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### LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Jan. 6, 1919.  
THE COMMONS "BABY."

The youngest Member of the new House of Commons is Lieutenant Oswald Mosley, who has become the Coalition Member for the Harrow Division of Middlesex, defeating an Independent. Lieutenant Mosley completed his 22nd year last month, but, like so many other youngsters of today, is old in experience, for he served on the Western front, and was wounded while with the 16th Lancers. This young man will make his entry into the House of Commons under very novel circumstances, these including an entire breaking up of old party ties and the appearance for the first time of the Labor Party as the official Opposition, a place hitherto occupied by either the Liberal or Conservative party, according to which one was "in" and which was "out." Along with the Liberal party there has been wiped out the Irish Nationalist party and the 73, Sinn Féiners who have replaced that party will, it is understood, not put in an appearance in the House of Commons. As that House would have on its full roster 707 members, with accommodation for only about 600, the absence of the Sinn Féiners will mean an addition to the House's comfort, apart from anything else.

#### FROM WHITEHALL TO THE CITY.

I hear that there is quite keen competition in the City (London's banking and financial district) for the services of men who have "made good" in war work. This applies principally to men who have become temporarily attached to the work of civil direction of the war, but it also applies to certain permanent civil servants who have made reputations during the last four years. In addition, some well known civil servants who have been brought into contact with industry have decided to resign and go into business. One man who represented a Government department at a certain large workshop displayed such initiative there that the firm have induced him to stay with them at a handsome salary. Another civil servant has learned enough of engineering matters to justify him in giving up his post and going into engineering on his own account. The right hand man of a Minister who has had a big say in the civil side of the war has received a tempting offer from a City firm.

#### EX-KAISER'S WAR RESPONSIBILITY.

It appears from information which has reached an authoritative quarter here that the Dutch frontiers authorities have within the past week or so

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seized several boxes of documents which were being surreptitiously despatched from Germany to the ex-Kaiser. That these documents are of a particularly incriminating character, as far as the fallen Monarch's part in the war is concerned, seems to be known; and it is asserted on good authority that they are those whose publication was promised from Munich just over a month ago, which subsequently were asserted to have been abstracted from the Imperial archives in Berlin.

#### AIR RAIDS AND AUTHORSHIP.

It has more than once been observed that the war, despite all its vast possibilities, did not in all its full four years inspire a solitary great poem, picture, or play. That it did not evoke a single brilliant description of any of its leading incidents is mainly due to the censorship, for many a thrilling scene was enacted on the Home Front which would have been splendidly worth telling if only "Dora" had not insisted on reducing to dust and dullness every true effort that was attempted. The natural consequence was that, in the absence of truth, the country was filled with falsehood as to what actually had happened; and while escaping congratulation on safe deliverance from very narrow escapes, London received a plenitude of condolences on casualties that never occurred. When the east and southeast of the capital were again and again bombed, the fact was allowed to be indicated, though only with an approach to full correctness. When on one occasion the West End of London had a taste of the visitation, mention that the fashionable quarter had not even as much as been touched was peremptorily stopped. A bald official record has at last been allowed to be published, but the real thrilling story has still to be told. The misfortune for the cause of exactitude in description is that an author now would have to tell the tale from remembrance and not from first impression, and everyone acquainted with their process knows how widely apart are the two things. Even so, we ought to have a satisfactory chronicle of London's air raid experiences before their memory too far fades.

#### WAR DEPARTMENTS AND SALARIES.

Ample material for the edification of the curious has just been issued by the official publishers in the form of a return showing the new Departments that have been created since the outbreak of war and the names and salaries of the principal officers. The most prominent features of the document are the revelation of the amount of unpaid service which is being rendered to the State. About 350 departments, sub-departments, and branches and special organizations are dealt with, a total to which conspicuous contributors are the Ministry of Munitions, the War Office, the Ministry of Food, and the Admiralty. The names of Lord Pirrie, Controller-General of Merchant Shipping; Sir Joseph Macleay, Minister of Shipping; and Sir Thomas Ball, Deputy Controller of Dockyards and Shipping, appear among those who are unpaid. It may be something of a consolation to some people to know that a large number of the food administrators who are officially designated Controllers, and all the members of the Liquor Control Board are unpaid. Live Sugar Commissioners in Scotland receive salaries of £2,500, Sir Edgar Sanders, general manager of the Liquor Control Board's undertaking at Carlisle, receives £11,900, and J. G. Paterson, general manager in Scotland, receives

\$3,500. At the Ministry of Information, Arnold Bennett (the novelist) was unpaid as Controller of French Propaganda. Colonel John Buchan's salary as Director of Intelligence was \$5,000, and C. F. G. Masterman, who was defeated at the polls at the recent General Election, was lately in receipt of a salary of \$5,000 as Director of the Literature and Art Department. The unpaid at the Ministry of Munitions include Sir John Mann, Controller of Contracts, and Sir John Hunter, member of Council, Brigadier-General A. M. Asquith, Controller of French Warfare, and Sir T. Murray as Chief Labor Adviser is unpaid, with 42s (\$10.50) per day subsistence allowance. As Director of the Scottish Region C. D. Murray, K.C., was in receipt of a salary of \$5,000 from the Ministry of National Service. Andrew Weir draws no salary at the War Office, where he is Surveyor-General of Supply.

