

Dress Making and Ladies' Tailoring

Sale

LLING

of Dress Blannelettes

es at \$3

of botany yarn, in 56 in. wide; worth \$3.00

owns \$1.50

ght Gowns, slip, good price \$1.50

Vaists

hite habitua Silk, sizes \$2.19

le Prices

orsted 55c

re Hose, 65c

e, good 35c

crim

colored 20c

ter covering; in n. wide; 25c

CO.

ACIFIC

ONIA

ons for

Fishing, Etc.

as Well as

et reads

ckied"

nts, or W. B.

ronto.

en Cry

ETCHER'S

ORIA

sons by anti-

of sail and a

SARDINIAN HEROES ARE ACCLAIMED

Royal Ovation Tendered Triumphant Troops Leaving the Trenches

FLOWERS AND FLAGS Sassari Brigade Won Distinction at Col Di Rosso

By Courier Headed Wire

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Sunday, Feb. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—The Sassari Brigade of young Sardinians, which distinguished itself by cutting its way out of the trenches to-day. It was an event which stirred the neighboring country, and the peasantry with children and babies came from 50 miles around to see these young heroes. The city was gay with flags, the walls covered with posters, "Hail, Sassari heroes!" and children carried flowers and struck along the route of their march.

The brigade marched 29 miles from its trenches, and it was an inspiring sight as the boyish looking soldiers and uniforms were still splashed with the mud of the big fight, but they marched proudly and appeared happy over the enthusiastic tribute.

Brigadier-General Ferrigo, commander of the brigade, marched at the head with a group of wounded officers with heads bandaged and arms in slings. Then came the machine section with long ranks of sturdy youths. One regiment was commanded by a major who took the place of the colonel, who was killed in Tuesday's fight. A squadron of aeroplanes hovered overhead, scattering confetti on the victors.

General Pecora Giraldi, commander of the first army, was at the head of the reviewing party. He was accompanied by officers of the allied staff, high government and municipal officials and representatives of civic organizations, while the thoroughfares were thronged with cheering people.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

NEW PASTOR'S FIRST SERMON

Rev. C. S. Oke Occupied Pulpit at Alexandra Church Yesterday

The Rev. C. S. Oke, newly inducted pastor of Alexandra Presbyterian Church, occupied the pulpit for the first time yesterday morning, delivering a forceful and eloquent appeal for the support of his congregation in his ministry among them. Mr. Oke based his remarks upon the second verse of the second chapter of Paul's first epistle to the Corinthians, "For I determined not to know any thing among you save Christ Jesus and Him crucified."

In commencing, the speaker dwelt upon the importance of the city of Corinth, which was at that time the great commercial centre of the world and the gateway between east and west. The epistle in question had been written some three years after Paul's first visit to the city, and was in the form of a review of his work there. In the beginning, the apostle had determined to throw aside the oratorical and philosophical, and get to work bottom fact, to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and Him crucified. That he should elect to do this was in many ways a strange decision, for Corinth was a Greek city, with a large Jewish population, and to the Jew the cross was a thing of ignominy and shame, while to the Greek it was foolishness, and the belief that Christ should rise again three days after death, an idle tale.

Paul might have selected other phases in the life of Christ with which to impress his hearers. To tie his message to the cross, a fact which the Saviour was one of them, revered the Law of Moses and revered the Scriptures, observed the Sabbath and the fast days; to the Greeks, he might have emphasized the wisdom of the true God, his revelation of the true God, and yet Paul did not choose this, he chose a more difficult way of beginning his ministry among the Corinthians, by preaching of that which they could not or would not understand. In Athens, where he had previously preached, his rhetoric and philosophy had failed to win converts. In that city which was then the great philosophical centre of the world, and the apostle, as he first glimpsed the great city of Corinth, 290 feet above sea level, with its lofty citadel towering above the city, was much saddened, and determined to lay aside all oratory and philosophy, in the conviction that "no preaching was complete unless it emphasized the death of Christ, his mission to the world, and the most important doctrine in the Christian church, Christ's primary purpose in coming upon earth was to redeem us from sin, and all had been preached in the spirit that his death was the paramount factor of our salvation. This was the story which had gripped the hearts of men down through all the ages, the story which the fathers of



CHILDREN INJURED IN HUN RAID. One of the latest raids on London was made on the coldest night of the winter. Photo shows two children aged 8 and 10 who were injured.

the church had carried to all parts of the Roman empire in the first century, which had melted the heart of Clivis on his coronation day in the central cathedral, which had been overtaken in the great loss that he loved so well, and in the welfare of which he was so actively interested.

ONONDAGA COUNCIL

Middleport, Jan. 30.—The Council met in Mitchell Hall at 2 p.m. All the members present.

APPRECIATION OF LATE R. HENRY

Board of Trade Passed Resolution at Special Meeting Saturday

At a Special General Meeting of the Brantford Board of Trade held in the Board Room on Saturday afternoon on motion of the President, seconded by the Vice-President, the following resolution was adopted: "The Brantford Board of Trade desires to place on record its high appreciation of the late Mr. Robert Henry. It is resolved that—The Brantford Board of Trade desires to place on record its high appreciation of the late Mr. Robert Henry. Mr. Henry took an active part in organizing this Board in the year 1878; was its President in the years 1884 and 1885; was elected a Life

FARMS AND GARDENS For Sale

23 ACRES with frame house and frame barn and chicken house, apple orchard, situated near House of Refuge, off Mount Pleasant Road; adapted for bee-keeping and especially suitable for hog and poultry raising; close to the city. Reasonable payment down, balance five years' credit at 6 per cent.

16 7-10 ACRES, Clench Tract, 1-4 mile south of House of Refuge, new brick house and frame barn, good soil; would consider exchange for city property. No. 5380.

25 ACRES, one mile from Cainsville, frame house, 4 bedrooms, 4 living rooms, good water; new frame barn and stable hog pen to accommodate 40 head, stabling for 2 horses and 3 cows. Large number of fruit trees including 40 cherry, 40 plum, 40 pear, grapes, peaches and other young fruit. No. 5424.

100 ACRES with good red brick house, bank barn, etc., in Burford Township, \$7,000.

S. G. Read & Son Limited

Office Phones: Bell 75; Machine 65. House Phones: Bell 2395, 955, 972. 129 Colborne St.

MARKETS

By Courier Headed Wire

Toronto, Feb. 4.—The market was very slow this morning, although shipments are very heavy. Very little trade doing. Prices steady.

Receipts 276 cars; 3,614 cattle, 7,059 hogs (including from Friday); 500 sheep, 245 calves.

Export cattle, choice, \$11.75 to \$12; bulls \$9 to \$10.50; butcher cattle, choice, \$10.75 to \$11.25; medium \$9.25 to \$10; common \$7 to \$8; butchers, choice, each \$9 to \$10; medium \$7 to \$7.50; canners, \$8 to \$8.25; bulls, \$7.75 to \$8; feeding steers \$8 to \$8.75; stockers, choice, \$7.25 to \$8.25; light \$6.25 to \$7.75; milkers, choice, each \$8 to \$10; springers \$9 to \$13.00; sheep, ewes, \$12 to \$13; bucks and culls, \$7.50 to \$9; lambs \$18 to \$18.50; hogs, fat and watered \$18; hogs, f.o.b., \$17; calves, \$15 to \$16.

CITY ITEMS

SCHOOL DISMISSED. The coal supply at the Central school was exhausted this morning, and the school closed to class at noon until further supplies could be obtained.

TRIANGLE CLUB

On Tuesday the Triangle Girls' club met to complete the arrangements for their coming Red Cross concert.

MAYOR IN BUFFALO

Mayor MacBride is in Buffalo today on business. A. Montgomery, the Mayor's request is acting for the Mayor during his absence.

TOWNSHIP STATISTICS

The vital statistics for the year of 1917 in Brantford Township were: Births, 160; marriages, 17; deaths, 124.

WIDOWS' HOME

The Widows' Home, this afternoon, a good programme was presented and refreshments served.

HOSPITAL ACCOUNT

The city clerk has received a statement from the Brantford General Hospital for \$94.50, this being the Mayor's request for the hospital for the month of January.

THE TEMPERATURE

The weather moderated on Sunday until 25 above zero, was officially recorded. Then another cold wave arrived and the mercury during the night went to 7 degrees below the 0.

WOUNDED

Sergeant W. H. Herridge, formerly of 212 Chatham street, has sustained a gunshot wound in the head, according to word received by his sister, Mrs. Herridge, who was an active member of the Dufferin Rifles in previous days, went overseas in 1915. In the battle of the Somme, he was wounded in the chest by the explosion of a shell.

TWO FEASIS TOGETHER

The Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the feast of St. Blaise were celebrated jointly in the Catholic churches of the city yesterday, the former by the Glebe and the latter by the Holy Trinity and the latter by the Holy Trinity and the latter by the Holy Trinity.

OPEN RECREATION DEPT

The formal opening of the Y. M. C. A. recreation department at the Lakeside will take place to-night. Although concerts have already been staged, no formal opening has taken place, and to-night Mr. R. J. L. area supervisor of the Y. M. C. A. military work of Ontario and Quebec, will address the soldiers of the C. O. R. here. A good program has been arranged.

GRAND RIVER MATTERS

The secretary of the Board of Trade has received a communication from the Galt Board advising him of a meeting of Grand River municipalities in Galt, next Thursday. The object of the meeting is to discuss the question of Government regulation of river floods and the use of the flood water for irrigation purposes and for domestic water supply. The Brantford Board of Trade is asked to send a delegation.

REPORTED KILLED

An unconfirmed report has reached the city of the death in action of Sergeant Alex Stewart, who went overseas with the second Brant county battalion. "Randy" as he was familiarly known to all, was a former member of the police force, and one of the star players of the Brantford and Paris Soccer League in its palmy days, and had a host of friends throughout the city, who will continue to hope for a contradiction of the rumor of his death.

NEW CONTRACTS

The Scotia-Evans Co., Limited, have received contracts from the Merchants Bank of Canada for another bank building at cost of 25,000 to be built at Watford, Ont. The alterations to Mr. W. S. Cook's Queen street to provide new quarters

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A story and three quarters, seven roomed house on Sheridan street, with large lot and all conveniences.

FOR SALE—Two storey red brick, seven roomed house on Arthur street, with large lot and all conveniences.

FOR SALE—Good cottage on Northumberland St., good lot.

FOR SALE—Good house on Superior street, with very deep lot.

FOR SALE—Two bungalows on Rose Avenue.

For further particulars apply to **S. P. PITCHER & SON** 43 MARKET STREET Real Estate and Auctioneer

J. T. BURROWS

The Mover

Carting, Teaming Storage

Special Piano Hoisting Machinery

Office—124 Dalhousie Street Phone 365 Residence—236 West St. Phone 638

Attractive Bond Issue

Province of Manitoba to Yield 6 1/4 p.c.

Denominations of \$1000 payable in Gold. Maturing 1920 or 1923

Especially attractive — Strongly Recommended ENQUIRE

J. S. Dowling & Co LIMITED.

86 DALHOUSIE ST. Office Phone 1275 and 1276, April 30 Evening Phone 108

THE GIBSON COAL CO.

D. L. & W. Scranton Coal

OFFICES: 52 ERIE AVE. 150 DALHOUSIE ST. 154 CLARENCE ST.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

Now is the time to buy a home in city or country on small capital \$1000 for white frame cottage, Dalhousie street.

\$1200 for good house, Ontario Street, \$200 down.

\$1400 for large house, 9 rooms, Drummond St.

\$3200 for new two-storey red brick Superior St.

\$1800 for new cottage, 6 rooms, Ruth St. \$200 cash.

\$1500 for 6 room cottage, on Park Ave. A map.

\$4000 for a choice red brick, all conveniences, on Allison St.

\$1600 for 8 roomed house on Brock St. A bargain.

