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### Foch's Triumph Complete.

(From the New York Times.)

General Foch has practically dis-  
posed of the Rheims-Soissons salient,  
fanned it out, effaced it. In the form  
of a horseshoe it ran for eighty miles,  
little more than a fortnight ago; at its  
further sweep almost reaching Conde,  
south of the Marne. Epernay was in  
danger, Verdun likely to be cut off. It  
was remarkable how the Franco-Am-  
erican front held without breaking on  
the long exterior line. One cannot  
help thinking now that if General  
Foch had been operating on the in-  
ner side of the salient German tactics  
would not have availed against him—  
he would have disrupted the enemy's  
front and poured his forces through.  
It was a supreme test of his general-  
ship when he turned impending disas-  
ter into a signal success that expan-  
ded with every day of fighting. He  
has taught the enemy that when they  
have to deal with him a salient can  
be stretched too far. General Foch  
wore than any one else knows how  
great his debt to the Americans is for  
their obstinate stand at Chateau-  
Thierry, and for the vigor and fer-  
rency of their counter attacks. "Thou  
shalt not pass!" the watchword at  
Verdun, was adopted by the Ameri-  
cans. Confident that they would hold  
that key position, General Foch could  
afford to risk an assault in force at  
the western side of the salient. Had  
it failed, the fifth phase of the great  
German offensive would obviously  
have been such a triumph as might  
not have stopped short of the gates  
of Paris, and in all probability it  
would have isolated Verdun. Fortu-  
nately, General Foch was served by  
Lieutenants Petain and Mangin, who  
had a genius for the offensive not in-  
comparable with his own endowments.  
happily the co-operation of the Ameri-  
cans in the ambitious movement was  
at all stages well-timed and effective,  
of a character that kindled the admi-  
ration of the French Commanders, and  
the British veterans, when called up-  
on, did their part with the thorough-

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ness to be expected of them. It was  
not possible to draw fast the strings  
of the bag, but late despatches report  
the Allies as having reached the line  
of the Aisne and the Vesle from Sois-  
sons to Fismes. A stand by the en-  
emy on the Vesle cannot be of long  
duration, if it be attempted at all. On  
that part of the neck of the salient  
left to them, towns are burning, and  
the signs are that a retreat to the  
Aisne over ground fairly level and  
unforested, has been planned. It is to  
be noted, however, that the terrain  
lends itself to pursuit, and the enemy  
will be in difficulties while trying to  
reach the banks of the Aisne.

### False Modesty.

has led many a suffering  
person to neglect the treat-  
ment of piles. The itching,  
stinging sensations produce  
the keenest distress. The  
thought of a surgical op-  
eration brings mental anxi-  
ety which undermines the  
general health.  
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Dr. Chase's Ointment, and  
in most cases persistent  
treatment brings about  
complete cure. This oint-  
ment is worth trying when  
you think of the comfort  
to be obtained.

### A No-decision War.

It is difficult to get at the "German  
mind." Apparently there is a Kaiser  
mind and a Kitchener mind. One day  
the Kaiser tells the German people  
that he is going to give them a speedy  
victory by the sword and the next day  
comes his Foreign Minister, who says:  
"In view of the magnitude of this war  
and the number of powers, including  
those from overseas, that are engaged,  
his end can hardly be expected through-  
out purely military decisions alone, and  
without recourse to diplomatic nego-  
tiations." The "powers engaged" were  
never more resolute than now for a  
decision by force of arms, and "those  
from overseas" will lay down their  
arms only when a "purely military  
decision" has been achieved. An earn-  
est of this will be found in the fact  
that by Independence Day we had sent  
a million fighting men overseas and  
that, on that day, we launched him  
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Druggists,  
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### Ten Years' Boycott.

The following resolution was un-  
animously passed at a general meet-  
ing of the Liverpool Cotton Associa-  
tion:  
"That it be a rule of the Association  
that no member, or his firm, shall  
trade directly or indirectly with the  
present enemies of Great Britain for a  
period of 10 years after the con-  
clusion of peace."

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIS-  
TEMPER.

### Mystery Ships Accounting for Subs.

London, Aug. 6.—(Canadian Press  
despatch from Reuters Limited)—In-  
teresting revelations regarding the  
work of British mystery ships which  
have played an important part in anti-  
submarine warfare are made by the  
naval correspondent of the Times.  
They show how British seamen have  
met German craft and cunning.

