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WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN. HE NATIONAL SERVICE BOARD so successfully organized by Sir Robert Borden met last night for business in the padded inner room of Sir the armies of the Dominion. Sam's offices at the capitol. This is the place where the famous militiawork. No reporters or dictaphones come in here. Into this room, which come in here. Into this room, which et us call x, no one enters who knows not the combination.

Around the table were gathered the ive Liberals and seven Conservafives, appointed to help Sir Robert deliberate on war and munitions. Of course, the five Liberals are only a fifth wheal on the ceach so Shent. But as loud voices of Mr. Fraham and a million suspicious malcontents all over the constituencies complained that leading Liberals, veteran administrators of a prosperous spoch, should have been invited to cooperate with the Government, Sir Robert has condescended to raise them up into the national service board, hough not into the cabinet alongside his Nationalist confederates.

Among the seven Conservatives, who, erals in their place, were seen Sir Sam, occupying or seizing the chair; Mr. Frank Cochrane, who will investigate ace), and Messrs. Blondin and Boursa, the hot-air brakes on any foolish

year as the best way of furthering a speedy victory. The country is not satisfied. It would like to strike a blow at graft. Quebec wants to turn out days. the National element at Ottawa and replace them with loyal men. It is felt that returned and broken soldiers are not sufficiently considered by the war department. The legal time of the present Parliament is about run out. There

South Africa, why not here? Borden-Oh, but don't you know, this woard has been formed largely for the necessity for any election. An election is the last thing anyone wants in Canada just now. Mr. Rogers, our whert on elections, what do you think f this preposterous idea?

Bob (with a "deeply involved" sir) An election would be a crime.

Liberal-But you wanted one last ear; much more, therefore, now! The

Today the country needs quiet the soft pedal on a lot of ds more telegrams burned. Liberal-And packets of official con-

Hughes-That's a --- lie

ucible letters and telegrams lying and officers as ever left the city. around here and there that ought to be

IRISH RECRUITING

Ireland, has issued the following statement of recruiting in Ireland since the outbreak of the war:

Ulster. Catholics14,846 Protestants ...48,849 Leinster. .10,681 Protestante . Connaught. 3,791 Protestants . Munster. 15,124 Protestants Dublin.
Catholics13,141 Protestants .. 4,339 That represents a contribution since

To this number must be added a

great number of Irishmen who have enlisted in England, Scotland, Australia, Canada and South Africa. Ireland has of military age to other lands, and considering the depletion of the man-power, the showing is remarkable. It is to be hoped that by some means the con be told in full. Certain it is that thousands of Ulstermen who came to Canada in great numbers have joined

BRITISH RESTRAINT.

beginning to have some doubte about the kaiser's oft-repeated explanation that England made the war on Germany. They demand an examination into the real causes of the war. The admitted fact that the world is against the Huns makes some of them suspect that the world at large has some cause for its attitude. As nobly piloted hitherto by Robert the for Max Harden, he said at the very the war, in order to impart her kultur to the world. It seems the world rejects the boon.

When an international investigation is some day made of the question who advantage and honor of Great Britain that her Government did not accept the advice of the jingo press at home and into any continental struggle Britisl with Sir Robert, will keep the five Lib- forces would be cast on the side of France and Russia. The finge press. which acted on the old Tory principl

with a "deeply involved" look in his war might be prevented by a firm declaration of Great Britain's purpose to side with France and Russia. New onthusiasm. Sir Robert was that it has long ago been made collapse? Of course Germany wanted placed head the towel caught on a dered head the towel caught of time, but that did not interfere with her conviction that France was at her mercy. When a day or two later Great ever, for his Aunt Brewster had given threatened are the stream of the bath tub and that, had find the towel caught on a fine to set light.

"Yes, sir. Thank you, sir," and Watkins departed.

Then someone rang the bell. It was charged away for bunions and other ailments. Hughes-Well, then, to business. Any mercy. When a day or two later Great

Hughes—Well, then, to business. Any notices of motion?

Theral—I will move that Gen. Lessed would be a desirable member of this board.

Hughes—We shall listen to no such notion. Is there no shame or modesty seft in Liberals? Would you dictate to Sir Robert?

Liberal—Perhaps that has to be reserved for you.

Second Liberal—Why was the Ross rife not superseded for six months after Gen. Addreson's report against it?

Hughes (frowning)—There were other things to attend to. (Laughter among liberals.)

