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THE LATE SIR JAMES WHITNEY.

The passing of Sir James Whitney removes a strong and rugged figure from the public life of Canada.

He was not in any sense a politician, in the generally-accepted sense of that term.

No man more than he ever so notably scorned the wiles and subtleties which have characterized so many who have won high place in the political game. He was honest to the point of punctiliousness; he was outspoken to the point of bluntness, and each of these characteristics was true with regard to supporters as well as opponents. He stood out against even the suggestion of wrong-doing like a veritable rock of Gibraltar, and it is openly known that he absolutely refused to stand for any dismissals of public servants except for solid cause. After over thirty years of continuous Liberal rule in Ontario the positions of place were altogether in the hands of adherents of that side, but they soon learned to realize and appreciate the fact that as long as they did faithful duty there was nothing whatever to fear.

Sir James was often spoken of as "a Czar" and "a man with a bludgeon." The terms wronged him. No kinder heart was ever lodged in any frame, but he was intolerant of deceit and chicanery, and whenever he encountered either he always dealt a smashing blow. In his personal life and habits he was simplicity itself. Frills were not for him, although he never failed to properly maintain the dignity of his high post. When about a year ago his life seemed to be ebbing away in New York, it is not too much to say that the whole of Canada was deeply and affectionately concerned. Then came the almost miracle of a temporary restoration to health and later the leadership in an election campaign. His words on the occasion of a memorable meeting in Toronto are worth quoting:

"I feel that my words are lame and halting, not equal to fit or apt in which to express the thought that comes surging through my consciousness at the present time. Coming back, my friends, as I have by God's mercy, from the shadow of the Dark Valley, I am constrained, nay, compelled, to express the thanks I owe to the people of Ontario. They have given me an opportunity, I think I may say, of being of some service, and they have given me their confidence in full measure—in full measure, heaped up, pressed down, shaken together, and running over—and as long as my renewed health and strength are vouchsafed to me I shall be at their disposal, and endeavor to give them the same faithful service as I have in the past. And I thank you, my good friends, no matter what your political feelings may be, who have come here to-night, and with a heart filled to overflowing I say, may God bless you every one."

The language was typical of his sincere and God-fearing nature. He was advised by his medical men to avoid that struggle, but he felt that he owed a duty to the public, and when duty called there was no such word as halting in his lexicon. As the ultimate outcome his days were probably shortened, but he fell asleep as he unquestionably most wished—in the service of his fellows.

Thank God for such a stimulating and high-minded character! Of him it may well be said: "The elements so mixed in him, that nature might stand up and say to all the world, 'This was a man.'"

