

BRANTFORD LADS NEVER ONCE FLINCHED AT THE HAIL OF DEATH

"I Believe They Would Follow Me Anywhere Now," Writes Captain Colquhoun—Story of How "G" Platoon Led in the Attack.

The little graphic story of dauntless daring appended comes from the hand of Captain "Mac." The Germans had broken the line, the French troops were in retreat; at 1 o'clock in the morning, the chilly dawn of a European day, the Canadians received the order to stop that advance, and at 5 o'clock, after moving forward, to quote the letter, "I was ordered to lead our advance with my company. Over 1,000 yards of unbroken field, no cover, death hurdling through the air, in open order, "G" platoon spread out to the attack." Captain Colquhoun led the firing line, and Captain Collins of the 36th York Rangers the supports. Through death and inhuman circumstance, strewn the ground with their fallen, the Brantford lads went grimly on, and at 400 yards from the German trenches received the order to dig themselves in and await their supports. Under a heavy fire they entrenched themselves and held fast until 9 o'clock that night, and were then relieved by the West Kent Regiment. No food had crossed their lips for over 48 hours, and pitifully played out by their awful task, the remnant of the first company to leave this city retired in good order to their billets in the rear. Briefly, there is the first story of the local lads in action—a story that will never die: "Somewhere in France.

"We were in the thick of the fighting for two days and two nights. The Germans broke the line held by the French the very line we were going to take over. We received an order at 1 o'clock in the morning to stop the German advance. At 5 I was ordered to lead our advance with my company. The Germans had entrenched themselves only 1,000 yards in front, and we had to advance in open order, with no cover at all. I led the firing line, and Captain Collins of the 36th York Rangers, private secretary to Sir Henry Pellatt, Toronto, led the supports. We advanced to within 400 yards of the Germans, when I received orders to go no further until reinforcements arrived. I only had about one-half of my company by that time. We dug ourselves in the best we could under a very heavy fire, and held the line until 9 o'clock that night, when we were relieved by the East Kents. We had had nothing to eat all day and all night, and the boys were feeling pretty well played out.

"In the action our battalion was cut to pieces. As for myself, I came through it without a scratch. I had a man shot down on my right and on my left at the same time. All I can say is that it must be the prayers of you people at home that saved me.

"Where we went through it was almost impossible for a man to live. I believe two-thirds of my company were killed or wounded. I have not had time as yet to find out the exact number, as we are still at it. Lieut. Jones got buried by a 'Jack Johnson,' and it took three men to dig him out. He is all right now, however.

"I cannot speak too highly of the Brantford boys. I feel sure now that they would follow me anywhere. They have faced the hardest attack of the war, and not a man flinched. I just feel terrible over my losses, but I had no chance to save them—we just had to face that fire all day. It was as thick as hail, and the artillery fire was fearful. To put it in plain words, it was a perfect hell.

"I am afraid you are not receiving my mail. We lost our censor stamp. Colonel Bule had it, and it got lost in the fight. We can't send our mail without first stamping it.

"The people here have assumed quite a different opinion of the Canadians now. They want to have them in the fight all the time. We are classed now among the very best troops. "I was interrupted in writing this letter by receiving orders to be in readiness, as the Germans were making another attempt to break through. They are still using gas, and we met hundreds of men returning who were completely knocked out by it. We were there all night, but they did not succeed in breaking through. I did hope they would, as we were waiting for them. I am anxious for a chance to get square since I lost so many of my good men. I cannot speak too highly of the splendid discipline of all ranks of my company.

"I wish you would extend my sincere sympathy to all the bereaved ones at home, as I will not get time to write to them all. Tell them that I feel most highly honored in commanding such a brave lot of men. It nearly broke my heart to see so many of them go down."

RUSSIANS MAKE FURTHER ADVANCE IN SHAVLI REGION

Petrograd Issues Long Report Condemning Austrian Report as Untrue—Russians Taking Offensive at Some Points.

attaining on the 17th extreme intensity in many regions. In the region of Opatow we repulsed strong enemy columns which on the 17th retreated rapidly behind Iwaniska, pursued energetically by our troops. On the front of Tarnow-Brzegli-Rawadow, and also on the Lower San we continue to engage the enemy with success. In the sector of Jaroslau and Lezaysko the enemy succeeded in consolidating himself on the right bank of the San. South of Jaroslau we continue to hold both banks of the San. "The bombardment of Przemysl continues. In the sector between Przemysl and the great marsh of the Dniester we successfully repulsed fresh desperate attacks of the enemy (Continued on Page Four.)

Capt. Colquhoun's Casualty List

- CASUALTY LIST. The following is a list of the Brantford casualties: KILLED. Corp. W. Lofty. Pte. J. Keithley. Pte. C. Dudden. Pte. J. Hawke. Pte. H. Hoopes. Pte. F. Ellis. Pte. G. Howell. WOUNDED. Lieut. F. Miller. Sergt. E. H. Prior. Corp. J. H. Taylor. Lance-Corp. J. Dockray. Pte. R. Anthony. Pte. J. Bell. Pte. R. Cross. Pte. C. H. Dadswell. Pte. W. Babcock. Pte. H. Freeman. Pte. A. Fraser. Pte. A. Hamilton. Pte. B. Kayton. Pte. E. Hillburn. Pte. J. McLaren. Pte. M. Lavan. Pte. A. Nuttycombe. Pte. B. Wright. Pte. W. Taylor. Corp. H. Orr. Lance-Corp. W. Blacker. Lance-Corp. H. D. E. Coppin. Pte. A. Adams. Pte. C. Atkins. Pte. P. Baker. Pte. C. Brimmer. Pte. F. Burkhardt. Pte. E. Edwards. Pte. J. H. Laydon. Pte. J. Harrington. Pte. A. G. Holway. Pte. H. Houlding. Pte. A. C. Kinsella. Pte. C. Kerr. Pte. W. G. Laigue. Pte. E. Phipps. Pte. J. Larsen. Pte. R. Maxwell.

Capt. Mac's Letter to Courier

Captain "Mac" sends the Courier the following cutting on the Canadians. It is from the vile pen of Horatio Bottomley, the editor of "John Bull." Talking of the fighting spirit of the troops shown at Neuve Chapelle, he turns to the stand of the Canadians at the Yser: "But not so wonderful as that last achievement, when the Yser having been forced by the Germans, our left wing—composed of Canada's glorious sons—was left exposed to peril of annihilation. Reluctantly, sullenly, they were forced to retreat, leaving their cherished guns behind them. How the Hunns howled with joy! The news was flashed to the Kaiser's dinner-table that the Allies' line was broken: the Yser was crossed, and, above all, the Canadian contingent were in full retreat—except that portion of it which had been asphyxiated with the murderous chemical fumes concocted in the laboratories of the land of 'culture,' and now for the first time in the history of the world requisitioned as munitions of war. Poor Hunns! Poor Kaiser! How little they knew the boys of the bull-dog breed. Those guns are now back in our possession—most of the lost ground regained, and, inspired by the example of that handful of Dominion devils, the Allies have set their teeth and steps for the great forward movement, which surely as the sun will dawn to-morrow morning will ere long accomplish its objective—of hurling the hellish hosts of Prussia out of France, out of Flanders, and out of Belgium, and across the Rhine—whose fortresses, as I told the Clyde workers a few weeks ago will offer a futile resistance to the boom of British guns, and will soon crumble to the earth, as did the walls of ancient Jericho.

