and steady; clipped lambs \$11.00 to \$13.75; no wool lambs offered.

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Valuable Properties for Sale by Tender

S. G. Read & Son, Ltd., Offer for sale by tender, the following mentioned valuable properties. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned up to and including, Friday 26th April, 6 o'clock in the evening, for the purchase of: Parcel No. 1, Residence 101 Dufferin Avenue, 2 story white brick, Drawing-room, Parlor with Mantel and Grate, Dining room, hardwood floors, Kitchen, 4 Bedrooms, 1 with mantel and Grate, 3 piece bath, 2 compartment Cellar, good furnace, 2 Verandas, lot 2 3/4 x 132, small barn or garage. Parcel No. 2, Residence 78 Sheridan street, corner of Charlotte, fine brick residence, containing Vestibule, plate-glass mirror, cellar, 2 compartments, Laundry tubs, Daisy heater, bath rooms, tiled floor and walls, Medicine cabinet in the wall, British plate mirror door, fine bath and basin, closet fitted with red cedar cabinet, hardwood floors, electric, 2 cisterns, lot 68 x 132, Red iron fence, fruit trees. Parcel No. 3, 2 story white brick residences on Brant Avenue 212, containing 7 good rooms summer kitchen, complete bath room, furnace, front and back stairs, full size lot, room for garage. These properties are situated in the very best localities and all are in good condition. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Any further particulars and for appointments to be made for inspection of these premises. Apply to

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Ambition That one idle dollar on hand for which you have no particular need, will start a savings account in the Bank of Hamilton. Your ambition to get ahead financially will grow as your savings accumulate. Capital is the key that opens the door of success. Manager Brantford Branch C. L. LAING.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM TIME TABLE CHANGES A Change of Time will be made on APRIL 28TH, 1918 Information now in Agent's Hands

DR. DEVAN'S FEMALE PILLS. PHOSPHORUS FOR MEN. Call 1386 CAHILL'S DRY CLEANING

J. T. BURROWS The Mover Carting, Teaming Storage Special Piano Hoisting Machinery Office—124 Dalhousie Street Phone 365 Residence—236 West St. Phone 638

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\$3,100. Park Ave., 2 story brick, with all conveniences, one block from car line, 8 rooms. \$3,050. Port St., new red brick, 1 1/2 story, all conveniences, 6 rooms, \$300.00 down will take this. \$12,000. Brant Ave., Two story brick, large lot, all conveniences, 2 complete baths, and everything in the pink of condition, 10 rooms. \$950. Brock St., 2 brick cottages, No conveniences, 4 rooms. \$1,250. One with kitchen, (\$300.00 down).

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JAP HAT VARNISH Makes Your Old Hat Look Like New. All colors, will not fade or run. 15c PER BOTTLE C. A. CAMERON George St. Opp. Market Sq.

FISH AND CHIP RESTAURANT Everything Clean and Fresh. Try us for your Fish Dinner. Meals at all hours. T. HODDY, Prop. 145 1/2 Dalhousie Street. Opp. Old Post Office. Open Evenings until 12 o'clock. Call 1386 CAHILL'S DRY CLEANING 29 1/2 KING ST., BRANTFORD

Millinery SUNDAY and Spring Days Millinery will be on of them are import- New York, others are Effects from our own with a stunning re- the season's popu- invite you to see als will ction of Wash Materials Colorings in plain and summer wear, in all and at 25c \$1.00 to \$1.50 Old, Pink and Grey, Black and Grey, 36 \$1.50 Gingham, elegant print for dainty 65c., 25c 20c CO CEMENT BRICK Street CHINE 46

THE COURIER
Published by Brantford Courier Limited, every afternoon at Dalhousie Street, Brantford, Canada.
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THE SITUATION
The Germans are making troops and guns and making every preparation for a large new offensive, which it is believed will comprise two great turning movements, with the capture of Arras and Vimy Ridge as the objectives.

MORE MUST BE DONE
Canadians will have to get down to hard pan more and more in every direction. In rationing, in thrift, in production and in all other kindred directions they must become more and more alive to the absolute war demand needs.

THE NEW DRAFT
Major-General Mewburn, the new Minister of Militia, delivered an address in Hamilton on Saturday night in which he very clearly outlined what was expected under the new military measure. He frankly admitted that the Military Service Act had been a partial failure.

WILL MEET THE BISHOPS
At a meeting yesterday in Dublin a committee, composed of John Dillon, upper left, Leader of the Irish Nationalist party; Tim Healy, lower left, representing the O'Brienites, and Edward de Valera, lower right, Sinn Fein Leader, were appointed to attend a meeting of the Irish or All For Ireland.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK
Market steady.
Beavers, \$10.50 to \$17.50; Stock-ers, hedges, \$8.30 to \$12.60; Cows, hedges, \$7.50 to \$13.90; Calves, \$9 to \$14.50.

ABRAHAM HANDELMAN
A student in dentistry at the McGill University, Montreal, was convicted of having attempted to obtain money by false pretences through offering to sell examination papers to dental students while representing himself as an examiner of the dental board.

there were many who had become agriculturists merely for the purpose of evading the draft: these had been refused exemption. General Mewburn admits that the new draft will probably cause a shortage of labor available for agricultural production. This shortage may have to be met by compulsory closing of non-essential industries in the cities and towns and utilizing for agricultural production the labor thus released.

