

THE WAR LABORS OF KING GEORGE V.

ARDUOUS WORK DURING FOUR AND A HALF YEARS OF WAR.

Has Reviewed Over 2,000,000 Troops,
Visited Over 300 Hospitals,
Decorated 12,000.

In an article on the King, an English writer says:

"Good old George!" This may not at first blush appear to be a very respectful way of hailing one's sovereign, but it is the shout that rang out in Hyde Park when His Majesty reviewed the Legion that marches under the Silver Badge. Among Englishmen the adjective "old" when applied to a man indicates not age, but affection. That he is loved, it was in this sense that it was applied to the King in Hyde Park, and none knew better than our sovereign how to take it. It told him indeed, the depth and homeliness of affection in which he is held. And it is betraying no royal confidence to say that it went straight to the heart.

To parody a famous line, "All the world loves a worker." And how King George has worked for the nation these past four years and three months! During that period he has been a stranger to holidays. It is doubtful if he has had more than ten consecutive days in his beloved Norfolk home, if at all.

Messages to Seven Fronts.

The barest recital of a fraction of what he has accomplished, accompanied often by her Majesty, makes one marvel at the endurance and high sense of duty which could accomplish this and much more. His Majesty has carried out well over 200 inspections, reviewing in doing so over 2,000,000 troops; no division has left these shores for any of our seven fronts—for we were fighting on seven fronts at one time—without either being inspected by the King, or, if circumstances rendered that impossible, hearing a farewell message from him: he has visited with his sympathetic smile and kindly word, the wounded in more than 300 hospitals; he has gone through 150 munition factories, charming all men, women and children, with his bonhomie, and has presented with his own hand more than 12,000 decorations won on the field of battle. Four separate visits have been paid to the Grand Fleet—the last of which was on the eve of the surrender of the German navy. On shore, naval bases and depots have been visited thirteen times.

There has not been an alarm on a London district but his Majesty, accompanied by the Queen, has not driven to the devastated district to express his sympathy with the sufferers.

A Hard-Working King.

The King is probably one of the busiest men in the Empire, his work being in many unthought-of and unheeded labors. For this Mr. Lloyd George vouched when he said: "There is one man who is working as hard as the hardest worked man in this country, and he is the sovereign of the realm." The writer then proceeds to tell how he does it.

To get through the enormous amount of work which comes to his Majesty's table, a private secretary and two assistant secretaries are necessary. For there are many State matters which the King and the Queen alone can pass. Half-past nine in the morning sees his Majesty at work, and he would be a rash man who names the hour when all was done. For there is one thing which the ruler of this vast Empire insists on—no work that can otherwise be dealt with must be left over to the next day. He is "a clean-desk man."

The writer then proceeds to tell of the domestic side of his life, showing how every regulation issued by the food or coal controller was obeyed to the very letter in his household, fireplaces being reduced in size, lighting cut down, and heavy reductions made in all laundry accounts. No stored-up food was ever found at Buckingham or Windsor such as Potatoes revealed. Flower-beds grew vegetables for the nation; in short, he and his family did their best to share the people's cares and sacrifices.

A THOUGHTFUL PRISONER.

Kept Record of Comrades' Death in Captivity.

The thousands of missing British prisoners in Germany constitute one of the most pathetic tragedies of the war. The number unaccounted for would doubtless be greater still had it not been for the thoughtfulness of some who also suffered in German prisons but survived.

One recently returned prisoner, who served as orderly in a German hospital, kept a record of all the British patients who died there, and since his home-coming has written to their kinsfolk enclosing a copy of a photograph, which he had specially taken for the purpose, of the English corner of the hospital cemetery.

The man who gets up in the morning with his work planned for the day has got it partly done.

Harnessed to suspend a basket from a fruit picker's shoulders and leave both hands free has been invented. Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.—Barrie.

Over There— Over Here

STAG Chewing Tobacco is appreciated by both of Canada's war units—those who fought in Flanders and those who served at home.

It is also enjoyed by civilians of all classes throughout Canada and is recognized as being

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BITS OF HUMOR FROM HERE & THERE

A Conclusive Test.

"Has the war made much difference to you?" asked the new servant who had been engaged in an English household.

"The missus said we'd got to economize, so we've 'ad margarine with meals in the kitchen," replied the old cook.

"Doesn't she have it, then?"

