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ONE OF WAR'S GREATEST BATTLES NOW RAGING

SPIRIT OF THE ALLIED NATIONS AT ITS HEIGHT, SAYS PREMIER

Sir Robert Borden Arrives
Home From Overseas.

FIGHT TO A FINISH
Savagery of Germany's Purpose
Is Now Vividly
Realized.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 23.—Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, arrived here today after an extended trip abroad, during which he attended the Imperial war conference and visited the battlefront. The premier was in excellent health and enjoyed an uneventful voyage. Included in his party were General the Hon. S. C. Meuburn, minister of militia and defence, Canada, and Col. the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of naval service for Canada. They were met here by Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways.

Sir Robert gave the following statement to the press: "I was on the other side of the Atlantic just ten weeks, and I return with the conviction that never was the spirit of the Allied nations more steadfast or more resolute than at present. The greater portion of my time was spent in England, where I arrived just after the Germans had conducted a successful offensive, first against the British and then against the French, during the spring. The effect of that success has been completely dissipated by the recent defeat of the Austrians in Italy, and of the Germans in France. Since I left Ottawa on the 24th of May about one million troops have been sent to the front. I have seen many thousands of them on board ship and in the camps that I visited. It is impossible to overestimate the increased confidence with which the arrival of those mighty armies has inspired the Allied nations. Europe is impressed by their splendid physique, their resourcefulness and adaptability, the rapidity with which they have displayed in every battle in which they have been tested. It is beyond question that the victories of the past few weeks would not have been possible except for the American divisions which have taken their place in the battle line.

"There is most effective and harmonious co-operation between the armies of the United States and the British and French. From Sir David Beatty, as well as from Admiral Sims and Admiral Rodman, I know that this is equally true of the British and American navies.

"The Canadian army welcome the opportunity to fight side by side with their kinsmen of this commonwealth. The citizen soldiers of both countries are essentially of the same type, and the Germans have already found them equally formidable. During the German offensive in the early spring months, the Canadian divisions were comparatively idle, but during recent weeks they have won as conspicuous a victory as ever fell to their lot since the outbreak of the war. Driving forward on a considerable front, they hurled back the Germans fourteen miles and captured nearly 15,000 prisoners and more than 150 cannons. Their casualties numbered considerably less than their own losses, and they hold all the ground which they captured.

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AUSTRIANS ATTEMPT LIVES OF OFFICERS

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—An official dispatch from Switzerland today says that attempts against the lives of officers are increasing in Austria. It is reported that several commanders of Austrian corps have advised officers in the rear to have themselves with them when they are sent forward.



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LESSARD BELIEVES
SUB COMMANDERS
ARE ONLY BLUFFING
Inspector-General of Opinion
Huns Are Getting Little
Information.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 23.—"I do not believe that the German undersea boats operating along the Atlantic coast are securing any appreciable amount of information as to conditions in the Maritime Provinces," said Major-Gen. Lessard, acting officer commanding Military Department No. 5, and Inspector-General for Eastern Canada, who arrived in the city last night.

"The majority of the U-boat commanders are men who were formerly employed in shipping activities on this coast prior to the war," he continued, "and this is one of the reasons why they impress our seamen with the idea that they are well informed of activities, military and naval, in Canada."

Major-Gen. Lessard came to St. John in order to meet Prince Arthur of Connaught, due to arrive here on Friday, and escort him to Halifax, said that the British and United States navies, combined now, had a most effective flotilla of submarine chasers at Halifax, and they were working in all their power to reduce the submarine menace here. He expressed the opinion that the German submarines in these waters had little inclination to attack our transports, and it was only the successful and unexpected merchantmen and fishing vessels they challenged to the unequal battle.

FRENCH AIRMEN'S
PART RESULTED IN
CAPTURE OF TOWNS

Paris, Aug. 23.—The work of the French aerial forces in the fighting south of the Oise is praised by the newspapers. The Petit Parisien says that the capture of the towns of Bailly and Carlepont was due in great part to the work of airmen, who destroyed numerous convoys on the Noyon-Compiègne road and spread confusion in the enemy ranks. The tanks opened the way for the offensive, it is declared, and the bombing airplanes hurried the enemy's retreat.

BIG PLANE CARRIES
NINE PASSENGERS

London, Aug. 23.—A big British airplane carrying its crew and nine passengers, made the trip from France to England, it is announced here. The whole journey from an airfield in the interior of France to one in the interior of England occupied but little over half an hour.

The test was made under routine conditions, with an ordinary service airplane of the largest type. The passengers carried the normal amount of baggage, and the plane was loaded as they had traveled by train and boat.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.
Pittsfield, Mass., Aug. 23.—Mrs. K. L. Livingstone Mellen of Stockbridge today filed suit here for a divorce from Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad. Cruel and abusive treatment and attempts to damage her character were charged.



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RUSSIAN REDS
PUBLICLY HANG
THREE HUNDRED
CZECHO-SLOVAKS
Executions Were Carried Out
After Simbirsk's Capture.

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—Russian Red Guards, after the capture of Simbirsk, on the Volga, according to a Moscow dispatch to the Hamburg Nachrichten, publicly hanged in the market place 300 Czecho-Slovak prisoners. The hangings, it is declared, were a reprisal for "atrocities" committed in the town during the occupation by the Czechs.

The German retreat around Noyon, it is held here, is the logical consequence of those victories. The French and British are pressing the enemy so close that he is obliged to throw in his best troops to save himself from disaster. In the north and in the south the Allies are dashing upon the Germans and snapping up prisoners and booty, sometimes getting into the main enemy defence positions.

BRITISH AIRMEN
BOMB NUMBER
OF HUN TOWNS

London, Aug. 23.—Five important towns in Germany and five hostile aerodromes were heavily bombed by British aerial squadrons on the night of August 21-22, according to an official statement issued today by the British air ministry.

Military objectives at Frankfurt and Cologne, the statement adds, were heavily attacked and good results were observed.

WAGES OF WOMEN
MUNITION WORKERS
TO BE INCREASED

London, Aug. 23.—The ministry of munitions has ordered that the wages of women munition workers be increased five shillings weekly after September 1. Girls under 15 in munition plants will receive an increase of half a crown.

ADMIRAL VON HINTZE SEES THE
HANDWRITING ON THE WALL

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—"Our cause is an exalted one, but it is in great danger," Admiral von Hintze, the German foreign secretary, told a conference of German journalists in Berlin, according to the Cologne Volks Zeitung. He asked them to co-operate with him.

After asserting in what high esteem he held the press, the admiral said:

"In these times the Government, the press and the nation must hold together with one aim—to win the war. If these factors do not hold together we shall be beaten."

"The post of foreign secretary is by no means a desirable one. All objections I had made to my appointment were dispelled, and have undertaken this responsible post. I am not tackling my task with a bowed head or a heavy heart."

"I shall always show the greatest consideration to the gentlemen of the press. You will hear nothing but facts from me, but I cannot always give all the facts. The entire truth at certain times does not serve, but harms, the public interest."

"I am not at all concerned regarding attacks either on my person or against the imperial policy. I am merely concerned with our cause. Our cause is an exalted one, but it is in great danger. I, therefore, call on you to co-operate."

"The foreign secretary then had a confidential talk with the newspapermen, who represented the most important papers in Germany."

U. S. AVIATION FIELD
ON THE POTOMAC IS
TO BE ENLARGED

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—Botting aviation field, on the eastern branch of the Potomac River, is to be enlarged as a base for aero patrol and the protection of Washington and to serve at the same time as an officers' training post. Approval of an expenditure of \$103,000 at the field was announced today.

