ful Price for Territory

Gained.

Paris, March 6—It is stated semi-officially that the battle at Verdun

emerging thio that storm of steel and emerging thinned to half their strength Some contingents lost six out of every ten men before ever having fired a shot.

The bitterest fighting was for pos-session of the road leading to Douau-

mont, the advantage of which was

THE COURIER



Church Street, Toronto. H. E. Smallpelce, 28 cents per lb. for unwashed and 38 vansickle, who has recently come

Monday, March 6, 1916.

The Situation.

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Lord Northcliffe, the newspaper king, who controls the London Times and many other sheets, has sent a despect to his papers from Verdun. The most significant portion of it controls the told the troops operating that in due time his neath will be fully restored to him again.

It is altogether fitting that we should honor a brave soldier like this. We are all indebted to him. We have all profited by his pains and hardships. His faithful discharge of the commanders seem certain, more than adequate.

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a successful foraging expedition, reads reportorial department. like a romance. How she eluded the British patrols in the North Sea is a mystery. She did so, however, and her commander has chronicled what must be fairly termed a daring ex-

Some Farm Statistics for County Readers.

A bulletin issued by the Census and Statistics Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture summarizes the results of reports made by crop reporting correspondents respecting the values of farm land, for farm help and of farm live stock in the year 1915.

For the whole of Canada the average value of farm land held for agricultural purposes, whether improved or unimproved, and including the stream would come in contact with the highly charged electric wires of unimproved, and including the stream would come in contact with the highly charged electric wires of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the evening was the values for the other provinces the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the average value was returned as \$38.9.0 per acre. Last year evening at the close of the six saguare mites of ground from to the village of Vaux begand from to the village of vary that the close of the six saguare mites of ground from to the village of vary that the day of the tast has thrown down a challenge to our best manhood, the task in mah the values of tarm land held for agricultural purposes, whether improved or unimproved, and including the value of dwelling human the value of the six saguare mites of ground from to fire will be the elected. This part of the battle, the wind will be purported that the drope must of the six saguare mit land, \$37.64; Nova Scotia, \$28; Que-bec, \$51.36; Ontario, \$52.49; Manitoba, Ed. Goddard, to the Paris cemetery.

other year. The causes for this decrease were the small crops of 1914, for the gathering of which fewer hands were required, the release of other laborers on the outbreak of the friends with wrist watches. war and the increased cost of board. In 1915, owing to the abundant harvest and the effects of recruiting for the army, there was some reaction, and the average wages paid were and the average wages paid were the army there are average wages paid were and the average wages paid were the army through the average wages paid were and the average wages paid were the army through the community will be shocked to hear on the community will be shocked to hear of the death of Mrs Mary A. Simpson the correct this times there. The supreme effort was carried out by six regiments, advance times there. The supreme effort was carried out by six regiments, advance times there. The suprements advance times there the suprements advance times there the community will be shocked to built on the death of Mrs Mary A. Simpson the times there the suprements advance times there the community was carried out by six regiments, advance times there. The suprements advance times t members of the Faistand womens, west and the effects of recruiting for the army, there was some reaction, and the average wages paid were more than in 1914, if not quite equal to those paid in 1910, the date of the previous inquiry. For the Dominion he average wages per month during the summer, including board, were \$37,10 for male and \$20.20 for female, as compared with \$33.55 and \$18.04.5 for females, as compared with \$33.55 and \$18.04.5 for males and \$20.00 for females, as compared with \$32.23.00 and \$18.95.5 in 1914, The average value for males and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females, and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.44 Average value for males and \$11.45 for females and \$11.45 for females, the corresponding figures of remains of the fermion of fermion of the average water \$11.45 for females and \$1.45 for females and \$11.45 for female

wan, \$42.22 and \$23.81; in Alberta \$44.02 and \$24.95, and in British Columbia \$49.37 and \$31.21.

The value of horses is somewhat less than that of last year, but the Is Tendered a Welcome Serprices of cattle show an increase, es-Published by The Brantford Courier Limited, every afternoon, at Dalhousie Street, Brantford, Canada. Subscription rate: By carrier, \$3 a year; by mail to British possessions and the United States, \$2 Scotia and New Brunswick, where they are about the same as last year. scribe Douaumont as a small collec- as against \$57; other cattle, \$44 but do not find the word welcome against \$42; sheep, \$8, as against \$7; there. However, I find in Acts. 10-33 and swine \$15, as against \$12. Appurpose of the hour, which reads as

PARIS

Company Increasing -Only Trucks Left—Visit Postponed.

ing as follows: Prince Edward Is- about a week prior to his death. The

\$30.36; Saskatchewan, \$24.20, and Alberta, \$23.15. In British Columbia the higher average is due to orcharding number of her young friends. A very number of her young friends. A very state of the policy of the po The wages paid for farm labor in Miss Gladys being kindly rememb-

GUNNER VANSICKLE FIGHTING STILL

vice at the First Baptist Church.

