

## ARMORED CAR RAID DEFEATS SENUSSI

British Motor Column Travels  
Two Hundred Miles Into  
Desert.

## FIGHT TWENTY HOURS

Machines Safely Penetrate the  
Position of Enemy by  
Passing Ridge.

British Headquarters in Egypt, Feb. 5.—(Correspondence).—In the recent raid of the Egyptian armored car column on the Senussi, an Arabic order of Mohammedans, the crews of the cars traveled 200 miles into the Libyan desert, fought a stubborn and well-hidden enemy for 20 hours, and, during the night, 22 men in the cars remained within 500 yards of a foe outnumbering them fully 25 to 1. The story of the raid is told by the British official eye witness.

The Grand Sheikh of the Senussi, Sayed Asamed, was known to be at the Siwah oasis with his commander-in-chief, Mohammed Saleh, and the remnants of his army, 800 rifles strong. The problem of supply made it imperative that the journey of 400 miles out and back should be performed in a week. It was exclusively a motor column.

The British force bivouacked the first night 80 miles from the coast, and went on next day to the summit of a sharp ridge fifteen miles from Siwah. The Senussi were hidden on a series of low hills, Sequa Pass, considered by the Senussi the only possible road from Siwah to the outer country, was mined and the armored cars had to surmount a ridge to gain access to the little valley facing the Senussi position. Every car safely negotiated the rough and tumble pass, except those in the supply service.

The armored cars led the way toward Girs, chief town of the oasis, and all but two of them got into action within 500 yards of the Senussi position by 10 o'clock.

**Got Hot Reception.**  
They had a hot reception. The tops of the turrets had been removed to save weight, and the Mohafiz, as Senussi sharpshooters are called, scampered from their places of security behind rocks to the top of the Girs. Limestone cliffs and poured down a plunging fire in the hope of hitting the machine gunners inside the cars. Leaving one car in the centre to engage the enemy, the remainder moved to the right and left to enfilade the position, and for half an hour the one car at the centre received the fire from two ten-pounder mountain guns, two machine guns and 800 rifles.

Further in the rear the patrols in unarmored cars, with machine guns, came into action, and so sprinkled the hill with bullets that the enemy dared no longer show a head. At noon a Senussi bugler sounded the charge, and many of the enemy rose to advance, but the automobile machine gunners did such execution that they quickly dropped back to cover.

All thru the night the armored cars were stationary. Such a wholesale dread had the Senussi of the armored cars that 800 of them made no attempt to rush the little band. Meanwhile the unarmored cars had gone back for supplies of food and ammunition. Before daylight the Senussi retired. When dawn broke the Senussi, with their camels, showed the enemy and their camels trekking westward, a long way out of range and impossible to reach owing to the precipitous hillsides. The crews of the cars destroyed their camp and collected a large quantity of arms and ammunition. Fully 200 Senussi soldiers were killed or wounded.

On the next day the Egyptian forces entered Siwah. Sayed Ahmed and his commander were never in the fighting, but left Siwah when they learned of the arrival of the cars.

APPOINTED TO GENERAL STAFF.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.  
London, March 30.—Major C. F. Constanline, artillery, has been named as a general staff officer, second grade.

## IMPURE BLOOD IN THE SPRING

The Passing of Winter Leaves  
People Weak and  
Depressed.

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It's Grandmother's Recipe to  
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This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

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## SUBMARINE WARFARE CONTINUES TO SUCCEED

Von Bethmann-Hollweg Practically  
Claims Victory in West.

London, March 30.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent says Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg in his address referred to the events on the battlefronts, and especially the western front, where he said things had been accomplished for which warm thanks were due the brave troops. Field Marshal von Hindenburg and Gen. von Ludendorff. His remarks were greeted with applause. The chancellor is also quoted as saying: "The submarine warfare in March has been as successful as in February," a statement that was also greeted with applause.

Referring to domestic affairs, the chancellor said that the day's speeches had not convinced him that a reform of the Prussian franchise could be begun now. It would be a very serious matter to decide such a question while millions of men were in the trenches.

The chancellor concluded by expressing confidence that the unity of the German people, who were without differences, would make them invincible.

## Russia Plans to Increase Taxation of War Profits

Petrograd, March 29, via London, March 30.—The new financial program, which will be undertaken to remedy the deficiencies of the past administration and by means of a system of revenues enable the government to share in the increased industrial profits, was outlined by the Associated Press today by M. Terpsichenko, minister of finance.

