

ASQUITH'S CLARION CALL TO EMPIRE

"Don't let us give any encouragement to the faint-hearted and the back-biters. Let us in this House and country . . . continue to persist to an inevitable triumphant issue."—Speech on Munitions

BRITAIN IS ROUSED TO HER TASK; SIXTEEN MUNITION FACTORIES ESTABLISHED—PREMIER ASQUITH COUNSELS NATION

Will Double Shell Supply and Enable Army to Cleave a Way to Victory, Says Lloyd-George—Mr. Asquith Delivers Noteworthy Address.

London, July 29.—Sixteen national munitions factories have been established in England, and, after consultation with the French ministry, the British government has decided to set up an additional ten large establishments.

GERMAN ARMIES ARE BEING SLOWLY CAUGHT IN STRATEGIC SPIDER'S WEB

Marked Difference Noted in Fighting on Northern and Southern Fronts—Tropical Heat Makes Existence Burdensome.

London, July 29.—Telegraphing from Petrograd, the Morning Post's correspondent says: "There is a marked difference in the manner in which the Russians are dealing with the attacks on the northern and southern fronts. The latter is the scene of hard fighting, inch by inch, and the Germans have made no general progress here, but are making prolonged pauses over the greater proportion of their front in order to detach reinforcements for the purpose of bringing into line the backward sections."

FRIDAY'S DAWN CONCLUDES A BITTER FIGHT

Becker Will Die in the Electric Chair it is Felt.

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CONSCRIPTION AGAIN URGED IN THE BRITISH HOUSE BY TWO SOLDIER MEMBERS

Passage of Words Show Intensity of Feeling on This Matter.

London, July 29.—In the debate in the House of Commons yesterday on the question of conscription, the immediate necessity of this measure was urged by two Liberals, Captain Guest, who is aide de camp to Field Marshal French, and Josiah Wedgwood, who returned wounded from the Dardanelles.

HUN VENGEANCE STRIKES BRUSSELS

Becker's Bearing Extremely Calm and Resigned

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AMERICAN SAILORS GUARD CONSULATE

Washington, July 29.—The French consulate at Cape Haitien, Haiti, is menaced by revolutionists, and a guard from the United States auxiliary cruiser Eagle has landed to protect it. This information was cabled early today to the state department by the American consul.

AERIAL TRAGEDY BEFELL AVIATORS

Issy-Moulineux, France, July 29.—A French aeroplane, carrying a pilot and an observer, fell to the ground from a height of about 1,000 feet here last night. One of the men jumped as the machine was falling, but was killed on striking the ground near a railroad track. The other occupant of the machine was burned to death as the motor exploded when it hit the ground.

Barber-Ellis Company Give Machine Gun

The Barber-Ellis firm and employees, it is announced, have decided to contribute a machine gun and, if possible, to man it from the works. The lead given by this patriotic company is an indication of a general all-round gift campaign in Brantford.

LITTLE DEFINITE NEWS IN LONDON TO-DAY REGARDING THE EASTERN BATTLE-FRONT

Russians Claim to Have Thrown Back Austrians Over the Dneister.

SHIPMENTS HELD UP BY BLOKKADE

Goods Consigned to American Citizens Are Heaped Up in Rotterdam.

THE SUBSTITUTE FOR VODKA

Elimination of vodka from Russia has evidently started that immense nation tea-drinking. In February last the New York "Journal of Commerce" stated that the quotations were 8c. to 10c. a pound higher than they were a year previously, and that the Russians were buying all the India-Ceylons available. The price has been advancing ever since.

SITUATION UNCHANGED

The situation in the near east remains apparently unchanged so far (Continued on Page 3)

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OUTFIELDER STRETTER WILL REPORT HERE TO-MORROW

George Dunlop Out of Game Today Because of Illness.

President T. J. Nelson announced this morning that Outfielder Stretter of Fort Wayne will report in the city to-morrow and will play most probably in right field, relieving Walker of the position. He has a fine record having played a fine brand of ball in the Fort Wayne Club, Central League. His batting in 70 games was .277. He was at bat 253 times, made 27 runs, 70 hits, twelve being two-base hits and six being three-sackers. His fielding percentage is .971 and is exceptionally good. In his seventy games he made only four errors and piled up 128 put outs. His services are badly needed, and it is a pity that he wasn't able to play to-day in Guelph.

George Dunlop did not accompany the team to the Royal City on account of sickness. He has been troubled with pains in his head since he was struck by a pitched ball, and this morning underwent an X-ray treatment. Fried is being played at short to-day and Comstock is holding down the keystone bag. Both players are capable enough to hold the positions down, but the trouble is that they have had no practice in these places. The Brants will certainly have to play some to come out on the upper side to-day.

However, Dunlop will most likely be in the game again to-morrow and with the new man Stretter, another game should be knocked down by the home team.

Wantagh, L. I., now has a special cemetery for deceased pet cats of wealthy residents.

Chicago women will adopt ten erring girls from the streets into their luxurious homes.

A bride's dressing room is to be provided at a church in Madison avenue, New York.

A HOME RUN WINS MANY A GAME!

Newman & Sons Prices Will Save You Money!

Try us for Diamonds, Watches, Locketts, Rings, Etc. We are showing a very select line in Bracelet Watches. We will be pleased to show them to you.

E.H. NEWMAN & SONS Grand Trunk Railway Official Watch Inspectors, Fine Watch Repairing

DUNLOP TRACTION TREAD advertisement with image of a tire and descriptive text.

HENRY JAMES IS CONGRATULATED

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, July 29.—The Daily Chronicle says: "A great number of friends and admirers, themselves famous in their respective fields of art, science and literature, hastened to congratulate Henry James yesterday on his oath of allegiance to the King of England. Mr. James refused to talk about the motives that impelled him to renounce his citizenship in the United States and acquire that of Great Britain when a Chronicle representative called upon him. Discussing the relations of the two great Anglo-Saxon people he said: "Our whole race tension became for me a sublimely conscious thing at the time when Germany flung at us all her explanation of her pounce upon Belgium, for massacre and ravage, in the most insolent form of because I choose to damn you all," recorded in history. How can one help feeling that such aggression, if hideously successful in Europe would proceed to apply itself to the Americas, and that the world? And how can one, therefore, not feel that the allies are fighting for the soul and purpose and future that are in us for the defense of every ideal that has most guided our growth and assured our unity."

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FURTHER EFFORT TO INFLUENCE PUBLIC OPINION

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, July 29.—The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung began the publication this morning of a series of documents purporting to be secret Belgian diplomatic reports found in Brussels by the Germans, and describing international political events from the time of the Moroccan crisis until the beginning of the present conflict. The purpose of their publication is to prove that Germany maintained a peaceful attitude throughout this period.

The papers published this morning include alleged reports made to Baron De Favereau, former Belgian foreign minister, by Count De Laing, former Belgian minister to Great Britain, Baron Greindle, minister to Berlin, Baron Leghait at Paris, and Count Dursel, charge d'affaires at Berlin. These reports date from 1905, and deal with European politics, especially the attitude of the triple entente towards Germany.

One of the features of Detroit fair this year will be a competition for "Better Babies."

Oklahoma laws require inspection of plumbing in all towns of over 2000 inhabitants. We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Thirteen Men For Dufferin Rifles Quota

Thirteen recruits joined the Dufferin Rifles Overseas force last night, and all are good men. The new instructor for the men is Sergt. Blanchard, who has been in charge of the Sergeant's class at the armories for some time. He has seen active service in South Africa and India and previous to his three years' service with the Dufferin Rifles served three years with the Berkshire Volunteers and nine years with the famous "Buffs."

The recruiting office will be open every day and evening at the armories and new men will be received for the new quota.

The last contingent was four men over-strength and these are forming the nucleus for the new detachment being raised.

Douglas Jones, 60 Chestnut Avenue, son of T. Harry Jones, City Engineer, and Ronald Jones, 37 Gray Street, left to-day for Niagara Camp to become signallers attached to Col. Genet's 88th Battalion. The names: Married C. J. Newton, 42; 26 Abel Avenue, English. Henry Ward, 40; 224 Marlboro St., English; 1 year D. R. W. S. Taylor, 33; 222 Sheridan St., English. F. W. Knowles, 36; Elm St., Paris; 3 years North Single.

Arthur Collier, 19; 82 Mintern Ave.; English. Gordon Hazzard, 18; 107 Emily St.; Canadian; 4 months D. R. Frank Reid, 18; Grand View; Canadian. C. H. Baulcomb, 35; 119 Market St.; 5 years 2nd Sussex Gar. Artillery; 6 years D. R. of C., English. Chas. Burtenshaw, 36; 55 Alfred St.; English; four months D. R. of C. Henry Richards, 18; 176 Brock St., English. Dan McLean, 39; Brantford; Irish.

Two men joined the Dragoons yesterday. The names: Robert Wilson, English; 340 Dalhousie St., 21, married. Harry Bragg, Canadian; Brantford; 38, single.

Laid at Rest

EARNST HURLBURT The funeral of the late Earnst Hurlburt took place yesterday from his family residence, 283 Chatham St. The Rev. W. E. Bowyer, conducting the services at the house and at the grave. The pallbearers were: Earnst Hurlburt, Bert Amy, Thos. Ayeherhart, Clarence Moore, Leonard McCarty, Clarence Crawley. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful, including: Pillow from family; wreath from Ham and Nott, screen dept.; cross Box Dept. Barbours; Mrs. Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hussey, Annie and Tom Clara and Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ayeherhart and Pearl Muth, Iva and Bert, Ham and Nott Co., Philathea Class Calvary Church; Calvary S.S. and Barraca Class; Mr. and Mrs. E. Crawley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutch and family, Miss N. B. Bairns Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, Mr. Mover, R. Millard E. Balne, Fred Page, Fred Loch.

HARLEY

[From Our Own Correspondent] Mr and Mrs Roy and son Robert of Port Credit are the guests of Mrs. Eldon Strain.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox motored and spent Sunday in St. George, the guests of Mr. Malcolm.