HAIG TAKES HUNS, GUNS AND TOWNS SOUTH OF SOMME IN TODAY'S DRIVE

"GIVE EVERY SOLDIER
GOING INTO BATTLE A
COPY OF THE BIBLE"

New York, Aug. 23.—"The Bible is certainly the best preparation that you can give to an American soldier going into battle to sustain his magnificent ideal and faith," writes Marshal Foch in a letter to the American Bible Society, in appreciation of nearly 250,000 copies of the Scriptures distributed among soldiers abroad.

OUT TO ANNIHILATE
FISHING FLEET OFF
THE EASTERN COAST

Commander of the Sub Made
Statement to Triumph's
Captain.

Portland, Me., Aug. 23.—A boat that the American cruiser San Diego was torpedoed and not mined was made by the commander of the submarine which captured the steam trawler Triumph and used her as a raider on the fishing banks this week, according to word received here from Capt. Myhre of the Triumph today. The German officer also asserted that he sank the tank steamer O. B. Jennings, and that the captain of the Jennings was a prisoner on the submarine while Capt. Myhre was on board.

A number of Boston, New York and Portland papers were taken from the Triumph, and the commander said he had been much amused in reading reports of how many times his vessel had been rammed and sunk by steamers arriving at American ports.

The commander said he had been out three months and intended to remain two months longer in order to annihilate the fishing fleet on the banks.

STRUGGLE WITH
TRUTH TOO MUCH
FOR HUN PRESS

German Newspapers Now Admit
the American Army
Figures Correct.

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—At last the German press has given up struggling against the truth. In a short notice, which appears in virtually all the papers, the identical nature of which suggests official inspiration, the reluctant admission is made that Secretary Baker's figures regarding the strength of the American forces in France are about correct. One or two papers add the lame explanation that their former figures were based on the position prior to May, and that the really big shipments of men from America began since then.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOLER.

Forecasts.

Today—Moderate, fresh west winds; partly fair and decidedly warm, with showers and thunderstorms in many localities.

Saturday—Fair and not quite so warm.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

City	Low	High	Weather
Victoria	58	58	Fair
Calgary	58	58	Fair
Winnipeg	58	58	Fair
Port Arthur	58	58	Fair
Kingston	58	58	Fair
Buffalo	58	58	Fair
Toronto	58	58	Fair
Ottawa	58	58	Fair
Quebec	58	58	Fair
Father Point	58	58	Fair

Showers have occurred more or less locally in the Western Provinces and generally in the Lake Superior district, but on the whole the weather in Canada has been very fine.

British Troops Capture Ciegnoles, Herleville, Boyelles, Boiry-Becquerelle and Other Places In Big Attack On Wide Front.

OFFENSIVE RAPIDLY SPREADING.
British Headquarters in France, Aug. 23.—The British offensive, so brilliantly resumed on Wednesday morning, has spread so rapidly that it is difficult to keep pace with the development of it. What is now being witnessed is the unfolding of a brilliant tactical scheme which must be causing the deepest concern to the German high command.

The rapid advance of the British patrols along the Albert-Bapaume road toward where the old German lines dip near Tara Hill is threatening to flank any counter movements against the British gains further to the north. Some British batteries advanced several times in the past two days. No longer do the limbers bring ammunition at a walk. They come up at a gallop in a cloud of dust.

The French airplanes are as numerous as ever, and the Boche machines are being hurried mercilessly by bombing squadrons, which fly ahead of the infantry and attack the German columns on the march.

BRITISH EXTEND LINES FIVE MILES.
With the British Armies in France, Aug. 23.—In the fighting south of the River Somme, the British have extended their line on a front of more than five miles, pushing into the German defences at the greatest depth for about two miles.

Details of the fighting just north of the Somme, which continues, show that Albert actually was stormed by the British, who crossed the river to the south and struck, anticipating the probable German intention to withdraw from the pocket, which was rapidly being created here.

The Germans now are fighting desperately in the region of Gommecourt.

South of Gommecourt the British also began an attack this morning and are pushing forward all along the line.

Reports from all points say that the battle seems to have developed into one of the greatest of the war from the standpoint of men and guns engaged.

The latest report from the battlefield says that the British are reaching out in the direction of Tarhill, which is a thousand yards beyond Albert.

Field Marshal Haig's men are killing great numbers of Germans and are making steady progress everywhere in spite of resistance from the enemy, who, if he retreats, acknowledges that he is beaten, and if he stays and fights it out is bound to suffer the heaviest casualties.

HAIG ELIMINATES BIG BEND IN LINE WHEN HE OPENS ATTACK

With the British Armies in France, Aug. 23.—British troops this morning are reported to have captured Ciegnoles and Herleville, south of the Somme River. More than a thousand prisoners were taken in this operation, which eliminated the bend in the line.

Field Marshal Haig's forces also are reported to have taken Boyelles and Boiry-Becquerelle and to be still pushing forward. They are piling up prisoners and guns.

The British have reached Gommecourt, which is considered to be the chief point of the German defence positions. South of Gommecourt the British this morning were attacking and pushing forward all along the line.

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The town of Meaulte, southeast of Albert, fell early in the British drive. The British troops pressing on here are crossing the Bray-Albert road.

Happy Valley, to the north of Bray, was taken by Field Marshal Haig's troops after hard fighting.

Three German battalion headquarters have been taken in the locality of Happy Valley. Additional guns also have fallen into the hands of the British.

A number of new fresh German divisions have been identified. They were rushed up in the hope of saving something from the disaster which threatens the whole German army on this front.

BATTLE IS NOW RAGING ON A 25-MILE FRONT SOUTH OF ARRAS

London, Aug. 23.—A battle is being fought on the lines between Lihons, south of the Somme, to the Cojeul River, south of Arras, a front of more than twenty-five miles, according to the official statement issued at the war office today.

The British troops are making progress at a number of points, Continued on Page Three

THOUSANDS PRESENT AT FIRST PICNIC OF RETURNED MEN

Veterans and Families at
Port Stanley.

FOUR BANDS WERE ON JOB

Merchants Co-operate With
Officers of Depot to Make
Affair Success.

The returned soldiers of Western Ontario held their picnic at Port Stanley yesterday, and the affair was one of the most successful held in this district for years. There were over 5,000 in attendance, consisting of returned men with their wives and families, and various other persons, who seemed unlimited. With ideal weather conditions, the sports program was run off without a hitch, the events for the men being mainly aquatic, with foot races for the women and children.

Four bands were in attendance, the Canadian Guards, the 1st Regiment of Western Ontario Regiment band, dispensing music from the beach to the roof of the cafeteria, while the large crowd gathered on the beach to witness the aquatic events. The 1st Regiment of Western Ontario Regiment band, dispensing music from the beach to the roof of the cafeteria, while the large crowd gathered on the beach to witness the aquatic events.

One very amusing event was walking the greasy pole, open to returned soldiers. A large crowd gathered on the beach to witness the aquatic events. The 1st Regiment of Western Ontario Regiment band, dispensing music from the beach to the roof of the cafeteria, while the large crowd gathered on the beach to witness the aquatic events.

The tug-of-war was a spirited event, teams being selected from the list of entries for this contest. The winning team was victorious twice in succession and it was generally conceded that the cheering on their favorites who vainly endeavored to gain a foothold in the hard sun-baked sand. The victors worked very hard for the prize box of cigars, but had they not been fortunate enough to obtain a two-hundred-pound returned man for their anchor, the result would no doubt have been reversed.

