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# HAIG REPULSES COUNTER-ATTACKS AT THIEPVAL

## RUSSIANS DRIVE BACK NEW TURK OFFENSIVE IN ARMENIA

### BRITISH GOVT. STATES NO PEACE OVERTURES HAVE BEEN MADE

#### GEN. HUGHES NO IDOL OF TROOPS, SAYS JOE MARTIN

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#### AND THE BORDEN GOVT.

Soldiers Are Disgusted by the War Mismanagement.

#### HUGHES NO KITCHENER

Not a Popular Hero in Old Land, Declares Former B. C. Member.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Aug. 23.—"Fighting Joe" Martin, M. P. for St. Pancras, London, and formerly of British Columbia, arrived at the King Edward Hotel this morning, and will leave for Ottawa tonight to see Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He will then proceed to British Columbia.

Will Mr. Martin return to Dominion politics? He has not decided, presumably, but has the nomination for a federal B. C. seat.

Mr. Martin has not lost sight of Canadian politics. He has followed even provincial matters. For example, he remarked to your correspondent that H. H. Dewar's victory in St. Lawrence, Ontario had followed Mr. Hay's success in North Perth.

"I saw nothing in the London Times of the win in Perth," said Mr. Martin. "As a matter of fact anything reflecting on Canadian governments appear to be suppressed. Regarding Sir Sam Hughes, I saw no comment on the Allison investigation, merely that the commission would bring in a report, and, later, that the report had been delivered."

Hughes Not Idolized. Mr. Martin does not admit that the British people look upon Sir Sam Hughes as "Canadian Kitchener."

"He represents Canada," said Mr. Martin, "and the British people are entirely satisfied with Canadian soldiers, but it is not true that British public is making a little god of Sir Sam. The soldiers of Canada do not idolize Sir Sam, but they are a great many of the boys, and, if there were an election tomorrow, four out of every five Canadian troops would vote against Sir Sam and his government. The war mismanagement, in a Canadian sense, has made a profound impression. Sir Sam insisted on a big review at Beaumont, and many of the boys lost their leave and do not forget it."

#### THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 96; lowest, 67. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 73; lowest, 59.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND WARMER. Toronto, Aug. 23—8 a.m. forecasts.

Today—Moderate to fresh northwest to west winds; fair and cool.

Thursday—Moderate to fresh to southwest winds; fair, with stationary or slightly higher temperatures.

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

Stations. High. Low. Weather.

Victoria. 72. 54. Clear.

Calgary. 78. 59. Clear.

Winnipeg. 80. 54. Cloudy.

Port Arthur. 76. 52. Clear.

Parry Sound. 72. 46. Cloudy.

Port Stanley. 72. 46. Cloudy.

Buffalo. 72. 46. Rain.

Toronto. 78. 62. Cloudy.

Ottawa. 72. 64. Cloudy.

Montreal. 72. 64. Cloudy.

Quebec. 72. 64. Cloudy.

Weather Notes.

The depression which was over the Georgian Bay yesterday now covers the lower St. Lawrence Valley.

Thunderstorms have occurred in many places in Ontario and Quebec, with a change to cooler conditions. Elsewhere the weather has been fine.

#### CONCENTRATED HELL IN BRITISH ARTILLERY FIRE SAYS FREDERICK PALMER

Germans in Trenches at Thiepval Ridge Could Not Stand Up Before Tornadoes of Shrapnel and Bullets That Preceded Victorious Storming by Haig's Troops.

(By Frederick Palmer.)

With the British Army in France, Aug. 22—Via London, Aug. 23—4:30 a.m.—The artillery commander drew his potent curtain of fire and never in all the seven weeks of the Somme battle has the correspondent witnessed anything equal to the "show" as the officers call every action, in the taking of one of the spurs of Thiepval ridge yesterday afternoon.

Ever since July 1, when the British failed in their effort to storm it, Thiepval ridge has glared at the British, who had kept hammering it with gunfire. The Germans seem to set the same store by it as they did at the height of Vimy and Guillemont, their other flank.

Seemed Impregnable. In front of the position conquered yesterday the British infantry had been decimated by machine gun fire on July 1. The trenches were just as strong as then, with deep dugouts, the result of two years' building. Prisoners taken early in the offensive said the British never could obtain a foothold on that ridge. Those taken yesterday, who had been at Verdun, said they suffered nothing there at all equivalent to the deluge of British shells, and that it was impossible for human beings to endure such tornadoes.

The Finesse of War. On a thousand yard front, both the first German line and the support trench was taken. One pair of eyes could not see more detail than the correspondent saw yesterday. The British and Germans engaged were outlined as clearly as a play around the second base could be seen from a grandstand. A home company of the National Guard, doing skirmish drill in camp, could not be more distinct when seen from the sidelines. It was the very finesse of war.

Concentrated Hell. A Niagara rush of whirling screams from capsules of concentrated hell, tore through the air and began bursting over it. The British hugged it in an infernal ecstasy, sweeping it with myriads of bullets and fragments, shooting forked cones of death into its burrows. To show a head and escape being continued on Page 3, Column 7.

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#### HEADS HUN ARMIES IN THE BALKANS



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#### SLAVS DEVELOPING MOVE IN BUKOWINA CLOSE TO RUMANIA

Pushing Ahead There With the Greatest Energy.

#### IS RUMANIA FOR ALLIES?

London News Believes Bucharest Is Already With the Entente.

[Canadian Press.] London, Aug. 23.—Developments in the Balkans take first place in both news and editorial columns of the newspapers this morning. The papers display keen interest not only in the landing of the Italian and Russian troops at Saloniki, but also in possible actions by the Greek and Rumanian governments, and in the new Russian offensive which is developing in Bukovina.

According to unofficial dispatches, the Russians are pushing ahead with the greatest energy in Bukovina close to the Rumanian frontier, and already have gained "a very brilliant success."

The Daily News, in an editorial, sums up the Balkan situation as follows:

"The imminent general offensive against Bulgaria is of great importance. One of the first results of a successful offensive by Gen. Sarail would be a complete rupture of Germany's communications with the east, and the isolation and capture of Turkey. This is a plain geographical fact.

Affects the Neutrals. "There are also other issues upon which it is wiser to reflect than to enlarge. These affect the firmness of the two neutrals, Greece and Rumania, as well as the dozen belligerents.

