

VON KLUCK HAS RETIRED

Hun General, Prominent in Early Days of the War Now Quits.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—Field Marshal Alexander von Kluck who commanded the right wing of the German army in its sweep towards Paris in the fall of 1914, has been placed on the retired list at his own request. He had never returned to the front since he was wounded by shrapnel fire in March, 1915, while inspecting advanced positions. The Field Marshal was 70 years of age last May.

Field Marshal von Kluck and his army took an important part in the German advance toward Paris in September, 1914. His advance halted about thirty miles from the French capital and his force with the rest of the German army, was checked and driven back in the battle of the Marne.

Field Marshal von Kluck was born in Muenster, Germany, May 20, 1846, and entered the German army as a Second Lieutenant in 1865. At the outbreak of the war he was in command of the army corps at Koelnberg. He fought in the war with Austria in 1866 and in the Franco-Prussian war in 1870.

He is said to have received his wound in March, 1915, by recklessly exposing himself after a stormy interview with Emperor William. Last August it was reported he was soon to take a command on the eastern front. His son, Lieut. Egon von Kluck, was reported killed at Middelkerke early in 1915.

NEWS NOTES OF ST. GEORGE

From our own Correspondence Miss Carter spent Thursday and Friday at the school convention at Brantford, and the week-end with relatives in Barford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Waite, Mr. and Mrs. Linton attended the anniversary services of the Methodist church at Copetown on Sunday.

Miss Brandon of Paris spent the week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Brandon. Gordon McKenzie, Will McKenzie, Mr. Smith, Mr. Fields and Mr. Lane attended Caledonia fair last week.

The young people of German's Sunday school are planning a Halloween entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nylin of Hamilton are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Morris of Paris were the week-end guests of Mrs. R. Morris.

Mrs. McNeilly and Mrs. Jamieson of Port Dover are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McNeilly.

Friday evening of last week a large number of the members of the A. F. and A. M. paid a fraternal visit to Reba Lodge, Brantford, and all report an excellent time, notwithstanding the muddy roads.

The General Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec was held in the James St. Baptist church at Hamilton this week. Rev. L. S. Haverstock, Mr. W. G. Rosebrugh and Mr. T. S. Atmore attended.

Opening meeting of the B. Y. P. U. was held in the school room of the Baptist church on Tuesday evening with an attendance of about 90. The program took the form of a mock trial. A German spy was convicted and found guilty of setting fire to B. Bell's munition factory on March 16th. Mr. Dave McIntyre, president of the society, was afterward judge of the trial. The lawyer for the Crown was Mr. Frank Paten and for the defense Mr. Osborne Rosebrugh. The witnesses for either side were, for the Crown Mr. Percy Papple and Mr. Stanley Rosebrugh. For the defense, Mr. Harold Armstrong and Mr. Cuthbert Howell.

Mr. Merton Singer was the German spy. Owing to the large number of men that have left St. George for active service overseas, the jury consisted of twelve young ladies. While the jurors were making their decision there were two instrumental solos rendered by Miss G. Rosebrugh and Mr. Lee Herbert, and were much appreciated by the audience.

The death of the late Ursula Sa-



THE COUNTESS OF LIMERICK IN HER FREE BUFFET FOR SOLDIERS AT LONDON BRIDGE.



CANADIAN BANDS "IN ACTION" IN THE OLD COUNTRY. When the band of the French Republican Guards arrived in England recently they marched through the streets headed by Canadian bands, amid scenes of the greatest enthusiasm. Photo shows the Canadian band playing the Republican Guards' band to the station.

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or eat naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Treatations for babies, children, old men and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

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ger, wife of Mr. William Robb, occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Howell on Friday, October 13th. Mrs. Robb was one of the oldest residents of South Dumfries, having lived here all her life and was in her eightieth year. The funeral took place from Mrs. H. L. Howell on Monday afternoon to the Methodist cemetery. Rev. W. J. Brandon conducted the services. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, three sons and four daughters, George, James and Frank Robb are the sons. The daughters are Mrs. H. L. Howell, Mrs. George Wood, Ruth and Lizzie Robb at home. The pall bearers were her six grandsons, Roy, Orton and Glenford Robb, Ernie, Robert, and Phillip Howell. The floral tributes were very beautiful. Mr. Wallace and Oscar Waite rendered two duets very suitable for the occasion. The bereaved ones have the deepest sympathy of the village and community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coultous received a telegram on Wednesday morning that their son, Lawrence, had been wounded, a gunshot wound in the face.

Miss Irma Horning returned to Toronto on Wednesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Horning.

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Just as soap and hot water cleanse and freshen the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the eliminative organs.

Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, aching head, sallow complexion, acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation, should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pronounced results, both in regard to health and appearance.

LIBERAL M. P. IN TROUBLE

NINETY-TWO YEARS AND STILL KNITTING. One of the many patriotic old ladies in Canada who are "doing their bit" is Mrs. E. L. Heal, of Toronto, who, in her 92nd year, is knitting socks for the soldiers. She has a grandson and seven nephews, at the front.

English Member of Commons Spoke Against the Government.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 20.—It is announced that Joseph King, Liberal member of parliament for North Somerset, will appear in the Bow St. police court to-day to answer a charge made under the Defense of the Realm Act. He has always been a strong peace advocate.

Since the outbreak of the war, Mr. King, in the House of Commons has made several attacks on the government, questioning the government concerning its actions.

FURTHER SUCCESS By Courier Leased Wire. Petrograd, via London, Oct. 19.—Further successes for the Russians in Turkish Armenia, including the capture of an advanced Turkish position in the Kalkik region are reported in to-day's official War Office announcement.

WILL CONTINUE D. S. Berlin, Oct. 20.—"Summer time" first tried this year in Germany, should not only be retained in future years, but should begin early in April with the putting back of the clock's hands one hour, in the opinion of the Berlin Chamber of Commerce, which investigated the working of the new scheme at the request of the Prussian Government, and find that it effected a great saving in illumination and probably a betterment of the health of the general working public. It is recommended that hereafter the change be made on the first Sunday in April, as calculated to bring about the least disturbance in the business and industrial world. The return to normal time would also be best made on the last Sunday in September.

The first instalment of the taxes at Newmarket, collected up to Oct. 14, on which date the 2 per cent. rebate ceased, amounted to \$25,000; the total amount is \$41,000.

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CONSTANTINE HAS NO POWER

Greek Monarch Admits that Venizelos Rules the Country.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 20.—King Constantine of Greece in an interview with the British minister to Athens, complained bitterly of the action of the Allies in recognizing the provisional government at Saloniki, according to an Athens' despatch to the Daily Mail. According to the despatch, the king told the minister that as the Allies had deprived him of all power, they had better address their proposals to Venizelos. The monarch made certain proposals which the British diplomat considered of no importance, and here recommended Constantine to change his entire policy.

GAMBLING HOUSES RAIDED (Associated Press.) Panama, Oct. 20.—Raids on gambling places which have been flourishing in Colon are being conducted by Governor Ruben Arcia, who is the governor of the province and has powers superior to the alcalde of the city. Two places have been raided, and their property confiscated. Similar raids were made in Panama City about a month ago. Governor Arcia has declared that he will not stop till gambling has been driven from the city.

Arcia is one of the characters of the isthmus. A comparatively young man, he has made a fair fortune out of cattle and lands, and his wealth has placed him beyond the reach of the ordinary corruption. He is a little farther to the peons all over the province, and has an extraordinary reputation for honesty. He is on very good terms with most of the prominent Americans. The Americans have told him that he has ideals like an American or European statesman, and he seems to work hard to live up to the ideal.

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