

POOR DOCUMENT

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FOCH TO SUPREME COMMAND OF FRENCH AND BRITISH

London, March 29.—The Post says that the French and British governments have decided to appoint General Foch generalissimo on the western front during the present operation.

London, March 29.—Official information has reached Washington that Foch, the French chief of staff, has been appointed to supreme command of the Allied and American forces in France. This means unification of all the armies opposing the Germans, a step which means and French military men long have urged and which apparently brought about by recognition of the imperative demand for concentration to hurl back the gigantic thrust of the enemy in France. When he sent a cablegram to General Foch today congratulating him "on his new authority," there was no explanation at the White House of what the president meant and it is understood that there will be no official comment until after an announcement comes from France.

The president's message said: "May I not convey to you my sincere congratulations on your new authority? Such unity of command is a most hopeful augury of ultimate success. We are following with profound interest the bold and brilliant action of your forces."

General Ferdinand Foch is of Basque origin. He was born at Tarbes in 1851, but was raised at Metz. Rather than become a German after the annexation of Lorraine, Foch preferred to return to France and help to prepare France for her revenge for the taking of Alsace-Lorraine.

He entered the Polytechnic School with the number 72. He left it the 45th of his class—a rank that was not considered as justifying hopes of a great future. He never dazzled by his brilliance but he showed that wonders could be accomplished by application. He never ceased study, except to teach.

Foch began by mastering the strategy of the war of 1870 in the minutest details. Knowing the mentality of the Germans, he counted upon their repeating in future conflicts the manoeuvres that had succeeded. He also expected them to make some of the old mistakes.

In his teachings at the Superior War School and in his writings he held always the idea of an inevitable aggression by Germany, sprung with lightning-like rapidity, after long premeditation, and most minute preparation—the swift thunderbolt of the opening to develop to parry the blow. Foch said repeatedly, France must have a staff working in the same direction, practicing the same doctrines under a vigorous and audacious chief, shirking no responsibility, preserving the equilibrium of his mind and the force of his intelligence under formidable difficulties, and exercising without hesitation the most reputable rights over his subordinates.

General Foch's eyes in a space of less than two minutes. His report says: "The lights of the submarine disappeared and the stern rose clear out of the water. She remained in this position for fifteen seconds and then disappeared. A moment later the stern and rudder came up again and remained steady above the water at an angle of thirty degrees before passing finally from view."

NEW CONSCRIPTION BILL IN ENGLAND IS TALKED OF

London, March 29.—The parliamentary correspondent of the Daily Express says that powerful influences within the government are pressing for the introduction, when parliament reassembles on April 9, of an entirely new conscription bill, which would raise the age limit to between 45 and 50 years, and which would apply conscription to Ireland and the dominions.

UNITED CHOIRS IN CANTATA

The united choirs of St. James' and the German street Baptist church, assisted by other local talent, rendered the cantata "From Olivet to Calvary," to an audience which packed the lower floor and balcony of the German street Baptist church last evening. Dr. W. P. Bonnell was the narrator and his fine baritone voice was greatly appreciated by the assembly.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

It Will Be Held in Buffalo in June—"The Kingdom Come." The theme of the 15th International Sunday School Convention to be held in Buffalo, N. Y., from June 19-25, and the programme will be built around these three words from the Lord's prayer.

"NERVILINE" STOPS EARACHE IN 10 SECONDS, FIXES TOOTHACHE IN 2 MINUTES

It seems to possess almost some divine power over pain. RUB ON NERVILINE. Toothache is usually due to neuralgia in the gums or to the congestion and swelling of the nerve pulp.

Girls! Make Beauty Cream! Lemon Juice Whitens Skin

Prepare a quarter pint for few cents and massage face, neck, arms and hands. Try it and see!

CAN'T BEAT "TIZ" WHEN FEET HURT

'Tiz' for Sore, Tired, Puffed-up Aching, Calloused Feet or Corns

"I used 'TIZ' every time for any foot trouble."

Gin Pills FOR THE KIDNEYS Succeeded Where Operation Failed

"During August last I went to Montreal suffering terribly with Stone in the bladder and was assisted by another doctor. They told me to take the water and a bean and to eat hard to crush and they could not get me any relief from the pain at once. I did not expect to be cured, but to my great joy I passed the stone on the 21st and was now a well man and very happy."

MEAT CAUSE OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys if Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally. Salts are noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel from the blood or they become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or side, headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. Urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous wastes get four ounces of **Jad Salts** from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is not a medicine, it is a natural and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder troubles.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.