NOTES AND COMMENTS
As well as Herr Krupp, Germany is also in for a big crop of Herr Bankrupts.

THE TORONTO GLOBE
The Toronto Globe is out for "Free trade in wool." This won't excite the bald headed fraternity to any noticeable extent.

MAYOR MET COAL DEALERS
Mayor MacBride held a conference with the coal dealers of the city yesterday afternoon, and appealed to them for co-operation in meeting the needs of all citizens for the coming winter.

WILL TAKE OVER BUSINESS
Ald. Hurley submitted the following resolution: That the milk supply of the City of Brantford has become one of vital importance to the health of its people, especially the infant population, whose chief food is milk.

NEW YORK STOCKS
Kemper, Matthes and Co., 140 Dalhousie Street, phone 184, quotes New York stocks, 1 p.m.: Railroads—B and O 5 1/2, N.Y.C. 6 3/4, C and O 5 5/8, Can Pac 13 1/4, Erie 15, Erie Std 2 1/2, Mo Pac 11 1/2, N and W 10 1/4, Penna 4 3/8, Reading 8 1/4, St. Paul 12 1/2, So Pac 12 1/2, Un Pac 12 1/2, U.S. Steel 37 1/2, Am. Tobacco 44 1/2, Car Foundry 7 1/2, Smelters 7 3/4, U.S.

BUDGET OF BRITAIN'S GREATEST IN HISTORY OF THE WORLD

Various Forms of Increased Taxation Are Proposed—Luxuries, Spirits and Beer, Tobacco and Sugar in the List—Income Tax is Advanced

By Courier Leased Wire
London, April 22.—Chancellor Bonar Law, introducing the budget in the House of Commons to-day announced that in the last year, Great Britain had advanced \$505,000,000 to its allies and that the United States had advanced \$350,000,000 to the Entente nations.

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PUBLIC MEETING ON MILK QUESTION

Municipal Control of City's Supply Will be Discussed by All
The day of the round table conference is with us, and apparently we are to have a public meeting on the milk question in the latest order, as mooted by Mayor MacBride at last night's meeting of the city council.

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Margaret Garrett's Husband

By JANE PHELPS

THE ONLY WAY
CHAPTER XXXVII
It always annoyed me exceedingly when Elsie intimated that I did not know how to manage Bob. I was positive that my way was the only way; that to work on his feelings by a pose of misery would sooner bring him to my way of thinking than anything else would do.

CITY TEACHERS Held a Successful Meeting at Central School

A well attended meeting of the City Teachers' Association took place in the Central School, the president, Miss Phair in the chair. Miss Burt spoke on the methods of teaching local geography, parks, monuments and public buildings.

Local Papers and Summary of Addresses at Toronto

A report of delegates at O.E.A. at Toronto during Easter holidays was received. Dr. Foot, Director of Rural Education in U.S.A. was the principal speaker.

NEW YORK STOCKS
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

FOUR CASUALTIES.

This morning's official casualty list contains the names of Ptes. E. S. Waverley of this city and W. Wadell of Simcoe, wounded, and D. M. Taylor of Paris, gassed, and D. M. Guillen is listed as dead. Official word to this effect was received by his parents last week.

FAVOR STAMPS.

At a meeting of Brantford school principals the matter of reestablishing the penny bank system in the schools of city was dismissed. The method did not meet with favor and it was decided to endorse the sale of thrift stamps among the scholars as the better plan.

IN HOSPITAL.

Mr. A. Sayles, 213 Murray street, received word yesterday that his son, Gunner Fred. Sayles who went overseas with the 54th battery, is now in Preston Military Hospital, suffering from a fractured leg. Gunner Sayles was through the Armas fighting and at that time was injured.

SECONDARY DIVISION.

At the semi-monthly Group or Secondary Division meeting held by the Calvary Girls in the "Buddlers" class room at Calvary Baptist Sunday School, Mrs. C. Tooth, a well known worker of St. John's Ambulance Corps, gave a most practical and beneficial address on "First Aid to the Injured" also demonstrated bandaging, which proved very helpful to all present.

SERVICE OF PRAYER.

At the request of Mrs. N. W. Rowell, vice-president of the Y.W.C.A. of Canada, a meeting was held in the club room of the local Y.W.C.A. for the purpose of observing the anniversary of the Battle of St. Julien. Over 100 ladies attended, all the city churches being well represented. Mrs. W. S. Brewster, the president of the city organization, presided. A Bible reading was given by Mrs. Chris Cook, and Mrs. Leeming very pleasingly sang. In answer to the call of the Dominion Y.W.C.A. Council and kindred associations for meetings to be held of this sort, it was decided that the ladies meet each week.

GIRLS GAVE TEA.

Last evening the Girls' Friendly Society of Trinity Church held a very successful tea in the school room of the church. The affair was presided over by several excellent numbers, was given, it ran as follows: Reading, Miss Hedden; vocal duet, Miss Cooper and Miss Dick; solo, H. Symes; instrumental duet, Miss Kathleen Moore and Kathleen Smith.

I. O. O. F. ACTIVITIES.

The I. O. O. F. Chapter held an executive meeting at the home of Mrs. Coghill, Monday evening, to arrange for a concert to be given early in May by two most popular and talented Brantford artists, Miss Marjorie Jones and Miss Irene Sanderson, assisted by Miss Irene Symons, who many will remember, sang delightfully here some two years ago, and Mr. Blatchford, also of Toronto, which promises to be a musical treat. The next "Knitting Tea" will be at Mrs. W. F. Cockshutt's home May 2nd. The talent tea at the armories on Saturday was a great success, but with gardens and spring cleaning, and summer wardrobes to be thought of, the Chapter will discontinue its teas for some months; that at Mrs. Cockshutt's being the finale.

