

Personal & General

The total German losses in the war so far of all kinds is 4,500,000.

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Dr. N. W. and Mrs. Hoyles have returned from Algonquin Park where they have been summering.

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Mr. R. W. Allin returns home from his holidays this week and takes up his editorial work again with the next issue.

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The Rev. A. A. Adams, of Sioux Lookout, Ont., which is in the diocese of Keewatin, was staying for a short time in Toronto recently.

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The Bishop of Toronto returned to Toronto on Saturday last. On Sunday he preached in the morning in his Cathedral, and in the evening at St. Matthew's Church, Toronto.

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It is proposed to place a handsome reredos at the east end of the choir in Ripon Cathedral at the close of the war as a suitable memorial to those from the diocese who have laid down their lives in the cause of justice and righteousness.

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Canadian hospitals in the United Kingdom have now the following accommodation: — Wokingham, 700; Deal, 457; Broadstairs, 150; Uxbridge, 300; Walmer, 125; Bromley, 120; Westenhanger, 300; Ramsgate, 600; Dulwich, 120.

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Captain the Rev. A. C. Cummer, the Vicar of Cannington, Ont., preached in St. Stephen's Church, Toronto, on the evening of the 26th August. He returned from England recently. He went overseas as the Chaplain of the 182nd Battalion.

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It has been determined by the British Government that the name of every man who is killed in the war will appear on bronze tablets in the National War Museum, which Sir Alfred Mond, the first Commissioner of Works, is now organizing.

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News has been received of the death of Sub-Lieut. Alfred I. Hutty of the Royal Naval Air Service at the front. Particulars are lacking. The deceased officer lived on Poplar Plains Road, Toronto, and he was a member of Christ Church, Deer Park, in that city.

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Dr. J. O. Orr, former Manager of the Toronto Exhibition, died suddenly on August 22nd. Dr. Orr resigned the Managership of the Exhibition last June. He is survived by his widow and two sons, one of whom is serving in France. Dr. R. B. Orr, the Curator of the Provincial Museum, is a brother.

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Lieut. C. H. Biscoe, son of Col. R. Biscoe, of 76 Howard Street, Toronto, is reported dangerously wounded. A reply to a cable sent by his father says he was wounded about the head and neck. Lieut. Biscoe, who is 29, went overseas with the 18th Battalion. He was born in England, and was educated at King's College, Windsor, N.S. Lieut. Biscoe is a member of St. Simon's Church in Toronto.

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In a statement which was made lately in the British Parliament by one of the Ministers, the following statistics were given showing the number of people killed and injured in London, England, since the commencement of the war: (1) By accidents, (2) By air raids. Street accidents, 2,412 killed, 70,863 injured; air raids, 366 killed, 1,092 injured.

Captain W. A. Bishop, of Owen Sound, is the only Canadian who has won all three coveted decorations, the D.S.O., the M.C., and the V.C. during the present war. The official overseas report describes Captain Bishop as having won his high awards for "most conspicuous bravery, determination and skill" in aerial campaigning. Captain Bishop is the youngest Canadian V.C. He is 25 years of age.

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The Rev. H. J. Hoare, C.F., is dead. He went out as a C.M.S. missionary to the Punjab. At Peshawar, his Indian station, the Edwardes College, of which he was Principal, having taken charge when it was still a high school, is a lasting memorial to him. He joined the Army soon after the outbreak of war and served through the Gallipoli campaign. He died after a long illness contracted there July 18th.

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On August 24th three women received the legion of honour for their work in connection with the war. They are Lady Michelham, founder of the hospital in the Astoria Hotel, Paris; Mrs. Borden Turner, of Chicago, who has maintained a hospital on Belgian territory since the beginning of the war; and Miss Ivins, of the Scottish Women's Hospital at Royamont. Minister of War Painleve pinned the crosses on them, saluting them on both cheeks in accordance with the custom.

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Rev. W. M. Trivett, son of Rev. S. and Mrs. Trivett, with his wife, are staying at the Rectory, Guysboro. They have just returned from Kiveitah Fas Diocese of Honan, China. It is nearly six years since he left home for the mission field. Mr. Trivett's second son, Lieut. the Rev. A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., is hoping to return to the front early in September. He is going out to take up Y.M.C.A. work. He is now in charge of Y.M.C.A. work at the Base Hospital, Toronto.

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Lieutenant Charlewood Derwent Llwyd, 13th Battalion, B.E.F., younger son of the Dean of Nova Scotia, has been severely wounded in action, and is in hospital in France, where it is hoped he may recover. He was a member of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce when war was declared, but he offered eagerly for service, receiving a lieutenant's commission in the 63rd and leaving as one of the three officers with the second draft of that regiment. He is a fine type of young Canadian manhood and has been in the thick of the fighting for nearly two years, having been awarded the Military Cross for distinguished bravery. A younger son of the Dean is also at the front.

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