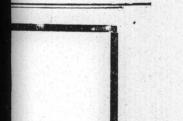
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point of interest are the Allies. A Belgian girl costume with milk cart an interesting doll; so Belgian boy, dressed in the of an attendant in the

ian Carbineri-police man. uniform, with the funny cock plume, and an Italian girl in green with donkey Brittany peasant in brown red satin skirt and also ooden shoes, are very uni

Welsh peasant woman in and the high silk beaver very quaint doll, so is the lier in red cap, red shoes. k pompons, the costum them until quite recently in Greek peasant is also rein black velvet with white

is represented by The of Liberty and an American natty uniform. A group dolls 'is very interesting ing Girl in green, red and inued on page Ten)



(By Lieut, Roland Johnson)
Spectful hands. Nobody except those work at night, while another works by hight and sleeps by day, Both are important though the work of one is different from that of the other. One pectomes active when the light has faded; it is illuminated by several points of blinding light, the intensely built of the time when the aeroplanes sould be assumed to the time when the aeroplanes the time when the aeroplanes. The work waries with the rising of the sun, awakes the morning with the aroofanes soar swiftly to dizzy heights and disappear in the deep blue of the sky.
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THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1917.



"The 19th August Germans rived in Louvain. Five were dged with us One a man of the first-named advised us not and we returned therefore directly. arrived in Louvain. Five were lodged with us. One, a man of As we did so we saw the Ger-55, who did all he could to help mans firing on all the people with advice and assistance. as they came out and but for For three days the Germans did the advice given us we should not behave badly. From the beginning I dressed as a man have been shot down as the rest were. While the Germans were with us we had to feed, them. by the advice of the German mentioned above. On the 24th What they did not eat they threw on the ground. All we August we were obliged to come out of our homes by order of got was what we managed to the Germans. At about 15 yards abstract." distance from us were a man and a woman with hands tied Evidence of woman, Belgian refugee, before Lord Bryce's behind them, whom I knew by sight, and their little girl, Committee to investigate German Outrages, page 196. about six years old. While we stood there the Germans began

head and stuck it on a lance. I

The Hague, Dec. 15.—The Vos-sische Zeitung, of Berlin, solemnly asserts that, according to its corre-spondent of Switzerland, the Ameri-can recognition of Swiss neutrality has created great satisfaction there because the treaty of 1815, by which the European powers guaranteed Swiss neutrality, was not signed by



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Notice to Creditors

did not see this last-my par-ents did. We were told it was IN THE MATTER of the Estate of to punish the parents because neither husband nor wife would Harvey Watt Cockshutt, late of the City of Brantford, in the consent that the wife should be given up to the Germans. I was County of Brant, a Lieutenant in His Majesty's Canadian Expedi-tionary Forces, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pur-

taken into a room upstairs. When I recovered, and as I came down to go for shelter to suant to Section 56 of the Trustees Act, R.S.O. 1914, Chap. 121, that all the cellar, another German came in; he saw me and locked creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of Harvey closely and tore off my cap. He saw I was not a boy. He had to go out and I hid myself in a Watt Cockshutt, who died on o about the Second day of June, 1916 wardrobe for 24 hours to escape them. We again had orders to from wounds received while on Act-ive Service somewhere in France are required on or before the 26th day of December, 1917, to send by post leave the house, but the German paid or deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of the said dceeased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars, in writing, of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the se-curity, if any held by them. AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date, the said

executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part there. of to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution. Dated at Brantford this 23rd day

of November, 19917. HARLEY & SWEET,

Solicitors for H. Cockshutt, George A. Baker and the Toronto General frusts Corporation, Executors of th. estate of Harvey W. Cock- | shurt, deceased.

"I am a private soldier in the Belgian Army. In September I was engaged with others of my regiment searching houses on the outskirts of Louvain, which had recently been occupied by German soldiers. On entering house there, which had been partly burned, we found the dead body of a woman. The body was clothed and bound with cords, both arms and legs, and partly burned. In a well, situated in the courtyard of the same house we found the dead body of a man hanging by a cord round his neck. The water reached about the middle of the body. The head was above water line. The man had died of suffocation, not drowning." Evidence of Belgian soldier, page 199, Lord Bryce's Report on German Outrages.



Ottawa, Dec. 15 .- The belief is growing in Nova Scotia that the disaster at Halifax was not accidental.

So many demands have come to Ottawa for the internment of persons of alien nationality that Sir Percy Sherwood, Commissioner of the Dominion Police, has despatched a special officer to make the necessary investigation apart from that which is now proceeding as to the cause of the collision between the Mont Blanc and the feeling is so strong in New Glasgow that the Halifax .- olocaust may have been the fiendish plot of German agents that employees of the Eastern Car Company have gone on strike until 59 or 60 aliens employed in these works have been interned.

The Government will exert every effort to elicit the facts and place the responsibility, while the problem of attending to the unfortunate victims is so great that three Cabinet ministers, Hon, Dr. Reid, Hon. F. B. Carvel and Hon. A. K. MacLean are in Halifax giving their personal attention to the situation. They are utilizing all the resources of the Governme nt and co-operating in the work of the relief committee,

ernment, if America would respect Swiss neutrality, but he has hither-

to made no reply. Recently, this veracious narrator continues, when large numbers of American troops were assembled at the Swiss border, it was feared that they might force their way through Swlizerland and thus violate her neutrality. But at last the President's answer came, the American troops were removed from her fron-tler and Switzerland breathed freely again.

The correspondent says that the Swiss believe that the President, who might have planned a march who might have planned a march through Switzerland, changed his mind after the collapse of the Ital-in army, which perhaps opened his eyes to the fact that the military and political situation had altered so much that it would be better to pose as a generous friehd of Swit-zerland and to respect her netural-ity. According to the same author-ity there is a decided change in pub-lic opinion in Switzerland. People no longer believe in Wilson, Lloyd George and Clemenceau, in any military victory of the Entente, .r in the possibility of starving the Central powers into submission.

## RIBS ALL-IMPORTANT IN SURGI-CAL MIRACLES.

Is the rib the stuff that miracles are made of? Given as the basis of the first in the world's history it is now recorded as the foundation for hundreds of modern wonders worked by surgeons in the operat-ing rooms of the military conva-lescent hospitals where the disabled soldiers are "repaired" when they return to Canada. In the Orthopaedic Hospital at

North Toronto, the big centre for amputation and surgical cases,

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