SOME TRUCKS.

Brantford will not need to dool its cap to any sister city of like population, in the matter of garbage trucks the three motors which Mr. Geo. Tutt will put on collection on May 1st. Two are now in commission and from appearances should fill the bill. The trucks are of Maxwell make, but the hoisting boxes are the work of Mr. Tutt and his assistants. The boxes have a capacity of four cubic yards, and already a trial has shown that three tons of garbage can be handled easily by the engine, while the hoisting tackle can be operated from the driver's seat in the front and the load dumped without effort. Mr. Tutt expects to arrange for covers for the trucks which can be unrolled from the form of the box, and so fastened that as the load is put on, the rubbish will be covered so as to prevent scattering any part of it on the city streets.

RESTLESS CHILDREN.

When children are restless in school and do not pay any attention to their work, the cause is often found in eyestrain. If your children are not progressing as they should, it may be that defective vision retards them in their studies. Bring them here for an eye examination.

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GOLDEN WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mellican Observed Fiftieth Anniversary of Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mellican of Newport yesterday celebrated the passing of the fiftieth milestone of their wedded life. A pontifical High Mass was sung at St. Basil's church, with Rev. Dean Brady officiating, assisted by Rev. Father Padden, deacon, and Rev. Father Catania, sub-deacon. The altar was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After the mass, the wedding party and guests, some thirty in number, repaired to the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Harrington, 35 Palmerston avenue, where dinner was served. The table decorations were in white and gold. Very Rev. Dean Brady in a few fitting words gave a toast to the long wedded couple, congratulating them upon their many years of happy life, and upon the large Christian family they had raised in such an edifying manner. Rev. Father Padden also added a few well chosen congratulatory remarks, which were replied to by Mr. John Mellican. Those present included two sons, one of Gatesburg, Illinois, three daughters, eight grandchildren and one sister of Mrs. Mellican.

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POLICE COURT.

At the Police Court this morning a charge was preferred against George Wilson by his wife of using insulting language. As neither party appeared, the case was dismissed.

FARM HELP.

The Board of Trade Committee on Farm Help held a meeting this afternoon in the Temple Building. Plans are being made for a meeting of representative farmers some time next week.

HYDRO CONFERENCE.

An appointment has been made by the Manufacturers' Committee of the Board of Trade with the Hydro-Electric Commission to hold a conference on Friday afternoon with the object of obtaining greater power supply for the factories of this municipality.

CITIZENSHIP MEETING.

Last evening Coborne Street Epworth League held their regular citizenship meeting, with Mr. W. Babcock in the chair. Miss Phyllis Sayles gave a delightful solo. Mr. Alex. Lockington gave a very interesting and instructive citizenship address.

FELL INTO CISTERN.

About 10:30 this morning the little four-year-old daughter of James Smith, who resides at Brunswick street, West Brantford, who had been playing in the shed in the rear of the house, fell through a trap door into a cistern. There being four feet and a half of water in the cistern, and fearing a drowning a call was sent in to the Central Firehall. Before the truck arrived, however, the girl had been rescued by neighbors, and is now little the worse for the shock received from the ice cold water.

BUILDING PLANS.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the Board of Trade to organize a company to build houses suitable for mechanics and other working men with a view to selling them on the installment plan, was held yesterday afternoon in the board rooms. The committee elected permanent chairman and T. Knowles secretary. A letter was read from the Commission on Conservation asking for information and tendering the services of the town planning expert, Thos. Adams. It was decided by the meeting that the committee hold weekly sessions every Monday at 2 o'clock.

DOMINION LOAN CREDITORS.

The return on claims by creditors filed against the defunct Dominion Permanent Loan Company was made public yesterday by Official Referee J. A. C. Cameron. The debenture claims totalled \$2,200,000. Leaving a balance of \$200,000 of outstanding debentures to be heard from. The amount on deposit approximates \$170,000, and only 50 per cent. of the depositors have as yet filed claims with the official liquidator. A detailed statement will be presented at a meeting called for three weeks hence.

SOCIAL EVENING.

The Brantford employees of the Dominion Power and Transmission Company joined with Hamilton employees last evening in a social time in the assembly hall at the Hamilton terminal station. There were some ten Brantford employees including Mr. Walter Kelly and his family, accompanied by Mr. J. G. Lidell, who during the evening assisted in entertaining the company. The party returned to the city at about 12:30.

JOIN COLORS NEXT WEEK

Ottawa, April 23.—The first of the new draft of men called out will join the colors early next week. Instructions have already been issued to all registrars under the Military Service Act that exemptions in Class One of men between 20 and 22 years of age in excess of 22 are cancelled. The men will now be notified by the registrars to report for duty upon a specified date. In each district, the men will be called up in batches as required by the general officer commanding that military district and as they can be handled by the military authorities. Seven days will generally be allowed to a man in which to settle up private affairs.

