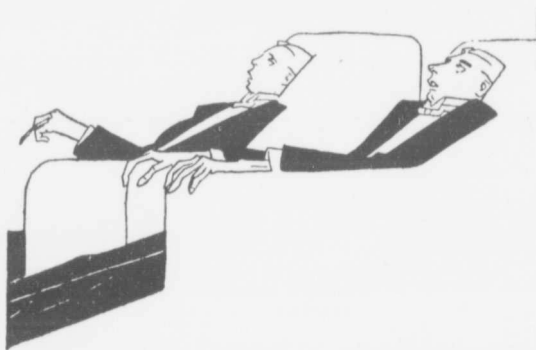


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rately in earnest, and their "Kultur" is so serious, that jokes and fun seem like blasphemy. My penury has again been relieved by Mr. S——'s kind loan of £1. Lady M—— came in to tell me that the American Vice-Consul had telegraphed to Mr. W—— the good news that we are all to go on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday next. I have heard this story so often that I am utterly sceptical.



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(*But not in London!*)

We conclude that things are going badly for the enemy, since there is no bell-ringing, and the flags have been taken in.

September 16th.—I hear that no men who have