

DOES NOT APPROVE CENSORSHIP

Manchester Journal Sees No Value in Interference With U.S. Mail.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 18.—Commenting upon the reply of the entente allies to the American protest against interference with mails, the Manchester Guardian says that while the allies are acting within their legal rights, "we are extremely skeptical about the military value of the examination of inward mails from us. Moreover, some of the interference is merely vexatious and we cannot conceive why German newspapers to us should be regarded as contraband."

While correspondence might be carried on by that means, the risk of injury to us is small and we can quite understand the vexation of Americans at this double or treble insurance at their expense.

Social Evening Held by B.Y.P.U.

Monday evening at First Baptist church a large assembly of Baptist young people of the city enjoyed an excellent banquet. It was one of the most successful ever held, about 250 being present. An enjoyable toast list and programme followed the banquet. The toast-master and chairman for the evening was the president of the city B. Y. P. U., Mr. H. L. Simmons.

The speakers on the toast list made very capable and entertaining speeches, and every number on the program was thoroughly appreciated by all. The following is the toast list and programme:

"Our King and Country," proposed by Rev. W. E. Bowyer. "Our boys at the front and their Allies," proposed by Miss Olive Smoke, responded to by Mr. Sheldon Vansickle. "Our B. Y. P. U.," proposed by Mr. Stanley White, responded to by Mr. Oswald Morris. "The Ladies," proposed by Mr. Chas. Lewis, responded to by Miss Annie Howden. "The Gentlemen," proposed by Miss Mabel Lacey, responded to by Mr. Pettit. Piano duet, Miss Fuller and Mr. Fuller; solo, Mr. Jack Martin; quartette, Miss Chapman, Miss Harcourt, Mr. Pettit, Mr. Harcourt; instrumental, Miss McAdam; solo, Miss Ashby.

RECRUITING PODR Although recruiting has been considered slow in Brantford, Prov. Sgt. E. E. Murtagh of the C. M. R., who has lately returned from Montreal, declared that it was even worse there. While in that city he visited several recruiting stations, and found that they only averaged one recruit each per day.

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THEIR ASCENDANCY NEARS ITS END.

Rulers in name only.—King Constantine and Queen Sophia of Greece, the latter the Kaiser's sister, are in the position of "seeing their finish" now that the allies have recognized the Venizelos Government at Crete, are occupying strategic points in Athens.

Organized a School League

On Tuesday afternoon a large number of the ladies of the King George school district met at the school to consider the question of the organization of a school league. Representatives from other school leagues of the city were present, and addressed the meeting. Miss Colter, of the Victoria school, who enjoys the distinction of having begun the school league movement in this city, was present to assist. Inspiring addresses on school league work by Mesdames Buck and Marquis of the Victoria Art League, and Mesdames McParlane and Kilmer of the Alexandra school league were accorded an enthusiastic hearing. The organization was effected under the name of the "King George School League," with officers as follows: President, Mrs. Dods; vice-president, Mrs. Sovereign; treasurer, Mrs. Edwards; secretary, W. A. Wolfe. A strong executive, of which the teaching staff for ma part, was appointed. It is hoped that all the ladies of the district will identify themselves with the league.

ARABIAN SHEIK IS FOR TURKEY

Aids Central Powers by Declaring War on Revolutionist Emir.

By Courier Leased Wire. Berlin, Oct. 18.—(By wireless to Saville.)—Reports from Constantinople to the Overseas News Agency say that a powerful sheik of western Arabia, Abdul Aziz Fanson Emir Zid has declared war on the former Emir Hussein after learning that the Emir had rebelled against the sultan of Turkey. Emir Hussein was the Grand Sherif of Mecca and proclaimed his independence of Ottoman rule in June 1, 1916.

SENT TO HAMILTON Trooper Thompson of the C. M. R. who while absent from his battalion without leave, was arrested here by Pte. Hodge, M.P., of the 215th, was yesterday escorted back to Hamilton.

IRISH QUESTION AGAIN RAISED

John Redmond Criticizes Government in House of Commons.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 18.—The Irish question was again brought to the fore in the House of Commons today with the introduction by John Redmond of a motion criticizing the system of government of the island. The motion reads: "That the system of government at present maintained in Ireland is inconsistent with the principles whereof the allies are fighting in Europe and is, of itself, mainly responsible for the recent unhappy events and for the present state of feeling in that country."