REVEALS HIS WAR DIARY

Major A. Kirkpatrick A Released Prisoner of War Zion Presbyterian Church Thurs. Evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock Auspices K. of K. Club, on Behalf of Prisoners of War Admission --- 50 Cents

THRIFT LEAGUE

Garden Plot Scheme Going Well Ahead

Government Will Be Asked to Expedite Thrift Stamps

A meeting of the members of the Thrift League took place yesterday afternoon in the Free Library. Those present were Messrs. F. Cockshutt (President), H. Watt, Rev. Woodside, F. D. Deville, Gould, G. Cook, Ald. Harp, J. Spence, D. Williams, W. B. Preston, A. Hollinrake.

The sum of \$200 was voted to the garden plot committee.

Mr. Williamson, chairman, reported that there would be between 500 and 700 such plots this year as compared with 100 last year. The preparation of the ground for soldiers' wives would be done without charge. At the city Council that night the necessary by-laws were passed to expropriate certain vacant properties, owned by outsiders, for garden purposes. A large number would work on the new England property, Glebe land, handed over to the committee. Mr. Cockshutt said that the league had done well in the matter of gardens and utilization of waste material, but the object of thrift had not been sufficiently passed. A general discussion followed upon this point, the issue of thrift stamps meeting with the most favor. Messrs. Cook and Watt were appointed a committee to draft a resolution to the Dominion Government in this regard.

OBITUARY

MRS. SCOTT. The death occurred in the city this morning of Mrs. Scott, 245 Dundas St. beloved wife of Mr. F. W. Scott. She succumbed after a brief illness and leaves in addition to the sorrowing husband, a baby daughter, and an adherent of Wellington street church and universally esteemed.

P. WILSON. The death occurred this morning at his late home, 10 Bedford street, of Philip Wilson, age 32 years. The deceased was a widower, his wife having predeceased him by some 16 years. The late Mr. Wilson has been a resident of Brantford for 40 years and was by birth a Canadian.

MRS. M. GAYNOR. An old and respected resident of the city was called by death on Saturday night in the person of Mrs. Mary Gaynor, aged 87 years. The deceased had been ill since November last, suffering from pneumonia, which was complicated by heart trouble. She was the mother of Mr. Barney Gaynor, Palace street, with whom she resided, and leaves also two other sons, John of Detroit and Peter of Edmonton. Prior to coming to Brantford Mrs. Gaynor was a resident of Woodville and is believed to have taken place there to-morrow morning. Mr. Gaynor will have the sympathy of many friends in his bereavement, as his wife passed away only a year ago, and since then his only sister also died.

A. SAGE. Following injuries sustained in a fall from some shafting which he was fixing at the Pratt and Letchworth plant at noon yesterday, Amos Sage, of 18 Buffalo street, passed away in the hospital last night, his spine having been fractured and other injuries received. The late Mr. Sage was a member of Court Endeavor, Ancient Order of Workmen, and of Encampment No. 12, Workmen of the World. Besides his sorrowing widow, he leaves two sons and one daughter, at home. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon to Mount Hope cemetery, and will be under the auspices of the Workmen of the World. An inquest should be held in the case, and a jury was accordingly impanelled, and viewed the remains this morning. The inquest proper will be held in the police court on Friday night.

Canada's casualty list up to the present time in officers and men General Newburn states, is 29,912 killed, 106,188 wounded, 8,671 died of wounds, 1,826 died of disease, 2,938 presumed dead, 750 missing, and 2,756 prisoners in the hands of the enemy.

Wedding Bells

Alexandra Presbyterian parsonage was the scene of a quiet wedding on Saturday afternoon, when the Rev. C. S. Oke, pastor of the church, united in marriage Norman Beaton Keefer and Viola Fern Lee of this city.

U.S. TO TAKE OVER FINANCE BURDENS

Will Meet Needs of Allied Nations; Britain to Finance Herself

London, April 22.—In the House of Commons tonight Reginald McKenna, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, applauded Mr. Bonar Law's really great effort as shown in his budget speech and, in the course of some mild criticisms, urged that the United States should take over from Great Britain the burden of financing the allies, while Great Britain confined its attention to financing itself. Mr. Bonar Law interposed to say that that was the kind of arrangement he proposed to adopt.

Sons of England lodges of Lincoln and Welland counties attended Divine service in St. James' Anglican Church, Merriton.

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**COMING EVENTS**

**DANCING EXHIBITION** by pupils of Miss Mildred Sanderson, at the Conservatory of Music, April 24. Proceeds for Red Cross.

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**ANNUAL MEETING** of the Graduate Nurses Association of Ontario will be held in the Normal School London on April 24th, 1918. Nurses desiring further particulars communicate with Miss Robinson at the Brantford General Hospital.

**AT HOME** under the auspices of the ladies of St. Basil's Church, in aid of the Decoration Fund. To be held in the Knights' or Columbus club rooms, Colborne St., on Wednesday evening, April 24, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

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**DIED**  
SCOTT—In Brantford on Tuesday April 23, Jessie Pringle, wife of W. Scott in 42nd year. Funeral to take place from her late residence 245 Darling St. on Thursday, April 24th, at 3 o'clock. Interment in Mt. Hope cemetery.

**MALCOLM**—Ottawa, on Monday, April 22nd, Edgar Malcolm, late of Scotland, Ont. The funeral will take place on Thursday April 25th, from the residence of Mrs. Wm. Foster, Scotland. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

**WILSON**—At his late residence, 10 Balfour St. on Tuesday, April 23rd, Philip Wilson in his 82nd year. Funeral will take place on Thursday April 26th, at 2.30 p. m. from above address to Mount Hope cemetery.

