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News of Local Import.

Rockwood Fair to be Held To-day

The incessant rain last Friday morning and afternoon was very unfortunate for Rockwood Fair. A splendid exhibit had been placed in the hall and judged on Thursday, but owing to the storm there was very little live stock brought in and no visitors on Friday. The fair was consequently postponed until to-day—Thursday.

Missionary Convention To-day

The annual convention of the Women's Missionary Society of Guelph District will be held in the Methodist Church to-day. There will be sessions morning and afternoon. Addresses will be delivered by Mrs. Bigelow, of Toronto, and by Mrs. Jolliffe, missionary from Japan. The ladies of the local society will entertain the delegates to dinner and tea.

Social Evening at St. Alban's

An enjoyable social gathering was held at St. Alban's Parish Hall last Wednesday evening. A programme of entertaining music was given and brief addresses were made by Rev. I. M. Moyer, Rev. Father Cloedrow and Rev. A. C. Stewart. The tenor of the addresses was a spirit of welcome to Rev. Mr. Haugh, the new rector, and words of Christian fellowship.

Jurisdiction is Further Extended

H. P. Moore, Police Magistrate, whose jurisdiction was several months ago extended to the whole county of Halton, concurrently with that of Police Magistrate Biddle, of Oakville has been advised by the Attorney-General that his jurisdiction has been further extended to cover the townships of Erin and Eramosa. The department evidently intends to keep Mr. Moore busy.

Children's Day at St. Alban's

Next Sunday, being the third Sunday in October, is Children's Day throughout the Church of England in Canada. In St. Alban's Church, Acton a children's service will be held at 11 o'clock in which the senior boys will take part, the rector giving the address. At St. John's Church, Rockwood, the same service will be held at 3 o'clock. Parents are urged to encourage the Sunday School by their presence.

Church Union a Live Subject

The subject of church union is evidently a live topic, judging from the discussion in the various churches affected. Mr. H. P. Moore, who has been a member of the Union Committee from the outset when the basis of union was formed, has received a call to a meeting of the Union Committee of the Methodist Church to be held in Toronto, on the 19th inst., and to a meeting of the joint committee of the representatives of the Congregational, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches on the 20th.

Acton Stock Goes to Nova Scotia

Messrs. Leslie & Pearen sold three pure-bred Shorthorn cattle to the Nova Scotia Agricultural College. These were shipped a week ago and arrived safely at their destination. These fine animals were selected by Dr. Cummings and Prof. Truman of the Nova Scotia Agricultural College. Messrs. Leslie & Pearen now have the distinction of having sold pure-bred stock to customers on both the Atlantic and the Pacific coast. It is surely gratifying to these enterprising farmers to have customers from ocean to ocean.

The New Postage Rates

The officials at the local post office are having their troubles these days, owing to the fact that citizens have not yet become acquainted with the new postage rates which went into effect on October 1. As a result many letters and parcels have to be forwarded to their destination daily marked not sufficient postage." This applies particularly to Old Country mail on which the rate has been raised from 3 cents to 4 cents on an ordinary letter, and to foreign countries, where the postage is 10 cents for the first ounce and 5 cents for each additional ounce.

Visitors from New Hampshire in Town

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Thurston, of Littleton, N. H., arrived on Saturday to spend a week with Mrs. Thurston's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas. Mr. Thurston is a Page Parent graduate, who, like many others at one time members of our staff, has prospered and won a position of importance in his adopted city. He is mechanical superintendent of the Littleton Courier, with which journal he has been associated for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Thurston were married in Acton twenty-four years ago. At the end of the week they intend to go to Kimberley in Grey County to visit Mr. Thurston's mother. A family reunion, the first in over a quarter of a century, will be held there during their visit.

Alex. Monroe Returns from Japan

The following letter received during the week gives the interesting information that Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Monroe, who have been engaged in missionary work in Japan, are returning to Vancouver, B. C.

313 Suya,
Tukuoka-Cho,
Tokiya-Fu, Japan,
September 11th, 1921.

Dear Mr. Moore:

As we are leaving for Canada at the end of this month in connection with the mission work here, kindly send the Free Press to our home address, 2757 Wall Street, Vancouver. We do enjoy your paper very much. It is like a letter from home every week. We are able to say it comes very regularly, and when the boats arrive we can always look forward to the home letter.

