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E GAEKWAR'S GIFT. TLE, Wash., Dec. 19.-The press of India of the Cana-ific Railway Company, which plying between North Paciand the Far East for 23, been sold to the Gaekwar , said to be the richest f the Indian Empire. The press of India is to serve as a ship for Indian troops. News e of the steamer was brought Japanese steamship Sado nich arrived here yesterday Far East.

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W. W. CORY, C.M.G. Deputy of the Minister of the Interior N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this vertisement will not be paid for.—64288.

effective at New eYar's.

A cut in local Hydro rates is to

Whitby murder mystery.

SOME TIPS ON THE NEW WAY OF PRONOUNCING GERMAN NAMES

"I have just bought a book of es-, and as they will be sounded after the

"By whom?" said I, who studied German in the High School, "Yooken, the great German philosopher," replied my friend.

"You mean Eucken—pronounced Oi-ken!" said I pityingly.

"Not at all," countered my friend.

"It is treasonable of you to insist on good pronunciation of German. It is un-British of you! From henceforth, German will be pronounced in English. There's patriotism for you!"

So my friend sat down and instructed me post-bellum German.

The forms are given as they are written, as they sound in German, many.

"Gneisenau, Gyn-sen-ow, Nizze.1-aw.

Berlin, Bare-leen, (as in Berlin, Ont.)

Von Kluk, Fon Klook, Von Cluck. Reuter, Royter, Rooter.

Taube, Tow-buh (as in cow), Taub (as in daub).

Kronprinz Wilhelm, as spelt Snookums.

Nietzsche, Neet-suh, Nitsky.

Krupp, Kroop, Dinnis,

Kultur, cool-toor, culcher.

Deutschland uber alles—Doych lant eber olless—Its all over with Germany.

"I have just bought a book or essays by Yooken," said a friend of mine.
"By whom?" said I, who studied Gneisenau, Gyn-sen-ow, Nizze.1-

Feeding Indian Soldiers Hard Problem for British

cooked. In the case of sheep the Indian fodder man and horses shown he sees meat prepared by the Mohammedan butcher, who kills by the halal or throat cutting stroke, just as that meat should be hung up for sale that has been killed by the jatka—the stroke at the back of the neck affected by the Sikhs. In France how a certain amount of tinned mutton is exten willingly by the troops. NEW YEAR'S

Fare and One-Third (Minimum 25c)—Good going Bec. 30, 31; Jan. 1; returning Jan. 4, 1915.

Tickets for sale to all points on T., H. & B., M. C. R., C. P. R. in Canada east of Fort William and Sault Ste. Marie.

Also to Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and Detroit, Mich. Also to Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara toir full of them—goats from all the Detroit, Mich.

G. C. MARTIN, H. C. THOMAS.

G.P.A., Hamilton.

In the boulevard, I found an old boat toir full of them—goats from all the hills of France, from Corsica, and Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and bills of France, from Corsica, and Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and bound an old boat the animal frozen to death."

An Anglo-Indian asserts that the birds being several famous fight-reconcilable sects now fighting side for Great Britain is a phenomenon that should make the discontinuous points in the proposition of the Spanish border, and bearded ciples of Tretischke look into their standing on end, might pluck the lea-political philosophy.

"What would Germany do with an ves from the shisham like a young

> they are eating clean or unclean flesh units are detached to a point near railhead, where each man, be he Mohammedan, Sikh, or Hindu, despatches his beast by his own peculiar sacrificial extoke marks it as clean and in fact, in Belgium in loving kind. ficial stroke, marks it as clean and in fact; in Belgium in loving kind-sends it on to his comrades in the ness. It is doubtful if she can make

A peculiar problem has to be met | No beef is killed at the front, as by the British commissariat in supply ing the various castes and sects of the Indian army with food.

The Gurkha, the Rajput and other pollution to the Hindus. For drink The Gurkha, the Rajput and other Hindus will eat goat or mutton, proin a oam hodt montd om taahhdordo vided the animal has been killed in a special and orthodox way. The dispecial and orthodox way. The dispecial contact with beef is so intense that he will sometimes vomit at the sight of ft; the prejudice is so inveterate that Mohammedans who are the descendants of Hindu converts cannot reconcile themselves to the taste. Happily, pork, the Moslem abomination, does not complicate the questions of army rations.