**SAGE**—At Brantford General Hospital on Monday April 22nd, 1918: Amos Sage in his 49th year. Funeral will take place from his late residence 18 Buffalo St. on Wednesday April 24th, at 2.30 p. m. to Mt. Hope cemetery. Members of A. O. F. and Woodmen of the World will be in attendance, and take part in the service.

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# COUNCIL GRANTED \$1200 TO G.W.V.A.; FAVORED ALSO APPEAL FOR RED TRIANGLE

## Donation to the Palestine Restoration Fund Was Refused by Finance Committee, But Will be Reconsidered—Council Praised Overseas Work of Y.M.C.A.

Financial matters were before the city council in abundance last night, grants being favored, disapproved, and made. A delegation from the Rotary Club waited upon the council in the interests of the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle Fund, asking a grant of \$10,000.00 toward the objective of \$25,000.00. Although the matter was referred to the finance committee, general consensus of opinion was decidedly in favor of the grant, and there seems every likelihood of the sum asked being granted.

The finance committee in its report rejected the request of the Hebrew Zionists on behalf of the Palestine Restoration Fund. At the request of the mayor, the committee agreed to reconsider the matter, without the giving much indication that a different decision would be arrived at. A grant of \$1200.00 was made to the Great War Veterans' Association, opposed only by Ald. Simpson.

The interests of the Red Triangle Fund were laid before the council by a delegation early in the evening.

W. S. Brewster, spokesman for the delegation, explained that a grant was sought not for the Y.M.C.A. at home, but for the Red Triangle fund, the branch of the Y.M.C.A. which carried on work among the soldiers overseas and in prison camps. He presented an appeal from the National Council asking for the sum of \$2,000,000 from Canada. Brant County is being asked for \$25,000.00, of which the county council has already granted \$5,000.00. A grant of \$10,000.00 was asked from the city council.

"This work is being done by the Y.M.C.A. among the soldiers," explained Mr. Brewster. "They were established right from the firing line back through the camps in England and Canada. The work is carried on by the National Council, absolutely independent of the local Y.M.C.A. The morale of the allied forces was maintained in part by this branch service, which was equally important as any other war work being carried on to-day. A campaign, along the same lines as those for the patriotic fund, was to be conducted on May 7, 8 and 9. The shop would not be canvassed for this purpose, however, as the work had so often been approached for various causes in the past. Oxford county had already given \$18,000.00. If the grant asked could not be financed out of this year's estimates, it might be carried forward to 1919."

J. H. Spence, in support of Mr. Brewster, giving Mr. Brewster credit for his presentation of the case. The Red Triangle helped greatly to maintain the morale of the British forces. It was right that posterity should help shoulder the burdens of to-day, and the council grant would be justified in carrying the grant over into next year's estimates. The French and Italian governments had asked the Red Triangle to carry on its work among their troops.

J. M. Young, read a letter from Gen. E. C. Ash-ton, adjutant general, expressing appreciation of the services rendered by the Red Triangle in maintaining a high moral tone among the men overseas and praising the valor and self-sacrifice of the workers. He said that the Y.M.C.A. work among her soldiers, Dr. John Ford had declared, she would still have been in the fight with the allies. The U. S. had raised \$53,000,000.00 in place of \$35,000,000.00, as first planned.

Mr. Brewster explained that the local Rotary Club had undertaken the work for Brant, Norfolk and Oxford counties.

"When will you want this money?" inquired the mayor.

"Any time during 1918," replied Mr. Brewster.

"It is a matter which should receive our most careful consideration," declared Mayor MacBride. "Majority in Favor."

"As far as I am concerned, I am willing to give the Y.M.C.A. almost anything they want," declared Ald. Hurley.

# FUEL BYLAW WAS PASSED BY COUNCIL

## Third Reading Given By-law Which Was Approved by Municipal Board

### FUEL MATTERS UP Motor Truck Purchased for the Delivery of City Wood

#### TO CULTIVATE LAND

The City Council last night gave the third reading to the by-law authorizing the municipality to enter into the purchase and sale of fuel and food, as authorized by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board in a hearing in Toronto on Friday last. The purchase of a motor truck for the delivery of wood to the city proved a source of some discussion, but was eventually approved. A by-law passed authorizing the city to cultivate any vacant land, or to allot such land to persons making application for its use for the purpose of gardening. Payment of \$200 as the first installment on the new motor ambulance was authorized.

Fuel and Food. The Committee on Food and Fuel submitted the following report: 1. We recommend that repairs be made to the hoists on the wood lot to the amount of about \$200.

2. We recommend that a small motor truck be purchased for the purpose of wood delivery.

Ald. Clement, B. A. Caspell and the Mayor, together with one member of the Board of Trade and one of the Trades and Labor Council appointed a fuel commission to enforce the new regulations.

Ald. English inquired what arrangements were being made with regard to the cutting of the wood on the Bell Memorial. Ald. Clement replied that the Fuel and Food Committee had an offer from a man to cut at least 24 cords of wood per day, at \$10 per cord.

"We are advised caution before the purchase of motor trucks," Ald. Kelly believed that trucks would be cheaper than the expense of keeping horses.

Ald. Montgomery called to order. Ald. Montgomery rose to his feet and launched into a dissertation upon his desire always to agree with the recommendations of a committee.

