

AT THE DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL.

REV. MR. JEAKINS GAVE A DELIGHTFUL ADDRESS ON "BRANTFORD TO YPRES"

Chaplain of the 58th Battalion Relates Many Inspiring and Also Amusing Incidents—Earnest Appeal to Keep up Comforts For Boys at the Front

Victoria Hall was crowded to the doors last night when Capt. Jeakins, pastor of St. Paul's Church, who went to the front as Chaplain of the 58th Battalion, gave an address, "Brantford to Ypres."

Mr. W. F. Cocksitt, M.P., occupied the chair in a very happy manner and in a stirring opening address, briefly dwelt upon some phases of the war. He spoke of Rev. Mr. Jeakins as a minister who was a militant not alone in the cause of the Empire, but also on behalf of "bit" and had signified his desire to go back and do more. All classes of citizens were deservedly proud of the rev. gentleman.

Rev. Mr. Jeakins on stepping forward, was greeted with long sustained applause. He spoke without notes and his address was not in any sense of the conventional lecture type. It partook of the conversational tone and was throughout, most entertaining and delightful.

(who were even worse off) occupied second class coaches, with the windows broken. They were on the train twenty-four hours, with little to eat. They had been told of refreshment stations, but all he saw in this regard was water tanks. (Laughter). It was bitterly cold, with sleeping accommodation nil. L'etout, Pearce slept in the parcel rack over his, Jeakins, head and he was afraid he would come down any minute. (Laughter). On arrival at their destination they had to march two miles and he (the speaker) felt twice from sheer exhaustion, as the train ride had been most trying. When they rested the men sat right down in the mud. Finally they reached their billet, a farm house.

The buildings are centered round a place for refuse and pigs and cattle are next to the dwellings. The farmer was aroused and the men placed in the barn where they had straw and straw always very comfortable while the officers were in the house, sleeping on a tiled floor. Talking of sleeping anywhere, he saw a member of the 58th in that audience, whom he once found sleeping in some straw in a divided pig pen, with hogs on the other side of the partition. (Laughter). One of the duties he undertook as chaplain, was to keep the trinkets of the men, which he became a walking jewelry store. One canny soldier asked him once what about his watch, if he, Jeakins, became killed or taken prisoner. (Laughter). The 58th finally got into trenches for training purposes; here the first fatality happened. A man got separated from his patrol, and a sentry shot him dead, thinking when he saw him returning alone that he was a German. Such unfortunate incidents were inseparable from war time.



Scene in the kitchen of the Canadian Hospital at Cliveden. The Duchess of Connaught Hospital for Canadians at the magnificent estate of W. W. Astor in Oxfordshire, England, is one of the best appointed of military hospitals.

RUSSIANS FIGURE IN FIGHTING OF THE MOST VIOLENT NATURE

Have Repulsed Austrian Attacks, and Taken Strong Positions in Galacia—Most Violent Attacks of the Whole War, Says Reports

By Courier Leased Wire. Petrograd, Oct. 6, via London.—Russian troops have made headway on the Galacia front, in their campaign for Lemberg, according to today's war announcement, capturing Austro-German positions in the district south of Brzezany, southeast of the Galician capital. Counter attacks are holding up the Russian offensive along the line to the north.

PUSHING FORWARD. London, Oct. 6, 12.30 p.m. The British last night pushed forward their line northeast of Eaucourt L'Abbaye, on the Somme front, it was announced officially to-day. During the night there was considerable artillery activity on our front south of the Ancre, the statement says. "We advanced our position northeast of Eaucourt L'Abbaye."

"Gas was discharged by us east of Loos and east of Armentieres. Three raiding parties successfully entered the enemy trenches in the Loos area and two south of Arras."

300 Prisoners Were Taken By Courier Leased Wire. Petrograd, Oct. 6, via London.—Russian troops are continuing their offensive against the German and Bulgarian forces in Dobrudja, says the official statement issued to-day by the Russian war office, and took 300 prisoners yesterday. The text of the announcement follows: "Our offensive continues. We captured here about 300 prisoners."

RETREATING. By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Oct. 6, noon.—Bulgarians on the Struma front, in Greek Macedonia are retreating before the British, the War Office announced to-day.

WILLARD'S CHOCOLATES. Make your holiday candy a box of Willard's Chocolates. Fine assortment at Brander's Drug Store.

Casualties Still Heavy

Pte. Arthur Butler Seriously wounded, Pte. Arthur Butler, of the 17th battalion, lies at present in Victoria Hospital, Netley. Such was the information received yesterday by his family here. Pte. Butler enlisted in Brantford in the early spring of 1915, going overseas with the 36th reserve battalion and being later drafted to the 19th, having been at the front with that unit for nearly a year now. Previous to enlistment, Pte. Butler had seen three years service in the Dufferin Rifles. He was employed at the Verity Plow Company, and resided at 58 Park avenue.

Corp. James Dockray One of a patriotic family, Corporal James Dockray, of the 4th battalion, has sustained a second wound while in the trenches, and is at present an inmate of No. 22 general hospital in the Dufferin Rifles, enlisted as a private in the first active service squad of the Dufferin Rifles, and became attached to the 4th Battalion. He received his first wound in the battle of Langemarck, shortly after the first Canadian contingent reached the front. Three brothers are also at the front, one being a company sergeant-major of the 4th battalion.

