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THE SITUATION

The German-Bulgarian army scored its first success against Roumania by capturing a fort not far distant from Bucharest. The Germans claim to have secured twenty thousand prisoners, but most of the Berlin despatches have recently been unworthy of belief.

The Roumanians have scored successes from the Dvina river to the Carpathians and the Austrians admit retreat in order to escape envelopment.

At two points the Roumanians have administered defeat to Austrian forces.

It is said that the Huns have poured fresh troops to the Somme front, where the Allies are preparing for another big drive.

General Smuts reports from German East Africa that two of the forts have surrendered.

A significant illustration of how the German mind is dulled to the world detestation which their Kultur has aroused is to be found in the fact that Prof. Muensterberg, of Harvard University, writing to the New York Times, suggests that after the war, the most natural step will be an alliance between England, Germany and the States, which he says would prove "invincible".

WOMEN IN THE KRUPP WORKS.

The "Engineer" of London devotes a lengthy article to the above subject.

From the fact is learned that on August 1st, 1914, the Krupp works gave employment to 36,880 men and 1241 women, the latter exclusively in such capacities as charwomen or saleswomen or assistants in the various shops and other establishments supplying the Krupp workmen.

By April 1st, 1916, the number of women had increased to 13,023, mostly in the ammunition departments, and the number of men had increased to 55,349. By the summer of 1916 it was believed that over 14,000 women were employed.

This force works in two shifts of twelve hours each, with an hour and a half for meals. These long hours of labor, enforced conditions of military necessity, and without doubt poor and insufficient food have had most serious effect on the work people, especially the women, and there has been an extraordinary amount of sickness. Extraneous among the female employees in 1915 amounted to 76.60 per cent, with an average duration of 15.18 days for the men and 12.02 days for the women.

Many of the women employees are either the widows or wives of soldiers serving at the front and having dependent children, and their employment is the sole source of support of a number of persons, and in addition to the Krupp works women are being generally employed in Germany. In some machine shops and manufacturing plants as many as 80 per cent. of the operatives are women.

In Germany has led to a movement in favor of compulsory government service for women analogous to military service for men, required of all except those physically incapacitated or prevented by motherhood.

Their pay is low, and it is pointed out that whereas twenty-six leading German companies showed an aggregate surplus for the last quarter of 1915 of about \$3,500,000, or twice as much as in the first quarter, the average cost of labor has only increased twelve per cent.

ACTION OF U.S. SENATE AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN.

The residents of the United States for the most part, do not recognize and do not believe that the Allies in the present war are incidentally fighting as much for the interests of Uncle Sam as for their own.

This, however, is the undoubted truth, although it could not be knocked into the head of the average Uncle Samite with a bludgeon.

Where would the States be with Germany victorious? Without any doubt dragooned and humiliated like the rest of the world, with their hyphenated residents mightily pleased over the fact.

Except for supplying war materials at large profits, our neighbors have not taken any part in a struggle which involves American future interests and welfare as much as those of any other land. The very least they could have done under the circumstances was to leave the allied powers unhampered by any act on their part, but such a thing was evidently too much to expect from a country filled with petty politicians.

Their chief cause for grievance is that John Bull "blacklisted" certain U. S. concerns controlled by, or in alliance with, Germans. He simply told his people not to deal with them, as he had a perfect right to do, but the opportunity offered was too much for the tail-twisters, Congress, accordingly, in reply, has declared for shipping reprisals against "the Entente powers," but everyone knows that it is Great Britain they are after.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

"The Globe has taken no oath of allegiance to Sir Sam Hughes. It is not treason to tell the truth about Canada's Minister of Militia."—Toronto Globe.

The trouble is that the organ has evidently taken an oath to lie about him.

H. G. Wells, the famous British author, upon his return from a visit to the front, exclaimed: "The Germans will have begun to squeal by November and the war will end by March." Seven months, eh? It is a promising prophecy, but not at all likely to be fulfilled.

Laurier is to give a public address shortly in London, Ontario. While there, he ought to explain why he fathered an attempt in the Dominion House to give parliamentary contempt to the mischievous and impudent French language agitation in Ontario. His course in this regard it will be remembered, so disgusted his Liberal followers from the West that under the leadership of Hon. Mr. Oliver they bolted from him in a body.

NEWS FROM SIMCOE

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Simcoe, Sept. 8.—At the instance of the Crown officer McIntosh of the County Children's Aid Society, has been up in Middleton and Delhi, securing statements which may result in an action for perjury being laid at the door of some of the witnesses who gave evidence in the interests of the defendant, Leta Gehring, who was in court a week ago charged with inducing a ward of the society to leave the home of Robert Hurselman, where she had been placed.