\$8500 for 100 acres choice buildings and best of soil, South of Burford.

\$8500 for 100 acres, best of buildings, good land, near Mt. Pleasant.

\$6000 for 70 acres, brick house, fine bank barn and best of land 6 miles out of city.

\$10000 for 140 acres, 4 miles from city best of buildings, clay loam, all under cultivation, except 14 acres of choice timber. Easy terms.

\$3200 for 52 acres brick cottage, six rooms, bank barn 32x50. A cheap farm, eight miles from city.

50 acres, farm house, 7 rooms, bank barn, drive barn, \$4200.

G. W. HAVLAND

61 Brant St., Brantford. Phone 1530

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Commencing TONIGHT

MATINEES DAILY

"THE IMPERIAL TRAVELOGUES"

J. MILTON STATE

TRAVELLER - LECTURER - AUTHOR -- TRAVELS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

Monday---England Wednesday--Old Ireland

Tuesday --- Around the Thursday--France

Mediterranean Friday--Scotland

Prices: Gallery 10c, Balcony 25c, Ground Floor 15c

MATINEE--- ALL SEATS 15c

TICKETS MAY BE OBTAINED AT BOLES' DRUG STORE.

THE COURIER
 Published by The Brantford Courier Limited, every afternoon, at Dalhousie Street, Brantford, Canada. Subscription rates: By carrier, \$1 a year; by mail to British possessions and the United States, \$2 per annum.
SEMI-WEEKLY COURIER—Published on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, at \$1 per year, payable in advance. To the United States 50 cents extra for postage.
 Toronto Office: Queen City Chambers, 22 Church Street, H. E. Stupples, Representative, Chicago Office, 740 Marquette Bldg., Robt. E. Douglas, Representative.
 Editorial ... 276 Night ... 483
 Business ... 139 Night ... 2056
 Monday, Feb. 4th, 1918.

THE SITUATION.
 The German authorities claim that they have strike matters now well in hand and this is probably correct. A people so long schooled to military domination are more or less prone to have their natural aspirations quite readily crushed. Moreover, the threat was made of summary court martials, with death as the extreme penalty, to be carried into effect within twenty-four hours. However, though has cropped out on the surface to show great inward unrest in the Fatherland.

The Supreme Allied War Council held in Versailles, reached the conclusion that neither the speeches of the German Chancellor, or Count Czernin of Austria, approached any peace terms which could be accepted. The very proper edict has therefore gone forth that the war must continue until the Central Powers are more amenable.

It is officially announced that United States troops have now taken over a section of front line trenches in the Lorraine area, and that there is intense aerial and artillery activity at this point.

Berlin has issued a claim that during the year the submarines have destroyed nine million tons of mercantile shipping. The statement on the face of it is a gross exaggeration. General Allenby reports further advances in the neighborhood of Jerusalem.

NATIONALIST WINS
 The Nationalists have retained the seat in South Armagh where a vacancy had occurred owing to the death of the former member while fighting at the front. The constituency has always been a stronghold for the Irish leaders, but the Sinn Feiners have lately made inroads in equally marked constituencies, and a great deal of interest therefore centered in the result. It was a bitter fight, but the plurality of 1,299 scored by the Nationalist candidate should help to steady matters a good deal in the rest of the Emerald Isle, and may not improbably have a bearing on the outcome of the Irish conference.

With regard to the latter, Sir Edward Carson, who recently withdrew, has been receiving a series of receptions and ovations in Ulster. Speaking in Belfast on Saturday, he stated that circumstances had arisen at the convention which indicated the possibility of trouble over the steps the Government should take if the deliberations broke down without result. He had stepped out in order to have a free hand. He declared that Ulster alone in Ireland had shown any reason at all, and affirmed that any terms must enable the people there to feel that they would still maintain their status as citizens of the British Empire, and would be protected in their business and daily lives against the possibility of harmful interference.

FLIGHT POSSIBILITIES
 The use of flying machines for postal and commercial purposes, and to some extent for the conveyance of passengers, is now generally recognized as a certainty at the conclusion of the war. Aviation had had great strides just prior to the outbreak of hostilities, and the requirements arising from the latter have served to bring the art to a point which would probably not have been reached for many years under ordinary circumstances. On the part of all the contending forces it has been thoroughly demonstrated that such machines can be handled and controlled to a marvellous extent, and that even when seriously damaged by fire, it is often possible for the pilot to effect a landing.

Recently a number of men, well posted on the subject, were interviewed in the Old Country as to what may ultimately be expected from these air craft, and the answer covered a wide range of conclusions, all of them optimistic in tone, but varying with regard to extent of practical achievement. Mr. G. Holt Thomas, the leading spirit of more than one company, which contemplates using the new vehicle, expressed the view that at the close of the war, airships would take their place with "railways and motor vehicles as a means of transit." He pointed out that there were practical machines to-day which could easily do over one hundred miles an hour, but taking eighty miles as the rate, that would bring Paris within three hours of London, Rome twelve and a half hours, New York two days, Vancouver three days, Cape Town three and

a half days, Sydney, Australia, five days, and so on. As to safety, he considers that flying under proper conditions and with suitable safeguards, should not be dangerous beyond the point of railway or other travel.

Lord Montagu, another expert, voiced the view that after the war all civilized nations would develop regular postal and commercial communications by means of the air, but he sees great difficulty for some time with regard to lengthy overseas trips. Ultimately, however, he thinks that air currents will be used to the same extent as sea currents.

Mr. F. W. Lancaster, author of "Aerial Flight," considers that there is a tendency to go to extremes in the matter. Some time ago the idea of ever travelling by air was almost universally ridiculed; now some people were talking "as though in a year or two we should all be taking tickets for journeys by air." He believed such craft would, ere long, be brought into general use for carrying mails, and some might also be available for passengers, but believed that it would be a considerable time before any large number of people would abandon trains and steamships for air travel. As to danger, he pointed out that not very long before the war, the mortality amounted to one man for every two thousand miles flown, now it was one to every forty thousand miles, and that ratio would undoubtedly steadily improve.

The let up in the temperature on Sunday scared most people into the belief that they were going to lose the cold spell but the situation was relieved in good and proper style during the night.

LABOR REPRESENTATIVES WHO WERE IN CONFERENCE WITH THE UNION GOVERNMENT HAVE AGREED THAT A COMPULSORY REGISTRATION IS NECESSARY WITH REGARD TO LABOR BUT NOT CONScription.

The national registration scheme will be gone ahead with at once. Provision will be made along the same lines as were adopted under the Ontario scheme, but the signing of the cards will be made compulsory. In the case of the former registration the signing of the cards was purely voluntary, and as a result the information gathered was incomplete and inadequate. Only about eighty per cent. of the man-power was registered, and the Province of Quebec especially, the response was poor. A far more definite idea of the labor supply available, for meeting all requirements of essential industries was consequently not obtainable. The new scheme the Government will have at its command the essential information necessary as a basis for adopting measures to meet conditions as they develop and needs arise.

Report of Results
 Ottawa, Feb. 4.—(C. P. Dispatch)—Representatives of Labor, who have been in conference with the Government for the past week, left the latter city, and the conferences are now concluded. The points raised by the Labor men in the course of the week's discussion covered a wide field. Their attitude was especially in the new scheme of compulsory registration, which the Government will have at its command the essential information necessary as a basis for adopting measures to meet conditions as they develop and needs arise.

Laid at Rest
MRS. J. NEWMAN
 The funeral of the late Mrs. J. Newman took place yesterday afternoon from her residence on North Park Street. Rev. Robt. Bloye, of the Free Methodist Church, conducted the services at the house, interment taking place at Ayr Cemetery.

WM. COULBECK.
 The funeral of the late Mr. William Coulbek took place Sunday afternoon from his sister's residence, on Terrace Hill Street, to Mt. Hope cemetery. The Rev. W. Smythe of Sydenham St. Methodist Church conducted the services at the house and at the grave.

There were many floral tributes. The pall-bearers were Mr. Math. Watson, Mr. Andrew Peart, Mr. Ches. Watson, Mr. Audin, Mr. Coulbek and Mr. R. Norris.

EVA FINK
 Yesterday afternoon, in the bloom and buoyancy of sweet girlhood, the world was laid away all that was mortal of Eva Christine Fink, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fink of 7 Riddell's Avenue, of this city. A week ago Eva sustained a fractured skull and other serious injuries by falling down a stairway leading to the cellar. She lingered a week, but death claimed her. Bright at school, loved by her playmates, fond of her church, endeared to her parents and many relatives, this young life was cut down suddenly before the second stage of her life had been completed. The body was buried in Mt. Hope amid the snows of winter. The family residence was more than crowded with sympathetic friends. Rev. David Alexander was assisted by Dr. Martin of Wesley. Miss Gertrude McCombe sang Eva's favorite, "God will take care of you." Mr. Alexander preached a sermon from Rev. 14:13: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth." The service was specially impressive. The casket was literally banked with lovely flowers. For the stricken parents and the remaining little child left to mourn Eva's passing the sympathy of the community was given generously.

The deceased was born on Rose Avenue, July 14, 1907. She was a pupil of Alexandra school, and at Immanuel church and Sunday school with her parents.

The floral tributes included the following: Wreath from the family, employees of Verity's machine shop; cross, teachers and classmates of Div. 5, Alexandra school; sprays, Grand, McKeane, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Kenneth and Edith Crabb, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gibbs, and Florence, Miss Graham's S. S. class Wesley church, Mr. and Mrs. O. Ryan, Winnie and Cecil Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Art VanEvery, Lloyd, Ella and Rhea VanEvery, Fern and Lillie Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKeane, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fadden and family, Lillian and Frank Austin, Margery Cahoun and Winsons Lawler, Mrs.

Hot Water Bottles!
 of guaranteed quality at the lowest prices
 Guaranteed One Year
\$1.25
 Guaranteed Two Years
\$1.75

116-118 Colborne

Boiler Bros.

Mayme Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Book, Mr. and Mrs. E. Murray, Mrs. O. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. Teakle and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Leetch and Harold, Annie and Amy, Mrs. J. Goodhue and Ely, Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crane, Mrs. Butler and S. class of Immanuel church, Eva Hough, Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Byers, Uncle Thomas and Aunt Ruth, Uncle John and Aunt Kate, Uncle Fred and Aunt Thursa, Uncle Joe and Aunt Mary, Uncle Walter and Aunt Nellie and Cousin Ralph, Uncle Frank and Aunt Kate, Jennie and Alphe McIsaac, Mr. and Mrs. McIsaac, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gunter, Mrs. Halliday and Mrs. C. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnstone, Lorne and Jack Wisson, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lewis and Miss Cora Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chariton, Mr. and Mrs. Deary and Uella, Mrs. Chariton, Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hawley, Mr. N. Willets and Mr. Hainer, Mrs. Dawson and Bernice, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wreaks, Miss Grace Densmore, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Armstrong.

Obituary.
J. WOODLEY.
 An old resident of the city passed away yesterday in the person of Lyman Woodley, aged 65 years. He survived by four sons and four daughters of Toronto, Mark and Gordon of St. Catharines, Joseph of this city; Mrs. A. E. Crabb, Mrs. Charter Lewis, Mrs. Harry Wisson and Miss Cora, all of this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from the residence of his son-in-law, Harry Wisson, 40 Mount Hope Cemetery.

GOVT. RV.
 Continued from Page One
 until final results are known and the new members have been gazetted. According to a notice which appeared in Saturday's Canada Gazette, the opening has been fixed for February 28, but this date will have to be changed as the February may be almost over before the new members are gazetted. It has been the usual practice to give members approximately thirty days notice of the opening of the House, but owing to special circumstances existing, shorter notice may be given on this occasion. This would permit Parliament to meet about the middle of March.

