

## BRITISH GIVEN HEARTY WELCOME BY LILLE PEOPLE

Deliverance From German Yoke Celebrated Yesterday — Train Service to Paris Resumed

With the British Army in France and Belgium, Oct. 28—(By the Associated Press)—Lille today opened wide her gates in formal reception to a division of the fifth British army. She paid a supreme tribute of gratitude to these representatives of the army which a few days ago released her from the heavy hand of German bondage. In 1918 there was a similar day of rejoicing in Lille, when the Austrian siege of the city was broken. A century later came the centennial celebration of this event. Today's demonstration surpassed both of these. All the inhabitants of Lille and many people from the surrounding territory—scores of thousands—thronged the streets, which were bedecked with the flags of the Allies to return thanks to their deliverers and to cover the war-weary veterans with flowers. Throughout this vast assemblage moved a spirit of unbounded gratitude that reflected on the faces of the people in smiles of welcome that mingled with tears of joy.

Lille could have done no more. She gave freely from her heart, and no victors could have had a more noble reward than that given to the British, who, when Lille had been freed, chivalrously stepped aside and requested French troops to be the first to enter the capital of the department of the north.

The division which was selected by the British to represent the army consisted of the territorial units which had gallant part in driving the invaders from the city. These troops marched from one side of the metropolis to the other, amid wildly cheering throngs.

The main ceremony was held in the centre of the city, about the statue of the Spirit of the Resistance of 1918, where German officers were parading but a brief time ago and impressing their arrogance upon the unhappy inhabitants.

Gathered to receive Lieut.-General William R. Birdwood and his staff were all the dignitaries of the city, headed by Mayor Delaisalle. It had been announced that President Poincare would attend

but he was not present, much to the disappointment of his people. It was an event which will write itself indelibly upon the pages of history. Only twice in the last century and a quarter has this premier city of Flanders witnessed such an impressive celebration as that of today, which centred about the exchange of flags between the city of Lille and the fifth army.

Toward the end of the celebration a German airplane appeared east of the city and was immediately surrounded with bursting shrapnel. It aroused only the curiosity of the people in the city, who fervently prayed that the aviator would see what was going on and report it to his commander.

Trains are now running between Lille and Paris and a newspaper is being published for the first time since the German occupation.

—BUY-VICTORY BONDS—

## FAMOUS CANADIAN SNIPER IS KILLED

Lance Corporal H. Norwest, M.M., a famous Indian sniper of an Alberta battalion, met his death on August 18, while, with two other snipers, he was endeavoring to locate a nest of enemy snipers who had been causing trouble to the advanced posts of our front-line companies.

Norwest's record of 115 observed hits by no means represents the havoc he has caused to the enemy, as on many occasions he doubtless caused casualties and would not claim hits unless his observer was present and confirmed them.

Although a dead-shot, his success was a result of his patience and unusual hunting ability. He would wait for days to get his man, and would never fire unless his position was secure from observation by the enemy.

No man's land was his favorite haunt, and on many occasions he actually practised the enemy lines under cover of darkness, not in his work at early dawn, and returned safely to our lines.

Before the recent drive he was detailed to remain at the transport lines, as he had never missed a trip in his two years in France, but he pleaded so hard to be allowed to go that he went into the attack and was of invaluable assistance in clearing out many machine gun nests and putting enemy snipers out of action.

One who knew him well writes: "Norwest is dead. I doubt if anyone in the Canadian corps, or in the whole British army for that matter, had a finer record than he—115 hits observed—115 dead or badly wounded Germans, the efforts of one man."

"He was a very peculiar character—very silent, very intent. As delighted as a child at his successes and as grim as the avenging angel when on his work."

He was seen in his position, waiting for a chance to get a shot, and he reminded me for all the world of a pointer pointing his whole body tense with eagerness, his whole mind set on his work.

"Day after day he would lie out in exposed positions—waiting, waiting. His position was colossal. No place was too dangerous for him to go, no risk too great to take, so long as he was killing. He won the Military Medal and, richly he earned them. His Indian blood possibly helped him in his work; possibly he inherited his patience and richly he earned them. His Indian blood possibly helped him in his work; possibly he inherited his patience and richly he earned them."

