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Indians in France.

The American Indians in France quickly adjusted themselves to the conditions of the country. They soon became just as cunning as in their native western haunts. This is illustrated by an incident which occurred when the Germans were withdrawing across the Marne. Indian scouts were sent over the river to ascertain the German movements and other details.

At one crossing three Indians improvised a raft and chained it to the north side of the Marne. They hid the raft and then started on an exploring expedition. The Germans discovered the strange footprints on the river bank, and came upon the raft. They awaited the Indians' return. But, after reconnoitring, the Indians approached their hidden raft cautiously and scenting trouble made a hasty retreat.

The Germans recognized that the strange red men were not of their kind, and must therefore be an enemy and began firing. The Indians ran through the woods like deer, and finally struck for the water, in an endeavor to reach the south side.

These Indians, reared along the rivers, swim like Hawaiians, and are able to remain below the surface for a long time. The Germans saw splashes in the water and began firing. The Indians dived and swam downstream under water, only coming to the surface for a brief breathing spell.

Finally the Indians reached the south bank far below the Germans, the current assisting them materially. The Germans, thoroughly angered, shot the raft to pieces.

Revisiting No Man's Land.

Many a Canadian who fought in the war is wondering what the front looks like now, a year and more after the last shot was fired.

A newspaper writer, who was recently over the ground, states that one actually sees much less change than would be expected. It is so easy to destroy, so difficult to restore.

From the Ypres-Bailleul road, from Hell Fire Corner, from the La Basse-Lens road, from the Arras-Douai road, and from many other such points, one might almost imagine that the armies had withdrawn but yesterday from their lines.

Everything easily lifted has been picked up and carried away by the seekers of souvenirs, but the change that most impresses the soldier is the silence, the now vacant highways once crowded with war traffic. The noise of war is gone, and the color of khaki is seldom seen. You look out over regions that seem to be forever reduced to silence and sterility.

The restoration of France and Belgium is going to be a long job. Those know best how complete the destruction was who were present and saw it done.

Girl Trade Unionists.

Eight thousand girl workers are members of the trade union movement in Toronto. The membership is drawn chiefly from among the female stenographers, clerks and accountants in the railway offices.

Old Clothes.

Charity Collector—Have you any particular use for your old clothes?
Surly Citizen—Sure, I'm wearing them.

Two Explorers.

Martin Killin and Adelbert Gumaer, the last two member of Vilhjalmur Stefansson's Canadian Arctic Expedition to leave the Arctic, are reported aboard the trading schooner Anna Alga, which is working its way toward Nome.

Killin and Gumaer were not members of Stefansson's original party. They were members of a party Storker Storkerson, Stefansson's lieutenant, led on to an icefree last year in the hope that the Arctic drifts would carry the floe westward to Siberia. After spending eight months on the ice the men found themselves about fifty miles from their starting point. They all came ashore and Storkerson and one other member headed overland for the outside world. Killin and Gumaer boarded the Olga and started for Nome.

Storkerson's trip outside was his first in eleven years. He has been an explorer, trader and trapper along the northern rim of the continent ever since 1908. He expects to associate himself with Stefansson in handling the Canadian Government's proposal to stock the northern tundra plains with reindeer.

Dogs Eat Esquimo Church.

In the Hudson Bay country, where the dogs are half wolves, a band of these famished animals actually ate up a church. The Esquimo Christians had built a tiny chapel to hold twenty people. But the poor converts did not long enjoy the little church, of which they were so pathetically proud. The building was of whalebone, an edible substance, and one Sunday the pagan dogs ate every morsel of the sacred edifice.

Searching Autos.

Canadian automobilists crossing to the United States at Detroit are complaining that federal authorities have been "unreasonable" in inspecting their machines. It has been announced that the reason for the action of the custom officials was a discovery that considerable liquor was being smuggled into the United States in automobile radiators.

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