"The situation in Greece, where Greek troops already actually are engaged in hard fighting with their traditional enemies, the Bulgarians, is rich in possibilities. As to the intentions of Rumania, we may be content to draw upon the German press which is authority for the statement that Rumania definitely has joined hands with the Entente and is preparing to give Russian troops passage through her territory. It is difficult to conceive what motive the Germans could have for circulating such a statement other than the belief that it is true."

For seven months the Austro-Hungarian authorities have had in operation a well regulated administration which distributes food and enforces hygienic safeguards, the statement says. "Relief work on a large scale has been undertaken, and an epidemic was stopped. The Montenegrin population is calm and satisfied."

McKENNA TAKES MEANS TO GET ALL SECURITIES

Will impose a Further Tax on Income of All Not Turned In.

[Canadian Press.] London, Aug. 23.—Further measures are contemplated by the Government to bring about the mobilization of such Canadian and neutral securities as have not been turned over to the Government. In the House of Commons today the chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, said it was the intention of his department to apply to Parliament for the power to impose a further income tax of two shillings on the returns from all such securities which have not been deposited with the treasury. He added that he trusted everyone would realize it was a public duty to deposit securities without delay.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Liverpool, Aug. 23.—Arrived: Steamship Irishman from Montreal.

Glasgow, Aug. 23.—Arrived: Steamship Sardinian from Boston.

Liverpool, Aug. 23.—Arrived: Steamship Philadelphia from New York.

#### TURK DRIVE ALONG COAST HALTED AND TURNED BACK

New Offensive of Foe in Armenia Broken Up.

#### MANY TURKS SABRED

German Attempt to Take Offensive South of Brody Fails

[Canadian Press.] Petrograd, Aug. 23.—Via London, 2:40 p.m.—An offensive undertaken by the Turks along the Armenian Black Sea coast has been stopped and the Turkish forces driven back with the aid of the Russian fleet, it was announced today by the war office.

The statement regarding the Russian operations against the Turks on the Caucasus front is as follows:

"The Turks, who resumed the offensive on the line of the towns of Etilen, Sidiabad and Maden, on the coast, were driven back to their positions with the co-operation of our fleet."

"West of Lake Van (Southern Turkish Armenia) our offensive is successfully developing. Three officers and 174 Askaris were taken prisoner. In pursuing the respect of the enemy our cavalry columns sabred a large number of Turks."

GERMANS TRY OFFENSIVE. [Canadian Press.] Petrograd, Aug. 23.—Via London.—The Germans resumed the offensive yesterday south of Brody, where the Russians are attempting to approach Lemberg from the northeast. The war office statement of today says the Germans were repulsed. The Russians captured two lights on the Hungarian front. The announcement follows:

"In the region south of Krevo (southeast of Vilna) the enemy on Tuesday night launched a gas attack, which was repelled with heavy losses."

"More than 100 bombs were dropped by enemy aeroplanes on the railway station at Krevo."

"In the region of the Sereth, south of Brody, the enemy resumed the offensive at some points. His attacks were repulsed everywhere by our fire."

"Our infantry attack. On the same night an attempt of the enemy to advance between Casera Zingarella and Casera Zebio Pastore, on the Asiatic Plateau, was checked by our fire."

"In the Tofana area yesterday, after effective artillery preparation, detachments of our Alpine troops and infantry carried strong enemy positions on the western slopes of Tofana hill and in the Trevenezes Valley. The enemy suffered heavy loss and left about 40 prisoners in our hands."

"In the Cortina area, artillery fighting is in progress. An enemy detachment which attempted to approach Verobizza stream yesterday afternoon was repulsed by our fire and left numerous dead on the ground."

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GERMANY'S CROPS. [Canadian Press.] Berlin, Aug. 23.—The Tagblatt says that favorable crop forecasts are being fully borne out, and that excellent yields of all cereals are being obtained throughout Germany. Potatoes also are plentiful. The potato crop, however, probably is inferior to that of last year, owing to the excessive rains. Sugar production has increased.

MARCONI CLUB PICNIC. The annual picnic of the Marconi Club is being held today at Wondersland.

The club band, under Prof. Venuta, the director, paraded the downtown streets this morning. The usual big crowd and enjoyable time are features of the annual outing.

INQUIRY OPENED INTO SKEFFINGTON EXECUTION

[Canadian Press.] Dublin, Aug. 23.—An inquiry into the shooting without trial of three men during the rebellion in Ireland last spring, was opened today in the Four Courts. The cases are those of F. Sheehy Skeffington, Fred McIntyre and Thomas Dickson. The men were put to death at the orders of Capt. Bowen-Colthurst, who was court-martialed and found guilty, but insane.

#### TWO HEAVY ASSAULTS OF GERMANS FAIL TO BREAK GRIP OF BRITISH ON THE RIDGE ABOUT THIEPVAL

SOLDIERS' MAIL GETS FIRST CALL AT POSTOFFICE

As a direct result of the publicity given the matter in The Advertiser the London postoffice has received word to deliver immediately all mail coming from men at the front.

Complaint was made that these letters were being laid aside upon their arrival until stamps could be affixed, with the result that sometimes the anxiously awaited messages were held up for more than one mail, and at least for one mail.

Ex-Mayor W. M. Spencer, chairman of the Patriotic Fund, called attention to the conditions of affairs, and an article was published in the columns of this newspaper, with the result that Deputy Postmaster Coulter gave orders to have the mail from France attended to first of all. The letters are not laid aside now, and those who anxiously await word from relatives now receive their precious letters on the first mail after arrival. Business mail takes a second place to the budget from those who are fighting.

ITALIANS CAPTURE STRONG POSITIONS OF THE AUSTRIANS

Make a Successful Thrust Against Foe in Alpine Region.

[Canadian Press.] Rome, Aug. 23.—Via London, 2:30 p.m.—The Italians are making a strong and successful thrust at the Austrian lines in the Alpine region in the extreme northern front, according to today's war office announcement. Italian troops have carried strong Austrian positions in the Tofana region in the Dolomites and in the Travenaz valley.

"In the Asiatic Valley on the night of August 22 the enemy shelled our positions at the bottom of the valley with great intensity, but did not develop any infantry attack."

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Enemy Gains a Footing in British Trenches Only To Be Driven Out at Once—Second Attack Completely Repulsed With Heavy Losses.

