## The Toronto World

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### How to Do It.

The way to stop the title business is for the Ottawa government to pledge itself not to recommend any. All but two that have been granted came on the recommendation of the present prime minister, Sir Robert fate if the allies are beaten.

Borden, or Sir Wilfrid Laurier, his we, by our own chosen rules, have "I do not think we should be carried sent in the names.

and he did not fall to pay tribute to her professions may be when the pre-Sir Henry Wilson, whose prescience sent debauch is over, there will be no he described as of the most remark- disposition to trust her among the inable description in forecasting the late nocent daughters of the empire. battle. Wellington said it all depended on knowing what was over the hill, and in Lord Roberts's most brilhant successor the army has new a Other People's Opinions chief who embodies all the great traditions.

He does not underestimate the ene-

of conscription to Ireland, but Gen. the pleadings of her tover and able to accomplish for Ireland what her affections and in a couple of Wilson is an Irishman, and may be an Irish leader can usually do.

The retirement of Lord Gough and the appointment of Sir Henry Raw. William Bennett, shot the newly linson to the fifth army is distinctly a wedded couple and then pressing the Wilson move. It is in I'me with the revolver against his temple shot him-abolition of seniority promotion. It is self. The outcome of the affair was that the soldier died, the girl recovthe best generals and not the cldest ered, and Bennett, after hovering for who are to be trusted in future. a leng time between lige and death, Stories like that of an emment commander in a critical engagement who tore his hair out and lost his head and gave other evidence of incompe- uating circumstances existed they tence until an officer of engineers came up and suggested a plan which saved the day make the new policy a 17th of this month. cause for rejoicing.

General Foch and General: Wilson bre hand in glove. This means a unity of humanity, shall we here at home I say, permit this self blinded boy, this distracted would-be suicide to be which could be accomplished no literally led to the scaffold without otherwise. The incorporation of a troops in the British brigades is an- lead the way in petitioning that other evidence of the splendid solid-arity of the allied ranks. The present but one most grievously sinned week will see another important stage of the Picardy struggle developed and perhaps decided under action i would suggest that a petition sircumstances which warrant our sist be opened by all the local dailies. circumstances which warrant our confidence.

### No Monopoly of Slackers.

Le Canada shows an extraordinary unfamiliarity with the conditions under which the Military Service Act thing short of judicial murder. is administered in Ontario and other provinces. The Quebec paper seems to think that raids on theatres, restaurants, pool-rooms and other places of assembly are confined to Quebec-Toronto is the original home of the policy, and there is not a theatre, a restaurant, a dance hall, a pool-room, kely place where slackers might conceal themselves, not even the Press of the Italian troops.

"Before coming here," said the prea rink, a Y. M. C. A., or any other

And what about it? Does Le now the faith of absolute conviction. Canada wish to encourage placking, I note the sense of profound gravity or fancy that Quebec has a monopoly of slackers? Military service for the defence of his country and flowers as he starts for the for the still wider ideal of humanity, is the privilege of every able-bodied young man. If he fails to appreciate the Italian soldiers is, I believe, evihis duty and his opportunity, in the cence of their unyielding determinaeconomy of a true democracy, it is but just that he should be schooled in it and brought to service.

## Canada, a German Colony?

Mr. Donald MacMaster, K.C., M.P., spoke in the British House of Commons cal power situation has become so serious here that it has been decided to place the entire city on power rations. The juice will be distributed served in dealing with the German tions. The juice will be distributed captured colonies. The lack of at- so that at certain hours domestic sertention concerning the matter in most amount of ignorance concerning it in to adopt this system,

the first place, and in the second possibly owing to the confidence that so many have that Germany will never able to reclaim them. That, however, is the very point that is being

and it is always incomprehensible to its order paper as it stands today.

outsiders, especially to those who have "First of all," said he. "I'd press for followed the fortunes of Alsace and the completion and use of the new Union

The house of commons by its action on Monday night has spoken for the people; let the people's word be obeyed by the political chiefs and the King will not offend. Honors suggested by him to men in the army and navy will never offend the Canadian navy will never offend the Canadian let the commons strengthen let the commons by its action conquered territory before the war is decided, because if we lose the war is decided. Ballian is decided, because if we lose the war is decided. Ballian is decided, be people. Let the commons strengthen sakes as a United Kingdom, and for an enormous relief in improving focal guns.

board. A vote in the commons there Wancouver or Prince Rupert, as the would do it.