THE SITUATION

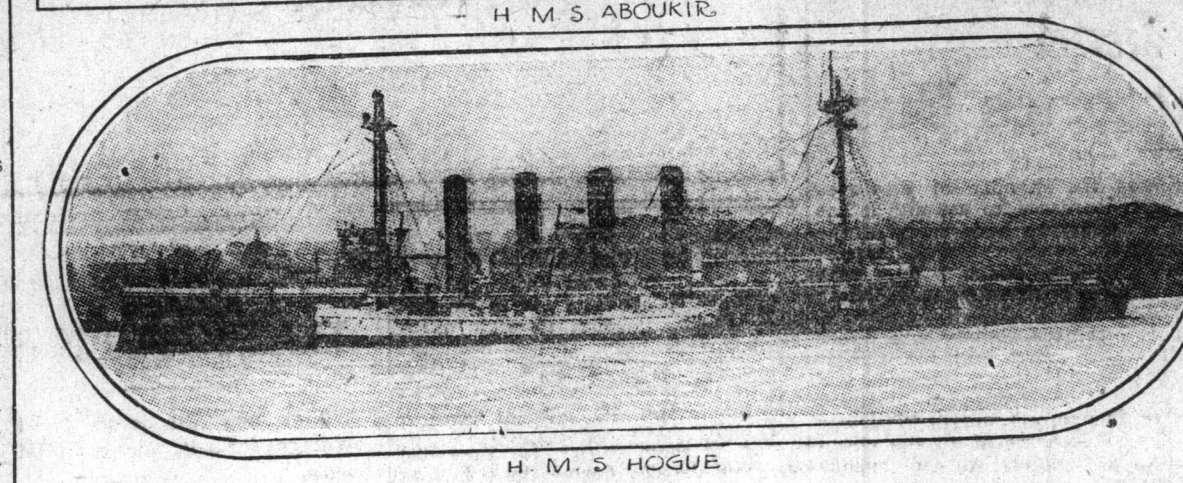
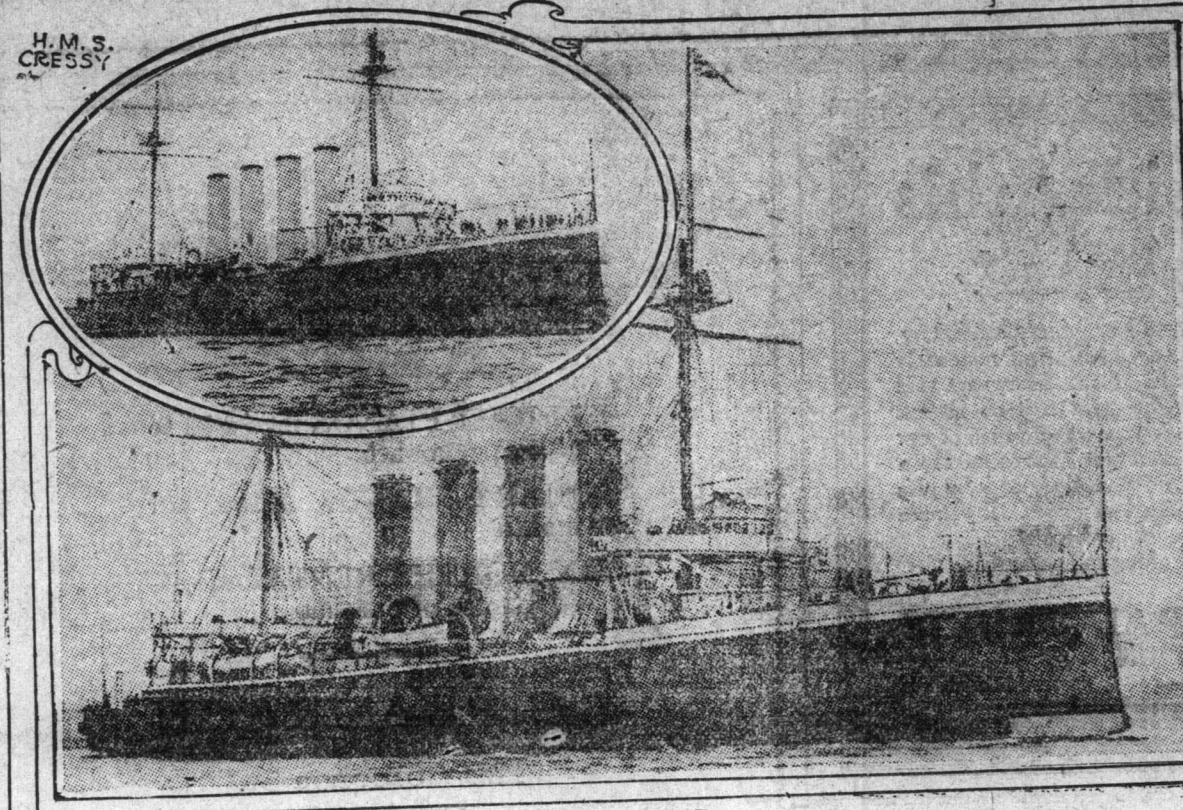
It is largely a case of as they were, with reference to the allies and the Kaiser's troops. It is true that the Germans have been forced back in one direction, and it is equally true that the French have also had to withdraw in another one. It seems to be assured that John Bull is continually pouring more troops into the war arena.

For the rest, it is simply a waiting and from all appearances likely to be that for very many days.

Toronto business men have formed an association to advance loans to the deserving needy.

The Management Committee of the Toronto Board of Education passed a resolution approving the talk of Principal Hagarty to his pupils and condemning the criticism of the University professors.

GERMAN NAVY SINKS THREE OF ENGLAND'S ARMORED CRUISERS.



Three great armored British cruisers—the Aboukir, the Hogue and the Cressy—with hundreds of dead, are at the bottom of the North Sea, following the first naval engagement of real consequence in the war. The Aboukir was torpedoed first, and then, as her sister cruisers, the Hogue and the Cressy, approached, they picked up the survivors their hulls were ripped open by torpedoes shot from the German submarine, which probably arose under the war vessels.