IN BETTER HEALTH THAN WHEN THE WAR BEGAN

French Troopers Have Prospered Under Rules of Camp and Battlefield

French Front, Feb. 28.—(Correspondence Associated Press)—French armies in the field are more healthy than at the beginning of the war say the medical reports. This is attributed to hygienic precaution and the betterments introduced in the housing and care of the men.

WILL CULTIVATE THE VACANT LOTS

Formation of War Gardens Association to Promote the Work of Food Production in the City

To accentuate the difference between vacant lot talk and a lot of vacant lots the War Gardens Association of St. John has been brought into being.

HOW ONE MAN PRODUCED

H. W. Laird, of Fordwich, Ont., on 200-acre farm, made an unusual drive last year in the production of food. His record looks like a fairy tale, but it is quite within the bounds of duplication by many others, if help is secured or the man's energy is equal to the task.

INJURED BY CARTRIDGE

The young boys, Fred Morrison and Charles Colwell, had their faces seriously burned yesterday afternoon by the ignition of the powder in a cartridge that they were playing with. The boys, who are about twelve years of age, and who reside in the North End, had, earlier in the day, been playing on the dump and had found a loaded cartridge. They took this cartridge to the home of Charles Colwell, 176 Adelaide street, and Fred Morrison is a son of Arthur Morrison, also of Adelaide street.

THE SPRING TONIC FOR PALE, THIN PEOPLE

If You Want to Gain in Weight and Recover Your Appetite, Energy and Ambition, Try This Well Known Remedy

With the passing of winter many people feel weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks that vital force and energy which pure blood alone can give. In a word, while not exactly sick, the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon them, and a blood-building, nerve-restoring tonic is needed to give renewed health and energy.

A COMPLETE WRECK

Mrs. C. Forsythe, R. R. No. 2, Fisherville, Ont., says: "At the age of four years my daughter Viola was feeling very much run down in the spring. Then she was attacked with whooping cough which left her a complete wreck. She had no appetite, could not sleep at night and was subject to chills which sometimes kept her in bed for the day. She was doctoring steadily, but not apparently getting the least benefit, and I naturally grew very anxious. One of my neighbors suggested giving her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I got a box. When she began using the pills she weighed only 87 pounds. Before the box was all gone I sent and got six more boxes, and under their use she constantly grew stronger. Her appetite improved, the color came back to her cheeks, she could sleep well, and looks like a new person, and with all this while using the pills she gained twenty pounds in weight."

A SALLOW COMPLEXION.

Miss Gladys Marshall, Chatham, Ont., says: "I suffered from nervousness and my blood was in a very bad condition. My face broke out in pimples and my complexion was very sallow. I took doctors' medicine but without beneficial results. I was feeling much discouraged when a friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I used in all six boxes, and was overjoyed to find that my complexion returned. I shall always have a good word to say for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Notwithstanding the increased cost of all drugs, there has been no change in the price of our Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They can be had through any medicine dealer at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, or will be sent on receipt of price by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

FREDERICTON FIRE

Fredericton, March 29.—Fire broke out in a set of buildings in the heart of the city this afternoon. Eighteen head of cattle and ten horses were in the stable when fire originated. All stock but one horse was got out. Fire spread to adjoining buildings but was extinguished before it got headway. Property of Seale & Lamson suffered \$8,000 loss.



Too Little Exercise

THE necessity of using medicine to regulate the action of the liver, kidneys and bowels is largely due to the changed conditions of life during recent years.

Our fathers lived a life of activity in the open air. If they ate heartily they had sufficient exercise to keep the liver and bowels active and to thereby remove the poisonous waste from the body.

To-day we get too little exercise and too little fresh air. The food we eat is more concentrated and artificial. The result is much discomfort and the development of serious disease from constipation of the bowels and torpid condition of the liver. Kidney disease, rheumatism, lumbago, backache—all have their beginning in the inactivity of the liver and bowels.

The great secret of keeping in health is to look to the regularity of these filtering and eliminating organs, and Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills is the most satisfactory medicine obtainable for this purpose.

If you read the reports appearing in this paper, from time to time, from persons who have used this treatment with good results, you will find that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are effective where ordinary medicines fail. This success is due to their combined action on the liver, kidneys and bowels. One pill a dose at bedtime as often as is necessary to keep the bowels in healthful action, will also ensure the regularity of the liver and kidneys and thereby keep from the accumulating poisons which cause disease and suffering.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

One pill a dose, 35 cents a box, all dealers or Edmanston Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.