There is some speculation as to the extent to which the overseas votes will be affected by strict application of the military voters act which provides that only non-residents of Canada possess the right to select the constituency in which they will vote. Presumably the act will be just as strictly interpreted overseas and soldiers belonging to constituencies for which a representative was elected by acclamation as well as others who voted in constituencies in which they never resided, will lose their votes.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH
 Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hacking, sniffling, mucous discharge, headache, dizziness, struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes and heals the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and clogged nostril has been seeking. It's just splendid.

A COMPULSORY REGISTRATION OF MAN POWER

Laborites Agree With Govt. as To Necessity; No Conscription of Labor.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The main result of the conference of the representatives of organized Labor with the Government during the past week has been the securing of Labor's consent to the principle of compulsory national registration of the man power of Canada. To this measure, on the basis of compulsory co-ordination of all available labor supply to meet war conditions and fill the gaps made by the withdrawal of men for military service, organized Labor has consented.

No Conscription of Labor
 To any suggestion for the actual conscription of labor for agricultural work, for transportation, for municipal manufacture, etc., the Labor leaders are unopposedly opposed. And they are further emphatically opposed to the bringing in of Chinese or other Oriental labor for farm work, although they raise no objection to the scheme of securing additional farm help from the United States.

Labor Bureaus Agreed To
 One further tangible result of the conference is the agreement of the Labor men to the Government's proposals for a system of Government labor bureaus, replacing the individual employment agencies, and insuring an adequate basis for co-ordination, supervision and direction of the labor supply to meet the nation-wide demand. The Government has a comprehensive plan for the establishment of these labor bureaus, and the Federal Government will be established, to act as a sort of general clearing house of information, directing the work of the Provincially controlled bureaus.

Registration at Once.
 The national registration scheme will be gone ahead with at once. Provision will be made along the same lines as were adopted under the Ontario scheme, but the signing of the cards will be made compulsory.

In the case of the former registration the signing of the cards was purely voluntary, and as a result the information gathered was incomplete and inadequate. Only about eighty per cent. of the man-power was registered, and the Province of Quebec especially, the response was poor. A far more definite idea of the labor supply available, for meeting all requirements of essential industries was consequently not obtainable. The new scheme the Government will have at its command the essential information necessary as a basis for adopting measures to meet conditions as they develop and needs arise.

Report of Results
 Ottawa, Feb. 4.—(C. P. Dispatch)—Representatives of Labor, who have been in conference with the Government for the past week, left the latter city, and the conferences are now concluded. The points raised by the Labor men in the course of the week's discussion covered a wide field. Their attitude was especially in the new scheme of compulsory registration, which the Government will have at its command the essential information necessary as a basis for adopting measures to meet conditions as they develop and needs arise.

Shortage of Labor a Myth
 Shortage of labor for railway maintenance was regarded by the Labor men as being largely a myth. Statements were made by the Canadian Vice-President of the Maintenance of Ways Employees, who are presently on strike, that they were refusing to bring wages up to the standard on which Canadian citizens could live. Some of the roads, he claimed, refused to pay more than \$1.95 a day for this class of work. Another assertion by Western men was that the C. P. R. was reducing hours in the West for its mechanical staff owing to shortage of employment. This, it was stated, showed that the trouble lay in unequal distribution of labor.

Oppose Conscription Farm Labor
 In regard to compulsory farm labor, the government made no suggestions to the Labor men along these lines, but the local Provincial representatives did make a suggestion of that character. The suggestion met with the unanimous and emphatic opposition of the Labor men, who claimed that conscription of farm labor was impracticable. To force one man to work for another for profit, they claimed, would mean the establishment of a new system of slavery. While no official statement on this point was made by the government, the Labor men regarded it as the consensus of opinion among Cabinet Ministers that conscription of farm labor would be impracticable.

The Labor forces argued that the actual growing of food on the land was only one factor of food production. If it was necessary, they said, to conscript labor for seeding, plowing and reaping, it was just as reasonable to be considered necessary to conscript labor for the manufacture of farm machinery and the transportation of farm produce. The

Word has been received in town of the death of Mr. Richard Dawes at his home at Kingston-on-Thames. Deceased was known to many in town, having resided here on Willow street for a number of years. He was also physical instructor at the Y.M.C.A. for some time and a member of the Congregational Church. A wife and two little girls are left to mourn his loss.

There was a good attendance at the progressive euchre party held in the Firehall Friday evening, under the auspices of the Balmoral Rebekah Lodge. The prize winners were: Ladies, first, Mrs. C. Smith; second, Mrs. McLeod; Gents, first, Mr. McBride; second, Mr. Hicks. Proceeds are for Red Cross purposes.

Mrs. Hugh McCommon of Toronto is visiting with relatives in town. Mr. and Mrs. G. Midgley and Mr. Ross Midgley of Glenside, Saskatchewan are spending the week at Buffalo. Sergt. Alf. Scott is renewing old acquaintances in town. Sergt. Scott went overseas at the first outbreak of the war, and has been wounded several times. He is home on a short furlough.

On Saturday afternoon about forty friends and members of the Paris Municipal Club journeyed to Galt and supplied the program for the Galt Saturday Afternoon Symphony Club.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gertrude M. Terberry of Buffalo, to Mr. Corwin C. Aulsebrook, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aulsebrook, of Paris. The marriage will take place quietly this month.

The many friends in town of Miss Ada Maus, will be pleased to learn that she has been appointed dietitian in charge of the canteen of the Royal Flying Corps, quartered at Wycliffe College, Toronto.

The customs receipts for the month of January show an increase of \$10,728.31, as compared with the same month of last year. The figures for the year ending January 31, 1918, are \$2,022,499, and for the year ending January 31, 1917, \$1,911,770.41.

OGILVIE, LOCHHEAD & CO.

Sale of Silks

That Will Come Forward in Attractive Frocks

New Fancy Silks in Dark Plaids, Gingham Checks, and stripe effects, beautiful quality and newest designs Special per yard, \$2.50, \$2.75 **\$3.25**

New Tussor Silks in very neat designs to such people of mild tastes, 36 inches wide. This is an excellent wearing silk. Special at **\$1.10**

Natural Shantung Silks, in New Fancy Stripes, correct for the coming season. To-morrow at **\$1.75**

36-inch Crepe de Chine, in a good range of colors, Special value at a yard **\$1.25**

Nice fine quality Broadcloth 52-in. wide in colors navy, black, Nigger Brown, green, grey and Burgundy **\$3.75**

Good value at **\$3.75**

Extra Fine Quality Garbardin Suiting in the new spring shades 52-in. wide To-morrow special at a yard **\$3.50**

Very Nice Mixed Tweeds, Suitable for Spring Coats, 56-in. wide. Special at **\$2.75**

Agents For Gosard Corsets

Agents for McCall Patterns

Ogilvie, Lochhead & Co.

OLD RESIDENT LAID TO REST
 John Battye Was For Over 50 Years Citizen of Paris
OTHER NEWS OF PARIS

(From our own Correspondent)
 Paris, Feb. 4.—Yesterday afternoon the remains of the late John Battye, were laid to rest in the Paris cemetery. Service was conducted at his late residence, Walnut street, by Rev. Mr. Langton, pastor of the Baptist church. The late Mr. Battye was a native of Huddersfield, Yorkshire, England, and came to Canada in 1846, and for over 50 years has been a resident of this town. He ceased had only been ill a week with bronchial asthma, but on account of his advanced age, was not able to fight it off. He was of a very quiet nature, but had made many friends in town, and especially at the Penitentiary, where he has been employed since 1873. About 51 years ago he was united in marriage with the Rev. Mr. Hill, to Mary Ann, nee of Cainsville, who survives, as does also a daughter, Mrs. Allan of Hamilton, and a son, William of Kingston, to whom the sympathy of the community will be extended. The funeral was largely attended by many old friends, and the pall bearers were W. Reynolds, T. Griggs, Geo. Uvan, H. Byers, R. Armstrong and T. Shawcross.

On Thursday evening a pleasant time was spent in the Assembly Hall of the Separate school, when the Catholic Ladies' Knitting Club held a progressive euchre and knitting contest. During the evening a delightful treat was rendered by the Misses Moore, McLaughlin and Suggie. The prize winners in the progressive euchre were Mrs. H. Sewell and Mr. A. McKay, while Miss Fisher and Mr. A. Blake were awarded the consolation prize. Quite a number of ladies entered the knitting contest, which was very keen, and Mrs. Guthrie captured 1st prize, and Mrs. Cassidy 2nd prize. Mrs. Scott Davidson and Mrs. John Inkster were the judges for the knitting. The knitting bag donated by Miss J. Nelson was won by Mr. H. Taylor. At the close, cake and coffee was served by the ladies, and the happy gathering was brought to a close by all singing the National Anthem.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gertrude M. Terberry of Buffalo, to Mr. Corwin C. Aulsebrook, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aulsebrook, of Paris. The marriage will take place quietly this month.

The many friends in town of Miss Ada Maus, will be pleased to learn that she has been appointed dietitian in charge of the canteen of the Royal Flying Corps, quartered at Wycliffe College, Toronto.

The customs receipts for the month of January show an increase of \$10,728.31, as compared with the same month of last year. The figures for the year ending January 31, 1918, are \$2,022,499, and for the year ending January 31, 1917, \$1,911,770.41.

RECORD ATTEN
 There was a lesson study on Saturday night on the topic "Hoag gave a motion picture of the topic Sabbath." Miss Saturday.

SPOKE ON ZIO
 Rabbi Berger, Hamilton, gave an address on Zionism at Brantford yesterday morning. He spoke of the Jewish Commonwealth of Palestine in the Allied Protectorate City, the speakers Mr. and Mrs. M. Street.

INDUSTRIAL WO
 John Sumner, for Industrial W Brantford on the 7th, on the event reference on that in the Y.M.C.A. visit of Mr. Sumner in the development Y.M.C.A. industry Brantford.

REMIT DIVORCE
 Parliamentary committee returned granted bills of divorce in the Y.M.C.A. industry Brantford.

S. S. EXECUTIVE
 The city Sunday held its initial meeting in the board room of the Y.M.C.A. industry Brantford. There was a number of the officers decided to have a Sunday school course the Y.M.C.A. industry Brantford.

Well Fitted GLASSES
 are the most efficient. It aim to make of glasses every pair you require the person who them.

JARY OPTICAL CO.
 Consulting Optician
 52 Market Street
 Phone 1285 for appointments

KEEP LITTLE ONE WELL IN WINTER
 Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are so changeable—one bright, the next cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Trav

Neil

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

RECORD ATTENDANCE

There was a record attendance at the lesson study in the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night when Mr. H. P. Hoag gave a most practical presentation of the topic "Jesus Lord of the Sabbath." Miss Howden leads next Saturday.

SPOKE ON ZIONISM

Rabbi Berger and Mr. Stessel, of Hamilton, gave a most interesting address on Zionism, to the Hebrews of Brantford yesterday. Rabbi Berger most heartily endorsed Mr. Berger's recent speech in the House of Commons, recommending the return of Palestine to the Hebrews, as an Allied Protectorate. While in the city, the speakers met the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Foster, 5 Henrietta Street.

INDUSTRIAL WORK

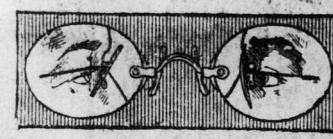
John Sumner, National Secretary for Industrial Work, will visit Brantford on Thursday, February 7th, on the evening of which a conference on that work will be held in the Y.M.C.A. building. The visit of Mr. Sumner will mean much in the development of a larger Y.M.C.A. industrial program in Brantford.

REMIT DIVORCE FEES

Parliamentary fees will be remitted to returned soldiers who are granted bills of divorce because of infidelity on the part of their wives. An arrangement has, it is stated, been made by which the fees when application is made to Parliament for a divorce amount to some \$200 to cover the cost of printing the bill and the evidence taken before the Senate Divorce Committee, plus the cost of advertising in the Canadian Gazette.