"You are discussing matters entirely irrelevant to the matter in hand," observed Mayor MacBride.

"I am sorry to that," declared Ald. English—"It does not seem likely to reach it without being interrupted by you."

"I intend to maintain order while I am presiding officer here," replied Ald. English—"I order you to take your seat."

Ald. Montgomery obeyed with necessity reluctance, and after the necessity of speaking next to the subject in hand, was allowed to speak again. He disapproved of the purchase of a motor truck by the fuel and food committee, and passed on to an expression of opinion upon the general fuel situation until he was again ordered to his seat by the mayor.

"Are you not going to allow me to speak," demanded Ald. Montgomery.

"I am not going to let you wander all over the map of Brant county," retorted his words—"This object to purchase this truck," declared Ald. Montgomery.

Economy Urged. Ald. English sounded the need for greater co-operation between the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee, in order to effect a more economical administration of the civic fuel yards.

Ald. Chalcraft laid stress upon the need for economy by all departments, and did not favor the purchase of the truck.

Mayor MacBride suggested that the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee hold a joint conference on the matter on Thursday night next.

The Fuel and Food Committee thus far has been self-sustaining," pointed out Ald. English, expressing the opinion that the city was doing well administering the fuel business at cost, and being able to do so by the cost of equipment.

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to widen the street." Ald. Kelly, who had been the first to register objection to the site, declared himself satisfied that action was being taken to widen the street.

Ald. English, with the aid of blue prints, explained that the matter now in hand was the curbing along the north side of West street, between Pearl and Aldion, and not the point of intersection so often discussed. Ald. English will submit a report upon the proposed solution of this latter problem, at the next meeting of council.

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COMING EVENTS

DANCING EXHIBITION by pupils of Miss Mildred Sanderson, at the Conservatory of Music, April 24. Proceeds for Red Cross.
BETHEL HALL—Hear Evangelist Geo. T. Pines of Des Moines, Iowa. Each evening at 8 o'clock. Subject to-night, "The Wealth of Grace." All are invited.
THE BRANTFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY have three hundred extra English roses. Apply to E. E. C. Kilmer; secretary. 21125
ANNUAL MEETING of the Graduate Nurses Association of Ontario will be held in the Normal School London on April 26th, 1918. Nurses desiring further particulars communicate with Miss Robinson at the Brantford General Hospital.
AT HOME under the auspices of the ladies of St. Basil's Church, in aid of the Decoration Fund. To be held in the Knights' of Columbus club rooms, Colborne St., on Wednesday evening, April 24, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

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DIED SCOTT—In Brantford on Tuesday April 23, Jessie Pringle, wife of F. W. Scott in 42nd year. Funeral to take place from her late residence, 245 Darling St. on Thursday, April 24th, at 3 o'clock; interment in Mt. Hope cemetery.
MALCOLM—At Ottawa, on Monday, April 22nd, Edgar Malcolm, late of Scotland, Ont. The funeral will take place on Thursday April 25th, from the residence of Mrs. Wm. Foster, Scotland. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

WILSON—At his late residence, 10 Beaufort St. on Tuesday, April 23rd, Philip Wilson in his 82nd year. Funeral will take place on Thursday April 25th, at 2:30 p. m. from above address to Mount Hope cemetery.

SAGE—At Brantford General Hospital on Monday April 22nd, 1918; Amos Sage in his 49th year. Funeral will take place from his late residence 18 Buffalo St. on Wednesday April 24th, at 2:30 p. m. to Mt. Hope cemetery. Members of A. O. F. and Women of the World will be in attendance, and take part in the service.

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WOODMAN OF THE WORLD CAMP No. 12. An invitation is extended to all Woodmen to attend the funeral service of our late Bro. Gov. Amos Sage, at his late residence, No. 18 Buffalo St. on Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. A. B. Lee, Con. Com. and S. M. Fry, Clerk.

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COUNCIL GRANTED \$1200 TO G.W.V.A.; FAVORED ALSO APPEAL FOR RED TRIANGLE

Donation to the Palestine Restoration Fund Was Refused by Finance Committee, But Will be Reconsidered—Council Praised Overseas Work of Y.M.C.A.

Financial matters were before the city council in abundance last night, grants being favored disappointed, and made. A delegation from the Rotary Club waited upon the council in the interests of the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle Fund, asking a grant of \$10,000.00 toward the objective of \$25,000.00 aimed for from Brant county. Although the matter was referred to the finance committee, general consensus of opinion was decidedly in favor of the cause, and there seems every likelihood of the sum asked being granted.

The finance committee in its report rejected the request of the Hebrew Zionists on behalf of the Palestine Restoration Fund. At the request of the mayor, the committee agreed to reconsider the matter, without giving much indication that a different decision would be arrived at. A grant of \$1500.00 was made to the Great War Veterans' Association, opposed only by Ald. Simpson. The interests of the Red Triangle Fund were laid before the council by a delegation early in the evening.

