

The Abnormal Development

of the GIRAFFE is remarkable, but the abnormal development of the demand for SUNLIGHT SOAP is still more remarkable.

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Divorced Life

A Pleasant Compact

"So you are really leaving to-morrow?" questioned Marian. Barker was certain that he detected a bit of sadness in the girl's voice.

"How about a quiet stroll through the park?" Then we can wind up at some quaint place for dinner. It's a gorgeous afternoon, and I'm strong for a walk.

"Do you know, Mr. Barker," said Marian presently, looking seriously ahead, "I've really enjoyed meeting and knowing you. You've meant much to me. I haven't felt free to talk to many of my friends, but I feel a sort of sympathetic something about you that rests me."

"Well, why can't I become one?" rejoined Barker cheerfully. "That relationship would be splendid," he added, "but just think of all the worry I would cause you, always telling you my troubles." They had reached a secluded spot in the park, and Barker

er added abruptly: "Doesn't this grass look tempting? Let's rest a little in this quiet spot." "These little spots of green are wonderful here in New York," said Marian dropping gracefully upon the turf. "I never knew what grass meant to one before coming to almost grassless New York."

Barker seated himself beside her, and Marian, noting the handsome contour of his head and his strong, well-built figure, thrilled with a delicious sense of near-possession. With a little effort, she felt that she could win this man, and she had to fight a strong impulse to indulge in a little flirtation. She felt afraid of herself, afraid of those impetuous impulses which so often had hidden her so exactly what she did not want to do.

"Come, come, all this seriousness on a day meant for fun!" broke in Barker, after watching her in silence for a moment. "Remember I am a student for a good time to-day. No room for sadness."

"I told you what I was thinking about," smiled Marian. "I'm afraid you'd feel terribly flattered." "Don't make me believe you were thinking of me, and then throw cold water on me," protested Barker. He drew a little closer, but Marian did not move away.

To Kill Extortion.

(The 'World,' New York.) One of the most notable despatches yet received from the seat of war in Europe was that which embraced these sentences:

Living in Brussels is not expensive. A little meat and plenty of vegetables take one a long way. Even the very poor can afford such a dinner in Brussels.

Brussels is the capital of Belgium, a kingdom embracing territory less in extent than that of the State of Maryland. Its population is almost as great as that of the States of Illinois and Indiana combined. It has more inhabitants to the square mile than any other nation in the world. Although most of the able-bodied men of the kingdom are under arms, although on one side it is overrun by a great hostile army, and although

the other it is occupied by a friendly allied force as large or larger, there is as yet no pinch of famine. The food is held in a ruthless manner, not seized upon the occasion for profit. The very poor as well as the very rich supply their wants at prices which the 'World' correspondent describes as 'extraordinarily cheap.'

What is the situation in New York, 3,000 miles from the theatre of war? Here everything that sustains life has mounted in price. Loaves of bread are shrinking in size. Weights and measures are being clipped. A cent here, a nickel there, a dime more for that, and a dollar more for that, accentuate the most shameless robbery ever perpetrated upon a free people at peace with all the world.

Not long ago a member of Congress asked attention to the alleged fact of American cities New York alone column grimly headed "Starvation." That is a disease of which, with death

Advertisement for J.M. Devine's Big Ten Days Sale. Text: "Come up to DEVINE'S on the Corner of Water and Adelaide Streets. BIG TEN DAYS SALE. All Goods Marked Down. Great time to BUY Men's Shirts, Overalls, Caps, Etc. J.M. Devine THE RIGHT HOUSE"

This Date in History.

AUGUST 31. New Moon—21st. Days Past—242 To Come—122. BATTLE OF KANDAHAR, 1850, when General Roberts relieved the city after a magnificent march from Kabul. QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS born 1859. Wilhelmina, who succeeded her father William III, in 1890. JOHN BUNYAN died 1688, aged 60. In 1655 he began to preach in the villages and his graphic discourses had a powerful effect upon his hearers. In 1660 he was convicted "as a common upholder of several unlawful meetings and conventicles," and was committed to Bedford Jail, where he remained for seven years. "Pilgrim's Progress" was begun during this imprisonment and finished during a second term in 1675 of six months. He wrote many books of religious character. In prayer it is better to have a heart without words, than words without a heart.

Our Volunteers.

