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SOME PLAIN SPEAKING.

One of the most hopeful signs, as far as the obsession of Germany is concerned, is the fact that in one or two directions plain speaking is commencing to be heard, without cruel suppression.

Dr. Karl Liebknecht, member of the Reichstag, who has from the first had the courage to openly characterize the war as started by Prussian manipulators for purposes of aggression, has at last been landed in gaol, but it is significant that the Kaiser's dare not do anything more than this with regard to him.

He is the leader of a daily growing mass of people, becoming more and more impatient under the strain of hostilities.

In the Prussian Upper Chamber recently, one of the members, a learned professor, gave notice that he would move that the study of English and French be dropped in a number of Universities and that Oriental languages in particular take their place.

Some other professors—those birds of ill omen for the Fatherland—are backing up the fool idea, but the Vossische Zeitung, talks out very plainly in meeting.

"Any attempt to eliminate English would be ridiculous," it says. The English language reigns in the greater part of the civilized world, and it will not affect its power and influence should German schools be foolish enough to shut it out from their curriculum.

If Germans, says the Vossische, cease to learn English they must expect to diminish their business, not only in England and its vast dominions and colonies, but also in the United States and in the harbors of Latin South America.

"We may regret the predominance of English as much as we like, but we must accept things as they are. Either we are to raise our position in the world, in which case we require English, or we renounce English in haughty or national isolation, and thus ruin our future."

With regard to French, the Vossische points out difficulties of equal gravity. French, says the journal, may not possess its former importance, but it is the language of the Mediterranean basin.

In the Balkans, moreover, all instructed persons speak French in preference to their own language, and even in Turkey no European language is spoken save French.

To eliminate French from public instruction would be to inflict a serious economic blow on Germany.

And what language would you put in place of English and French? All in this talk of Oriental languages is nonsense. No German merchants are going to lose their valuable time studying Turkish, Arabic and Persian. The game is not worth the candle.

NOTES AND COMMENTS. The boys of Kitchener's army have taught the Prussian Guards a thing or two.

That war map of the German Chancellor is commencing to look more and more like the breaking up of a hard winter.

Meanwhile the King of Greece is moving around about as softly as Henpeck, home at 2 a.m.

It is announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is to make a recruiting tour. Some kind friend should get the fact home to him that in supporting the bi-lingual agitators, he was lending his aid to a movement destined as a cloak for non-recruiting in Quebec.

He either did that knowingly, or foolishly. Whatever the reason, public condemnation is the same.

The Huns have been in the front pews quite a while, but the ejection process is going along very nicely, thank you. Haven't had time even to look for their hats.

NEWS NOTES. A bandit, single-handed, held up four trunks at Wawona, just outside of the Yosemite Valley National Park, and from twenty-eight persons collected \$100 and jewellery.

For several hours before he was put to death in the State Prison at Trenton, Emil Swentamin, thirty-three, spent his time listening to phonograph records of "Tipperary."

Enoch Grubb, of Bloomington, Ind., 66 years old, announced that the stork had left an eleven-pound baby daughter at his home. Mrs. Grubb is more than 60, the new baby is the nineteenth child.

Miss Ethel Sergeant and Pte. Louis Bansemmer of the First Regiment of Newark, N.J., are to be wed by mail. Miss Sergeant signed a marriage contract and sent it to Douglas, Ariz., where Bansemmer will sign it.

Pass in the corner, duck on a rock and blind man's bluff are in the curriculum of the Harvard summer school at Cambridge, Mass.

Judge Klerner of Paterson, N.J., hereafter will impose a seven-year sentence on men who promise to wed young women and then jilt them.

ELEVEN O. HENRY STORIES

Are the Literary Treat We Have in Store For OUR READERS

The Guardian of the Accolade

IS THE FIRST GEM OF THE ELEVEN. YOU WILL FIND IT IN TODAY'S PAPER. READ IT AND YOU WILL READ THE REMAINING TEN. THEY ARE:

- The Discounters of Money
The Enchanted Profile
The Halberdier of the Little Rheinschloss
A Retrieved Reformation
Phoebe
Art and the Broncho
The Ethics of Pig
A Double Dyed Deceiver
Helping the Other Fellow
A Technical Error

COLORS PRESENTED TO 133RD BATT.