(Canadian Press.)

London, Aug. 23.—3:02 p.m.—Two heavy assaults on the positions newly won by the British south of Thiepval, on the Somme front, were made last night by the Germans. They gained a footing in the British trenches, but were driven out again, the war office announcement of today says.

The announcement follows:

"The enemy made two determined counter-attacks last night on our new trenches south of Thiepval. By the first attack he gained a temporary footing in our trenches, but was driven out immediately. The second attack was repulsed completely. The enemy's losses in these two attempts were very heavy."

Last night there was rather more hostile artillery fire, especially in the regions of High wood and Bazentin-Le-Petit.

Opposite Lens we carried out a small raid successfully. On the other parts of the British front there was the usual trench warfare.

Council Order Changes 'Berlin' To 'Kitchener'

(Canadian Press.)

TORONTO, AUG. 23.—AN ORDER IN COUNCIL WAS PASSED TODAY CHANGING THE NAME OF BERLIN, ONT. TO KITCHENER. THE PROCLAMATION WILL BE ISSUED SEPTEMBER 1.

RECALLS INDEXING ORDER-IN-COUNCIL TO PAY FOR DOME

Roblin's Clerk of Executive Council on Stand at Winnipeg.

[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Aug. 23.—Sergeant Jas. Christie, D. C. M., returned from the front yesterday and was named by the crown as the first witness this morning in the trial of the ex-cabinet minister.

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## MILITARY NEWS AND GOSSIP

OF CORPS, UNITS AND BATTALIONS OF NO. 1 MILITARY DISTRICT; OF LONDON'S MOBILIZATION CAMP AT CARLING HEIGHT, AND OF CAMP BORDEN, WHERE EIGHT WESTERN ONTARIO BATTALIONS ARE QUARTERED.

7TH FIELD CO., C. E.  
7TH DETACHED GUARD.  
CANADIAN DENTAL CORPS.  
A. S. C. DETAILS.  
NO. 1 A. M. C. DEPOT.  
C. O. C.

PERMANENT CORPS.  
HEADQUARTERS STAFF.  
OFFICERS' TRAINING  
CORPS.  
NO. 10 HOSPITAL.  
SIGNALING SCHOOL.  
NO. 1 POSTAL CORPS.

### RETURNED SOLDIERS' ASSOCIATION DOES NOT LIKE ED. LANCE

Will Not Mix With Soldiers' Aid Commission.

### DELEGATES WILL RESIGN

Funds Set Aside to Help Any Destitute Families—To Interview M.P.'s.

Although the Returned Soldiers' Association of London is anxious to assist the work of the newly-formed Soldiers' Aid Commission, the body will have nothing to do with that organization as long as Ed. Lance is connected with it.

A resolution was passed at the meeting of the association last night confirming the motion passed at a former meeting, that the Returned Soldiers' Association would have nothing to do with any association with which Secretary Lance of the Sportsmen's Patriotic Association was connected.

The returned soldiers' delegates to the Soldiers' Aid Commission will tender their resignations at once.

To Interview M. P.'s.

A deputation composed of A. Ritchie, J. Rawling and C. A. Graham was chosen to interview S. Frank Glass and William Gray, to see what may be done for returned soldiers in the city.

A motion was passed setting apart some of the funds of the Returned Soldiers' Association to help destitute families of any of the returned men.

More money was set aside to buy shoes for the returned men to sell on the streets if no way is found soon of employing or assisting them.

Some May Wear Placards.

Some of the men may also wear placards setting forth their needs. These will be donated by a businessman in the city.

It was decided that the association would give a silver cup to the winning team in the military tug-of-war on Labor Day.

The question of appointing delegates to the trades and labor council was laid over. A number of new members were admitted, some of them being men who only returned last week.

### WORK AVAILABLE FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Special Employment Committee Has a Number of Reported Vacancies.

The employment committee of the soldiers' aid commission is going into the problem of finding work for returned men, and at the meeting last night, steps were taken to get work for them.

Four London firms offered positions. A brewery can take several men in the bottling department, the jobs paying \$11 for a 50-hour week. A contractor, with several big jobs, has places for builders, masons and helpers.

A Toronto firm wants men to canvass for magazines and other publications. "We are getting the situation sized up," said Chairman E. R. Dennis. "We have secured openings, and we will now look up the returned men, in an effort to place them in the work which is suitable to their condition and health. We should have no difficulty in placing them all."

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### FIVE OF THIS FAMILY SERVING

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### ACTING MINISTER SEES CAMP BORDEN DURING WINDSTORM

Makes His Visit Brief and Does Not Comment.

### EMPLOYS NO PRIVATE CAR

Grey Battalion Is Told It May Go Abroad Soon—Colors Presented.

[Special to The Advertiser.] CAMP BORDEN, Aug. 22.—Unhindered, without the usual private car, horde of hangers-on, and in an ordinary grey summer suit, F. B. McCurdy, who has assumed the duties of the minister of militia temporarily, came to Borden today, and, after a day about camp in company with the commandant and Col. Robert Low, left before nightfall with General Elliott by motor for Toronto.

He said that he came to see Borden, and at the close of the day stated that he would rather not say anything. He saw Borden. Before his arrival a gale broke, sending great clouds of dust and waves of heat over the camp. It was just a little worse than the usual Borden sandstorm. Officers here state that the day was the worst since the visit of the minister of militia.

Visit a Surprise.

The camp commandant was not aware of his coming until he received a request from the station for a motor car. Col. Low who was in Toronto last night, and is said to have been in Ottawa for some days, says he did not know of the visit until Mr. McCurdy was in camp.

During the morning he was taken to every point in the camp, and in the afternoon along with headquarters witnessed the presentation of the colors of the 147 Grey Battalion. He was asked to take the salute.

Green Militant.

During the exercises he exhibited the lack of knowledge of military affairs that would be shown only by the greenest recruit. He did not hesitate to break through a parade of soldiers in answer to Major-General Logie's request to hurry because the afternoon was growing short. Mr. McCurdy was anxious to reach Toronto tonight. He did not explain his reason. He addressed the Grey Battalion briefly.

Greys Soon to Go.

"I will not keep you in the sun any longer than is possible. I am glad to be in Borden when this event was taking place. You will be warned to prepare for overseas in the immediate future. Good-bye, good luck, God bless you," he said.