Miss Violet Cox of Brantford is visiting at Mr. Wallace Ryder's and Mr. Bert Cox's.

Miss Pearl Postel was the guest of Miss L. Casner on Sunday last.

Mr. R. Hill of Sarnia is the guest of Mr. J. W. Marshall.

Miss Annie Moore of Ranelagh is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Reaney.

We are pleased to report that Miss L. Elliott and Miss Irene Morris were successful in their examinations.

Mr. John Lee, Northfield, gave a picnic for his strawberry pickers on Friday last. A number from here attended. After a sumptuous supper was served, the evening was spent in music and games. After enjoying themselves to their heart's content, they all returned home in automobiles.

Miss Mabel Rathburn is spending the holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. George Clement.

Mrs. S. Radford is visiting at Etonia the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. Brooks.

Miss Maggie Cox of Brantford spent over Sunday the guest of her brother, Mr. B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hammond spent Sunday at Mr. J. Swears, Mt. Zion.

Miss Eva Hammond has returned home after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joe Miles, Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Deveney spent Sunday at Mr. S. Radford's.

Mrs. A. Secord and Miss Reta are visitors at Mr. J. Williams.

Miss Eva Secord of Brantford spent a couple of days with friends here.

Miss Marjorie Pamplin and her friend of London are visitors at Mr. Dave Shellington's.

Miss Bessie Radford spent Wednesday with Mrs. George Shellington.

New York Chinese are moving out of the district around Mott and Pell streets.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Messrs John McGraw and M. J. O'Donohue were in Acton yesterday.

Mrs William Clark is the guest of Mrs. A. H. Crandall, 33 Greenwich street.

Col. and Mrs. M. F. Muir and Miss Helen, left the city this morning for Toronto where they will spend a holiday on the lake.

Major Gordon Smith left for Toronto this morning with his son, Lt. Morson Smith. The Lieutenant will continue the trip to Stony Lake.

Miss Lillian Hyslop, who has been visiting Mrs. Herbert Yates of Brantford, and Miss Dorothy Garrett, of Brantford, are guests of Mrs. Charles Lugdin at her summer home at Centre Island—Toronto Globe.

GOLF NOTES

The July cup, presented by Mr Reg Searle will be played for Saturday afternoon, the cup to be won outright. Entries accepted from 2 to 2.30. Medal score.

Obituary

Mrs James Macdonald passed away at her home, Escanaba, Mich., on Tuesday, 27th of July. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and one daughter, one brother, Angus McCauley, market clerk, one sister, Mrs. Fraser, West Brantford and Mrs. Macdonald, Toronto.

Missouri has a Chinese temple, located in St. Louis.

John Mullin, without legs, was ordered to stand up by the police court clerk at Wilmington, Del. to face a "drunk" charge.

It is complained that housewives of Lorain, O., have purloined thousands of milk bottles and used them for canning fruit.

After sailing the seas 50 years George H. Tapley has started his 17th year as town clerk of West Brooksville, Me.

The citizens of East Berlin and Abbottstown, Pa., have bought up a branch railroad after it has been idle ten months.

At the German Home for the Aged, New York, Mrs. Anna Kirchner danced a waltz and drank wine on her 100th birthday.

Mrs. Kate Masterton, magazine writer and newspaper correspondent, was taken to Bellevue, New York, alleged to be insane.

J. M. Young & Co. MONTH-END OF OUR JULY CLEARANCE SALE. Agents for Pictorial Review Patterns. Verandah Screens. Only a few days left for this sale. We offer many special lines of Summer Goods at greatly reduced prices for the balance of the month.

PURSEL & SON FURNITURE PURSEL & SON FURNITURE ANNUAL AUGUST FURNITURE SALE Starts Saturday, July 31st --- Continues All August FOR this year the bargains are big. There were big ones to get and we got them. Take advantage of this August Sale and get what you need in FURNITURE, RUGS and DRAPERIES. We have not been able to get such goods at such low prices before, and not likely will again in a long time.

SAFE The E ienc Yo Exec The Trusts and Company, HEAD OFFICE: T. H. MILLER, President, BRANTFORD, T. H. MILLER, 114 Dalhousie. BOM Insura There are n owning property who might be heavy losses from dynamite outrag have occurred in dian cities. We will be make a proposa Jno. S. Dow Brantford The Pick Coal F There's a differ We're selling of the best—a coo an even, lastin burns clean to the LEHIGH ANTHRA The Coal Th We are prep prompt deliver in your order n D. McDO 129 ALB Phone Canoeists who go above Grand Rapids arrested for irrespons if.

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Boxes \$3 per year and up.

Vaults open every day during banking hours. Your inspection is invited.

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BOMB Insurance

There are many people owning property in this city who might be subjected to heavy losses from bomb and dynamite outrages, such as have occurred in other Canadian cities.

We will be pleased to make a proposal to you.

Jno. S. Dowling & Co. LIMITED Brantford, Ont.

The Pick of the Coal Fields

There's a difference in coal. We're selling our customers the best—a coal that gives an even, lasting heat, and burns clean to the last pound.

LEHIGH VALLEY ANTHRACITE The Coal That Satisfies

We are prepared to make prompt deliveries. Phone in your order now.

D. McDONALD 169 ALBION ST. Phone 432

Canoeists who got ashore to spoon above Grand Rapids, Mich., are to be arrested for trespass, says the sheriff.

MARKETS

BRANTFORD MARKETS.

Table listing various market goods such as Red Currants, White Currants, Black Currants, Apples, etc., with their respective prices.

GRAIN

Table listing grain prices including Wheat, Barley, Oats, and other types of grain.

FISH

Table listing fish prices such as Fresh Herring, Smelt, and other types of fish.

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LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, July 28.—Wheat, spot steady; No. 2 Manitoba 11s 8 1/2d; No. 3 Manitoba 11s 7 1/2d; No. 1 hard winter 11s 7 1/2d; corn, spot quiet; American mixed, new 8s 6d; flour, winter patents 3s; hops in London (Pacific Coast) £4 15s to £5 12s; hams, short cut, 16 to 18 lbs 6s; bacon, Cumberland cut, 62 to 80 lbs 7s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs 6s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs 7s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs 6s 6d; short clear backs 16 to 20 lbs 6s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs 6s; lard, prime western, in tierces, new 40s; American refined, old 41s to 43s; American refined, in 56 lb boxes 41s 9d; Cheese, Canadian, finest white, new 77s; colored, new 77s; tallow, prime city 34s; Australian in London 35s 6d; turpentine, spirits, 34s; rosin, common 11s 3d; petroleum, refined 9d; linseed oil 30s; cotton seed oil, hull refined, spot 31s 6d.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, July 29.—Cattle, receipts, 4,000; market, steady. Native beef cattle, \$6.20 to \$10.25; western steers, \$6.85 to \$8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.40 to \$9.25; calves, \$7.50 to \$11.00. Hogs: Receipts, 24,000; market, slow. Light, \$7.50 to \$7.60; heavy, \$6.10 to \$6.95; rough, \$6.10 to \$6.25; pigs, \$6.50 to \$7.50; bulk of sales, \$6.35 to \$6.90. Sheep: Receipts, 12,000; market strong; native sheep, \$9 to \$9.50; lambs, native, \$6.25 to \$8.65.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, July 29.—Receipts of cattle at the Union Stock Yards to-day were very light and almost entirely common stuff. Trade was steady for anything good, but the poorer quality of cattle were a trifle slow and easier. Receipts, 319 cattle, 47 calves, 1247 hogs, 550 sheep. Butcher cattle, choice, \$8 to \$8.50; medium, \$6.50 to \$7.25; common, \$6.50 to \$6.50. Butcher cows, choice, \$6.50 to \$7.25; medium, \$5.25 to \$5.75; canners, \$3.75 to \$4.65; bulls, \$6.50 to \$7.50; feeding steers, \$7 to \$7.50. Stockers, choice, \$6.25 to \$7; light, \$5 to \$6. Milkers, choice, each \$60 to \$90. Springers, \$60 to \$90. Sheep, ewes, \$6.25 to \$6.75; backs and culls \$4 to \$5. Lambs, \$9.50 to \$10.50. Hogs, pig, \$8.25 to \$8.40; calves, \$9 to \$10.25.

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS.

East Buffalo, July 29.—Cattle: Receipts, 100 head; active and firm. Veals: Receipts 50 head; active, \$4.50 to \$12.50. Hogs: Receipts 3200 head; slow; heavy, \$7.25 to \$7.50; mixed, \$7.65 to \$8; yorkers, \$8.10 to \$8.30; pigs, \$8.25 to \$8.30; roughs, \$6 to \$6.25; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs: Receipts 200 head; active; sheep steady; lambs, \$5 to \$9.25; yearlings, \$4.50 to \$7.25; wethers, \$6.25 to \$6.75; ewes, \$3 to \$6; sheep, mixed, \$6 to \$6.25.

An Oregon brewery has become a successful factory of the bottled juice of the loganberry.

Chicago hines dealers who print misleading and untruthful advertisements in newspapers.

GERMAN

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our rear guards near the village of Soubotch, where our infantry inflicted heavy losses.

"On the Narew front there has been violent artillery fire. Near Novogrod the enemy continued his efforts to cross the river. Near the mouth of the River Skwa the enemy on Tuesday succeeded in occupying part of our trenches on the left bank of the river, but counter-attacks threw him back. On the left bank of the Narew from Ostrolenka to the River Prut there has been a spirited combat, but the line on this front is unchanged.

"To the right of the Narew the enemy took the offensive against our troops, attempting to counter-attack north of Sereck. Near the village of Budy, southeast of Pultusk, we repulsed six attacks.

"On the left side of the Vistula, and between the Vistula and the Wieprz, there have been no important changes. Between the Wieprz and the Bug a stubborn battle continued up to Tuesday morning in the region of the villages of Rakolupy, Maidane and Ostrowsky. After repulsing three spirited attacks against our positions on the height north of Maidane and Ostrowsky, our troops took the offensive, occupying the villages and capturing 1500 prisoners.