But the crux is not so much the nature of the meat to be provided as the manner in which it is killed and cooked. In the case of sheep the Sikh willarges, gorges will rise when discuss it the discuss is their animals and contact with larges, gorges will rise when discuss it their are mented liquor, is given an extra ration of sugar and tea. The huqua being too cumbrous an article for service, equipment, the Indian soldier receives two packets of cigarets a week. Even transport animals have their diousness, Indian mules and country breds who might be having the time of their lives nose suspictously our sweet English hay, preferring their own shopped straw, the dryest of provening the diousness, Indian folder man and horses show linearly the case of sheep the linear transport animals have their lives nose suspictously our sweet English hay, preferring their own shopped straw, the dryest of provening the diousness, Indian folder man and horses show linearly the case of sheep the linear transport animals have their lives nose suspictously our sweet English hay, preferring their own shopped straw, the dryest of provening the time of the Rev. Burns died here this morning, after a long illness. He was a well-known Anglican clergyman and came here from Woodstock, where he was a well-known Anglican clergyman and too cumbrous an article for service, equipment, the Indian troops is rum, but the Mohammedan, being debarred by the Montal fermit and the arm and the case of St. Luke's church.

AT THE WAR OFFICE.

KINGSTO

giants from the Pyrenees, which, ciples of Tretischke look into their

camel, a breed which is likely more Eastern Empire if she won it?" he than anything else to inspire the In-dian with reverence for the virtue of ctifies itself in the faith that it is her mission to correct or destroy all hu-That the men may know whether manity that is not German thinking? in Toronto. the Oriental love her.'

Music and profits be turned over to the Belgian ed Cross relief fund. This is being done. The pictures tell in a graphic manner the story of that early Sep-Drama

THE CHOCOLATE SOLDIER.

"The Chocolate Soldier" is enjoying its third season of unabated pop ularity and has broken the old rule that "familiarity breeds contempt." In the case of this masteripece of Oscar Straus and the Viennese school of music, the familiarity that the American people possess of "The Chocolate Soldier," with its captivating melodies and its scintillating wit, has only made them more eager to repeat the experience of an evening in the company of the Chocolate Soldier.

This explains the coming of the exquisite opera bouffe that Oscar Straus and his associates fashioned

Straus and his associates fashioned from George Bernard Shaw's immortal comedy, "Arms and the Man," to the Grand Opera House, Wednesday, Dec. 23. Not content with the strength of his company last season and the widely remarked beauty of his scenic equipment, Mr. Whitney, the producer of "The Chocolate Soldier," has sought to surpass his former achievements and to increase if dier," has sought to surpass his form-er achievements and to increase if possible, the power of the spell that the romantic Bulgarian atmosphere and the witching music casts over every audience.

COMING THEATRICAL ATTRAC. BELGIAN WAR PICTURES.

"On Belgian battlefields in the Great European War," is the title of The Chicago Tribune motion pictures which will be shown at the Grand for two days commencing next Friday Christmas day. They are the only views of the war being shown in America, that were secured with the approval of the Belgian government. Provincial Inspector Greer arrested on Saturday night a halfbreed Indian, Lierre, near Antwerp, secured per-William Sikes, in connection with the mission from the commander to take the views on condition that half the

manner the story of that early September engagements of which Mr Pattrson has written as follows:

"The following day we were in the firing zone again, in and out of it all day long. Again we heard the shrapnel break and shriek near us; we saw it knock tiles from roofs in Alost within fifty yards, and again I was much afraid.

"In spite of the hideous wounds in the dead and dying, of which we saw many, at times I could almost make myself think that, as far as it concerned me, at least, all this firing was a bluff. I had heard the same noises yesterday and nothing had happened to me. * * * This wasn't my usual state of mind; as a rule I was afraid, but also I had my moments when I entertained a soldier's superstition that the bullet wasn't moulded which could touch me."

These wonderful pictures will be shown each afternon and night be-ginnig Friday, at 2.15 and 8.15.

Naval Clash **Rumors Active** Again To-day

[By Special Wire to the Courier] LONDON, Dec. 21, 4.45 p.m. Persistent rumors are current that a German cruiser has been sunk off the coast of Scotland. It is also rumored that two British destroyers arrived at Leith, Scotland, badly damaged. There is no official confirmation of these reports.

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own shopped straw, the dryest of provender. If an English cavalry regiment ever finds itself lobbed off with Indian fodder man and horses show disgust in their own way.

GURKHAS FRIENDLY

The Gurkha is proverbially an accommodating person and gives his British officer, with whom he is on the friendliest possible terms, as little men in Egypt, and says that they expect soon to be fighting.

how a certain amount of tinned mutton is eaten willingly by the troops, but the great bulk of commissariat meat must be sent alive to railhead and slain there in accordance with prescribed rites.

AN ABATTOIR FULL.

Hence the herd of sheep and goats in the boulevard. I found an old boat toir full of them—goats from all the hills of France, from Corsica, and Dauphine and the Cevennes from the substant arose as to whether they would eat frozen meat. A conclave of officers decided that it would be better to put the case to the men. The Subadar was called, and, after a little wrinkling of the eyebrow, said:

"I think, Sahib, the regiment will be willing to eat the iced sheep provided one of them is always present to see the animal frozen to death."

An Anglo-Indian asserts that the birds being several famous fight-

Rev. J. J. Redditt, assistant Methodist Book Steward, died in Toronto after a long illness.

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