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By order of the Board of Directors. W. G. HELLIKER, Manager. Brantford, Dec. 1st, 1914.

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Graphic Incidents of the War, Told in Soldiers' Letters and by Wounded Men From the Front.

KING ALBERT OF BELGIUM

(By Maurice Maeterlinck)

Of all the heroes of this stupendous war, heroes who will live in the memory of man, the most beautiful, the most unsullied, one of those whom we can never love enough is the great young King of my little country.

THE APPOINTED MAN

Had he not been at hand, there is no doubt but that all would have happened differently; and history would have lost one of her fairest and noblest pages. Certainly Belgium would have been loyal and true to her word, and any Government that hesitated would have been swept away pitilessly and irrevocably, by the indignation of a people which had never, however far we probe into its past, played false.

A HERO'S MODESTY

Corporal W. Cooper of the 4th Hussars, recently mentioned in one of the French despatches, writes home:

At present I am lying in a trench under shell fire, but we are quite experienced now at making rabbit warrens. It is quite a good sight to see hundreds of men digging a hole in the ground and lying in it.

THE DASHING DORSETS

The bravery with which the 1st Dorset Regiment fought against tremendous odds for three days at La Basse is told by Private Cornelius, second lieutenant in the Oxford Cadet Battalion, now at his home at Reading, wounded. He said:

"We encountered the Germans when they were making one of their fiercest attacks in their efforts to get through to Calais. There were eight companies of us, numbering 120 officers and men apiece, and the fight took place in a very large turnip field. The German artillery was in front of us, and the Maxim fire was on the right and left. It was impossible to make trenches so we had to place our packs in front of us and do the best we could. We were often outnumbered but we continued being reinforced.

BRANTFORD PEOPLE

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London News Leader:—There is little glory to be gained in victory won over armies of savages, cowards and fools. Yet this would seem to be a very popular conception of any army which happens to take the field against that in which the speaker's hopes are bound up.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

It is expected that Christmas leave for the soldiers in camp at Exhibition Park will be limited to two days.

Guy Argles, who shot and killed Mrs. McFarland on Friday night, died of a self-inflicted bullet wound.

CHRISTMAS SALE Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines

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beg to intimate to their customers and the public generally that they are offering their stock of instruments and sewing machines, consisting of Wright and Mendelssohn pianos and Thomas organs, "Made in Canada," also first-class New Home Sewing Machines, at good Christmas discounts. We want to clear out our whole stock within the next few weeks so as to have our room ready for the reception of goods to be sold at auction during and after the first week of the New Year for several consignors. We can give references to hundreds of customers who are using our instruments and machines, and wish to have you with them. We guarantee our pianos unlimitedly. Call and see what we have to offer before making selections.

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Italy Demands Satisfaction From Turkey

ROME, Dec. 14.—Italy has reiterated her urgent demand for satisfaction to the Sublime Porte, for the forcible removal of G. A. Richardson, the British consul at Hodeida, from the Italian consulate, where he had taken refuge, and for his immediate liberation.

It is understood that Germany has advised the Constantinople government to satisfy Italy's demand and thus avoid complications. G. A. Richardson, the British consul at Hodeida in Arabia, it is alleged, recently was forcibly removed by Turks from the Italian consulate, where he had taken refuge and was placed aboard a boat bound for an unknown destination.

The foreign minister, Baron Sonnino, also has asked the Ottoman government to give public satisfaction to Italy for the violation of the consulate.

ITALIAN CONSUL IN DANGER. Baron Sonnino, in answering an interpellation in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday regarding the Hodeida incident, gave the story of Consul Richardson's arrest, which already had been made public. He added that Signor Cecchi, the Italian consul at Hodeida, who came to the defence of his colleague, was obliged to remain for several days, which was watched in his own house, until the arrival of the Italian coast guard ship Giugliano, and the Italian armored cruiser Marco Polo which had been ordered to Hodeida.

The Turkish government, in answering a request for reparation, the minister told the deputies, said that it was awaiting information and would adopt necessary measures. Baron Sonnino concluded by saying that he did not believe the Ottoman government wished to share the responsibility of such a patent violation of consular rights.

WHEAT GOES UP. CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Wheat developed fresh strength to-day on account of an unexpected upturn in prices at Liverpool, where supplies were said to be insufficient to meet requirements. Advances were at hand also that there had been recent important bread stuffs shipped to the British Isles equal to 3,750,000 bushels of wheat. It was asserted in addition that North American exports to Italy last week, aggregated as much as 3,083,000 bushels. After opening 1-2 to 7-8 higher, quotations rose still further, especially the December option.

MUTINY BREAKS OUT IN THE TURKISH FLEET. ATHENS, Dec. 13.—Mutiny has broken out among the crews of the Turkish fleet at Constantinople owing to the long continued brutal conduct of the German officers with the fleet.

At the same time owing to a similar cause there was a revolt in the barracks at Stamboul, in which two German officers were killed.

The anti-German sentiment is increasing among the populace and further disorders are feared.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be kept on the land under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G. Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be held for—

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