"In the direction of Grubechow the enemy continued to launch vigorous attacks. North of the village of Stepanowitz we repulsed three furious efforts to break our front, inflicting heavy losses on the enemy. South of Sokal we commenced a successful offensive against the forces which crossed the river near Potourzhitsa. Tuesday morning our troops threw themselves against the elevated positions occupied by the enemy, taking numerous prisoners. The enemy brought up fresh forces for a counter-attack and desperate fighting continued.

"On the Upper Bug and the Upper Zlota Lipa there has been violent artillery fire and feeble attempts by detachments of the enemy."

ON ARMENIAN FRONT. The following official statement was issued to-night at the headquarters of the army of the Caucasus: "The region between the Caucasus and the Black Sea has been successful operations by our advance guards."

"The Turks are concentrating strong forces in the direction of Mush (in Armenia, 83 miles southeast of Erzerum), and as a result have been successful in their westward movement, concentrating on prepared positions."

LITTLE DEFINITE

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as any departure from neutrality is concerned, but the entente allies already are showing considerable irritation over Bulgaria's successful negotiations with Turkey and they soon may transfer their displeasure to Roumania, which is reported to be ready to lift the embargo on the export of grain, thereby supplying the central powers with a huge accession of food supplies.

Turk Party Seized With Arms Aboard

Rome, via Paris, July 29.—Newspaper dispatches received from Tunis say that an allied warship captured a large Greek sailing ship off Cape Matapan and towed it into Bizerta. Five Turkish officers are declared to have been found hidden aboard the ship, which was laden with provisions and arms and ammunition intended for the rebels of Crenajca. On searching an officer, who seemed to be the leader of the expedition, a letter is said to have been found from the Sultan of Turkey to the grand senoussi rebel chieftain. The dispatch says that the French authorities are maintaining the great reserve concerning the seizure.

MACHINE GUN CAMPAIGN.

In London Funds Will Be Raised to Purchase Machine Guns. London, Ont., July 29.—Steps were taken here last night to inaugurate a machine gun raising campaign in London and Western Ontario under the auspices of the London Board of Trade. Such action was recommended by the executive of the board last night and a gun will probably be contributed by the board itself. A big public meeting is to be held in the city Friday night, when full arrangements will be made with a view to interesting firms and individuals of the city and district in the proposed buy-back-firing guns for the Canadian troops.

London Paper Donates One. London, Ont., July 29.—The London Free Press and its employees are donating a machine gun to the 33rd battalion which is in training here under Lieut.-Col. Alex. Wilson for overseas service.

Use Theirs for Training Purposes. St. Thomas, July 29.—It has been decided the machine gun that is to be purchased by the citizens of St. Thomas for the 25th Regiment will be used for training purposes here until a gun company is ready to go to the front with it.

Loss of Vitality is loss of the principle of life, as is shown by falling vitality and diminishing strength and endurance. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest vitalizer—it acts on all the organs and functions, and builds up the whole system.

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- (1) Good foundry premises in town of about 5,000 population; brick building 90x30; upon good lot 66x120; building contains quantity of shafting, etc. Has been used for foundry and repair shop successfully for a number of years, but owner is now selling because of ill-health. The whole property will be sold at \$5,000, and offers a good opportunity for those wishing to engage in a foundry business, as such properties are active at the present time because of the war. (2) Number of first-class general stores—fine stocks at reasonable prices. (3) Very fine red brick 2 storey residence on Palmerston Avenue; 3 bedrooms, bath, den, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen. Price \$5500. (4) Double dwelling with very fine lot on Palace St. (5) Splendid lot on Colborne St., 66x132 ft.

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We have a number of applications for loans in amounts of from \$2000 to \$10,000. Any investors having money on hand can find good channels for investment through our agency.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

GREAT LAKES SERVICE FIVE SAILINGS WEEKLY Steamers leave Port McNicoll Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for SAULT STE MARIE, PORT ARTHUR and FORT WILLIAM. Steamer "Manitoba" from Port McNicoll Wednesdays calls at Owen Sound 10:30 p.m. "STEAMSHIP EXPRESS" leaves Toronto 12:45 p.m. daily, except Friday, making direct connection with steamers at Port McNicoll on sailing days. FAST TIME, CONVENIENT TRAIN SERVICE, MODERN EQUIPMENT BETWEEN MONTREAL, OTTAWA, TORONTO DETROIT CHICAGO CANADIAN PACIFIC Winnipeg and Vancouver NO CHANGE TO ALL THE WAY TO CARS ON DEPOTS Particulars from Canadian Passenger Agents, or write M. G. MURPHY, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, W. LARLEY, BRANTFORD.

\$1850 cash for a white frame cottage in West Brant, containing kitchen, dining-room, parlor, 3 bedrooms, pantry, electric lights, gas, fixtures, etc., deck verandah, good cellar, shade trees, etc. Size of lot 82 1/2 x 87 ft. D48.

\$6000 for 18 acres 3 miles east of Brantford, sand and clay loam, all in working order, 1 1/2 storey 8-room frame house, good-sized barn, chicken pens, pig pens, etc., all in good condition; 140 mixed fruit trees, greenhouse 50 ft. x 16 ft. Place all piped with gas. This is a rare opportunity. Owner will sell or exchange his equity of \$2450 for city property. F15/15.

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SHOWS EFFECT HERE

Washington, July 29.—The effect of the war on the trade of this country with Germany is clearly shown in a statement of the declared value of exports to the United States through the ports of Hamburg, Kiel, and Luebeck during the first six months of this year, made public to-day by the department of commerce. During the first six months of 1914 these ports sent to the United States goods valued at \$14,994,385. This year in the same period the shipments amounted to \$1,153,257. Hamburg, which handled the bulk of the trade fell off from more than \$13,000,000 in American exports to a little more than a million.

Philadelphia has a campaign against "lawyers' runners" in the corridor of the city hall. Atlanta, Ga., prohibition city, has 20 clubs with permits for dispensing liquors to members. Detroit discovers that parts of buildings worth millions encroach on property belonging to the city. Maryland cantaloupe growers expect good prices from the harvest. Though late, the quality is excellent.

FOR SALE

Red brick cottage in North Ward, situated on a corner, 3 living rooms, 2 bedrooms, clothes closets, pantry, complete bath, electric lights, gas, furnace. 6 roomed brick brick house in East Ward, room for bath, wired for electric lights, gas, cellar, lot 33 x 165. This house can be bought very reasonable. Red brick cottage in Eagle Place, 2 living rooms, 3 bedrooms, 2 clothes closets, sink and cement walks, bath, electric lights, gas, furnace. Lot 33x130.

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THE SITUATION.

The Russians continue to do very well indeed in Poland. They have manifestly received reinforcements, both in men and material, and the constant withdrawals of the last few weeks have been changed into an offensive at more than one point. It is impossible to estimate just what is happening on this tremendous Eastern front, with millions of men engaged, but late advices certainly contain more encouragement for the Allies.

After forty days' fighting the Italians have secured a big victory in dislodging the Austrians from the Martino and San Michele heights, which dominate Gorizia. Their artillery is doing exceptionally good work, and the troops are fighting with a determination worthy of the best traditions of the days of Garibaldi.

The opinion has been expressed in some quarters that so many of Kitchener's new army have been kept in England because of possible invasion. In this regard it is worthy of note that Premier Asquith has stated that the fleet is in such shape that John Bull is able to laugh at any such scare.

MACHINE GUNS.

Hamilton has started a campaign to send two hundred machine guns to the front, and the present indications are that the design will succeed.

London has started a similar movement, with the Free Press there making the first offer, the employees rolling up the necessary subscription at the rate of over one hundred dollars a minute.

In Galt Mrs. Young, widow of the late Hon. Mr. Young, said that as she couldn't send a man she would send a gun, and so on.

Brantford has got to be in this thing. In fact, a start has already been made with an offer of gun and crew from the postoffice, and now another one from the Barber-Ellis Co.

It is estimated that one of these guns is worth at least 80 men with rifles. They weigh under thirty pounds, and can fire 450 shots a minute, or 27,000 an hour. The bullets are self-fed on tapes, and when one is finished another can be used in a continuous string. An air-cooling process keeps the barrel cool.

Now, then, who is going to help this thing along?

TWO SPEECHES.

In moving a quite lengthy adjournment of the House of Commons yesterday Premier Asquith took occasion to review the present standing of the war. His remarks were characterized by a tone of optimism, providing that persistence, and still more persistence, is maintained. He described the struggle as likely to continue for some time on the mere basis of endurance, and referred in deservedly caustic terms to the faint-hearted and the back-biters. The right hon. gentleman paid a deservedly glowing tribute to Russia, rightly stating that in all history there had been no more magnificent example of discipline and endurance than exhibited by the troops of the Czar. "Our new Allies," the Italians, also came in for his just praise, and the magnificent work of the British fleet was rightly extolled. He also made a reassuring statement regarding the Dardanelles and characterized recruiting results as excellent.

Hon. Lloyd-George, as Minister of Munitions, had an inspiring story to tell of what was in hand and had been accomplished. He has manifestly taken hold of his new duties with the amount of energy for which he is so pre-eminently noted.

UNSET GEMS PROHIBITED.

London, July 29.—A royal proclamation prohibits the importation into the United Kingdom of unset diamonds, except under special license. This step has been taken presumably on account of the alleged sale recently of considerable quantities of German stones on the English market.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It seems to be a case of see-saw just now at Warsaw.

Machine guns! Got to have 'em. Going to get 'em.

With Shaw and Becker out of the way, certain U. S. papers will be badly stuck for front page stuff.

In Poland the Germans are still making driving efforts, but the troops of the Czar are proving decidedly balky.

Another fine of \$1,000,000 has been put upon Brussels by the Kaiserites because a Zeppelin was destroyed in that place by airmen. One more illustration of the fact that there is absolutely no limit to Hun devilment.