S. S. EXECUTIVE

The city Sunday school executive held its initial meeting for the year in the board room of the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday, W. G. Ranton, president. There was a good attendance of the officers elected. It was decided to have a meeting of the Sunday school council of the city in the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday, Feb. 21st. The council includes all the S. S. Supts. of the city. The officers of the executive are enthusiastic and confident of the work for 1918.



Well Fitted GLASSES

are the most becoming, comfortable and efficient. It is our aim to make each pair of glasses differently so each pair will meet every requirement of the person who wears them.

JARVIS OPTICAL CO., Ltd.

Consulting Optometrists. 52 Market St. Phone 1293 for appointments.

Travelling Goods



Neill Shoe Co. LIMITED

BIBLE SOCIETY DAY WAS HELD IN CITY CHURCHES

BRANT AVE. CHURCH

Rev. W. S. Hassard, Field Secretary of the Bible Society yesterday morning at the Brant Ave. Methodist Church, spoke of the need for Bibles for immigrants coming into Canada. The representative of the Bible House in Quebec last year distributed 17,000 copies of the Scripture. In Canada the Bible is published in 38 different languages for the immigrants arriving in this country. There was a great need for Bibles for the church abroad, practically every church sending Bible House copies of Scripture to their missionaries. In the afternoon Mr. Hassard spoke to the Sabbath School, regarding the great difficulties in translating the Scriptures into new languages.

I WILL TRUST CLUB

Rev. Mr. Logan addressed the girls of the "I Will Trust" club on Saturday, speaking on "The Trojan War," with the object of inspiring girls a resolution to read the classics. Miss Underhill sang "My Task."

BIBLE CLASSES

On Thursday, Feb. 14th, the Rev. Archdeacon MacKenzie will commence the "Budget" Bible classes. The class will meet each Thursday at the Y. W. C. A. at 4.15 p.m. during the six weeks' course. The course is open to all women and girls.

BRANTFORDITES HIT

Many Brantfordites have been hit, some quite severely, by the failure of the Dominion Piedmont Loan Company with headquarters at Toronto. It appears that for many years one of the chief assets of the company is a part of the money invested in Grand Forks in British Columbia and the town of Republic in the State of Washington. The financial community has known that the company was in deep water, and that only the sale of the railway to the Canadian Pacific or the Great Northern would enable the management to return even a part of the money invested by thrifty debenture-holders and depositors. Yet so little was known of these things outside of financial circles that they were taken entirely by surprise. Few of them appear to have known anything about the "white elephant" their money has been used to feed.

MEN'S SONG SERVICE

Rev. Captain Jaeking gave a deeply interesting address at the Men's Song Service yesterday at the Y.M.C.A. In the audience were a number of returned soldiers. The subject was "Missing Links in the Religion of Mary Men." These were enumerated as the love of God, the development of Christian character, belief in the immortal, and worship. The soul of all improvement was the improvement of the soul. Mr. Wm. Givens sang a solo in his usual effective way and Mr. J. H. Friend led the bright and hearty song service, which is always a strong feature of these meetings. Next Sunday the meeting is in charge of the travellers, when Mr. A. Scruton will speak on "Mighty Men of Valor."

KITH AND KIN MET.

The executive meeting of the Soldiers' Associated Kith and Kin was held in the club room of the Y.M.C.A. The meeting opened by the singing of the National Anthem. Mr. J. J. Hurley presided. After the usual business routine was disposed of, the president congratulated the members on the good work that had been accomplished. Mr. Watt was present and spoke of the necessity of co-operation in every line of patriotic work. Reports were read from the individual districts, including Paris. All these reports indicated steady progress in the work of the Kith and Kin Associations. Substantial sums of money have been raised by bazaars, teas and other methods and donated to Red Cross, Blinded Soldiers' Home, The Great War Veterans Home and other good causes. Paris has gone exceptionally well under the able leadership of Mr. Paul Wickson. The meeting closed by singing "God Save Our Splendid Men."

CANNOT BE FORWARDED

Strict regulations are enforced against the sending to Great Britain of more than one copy of newspapers, magazines or other periodicals under one cover. Packages containing more are held at the local post office, addressed to Mrs. E. L. Tyson, Lancaster, Eng.; Gnr. James Scott, B.E.F. Pte. W. J. Scott, B.E.F., France. Sentences should call at once and claim these bundles before they are sent to the dead letter office.

Lemon Juice is Skin Beautifier, Also a Whitener

Many women use just the juice of lemons to bleach or whiten the skin, but pure lemon juice is acid therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white. At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin beautifier and complexion whitener, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in. Then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness, and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoother and beautifier. Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to bring back to any skin the whiteness, the sweet freshness and flexibility of which has been robbed by carelessness or trying atmospheric conditions.

To The Editor of The Courier

Brantford, Feb. 3rd, 1918. Editor The Courier.

Dear Sir—I hope you will give me space in your valuable paper for the following letter: On Feb. 1st the Iron Molders Union of Brantford Local No. 29, passed a resolution endorsing the fuel commission. Now, as I understand the matter, a few weeks ago the coal dealers of Brantford claimed that they couldn't cope with the fuel distribution of this city, and asked the city council to help them. The consequence was that a fuel commission was gathered up in a hurry to relieve the situation. How they relieved it is a question that a few of us understand. But the pity of it is that the majority of the citizens of this city don't understand. They would rather kick, holler and criticize than to stand and look at the situation as it really is. I know that largely through the efforts of Mayor MacErick and the fuel commission, Brantford has been supplied with coal better than any city in Ontario and even better than many cities in the State of Pennsylvania. I hope the people of Brantford will stop their kicking and realize what a gigantic effort the commission has made with a tonnage of about 40 or 50 thousand tons of coal in a single week last winter. This same commission is doing wonderful work and if anyone thinks they can handle the situation better, let them come forward and try. We have passed over the crisis solely through the efforts of Mayor MacErick and the fuel commission, and I know that we will pass the balance of the winter without freezing. Now don't think that I am one of those men with tons of coal in my cellar, for I haven't a bit, but I know that with an energetic commission such as Brantford is fortunate in having, I will be looked after if there is coal to be had. Hoping that the people will look at this coal shortage as it really is and not blame the fuel commission for not having more coal, and thinking you for the valuable space in your paper, I remain, Yours truly, FRED J. DECOTEAN.

ANNUAL MEETING OF BIBLE CLASS

Presentation of Electric Lamp to Teacher, Mr. A. Scruton.

The annual meeting of the organized adult Bible Class of the Sydney Street Methodist Church, was held on Friday evening, at the home of their teacher, Mr. A. Scruton, 28 Dundas street, a very large attendance of members being present, numbering about 60 persons, and a delightful evening was spent. After a beautiful quartette, the pastor of the church, Rev. W. Smythe, led in prayer. This was followed by the teacher's address and reports from the secretary-treasurer and committees in regard to the work of the class. Rev. W. Smythe, in fact the best in the history of the class and the church, everyone having been most active in doing their part to make the large Bible Class a success. The following officers were elected: Teacher, Mr. A. Scruton; asst., G. Miller; president, Mrs. I. S. Armstrong; vice, Mrs. G. Miller; secretary, Mr. A. J. Dunlop; ass't. secretary, Mr. A. J. Dunlop; convener of flower committee, Mrs. C. McWebb; convener of membership committee, Mrs. Payne; convener of devotional committee, Mr. Sussex; convener of sick and visiting committee, Mr. A. McWebb. Mr. A. Scruton, teacher, has entered on his 14th year, and was the unanimous choice of the class. Congratulatory addresses by the pastor, Mr. Sussex, Mr. Mailing, Mr. W. W. Harris, trustee Grand View School; Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Lowes, Mrs.

AS TO MILK

Editor Courier. Dear Sir.—In reference to the present milk question before the city council, it is well to carefully consider this question. In milk there are undoubtedly far too many germs which are injurious to life. Milk is peculiarly susceptible to the attack of germs, and it forms a favorable lodging place for them. Sterilization as proposed, undoubtedly will destroy them, but unfortunately it does more. In milk there is found germs of an entirely different stamp. They are called in the scientific world, "friendly germs." These germs are found in all milk. Nature has provided them and these friendly germs are so called, because they prey-feed upon, germs of decay, such as are destroyed by sterilization and thus prevent decay in milk. These germs when milk, and more especially sour and buttermilk, are eaten, act in the same way in the alimentary canal of the human system. In other words, in the stomach and bowels of the person consuming the milk, and destroy germs of fermentation. Milk never sterilized in warm weather will thicken and taste quite different to sterilized milk of the same way. Bacillus Bulgaricus is the name used in connection with one of these germs, and under that name they can be bought at drug stores. In other words, in the stomach and bowels of the person consuming the milk, and destroy germs of fermentation. Milk never sterilized in warm weather will thicken and taste quite different to sterilized milk of the same way. Bacillus Bulgaricus is the name used in connection with one of these germs, and under that name they can be bought at drug stores. In other words, in the stomach and bowels of the person consuming the milk, and destroy germs of fermentation.

ST. JUDE'S

At St. Jude's Anglican Church yesterday morning, Rev. T. Bevers Smith addressed the congregation on behalf of the Canadian Bible Society. The address was divided between the problem of "How we get our Bibles?" and the question "What are we doing to distribute the Bible among the poor?" Mr. Smith told of the extreme difficulties found with the printing of Bibles was first introduced. It was about the 12th to 14th centuries, speaking of the Bible Society, Mr. Smith stated that more Bibles were distributed last year than in any other in the history of the organization.

AGRICOLA

DRINK MORE WATER IF KIDNEYS BOTHER

Drink less meat and take Salts for Backache or Bladder trouble. Urine acid in meat excites the kidneys; they become overworked; get sluggish, ache and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys ache, you must help them flush out the body's urinous waste, or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel tired and twinges when the weather is bad. Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. The famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to cleanse clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.



MISS MURIEL LEE of Hamilton, second-year law student who was elected treasurer of the Ossego Hall Literary and Legal Society.

BOXING!

Grand Opera House Tuesday, Eve. Feb. 13.

1st and 2nd Depot Batt. 1st C. O. R.

1st and 2nd Depot Batt. 2nd C. O. R.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

Wrestling and Fencing Gold and Silver Medals

Welterweight Championship of Canada. Ten round bout

Lesac, Mrs. McWebb and the president, Mrs. Armstrong. At the close of the election a very pleasing event occurred, when Mr. Scruton was made the recipient of a handsome and beautiful electric lamp. Mr. and Mrs. Scruton were taken by surprise. The presentation was made by Mrs. Armstrong, president, and addressed by Mrs. A. McWebb. Mr. Scruton thanked his class for the kind appreciation and asked continued co-operation in the work of the progressive class. Mrs. Scruton served a dainty luncheon after spending a social hour. All separated for their homes at 11:30, determined to make this year better than the past. After all singing "Can Auld Acquaintance Be Forgotten," the pastor pronounced the Benediction.

SUTHERLAND'S

Our February Sale

Begins Friday, Feb. 1st.

Do You Realize What This Means?

In spite of the tremendous advance in all costs we are leaving our selling prices at the old ante-bellum figures and then giving a Sale Discount of 1-4 Off in many cases, and in some cases 1-3 off. This will really be an opportunity you cannot afford to let pass.

One of the great items in this sale will be our entire line of French China. Some of the choicest patterns produced in Limoges.

Plates, all sizes; Vegetable Dishes, Tea Cups, Bouillon Cups, Coffee Cups, Platters, all sizes; Salad Bowls, Egg Cups, Sauce Boats and Many Fancy Pieces

Our Cut Glass is always the very best the manufacturers produce and our prices are always the lowest.