DEPRESSION IS CHECKED

Britain Has Confidence in Her Coalition Cabinet.

London, May 20.—The wave of depression which has been sweeping England for the past few days, following the receipt of war news regarding an unfavorable, was checked to-day by the definite announcement of the decision of the government to bring a coalition cabinet, together with better news from the eastern front. It is believed here that the Russian advance near Shavli in Courland, where the line of the forces of Emperor Nicholas have been straightened out, will do much to counteract the effect of the Austro-German advance in the vicinity of Przemysl, across the River San.

New Shell Plant Soon to Operate

Brantford's new shell making industry will soon be in full blast. Second and Sun have the contract for the addition to the Ker and Goodwin machine shop, Colborne street and they are pushing the work at top speed. Yesterday about half the machinery arrived via the T. H. and B. and its installation is now taking place. The balance will be here within a few days.

KAISER GOT WITHIN RANGE OF THE RUSSIAN ARTILLERY

Geneva, May 20.—The German Emperor and his staff had a narrow escape on Sunday while watching the operations in a village near the River San, in Galicia. According to a dispatch from Budapest, which reached here by indirect route, a heavy shell burst good yards away. It fell among some automobiles destroying several machines, including the emperor's, and killing his chauffeur. The emperor had left his car only 15 minutes before. As more Russian shells were falling in the neighborhood, the emperor and his staff left hastily in machines which they commandeered.

FIRST RESULTS OF COALITION A SCHEME FOR NATIONAL SERVICE

Important Railway Meeting

A joint meeting of the Railway committee of the City Council, Board of Trade and Street Railway commissioners took place yesterday in the City Hall, Mayor Spence presiding. Mr. Todd of the Preston, Galt and Hespeler Railway and newly appointed manager of the L. E. and N. was not present, being called to Montreal prior to the meeting. A lengthy discussion took place with regard to Mr. Todd's letter which was submitted to the City Council at their last regular meeting, and at length a resolution was adopted voicing the opinion of the meeting that it was desirable to accede to the request of the L. E. and N. Railway for the land and points required, providing they will pay the fair value of the line from Paris to Galt, at the time the city took the railway over plus the amount expended by the commission in improvements since the time. This was the gist of the resolution and it embodied the sentiments of those present admirably. Mr. Todd, it is understood will be in the city on Friday when it is probable that he will meet the commissioners. Among those present yesterday were: The Mayor, Ald. Bragg, Ryerson, Suddaby and Gress; H. F. Powell, President of the Board of Trade, and Glen Ellis, chairman of the transportation committee of the Board of Trade and Commissioners C. H. Hartman, Turnbull and Bunnell.

Reorganization of British Government Foreshadows Many Changes—Plan for Nationalization of Labor and Supplies Will be Put Forward.

A FORECAST London, May 20.—The Daily Telegraph regards the following appointments to the coalition ministry as almost certain. A. J. BALFOUR, first lord of the admiralty. BONAR LAW, chancellor of the exchequer. AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN, secretary for the colonies. WINSTON CHURCHILL, secretary for India. EARL KITCHENER AND DAVID LLOYD-GEORGE, secretaries for war, Lord Kitchener performing the military, and Lloyd-George the civil duties of the war office. London, May 20.—The cabinet crisis, according to the usually well informed parliamentary correspondent of The Daily News, was precipitated by Lord Kitchener's failure to keep the ministry informed regarding supplies of ammunition sent to the front. Huge supplies of shells had been sent but the proportion of shrapnel is reported to have been greater than that of high explosives, whereas the army required a preponderance of high explosives. THREATENED DEBATE Opposition leaders who were in possession of these facts, says the Daily News, threatened a debate in the House of Commons to prove their accuracy. Such a debate would have undermined gravely the authority of the government. Coupled with the admiralty quarrel and the resignation of Lord Fisher, the paper asserts, it probably would have meant the downfall of the government which would have been considered lamentable in the midst of war. The moment was seized, therefore, by representatives of both sides anxious for a coalition cabinet, and the government assented to this solution to avert a worse crisis. REDUCED CABINET The Morning Post says that the cabinet will be reduced in size, the reduction being effected by the exclusion of certain ministers whose offices only within recent years have carried cabinet rank, such as Secretary for Scotland, the presidents of the Board of Agriculture, and the Board of Education, the postmaster-general and other posts. The paper says these officers will cease to sit in the new coalition cabinet, which will be constituted for the sole end of carrying on the war.

ANOTHER PEST IS DISCOVERED

Serious Outbreak of American Tent Caterpillar—Are at Work.

This year there promises to be a very serious outbreak of the American tent caterpillar, whose nests, now filled with the tiny caterpillars, are seen in large numbers on both the orchard and wild fruit trees. Some forest tent caterpillar nests are also in evidence. These two pests, whose life history is much the same, pass the winter as egg-masses on the twigs. In the spring they hatch out and form a web around the branches, from which they emerge during the day and feed upon the foliage. As many as 30 nests have been found on a single tree. When at all numerous they completely defoliate the trees. This not only temporarily injures the tree and decreases the yield of fruit, but the tree usually leads out again, which causes the wood to be unbraced when winter sets in. The result is winter injury, which is often followed by canker. All fruit growers should make a special effort to combat these at once. Many are not spraying this year because they are doubtful as to apple prices. The use of much loss through the ravages of the tent caterpillar. TREATMENT. Act immediately by destroying the nests or by thoroughly spraying with kerosene arsenate, 2 to 4 lbs. per 40 gallons of water, depending on the size of the caterpillars. When over half grown they are much more difficult to control. Orchards sprayed for codling moth are seldom affected. If only a few nests are observed they may be destroyed by holding under the nests in the evening a burning torch made of old rags or asbestos fibre and soaked in kerosene. Further information may be had by writing Dept. of Agriculture, Paris, or send for Dominion Circular No. 1.

REPORTED TO-DAY THAT GERMANY HAD ASKED ITALY TO MEDIATE

Failure of all Proposals of Settlement Between Italy and Austria—It is Said That Von Buelow Sought for Peace With the Allies.

NEARING THE BRINK. Rome, May 20, 11.30 a.m.—Premier Salandra introduced a bill this afternoon in the chamber of deputies conferring on the Government extraordinary powers in case of war. A committee was named to give this project immediate consideration. Paris, May 20, 11.30 a.m.—The Gaulois to-day publishes a curious despatch under a Turin date, which makes mention of a very extraordinary alleged development in the Italian situation. This message declares that Prince Von Buelow, Baron Von Macchio, the German and the Austrian ambassadors at Rome, as a last request of the Italian Government, asked it to act as a mediator for peace between the central empires and the allies. The report has not been heard from any other source. MINIMUM DEMANDS. Rome, May 19, 10.15 p.m., via Paris, May 20.—The minimum demands made upon Austria in behalf of Italy by Foreign Minister Sonnino were: First—The cession of the entire province of Trent (part of the Austrian Tyrol), according to the frontier of the Kingdom of Italy in 1811; Second—Eastern Friuli, com-

Gen. Birdwood Commander-in-Chief, is Dead

London, May 20.—A British casualty list issued to-day included the names of 170 officers and 1,400 men. Nine hundred casualties in the Australian ranks on the Gallipoli peninsula are reported as well as naval losses of 150 in the same area. The list wounded is a mistake made of the General Sir William Birdwood, the commander in chief of the Australian forces in the Dardanelles. General Birdwood's military career began in 1833 when he was appointed lieutenant in the Royal Scots Fusiliers. He has seen service in South Africa and India, and several times has been mentioned in despatches for heroism. He was severely wounded in South Africa. From 1912 until the outbreak of hostilities, he was secretary to the government of India in the army department, and a member of the governor-general's legislative council.