Since Mr. Redmond gave notice of his intention to attack the government, the Irish question has been the subject of a number of conferences with Baron Wimborne, lord lieutenant of Ireland, but these probably had more to do with the suggestion of extension of conscription to Ireland than with the grievances arising from continuance of martial law and the failure to release all those arrested during the uprising in Ireland last spring. However, the question of conscription did not come under Mr. Redmond's motion. It doubtless will be discussed to-morrow, when the whole subject of the man power of the empire comes under review.

John Rawlinson, Unionist member for Cambridge University, moved as an amendment to the Redmond motion the following: "Having regard for the importance of the United Kingdom and Ireland combining with the rest of the empire in presenting a united front to the enemy, it is not desired at the present time to discuss controversial matters of domestic politics."

215th Already Settling Down

The work of organizing the 215th battalion for its stay here during the next few months is proceeding steadily, and it is expected that the work will be completed within the next few days. And that conditions will be such as to insure the accomplishment of a splendid winter's training. Only the personal effects of the men, the culinary utensils and other accoutrements of absolute necessity to the comfort of the men were brought up with them from camp, and the remainder of the baggage which arrived in the city yesterday, was busily engaged during the afternoon and this morning in unloading it and transferring it to their new quarters. Arrangements have now been made to secure rooms throughout the city for the use of the men in rough weather, and quarters which can be utilized by the band for practices are also sought.

It is proposed to install a rifle range on the premises formerly used as a brickyard at the foot of Colborne St., and trench warfare will also be conducted here.

The site of the proposed new armory on Brant Avenue, will also be prepared for bayonet exercises, and the apparatus erected there by the 125th and 84th battalions will probably be used.

Thomas Potter, a retired farmer of Malton, died while visiting his son in Alberta.

The Tilsonburg Red Cross will receive over \$200 from a day's collection of rags, paper, etc.

Presiding at a meeting held to assist in supplying wood and coal to the bilingual schools being conducted in Ottawa, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that bilingual schools were of vital interest to the progress of the population of Moncton is now placed at 14,500.

Many Windsor women are ready to fill positions in factories and offices left vacant by men enlisting.

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED

When your child suffers from a cold, don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles, and has caught cold or is feverish, or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels, and interference what other treatment is given. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit-laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given to-day saves a sick child to-morrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

NEWS FROM SIMCOE

Norfolk Fair Is Centre of Attraction Throughout County.

SOME GOOD EXHIBITS. Other Items of Interest to Brantfordites in General.

Simcoe, Oct. 18.—(From our own correspondent.)—The first day of Norfolk Fair closed with every indication of a big show. The Fine Arts building is over-crowded with a splendid display. The school children's writing and Mr. Cantelon's art exhibition are leading features.

The apple exhibit is the best collection for many years and the barrelled entries have never been excelled. There is a good exhibit of potatoes, but the field roots are not up to the average.

The sweepstakes prize in field grain and products in general, is giving the judges extra work, but the feature is popular.

The Midway attractions are so numerous that the various interests have had quite a time jockeying for space. There is enough canvas for a park twice as large.

The track is in good condition. Monday night's rain having been just sufficient to lay the dust.

Up to October 14th there had not been a wedding in Woodhouse township for over three and a half months. There were ten births and nine deaths during the third quarter.

The funeral of the late John Edgeworth of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation will be held to Oakland cemetery on arrival of the morning express from Toronto today.

Several members of the 133rd are here from Camp Borden for the Fair.

The violent wind on Monday night brought down the chestnuts wherever trees grew. There was a big picking of nuts to-day.

It is received word that his son, Pte. A. C. Burt is again ill at Saloniki.

Captain Pauline, second in command of A Company, 133rd, is able to be out again after seven weeks' absence from his home-coming on last leave. He will return to camp shortly.

AT HOME

Rev. and Mrs. Woodside Welcome Host of Friends in New Parsonage.

Rev. Mr. Woodside and Mrs. Woodside, of Zion Church, were "at home" to their friends yesterday afternoon and evening at the new manse, 113 Darling St. The handsome residence, formerly occupied by Mrs. Wisner, has been further added to by many alterations and improvements and constitutes a most delightful home.

The rev. gentleman and his wife cordially received the large number of guests, who availed themselves of this opportunity to wish them every happiness in their new abode.

In the afternoon Mrs. J. G. Cockshutt and Mrs. Peter Wood presided at the tea table and in the evening, Mrs. David Waterous and Mrs. George Watt. The dining room was decorated with pink roses and ferns, and the other rooms with pink roses, chrysanthemums and ferns, the whole effect proving very pretty.

Rev. Mr. Woodside during his occupancy of the parish, has by his urbanity, and pastoral gifts, made a warm place for himself not only in the hearts of his own congregation, but also in those of citizens generally. Mrs. Woodside has also proved herself a veritable help-meet in all the many duties which fall to the lot of a minister's wife.