NOW YOU GET 25 PER CENT. DISCOUNT Electric Reading Lamps, a very large range, Ladies' Satchels running from 75c to \$20.00, 25 Per Cent. Off.

It will be money in your pocket to come in and look around. You do not need to buy, but you should certainly see what we are offering.

Jas. L. Sutherland



323 Colborne Street

BELL 90 MACH 1114

Lesac, Mrs. McWebb and the president, Mrs. Armstrong. At the close of the election a very pleasing event occurred, when Mr. Scruton was made the recipient of a handsome and beautiful electric lamp. Mr. and Mrs. Scruton were taken by surprise. The presentation was made by Mrs. Armstrong, president, and addressed by Mrs. A. McWebb. Mr. Scruton thanked his class for the kind appreciation and asked continued co-operation in the work of the progressive class. Mrs. Scruton served a dainty luncheon after spending a social hour. All separated for their homes at 11:30, determined to make this year better than the past. After all singing "Can Auld Acquaintance Be Forgotten," the pastor pronounced the Benediction.

Telephone Courtesy--

A CORDIAL, kindly manner and a cheerful, smiling voice—everywhere people are awakening to the value of these in telephoning.

Not that anyone ever meant to be rude or discourteous. Many of us were just thoughtless, forgetting how sensitive the telephone is, reflecting our every mood.

And in addition to telephone courtesy, it is very helpful to speak distinctly and directly into the mouthpiece of the telephone, with the lips about half an inch from its rim.

And then, of course, we should always make sure of the number by consulting the directory before calling.

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada

"Good service... our true intent."

CO. ks in wide \$3.50 \$2.75 Call Patterns Co. gs Co. ment in 1876 S daily bal-vantage to investigate. T ST. rce TLE ONE ALL IN WINTER dangerous season for The days are so bright, the next day, that the mother is the children out for exercise they need consequence they are in overheated, bad-rooms and are soon as or gripe. What keep the little, ones Own Tablets. They are stomach and bow-t colds and by their will be able to get over as is perfect safety. re sold by medicine mail at 25 cents a Dr. Williams' Medi-cine, Ont. R.C.N., nautical as- the judgment of Hon. ale's commission, is lordship, included of Ottawa. Domini-ssioner and Captain as nautical assese- the inquiry began and the conclusions osion on the Steam- on December 6, was result of a collision of Halifax, between Mont Blanc and the ision was caused by rules of navigation, pilot and master of Mont Blanc were for violating the ot MacKay, by re-negligence, should nished by the Pilot- and his license can-

COMING EVENTS

BAZAAR—The Ladies of St. Matthews Ev. Lutheran church are holding a sale of Fancy Goods, Quilts and Home-made Baking at the Tea Pot Inn, Wednesday, Feb. 6th, afternoon and evening.

JAPANESE TEA—Under auspices of Royal Templars, Thursday night, Feb. 7th, A.O.O.F. Hall. Splendid musical and literary programme. Admission 15 cents; two for 25 cents.

INDUSTRIAL CONFERENCE led by Jno. Sumner, National Secretary in Y. M. C. A. Building on Thursday, Feb. 7th at 8 p.m. All pastors, Y.M.C.A. Directors and workers, Manufacturers and factory representatives cordially invited.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—A Black Cat, Finder please return to 107 Clarence Street, Reward. L-8

LOST—Good Four Gallon Cream Can, in city, on Saturday, E. R. Langs, phone 673, R. 2, Reward. L-8

LOST—Purse, containing sum of money and ticket for Hamilton car, between Davies and Northway's, Finder kindly return to Courier, Reward. L-4

STRAYED—Saturday evening, from 9 Fleet St., gray and white kitten. Return to 9 Fleet Street, Reward. L-5

WANTED—Maid for general housework, washing and ironing put out. Apply Miss Brooks, 104 Albion Street. F-6 t.f.

WANTED—A competent maid, good wages. Apply evenings, 266 Park Ave. F-30

WANTED—Experienced woman for kitchen, also good night porter. Apply, Assembly Cafe, Dalhousie St. M.W.-10

H. S. PEIRCE & CO., Funeral Directors and Embalmers, 75 Colborne street. Prompt and courteous service day and night, both Phones 290. W. A. Thorpe, O. J. Thorpe, Successors to H. S. Peirce.

DIED WOODLEY—In Brantford, Sunday, Feb. 3, Lyman Woodley, aged 65 years. Funeral from the residence of his son-in-law, Henry Wilson, 19 Edward street, on Tuesday, Feb. 5th, at 2.30. Interment in Mt. Hope Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

REID & BROWN Undertakers 814-816 Colborne St. Phone 459. Residence 44

H. B. BECKETT Funeral Director and Embalmer 158 DALHOUSIE STREET. Both Phones 23.

Don't allow another week to go by until you have purchased a "1900" Electric Washer. Saves women's lives.

T. J. MINNES PLUMBING AND ELECTRIC 9 King St. Phone 301.

UPHOLSTERING. All kinds of Upholstering William & Hollinrake Phone 167, 2 & 4, Darling St. Opera House Block.

E. Marie Underhill, A. T. C. M. Soloist Zion Presbyterian Church Teacher Toronto Conservatory of Music Voice Production—Sight Reading—Piano Appointments made. Y. W. C. A. PHONE 70.

MAIL CONTRACT SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the Eighth day of March, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, on the Middleport No. 1 Rural Route, from the 1st of April, 1918. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the post offices of Middleport and Onondaga, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London. CHAS. E. H. FISHER, Post Office Inspector. Postoffice Department, Canada, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, January 25th, 1918.

WAR MUST CONTINUE

London, Feb. 3.—The Supreme War Council, which met at Versailles, finds no approximation in the German Chancellor's and the Austrian-Hungarian Foreign Minister's speeches to the terms of the Entente allies, and has decided to continue the vigorous prosecution of the war until peace can be obtained, "based on the principles of freedom, justice and respect for international law."

A summary of the official report of the Versailles War Council says: "The Council was unable to find in von Hertling's and Czernin's recent utterance any real approximation to the moderate conditions laid down by the allies' governments. Under the circumstances the Council decided that the only task before them to meet was the vigorous and effective prosecution of the war until the pressure of that effort produced a change of temper in the enemy governments, justifying the hope of a conclusion of a peace based on the principles of freedom, justice and respect for international law."

Closed Its Session Versailles, Feb. 3.—The Supreme War Council of Premiers and Generals yesterday closed present series of general meetings. Premier Clemenceau of France presided at the closing official statement, setting forth a resolution concerning the conduct of the war, which was adopted at the session of the Supreme War Council last week, will be issued in Paris, London, Rome and Washington. Premier Clemenceau told the Petit Parisien, "that the allies were completely in accord, and that the delegates were fully satisfied with the results of the conference. The Havas Agency says measures which are likely to exert great influence on the future conduct of the war were adopted."

WOMEN SILENTLY SUFFER

There are sufferings which only a woman knows and about one woman in every four goes about her household duties while suffering actual pain. If a man had to endure as much pain he would stay at home and let his work take care of itself. But there is nobody to do the work of a wife and mother. Her household work cannot be neglected, and so she works on and silently suffers. In nearly every case her suffering takes the form of backaches and pains in the side. Her appetite is poor, and the least exertion leaves her breathless, and yet she heroically struggles on with her manifold daily tasks. The whole trouble lies in the blood, which is either scanty or impoverished, so that the food she does take does not carry nourishment to the nerves, the brain and the body. Anæmia is the medical term for this condition, and unless steps are taken to increase the blood supply, the sufferer may pass into the hopeless decline. To enrich the blood and increase its supply there is no medicine equal to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, which fills the veins, strengthens the nerves, aids digestion, and stimulates the whole body. Through the fair use of these pills, backaches and sideaches and aching headaches disappear, and the former sufferer has new energy and new interest in life. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by dealers in medicine everywhere or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

THE MERCHANTS CORNER

"Remember the Bicycle," would be a good sign to hang up in every advertising office, to point out to the horrible example of the results of cutting off advertising. Newspaper publicity made the bicycle popular at \$100, and sold them so rapidly that the leading manufacturers made fortunes. Then came competition and price cutting, and still larger sales at \$30 to \$50. To save the \$2,000,000 annually spent on advertising somebody suggested consolidation of the principal concerns. The program went through, the \$2,000,000 was saved, and about \$22,000,000 of annual business disappeared into ethereal nothingness.



EARL OF READING'S FAREWELL TO BENCH. The picture shows the last appearance of the Earl of Reading in British law courts, prior to his leaving to become British Ambassador to the United States.

FIVE MINUTES CURE IF STOMACH IS BAD

When "Pape's Diapensin" reaches stomach all indigestion, Gas and Sourness disappears. You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diapensin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over. Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should cut something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and turns gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapensin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.



CANADIAN BRIGADIER GOES TO IMPERIALS Brig.-Gen. A. D. MacKae, Canadian Quartermaster-General, who is accepting an Imperial appointment shortly. He is a big British Columbia man with large banking and fishing interests. He has also great fishing interests in a sporting way as well as being a fine shot and horseman.

NATIONALIST IS IN ARMAGH SEAT

"First Ambassador of Irish Republic" Defeated. IS NOW IN A N.Y. JAIL Was Arrested in Halifax on Conspiracy Charge in October Last. London, Feb. 3.—The Nationalists have succeeded, after a sharp contest, in retaining the Parliamentary seat for South Armagh, which was made vacant by the death of Charles O'Neil, who was killed while fighting at the front. P. Donnelly, Nationalist, was elected, receiving 2,163 votes, against 1,017 polled by Dr. Thomas McCarty, a Sinn Feiner. Dr. McCarty has been called the "First Ambassador of the Irish Republic," and he was arrested in Halifax last October in connection with his alleged activities in a plot for a new Irish rebellion, but later was released and taken to New York to answer a charge of having fraudulently obtained an American passport.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS ALL KIDNEY DISEASE RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE DIABETES BACKACHE WATER 23 THE PRODUCE MARKET

AMID GENERAL MOURNING

The Last Sad Rites Were Paid to Mr. R. Henry Ex-M.P. Representative Men Were Present From City and County and Outside Points.

No more striking illustration of the exceedingly high place which Mr. Robert Henry, ex M.P. held in the esteem of all classes could have been forthcoming than was afforded on Saturday afternoon when the friends of the old days assembled to pay their last sad respects to him and to his memory. Residential absence for seventeen years from any community usually leads to general forgetfulness with reference to any former citizen, but this was most emphatically not the case in this instance and the obsequies were marked by a most notable demonstration of public sorrow. Leading residents from the city and county alike took part, including Senator Fisher, Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., Mr. J. H. Ham, M.P., Mr. Brewster, ex-M.P., Judge Hardy, members of the Board of Trade and members of the city and county councils, so on. Those from outside places comprised among others: Col. Gole, London, Joseph Kidd (Godrich), M. G. Cameron (Godrich), A. B. Drake (Windsor), T. B. Mothershill (Windsor), D. Johnson (Windsor), representing St. Andrews Presbyterian Church there, J. Welsh (Hamilton) Hon. Adam Brown (Hamilton), P. Donaldson (Toronto), Mrs. Hope (Toronto), Mrs. Brown (Montreal), Dr. Revell (Windsor).

The chief mourners were Stuart Henry, youngest son, Mr. J. Stevenson Brown, brother-in-law, of Montreal, and Mr. John Colter.

A private service was first held at the house, 126 Darling street, to which about a month ago he had come in order to spend his last days in the surroundings which had always been so dear to his heart. The Rev. Archdeacon MacKenzie and Rev. Mr. Woodside of Zion church, officiated. Dr. Mackenzie, in a beautiful address, made reference to his long acquaintance with the deceased whom he had known for the best part of forty years. He had noted with pride his career as a loving son, a devoted husband and a kind friend, good citizen and honorable business man. In Municipal and public life also, he had rendered service of much worth and above all he was a man of deep religious conviction and faith, two characteristics which he possessed without ostentation, but which were doubtless all the more sincere by reason of that fact.