GRANTED PARDON

Rome, May 19, 11.15 p.m., via Paris, May 20.—King Victor Emmanuel, it is asserted, has decided to grant a general pardon to all railway employees who were punished for the part they took in the strike of May, 1914. This action is said to be destined as another step to bring about a closer union of all parties in the country. Reports received from every university in Italy are to the effect that the students of each will volunteer in a body if war is declared. Despatches from Verona say that Italians whose homes are in Austria and Istria are pouring across the frontier by thousands every day because they are fearful of reprisals in the event of hostilities. The authorities at Genoa have been (Continued on Page 5)

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Social and Personal

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

Mr. Robert Winslow of Kingston, is visiting with West Street friends today.

Mr. Roy McPherson of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. Walter Boddy for a few days.

Lieut. Jack Genet has returned to the camp at Hamilton after a brief visit home.

The Tango Club has arranged to hold its first "at home" at the Conservatory of Music this evening.

Visiting in the city last night from the 36th Battalion were Color S. M. Bolt and Corporals Mercer and Stanley.

The Great Work Accomplished at Loretto Abbey

The following is taken from a Toronto paper with reference to "Loretto Abbey of which Miss Lucy Hawkins, formerly of Brantford, is a sister:

"Toronto is the home of many interesting and ancient and modern seats of learning but none is more historic more exclusive or more perfectly conducted than Loretto Abbey, one of the most prominent culture spots for girls in all the Dominion. The location Wellington Place, is, or rather was, ideal, but during the nearly half century which has passed into history since the present site was selected, the transformation in that part of the city has been so pronounced that the business and industrial section has almost enveloped the Abbey grounds, consequently the Sisters are seriously considering an early removal to a recently acquired property of one hundred and forty acres, away out on the confines of the city, remote from the whirl, the bustle and the din, and more in keeping with the quiet dignity which is so fitting an accompaniment to the spirit of this somewhat retiring institution. The young ladies who are fortunate enough to be in a position to attend for a few terms, are afforded many advantages which their less favorably situated sisters can scarcely expect to secure, as Loretto furnishes the very choicest instruction in every branch of education essential to the proper upbringing of its students. The Abbey is affiliated with Toronto University, St. Michael's Federated College.

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PRINCE IN TRENCHES.
London, May 20.—A rifleman in the Rifle Brigade, who has arrived at Lethworth after being injured in France, states that the Prince of Wales, just before his recent visit to England, paid a visit with the Staff to "Mudlark Alley" a name given by the Rifle Brigade to one of their splinter-proof shelters. The Prince examined the breastworks and spoke to several of the men. For an hour he was exposed to shell fire.

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Sir Rodmond Roblin, ex-Premier of Manitoba, stated that there was no understanding with Premier Norris to stay Manitoba Royal Commission investigation.

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On Tuesday the Brant Deanery Chapter and Missionary Conference was held at St. James Church, Paris. It was largely attended by Anglican, laity throughout the county. In the morning at 10, the Rev. Canon D. T. Owen of Hamilton gave a devotional address and at 11:00 the Rev. C. E. Jenkins of Brantford read a paper on "The Apostolic Conception of the Church's Missions" It was a worthy, thoughtful and reasoned resume on missionary life and effort and creditable to the degree.

The afternoon was partly occupied by a discussion on "Missionary Work in the Parish." Rev. R. J. Seton Adamson discussing its educational side, while the Rev. H. C. Light of St. Pauls showed an unusual practical grasp of affairs in dealing with the financial. A prominent layman, Mr. David M. Rose of Toronto read a paper on "Our Missionary Organizations," and reflected very favorably beside his clerical brother, an expression of thoughtful and conscious endeavor towards evangelisation.

In the evening a Missionary banquet for all attending, took place, and two eloquent addresses were delivered by the Rev. C. H. Sherr, M.A. of Takata, Japan, which was filled with interesting reminiscences of life in the Orient and Mr. David M. Rose, the Secretary of the Anglican Laymen's Movement. The gathering was attended by upwards of sixty people.

The evening closed in a public missionary movement, at which over one hundred people were present and many speakers gave their views on the line of church work. Attending the conference were: Rural Dean Saunders, B.A., and Rev. C. H. Light, the Secretary, both of Brantford.

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Turkish Soldiers Fought Bravely

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, May 20.—Tribute to the fighting ability of the Turks in the three days battle of Achi Baba from May 6 to 8 is paid by the British press representative with the allied forces in the Dardanelles.
"The Turkish soldiers, he says, fought bravely and with determination. The handling of their artillery was masterly. The Turks dug endless trenches which were located only with extreme difficulty while their machine guns were concealed with their skill in such a prominent feature of German warfare. Nothing could be more remarkable than the manner in which the Turks succeeded in concealing themselves. They were experts in digging themselves in and never disclosing their position by any movement above ground. Their trenches are beautifully made, eight feet deep and extremely narrow, thus enabling them to escape the most intense fire from the warships."

ALLIES HAD GAINED.
"It was a battle of the old-fashioned type, where the commanders could direct the movements of their troops by telephone on the basis of what they could watch going on under their eyes. The objective was to reach the heights of Achi Baba. This mountain has a peculiar and forbidding aspect. It closely resembles an old Chinese stool, with a great, round, stupid-looking head, two stout, thick-set shoulders, and two long arms stretching out on either side to the sea. From the hill above the beach a perfect view is obtained of the entire battlefield."

"All the trenches occupied by the allied troops in the firing line, the long lines of supports and the closer formations of reserves were visible. Spectators could watch our every movement on the chess board of war, nor a Turkish gun, nor Turkish trench was visible. Only the allied forces, the English on the left, the French on the right, the British colonial and territorial and the French foreign legion in reserve, were to be seen. Time and again long waves of French colonial swept forward, but no sooner did they leave the shelter of their trenches than the Turks had been lying absolutely quiet opened up a tremendous fire from concealed trenches."

FURIOUS SHELL FIRE.
"Each day's attacks were preceded by furious shell fire from the warships, but the Turks could not be shaken and our infantry advanced only such an iron ball that the line wavered and then broke. The fire which the Turks developed was undesirable and it was impossible to locate their batteries."

"Describing the third day's fighting he corresponded adds:
"At 5:15 o'clock in the afternoon there suddenly opened from every ship aloft and battering shore the most stupendous bombardment ever witnessed. Fifteen-inch and twelve-inch shells charged with lyddite caused the most terrible explosions, apparently consuming entire hills. Small-caliber shells both lyddite and shrapnel rained every yard of the slopes and sprayed the country between Achi Baba and our trenches; the noise was frightful the hills echoing the detonations of thousands of projectiles. The whole region did not have the appearance of being shelled, but it seemed rather as if it had suddenly been set afire. It was covered with a solid bank of yellow, green and white smoke, whence numberless vol-

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OVER ONE HUNDRED.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Halifax, N. S., May 20.—Wesley Bent, one hundred years old, was killed by a Dominion Atlantic train at Port William yesterday. Mr. Bent was walking on the track when he was struck.