Christian greetings to all.

Yours for the Master in Japan,
A. MUNROE.

Beloved Daughter Passed Away

The death occurred on Sunday, September 25, of Dorothy Reid, daughter of Thomas and Catherine Ramshaw, formerly of Acton, at Oshawa Hospital. The disease was tonsilitis and ear trouble. For six weeks the best physicians and special nurses labored night and day for her recovery, but in vain. For years Miss Ramshaw was a devoted Christian. She was leader in the Mission Band and active in the Sunday School. During her illness prayers were offered for her recovery in the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches. She was loved by all. They called her the little missionary. She was the joy and gladness of the home. The funeral was held from her father's residence to Prospect Cemetery, Toronto. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. There remains to mourn her loss her father and mother and two brothers, Leslie, of Toronto, and Garfield, of Oshawa.

The New Drinking Fountain

The new drinking fountain presented to the town by the Women's Institute is being installed in the front area at the Government Building, between the stone steps leading to the Customs House and the Post Office. The drainage system runs to Willow Street and thence to the Willow Street sewer. The area surrounding the new fountain, which has heretofore been a grass plot, will now be surfaced with concrete.

Acton Hydro Shop

With a view to supplying the citizens with all the latest electrical appliances at Hydro prices, and encouraging a greater use of electric current, the Acton Hydro Electric Commission will open a new Hydro shop in the old Post Office building next week. There will be on sale there electric lighting fixtures, irons, toasters, grills, heaters, ranges, washing machines, etc. The opening next week will be made an interesting feature.

Cement Roadway on Seventh Line

The laying of the ten-foot cement roadway on the seventh line in Trafalgar has been finished. It extends for nearly four and a quarter miles. This is rather record work, and the contractors are being congratulated on rushing it through so rapidly. All that remains is to place a shoulder along each side of the cement so as to permit vehicles to turn out in passing. In two or three weeks the whole stretch should be open for traffic. The lower two miles have been in use for some time, and the people of the district are delighted. The completion of this concrete roadway will be a precedent for other municipalities to construct roads of concrete.—Oakville Star.

Press Men Absent?

The only representative of the county press that we met at the fair last Saturday, was Joe Moore, of the Georgetown Herald, who was accompanied by Mrs. Moore and daughter. Where were the other fellows that they did not honor Halton's greatest with their presence?—Milton Reformer. Well, well! Now isn't it really funny the Reformer invented in a pair of reliable spectacles. The Free Press was represented by two members of the staff, Mr. G. A. Dills, foreman and reporter, was there with Mrs. Dills, and Mr. E. H. Vincent, linotype operator, was also present. But the editor of the Reformer did not honor Acton's great Fall Fair, open to the world, with his presence. He missed much.

Reviewing of Fall Fair Matters

A meeting of the directors of Acton Fall Fair was held on Tuesday afternoon to consider matters growing out of the recent fall fair. The receipts and expenditures were audited and it was found that notwithstanding the rain in the forenoon of the second day, which materially reduced the attendance, that the finances are in satisfactory condition, the receipts being just about equal to the expenditures. The directors were gratified with the report of the prize awarding. There was not a single protest at this year's fair. A few adjustments were made where palpable errors had been detected since the fair. The first prize for span of agricultural horses was taken by Duncan McDougall, instead of D. McDonald, as reported. The treasurer was authorized by resolution to pay all prizes and accounts on and after the 15th inst.

Prominent Georgetown Man Dies

Mr. Fred A. Harley, one of Georgetown's industrial leaders, died Saturday morning, after a few day's illness. He was born in Georgetown, 45 years ago, and had been intimately connected all his life with the industrial development of the town. He was President of Harley-Kay Co., Ltd., and a director of the Canada Needle Works, Ltd. Mr. Harley was an expert machinist, and developed an automatic knitting machine that has become widely known throughout Canada. About fifteen years ago he started in business for himself. In the past few years his business expanded greatly. He took an active interest in the community life of the town. He was a Past Master of Credit Lodge, A. F. & A. M., and a member of the Baptist Church. The recent extensions made to the Baptist Church were largely through his generosity. Mr. Harley is survived by his wife, one brother, Dean, Georgetown, and two sisters. The funeral on Monday was held under Masonic auspices.

