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### THE SITUATION

On a two hundred mile front, the nemy continues in full retreat, and is not too much to think that the il of France in the not distant fuare will be entirely free from the nvaders. The enemy is not only so hard pressed that he cannot make a determined stand of any length at any one point, but in addition the indications also graw that the rank and file are getting out of hand. In addition to the taking of prisoners, guns and territory, a large amount of material is also falling into the hands of the Allies.

British troops are within seven miles of the Valenciennes-Lille railway, which constitutes the main German line of communications, and in the Champagne, French and American troops are pushing ahead in most rapid style.

From the Balkans also comes word of notable Serbian successes.

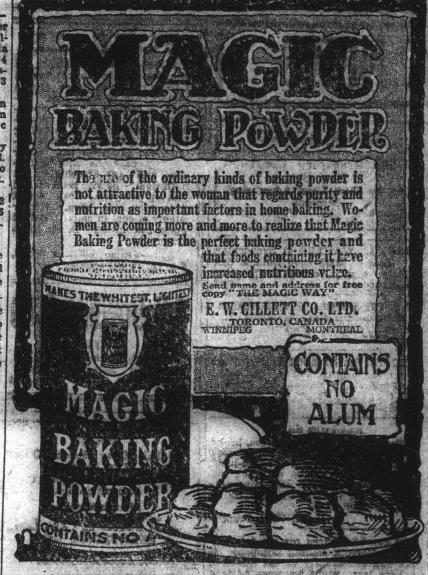
THE INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC. Call it Spanish or what you like the fact remains that one of those recurrent influenza waves is now sweeping this continent as it is also other portions of the world. In its extreme pneumotic form it is a dangerous complaint, but care can do much to avoid that phase of the trouble. In the first place the "flu," as it is generally known, is most decidedly not a thing to be trifled with. The best chance is to go straight to

GERMANY'S OFFSET. By Courier Leased Wire

Paris, Oct. 11.—Semi-official summaries, from comments in the German press issued to-night, indicate that Germany in answer to the demand for an evacuation of occupied territory will ask as an offset the evacuation of German colonies and occupied Turkish territory. According to newspaper comments in Germany Prince Maximilian will have no difficulty in announcing the adoption without restriction of President Wilson's program.







Influenza Take Heavy Tell of Lives in That Town

OTHER NEWS OF PARIS

(From our own Correspondent)

cased was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Micholas P. Sayles, Blue Lake who fortunitely were enabled to the sick list.

Speaking from a personal standpoint, The Courier begs to ask the consideration of readers. The staff of this office and delivery service has been hard fifty along with the rest, and all that can be done is the best possible under very trying circumstances.

RECAT ENTHUSIASM.

By Courier Leased Wire.

New York, Oct. 12.—New York's patrotic fervor, already thrilled with the knowledge of brilliant skies for the Allied armies against Germany was quickened to day when the fighting men of twenty two nations—from five continents and islands in every sea—marched down flash of the century pay.

Day.

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The sudden accidental death of The sudden accidental death of

Following an attack of influenza, Jessie McIntyre; beloved wife of John Schultz, passed away late Wednesday in the 37th year of her age. Deceased had lived nearly all her life in and around Paris, and was well known. She had not been well for some two weeks or so, and went out for a walk to regain her strength, but was almost immediately taken down, and died from pneumonia in a few days at the family residence, Gold street, Paris Station. The remains were laid to rest in Paris cemetery this afternoon. Beside the husband, a family of two sons and three daughters are left to mourn her loss, to whom the sympathy of the community will be extended.

One of the oldest and most highly

One of the oldest and most highly esteemed residents of Paris, in the person of Miss Jane A. Sovereign, esteemed residents of Paris, in the person of Miss Jane A. Sovereign, was laid to rest in the family plot in Paris cemetery this afternoon. Deceased was the youngest daughter of the late Wm, and Diana Sovereign, and was born in Blenheim township, 1 1-2 miles north of Paris on July 20th, 1836. She resided on the farm where she was born until long after her parents' death with her brother, Leonard, and when he passed away over 40 years ago, made her home in Paris, where by her loving and kindly disposition she won the esteem of a wide circle of friends. For upwards of half a century she had, been a devoted member of the Congregational church, and until advancing years prevented her, taught a young laidles bible class there, and for the past 30 years had been the respected treasurer of the Ladies' Ald Society. The services at fife house and grave were conducted by Rev. Mr. Payley. Another victim of the prevailing epidemic of influenza is that of Norman Bell Stewart, which took place last night, in the 29th year of his age. He had only been sick a few days when pneumonla set in,