At the conclusion of the sports program, the picnic committee in charge having made arrangements to feed only the military contingent, the returned men were present at the outing yesterday. In the evening a grand display of fireworks was set off. That the committee deserved great credit for the exhibition was the unanimous opinion of those present.

Merchants Co-operated. The merchants and proprietors of refreshment and other establishments at Port Stanley co-operated with the committee in making the affair a success. The picnic was a success, and the returned men were present at the outing yesterday. In the evening a grand display of fireworks was set off. That the committee deserved great credit for the exhibition was the unanimous opinion of those present.

The committee in charge of arrangements is indebted to the following local merchants for the donation of prizes: R. J. Young, Serg. Davis, Richmond Hotel, (C. Cook), J. H. Chapman, McCormick Hardware Company, T. A. Scudetti, Hay & Groceries Company, McCormick Grocery, Jerry McDonald and Mrs. Anderson.

The following were winners in the various events run off: Pole-1, Pte. Gilling; 2, Corp. Stark. Reg. race in 1st, Pte. Graves; 2, Serg. Donald; 3, Corp. Bray. Pick-a-back race-1, Pte. Gilling and Serg. Donald; 2, Corp. Jones; 3, Corp. Lamond and Pte. Barbour. Tug-of-war pole-1, Pte. Barbour; 2, Serg. Donald.

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DIED ON THE FIELD

ERIC WIMBUSH, of St.

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LONDON TECHNICAL SCHOOL READY FOR OCCUPANCY SOON

Will Be Completed Week After
Next.

FURNITURE NOW IN CITY

While Interior Appears Far
From Finished, Officials
Are Optimistic.

London's new Technical School will be ready for occupancy the week after next. So says the principal. The steps are in their places, the walls laid, and the roof on the terrace lawn has been securely settled-down appearance. The grass might have been growing there for years. No secrets concerning progress within are revealed to passersby through the medium of doors and windows. The interior looks as unfinished as the general utilities building did the day before the formal opening this summer.

The principal is optimistic. Of course, the opening ceremonies will be deferred for several weeks, but things will be in shape to receive students in the course of ten days. The furniture in the classrooms is being installed as soon as the fixtures are installed.

No time will be wasted in setting in anything so efficient as a technical school is supposed to be. It would be a bad object lesson. After the residences were removed on Dundas street to make way for the technical school, a deep hole was dug, a hole that delighted the boys of the neighborhood and worried their elders. The hole resembled a good start on a tunnel route to China.

First Foundation. Some place, away down in that hole, is installed the foundation of the heating system which is going to supply "washed" warm air to the students and staff. There will be no grips caught by breathing in that laundried air in winter time. Over and around the deep hole has gradually arisen a dignified structure, which blends in its appearance with the ideas of both school and workshop. No one could possibly mistake it for a university or art academy, and even the hum of machinery would fail to convey the impression of a factory.

Academic Work. Did someone say something disparaging about the academic work of a technical school? Let it be known to those who require such enlightenment that the academic work for the day students is the regular high school course, with which is worked in thorough training along the desired technical lines. No one teaches the academic work who is not armed with high school diploma, and the high school course is a thorough one. The idea is to give the boys who attend the day classes a thorough high school course along with technical training, applied science, etc., and sufficient shop practice to fit them to go out to be directors in the industrial world. For the girls, a thorough English course is provided, along with a thorough course in home-making, including dressmaking, millinery and laundry work.

War Interference. War time conditions have interfered for the present with the original plan of including a gymnasium and auditorium, but all provision has been made for the erection of these later, with the minimum of change in the present building. Similar arrangement has been made for the extension of the wings towards the south for more class and work rooms as required. Though he doesn't admit it, the pride of the heart of Principal H. B. Deal in connection with the new school building is a "duplex" feature. It draws attention with great satisfaction, to say the least, to the great wood-working shop on the main floor. In the centre has been installed the power mill machinery for wood-working, and at each end are benches. Two classes, by this arrangement, may be conducted at the same time.

A partition of glass separates the finishing room in order to keep out the dust. Across the corridor is the associated lecture room, to be seated amphitheatric fashion. The floor of platforms already is there, and on these will be placed the winged chairs for note-taking.

Immediately below on the ground floor is the twin room, dedicated to service as a machine practice room, equipped with milling machines, lathes, power lathes, universal grinding machines, full oxy-acetylene welding outfit, a gas tempering furnace, and complete forge shop. The student who takes a course of training in the technical school machine or wood-working shop will be equipped to cope with any mechanical problem which may present itself in the industrial world.

Reversed. The usual order has been reversed in the new school. The domestic science kitchen and home-making and practice department are relegated to the top floor in the east wing. If odors rise from the kitchens, they won't permeate the whole building. In order that practical instruction may be given in other phases of housekeeping, as well as cooking, a "model suite" adorns the domestic science rooms, including a kitchen, a modern bathroom, bedroom and bathroom.

It seems a far cry from the domestic science kitchen on the top floor to the cafeteria and lunch room on the ground floor, but in reality a close connection has been established—or is going to be—by means of a dumb waiter.

Through the cafeteria hot soup and drinks will be obtainable at noon at a minimum cost for the students, the preservation of these constituting a part of the practical work of the home-making classes. Pub-a-dub-dub, the home-making student will learn to do her own washing after the most approved fashion, with the latest and most approved apparatus.

What will the students wash? asked The Advertiser reporter of the principal, who was filling the role of personal conductor over the building. "Why-why," he said, and paused for a moment. "Why," he continued, "they will bring things to wash from home."

It appears that if the original plan had been carried out of building the gymnasium and swimming pools, the hundreds of students would have found plenty of material to practice upon in towels and bathing suits. That's what the principal says. Of course, he is a man and isn't expected to know all about the difference of processes in washing and ironing.

The approved north light is being utilized for the suite of art rooms on the second floor, so arranged that they may be presided over by one instructor and with a room for casts and models for every two.

Rooms for Everything. The bewildering array of rooms and

practice shops includes dressmaking rooms, embroidery rooms, millinery rooms, ladies' tailoring rooms, mechanical drafting and architecture rooms; physics and chemistry rooms; a printing shop and a workshop, where it is going to be possible to learn all there is to know about building and repairing an automobile.

In the foregoing narrative the writer has failed to follow a logical plan, but hopped from one floor to another, from one wing to another, entirely regardless of location and plan. But the courses suggested will all be obtainable at the technical school, and others as well, in both daytime and evening classes.

Among the common-sense novelty features incorporated in the plan of the new building are lockers, built right into the deep walls of the corridors for the wraps and such personal possessions of the day students. Each student will have his or her own cupboard under lock and key, thus eliminating all danger of clothing becoming mixed or lost. The cloak rooms are for the adult evening students.

Ceilings in the corridors are three feet lower than in the adjoining rooms. In the tunnel thus formed all pipes and wires have been laid. When something goes wrong, there will be no necessity to tear up floors, or make gashes in walls and ceilings. The repair man can inspect and correct the trouble right in the tunnel.

Even before the war the crowded industrial classes in the Alexandra School testified that the people of London were realizing the importance of learning how to do such things as sewing on buttons, and driving nails the right way. The four years of war have emphasized the need of being prepared for emergency, and the sin of wasting time and good money in the technical school, a deep hole was dug, a hole that delighted the boys of the neighborhood and worried their elders. The hole resembled a good start on a tunnel route to China.

First Foundation. Some place, away down in that hole, is installed the foundation of the heating system which is going to supply "washed" warm air to the students and staff. There will be no grips caught by breathing in that laundried air in winter time. Over and around the deep hole has gradually arisen a dignified structure, which blends in its appearance with the ideas of both school and workshop. No one could possibly mistake it for a university or art academy, and even the hum of machinery would fail to convey the impression of a factory.