W. S. Brewster, spokesman for the delegation, explained that a grant was sought, not for the Y.M.C.A. at home, but for the Red Triangle fund, the branch of the Y.M.C.A. which carried on work among the soldiers overseas and in prison camps. He read an appeal from the National Council asking for the sum of \$2,000,000 from Canada. Brant County is being asked for \$25,000.00, of which the county council has already granted \$5,000.00. A grant of \$10,000.00 was asked from the city council. This work is being done by the Y.M.C.A. among the soldiers," explained Mr. Brewster. "They were established right from the firing line back through the camps in England and Canada. The work is carried on independently of the local Y.M.C.A. The morale of the allied forces was maintained in part by this branch of service, which was equally important as any other war work being carried on to-day. A campaign, along the same lines as those for the patriotic fund, was to be conducted on May 7, 8 and 9. The shop would not be canvassed for this purpose, however, as the workmen had so often been approached for various causes in the past. Oxford county had already given \$18,000.00. If the grant asked could not be financed out of this year's estimates, it might be carried forward to 1919.

J. H. Spence, in support of Mr. Brewster, giving Mr. Brewster credit for his presentation of the case. The Red Triangle helped greatly to maintain the morale of the British forces. "It was right that posterity should help shoulder the burdens of to-day, and the council would be justified in carrying the grant over into next year's estimates." The French and Italian governments had asked the Red Triangle to carry on its work among their troops.

J. M. Young, read a letter from Gen. E. C. Ashton, adjutant general, expressing appreciation of the services rendered by the Red Triangle in maintaining a high moral tone among the men overseas and praising the valor and self-sacrifice of the workers. Had Russia had the Y.M.C.A. work among her soldiers, Dr. John Mott had declared, she would still have been in the fight with the allies. The U. S. had raised \$53,000,000.00 in the place of \$35,000,000.00, as first planned.

Mr. Brewster explained that the local Rotary Club had undertaken the work for Brant, Norfolk and Oxford counties.

"When will you want this money?" inquired the mayor. "Any time during 1918," replied Mr. Brewster. "It is a matter which should receive our most careful consideration," declared Mayor MacBride. "Majority in Favor." "As far as I am concerned, I am willing to give the Y.M.C.A. almost anything they want," declared Ald. Hurley.

Ald. Harp suggested that the matter be referred to the finance committee. "Why can't it be settled right here?" demanded Ald. Burrows. "We mustn't rush through a \$10,000 matter without consideration," replied the Mayor.

"We must have both men and money to-day," observed Ald. Hill, "and this is an opportunity for all of us." "There is not a fair thinking man here to-night who will deny the value of the Red Triangle service," declared Ald. Clement, who stated that he has two nephews engaged in Y.M.C.A. work overseas.

Ald. Harp favored the cause, but urged consideration before final action was taken. "We are willing to leave it to your good judgment," said Mr. Brewster, in thanking the council for the hearing given.

"We should consider these things very fairly," considered Ald. Chalcraft. "This matter should not be settled on the spur of the moment." The request of the delegation was referred to the finance committee.

Finance Committee. The Committee on Finance reported as follows: 1. That the tender of J. P. Ryan for the printing of 100 copies of auditors' statements for the year 1917 at \$1.15 per page, be accepted. 2. That the communication of Samuel Fox and W. T. Henderson be filed and it is the intent of this Council that the statutes are so worded that there is no provision made for making a grant as they have requested. 3. That the communication of the

FUEL BYLAW WAS PASSED BY COUNCIL

Third Reading Given By-law Which Was Approved by Municipal Board FUEL MATTERS UP

Motor Truck Purchased for the Delivery of City Wood TO CULTIVATE LAND

The City Council last night gave the third reading to the by-law authorizing the municipality to enter into the purchase and sale of fuel and food, or to allot such land to persons authorized by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board in a hearing in Toronto on Friday last. The purchase of a motor truck for the delivery of wood sold by the city proved a source of some criticism, but was eventually approved. A by-law passed authorizing the city to cultivate all vacant land, or to allot such land to persons making application for use for the purpose of gardening. Payment of \$200 as the first instalment on the new motor ambulance was authorized.

Fuel and Food. The Committee on Food and Fuel submitted the following report: 1. We recommend that repairs be made to the house on the wood lot to the amount of about \$200. 2. We recommend that a small motor truck be purchased for the purpose of wood delivery.

Ald. Clement, B. A. Caspell and the Mayor, together with one member of the Board of Trade and one of the Trades and Labor Council were appointed a fuel commission to enforce the new regulations. Ald. English inquired what arrangements were being made with regard to the cutting of wood on the Biggar tract. Ald. Clement in reply stated that the Fuel and Food Committee had an offer from a man to cut at least 24 cords of wood per day, at \$10 per day.

Ald. Mellen advised caution before the purchase of motor trucks. Kelly believed that trucks would be cheaper than the expense of keeping horses. Ald. Montgomery called to order. Ald. Montgomery rose to his feet and launched into a dissertation upon his desire always to agree with the recommendations of a committee.

When the purchase of a motor truck for the life boat had been voted for, he had taken mental objection, although expressing no opinion. "We are discussing matters entirely irrelevant to the matter in hand," observed Mayor MacBride. "I am going to that," declared Ald. Montgomery. "But I am not likely to speak without being interrupted by you."

"I intend to maintain order while I am presiding officer here," replied Ald. English. "I order you to take your seat." Ald. Montgomery obeyed without manifest reluctance, and after the Mayor delivered a caution upon the necessity of affairs, the subject in hand, was allowed to speak again. He disapproved of the purchase of a motor truck by the fuel and food committee, and passed then to an expression of opinion upon the general fuel situation until he was again ordered to his seat by the Mayor.

