

## DENAIN GRATEFUL TO CANADIANS

Ceremony of Thanks for Its  
Deliverance From Four  
Years of Bondage.

### PRINCE WAS PRESENT

General Currie and Com-  
mander of Fourth Division  
of Quebec Participated.

With the British Army in France and Belgium, Oct. 27.—The historic town of Denain today paid its debt of gratitude to the British for its recent deliverance from a bondage of four years by German invaders. All the remaining residents of this war-scarred place, headed by the local dignitaries, this morning formally received and rendered a touching tribute of thanks to the Prince of Wales, representing the British Government; General Currie, commander of the Canadian army corps, and the commander of the fourth Canadian division of Quebec, which freed Denain from the enemy. The reception of the royal representative was attended by elaborate ceremonies.

Even as these proceedings there came constant detonations of explosive shells from great German guns to the east, but these marks of hate failed to damp the spirit of joy and thanksgiving for they came from an all but vanquished enemy, and Denain was free.

The Prince of Wales, General Currie and the divisional commander entered the town with a guard of honor composed of Canadian troops. French veterans of the war of 1870, their uniforms covered with the medals of that conflict, and a delegation of local beauties dressed in elaborate costumes and carrying huge bouquets, they proceeded to the central square of the town, where the guard of honor and officials were waiting to receive them.

While the guard stood at salute, the commander of the Fourth Division was presented with a flag for his gallant troops, who a few days ago had forced the enemy from that very square at the point of the bayonet. The prince, General Currie, the divisional commander and the other generals.

This ceremony having been completed, the procession re-formed to proceed to the church for the celebration of the mass. At this time at its head marched all the priests in their robes of office.

Near the altar was a gaping wound in the wall where a great shell from a German gun once had exploded. The Prince of Wales took up his place just under this ragged hole.

An Address of Thanks. Aside from the religious rites, an address of thanks was delivered by the parish priest. Then, turning to the Canadian representatives he thanked them and referred to them as relatives by blood and association. In concluding he declared that he could see the hand of God working behind the host of numbers which certainly would be meted out to the Germans. This punishment had long been delayed, but it would be all the harder for that very fact, he said.

The congregation then, out of the church, and the Prince of Wales took up a station nearby to allow the troops to pass in review. The prince, General Currie and the divisional commander, who as commander under Louis XIV, freed Denain from the Austrians long years ago.

BUY BONDS.  
**FORTY-FIVE VILLAGES  
LIBERATED BY YANKS**

More Than 20,000 Prisoners Have  
Been Taken in Less Than a Month.

With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 26.—The American operation against the Germans, considering the clearing out of the St. Mihiel salient as a local affair, the American army in a few days has liberated more than a month has liberated more than 45 villages and advanced to an average depth of ten miles, freeing 115 square miles of territory. In the offensive the Americans have captured more than 20,000 prisoners.

In addition to the prisoners, General Pershing's men have taken more than 187 guns of large calibre, numerous machine guns and anti-tank guns, a great store of ammunition and much war material, including locomotives and railway cars.

BUY BONDS.  
**WAR SUMMARY**

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

By the Associated Press.

The German Government has prepared a rejoinder to President Wilson's last note, in which, after again referring to the far-reaching changes which have been carried out, it is being carried out in the German constitutional structure, to which the president's powers have been made subject, it declares that Germany is now awaiting the proposals for an armistice.

A London despatch, however, in reporting the fact that Premier Lloyd George and Foreign Secretary Balfour had gone to France with naval and military advisers, says it is understood authoritatively that the allied governments will not reveal their armistice terms until Germany has replied to President Wilson's last note, which it probably was expected would contain more than the mere fact that Germany was waiting for the terms of the armistice.

A crash has come in the personnel of the German high command. General Ludendorff, reputed to be the brains of the German army—the man who promised the Germans he would crush Great Britain and France before the United States could get under way in a military sense—has resigned his position as first quartermaster-general, and Emperor William has accepted his resignation.

Simultaneously, while the German line continues to crumble under the allied attacks and the German border is slowly but gradually being approached by Germany's foes, comes a report that the reichstag by a large majority has passed a bill placing the military command under the control of the civil government.

On the western battle front the British, French and Americans have continued to make further slight gains against the Germans. In the Italian theatre both the British and Italians have scored success, while in Asia Turkey the British have captured

## YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

WORD THAT PTE. BROWN  
WAS KILLED IN ACTION

Official information was received from Ottawa stating that Pte. Harry Brown, C.E.F., Morley avenue, was killed in action. Pte. Brown was 22 years of age, and single, and was employed at Gerhard Hinzman's works previous to enlisting for overseas. Two other brothers are serving one of whom is wounded and returned to Canada and the other wounded and in hospital in England.

The late Pte. Brown was a member of St. Joseph's Club, Leslie street, and prayers were offered at all masses in St. Joseph's Church yesterday.

BUY BONDS.  
**BISHOP WAS PREACHER.**

The Bishop of Toronto was the preacher at St. Matthew's Church, First avenue, last evening, assisted in the service by Rev. Dr. Seager, rector. The bishop stated there had been a great falling off in the number of cases of influenza within the past 48 hours in the district, and serious cases were being attended to by the women of the parish.