In Toronto they are trying to get the right-of-way for the street cars through a cemetery. When it comes to capably handling passengers the system there is so defunct that the cemetery attendants may be excused if they think that it is a burial which is desired.

"Enquirer" is informed that submarine torpedoes usually travel about ten feet below the water-line. The projectiles have a speed of some 30 knots an hour, and by an ingenious self-adjusting apparatus are kept on a straight line.

Did we mention razors? We did. They are needed at the front. A lot have been received at this office, but still more are desirable. Hunt up that blade, no matter how old, leave same at this office, and the rest of the matter will be looked after without any worry to you.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, July 29, 11.55 a.m.—The following statement was to-day issued by the French ministry of marine: "The French squadron in the Dardanelles is without direct news of the French submarine Mariotte which entered the straits July 26 to operate in the Sea of Marmora."

"According to telegrams from Turkish sources the submarine has been sunk and the officers and crew of 31 have been made prisoners."

According to a despatch from Constantinople to "The Mittag Zeitung" of Berlin, the Mariotte was destroyed by a German submarine on July 26 in the narrows of the Dardanelles.

Paris, July 29, 2.35 p.m.—The French War Department to-day gave out the following official statement:

"In the Artois region there was the customary bombardment last night and in the Souchez sector there were several engagements with hand grenades and bombs."

"The Argonne fighting with bombs and torpedoes in the vicinity of Bagatelle and at Corte Chaussee."

"Near St. Hubert as well as in the forest of Matancourt we blew up by means of mines several German positions."

"In the Vosges, at Lingekopf, in the positions taken by us July 22 we picked up yesterday 200 German corpses and took possession of two machine guns, 200 rifles, and a great quantity of munitions and equipment. The German forces left on the ground at Barrenkopf more than 400 dead. The exact number of German prisoners made during the recent engagements, July 27 and July 28, is 201."

London Will Yet be World's Greatest Port

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, July 29.—Lord Devonport, chairman of the port of London, commission said to party of newspapermen who were yesterday inspecting the new \$11,000,000 dock just approaching completion:

"However much the war may interfere with general building construction work, nothing will be allowed to hinder the rushing to completion of the great port improvements of London, which are now being carried out. It is our duty to see that the port of London is so thoroughly equipped when the war is over that Hamburg can never again threaten our supremacy. The works which are now being constructed will make London in every way superior to every other port in the world."

MILD EXCITEMENT.

London, July 29, 12.40 p.m.—Mild excitement prevailed in Throgmorton street, this morning when dealings in the new war loan with the rights of conversion were started. Brokers rushed to the Bank of England to obtain scrip certificates as sellers must furnish the numbers of the certificates before parting with their holdings. The Stock Exchange opened with a large attendance and a cheer arose when the first dealer quoted 99 for buyers and 99 1/2 for sellers for fully paid up scrips.

FRANCE'S BIG COST.

Paris, July 29.—The first five months of the great war cost France exactly 6,493,000,000 francs (\$1,280,000,000); this is shown by the report of the Budget committee on supplementary military and naval credits

BRITAIN IS

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ernment, and not an individual, was profiting.

The Government had taken over the control of the machine tool factories, so that no delay would arise in equipping the new establishments. This would tax the engineering resources of the country, but, when all was completed, within a few months, the Government would be able to equip the armies in a way which would leave them in no way inferior to the best equipped armies on the Continent.

The House of Commons yesterday afternoon agreed to the adjournment of Parliament from to-day until September 14, on the motion of Premier Asquith, who, in making a general review of the military situation, told the House that the war has become and is likely to continue for some time a contest of endurance.

RUSSIA'S GALLANT EFFORTS.

Mr. Asquith said at the outset of his speech: "We should be ungrateful and insensitive indeed if we did not recognize at this moment the indescribable gallant efforts being made by our Russian allies to stem the tide of invasion and to retain inviolate the integrity of their possessions. I don't think in the whole of military history there has been a more magnificent example of discipline and endurance of both individual and collective initiative than has been shown by the Russian army in the last seven weeks."

"Our new allies, Italy, are, with carefully prepared movements, steadily gaining ground make their way towards the objectives which we believe in a very short time will be within their reach."

The Premier declared that the British Government's confidence in the results of the Dardanelles operations was unshaken. He emphasized his confidence in the victory of both the French and British armies engaged in the western field. Referring to the fact that next week would see the completion of a year of war, Mr. Asquith said that the world had never had seen such a miraculous transformation in this country: not in its spirit and heart, but in the outward manifestations of its life, than had taken place here in those twelve months.

SEAS SUBSTANTIALLY CLEAR.

The British fleet to-day was far stronger, the Premier continued, than at the beginning of the war, and to its quiet and unobserved, but ubiquitous and all powerful activity is due the fact that the seas are clear or substantially clear. "For, after all," said the Premier, "this submarine menace, serious as it has appeared to be is not going to inflict fatal or substantial injury on British trade."

The seas are clear; we have our supplies of food and raw materials, upon which we and the rest of the country depend, flowing in upon us in the same abundance and with the same freedom and freedom of movement as before. "I do not say," he said, "that there is much exaggeration, judging from the insurance rates and other matters, with the same immunity from serious hazards and risks as in times of peace."

"The navy so far has been denied the grim and glorious fight but it is through its unrelaxing vigilance and the supreme skill with which it has been handled that this country to-day can laugh at the scare of an invasion; and that we are able to extend unflinchingly any other of the belligerent powers are immune from the actual ravages and dangers of war."

Glancing around the House the Prime Minister remarked: "This is a sight unknown for a hundred years, this aggregation of members equipped in military garb, but there is not a family represented in the House, and the House is typical of the whole country, which is given its hostages in sons or brothers."

GOOD RECRUITING REPORTS.

Speaking of recruiting, which he remarked had been in progress for twelve months with undiminished activity, Premier Asquith said: "The latest reports are among the best we have had for a long time."

The Premier concluded with a note of caution to the country, saying: "Do not let us suppose that our national duty is discharged either by sending an adequate influx of recruits to the army or to the various industries engaged in the fabrication of munitions. The duty has been cast upon this country and on us of maintaining the freedom of the world, not only by supplying large contingents of well-equipped men for the battlefields and trenches, but also influencing to a large extent the whole conduct of the war. We cannot do that if we continue to import and to increase our indebtedness to other countries, and unless we maintain our great manufacturing industries."

Premier Asquith urged the accumulation of a large reserve of gold and the use of paper currency by householders and employers. He characterized as calamity the statements in a section of the press, which he described as melancholy and notorious exceptions to the newspapers as a whole, that the people of this country had failed to rise to the height of this great occasion and that the allies did not appreciate the contributions Great Britain was making to the ultimate triumph of the common cause.

SHOW DETERMINED SPIRIT.

"Don't let us give any encouragement to the faint-hearted and still less to the back-biters who are disheartening our allies and encouraging our enemies," he said. "Let us in this House and in the country at large, with the same spirit of energy and determination which for twelve months has inspired us, continue to persist and persevere to an inevitable triumphant issue."

Sir Edward Dalziel, Liberal member for Kirkcaldyburghs, moved and Sir Arthur B. Markham, Liberal member of the Mansfield division of Nottinghamshire, seconded an amendment that adjournment should be only for four weeks.

Sir Henry explained that he did this because he was not satisfied with

the situation in Flanders, where it had been understood there was to be a great advance during the Spring and Summer. In the Dardanelles, too, he wanted to know why such notice had been given to the enemy by a bombardment on the part of the fleet without the co-operation of the land forces.

Sir Henry said he could keep silence no longer, as he had not the confidence in the Government that he had nine months ago. He could not understand why the industries of the country had not been mobilized, and he wanted to know whether anyone at the War Office had been cashiered for the failure to supply sufficient munitions. He also criticized the Governments delay in using gas against the Germans, and he suggested that the reason for the failure to do this was a breakdown in the arrangements.

HIGH COST OF LIVING.

Sir Henry concluded that the discontent among the workers was due to the failure of the Government to deal with the question of food supplies, which, he contended, was responsible for the increase in the cost of living.

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would be prepared to offer France peace on easy terms, which would be a great temptation.

SHARP EXCHANGE.

Mr. Wedgwood explained that Great Britain ought not to inflict the temptation on her ally.

"We got 3,000,000 men voluntarily," declared Mr. Williams.

"Out of 12,000,000," interrupted Major Archer-Shee.

The debate ended with a sharp exchange of personalities.

Rev Francis Rolt-Wheeler was ordered to pay his wife \$15 a week alimony in New York.

A RICH REWARD TO BE GIVEN

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, July 29.—A despatch from Reuter's Telegram Company from Cape Town says that General Smuts, Minister of the Interior of the Union of South

Africa, in a speech dealing with the future of German Southwest Africa, made the announcement that the Government was planning to send there a strong body of colonists from British South Africa.

"Those who have borne the weight of the burden will have the preference," General Smuts declared.

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It is unnecessary for us to say anything to you about this SPECIAL SALE, because we know that we have your confidence, and that our past record in this department speaks volumes. Suffice it to say that prices on Wilton, Tapestry, Axminster and Brussels Rugs will be very tempting this week. Here are a few examples: 3 x 3 Imported Tapestry Rug, with only one seam. Regular \$10.00. SALE PRICE \$6.95 3 x 3 fawn and green only, best quality Brussels Rug. Regular \$19.50. SALE PRICE \$15.00 3 x 3 Fine Imported English Axminster Rug. Regular \$29.50. SALE PRICE \$22.00 3 x 3 best quality Wilton Rug, neat designs. Regular \$32.00. SALE PRICE \$26.50 3 x 3 1/2, best quality Axminster, in Oriental designs. Regular \$36.00. SALE PRICE \$26.50 3 x 4 Seamed Tapestry Rug, in neat designs. Regular \$15.00. SALE PRICE \$10.75

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LOCAL

THE TEMPERATURE

Record for the last 24 hours: 67; highest, 77; Saturday; lowest 49; highest 8

WILL PLAY THISTLE

The 25th Brant Dragoes the Thistles a game of Agricultural Park to-night.