Splendid Fair at Georgetown

One of the very best fairs ever held at Georgetown took place there last Thursday when the annual exhibition of Esquesing Agricultural Society was held. The weather was delightful and an unusually large attendance was the result. The showing in the hall was quite attractive. Many of the classes were well filled. There was a display of dressed fowl such as is rarely found at a township fair. The ladies departments were well maintained. The entries in roots and fruit were fewer than usual, as were also those of flowers, though some very fine floral designs were shown. The entries in horses were fully up to the average. Of course the hackneyed horse race was a feature. Home line cattle were on exhibition and the entries in poultry were numerous. There were fakirs everywhere. It looks very much as if they had congregated from all parts. Secretary Tracy was the busiest man in town during the fair. The directors are in great glee over the success of this year's exhibition.

Masterly Sermon by Rev. Dr. Graham

Sunday was Educational Anniversary day in the Methodist Churches of Guelph District. Rev. I. M. Moyer occupied his own pulpit in the morning and in the evening preached at Mimosa. At the evening service here the congregation was favored in having as the preacher the Rev. John W. Graham, D. D., LL. D., General Secretary of Education, Toronto. Dr. Graham based his inspiring and informational discourse on a unique, but what proved to be a very appropriate text, Isaiah 30: 20, "Yet shall not thy teachers be removed into a corner any more." He contended that Christ's action in setting the little child in the midst of them should be emulated to-day, and the teacher should be there with the child. The dignity and importance of the teacher's work was strongly emphasized. Dr. Graham gave interesting information respecting the educational institutions of the church, their high scholastic standing and their influence in inspiring the students to decision in the matter of Christian character and activities. The opportunities for each church and its members to have a share in the maintenance and extension of the colleges and schools of the church were clearly set forth. Liberal subscriptions and collections for the education fund were given.

New Brunswick Voted "Bone Dry" Last Monday

Large Majorities in Cities, in Towns and in Country Against Importation

VOTE MEANS THE END OF THE USE OF LIQUOR

Very emphatic, and very significant was the vote throughout the province of New Brunswick against the importation of liquor for use for beverage purposes on Monday.

The people declared with immense majorities that liquor is ostracized in New Brunswick. Westmoreland County gave a majority against liquor of 5,300. The city of Fredericton gave a 400 majority on the bone-dry side. St. John gave a majority of 2,000, Moncton, the railway town, 1,300.

Under the act in force heretofore any householder had the right to import supplies for his personal use, with few restrictions. Under the legislation which will follow Monday's vote, this privilege will be abolished and the only legal purchases of liquor in that Province will be those made on physicians' prescriptions for medicinal purposes.

Police Court Cases

Another Busy Week for Police Magistrate Moore in Town and Out

The extended jurisdiction of Police Magistrates is giving them very busy experiences.

The prolonged Murray v. Murray case, which occupied eleven hours at three sittings for the hearing was completed last Wednesday afternoon. The judgment of Police Magistrate Moore was as follows:

I find that James Albert Murray, defendant, and Marietta Murray, complainant, have been married and lived in the home together as husband and wife for upwards of thirty-five years. During their married life the money and property now standing in the husband's name, was accumulated. The wife is, from the standpoint of justice, entitled to a reasonable share for her maintenance. The law expects the husband to support his wife. Mr. Murray, the defendant, has recognized this, and evidence has been put in to show that during the past year he has provided a place of residence and expended about $1,600 in cash for the support of his wife and home.

The defendant admits that for years his wife has been in poor health and for several years has been an invalid. This fact has evidently not called forth any solicitous interest in her welfare on his part, inasmuch as evidence has shown that he has offered objections to the purchase of special stimulating diets and the engaging of expert attention which one in her condition naturally requires.

Unfortunately, the marital relations between the complainant and defendant have been strained and unkind, and sometimes abusive language has been handled from one to the other. According to the evidence both have been guilty in this respect.

The husband is clearly responsible for the maintenance of his wife, and no evidence has been adduced to show sufficient cause for now refusing or neglecting to do this. The maximum amount this court is empowered to order the defendant to pay to the complainant for her maintenance is $20.00 per week, and this amount has but recently been increased by an amendment to the statute from $10.00 per week.

