

Britain's Fate It Defeated

(Extract from a speech by Rudyard Kipling)

"There has been nothing like the horror of their fate (Belgium's) in all history, and this system is in full working order within fifty miles of the English coast. Where I live I can hear the guns that are trying to extend it. The same system exists in such parts of France and Poland as are in German hands. But whatever has been dealt out to Belgium, France and Poland will be England's fate tenfold if we fail to subdue the Germans. That we shall be broken, plundered, robbed and enslaved like Belgium will be but the first part of the matter. Over and above this, no pledge we can offer, no guarantee we can give will be accepted by Germany as binding. She has broken her own most solemn oaths, pledges and obligations, and by the very fact of her existence she is bound to trust nothing and to recognize nothing except immediate superior force backed by illimitable cruelty. So you see there are no terms possible. Realize, too, if allies are beaten there will be no spot on the globe where a soul can escape from the domination of this enemy of mankind. There has been childish talk that the Western Hemisphere would offer a refuge from oppression. Put that thought from your mind. If the allies were defeated, Germany would not need to send a single battleship over the Atlantic. She would issue an order, and it would be obeyed. Civilization would be bankrupt, and the western world would be taken over with the rest of the wreckage by Germany, the receiver. So you see there is no retreat possible. There are no terms and no retreat in this war. It must go forward, and with those men of England who are eligible for service, but who have not yet offered themselves, the decision of war rests."

New York Herald: The only persons now engaged in a crusade to make this county a "militaristic" nation are those who advocate a premature peace in Europe. If that should come the United States would have to vastly increase its army and its navy in self-defence against its "Day".

It is not improbable that a coalition Government will be formed in British Columbia for the duration of the war. The question has been in the air for the past few months and with the return of Premier McBride it is again to the fore. Though no definite steps have been taken it is said that not a few leading Liberals would be willing to accept positions in the Cabinet, though the rank and file are reported strongly opposed to the proposal. No election will take place for some months yet, perhaps not until the fall of next year, and in the meantime it is suggested in many quarters that a coalition ministry will do much towards solving some knotty problems that confront the Government at the present time.

Dope bands break into the doctors' offices at Leamington in order to steal the drug.

William J. Boosey, for many years a resident of Petrolia, died on the 4th of May in Medford, Oregon, in his 77th year.

Wyoming streets have had a second coating of oil, which is expected to keep the dust down for the balance of the summer.

Friday's storm killed a lot of cattle in the district of Kingsville. The heavy rain also damaged hay and wheat which had been cut, and lodged much uncut grain.

Donald Gordon has resigned his position as mail carrier between the postoffice and the station at Atwood. He is in his 94th year. High time he gave someone else a chance.

There is in the Bethwell Times office a stalk of rye which is 7 feet 8 inches in length. It was grown on the farm of Mr. Evison, Euphemia, and there are many such specimens in the field.

Dr. W. A. Henderson, of Sarnia, who has received a commission in the Royal Army Medical Corps of the British army, left Monday for Montreal, and will sail for England at an early date.

RURAL school fairs are helping to interest the youth of Ontario in the land. In 1914 there were 148 fairs held in 37 counties, including the children in 1,391 schools. There were 75,902 entries and a total attendance of 95,310.

Mt. Brydges lost one of its worthy and venerable landmarks on July 6th, when its widely-known and universally-respected pioneer citizen, Wm. Edward Sawyer, passed into rest, after a long and useful life. Deceased was 83 years.

The Kingsville council has passed a by-law regulating the sale of tobacco and cigarettes, which imposes a cigarette license of \$100. It is practically the same by-law as Amherstburg put into force at the beginning of the year.

SHOE BARGAINS

- 43 Pairs Women's Oxfords and Pumps including Patent, Dongola and Gun Metal, choice for \$1.25
18 Pairs Men's Oxfords including Patent, Gun Metal and Tan \$1.50 to \$3.00
7 Pairs Child's Tan Strap Slippers size 8 to 10 1/2, at 90c
23 Pairs Women's Black Velvet Pumps choice \$1.00
17 Prs. Women's White Canvas Pumps choice \$1.25
14 Prs. Women's Dongola Button Boots for \$2.50
9 Pairs Child's Dongola Slippers, for 50c
21 Pairs Women's Tan Slippers Regular \$3.25 to \$3.75, choice for \$2.00
30 Pairs Men's Harvest Shoes, \$1.75
A Large Assortment Children's and Misses' White Slippers at cost.

P. DODDS & SON WATFORD'S BUSY STORE

ONE WEEK OF RECORD SELLING IN OUR MEN'S WEAR DEPARTMENT

Additional List of July Sale Specials at Swifts'

Men's Clothing—Striking Values

- LOT NO. 1. 80 Suits, regular up to \$12.00, Sale Price... \$ 7.00
LOT NO. 2. 50 Suits, regular up to \$13.50, Sale Price... \$ 9.00
LOT NO. 3. 60 Suits, regular up to \$18.00, Sale Price... \$12.50

The above comprise some Extra Special Values, and will interest you. See them.

