

COMMANDERS WHO LED GREAT DRIVE AT VERDUN



The recent great French attack at Verdun was mapped out by General Nivelle, now in chief command of the French armies, with the concurrence of General Petain, formerly his superior officer. The assault proper was left to General Mangin. The five divisions, numbering close to 100,000 men, chosen for the attack were under such leaders as General de Maud'huy and General du Passage.

Provincial Paragraphs

The steamer Northumberland made her last trip for the season between Point du Chene and Summerston Friday night.

T C Cain of Centreville has just sold 1000 barrels of potatoes at \$3.50 per barrel. Other dealers have received as high as \$3.75—the highest in the history of Carleton Co

The Fredericton School Board, who have been considering vocational training for several years, have decided to open evening classes at an early date for young people desirous of obtaining such instruction.

St. John Council at their meeting Thursday took up the replies of the milk men to the set of questions sent them and after some considerable discussion laid them on the table to be dealt with at a later date.

Campbellton Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M. met on St. John's night and installed the following officers:

- J H Wilson—W M
J T Reid—W
E Boyd Price—J W
J Robt MacKenzie—Treas
Chas A Alexander—Secy
A A Andrew—Chapman
E A Hoyt—S D
Fred P Adams—J D
H R Humphrey—S S
H W Pond—J S
Rev Hugs Miller—D of C
B J Collier—I G
Donald Currie—Tyler

The Caledonia Society of Restigouche have elected following officers:
Lieut Col A E G McKenno President;
D A Stewart, V P; H R Smith, Sec.
Treas; Rev Hugh Miller, Chap; H M McLellan, Piper; Marshall C A Alexander and Bruce McBeath.
Executive—Alex McLellan, M M Mowat, M A Kelly, H Miller.
The society has raised \$100 for the Killies Pipe Band.

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- Sir Gilbert Parker The opening chapters of a new serial, "Jordan is a Hard Road"—a story of the Canadian North-west, introducing some old friends.
Stephen Leacock "In Dry Toronto"—rich humor, combined with a latent seriousness. Leacock is always good.
Agnes C. Laut "The Cost of the War"—an international business article by this brilliant Canadian writer, whose intimate friends are bankers and financiers and others with inside knowledge.
Betty Thornley Another Canadian woman writer with the mind of a business man and with a burning love for her Western homeland. Her contribution—"Putting the Yardstick on Canada," is the story of a journey she made last summer to the Skagway region of British Columbia—a part of that province seldom visited and about which most of us know little.
Mais Johnson Mr. N. W. Rowell's secretary, and who accompanied Mr. Rowell on his recent trip abroad, and visited THE FRONT with him. Mr. Johnson contributes a vivid story of what he saw and learned on the Western front.
W. Arnot Craik writes of the New Shipbuilding Industry in Canada—a timely article on a matter of the first importance.

Stories by the following distinguished Canadian short-story writers: Alan Sullivan, A. C. Allison, Peter MacArthur and H. M. Tappé.

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A Talk on Rheumatism Three Congregations in Union Services

Telling How to Actually Cure This Painful Malady

This article is for the man or woman who suffers from rheumatism who wants to be cured, not merely relieved—but actually cured. The most the rheumatic sufferer can hope for in rubbing something on the tender, aching joint, is a little relief. No lotion or liniment ever did or can make a cure. The rheumatic poison is rooted in the blood. Therefore rheumatism can only be cured when this poisonous acid is driven out of the blood. Any doctor will tell you this is true. If you want something that will go right to the root of the trouble in the blood take Dr. Williams Pink Pills. They make new, rich blood which drives out the poisonous acid and cures rheumatism to stay cured. The truth of these statements has been proved in thousands of cases throughout Canada, and the following cure is a striking instance. Mrs. F. M. Simpson, R.R. No. 1, Blenheim, Ont., says: "For a long time I was confined to my bed, and actually crippled with rheumatism. The trouble first located in my ankle—which was much swollen. I thought it might be a sprain, but the doctor said it was rheumatism and advised me to go to bed so that the trouble would not be aggravated. I did as directed, but instead of getting better it spread first to my right knee, then to my left knee, and then to my arms. The limbs were much swollen, and it became so bad that I could not get out of bed. I seemed to get weak in other respects and fell off in weight from 155 to 110 pounds. I had no appetite and seemed to lose interest in everything. One day while reading a paper I came across the case of a rheumatic sufferer cured by using Dr. Williams Pink Pills. I decided to try them and sent for three boxes. By the time these were gone I had certainly begun to improve, and with help was able to get up. Continuing the use of the pills I was first able to get about with the use of a crutch, which, later I discarded for a cane, and then through the use of the pills I was able to throw aside the cane as well, and go about as briskly as I had ever done. I feel that Dr. Williams Pink Pills have been a blessing to me, and I strongly recommend them to other similar sufferers." You can procure these pills through any dealer in medicine or get them by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH Anglican Rev. W. J. Bate Holy Communion—Every Sunday at 8.00 a. m. and first Sunday in month at 11.00 a. m. Morning and Evening Prayer—Matins at 11.00 (except 3rd Sunday in month, no service.) Evensong at 7.00. Daily Prayers 7.30 a. m., and 5.30 p. m. Wednesdays Evensong, 7.30.