Academic Work. Did someone say something disparaging about the academic work of a technical school? Let it be known to those who require such enlightenment that the academic work for the day students is the regular high school course, with which is worked in thorough training along the desired technical lines. No one teaches the academic work who is not armed with high school diploma, and the high school course is a thorough one. The idea is to give the boys who attend the day classes a thorough high school course along with technical training, applied science, etc., and sufficient shop practice to fit them to go out to be directors in the industrial world. For the girls, a thorough English course is provided, along with a thorough course in home-making, including dressmaking, millinery and laundry work.

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SUCCESSFUL FLOWER
SHOW AT McCLARY'S

A most successful flower show was held on Wednesday evening of this week in the York street dining room of the McClary Manufacturing Company's down town plant. The exhibit was arranged by a committee composed of J. K. H. Pope, W. A. Hayden, G. Moll, J. Upton, G. Tapp, J. B. Walton and G. Brand, and given under the auspices of the company's welfare department, the exhibitors being exclusively McClary employees.

There was an excellent attendance, and the very fine display of blooms submitted gave the judges, R. V. Smith, W. Gilbert and T. Hill, an exacting if pleasant task. The awards made by them were as follows:

Annals and Perennials—1 W. Calver, 2 C. Mawson, 3 Tapp. Display of Asters—1 W. Young, 2 W. Calver, 3 W. Gilbert. Best Display, Special—1 W. Young, 2 W. Calver, 3 W. Gilbert. Best Display, Non-competitive—W. A. Hayden (flowering shrub, by T. H. Hill). During the evening solos were ren-

dered by Miss Knighton, accompanied by Mrs. Bowyer, which rounded out an evening of complete enjoyment to flower lovers present.

ASKS FOR CONSCIENTIOUS
OBJECTORS' FREEDOM

Toronto, Aug. 22.—After John Mackenzie and James Routledge had served a portion of their two years' sentences at Burwash prison farm, the conscientious objectors under the new Military Service Act, they were brought to Niagara Camp, incarcerated in the old barracks, and asked to serve as soldiers.

Gordon Waldron, their spokesman, asked the courts for a writ of habeas corpus in their behalf today. The motion was enlarged to get the military side of the story.

GEN. PETAPOFF A PRISONER. Amsterdam, Aug. 22.—Gen. Petapoff, commander-in-chief of the Red Guard army in the Murmansk region, is a prisoner in the hands of the Allies, says a Telegram dispatch to the New Zeitung of Bremen. He was caught by peasants while attempting to flee southward, and handed over to the British.



The Navy League of Canada

ATTACKED by a submarine and called upon to surrender, Capt. Fryatt, commanding the merchant vessel "Brussels," turned on the U-Boat and tried to ram it. The manoeuvre forced the submarine to dive, and the "Brussels" escaped.

About a year later, Captain Fryatt was taken prisoner by another U-Boat, taken to Germany, and shot. That shot rang throughout the civilized world, commanding admiration for the force of 300,000 and more men—the *Merchant Marine*—a vital factor in the war—suffering the greatest hardships—facing the greatest perils—starting every voyage in the full knowledge that they might never see home and loved ones again.

HAIG'S FORCES WORK PINCERS AND BOCHES RETREAT IN HASTE TO SLIP FROM ANOTHER POCKET

Unofficial Report Says at Least 3,000 Prisoners Were Captured in Yesterday's Operation, Many of Them New Troops That Had Been Rushed Up To Stem Tide.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press).—There has been fierce fighting today along a large section of the British front, to the south of Arras, virtually through to the River Somme.

Again the British have been victorious. The battle north of the Ancre raged all day long, while 10,000 yards to the south another British force which crossed the Ancre during the night and opened an attack at daybreak, was driving steadily into the enemy positions on the high ground between Bray-sur-Somme and Albert, and had already captured a thousand prisoners.

The Germans are retreating from the section between the two points where the British armies are hammering them, and where they are threatened with another pocket.

At Achiet-le-Grand the attacks were in such strength that the British retreated for a short distance from the outskirts of the town and contented themselves for a time with pouring bullets into the enemy forces, who, in their eagerness to win something, no matter how small, rushed right into the center of the largest formed by the town.

Southwest of Miraumont the British, at latest reports, had the enemy with his back to the River Ancre. Tanks have been working well to the front of the British lines everywhere. The battle was fought under a scorching sun, the men fighting over the dusty, shell-churned ground open-shirted, or without upper garments of the sort streaming down their half-naked bodies.

At many places heaps of German dead, mowed down by the British fire, lay basking in the sun, along with the usual debris which covers a battlefield. Efforts are always made by the British to clear away the dead, but within the zone of a roaring battle it is not often possible to accomplish this task.

Prisoners Are Weary.
The total number of prisoners taken is still uncertain, but it is known that at least three thousand have been captured in comparison with those taken yesterday. The prisoners today were tired, dirty, hungry and thirsty.

Surges Back and Forth.
To the south, from Achiet-le-Grand to the Ancre, the armies in battle have been sweeping backwards and forward, attacks and counter-attacks being repeated again and again. British patrols have been in Miraumont, but at the moment it appears that the British lines are actually a few hundred yards west of that town, in the neighborhood of Beauregard and Douvroux, on the road between Miraumont and Pousieux-au-Mont.

Word has just been received that the Germans launched another vicious attack on the outskirts of Miraumont, but after sharp fighting were driven off. In the face of streams of bullets from blazing machine guns the German ranks withered or were dispersed. The British are still west of Achiet-le-Grand, but patrols have been in the town. The Boche counter-attacks here, as well as at Miraumont, were carried out by fresh troops, which have been seen rushing toward the front from the rear in an effort to relieve General von Below's harassed 17th Army.

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INGERSOLL, Aug. 22.—W. B. Poole, a prominent Holstein breeder of Derham, has sold two yearlings and a two-year-old heifer from his herd to the O.A.C. Guelp. They were selected by Prof. Letch and Prof. Toole and it is understood \$1,000 was paid for the prize animals.

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Further Evidence of Ravages of Submarines Crop Up Hourly.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 22.—Evidence of probably additional, and so far unidentified, ravages of enemy submarines along the Atlantic coast were brought in today by officers of a small coastwise sailing ship.

Last Monday, the officers say, when about thirteen miles south of Cape Hatteras light they saw the hull of an iron vessel 300 feet long, floating bottom up.

The following day, in the forenoon, when eleven miles off Winter Quarter Shoal, the dismantled hull of a large schooner was sighted.

The same day, at 4 p.m., seven miles off Five Fathom Bank lightship, a four-masted sunken schooner was passed, the topmast shears protruding from the water, their condition indicating the vessel had been recently sunk.

Shortly after two lifeboats, which were not marked were picked up. Another coasting vessel which arrived today reported to its agents that while off Pamlico Beach, Virginia, 200 barrels of engine oil and 100 cases of automobile oil were picked up. The report added that much additional oil and cases were seen, but could not be taken aboard.

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COUNTY CONSTABLE

FINED UNDER O. T. A.

INGERSOLL, Aug. 22.—The liquor case against County Constable John Haycock was disposed of before Magistrate Paterson today. Haycock pleaded guilty to having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling. The minimum fine of \$300 and costs was imposed. A bottle containing a quantity of whiskey was found in Haycock's car near the gas plant, where he is employed as night watchman, when the police visited the works Monday night.

Hawaiian Ukuleles or Guitars

Now that Londoners are given the exceptional opportunity of receiving instructions on the Ukulele and Guitar by a native Hawaiian teacher many no doubt will want to learn how to play these peculiar but wonderful instruments.

