

# NORFOLK NEWS

## GOOD SHOWING BY LOWER SCHOOL

The Norfolk Students Who Wrote Departmental Exams. Successful

### NEWS FROM SIMCOE

(From Own Correspondent) Simcoe, July 18th.—Yesterday's lists included the following Norfolk county students who wrote within the south inspectorate. The names are grouped according to the nature of tuition, and subjects in brackets after a name indicate that the student will have to write on the same again.

Simcoe High School—Rita M. Chase, Geraldine Holman, Margaret J. Taylor, Mabel A. Vail, Jean Barwon (arith.), Florence Gray (gram.), Edna Newcombe (arith.).

Port Dover High School—Rita B. Brand, Mary E. McBride, Allie E. Simpson.

Port Rowan High School—Betty S. Anscombe, Laura M. Nixon.

Delhi Continuation School—Ruth Kendall, Ruth Tack, Geo. E. Williams, K. M. Turnbull, John Quance (writing).

Of the 27 successful students listed for Norfolk and Haldimand, 18 were from Norfolk. The other nine represent the combined results from Cayuga, Dunnville, Hagersville, Caledonia, and probably Jarvis.

Waterford students are probably, as in former years, listed with Brant county.

The Simcoe list alone will be greatly supplemented by the students who qualified for farm work and are now out putting in the necessary term at agriculture.

If the results of the higher examinations are as favorable for Simcoe school students concerned, their parents, and the staff should be thoroughly satisfied.

Press Photographs.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Henry and family of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry and Miss Henry of Toronto and Miss Lillian Doughty and Master Clyde Doughty, of Buffalo arrived yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Doughty, making almost a family reunion.

Mrs. J. A. Robins and Miss Reta Patterson arrived from Lewiston, Montana to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson of Windham, Miss Patterson will return after a three weeks' stay and Mrs. Robins will remain here till autumn.

Dr. Foster of Waterford was in town yesterday.

We should have added yesterday the games of Mrs. J. Farrar of Simcoe, and Mrs. Oliver Daycock, of Buffalo as children of the late Zebulon Landon.

Misses Clara and Vera Hunter spent Sunday out of the "old farm home," at Wyecomb.

Rev. Wm. and Mrs. Freed have settled at St. Williams.

John C. West, who till the last three years has led a busy life in industrial and municipal Simcoe, is at present, after a lengthy indisposition, finally confined to his bed.

Mr. Piet has organized an orchestra for the Baptist Sabbath School.

The Misses Nethercott, of Cultus, and Miss Lee, recently of the Simcoe public school staff will leave soon for missionary work, south of the line in Africa.

Same Here.

The telephone accounts last month were accompanied by a slip on which was printed:

"Slow telephone accounts—those on which repeated efforts to collect must be made—result in waste of time and labour. Most subscribers pay their bills promptly, but some overlook them, making the work of collection laborious and 'time wasting.' It is exactly the same with us. Many of our Simcoe subscribers expect us to provide stationery and postage and bill them for their subscriptions. We can do that at 35 cts. a month and if we have to send out bills to get in enough money to pay our taxes, that will be the price for July and all subsequent months.

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Se we hardly enjoyed the proofreading alterations made by a man at his desk in an up-street office who made the above notice read:

"Slow telephone connections, those on which off-repeated efforts to attract the attention of the operator must be made—result in waste of time and labour. Most operators are prompt but—"

—&c."

## MARVELOUS

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most of the night, as the Austrians continually dropped gas shells around and kept their searchlights playing along the shore. They could not see him as he kept right on the beach and up to his waist in water.

He could not move as it meant everything to remain unobserved. His plight from some distance was observed by the Italian army on the southern bank along this front and their heavy batteries kept up an obtrusive fire to prevent the approach of Austrian patrol and get at out to devise means to effect his rescue. On the fourth day under the protection of this fire, one of the Italians' expert and powerful swimmers was sent across with a tin of beef which, being half-finished, he did not take time to consume. About midnight following the Italians managed to cross in a special kind of craft in charge of which they had sent up from Venice. These brave and expert boatmen reached him safely and he was soon taken to the opposite shore and to a first aid station, where he remained for several days. He was unable to walk, his legs being completely numbed with considerable inflammation on account of his long submersion in the water and want of food. He was treated royally by the Italians and they went to great pains to insure his comfort. He was quite ill from the exposure and hardship, but rapidly recovered the use of his limbs.