There was a very large attendance BEMI-WEEKLY COURIER—Published on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, at \$1 per year, payable in advance. To the United States, 50 cents extra for postage. of wool, the average for Canada being service was held for Gunner Sheldon ODDS NOW IN cents per lb. for washed wool, as com- home from the front. Mr. Vansickle pared with 19 and 25 cents respective- sat with the pastor on the platform, ly in 1914. The average values for but did not say anything, as he was Canada are as follows: Horses, \$123 as against \$126 in 1914; milch cows, \$61. "I have looked through the Bible

The most significant portion of it consists of the statement that some of the finest German regiments now include under-sized and small-chested men, clear evidence of the fact that the terrible drain on the manhood of the kept intact and the old flag will not COMPARISON FAVORS FRENCH

Fatherland is commencing to tell.

All the indications tend to the belief that Turkey is becoming heartily sick of the struggle, and that there is a growing desire in Constantinople and elsewhere for a separate peace.

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next Sunday evening upon the fall of man, is it a fact or a fable?

Obituaru

MARY McGINNIS Mrs. Mary McGinnis of Brantford Township died on Saturday at the age of 90 years. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons and one daughter. The funeral will take place to-morrow from H. S. Peirce's undertaking par-

lors to St. Joseph's cemetery. MRS. MARY A. SIMPSON

coo,coo shells, most of them of heavy calibres. The number of projectiles fired by the French probably was as Nothing like such an expenditure of

munitions has been known before, even in the Champagne attack. The For Last 48 Hours Enemy
Forces Have Not
Advanced.

Seven in the Champagne attack. The whole theory of operations was to pulverize defences at long range drive out or kill defenders and occupy the ground by mass rushes. The principle of the defence was to search out heavy pieces of the adversary with equally heavy shells, withdraw from demolished first line when those desertworks and then when those desert-FRANCE'S FAVOR

The Have Paid a Fear
The Ha Germans Have Paid a Fear- times this fire was suddenly suspended and the attackers were engaged in hand-to-hand infantry clashes.

AIR IN VERDUN

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ing. They are almost identical.
HOW GUNS WERE KEPT

rejoice with his family in receiving ried on the back, filled with a comit, if occasion arises, to counter at-him safe, although we cannot add position liquid, which seems to be tack. Nothing, of course, may be said Many people pronounce the name sound. However, we hope and pray mostly kerosene Attached to the concerning what these preparations nozzle is an igniting apparatus. The and dispositions are, except that they

began saying in substance:
"We are about to pulverize the en-The comparison also is in favor of

who have faced shot and shell for us. He is no true patriot whose breast does not throb with emotion as he looks upon the face of a hero from the front. All will join earnestly in prayer for the speedy return of health to our brother. You have done your bit nobly and well, and your's is the sweet consciousness of duty done.

There's a bright side to this great war now in progress. Out of this great conflict will come a purified Europe and a wider brotherhood. Canada will be purged by it from low ideals of life, from selfish indulgence, from lust for gain and pleasure, and as the war has thrown down a chalt in front of the village of Vaux alone 4,000 German corpses were the front many times, but has never seen of yet such activity behind the lines.

The train service between Paris and

plunging into that storm of steel and Petition Presented About Re-arranging School Sections.

from Toronto to the township mont, the advantage of which was latter part of April. They are for the obvious. The Germans charged eight Cockshutt park: 200 soft maple; 100

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GERMANS CHARGE EIGHT

TIMES

The survivors undaunted resolutely stormed the French trenches and fought hand-to-hand in fierce melees at the outskirts of the village. The bitterest fighting was for possession of the road leading to Douau-session of the road leading to Douau-session to the township the stormed to the survivors undaunted resolutely stormed the French trenches and fought hand-to-hand in fierce melees at the outskirts of the village. The bitterest fighting was for possession of the road leading to Douau-session of the road leading to Douau-session

Steamer Sunk.

95 COLBORNE ST.

Military College of Canada, Kingston, Ontario.

THE regular examination for entrance to the Royal Military College will be held on Monday the 29th May, 1916.

2. This examination is open to all British subjects between the ages of 16 and 21 years inclusive, unmarried, and who have resided, or whose parents have resided, in Canada for two years immediately preceding the date of examination.

3. Application by the parents, or guardian, of any intending candidate to be made in writing to the Secretary, Militia Council, Ottawa, Ont., not later than Saturday, the 29th April, 1916, accompanied by:— (a) Birth Certificate in duplicate.

(b) Certificate of good moral character signed by the head of the School of College at which the Candidate has received his education for at least the two preceding years, or, by a clergyman of the place of worship attended by the Candidate, and. (c) Remittance of \$5.00 (five dollars) in favour of the Receiver General.

retary, Militia Council, Ottawa, Ontario.

5. Should the number of Candidates not be sufficient to complete the establishment of the Royal Military College, Matriculants in the Faculty of Arts and Science of Chartered Universities will be admitted without examination, if approved of. Such Matriculants should apply to the Secretary of the Militia Council, Ottawa, forwarding (a) Certificate of Matriculation and number of marks obtained in each subject; and (b) Birth Certificate in duplicate.

Deputy Minister Of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, February 22,

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BY AUCTION No one hav "Patriotic Fun which is well t put up for aud ter's livery st

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