"Not 'er." She says as 'ow it doesn't suit 'er digestion. But there ain't nothing wrong with 'er digestion. We know that, for we often sends 'er up margarine, and 'ave butter ourselves."

A Nice Surprise.

Mr. Jones called on the doctor's house. Usually he went to his old family doctor, but this new man happened to live nearer and it was an urgent call.

The doctor's wife answered the ring.

"You wish to see the doctor?" she said.

"Couldn't you come to-morrow morning?"

"Why?" said Jones. "Isn't the doctor in?"

"Oh, yes, he's in," said the lady wistfully, "but you're his first patient, and I'd like you to come as a surprise for him to-morrow. You see, it's his birthday!"

"As You Were."

A certain Irish sergeant was exceedingly wroth when he discovered that one of his men had paid a visit to the regimental barber and had come back without his moustache.

"Private Jones," he roared, "who on earth gave yez permission to have that moustache cut off?"

"No one," answered Jones, unconcernedly; "I thought it would improve my appearance."

"Improve your appearance wid a face like yours!" bawled the enraged sergeant. "If yez don't have it on again at the afternoon parade to-day, there'll be trouble!"

A Philosophical Lover.

So many romantic and pathetic anecdotes are related of precious love letters, cherished in trench and battle by gallant lovers in war-scarred France, that the reflections of a pensive Frenchman in L'Horizon, the journal of the poilus, make a refreshing change. He, too, had borne about with him a letter from his ladylove.



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"There's a Reason"

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a person, evidently, more tart than tender.

"Nature is kind," philosophized the sorrowful polli. "She places the remedy near the ill and often cures, as everyone has seen, evil by evil. A woman, too much loved, sent me a letter so cruel that I didn't even have the strength to tear it up, but carried it around in my pocket for weeks. One night, when I was quartered in a stable, I took my coat off and hung it up."

"The next day, no letter. A cow had eaten it. Nature is kind."

AIRMAN HELPED GEN. ALLENBY

Capt. Alan Bott of R. A. F. Tells of Palestine Campaign.

Captain Alan Bott of the Royal Air Forces recently arrived in New York from Palestine and Syria, where he served with Gen. Allenby's army in its march through the Holy Land and its fight against the Turkish army led by German officers.

He was shot down and captured in Palestine, imprisoned in Damascus, sent to Asia Minor, and finally to Constantinople. He escaped in disguise and reached a port in Russia which he found in control of the Germans and the Bolsheviks, and finally got away to Bulgaria.

His adventures in the near East, Captain Bott, who is twenty-six years of age, flew for two years along the Western front and was shot down during one of the battles of the Somme, but escaped capture.

Speaking of the Palestine campaign, Capt. Bott said: "The Turks are good at fighting on the ground, but they could not fly, and their airplanes were all manned by Germans or Austrians. Our job was to make flights across to Nazareth, Nablous—which was ancient Sechem—and other points held by the enemy, and to do low strafing, which scared the Mohammedan soldiers to death, as they were convinced we were in league with the evil one. Other machines were used for bombing the forts held by the enemy, but great care was taken to spare the holy places, like Nazareth, etc."

"The British aviators did a great deal toward making the success of General Allenby's army in Palestine and Syria. They turned the Turkish retreat into an absolute rout by bombing all the signal stations so that the enemy could not ascertain the movements of its own armies and they sat on the airfields and did not let a single German plane go up to make signals."

The Peace Call.

"I am the voice of the uplands ringing from hill to hill, Calling you back to action; hearken and do my will."

Put up your spear and bader, smother the torch and rapier, Lay down your weapons of warfare; come back, for peace is at hand. Back to your reeking workshops, turning again to toil!

Lift up the horns of plenty out of the teeming soil. Shoulder the pick and shovel, kindle again the hearth, Scatter the wheat and barley over the wasted earth."

"For the cannon is hushed in the lowland, the order has been withdrawn, And the sound of disbanding armies echoes from dark to dawn. Up from the reeking by-ways come the sons and daughters of men, Beating their swords and shrapnel back into plow and again."

Over the waste of the valley the sound of an anvil rings, And over from the fields of carnage a blood-red poppy springs. And the shepherd is out on the hillside, calling again to his sheep: And the song of the busy sickle awakes the earth from sleep."

"Hark to the voice of the uplands, ringing from deep to deep, Calling to peaceful battle ere I again turn to sleep."

The earliest steam vessels also carried sails, the idea being to relieve the stress on the engines.

