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#### RUMANIA DECIDES.

which the Huns can hope to secure as- ener's estimate of the duration of the sistance; their whole outlook is extreme- war, "at least three years."

#### INVESTIGATE PRICES.

ada to control the prices of necessities. trained men and munitions which is When the word "control" is used it is rapidly reaching the overwhelming not in the belief that anyone should point. The Teutons are facing ultimate be vested with arbitrary powers by defeat, and their leaders realize the means of which prices could be lowered fact. or advanced at the will of an appointed man or board. "Investigation" is a better word for expressing the idea.

demic of advanced prices in the staple spider, and he was not even serving a products, which, after a man has a summons on it. roof over his head, he must be able to possess before he can call his place of abode a home. In almost every city of Canada some foodstuff is being advanced in price. The necessities Welcome, Rumania, you're in time to world. generally affected are:

MEAT. BREAD. MILK: COAL. FLOUR. SUGAR.

FARM PRODUCE. other little things-salt and canned goods and pickles-are quietly ell-known drama, "High Cost of Liv- his present onerous duties. ous if one examines and compares official Labor Gazette. One cent here crowd the war off the front page. is no official representative for the hands on him. public when advances are announced. One man may "holler," but the pro- Many young men who hitherto have

vancing. It has been slow to condemn of alibis. in many cases, because such investiof high prices. Not that these lines of effecting a final settlement.

every line of "necessity" business, wholesale as well as retail, should be prepared to give the public the privprice of foodstuffs and other household requirements should be controlled by mission be appointed and it would why can't John Jones and his wife have a chance to protest against an intelephones or newspapers? And why opportunity of proving the necessity for and the honesty of their transac

#### AN INSANE PROPOSAL

one hand and those of Austria and Germany on the other for the support of the Balkan state. In this instance, the Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed, and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgarian result has been reversed and Bulgarian result has been reversed. Bulgaria the Balkan state. In this instance, the suggestion made. The original plans of

or the simple reason that Ferdinand and seen in the most complete manner poshis advisers believed the Allies able to sible, have failed, and the Teutonic leaders are incapable of amending them out their promises, but placed credence on Teuton protestations. mania forms another and important in the chain which is tightening of escape, while their opponents are in the chain which is tightening at the creek."

We'll strill at the chain which the of the picnic, who was the instigator of the grant Phil say: "Go on, I'll find her.

T carry out their promises, but placed leaders are incapable of amending them little credence on Teuton protestations. to meet present requirements. They are Rumania forms another and important hunting around wildly for any loophole link in the chain which is tightening of escape, while their opponents are around the throat of the world's ene- following steadily and relentlessly the

Positions have been reversed: German preparedness and efficiency have given way to chaos and muddle; allied unpre-N FAIRNESS to those who sell as paredness has become calm, cold readiwell as to those who buy there ness, a fixed purpose that cannot be should be some sort of tribunal in Can- thwarted, together with a supply

#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

Elgin bailiff is seriously bitten by a

truck or trade," etc.?

be in at the death. Monarchs are finding out the people must rule.

German naval "victory" off Jutland.

was into the theatre where the kaiser. He will soon be at liberty from war, put him in charge of the gas this Long dispatch from New York an-

nounces Thomas A. Edison is going on a of Europe will be filled with camping holiday, and will chew tobacco. Greece in a day or two. Now there's some startling news to

and 25 cents there soon eat into the Capt. Max Valentiner of the German that well-known oblivion. alary envelope, and while the public submarine which sank the Lusitania has eels the pinch, the best it can do is received several rewards, but there is write to the daily papers, because there still one coming, if the British ever lay

test is informal and unorganized. "The paid little attention to the daily press what does a dynamo?"

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The paid little attention to the puzpublic" is a name and little more. are buying papers regularly since regis-The Advertiser does not know that tration loomed on the horizon. They there has been any unjust price-ad-believe in preparedness—in the matter "I've often wondered," she remarked, believe in preparedness—in the matter believe in preparedness—in the matter believe in preparedness—in the matter believe in preparedness.

RAINCOAT MAKERS' STRIKE. gating as a newspaper may do has often proven that prices were advanced because it was absolutely necessary. But cause it was absolutely necessary. But this newspaper does know that the public has nothing but the word of the butcher or baker or the milkman or strike here today. Approximately 200 daffidils, forlorn, strike here today are affected. Union leaders Until, alack, I turned around and found the coal dealer to accept in explanation said the walk-out is for the purpose

The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All the Trains.



## AIT A MINUTE!

superman, and that T. Roosevelt is Caesar of old. Judge Hughes is prob

den. It is remarkable that the talka-

of that dear Austria.

money for the fine, we draw our own

sure as fate. Speaking of second child-, t

age, is the champion dancer of his sertion. these days, so long as they can show much would any of them sell if they

things in dances. And yet some folks ing it—and they get away with it, too. up as she say that war is the worst thing in the Programme of the respondent of

nobody to be poor.

inspectors than licenses very soon. A leather is advancing at an awful rate. new name might be invented for them. Horse fodder is expensive. We some- Hazel Sproat.

> \* \* \* It would appear that the whole

ELECTROLYTIC POETRY. "If the gas went out," the maiden asked, "then would the electric She rewarded him with

light?" "That's something I can't tell," said I she declared. "although perhaps it might."

how much the coffee urns."