Apparently the sea was then riddled by shots from the quick firing guns of the British war ships in an effort to sink the flotilla of submarines which had stealthily crept under them. Any ripple or eddy on the surface of the sea which might indicate the location of a submarine became the target for British steel.

All England, shocked and grieved by the suddenness of the attack, accepts this as the German reply to the declaration of Mr. Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, that if the German navy did not come out and fight the British fleet would "dig them out."

"CELLS" AND "SELLS."

Consider these facts before you decide on your war-time advertising policy:

When a firm advertises a brand of merchandise, it thereby pre-empt certain brain cells in the minds of a certain number of people.

Those cells, in each brain, store away arguments in favor of that brand and become factors in inducing their owner to purchase the advertised branded merchandise.

Now, along comes war, with all its unsettling of business all its disturbance of trade; and the manufacturer, faced with the apparent advisability of saving money, begins to consider whether advertising is one of the features on which he can rely.

But let him cease advertising, and soon, very soon, the public will begin to waver and drift away to other brands. Stop the appeal to those brain cells and soon, very soon, the cells will forswear their allegiance and become acquainted by other manufacturers who make a fresh appeal to them.

The brain of every human being is in constant process of change. The cells are shifting, shifting, all the time. Ordinarily, by steady persistence in advertising, the manufacturer of a sound article is not only holding the brain cells his goods have won, but is surely, steadily adding to the number of his acquired cells; surely, steadily increasing his hold on the public mind.

Let him stop the advertising and the process of cell capture not only closes, but the cells he has been at such pains to win over, will become lost to him—perhaps forever.

Even a war scarcely excuses the unsound business policy which permits such a catastrophe. Even in war-time, it behooves every manufacturer to keep his advertising at full pressure.

A French-Canadian regiment is to be formed to go to the front in the second contingent, the proposal having the sanction of the Minister of Militia.

HOW'S THIS

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the past 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Rain Affecting German Troops

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LONDON, Sept. 26.—The correspondent of The Daily Mail, in France, says that the rain has affected a change in the German operations on the Aisne. The chalky soil, he says, holds water in the trenches like a cup and the autumn downpour therefore has driven the Germans out of their trenches and forced them to fight in the open, where the French get

at them with their bayonets.

The fighting at St. Quentin, according to the correspondent, has been very fierce and determined. The Germans drove the French out and secured a large part of the town which they hold by means of their maxims. The French, he thinks, could have expelled them by a bombardment but feared that this might set the town on fire.

A GALLANT SCOT

Highlander Showed Wonderful Bravery in Face of Germans.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail tells of a gallant feat performed by a single Highlander in the fighting at Soissons, last week.

It appears that 150 Highlanders who had been detailed to hold a bridge over the Aisne were threatened by an overwhelming force of Germans, who gradually were approaching nearer the Highlanders. Their maxim gun had ceased firing, all its crew being killed, when the Highlander got up from cover, lifted the maxim on his back, and amid a storm of German bullets carried it, tripped and all, at a run across the bridge to the far side.

There he put the gun down and, the maxim being still charged, opened a hail of bullets upon the advancing Germans, who wavered and then broke and fled to cover, leaving scores of dead behind.

At this moment the Highlander himself was killed, but he had checked the German advance, and, British reinforcements arriving, the Germans abandoned the attempt to capture the bridge. It was found the Highlander's body had 30 wounds.

JAPS ADVANCE

PEKIN, Sept. 26.—Four hundred Japanese troops occupied Wei-Hsien in the province of Shantung, twenty-one miles south of the Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li yesterday, following the advance guard of forty men who arrived a fortnight ago. The Japanese have taken over the charge of the railway station.

COMPLETELY ISOLATED

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The fall of the town of Khyrew, telegraphs the Petrograd correspondent of the Evening News, completely isolates the Austrian fortified position of Przemyśl, as regards railroad communication. Khyrew is 20 miles south of Przemyśl, and close to the junction of two rivers.

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Always bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson



In Our New Patent "Easy-Opening-Box" "Twist the Coin"

SOLDIER DESCRIBES

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a most scurvy trick by placing a lot of French prisoners in front of his men and forcing them, at the sword's point, to cry "En Avant!" We trustingly advanced right on to their trenches.

I never saw anything like what followed. Our own artillery had to bombard the village, which was taken by the enemy. We had left our own wounded. We take shifts day and night without respite, in the trenches in front of our village. It rains without stopping, and never a ray of sunshine to warm my stiffened limbs. My feet are in the worst state, as I have not taken off my boots since we started.

