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ARROW POINTS.

Mistake not whims for wisdom.

In true piety is true power.

God's road always falls on the right back.

All lessons are not learned in the same school.

A worrying worry about

find something to worry about.

Blow not dear soul, to craven fear

Nor yield to hopeless sorrow;

Although the sun goes down today,

'Twill rise again tomorrow.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. R. Morland—Niece of Late A. C. McElhinney, Glenholme.

The death of Mrs. R. Morland took place at the home of her sister, East Toronto, on May 5. Mrs. Moreland, formerly Miss May Wilks, was the niece of the late A. C. McElhinney, Glenholme, where she lived for a number of years; then Mr. Wilks and family moved to Cold Brook, N. B.

After her marriage to Mr. Morland of St. John, they settled on his ranch near Settler, Ala., but in a few years failing health compelled her to seek the medical advice of specialists; but medical skill proved of no avail.

Besides a sorrowing husband she leaves to mourn her father, Mr. James Wilks, now in Toronto; one sister, Mrs. A. L. Barrie, (Maud) of East Toronto; three brothers, John, in Toronto, Truman, of Settler, Alta., and Harry in the Royal Aviation Corps.

WHY THE HUN TORPEDOES NEUTRAL VESSELS.

Under the commercial agreement between the United States and Spain, not only will General Pershing get the supplies from Spain which he desires for his troops, but a French credit in Spain in arranged and the Spanish government permits free exports to the allies of pyrites, minerals and manufactured wool.

Many of these products are carried in Spanish bottoms, and this is the reason we are constantly reading of Spanish vessels torpedoed by Hun submarines.

MARRIED.

WHIDDEN-JOHNSON—First Presbyterian Manse, Truro, April 22 by Rev. W. P. Grant, B. D. Ira Whidden, Greenfield, to Edna Gertrude Johnson, Harmony.

STEWART-BURNETT—At the Manse, Middle Musquodoboit, May eight, by Rev. M. H. McIntosh, Harold Stewart of Upper Musquodoboit, to Nellie Redmond Burnett daughter of John Burnett, of Middle Musquodoboit.

FARMERS LEAVE OTTAWA DISAPPOINTED—BUT WILL "DO THEIR BIT" ON THEIR FARMS

Ottawa, May 15—Having been informed by Hon. A. L. Sifton, Minister of Customs, at the House of Commons, tonight, that the government had said its final word on the question of conscription of farmer's sons, and that it did not desire to hear them further, the two thousand odd delegates returned to the Arena skating rink where they were addressed by Mr. Arthur Hawke of Toronto. Afterwards they adopted a resolution which was presented to the House, if they had been given the opportunity to the effect that they disapproved of government by Order-In-Council and were strong for the more democratic form. While a few of the farmers expressed disapproval of the reply given them by Sir Robert Borden, the majority took the turn-down in good spirit, a number of them expressing the view that it was up to them to go home and "do their bit" by producing the maximum crops their farms should yield.

ANOTHER NOVA SCOTIAN PRESIDENT OF A COLLEGE.

Brunswick, Maine, May 15—Kenneth C. M. Sills was elected President of Bowdoin College at a meeting of the Board of trustees and overseers last night. He has been acting president since the death nearly a year ago of Mr. William Dewitt Hyde. President Sills was born in Halifax, N. S. in 1879.

WANTED TOTAL PROHIBITION DURING THE WAR.

Washington, May 15—Complete prohibition of the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages during the war was asked of President Wilson by Congress yesterday in a memorial signed by the national service and war commissions of twenty Protestant denominations and six inter-denominational agencies.

GERMANS AWAY GERMAN HOPES TO NEWSPAPER.

Copenhagen, May 15—The Germans are still of the belief that they will be able to reach the English Channel coast and bombard southern England and that then it will be easy to begin peace negotiations, according to an interview the Politician has had with a prominent German politician a member of the Reichstag, who requested that his name be not used. He added that the German offensive thus far had proved a failure owing to losses and the German command was waiting to obtain more artillery. Germany had lost in killed, wounded and made prisoners three million men, added.

GERMAN POWER IN SOUTH RUSSIA ALARMS PETROGRAD AND MOSCOW.

Moscow, May 10—(Delayed)—Thru the capture of Rostov on the Don the Germans have gained control of the Caucasus grain districts in the Don basin and the coal, iron, and oil fields. Northern Russia is now cut off from the Caucasus, excepting for a single railroad running thru Tzaritsin, in the southern part of the government of Saratov, which the Germans are now threatening.

Coupled with the fall of Sebastopol, and the overthrow of the Ukraine Rada and the establishment in Ukraine of a Bourgeois government wholly under German domination, the capture of Rostov had created great uneasiness in Moscow and Petrograd.

GERMAN CAVALRY RELEASED FROM ROUMANIA NOW IN THE WEST.

London, May 15—Reports from Liege say that one cavalry Division from Rumania has past the Liege westward and more troops from Rumania are expected on the Belgian front. Orders have been given for other traffic on the railways to stop in order to allow these troops to pass. It is impossible probable that the cavalry referred to by the correspondent belong to the German Forces, which were operating in Rumania and have been released from that front thru the signing of the peace treaty between Rumania and the Central Powers.

GREAT INCREASE IN ARTILLERY WORK TODAY.

London, May 15—The German artillery fire increase this morning near Morlandcourt south of Albert, and in Flanders north of Kemmel the war office reports.

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Red Cross Catechism

Question I. What is the Red Cross Society?

Answer: It is an International Society which helps the Medical Departments of each Army and Navy to look after the sick and wounded and prisoners of war.

Question II. How does the Red Cross Society help the sick and wounded men?

Answer: By providing the Army Medical Department with additional hospital stores of all kinds, from ambulances to drugs and bandages; by sending out extra nurses, orderlies and volunteer assistants; by equipping, wholly or in part, hospitals, hospital ships and trains.

Question III. Why does not the Government do all this work?

Answer: Because, in common with all other nations, the Empire recognizes the value of voluntary effort for the care of the wounded as permitted by the International Convention of Geneva 1864.

Red Cross work thus relieves the taxes, and allows people to give instead of only paying; and provides a properly organized channel for personal service to the suffering men.

Question IV. Why should I give my money to the Red Cross Society?

Answer: Because, if I stay at home, I can help the men who fight, through this Society, when they need help most.

Question V. What will happen if everybody in Canada subscribes generously to the Red Cross?

Answer: Unnecessary suffering will be saved by a sufficient supply of all hospital stores and drugs; men will be returned to the ranks, instead of being invalided and others who might never have seen home again will be returned to the arms of their families.

GUNNER MOORE IN HOSPITAL.

Gunner W. P. Moore, son of Mr. S. J. Moore, Truro., after five months in the trenches, was admitted to St. Albans Hospital, England suffering from trench fever.

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