The real significance of Mr. Nickle's British fleet off South America in travel most of all circumstances of all circumstances. The commons there was a state of the order paper, as the that off the order paper, "The advantages of things like this—all under way—would help business, help travel most of all circumstances."

### Clemency Sought.

weeks became the wife of the man in

Driven to distraction, the jilted boy, also recovered, but it was found that

both eyes had been destroyed. Tho the case was an unusually pathetic one and tho, if ever extenwere here in evidence, the jury four

Now Sir, shall we whose nearest and dearest are out fighting the cause putting forth a hand to save his blighted young life? Surely not! considerable body of United States Surely this great Toronto of ours will

> these lists to be signed by the citizens and forwarded to the minister of justice not later than Saturday next. It is to be hoped that all the newspapers thruout Ontario will folavert an event which would be n Anna Murphy.

56 St. George St.

## **ITALIAN TROOPS SHOW**

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy.—Vittorio E. Orlando, the Italian premier, today talked with the corlikely place where slackers might Italian army as he was completing a

the Dominion police and the military mier, "I had confidence based on search of the defaulters, sentiment and intuition, but having soldier, which no longer carries out the demonstration with flags and

### **LONDON ON RATIONS** FOR ELECTRIC POWER

London, Ont., April 9 .- The electrivice will be cut off in order to in-crease the load for factories, etc. Lon-Cashin intimated that he anticipated

### Clear Up the Order Paper Wherever Possible

Said a prominent business man yes-terday: "There's a better feeling abou settled in Picardy at the present time. the war all around town; more and more As Mr. MacMaster says, we have tem- people think if a military decision is perary possession of them, but "we not soon reached in favor of the allies must never forget that if we fail in it will at least be generally accepted the main centres of action those colonies will follow the results there."

In Europe, in America, here in Torento, that Germany can't win, and that failure in her ambition for dominion is And not only those colonies, but our certain soon to come. In either case it own colonies, and the Dominion of means that business in Toronto will soon Canada itself would be a German col- take on a new impetus. Therefore, inony were the allies defeated in the stead of the city holding back in its war. Quebec would be the German progressive program, it at least ought to go ahead and clean off all the unfinished business that it possibly can on

Lorraine for forty years past, why Quebec is so apathetic in the war. Does she look forward to the prospect of becoming the German washpot with satisfaction? And yet that is her fate if the allies are beaten.

Station and lift the congestion in that quarter. If we are not to have the elevated viaduct let us have the alternative of bridges over Yonge and Bay streets; therefore give us a better station, a five hundred per cent. better station, for passengers, express and postal business.

The congestion in that quarters in France, April 9.—Two little incidents in fighting south of Amiens-Villers-Carbonnel road show what splendid stuff the men of the Canadian Motor Machine Gun Brigade are made of. Under cover of the edge of a large wood rear Moreuil a young Lorraine for forty years past, why Station and lift the congestion in that Ontario realizes the danger, and if If a settlement is made in the coming a large wood near Moreuil a young Borden, or Sir Wilfrid Laurier, his predecessor. Both have declared that they have no use for them. The King this province it will be after heavier they have no use for them. The King this province it will be after heavier they have no use for them. The King this province it will be after heavier they have no use for them. The King this province it will be after heavier they have no use for them. The King this province it will be after heavier they have no use for them. September first. But it must be taken

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Next morning the United States care the fire of the badly congested condition caused by ioss of time in local travel for thousands and thousands of employees going to and from their work.