AGAIN IN SESSION.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Winnipeg, Man., May 20.—The Royal commission on the parliament buildings is in session again this morning. One of the first matters to be discussed is the obligation of Thomas Kelly and Sons, the contractors to produce documents on order of the commission. Counsel for contractors have already taken the position that the powers of the commission do not enable it to inquire into prices paid by Kelly and Sons for material used on the Parliament Buildings.

Counsel for the Liberals say they will press forward the charges as though there had been no resignation of the Roblin Government.
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canoos burst into eruption. The bombardment lasted a quarter hour.
NOT A TURK VISIBLE.
Describing the scene of the battle, the correspondent writes:
"According to all preconceived notions, the enemy should have been wiped out and incapable of resisting an infantry advance. Not a single Turk was visible their artillery had not fired a round. Suddenly the guns ceased fire and as one man the entire line of infantry leaped forward to the assault of Krithia."

BRILLIANT COLONIAL CHARGE.
"In spite of all this artillery preparation, however, the enemy was waiting and ready. No sooner had our men emerged from cover than a storm of rifle and machine gun fire was opened on them. But our troops never hesitated. The New Zealanders and Australians particularly charged with bayonets straight into the Turkish line. The manner with which the minor troops went forward never will be forgotten by witnesses who saw them melt away under the dreadful fusillade only to be renewed again as reserves and supports moved forward to replace the fallen."

"At length a point was reached from which no further advance was possible and each man lay down and held his ground. It became obvious that the attack had spent its force, that a few hundred yards had been won and the hope of taking Krithia by direct assault had to be abandoned."

Everywhere the allies had gained some ground, but the main object of their attack was not achieved.

Financial Statement

Of the Proceeds of Knights of Columbus Patriotic Entertainment.

Financial statement of patriotic entertainment given in aid of Knights of Columbus Belgian relief fund. Wednesday, April 28, 1915, under auspices of Brantford Council No 1679 Knights of Columbus:
RECEIPTS.
Gross receipts from sale of tickets \$235.50
Contributions to the fund 22.00
Net receipts from advertising in concert program 43.00
Total receipts \$300.50
EXPENSES.
Advertising \$ 21.22
Expenses of entertainment, including rent of Opera House, payment to lecturer, rent of hall and piano for concert practices, and sundry items of expense incurred by executive committee 111.33
Sundry items, representing flowers, gratuities, secretary's expenses, etc. 30.09
Total expenses \$162.64
Total net receipts \$137.96
Represented by—
Amount already donated to local Belgian Relief Fund \$ 25.00
Amount donated to K. of C. Belgian Relief Fund \$112.96
\$137.96

Those who so kindly contributed to the fund are as follows: Very Rev Dean Brady, \$5; J. H. Fisher, M. P., \$5; W. F. Cocksbutt, M. P., \$5; Rev. Father Padden, \$2; Rev. Father Cassidy, \$2; Mayor J. H. Spence, \$2; Miss Pyne, \$1. Total \$22.
The committee feels that special reference should be made to Miss Nolan who so generously gave her services without remuneration.

DEEP SENSE OF HORROR
By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 20.—Sir Ernest Cassel in a letter to The Daily Chronicle, says:
"As many other British subjects of German extraction have given public expression of their feelings, my silence might be misunderstood. Nearly half a century of my life has been spent in England and all my interests—family, business and social—are centred here. All my male relations of military age are serving with the King's forces. My unflinching loyalty and devotion to this country have never varied or been questioned and, while affirming this, I desire to express my deep sense of horror at the manner in which the war is being conducted by the German Government."

Strength comes from well digested and thoroughly assimilated food. Hood's Sarsaparilla cleanses the system, and thus builds up the strength. If you are getting a deep sense of horror at the manner in which the war is being conducted by the German Government, it gives nerve, mental and digestive strength.
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Conscription in Old Land May Yet be Necessary

London, May 20.—Replying to a demand from several members that compulsory military service should be adopted, Harold J. Tennant, under secretary of state for war, said in the House of Commons last evening that the British Government was fully alive to the necessity of mobilizing all resources for the successful conduct of the war.
There were a number of persons, he added who did not realize the gravity of the situation, but the House should weigh well all considerations before it made any attempt to embark on a system of compulsory service. It would only be with reluctance that the Government would embark on such a policy.
The Government, however, Mr. Tennant said in conclusion, realized that such a step might become necessary. He appealed to the House not to press him to say more than that.
EXTEND AGE TO 40.
London, May 20.—An official bulletin issued by the press bureau last night says:
"The Secretary for War announces that new recruits will be accepted up to the age of 40."

Anton Kuepferle Committed Suicide

By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 20.—10:14 a.m.—Anton Kuepferle, who claimed to be an American citizen and who has been on trial charged with giving military information to the enemies of Great Britain, committed suicide last night in Brixton prison. He is reported to have hanged himself.
The trial of Anton Kuepferle began Tuesday at the Old Bailey police court before Lord Chief Justice Reading and Justice Aveyer and Layton. The proceedings were public and the court room was crowded. The charge against prisoner was that he attempted to communicate to Germany information respecting British warships and military forces. The prosecution was conducted by the attorney-general. Kuepferle pleaded not guilty. The prosecution contended that while he claimed to be a naturalized American citizen, he was in reality a German.
Kuepferle was charged with writing a letter to an address in a neutral country in Europe, giving valuable facts regarding British military dispositions. It was asserted that while the letter appeared on its face to be an innocent commercial communication, it was found interlined in invisible ink with military information written in the German language.
Kuepferle left a message written on February 14. He showed a passport signed by Secretary of State William J. Bryan, issued ten days prior to his sailing from New York. In writing the letter which resulted in his arrest, he gave his home address as 165 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn. He represented himself to be a woolen merchant. From Liverpool he went to Dublin and then to London, where he was arrested on February 15.
Kuepferle left a message written on a slate bearing testimony to the fairness of his trial. He confessed he was a soldier, and declared he could not bear to mount the scaffold as a spy.

FRENCH TROOPS IN ACTION
Paris, May 20.—French troops have been landed at Seddul Bahr, at the southern tip of the Gallipoli peninsula, and on the European side of the Dardanelles, and are now fighting around the Turkish positions at Krithia, according to a despatch received by the Greek newspaper Messenger from Athens.
The French troops are being supported by the French fleet, which is stationed in the bay.
The British forces which departed at Gaba Tepe are directing their action towards Krithia with the object of surrounding the Turks. The attack continues. The battle front at the latter point is three and one half miles in width.

SUSPEND SERVICES.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
London, May 20.—Swedish steamship companies whose boats ply between Stockholm, Norrkoping, London and Hull have decided to suspend their services owing to the constant interruption to traffic caused by German warships in the Baltic Sea, which have resulted in the serious delays and made trade impracticable.

EXPRESSED HOPE.
By Special Wire to the Courier.
Tokio, May 20.—Emperor Yoshihito, who formerly opened the diet to-day in the presence of the Princes and ambassadors, expressed the hope that deliberations would be conducted in a spirit of harmony that would assist in bringing about the passage of the needed laws. There are indications that some opposition will develop to the Government's Chinese policy.