FOR MACHINE GUNS.

Mr. H. H. Powell, President of Trade, has called for to-morrow night in Council Chamber when the Brantford contributions to machine guns will be the special session.

RAZOR CROP.

The razor crop at the C is still a flourishing. Some received since Monday in gift of six brand new hair cutters for the boys and girls. Bring yours along no matter how the Sheffield cutters seem in prime shape before sent forward.

LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The Tennis league met in the Y. M. C. A. to-day to championship games between leading A and B district teams. There will be home games next Saturday at and Bellview and if it played on neutral court.

B. AND F. MEETING.

A meeting of the Brantford Football League took place to-night, and after the usual business, the referees were Saturday next as follows: Thistles, Mr. F. Wright; v. S. O. E., A. Cassels; day next the final of the Charity Cup will be played Thistles and P. S. A. at a neutral park, where the charged gate. A large crowd is expected as the total for charity.



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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

THE TEMPERATURE.

Record for the last 24 hours. Lowest, 67; highest, 77. Same date last year: lowest 49; highest 82.

WILL PLAY THISTLES.

The 25th Brant Dragoons will play the Thistles a game of football at Agricultural Park to-night at 7 p.m.

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LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

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R AND F. MEETING.

A meeting of the Brantford and Paris Football League took place last night, and after the usual routine business, the referees were picked for Saturday next as follows: Paris v. Thistles, Mr. F. Wright; P. S. A. v. S. O. E., A. Cassels. On Saturday next the final of the John Hill Charity Cup will be played between Thistles and P. S. A. at Agricultural park, where there will be a charged gate. A large crowd should be present as the total receipts are for charity.

HEATHERS VS. DUFFERINS

Weather permitting, 8 rinks of bowlers from the Heathers will play the Dufferin bowlers on the latter's green on St. Paul's avenue, to-night. This is one of the scheduled games of the city league.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

The Municipal Street Railway Commissioners met last night and transacted a few routine matters. Messrs. C. H. Hartman and A. K. Bunnell were present. Mr. W. R. Turnbull was absent from the city. The meeting was very short.

NEW RECORD MADE

A unique success has been scored by the new freight service inaugurated of the transcontinental line by the Grand Trunk. On July 23rd the first train left consisting of 42 cars of general merchandise, and on July 27th three and a half days later, it steamed to Winnipeg ten hours ahead of scheduled time.

A RUAWAY.

A runaway horse bolted down Market street this morning at half past eight, but no damage was done at all, as there was very little traffic at the time. The horse was on the delivery wagon belonging to Livingston and Wilkinson, and became frightened while standing in front of the store. R. Wakefield and P. C. Pickles stopped its career on the Market Square.

OPERATED FOR FIRST TIME.

Yesterday afternoon the new motor generator sets at the Hydro-Electric sub-station were operated under load for the first time and for two hours the street railway was carried by Hydro-Electric power. The performance of the new equipment was entirely satisfactory and this afternoon at two o'clock the new station will be inspected and formally opened by the members of the Railway and Hydro-Electric Commissions.

PUTTOWN BRIDGE

The road and bridge committee of the Oxford and Brant Counties met yesterday and received the tenders for the Puttown bridge. The plans for the abutments will have to be redrawn to meet the request of the Ontario Government. The tender for the steel abutments of the Hamilton Bridge Works company was received and accepted by the committee. The tender will run between \$7000 and \$8,000.

ANXIOUS ABOUT SQUIRRELS.

Rev. Mr. Howard, formerly of St. James' Anglican church, but now living in Tillsonburg, asked City Clerk H. P. Leonard, by means of a letter this morning if there is a by-law in the city which protects squirrels. Mr. Leonard stated this morning that there had been several queries sent in to him about the same matter. It is only a matter of educating the people to protect bird and animal life so as to make the parks in the city more attractive.

WIDOW GETS MONEY.

William Yorke, a workman at the Ham and Nott factory, was a passenger on the Lusitania, and was lost when it was torpedoed. When leaving Brantford he purchased an accident policy in the Travellers' Insurance Co. of Hartford paying \$2 for it. The policy was for \$2,500 with double liability in case of death in a train or boat. Upon his death being known for certain, Mr. John Ham, his employer, found that the company was disputing payment and upon taking up the matter with a local insurance agent, was advised to place all the facts before Mr. George S. Gibbons, a lawyer, of London, Ont., and an expert on insurance law. As a result the company decided not to fight the matter in the courts, admitted its double liability and is sending a check for \$5,000 to Mrs. Yorke in London, England. This case is said to be entirely without precedent in Anglo-Saxon law. The claim of the lawyer was that Mr. Yorke had been "murdered by a German submarine."

FRUIT BULLETIN

RASPBERRIES, Niagara District grown, are about done, and Black Currants are also bearing an end. The ever-popular and delicious Lawtonberries, large black Thimbleberry and Tomatoes are beginning to make their appearance.

A CORRECTION

In connection with the recruiting for the 25th Dragoons, the name of George Webster, Paris, should have been given as 22, married, Scotch.

RECEIVED FEE

Mr. F. S. Spence, secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Municipal Association, acknowledged the receipt of the municipality fee of \$25 for the 1915 membership.

FRIENDS WANTED

City Clerk Leonard would be pleased if the relatives or friends of Mr. Hugh R. Hardy would call at his office in the city hall as soon as convenient. Mr. Hardy was born in Brantford on March 20th, 1882.

WITH THE POLICE.

Only half a dozen cases greeted Magistrate Livingston this morning in the police court. Gordon O'Connell was fined \$3 for being disorderly on the boxes, as in Grady case, Railway. Thomas Mach, accused of vagrancy, was remanded until to-morrow. The case of non-payment of board against Walter Nicholson was also remanded. Two drunks were allowed to go.

WORK COMMENDED.

For the encouragement of all who have worked so diligently for the Red Cross Society, the officers wish to say that every letter acknowledging supplies forwarded to headquarters has contained expressions of keen appreciation, regarding the quality of the work done here, and also, that members of the executive, who are members of the headquarters in Toronto, were told by officials in charge that everything received from Brantford had been entirely satisfactory, and that it is always a pleasure to open the boxes, as in Grady case, Railway. Red Cross pamphlets for July containing latest information have been received at the Women's Patriotic League rooms, where any one interested may get a copy on application.

A DESPATCH

Which is Misleading With Reference to What Really Occurred.

Toronto, July 29.—The Ontario License Board will see that orders given by military commanders regarding the sale of liquor to soldiers are carried out. Chairman Flavell yesterday so informed License Inspector Eacrett, of Brantford, where some difficulties have arisen between the hotel-keepers and the troops. The chairman intimated that hoteliers who sold intoxicants to soldiers in defiance of orders from commanding officers would be liable to have their licenses suspended or canceled.

MISLEADING

In conversation with a Courier man, Mr. Eacrett said that the above despatch was misleading. He was in Toronto yesterday, and among other things told the board that the Brantford hotel keepers were endeavoring to eliminate everything of an undesirable nature. In fact, they had voluntarily held a meeting themselves and decided upon a united course in this regard. "I have had no trouble at all," he commented.

Promotions for Duffs' Officers Given To-day

The following letter has been received from the General Staff Officer, 2nd Division, Niagara Camp: To the Officer Commanding 38th Regt. Provisional School (infantry), Niagara-on-the-Lake, May-July, 1915 Examinations.

I beg to inform you that the officers named below qualified at the marginally named school for the grade stated against their name, and that their certificates will be forwarded in due course. Captain, M. E. B. Cutcliffe, Field Officer. Captain, H. J. G. McLean, Field Officer. Lieut., S. R. Wallace, Capt. Lieut., R. E. Secord, Capt. Prov. Lieut., H. Boddy, Lieut. Prov. Lieut., W. H. Fair, Lieut. Prov. Lieut., C. B. Robinson, Lieut. The following officers failed to qualify—nil.

Besides the above Messrs. Captains Cutcliffe and McLean have passed their Equitation examinations and are now qualified to become Lieut.-Col. of a battalion when their turn comes for that promotion.

SUMMER DOLLAR DAY

Brantford merchants have decided to hold a Summer Dollar Day on Thursday next, August 5th, when some very attractive bargains will be offered. One hundred and twenty-five dollars has been subscribed for the treasure box. Each purchaser will be given a coupon, and those holding the lucky numbers will share in the prize money. It will be divided as follows: 80 at \$1.00.....\$80.00 10 at \$2.00.....\$20.00 3 at \$5.00.....\$15.00 The Grand Prize will be \$100.00. Genevieve Caulfield, blind, of Goshen, N. Y., will go to Japan as a missionary teacher. Mrs. S. C. Belden, Government weather observer at Horton, Kan., for 25 years, is dead.

BATTERY NEEDS MEN; NOW BELOW STRENGTH

The 2nd Battery is in need of men. It is not up to strength. Recruits will be received any time during drilling hours, which are Wednesday and Friday nights.

The headquarters of the Battery is in the old Customs building on George street, next to the Post Office. Drill is held twice a week, Wednesday and Friday nights, usually on the Market Square. Last night the Battery went through their paces on the square with their new 12 pound guns. A large crowd gathered and watched the manoeuvres with genuine interest. The civilians crowded about the guns while their mechanism was being explained and were as keen on information as any of the soldiers. The artillery branch of the army is little known and hence holds a fascination for the ordinary person which the other branches do not. If some of the interested citizens but translated their enthusiasm into active membership the battery will not be long undermanned.

CANNOT SEND A MAN, SO SHE DONATES A GUN

Galt, July 28.—Mrs. Young, widow of Hon. James Young yesterday informed Mayor Buchanan that she wished to present a machine gun of the most modern kind to the Canadian overseas forces. "I cannot send a man to fight, but I want to do something to help the Empire, and machine guns seem to be badly needed just now." The Mayor will attend to the details in connection with the purchase of the gun.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL

Object to Selling of Galt End of Municipal Railway Without Going to the People.