The general of the Italian Army Corps spent several hours the first night at the front line and in view of the spot where he was on the sandbar under their searchlights, trying to devise means to rescue him. This gallant officer visited him in the hospital and as soon as he was able to walk came for him in his car and brought him to his mess for lunch with his staff and after that to his office for a private conversation which was carried on in French.

The general then sent him back in his car with three of his officers as an escort to the British airdrome. His arrival there caused quite a stir as his squadron felt sure that if not killed, he had been taken prisoner. It appears that after his rescue, the front lines of the Italians being heavily engaged with the enemy, were unable to communicate immediately with his airdrome, and he was reported missing.

Did you see the Schultz Bros. Co's. announcement in this paper about their compact new homes offered and open for inspection. Simply ideal—they will sell quick at the figure in such central location.



THE CANADIANS' NEW RAINCOAT. This is the very latest thing at the front; ground sheets utilized by the Forces in France as waterproofs. Note the collar.

## CROWN PRINCE'S FAILURE HAVING EFFECT AT HOME

Already Great Consequences Are Resulting From the Great Losses and Lack of Success

Washington, July 17.—"The Germans may continue to follow up their local attack at various points but their last great offensive has failed," declares an official dispatch here today, which also asserts that never perhaps, have the enemy losses been so heavy and that the disappointment felt in Germany is already having great consequences.

"The correspondent of the Havas Agency at the French front," says the dispatch, "telegraphs that, in view of the insignificant success of the new German offensive one might ask if this attack on Monday were but a feint intended to divert our attention from the point on which our enemies meant really to direct their efforts or if they have in fact, thrown the whole of the forces against Chateau Thierry and Messines."

Way of Learning.

"There is a certain way of discovering this; to find out the number and importance of the divisions engaged in it. This already has been done to a certain extent. About 24 divisions were engaged between Rheims and Chateau Thierry and about as many between Rheims and Messines. Still further divisions are being kept in reserve and 'bees' intervene immediately, as they have already done, or to profit by the success which was anticipated. Further a second factor, still more essential, is that concerning the portance of the divisions engaged."

According to the first information received, the 2nd, 3rd and 5th, divisions of the Guards have been identified, also the 209, 195th, and 197th, regiments of Saxons, the 1st, 2nd, and 15th, Bavarian divisions, the 10th, Silesian division and its reserve division, the 23rd, Saxon division, the 25th, Wurtemberg division, the 7th, Hesseburg division, and the 5th, Wurttemberg division of the elite of the German army."

WERE PREPARED

It is to be noted further that all these units, having rested for more than a month, had undergone an intensive training in view of their approaching intervention on the battlefield. There is, however, no doubt that as much by the number of the divisions engaged as by the value of the units brought into the German army an example of a very powerful effort.

"Now these fine divisions have been put to such a severe test, or are now in such a weakened state, that they will not be able to reappear in the battlefield very soon."

"The disillusionment of the Germans must be very considerable judging from the statements of prisoners. Once more their officers had assured them of an easy victory, affirming that they would find only small numbers of enemy troops against them, and that those would be completely demoralized, in order to encourage them. This offensive was designated as the 'Priedenstrum,' that is a peace offensive. The success of it was taken for granted that they were reckoning upon reaching Conde-en-Brie by midday and sleeping the night at Montmoutin."

"The disappointment seems to have been most bitter, and is of a nature already to cause great consequences in Germany. Never, perhaps, have the enemy losses been so high. Their corpses are strewn over the ground in heaps. The Germans may continue to follow up their local attacks at various points, but their last great offensive has failed."

GERMAN ALIBI.

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, July 18.—While declining to give its interpretation of the recent statement by Chancellor von Hertling regarding Belgium, the German Fatherland party, according to German newspapers has issued the following statement on the subject:

"As far as we are concerned Belgium is a pledge to safeguard a lasting peace, to strengthen Germany's hands in Belgium to preserve it from Anglo-American exploitation, to preserve the Flemings and their industries from becoming Frenchified and from English tyranny. We want a free Flanders as a real guarantee for the vital necessities of the German people."

