

Ananias Outclassed



Great Fabrication Stakes—Kaiser wins. Ananias also ran.—Bert Thomas in London Opinion.

RUSSIA HAS BIGGEST WAR FLYING MACHINES IN THE WORLD, WHAT MONSTER LOOKS LIKE

A good deal has been heard concerning the British and German aeroplanes, but the great Sikorsky biplanes used by the troops of the Czar have been overlooked.

Tommy Atkins in Paris

(London Mail.) They came in the middle of a three-act film. The light was dim, but several persons sitting near the house were Tommy Atkins and set up a cheer.

BIRTHS

GIBBS—On Dec. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gibbs, 225 City road, a son.

MARRIAGES

HUNTER-BARNES—On Wednesday 16th inst., at the home of the bride's father, 19 Gooderich street, by Rev. Frederick Ross, William Jarriss Hunter, of this city, to Mary Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes.

DEATHS

DRISCOLL—In this city, on the 17th inst., Gertrude E. Driscoll, in the 80th year of her age.

DEERING—In this city on the 15th inst., Patrick Deering, leaving his wife one son and two daughters to mourn.

KELLY—Suddenly, in this city, on the 16th inst., Elizabeth, widow of John Kelly, leaving one son and one daughter to mourn.

SEELY—In this city on the 18th inst., Elmer Seely, youngest son of Roy and Hazel Seely, aged eighteen months.

BANKS—At her late residence, 170 Millidge Avenue, at 5 p. m. on Wednesday, December 16, Esther, wife of J. W. Banks.

McKEEVER—At the Cedars, Long Reach, on the 16th inst., Mary A. widow of Wm. McKeever, in the 78th year of her age, leaving two sons and two daughters and three brothers to mourn.

McGOUEY—In this city on the 17th inst., John J., youngest son of James T. and Minnie McGouey, aged four years.

McALLISTER—In this city, on Dec. 17, James McAllister, in the 74th year of his age, leaving his wife, seven sons and two daughters.

them from talking about Paris. And the surprising bits of information they had picked up.

"What's this 'corondair', the French are always talkin' about?" said Tommy the Big.

"They're so mortal afraid of it," said Tommy. "And the number of people you see in the streets with cotton in their ears. Did you notice that even in the film two actors had cotton stuffed in their ears?"

An artist, too, is Tommy-Atkins. It is in this exceeding addition from the French that Tommy-Atkins constitutes for Tommy the only drawback to Parisian life. A bit of khaki anywhere in Paris is the signal for tremendous applause.

"It makes you almost ashamed to go anywhere," said Tommy the Big, "to have to be clapped at every time you poke your head out of the door."

And now it is time for Tommy Atkins to report at headquarters to Captain D. C. F. McNeill, in charge of the tour.

"If you see that Clapham doctor before I do," says Tommy the Big, "tell him that he's wakin' along an' that I ain't forgot 'ow 'e pulled me through."

Y. M. C. A. BILLIARDS In the Y. M. C. A. senior billiards tournament last evening Mr. Legge defeated R. Peacock, 100-68; Mr. Legge defeated H. O. Bank, 100-81; J. Howard defeated Mr. Dawson, 100-76; E. Barlow defeated Mr. Howard, 100-71; Mr. Howard defeated Mr. Legge, 100-90; Mr. Bank defeated F. W. Simmons, 100-84.

W. H. Allen, of Pennac, N. B., president of the Guides' Association, has issued a circular letter to the members of that body asking their aid in swelling the contribution to the New Brunswick fund, under a provincial contribution to the Guides of New Brunswick's fund.

Andrew Campbell, of Fairville, who has joined the ammunition column, was tendered a reception last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. James McCalkin, of Fairville, with one hundred friends gathered and presented a military wrist watch to him.

Miss Ruth Hooper, daughter of Rev. E. B. Hooper, has returned from Edgely hill school for the Christmas vacation.

Douglas, Ariz., Dec. 16.—J. T. Paxton, British consul here, made a demand today upon Governor Maytorena, now before Naco, for the immediate release of H. P. Mesker, a British subject, who is held by Mexican officers on charges of having aided Carranza partisans to escape into Sinaloa.

A New York clubman tells of a quaint character he met while on a hunting trip in Canada last summer. This man was of French extraction and proud of a friend of his in New York one Gaston Lespinasse, of whom he talked constantly.

"You live in New York?" he at once asked when the Gothamite appeared. "I do."

"You know Gaston Lespinasse?" "No, I don't think I ever heard of him."

Advertisement for Gillett's Lye Soap, featuring an image of the product and text: 'FOR MAKING SOAP SOFTENING WATER DISINFECTING CLOSETS, DRAINS SINKS, &c'

Advertisement for a Great Stir in the Ladies' Coat Department, mentioning a half-price sale of ladies' coats.

Advertisement for M.P.E.J. and Tomorrow, featuring a portrait of a man.

Advertisement for Canada in the War, mentioning a circular letter from the Guides' Association.

Advertisement for Personal, mentioning the death of Miss Gertrude E. Driscoll.

Advertisement for the Best Quality at a Reasonable Price, for Christmas gifts.

Advertisement for Finest of Christmas Gifts—A Diamond, mentioning Sharp's stock of diamonds.

Advertisement for Special Prices to Fill Stockings, listing various goods and prices.

Advertisement for Divisional Ammunition Column Orders by Major W. H. Harrison, Commanding.

Advertisement for L. L. Sharpe & Son, Jewelers and Opticians, located at 21 King Street, St. John N. B.

Advertisement for Delicatessen Special for Friday, listing various food items.

Advertisement for Child Dead, mentioning the death of a young child.

Large advertisement for Xmas is Upon Us by J. Marcus, 30 Dock Street, featuring a picture of a Christmas tree and text about Xmas gifts.

Advertisement for Make Your Xmas Gift a Useful One, featuring an image of a kitchen range and text about useful gifts.

Advertisement for Local News, mentioning a nine more days to do your Christmas shopping.

Advertisement for Funeral Postponed, mentioning the funeral of Patrick Deering.

Advertisement for Reasonable, mentioning 500 pairs of felt slippers for men, women and children.

Advertisement for The Great Transfer Sale, mentioning a chance to save 30 to 40 per cent on your Christmas shopping.

Advertisement for In Poland, mentioning the Austro-German flanking operations in the Carpathians.

Advertisement for The War, mentioning the Russian lines of communication.

Advertisement for Makes Feat All, mentioning the Petrograd correspondent of the Post.

Advertisement for The More Important, mentioning the Dardanelles by a British submarine.

Advertisement for Kaiser's Son Better, mentioning Prince August William, fourth son of the Kaiser.

Advertisement for Discount Rate the Same, mentioning the Bank of England remains unchanged at five per cent.

Advertisement for Too Late for Classification, mentioning a commercial traveler who smoked cigar on the porch of a hotel.

Advertisement for Coal! Coal!, mentioning Scotch and American Anthracite.

Advertisement for Furnished Rooms, mentioning 305 Union Street.

Advertisement for Wanted, mentioning a good pool table at low price.

Advertisement for Scenes Today in the Towns, mentioning the bombardment by German.

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