The efficiency of Toronto work people the United States care the united States care the fire of the death. Every man in the Hun regoubt was killed in the badly congested condition caused by ioss of time in local travel for the enemy did not attempt to remove the enemy did not attempt to remove the enemy did not attempt to remov Premier Lloyd George's speech remust be kept out of temptation it would be improved, would be improved ling for as they attempted to come out flected the new spirit in the army, these respects, and however virtuous done forthwith. The money for all these disorganized. done forthwith. The money for all these

ready to take over the street railway, out prominently was that of a young of radial entrances of new buildings. Toronto despatch rider of the Canaof radial entrances, of new buildings, all these and other things may have

ment of the war is in sight. But in with valuable information. any event Toronto is suffering from congestion now and she is bound to expand at a great rate; the city fathers and the city officials must do their par now. At last the tax rate has been got off the order paper. Now for the other things that I've just mentioned."

# GAINS IN TONNAGE FOR OCEAN TRAFFIC

Close Co-operation of Departments Secures Increased Efficiency.

MORE SHIPS TO COME

Million Tons Added to Fleet Sending Supplies to Europe.

Washington, April 9.-An increase of 20 per cent. in the amount of tonnage shipped across the Atlantic in March was gained thru close co-operation of the ship control committee, the shipping board and the war department, in directing the movement of traffic. Officials confidently predicted today that the efficiency in handling would mean a gain of thirty per cent, in tonnage during April.

The strength of the worderstrength of the wo The strength of the non-fighting fleet which the United States has con-

tributed to the aid of the allies be-came known today for the first time. A total of 390 American vessels un-DETERMINATION TO WIN der American control now are in transatiantic trade with a tonnage of 2,762,605. Of these 322 fly the American flag, while 68 are chartered ships of neutral nations. The American ships have a carrying capacity of 2,-

365.344 tons.

In addition to the present fleet there are 471.000 tons of Dutch ships still to be put into service as soon as crews can be provided. Ships built in America for the shipping board will swell the total still further, as the building program begins to show cumulative results during the summer.

When the ship control committee was established Jan. 30 to have supreme charge of all ships entering

American ports, it was hoped that centralized control would mean in effect the addition of 1,000,000 tons to the shipping facilities available for the shipping facilities available for the transportation of men, munitions and food to fight the kaiser. In two months, that object has been achieved by having one force to guide the American, affled and neutral ships trading in American ports.

WANTS LOAN FROM CANADA. St. John's, Nfld., April 9.-Hon. Mc. Call Cashin, minister of finance, returned yesterday from a visit to Canada where he spent several weeks in ne-gotiating a loan for the Newfoundland Government to ensure Newfoundland's places is perhaps due to the great don is the first place in the province a satisfactory outcome of his visit to

# CANADIANS SMASH **ENEMY MORTARS**

Machine Gunners Create Havoc Against German Trench Weapons.

### **UHLANS DRIVEN BACK**

Young Toronto Despatch Rider Figures in Heroic Deed.

won't force them on us; has never, as exertions than he has made yet. Mr. won't force them on us; has never, as a matter of fact, forced them on us; MacMaster sums up this side of it:

MacMaster sums up this side of it: we, by our own closen rules, have
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"I do not think we should be carried away by making a distinction of untractions."

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The house of commons by its action conquered territory before the war is

"I do not think we should be carried away by making a distinction of untractions."

"Then to go up town! Why not have the city hall people and the Metropolitan Railway get together and settle the arbitrary was going on, both sides having dug themselves shallow

passing a resolution this session that titles be abolished.

The first thing you know the British commons will be ahead of us on this question. Perhaps before the war is over the hereditary character of the house of lords will go by the war is over the hereditary character of the house of lords will go by the war is over the hereditary character of the commons there was a United Kingdom, and for an enormous relief in improving focal travel.

"So also the Bloor street viaduct. Get the congestion on Broadview lessened and shorten all the travel between upper Yonge and Danforth way. In two months Commissioner Harris ought to be able to rail and pave the main viade decided it was time for an enormous relief in improving focal travel.

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improvements is in sight; to finish them up is the thing necessary.