"The country is full of capital," said M. Terpsichenko, "which has grown out of the increased industrial activity since the beginning of the war, and my plan is to institute immediately a new system of taxes based on war profits. Since 1915 all industrial enterprises of the country have shown most remarkable increases in earnings and have issued millions of new shares. It is only proper that the government should have a more adequate share in these profits."

## John Ward, Labor M.P., Hero of the Tyndareus

London, March 30.—According to the newspapers today the colonel of the Middlesex troops on board the transport Tyndareus, which struck a mine recently, but was saved, was John Ward, Labor M.P. for Stoke-on-Trent, who raised a battalion of navies early in the war. The newspapers say that Col. Ward after the vessel had hit the mine addressed his men as follows: "This is the hour in which you are to be tested. We ought to have lived for this hour all our lives. Obey orders and we may be able to save you; but if we cannot save you, let us die like Englishmen."

## LAKE CAPTAIN DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World.  
Brockville, March 30.—Captain Daniel Murphy, one of the best known mariners on the rivers and lakes, died at his home in Ogdensburg following a surgical operation. Capt. Murphy was a Canadian, born at North Augusta, in Grenville County, 72 years ago. He began his career as a sailor with the old Northern Transportation Company. He was afterwards connected with the Rutland fleet of boats and remained with that company until a few years ago. His last service was rendered in the Wolvin Line. He is survived by his widow and five sons.

## CANADIANS ARE GOOD SHOTS.

Special to The Toronto World.  
Brockville, March 30.—A letter received here from an officer of the 16th Lecl and Grenville Battalion states that the Canadians are making a splendid record at the rifle ranges in England. Recently a contest took place and the marksmen from these united counties made the highest average ever recorded by a unit, and that of the Canadian division, the 16th Battalion scored the highest average.

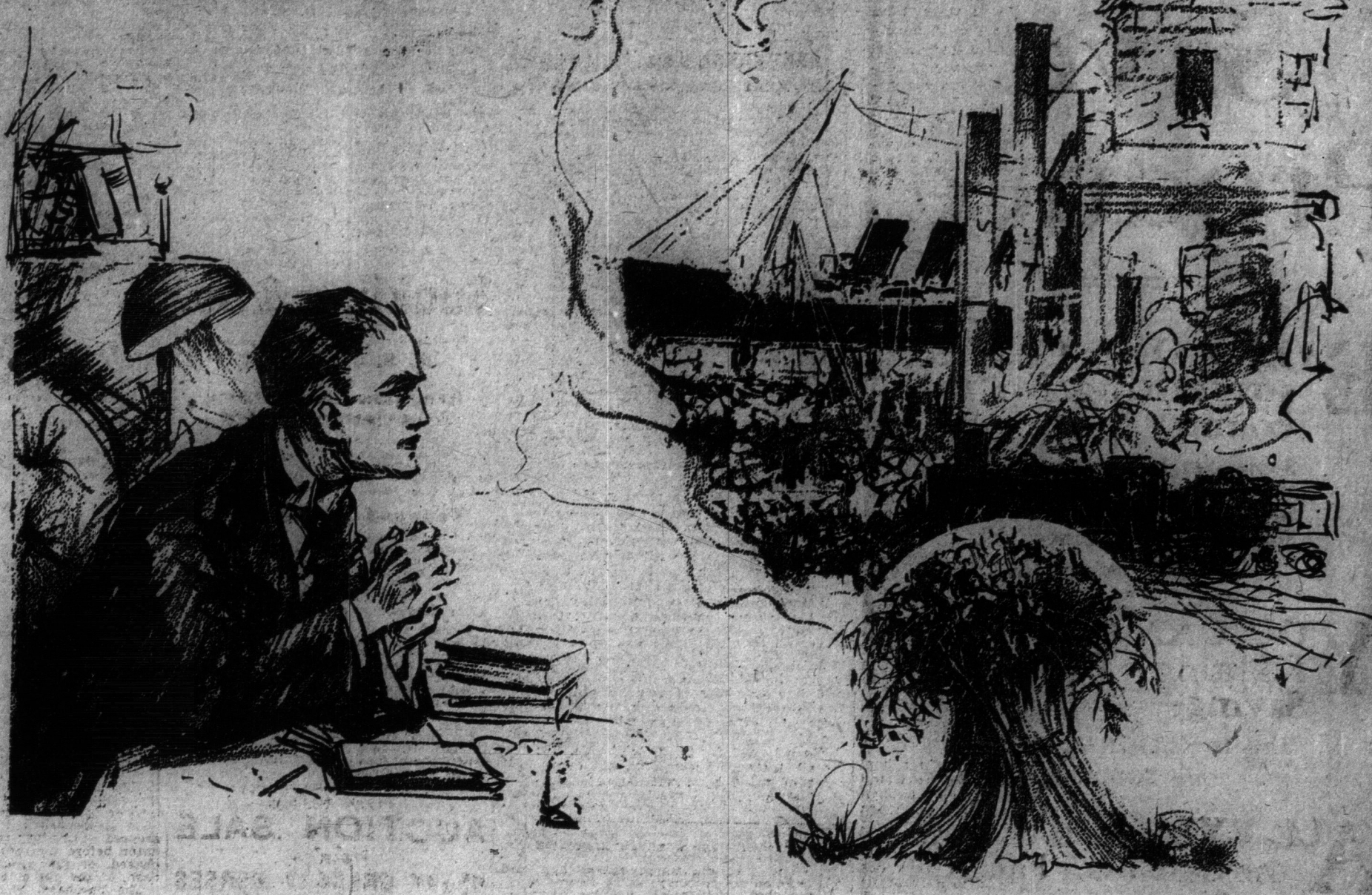
## CANDIDATES FOR ALDERMAN.