At the special meeting called by the Trades and Labor Council last night the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, H. P. Pippy; vice-president, J. Shott; corresponding secretary, H. Symons; treasurer, Bert Brown; auditors, Delegates Moore, Mullin, Kubalt; trustees, Delegates Geo. Crooks, Crowley, Morley. The report of the committee re. labor tempo, was received and filed. A communication was received and read to the council re. the sale of the Grand Valley line from Paris to Galt to the C. P. R., and a committee was appointed to look into the matter.

The general opinion was against the deal on the ground (1) That the members believed in municipal ownership of public utilities, and, (2) That the members felt that facts and figures had been withheld to which the public were entitled before they could pass an intelligent judgment. Further, the legality was questioned on the right of the city council to dispose of any such property without securing the consent of the people, who are owners of the road. A letter from Mr. Thompson, as already published, was received and read. The following communication was finally decided upon: To the Mayor and Councilors of the City of Brantford:

Dear Sirs.—Whereas the Trades and Labor Council heartily endorse the ownership of all public utilities, where property conducted, and whereas the people by almost a unanimous vote decided to purchase the old Grand Valley and Brantford street railway, and believing that the disposing of the Galt end of the line would be directly against the wishes of the people, We, the Trades and Labor Council wish to go on record as being opposed to the selling of any portion of "our" municipal railway without giving the people a chance to vote on the proposition, with the full facts and figures for their consideration. Yours truly, Trades and Labor Council. H. J. Symons, Cor. Secretary.

Borden Gets Freedom of Old London

London, July 29.—The highest honor a municipality can give—the freedom of the city—was conferred by London on Sir Robert Borden, Canadian Premier. The customary ceremonies took place at the Guild Hall. A downpour of rain sent the thousands of persons who had gathered for the event, scurrying for shelter. Premier Asquith, A. Bonar Law, secretary of the colonies and other members of the cabinet attended. The city chamberlain on presenting the

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freedom of the city referred in particular to the splendid deeds accomplished by the Canadians at the front.

Premier Borden expressed deep appreciation of the honor accorded him. The action of the Canadian people, he declared, was due not to its government or its statesmen, but to the spirit of the Canadian people, which would continue to the end an overmastering impulse to preserve the institutions of the empire and its influence for good throughout the world for all ages to come. "I have no doubt as to the issue,"

he added, "for the resources of the British Empire are infinitely greater than are those of Germany."

RESIGNED PORTFOLIO Tokyo, July 29.—Viscount Kanetake Oura, the Japanese Minister of Justice, suddenly resigned his portfolio to-day. The minister's action following as it does, the investigation instituted by the ministry of justice in the bribery charges, growing out of the parliamentary elections last March, has caused a great sensation throughout Japan. The case involved several

members and ex-members of the Imperial diet. Count Shigenobu Okuma, the Premier, reported the situation to Emperor Yoshihito, who sanctioned the resignation of Viscount Oura. The investigation into the charges of bribery, growing out of the March elections, resulted in the arrest yesterday of K. Hayashida, who had been chief secretary of the lower house for twenty years. The arrest of Hayashida, is said to be connected with the charge against Viscount Oura, who is alleged to have received a present of \$500 from a candidate for membership in the House.

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Sporting Comment

Once again the report is out that the big leagues are after Merlin Kopp. This is about the sixth time this year that Kopp has been sought after, and every time the deal has fallen through, if it ever started. Kopp is one of the most brilliant players in minor league ball. In fielding and base running, no one is in the same class with him, and he is by no means a weak hitter. He is popular too in every city in the circuit and should go up, there is no other player whom everybody would wish success so heartily. It will be a hard blow for St. Thomas if he leaves there, because he is practically all that keeps the game alive in the railroad city.

was also hard hit by the rain, as they had arranged a big military day, and were hoping for a record crowd. They need the money down there, too. According to reports, Umpire Bedford helped Guelph along on Tuesday. He handed Brantford some fierce deals on balls and strikes. Once with the bases occupied he retired Joe Dunn on strikes which Joe could not reach, they were so high. To-day Brantford are up against Guelph in a double header.

Guelph has been our hoodoo all season and it is to be hoped that we shake the jinx. Reports from Ottawa state that on Monday Kopp stole second on Payne, the Senator's new catcher, and that had been the first base stolen on the ex-White Sox receiver. The report didn't say just how easily Kopp purloined that bag, Mr. Payne may be a great catcher, but after he has run against Kopp, Linehorn, Hernandez, Comstock and Dunn, not to mention others, he'd have all the pegging practice to second base he ever wanted.

Payne's Homer Scores Only Run

Ottawa, July 29.—Ottawa defeated St. Thomas by 7 to 0 yesterday and made it an even break on the series. Payne, formerly of the Chicago White Sox, scored the only run of the game on a homer in the fifth. Shocker held the Saints to four singles. The Ottawas had only six against Howick, but he received sensational support. St. Thomas got only one man to third base and did not get a hit after the fifth. Umpire Haligan put Lage out of the game and fined him \$10 for disputing his decision at the plate when Payne slid home. Score: St. Thomas 7, Ottawa 0.

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BRANTFORD'S NEXT GAMES AT HOME

Table listing Brantford's home games: July 29 vs Guelph, July 30 vs Guelph, July 31 vs St. Thomas, August 5 vs St. Thomas, August 6 vs St. Thomas, August 7 vs St. Thomas.

BASEBALL RECORD

Table showing baseball records for various teams: International League, Canadian League, American League, and Federal League.

Brooklyn 43 53 448, Buffalo 41 54 432, Baltimore 35 55 389. Yesterday's Results: Newark 7, St. Louis 6; Pittsburgh 4, Baltimore 3, 3; Brooklyn 4, Kansas City 3, 3. To-day's Games: Newark at St. Louis, Brooklyn at Kansas City, Baltimore at Pittsburgh, Buffalo at Chicago.

F. Clarke on Balks

Fred Clarke was discussing balks made by pitchers in games this season. "The balk has always been balks, and there always will be," said the Pirate manager, "until the two umpires get to working together and conferring on such matters. There are any number of pitchers who balk, but it is impossible for the umpire behind the bat to see it. It cannot be detected unless you are standing off to the side, where the field umpire takes his position. The pitchers balk with a knee motion. If they moved their hands or their shoulders it would be easy to detect. Ed. Walsh wiggled his shoulders, and the American League made him cut it out. But some pitchers have a knee motion which is very effective and hard for the umpire behind the bat to detect. The strange part about it is that some twirlers can not acquire it. I've tried to teach some of my pitchers how to do it, but they can not learn. It. Harmon and McQuillen never do it, and say they can't learn. But some of the leavers have it down fine, and it helps them a lot in nailing runners off the bag."

Baseball

Cincinnati, O., July 29.—The Boston Braves went into third place yesterday when they continued their winning streak by defeating the Reds, 3 to 1. After holding the champs to four hits in six innings McKenty, a returner, towered to bunt hits in the last three innings, scoring a run in each. Score: Boston 3, Cincinnati 1.

THE FIFTH DEFEAT FOR ALEXANDER THE GREAT

St. Louis, Mo., July 29.—Alexander lost his fifth game of the season today, when the Cardinals beat the Phillies 3 to 1. Three errors gave a run in the first, Bescher's triple scored Butler in the second and Wilson scored in the sixth on his double and a single by Snyder. Doak held the leaders to three hits, singles by Becker in the first, Niehoff in the fourth and Bancroft in the ninth. Butler's fumble presented the Quakers with their score. The score: Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 1.

IN BATTLE OF FISTS

Kansas City, July 29.—Two fights with the umpire marked yesterday's double header between Brooklyn and Kansas City, in which the visitors won the first game, 4 to 3, and the locals the second 3 to 2. As a result of the fights, one of which occurred in each game, the manager of each club was ejected in the first contest Umpire Corcoran called two Brooklyn runners safe on what the local contended was a perfect double play. The argument which followed was punctuated with fistcuffs by George Stovall, manager of the locals, and he was sent to the clubhouse. In the second game Lee Magee, manager of the Brooklyn team, objected to a decision of Umpire Corcoran on balls and strikes called on Kauff. Magee struck Corcoran, and when Corcoran drew blood from Magee's lip Kauff came to Magee's rescue. Magee and Kauff were both ejected. The scores: First game—R.H.E. Brooklyn 4, Kansas City 3.

Kansas City 3 7 1, Second game—R.H.E. Brooklyn 2 10 1, Kansas City 3 8 1, Baltimore 3 13 1, Pittsburgh 13 1, Second game—R.H.E. Baltimore 3 7 1, Pittsburgh 3 3 1, At St. Louis—R.H.E. Newark 7 11 4, St. Louis 6 6 3.

ROYALS WIN

Montreal, July 29.—Montreal, assisted by errors on the part of Richmond and with heavy hitting, yesterday defeated Richmond by the score of 11 to 1 in the Richmond club using three pitchers in an effort to stop the Montreal team's batting. Score: Montreal 11 9 2, Richmond 1 6 0.

Ball Players Are Better When Heavy

Weight handicaps prize fighters, but in many cases it keeps ball players. "Bobby" Cravath, the slugging demon of the Phillies, was quite a frail creature a number of years ago when he made his first big league appearance. He didn't last long and was sent to the minors. While sojourning in the minors Cravath began taking on weight. About 40 pounds were added to his frame. And then it was that Cravath began to gain fame as a hitter—so much fame in fact, that he got another advance in the big leagues. What the 40-pound heavier Cravath has done in the batting line since then is baseball history.

All through the pages of baseball history we find that the pitchers and catchers who have been the most successful have been the ones who have been inclined to stoutness. Of course, there are exceptions, but few. Star batsmen, as a rule, have been huskies. Lajoie, Wagner, Ed. Delahanty, Dan Brouthers, "Cap" Anson, Jessie Burkett, Jimmy Collins, Cy Seymour, and scores of others were men who weighed on the stout.

