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COME, LITTLE BEAR BACK TO YOUR BOX

Year Old Cub Got Tired of
Captive and Broke
Loose.

LEADER IN HOT CHASE
Trick Was to Get Him Down
Pole He Had
Climbed.

A 12-month-old cinnamon bear cub chewed its way out of a wooden crate in front of the Canadian Northern Express Company's warehouse on East Front street, at 10 o'clock last evening, and after an exciting chase through the city streets, in which a police officer, bait dog, express men and scores of volunteers participated, climbed an iron pole on Front street, where it was trapped in a cage.

Waiting Means Winning.

It is not known that the Belgian army, which is reconstituting itself, will shortly have six divisions of infantry and two divisions of cavalry. It is known that the Serbian army, supplied with fresh munitions and munitions, is once again prepared to show its splendid qualities. It is known finally that Russia continues to draw upon the immense reserves of her resources, having up to the present utilized only the 20th part. These are the reasons why the French command has not hurried and awaits the hour which it considers favorable. These reasons, based on precise motives, which are easy to test, are entirely irrefutable.

THE FRENCH SUPERIORITIES.

If then we turn to the future, we note that:

"The wastage of the German army is in all respects greater than that of the French army. The principal cause of this is the superiority of our artillery and the fighting methods of the German infantry, which attacks in closer formation than does ours. It is now certain that the losses of our adversaries are double ours."

"The possibilities of the German army, from the point of view of effectiveness, will go on decreasing more and more. The German population is capable of bearing arms, in comparison with the French population, in the proportion of three to two. Now at the present time, the German army, Germany is employing in the French front a number of men representing two-thirds of her resources against one-third of the French front. On account of the Austrian front, Germany will be obliged to strengthen her forces against Russia more and more. The number of troops opposed to France will therefore continually decrease. Our position will be improved by this circumstance as also by the number of German troops which will always remain larger than ours, and finally by the large reinforcements which the British between now and July will send to the continent."

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Assurance of Triumph.

"The other system, the French system, consists, with the advantage of the freedom of the sea, in maintaining in good and complete form a number of sufficient formations, and in creating new ones only in the measure in which they can with certainty be kept up and suitably and durably equipped with regimental organization."

"This system is established with a view to a prolonged war. Of these systems which, after six months of trial, shall triumph? To put the question is to answer it. The Germans can no longer propose an interval, a lull, a truce. They will therefore not be able to do in the future what they could not do in the past, when they were one of the most numerous of nations. Consequently our final victory must follow by the impetuous necessity of the concordant force of facts and figures."

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He thanked the press for co-operation in asking questions to state the salaries they proposed to state when advertising for teachers. He spoke of the efforts of the alliance to prepare a publication, "Schools and Teachers," to contain statistics relating to every school in the province, and of the liberal manner in which the alliance was treated by the department of education when the value of the statistics was recognized.

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PRESS FOR GRADING
OF GALLOW'S HILL

North End Associations to Appeal to Board of Control.

CONSERVATIVES MEET
Member of South York Addressed North Toronto Club.

The executive of the North Toronto Ratepayers' Association, at its meeting last night, decided to deal with the labor and transportation questions. On Friday representatives from the North Toronto, Moore Park and Central Associations will ask the board of control to take immediate action to have the work on Gallow's Hill, north of the C.P.R. tracks. The engineers' estimate of the cost of the work is \$100,000 and it is proposed to leave the Metropolitan tracks from Farmham avenue south elevated, as at present.

CONSERVATIVES MET
AT NORTH TORONTO

The regular monthly meeting of the North Toronto Conservative Association was held on Monday night at the Masonic Hall. The meeting was one of the largest and most interesting ever held by the association, and was capably handled by President R. L. Baker. A special musical program was given by Messrs. Partridge, O'Leary, Wacey and others, and the enjoyable evening was concluded with refreshments.

EARLSCOURT

The Earls Court W. C. T. U. held a very enjoyable meeting on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Pugsley gave an instructive address on her work among the women of the district. Mrs. Pugsley's daughter, with the L. T. L. work among the children in this district. The society is now in the process of organizing a new branch in St. David's Church, Harvie avenue, every Thursday at 8 o'clock.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT
AT RICHMOND HILL

Young Stephen Glass Hit by
Bullet From His Own
Rifle.

Stephen Glass, age 13, son of A. B. Glass, butcher, Richmond Hill, was accidentally shot in the head yesterday afternoon while practicing with his father's rifle. The bullet, which was fired from a .22 calibre rifle, struck Glass in the forehead, just above the eye, and passed through his brain. He was taken to the hospital, where he is now lying in a critical condition.

