

## COMING EVENTS

**"AN EVENING WITH WHITTIER."**  
Literary recital by Mrs. M. Rutchie, Congregational Church, Tuesday evening, November 6th, 8 p.m. 25c. Proceeds to foreign missions.

**THE REGULAR MEETING** of the 215th Auxiliary will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 at the home of Mrs. Harry Cockshutt.

**WAR VETERANS ASSEMBLY** Tonight at the Y. M. C. A., at 6.30 British Red Cross supper begins promptly. A. R. Club members also take notice.

**ALL COMMERCIAL** travellers of both associations (Toronto and London) who have not received invitations to a meeting of commercial men to be held in Y. M. C. A. at 4.30 Saturday, November 10th, will communicate with R. J. Ryerson, 1 Sarah street, Secretary of Committee. All travellers residing in Brantford welcome at the meeting.

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Captain Ball, the English boy pilot, whose record was but two downs under that of Immelman, learned of the presence of the boasted German star behind the enemy lines, challenged him to a duel, and while the fire of the anti-aircraft guns on both sides was withheld, lured him to his death, according to a letter just received in Newark, N. J., says the New York Tribune, from an eyewitness of the affair.

**Duel a Sporting Event**  
The letter, which was written by Colonel William Macklin of the Canadian army, pictured the duel as a rare spectacle that brought the occupants of trenches on both sides of No Man's Land to their feet cheering their own fighter and yearning for an opportunity to bet on "the great sporting event of the war."

"One morning, Capt. Ball, who was behind our trench, heard that Immelman the Falcon was opposite," writes Macklin. "This is the chance I've been waiting for: I'm going to get him," declared Ball. Friends tried to dissuade him, saying the story of Immelman's presence probably was untrue. Ball would not listen.

"Getting into his machine he flew over the German lines and dropped a note which read:

"Captain Immelman:

"I challenge you to a man-to-man fight to take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. I will meet you over the German lines. Have your anti-aircraft guns withhold their fire while we decide which is the better man. The British guns will be silent."

"Ball."

"About an hour afterwards a German aviator swung out across our lines. Immelman's answer came. Challenge is Accepted."

"Translated, it read:

"Your challenge is accepted. The German guns will not interfere. I will meet you promptly at 2."

"Immelman."

Just a few minutes before 2 o'clock the guns on both sides ceased firing. It was as though the commanding officer had ordered a truce. Long rows of heads popped up and all

eyes watched Ball from behind the British lines shoot off and into the air. A minute or two later Immelman's machine was seen across No Man's Land.

"The German flier, the tail of his plane painted red, to represent the British and French blood he had taken, and Ball's, a streak of black paint across its body, to denote the crane on German homes, ascended in wide circles.

From our trenches there were wild cheers for Ball. The Germans yelled just as vigorously for Immelman.

"The cheers from the trenches continued. The Germans increased in volume; ours changed into cries of alarm."

"Ball, thousands of feet above us, and only a speck in the sky, was doing the craziest things imaginable. He was below Immelman and was apparently making no effort to get above him, thus gaining advantage of position. Rather, he was swiveling around, this way, and that, at times it seemed, to postpone the inevitable."

**Falcon Starts Nose Dive**

"We saw the German's machine dip over preparatory to starting the nose down."

"He's gone now," sobbed a young soldier at my side for he knew Immelman's gun would start its raking fire once it was being driven straight down."

"Then, in the fraction of a second the tables were turned."

"Before Immelman's plane could get into firing position, Ball drove his machine into a loop, getting above his adversary and cutting loose with his gun and smashing Immelman by a hail of bullets as he swept by."

"Immelman's airplane burst into flames and dropped. Ball from above followed for a few hundred feet and then straightened out and raced for home. He settled down, rose again, hurried back and released a huge wreath of flowers almost directly over the spot where Immelman's charred body was being lifted from a tangled mass of metal."

**Ball Dies Four Days Later**

"Four days later, Ball, too, was killed."

"He attacked single handed four Germans. He had shot one down and was pursuing the other three when two machines dropped from behind the clouds and closed in on him. He was poked and was killed—but not until he had shot down two more of the enemy."

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## TANKS USED AGAINST TURK

New Leviathans Quite at Home Amid the Shifty Sands

FOE FIGHTS HARD

By Courier Leased Wire

London, Nov. 5.—Continuation of the aggressive campaign by the British forces in Southern Palestine is shown in an official statement to-night.

Pressure against the Turks is being steadily exerted, notably against the coast city of Gaza and also north of Beersheba in the interior. The statement reads:

"The operations against Gaza are continuing, and we are in contact with the enemy north of Beersheba."

"The total number of prisoners captured by us from the commencement of these operations is now 207 officers, and 2,429 men."

London, Nov. 5.—The Reuter correspondent at British Headquarters in Palestine, describing the recent attacks on Gaza, says that tanks participated, adding:

"These leviathans were not entirely at home amid the shifty sands, but, nevertheless, nosed their way into the enemy lines with pachydermatous indifference to machine gun and rifle fire. They lumbered over entanglements and parapets of trenches. The moonlight, exaggerating their huge, unwieldy bulk, the Turks must have regarded them as veritable sons of Eblis."

The correspondent credits the Turk with putting up a stubborn resistance, saying:

"He hangs on to his positions to the last. For instance, a case is reported of a single machine gunner, although completely surrounded, refusing to yield, and it was impossible to knock him out when last heard of."

The Italians attached to one British brigade, says the correspondent, fought with the greatest gallantry.

Eblis, in Mahomedan mythology, was the chief of the Jinn, who refused to worship Adam, and was cast out of heaven. He has since been a great influence for evil in human affairs.

## RAILWAY WAR TAX.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Starting Nov. 1 the United States Government levies a tax of eight per cent on the amount paid by passengers for transportation on railway or steamboats and ten per cent on the amount paid for seats, berths and staterooms in parlor cars, sleeping cars or on vessels. The tax will not apply on commutation tickets for trips less than thirty miles, nor on

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Other Cities Have Done Well. Shall Brantford Do Its Share?

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Quite a Sprinkling  
vets, Writ

Four former Brantford League players—Mal "Mal" Barry, Gabby Dunlop, are in the U.S. army, quartered at Camp Devens, Mass., according to a letter received from Matty. He is optimistic, and is enjoying the life, although he has to hear from his old friends.

Camp Devens, Nov. 5

It has been nearly a

Christmas, if memory serves

correctly. At that time I

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