As a special inducement to contemplating purchasers we are all offering with each instrument purchased on or before Sept. 1, FIVE LESSONS FREE, given by Prof. Kekoa.



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Nightgowns, slipover and button fronts, embroidery trimmed, all sizes \$1.00

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Sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12 years \$1.00

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Four dozen Colored Silk Waists, in blue, black, rose, maize, pink trimmed; new collars; sizes 36 to 44. \$3.00 value, \$2.00 each

White Habutai Silk Waists, large collar, tucked front, fastened with three pearl buttons; sizes 38 to 44. \$3.00 value, \$2.00 each

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WONDERFUL RED CROSS.

MAGNIFICENT is the record of the London branch of the Red Cross Society and its affiliated organizations, as related in reports read at Thursday's annual meeting. To be able to announce that in the fourth year of war, including summer months of extreme heat, shipments have increased so tremendously that their total value has risen above that of last year's by \$96,000 must have brought a glow of intense satisfaction to the workers beyond the understanding of "slackers."

Every returned man who mentions the Red Cross Society has nothing but praise for it. He is brimful and running over with gratitude to the great organization which provides for his comfort when sick or wounded and knows no difference in its treatment, between friend and foe.

Too few people who are not actively interested in the work realize what self-sacrifice the mountains of bandages, dressings, etc., etc., which leave Hyman Hall weekly, represent. They are a monument to the patriotism of women who snatch a few hours out of already busy days to do their labor of love for the boys overseas; they are the results of entertainments and social events foregone by young and old, in order that they may do their bit; they mean luxuries eliminated from dress and meals by those who have not extra cash to give.

All the praise and all the gratitude for Red Cross achievements are due to the workers; not to those who stand aside to applaud or to criticize. The pity of it is that there are too many of the latter. They may admire the spirit of the Red Cross, but their admiration does not induce emulation.

It is not fair that all the responsibility should fall, year after year, on the same shoulders, however willing they may be. There is work for all, and all should do their part. There is no way of conspiring for the Red Cross battle, since voluntarism is the essence of the society's constitution, but there is the general appeal which could be placed more forcibly before the lazy or careless. In order that the increasing needs of the armies in the field may be met, more persons must take an active part in the society. Canada's forces are growing and provision must be made for their extension during this year. Present workers know that they cannot slacken in their efforts any more than can the men in France, but like the latter they want and need reinforcements. A little serious thought on the part of the women and girls who have neglected their opportunities for service should result in some wonderful recruiting records.

BUSINESS METHODS NEEDED.

S. CATHARINES is calling for a change in the present system of civic administration, and London has been looking in the same direction for some time. In some ways, the present local plan is about as bad as it could be and exist at all. There are numbers of ways in which changes could be made to the direct advantage of the community without much, if any, disturbance of routine.

For instance: The city of London has half-a-dozen or more bank accounts for different departments. One of these departments may run out of cash and require a considerable amount placed to its credit. It borrows this from the bank at 6 or 7 per cent interest. At the same time another branch of the civic machine may have some thousands of dollars standing to its credit that it does not require to use immediately, and this balance is drawing interest at, possibly, 3½ per cent. This money could be used by the one which is short, and good, hard cash would be saved, if it were not made impossible by the divided funds.

Why should there not be one bank account, subject to withdrawals by all departments up to the limit of their appropriations? It would save money, help to keep down taxes and would not necessitate any additional work if arrangements were made for an official to check up on every branch.

No big business firm would dream of borrowing money at 7 per cent and allowing part of its own balance to lie in the bank at 3 or 4 per cent. Why should civic affairs not be managed on a business basis?

ABUSE OF HORSES.

IF THE PRACTICE of abusing horses does not stop, Magistrate Graydon declares he will send offenders to jail without the option of fine.

This announcement will give satisfaction to owners of the horse who see on the city's streets so many instances of cruelty, intentional sometimes, and other times caused by ignorance or carelessness. It has been apparent that the occasional fine of \$1 or \$2 inflicted on those whose conduct was particularly bad had had little effect in eliminating the abuse and the magistrate's promise shows that he is awake to that fact and intends that those who sin in future shall be made examples of for the benefit of others as well as themselves.

Cruelty to horses has many forms. The brute who rouses the ire of those who see him by lashing his animal furiously is not the worst offender, and though he is. The lashing is usually over in short time and the pain goes. When a horse with open sores is worked all day, with the harness constantly galling the wound the agony is continuous and has hardly time during the night to abate before the irritation begins again. This is one of the vilest kinds of abuse.

Underfeeding and overworking together form

another less noticeable but equally reprehensible kind and one which is not so readily detected.

Winter will be here before long and with it the zero days. The driver who finds it necessary to put on his own body a heavy overcoat, storm cap and warm mitts, but leaves his animals standing unprotected, is worthy the promptest attention of the policeman or the humane society inspector. He is the kind who will swear at and whip the horses for moving to warm their blood, while he stands inside to get the heat of a stove or radiator for a few minutes.

Perhaps Magistrate Graydon's statement will have its effect without more charges being laid. If so, so much the better; if not, it is to be hoped he will carry out his threat until an improvement takes place.

SHALL WOMEN BE M. P.'S?

WOMEN WHO value the franchise to be extended to them at the next election will watch with interest the attitude of Ottawa as to whether members of the fair sex are entitled to become candidates for election to parliament. The decision recently reached by the law officers of England, Scotland and Ireland was to the effect that women will not be allowed to sit in parliament. The status of women as candidates was raised at the last session at Ottawa when the women's suffrage bill was passed, but no ruling was given and the matter will no doubt be referred to the department of justice to give a decision. The capital correspondent of the reactionary Toronto News inclines to the theory that the decision given in Britain will apply here.

But such Canadian provinces (save Ontario) as have women's suffrage in operation have already signified their approval of permitting women to contest seats, and already Alberta has two women members, one of them elected by the soldiers' vote. Saskatchewan has seen a woman defeated, while in British Columbia a woman was recently elected to succeed her husband.

Is this not a question worthy of the consideration of the whole people, rather than of the legal department of the Government? The members of parliament should endeavor to have it brought before the House and debated in the open, giving the women's organizations of the country a chance to speak for the hundreds of thousands of women who will be added to the voters' lists. There are few daring enough to prophesy as to the proper course to pursue. Woman in public life remains an untested quantity, wonderful as are her works of benevolence in every sphere of activity.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

British submarine meets German U-boat; latter meets its doom. Quite satisfactory.

Two pounds of sugar per person a month will be a sad blow for the person afflicted with a sweet tooth.

Stratford man puts a match to a pool of alcohol to see if it will light. Apparently never heard of getting "lit up" on it.

Cologne Zeitung is right in saying the American army is no menace to Germany; it is, however, a terrible menace to Prussianism. No ally wants to harm the real Germany.

The United States' announcements of the strength of its force overseas usually refer to them as being "in France." However, if the present drive keeps on there are hopes that this will soon be changed to "in Germany."

Income tax papers are the order of the day. It's not always a burden to have sufficient to warrant the country taking a slice of it. It is decidedly harder in these times to have to struggle along on an income that falls below the taxation level.

The board of education with its dispute with the Women Teachers' Guild threatens to share honors with the council in its troubles with the fire department. The only difference is that the fire department matter has reached the middle stage, and the teachers' trouble is just on the way.

The weather man has been working hard during the past month or so supplying hot weather. The silver lining to the cloud is that he may be tired when winter comes and thus supply a happy medium brand of winter weather. The fuel situation would justify him in taking a rest for the winter months.