Mr. McCurdy met the officers of the regiment on the parade ground after the exercises were over, shaking hands with each officer. Before he departed he spent about ten minutes at headquarters to meet the different brigadiers and commanding officers.

The colors were presented to the 147th Battalion by Warden A. E. Cordingley, who made a brief address. He was followed by Mr. E. Cameron, who hoped that the soldiers of Grey would return the colors after marching through the streets of Berlin; Rev. Mr. Johnson of Shaw Lake, who referred to the fact that not an eligible man was left in his village; Mayor Little of Owen Sound, who pointed out that the soldiers had responded without complaint to the call of duty, regardless of creed or color. Dr. Mearns also spoke.

None Better Than 147th.

During Mr. McCurdy's brief remarks Major-General Logie interjected that there was not a better battalion in camp.

The event was the first of this nature to take place since the opening of the camp. The loyal support given by the citizens of the county of Grey continues to show. Over a thousand came by motor or train to witness the event.

On behalf of the societies represented by Mrs. Christopher Eaton, Mrs. P. C. McFarland, Mrs. D. M. Butchart and Mrs. (Dr.) Mearns, Mr. Cameron informed the men of the battalion that they would receive a gift of two pairs of socks, in many cases the work of their relatives and friends.

Rev. Mr. Thompson during his remarks told the men to take all the railroads to task for the failure of the efforts of the citizens of Owen Sound and Grey County to bring the unit to Owen Sound for the ceremony.

The railroads stated that they had not the rolling stock to carry the regiment. The men felt that they had been discriminated against, since the 147th had been given permission to receive its colors in London.

Four-Days' Leave Now.

The following battalions will receive leave of four days once a month instead of two days every fortnight: 118th, 114th, 132nd, 147th, 227th, 159th, 184th, 228th, 110th, 186th, 142nd, 149th, 181st and 184th.

Other units will receive their leave as formerly.

This decision was based upon the reports of the different commanding officers.

LITTLE MEN WINNING WAR DECORATIONS, TOO

Are Needed as Much as Big Ones Is Plea of Bantam Battalion.

Rejected at Last Minute.

Owing to trouble with his eyes, Robert (Bert) Hannah, one of the Western University's most popular students in the arts department in the past few years, and a widely-known reader and entertainer, has met with the keen disappointment of being unable to leave for overseas with the Western University Hospital unit. Mr. Hannah was attached to the unit for three months and until the last hoped to be able to go.

Title Changed.

The company of men medically unfit for overseas service which has been attached to the 160th Battalion with the designation "Special Service Company," will in future be known as No. 1 Company, attached to 160th Battalion.

Up to 50 Now.

A garrison picket of 50 men, with a proper proportion of officers, will be supplied by the duty battalion for this week.

Other Military News on Page Three.

### DRAFT FROM 63RD BATTERY DEPARTS; SUMMONS SUDDEN

Nineteen Men Leave by C.P.R. for Petawawa.

### FEW FRIENDS AT STATION

May Be Taken to Fill Up One of Batteries Recruited in District.

One of the quietest departures of troops from this city since the beginning of the war was witnessed last night when a draft of nineteen men from the 63rd Battery left at 5:10 for Petawawa. Word was not received to prepare the draft until late in the day, so there was no time to arrange for the usual send-off.

This time the men left via C. P. R. They were accompanied to the station only by the commander of the battery, Major Keith Cameron. There were only a few civilians present. At Petawawa the draft will probably be used to fill up one of the batteries raised in this district and now training there. The fact that only nineteen men were taken, and that none from the 64th Battery were asked for, bears out this theory.

The men who left were Gunners P. C. Allan, C. Bechill, L. N. Bauch, R. M. Erskine, W. P. Eddy, P. Farrell, T. R. Ferris, J. Gordon, E. Lyons, J. M. Johnson, V. Milliken, H. Y. McNeil, P. McLeod, A. W. Rigney, T. J. Rooney, M. A. Shoebottom, H. Sherwin, G. Summers, W. Thomson.

1,400 FROM LONDON CAMP HELPED IN HARVESTING

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—Information as to the help soldiers have been giving to the help soldiers has been given in a statement prepared by the organization of resources committee. In No. 1 Military Division 1,400 non-commissioned officers and men have been granted leave from London camp for harvesting. In No. 2 Military Division (Kingston) over 1,000 furloughs have been granted for periods covering two weeks to two months. In Military Division No. 2 (Toronto) the number of men on harvesting furloughs on the dates shown has been as follows: Week of July 22, 3,549; week of August 5, 4,389; week ended August 12, 4,111.

BATTERY BUNGALOWS AT FRONT ALWAYS COOL

Hot Weather Doesn't Affect Dugouts of London Boys, Writes Policeman-Soldier.

Sergeant William Snell of the 12th Field Battery, one of the members of the London police force, who enlisted with the 12th Field Battery, now Sergeant-Major John Barnhill, in the old 6th Battery at the beginning of the war, declares that the "bungalows" are always cool despite the hot weather now prevailing in Belgium. In a letter to Patrol Sergeant William McCullough of the London police force, Sergeant Snell says in part: "We are having a few days of real nice weather now, and it has been very warm, but it is cool this morning. We don't get too hot. I am rather out here, and at least our under-the-ground bungalows are always cool."

"We are getting to be old soldiers now. It hardly seems so long since we were left, but it is almost two years now. It's quite long enough. I think another two years will see the finish of it. We are having it rather quiet here."

In completing the letter, which was written on the 4th of August, Sergeant Snell declares that he is feeling "fine and dandy."

Brave Soldier's Mother A Resident of London

Major McMorris Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Among the Canadians officially gazetted as having been awarded the Distinguished Service Order is Major Stewart Percival McMorris, son of Mrs. Robert McMorris, of 785 Hellmuth avenue, this city.

The official announcement says: "Major Stewart Percival McMorris, Pioneer, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in notably assisting to consolidate newly-won trenches. Though severely wounded in the head and arm he stuck to his post till the company was withdrawn."

Major McMorris enlisted a year and a half ago at Victoria, B. C., in the 18th Battalion, and later was transferred to the 3rd Pioneer.

DECLINED—WITH THANKS

Invitation to Camp Borden Ignored by Local Members.

So far, not a member of the board of trade has signified his desire to go to Camp Borden and inspect it.