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Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within five miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.
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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$50 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivating 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.
The area of cultivation is subject to re-judge. A crop of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.
W. W. CORY, C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—G.L.R.

THE COURIER

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THE SITUATION.

It has been the endeavor in these daily comments upon the war, to point out that after a series of quite notable successes upon the part of the Russian troops, the prospects for them had taken a sudden and a marked reversal. The present daily record shows this to be the case.

ders were well supplemented by the good corn supply. The early grass has been helping out the hay nicely.

Correspondents making returns regarding fruit conditions up to the 15th of May, report prospects as generally favorable. Peaches, cherries and plums had been in generous blossom, and in most instances had set safely, while apples and pears were coming into bloom, although not so profusely.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC. The seventh annual report of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for the year ending with October 31st, 1914, is to hand.

ous year to eliminate defective insulators from the line. During the past year all the insulators on the entire system have been twice subjected to this "test" and the defective units immediately replaced.

During the year thirty-three different electrical storms were reported over the system; of these ten were severe and the balance moderate.

This year, as in preceding years, Cooksville and St. Mary's appear to be the vicinities in which the electrical storms are more prevalent and severe than on other parts of the Commission's system.

The amount of business that there is in the rural districts, by reason of the fact that the farms are large in a good many sections, makes it necessary for the Commission to proceed with caution.

The advantages of electric power over that which is at present in use—steam, gasoline, windmill and sweep power, are quite apparent to the farmer in most districts, but the question with him is how he can apply the power so as to receive full value for the money expended per year for service and power.

The development of this class of business must necessarily be allied with the development of the system for serving other municipalities in the district. As service cannot be taken direct from the high-tension or low-tension lines which are run through

the country, it must be taken from a step-down station at which a voltage that is suitable for use for rural distribution is available.

The uses of electricity in rural sections may be classified as follows: Service to the farm for lighting, power and cooking, including power for threshing and silo-filling.

Service to rural plants which use power, such as brick-yards, tile-yards, saw mills, cheese factories, butter factories, pumps for reclamation and irrigation, chopping mills, flour mills, beet sugar factories, sand and gravel plants, railway pumping stations, quarries, institutional schools and farms.

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LOCAL

CHARGEABLE TO THE Mr. W. W. Dunlop, Prisons and Public Charities, notified the city that they are unable with the maintenance patients at present in Asylum.

SWEETS FOR 'SWEET The Courier acknowledged receipt of a box of Spearmint bars of chocolate, confectionery, the sweet tooth in the Company. Thanks is due resident at 32 Wellington the gift.

GOOD MAN THIS. An acknowledgment is contribution from Mr. Chas. Pleasant to the Seaside Fund. It consisted in a plug, chewing and small likely to be much enjoyed his lum reek.

SOMETHING FOR FAN A new and very amusing been set up in the Y. M. is the game of baseball played by several employ Brant, after working hour Y. M. men got wise and large boards. These were constantly last evening.

BUILDING PERMITS. Among the building per from the City Engineer the following: Edward Se on Marlborough street, S Church, frame; Verdule duce on Terrace Hill Sta tur Coulbeck, frame gara St., \$75.

SIDEWALKS LITTERED The sidewalks on the Darling street present a unsafe passage owing to building operations, bel around on their surface. tants on the boulevard b complain of being tripped way to and from the city.

MAYOR INVITED. W. D. Lighthall, hono tary-treasurer of the Union Municipalities, not Spence that the president has called a meeting of 1 and other members for T 25 at 10 a.m. to take place au Laurier, Ottawa. The as many Mayors as poss quested.

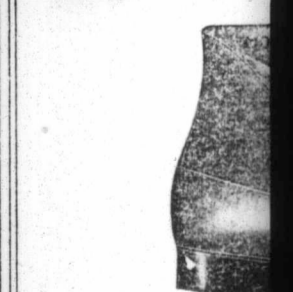
THE BRANTS LINE-UP The line-up of the Bra game at the Agricultural with the Cockneys will be the same as it was yea Higgins as the probable ch Green. The team will th Green, I. F. Deneau, I. B Mullin, J. B. Barrill, H. F. Friant, J. B. Lacroix, C. H. Worford, P. Cresswell, J. Warner, P. London will p lowing team—Myers, J. Whitcraft, S. Lamy, C. Ecks, H. J. Morgan, P. J. Evan, P. Hock, P. Hammond, P.



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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

CHARGEABLE TO THE CITY.

Mr. W. W. Dunlop, inspector of Prisons and Public Charities has notified the city that they are chargeable with the maintenance of two patients at present in the Toronto Asylum.

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A new and very amusing game has been set up in the Y. M. C. A. This is the game of baseball. It was first played by several employees of the Brant after working hours. Then the Y. M. men got wise and made two good boards. These were being used constantly last evening.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Among the building permits issued from the City Engineer's office are the following: Edward Sears, cottage on Marlborough street; Oscar Church, frame verandah at his residence on Terrace Hill Street; West Arthur Coubeck, frame garage on West St. 875.

SIDEWALKS LITTERED.

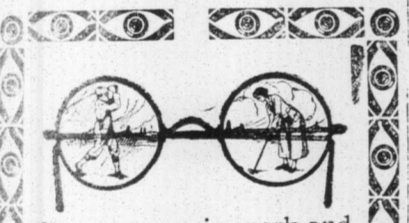
The sidewalks on the west side of Darling street present a somewhat unsightly appearance owing to debris from building operations being littered around on their surface. The inhabitants on the boulevard below Alfred complain of being tripped up on the way to and from the city.

MAYOR INVITED.

W. D. Lighthall, honorary secretary-treasurer of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, notifies Mayor Higgins that the president of the union has called a meeting of the executive and other members for Tuesday, May 25 at 10 a.m. to take place in the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa. The presence of many Mayors as possible is requested.

THE BRANTS LINE-UP.

The line-up of the Brants for the game at the Agricultural Park to-day with the Cochenys will be precisely the same as it was yesterday with Higgins as the probable choice for the heaving. The team will therefore be: Green, H.; Bennett, M.; Dunlop, M.; Mullin, B.; Barrill, R.; Brooks, C.; Fried, D.; Lacroix, C.; Higgins, P.; Worley, P.; Cresswell, P.; Nickel, P.; Warner, P. London will play the following team: Myers, B.; Hess, B.; Whitcraft, S.; Lamy, C.; Reddy, R.; Eisenstein, H.; Vogt, B.; Bowden, C.; Mangan, P.; Evan, P.; LaBette, P.; Hank, P.; Hammond, P.



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Obituary

MAJOR A. WILLIAMSON The death took place at his late residence, Scotland, on Tuesday morning, of Major Williamson, 47th Regiment Haldimand Rifles, only son of the late Andrew Williamson, formerly of the 71st Highland Light Infantry.

Major Williamson, who for the past 12 years was Governor of the Haldimand County Jail, was in his usual health up until Monday of last week, when he was suddenly stricken with inflammation of the brain. For several days his condition was very hopeful until Thursday evening when the disease took an acute form, becoming unconscious and in spite of the best medical skill and attention and care of his entire family, including his sister, Mrs. Emerson Peart, Ononda, he remained in that condition until he passed peacefully away as above stated.