Wellington St. Church Concert

One of the best entertainments ever given in Wellington St. Church was the concert given last evening under the auspices of the ladies' societies of the church. A large audience was present, and they were very appreciative of the efforts of the artists who were Miss Pearl O'Neil, pianist of Toronto, who is well known in this city; Mrs. Frank Leeming, one of Brantford's leading singers and the very popular soloist of Wellington St. church, and Mr. Thomas Darwin, A. T. C. M., organist of the church, who acted as organist, pianist and accompanist. It is needless to single out any particular number of the program. All were exceedingly well rendered and heartily applauded.

PROGRESS IN ARMENIA ALSO

Russians Continue Offensive There, Driving Turkish Forces Back. By Courier Leased Wire. Petrograd, Oct. 6, via London.—The Russian offensive in Turkish Armenia in the district west and southwest of Trebizond is being successfully pushed, the War Office announced to-day. The Turks are being forced back in the direction of the Karshut River, which runs through Ardasa, about 40 miles southwest of Trebizond, and empties into the Black Sea near Trebizond, 50 miles west from Trebizond.

BERLIN MAKES A CLAIM.

Berlin, Oct. 6, via London.—Rumanian forces in Transylvania have been defeated by the troops of General Von Falkenhayn and driven back over the Alt river, the War Office announced to-day.

TOMORROW NIGHT AT EIGHT O'CLOCK ENDS LARGEST AND BEST VOTE OFFER OF CONTEST

Your Last Chance to Get as Many Votes For a Subscription; Candidates Will Make Big Mistake by Holding Back Subscriptions as Votes Will Decrease

To-morrow night at 8 o'clock ends the "Booster Period." Have you got all your promised subscriptions turned into cash? If not you had better get busy right now. Do not wait until the last minute, because if you do the chance is that you will in all probability find the people out and your last chance to get as many votes will be gone.

An Appeal For the 215th

A last call is issued to the women of Brant County for co-operation in the task of providing a dinner for the men of the 215th battalion at Niagara camp on Monday. In addition to the chickens and pies requested, monetary donations will also be accepted to-morrow at the local recruiting office, and also gifts of cigarettes and tobacco for the men. No contributions can be too small, or none too large.

Great Activity

Paris, Oct. 6, 1.05 p.m.—The War Office reports great activity on the part of the artillery on the Verdun front. The Germans ate shelling Poivre Hill, east of the Meuse and north of Verdun. On the Somme front the artillery was active during the night.

SATURDAY MORNING.

95 cents for Silk Crepe de Chines, worth two dollars. Saturday morning at Crompton's.

Urgent Need For More School Accomodation

Board of Education Decides That Additional Accomodation for Both Public Schools and Collegiate Must be obtained at Once.

Other Matters of Interest—Progress of Children's Choir

The vital and urgent need of more ample school accommodation throughout the whole of the city was evidenced once more last evening when the matter received the attention of the Board of Education for an hour at their regular meeting. The unanimous opinion of the entire board was that no delay must be encountered in the bettering of these conditions, and that a campaign must be commenced at once in order to educate the public as to the action projected.

The question of school accommodation was broached only incidentally, at a moment when the business of the board was believed to be about done for the evening. The question of admission of non-resident pupils into the schools of the city was then raised by Mr. H. H. Powell, and information furnished by Inspector Kimer served to reveal the over-crowded condition of practically all the schools of the city, in some cases it having already been necessary to obtain temporary accommodation in empty stores and offices, which had been done recently in the case of King Edward School. The discussion followed this revelation of the condition of the city's schools, and it was the verdict of the Board in general, voiced strongly by Dr. Marquis, that immediate action be taken to obtain suitable and permanent accommodation for the pupils of the city, thus obviating the use of temporary quarters and the cause of much inconvenience to all concerned. It was decided that the need of further school accommodation be impressed most vigorously upon the public, that they might be brought to realize the existing need, and to favor any means being used to remedy it.

guarantee that the votes will decrease each week after Saturday night, the 7th. At no time during the remainder of the contest will the votes be as large for a subscription. Moral—Make hay while the sun shines, and get subscriptions while the votes are large.

DISCOVERY OF PECULIAR GERM

May Be Means of Discovering Cure for Infantile Paralysis.

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Oct. 6.—A peculiar germ found in small abscesses in the tonsils and adenoids of victims of infantile paralysis has produced an affliction similar to infantile paralysis when injected into lower animals, according to Dr. E. C. Rosenow of the Mayo foundation at Rochester, Minn., who addressed a meeting of the New York Academy of Medicine last night. Dr. Rosenow said that experiments had been conducted by himself and other physicians of the Mayo foundation in a meeting of the pigs, monkeys, cats and dogs. He declared marked improvement was shown in cases of infantile paralysis following the removal of the tonsils and adenoids. Dr. Rosenow said however, he did not advocate the removal of tonsils in persons afflicted with infantile paralysis as a means of recovery. The number of experiments in medicine is small to prove anything of value to medical science in this particular connection, he added. But what he considered of importance, he asserted, was the fact that now for the first time the disease could be treated pathologically on a much wider plane than has heretofore been possible.

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A memorial tablet to the 139th Pennsylvania volunteers of Civil War fame, approved at Pittsburgh by a score of prominent men, was found at the unveiling to have Antietam contained therein.

The question of admitting non-resident pupils to the city schools was left to the judgment of the chairman of the board and the chairman of the management committee, they having power to decide in any individual case, though few exceptions will be made to the general rule. (Continued on Page 3)

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