Some days ago invitations were sent to the members, asking whether or not they would like to visit the Salara, but up to the minute, not one has been consumed by a desire to go there.

It does not look as if several special trains will be needed to carry the mob to Camp Borden.

How to Beautify a Summer Soiled Face

It's really a simple matter to renovate a face soiled by sun, winds or dirt. Ordinary make-up was used like cold cream, will transform the worst complexion into one of snowy whiteness and velvety softness. It literally peels off the outer veil of surface skin, but so gently, gradually, there's no discomfort. The worst skin comes off, not in patches, but evenly, in tiny particles, leaving no evidence of the treatment. The complexion is healthier underneath, forming the new complexion. One ounce of make-up is enough to remove any tanned, reddened, pimply, freckled or blotchy skin. Apply before retiring, wash it off morning.

Many skins wrinkle easily with every wind that blows, with heat, worry, etc. An excellent wrinkle remover, because it tightens the skin and strengthens relaxed muscles, is a wash lotion made as follows: Powdered saxoline, 1 oz.; dissolved in witch hazel, ½ pint. This gives immediate results.

## Advance Fall Fashions

### A Display of Fashion's Most Recent Creations

From Paris, rising above the clouds of war, to retain her supremacy in feminine dress creation, come the most wonderful designs of the courtiers' master minds. What can be more inspiring than the expression of the beautiful and artistic of these great men and women, in their success in the very midst of the sordid and depressing conflict?

American and Canadian courtiers have caught the inspiration and profited by their example, and have even outdone their former successes in giving us the most beautiful women's apparel.

To these two sources of all that is most beautiful and desirable in women's dress we are indebted for the comprehensive display that is prepared for you here tomorrow (Thursday) morning, at 9 o'clock, which will include—

Tailored Suits  
Street and Motor Coats  
Semi-Dress Coats  
Street and Recreation Dresses  
Demi-Dress Suits  
Evening Coats and Mantles  
Velour and Velvet Coats



Dress Silks, Satins  
Dress Velvets and Velvetens  
Black and Colored Dress Goods  
French and English Wool Challies  
Blouses in Crepe de Chine, Organdie, etc., for all occasions  
Separate Skirts for street or formal wear

### Important Style Features For Autumn, 1916

**SUITS**—Tailored types; jackets have large collar and are nipped in at the waist. The skirts of the jacket are full and inclined to ripple. Pockets are prominent features. The skirts are still quite full and a mere trifle longer, with simple lines. Materials are gabardines, serges and mannish worsteds, velours, etc. Demi-tailored suits are rather elaborations of trimming of the tailored styles, with the style features accentuated.

**DRESSES**—Show a marked tendency to overskirt effects, generally caught up or open at the sides. Bodices of the old-fashioned tight variety, are popular in many dresses. Evening Dresses are more simple than ever, mostly snug-fitting waists and large and ample skirts. Materials in Street Dresses, serges and satins are favorites; in Reception Dresses, satins, crepe de chine and Georgette crepe; in Evening Dresses, taffeta and the softer silks.

**COATS**—Are remarkable for their variety of styles, the one ever-present feature being the high and voluminous collars. Large pockets, very like the pockets of the English soldier's uniform, give decoration and style. Dressy Coats also retain the great collars and fall low from the shoulders. Evening Coats are quite full and have cape-like collars in very many different interpretations.

**COLORS**—The new tones which will be among the leaders for fall and winter, 1916-17, are submarine grey, forest and Pacific green and black-berry blue. These and a variety of other popular autumn shades will be exploited in tomorrow's display of new and fashionable fabrics in the silk, dress goods and velvet sections. Broadcloth, gabardine and fine worsted serges promise to be the favorites, and we invite you to see the new ranges and to note also that prices are the same as last season in most cases.



## LONDON COOLS OFF BY TOUCH OF FALL AGAIN

The Thermometer Almost Ties Itself in Knots by Sudden Drop.

37 DEGREES DIFFERENCE

From 96 to 59 It Went Scooting To Add To Comfort of Heat-Suffering City.

PEACE AND COMFORT COME

Coolness of Night Generally Reflected in More Amiable Spirits Today.

What a difference! Just 37 degrees did the thermometer drop on Tuesday and Tuesday night, from 96 it went reading down to 59. That's some drop if anyone would like more specific information on the subject, but apparently London, as a whole, is not given to critical examinations after enjoying a cool night's sleep for the first time in what is generally referred to as "many moons."

A Seasonable Mixture. London had a mixture of two seasons yesterday—summer and fall—but it must be confessed that the majority were stronger for the latter season than the former. After sweating in the heat for such a period during the latter part of June, July and again in August, the cooling rain and subsequent breeze were what a society editor would call "delightful."

Providence, and van-eyed, lack of enthusiasm, that seemed so conspicuous on Tuesday morning after Monday's 99 degree temperature was strangely missing today, and a new wave of the "stray opinions" floating around on the street, street car, shop, office and factory brand Tuesday night, as the most comfortable of the summer.

More Heat Prostrations.

Temperature went chasing up to 96 in the afternoon and another case of heat prostration was reported as a direct result. For steady, consistent, unrelenting heat the past week has taken the cake in this city. From August 17 until August 22, inclusive, the thermometer registered in excess of 90 degrees. This is what the moon prepared by the weather man would look like for the respective days.

August 17. Weather a la fricasse. 91.  
August 18. Heat, fried. 93.  
August 19. Solar rays, baked. 97.  
August 20. Steamed London. 97.  
August 21. Old Sol, parboiled. 99.  
August 22. Extra Dry Sol's Best. 96.

With no Canadian League to engross the attention of the box-score fans, and with sports at a minimum, owing to the war, the statistical fiend has been watching Old Sol's setting, averaging with more than an eagle eye. The man who two years ago could quote you the batting and fielding averages of every player on the London team can now tell you off-hand how Old Sol has been whaling them out in the little old sun yard of London the less.

Just as London used to lead the Canadian League right up to the end of the season and then fall down, so has London led in the Old Sol League this year. If it falls down now there will be no complaints. The honor of being the hottest city in Canada has been this city's for many a day, and it is hoped that it won't be prolonged.

## DIES IN HOSPITAL AFTER BEING STRUCK BY A NORMAL CAR

Farmer From Denfield Loses Life in City.

BUSY CORNER; BUSY TIME

Inquest Will Be Opened by Coroner McLaren at Noon Today.