The deceased is survived by three sons and four daughters as follows: Mrs. Wm. Dobie, Toronto, Mrs. Martin Birk, Toronto, Miss Bessie Williamson, Toronto and Miss Kathleen Williamson, who has occupied the position as matron since the death of Mrs. Williamson, which occurred in January, 1912. George H. Williamson, Secretary Y.M.C.A. F. William, Laurier T. Williamson, Brantford, Arthur S. Williamson, Toronto.

Major Williamson had four other sons, who predeceased him. Andrew, Robert, Thomas and Frederick, the latter two having died in infancy. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Bell, Ashley, Pa. and Mrs. Emerson Peart, Major Williamson was born in the City of Montreal, March 6th, 1840, after the arrival of his parents from Scotland, his father was in the regular army, being a member of the 71st Highland Light Infantry.

His mother's maiden name was Margaret Turnbull, sister of the late Andrew and Alexander Turnbull, early settlers in Haldimand County. When only five years of age, the deceased came with his parents to reside in the village of York where he spent 58 years of his life prior to his appointment to the position of Governor of Haldimand County Jail, which position he has occupied since September, 1903. He held many positions of trust and honor during his long residence in the county, being 38 years clerk of the Township of Seneca. During the last 15 years of his service he also held the position as Treasurer, also a Justice of the Peace, and for many years a Licence Commissioner of the county. For the past 34 years he has been an outstanding figure in the Militia of Canada, being at the time of his death the oldest officer in the Volunteer Militia in Canada. He was veteran of Fenian Raid of 1866-1870, being in action at Ridgeway and also at the Battle of Ridgeway. He was Fenian prisoner to Toronto jail. Besides holding a medal with two clasps for his services in the Fenian Raid, he held the long service decoration. In religion he was a faithful and consistent member of the Methodist Church and also for 37 years prior to his residence in Cayuga, superintendent of the York Methodist Sunday School, also a member of the Quarter-ly Official Board. He always took an active part in all movements relating to good citizenship and his zeal in the cause of temperance is well known throughout the district. The late Major's religion was of the simple, unadorned type and his fine quality of character made him generally popular and beloved. He was an ideal citizen, a faithful public servant and a loving and devoted father and friend. These with his wide circle of relatives and acquaintances will ever cherish his memory.

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Boys' Brigade Being Formed

A new movement has been organized among the boys of Grace Church, which is affiliated to the church and under its direction. This is the Church Boys' Brigade, and the organization is the exact replica of the many battalions in the Motherland. There are about 60,000 boys enrolled in the various brigades over there, and the movement is such a splendid one that the new members of the church officers are quickly seeing the advantages of such a training for the young boys and are adopting the movement. At present the headquarters are in Montreal, and the Grace Church brigade is the only company in the Huron diocese. But the movement is only in its infancy, and although one company has already been formed at Grace Church, it is hoped that other members will soon grow so large that a battalion of four companies may be formed. The boys all have fine uniforms and make a smart, intelligent-looking company. They had charge of the boys until he was forced to leave with the third contingent. Since then Rev. Patterson-Smyth has taken command, with the capable assistance of several Dufferin and ridgeway members, and a place and uniform is always waiting for any who desire to enter the splendid movement. The boys are kept constantly in touch with the church and all the members will soon grow so large that a battalion of four companies may be formed.

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Laid at Rest

THE LATE MRS. BERRY. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. B. Berry, beloved wife of Thomas Berry, from the family residence, 149 Chestnut avenue, Mount Hope cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. M. Kelly assisted by Rev. J. W. Gordon. The pallbearers were five sons of the deceased, namely, William, Hartley, John and Alfred, and William Lewis, son-in-law. The floral tributes were numerous testifying to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

LATE DANIEL SHANAHAN.

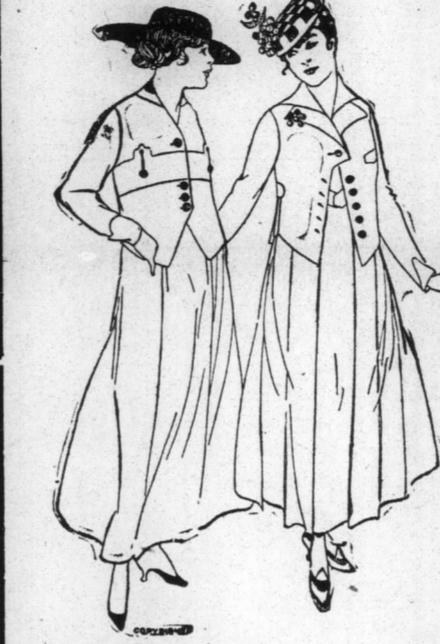
The funeral of the late Daniel Shanahan took place Wednesday morning from his late residence, 124 West street, to St. Basil's church, when High Mass was sung by the Very Rev. Dean Brady, who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were: J. Gilmartin, John Furness, V. O'Connell, H. Hutton, D. J. Dowling and Basil Hawkins. The floral tributes were as follows: Sprays: Mr. and Mrs. Simon James, Mr. and Mrs. John Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Doherty and daughter, Mrs. J. Doherty and family, Mrs. John Pentland and daughter, Miss L. Crocock, Wm. and R. T. Sloan, Mr. John Furness, Mr. Henry Crocock, Mr. Billy White, Masters Norman, Willard and Katherine Shanahan, Miss Cardsy, Miss Ella Shanahan, Mr. Frank Martin (Hamilton), Mr. V. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. P. Shanahan and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. P. Crocock Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Casey, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, Miss Anna Savage, Mr. and Mrs. C. Albright, Misses B. and I. Casey, Fourth Room St. Basil's School, Mr. and Mrs. T. Slattery, Mr. and Mrs. George Hutton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clawsey, Mr. and Mrs. John Shanahan, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKeough.

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SPORT

Baseball—Football—Basketball—Bowling—Hockey—Curling—Boxing and Wrestling.

BRANTS LOSE OPENING GAME AT LONDON YESTERDAY 5-4

They Put Up a Splendid Exhibition of Ball and Show Real Fighting Spirit—Green Played a Great Game in the Sunfield—Deneau Signs Joe Dunn, Former Berlin and Erie Catcher and Outfielder, Let Go by Reising.

(By a Staff Reporter.)
 London, May 19.—But for one inning in which the London Canadian League Club mused up several chances to pull of some lightning double-plays on the Brantford club, the 1915 season was opened in grand style before 2,000 fans, who saw the locals take the first game of the year by a score of 5 to 4. The brand of ball dished up by both teams was of high order, with the exception of the 8th inning when Brantford tallied three runs on two hits, one of which should have been an easy out.

The fighting spirit of the Brants was noticeable as they made the best of every opportunity, as they were unable to bunch many hits off Hammond who was in the box for London. Warner on the other hand was nipped at opportune moments, as each time a local batsman secured a bingle he was closely followed by another and all the runs London scored came on timely swats.

Brantford's infield did not get the opportunity to display its true form, but handled what little was called on them in fine style, the only slip being an overthrow of first base by Mike Mullin. Brantford has a trio of grand outfielders in Green, Brooks and Burrell, the former played a remarkable game in the sunfield, accepting three hard chances, having to go back and get long hard drives, and all but captured a hump-backed liner which Dunlop should have taken care of. Green turned what looked like a hand-spring trying to spear the ball, but hardly got near enough to hold it for a third put out which would have stopped Hess from tallying from second, with the run which in reality won the game.