READING MATTER Another donation of reading material for the 215th was collected today from 31 Peel street.

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Blanket Cloth Coating. 54 in. wide, all wool Blanket Cloth in Navy, Tan, Brown, Black, worth \$1.50 to-day, \$2.00, Sale Price \$1.50. Big Saving on Linings. Near Silk Lining, 36 in. wide in Black, and all colors, Sale Price 25c. Brocade Lining, good range of colors 40c and 50c. Italian Lining, Satin finish, 54 in. wide, at \$1.35, \$1.00, 85c, 75c, 60c, 15c. Shepherd Checks. 6 pieces Shepherd Checks in Black and White, 50 in. wide, different size checks, Sale Price 39c.

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Music and Drama. The Grand. What built the railroad? and factories? Muscle or money? Which comes to any country first? Muscle or money? Which is the most important to the welfare of a country? Muscle or money? These questions form the play the Alexandra Players will present to-night as their third offering. "Slaves of the Mill" is the only bill the Royal Alexandra Players were forced to repeat when it was presented by them at their home play house, The Royal Alexandra Theatre, Toronto, just a year ago. Slaves of the Mills, while giving both sides of this vital question, really favors none, but it aroused such keen interest among the masses that the Nevada Congress Legislated against it, and prohibited the play from being performed in any theatre or place of amusement in the State of Nevada. The play, while serious in thought is not morbid nor heavy; on the contrary, it is very bright comedy, being the predominating element. Mr. Livingstone, owner and manager of the Livingstone Iron Works, is a good employer, also an indulgent father, but he has lost sight of the fact that his employees are human, the same as he is. He arranges a marriage between his only daughter and the son of an old friend. Just at this time the working people demand more money, which the prospective son-in-law, who has entered the firm as a partner refuses. A strike follows, in which the men are joined by the factory Supt. How he finally ends the strike satisfactorily to both sides and at the same time breaks an engagement, is well told in Henry de Milles, "Slaves of the Mills." At the Colonial. For the balance of this week an especially good program is offered at this theatre, when the big Musical Comedy Company with a galaxy of pretty girls, will present "The War of Not Yet." Clever singing and dancing and bright costumes, together with original fun-makers will make this feature popular. The films shown are exceptionally good, and matinees will be put on Thursday and Saturday.

Temperance Beverages. Radnor Water, Cronmiller's Ginger Ale, Schwepp's Ginger Ale, Lime Juice, Unfermented Grape Juice, Carling's Ale, Porter and Lager. J. S. Hamilton & Co. DALHOUSIE STREET, BRANTFORD. Obituary. John Berry. The death occurred last evening of John Berry, 381 Colborne street, for the past 16 years a resident of the city, and formerly of Onondaga Township. The deceased, who was 65 years of age, leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing widow, five sons and one daughter: Fred of Guelph, Norman, Arthur, Harry and John of this city, and Miss Myrtle, at home. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late residence of the deceased to Mount Hope Cemetery.

Preference Over British. U-53 Admitted to Port and Away By American. Grey Protests.

London, Oct. 18.—The Government will not make representation to the United States concerning the German U-53 pending an announcement of the attitude by the American Government concerning Foreign Affairs, in the Lords yesterday.

In reply to a question the attitude of the United Kingdom British patrols, Viscount Grey said that the United States that British ships were being their legal rights under international law, but that the Government complained of belligerent warships of the United States in a neutral country. He said that the United States had Great Britain very emphatically to patrol off its coast, and instructions were sent to ships there to avoid causing unnecessary irritation and as far as possible with the request.

Beresford Raised Question. The question concerning man submarine raid in waters was raised by Beresford, former commander of British home fleet; Earl Grey, former Governor-General of Canada, and other members of the House of Commons. Whether the British cruisers moved from American waters to American objections, what steps the Government proposed for the protection of vessels. He criticized the reply as at least curt, at the American ideas of were curious.

Earl Grey wanted to know that the report that the commander of destroyers ordered to the request of the British marine commander to clear the way and give him room up ships was untrue. The Foreign Secretary replied to Lord Beresford's question that the United States on this subject since the war and what we understand of the United States go to be.

How Britain is Treated. Viscount Grey then read the following statements: "On the 14th of Sept. the British Ambassador in London telegraphed that States authorities had wireless communication Majesty's ship Suffolk asking for supplies and he informed us that the States government considered this would be making a States territory as a base and information as to shipments through the news. The proceeding was an aware, not repeated, and a protest was received."

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