From the residence the cortege wended its way to Zion church where a large congregation had assembled. The great array of floral offerings extended the full length of the pulpit platform. As the procession wended its way down the aisle, Mr. Wright, organist, played Chopin's funeral march, and at the close the Dead March in Saul. Two hymns were solemnly sung, "Hold Thou My Hand, Scattered Am I and Helpless," and "Nearer My God to Thee," and Miss Senn and Miss Anguish rendered a beautiful duet, "Saviour, Oh Draw Me Nearer to Thee." Rev. Mr. Woodside delivered a most inspiring address and during the course of his remarks said that although Mr. Henry had only been recently known to him, he had heard many tributes to his upright career in all the relations of life, and his large hearted consideration and generosity to those in sorrow or distress. He had passed to a larger life and the bereaved had the assurance of a happy reunion in the time to come.

The honorary pall bearers were Senator Fisher, W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., Major Hamilton, F. Donaldson, (Toronto), J. Y. Morton, Ex-Mayor, Bowby, G. H. Wilkes, H. Stroud, (Paris), Lt.-Col. H. Cockshutt, M.P., S. Suddaby, The pall bearers, Lt.-Col. Wilkes, E. W. Wain, K.C., J. Sutherland, A. K. Bunnell, Geo. Watt and F. D. Reville. The magnificent floral tributes included wreaths from Harper Hospital, Detroit, the wholesale grocery trade, London, the Brantford Conservative Association. Other tokens came from Quebec, Ottawa, Montreal, Hamilton, Toronto, London, Goderich and Windsor. The accompanying card from Hon. Adam Brown read, "In loving remembrance of my old and honored friend Robert Henry, a lover of his good men."

At the close of the church service those present filed past to take a last farewell look of him whom they had loved so well.

Interment took place in the family plot in Greenwood Cemetery. Thus

WRIGLEYS For Your Soldier!



"Bless the girl! She never forgets to keep me well stocked with WRIGLEYS. Teeth, breath, appetite and digestion all benefit from it. Thirst and fatigue fade away. Pick returns by its magic aid." The Flavour Lasts



MATTRESSES Your feather bed made into a sanitary ten roll mattress. COMFORTERS A beautiful down comforter made from your old feather bed. PILLOWS Your pillows cleaned and disinfected, \$1.00 per pair; also recovered with best art ticking. FEATHERS Highest price paid for old or new feathers. Dominion Mattress Co. 164 MARKET STREET Phone 1922.

WILSON'S "The National Smoke" BACHELOR CIGAR 3 for 25¢ Cheaper by the Box. Say "Bachelor" when you want a really good cigar. Clear Havana filler. Finest Sumatra Wrapper. An imported value at a domestic price. ANDREW WILSON & CO. TORONTO

IN The B... (By L... I stood in... looked down... away from... hide and see... ed rubble... until it nee... face of a di... One night... had been ca... trench on a... to that she... behind, and... and of men... through the... tentless river... East, where... flame played... hill. Next morn... they would... Man's Land... same road w... highway of p... of flame wou... up the hill, a... great heath... home. Then I tur... what had be... was No Man... walked, and... ed to my kn... tacles of saps... between moun... the full white... craters. For month... had lived, and... those deep re... after weary d... red face of t... same low ridg... was that sau... landscape in f... We could fo... the windings... which nothing... the edge of a... vanish finally... ridge into the... through perie... trenches in fr... recrossing ea... range of ga... astronomer ga... scope at the... wonder what... dwell in them... haps, in the f... grey figure cr... one trench to... his every move... curiosity as if... from another p... The old Or... around the wor... and terrible ri... Okeanos, but O... not a greater h... terious than th...

IN THE TRACK OF THE STORM

The Battle Field of Last Year Becomes The Wilderness of This, And a New Line Is Set Up, Nearer to Victory

(By Lieut. J. P. Lloyd).
I stood in No Man's Land, and looked down along the narrow alley in the chalk, that wound away from the firing line, playing hide and seek among the blackened rubble heap of a dead village, until it merged into the white surface of a distant road.

One night many months ago, I had been carried down that same trench on a stretcher, and out on to that shell-torn brimming road behind, and passed through thousands of men who marched silently through the darkness, like a relentless river, always towards the East, where leaping fountains of flame played along the brow of the hill.

Next morning, before daybreak, they would swarm out across No Man's Land. To-morrow, this same road would be a teaming highway of pain, and the fountains of flame would blaze a little higher up the hill, and there would be great headlines in the papers at home.

Then I turned, and walked along what had been No Man's Land, but was now No Man's Land no longer. I walked, and the tall grasses reached to my knees, between the trenches of saps that twisted snakelike between mounds of earth, and along the full white lips of the great craters.

For months after weary months we had lived, and died some of us, in those deep reeking trenches. Day after weary day we had seen the red face of the sun rise behind the same low ridge. And always there was that same unchanging lifeless landscape in front of us.

We could follow with our glasses the windings of a white road, which nothing moved, that skirted the edge of a leafless wood to vanish finally over the crest of the ridge into the unknown—we looked through periscopes at the maze of trenches in front of us, crossing and recrossing each other in a bewildering tangle of design, much as an astronomer gazes through his telescope at the face of Mars, and wonder what manner of people dwell in them. Occasionally, perhaps, in the far distance, we see a grey figure crossing quickly from one trench to another, and dwell on his every movement with as much curiosity as if he were a being from another planet.

The old Greeks believed that around the world there ran a great and terrible river which they called Okeanos, but Okeanos itself was not a greater barrier nor more mysterious than this narrow band of torn

and tortured earth, which was the boundary of our world and which we called No Man's Land.
By day it had been silent and deserted. Nothing could move there and live. Along its edges ran a jungle of barbed wire autumn red with rust. But by night, when men went out to slay, it was full of creeping shadows, beneath the blazing vault of the star shells. And always, hidden away here and there in the open spaces or along the edges of the great yawning craters, lay quiet bundles of khaki or field grey—for our river Okeanos had taken heavy toll of those who sought to unshock its mysteries. In the summer the rank grass covered them, and blood red poppies nodded to each other across them, and the wind breathed softly over them.

So I walked in No Man's Land, where death had once had his hunting ground; and only the fleecy clouds that were born suddenly out of the summer sky far beyond the ridge, and the low thunder of a distant gun proclaimed that he still stalked abroad. Here where men had fought and died on the earth and beneath it, and in the sky above, the earth, there was peace. The wind sighed through the grass between the crumbling trenches. Not far away a bird sang. It was like walking up from an evil dream to feel the warm sunlight streaming down. Now and again, a sly coil of wire caught in my feet as I walked. The bundles of field grey and khaki were already fairly bowls of green.

Nature is quick to forget. She was beginning to heal the ugly scars inflicted by man, as though ashamed of her nakedness. Along the edge of the trenches, the shell holes were already fairly bowls of green.
There was no smoke of fires rising that morning along the line of earth works, no periscopes glittered in the sun along the parapets.

I climbed down into what had been our trenches in the old days. The water had gathered in pools in the hollows. The places, that had once hummed with life, were now desolate and fallen into decay. I walked from end to end of the familiar alley in the chalk. A thousand forgotten things flocked back to my memory, a glimpse of the shattered bulk of a ruined house round a bend of the trench, the splintered stump of a willow tree on the parapet, whose shadow fell across the trench in the morning, the narrow passage between



DECIDING WHO IS BOSS—Grain Growers Guide, Winnipeg.

lowering shiny walls of blue sandbags, that led to the mineshaft. The dugouts had fallen in, or were leaning crazily on their rotten posts. They were empty, save for the rats that lurked still in them. Here and there the trench was blocked by a cascade of earth, where the sides had crumbled away. The first steps where men had stood, night after night, keeping patient watch, had slid slowly down to the bottom of the trench. Along the parapet, the rotting sandbags hung in tatters, flapping miserably in the wind. Between their joints, a few shy blades of grass were pushing their way into the sunlight.

It was now a city of the dead, but, in my imagination, I could still hear echoing along those wet walls, the songs and laughter of merry-faced boys, who, many of them, were gone for ever.

Then I climbed out of the trench into the open, and walked across the quiet fields to the white road, which led over the ridge towards the east, where the shrapnel was bursting in little clouds above the new firing line.

THE LAST COUNT FOR BIG JOHN L.

Boston Gladiator Dead After Notable Ring Career.

Abington, Mass., Feb. 2.—John L. Sullivan, formerly the heavy-weight champion of America, died at his home here to-day. Sullivan, who was 53 years of age, had lived on a farm here for the last ten years. He was taken ill with heart trouble three weeks ago, but his health quickly improved, and he went to Boston yesterday. This morning he arose as usual and planned another visit to the city, but during the forenoon had an attack of the old trouble from which he failed to rally. He died at noon. Sullivan's wife died some months ago.

John L. Sullivan was one of the most remarkable personages associated with the present style of glove fighting. He sprang up on the demise of the old prize ring and for the spread and popularity of which he was in a large degree responsible. He was born in Boston nearly sixty years ago, and his early career was known as "the Boston Strong Boy." His first notable appearance was when he knocked out Joe Cross in a match in the Boston Music Hall in 1879. Following his victory over Flood on a barge in the Hudson River, near Yonkers, N.Y., he was recognized as a top-notch fighter and went on an exhibition tour, offering the modest sum of \$50 to any man he could not stop in four rounds with regulation gloves. Matched with the champion of America, Paddy Ryan, the young Bostonian won the title and the stake of \$5,000 a side in a battle at Mississippi City. It took only ten minutes of fighting for Sullivan to establish his superiority, and John went about the country with an offer now raised to \$1,000 to any man who could stay four rounds with him. Hosts of ambitious boxers accepted the offer, but none earned the money until "Tut" Wilson, a Leicester, England, pugilist,

MOUNT PLEASANT

(From Our Own Correspondent).

The severe weather has been an unusual experience for all the residents of our village and the vicinity. Hardly anyone can recall such steadily cold weather as we have had since the winter began.

A good deal of wood is being cut for private use and also for sale at Brantford.

Mrs. John McLaren has been confined to the house for some time and is still under the doctor's care. Mr. J. C. Biggar has been laid up for a few days, but he is now beginning to improve.

The attendance at all the churches last Sunday was not seriously affected by the weather. The Methodist Church is holding service in the basement to save fuel as they have a large auditorium and it takes a great deal of fuel to heat it. Their church attendance was good. The services at All Saints' Anglican Church were well attended, and the services were of a bright hearty character, the Holy Communion being administered.

The Rev. E. Sotley and family, late of Terrace Hill, Brantford, have moved into the village. Mr. Sotley was the rector here some 18 years ago and served All Saints' Church and St. Paul's at Kelvin.

Mrs. D. Smith has been ill for some little time.

The young people of Mt. Pleasant and vicinity held an enjoyable sleigh ride party at Oakland a few evenings ago.

The thermometer registered 16 degrees below zero on Friday morning. The chief occupation of many people in this cold weather is to keep warm.

The long expected carload of coal has not yet arrived. However, most people have managed to get along so far.

TORONTO WOMAN GAINS 22 POUNDS

"I Cannot Find Words To Express My Gratitude She Declares.

"I can hardly find words to express the gratitude I really feel over my wonderful increase in weight, health and strength," said Mrs. Evelyn Buffee, recently in one of the most interesting and remarkable statements yet published in connection with Tanlac in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Buffee reside at 295 St. Helen avenue, Toronto, and are well known and respected in their community.