BUY BONDS.  
**EASTERN EARLSCOURT  
TO PROTECT INTERESTS**

Earlscourt district east of Oakwood is forming itself into an association to protect its local interests. The roadways need repairing badly and are almost impassable during the winter months. The association, which adjoins Kennedy, is in bad shape. It is low-lying and dangerous to health and also representations have been made to the authorities that nothing has been done so far.

G. H. Charles of Kennedy avenue will call a meeting of the residents in connection with the local shooting club this week for the purpose of electing a president and officers to carry out plans for the improvement of the neighborhood. The new water mains which should have been laid some time ago are still lying on the avenue.

BUY BONDS.  
**MUNITION WORKERS  
CRITICIZE CARMEN**

Earlscourt munition workers who work at Leaside are complaining of the want of courtesy on the part of the motorists on the civic cars that ply between Davenport road station on the Grand Trunk line and St. Clair avenue. Hundreds of these workers, many of whom are returned men, say that the cars will not wait for them, but frequently start off without a single passenger on board, leaving the men to wait until the arrival of another car. A petition is to be sent to city hall to ask that special instructions be given to the motormen and conductors to hold their cars until the men can board them.

BUY BONDS.  
**THREE CHILDREN MOTHERLESS**

Rev. E. C. Hunter, assistant pastor of the Central Methodist Church, Earlscourt, officiated at the funeral service of the late Mrs. Rhem, who died from double pneumonia after an attack of long illness. She lived on Nairn avenue and is survived by her husband, who is fighting overseas, and three young children. The family have been assisted by the Central Methodist Church. Burial was at Prospect Cemetery on Sunday.

BUY BONDS.  
**WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN DIES.**

J. W. Clarke, 87 Peterboro avenue, Earlscourt, died last evening from influenza and complications. He was a well known citizen of this district and is survived by his widow and children.

BUY BONDS.  
**"FLU" VICTIM BURIED.**

The funeral of the late Mrs. Alexander MacKinnon, whose death took place on Thursday, was held yesterday at Knox Church Cemetery and was of a private character. One of two other members of the family are ill from influenza, and through Scarborough townships, notably along the Kingston road and around Wexford, there are few serious cases of the disease.

BUY BONDS.  
**NO FUEL TO CONTROL,  
SAYS FUEL CONTROLLER**

"I have been appointed fuel controller, but have no coal to control," said G. A. Moses, the recently appointed fuel controller for the Toronto district, to a reporter for The World. "Scarcely of power have applied for fuel and the situation is very bad in the district. I understand the provincial fuel commissioner has supplied several cars in the western section of York Township, but the eastern end has been neglected so far. I will make representation to the York Township Council in the matter at their meeting today," he said.

BUY BONDS.  
**THE DON ROAD.**

Hundreds of dollars' worth of rubber wheels are being cut up by the sharp stones on the quarter-mile of them now being spread over Don Mills road and on the Don road at Taylor's Hill. Mr. Rogers is also in delivering broken stone to Contractor Law at the latter work. But as the stone is placed

See the  
Mysterious Mr. Raffles  
get loose from a  
German Torture Belt  
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at 12 o'clock to-night  
and then  
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TRAFFIC ON VIADUCT  
WAS METROPOLITAN

A Toronto motorist who motored over the viaduct from the direction of East Gerrard street yesterday stated that the experience was similar to coming from a village into the heart of New York City.

The steady stream of motor traffic from east and west which poured over the new thoroughfare was seemingly endless. Motor cars in double rows resembled a never-ending procession, and the traffic officer at the Broadview and Danforth end of the big thoroughfare was compelled to give his undivided attention to his duty throughout the whole afternoon, owing to the barriers around the uncompleted intersection.

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**VIADUCT CONGESTED  
BY HEAVY TRAFFIC**

Thousands and thousands of motors passed over the Bloor street viaduct yesterday. The block in traffic caused by the placing of new street car rail intersections at the heads of Sherbourne and Broadview was further aggravated by the narrow width of Howard street, through which most of the cars had to pass. Traffic policemen were on duty at these congested points.

In the meantime the work on these intersections and the putting down of rails on the new roadway from Parliament to Sherbourne is being pushed ahead. The girders and trestles to carry the rails over Glen road bridge ought to be under way today.

BUY BONDS.  
**PTE. CHARLES MABBOTT  
IS KILLED IN ACTION**

Mr. and Mrs. William Mabbott, 288 Main street, received word from Ottawa on Saturday that their only son, Pte. Charles Mabbott, died of wounds received in action in France at Middelex War Hospital, near St. Albans.

Pte. Mabbott was 19 years old and enlisted in the 11th Battalion, where he was a promising student. He joined the 16th Battalion and was afterwards transferred to the 1st Battalion Machine Gun Battery, where he received his fatal wounds.

He was a well-known athlete and a member of all young people's societies in Hope Methodist Church, Danforth avenue.