Sir John Hendrie Presided Over Event Yesterday at Simcoe.

DONATED BY I. O. D. E. Rev. H. C. Newcombe Appointed Pastor of the Norfolk Battalion.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Simcoe, July 8.—Favored with fine weather, possibly on the warm side, the 133rd Batt. received to-day from the hands of Sir John Hendrie, Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, the regimental colors, donated by the Sir John Graves Simcoe Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, and the arrangements for the function were so well conceived and beautiful in their setting and execution with such precision and grace in every detail, that His Vice-Royal Highness congratulated the Regent, Mrs. Simpson, and officers of the chapter on their splendid work, and besides, upon having the colors presented and consecrated before the battalion left the county.

Came in Private Car. Sir John arrived in his private car "Sir James," and was received by Senator McCall, representing the I.O.D.E. executive, and his Worship Mayor Williamson. A large turnout of citizens, members of the civilian recruiting league, the Patriotic Association and other citizens in autos formed a monster procession to Canon Hicks Memorial Hall, where the Daughters of the Empire had prepared luncheon for the guests of the day and members or representatives of local patriotic and civic organizations. The reception party at the hall consisted of the executive of the chapter, Mrs. Rupert Simpson, Regent; Miss McCall, Mrs. L. F. Aiken, Mrs. Tomlinson, Sec., Mrs. J. Porter and Mrs. H. F. Cook.

At the Park. Promptly at two o'clock the battalion marched to Exhibition Park and was formed in line. The colour party arrived, and the Lieutenant-Governor received the salute. The flank companies formed inward, the drums were placed. The colours were borne from the rear of the centre of the line and the colour party consisting of Sir John and his aide-de-camps, Master David Tisdale, Col. Williams and Major McCullough, H.I.S. Lt.-Col. Coombs, Lieut.-Col. Atkinson, M.P., Major Curtis, of the 39th, and Hon. Col. Donly of the 133rd, stepped forward. The flags were received by Lt. Doughty and Lt. Durward.

His Honor said it gave him much pleasure to come to Simcoe, a town named after the first Governor of Upper Canada, and declared that the colors were full of meaning to the soldier who took pride in his regiment and who desired to inscribe the hon-

SUNDAY IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES

Guide to Places of Public Worship—Bright Helpful Services—Special Musical Numbers.

Baptist. CALVARY BAPTIST. Rev. W. E. Bowyer, Pastor. Dalhousie Street, opposite Alexandra Park. Rev. W. E. Bowyer will preach, 11 a.m. "Daylight Saving; and How It Works." 7 p.m. "An Old Remedy." Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. Good music. Welcome to "The Homelike Church."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. 9.45 BIBLE SCHOOL. 11 A.M. "What is a Christian" 7 P.M. "NOT ASHAMED OF THE GOSPEL" Music: 11 a.m., Gently Lead Us (Frank); solo, "O God be Merciful" (Bartlett) Mrs. Arthur Secord. P.M.: "How Lovely are Dwellings," "Lead Kindly Light" (Evans); "The Sparrow Song," Mrs. Arthur Secord. Strangers Welcome. Come.

PARK BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. Mr. Wrighton, Pastor. George Street, corner Darling, Opp. Victoria Park. The pastor will preach morning and evening, 11 a.m., "The Enduring Name." 7 p.m., "The Great Commission." Baptism at close of evening service. Strangers feel at home in the warm fellowship of Park church.

Methodist. BRANT AVE. METHODIST. Alfred E. Lowell, Minister. Clifford Higgin, Organist. 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Rev. A. A. Bowers. Soloist, Mr. Geo. N. Crooker. Organist, Mr. Clifford Higgin. COLBORNE ST. METHODIST. Pastor, Rev. W. E. Baker. Union Services. Colborne St. Methodist and Alexandra Presbyterians. Services, Sunday, July 9th, 1916 in Colborne St. Methodist church. Rev. W. E. Baker will preach at both services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Solo at morning service by Miss Ella Moffat. Solo at evening service by Miss G. A. Marlat. Mr. Geo. C. White, organist.