WYCHWOOD RIFLE COMPANY.

At the regular weekly parade of the Wychwood Rifle Company, held at the Hillcrest School last night, it was decided to continue for the time being the popular rifle night practice at the McGee-McIntyre ranges. Later in the season, it is expected, outdoor ranges will be used, where the company's new rifles can be used to great advantage. On Tuesday night, further notice, the weekly parades for training will be held at the Hillcrest school, and the company then a smart drill last night.

BEACH CLUB HOUSE
BURNED YESTERDAY

Damage to the extent of \$1500 was done to the Beach Club clubhouse yesterday morning by fire, which, it is thought, was caused by the dropping of a lighted match.

WARD SEVEN

"Sometime during the night of April 6, or very early yesterday morning, burglars entered the house of W. S. Irvin, at 244 Quebec avenue, while the family were sleeping, and made good their escape, taking with them some suit trunks and articles of value. Yesterday afternoon, while on duty in the neighborhood, a patrolman discovered the suit trunks and articles of value, and reported the matter to the police. The burglars are being sought by the police.

RIVERDALE

The new Sons of Canada Benefit Society will organize a lodge for the Riverdale district tonight in the Masonic Hall, Gerrard street, between the streets. It is expected that a large number will be present. The lodge will be held in the evening, and will be presided over by the president of the district, J. J. Maguire.

WEST HILL

Miss Margery Hunter, a student of Malvern High School, and residing in West Hill, who was operated on a few days ago, is progressing favorably.

HOTEL AT LABTON BURNED TO GROUND

Brigades from the City Powerless Thru Lack of Water.

The most disastrous fire which has occurred in the city since the burning of the Hotel at Labton, on Monday night, was the burning of the Hotel at Labton, on Monday night. The fire, which started in the kitchen, spread rapidly and was extinguished only after a long and fruitless struggle by the fire brigades, who were powerless to do anything but contain the fire.

DAMAGE FORTY THOUSAND.

The ruins were still smoking and smouldering when the fire first started, but while the fire first started, it soon spread beyond their efforts. The damage has probably been fully computed, but will probably amount to between \$40,000 and \$50,000, much of which is covered by insurance. The contents of the building were entirely destroyed, including much valuable furniture.

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But He Could Not Help Me, and Endorsed the Use of
Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mr. Wm. Parker, 105 Cayuga street, Brantford, Ont., tells in the following letter of his remarkable experience with Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills: "My doctor treated me for some time for Sciatica, Rheumatism, Lumbago, but to no purpose, for I had to lay off work. The visiting officer of Sick Benefit called to see me and advised the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, stating that he had been cured of the same trouble by their use. I asked the druggist about them and he recommended them highly. Not being satisfied with him, I went back to my doctor, and when he said they were good I began their use. The promptness with which they relieved the action of the kidneys and bowels was wonderful, and it was not long before I was rid of all my troubles."

"I was so bad that I could only walk by hanging on to a chair or the wall. My wife had to lace my shoes. Only those who have had this ailment can realize the way I suffered. I am writing this letter to let people who have my trouble know of these pills. You are at liberty to use this letter, and if anyone interested will call on me, it will only cost you a quarter to write to me for a detailed statement. Write to Mr. Parker, enclosing stamp for reply, and he will verify this statement. He will do this out of the gratitude he feels for his cure and because he realizes how difficult it is to obtain the cure of these dreadfully painful ailments."

There are so many treatments recommended for rheumatism that you naturally doubt them all. Here is an opportunity for you to verify the cure and put this great medicine to the test. It will only cost you a quarter to try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They get at the very foundation of the rheumatism, and by removing the poisons from the system take away the cause of pain and aches."

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FRENCH ADVANCE CONTINUES

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sell Rivers is noted in the German official statement from Berlin tonight. Evidently to counteract an adverse public opinion at home, the statement says that it was the German outposts that retreated from Regneville and Fey-en-Hays, to their main positions, and that this was according to a pre-arranged plan. Applying their knowledge of actual conditions of trench warfare in France, critics point out that this is a virtual admission of being driven from their lines of trenches in direct contact with the French armies before the French advance was begun.

The statement further admits that the severest fighting took place between the Meuse and Armentieres where the French, it says, were able to approach close to the German positions, and it further says that the French were received by an annihilating fire at close range. The Germans, it continues, served their guns with tremendous effect, and the critics point out that this remark is evidently not say if tenders were called from any other firm.

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DRAIN IS
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