

INTIMATE VIEW OF FIGHTING ARMIES BY ONE WHO HAS JUST LOOKED THEM OVER—HOW GERMANS AND FRENCH FEEL ABOUT IT

(W. H. Potterfield, of the Scripps, California papers, went to Europe last November and has spent most of his time since in France, Italy and Germany. He has just returned and the following article by him is of the timeliest and liveliest interest.)

Switzerland is the only spot in Europe in which the American visitor is undergoing no pretensions. Here they are taking their express checks and changing their American currency. They are relying on the re-opening of international exchange to collect. The country with its great dairy production is capable of furnishing a food supply almost indefinitely for those within its borders.

versal throughout Baden, Bavaria and Wuertemberg. My host's son, an officer in the German aviation corps, told me that in a general European war the German would stand together for all Germany. "But," he added, "of course our generals will be careful to place troops from Bavaria and the south where they will not be called upon to fight directly at the French troops, for we can't deny that the Bavarians and Austrians are somewhat friendly to France and especially the poorer classes, for they think they would like to see the republic."

LOCAL NEWS

Complete new Show, Imperial Tuesday. IDEAL WEATHER. This is ideal weather to bring the little folks to the Reid Studio (corner Charlotte and King streets) and have their pictures taken. 9-23

METHODIST MINISTERS. Rev. H. E. Thomas presided at a meeting of the Methodist ministers this morning. Rev. George Steel, superintendent of Methodist missions for the maritime provinces, was among those present. Arrangements were made for a missionary campaign in the Methodist churches of the city from October 18 to 25.

SPECIAL SALE OF DINING CHAIRS AT ALMOST HALF PRICE. We are putting on sale an immense shipment of Dining Room Chairs, which we succeeded in purchasing at a figure less than manufacturing cost. The shipment consists of 75 sets in numerous styles and designs. Every set is up-to-date in every respect, having been purchased only a few weeks ago from one of the largest manufacturers in Canada.

REASONS OF STATE AND ROYAL MARRIAGES

Germany with Duchess Cecile came very near falling through altogether, not because of any unwillingness on the part of the interested ones, but because of friction between the Kaiser and the bride and her mother. Of the other sons, Prince Eitel Fritz is married to Duchess Sophie of Oldenburg, who broke off her engagement with her father's aide-camp to contract the royal marriage, while Prince August Wilhelm died his autocratic papa and married long before the Kaiser intended.

Canada In The War

Word has been received from Winnipeg that the head office of the Union Bank of Canada has made a contribution of \$25,000 to the National Patriotic Fund. An Ottawa despatch says—Hector Girouard, son of the late Justice Girouard, of the Supreme Court, a son of the late Chief Justice Elias Tassereau, of the supreme court, and a son of Judge Audette, of the exchequer court, will go to the front. Marc Andre Fiset, of the late Chief Justice Elias Tassereau, brother-in-law of the deputy minister, Justice Brodeur, of the supreme court, has a son who is a cadet in the royal navy.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. J. Mitchell will receive her friends at her home, No. 1 Alma street, corner of Waterloo, on Wednesday afternoon and evening (Thursday afternoon) of this week. Mrs. E. F. O'Neil (nee Scully) will receive for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday afternoon and evening, Sept. 23, at 100 King street east.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH BULLOCK

A large and representative body of citizens attended the funeral of Joseph Bullock this afternoon. Service was conducted at his late residence, 185 Germain street, by Rev. Hammond Johnson, pastor of Queen Square Methodist church, Rev. G. B. Trafton and Major Taylor of the Salvation Army.

WAR NOTES

The French navy department reports that the fleets of the allies absolutely command the Mediterranean, the Atlantic and the North Sea. A Belgian force made a daring sortie to a point 22 miles from Liege. They pulled down the German flag at Lanaken, and hoisted the Belgian pennant.

DEATHS

HAYES—On the 20th inst., Dennis Hayes, leaving his wife, four sons and seven daughters, aged 70 years (Boston and New York papers please copy). Funeral from his late residence, 15 Delhi street, Wednesday morning, at 9:15 to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem. Friends invited to attend.

DEATHS

TO TAKE COURSE AT O. A. C. Alfred B. Baird, son of Isaac W. Baird, of Chipman, N. B., left last week for Guelph, Ont., where he will attend Ontario Agricultural College. Mr. Baird is an honor graduate of Nova Scotia Agricultural College at Truro, and last year was the assistant field officer in charge of the 1914-15 crop survey.

DEATHS

SPRAGG—In this city on the 21st inst. after a lengthy illness, Rachel, widow of Stephen Spragg, aged 70 years, leaving one son and three daughters, all nationalities will fall. Funeral on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., from her son's residence, 96 Victoria street. Service begins at 2:30 o'clock.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LORD BALTIMORE CAKE. Other filled cake, doughnuts, small, etc. Only Home-Cooking done by Women's Exchange Tea and Luncheon, 132 Colborne St. LUNCH. 15c to 40c. TO LET—A modern flat. Apply above. Phone 789.

TO BE JUNIOR MAJ

Frederickton, Sept. 21—Capt. P. G. Guthrie has been promoted to junior major of the Twelfth Battalion of Victoria. Lieut. Doedee succeeds him as company commander and has for an alternate Lieutenants Rider and East. Other local officers are Lieutenants Roberts, McNally, Sanson, McDonald and Winslow. A resignation is accepted by the Presbytery to John A. person, ex M.P.P. of Barony, on reaching the age ninety-three years.

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