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Former St. John Officer In The Big Fight

Huns Completely Surprised on
Finding Themselves Attacked
by Canadians So Far South

The following is a part of a letter from a St. John officer who is in the big fight now being waged on the western front:

France, August 12.

"By now, I suppose, you have read all about the latest advance—our chaps certainly kept up their good name and added to it, and while we have naturally lost quite a few, our casualties are remarkably light when one considers the depth of the advance. And the enemy dead and wounded outnumber ours enormously. I have never seen them in such great numbers, nor have I ever seen such a remarkable number of prisoners. The roads for the first couple of days of the show were crowded with them—most of them were a good looking lot, well clothed, apparently well fed, though some of them seemed sceptical as to how our grub supply was, and brought the remainder of their day's rations with them. I even saw one chap who had seemingly just received a parcel from home for he had it tucked under his arm, and when he opened it he seemed quite elated at finding among other things about half a pound of lard. This he spread on the dark bread which he had with him, and was quite content. Of the hundreds of Huns captured by our chaps only a few seemed dissatisfied with their lot, and these were officers who looked the personification of disgust at their capture.

"The Hun was the most surprised being imaginable on Thursday last. He had no idea of the contemplated attack, nor had he any knowledge that the Canadians had been sent this far south, or anywhere off their own front, for that matter. He had no time to destroy much as he retreated and we made ourselves comfortable in the quarters he deserted. Two nights ago we 'registered' in rooms which had just a few hours previously been deserted by a divisional staff or a corps staff and they surely had things fixed to their liking. They had helped themselves to furniture of all kinds, the very nicest of beds, mirrors, chairs, tables, dressers, wash stands, all the fittings in fact, from houses in the French towns when they had advanced here last March, and from the way they had made themselves comfortable, it was plain they had no idea that the 'To Let' sign would soon be up.

"I have no time for more now, I'd like to try to describe some of the cavalry, the tanks and our wonderful infantry. I did not see as much as I would have liked, but I saw very nearly as much as the next one, and it was all worth while."

ASSURE RAILWAY FOR NEW MINE

The mines at Beersville, Kent county, are to be opened up if the indications presented before the executive council last night bear fruit. G. E. Burchill and J. T. Cummings appeared before the government asking for an assurance that the railway to Beersville would not be dismantled provided the mines were opened up and operated.

J. T. Cummings is the president of the James Cummings & Sons Co. of New Glasgow (N. S.), who for many years have been the manufacturers of miners' equipment for Nova Scotia collieries and Mr. Cummings, who appeared before the government last night, is a practical coal miner and one who commands the greatest confidence of the public in Nova Scotia. He has been a alderman of the town of New Glasgow for several terms and since the war has been identified with the shell manufacturing business and if he bends his energies to the opening up of the mines at Beersville it is felt there is no doubt but that their operation will be carried on in a first class manner according to those who know of the qualifications of Mr. Cummings.

The government, it is understood, assured Messrs. Burchill and Cummings that the railway line passing through Beersville would not be dismantled provided the interests they represented operated the mine as they outlined in their verbal petition.

Greatest Baby-Saver Arrives In London

New Zealand Physician Cut Infant
Mortality Figures in Half

(Canadian Press Correspondence.)
London, Aug. 10.—The man reputed to be the world's most successful baby-saver has come to London to save lives for the British Empire, and thereby repel the ravages of the enemy. He is Dr. Truby King, founder of the Royal New Zealand Society for the Health of Women and Children, an organization that has reduced the infantile death rate in New Zealand from about eighty-five in 1,000 to forty-eight. The New Zealand government has lent him for a year to the mother country to teach women here how to care for their young.

"Every mother," he says, "ought to be told the full extent of maternal responsibility and privileges. The child may well ask of his mother—when he comes to know what makes or mars a human being more than any other factor of life: 'Did you give me the milk which the good God gave with every mother, or did you rob me of my birth-right?'"

It is not, according to Dr. King, the poor and ignorant who fail most in parental duties. He adds that "The burden of bearing children is for the most part taken up by people who have the least means and, in a large proportion of cases, they set an example as regards natural-nursing and personal care—in two words, complete motherhood—which is so often shirked by those of ample means and leisure. Civilized nations are recruiting their populations from parents who, relatively speaking, have failed in the battle of life from one cause or another, and not from those who have succeeded."

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are popular as ever. Velour, Duffle Cloth, Whitebays, Dunstyn, Pom, Broadcloth and Plush are the materials. Prices \$20.00 to \$58.00

CHILDREN'S COATS—In Whitebays, Blanket Cloth, Corduroy, Velveteen, Plush, Tweeds, Chinchilla and Curl Cloth. Prices \$7.00 to \$37.00

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Saturday Special \$1.58 each
Girls' School Middys made with separate middy trimmed large sailor collar, pockets and belt of fancy check in pretty shades, skirts deep side plaits with detachable underwaist. Good heavy white drills; sizes 6 to 12 years. Regular \$2.98.