BUY BONDS.  
**VETERAN GETS MILITARY  
FUNERAL**

The funeral of the late Pte. John Cleland Brown, C.E.F., 400 Jones avenue, who died on Thursday last from pneumonia, took place at the G. W. V. A. plot in Prospect Cemetery on Saturday. Major (Canon) Dixon officiated.

The proceedings were of a military character, and were under the auspices of the Riverdale Branch, G. W. V. A. There was a large crowd present at the funeral, among whom were the president of the Riverdale branch, and Chas. H. Stock, secretary of G. W. V. A. The late Pte. Brown was a veteran of the war, having been severely wounded. He was 26 years of age and is survived by his wife, who is at present recovering from a serious attack of the prevailing epidemic.

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**FUNERAL OF REV. T. MCGWAN.**

The funeral of Rev. Thomas McGwan, who died at Sandwich from Spanish influenza on Friday in his 38th year, took place on Saturday last. He, who was a native of Cobourg, was well known in Toronto, and was preparing for the priesthood. He had recently received minor orders. He was a B.A. of Toronto University and a former lecturer at St. Michael's College and De La Salle Institute. He is survived by his parents and two sisters.

BUY BONDS.  
**PASTOR NOT PERMANENT.**

Danforth Baptist Church, Danforth avenue, is still without a resident pastor since the resignation of Rev. M. A. MacLean, who was compelled to seek a milder climate owing to the ill-health of his wife.

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# OCTOBER OFFERINGS

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## Important Items to Start the Week With



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Original model garments, every one of them carrying the label of the Paris designer and fashioner. Wonderful coats, no matter from what viewpoint you wish to judge them, because they combine the Paris smartness and chic, and that delightful touch of style which Paris seems to have the know-how, and yet they're the most practical of garments for comfort and service. Here are a few examples for special mention:

Lefort Model—Coat of Congo velours, beautifully lined throughout with satin. Charmingly made with Raglan sleeves, and panel effect, which is embroidered in silk and wool and trimmed with fringe. The collar and cuffs are ..... **\$95.00**

Bernard Model—Made of dark green heavy velour, lined with self-silk, slash pockets. A very large cape collar and cuffs of beautiful seal, and a row of buttons down center. The back of the back gives a smart effect. Price ..... **\$135.00**

Tachoff Model of taupe velvet. Panels very cleverly embroidered in cross-stitch design. The large circular collar of beaver is of finest quality, the coat lined throughout with Dresden silk. Priced at ..... **\$125.00**

Martial-Armand Model—Made of grey velour. The extremely large collar of beaver forms a coat effect, and has large cuffs to match. Front of coat is made of heavy navy satin, lined with Congo colored silk. The color combination is very effective. A charming model. Priced at ..... **\$150.00**

### Children's Knitted Coats

Soft, Warm, Comfortable

These woolly little knitted garments are just the most desirable things one could select for the little people's comfort, and you'll be of the same opinion when you see them.

All White Brushed Wool Coats for infants to 1 year size; made in straight seque style with warm turn down collar. Priced at ..... **\$2.00**

Brushed Wool Coats, in similar style, with border on lower edge, cuffs and collar, lined at neck with ribbon to match. Priced at ..... **\$2.25**

Colored Knitted Rompers, in sizes up to 3 years, in all white, or sage blue with white collar and cuffs. All round belt, buttoned from knee to knee. Priced according to size. \$3.75 to \$4.50

White Flannel Kimonos for infants, made of soft, thick flannel, scalloped edge at neck, cuffs and down both sides, front worked in pale blue or baby pink. Satin tie at neck. Special value ..... **\$1.50**

Eiderdown Sleeping Bags, made of warm, thick eiderdown, bound with blue or pink satin ribbon. There's a hood to cover head, shirred and tied. Ideal sleeping garment. Priced at ..... **\$4.50**

New Aviation Caps for Babies. There's the dearest little opening for the wee ears, and the neck and shoulders are well protected. Ideal for baby who sleeps out of doors. Two qualities: Pink flannel, \$3.75; White brushed wool ..... **\$1.50**

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### Women's Hats--Special

\$4.00 to \$6.00 Shapes Today for

This is a part of a very special purchase. Smart, new shapes in velvet, plush and all plush. Large, medium and small sizes, expressing some of the best effects in the new Fall fashions—shapes that with little trimming can be made into stunning hats for street wear. Mostly black; a few of them in colors. Regularly these hats would sell at \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. On sale today, your selection at ..... **\$2.25**

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### Dress Goods

Pile fabrics, always popular with La Mode for fall and winter wear, are even more than usually so this season. We are displaying nice assortments that are exceptional values.

Plain Chiffon Velveteen, 27 inches wide, in black, amethyst, nigger brown, navy, wine and grey. Special, cial at, a yard ..... **\$2.00**

Chiffon Velveteen, 44 inches wide, in navy, Canard blue, Burgundy and amethyst. Regularly \$4.50 a yard, for ..... **\$3.50**

Corduroy Velveteen, 27 inches wide, in sand, cadet, navy, brown, green, purple and black. Regular \$1.75 a yard, for ..... **\$1.25**

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