"The rays of happiness, like those of light, are colorless when unbroken."—Longfellow.

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The great cry which rises from all our manufacturing cities, louder than the furnace blast, is all in vain for this, that we manufacture there everything except men. We blanch cotton, and strengthen steel, and refine sugar, and shape pottery; but to brighten, to strengthen, to refine, to form a single living spirit, never enters into our estimate of advantages. And all the evil to which that cry is urging our myriads can be met only in one way . . . by a right understanding of the needs of all classes of what kinds of labor are good for men, raising them and making them happy; by a determined sacrifice of such convenience, or beauty, or cheapness, as is to be got only by the degradation of the workman; and by an equally determined demand for the products and results of healthy and ennobling labor.—Ruskin.

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NEW NOSES, EYELIDS, BROWS.

Work of Canadian Army Dental Corps Does Not Confine Itself to Teeth.

No department in the army has been more praised and less criticized than the Canadian Army Dental Corps. The work accomplished by this corps has not only been a large factor in maintaining the health and comfort of the army, but has prevented and relieved untold suffering upon the part of the Canadian boys overseas.

The reputation of Canadian dentists in the army spread far beyond the Canadian forces, and Imperial soldiers frequently sought the services of Canadian dental surgeons at great personal inconvenience to themselves.

A new and remarkable development has, however, taken place in the Dental Corps, and that is the replacement, by artificial substitute, of lost facial tissue, including eye or nose and the surrounding parts. In the case of the nose, the part is reproduced in aluminum, and is then tinted the exact color of the face, by the artist especially retained for this purpose. Possibly even more remarkable are the substitutes for a lost eye. In these cases a great deal of the orbit has also been shot away, and it is necessary to restore these parts before the artificial eye is set in place. This work includes the lashes, eyelids and all the surrounding parts. When completed the specially trained artist is again called into requisition, and the whole piece is cleverly attached to a specially constructed pair of spectacles, and the "camouflage" is so perfect that the casual observer is entirely deceived.

The centre of this work for Canada is the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, Toronto. This college, without public grant of any kind, has carried on during the war, and at the same time has placed certain sections of its building at the disposal of the Dental Corps. This has been done absolutely without charge, either for rent or any of the accessories, such as light or heat. This generous treatment is still being accorded so long as the Dental Corps requires special facilities which the Ontario College is able to supply.

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CHAS. E. SHARP, Hawshaw, N.B., Sept. 1st, 1905.

Just the Same

The troop train rumbles in along the rails.

The Welcoming Committee talk details.

A woman wonders will she laugh or cry.

And catches other women waiting by.

The whistle blows—the drums beat full and fast.

She holds him to her heart—at last! at last!

The son who's left of three—disfigured, lame.

But in his mother's eyes he's just the same!

MONEY ORDERS.

When ordering goods by mail send a Dominion Express Money Order.

Nearly 3,000,000 pounds of hams, valued at 570,000 taels (about \$550,000 United States currency) were exported from China during 1917. Great Britain was the principal importer. The Chinese consume vast quantities of hams and pork. Pigs are raised everywhere in China.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

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Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A small trial bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

Doctors warn against remedies containing powerful drugs and alcohol. "The Extract of Roots, long known as Mother Selig's Curative Syrup, has no dope or strong ingredients; it cures indigestion, biliousness and constipation. Can be had at any drug store." Get the genuine. 50c. and \$1.00 Bottles.

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It is a good plan to have a cheap watch to carry on the farm. So many things may happen to a watch. It may be jerked out of the pocket when you are bending over and strike on a stone.

In the community club—the small neighborhood group—where people know each other well, and trust each other, and are unselfish enough to work for a common cause, real progress can be made.

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Do You Do These Things?

The variety of "tangle-tongue" called "Spoonism" originated, probably, with the earliest attempts at human speech, but though so well known, it is not yet defined in the dictionary. The association of it with Professor Spooner is recalled by a newspaper paragraph which says that in a sermon to Oxford undergraduates he is reported to have said: "Brethren, have you never felt within your heart a half-warmed fish to be good?" His little son came by the failing honestly, for he is credited with saying at breakfast: "Mamma, please pass the parlor maid." Another case mentioned is that of the young curate who, basing his first sermon on the text, "The cock crew and Peter went out and went bitterly," remarked solemnly, "The cock went and Peter went out and crew bitterly—no, I mean Peter crew and the cock went out and went bitterly."

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