The Hamilton Spectator suggests that the Canadian troops booked for Siberia should be drawn from the vicinity of Medicine Hat, where the cold waves are hatched. They would then feel quite at home, it suggests. Perhaps the Spectator does not know that Medicine Hat stands second in the heat records of Canada. This would hardly be a good training for Siberia's Arctic gusts.

CROQUETTES AND APPLE SAUCE.

[Richmond Times-Dispatch.]
"Neurasthenia," said Mrs. Bignums to her cook, "I think we will have some chicken croquettes today out of that left-over pork and calves' liver."
"Yes," said Neurasthenia, called Teeny for short. "As we got a little bread dressing what would be pork, mum. Shall I make some apple sauce out'n it, mum?"

STRIKES IN CANADA.

[Kingston Whig.]
Twenty-eight strikes took place in Canada during June, affecting 11,108 workers and resulting in the loss of 40,428 working days. What has become of the Lemieux act? Or, rather, what has become of the minister of labor whose duty it is to enforce the act? This failure adds another to the thousand reasons why Hon. T. W. Crothers should give place to a live and competent minister.

PREPAREDNESS.

[Chicago Tribune.]
German General—"Have our brave troops been informed that we shall be in Paris in four days?"
Subordinate—"Yes, General."
"They understand that the Great War was forced upon us?"
"Perfectly, General."
"They have been told that the Americans always kill our machine gunners if they surrender?"
"That is well understood, General."
"They have been instructed that the few Americans opposed to us are cowardly and inexperienced?"
"Hand-bills announcing that fact are passed around each evening."
"Then let the offensive begin."

TOO HAPPY.

[Kansas City Star.]
Aunt Abby, who is visiting the Van Quensins this month, attended the outdoor church services with the family Sunday night and hasn't felt just right about it since. It was very cool and pleasant outdoors that evening, and Aunt Abby didn't feel as if the services did her any good without the usual discomforts.

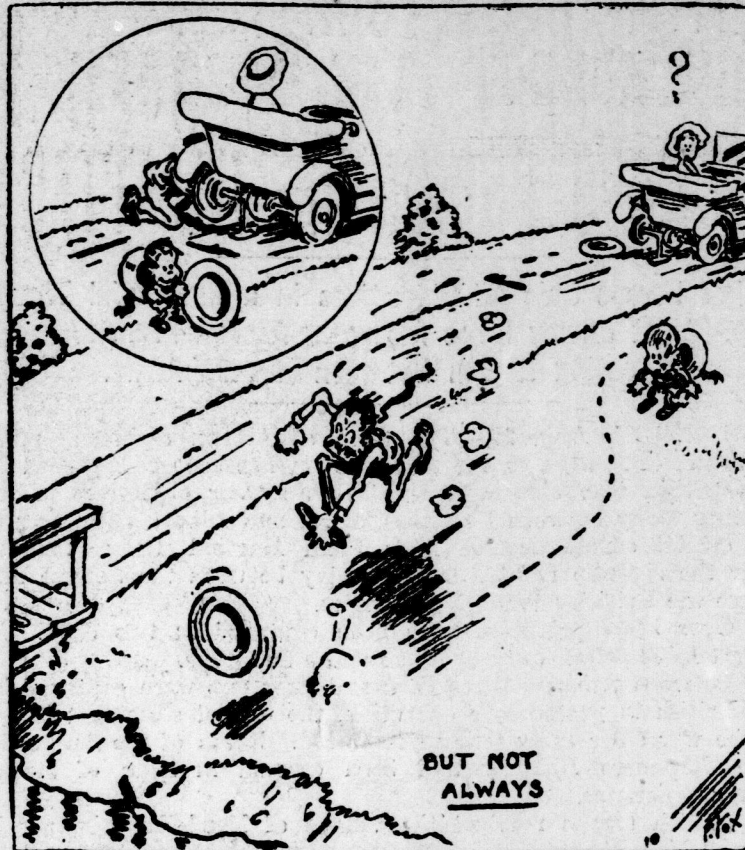
LOGIC ON THE COAST.

[Portland Oregonian.]
One reason more barns are hit by lightning in this region than formerly is that there are more barns to be hit. There is no more lightning than usual.

LITTLE WILLIE

By Fontaine Fox

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BUT NOT ALWAYS

Ordinarily a motorist likes to see a tire run as far as possible

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MAZIE DREAMS TRUE.

(By Lincoln Rothblum.)

Dreaming of unlimited wealth is a very fascinating form of diversion for the average body. Even as little children, games founded on the theme of "You know what I'd do if I had a trillion million dollars" are among the most fun. What wonderful things we could do as we simply drew at will upon imaginary and unlimited sources of treasure!

But different desires foster thoughts of the pocketbook eternally full. Some dream of a wardrobe permitting new garment each day; others of the power coincident with high social position; while some aspire to help those less fortunate. With Mazie Sloan, however, it was neither a case of style, society or sympathy.

Forced by the precarious earnings of a rheumatic father to increase the family revenue, she had been obliged at the age of fourteen to regard the elementary grades as a fitting limit of education, and accordingly, she had nipped a great desire to attend high school before the bad had had an opportunity to bloom forth into the flower of decision. An innate dislike for the drudgery of manual labor helped to make attendance at night school less burdensome, and it surely seemed a step forward as she difficultly entered the offices of Franklin & Co. to apply for a position as stenographer.

The very sign on the door, "Stocks and Bonds," seemed to spell realization of her dreams. For Mazie Sloan dreamt of comfort in every sense of the word. "Wouldn't it be great to sleep as long as you wanted to," she thought as six o'clock in the morning found her trying to lace her shoes, with eyes half closed. "Wouldn't it be grand not to have to wash dishes," accompanied by the scouring of greasy pots. "Wouldn't it be nice to have a maid to do your stuff," made the work lighter as her knuckles reddened on the ridges of the scrubbing board.

Mazie brushed the front of her shiny skirt of black tulle and sewed it with black thread would not be noticed. She did want that position with the many additional comforts the larger income would bring. Already she had figured out what she would do with the extra hour in the evening. To be through at five o'clock. Not to get down to work until eight!

"Mr. Franklin will see you now," announced a girl at the switchboard, and Mazie came back to earth. Again the skirt was hitched up at the belt and a quick touch assured her that the mended seam was invisible.

"Sit right down," invited her prospective employer, and she glanced at the card of introduction to the agency, added "Miss Sloan."

Mazie clasped her hands very tightly to see if she could feel them. The walk across the velvet rug, the courteous invitation to be seated, the friendly glances of soft brown, had taken her by surprise. She looked up.

"Have you had any previous experience?"
"No, sir, but I'm willing to learn."

Perhaps fate was kind, or perhaps Mr. Franklin was not able to refuse Mazie's wishes, and the position was open to her if she cared to accept it. Mr. Franklin's eyes took off her black straw sailor hat. "I'd like to start in right away," she announced.

And Mazie did learn very quickly. It did not take the switchboard operator, or very long to discover that when Mr. Franklin telephoned into the outer office for a stenographer it was Mazie Sloan he meant. He seemed to like her neat, tidy appearance and her earnest, painstaking work. Of course, it was not because, as the girls in the outer office surmised, he liked her personally; although when a single man of thirty exhibits a preference for a particular female assistant, the indications would seem to point that way.

But whatever Mr. Franklin found in her employer's eyes did not seem to affect her in any particular. She was learning to her surprise that the increased income did not necessarily carry with it the burden of the position. Mazie found in the immediate appearance unthought of in the factory. So the extra half hour of sleep in the morning went for a more elaborate toilet and the evening was devoted to the wash tub, over which she alternately scrubbed her white shirtwaists. But Mazie continued to dream of that Utopia where work was non-existent.