Third Liberal—I will move that we recommend a general election for next year as the best way of furthering as the best way of furtheri

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Cupid flits about the city hall these

The Hector Macdonald myth was al-

Regulation No. 17 is legal, but how

country must grow on broad lines of goodwill, if it is to succeed.

The high cost of living doesn't bother anyone at Ottawa. They manage to She saw people stare, laugh and looking back at each other with interget butter enough for their bread down point, but there was nothing wrong est that had evidently been compoundthere, sometimes for both sides.

w gives Canadian parliaments only much to beat itself," was the remark saw the towel spread chamelessly over sation turned inevitably to the incompetence of the Conservative regime.

Capt. Koenig of the Deutschland blue? Out of the sky as you came smiles broadly as he thinks of the fine through?" Christmas present of Canadian nickel isn't it the limit! Where do you suphe may carry home to Germany. But pose it came from? Get it down, will they will probably try to disguise the you, and I'll take it into Anna Kathershipment this time.

Everyone will regret to hear that to retire from military life. Officers of the Wigle calibre are all too scarce, and the record of the 18th Battalion proves it—as fine a collection of men and officers as ever left the city.

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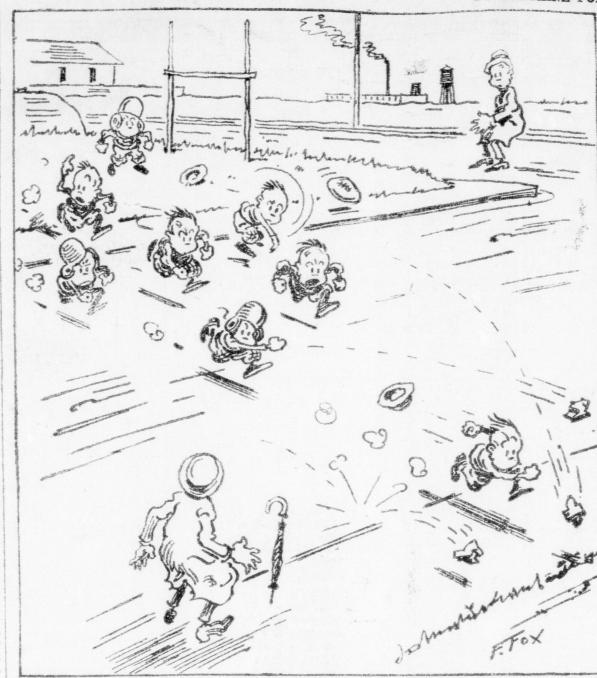
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The German hyphenates behind

The Little Tigers Football Team Suspects a Strange Guy of Hanging Around and Trying To Swipe Their Signals. BY FONTAINE FOX His acrobatics are original. With all that, our chief objection to him and his kind is that they are but religious in discretions, doing a sort of work for which they are mighty well paid, while the men who lay the foundations for their work, the hard-working preacher



The Alvertiser's Daily Short Story

"In Search of a Towel!"

declaration on Sir Edward Grey's part would have done any good. What would have any good. What with which they came in contact, gave the street and see if you can see anywould Germany have recked of the British fleet if she saw her way inside three weeks to Paris and a French t from its resting place on the smooth

And without any apologies to the donor he hurled the cause of his troubles through the window and reached for

another tower or some an initial to adorn its inquired for the bath tower had just lacked even an initial to adorn its roses they were told that it had just We'll leave Jimmy to dry and dress been sold! most certain to be followed by the Kitthe sixth floor of the apartment hotel. It floated downward-hardly floated, It floated downward nates, either, for it was as wide and heavy lie. "Maybe she can do something as a rug—but it arrived at any rate Women can always think of a way." is the Government going to enforce it? as a rug-but it arrived at any rate have been elections in Australia and The Privy Council gives a verdict that at a certain point in the street over which a roadster was passing at the instant, and having a penchant for catching on things it caught on a but-ton of the car's top and spread itself

> city.
>
> All unconsciously beneath her gay canopy of lace and blue roses sat Eileen Brannon turning the wheel this way and that among the crowding vehicles of Fifth avenue. She saw people stare, laugh and looking back at each other with the conditions are laugh and looking back at each other with the saw people stare. that she could see. But in front that she could see. But in front of "Anna Katherine's Shop" she stopped to investigate. What was attracting such attention? And then she tracting such attention? And then she Eileen. of an observing farmer as the conver- her natty little car. "For goodness" sake, where did that old thing come from?" she cried, and as if to echo her words, a voice behind her inquired:

> > She turned quickly, "Oh. Charley, ine. These things are in her line, and maybe she'll know something about

Liberal—Is the camp going to be at Camp Borden next year? II—?
Hughes—Shut up. I'm not going to be ave any dictation from anybody. This board can got to—, and I'll go on as I please. (Exit).