In the desperate the woods and sunken roads of the Somme there were many roads of the Somme there were many "The question of tubes, of getting heroic deeds done. One which stands

dian machine guns.
One Canadian gun crew in Hamel to wait. More houses have to be built: had a quick-witted Yukon corporal in but, the money, the labor, the material may not be in sight. But the station, the viaduct, the Yonge street clean-up can be got off the paper and ought to be got off now.

had a quick-witted Yukon corporal in command. They were quietly sixting in a partly wrecked house, well screened from view, when a strangely dressed man cautiously along the road. He had on a British cap the road. He had on a British cap and putters but an old brown civilian my, nor his own men either. But he knows, as Lord Kitchener knew, the deadly nature of the struggle, and the demand for more men is but natural and prudent. The nation will rise to the occasion.

There is doubt about the application of conscription to Ireland, but Gen.

The matter of the struggle, and the section of conscription to Ireland, but Gen.

Editor World: Some months ago down in eastern Ontario, a lad and his lassie were happily preparing for a marriage which was to be the culmination of some years of courtship.

Suddenly a soldier appeared on the scene and the faithless girl, deat to the pleadings of her lover and the many other problems within two hundred yards of escaping the content of the vacancy on the municipal and railway board must be filled in order to get on with the Yonge street arbitation then it is up to the Hearst government. But clean off the sheet wherever you can now in order to be in better shape for the many other problems of conscription to Ireland, but Gen.

### FRENCH COVERING FORCE RETIRES STILL FURTHER

Paris, April 9.-The official French statement today says:
"There was great activity on the part of the artillery on both sides at numerous points along the front north of Montdidier and between Montdidier and Noyon. No infantry action oc-

"On the left bank of the Oise there were intermittent bombardments. Advanced French troops, in conformity with orders which had been given. carried out a withdrawal to prepared positions southwest of the lower forest of Coucy and south of Coucy-le-Chateau. German troops were kept constantly under the French artillery fire and suffered heavy losses in the

course of this operation.

"Two German raids northwest of Rheims were repulsed. Other German efforts against small French posts near Eparges, in the sector of Reillon and north of Bonhomme, achieved no greater success."

CHAPLAIN BURIED.

French-Canadian Priest Was Killed by Whizz Bang.

London, April 9 .- Capt. Crochetere, French-Canadian chaplain, was bur-ied with full military religious honors. He met death from a bang while visiting a French-Cana. dian battalion at a dressing station. He invariably made a point of following his battalion into line.

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# THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

BY JANE PHELPS

CHAPTER LI.

"Oh, I am so glad! Now you can help us!" I exclaimed, without preamble. I was perfectly honest in my speech. I had no thought, just then, of anything save the assistance Mer-

The Frames Are Chosen. It didn't take us long, with Merton to help us, to decide upon some dainty,

# so mirth-provoking that I laughed

to help us, to decide upon some dainty, filigreed, dult sliver frames for our place cards. They were really delightful little souvenirs.

"I shall tell June and Jennie to I supposed, of course, that Merton

# **CANADIAN HORSE CARRY POSITIONS**

Gallant Attack Wins Objectives Astride Amiens-Roye Highway.

Ottawa, April 9 .- The following cable despatches from Roland Hill were issued by the prime minister's office today:

In brilliant April sunshine the Canadian cavalry swept thru the hastly constructed German defences and on their objectives astride the miens Roye highway.

This commenced as a dismounted action, with the horses and reserve squadrons silently waiting behind cover, hoping that the cavalry might be used. The action commenced at 10 o'clock, our batteries firing from un-concealed positions and the German alloons soon spotted our flashes.