"Mr. Franklin wishes to give you some dictation," Miss Sloan, called the operator, as she pulled the plug out of the switchboard. With notebook and sharply pointed pencil in one hand, Mazie passed her hair into shape with the other and crossed the rug. Somehow she could not become accustomed to its cushiony softness.

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"It's to—it's to—" he stammered. "It's to Miss Mazie Sloan." Mr. Franklin gulped. Mazie was surprised, but glided her eyes to her book.

"I beg to advise you," he began very quietly, "that some time ago I delivered to you my—heart. Will you kindly acknowledge receipt of the same, and let me know if it meets with your approval."

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pointment! What disillusion! Why had she been the one to suffer? Had she not been happier before luxury had seemed within her finger tips? Why had distress been so cruel? Mazie sat and cross-questioned herself until Vio's shadow hid the sun below the horizon. As she rose from the bench she noticed her ring hid the sun below the horizon. It was hers and she did not have to return it. It would recompense her for her suffering.

She fingered the stone dejectedly. It sparkled so brilliantly. Mazie rubbed her eyes. Was she awake? For the lustre of the diamond seemed to reflect the features of her employer. She had not thought of him before. He had not come into her mind until then. "Drowned in debt," re-echoed in her ears. Why was she not trying to save him, then? Why was she not by his side helping him to buck the current? In a flash it came to her. "I don't want him because I need him. I don't want him because he needs me. I want him because I love him." She said it out loud, and the policeman walking his beat smiled as he caught the end of her words.

Mazie ran at full speed back to the office. She closed her eyes as she turned the knob. She had not the courage to face him and confess. She pushed the door open with her foot and burst in upon him with arms extended to feel her way, her eyes tightly shut, denied her.

"I've come back," she cried out. "I've come back because I love you. I don't want your money. I don't care if you're poor. Just let me help you."

He took her into his arms. "How I longed to hear that, Mazie, dear. But it's all right now—the mare's gone up. You're safe."

"Safe because I love you," she answered.

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BITS OF BYPLAY

BY LUKE McLUKE

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No Joke.
Men do not care for castor oil.
They know it isn't very nice;
Yet, as they go through life's turmoil
They'd rather take it than advice.

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Luke McLuke Says.
It is easy for a thin girl to look soulful. But a Corn Fed girl merely looks lazy when she tries it.

Never hold a woman accountable for the remarks she makes. She talks so much that she hasn't time to listen to half she says.

The old-fashioned woman who used to confine herself to white lies now has a daughter who can lie in all the fashionable shades.

It seems to us that it must be kind of embarrassing to go into a small town and start a new undertaking business when the town already has an undertaker. It looks as though you had hopes that something unpleasant would happen to the natives.

It was a good thing for the Mormon Church that it wasn't started when grocery prices are what they are in 1918. Any man who is trying to support one wife wonders what a Mormon wants with two.

Some men get their Hell in the next world. But the man who answers a matrimonial ad. and grabs off a Mad Order wife doesn't have to wait that long.

The joy of feeling fit and fresh rewards those who heed the laws of health, and keep the habits regular with</

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JIMMY COON STORIES

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PINKUM'S NEXT ADVENTURE.
And what do you suppose happened next? It was awfully funny, and a great joke on Farmer Jones. The next morning Farmer Jones was walking across the backyard, near the wood-pile, and he stopped to pick up a kourid which had rolled off the wood-pile, and which lay in the little path leading to the back door of the farm-house. Farmer Jones remembered the kourid, for he had cut a little hole in it, intending to nail it to an apple tree for the bluebirds to nest in. You know that a kourid is empty when dried, and it is as light as if made of paper. So, when Farmer Jones stooped down to pick up this light kourid and toss it back on the wood-pile, he was startled to find it so heavy! You see, he thought



Two Little Bright and Laughing Eyes Looked into Farmer Jones' Face.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

LONDON.—The Medway Red Cross Circle of London Township entertained the soldiers of Byron Sanatorium on Wednesday, August 14, at 5 o'clock on the beautiful grounds of "Cedar Terrace," the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marshall, and in the evening a military band concert for the public, which was well attended. The circle extends its thanks to the host and hostess for their kindness, Mr. Marshall providing the smokers for the men from the Sanatorium at the tea hour.

BIRN.—A patriotic ice cream social will be held under the auspices of the Birn Women's Institute at the home of Mr. Artemus O'Neill, lot 19, concession 15, London Township, on Friday evening, August 30. An excellent program will be provided. Refreshments will be sold on the grounds.

HARRINGTON.—The packing committee of the Harrington Red Cross Circle met at the home of Mrs. Innes Sutherland, and packed their usual monthly box, which consisted of 23 suits pyjamas, 69 towels, 18 pairs socks, 115 pillow slips, 20 caps. Also 18 pairs socks were sent to Harrington boys at the front. The total value was \$123.30.

KERWOOD.—Following is the unusual report of the Kerwood Patriotic Circle. There has been made and shipped during the year: 977 pairs socks, 87 flannel shirts, 40 suits pyjamas, 31 towels, 17 wash cloths, 10 pairs slippers, 115 pillow slips, 20 caps.
Dues: Mrs. Rogers, \$2.75; Mrs. Woods, \$2.75; Mrs. Fred Wright, \$2.25; Mrs. J. H. Richardson, \$2.50; Mrs. Ira Morgan, \$2.25; Mrs. E. Tedball, \$1; Mrs. F. Hull, \$1.75; Mrs. R. Galbraith, \$1; Mrs. Geo. Johnson, \$5; Mrs. R. Patterson, \$1; Mrs. W. Waddell, \$2.50; Mrs. G. Freer, \$2.75; Mrs. Wm. Johnson, \$2.75; Mrs. C. Freer, \$2.25; Mrs. Gimblet, \$1.25; Mrs. W.

POLLY AND HER PAIS.—Pa Queers Ashur's Idea.



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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers Are Invited to Phone All News of This Kind to the Society Editor, Phone 3670.

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Campbell have returned to their home after summering at Goderich.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Bayley announce the engagement of their daughter Marion to Lieut. Murray C. Morrison, M.D., C.A.M.C., the marriage to take place early in September.

Dr. and Mrs. Nelson have returned from a delightful holiday spent at various points on Lake Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Strong and Miss Strong are summering at Muskoka.

Mrs. J. B. McKillop is at Bayfield.

Miss Gertrude Manley has returned to the city after spending a delightful week's holiday with Miss Maria Laughlin at her summer home, Port Stanley.

Mrs. Alfred Talbot is in Pittsburgh visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. G. McCullough.

Master Warren Brown is visiting in Michigan.

Miss White and Miss Shirley White have returned from their country home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Stanley and V. M. Stanley of St. Marys, and C. M. Webb of Granton, motored to London on Thursday morning. Dr. Stanley came up to perform an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital.

C. Forrester, superintendent of the London division of the G. T. R., accompanied by Mrs. Forrester and family, is spending a week at Duluth and other western points.

Rev. C. R. Couzens, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Elsie, and Marguerite, is visiting in the home of his father, Rev. C. C. Couzens, 203 Cathart street.

Miss Kathleen Durnford of Peterborough, caught by the camera while doing her bit in the field at Drayton, Ont. She is a granddaughter of Col. G. T. Denison, C.M.G., of Toronto.—British and Colonial Press Photograph.

A PRETTY FLAX PICKER



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Just the Style for Calling or Afternoon Wear.