Manager Deneau signed up Outfielder Joe Dunn, who was released by the local club and his first duties in behalf of the Brants to-day was collect tickets.

Bob Green, secured the first hit of the game in his first time to bat, opening hostilities and quicker than a flash he waited for a timely swat to bring him home, after Deneau had sacrificed him down. This was accomplished so neatly after Mayor Stevenson hurled the first Spaulding to Father McKeon, with F. Harry Fowler, B. A., behind the bat. Dunlop and Mullin, however, went out to the infield and hits were scarce for the visitors until Mullin singled through the infield to Lamy after two were out in the fourth inning.

Mike Mullin started the run getting for the Brants when he was hit by a pitched ball to open the seventh inning. Burrell doubled to centerfield, but Mullin was held at third base, but a moment later tallied when Brooks lifted a long fly to Lamy, who threw Burrell out going to third. This double-play cut the Brants off by one run as Fried singled a moment later.

The Brants got the break and considerable heart-throbbing was experienced by the home guard in the terrible eighth inning which netted the visitors three runs, all of the gift variety.

Warner, like Hammond, started the three run inning with a hit, it being to center field, a counterpart to the one which his box opponent secured. Green sent slow roller to Myers, who forced Warner on a throw to Whitcraft at second. Deneau grounded to Whitcraft, who threw wide to Myers, trying to get Green. With two men on and one out, Dunlop singled, scoring Green Deneau scored when Whit-

GUELPH FANS LIKE KNOTTY LEE'S TEAM

Royal City Returns to the Canadian League—Opening Game a Victory.

Guelph, May 20.—Guelph celebrated the return of the Canadian League to this city in great style yesterday. There were fully two thousand present at the opening game of the season, when Lee's Leafs won handsily from the Ottawa Senators by a score of four to nothing. Guelph fans were well pleased with the showing the team made. If appearances count for anything, the Leafs this year are the best aggregation that has ever represented this city in Canadian League. Kirley pitched better ball than Peterson, and was air-tight in pinches. Score by innings:—
 Guelph 003 010 00x—4
 Ottawa 000 000 000—0
 Summary—Errors—Kohl, Two; base hits—O'Brien, Stolen bases—Isaac. Bases on Lalls—Off Peterson, 2, off Kirley 3. Struck out—By Peterson 5, by Kirley 7. Left on bases—Guelph 6, Ottawa 3. Wild pitch—Peterson. Passed ball—Harkins. Time of game—1.45. Umpire—Bedford.

Crystall's Team Looks Good in Opening Game

St. Thomas, May 20.—Although the weather was cold, the Canadian League season opened here yesterday with a large parade and due ceremony at the grounds. Hamilton presented an excellent line-up against the locals and securing the breaks of the game, won by a 4 to 1 score. Dougherty and Hughey pitched excellent games. The score by innings:—
 St. Thomas 000 000 010—1
 Hamilton 100 010 020—4
 Summary—Errors—Bierbauer, Forgue. Left on bases—Hamilton 3, St. Thomas 7. Two-base hits—Woods, Forgue, Ort. Three-base hit—Dougherty. Stolen bases—Kavanaugh. Struck out—By Dougherty 3, Hughey 5. Bases on balls—Off Dougherty 2, Hughey 2. Passed balls—Harris 2. Wild pitches—Dougherty. Sacrifice fly—McGroarty. Time of game—1.55. Umpire—Halligan. Attendance—1,500.

The veteran Jack Coombs won his third straight victory and scored his second consecutive shut out of the season yesterday when he blanked Cincinnati 2 to 0.

BASEBALL RECORD

CANADIAN LEAGUE			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Guelph	1	0	1000
Hamilton	1	0	1000
London	1	0	1000
Brantford	0	1	0000
Ottawa	0	1	0000
St. Thomas	0	1	0000

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Guelph 4, Ottawa 0.			
London 5, Brantford 4.			
Hamilton 4, St. Thomas 1.			

TO-DAY'S GAMES			
Hamilton at St. Thomas, London at Brantford, Ottawa at Guelph.			

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Providence	11	6	.647
Richmond	11	6	.647
Montreal	10	7	.588
Rochester	8	8	.500
Buffalo	6	6	.500
Jersey City	7	8	.467
Newark	5	7	.417
Toronto	3	13	.187

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Richmond 8, Toronto 4.			
Rochester 9, Jersey City 8.			
Buffalo 9, Providence 5.			
Newark 6, Montreal 0.			

TO-DAY'S GAMES			
Providence at Toronto; Newark at Rochester; Jersey City at Buffalo; Richmond at Montreal.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
New York	16	9	.640
Detroit	19	11	.633
Chicago	19	12	.613
Boston	13	10	.565
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	12	16	.429
St. Louis	10	19	.345
Philadelphia	9	19	.321

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Chicago 9, Philadelphia 7.			
Detroit 3, New York 1.			
Cleveland 5, Boston 2.			
Washington at St. Louis, cold weather.			

TO-DAY'S GAMES			
New York at St. Louis, Washington at Cleveland, Philadelphia at Detroit, Boston at Chicago.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Philadelphia	17	10	.630
Chicago	16	12	.571
Boston	14	12	.538
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
Pittsburg	14	15	.483
St. Louis	14	17	.452
New York	11	15	.423
Cincinnati	11	16	.407

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
New York 5, Chicago 1.			
Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 0.			
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 0.			
Pittsburg 2, Boston 0.			

TO-DAY'S GAMES			
Pittsburg at New York, St. Louis at Brooklyn, Chicago at Boston, Cincinnati at Philadelphia.			

FEDERAL LEAGUE			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Pittsburg	19	12	.613
Newark	18	12	.600
Chicago	17	13	.567
Kansas City	15	13	.536
Brooklyn	15	14	.519
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	12	18	.400
Buffalo	8	21	.276

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Newark 7, Pittsburg 3.			
All other games postponed.			

TO-DAY'S GAMES			
Brooklyn at Chicago, Buffalo at St. Louis, Baltimore at Pittsburg.			

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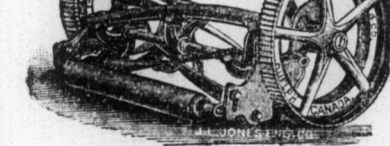
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Departed Comrades Honored; Capt. "Mac." Toasted; Good Musical Program of Varied Versatile Parts.

'A' Company met last night in the Men's Mess at the armouries with much of their old time jollity and good comradeship. Absent faces there were and well beloved, but the wife of one who will never be forgotten in the annals of 'A,' Mrs. Colquhoun, as she appeared for a minute at the entrance, got three ringing cheers and a tiger. A tribute that was touching, real and kind.

