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## THE WAR NEWS.

The Russian official report today tells of the capture of nearly 9,000 Germans, with a number of guns and other booty, and telling of the crossing of the Dnieper by two German forces adds this laconic comment: "The forces which crossed above Minslow were destroyed and those which crossed below were taken prisoner." The report further indicates that at all points where fighting is not still in progress the Austro-German forces have been held in check. This is more encouraging news than has come from that quarter for some days.

The Italian official report tells of gradual progress with some small engagements and successful artillery work. The army advancing on Trieste is drawing steadily closer to that city.

The French have made further gains in the west, but in the French Chamber yesterday complaint was made that munitions are not being produced fast enough, and the country was warned that the war would last a long time.

There still appears to be some doubt about the course to be pursued by Bulgaria, but Greece is drawing nearer the time when her weight, and doubtless that of Roumania, will be thrown in the scale on the side of the Allies. At the same time no appreciable progress has been reported for some days.

Universal sorrow is felt at the untimely death of Lieut. Warneford, the aviator whose recent brilliant exploit in destroying a German Zeppelin won for him the Victoria Cross and the Legion of Honor.

## PATRONAGE AND THINGS.

Either of the gentlemen whose claims to the probate judgeship were so vigorously pressed by their friends would have performed the duties of the office with ability and dignity. Those who merely witnessed the strife from afar, and had no voice in the election, may at least congratulate Judge Knowles, who is a most worthy citizen, enjoying the respect of all. He is in no sense responsible for the fact that he was not the only candidate whose friends were assured their man would be appointed to the office.

That is a matter between the disappointed friends and the politicians on whose good faith they relied. The latter no doubt weighed the chances and made up their minds they could "get by" with a broken promise, while making themselves solid in another direction. If all one hour he true, however, there are some who will not forget the broken pledges. Sir Robert Borden told a delegation yesterday he was too busy to think about patronage. This was in reply to a delegation of Conservatives who pointed out that Mr. Garland, who was read out of the party by Sir Robert himself, still held the patronage of Carleton county, and boasted of the fact. If Sir Robert were in St. John he would find his lieutenants too busy about patronage to think about anything else. An exception may perhaps be made in the case of the attorney general, who visited St. Joseph's University yesterday and delivered an address.

## THE COLOSSAL TASK.

The Montreal Journal of Commerce tells why the I. C. R. shops at Montreal and the N. T. R. shops at Quebec cannot be utilized in the manufacture of shells, as well as those of the Grand Trunk, Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific, and why many large factories in various parts of the country which are still running on short time, but which could be utilized in the manufacture of shells are also pressed in to service in this great crisis. "It is far better and far cheaper," says the Journal of Commerce, "to expend shells than human lives. Let the people of Canada be told frankly what is required of them and we are certain that scores of factories and thousands of men can be utilized in the manufacture of the greatly needed shells."

The Journal further says:—"The government, with the co-operation of its efficient staff committee and the Manufacturers' Association, could very readily take a census of all the available factories in Canada and where necessary furnish the machinery and equipment to manufacture shells."

If the country is to be properly organized, for the production of war munitions on the largest possible scale, something of this sort must be done. It is now quite clear that the British Empire must provide the men and the munitions to turn the scale in favor of the Allies. The London Chronicle's correspondent, writing from France at the end of May, said that Germany could call to arms altogether 10,000,000 men, and that of these 8,000,000 had not been called up. Of the 7,000,000 assumed to be in the field he estimated that at least 1,000,000 had been put out of action, but there were still 2,000,000 on the eastern and 2,000,000 on the western front, and 3,000,000 yet to be called to the colors, and with an abundant supply of munitions and a country organized to the limit for war purposes, to say nothing of the aid of Austria, it is clear that Germany, even when compelled to act solely on the defensive, can resist with tremendous power. If she lost 200,

000 men per month it would take ten months to dispose of 2,000,000 out of more than 8,000,000 the Chronicle's correspondent estimated to be her strength less than three weeks ago. Does not this suggest that Canada should bestir herself more actively in the matter of turning out munitions of war?

This morning's official French report told of substantial success gained yesterday because the soldiers were supported by a fire of nearly 800,000 shells. Because of the nature of the German defense it is necessary to literally tear up the earth over a given area before the infantry can advance with hope of success. In the words of a writer in the New York Sun:—

"For a while, then, it is to be a question of blasting powder, and the monopoly of victory is to be the price of those who can bring to the firing line the greatest blasting charges."

A London cable says that the question of getting more shells from Canada was raised in the British parliament yesterday, and Mr. Lloyd George announced that he is arranging to send a prominent business man to the United States and Canada to discuss the whole question of munitions for war purposes. Mr. Lloyd George says it is the desire of the War Office to place in Canada orders for as much of its requirements as Canada can fill. What is the Canadian government doing in the matter?

## TUBERCULOSIS.

The fact that two young women from this city, who were found to be in the incipient or curable stage of tuberculosis, had not the funds to pay for treatment at the Jordan Sanatorium, have been sent there through the generosity of societies and individuals, is a most worthy contribution of the disease by others if these incidents had been permitted to become advanced and incurable cases.