Harry Sherk made four entries at the Canadian National with his silver pencilled wyanodotts, and won a first and two third prizes. Wellington Hunter of Gladwin, Mich., dropped into town the previous evening and called yesterday morning on his cousin, Turnkey McInally, and though absent since 1877 and now sixty years old, he was promptly recognized. He has been clerk of the county of his adopted home, and is now engaged in farming. He will remain a month to re-visit schoolmates and relatives who remain, and will visit the old Windham home, the middle third of what is known as the James Kellum farm, just out of town.

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A splendid health measure is to drink, before breakfast each day, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless way to wash these poisons, gases and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

arrived at 8 o'clock last evening from Camp Borden. In the main, they discuss soldiering with much seriousness; there is less faultfinding with camp conditions now—in fact, practically none. The first rain for many, many days fell last evening, commencing about six o'clock and continuing for half an hour. It penetrated the ground about one inch. Precipitation was intermittent throughout the night. Harry Gordon "moved" in jail charged with theft, has elected to be tried summarily by the judge, and will appear before his Honor Judge Boles one week from to-day.

PORT DOVER ITEMS

Port Dover, Sept. 8.—The closing dance of the season at Orchard Beach pavilion was held last night. The London Harpers, under conductor Howie, provided music and the hall was thronged by the presence of soldiers home from Camp on monthly leave. Several of the boys from outside points joined their comrades in khaki in the mazy whirl.

Port Stanley agitators have apparently succeeded in having the head-quarters of the patrol boat Vigilant removed to that port. Her chief duties call her mostly to watch about the waters of Long Point, but Port Stanley butchers and grocers had to be appeased. It is hoped that change is not a permanent one. Rev. J. D. McCrae, of London, is invited to Petrolia, Presbyterian Church, whose pastor is going overseas.

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IN A BEDROOM

Huron County Constables Found a Quantity of Booze.

Clinton, Sept. 8.—County Constables, working under the direction of the County Temperance Association, raided the Queen's Hotel at Seaforth yesterday and brought back an automobile load of "booze." When the constables entered the hotel they started a systematic search, and their suspicions were finally centered on a room occupied by the proprietor's wife, Mrs. Thomas Stevens, but the two daughters objected strenuously to a search of this room owing, as they claimed, to the serious illness of their mother. Constable Pellow, however, assured the ladies that he would not disturb the invalid, stating that he just wanted to look through the room, and an entrance was finally afforded, which resulted in the finding of a 10-gallon keg of whiskey and a considerable quantity of bottles. Pellow states that the liquor was found in the closet carefully covered over with quilts, and that before he was able to get possession of the "booze" he had a free-for-all scuffle with the daughters and the mother also, who had by this time gained sufficient strength to take part in the proceedings. The case has aroused considerable interest throughout the county.

BRICK!

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LOCAL

GRASS FIRE A grass fire at the corner Broad and Terrace Hill Streets, night at 11.30, was extinguished Chief Lewis and two men.

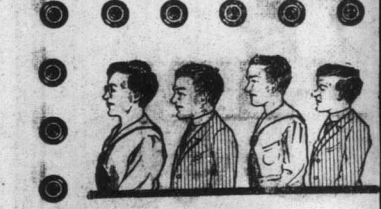
ACKNOWLEDGED. The receipt of \$2.00 for the plan Relief Fund is acknowledged to-day from C. P. M.

POLICE COURT. Two inebriates faced acting magistrate F. J. Calbeck in this morning session at the police court. One allowed to go with a warning, the other case was remanded for week.

THE MOVIES. The Ontario Government annual tax brings in \$50,000 more or \$600,000 a year. As profit 90 per cent. of it comes from picture admissions, at one two cents tax per admission, seems that there are approximately four million admissions to the les in a month.

MAKE WILL. In yesterday's orders appears notes: "Commanding officers should impress upon all ranks the importance of making their wills before proceeding overseas. Particular to the completion of this form, the reasons why it should be completed in the case of every member of the C.E.F. before embarking overseas, were notified in King C. E. F. orders of July 26, No. 1000."

STANDARD REDUCED. The announcement is made the standard of vision for infants has been reduced, and a great many who have been rejected within months will now have an opportunity of serving with the colors. Standard has been lowered so that a man with good sight in one eye is practically certain of getting through if the other eye is constantly off.



Are you going to let a few minutes of your time, the price of a pair of glasses, the hope that your children may be able to struggle along without glasses stand between them and good eyesight and good school work? Think Parents

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