The whole country is covered with deadhorses and is a veritable charnel house. We are all sure of winning, though, and if the enemy violates all the rules of war and commits atrocities, it must be because he feels he has lost.

Cascarets For Bowels, Stomach, Headache, Colds

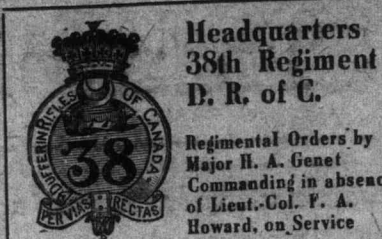
Clean Your Liver and Constipated Bowels To-night and Feel Fine.

Get a 10-cent box now. Are you keeping your liver, stomach and bowels clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage-way every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

No odds how sick, headachy, bilious and constipated you feel, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

The Provincial Workmen's Compensation Act will come into effect on January 1 next.



Headquarters 38th Regiment D.R. of C.

Regimental Orders by Major H. A. Gensel Commanding in absence of Lieut.-Col. F. A. Howard, on Service

Brantford, 26th. September, 1914.

No. 126.—Captain of the week, ending 3rd. October, Captain Wm. Miller, next for duty Captain M. E. B. Cutcliffe. Sabala of the week, Lieut. S. R. Wallace. Next for duty, Dickson to A Co. Lieut. W. M. Paterson. Regimental Orderly Sergeant, Sergt. A. Barclay. Next for duty, Sergt. F. Pearce.

No. 127.—The following having passed the recruit class, are posted: Pte. Hocking to Signal Section.

No. 128.—The following officers are posted for duty, as follows: Lieut. Dickson to A Co.; Lieut. J. Aiken, to Signal Section; Lieut. T. Bingle is transferred to G Co.

No. 129.—The officer commanding is pleased to make the following promotions: To be Paymaster Sergeant, assistant orderly room clerk, Pte. Raymond; to be Sergeant, No. 6161, Corp. F. E. Shaw; to be Sergeant, No. 6585, acting Sergt. C. T. Rotchell.

P. P. BALLACHEY, Captain, Adjutant

EMPEROR'S GREETINGS.

TOKIO, Sept. 26.—Announcement is made to-day that imperial messengers have left Tokio for the scene of operations near Tsing-Tau, conveying the emperor's greetings to the Japanese and British sailors and soldiers co-operating in the fighting against the Germans in Kaio Chow.

The brigade commanders of the Canadian expeditionary force are announced.

PURE RICH BLOOD PREVENTS DISEASE

Bad blood,—that is, blood that is impure or impoverished, thin and pale,—is responsible for more ailments than anything else.

It affects every organ and function. In some cases it causes eczema; in others, dyspepsia; in others, rheumatism; and in still others, weak, tired, languid feelings and worse troubles.

It is responsible for run-down conditions, and is the most common cause of disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest purifier and enricher of the blood the world has ever known. It has been wonderfully successful in removing eczema and other humors, increasing the red-blood corpuscles, and building up the whole system. Get it today.

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Anent the War!

Consider Canada's position to-day—her opportunities—then look ahead. From a mental view of the tremendous advantage with the present European conflict will throw Canada's way. You'll find reason for unbounded faith in your native land.

Canadians should stand shoulder to shoulder—have but one object—Canada's welfare. Manufacturers should employ Canadians—buy Canadian supplies wherever possible—keep Canadian money in Canada.

Canadians one and all should patronize the industries that are keeping the wheels running for the support of Canadian homes.

The Brantford Laundry has always employed Canadians. To-day every regular employee is being employed at full time. To-day the same skilled labor, modern machinery and careful supervision is available in Brantford Laundry Service for the citizens of Brantford as before the commencement of the war.

Remember, keeping Canadians employed means keeping money in Canada. Be patriotic—have Canada for Canadians—get down under the crust of usual indifference and patronize the only "Canadian" Laundry in Brantford!