There is an important lesson in this story. These girls went to the Dispensary, where free examination is made, and through the local Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis their condition and needs were brought to the attention of those who have made provision for their treatment at River Glade. It is along this line the most valuable work in combating tuberculosis can be done. Wherever there is a fear that the disease has been contracted the person affected should be encouraged to consult Dr. Leitch at the Dispensary, or Dr. Townsend, who compile these facts Thursday in each month. Then, if it should prove that there is an incipient case of the disease, and the patient is unable to pay the cost of treatment at the sanatorium, some society, or church, or group of individuals should endeavor to meet the need and give the patient a chance for his or her life. In this way an immense benefit would be conferred, not merely upon the patient, but upon the community. Every case where the disease is cured or arrested removes a source of prospective danger to many other persons.

It may be hoped that the leaflets distributed through the agency of the public schools will be carefully read and preserved in the homes of the people, and the simple directions there given heeded by all who may have cause to fear that they have or may contract the disease. Home treatment comes first, then the sanatorium, and last and most lamentable of all, the hospital for cases which have been permitted to go beyond the stage of curability.

When the premier of the province had knowledge that an enormous grant fund was being collected from lumbermen, what wonder that the smaller fry in Kent county and all over the province were out after their "bit"? The padded pay-rolls in Kent are but a small sample.

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## LIGHTER VEIN.

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She—Isn't Jack just wonderful? He's already been promoted to field marshal. He—From private to field marshal in two months? Impossible!

She—Did I say field marshal, oh well, perhaps it's court-martial. I know it's one or the other.

## Economy

She—But if I can't live on my income and you can't live on yours, where would be the advantage of our marrying?

He (thought)—Well, by putting our incomes together, one of us would be able to live, at any rate.

## An Expert

First Trooper Imperial Yeomanry (discussing a new officer): "Swears a bit, doesn't he, sometimes?"

Second Trooper: "Es a masterpiece! Is; just opens 'is mouth and lets it out like a fire."

## She Knew

"I am collecting for the suffering poor."

"But are you sure they really suffer?"

"Oh yes, indeed. I go to their houses and talk to them for hours at a time."

## An Effective Scarecrow

An American tourist had been boasting of getting more shells from Canada. "Talking of scarecrows," he said, with a drawl, "why, my father once put one up and it frightened the crows so much that not one entered the field again for a year."

He looked triumphantly around his audience. Surely that had settled those country bumpkins.

"That's nothing," retorted one farmer. "A neighbor of mine once put a scarecrow into his potato patch and it terrified the birds so much that one rascal of a crow that had stolen some potatoes came next day and took them back."

Wandering on some land belonging to East Derby, a collier chanced to meet the owner of Knowlesy face to face. His Lordship inquired if the collier knew he was walking on his land.

"Thy land? Well, I've got no land myself," was the reply, "and I'm like to walk on somebody's. Where did that get it fro?"

"O," explained his lordship, "I got it from my ancestors."

"An' where did they get it fro?" queried the collier.

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"I don't know," replied the collier, "but I'll fight thee for it!"

It was little Howard's first term in school—in fact, it was almost his first, and one day he returned home with a discouraged expression. His mother noticed the sad look of the lad and asked:—

"Why, what is the trouble, Howard? You look worried!"

"I ain't going to school no more," replied the boy, starting away from the mother.

"Why, dear, what is the matter?" asked the mother.

"Cause," explained the boy, "taint no use, mother. I can't learn to spell. One day I learn how to spell the words and then the next day the teacher gives us all new words. He just keeps changing them every day, and that ain't no way to do."

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bound as a passenger ship had a narrow escape on that Sunday.

Some of the men on the Carpathia asserted that they had seen the steamer Spennymoor torpedoed. This was one of the acknowledged victims of enemy submarines at the end of the week. It is also asserted that the convoy of one of these two transports had failed to turn up in home waters, in consequence

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### ARRIVAL OF TROOPS AT SHORNCLIFFE CAMP

The 25th Battalion, Nova Scotia, Reached Devonport on May 29 on the Saxonia

London, June 1—(Montreal Gazette correspondence)—The last week-end in May was a very busy one in the Canadian camp in the Folkestone district, as it saw the arrival of several battalions, which, it is understood, complete the second division. Within two days three transports docked safely at Plymouth, or rather, at Devonport, which stands in relation to Plymouth as Marseilles does to Montreal. The Carpathia got into Devonport on Friday night with the 27th and 81st Battalions aboard, and

of which the voyage to Plymouth was made alone. For five days the men were kept below deck with the exception of two companies fully armed, and four machine-guns were fired ready for any emergency.

The 22nd had very happy recollections of Amherst, the district of two men being that there was not a town in Canada which had done more to make the soldiers happy and comfortable. When the two battalions left Amherst they had a great send-off. It was announced that there would be a massed band and accompanied the troops to the railway station. Within a few hours they embarked on the Saxonia. On board, the two battalions met very happily, the 20th composed largely of Scotmen, native born or by ancestors, taught their French-Canadian compatriots to sing Gaelic songs, and in return the Carpathia taught the Scots to sing L'Ailourette. There were also several small units arrived in camp, including the Signal Company, divisional cyclists, and ammunition columns.

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