In the interim between sittings I have investigated the records of similar cases throughout the province for precedent in this matter, and have been unable to find an order for the maximum amount in any case. In fact, the highest amount ordered under this statute of which I have been able to learn was $15 per week.

After careful consideration of all the evidence put in, and of the conditions surrounding this case I find that the complainant is entitled to the benefit of this act, and I do hereby order the defendant to pay hereafter to his wife, Marietta Murray, or to her agent in writing, for her sole use and maintenance, the sum of $18.50 per week at the Merchants Bank of Canada, Acton, on the first banking day of each and every week, said payments to date from the first day of September, 1921, the defendant to pay the costs of this court.

On Saturday afternoon a sitting of the court was held at Norval when a number of young men were charged with being intoxicated on the public street, and one with assault. After hearing a large number of witnesses Russell McClure and Elliott McClure, brothers, were convicted on the charge. They were fined $10 and costs each. The charges against three other young men were dismissed for lack of evidence.

Russell McClure was also convicted of assaulting Thomas E. Hughson, Jr. He was allowed off on suspended sentence on payment of the costs.

These charges grew out of the misconduct of the young men after securing a case of native wine from Harvey Ellis. Their conduct was so boisterous that Chief Melville, of Georgetown, was sent for.

Crown Attorney Dick prosecuted and W. Lent, barrister, Brampton, defended the accused.

Phil Forbes and Russell DeForest had a rather forceful argument at the corner of Mill and Main Streets on Saturday afternoon. Chief Cooney came along and the row ceased. The aftermath was charges against each laid before Police Magistrate Moore for disturbing the peace. Forbes came before the Magistrate on Monday, pleaded guilty and was fined $5.00 and costs. The DeForest case will be heard later, as the accused lives down the country.

Milton Man Robbed

And Crudly Beaten at the Brick Works at Milton Heights

Alexander Lees, an employee of the Milton Pressed Brick Company, was brutally assaulted about 4 o'clock last Thursday morning, beaten into unconsciousness with a club and robbed of his pay envelope containing $50.50—two weeks' wages.

The assault was made while Lees was attending the fires at the kilns. He was badly battered about the head and lost much blood. His condition is regarded as serious.

Norman Williams, an Indian, employed at the works until the day before, was arrested in Brantford the following day and brought to Milton of suspicion of being Lee's assailant.

The accused came up for trial at Milton yesterday afternoon before Police Magistrate H. P. Moore.

Social and Personal

Mr. Geo. Dills visited relatives at York last week.

Miss Stevens, of Toronto, visited Acton friends last week.

Miss Muriel Fleury visited friends in Toronto over the week-end.

Mrs. Wm. J. Hall, Main Street, spent the week-end with Toronto friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wansborough visited relatives at Rockwood on Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin spent a few days during the week with friends in Toronto.

Miss Edna Johnston had a pleasant visit last week with friends at Brantford.

Mrs. Robert McPherson, Sr., of Toronto, visited Acton friends the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hynds and babe, of Toronto, visited Acton friends last week.

Miss E. Knapp, Principal of the High School, spent the week-end at her home in Galt.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin spent a few days in Toronto the past week with her sister, Mrs. Dryden.

Mrs. Jane C. Campbell, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh MacDougall, Frederick Street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gregg, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Geo. Agnew, Mill Street.

Mr. Frank Cowdrey, of Midland, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Brownlow, of "Hillside Farm" for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chisholm and Mrs. Geo. Dills motored to Toronto and spent several days with friends there this week.

Mrs. A. H. Stewart, of Kitchener, and Mrs. Hubert Smith and babe, of Toronto, spent a couple of days last week with Acton friends.

Mr. Earl Vincent went to Guelph Hospital, on Monday for an operation for hernia. The operation was successful and he is doing well.

Mr. E. J. Moore and two young friends, Messrs. Luther and Frank Emerson, of Toronto, made a brief visit at Moorecroft on Saturday.

Mr. Roy Brown, who spent his college vacation in Brandon, Man., returned home on Saturday. He enjoyed very greatly his visit to the west.