Casbon Herbert of Denfield was struck by a Normal street car at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets at 5 o'clock last evening, and died in Victoria Hospital at 11:30 p.m.

He suffered concussion of the brain and other injuries. According to some witnesses the unfortunate man stepped from behind a northbound Oxford car, which had been boarded by his wife, directly in the path of the southbound Normal. It is stated that he was walking with his head down, and seemed to be paying no attention to his surroundings. A number of people who were in the vicinity tried to warn him, but he evidently did not hear the warning until too late.

The Normal car was in charge of Milton Charles Duke. He was carried by Police-Sergeant McDonald into the drug store of Bruce Wallace, where medical attention was given by Dr. C. J. Karn and Dr. McLaren. He was taken to the home of M. W. Culbert, 235 Oxford street, and later removed to the hospital. His wife was with him in the hospital when he died. The body was removed to Hamilton for undertaking rooms, where an inquest was opened at noon today by Coroner McLaren. After viewing the remains, the jury adjourned to meet on Friday evening at the police station for the hearing of evidence.

CAR STRUCK AUTO.—A Dundas street car struck a motor delivery car of "Jackson the Cleaner" as it was backing out of the lane by the side of the Jackson plant about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The accident occurred through some defect in the steering gear. The back wheel was broken, but no one was injured.

## CITY

IS ACTING MAYOR.—Mayor H. A. Stevenson has not yet returned from Montreal, and today Ald. W. A. Wilson is acting mayor.

BRIDGE FOR WARDSVILLE.—Arrangements are being made for the building of another bridge in Middlesex. The next one to be erected is at Wardsville.

SUE FOR COLLECTION.—Sterling Bruce Limited, of London, have issued a writ against David Pfaff of Danwood for \$121.60, the amount of two promissory notes claimed to have been paid by Pfaff in favor of the plaintiffs.

OPPOSE STREET OPENING.—A number of citizens in the north end are opposed to the opening of Gordon street, and have petitioned to have the work delayed. Controller Moore and Ald. Webster will investigate and make a report to the board of control.

NO GROUNDS FOR ALARM.—Visitors to Springfield have expressed their surprise at the "jack" the water recently added to the "200" there, has no water to drink, as none is visible from the outside, but as was pointed out some weeks ago the water is started spring water in the centre of his park.

BELVIDERE DONATIONS.—Mrs. French, lady superintendent at Belvidere Convalescent Home, acknowledges the following donations: Lord Roberts Chapter, five dollars worth cigarettes; Miss Moffatt, five dollars; Mrs. Yarrow, cucumbers; Miss Douglas, box of biscuits; Mrs. W. L. Cream, and magazines from Mrs. E. Brook and Mrs. Mearns.

BOLSTER UP PAVEMENT.—Because the pavement, street car tracks and paving allowed, is being caving in, new base work and surfacing had to be put in on Dundas street opposite the W. T. Strong building. Steam pipes, put under the road some time after the pavements were constructed, caused the gradual sinking that had to be rectified.

BUILDING PERMITS.—Permits have been issued for J. Jones for a one-story veneer house on Hyla street, to cost \$1200, and to J. Smith for a two-story veneer residence on Grand avenue to cost \$2,500. The plans for the new sewage disposal works in East London, which Bert Vetter is organizing, Inspector Piper, and will cost \$55,000. The permits for August will total more than \$100,000.

PLANNING WINTER'S WORK.—In the midst of the holiday season, the choir of the Centennial Methodist Church, of which Bert Vetter is organist and conductor, is already making plans for an extensive program of work for the coming season. Two concerts will be given before Christmas; the first, a musical evening, to be presented in the middle of October. For the second, the choir is co-operating with Mr. Letellier's class of boys of the Centennial Sunday School in bringing Jessie Alexander, the eloquent, as a special attraction. Some time early in the new year, a patriotic cantata by Sir Frederick Bridge will be presented.

## PERSONAL

Clara T. Thorne of the Merchants Bank staff, Nanapan, was a week-end visitor at Gilead Cottage, Willow Beach, Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thorne and family spent the week-end at Willow Beach, Port Stanley.

Mrs. Gerald Pearson has returned home from Muskoka, where she has been spending several weeks at the summer home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robinson, of this city, at Rosseau.

Mrs. C. R. Somerville is coming up from Sarnia, where she is staying at the Lake Huron Beach Hotel, for the annual meeting of the London Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society tomorrow.

Mrs. Morden of this city is visiting relatives in Belleville.

## DEATHS AND FUNERALS

BURIED AT THAMESFORD.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine P. Judge, who died suddenly on Monday as the result of heart disease, was held from the family residence, 135 Anne street, today at 12:15 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. C. E. Flanders.

The remains were forwarded on the 1:20 G. T. R. train to Thamesford, where interment was made.

BERNICE WASPE BURIED.—The funeral of Bernice Waspe of 618 King street, who died after a brief illness on Sunday, was held Tuesday from the family residence. The service was conducted at 10 a.m. by Rev. Dr. Hawkins. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The pallbearers were Lorne McIntyre, Fred Angus, Fred Young and Ernest Fitzgerald.

BURIED AT MOUNT PLEASANT.—The funeral of Mrs. Rose Miller, who died in Victoria Hospital on Saturday, was held on Tuesday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. H. T. Ashby. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. She was the wife of John H. Miller.

The pallbearers were Pies S. P. Murphy, W. O. Marlan, W. J. Bastien, R. Asman, F. Foster, Sergt. Roberts.

WILLIAM HUDSON DIES.—William Hudson, for some time having been suffering from a paralytic stroke, died Tuesday as the result of hemorrhage of the brain, which followed the stroke. At first some hopes were held for his recovery, but he gradually became weaker, and he suddenly Tuesday morning. He was 52 years old, and resided at 1295 Dundas street.

He was a son of the late Henry Hudson of Prospect Hill, Blanchard, and was born at Richmond. His widow, Jean, and five daughters survive him.

HUSBAND OF LONDON GIRL PAYS SUPREME SACRIFICE

Major Leslie Webster, Who Joined C. E. F. in West, Killed in Action.