#### GUILEFUL SIMPLICITY.

The Germans on occasion have been deceived by the sheer simplicity of the ruses employed to deceive them. Edgar Allan Poe's story went to show that the race generally is easily tricked in this way, though it may be conceded that the German intellect is often researchful to the neglect of the obvious. Two of the illustrations cited are those of a compass which escaped detection because the owner held it in his hand while being stripped and searched, and of a map of the Dutch frontier which also escaped discovery because it was being opened on the wall and was hung with a thick black line, conspicuously labeled the "Hindenburg line." Only recently an officer was telling me that no small part of his time was spent in breaking every rule in the military text-books and in doing precisely the things which no well-regulated German mind would dream that a sane man would do. For example, in putting down an ammunition dump prior to occupying the position with his battery he was spotted by a German plane. The position was at once so heavily bombarded by the German batteries that it was with the utmost difficulty he succeeded in saving his horses. The bombardment was maintained for a considerable time, but when it ceased the officer at once followed out his original intention of planting his battery there. He argued that to the German mind it would be inconceivable that we should deliberately place our guns on a heavily-bombarded position of which the range was accurately known. His confidence was justified by the fact that the battery was never shelled during the whole period of its subsequent occupation of the ground. It was a case of the compass in the hand and the map on the wall, for the guns were all the time under the very nose of the enemy.

ORPHANAGE MEETING.—A meeting of managers of the Church of England Orphanage will be held at Cannon Wood Hall on Monday, Feb. 3rd, at 3 o'clock p.m.



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#### Prohibition or Control.

"In endeavouring to eliminate the ancient liquor problem, which is as old as original sin," says the Quebec Telegraph, "we believe that many protagonists of prohibition have not measured the vastness of the social institution they have been endeavouring to exterminate. As natural as the vineyard has been the ruby of the vine, and so it was regarded in the days of Judaea, when the miracle occurred by which the water was changed to wine at the marriage feast. The factor which so many fail to recognize is that the trouble lies not in the use but in the abuse of spirits. It is, therefore, the abuse which should be remedied, rather than the use which should be banned. That is why the voting for prohibition, followed by a policy of "let the government do it," results in such a ghastly failure, as we see here in Quebec, with drinking going on under the worst conceivable conditions. The old system has been bad, extremely bad. The public bars, with their treating methods, and the whole atmosphere surrounding them, were an influence to be avoided. But it is not time that our intelligent public men set down and thought out a scheme avoiding both the ills of the present prohibition and the bane of the old-time bars. The Telegraph is convinced that wine and beer licenses should be granted under strict Government control, the antiquated bars being converted into something of the nature of workmen's clubs, where diversion, comfort and respectability would be combined under a rigid government supervision. This would be very much along the lines of the celebrated English coffee houses of the eighteenth century. This would be the wise direction of an institution which prohibition, as so far practised, is unable to destroy and seems rather to pervert to baser levels.

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Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

#### The Savior of Bruges.

Citizens of Bruges were greatly puzzled, after the signing of the armistice, by the presence of a German officer in full regalia in and about the city. This officer was at times accompanied by two Belgian officers of the second section of the Belgian general staff, but more often he was in command of ten or twelve German prisoners of war. It is now known that this man saved Bruges from destruction. He was the officer who, during hostilities, was in charge of the work of mining the town and the Zebrugge docks, bridges, etc. After the signing of the armistice he volunteered to remove the caps from the mines. It was dangerous work, and several prisoners were called in to help. Some of the mines were timed to explode ten or twelve days after the departure of the troops.

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It is estimated by U. S. Congressmen opposed to Nation-wide prohibition that it will cost the Government more than \$20,000,000 annually to enforce the bone dry laws on "wet" communities which are unsympathetic to such legislation. A Washington despatch says: "It is believed by experts in the enforcement of prohibition laws in 'wet' territory that it will take more than 100,000 men to keep within decent bounds the moonshiners, blind pigs, blind tigers and bootleggers. This is based on the assumption that there are 600,000 families in the United States who will illicitly manufacture liquor if they can escape detection. It requires at least one revenue agent every five such families."

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