Until this week the public has  
known nothing about the mystery  
ships, known in the navy as "Q" ships,  
although several officers, notably Cap-  
tain Gordon Campbell, have been de-  
corated for their services on these  
vessels. Details now can be made  
public, as the Germans are becoming  
aware through bitter experience of the  
methods used against them.

How a "woman and baby" account-  
ed for a U-boat is told by the corre-  
spondent. The submarine ordered a  
vessel to surrender, and fired a few  
shells into her. The boats then left  
the ship, leaving on board a woman  
who ran up and down the deck with  
a baby in her arms as if mad. The  
U-boat came alongside the vessel and  
the woman hurled the "baby" into the  
open hatch. The "baby" exploded and  
blew out the bottom of the submarine.  
The "woman" was decorated with the  
Victoria Cross.

The correspondent says that the  
first mention of a mystery ship was in  
the case of the Baralong, which on  
August 19, 1915, sank a U-boat after  
the torpedoing of the British liner  
Arabic. It will be remembered he  
says, that the German Government  
protested that there was nothing to  
indicate the Baralong's warlike char-  
acter. The Baralong case was prob-  
ably not the first in which a ruse was  
used, and since then the disguising of  
armed vessels as innocent merchant-  
men for dealing with submarines has  
attained considerable dimensions.

"Howls and moans," adds the na-  
val correspondent, "went up in Ger-  
many about treachery of British sea-  
men, but the German allegations curi-  
ously ceased at the beginning of  
1916. These allegations afforded a  
typical example of German mentality  
for they ignored the fact that in every  
case the U-boat was an actual or po-  
tential assailant and any ruse of war  
is considered legitimate by them ex-  
cept when employed against Ger-  
many."

It should not be forgotten, he con-  
tinues, that the Germans designed  
mystery ships for commerce destruc-  
tion. The British commanders showed  
much ingenuity in devising plans  
for trapping submarines.

In addition to the "woman and  
baby" case the correspondent men-  
tions the story of a retired Admiral,  
serving as a captain, who placed a  
haystack on board an ancient looking  
craft. When the Germans were aston-  
ished to receive a broadside from the  
haystack.

On another occasion a seavorn  
tramp steamer was crossing the North  
Sea when a submarine ordered the  
crew to abandon the ship. So sure  
was the German of his prey that the  
bombs with which he intended to sink  
the vessel were brought on deck  
around the conning tower. The com-  
mander of the tramp steamer by care-  
fully manoeuvring brought the sub-  
marine within range of his concealed  
armament, so that it required only a  
shell or two to explode the bombs and  
throw the U-boat out of the water.  
Captain Gordon O. L. Campbell,  
then a commander, was decorated with  
the Victoria Cross and the D.S.O.  
in 1916, being the first to receive these  
orders without the nature of his her-  
oic deed being made public.

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### Kniekerbockers?

Oh, Shins!

(From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.)  
For a hundred years the world wore  
beards because a French nobleman  
put a stone in a snowball and flung it  
at Francis I. Francis had been a bit  
antipathetic to his wife. The snowball  
went true, and the king was ashamed  
of his scar. Francis' grandson, Henry  
III. of France, was grievously saddle-  
galled when he rode from Warsaw to  
Paris to seize his brother's vacant  
throne. Because of his blisters the  
world abandoned those elegant trunk  
hose which had been the hall-mark of  
the gentleman for centuries, and  
adopted knee breeches which might  
hide bandages. Knee breeches lasted  
for more than two centuries, until  
England had a knock-kneed king.  
George IV. was a sight in small  
clothes and silk hose, and some obli-  
ving tailor devised for him the long  
trousers which have cursed mankind  
ever since. Now, if the International  
Custom Cutters' Association has its  
way, we may expect another major  
change in fashion. The custom cut-  
ters say that a return to knicker-  
bockers would save thousands of yards  
of cloth annually, in a time when  
wool is scarce, would reduce materi-  
ally the cost of men's clothing, and  
of course would make it possible for

the conserving buyer to buy oftener.  
They are for the change. Moreover,  
kniekerbockers for men would be  
"military," and those who desire styles  
are not likely to forget that fact. There  
will be trouble, though, if the United  
States Government follows the French,  
Italian and British in the abandon-  
ment of military breeches and tries  
long trousers without puttees. The  
custom cutters it is to be feared, have  
broached their conservation scheme  
too late.