Waist 2500, Skirt 2504.

Compelling Waist Pattern 2500 and Skirt Pattern 2504. Foulard, taffeta, batiste, dimity, dotted swiss, organza, shantung, crepe and satin are desirable for its development. The skirt may be made without the trimming. The waist is finished with shaped vertical pleats. The sleeve may be made in wrist or elbow length. The Skirt Pattern 2504 is cut in 7 sizes, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist measure. It will require 6 1/2 yards of 40-inch material for the entire dress in a 38-inch size. The skirt measures about two yards at the foot.

This illustration calls for TWO separate patterns, which will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents FOR EACH pattern, in silver or stamps.

Please send above-mentioned pattern as per directions given below:

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Province _____

Age (if child's or misses' pattern) _____

Measurement: Bust _____ Waist _____

Caution: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is mailed, you need only mark 23, 24 or 26, whatever it may be. When in waist measure, write only the figure representing the size. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "yards." Patterns cannot

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Apples Minus Sugar.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am almost a stranger here in London, having been here only a few weeks, and I thought I would come to you for a little help. I am sending answers to two of your writers' questions in your column.

1. I will say I have had fine results in canning apples without sugar. I always do some each fall. Peel the apples well, and while they are still hot put in glass cans and seal tight.

2. I have never painted my linoleum, but I have found that a coat of varnish does in this column. But you send me a stamped, addressed envelope, I'll most willingly give you the desired information to the best of my knowledge.

STRANGER.

Ans.—Of course, they are a help, and we are ever so much obliged to you for writing your experience for general benefit. Being a stranger in our midst, you did not know that we are not permitted to publish business addresses in this column. If you send me a stamped, addressed envelope, I'll most willingly give you the desired information to the best of my knowledge.

A Useful Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey,—Here comes trouble some again to bother you, but I make this a short call. But seeing Brown Eyes request for the words of the song, "I Would Not Call Her Mother," I would not call her mother.

I know it is always best to have an excuse even if it is small. I enjoy reading the page very much and will send a tried recipe for a small fruit cake which is good to send to the boys overseas and is always good when eggs are so expensive.

Overseas Cake—2 eggs, 1 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup sour milk, 1/2 cup raisins, 1/2 cup currants, 1/2 tablespoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves, 1/2 teaspoon of baking soda, 2 cups of flour sifted. Mix and bake in a moderate oven.

Would like to come again if I'm not too much bothered. I hope you will comment on the thank you, Roxana, and while I gave you the meaning of the word "Riksha," I confessed that I did not know what the first signified, and was not satisfied to remain uncertain, and after seeking information from some whom I thought might know, I was rewarded when I found in the Mahabharata, the epic of the Kurus whose country was on the Upper Ganges, in India, the word "Riksha," a word which means "chariot" or "carriage" in the constellation of the Great Bear.

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As I stated before, "Alana" means morning, day. Now, accepting "Riksha" and "Rik" as "star," the full meaning would be "star of the Morning," or if you prefer the other rendering, "Hymn to the Morning." I might remark that the only sure way to arrive at the meaning of our words and names is to study the originals.

My father, in the sunshine of happy days to come, May half forget the sorrow that darkened our old home. His heart no more is lonely, but I and must still be orphan children—God can give us but one mother.

Our N. S. Worker.

Dear Miss Grey,—Here I am again coming to visit your Page. I wonder if you still remember your 1917 berry-pickers? Well, it is I, and I am really and truly glad to be here. I was not picking fruit this year, but I was doing farm work in general, especially in raising poultry and in the harvest field.

I wonder if "Londoner" really knew what a nice correspondent I have overseas, because of her sending you my name, and thence to me. I mean Pte. E. P. H. No. 53172. Here, I am writing a part of some of my letters.

"The ration we are getting now are hardly sufficient, and everything is so high in price that it takes nearly all my money to get a few extras and smoke."

It is certainly good to hear from across the water once in a while, as it helps to relieve the monotony of life here in England. I thank you, I am very much better now, and feel confident that I will not have to go to France again after once having been here. We are right next the canal here, and can go boating on it at certain hours. It is very enjoyable, I can assure you.

I think probably "Londoner" would be glad to see this. Well, Miss Grey, I must hurry and ask my "questions" or you will be shutting me out entirely. Do you know "Londoner's" address? If so, could you please furnish me with it if I send a stamped and addressed envelope? Do you know what will remove the stain of nail white from a burgundy poplin suit?

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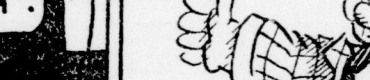
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10 only Boys' Tweed Suits, in Norfolk style, with belt, some with patch pockets, bloomer pants, in sizes 26, 29, 30, 31 and 33 only \$7.85

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15 dozen Men's Fine Negligee and Sport Shirts, in plain and fancy white pique and colored stripes and figured patterns, soft and stiff cuffs.

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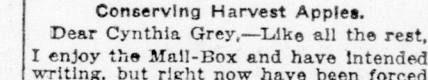
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been in the habit of putting away ripe tomatoes, she will have no trouble with the apples, as both require the same treatment. Have used "Ladle's" recipe for peas and find it splendid. I am also including an addressed envelope for the stocking-foot pattern.

OUT OF MY ELEMENT.

Ans.—Oh, please, don't sign yourself that, for you are just one of the helpful type we like to have calling often. Doubtless many of our "Anxious One" will be delighted to read of your return to inclose you a copy of the much-in-demand pattern.

Sinking of Lusitania.

Dear Miss Grey,—To settle an argument, can you inform us of the date of the sinking of the Lusitania, also when the first German air raid on England took place? Sincerely

KANUCK.

Ans.—Happily enough I chanced to have the information right at hand. The sinking of the Lusitania took place May 7, 1915, 1,154 lives being lost. The first air raid on England was on Christmas eve, December 24, 1914.

For Happy Mother.

A Happy Mother, Stratford.—I am very pleased to hear that you find this department of use. The stocking-foot pattern has been mailed you.

A High School Girl.

Dear Cynthia Grey,—I enjoy reading the letters that are sent to you to be answered. Well, how do I write for a high school girl? Find as many faults as you can, as I am a poor writer. I and we do not agree about that writing of yours, for I think you write very well. I think you are a power. I have it cleaned at a jeweler's, or clean it at home in ammonia water, rinse and polish with a chamois.

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am 17 years of age, and weigh 140 pounds. My height is 5 feet 3 inches. What do you think of that? I am the third from in high. Am I very fat? I am not. I am a power. I have a gold neck chain which I wear when I perspire. Do you or any of your many friends know of any remedy to hinder this trouble of mine? I will remain a faithful friend, although not a constant reader. I sign myself, SWEET PEA.

Ans.—You high school girls are indeed very faithful friends to our Mail-Box, and I'm always glad to receive one more. You are progressing very well at school. I have no idea as to how to hinder this trouble of mine. I will remain a faithful friend, although not a constant reader. I sign myself, SWEET PEA.

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Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

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pany, 10th Battalion, 671.

O'DELL—At his late residence, 422 St.
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William O'Dell, formerly of West-
minster Township, in his 61st
year. Funeral notice later. b. 70u

PIPER—At the family residence, 131
Waterloo street, on Wednesday, Aug-
ust 21, 1913, Ann, widow of the late
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afternoon at 2 p.m. interment at Mount
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omit flowers. b. 69u

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Mrs. Nellie Wharton and family, of
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REGULAR MEETING OF S. T.
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evening, August 23, 1913, at 8 p.m.,
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ular business and degrees. Visitors
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