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INCOMPETENT JUNIORS

AS OFFICERS IN GERMAN ARMY, SAY PRISONERS

French Front, Dec. 11.—(Correspondence)—German prisoners are complaining of the inefficiency of their junior officers, who are, they say, often placed in command of sections after only four weeks' training. One prisoner told the Associated Press correspondent that the majority of the professional junior officers still fit for service had been transferred to the depots and instruction camps in the interior to train the boys of the 1917 and 1920 classes now called for service. These vacancies in the ranks were filled by youths from the universities and by the sons of merchants and manufacturers.

The numbers of officers also have been reduced. At the beginning of hostilities each company of German infantry had five, the captain and four lieutenants or second lieutenants. Early in the war the creation of new machine-gun, trench-mortar, gas and grenadier officers from the infantry battalions brought the number attached to each company down to only three.

Owing to the frequent absence of officers on furlough or for the purpose of following some special instruction course, there are often only two officers, and sometimes one, on duty with a company, even when it is holding the front line trenches.

Among the German prisoners taken in

recent battles on the French front the number of active officers is very small. Battalion commanders and the commanders of companies are nearly always reserve officers. The chiefs of sections are sergeant-major lieutenants, who bear the insignia of officers on their shoulder straps but wear the non-commissioned officer's collar and hold their rank only for the duration of the war. Since the end of 1916, however, simple sergeants are often in command of platoons.

The reason given by the prisoners for the creation of so many temporary ranks is that the regular officers of the German army are determined to maintain after the war the military caste which has so long existed in Germany, and which excluded from the possibility of attaining commissioned rank any man belonging to the commercial or industrial classes.

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War Menus

How to Save Wheat, Beef and Bacon for the men at the front. Issued from the Office of the Food Controller for Canada.

MENU FOR FRIDAY.

Breakfast.
Cornmeal Porridge Pear Jam
Dinner.
Fried Haddock
Creamed Onions
Emergency Biscuits Honey

Supper.
Pea Soup
Baked Potatoes
Brown Bread Tea Rhubarb Jam

The recipes for Pea Soup and Emergency Biscuits, mentioned above, are as follows:

Pea Soup—
Cover a shin bone with cold water, and bring to a boil. Boil gently for the whole of two hours. Then add one cup of pea bruce, pepper and salt to taste, and a very little grated onion. Boil for half an hour longer, strain and serve.

Emergency Biscuits—
1 cup white flour
1/2 cup Graham flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons butter substitute
5 teaspoons baking powder
Milk to moisten into a dough a little too soft to roll. Drop by spoonfuls on to a greased pan, and bake in a hot oven.

(Wheat and meat saving recipes by Domestic Science Experts of the Canadian Food Controller's Office.)

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bearer; J. E. Bryant, pursuivant; A. J. Armstrong, G. White, H. C. Fred, Nice, R. M. Baird and J. H. Donnelly, committee.

It is understood that the registrar has sent out most of the exemption cards already and soon those who have applied for exemption will learn to the final success of their pleading.

The monthly report of the Associated Charities, read by the secretary, Miss Grace O. Robertson, at the monthly meeting of the society held yesterday at the Bible House, Gorman street. The president, J. Hunter White, was in the chair.

The case of Fred Galbraith in connection with the Durant case was continued in the police court yesterday afternoon. Inspectors Crawford and Barrett took the stand and told of the seizure of a barrel of liquor. The case was postponed until this afternoon.

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LINEN ROOM

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RECENT DEATHS

George W. Perry.

The death of George W. Perry occurred at 10 o'clock on the morning of the 9th inst. at his residence, 100 St. John street, after a long illness. He was 62 years of age. He was born in the city of St. John, N. B., and was a member of the St. John's Episcopal Church. He was a successful business man and a public spirited citizen. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Perry, and two children, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perry.

The funeral service will be held at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning at the St. John's Episcopal Church. The interment will be in the St. John's Cemetery.

The death of Bishop Llewellyn Jones of St. John's, N.B., said to be the oldest bishop of the Episcopal communion in the British Empire, occurred yesterday. He was seventy-seven years old.

A Tea Time Esquency.

We have more variety in our British home guard duty than the full-time soldier gets. One foggy evening the sentry on the wharfedale below the bridge telephoned for help. The corporal and patrol who doubled out found they were to extricate an old barge who was hanging head down—groaning weakly, but senseless—between a barge and the river wall, the barge chafing slowly with the rising tide and cracking his ribs. A night watchman who supervised the rescue explained:

"After I came 'ere tonight I 'eard a noise like somebody growning, and I says, 'That's somebody growning!' But I was 'aving me tea, in abash' 'alf an ah, when I'd done me tea, the growning was still going on, so I goes to the sentry, and I says, 'Sentry, there's somebody growning!' And, sure enough, there was."—Manchester Guardian.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of lot holders of Cedar Hill Cemetery Company will be held at Temperance Hall, Fairville, on the 21st day of January inst., at the hour of eight o'clock p.m. for the transaction of the general business pertaining to such meetings as revising by-laws, if necessary, union reports and election of officers. Also at seven o'clock at same place and date the directors of said company are requested to meet for the purpose of completing such business as is necessary to bring before the general meeting. Any lot holder who wishes to attend the meeting of the directors has a special invitation of the secretary to attend.

W. H. ALLINGHAM, Secretary.

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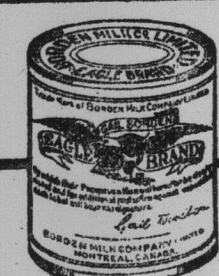
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