Ty Cobb is one of the exceptions—but Ty is an exception in everything. Probably if Ty were bulky he wouldn't be hitting around his present average because his speed enables him to beat out many bunts and punny grounders. Eddie Collins is another exception—and in the same way as Ty. He's a great hitter mainly because his speed enables him to beat out many throws each year that would retire others. Josephus Jackson, of the Cleveland baseball club is a very rare exception. Josephus isn't fat—and he isn't abnormally fast. But Josephus, despite his apparent skinniness, has a pair of arms and shoulders that are as mighty as the drive of a piston rod. And these enable Josephus to keep the Cleveland Indians from falling right out of the American league.

MT VERNON

A very sad drowning took place near App's mill on Sunday morning, when the victim was William Kloft of Burlington, who came with his brother to spend Sunday with Otto Kloft of this place, another brother. The three brothers went to App's for a refreshing bath, and while in bathing he was seized with cramps. He called to his brothers, but did not succeed in alarming them, until he appeared at the surface of the water for the last time. After a few hours search, the body was found under nine feet of water, but life was extinct. The body was taken to the home of his brother, Otto, on the Stone Road. Miss Velma Wooden of Paris is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gordon Johnson. Congratulations to Mr. Lawrence Mott on passing, his entrance exams. at Burford. A very enjoyable time was spent last Tuesday evening when a number of young folk from here and Bethel, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marlett. The evening was spent in music and different games, after which tea was served and all departed home pleased with the pleasant time they had spent. The lawn was beautifully decorated.

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with Japanese lanterns, which made a fine appearance. On Thursday, July 15th, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glass. Miss Ivy Young of Brantford spent Sunday with Miss Lottie Roberts. Mrs. George Harris of Newport spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Simon Reid. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacDonald spent Sunday visiting friends at New Durham. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharpe of Lindsay are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Moore.

BEALTON

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis and Alma, visited at Mr. E. Hunter's at Bealton on Sunday. Mrs. Robinson is entertaining her sister for a few weeks. Mr. R. Graham spent Sunday at Brantford. Mr. Will Bowden of Dresden is visiting at Mr. L. Davis. Rev. Muir of Toronto, will take charge of the pulpit on Sunday morning. Mr. Roy Bradshaw left for Muskoka last week. A number of Hartford young people attended church here on Sunday evening. Mr. R. Bannister and children of Brantford are visiting at Mr. T. Bannister's. Mr. and Mrs. R. Hellyer of Townsend Street, visited at Mr. F. Bradshaw's on Sunday. Allie Simington, of Hartford, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. Galloway. Miss Ada and Mr. Walter Hagan visited at Mr. A. Forrest's at Hagersville on Sunday.

NOTHING TO INDICATE THE RESULTS GIVEN

Von Bethmann-Hollweg Returns From Visiting the Emperor. Berlin, via London, July 29.—The Imperial Chancellor, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg has returned here from general headquarters, but nothing regarding the results of his conference with the Emperor can be ascertained at present beyond confirmation of the fact that the German answer to the American note as previously stated, will not be delivered for some time, if, indeed it is decided to prepare an answer. There is no chance whatever of formal abandonment of the submarine warfare on the present basis although submarine commanders may be impressed with the advisability of avoiding complications with the United States and of taking whatever steps they can to that end. Developments in the American navy.

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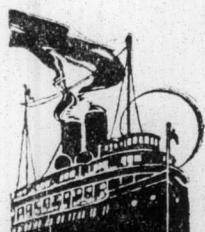
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## MASSACRE BY TURKS IS SPREADING FAST

Christians Being Killed in Armenia and on the Persian Border.

London, July 29.—The Earl of Crewe, Lord President of the Council, replying in the House of Lords yesterday to a question by Viscount Bryce concerning the killing of Christians in Armenia by the Turks, said that information received at the Foreign Office showed that such crimes lately had increased both in number and in degree of atrocity. They included, he declared, both wholesale massacre and wholesale deportations, which were carried out under the guise of enforced evacuation. Similar crimes, he added, had been committed by the Turks against Christians on the Persian border. The presence of the Germans and the influence they exercised had been the Earl of Crewe continued, an absolute and unmitigated curse both to the Christian and the Moslem population. They have shown a most complete cynical disregard for the country and the people who inhabit it. The Lord President of the Council said he regretted that it was impossible to take immediate steps for the suppression of such atrocities, but that those responsible for them ultimately would receive just punishment.

## GARDEN OF EDEN TO BECOME A GREAT GRAIN GROWING LAND.

Sir John Jackson who is head of the firm of civil engineers, which completed the Hindia barrage across the Euphrates about eighteen months ago, recently addressed the Royal Institute on "Engineering Problems of Mesopotamia and the Euphrates Valley." Mentioning the Baghdad railway, Sir John said one of the first problems to be dealt with would be the removal of the great sand bar at the entrance to the Shat-el-Arab which obstructs the navigation of vessels even of moderate size. Referring to the construction by the Germans of the Ottoman-Bagdad railway to link the Anatolian railway at Konia with Bagdad and the Persian Gulf, he said: "Once we have peace and the Germans are out of control of Turkey, this railway should be completed across the Taurus mountains on to Bagdad and thence to Basra at any rate, if not further on to Koweit. With the railway completed and a direct line of only some 450 miles in length from Bagdad through Amman to Beyrut, huge trade would be opened for the whole of this Mesopotamia district and through Basra to the Persian Gulf and the East. As regards the proposed irrigation works held up by war, there is no doubt that any money expended on them would be amply repaid, as in the case of the great works of the Nile Valley and the Chenab valley of India, and then the Mesopotamia district should become one of the largest and best granaries of the world."

## BURFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent)  
Miss Hess of Brantford, was a week-end visitor with Mrs. H. Stasch. Mr. R. Craddock of Brantford, spent over Sabbath with his sister, Mrs. H. Bull.  
Miss Luella Creighton, who is holidaying at home, spent a few days in Toronto last week.  
Mrs. Langtry of Toronto, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Clark.  
Mrs. Crawford of Brantford, spent a few days last week with Mrs. E. F. Park.  
Miss Luella Elvidge is visiting in Toronto.  
Mrs. Radford has been visiting at Cathcart.  
Mrs. Standish and children are visiting in Buffalo.  
Mr. R. C. Muir has been making considerable improvements to his place on Maple Avenue.  
Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were in the village last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Rutherford and Miss Vicie and Mr. and Mrs. John Rutherford, left this week to visit relatives in the North West.  
The Misses West, of Hamilton, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Percy Douglas.  
Mrs. E. Kelley and Miss Alice are visiting relatives at Bay City, Mich.  
Miss Corrigan of Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Jarvis, last week.  
Born—To Mr. and Mrs. L. Clark, 15th inst. a daughter.  
Mrs. T. E. Chilcott of Mt. Forest, is visiting Miss Chilcott.  
Misses Annabel and Queenie Cowan of Ottawa, are visitors at the home of Mrs. F. M. Lewis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elliott of Hamilton, visited last week with Mrs. Meredith.  
Mrs. Hamilton and children of Edmonton, are visiting Mrs. Eddy.  
Mrs. G. B. Corbitt, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kneale, returned last week to her home in Indiana.  
Miss Mabel Muir, from St. Catharines, is spending her holidays at the parental home here.

## KILLS HIS WIFE FOR PRAISING ENEMY.

Paris, July 29.—Because she persistently praised Germany, Andre Barbier, a Lyons engineer, slew his German wife with a revolver last month. A court-martial yesterday acquitted him on his statement that she daily ridiculed his patriotism and scoffed at the French army.

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## PTE. BELLAMY'S BODY FOUND FIVE MILES AWAY

Canal Guard's Disappearance Not Yet Accounted For—An Inquest Opened.

Welland, July 29.—The body of Pte. Leonard Bellamy of the Canal Guard, who disappeared while on duty on the west wall of the aqueduct Saturday night, was found floating in the canal at Port Robinson, five miles north of here, by the guard on duty at that post. The remains were brought to Welland and an inquest opened by Dr. Colbeck, coroner. After the jury viewed the remains, the inquest was adjourned until 9 o'clock Friday morning.  
Drs. Davis and Cowper performed a post-mortem yesterday, the results of which will be made known at Friday hearing. Poul play was suspected at the time of his disappearance and one arrest was made. The police and military authorities are endeavoring to solve the mystery.  
Private Bellamy was 28 years of age, and had a wife and two-month-old child residing in Niagara Falls. At the time of his disappearance they were visiting in Welland.

## LEFFLER FOUND GUILTY OF DYNAMITING PLANT

Also of Conspiring to Destroy Other Buildings—Confession Created Sensation.

Sandwich, July 29.—His usually pallid countenance almost wholly bloodless, and thick beads of moisture on his brow, William Leffler, confessed dynamiter, stood before County Judge Dromgole in the old Court House here at 10 o'clock last evening and heard the words which may send him to prison for life. Leffler was declared guilty on two counts, either one of which can put him behind stone walls and steel bars for the balance of his days. Sentence is to be pronounced to-day unless a reserve case is granted.  
The prisoner was found guilty of dynamiting the Peabody plant at Walkerville, and also of conspiring with Albert Katschmidt of Detroit and "one Schmidt" to destroy with dynamite other buildings in Windsor and Walkerville. The third charge, that of having dynamite in his possession, was quashed. The court withheld decision on a motion by counsel for the defence for a reserved case. It is expected an appeal will be taken to the High Court on the ground that the indictment against Leffler was defective.  
Following the announcement of the court's verdict, Mrs. Leffler, who had sat in the court room all day listening to the different witnesses, rushed over to the prisoner's box and clasped him in her arms.

## HIS OWN SENSATIONAL CONFESSION

Although fourteen witnesses in all testified, besides the confession made by Leffler to Provincial Officer James P. Smith on the night of his arrest was easily the sensation of the day.  
After reciting the story of his early meetings with Albert Katschmidt of Detroit, the document continues: "How did Katschmidt first approach you?"  
"Katschmidt said he had a little job he wanted me to help him out in, and he said he would give me \$200."  
"How did Katschmidt pay you any money?"  
"Katschmidt gave me \$25 on June 24 at his office in the Kresge Building in Detroit."  
OTHER SUIT CASE PUT IN ARMORY.