"I have not only gained twenty-two pounds," she continued, "but my health is better than it has been in years and now I know for myself how wonderful Tanlac is. For six years my stomach had been so out of order that I couldn't digest my food properly and nothing agreed with me. I seemed to be full of gas all the time, which bloated me up badly causing intense pains in my stomach and sides. I was also subject to spells of sick headache. I was often unable to retain anything I had eaten and I was so sick, weak and dizzy at times I just had to give up my work completely and take to my bed. My nerves were so shattered that I was right shaky and I couldn't get any sound sleep at night. I was very bilious all the time and my whole system seemed to be out of shape. I lost weight and became so rundown that I just felt worn-out, tired and miserable nearly all the time and none of the many medicines I tried did me one bit of good.

"It's just awful to be in such a fix so long and many a time before I got Tanlac I have wondered if there was anything made that could help me. So my joy can be imagined when after taking Tanlac a few days I commenced to feel better. When I found it was helping me, I, of course, kept on taking it and gradually improved until now my stomach never bothers me any more. It just seemed when my stomach began to get right my feelings began to leave me and I commenced to gain in weight and strength. I haven't had one of those awful headaches since I began taking Tanlac. My nerves are perfectly calm, I sleep like a child and the change in my condition is nothing less than wonderful. I certainly do think Tanlac is the best medicine made and deserves the highest praise."

Tanlac is sold in Brantford by Milton H. Robertson and Co., Ltd., 100 Front Street East, Brantford, by Mr. A. V. Johnson, and in Middleport by William Peddie.

succeeded by running away, clinching and falling until the time had expired. Charlie Mitchell, the English champion, was beaten in three rounds, when the police stopped the contest. Herbert Shade, a Maori, was brought from New Zealand with a great reputation, but he was put out in the third round by Sullivan.

Nobody in America had any chance with him, every one he met being disposed of in short order, and he went to England in 1887, where he had no serious opposition until a match was made with Charlie Mitchell for a slide under prize ring rules. They met at Apremont, France, and here Sullivan received his first check. Mitchell outgeneraled the big Englishman, who tired badly in the dust and mud with this elusive opponent, a much lighter man. After they had been in the ring for three hours and eleven minutes the draw was declared. Returning to America he defeated Jake Kilrain for \$10,000 a side under prize ring rules at Richburg, Miss., in 75 rounds.

Walking to the stage, where he made a failure, and in the course of which he visited Australia, he again returned to the ring and met his first defeat at the hands of James J. Corbett at New Orleans, in 1892, the battle lasting 21 rounds, though Sullivan's free living had told greatly on his ability against the most wonderful fighter of his time, perhaps of any time, he never was technically the champion of the world because of drawing the color line.

Had blood—that is, blood that is pure or impoverished, thin and pale—is responsible for more ailments than anything else. It affects every organ and function. In some cases it causes catarrh; in others, dyspepsia; in others, rheumatism; and in still others, weak, tired, languid feelings and worse troubles. It is responsible for run-down conditions, and is the most common cause of disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest purifier and enricher of the blood the world has ever known. It has been wonderfully successful in removing scrofula and other humors, increasing the red-blood corpuscles, and purifying the whole system. Get it today.

Courier Daily Pattern Service

VALUABLE SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HANDY HOME-MAKER—ORDER ANY PATTERN THROUGH THE COURIER, STATE SIZE.

CHILD'S ONE PIECE DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

A simple design for the first short dress is illustrated in No. 8566. It hangs straight from the shoulders and flares prettily at the lower edge. The neck is cut square and the front of the dress is gathered to it. The bishop sleeves are full length, and they are gathered into the armholes and again at the wrists, where they are finished with straight bands. A straight ruffle for the lower edge is included in the pattern, but this may be omitted if preferred.

The children's one piece dress pattern No. 8566 is cut in four sizes—½, 1, 2 and 3 years. As on the figure, the one year size requires 1½ yards 27 inch, or 1¾ yards 30 inch, with 1½ yards insertion and 1¼ yards edging.

To obtain this pattern send 15 cents to The Courier, Brantford. Any two patterns for 25 cents.



THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S



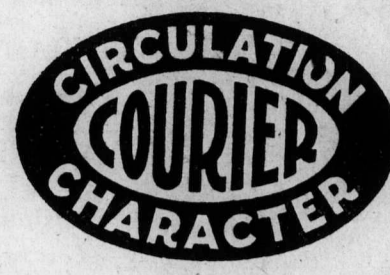
COURIER "Classified" Advertising Pays

RATES: Wants, For Sale, To Let, Lost and Found, Business Changes, etc., 10 words or less; 1 insertion, 15c; 2 insertions, 25c; 3 insertions, 35c. Over 10 words, 1 cent per word; 12 cent per word each subsequent insertion.

Coming Events—Two cents a word each insertion. Minimum ad., 25 words.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, Memorial Notices and Cards of Thanks, 50c per insertion.

Above rates are strictly cash with the order. For information on advertising, phone 133.



Buy, Sell, Rent, Lease, Hire or secure a situation. Use Courier Classified Columns.

Don't close that empty room. Rent it through a Courier Classified Advt. It's easy.

Male Help Wanted

- WANTED**—Man for delivery at once. J. T. Wallace. M/4
- WANTED**—At once experienced man for delivery. Apply Benwell Fish Co., 43 Dalhousie. M/43
- WANTED**—A first class plumber. T. J. Minnes & Co. M/47
- WANTED**—Bright intelligent youth from fifteen to seventeen for junior position in office. Apply Waterloo Engine Works.
- WANTED**—A good smart boy with some experience of Grocery business. Good chance for advancement. Apply 143 William street. M/51
- WANTED**—Steady teamster. Apply Walsh Coal yard. M/49ft

Legal

BREWSTER & HEYD—Barristers, etc., Solicitors for the Royal Loan and Savings Co., the Bank of Hamilton, etc. Money to loan at lowest rates. W. S. Brewster, K. C., Geo. D. Heyd.

FRNEST R. READ—Barrister, Solicitor, Notary public, etc. Money to loan on improved real estate at current rates and on easy terms. Office 121 1-2 Colborne St. Phone 487.

JONES AND HEWITT—Barristers, etc., Solicitors. Solicitors for the Bank of Nova Scotia. Money to loan. Offices: Bank of Hamilton Chambers Colborne and Market Sts. Bell phone 604. S. Alfred Jones, K. C., H. S. Hewitt.

Elocution

MISS SQUIRE will resume her classes in psychology, elocution, oratory, dramatic art, and literature on Monday, October 1st. All subjects are taught on the Mind Development principle. Studio 12 Peel street.

Boy's Shoes

HAND MADE, machine finished, all solid leather, sizes 11 to 5. All, so shoe repairing of all kinds. W. S. Pettit, 10 South Market street.

For Rent

TO LET—Central offices, suitable for photographer, dentist, or insurance, with vault. A. J. Whelan. T/27

Chiropractic

CARRIE M. HESS, D. C., AND FRANK CROSS, D. C.—Graduates of the Universal Chiropractic College, Davenport, Ia. Office in Ballantyne Building, 195 Colborne St. Office hours 9:30 a.m., 11:30 and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Evenings by appointment Phone Bell 2025.

DR. E. L. HANSELMAN—Graduate Chiropractor, all diseases skillfully treated, diseases peculiar to women a specialty no cure no pay. Office and residence 222 Dalhousie.

FOUND

FOUND—In Royal Cafe two pair of glasses and small parcel. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for ad. L/3

Architects

WILLIAM C. TILLEY—Registered Architect, Member of the Ontario Association of Architects. Office, 11 Temple Building, Phone 1937.

Shoe Repairing

BRING your Repairs to Johnson's Electric Shoe Repair store, Eagle Place. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 497 Machine.

SHEPPARD'S 73 Colborne Street—Electric Shoe Repairing. Work guaranteed. Phone. Bell 1207 Automatic 207.

Professional

DR. L. G. PEARCE, Specialist in Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office: Bank of Commerce Building. Hours: 1:30 to 5 p.m. Other hours by appointment. Phone. Office: Bell 1855, machine 568. Residence Bell 2420.

Female Help Wanted

- WANTED**—A good woman to clean office. Apply, personally. The Pratt & Letchworth, Co., Ltd. F/47
- WANTED**—Assistant cook. Best wages. Apply matron. Ontario School of the Blind. F/29ft
- WANTED**—Good plain cook, for house of Refuge by Feb. 1. Phone 220. F/37ft

WANTED—Good general, small family, nurse, housemaid kept. Good wages, 50 Chestnut Ave., phone 943. F/28 ft

WANTED—Young Lady to assist in store. Apply in writing to Box 115, Courier Office. F/6

WANTED—Woman for kitchen work. Apply Assembly Cafe. F/53

WANTED—Five girls for machine work or hand work, only steady girls wanted, good pay and steady work. Call at factory or phone 1914. Niagara Silk Co. F/6

WANTED—Junior for dress goods department. Must have had two to three years' experience. Good opportunity for bright young man. Apply E. B. Crompton & Co. Limited. F/5

LADIES WANTED—to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance, charges paid. Send stamps for particulars. National Manufacturing Co., Montreal. Feb. 9.

WANTED—Would you like \$1 to \$2 daily at home, knitting work on auto knitters' experience unnecessary. Sen 3-cent stamp. Department 12, C. Auto Knitter Company, College St., Toronto.

WANTED—Have a client wanting 25 or 50 acre farm for exchange. L. Parsons, Kerby Bk. W/6

WANTED TO RENT—House near Cocksbutt's Plow Works. Apply Paris Post Office, Mrs. Routh. M/W/4

WANTED—I can sell your cottage if location is right. L. Parsons, Kerby Bk. W/6

WANTED—Furnished rooms or small house. Apply Supt. Brown, Massey Harris Co. W/53

WANTED—If you have a house, farm, or garden property for sale list with L. Parsons, Kerby Bk. W/6

WANTED—House by Feb. 1st or March 1st. Careful tenant, no small children. Apply Box 109 Courier. W/33

WANTED—Furnished room in fully modern house with use of kitchen. Must be central. Apply Box 106 Courier.

Wanted—Warm room, single, central, reasonable. Apply Box 399 Courier.

SKATES hollow ground by new electrical method. J. W. King. General repairing, 150 Dalhousie Street. Jan/27

WANTED—Old False Teeth; don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail F. Teri, 403 N. Wolfe St. Baltimore, Md., Feb. 8.

EARN \$25 WEEKLY, Men wanted in all cities and villages by Large Grocery Corporation (capital \$50,000) all goods sold at factory prices to families. Redpath's granulated sugar \$6.50 cwt., 7 bars Comfort Surprise, Sunlight or Gold Soap 25c. Agents profit \$1.60 on every \$2.00 sale. Outfit free. The Consumers Association, Windsor, Ont.

Dental

DR. RUSSELL, Dentist—Latest American methods of painless dentistry, 201 Colborne St., opposite the Market over Western Counties Office. Phone 806.

Situations Vacant

YOU CAN MAKE \$25 TO \$75 weekly, writing show cards at home; easily learned by our simple method; no canvassing or soliciting. We sell your work. Write for particulars. American Show Card School, 801 Yonge street, Toronto. SV—Feb/28

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

Articles For Sale

- FOR SALE**—Cheap. Parlor Pool table with accessories. 25 Brunswick.
- FOR SALE**—Hard Wood, cut 12 to 14 inches, suitable for stove or furnace. \$5.50 delivered. J. L. Kenrick. Phone Bell 1353 or 551 A37ft
- FOR SALE**—Potatoes, \$2.50 per bag delivered 98 Wellington. Phone 2882. A/53

FOR SALE—To close out an Estate Farm 5 miles north east of Brantford, 110 acres Also house 153 Marlborough street. Apply to Andrew L. Baird K. C. Temple Bldg.