Miss Lillian Thurston, of Littleton, N. H., who visited friends in Port Hope en route to Acton, arrived on Monday to spend the week with friends here.

Mrs. Parsons, of Vancouver, who has been spending a couple of months with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Brown, left on Thursday to visit friends at Peterborough.

Miss Lillian Bunnette, nurse, who came from Toronto with Dr. J. M. Macdonald to assist at the operation performed upon Mr. Allan Smith recently, returned to Toronto on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLachlan, Hillsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Flora, to William McKenzie, son of John McKenzie, Springe, the marriage to take place this month.

Mr. R. J. Kerr accompanied Rev. I. M. Moyer to Mimosa for the service on Sunday evening. He greatly enjoyed fellowship with the congregation where he had spent so many profitable and happy years.

Mr. A. W. Large, "Gus," who came to Acton after serving through the war and then returned to England, arrived back in town again on Saturday after three years' absence. He has been employed by the Great Eastern Railway. Mr. Large says he is very glad to get back to Acton and hopes to make this his permanent home.

Nassagaweya Council

Long List of Accounts Passed at Last Regular Meeting

In the absence of the Reeve Mr. Job was elected chairman protem for the meeting.

Accounts Passed

Milton Pressed Brick Co., road division 53	$80 00
Jas. Service, division 53	36 00
N. Chisholm, division 53	19 50
Albert Cargill, division 53	14 00
George Harris, road supt.	19 00
Christie Henderson Co., dynamite	7 51
Woods & McLeod, Puslinch town line	140 00
C. Powers, Puslinch townline	3 50
H. Davenport, Puslinch townline	49 35
W. McLeod, division 20	49 35
Edward Peer, base line	140 25
Thos. Taylor, 2 culverts	10 00
C. Laking, Flamboro townline	43 75
A. E. Richardson, gravel	20 95
T. Nelles, division 50	8 00
A. Young, gravel	15 00
Caulfeilds Bros. lumber	5 25
R. Carnochan, gravel	37 35
R. Britton, gravelling	89 00
D. Campbell, wood	12 00
Alex. Mitchell, 3 culverts	13 50
W. Burrows, team 1 day	6 50
F. Reinhart, team 3 days	13 00
J. A. White, 2 days' work	7 00
Wm. Reid, 1 day's work	3 50
R. Anderson, 1 day's work	3 50
Austin Fletcher, grading and cutting hill	73 35
Chas. Norrish, moving crusher	14 00
D. A. Niven, O. L. S., bridge plans	72 80
C. Ingot Iron Co., culvert	95 70
J. A. Ryder, gravel	7 50
Jas. Barden, gravel	8 10
Wm. Coburn, gravel	13 15
Chas. Elliott, gravel	9 00
Alex. McPhail, gravel	7 50
Arthur Rudd, gravel	10 95
C. A. Powers, gravel	2 25
W. Wilson, repair bridge	3 00
N. Taylor, gravel	14 85
W. McLaren, gravel	38 55
E. Ellenton, gravel	10 57
J. McNiven, gravel	1 13
A. Alexander, gravel	36 30
Percy Wood, ditching, etc.	17 00
Jas. Simpson, Secretary Soldiers' Memorial Committee, fencing grounds	45 50
Municipal World, supplies	19 77

A grant of $35.00 was made to assist M. Winnick, he being disabled.

Mr. A. Anderson complained to the Council of a ditch on the Esquesing townline and the Reeve was authorized to make an appointment with the Esquesing Council and examine the situation.

Council adjourned to meet November 7, at 1.30 p. m.

JOHN MARSHALL, Clerk

Canada's Interests Advanced by Ex-Minister

Former Minister of Justice Seeking Action on Part of British Law Officers

CANADA'S REQUEST FOR EXTRA TERRITORIAL POWERS

London, Eng., October 12.—Canada will at the next session of the assembly of the League of Nations probably secure the elimination of Article X. of the League covenant, in the opinion of Right Hon. C. J. Doherty, who has returned to London and will sail for Canada on Saturday. A material lessening of the Canadian contribution to the League's unrest to the pressure of the Dominions' representatives for an early decision by the Council of Ambassadors on the question of Galicia's status were two other features of the assembly meeting which were of special interest to Canada, said Hon. Mr. Doherty.