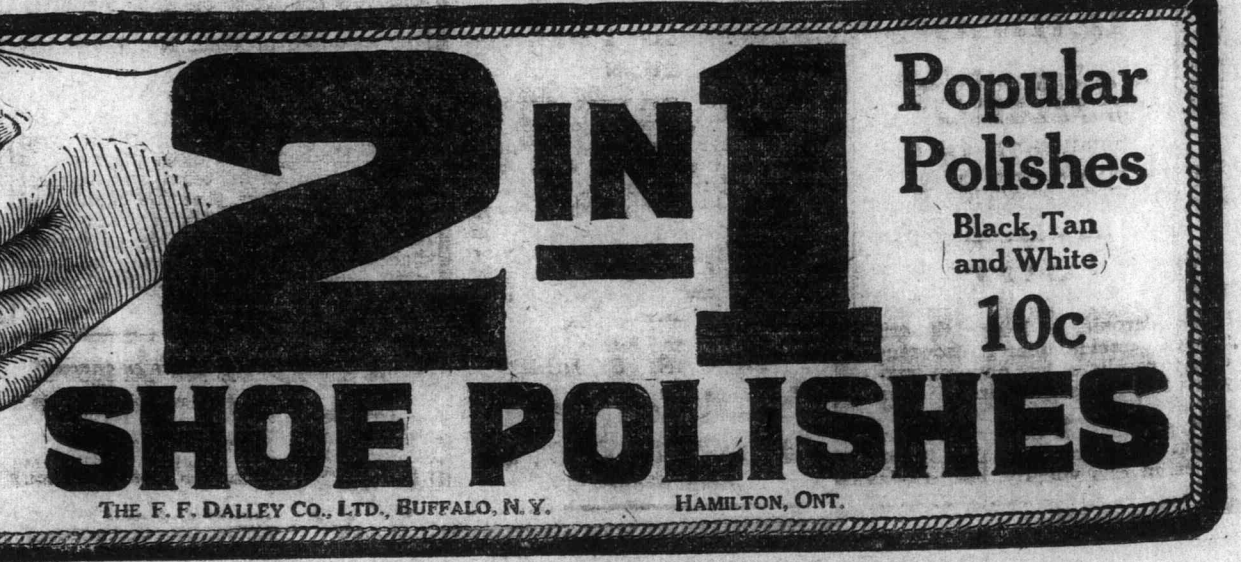
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HAMILTON, ONT.

LOCAL

INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Industrial Committee will be held in the Board Room on Monday, Sept.

LIGHT LIST.

The police court list was for this morning, only a vagrant drunk figuring on it.

COMING FROM PARIS.

The Paris soft ball team have arranged a game with the Y.M.C.A. mity men for next Thursday.

BUILDING PERMIT.

Herbert Field of 231 Sheridon has obtained a building permit for a 14-story red brick house to be built at a cost of \$1,600.

WANT NATURALIZATION

A number of resident foreigners in this city are applying to the for their naturalization papers over forty have registered.

NO ORDERS YET.

The 25th Brant Dragoons yet received no further orders for service records, but they are for regular members of the club.

WILL SELECT GROUNDS

Major Smith of the 25th Brant Dragoons has undertaken the task of selecting the grounds for the manoeuvres of the Dragoons held on Thanksgiving Day.

IS WITH CONTINGENT

The officer in command of the 25th Canadian Dragoons is Lt. M. Nelles of Toronto, Inspector Cavalry for Militia Headquarters.

Nelles is a former well known for man.

TO ADDRESS CLUB

Miss Brown of the Dominion City of V. W. C. A. is to address the club to-night in the C. A. A fine program has been arranged and refreshments will be served by the members.

PHOTOGRAPHIC READY.

The City Clerk has been that the photographic group of the Ontario Municipal Association in Toronto during the recent session, is now ready and will be the sum of one dollar per copy.

REV. TOLMIE RESIGNS

Chatham, Presbytery, resignation of Rev. J. C. Tolmie of St. Andrew's church, Windward formerly of Brantford, who was formerly of Brantford, who was formerly of Brantford, who was formerly of Brantford.

last election and appointed him emeritus of the church.

HELD AN ENQUIRY

An investigation into the case of Elgin street residents that sewers on this street was full and causing them serious inconvenience, shows that the sewer is free from obstructions.

Engineer Jones states in a letter to the chairman of the board of that the trouble will be found in the private sewers.

A SPLENDID EFFORT

It has been erroneously reported that the bales of needful things made at the Children's were shipped by the local patriotic league. The shipment made direct by the house of the Children's Shelter, who assisted by all classes of citizens, including many poor who is not known to what destination next shipment can be made, soldiers are now enroute.

SPECIAL

Gold Storage Shelled Nuts in perfect condition Pure Codfish in strips.

English Malt Vinegar the barrel.

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