FOR SALE—Hard Wood, cut 12 to 14 inches, suitable for stove or furnace. \$5.50 delivered. J. L. Kenrick. Phone Bell 1353 or 551 A37ft

FOR SALE—Two cars wood 10 to 12 inches dry \$4 cord delivered. 16-inch dry \$5 cord delivered. Standard Seed and Grain Co., 26 George Street, Phone 900. A/10

FOR SALE—Party having 2 pianos will sell at a bargain. In perfect condition, used only a short time. Monthly payments accepted. Box 112 Courier. A/43

FOR SALE—Get Delone's Magic Oil for Lumbago, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Bronchitis, Inflammation, Croup, Etc. Gives immediate relief. For sale at all leading druggists.

FOR SALE—Wood, hard dry wood the finest quality cut 12 inches long \$4.50 a cord 32 feet. Furnace blocks \$4.00 per cord. Furnace blocks \$4 cord or \$3.00 per cord at the bush. Delivered to an part of the city. Theo. W. Martin, 548 Colborne street, Bell phone 2450. A/48

FOR SALE—Hardwood, Beech and Hard Maple of the very best quality. Cut suitable for any stove or furnace. Stove wood 12 to 14 inches \$4.00 per cord. Furnace blocks \$4 cord or \$3.00 per cord at the bush. Delivered to an part of the city. Theo. W. Martin, 548 Colborne street, Bell phone 2450. A/48

JEWELRY—On easy payments. Our stock is large and the prices low. Diamonds watches, rings etc. Use the articles while you are paying. Write for my prices on diamonds. Courier. Box 383.

FOR SALE—Office desks, typewriting desks, typewriter machines, office chairs, office safe, motor trucks, trailers, and truck bodies. Selling out the assets of the Brantford Motor Truck Company. Everything goes, regardless of price. Goods can be seen at 31 Jarvis street. Phone 1397. R. O. Cumback. A/48

Osteopathic

DR. CHRISTIE IRWIN—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy is now at 38 Nelson street. Office hours; 9 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 5 p.m. Bell telephone 1380.

DR. E. L. HANSELMAN—Graduate Chiropractor, all diseases skillfully treated, diseases peculiar to women a specialty no cure no pay. Office and residence 222 Dalhousie. Bell Phone 1318.

DR. C. H. SAUDER—Graduate American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri, Office Suite 6, Temple Building, 76 Dalhousie St., Brantford, 32 Wellington St., office phone 1544, house phone 2125. Office hours: 9 to 12 a.m. 2 to 5 p.m. evening by appointment at the house or office.

DR. GANDIER, Bank of Hamilton Building, Hours 9 to 6, Evenings, Tuesday and Saturday. Graduate under Discoverer. Osteopathy re-adjusts all parts of the human body, restoring freedom of nerve energy and blood flow which are the greatest essentials of good health.

Homework

WOULD you like \$1 or \$2 daily at home knitting work on Auto Knitters' Experience unnecessary. Send 3c stamp. Dept. 12C, Auto Knitter Company, College St., Toronto. D/17

DR. C. B. ECKEL AND DR. N. W. BRAGO—Eye, ear, nose and throat specialists Office 65 Brant Avenue. Bell Telephone 1012, Machine 101. Office hours 10 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m.

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Remedy. Restores and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood. Debility, Mental and Brain Weakness, Loss of Energy, Fatigue, Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, etc. One will please, it will cure. Sold by all druggists and mail order. Price \$1 per box, 4 for \$3.50. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., WINDSOR, ONT., CANADA

Lost

LOST—Pair of spectacles between Verity's and Eagle Ave. Return to Verity's Office. L/37

LOST—On Friday between Assembly Cafe and Street Railway office purse containing sum of money, papers, and owners name. Liberal reward return Assembly Cafe. L/53

Contractor

JOHN MCGRAW AND SON, contractors. Get our tender before you build. Office phone 1227, Residence phone 1228. 5 King street.

Bel Phone 560 - Automatic 550

The Gentlemen's Valet

CLEANING, PRESSING DYEING AND REPAIRING LADIES WORK A SPECIALTY

Goods called for and delivered on the shortest notice. G. H. W. BECK, 132 Market St.

Girls Wanted

Girls for various departments of knitting mill, good wages, light work. Previous experience not necessary. The Watson Manufacturing Co., Ltd.,holmedale.

Electric Work

Patronize the Returned Soldier for your electrical work. Electrical wiring, repairs and supplies.

W. BUTLER

Electrical Contractor 322 COLBORNE ST. Bell 1589. Automatic 402

For Women's Ailments

Dr. Martel's Female Pills have been ordered by physicians and sold by reliable Druggists everywhere for a quarter of a century, don't accept a substitute.

FISH AND CHIP RESTAURANT

Everything Clean and Fresh. Try us for your Fish Dinner. Meals at all hours.

T. HOBDAY, Prop. 145 1/2 Dalhousie Street. Opp. Old Post Office. Open Evenings until 12 o'clock

The Place to Eat

"Our service is a service that we take pride in." Regular Dinner from 11 to 2. Supper from 5 to 8. 25c and 30c

Mrs. Thompson, Prop. Oxtario Quick Lunch Phone 2652. 63 Dalhousie St. OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

Municipal WOOD FOR SALE

\$3.50 DELIVERED First-class quality, orders taken at Hartman's, 230 Colborne St. Stove Wood

W. J. BRAGG, Chairman Building and Grounds Committee

Children Ory FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CHRIST-LIKE IN SACRIFICE

Are Canada's Hero Sons Overseas, Declared Stewart Lyon of Toronto.

SPOKE IN THE CITY

Spirit of Heroism Latent in the Breast of Every Fighting Man.

"War does not make heroism, but merely the opportunity for the heroism that is latent within all," declared Stewart Lyon, editor of the Toronto Globe and former Canadian Press Correspondent on the west front, addressing the local Travelers' Club at a noon-day luncheon in the Y.M.C.A. Saturday. Mr. Lyon, whose epic of the battlefield forces, and their operations were directed against Hill 70, so named because of its elevation (79 metres) above sea level. Here Mr. Lyon paused to refute charges often laid against the higher command of being made upon the lives of their men. No one, he declared would have been more considerate of the lives entrusted to their care than the higher officers of the Canadian corps, which with back the drive for weeks after all was in readiness, to guard against any needless loss of life.

Capture of Hill 70.

The speaker drew a vivid word picture of the early morning assault, preceded by a great barrage fire in the gray light of dawn, with flaming oil burning overhead, not used as the German gas, as a barbaric weapon of warfare, but for illuminating purposes and to strike terror to the heart of the foe. "The fireworks of the Toronto exhibition," declared Mr. Lyon, "are nothing compared to those which precede a battle." The entire crest of Hill 70 was swept over in three hours an advance of fifteen hundred yards being made upon a front of 500. Day after day the Hun came back in vain efforts to win back the Canadian gains; day after day the flower of the German army, hundreds of thousands of men upon a hundred yards, until the German losses mounted to 27,000 in the period that the Canadians lost 9,700.

The Spirit of Heroes.

"It is manhood that counts in the last analysis," declared the speaker. Among the instances of heroism he told of Harry Brown, who fought his way through the enemy barrage fire from an advanced position, and dropped dead at division headquarters two hours later, after delivering the message which spelled the salvation of his comrades of Frederick Hobson, who held a communication trench against forty German machine-guns of whom he killed single handed before he himself went under, of Pierre Odette, a French-Canadian of the 22nd Battalion, who mounted upon the parapet and held an advancing home at bay until he was blown to pieces by machine gun fire. The families of the first two mentioned had received the Victoria Cross for the valor of their dead heroes, and the speaker expressed the hope that some French-Canadian home might yet be gladdened by the same honor, won by Odette. All of these men had gone forth to what they knew must prove certain death, in order to save their fellows. "In the minds of even the ordinary fighting man," declared Mr. Lyon, "there is a God-given, absolutely Christ-like in the sacrifice of self."

For Another's Sake

It was not alone in the taking of life that Mr. Lyon pointed out, but in the saving as well; the speaker recounted graphically the gallantry of an army surgeon, working in a shell crater over a badly wounded man; the crater was filled with gas but when the light failed at a critical moment, the surgeon tore off his gas mask and braved the deadly fumes in order better to see how to continue his work of mercy. Heroism is not made by war, declared the speaker, but merely the opportunity for the heroism which is latent in all.

What War Is.

Telling of the manner in which wounded and dead sank into the mire at Passchendaele, never to re-appear, the speaker dwelt with glowing emphasis of the true significance of war, the tremendous effort, the utter sacrifice and disregard of self in order to carry the cause to victory. He closed by delivering to his hearers a message from the veterans of the first contingent, pleading for a curtness for those who had undergone the horrors of three years of war on the west front.

Vote of Thanks

"Mr. Lyon's message to us is one well worth taking to heart by all," declared Mayor MacBride, in moving a vote of thanks. "We must carry on at home if we expect our boys at the front to do the same."

"The hearts of all of us must beat the faster after hearing these things from such an observer of the human side of the war," declared W. B. Preston, seconding the vote, which was expressed by a salvo of cheers from the entire gathering.

of Lens, which had been one of the first German objectives in the way along with the textile centre of Lille. With these points in her grasp, Germany, had Britain not entered the war, would have been able to force France to her knees within six months. Thus it was that the first rush of the Hun during the invasion of France was toward these points, which were the scene of sanguinary fighting during the earlier days of the war.

Battle of Vimy.

The battle of Vimy, where Canadians again proved their mettle, was largely an artillery battle, for without the deluge of shells poured upon the ridge the operations of the infantry must have failed. Twenty years from now, the speaker forecast, Vimy Ridge would still bear the scar of battle, huge shell craters, eighty and ninety feet in depth and correspondingly wide, standing, as the craters upon the face of the moon. Here the Canadian casualties were 14,500 in eight days, a small price when compared with the losses which British and French forces had sustained in previous attempts upon the same positions, attempts which failed because of less thorough artillery preparation than that made by the Canadians.

Careful of Men.

At this time Sir Arthur Currie assumed command of the Canadian forces, and their operations were directed against Hill 70, so named because of its elevation (79 metres) above sea level. Here Mr. Lyon paused to refute charges often laid against the higher command of being made upon the lives of their men. No one, he declared would have been more considerate of the lives entrusted to their care than the higher officers of the Canadian corps, which with back the drive for weeks after all was in readiness, to guard against any needless loss of life.

Capture of Hill 70.

The speaker drew a vivid word picture of the early morning assault, preceded by a great barrage fire in the gray light of dawn, with flaming oil burning overhead, not used as the German gas, as a barbaric weapon of warfare, but for illuminating purposes and to strike terror to the heart of the foe. "The fireworks of the Toronto exhibition," declared Mr. Lyon, "are nothing compared to those which precede a battle." The entire crest of Hill 70 was swept over in three hours an advance of fifteen hundred yards being made upon a front of 500. Day after day the Hun came back in vain efforts to win back the Canadian gains; day after day the flower of the German army, hundreds of thousands of men upon a hundred yards, until the German losses mounted to 27,000 in the period that the Canadians lost 9,700.

The Spirit of Heroes.

"It is manhood that counts in the last analysis," declared the speaker. Among the instances of heroism he told of Harry Brown, who fought his way through the enemy barrage fire from an advanced position, and dropped dead at division headquarters two hours later, after delivering the message which spelled the salvation of his comrades of Frederick Hobson, who held a communication trench against forty German machine-guns of whom he killed single handed before he himself went under, of Pierre Odette, a French-Canadian of the 22nd Battalion, who mounted upon the parapet and held an advancing home at bay until he was blown to pieces by machine gun fire. The families of the first two mentioned had received the Victoria Cross for the valor of their dead heroes, and the speaker expressed the hope that some French-Canadian home might yet be gladdened by the same honor, won by Odette. All of these men had gone forth to what they knew must prove certain death, in order to save their fellows. "In the minds of even the ordinary fighting man," declared Mr. Lyon, "there is a God-given, absolutely Christ-like in the sacrifice of self."

For Another's Sake