Appended are the names of the Volunteers who enrolled Saturday evening at the C. L. B. Armoury, making a total of 457 to date:

- Thos. Humphrey, Walt Radford, Fred J. Walsh, Leo P. O'Leary, W. J. Neville, Ernest C. Churchill, Stan. G. Goudie, Gerald Harvey, Reginald Harvey, Fred. Garf, Stephen King, Joseph A. O'Leary, Rd. Fleming, Gordon Green, Wilf. Dawe, Harold Lidstone, Edwin H. Cornick, M. Jos. Madigan, Chas. P. Spurrell, W. S. Courtney, Reg. G. Green, Chas. F. Garland, Rd. Jos. Woods, Martin B. Burke, John F. Donovan, Joe. Evans, Chas. Ellis, Geo. Martin, Wm. J. Dalton, Constantine A. Mayer, S. T. Lodge, Donald B. Simmonds, Herb. S. Heater, Samuel Dave, Wm. T. Newell, Wm. F. Harby, P. Herbert Knight, Andrew Chapter, Duncan J. McLean, T. Cockerham, J. Edg. Henderson, A. D. Fitzgerald, Elbert H. Churchill, Don Phillar, A. Jos. Manning, T. C. Carmichael, Ralph W. Turk, John S. Cashin, Dan J. Corcoran, Walt. T. Wyatt, Jas. Oliver, Frank Davis, Wm. J. Dalton, Constantine A. Mayer, A. P. Hartly, Thomas J. Ryan, Chas. M. Peet, Chas. R. James, Wm. J. Dalton, Constantine A. Mayer, Gordon B. Snow, Albert Thistle.

St. John's Vessel Abandoned at Sea.

The barquentine Galatea, Capt. Vatcher, has been abandoned at sea and her crew were rescued and brought into Cardiff, where they are being cared for by Messrs. James Baird, Ltd., her late owners. The vessel was on her way to this port from Alicante, when she met her fate. The Galatea was one of our best known fish carriers and made history here a few years ago when she figured in the Baird confagration and was burned to the waters edge, afterwards being re-built and re-classed. Master G. Power, who was on board, was on the vessel to make the round trip.

Barley Escaped With His Life.

Hon. H. J. B. Woods, Postmaster General, was in receipt of the following message yesterday from Mr. W. Shano, Newfoundland Postal Officer at North Sydney: "An I. C. R. train collided with a big baggage truck to-day at N.S., striking the corner of one building, shifting it 7 feet from its foundation, and doing a lot of damage to the whole building. I have reported the matter to the agents, and will report as soon as he goes over the damage, but work will not be interfered with in replacing and repairing. Barely escaped with my life. Was all alone in the office at the time."

and havoc on all sides of it. Brussels as yet knows nothing. Inspectors and teachers attached to New York's public-school system have found that one of the most serious causes of backward scholarship on the part of young children is hunger. That is a social evil which evidently does not menace the crowded population of Brussels, with a million of men in conflict all about it. The scarcity now reflected in this city in the outrageous prices at which food is held is not the legitimate result of war. It is the result of greed. It is not due to shortage. It is due to speculation. It is not a consequence of any convulsion of nature. It is a consequence of a corner. It has no relation to existing supplies, which are abundant and with no immediate outlet. It relates to a ruthless gamble in futures and is based altogether upon the hope that in time devastation in Europe will enable food gamblers here, with governmental assistance, to exact famine prices for their hoarded supplies. Meantime, what are we to do? Those who suggest an export duty are ignorant of the Constitution. Solemn investigations of notorious facts are worse than farces. Public meetings get nowhere. Charity, always blessed, must fall short. Denunciations are ineffective. There is only one complete remedy. If the pirates who are seizing the food supply of America do not instantly relax their hold, Congress should temporarily prohibit exports of grain and provisions. It is a crime to open new markets for men who, coldly calculating upon the forthcoming panic in those markets, are now, in a year of plenty, drawing blood from their own countrymen.

The United States is a sovereign power. It is menaced to-day only by conspiracy and extortion at home. To kill that evil force and lift it outright will be a greater victory than any European army in this struggle can gain, no matter at what bloody sacrifice.

War News.

LORD ROBERTS IMPRESSIVE.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, Aug. 30. Lord Roberts, in a speech in London, last night, declared that the country was in great danger. "There was no use in mincing words," he said, "defeat would mean ruin, shame and slavery. Our soldiers are fighting bravely," said Lord Roberts, "but they are lamentably few, and it is the duty of every able-bodied man to see that the Army is maintained at its full strength. Women must not stand in the light of their sons' and husbands' duty."

GERMAN LOSSES GREATLY EXCEED BRITISH.