The ex-Minister of Justice, having been sworn in to-day as a Privy Councillor, on account of his legal status has the right to sit on the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, as some members of the Canadian Supreme Court have done in the past.

Hon. Mr. Doherty's last duty as Minister of Justice while overseas will be to press the British law officers for action with regard to Canada's request preferred last year for a declaratory act allowing the exercise of certain extra-territorial jurisdiction, by the Dominion, despite contrary conditions of the British North America Act. Lord Milner last year agreed to the principle of this request, but nothing has as yet been done to put it into effect.

Hon. Mr. Doherty stated that he was glad to be free from political duties. He is reserving his decision as to his future activities until his return to Canada.

A County Town Opinion

The Reformer Sizes up the Political Situation in the Present Campaign

The three political parties in Halton have now their candidates in the field. The fight will undoubtedly be one of the most spectacular and keenly fought contests ever waged in this historic old riding.

Each of the candidates will have strong backing and support among the electorate, and it simply depends who can poll the largest vote.

Dr. Anderson, the sitting member, will have his support mainly, we imagine, in the towns and villages, especially in those towns where manufactories are located, as the tariff will be a leading issue with the Conservatives.

Mr. Fisher, being a life-long tiller of the soil, and a very successful one at that, will poll a big vote in the rural districts and, in some cases, divide the honors in the towns with Dr. Anderson, as the Liberals are well united in this campaign and will give a good account of themselves in the urban polling subdivisions.

Mr. Ford's support, of course, will come mainly from the rural subdivisions, and as the farmers are well organized, he will poll a big vote throughout the county. But whether he will be as strong in a Dominion contest as he was when he ran for the Legislature remains to be seen.

The tariff issue may be put so strongly before the farmers that it may perhaps affect Mr. Ford's chance of election. It is doubtful, however, that it will, as Mr. Crerar, the leader of the Progressives, is at the head of the farmers' party, and his influence in this election will count for much with the farmers all over the Dominion.—Milton Reformer.

MILTON CONSERVATIVE LADIES' ORGANIZE

The first gun in the election campaign was fired at Milton last week when Miss Constance Boulton, of Toronto, spoke at a meeting of the Ladies' National Liberal and Conservative Association held in the G. W. V. A. parlors.

The attendance was large and Miss Boulton delivered a very powerful address on the political questions of the day.

Mrs. W. E. McCready, of Milton, occupied the chair.

Immediately after the meeting the women met and organized their forces for an energetic campaign in favor of their candidate, Dr. Anderson, M. P.

—Light lunch served at Moorehead's at all times.

Ontario Religious Education Council

Annual Convention at Brantford with Splendid Programme for Sunday School Workers

For three days, October 25, 26 and 27, Brantford will be the centre for all Western Ontario Sunday School enthusiasts.

Marion Lawrence, a man whose name suggests the last word in organized Sunday School work the world over, will be present and will deliver four addresses on, "The Ten Commandments for the Sunday School Teacher," "Missions in the Sunday School," "The Relation of the Home to the Sunday School," "The Challenge of the Sunday School."

Professor Fred Langford of Victoria University will deliver three addresses on "Educational Evangelism, its Meaning, its Agencies, its Methods."

Supporting these two leaders in the various sessions will be Rev. Dr. Geo. T. Webb, General Supt. Baptist Sunday School Board; Rev. Frank Langford, General Secretary Methodist Sunday School Board and Rev. C. A. Myers, Joint Secretary Presbyterian Sabbath School Board. Mrs. F. M. Bullock, Children's Division specialist from Dayton, Ohio, will assist in the Children's Division Section. Along with these leaders will be the full staff of the Ontario Religious Education Council, bringing expert leadership in every department of Sunday School work.

The theme of the convention will be "Educational Evangelism." An attempt will be made to study the religious needs of the various age groups of childhood and youth, and to point out the best way of meeting these needs.

Brantford is preparing to entertain the delegates with their well known hospitality.

In St. Joseph's Parish Hall

A euchre and a social evening will be held Thursday night (to-night) in the Parish Hall of St. Joseph's Church. This is the first of a series of euchres to be held in this hall during the winter months. Rev. Father Gordeew extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend. Miss Leona Holmes will be the hostess this evening.