Special to The Toronto World.  
Galt, March 30.—D. R. Ray and William Caldwell were tonight nominated as candidates for alderman. The election was made necessary by the death of William Stuart, representative for ward three. D. R. Ray announced himself as a candidate and Mr. Caldwell intimated that he might take place next Wednesday, April 4.

## ROYAL NAVY CADETSHIPS.

By a Staff Reporter.  
Ottawa, March 30.—Candidates for cadetships in the royal navy are to be interviewed in Canada by a board of royal naval officers supervised by the director of the naval service. Applications for consideration this year must be in before April 15.

Be a "Builder of Empire"  
Here at Home



# High School Boys--the Empire Calls You

You strong, free, patriotic youths of Ontario, props of Empire—here and now is a man's part for you to play. Help to feed this people—hear the CALL of the Motherland for more food. Let your sturdy young shoulders at this time of seeding lift the menace of want from our gallant soldiers, from our people, our women and children—your own parents, brothers and sisters:

# Ontario's Farms Need You at This Seed-Time

"Our food stocks are alarmingly low," is Lloyd George's warning. This is Great Britain's appeal to Ontario for more food. And not only is the beloved Mother Country short, but our own available surplus of food is exhausted.

This coming harvest must not be a failure if human hands can prevent it. YOU can help to prevent it.

But—there is less than 1 man per 100 acres left on Ontario farms, due to the calls of War. What will we do?

YOU High School boys are the Country's hope. Now, at the time of seeding, you are asked to help, so that the crops may be sown. Without you they may not be.

## Parents—Let Your Boys Help

Their country calls them—it is an honorable duty to help feed the people. Your boys will be paid. They will be well treated. They will gain in strength. They will learn something of the land and the farmer's point of view—advantages of great value in your boy's education. The work will be suited to the age and strength of your son.

## Organization of Resources Committee

Parliament Buildings, Toronto

Chairman—His Honor Sir John Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario

Vice-Chairmen—Sir William Hearst, Prime Minister; N. W. Rowell, Esq., K.C., M.P.P.

Secretary—Albert H. Abbott, Esq., Ph.D.

For further particulars apply to the Principal of your High School, or drop a card to-day to the Ontario Government Public Employment Bureaus, 15 Queen's Park, Toronto

## Brant Farmers Want Five Telephone Lines to Interchange

Special to The Toronto World.  
Brantford, March 30.—The Brant County Board of Agriculture met here in annual session today. The question of telephone exchange came

up and precipitated a heated discussion. There are five different telephone companies in Brant County and the farmers want to have interchange between all. The Bell Co. will be asked to give such interchange and if this be not granted an appeal will be made to the Ontario Municipal Commission.

Geo. Telfer, Paris; vice-pres. A. E. Westbrooke, Oakland; sec'y-treas., Andrew Fate, Brantford.

## PRESENTED WITH PURSE

Special to The Toronto World.  
Brantford, March 30.—Rev. Chas. Paterson Smyth, who has been

curate of Grace Church here and who will on Sunday, April 1st, take over his duties as vicar of St. Philip's Church, Toronto, was presented by members of the congregation with a purse of gold.

FOUR APPLY FOR CIVIC POST.  
Special to The Toronto World.  
Kitchener, March 30.—Four applica-

tions for the position of city engineer were opened tonight at the final meeting of the city council. Action was postponed. Those who applied were: J. Michael, \$2000; S. Shupe, Dunlop, \$1800; J. Antonson, Port Arthur, \$1800; and Charles Johnston, \$2000.

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