Boys' Clothing Bargains

- LOT NO. 1. 20 Suits only, regular up to \$5.00, Sale Price.. \$2.60
LOT NO. 2. 50 Suits, regular up to \$6.00, Sale Price..... \$3.25
LOT NO. 3. 40 Suits, regular up to \$7.50, Sale Price..... \$4.90

Men's Trouser Specials

- LOT NO. 1. 27 Pairs, special purchase, well made, Sale.. 98c.
LOT NO. 2. 30 Pairs, Grey and Brown mixture Tweed.... \$1.45
LOT NO. 3. 15 Pairs, well-made of good cloth..... \$1.79
LOT NO. 4. 24 Pairs. This lot will be a surprise..... \$2.10

The above will convince anyone looking at the lines advertised that price will not stand in the way of our July Sale.

Men's Waterproofs

- LOT NO. 1. 7 Coats only left after remarkable selling..... \$ 3.50
LOT NO. 2. 8 Coats, remarkable value guaranteed..... \$ 7.50
LOT NO. 3. 11 Coats, the best English coat..... \$10.00

1 Week More | BARGAINS IN SMALLWARES. SEE THE COUNTERS | 1 Week More

WARWICK.

Remember the Kingscourt Garden Party this (Friday) evening. Miss Eliza Morgan, New York, spent the past two weeks visiting with her relatives here.

Professor Matheys, a noted violinist of New York City, spent a few days last week with W. H. Auld.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Minelli spent Sunday with Mrs. James Prince, of sixth line of Enniskillen.

Miss Amy Harper and her mother, of Chatham, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Jno. Minelli, London road.

Robert Smith, salt block, has purchased a five passenger Overland touring car from Russel McCormick, the dealer for this section.

Mrs. R. M. McLeod and two daughters Mabel and Elsie, Los Angeles Cal., and Miss Hart, London, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Baird, Holme Farm, Wisbeach.

At the regular meeting of the Watford Chosen Friends held here last week, a resolution was passed expressing sympathy with the family of the late Joseph Eastabrook, in the great loss sustained through the death of Mr. Eastabrook.

The results of the Sunday School Teachers' Training examinations have been announced and St. Mary's church, Watford, did exceedingly well, the following young ladies all passing the second year examination:—Misses D. Wordsworth, N. Myers, M. Archer, M. Hawkins, M. Barnes, S. McCausland, Mrs. Shore passed the third and final year.

The Watford voters' list for 1915 is printed and will be posted up for inspection on Tuesday next. There are 1089

names on the list divided as follows:—Entitled to vote at municipal elections and elections to the Legislature 798; entitled to vote at municipal elections only 292; entitled to vote at elections to the Legislative Assembly only 39. There are 582 persons entitled to act on juries.

The Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute held a very successful meeting in the Foresters Hall on Thursday, July 8th. The meeting opened by singing and prayer. The program consisted of recitations given by the little girls, Sadie Barnes, Anna Auld, Maxina Auld, Gladys Minielly and Doris Robinson. There were thirty-seven present and after quilting three quilts a sale of clothing and bedding was packed for the Red Cross Society. A dainty lunch consisting of ice cream and cake was served by the young ladies.

A patriotic social, under the auspices of the I. D. K. baseball team, assisted by the Ladies' Sewing Circle of Kingscourt, will be held on Friday, July 23rd, on Mr. John McCormick's lawn, Kingscourt. A baseball match between the I. D. K. and Sutorville teams called at 6 p.m., after which supper will be served. Watford band in attendance. An excellent program of music will be furnished. Mr. John Farrell will be chairman and speeches will be given by J. E. Armstrong, M. P., Dr. Martyn, M. F. P., Dr. Pickering, H. J. Pettipiece, R. Sturrett, R. J. McCormick and others. Admission 25c and 10c. Everybody welcome.

BROOKE

Mrs. W. L. Clark and two daughters, Mary and Sara, of Montith, New Ontario, are visiting Mrs. Clark's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer, 6th line.

WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coat between Warwick and Watford. Please leave at this office.

WANTED an apprentice to learn dress-making.—MISS A. M. BODALY, Watford.

Two vacant lots and some dwelling house property and two business properties, all in Watford, and a few farms in this vicinity for sale cheap. Some money to loan on farm mortgages. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, barrister, etc., Watford.

SUMMER COTTAGE TO LET

Comfortable, partly furnished summer cottage at Hillsboro on Lake Huron. Rent reasonable for month of August or balance of season. Apply Hy. E. FAIR, 370 William street, London, 16-3.

Mr. Geo. Carr, lot 19, concession 4, Enniskillen, dropped dead in the field Monday about 3 o'clock. Heart failure was no doubt the cause. Mr. Carr was a prosperous farmer, about 55 years of age, many years a resident on the farm on which he died. He is survived by a widow and family of five sons.

