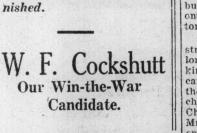
THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1917.

## Win-The-War<br/>HeadquartersCor. King and Dalhousie<br/>Bell Phone - 602<br/>Mach. Phone - 603TEA POT INNRoad Dalhousie<br/>Bell Phone - 603<br/>Mach. Phone - 603Behind British Lines in France,<br/>Northern France,<br/>Correspondence of the<br/>Associated Press)—There is a broad<br/>roross the north of France, which<br/>the British private has nicknamed<br/>the "Road to Vietory." His fond-

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Over this "Road to Victory" there moves a never-ending procession of transport of the most varied character. Standing at a cross-road, one sees first a group of four wagons; theirs is a pleasant load, for they carry rations--clean wholesome yellow cheeses, sides of prime bacon, fresh white bread in sacks, chests of tea, sugar, jam, tinned butter and bully-beef, sacks of potatoes and onions, sides of frozen beef and mut-

Behind the ration carts follow : string of twenty great hooded motorlorries laden with lumber of various kinds. Each lorry in this group carries its name proudly on its side. the names all taken from Dickens' characters — Betsy Prig, Martin Chuzzlewit, Micawber, Oliver Twist, Mr. Rumble, Sairey Gamp, and oth-Some are carrying "duckboards." which are little sections of skeleton sidewalk for Foot traffic over the mud. Others are laden with "turkey trots," little wooden bridges for shell-holes. Still others have long bundles of brush-wood 'fascines'' for filling in hollow places in roads. Yet others have lengths of beech planking for corduroy roads. Next in line behind the lorries is battery of field guns painted in a

and yellows. The horses are in the pink of condition, their costs agleam, their drivers tanned brickred by exposure. After the guns come long strings of pack mules wearing brown canvas "carriers." from the pockets of

vas "carriers," from the pockets of which peep the gleaming cases of eighteen-pounder shells, or the squat yellow bodie: of field howitzer ammunition. The mule is certainly doing his bit in this war. Plodding and patient, he works his ten or twelve hours a day back and forth between dump and gun position, mostly under shell-fire, always through roads muddy and wet and

shell-torn. So the long column moves onward under the beckoning hand of the military policeman at the cross roads. More lories pass, filled with men all singing lustily. Then come two strange looking tractors hauling big howitzers; a labor battallion marching forward to work and carrying shovels instead of rifles;

carrying shovels instead of rifles; more mules; more lorries,—an endiess procession, always going forward along this great road. And the road itself, on which traffic never ceases day or night, moves always, pushing further and further.

## Men and Women of Canada

DO YOU realize the momentous duty, the tremendous opportunity your vote places upon you on Monday, December the seventcenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen? Everything is at stake---everything that your forefathers have fought for---everything that you have lived for---every good thing you have hoped for will stand or fall as you vote on December the seventeenth.

## This is not an Election It is a Battle with the Hun

Whose cause will be injured WHEN you cast your vote for the Unionist Candidate?—The Kaiser's.

Whose cause will be supported WHEN you cast your vote for the Unionist Candidate---Canada's and the Allies. Whose cause will be injured IF you cast your vote for Laurier and Bourassa?--Canada's and the Allies.

FORTY-FIVE

Whose cause will be supported IF you cast your vote for Laurier and Bourassa-The Kaiser's

Never before in the history of this great Dominion has such a terrible crisis appeared, and yet it is called an election, and some electors appear not to understand its awful import. Union Government, formed of representative men, both Liberal and Conservative, has realized that in this crisis party affiliation must be cast aside and every energy expended to win the war. One hundred thousand reinforcements are desperately needed by our men in France. Union Government is pledged to raise them under the just provisions of the Military Service Act, 1917.

YOUR DUTY IS CLEAR

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