Major Leslie Olney Webster, a member of one of the Western Canadian battalions, and son-in-law of Mrs. Charles Underwood, 609 Lorne avenue, was today officially reported killed in action on August 19. An official message from Ottawa was sent to his wife, Mrs. Webster, who was on the official records as being a resident of this city, and living with her mother, Mrs. Webster, however, is now living in Hamilton, and a long distance telephone communication was sent her by Mrs. Underwood, breaking the news of her husband's death. Mrs. Webster is returning to London.

## FAR PAST ALLOTTED SPAN BUT STILL ACTIVE AND STIRRING



JAMES POLE, 81. JAMES ROBINSON, 92. WILLIAM POLE, 71.

## CELEBRATING MOST UNIQUE BIRTHDAY PARTY IN LONDON'S HISTORY, WHERE COMBINED AGE OF THREE PARTICIPANTS TOTALS JUST 244

The most novel birthday party one could imagine is being held in London today, unusual for several reasons. In the first place it is three birthday parties rolled all into one. In the second place there couldn't be found in London a cake big enough to hold all the candles that would be required, according to convention, 244 in all. In the third place there is an age limit to this exclusive party. No one is eligible for admission who isn't over seventy years of age.

The host of the day is one of London's well-known citizens, James Pole, who is celebrating his 81st birthday on his 31st birthday. This luncheon he sat on the lawn in front of his home at the corner of Rectory and King streets, surrounded by a group of friends and acquaintances. First to arrive was his own brother, William Pole of Sarnia, who, accompanied by his wife, had come up for the great occasion. William Pole is himself celebrating a birthday, his 71st.

Introducing his junior brother, James Pole remarked, "My brother William. We have twin birthdays, though there is a ten years difference in our age. It is remarkable that we were born on the same date and at identical the same hour of the day."

We Were Fourteen.—"Were there just the two of you?" inquired a reporter. The brothers looked at one another and laughed. "No, there were more than that," came the reply. "Just fourteen of us, that's all."

"And I'm the boy of this party today," James Pole said. "I'm scarcely eligible to be here, I'm so young," interjected William Pole.

"James Robinson," said the host, indicating another member of the circle, who rose and bowed in a courtly manner in acknowledgment of the introduction.

"It's my birthday, too. I'm 92 today," said James Robinson. "That's not a very young age either," said the host. "I'm 81 years old today," said the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pole.

Coming out to Canada, he took up a life insurance company, and was a section foreman in Carleton Place. At the end of forty years he bought a farm in Eganville, Ontario, and he has since been a farmer. He has a son, Peter McArthur, the writer, who states, after 40 years of farm life, during which time he served sixteen years in the militia and as reeve of the township of Eganville, that he has never lived so long and happy as he does now.

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## FOUR OFFICERS OF 142ND BATTALION PICKED FOR DRAFT

Will Go With Next Party of Unattached "Subs."

24 FROM THIS DISTRICT

Names Announced Today and Others May Be Selected Later.

Twenty-four more supernumerary officers from battalions of No. 1 Military District have been chosen to proceed overseas for a large number of these active service units.

Four of this new party are from the 142nd "London's Own" Battalion. It is stated that there is a prospect of another draft being sent soon, when many junior officers who very much desire the trip across will be accommodated.

A number of unattached officers resident in this district will shortly be sent to Camp Borden for training purposes. The transfer overseas of so many supernumeraries makes vacancies for a large number of these unattached officers.

The draft is slated to leave London next Monday, but no hour has yet been set.

The names of the officers comprising the draft are as follows:

Lieut. O. C. Lick, 165th Battalion.  
Lieut. H. C. Mitchell, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. J. B. Harvey, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. C. M. McEwen, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. T. R. Gray, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. A. T. Field, 110th Battalion.  
Lieut. F. A. Gray, 110th Battalion.  
Lieut. J. A. McKean, 110th Battalion.  
Lieut. J. A. Dempsey, 110th Battalion.  
Lieut. A. E. Dyke, 110th Battalion.  
Lieut. H. P. Smith, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. E. W. Porter, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. R. E. Ferguson, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. Leslie Dickson, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. W. R. Adams, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. G. C. Langford, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. M. R. Sloan, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. W. W. Shaver, 1st Battalion.  
Lieut. T. L. Savage, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. W. M. Wright, 168th Battalion.  
Lieut. E. C. Rowley, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. R. C. Cook, 12nd Battalion.  
Lieut. Thomas Todd, 11th Battalion.

## LONDONER DIES IN CHATHAM FROM HEAT

Contracting Mason, Employed on Sugar Works There, Died in Hospital.

Richard Parsons, well known as a contracting mason of this city, died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, on Tuesday afternoon as a result of heat stroke. He was working on the construction of the new Chatham sugar factory, and was rendered unconscious as a result of a sunstroke. Four hours after his admission he died.

Mr. Parsons was the husband of Alicia Parsons, and father of Bert Parsons, assistant superintendent of the Chatham Life Insurance Company. Mrs. (Rev.) Charles Langford of Owen Sound, and Mrs. Vance Kennedy of this city, are daughters.

The funeral will be held in this city on Friday afternoon. Interment will be made in Woodland Cemetery.

## DRUMMER OF 110TH WEBS VETERAN'S DAUGHTER

[Special to The Advertiser.] STRATFORD, Aug. 22.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. James' Church today when Miss Mary Turner, daughter of Corp. and Mrs. Harry Turner, was married to Drummer Manson Reeves of the 110th Battalion. Rev. H. A. Thorne officiated. Corp. Turner is a returned combatant.

## CANCEL POLICIES ON PREMISES OCCUPIED BY LIQUOR DEALERS

Some Companies Ban "Wet" Sellers' Insurance.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE

One Shop Proprietor Says Incendiary Fires Apparently Feared.

Some of the fire insurance companies have notified their local agents to cancel all policies on hotels and liquor stores. Some of the dealers today were notified that their policies had been cancelled, and they are now looking out for insurance in other companies. It is not known whether the companies figure that there will be many conflagrations after September 16 or not, but they have taken these precautionary measures at least.

I had a policy cancelled this morning," said P. J. Watt. "I was informed that others were having theirs cancelled also. I do not know the reason, but probably they suspect that some of us will burn our shacks down."

The boy who with two companions appeared before Squire Chittick on Monday charged with firing a revolver at Conductor Charles Goring of the G. T. R., will be sent to the Mimico Reformatory for an indefinite time. He was taken in charge by Inspector Richard Saunders of the Children's Aid Society. It is stated that he had a long police record before he appeared on the last charge.