Leffler is then credited with saying that he had dealings with no other person besides Katschmidt, and Schmidt in connection with the dynamiting; that he heard the explosion as he was going from work the next morning, and that he saw the flash; that Schmidt, asked by Leffler at a later meeting what he had done with the other suit case, said he had put it in the armory and could not understand why it did not go off, and finally that he had bought the two suit cases at the direction of Katschmidt.  
The confession was witnessed by A. Nash, constable of the Ontario Police; A. Smith, also constable, and E. Morand, chief of police of Ford City.

## WIFE'S TESTIMONY SURPRISING

Mrs. Leffler, called to the witness stand immediately after the confession was read, offered testimony which afforded surprises. She declared that Katschmidt called at her home the day after the dynamiting explaining that her husband was in a "peculiar predicament," but assuring her that everything would be all right.  
"Mr. Katschmidt," testified Mrs. Leffler, "promised that he would do everything in his power to help my husband when the time came. However, the Monday after the arrest I talked with him over the telephone. He said: "I am going to get that man." "What man?" I asked. "Leffler," he replied.  
This conversation is alleged to have taken place after the Leffler confession had been removed.  
Mrs. Leffler told a straight, frank story throughout. Once or twice she came near a breakdown but managed to control her emotion.

## MR. PEABODY'S EVIDENCE

Among the more important witnesses for the Crown were H. B. Peabody, Secretary-Treasurer of the company, whose \$50,000 plant was dynamited, and who testified as to the nature and extent of the damage, which, he said, amounted to

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about \$1,000; Edwin Lloyd of Walkerville, who saw Leffler leaving Walkerville the morning of the explosion, and Provincial officers J. P. Smith and A. Nash, whose investigations resulted in the arrest of Leffler and the subsequent confession.  
Following the announcement of the verdict Leffler was taken back to his cell under close guard. To-day sentence will be imposed in case the court does not entertain the motion of Barrister T. M. Morton, counsel for the defence, for a reserved case.

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THE PROBS

Toronto, July 29—Showers have oc-curred in a few localities in the Western Provinces, elsewhere the weather has been fair and moderately warm.

Forecasts.

Fair to-day, showers in the south-west, rain to-night, Friday: Mod-erate winds, with showers in some localities.

LETTER FROM AN ENGLISH SOLDIER

The following interesting letter from an English Tommy to his uncle and aunt here, reflects his opinion of the fighting, the Dominion troops not excepted. All points of view are in-teresting, therefore quite fit for pub-lication and our readers will no doubt enjoy it.

Dear Uncle and Aunt—Just a line or more, to tell you if you don't al-ready know of poor Weedon's death. He died as far as I can understand while in the act of saving a comrade's life, who had set his bomb to explode in three seconds but alas, before he could throw it, he got a bullet through his leg, which made him fall to the ground. Weedon then, I am told, picked up this dangerous missile to throw into the German trench and so save his comrade's life. He was killed just as he was about to do so and blew the already wounded man to bits and seriously wounded my brother. It blew his mess-tin right into his stomach, which set up blood-poisoning. He was sent over to England and died in a temporary hospital at Eastbourne. They took the trench they were at-tacking and the General ordered that all their names should be mentioned in "Divisional Orders." My brother was given a military funeral, that was for his services. I got special leave to go and see him, but was too late to even see him buried, still my going home for five days comforted mother and Grandpa just as much as I could. Why? Well, the Canadians were, at Neuve-Chapelle in March, when the terrific battle raged, they put twice as many shells over in one day, to what they put over during the whole Boer war. On the battlefields of to-day there's not a blade of grass hardly allowed to grow, not a tree or shrub stands; it's absolute slaughter. That word is a good description of this war and yet in England, young men, etc., play cricket and tennis on green lawns over which a shell has never yet even passed. They ought to put a few of them out here for a day! That's enough.

You asked me to tell you something of the Canadians. Well, the more I hear about them, I hear they are a fine physical body of men, but they have very little discipline. I don't know if it is true. Yes, I saw the two Canadians with my own eyes nail-ed, head downward, to a barn door; it's quite true. The Huns will do worse things than that too. I shall be glad when it all over, for everyone's sake. Out here in France, three out of four women seem to be in mourning dress, for a lost one. Every family seems to have lost at least one. How I shall miss Weedon, when I get home. My best chum, only 19 years of age too. You can't imagine my grief. Still I shall try to be cheerful for mother's sake. We shall win in the end. We have some big guns coming up now and Kitchener's Army will come out soon. This war, I think, will end where it is now, and all of a sudden. Trusting all are in the pink of health, With affectionate love to all, Harold.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., council has been induced to reduce the jitney owner's bond of the city from \$10,000 to \$2,500.

A tank of acetylene gas blew up in a factory district of Long Island City and caused a war scare and big smoke.

A small cyclone struck a carnival tent in Toledo, buried 1,000 people, in-jured 13, and let loose a score of snakes.

A young German of Cleveland, was arrested for having a plan to blow up armor plants with bombs dropped from kites.

The cries of a bear in a crate on his wagon caused a horse to run away and scared a section of New York wo-men.

An eagle attacked a family of four in the woods of Atrix, Bedford Co., Va., but was killed by a boy of ten with a stick.

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To The Editor

BRANTFORD MUNICIPAL RAIL-WAY.

The Editor Courier: Sir—Public ownership is a suc-cess in Europe. Hitherto it has been substantially a failure in Amer-ica. Experts attribute the reason to a deficiency in social intelligence, and of social spirit. Our national pros-perity in commercial competition with other countries will, in future, depend considerably upon a wide and scientific extension of the principle of public ownership. Self-interest, and eventually it may be self-preservation, demands that we should develop the qualities experience shows we lack.

The policy pursued as to the Brant-ford Municipal Railway confirms the above inference. After many agita-tions as to the control of the purchase, The City Council have effected the same, but so far, it has contemptu-ously disregarded the essential dem-ocratic principle in the management of socially owned utilities.

The people have not been invited to ex-ercise control over their own prop-erty. The Street Railway Commis-sion is but one in name. It has no legal existence. The so-called commis-sioners are irresponsible to the peo-ple, being really employees of the City Council, and answerable to that body. If our City Council were com-posed of men of democratic ideas, the railway would, pending the possi-ble date, have been managed by a committee of its members, who, anyway, could claim they had some responsibility, having been elected to office by the people.

Before the people's justice has been con-sulted as to the control of their own railway, another false step is in con-templation by the City Council. The people were asked for permission to buy the railway, but, without their sanction, it is proposed to sell a con-siderable portion of the undertaking to a rival capitalist corporation. What would be said of an agent of a pri-vate corporation, who, having specifi-cally been given power to buy certain property for his principals, sold a part without consulting them? Every lawyer would agree it would be a somewhat hazardous adventure; that it might possibly have penal conse-quences. No doubt the City Council or special act, that executive power is vested in the council to sell, and deal in railroads. It does not follow, however, that possession of a legal right gives the people a right to be consulted by the people who elected them, by selling their prop-erty without their consent. The pow-ers they obtained from the Legisla-ture were granted to them as trustees of the people, and enable them to do what the people's rights.

The citizens of Brantford gave the City Council power to operate street railways, for social service. They do not wish it to be operated by a pri-vate corporation, but they do wish to see the property with the fitness and outlook of a horse-trader. The citizens do not wish to give back socially owned prop-erty to private ownership for the monopolistic profit of a wealthy cor-poration. On the contrary they want every possible yard of transportation in this county operated for the peo-ple's comfort, convenience and ad-vantage. The success of a trading centre depends largely upon the social ownership of the means of transportation. If we can grid-iron the territory radiating from Brantford with people's roads, the charges for transportation being as-certainable upon cost, the smaller the fares imposed the more the people will travel to the city; the more they travel the less the cost will be, and the more frequently they run the greater will be the traffic, and the consequent commercial business with this city arising therefrom. An ef-ficient, frequent, and cheap service of lines radiating from Brantford will make of this city a mercantile magnet for a great many miles around; even beyond the area served by competing mercantile points. To secure such a result should be the object of our City Fathers, and not the selling away of civic assets to pri-vate corporations.

It is to be hoped the people will wake up before it is too late; that they will step in and prevent the City Council selling their social rights for a mess of pottage.

George Keen.

GETS ONE YEAR

Toronto, July 29—John Brown, alias Slim Palmer, was yesterday sentenced to a year at the Guelph Prison Farm for stealing a Communion service belonging to the High Park Presbyterian Church. The robbery took place a month ago, when the accused entered the church by break-ing a fanlight.

Ontario Liquor License Act NOTICE

Take notice that an application has been made to the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario for per-mission to transfer the Tavern Lic-ense now held by J. J. Fitzpatrick, of Brantford, to John A. Hartman, of New Hamburg, and that at the ex-piration of eighteen days from the date of the publication of this notice, the said application will be consid-ered by the Board.

Any person objecting thereto should file a written notice thereof with the undersigned Inspector with-in one week from the date hereof, to-gether with the reasons therefor.

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KAISER ASKED THE POPE'S HELP

Between United States and Ger-many, but Holy See Declined.

Rome, July 29.—It was learned here yesterday that the Minister of Prus-sia accredited to the Holy See, who recently has been living in Switzer-land, has conveyed to Pope Benedict a proposal from the Kaiser suggesting that the Holy See offer to mediate between Germany and the United States and promising to abide by the Pope's decision if mediation should be accepted.

It is further reported that the Pope replied that he was unable to offer mediation because he resides in a bil-ligerent country where Germany's re-presentatives cannot come, and be-cause of condemnation of submarine warfare, he could not pass upon a matter involving its justification. The Pope informed the Kaiser that his ef-forts were devoted to shortening the war and lessening the horrors.

The Pope called attention to the fact that as the Holy See was neutral it could not assume the arduous task of settling controversies between the powers. He suggested, therefore, that the Kaiser submit the question to The Hague Tribunal.

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