Their guns were not long in replying, altho they put none of our guns out of action. The Canadians dashed up a mild slope. Some could be seen to fall and then limp back to the trenches. Two German machine guns were slowing up the attack on the left, but suddenly above the line of the fight came a new splutter of fire. It was the arrival of the Canadan arrangement of the Canadan arran

dian armored cars, whose guns swept the Huns outposts and finally silenced them. The wavering Canadians rai-lied and dashed into the Huns. The cars proceeded along the road and kept back German reinforcements that attempted to kept back German reinforcements that attempted to come out of the wood south of Demuin. The enemy was so disorganized that it was decided to so disorganized that it was decided to push on and join up with the British force south of the river near Aurber-court. Massed enemy groups in indecision withered away under the British fire. In about an hour, brown earth showing up against green crops, showed that the Canadians were digging in, while black crashes overhead told where Hun shrapnel was bursting harmlessly on positions we had left behind. Huge crumps churned up the earth in what had been No Man's Land, doing no damage except to new-sown fields. By halfpast four all objectives had been taken and the line joined up with the British on the left.

on the left.

That night the Canadians came back into the woods. Not all of them, for some had been left behind in that talley where Canada had bitten into Ctip this and retain for future reference size. Some of our wounded who had

amble. I was perfectly honest in my speech. I had no thought, just then, of anything save the assistance Merton would be in helping us decide the sort of frame suitable for our place cards, which, while larger than the usual cards used for the purpose, were small enough to require a very dainty frame.

"You are very complimentary," he returned, flushing with pleasure.
"Yes, and it would be dangerous for Helen to say such things to most men," Evelyn broke in, "but you seem to understand even if you are older, that we are young, that we act young and talk young, too; and that we mean nothing wrong, altho we may sound silly at times."

"Pardon me, Mrs. Reeves, but I meer than the picture. They came, sayed—as he thought either you or Mrs. Howard at all 'silly,' as you express it. Your naivete is absolutely refreshing. The usual stilled phrases and doings," "No. but the idga is so simple say."

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of society people palt tremendously, after a time, as you will find out."

"They do, already. I won't have to wait," Evelyn replied, laughing. "Honestly, Mr. Gray, society bores me almost to death, 'altho I say it as shouldn't,' considering my husband's family." And the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was so mirth-provoking that I law shouldn't, and the moue she made was shouldn't she was shouldn't she was shouldn't she w

"I think we owe you a vote of thanks." Evelyn said. "I, for one, have learned something worth while, and in such a nice way." been married once she would be so fied. It seems so indecent for a wo

to want to marry again. Maybe she doesn't! Perhaps she is only flirting." "Perhaps!" Evelyn answered in an enigmatic way. savanced too far and were captured, of commons, former Premier Asquith

were brought in by Hun stretcher-bearers. They told of being well treated, with good medical attention "We Saxons admire brave Canadlar fighters," was the message that came with them. Not to be outdone the Canadian doctors loaded up a similar convoy and sent them back for value received. Next morning the wood said that if, as he believed, the gravcame under heavy fire, and in ten minutes the Canadians had limbered up and were away for a well-carned rest. Their enjoyment was complete when the Caradian mail reached them, the first since their adventures in this greatest of battles.

GREEKS IN ACTION.

Hellenic Troops Disperse Bulgarian Detachment West of Vardar,

Paris, April 9.-An official communication says:

"Eastern Theatre, April 8 .- West of Vardar a Hellenic reconnaissance dis-

Seres.'

Tomorrow-A Pat on the Back PARLIAMENT READY FOR ANY SACRIFICES London, April 9 .- After the pren nad delivered his address in the house

est peril which ever had menaced the mpire was now confronting it, there was no sacrifice parliament was prepared to make. He appealed to the premier to give a little more time for onsideration of the bill Mr. Asquith said he would susp judgment until he saw the print. He invited everyone to keep his mind and ears accessible to reasonable argument. All the needful machinery, he added, could not be set up for

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weeks, perhaps for months

### WANT CONSCRIPTION.

Vardar a Hellenic reconnaissance—dispersed a Bulgarian detachment. At the Cerna Bend one of our detachments the enactment of some form of a sepenetrated the enemy organizations, where they carried out destruction. British airplanes bombed a depot at Kakora, nine kilometres southeast of ure will be introduced at the coming session of the colonial legislature.

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