Bourassa—This board seems likely to be most useful. I stand by Sir Robert, I, for he stands by me. I move that Mr. Borden—Second the motion.

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Borden—Second the motion,
Blondin (installed)—Hurrah for the
Breetish flag!

Liberal—Give him a pistol to bore a tew holes in it.

Let us see no more; drop the curtain apon this might-have-been.

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Affectionately, Aunt B."

For the love of Peter Jones!" groan-the leid next spring in Princeton, when the 50th anniversary of St. Paul's in this nickel-plated town do you suppose that towel is? Watkins, spread

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ATTAIT A MINUTE!

The first part of it runs Jimmy, blinking and blinded by the around three or four of Aunt Brew- verses. If somebody will send it shower, reached for a bath towel ster's photographs, and dig up that so that we can publish it on Saturday,

From London. The kaiser's engineer has been Nov. 4 AUSONIA Nov. 21

don't worry about that."

But when they reached the shop and the class! "Heavens!" cried Jimmy in dismay. she'll never let you pass. She isn't very handsome and she isn't But the girl didn't remember. A lady,

"We'll get Eileen," suggested Char-So they took a taxi and went to her house. She had just come in and was contain the street. Charley drift along and play.

> she keeps you after school. Old Miss Experience—she has an eagle

ing rapidly for ten years. "Isn' strange how things come about?" "Isn't it Every time you get one lesson, there's "Aunt Brewster is here!" went on Eileen. "Twe just brought her from the station." 2 0 3

"But she was to visit me!" exclaimed immy. "Funny, isn't it?" of what is best for their chil-"But he doesn't want her since he dren?" asks an expert. Certainlost the towel, so it's all right," put in ly not. Their function is simply "Towel! I don't understand," an- being parents. The uplifters

"You see the towel you found was immy's. Miss Brewster made it and Jimmy's. Miss Brewster made it and it nearly killed him when he was taking a bath and he threw it away in a temper, and you found it, and the shop sold it before we got there, and shop sold it before we got there, and shop sold it before the cold wearwe came to you for help. Aunt Brew- you in a furnace before the But Anna Katherine didn't except ster mustn't know it's gone, for she ther sets in."

"It's all right," said a quiet voice in make good "slippers."

Plant something and see it grow.

"Til do the proper thing, old boy, the driving. For information apply Local Ticket Agent or The Robert Reford Company, Limited, General Agents, 50 King St. East, Toronto. Nov. 30.

towel of sober white that inquired for the bath towel with blue Old Miss Experience—she's calling up very kind,

provement of the mind.

still dressed for the street. Charley drift along and play. started an introduction, but to his But you're certain to be sorry for board has been formed largely for the purpose of, as it were, removing the the narrow spirit in Canada. This out luxuriously for a ride through the "You're Jimmy Young, aren't you?" If her punishment's no worse, at least,

eye, And she keeps a strict account of all you do as time goes by. She never gives the holiday you think that you have earned.

a new one to be learned. -Washington Star. Are parents the best judges

of what is best for their chilknow what is good.

A good friend of ours has sent us

In the meantime more things were happening to Jimmy.

Evidently he had got out of the wrong side of the bed. The postman the station I was interested to the station I was interested.

"It's all right," said a quiet voice in the doorway. There stood Miss Brewster smiling, the towel in her hand.

"Eileen told me of her find on the way the station I was interested."

There wouldn't be so much trouble the station I was interested.

and we know him. He has done brilliant work along that line, and we will give him credit for all that he has done. Philips Brooks and one or two others.

whose the is monotonous, but whose glory, when results are counted, will be infinitely greater than the peripatetic wanderer, is accorded scarce ly a living wage. We have the same complaint against the Committee of One Hundred. They reap the reward of a work that cost the life blood and money of thousands of saints who worked long, under most discouraging circumstances and surroundings, and were not in or the great hurraw. We do not figure that such men as Billy Sunday get too much—possibly they do—but we do say that the old plow-horses—pardon the expression—do the work, day in and day out, and do not get the rewards of har-vest. Think it over. The belfry does not make a church, make no mistake. It makes the noise, but it is not the house. We do not, let us hear about it.

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