Saturday Special \$1.98 each

School Girls' Tub Dresses, all smart styles, good heavy gingham, chambrays and cambrics, large plaids, fancy checks and stripes, trimmed contrasting shades, colors blue, pink, tan, natural, rose, green; sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular \$2.98.

Saturday Special \$1.98 each

School Dresses for little miss 6 years. Dear little styles in lovely gingham, chambrays or chambrays in pretty shades of rose, tan, blue, sage, natural, etc. Regular \$1.38 to \$1.46.

Saturday Special 98c. each

Girls' School Bloomers, fine jersey knit, made with elastic at knee and waist in navy only; sizes 6 to 12 years. Saturday Special 68c. a pair

MONEY PUT INTO HOUSEHOLD REQUIREMENTS IS MONEY PROFITABLY INVESTED.

Pillow Slips well made and finished, two 1/2 inch hem, sizes 40, 42 and 44 inch, soft unfilled cotton.

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Full bleached Sheets made from good round thread cotton, full size 2 by 2 1/2 yards.

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Embroidery Pillow Cases, solid embroidery work, all large sizes, 45 inch wide.

Saturday Special \$1.35 per pair
Large Turkish Bath Towels, pure white soft finish, especially good as a kiddies' bath towel.

Saturday Special 48c. each
Pre-war values in large size Linen Huck Towels, hemmed ends and corded border, 8-4 bleached; size 20 by 26.

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SATURDAY VALUES IN HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Full-fashioned Hose, Penman's make, with double heel, toe and sole and wide gartered top; colors grey, white and black.

Saturday Special 48c. a pair
Clearing price on silk finished Like Hose, full fashioned, double heel and toe with wide gartered top, black only, all sizes.

Saturday Special 39c. a pair
Penman's Elastic Knitted Hose, fine rib for children, in black or white; sizes from 5 1/2 to 8 inch.

Saturday Special 38c. a pair

NEW FALL GLOVES.

Colored Chamotte Gloves for early fall with heavy stitching on back in shades of heaver, greys, natural, black, white, etc., all sizes.

Saturday Special \$1.00 and \$1.25 per pair

HANDBAGS AND PURSES.

Ladies' Solid Leather Handbags with leather covered frame plated front, fancy lining and fitted with mirror and coin purse. Black only.

Saturday Special \$1.49 each

Fine quality Leather Strap Purse, soft finish with safety strap and fancy lining, black only.

Saturday Special \$2.25 each

Silk Poplin Handbags, covered frame, beaded front, fitted mirror and coin purse, fancy lining, in black or navy.

Saturday Special \$1.48 each

SATURDAY SPECIALS IN READY- TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT.

Misses' and women's Underskirts in black and colors, saten and moreen, all new designs; lengths 28 in. to 40 in.

Saturday Cash Special \$1.29 each

Silk Poplin Dresses in smart design, made with bolero effect, full skirt, satin tie collar.

Saturday Cash Special \$11.75

Cross bar voile and stripe Blouses in all white, square or tuxedo collar, finished lace edging; all sizes.

Saturday Cash Special \$2.58 each

APPROPRIATE Bed Coverings

For Early Fall

Now that the nights are much cooler, the necessity for warmer covering is apparent. In our Housefurnishing Department our range of Blankets and Quilts is very extensive.

At present we merely wish to mention two items very suitable for present needs.

Light Weight Blankets

Beautiful, cortex finish, soft as a rabbit skin, warm as a wool blanket, pink or blue borders, whipped or bound edges.

From \$5 to \$8 pair

Light Weight Comfortables

Finest grade of Carded Cotton Filling, fine Chintz or Silkoline covering. Large variety of colors and patterns to choose from.

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THREE EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN WHITEWEAR DEPARTMENT FOR SATURDAY SHOPPERS.

Fifty only, women's shaped combinations of lovely fine white nainsook, trimmed dainty embroidery yokes with deep embroidery ruffle on pants. All sizes. Regular \$1.98.

Saturday Special \$1.58 per suit

One hundred corset covers of good quality cambrics made with deep yokes of either lace or embroidery, wide heading with ribbon draw; all sizes. Regular 75c.

Saturday Special 47c. each

One hundred Gowns of strong fine undressed cambrics in empire, round or square neck styles, deep embroidery or lace yokes. These are wonderful values, good full sizes. Regular \$1.58 and \$1.68.

Saturday Special \$1.38

WONDERFUL VALUES WOMEN'S NEEDFUL GARMENTS FOR HOUSEWEAR.

Women's large bungalow Aprons of good strong cambrics, neat stripes and checks in medium light and dark colors. Value 98c. each.

Saturday Special 68c.

Women's Princess Aprons, made with good full skirt and fitted bib, neat stripes and checks in medium and dark shades. Value 15c.

Saturday Special 58c. each

Women's Wash Underskirts for housewear, made with deep ruffle of tucking and cording, fitted hip, good strong gingham or cambrics, neat patterns in medium and dark shades. Value \$1.58 and \$1.48.

Saturday Special 98c.

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