## BRITONS WILL BURN LESS COAL AT HOME

Domestic Supply to be Restricted by at Least 25 Per Cent.

## CLYNES WELL LIKED

New Food Controller Start of Life as a Mill Hand

Ottawa, July 18.—Another striking example of the democratic growth in British public life since the outbreak of the war is the appointment of W. R. Clynnes to the office of Food Controller of Great Britain in succession to the late Lord Rhonda.

In the weekly official review of food conditions in the British Isles, called here by the Imperial Ministry of Information, it is stated that the new Food Controller started his life as a mill hand and is comparatively a new man in public life, having been first elected to parliament in 1916. The cable says:

"For some time past Mr. Clynnes has been Lord Rhonda's right-hand man as secretary to the Food Ministry in Parliament. His ability and tact are greatly appreciated in Parliament, not only personally, but in the discharge of difficult and delicate duties. Mr. Clynnes started life as a mill hand and has been a laborer since 1916. His appointment is received with enthusiasm in all quarters."

Central Imports Lower

"Central imports, excepting rice, are considerably lower than at the same time last year, but the consumption of bread remains much the same. The demand for frozen mutton and allied articles continues very heavy, and the increased supplies of dried and frozen fish have been particularly welcome. Supplies of tinned goods considerably increased, but the demand is still much in excess of the supply, owing to the necessity to rebuild stocks."

"The coal requirements of the allies have largely increased, and 75,000 skilled miners have been called into the army, so that it is inevitable that domestic supplies of coal will be restricted by a quarter at least. The Board of Trade has issued an order accordingly for household fuel and lighting, basing the estimate of coal needed on the number of rooms in the house."

CABINET MAY QUIT.

By Courier Leased Wire. Buenos Ayres, Argentina, July 18.—Domingo Salaberry, Minister of Finance, has resigned and it is expected that similar action will be taken by Eladio Gonzalez, Minister of War, and Premier Gomez, who is also Minister of the Interior. It is even expected that the entire cabinet may retire from office. The cabinet met last night to consider the desirability of resigning in a body so that President Irigoyen might move more freely in the formation of a new cabinet. The result of the meeting was not announced. The crisis is due solely to internal questions, principally public expenditures.

## FRESH ATTACK

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By Courier Leased Wire. London, July 18.—Reports received in London showed the situation up to noon all along the line of the attack begun by the French this morning to be excellent.

The attack is the biggest offensive made this year by the Allies.

On the French Front in France, July 18.—(By the Associated Press)—At 11 a. m.: The allied forces today are engaged in an important counter attack between the Aisne and the Marne, north of Chateau Thierry.

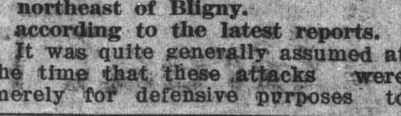
The attack is progressing favorably.

In fighting north of the Marne, the Italians have re-taken the village of Clairfont, 2 miles northeast of Bligny, according to the latest reports.

It was quite generally assumed at the time that these attacks were merely for despatch purposes to

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NATIONAL WAR GARDEN SOCIETY

After parsing and sorting, all vegetables and some fruits should be blanched by plunging them into boiling water for a short time. This process shows blanching with a wire basket, as suggested by the National War Garden Commission, at Washington, which will send readers of this paper a free canning book for a two-cent stamp for postage. Watch for No. 2.

At an inquest into the death of a child at Hamilton, Marie Ambrose, an Italian girl, 14 years of age, said she was the mother of the child, which was born in a barn. She put the child in a bag and buried it a short distance from her home.

# BASEBALL

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## HUNTER

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By Courier Le Paris, July 18.—In the peck have created a their losses, a five estimates, 50,000 in the ing, The Mat Treating of the sector of the Paris says: "Because of delivered by t DeGoutte and the Germans w To widen on According to forty German fully engaged twenty suppo obliged to tak in the fighting Premier Cler evening from expressing him fled with the