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Only those who have been there can realize what the Gillette Safety Razor is doing for the wounded!

Clean shaving on the firing line, possible only with a Gillette, has saved endless trouble in dressing face wounds. In the hands of orderly or nurse it shortens by precious minutes the preparations for operating. Later, in the hands of the patients, it is a blessing indeed!

As soon as their strength begins to return, they get the Gillette into action, and fairly revel in the finishing touch which it gives to the welcome cleanliness of hospital life. For though he can use but one hand—and that one shaky—a man can shave himself safely and comfortably with a Gillette Safety Razor.

It may seem a little thing to you to send a Gillette to that lad you know Overseas, but to him it will mean so much! It will bring a touch of home comfort to his life on active service, and be even more appreciated if he gets "Blighty".

NO BERLIN PAPERS
Copenhagen, April 30, via London —
No Berlin newspapers have arrived here

for two days. Such stoppages are often preliminary to important military developments.

BANISH PIMPLES AND ERUPTIONS

In the Spring Most People Need a Tonic Medicine

One of the surest signs that the blood is out of order is the pimples, unsightly eruptions and eczema that come frequently with the change from winter to spring. These prove that the long indoor life of winter has had its effect upon the blood, and that a tonic medicine is needed to put it right. Indeed there are few people who do not need a tonic at this season. Bad blood does not merely show itself in disfiguring eruptions. To this same condition is due attacks of rheumatism and lumbago; the sharp stabbing pains of sciatica and neuralgia, poor appetite and a desire to avoid exertion. You cannot cure these troubles by the use of purgative medicines—you need a tonic, and a tonic only, and among all medicines there is none can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for their tonic, life-giving, nerve-restoring powers. Every dose of this medicine makes new, rich blood which drives out impurities, stimulates every organ and brings a feeling of new health and energy to weak, tired, ailing men, women and children. If you are out of sorts give this medicine a trial and see how quickly it will restore the appetite, revive drooping spirits, and fill your veins with new, health-giving blood!

You can get these Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

BRYAN NOW TURNS

AGAINST PACIFISTS

Ithaca, N.Y., April 22—"No matter what our different views were before this war, there is no occasion for more than one united opinion now that we are in this war," said William Jennings Bryan, addressing the convention of the Intercollegiate prohibition Association here today.

Mr. Bryan decried all pacifists at this time as slackers and urged a speedy preparedness. He said that Nation-wide Prohibition is only a matter of a short time.

Two Fast British Machines Attacked Great Flock of German Planes and put Enemy to Flight

British Headquarters in France, April 30 (evening) via London—Out of the high thin air, where the fighting birdmen fly in a sort of dream world of adventure, have come within the last few days still more wonderful stories of dauntless deeds and feats of aerial tilting to spread the welcome glamor of romance over the more sordid side of the war. Above the British lines and far within the enemy territory the blue spring skies have been filled with daring planes that seem to flash in and out among the bits of floating cloud with the speed of the very sunbeam that sparkle and play upon their silver sides and all but transparent wings. Practically all the visible machines bear the red, white and blue target markings of the Allies. It is seldom that hostile battle birds, with the maltese cross upon their spreading wings, venture across the fighting lines.

The British aviators report that it is very difficult just now to get the German aviators into close fighting. They say that the Germans appear unwilling to engage in that sort of war fare, and continually attempt to break off the combats.

An Exciting Battle

Two fast British machines far in the enemy's domain, saw what appeared to be a great flock of German planes headed toward the British line. The two British airmen climbed to a couple of thousand feet to have a better look at the strangers. Then they saw that it was a formation of fourteen machines composed of fighting scouts and heavier two-seaters probably intent upon a bombing raid. The odds were rather heavy against them but they decided to have a go at the hostile airmen. For three-quarters of an hour there followed an air battle. Having faster and better manoeuvring machines than anything in the German formation, the young Britons played about their fourteen enemies like a pair of giant hornets. They dived at them time and time again, firing bursts of machine gun bullets as they passed. With superior speed and climb the British machines were able to adopt such tactics as suited their purpose, and from the moment of the first attack the formation of the German machines began to break up.

After two of their machines had been set on fire and destroyed and a third sent spinning down to an undoubted fatal crash, the hostile squadron was completely disorganized, the surviving machines turning about and making for home.

Canadians Swept Forwards

Canadian Headquarters in France April 30th., via London — Another crease in the front was ironed out today. Enemy trench elements were captured to the north and east of Arleux, bringing our troops in this sector close up to the wire defences before the village of Fresnoy.

The German gunfire is increasing in volume as the menace to their positions becomes more serious.

Further details now available of Saturday's struggle on the Canadian front for the village of Arleux indicate the most sanguinary nature of the fighting, especially in the case of two Western Canadian battalions which, seriously engaged by machine gun fire, evened up the score with the bayonet.

THE BEST MEDICINE

FOR LITTLE ONES

Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine a mother can give her little ones. They are a gentle laxative—mild but thorough in action—and are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely free from opiates and other injurious drugs. Concerning them Mrs. Auguste, St. Brieux, Sask., writes: "Enclosed find twenty-five cents for another box of Baby's Own Tablets. I find them the very best medicine a mother can give her little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. a/c Jan. d/sectua,owpi pnuammedents/ST

St. John, April 30—This is the last day saloons remain open in St. John. The new Provincial Prohibition Act goes into force tomorrow.

