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THE WAR NEWS

The developments of the last week have strengthened the position of the Allies and confirmed the belief that Russia is about to play an even more important part in the war than was anticipated some weeks ago.

The Allies have not made much progress in the Dardanelles during the last week, partly because of bad weather and partly because of the care which must be taken to avoid the floating mines brought down the current of the Straits.

The news from Italy grows more and more interesting. There seems to be good reason to believe that the efforts of the Germans to purchase Italian neutrality at the expense of Austria will result in failure.

As week follows week the whole situation grows more favorable for the Allies. Sir John French, however, has taken occasion to emphasize statements made by Lord Kitchener and Chancellor Lloyd George.

It was brought out in evidence at Ottawa yesterday that Winnipeg firms bought boots in Montreal at \$3.00 per pair and resold them to the government at \$4.00 per pair.

The deeper the committee probes into this matter of military supplies the worse the scandal grows. It is easy to believe the statement that the committee room is through, and that the public mind is shocked by the revelations.

In connection with the appeal which is made by the executive of the Playgrounds Association for generous contributions by the citizens on Violet Day, it may be worth while to consider a remark which is said to have been made by various persons that "we can get along very well without playgrounds this year," or "we need many things more than we need playgrounds this year."

those who make such a remark do not know anything about the work that is being done by the Playgrounds Association. In the first place the association conducts a Boys' Club and a Girls' Club and the Travelers' Aid, and this work is continuous throughout the year.

In the second place, even in connection with playgrounds, they do not place the emphasis upon the ground level. They have a system of lines, imposing one for the use of slang and making a grammatical error. From the films already a chair for the dining room has been purchased.

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LIGHTER VEIN

"We were slowly starving to death," remarked the famous explorer at the boarding house table, "but we cut up our boots and made soup of them, and thus sustained life."

Not the Same  
Caller—Pardon me, sir, but is there another artist in this building?  
Artist—There is not. There is, however, a man on the fourth floor who paints.

In the interest of correct speech and grammatical precision the members of an Augusta, Me., family have adopted a system of lines, imposing one for the use of slang and making a grammatical error. From the films already a chair for the dining room has been purchased.

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Engagements Announced  
The New Glasgow Chronicle says:—The talk socially is of the engagement of Miss Norma, youngest daughter of Norman McKay, to Lieut. D. C. Sinclair, barrister. He is now at Hazel Hill with the 78th Highlanders.

Was Troubled With Choking Spells and Shortness of Breath.  
When the heart becomes affected, there ensues a feeling of a choking sensation, a shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, and dizziness and a weak, sinking, all-gone feeling of oppression and anxiety.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES  
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