

That's a Good One for the "Bulletin"!

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EDITORIAL.

No man who wishes to be considered moderately sensible will dogmatise as to what will, or will not, happen after the war. The loss of life has been grievously great. An immense number of men have been wounded. To judge from casual conversation, there is, amongst the troops, somewhat of a distaste for the "old life." Everyone will admit that the old order of things has changed and that we will on the cessation of hostilities return to find a new business state filled with great possibilities.

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The army develops the body, but pays little attention to the mind. As a result we find ourselves, after four years of war, in an intellectual rut. Some of us have forgotten how to think for ourselves. The tendency in the Army is to do what one is told, even if the reason, for so doing, is not apparent. The mind of the average soldier, like any disused organism, has become dormant through disuse.

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At this time when the dark clouds of war seem to be passing away and the dawn of peace is visible on the horizon, those who would look to the future with any desire to fill an important place should stir themselves. Set, as we are, in the midst of so many educational advantages, it behoves us to shake the cobwebs from our brain and indulge in greater mental activities. The best periodicals and books are procurable at a minimum of cost. The finest libraries in the world are at our disposal, and we have access to lectures by the foremost scholars and orators of our time. Our environment abounds with opportunities. Will we avail ourselves of them? Every man should think it over.



"EVERYONE
WILL HAVE
TO WORK
SUNDAY"

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CHEVRONS.

We wish to remind our new readers that back numbers can still be obtained, if they should wish to keep their copies for binding. Fifty will make the first volume—if the war lasts long enough!

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"Mac" wishes to state that should anyone—who has already been caricatured in the *Bulletin*—wish to secure the original drawing, he will dispose of same at 3s. 6d. each, and hand the proceeds to our P. of W. Tobacco Fund.

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Pte. Boshier—our late Secretary—has kindly consented to audit our accounts for us once a month.

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We should like to hear from those Sections who, so far, have hardly ever contributed to the *Bulletin* yet.

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In the event of any readers having No. 5 issue of the *Bulletin* on hand, and not requiring same any longer, we shall be glad to receive copies.

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Our monthly balance-sheet appears on another page. We regret that owing to the suspension of the paper for several weeks and to a number of our regular readers leaving us, the sales dropped down a bit, but we hope—as new readers come along—that they will soon pick up again.

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Next month we intend sending our first donation to the P. of W. Tobacco Fund.

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The next time we organize a River Trip we shall go by ourselves.

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R.2.B.2. is losing two old members in S./Sgt. Traylen and Pte. Neilson. We wish them luck wherever they go, at the same time reminding them that they can have the *Bulletin* sent on to them.