TWO LONG YEARS HE SUFFERED

"Fruit-a-tives" Made Him Feel As If Walking On Air

ORILLIA, Ont., Nov. 28th. 1914. "For over two years, I was troubled with Constipation, Drowsiness, Lack of Appetite and Headaches. One day I saw your sign which read 'Fruit-a-tives make you feel like walking on air.' This appealed to me, so I decided to try a box. In a very short time, I began to feel better, and now I feel fine. I have a good appetite, relish everything I eat, and the headaches are gone entirely. I recommend this pleasant fruit medicine to all my friends."

DAN McLEAN.
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c.
At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

April Was Good Month for British

London, May 1—"During the month of April," says the official report from British headquarters in France tonight, "we have taken, in the course of our offensive operations 19,343 German prisoners, including 393 officers. In the same period we also captured 257 guns and howitzers, including 98 heavy mortars and 470 machine guns."

"In addition to those we captured, many of the enemy's guns, howitzers, trench mortars and machine guns have been destroyed by our artillery fire."

"Marked activity in the air continued yesterday and during the night. In the air fighting eight German machines were brought down by our airplanes, two of which fell in our lines, nine others were driven down out of control. Another hostile machine was shot down. Nine of our airplanes are missing."

AN AGED COUPLE Tell How They Regained Strength and Vigor

Steubenville, Ohio—"My husband is 70 years old and I am 78 years of age and we owe our good health to Vinol, the greatest strength creator and medicine there is. When either one of us got into a weakened, run-down condition, Vinol has never failed to build us up and restore strength. We have often said we would not be living now were it not for Vinol."

MARY A. LEE.
We guarantee Vinol to create strength for feeble old people.

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PROHIBITION FOR CANADA

The Dominion Prohibition Committee has asked the Dominion Government to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale for beverage purposes of intoxicating liquors, as a war measure, or to grant a referendum before June 1st, the Act to come into operation within three months of the voting thereon. These requests are under consideration by the Government.

On the return of the Premier from England, the Committee expects to receive a statement with regard to the attitude of the Government on the question.

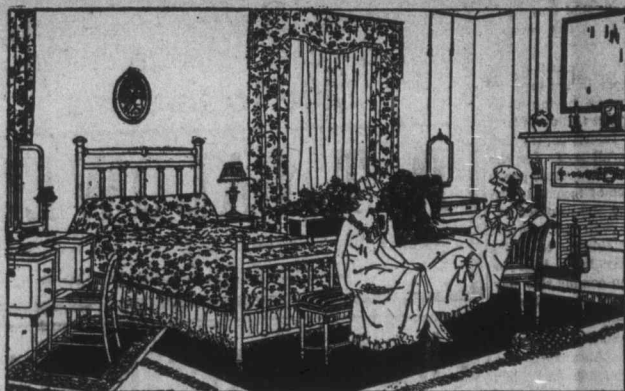
In the meantime, we hope that leaders in our churches and Temperance organizations, and all interested in the moral and economic welfare of the Dominion, will use their influence so that the representatives from the various constituencies in Nova Scotia will vote for this measure. WRITE TO YOUR MEMBER. When the question come up in Parliament, "There should be such an avalanche of public opinion brought to bear upon it, as to make the demand for prohibition irresistible."

We respectfully appeal to all clergymen to bring this most important matter to the attention of their congregations at the earliest possible date.

On behalf of the Committee,
H. R. GRANT,
Secretary for Nova Scotia

April, 1917.

Major J. W. Margeson, M. P. P. has received a new military appointment. A Board is to be appointed to deal with separation allowances. It will consist of three members, Major Margeson, who will be chairman, one to be appointed by the Military Hospitals Commission and a third to be selected by the chairman.



The Bed is the Keynote of the Beautiful Bedroom

Of all articles in intimate daily use, none more bespeaks the personal good taste of the owner. On the other hand, a poorly-designed, cheap-looking bed lowers the whole "tone" of a bedroom.

An ALASKA BRASS BED

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ALASKA Brass Beds are offered in great variety, from the most elaborate and massive designs to the simplest and most inexpensive patterns. There is one for every room in your home, no matter what your requirements may be, and no matter what the condition of your purse.

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A PREFERENCE IN
THE EMPIRE

LONDON, April 27—The distinguished assembly that gathered on the occasion of the celebration of the Dominion of the Oversea India, attending the Council, were present, Curzon, Lord Milner, Arthur Henderson, Mr. Reith and members Commons. The Premier was applauded to the address the audience speech by emphasizing the priority of the British "Great Britain was you don't get the best country with grit."

Future of the Empire.

"There is no sphere he continued, "in which we need for revised attitude towards that group of the nations of the In the past we have to straction a glorious still an abstraction. T us all that the Empire factor, the most potent the struggle for human sent a hundred thousand in August, 1914. The of history. The Dominion contributed a million transformed our ideal reality and beneficent Empire. The world can it be broken. But the between immediate c