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## 1 2 MY WHOLE LIFE

was spent in trying to cure an ulcer by using ordinary ointments," writes Mrs. Jeffrey, of 21 French Street, Methuen. "Then I heard of Zam-Buk, used it, and am now completely cured."

"Thirty-three years ago the ulcer appeared on my ankle, and gradually spread to my knee. The pain was terrific. For years I could hardly walk and had to remain in the house. For twenty-five years I received doctors' treatment but got only temporary relief."

"Then I heard of some wonderful cures worked by Zam-Buk and commenced using it. The relief experienced was wonderful. The inflammation was gradually drawn out. The pain was soon ended, and at last after thirty-three years of misery, I was on the road to recovery. To cut a long story short—perseverance with this wonderful balm resulted in a complete and permanent cure."

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## MUST OPERATE BRANCH LINES

Government Will Not Permit Effort to Secure Better Prices to Work Injury to Patrons, Says Hon. F. B. Carvell

"If the owners of the Carqueet and Gulf Shore branch and the Kent Northern line do not desire to come to the government's terms in the matter of the handling over of these roads to the federal authorities, the government will see that they are kept running this winter," was the declaration made by Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works, who arrived in the city last night, in his private car attached to the McAdam train.

Two streaks of rust and a right of way," was the expression the minister of public works used in connection with these two lines. He stated that last winter the government had to come to the aid of the owners financially in order that the road be continued in operation. He pointed out, however, that each of these loans constituted a mortgage upon the line receiving it.

The opinion he expressed when asked why it was that these two lines would



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Within ten minutes 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 line and downy hair first—yes, but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

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 amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance and incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

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not accept the offer of the federal authorities which owners of other branch lines the province willingly accepted. It was that these owners hoped to goad the people, they served into desperation and that pressure would then be brought upon the government to meet the proposition made by the owners.

Practically bankrupt and were not even paying running expenses let alone dividends to the owners. "I consider that any business which annually brings its owner a deficit is worth little or nothing," added Hon. Carvell.

Referring to the question of placing the harbor in commission Mr. Carvell said that he learned from Hon. Carvell that the minister of marine and fisheries was very pleased with his reception in St. John on the occasion of his visit, and that he learned some things about the port of which he was perhaps not cognizant of prior to his visit.

The government is willing to go ahead and take the harbor over and place it in commission provided the people of St. John desire the change.

Relative to a visit by Hon. Mr. Reid, minister of railways, Mr. Carvell said that he hoped to induce that minister to accompany him on his next visit to the city. As to whether or not the new government grain elevator at this port would be put into use this winter the minister said he did not know, it was in the department of railways and he had been absent for several weeks in a tour of the west.

## AN IMPORTANT GAIN BY BRITISH IN MESOPOTAMIA

Town of Kerkuk Captured — Armored Cars Are Used With Good Effect

London, Oct. 28—British troops have captured the important town of Kerkuk, in Turkish Kurdistan, lying 185 miles north of Bagdad. The town was occupied on Friday. The statement says: "The Turks still held on Friday strong positions on Jebel Hamrin, west of the mouth of the Lesser Zab. But on the previous day some of our armored cars by desert track farther west struck in on the Turkish line of communications in the neighborhood of Kalesh Sherghat, where they attacked enemy convoys. At the same time our cavalry moved up on the left bank of the Tigris, threatening the enemy communications from the east."

The pressure of our troops in front, combined with the attacks on their communications, compelled the Turks to retreat twelve miles to the north on Saturday night to a position three miles south of Kalesh Sherghat, where we are in close contact with them. Our troops are showing great powers of endurance in a country possessing no roads and devoid of supplies.

Kerkuk was captured by us on Friday after slight opposition, and the Turks retreated towards Allyn Kupri. Armored cars inflicted many casualties on the enemy close to the latter town, and on Sunday our main body was in touch with the Turkish troops covering the crossing the Lesser Zab."