Non-Denominational. CHRISTADELPHIAN. Subject for Sunday, 7 p.m., "Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made." (Gal. 3, 16) Who is the seed? What are the promises? Have they been fulfilled? And what is it all to us? Speaker, Mr. H. W. Styles, in C.O.F. Hall, 136 Dalhousie street, opposite the market. All welcome; seats free; no collection.

BETHEL HALL. Sunday, 7 p.m. The usual bright Gospel service will be held. Speaker, Mr. Jno Harwood. Come and hear the Gospel.

WELLINGTON ST. METHODIST. Rev. Geo. W. Henderson, D.D., Pastor. 10 a.m., class meeting led by Mr. Cooper. 11 a.m., public service; sermon by Rev. E. Sheppard of Hamilton; subject, "Told of the Soul." 2:45 p.m., Sunday school for old and young. 7 p.m., public service; sermon by Rev. E. Sheppard, "Why Christ Seemed Strange." Excellent music will be rendered by the choir and soloists under Mr. Thomas Darwen, A.T.C.M., organist and choir-master. All are welcome.

Congregational. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Corner George and Wellington Sts. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school and bible classes at 10 a.m. Rev. W. J. Thompson, Niagara Falls, N.Y., will occupy the pulpit at both services. Strangers in the city and visitors will be most cordially welcomed.

Presbyterian. ALEXANDRIA PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. Mr. McClintock, Pastor. Union services with Colborne St. Methodist Church at 11 and 7 p.m. Rev. W. E. Baker will conduct both services. Come and come early. ST. ANDREWS' PRESBYTERIAN. Brant Avenue. Rev. James W. Gordon, B.D. Pastor. 10 a.m.—Sabbath School and Bible Classes. 11 a.m., subject, "God's Care for us." 7 p.m.—"Justified by Faith." The pastor will preach at both services.

ZION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Darling St., Opp. Victoria Park. Rev. G. A. Woodside, M.A., Minister. 11 a.m., Rev. W. Sedgewick, of Central Presbyterian Church, Hamilton. 12.15, Sunday School and Bible Class. 7 p.m., Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, B.A. The public is cordially invited.

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LOCAL NEWS

NO CRICKET GAME. The cricket game scheduled for this afternoon between the 110th Battalion and the local eleven, has been called off, the soldiers having to go to Camp Borden.

BIG DAY, JULY 12TH. A grand celebration of the 225th anniversary of the Battle of the Boy's will be held on July 12th at Tilburg. All the lodges of Brant County District, accompanied by several bands, will attend. There will be baseball tournament and a prize for athletic contests. Prominent speakers will deliver addresses. Altogether a big day is promised.

THE MARKET. Cherries made their appearance on the market this morning, selling ten cents per box. Strawberries were higher, going at two boxes for \$2. Ten cents a box was the price asked for gooseberries. Ducks were on at 75 cents each, chickens ranging from 75c to \$1. New Potatoes at 50 cents per peck. Other prices remained normal. Despite the weather, the market was a large one.

A CLASS IN SIGNALLING. Recruiting for signallers for the 215th Battalion is now receiving special attention, and the call is gone out for flag, buzzer, field telephone, lamp, heliograph and wireless operators. No previous experience necessary; the instructions given in the Battalion being complete and sufficient. Lieut. Frank Wood, of the old Y. M. C. A. Building will be glad to meet young men who want to take up this work.

HORSE KILLED. An accident which resulted in the death of a horse occurred last evening on Brant avenue. The animal, drawing a carriage, slipped on a cement pavement near the College Institute, breaking its hip, and necessitating its destruction by the veterinarian. It was stated by Dr. ...

Eye Talk -NO 46-

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