Fair Dates

- Forest—Sept. 29, 30.
Strathroy—Sept. 20 to 22.
Petrolia—Sept. 22 to 25.
Sarnia—Sept. 27 to 29.
Wyoming—Oct. 1, 2.
WATFORD—OCT. 5, 6.
Alvinston—Oct. 7, 8.
Glencoe—Sept. 27 to 29.
Brigden—Oct. 4, 5.
Florence—Sept. 30, Oct. 1.
Sombra—Oct. 11, 12.

ARKONA

Mrs. Detwiler and family, of Ark. are visiting friends in and around Ark.

Mrs. Jno. Norton, Sr., of Flat spending a few days with Mr. Eastman.

Reeve J. Jackson, Councilor soon A. Johnson, J. F. Dickins, J. G. Brown and Dr. Copeland. Brown attended the re-opening London and Fort Stanley Elec last Thursday.

We are putting on sale next 2 dozen this season's ladies' white—Brown Bros.

The Misses Frances and Add are spending their vacation with in Detroit.

Mrs. Swan and daughter, Mr. of Mt. Pleasant, Mich., are v Mr. Chas. Cliff's.

Mr. B. Dickinson, of Toronto, ing the week with his brothe Dickinson.

Messrs. Barnette and Garder Standard Bank, motored to P Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Pedden and family, o to, are visiting friends in and ar Ark.

KERWOOD.

Miss Freida Richardson is vi Denfield.

Mrs. Nichol and granddau, Ebenheim, are guests at Mr. R.

Mrs. Waite is spending a few Mr. S. Langford's.

Mrs. Chalmers and Miss Kath Quay, Georgetown, and Master or Henery, Toronto, are guest at F. Mills'.

Miss G. Law, Petrolia, is visi I. Blain.

Mr. Gus Armstrong called on friends recently.

Miss Beryl Hughes, of Sudbu a few days with her aunt, I Morgan.

Mrs. Jarret Uby, Mich., is s few days with her niece, Mrs. A

Mrs. and Miss Tibball spent t end with friends here.

Miss Annie Hull, Winnipeg, i friends here.

Mr. R. A. Brunt is spending days with Dr. Wier, Auburn.

Miss E. Hughes spent Satur London friends.

A READY WEAPON AGAINST There is nothing equal to Dr. Electric Oil when well rubbed penetrates the tissues and pain d before it. There is no know ation that will reach the spot than this magic Oil. In conseq ranks first among liniments no to the public and is accorded fi among all its competitors.

The Western Fair

The special programme of t offered by the management of tl ern Fair this year will be al average. One act alone, the sev a troupe of acrobats, will be w the price of admission. The the world's greatest equestria their beautiful horses, will be a tion long to be remembered. Th ese Troupe, real Chinese gymn be something new and statili Ortaney's will furnish comedy please everybody, while the Bird are reported to use and pain d that ever appeared on the stage, Lefell Trio and many others. I be music by the best bands o every day and evening. A cl fireworks program will be giv night and will be the best ever London. Two speed events place each afternoon in additio above. Single fare over all west of Toronto and fare and from outside points. All int from the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, Ont.

BORN.

In Bosanquet, on Thursday, July 1st Mrs. Kenneth Porter, a daughter

In Plympton, on Tuesday, July 6th, Mrs. Duncan McKinlay, a daughter

In Alvinston, on Tuesday, July 13th, Mrs. Henry Armstrong, a son

In Strathroy, on July 4th, to Mr. and son Roman, a son.

In St. Thomas, on Thursday, June 24, and Mrs. L. D. Caldwell, a son.

DIED.

In Watford, on Monday, July 19th, 19 Herman Restorick, in his 50th ye

In Canadoc Township, on Monday, 1915, Mary Johnson, widow of the Rose, in her 86th year.

In Plympton, on Friday, July 9th, H sister, relict of the late James aged 88 years, 5 months and 9 day

Accidentally drowned at Sandy Hook June 23rd, W. F. Laidlaw, of New nephew of Mrs. M. R. Micks, of 5

In Strathroy, on Sunday, July 11, 1915, Guillaume Auld, relict of the Auld, in her 97th year.

In Watford on Thursday, April 15th, Mrs. R. G. C. Kelly, a son.

In Warwick, on Monday, July 12th, Mrs. George Iles, a daughter.

At Stevensville, on July 17th, to Mr W. G. Gillilan, Sterling bank of son (Calder Goetz).

At St. Paul's Rectory, Shelburne, o July 19th 1915, to Rev. and Mrs. Westgate, a son.

FRUIT BULLETIN

A Warning. If you have not your Raspberries, see your g once. Niagara Peninsula grow Caps and Cutthroats are at th For coming they can't be beat. N ends Raspberries, Black Currants,