LONDON, Aug. 30. Field Marshal French reports that the German losses in the battle from the 23rd to the 28th, were out of all proportion to the British forces.

CASUALTIES OFF HELIGOLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 30. The Admiralty announces that the British casualties in the naval engagement off Heligoland, were two officers and twenty-seven men killed, and nineteen men seriously injured, and nineteen lightly wounded.

PRINCE ALBERT INVALIDED HOME.

ABERDEEN, Aug. 30. The Hospital ship Retalla, yesterday, landed forty sick men from the British fleet. The invalids include Prince Albert, second son of King George, who has been taken to a nursing home. He was attached to the battleship Collingwood.

GERMAN ADVANCE CHECKED.

PARIS, Aug. 30. According to the newspaper 'La Liberté,' the Germans have penetrated a short distance further on the River Somme. The British in conjunction with the French left wing, have resumed the offensive. Further west, the French have checked the enemy's advance guard. At the other extremity of the line, on the Meuse, the French are offering a strenuous and successful resistance which extends along nearly the whole front.

BRITISH LOSE 6,000 IN FOUR DAYS.

LONDON, Aug. 30. Field Marshal French estimates that the British losses on the 28th and 29th August, at six thousand.

BERLIN REPORTS TURKEY JOINING THE FRAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30. Active participation by Turkey against England and Russia, is foreshadowed by news from Constantinople, according to a wireless dispatch received from Berlin by the German Embassy here.

AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMY CROSSES THE RHINE.

ROME, Aug. 29. A despatch from Basel, Switzerland, says that the Austro-German army corps and a great quantity of siege artillery have crossed the Rhine.

BERLIN REPORTS DEFEAT OF RUSSIAN ARMY.

BERLIN, Aug. 29. News of the defeat of five Russian army corps to the South of Allenstein is made public here to-day. It is said to insure the safety of the German flank.

ITALIAN ULTIMATUM AGAIN REPORTED.

LONDON, Aug. 29. A Paris correspondent of the 'Express' says that the following ultimatum: "Am informed Italy will put an ultimatum to Austria requiring explanation of Austrian mobilization on the Italian frontier. Only brief period will be given for the answer and within a short time Italian troops are expected to be in Trieste."

Patriotic Meeting AT ST. LAWRENCE.

Special to Evening Telegram. ST. LAWRENCE, To-day. A full house and patriotic meeting was held in the C. A. Hall, Rev. Fr. Maher delivered an interesting and instructive lecture on Belgium, the present theatre of the war. At the close of his address, a patriotic resolution was put and carried amidst the greatest enthusiasm. Cheers for King and Empire and the singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close. V. P. TURPIN, Chairman. JOS. CONNORS, Secretary.

Bank Boys Who Will Go to the Front.

(Toronto News.) Regarding the members of its staff who will go to the front, the Canadian Bank of Commerce has issued the following statement: "We have made careful enquiries as to the number of men who were likely to go to the front, and found that fully 20 per cent, about 400 men, could be called upon for military service, and we are arranging to assist every member of our staff who goes to the front, and we will hold open the position vacated by the recruit until he returns. "The question of the payment of the salaries of those who may be elected to go on service is now under consideration by the board, and we are sure that the staff will be satisfied with the decision which shall be reached."

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind S.W. with dense fog and rain. The steamers Regs and Nor passed west, Portia and Ruthema east Saturday evening; nothing sighted since. Bar. 29.30, Ther. 56.

Advertisement for Berry Picking Parties! by AYRE & SONS, LTD. Text: "When you go into the country you will need a Basket or some Picnic Supplies. Then you are sure to need a Skellet or Jam Pots. We have the goods. Buy when you need them." Lists items like BASKETS, JAM SPOONS, JAM POT COVERS, etc.

His Grace the Archbishop

PREACHES ON WAR.

At Vespers last evening in the R. C. Cathedral His Grace the Archbishop occupied the pulpit and after announcing the present war and its disastrous consequences in view of the crisis confronting us on account of such a terrible war he exhorted the congregation to live economically and to provide as well as possible for the approaching winter season. Referring to the prayers for peace "Pro Pace," which are being said every day in the Mass since the declaration of war, His Grace pointed out that there would be special prayers also and in which all the people could join in prayers of supplication for our nation which is engaged in the terrible struggle and prayers for the speedy restoration of peace in the world. On Thursday next, September 3rd, His Grace announced there would be High Mass (Pre grave tempore Belli) celebrated in the Cathedral at 10 a.m., and in the evening from 7 to 8 o'clock the Blessed Sacrament would be exposed, followed by the Litany, prayers and Benediction. Until the war has ceased, His Grace continued, once a week on every Friday evening from 7 to 8 there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. He exhorted all to attend the ceremonies and earnestly for peace. These devotions and prayers will be offered up in every church of the Diocese.

