

COMING EVENTS

SOLDIERS Y. M. C. A. WORK, Wednesday and Thursday, 16th and 17th. Major G. W. Birks and Capt. W. A. Cameron to speak at men's luncheon, Kerby House, noon Wednesday. Mass meeting, Zion Church, same evening, 8.15. Back our boys through the Y.M.C.A.

Too Late to Classify

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WANTED—Housekeeper by June 1st. Two in family; middle aged lady preferred. Box 200 Courier.

BIRTH NOTICES

FOSTER—To Mr. and Mrs. M. Foster, Wednesday, May 16th, 1917, a daughter.

MITCHELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Mitchell, Jr., 24 Richmond St., May 15th, 1917, a son.

DEATH NOTICES

TATTERSALL—In Grandview, May 15th, 1917, Louisa Henry, widow of the late James Tattersall. The funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. W. J. Craig, 113 Grand St., on Thursday afternoon. Service at the house at 2:30, and at St. James' Church at 3 p.m. Thence to Greenwood cemetery.

McMILLAN—Mrs. Jennie McMillan on May 14th, at the home of her daughter, rs. Arthur Hawley, 71 Dundas St. Funeral from St. James' Church, Hespeler, on Thursday, May 17, to Hespeler Cemetery. Services at 71 Dundas St. on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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EXCLUDE ULSTER FROM HOME RULE

Irish Settlement Proposal is Officially Made Public in London

DUBLIN PARLIAMENT
From Which South East Ulster Would be Excluded

FORM GRAND COUNCIL
For Transaction of Common Business of Country

London, May 16.—The Times' announcement of the Government's Irish plan follows:

"The proposals of the Government Irish settlement will be in the hands of the Irish party leaders on Wednesday. It is understood the following are the chief heads of the scheme:

"First—Immediate establishment of an Irish Parliament in Dublin.

"Second—Exclusion of South-east Ulster by clean cut.

"Third—Formation of a Grand Council, consisting of equal proportions of members of the Dublin parliament, to transact all common business between the excluded area and the rest of Ireland, and to have power to direct, if it thinks fit, any enactment the Dublin parliament shall apply to the excluded area.

"It will be seen that the government has not adopted the expedient of exclusion by county option which for a time fascinated the Nationalists, but apparently attracts them no longer. Partition is avoided, and the essential unity of Ireland preserved by the device of a Grand Council, which it is hoped would pave the way for a fuller and more intimate union in its general attitude. The government's reasons for first acquiescing in the Irish party leaders with the proposals can be explained as follows: The Nationalists declined to negotiate with the government. On this occasion neither they or Ulster Unionists have any foreknowledge from official sources of the government's scheme. The government laid down two fundamental conditions. The first that it is absolutely impossible to coerce Ulster in any way. The second is that it is impossible if they excite controversy. There is neither time nor atmosphere for contentions of business. Unless therefore some measure of agreement between two Irish parties can be secured the scheme cannot go forward."

BOYS DRAFTED TO FEE FRONT LINE TRENCHES

Youths Had Reached German Front Only an Hour Before Attack Opened
SHORTAGE IS SERIOUS
Proof That Evacuation of Vimy Was Enforced

By Courier Leased Wire.
(By Stewart Lyon, Canadian Press Correspondent in France)

Canadian Army Headquarters, May 16.—Some prisoners recently taken on this front are far below the general standard of physique of the enemy troops. It has been learned that in the disastrous attack at Arras on Friday last, the troops employed by the Germans include drafts of eighteen year old lads who had reached the front only an hour before the attack was made. This indicates the serious shortage experienced by the enemy troops on this front.

The artillery of the Canadian corps continues to be engaged all day in duels with the enemy guns in Lens and the regions south and east with the most satisfactory results. Many direct hits have been obtained during the past two days and the German fire has materially lessened. A relative calm exists to-day because a heavy mist prevails, making aerial observation impossible.

The most remarkable testimony yet obtained as to the importance attached to Vimy Ridge in the enemy's defensive scheme is contained in a recently captured document in which a commander tells his officers of his desire that every officer and man of the first Bavarian reserve division should be acquainted with the decisive importance of Vimy Ridge. "The first Bavarian division," he stated, "will be called upon in the impending defensive battle to hold these commanding heights, which we are strengthening down to the last man. The more energetically we work at the consolidation of this position the more calmly shall we be able to contemplate the coming tremendous attack which will decide the campaign."

This order, together with the detailed instructions as to the procedure to be followed in resisting the expected attack was sent out on March 1 from the command post of the northern group of the enemy's armies. It disposes of the ridiculous

THE PLAN

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25c Medicated Skin Soap..... 2 for 26c
10c Intense Perfumes..... 2 for 11c
50c Orange Sticks..... 2 for 51c
50c Flexible Nail Files..... 2 for 51c
10c Shampoo Powders..... 2 for 11c
10c Wash Cloths..... 2 for 11c
10c Sympic Pencils..... 2 for 11c
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ITALIANS LAUNCH FRESH CAMPAIGN

New Offensive From Tolmino to the Sea on Julian Front

London, May 15.—The Italians took the offensive Monday. The Italian War Office announced that considerable progress was made in the Piave area, on the slopes of Monte Cucco and on the hills east of Gorizia and Verbolizza.