### Auto Collision.

While driving their auto along  
Duckworth Street yesterday morning,  
Dr. Duncan and his son narrowly  
escaped serious injury when their car  
ran into an anti-freezing hydrant, as a  
result of the steering gear having be-  
come unmanageable. The hydrant  
snapped with the force of the col-  
lision, breaking it off with the water  
pipe leading to the main. Within a  
few minutes the street was flooded,  
and the water flowed along the street  
and down McDermott's Lane into Water  
Street. A phone message was quick-  
ly sent into the department, and one of  
the employees soon turned up; he  
turned off the water and plugged the  
broken pipe. The car, which was badly  
damaged, was driven away and now lies  
near Smallwood's.

### Our American Letter.

BOSTON, Aug. 5.

Capt. McMahon, of the British Re-  
cruiting Mission at New York, in an  
interview published in the Boston  
Globe indignantly refutes the state-  
ment that Ireland has been a slacker  
in the war. According to the British  
officer's figures, Ireland has contrib-  
uted 59 per cent of her manpower as  
against Canada's 25 per cent, and  
the number of Irish dead reaches an  
enormous total. He paints in glowing  
language the magnificent bravery of  
the Irish troops at Gallipoli and  
Flanders and deplores the scant men-  
tion which the British press has ac-  
corded it.

The latest statement issued by the  
German lie factory is that Germany  
has allowed American troops to cross  
the ocean in large numbers in order  
that their food supplies may be dis-  
posed of by the U-boats later on. This  
means that Germany intends maroon-  
ing several million American troops  
in France where they will either  
starve to death or be compelled to  
surrender. If the German people will  
believe such a thing, that is all that  
they will believe anything.

The stage is set for the drama to be  
played in Siberia. Japan and the  
United States have agreed on inter-  
vention and a large army will prob-  
ably be sent across the Pacific before  
autumn. This move, is calculated to  
upset Germany's dreams of empire in  
the East and is likely to shorten the  
war. The great danger to civilization  
lies in Germany succeeding in getting  
the traitorous Bolsheviks playing into  
the Kaiser's hands, unless the Allies  
hurry. Germany will soon have the  
entire East at her mercy and the war  
will be prolonged indefinitely with  
little prospect of German defeat in  
sight. The invasion of Siberia by the  
Allies, it is believed, will result in  
not only blocking Germany's advance  
in that direction, but will probably  
be the means of strengthening the  
resistance of the Russian people  
against the enemy of mankind.

The large increase in the lists of  
casualties amongst the American  
troops proves that the number now  
engaged the Germans is much larger  
than was the case at the beginning  
of the counter offensive.

President Wilson, it is reported,  
will soon recommend to Congress  
the passage of a measure levying a  
tax of 50 per cent on all war profits.  
Profiteering landlords should be in-  
cluded in the tax, as well as munition  
makers. Some of these rent hogs are  
as brazen as they are unscrupulous.  
It is worthy of note that during the  
American Civil War there was only  
one instance of deliberate cruelty.  
That was at Andersonville prison  
where the northern prisoners were  
held. The commandant of the prison  
was executed at the conclusion of  
hostilities. His name was Wertz—a  
German born and bred.

Turkey is between the devil and the  
deep sea. She would like to shake  
off the German yoke now that she  
sees her dream of empire gone aglim-  
mering. She fears the vengeance of  
Potsdam, however, quite as much as  
she does the penalties which the Al-  
lies will one day exact for her un-  
speakable crimes against humanity.  
Several ancient civilizations have  
emerged from the dark night of bar-  
barism when Turkish power is for-  
ever ended. What is left of the Ar-  
menian nation will greet the sunlight  
of freedom after centuries of oppres-  
sion and Syria will come into her  
own again.

A Jewish republic will probably be  
set up in Palestine, while Mesopo-  
tania as a British protectorate will  
once again become the garden spot  
of the world. That strange land of  
Arabia, which is now an independent  
kingdom, will afford ample scope for  
interesting experiments in empire  
building. We shall not see after the  
war what the interior of Arabia con-  
tains and learn the truth about the  
sacred city of Mecca when the veil is  
drawn aside. And still they say the  
days of adventure and romance have  
passed.