Present from the regimental staff and seated at the officers' table were Col. H. Genet, Major Ballachee, Adj. M. Cutcliffe, Capt. Watt, Major Brooks (2nd Dragons) Lt. Emmons, Acting Captain Roy Secord and Lieut. F. C. Thomas. From the Sergeants' Mess of the Regiment, Sergt. Major Muir, Staff Sergt. Allan. From the 36th Battalion, Hamilton, came a popular ex-colors, Color Sergt. W. Bolt and Pte. E. Ray ("Pompey") Corporal Mercer and Corporal Stanley. Mine Host Crumback's food disappeared, iced drops on a stove or molasses in July being a suitable parallel to the quick shift they received. The Colonel smiled (Colonel's sometimes do) the 'Pay' told regimental things to the 'Horse' and the 'Adjutant' fraternised with the 'Major' as the parade querulousness were merely an indisposition not a cultivated faculty, and in the lines where the khaki tunics hid the souls of men, there was glee and jollity reminiscent of the days before the C.T.V.'s left 'Londing' for wildscraps, for of such is the "Harmony."

There was a program more or less obscured with smoke, and in its kindly gloom, talent shone like beacon lights.

CAPT. R. SECORD.
In a demonstration of popularity, the genial young skipper held the floor and with some happy introductory sentences proposed the toast "The King," honored by singing it through.

PTE. A. FERRELL
Violinist with melody and go enough to make the feet lift, gave his turn and had to repeat it, showing his versatility by playing in all conceivable ways.

THE STAFF
was toasted with an additional three roars for the Colonel, who rose and in characteristic vein said the right thing and paid a few compliments and one to ex-colors Bolt (much applauded). He also paid a tribute to Captain Colquhoun, with more than usual warmth referred to his company now on active service. Briefly expressing his thanks for the splendid showing 'A' company had made in giving active service men, it was a splendid record. They had a splendid young officer in Lieut. Secord and he hoped they would do their best by him.

On Saturday, he saw the 36th Battalion at Hamilton, and the Brantford men, in every branch of work, they were superior to all others on parade at sports.

MAJOR P. P. BALLACHEY
got away with his old chestnut 'A' company being a company in which one got a good feed once a year and in most other things it led the way. Col. Genet has done well in rearranging the companies and now they are nearly on an equal basis for numbers. Brantford has sent very close on 1000 men to the front and he hoped the men would fall in line like the 1st, 2nd and 3rd and do their duty when their call comes. It looks like a long war, Russia has met with reverses and has big difficulties to overcome, having to transport troops as far as from Vancouver to Toronto and sometimes this can only be accomplished by marching. More men would therefore be called for, and Canada must do her part. (Cheers.)

PTE. P. FARNSWORTH
sang as a break and sung without one—The call of the Motherland with stirring swing, and got his usual merited encore and applause.

ADJUTANT CUTCLIFFE.
The "noo hadjustant" was received with usual honors tendered the children of the gods when the men loved. He spoke with modesty and good humor. Shooting, he said would start in a short time, and he would see every man get his shoot.

CAPT. G. WATT.
The "pay" was glad to get his kind reception. Pay would not be given by the government this year, but he was happy to say they would be able to finance all companies this year from the regimental funds. With some eulogistic remarks to little "Mac" who led like a hero in the recent charge of the Fourth Battalion, he sat down.

CAPTAIN EMMONS.
was brief and took his little dose of orator's role with capital good nature. He spoke on recruiting and emphasized the constant effort needed in getting good men.

A SILENT TOAST.
was honored to "Our Boys on the Firing Line" with every evidence of restrained feeling.

CORPORAL STANLEY.
sang a barrack ballad with reference to "Energy" the Eighth, said gentleman being remarkable for polygamous habits it seemed a favorite and got chorused loudly by all present.

THE VISITORS AND BOYS OF THE 36TH.
got a vigorous toast with the rollicking good fellow chorus of "Jolly Goodfellows" as an accompaniment to

which Major Brooks responded in a few short appreciative words.

COLOR SERGT. "BILLY."
"Billy" Bolt and Corporals Mercer and Stanley returned modest thanks like soldiers they were, rather prepared to act a part, than talk of it. They passed out amid Auld Lang Syne and cheers, good byes and good wishes.

CORPORAL WATT.
sung with his 37-power strength baritone and sang of home and boyhood, and he affected his comrades deeply. They showed it by clapping.

THE OFFICERS' TOAST
was happily taken up and the cheers were well meant, though they embarrassed the recipients terribly.

CAPT. R. SECORD.
replied it seemed an easy task to keep 'A' company together when "Mac" was near, but since he had gone he could only battle on the best he could. He was apologetic for his part. He felt he could only do his best and when at times the drill was intricate he had relied upon the boys to pull him through. They were in full strength and that was good. He was sure Capt. "Mac" would find the company in good shape on his return.

Lieut. F. C. Thomas made a short and pithy address of thanks and expressed faith in 'A' company for the future.

PTE. LUSCOMBE
was the night's stellar burnt cork artist and comedian, and was vociferously hailed, encored and dismissed with reluctant howls.

The night then closed with God Save the King, and the soldiers of 'A' Company dismissed till another year would bring its banquet night.

SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, May 20.—Griner performed the remarkable feat in yesterday's game, in which St. Louis shut out Philadelphia 3 to 0, of pitching to only 27 batsmen in nine innings. Griner was touched up for only two singles, and he did not give a pass, while he was given perfect support. In trying to reach second when Baker failed in the first inning, Byrne was touched up by Butler, whose foot struck the runner on the head. Byrne suffered a slight concussion of the brain, and Stock took his place.

Score: R.H.E.
St. Louis00000011—3 6 0
Philadelphia00000000—0 2 5

At Boston—Mammaux held the Braves without a run yesterday, while Pittsburg scored seven times off the pitcher in five innings. Crutcher, who took Ragan's place in the Boston box, did not allow a hit in the last four innings. Score: R.H.E.
Boston00000000—0 6 1
Pittsburg30004000—7 10 0

At New York—New York made it two out of three from Chicago yesterday, winning the deciding game of the series by a score of 5 to 1. The visitors hit Stroud, a New York youngster, hard. In the ninth inning Marquard went into the box and retired two Chicago batsmen with the bases full. Score: R.H.E.
Chicago00010000—1 10 1
New York00000000—5 6 1

At Brooklyn—Jack Coombs won his third straight victory and scored his second successive shutout of the season yesterday, when he blanked Cincinnati 2 to 0. Score: R.H.E.
Cincinnati00000000—0 5 1
Brooklyn00001000—2 9 1

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit, May 20.—Cobb's daring on the bases helped Detroit defeat New York 3 to 1 to-day. His single in the third inning sent Covalleski home with the run that tied the score. The next Georgian stole second and third, but Peckinpugh's fine stop of Veach's bounder over second stopped the rally. In the eighth Cobb walked, stole second, advanced on a wild pitch, and came home on Young's single. Tyrus had four stolen bases to his credit. Score: R.H.E.
New York00000000—1 6 2
Detroit00000000—3 6 1

Batteries—Keating, Caldwell and Nunamaker; Covalleski and Stanage.

At Cleveland—Cleveland evened the series with Boston yesterday, winning by 5 to 2. Foster was knocked out of the box. Joe Jackson made his debut as a first baseman and did well. Cleveland5 10 1
Boston2 6 0

Batteries—Hagerman and O'Neil; Foster, Ruth and Thomas, Carrigan.

At Chicago—The wildness of the Philadelphia pitchers paved the way for a nine to seven victory for Chicago yesterday in the final game of the series. After giving his eighth base on balls in the eighth, Wyckoff was succeeded by Pennock, who allowed three more. This coupled with opportune hitting, including safe but

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