"It's something you never saw, so, pray, don't feel so competent to judge." that a fireless cooker burns." "But why." she asked, "when it's full gasp with which he received her words.

"But why." she asked, "when it's full gasp with with the come on alone of dust is the vacuum cleaner?" Finally, leaving him to come on alone with her basket, she raced through the woods ahead of the party, trilling merrily to herself, and reached their des-For quite some time I rambled on with tination fully ten minutes ahead of the

the maid had gone!

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

noon and sing for that supercilious A hen had a diamond in her bunch of traveling men at the picnicgizzard for three months. We so there! If I go, I'm just going to shut

have known chickens to hold what do those men want to come up em even take us to a movie.

independence with a zestful madcap dance, indicative of unfathomed energy, bushes, and sat on the ground Microbes do not attach them- and then plumped herself once more in hidden, chuckling to herself

Beans are 26 cents a quart in
Boston. Looks as if a lot of folks are going to starve to death there.

these fellows and feeding them and otherwise amusing them, fussing around like a wet hen, in doubt if 1 could please them, and never until this morning did I realize that I've been advertising my own defects—and so are we all."

these fellows and feeding them and denly knew things were right and that Phil would return before the others. He came after some time, and sulkily demanded: "Where've you been all this advertising my own defects—and so are we all."

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went around to merchants intimating that the thrust reached home. Then h went around to interchants intimating bowed. "I see I am permitted to lear that their stuff wasn't very good, but wouldn't they please buy some, anywouldn't they please buy some things."

Anne's desire for independence more than the newest way? They know they've got the

where, so now I'm going to follow my ramble There are going to be more license Gasoline is out of sight, and shoe desire. I revel in the thought."

Phil had when shee when shee the control of the cont own inclinations and attain my heart's await us,

"Oh, come! I'll agree that I've acanned goods and pickles—are quietly

The difficulty in finding a king for lipping under the wing of the big fel
Poland might be met by appointing the limes envy that barefoot boy.

It sin sam Hughes wants to go to limes envy that barefoot boy.

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It sin sam Hughes wants to go to limes envy that barefoot boy. this afternoon. I'll not bother any-one else. I'll just be and do what my reborn intellect tells me. My subconscious craving is cropping out to public view, so I'm about to indulge

Indulge herself, she did. Phil Lang-As a matter of fact, Greece will the trip to the woods, found her su-As a matter of fact, Greece will pinely indifferent to his handsome grease the chute of Kaiser Wilhelm to face and the artful blandishments which had hitherto brought forth an eager response.

Why the muffler today, Miss Anne? She rewarded him with a ringing laugh. "Never felt better or gayer," "Indeed? You certainly aren't much

She was inwardly convulsed at the

rily to herself, and reached their During the process of helping the girls spread the cloth and arrange the mpting food, Anne was volubly gay,

Her Reanimating Spirit

A Cleveland man who fasted 51 days cannot get his appetite back. Wise old appetite.

Sara Bernhardt wants to meet Charlle Chaplin. Old age has got Sara as sure as fate. Speaking of second child-lime out of it. I've been singing to the last three years, frantic with the wonder they're disgusted. Now it has sure as fate. Speaking of second child-lime out of it. I've been singing to the last three years, frantic with the fear that people might not like me. I've simply fawned on people till it's not wonder they're disgusted. Now it has suddenly dawned on me that I'm not suddenly dawned on the years, frantic with the countered as sharp lonelines, in which she wished that Phil had found her after all. Then the peace and stillness of the woods entered into her soul like balm, and she dreamed in silence, a growing sense of strength and calminess stealing over her, and she suddenly knew things were right and that time out of it. I've been singing to denly knew things were right and that these fellows and feeding them and Phil would return before the others.

there.

A Pennsylvania man, \$1 years of age, is the champion dancer of his vicinity. Anybody can be champion these days, so long as they can show much would any of them sell if they have the sharp silence that followed proved.

"Why did you disappear so suddenly, just as we were about to go for a stroll?" was the next peevish query.
"Well," Anne drawled slowly. "If you must know, it was because I was frightfully bored."

The sharp silence that followed proved.

I see I am permitted to learn

Detroit to nave hydro power from Ontario in spite of shortage at home. "No
things in dances. And yet some folks

way? They know they ve got the goods—or they make a bluff at knowmentarily wavered, but she bolstered it
ing it—and they get away with it, too, up as she sat suddenly erect. "Yes," Phil Langley's success and never had learned some things, also, today-among sense enough to avail myself of his tactics. I'm Anne Stanhope, young, good-T. Edison says that there will be no poverty in 100 years. be no poverty in 100 years. be no poverty in 100 years. troops safely cross the ocean after that Probably because there will be sein as nigh-class goods and be taken amuse me, but, trankly, on the way out troops safely cross the ocean after that Probably because there will be on my own merits. Being a craven you proved yourself a failure. So when thought 'greater afflictions' and I fled."

Phil had listened with set face, and ne concluded he turned and her hands resolutely. "This is matter of doubt with you the delight of pleasing. I' spend my life trying, if you'l





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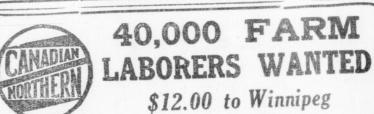
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