The Italians also made a thrust in the northern sector of the Carso. They reached the wrecked lines of the enemy east of Dosso Fatti and took prisoners.

The Austrian official communication as received here says that after three days' artillery preparation an Italian attack was begun Monday against the Austrian isoazo army on a front of more than 40 kilometres. The Italians at many points collapsed before the Austrian fire, says the communication, and at one point threw away their equipment and retreated in complete disorder. Wherever the Italians reached Austrian trenches they were repulsed in hand-to-hand fighting, and at some points were chased back to their own positions.

"In their strong defence yesterday," the communication says, "our troops achieved complete success."

The enemy left in our hands more than 1,600 prisoners and several machine guns. The battle continues without interruption."

The Italian statement reads: "Julian front—From Tolmino to the sea the destructive fire of our artillery, directed against strong enemy positions, yesterday morning reached great intensity and was vigorously answered by numerous hostile batteries of all calibres."

"Toward noon our infantry made several raids on various points along the front, which led to considerable progress in the Piave area, on the slopes of Monte Ucco and on the hills east of Gorizia and Verbolizza."

"At the same time our troops made a thrust in the northern sector of the Carso and reached the wrecked enemy lines east of Dosso Fatti, capturing prisoners."

"The infantry actions continue, supported by artillery and trench mortars, which are keeping the enemy artillery in check. Numbers of prisoners are beginning to arrive."

"The aircraft activity also was very considerable. During the morning our machines bombed enemy positions in the neighborhood of Chiapovano. In the afternoon, a strong squadron of our aeroplanes dropped about 200 bombs on encampments and supply columns, and on the enemy's lines of communications east of Gorizia. Our airmen, flying at about 100 metres, opened fire with their machine guns on enemy troops there assembled and dispersed them. All of our machines returned."

"On the remainder of the front the enemy attempted various attacks in force on our advanced positions north-west of Tolmino and on the Asiago plateau. All were unsuccessful and resulted in severe casualties to our assailants."

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PEACE CONGRESS

By Courier Leased Wire.
Amsterdam, via London, May 16.—A Budapest despatch says that the Hungarian society of journalists has decided to ask the International Union of Journalists to call a congress of members to discuss the question of a speedy peace. Journalists in all neutral and belligerent countries will be asked to attend, and it is planned to hold the congress in some neutral capital.

RUSS STATION BOMBED

By Courier Leased Wire.
Berlin, via London, May 16.—The Admiralty issued the following today:
"Russian seaplanes latterly have tried on several occasions to hamper the activity of our outpost vessels north of the Courland coast. Therefore the Russian flying station was bombed extensively on Sunday."

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SPORT

CASEY'S COMEBACK
The Mudville fans were sick and sore for many a summer. And through the gloom in Mudville town there shone no cheering ray. For the theme of every gossip, talk in every hall, Was how the mighty Casey had failed to hit the ball.

And Mudville scorned the mighty man who failed to win a fray. They found their golden idol made of common clay; They called him every epithet the scorn could conjure up, And everybody shunned him from the Mayor to the pup.

That same old club came back one day that beat the Mudville nine, That same old pitcher graced the slab and smiled a smile benign. The Mudville fans looked on aghast and 'twas with aching hearts For Mudville veterans didn't have a look-in from the start.

The baseball battle fiercely raged beneath a scorching sun, And in the last of the nine all the score stood two to no. Then Flynn again hit safely, to wonderment of all, And Blake again lambasted the pitcher from the ball.

Five thousand shouting fans wild and beat the torrid Pop bottles showered the grove like rain and gleamed diamonds there. They flashed the message to town where whistles screamed like sin, And even the church bells started loose and swelled the deafening din.

In the coacher's box the manager pranced wildly up and down, He challenged nations to a fight, He blessed the good old town, He yelled and whistled, pawed the air and gazed at the low And then he stood as petrified—now was Casey's chance!

His eye shot toward the mound, bench where lonely Casey sat, His cap pulled deep upon his head, His teeth sunk in his bat, He saw the fire in Casey's eyes, saw his look of hate—And then in accents hoarse and harsh he called him to plate.

And from five thousand throats more there rose a dissonant groan.

The faces in the stands went white, the bleachers gave a moan, the field was a madhouse of black and awful pit. For Casey—he who lost that game—was asked to get a hit.

But Casey grimly grabbed his bat, and at the plate he stood. The pitcher smiled, the catcher laughed behind his wry face, And Casey's face went red with wrath, and then grew deadly pale.

For once he knew how feels the pitcher with a tin can at his tail.

The first one over was too wide, the umpire called it "foul," (He ought to have been flayed at it, and roasted then and there, the second one was far too low, the umpire yelled "strike!"

And round the soul of Casey's air grew strangely blue.

A deathlike stillness gripped the field, and even the groans had died. There were no cheers for Casey now, but only "Drat! hide!"

And again the pitcher loosed his ball, and again—But was that?

It sounded like the crack of doom, but it came from Casey's bat!

Ten thousand eyes then saw the ball as it had been shot from out some rifted cannon mouth—and it travelled a long hot

It swirled aloft o'er center field, the sky's clear blue was riven, and it rapidly became a speck, then vanished from the view.

And then five thousand throats leaped up and yelled like mad, gone mad—

Ten thousand arms waved furiously and hats went to the bad.

Agreeing with

YEE-E-YOW-W!
BAW! WAUGH!



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