"Are you not going to allow me to speak?" demanded Ald. Montgomery. "I am not going to let you wander all over the map of Brant county," retorted the Mayor. "I object to the purchase of this truck," declared Ald. Montgomery.

Economy Urged. Ald. English sounded the need for greater co-operation between the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee, in order to effect a more economical administration of the city fuel yards. Ald. Chalcraft laid stress upon the need for economy in all departments, and did not favor the purchase of a truck.

Mayor MacBride suggested that the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee hold a joint conference on the matter on Thursday night next. "The Fuel and Food Committee thus far has been self-sustaining," pointed out Ald. Clement, expressing the opinion that the city was doing well, administering the fuel business at cost, and being able to write off the cost of equipment.

The report carried with Ald. Montgomery, Mellen, Chalcraft and Harp voting nay. Ald. Symons and Chalcraft reported that they had waited upon the Merchants' Club in the interests of a half holiday during the summer months for the retail clerks of the city.

Cultivate Waste Land. A by-law introduced by Ald. Mellen authorizes the city to cultivate vacant land within the city, and to sell the produce raised; also to allot land to persons making application. The by-law carried after receiving its three readings. "The Thrift League does not intend to take any property from any persons intending to use it," explained Ald. Mellen. "But merely to cultivate land which would be otherwise lying idle."

Ald. Harp substantiated this. Fixed Assessment. The by-law giving the Dominion Steel Products a fixed assessment of \$100,000.00 for eight years, was given its third reading and passed.

Fuel By-Law Passed. The by-law authorizing the city to buy and sell fuel, and to borrow the sum of \$25,000.00 for these purposes, as approved by the Ontario and Municipal Board in Toronto last week, was also given its third reading and passed.

Tax Bill Boards. Measures to place a tax upon bill boards within the city were promised by Ald. Harp and Ald. Bragg, and will likely be introduced at a next meeting, after a joint meeting be-

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HOUSING PROBLEMS

Matters Relative to Booming Brantford Before the City Council

PORT DOVER HARBOR

"The manufacturers' committee is certainly putting itself on the map in fine shape this year," observed Mayor MacBride at last night's meeting of the city council...

The Manufacturers' committee submitted the following report: 1. That the Assessment of the Dominion Steel Products be fixed at the sum of \$190,000 for the term of eight years as per terms of by-law...

(a) That the joint committees were unanimous in the belief that inter-switching is one of the most important progressive steps to insure a permanent industrial development...

augurated to go into the question of erecting homes suitable to the needs of the working men and others who may wish to avail themselves of an opportunity of this nature...

Housing and Other Matters "Our committee feel that it is time," observed Ald. Kelly, speaking to the report...

Ald. Baird warned the council to be careful in the policy of building new houses. The need at the present time he considered more apparent than real...

Ald. Harp considered that the company referred to by Ald. Harp should be supported by the city. Ald. Simpson objected to the city's entering into such a speculation or aiding it in any way...

Ald. Baird declared that there are plenty of houses for sale in and about the city. Ald. Kelly explained that the Manufacturers' Committee was acting jointly with the Industrial Committee relative to the inter-switching of the city's industrial and commercial development...

Ald. Simpson rose to his feet, but was ruled out of order by the Mayor, who declared the discussion closed, and then went on to congratulate the Manufacturers' Committee upon its activities...

(b) That the joint committees are alive to the fact that the housing question of our city is one of our big problems. To relieve this condition, a movement has been in-

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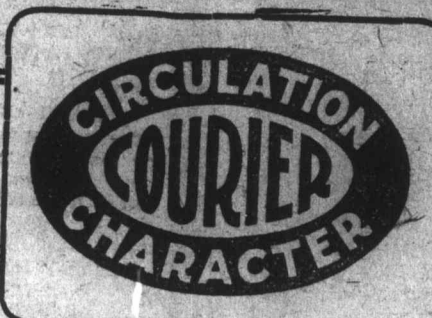
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**FOR IMMEDIATE SALE**—2 1-2 story brick house on Palace St. all conveniences. Apply Box 190 Courier. A118

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Gilkinson St. ....	300	16.00	16.00	1300
Winnett St. ....	100	12.00	12.00	2700
Strathcona Ave. ....	300	18.00	18.00	2700
Ontario St. ....	150	14.00	14.00	1900
Ontario St. ....	200	18.00	18.00	2400
Ruth St. ....	100	10.00	10.00	1350
Gladstone Ave. ....	400	30.00	30.00	2800
Park Ave. ....	200	20.00	20.00	2000
Rawdon St. ....	200	20.00	20.00	2000
Nelson St. ....	100	10.00	10.00	1500
Murray St. ....	300	22.00	22.00	2500
Charlotte St. ....	500	30.00	30.00	3800
Drummond St. ....	200	15.00	15.00	1600
Mintern Ave. ....	400	30.00	30.00	3500
Brighton Row ....	400	30.00	30.00	3500
Webbing St. ....	300	25.00	25.00	2800
Walter St. ....	200	15.00	15.00	1700
Brick Ave. ....	200	15.00	15.00	1600
Aberdeen Ave. ....	100	10.00	10.00	2000
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 1:25 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.  
 6:00 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.  
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 2:15 a.m.—For Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.  
 10:25 a.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.  
 6:25 a.m.—For London and intermediate stations.  
 8:52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and intermediate stations.  
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 Leave Brantford 6:45 a.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.  
 Leave Brantford 4:00 p.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.  
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