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METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Dr. Squires Sunday Services 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday, 7.30 p. m. THE KIRK St. James Presbyterian Church Rev. S. J. MacArthur, M. A., B. D. Worship, Sunday, 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Sabbath School, 2.30 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY Holiness Meeting—11 a. m. Praise and Testimony Meeting—3.00 p. m. Public Meetings—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—8.00 p. m.

WAR NEWS

London—The military operations on which interest is chiefly focused at present are the great efforts the Central Powers are making against the Russians and Rumanians. This campaign is proceeding on a front of about 120 miles, reaching from Ottuz to the Danube. One main object of the attack is supposedly the capture of Braila. The Central forces are divided into three armies, namely: that in the Moldavian Mountains region commanded by General von Gork; the ninth army under General von Falkenhayn, which is operating on both sides of the Rimanik and the Danube, and the Danube army, composed of Germans, Turks and Bulgarians under General von Kossch. The general outcome of the operations during last week has been an advance of several miles by Gork and Falkenhayn with the capture of many prisoners. The Danube army was almost stationary all last week. The pressure, however, on the Russian right flank in Moldavia and in the centre is slowly bringing the invaders near the fortified lines on the Sereth, the last branch of the Danube in Rumania.

Germany is now going so far in her deportations, as to arrest and transfer from Belgium soil Belgians engaged in relief work, and hitherto protected by the card of the American Relief Commission. A circular has been issued by Adolf T. von Batocki, president of the German food regulation board in which it is pointed out that next year generally there will be difficulties in way of the government supplying food for the people. Henri Benenger, Friday, introduced in the senate a bill providing for the mobilization of civilians in France into an auxiliary service for the national defence. The bill provides for the calling up of all citizens between the ages of seventeen and sixty.

A new treaty between Russia and Japan has been signed, greatly extending Japan's influence in Manchuria. While the precise terms of the treaty have not been made public, it is understood that Japan gets control of central Manchuria as far as Harbin, commercial centre of Sdn garl river region and the province of the Russian half of Sakhalin Island after the war.

Jan. 1 London—Sir Geo. Buchanan, British ambassador to Russia, says that Britain is entirely agreed that Russia shall have Constantinople and the Dardanelles, as the spoils of war. He also declared that Britain has loaned \$500,000,000 (\$2,920,000,000) to her allies during the war.

Announcement has been made that the Royal Cross of the first class had been awarded to Matron A. J. Hartley, of Brantford, Ont., now in the 4th Canadian General Hospital at Salonki.

CANADIAN UNITS NUMBER 8595 From the beginning of the war to Dec. 15, 1916, 8595 Canadian soldiers have been returned to Canada as medically unfit. The detailed figures as given out by the Militia Department are: Tuberculosis 377 Insanity 168 Wounded, gassed and shell shock 1,640 Other diseases and disabilities 6,410 Totals 8,595 6100 of these returned during 1916.

THE ALLIED TERMS OF PEACE? The London Spectator summarizes what it believes to be the Allied Peace terms as follows: The enemy to evacuate all their conquests. Germany to restore Alsace-Lorraine to France, the Danish part of Schleswig-Holstein to Denmark, and Posen to Poland, surrender all her colonies, to make reparation in kind for all ships of commerce destroyed, ton for ton, neutral shipping to be replaced only after all the demands of the Allies have been satisfied, to surrender her whole navy, submit to the neutralization of the Kiel Canal under an international non-German commission including the Allies, and the United States and other neutrals, and democratize her government. Austria-Hungary to yield Galicia to Poland, recognize Bohemia as independent, cede the Rumanian part of Transylvania to Rumania, cede the Italian Tyrol, Trieste, Istria, etc. to Italy, and acknowledge independence of a new Slav kingdom to include Bosnia-Herzegovina, Dabruatia, Croatia-Slavonia, etc. Turkey to yield Constantinople and the Straits and Armenia to Russia, acknowledge independence of her Arabian provinces, and come under an external protectorate for the rest of her territory. Posen, Galicia and Russian Poland to be an autonomous portion of the Russian Empire. The enemy to pay for the ruin wrought in the counties they have overrun.

CANADA'S MAN POWER IN 1911 The man power of Canada by the census of 1911 was as follows: Canadian British Foreign Alta 37,486 31,954 53,515 B. C. 41,508 34,718 62,040 Man. 49,868 39,806 33,083 N. B. 64,138 2,371 2,151 N. S. 85,909 8,437 4,147 Ont. 410,896 106,967 64,353 P. E. I. 14,592 287 119 Que. 341,732 23,068 26,048 Sask. 61,192 38,871 58,849 Total 1,100,403 306,397 304,210 Total 1,736,090.

Under the above grouping Canadian born means all Canadian born whatever their race origin. Comd. A. B. Nail of Gibson was elected Warden of York Co. Tuesday.

As a result of a complaint made by the Children's Aid Society in Fredericton that children under 14 years of age were being sent to the Canadian Canning Co., Ltd., factory at Staryeville the children have been discharged.

MINARD'S KING OF PAIN LINIMENT Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France. To Mrs. R. D. HANNAH: The Restory, Yarmouth, N.S. Dear Mother: I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me. Have you any patriotic thoughts that would give something for a gift expressed in my doing you know something that is good for everything? I do—OLD MINARD'S LINIMENT. Your affectionate son, Ron.

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