and despite every effort of nursing and medical attendance, he gradually sank and passed away as above stated. Norman was born in Paris, and was a general favorite with the entire community, his death coming as a shock to all. He leaves a widow and two little children, one but three weeks old, to whom and other sorrowing members of the family

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### Your Problems ?? Solved ??

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D. (All rights reserved.)

Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious care that per-plexes you. If a personal answer is required, enclose a five cent stamp. No names will be pub-lished: if you prefer, sign your stamp. No names will be published; if you prefer, sign your initials only, or use a pseu-

"A Young Woman of Means" is troubled concerning what she should do in life. Commence doing right where you are; do the next thing that comes to your hand. If you retain the noble ambition which you now have you will not long be in doubt as to what you ought to do. "The steps of a good man are ordered of the Lord." Your own aim having been purified you will walk in the light and this will lead you into the Christ life.

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Wealth—"An Economist" asks,
"What are the disadvantages and the advantages of wealth" They are more numerous than I can mention in the space at my disposal. Some of its disadvantages are that it tends to make a man provid and it tends to make a man proud and autocratic. Wealth is power, and it is sometimes used to hurt and not to help. Wealth also is a serious menace to morality, for it gives op-portunities for doing wrong which poor men do not have. On the other hand the advantages of wealth are very many. It can help young men, help business enterprises, help in so-cial service and furnish wings for the gospel angel.

evening for the members of The Cast of "The Prince of Patters" proved a most enjoyable affair, all the parthree weeks old, to whom and other sorrowing members of the family, the heartfelt sympathy of all will be extended in their trouble. The funeral will take place on Sunday afterneon, and is in charge of Grand River lodge, I. O. O. F.

Made the Supreme Sacrifice

Word was received in town yesterday from the military department acting as Patronesses, and helping

The best chance is to go straight to bed upon the appearance of the first rymptoms and to at once send for a medical man. The seizure may be only a cold in the ordinary acceptation of that term, but even so the trouble is preparing the way for a lodgment of the grippe microbe, and herein the necessity for immediate steps to forestall such a contingency should be readily apparent. Then, too, the fact should be borne in mind that the complaint is highly infect thous and that the complaint is highly infect thous and that the complaint is highly infect thous and that all precautions in this regard must be rigitly enforced.

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## WELVENZA RAGES IN CANADA

Thousands of Cases Reported With Many Deaths.

### THOSE WHO ARE MOST SUSCEPTIBLE TO 41

FRUIT-A-TIVES"—The Wonderful Fruit Medicine—Gives the Power To Resist This Disease.

The epidemic of Spanish Influenza which played such havoe in Europe, has reached this continent. Thousands of cases of the strange malady have appeared and many deaths are already reported; Surgeon-General Blue of the United States Public Health Service having stated that

Surgeon-General Blue urges that "the individual take all the precautions he can against contracting the disease by care and personal hygiene". Plenty of exercise should be taken; the dietshould be regulated,

Spanish Influenza affects most severely elderly persons and others whose powers of resistance are weakened by illness, work or worry, especially those who are "run-down" or "not feeling up to the mark."

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pneumonia.

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Everyone can take ordinary precautions, avoid crowded places, and use "Fruit-a-tives" regularly to insure sound digestion, to keep the bowels and kidneys regular and the whole system in the best possible condition. Then we are safe from disease.

runta-tives is sold by dealers verywhere at 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, rial size 25c or sent postpaid on beceipt of price by Fruita-tives imited, Ottawa, Ont.

With the British Army in France, Oct. 11.—(By the Associated Press).

The enemy to-day began an attempt to slow up the Anglo-American advance on the main battle front. All the bridges across the River Selle from Le Cateau southward were blown up and the Carreers. blown up and the Germans seem to have been digging in furiously along the line of the high ground, some 2,000 to 4,000 yards east of the

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