Quartermaster H. Outerbridge, of the Newfoundland Regiment, was

acquainted by Mr. Vincent Jones, of Grand Falls, Saturday, that the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company will provide, free of charge, floor coverings for the camps at Pleasantville. The Reid Company have offered to bring the material to the city without freight charge.

Here and There.

POMERANIAN LEFT.

The Allan Liner Pomeranian left Liverpool on Saturday evening for this port.

FISH CARGO.

The schr. Little Secret has cleared from Marystown for Oporto with 2,820 quintals of codfish.

TWO FROM ST. GEORGE'S.

Two volunteers, belonging to the West Coast, who enlisted and passed their examinations at St. George's, came to town by Saturday evening's train.

FIRNESS LIVE SHIPS.

The Digby arrived at Liverpool Saturday afternoon. She sails again for this port on September 8th. The Kanawha sailed from London for here on Saturday afternoon.

STORM DELAYS TRAIN.

A heavy south east gale and rain storm raged on the West Coast yesterday afternoon. In consequence the incoming express was delayed as she had to wait at Doyle's station until the storm subsided.

PORTIA RETURNS.

The S.S. Portia, Capt. J. Kean, got back from the westward at noon Saturday bringing the following passengers: Messrs. Peel, Thistle, Costello, Vigus, Barker, Matheson, Lawlor; Misses Howlett, Crew, Pike, Parnell, Woods and 29 in staterage.

BACK FROM THE NORTH.

The S. S. Fogota, Capt. Dalton, arrived back from the northward on Saturday, after a quick round trip. Those who came on the ship reports an improvement in the fishery and handliners have done well within the past week owing to squid striking in.

VISITED CAMPS.

Sergt-Major Dicks with his staff of assistants is doing good work in the erection of tents, etc., at Pleasantville. Yesterday hundreds of people visited the grounds and were favourably impressed.

"Robespierre"

In Three Reels—A Wonderful Production.

The Crescent Picture Palace should be crowded to-day and to-morrow, when the great three-reel, 3,000 feet long, special feature "Robespierre," a remarkable story of the French Revolution. This clever production which is voted to be the best release of the I.M.P. Company, is termed by the Censors as a remarkable achievement and is looked upon as the last word in motion pictures. "Curious Salamander, of Mexico," is an interesting reel of funny fish and their habits; "Oh, What a Dream" is the comedy that is worth white seeing. Another attractive item will be the renditions of the prima donna, who first will sing "The Flower Song" from Faust, and secondly "Mary of Argyle." Miss Clark will appear in character costumes and the accompanist Prof. Spencer will be heard in new selections. See "Robespierre" and hear the prima donna, and think over the feature for Wednesday and Thursday, "The Female of the Species."

Volunteer Notes.

Mr. Ronald Legge, brother of the Rev. A. E. Legge, and son of Mr. Legge, C. of E. Teacher at Petty Harbor, who has been away from Newfoundland for eight years, residing in Bradon, Manitoba, has volunteered for foreign service and joined a Canadian Regiment. Mr. Alex. A. Jackson, son of Mr. J. Jackson, commission merchant, is with the Twelfth Division of Cavalry, fighting in Belgium. "Hard, but please yourself, trust God, honour the King," was the reply sent by Sergeant March, of Old Perlican, when he was acquainted by his son Charles that he had enlisted as a volunteer. Sydney has sent an artillery contingent to Valcartier. Two Newfoundlanders named Richard Fry and Frank Adams are on the roll.

Advertisement for Censored War News Reveals One Fact. Text: "In the meagre reports from European war centers, this fact stands out—that all Europe is arming and that food supplies are already becoming scarce. Prices here in America are rising to keep pace with European demand, but regardless of demand, the price will not advance on Grape-Nuts FOOD. Enormous quantities of wheat and barley have been bought for making this delicious, nourishing food. And in spite of any advance in the price of grain, Grape-Nuts food will Cost same as Always—Everywhere. For many years Grape-Nuts packages have been tightly sealed in waxed paper—moisture and germ proof—the food always fresh and appetizing. Huge orders from Europe show that their home folks and Armies know and appreciate the sturdy value of Grape-Nuts food. "There's a Reason" —sold by Grocers everywhere. Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.