

COURIER COMICS

Fliverous Pastimes. Spinning a one-man top. Chasing a running board. Listening to the sparking plug. Eating off a license plate. Arguing with a crank. Knitting a hood for a tin Lizzie.

Had Him Three Down. A roller of Iberian extraction, after learning a few strokes, started out for his first game, his opponent being also a beginner.

A Harder Thing. Grey—How are you getting along in the stock market? Green—Well, I'll tell you. I traded a lot of money for experience and now I'm trying to reverse the process.

Bigamous. Jock (to disconsolate Hun prisoner)—Mebbe ye've a wife at home? Hun—Neh. Jock—Neh! Mon, I'm thinkin' this is a judgment on ye!

Still Running Away. "The war is over." "Yes, but the Kaiser and the Crown Prince seem to be still retreating."

Sorry She Spoke. She—My father is very good at reading faces. He—in that case I suppose I'd better not print any kisses there.

Odd. Here are two facts as singular as well as can be desired: Fast colors do not run at all. And wheels run best when tired.

Wears Pleasant Smile. "Is this picture like your husband?" "It's like him only when he has his picture taken."

Expensive Place. "Did you stay long in New York?"

"No, I got short very quickly." Better Than the Original. Of substitutes. They had their fill, Then got up one For Kaiser Bill.

She Knows Their Meaning. "Do you know what 'peace' and 'freedom' mean to a weary world?" "Yes, indeed, I know. They mean that a people tired of strict economy can begin to live beyond their incomes again."

Should Have a Large Practice. "If you think there's something wrong with your heart, why don't you consult the specialist?" "I'm afraid he'd say it is something fatal."

As Usual. Hobbs—I suppose when you married, your wife seemed the only woman in the world. Dobbs—Oh, yes. Then there began to be a rapid increase in the female population.

WILL TAKE OFF ALL EXCESS FAT

Do you know that there is a simple, harmless effective remedy for overweight that may be used safely and secretly by any man or woman who is losing the slimness of youth? There is; and it is none other than the tablet form of the now famous Marmola Prescription Tablets.

THREE DEATHS FROM WRECK. By Courier Leased Wire. Portland, Me., Nov. 22.—William C. Robinson, of this city, died today from injuries sustained last night when three cars of a Grand Trunk passenger train from Montreal jumped the track near Falmouth.

FRANCE'S YELLOW BOOK

CONVINCING REPLY MADE TO GERMAN CHALLENGE.

Proof Given to the World That the Alliance Between the French and the Russians Was Defensive and Not Offensive — Pan-Germanism Always a Menace to Peace of Europe.

THE Prussian of to-day is so confirmed in the policy of aggressive militarism as to imagine the nations around him animated by the same motives toward him and toward one another. It was Shakespeare who said, "There's nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so."

Now, there is no doubt that the condition of the political atmosphere in Europe in the years 1892-93, the Franco-Russian alliance was formed, was such as to lend color, for a superficial political observer, to the challenge flung out by the German Chancellor, Russia was then pursuing a steady, though covert, policy of military aggressiveness and absorption in the East and Far East.

The most superficial perusal of the official correspondence between Russia and France will abundantly prove that the Dual Alliance was not offensive but defensive, and that it was undertaken to insure Russia and France against the very assault upon their liberties which has been made in the present war.

THE AFTER EFFECTS OF DREADED LA GRIPPE

Worse Than the Disease Itself—Victims Left Weak, Nervous and Worn Out.

La Grippe or Spanish influenza as the epidemic now sweeping over the Americas is called, is one of the most dangerous diseases known to mankind. Anyone who has felt its pangs is not likely to forget the trouble. La Grippe or influenza, starts with a slight cold and ends with a complication of troubles. It lays the victim on his back, it tortures him with fevers and chills, headaches and backaches.

That is the only safe thing to do. But to recover your strength after the severity of the attack has passed, you will find Dr. Williams' Pink Pills an unsurpassed tonic. Through the use of this medicine all the evil after effects of this trouble will be banished. This has been proved in thousands of cases throughout Canada, where it is known as the grippe.

STEAMER LOST. Liverpool, Nov. 22.—The steamer Campania, the loss of which was reported yesterday, had been used as a seaplane carrying ship for some time by the British navy.

RECIPE TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

A Cincinnati Barber Tells How to Make a Remedy for Gray Hair.

Mr. Frank Harbaugh of Cincinnati, O., who has been a barber for more than forty years recently made the following statement: "Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy."

SECRETS OF THE EARTH

Many men devote their life time delving into the secrets of the earth, and there was great interest displayed during the construction of Mount Royal Tunnel at Montreal.

DAILEY BAKING POWDER. Most delicious hot biscuit ever made and quickly made with Dailey Baking Powder. Buy the pound size for economy. CONTAINS NO ALUM.

Belgium Needs Your Help MORE THAN EVER!

As Homes are Freed from Grasp of Germans New Horrors Revealed.

Belgium! Belgium! Belgium!—the papers are full of heart-rending news-items from Belgium. Delicious with joy at being rescued from the hellish tyranny of the Germans, yet the poor Belgians are in large measure in the last stages of want.

Every cent you can send to them NOW will help to feed a famished patriot or clothe one whose meagre rags will never keep out this winter's cold.

Raise Your Fund and Send It In!

Perhaps you cannot spare as much as you would wish, but go around among your friends, plead Belgium's cause, collect all you can in every possible way, and turn it in QUICKLY to your local Committee or to Headquarters.

Picture these hungry and stricken people, of whom the Master said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these"

This is an imperative call for HELP!

Belgian Relief Fund

(Registered under the War Charities Act.) (Registered under the War Charities Act.) or to Geo. Hately, secretary Local Committee, Brantford, to Courier Office, or to Headquarters, 69 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

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SUTHERLAND'S Now is the time to buy PLAYING CARDS All prices from 25 cents and up J. L. Sutherland Bookseller and Stationer

Germany would have pursued her aggressive policy to its present logical conclusion. It is conceivable that without an alliance her task would have proved the easier. She could have attacked France without fear of intervention by Russia, whilst Russia, isolated and incapable of rapid mobilization of her army, would have fallen a ready victim to her unscrupulous military plans.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. According to a British scientist, weight for weight, macaroni is as valuable a flesh-building food as beef or mutton.

NOTICE Increase in Subscription Rates Commencing Dec. 1, 1918. The subscription rates of the Brantford Daily Courier and the Brantford Daily Expositor, commencing December 1st, 1918, will be as follows: Delivered in Brantford and Vicinity, 45c. per month By the Year, Paid in Advance, \$5.00 per annum By Mail, " " 4.00 per annum Single Copies, 2c. After publication of this notice, payments in advance on subscriptions will only be accepted to December 1st at the old rate, after that at the new rate. This advance in subscription rates has been made necessary by the tremendous increase in the cost of white paper, the price of which has recently been fixed by the Paper Controller at Ottawa. By this one item alone thousands of dollars are added to our annual cost of production, and in addition, labor, presses, stereotype supplies, type and all other items of expense have enormously advanced in price during the last few years. Even at the new rates the Brantford papers are only now charging prices which have been in force for some time back on almost all the other daily newspapers published in this section of the Dominion. In many cities the subscription rates are very much higher. (Signed) THE EXPOSITOR. THE COURIER. November 1st, 1918.

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