—BUY-VICTORY BONDS—

Miss Hester L. Lutes of Stevens Mountain, N.B., and her husband of Moncton, were united in marriage in Salisbury, N. B., last Saturday by Rev. Norman A. MacNeill.

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Methodist conference has decided it will not permit women to preach in public. They put women's sermons on a par with smoking, realizing neither could be stopped in private—Brookville Recorder and Times.

## HAVE PURCHASED THE FORD PLANT

Big Buildings of Glen Falls Will be Used to House Troops — News of the Soldiers

The military authorities have purchased the Ford Motor plant and factory at Coldbrook, to be used for the occupation of troops. The entire plant is to be remodelled and fitted up to meet the demands of the military. It is estimated that more than 1,000 men can be comfortably quartered in these premises.

French Canadian Unit. Orders were recently received at military headquarters authorizing the establishment of a third Canadian Tank Battalion. This new unit, it is said, is to be entirely French-Canadian, composed of volunteers and will be organized immediately by Major Paul Ouligay. Major Ouligay has been O.C. of the Laval C. O. T. C. and brigade major of the 11th Infantry Brigade, Casabianca.

Many returned men arrived in the city last evening on the McAdam express. Some belonged to the city, while others to eastern points who left again on the Halifax train en route to their respective homes.

Soldiers Insulted. As a result of the epidemic of influenza, the military authorities have ordered that all members of the Depot Battalion be inoculated as a measure of precaution against the disease.

Flight Lieut. Harold G. Pitt arrived in the city at noon yesterday from the aviation training quarters at Toronto. He has passed all his tests.

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REAL MONEY SCARCE (Chicago Tribune) Orville Wright, at a dinner in Dayton, talked of his early struggles to get backing for his flying experiments. "We had, my brother and I," he said, "lots of encouragement, but no financial encouragement. People talked big, but they would put up nothing. With their mouths full of millions and their quite empty hands they reminded me of a barber I once knew. This barber said one day as he shaved me: 'That's a pup of Wilberforce's. I'd give anything for it.' 'Well, it's for sale, isn't it?' said I. The barber sneered. 'Oh, yes, it's for sale,' said he, 'but Wilberforce, the chump, wants a dollar for it.'"

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The Ottawa List. The names of twenty-nine New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list. They are as follows: Killed in action: W. Towers, St. Stephen; J. Kelly, St. John; C. Wheaton, Moncton; J. Jensen, Blaketar, Wounded: H. Cuthberton, Hartland; J. Gagnon, Isle River; R. Galbraith, Lorneville; Corp. E. Baxter, Fredericton; B. Fulton, Newville; L. Louis, Elmdale; H. McCuskey, St. John; C. Melbourne, Sussex; O. Jones, St. John; W. Blair, St. John; A. Carren, Grand Falls; H. Max, St. Wilson, Basset; Lieut. J. Wilkinson.

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## REPEAL OF THE UNITED ONTARIO FARMERS

Repeal of War Time Elections Act and Permanent Liquor Prohibition Two Features

Toronto, Oct. 29—Absolute freedom of discussion; no change in Canada's relations with the United States; a full discussion by the Canadian people of the war-time election act; permanent dominion-wide prohibition of the manufacture, importation, and sale of liquor; nationalization of railway, telegraph, telephone and similar public utilities; natural resources to be leased not short terms by public auction.

These were the main planks in the proposed platform of the United Farmers of Ontario, tentatively agreed upon at a meeting of executive officers held at the organization here yesterday.

Planks previously adopted by the Canadian Council of Agriculture were reaffirmed, including sweeping reductions in customs, taxation and the substitution of a direct tax on unimproved land values, a sharply graduated inheritance tax on large estates, and a graduated income tax on the profits of corporations, with a special squeeze on watered stock.

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David Chambers, aged thirteen years, received a bad flesh wound in the leg yesterday as the result of a bullet hitting a rock and deflecting and striking him. He and another boy named Sheldon Linton went shooting near Saint's Rest and the latter sighting a sea dog fired but struck a rock. The injured boy was attended by Dr. O. Comeau of Fairville.

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