Henry Ford, the manufacturer of  
motor cars, will probably be a candi-  
date for the U. S. Senate. His elec-  
tion, if he runs, is a foregone con-  
clusion in spite of the opposition on  
the part of the big interests. Ford  
completely lost the friendship of the  
trusts and combinations when he in-  
sured his revolutionary policy  
with regard to wages. No employee  
in Ford's great plants receives less  
than \$5.00 a day, and this includes  
office boys and land attachés. Mr.  
Ford has recently followed the lead  
of Lord Leverhulme and is advocating  
a six hour day.

The war has hastened the begin-  
ning of a project which has long been  
under discussion, that is the develop-  
ment of Alaska. This great American  
colony is a land of untold riches and  
it is the intention of the Government

to expend hundreds of millions, if  
necessary, in developing its resour-  
ces. On account of its great forests  
and magnificent harbors, a number  
of shipyards will be established, and  
Alaska, from a terra incognita, will  
be transformed into a land of prom-  
ise.

Hagop Boghigian, an Armenian mer-  
chant of Boston, writes to the Herald  
on the systematic destruction of the  
Armenian nation by the Germans and  
Turks. Mr. Boghigian makes it clear  
that Germany planned the massacres  
years before the war in order to get  
rid of a troublesome question. When  
Turkish soldiers rebelled against  
shooting their friends and neighbors,  
they were themselves shot by Ger-  
man officers. In the history of the  
world there is no parallel to this de-  
liberate murder of a nation. The  
very soil of mankind grows sick with  
horror of the bloody deed. 1,000,000  
men, women and children butchered  
in cold blood by the Beast of Berlin  
and his heathen allies! And yet some  
people, when peace comes, would  
have us shake the hands of the  
beastly Germans, red and dripping as  
they are with the blood of this mar-  
tyred nation.

President Wilson is not only the  
world's greatest statesman but he is  
also one of the most tender-hearted  
and upright of men. Neither wrong  
nor cruelty, official or otherwise, can  
flourish in the nation while Wilson  
keeps watch and ward. His denuncia-  
tions of crookedness are as scorch-  
ing as they are effective, and we be-  
lieve the wretched law-breaker who  
calls forth his blighting rhetoric.  
It is a beautiful idea which several  
American cities have taken up, this  
planting of oak trees to the memory  
of dead heroes. It is something  
which might well be adopted by St.  
John's—a city which has made little  
effort to beautify its thoroughfares  
by planting shade trees.  
W. M. DOOLEY.

### Personal.

Mr. W. A. McKay came in from Lit-  
tle Bay by Saturday's express to stay  
in the city a few days.

By this morning's train Judge Mor-  
rills, of the Central District Court, left  
to spend a few days in Placentia. He  
was accompanied by Mrs. Morris and  
daughter, Mary, who recently return-  
ed from the other side to enjoy a  
brief furlough from nursing.

Mrs. (Dr.) L. E. Keegan and Miss  
Kathleen Keegan, who have been on a  
visit to St. Pierre arrived in the city  
last Friday. They were accompanied  
by Mrs. Wiley, wife of the American  
Consul of that place, who will be the  
guest of Dr. and Mrs. Keegan during  
her stay here.

Mr. John P. Chetwynd, of Port aux  
Basques, arrived in the city by ex-  
press yesterday. Mr. Chetwynd does  
a large business in fresh fish export-  
ation at Port aux Basques and is an  
authority on the best methods of put-  
ting up our fish for the foreign mar-  
kets.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith who have  
been spending a brief holiday in St.  
Pierre, returned last week.

### Dr. Tait Back Again.

Dr. J. S. Tait, who accompanied the  
last draft of soldiers to Canada, as  
Medical Officer, arrived by Saturday's  
express. During his absence Dr. Tait  
spent considerable time in Halifax,  
where he got a good insight into the  
building operations going on there  
now. While in that city he lunched  
with Lt.-Governor Grant, of N. S., and  
also the Mayor of the City. The doc-  
tor also spent a short time with the  
Newfoundlanders at Aldershot, and  
was the guest of headquarters staff  
while there.

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