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THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 15.

Women Recognize the Need.

The men in politics appear to be unable to understand, the women of the country have stated in plain terms. As a nation we are still practicing the American view that we have no moral responsibility for the European war, and no direct interest in it.

"BRIDGES" SONNET.

Editor: I see by today's papers that they give a sonnet by the poet Laureate, and I should imagine that the said poet has not much on the Star's Godefrich poet.

CUT OFF BY FLAMES AND BADLY BURNED

Fire Did Considerable Damage in Planing Mill at Brockville. Brockville, June 14.—Fire in the planing mill of the McLaren Company did considerable damage, which is only partially covered by insurance.

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Former Toronto Lad Went Overseas With Battery of Toronto University. Brockville, Ont., June 12.—Among the Canadian soldiers recommended for honors in connection with fighting on the British front is Lieut. R. G. Hamilton, son of Rev. R. M. Hamilton, who recently moved to Toronto to accept the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church of this town.

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THE CLARION CALL FOR YOUR ENLISTMENT

By GEORGE TYLER

Young man: did you imagine in the early days of the fatal August, 1914, that in less than twenty months upwards of 800,000 men would have flocked to the ranks in Canada to defend that freedom you enjoy?

Did you believe that any man, or system, would have produced in so short a time such magnificent units to defend that liberty which is interwoven with Canadian democratic institutions?

It was a supreme test to which they were subjected. They had been trained to arms as had the forces whom they were to encounter. They met the foe and met the very best troops that Europe could produce.

They met the enemy in the first instance under the most trying conditions that could be imagined. It is impossible for you to conceive the test to which the Canadian troops were subjected on that glorious blood-stained field of St. Julien.

They endured the gas attack, remained in the trenches and held them not only in the face of that attack but in the face of overwhelming numbers, and they did not waver, not a man of them, until they had orders to retire, and some of them, not then.

Today they have survived a bombardment which blotted out their parapets and trenches and are holding the most important and perilous position of the British line in France and Flanders.

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More Than Score Sent From Germany to Be Interned. Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, June 14.—Over a score of Canadians were included in the first batch of prisoners of war to be transferred from German camps to internment in Switzerland under the system of exchange inaugurated. In addition to those already announced the following have arrived there: 26277 Andrew, 14th; 1322 Munro, 3rd; 1581 Gibson, 5th; 6255 Harkins, 3rd.

FOR ITALIAN CABINET.

Sonnino and Morone Likely to Retain Posts. NEW YORK, June 14.—A News Agency despatch from Rome today says: Baron Sonnino, Italian minister of foreign affairs, and Gen. Morone, minister of war in the Salandra ministry, are likely to retain their places in the new ministry, which will be formed by Paolo Boselli at the request of King Victor Emmanuel.

BAD OMEN FOR FOE.

Ikon of Vladimir at Russian Field Headquarters. LONDON, June 14.—A Petrograd despatch to The Morning Post says: Among the signs of the times should be noted the fact that a portrait without irreverence be likened to the Palladium of ancient Rome, namely, the ikon of the Vladimir, mother of God, preserved in the Coronation Cathedral, was recently taken to the imperial field headquarters.

CORNWALL CASUALTIES.

Pte. Moore is Reported Killed and Three Others Listed as Wounded. Special to The Toronto World. CORNWALL, Ont., June 14.—Mr. and Mrs. William Moore were advised by wire from Ottawa today that their son, Pte. Leonard Moore, had been killed in action between June 2 and 5. The young man was born in Cornwall and was in his 28th year.

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