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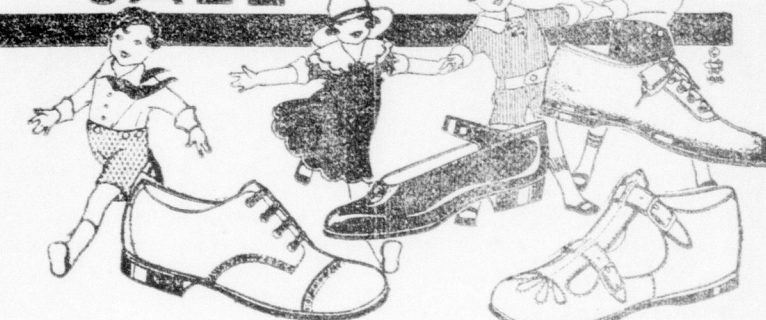
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## The LET-GO SALE



## Children's Week at the Let-Go Sale

Kid Slippers, 1 to 5 . . . 39c  
Patent Slippers, 1 to 5 . . . 63c  
Patent Roman Sandals, 1 to 5 . . . 89c  
White Canvas Slippers, 4 to 8 . . . 66c  
Kid Slippers, 5 to 7 1/2 . . . 88c  
Patent and Kid Slippers, 8 to 10 1/2 . . . 98c

Patent Roman Sandals, 8 to 10 1/2 . . . \$1.28  
Patent Slippers, 11 to 2 . . . \$1.28  
Barefoot Sandals, 11 to 2 . . . 89c  
White Canvas Slippers, 11 to 2 . . . 99c

## "AMERICAN LEGION" TAKEN FROM NAME OF 213TH BATTALION

Militia Dept. Fears Washington Might Take Exception To Name.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Aug. 22.—Official notification was received from Ottawa today ordering that the name of the American Legion, 213th Battalion, be changed. The advice was to the effect that the words "American Legion" be struck out and only the number, 213th, be retained.

The object of such a move it is believed is to eliminate any possibility of the Washington authorities taking exception to the name of a Canadian battalion, particularly during a time of stress in their own country.

INVESTIGATE SARONIC FIRE. An investigation of the burning of the steamer Saronic at Cockburn Island on Saturday night will be ordered by the Northern Navigation Company of Toronto. The members of the crew landed today by the Hamilton, stated that they were under affidavit made to the company officials to divulge no information until such time as the investigation was held.

LIGHTNING FIRES BARN NEAR MELROSE; CROPS LOST

[Special to The Advertiser.] Hyde Park, Aug. 22.—The barn of Hugh Melrose, who resides near Melrose, was struck by lightning and burned during the storm which swept through this district last evening. The season's crops were destroyed, the horse stable and sheds being also consumed. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

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German first line and start on with another charge in the German support trench. They will clean up any Germans lying in shell craters on the way. They grow dim with distance and in the fading light, but they get there. They have the support trench, their signals are. And that bunch of running German personnel coming toward the British rear as fast they can is enveloped in some shell fire. The German curtain of fire is now being laid on the old first-line British trench area, which explains why all the personnel taken do not reach the collection stations alive. Those seen fairly out of range of shell fire were smiling and seemed much relieved.

"They will have a good square meal over in the camp by that clump of trees tonight," said a general, "and they have been under fire for the last three or four days."

Walking with them were the British wounded, also smiling.

But by night, some are made between big attacks. The British now are within 1,000 yards of the front, maintain their positions in Gullywood, and are within 500 yards of Gullywood and of Martindale.

One after another, as though they were coming to the top of stairs, heads and shoulders appeared out of the trench. Each German had his hands up, and in file the prisoners moved past a British standing on the parapet. They were not armed, but not waited to be bombed out of their dugouts, but had surrendered, came legging it at top speed back toward the British first-line trenches.

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## A PAGE OF GENERAL INTEREST TO WOMEN READERS

## VERSE--New and Old

The following is reprinted by special request. It was a song popular at the time of the Crimean war:

Mother is the battle over,  
Thousands have been slain, they say,  
Is my father coming, tell me?  
Have the English gained the day?  
Is he well or is he wounded?  
Mother, do you think he's slain?  
If you know, I pray you tell me,  
Will my father come again?

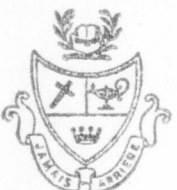
Mother dear, you're always sighing  
Since you last the paper read;  
Tell me why you now are crying?  
Why that eye is on your head?  
Ah! I see you cannot tell me,  
Father's one amongst the slain,  
Although he loved us very dearly,  
He will never come again.

Yes, my boy, your noble father,  
Is one numbered with the slain,  
Although he loved us very dearly,  
He will never come again.  
He has died for England's glory,  
Our day may not be far between;  
But I hope at the last moment,  
That we all shall meet again.

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## Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letter can be answered privately.]

## Kitt 107 Pairs.

Dear Miss Grey—Here I have dropped in again to tell you what I think of our khaki lads. I think they are worth their weight in gold when they are brave enough to go to the front to fight for us. You will hear some mother say, "I wouldn't let my daughter be seen with a soldier." Now, Miss Grey, I have no brothers, therefore they cannot go to the front, but I have nineteen cousins and twelve uncles fighting in the trenches today, and I am proud of them. Between my grandma and me (she lives with me) we have knit 107 pairs of socks, and we are still "on the job," and proud to be doing our little bit. You may think I am an old maid, Miss Grey, but I am not 16 yet. Now for some questions:

1. Can anyone supply me with a song that goes like this:  
"I'm on my way, but I don't know where I'm going,  
When I get there I'll be glad,  
For I'm following in the footsteps,  
In the steps of dear old dad."

2. What about my writing? I know what you will say. I will sign myself as before.  
CLARA CANUCK.  
Ans.—Three cheers for "Clara" and her grandma! If all of us could knit like this, the boys at the front would be grandly supplied.

1. Referred to readers.  
2. Do you? What a clever guesser you are, "Clara."  
No 310 Hats.  
Dear Miss Grey—I take great pleasure in scanning (not reading) your valuable column every day. I would feel like a thief were I to read a book these extremely busy days on the farm and drive distress all over the world, but I'm going to steal just enough time to pen a few lines.  
Now, as to the farmer's wives and daughters wearing 310 hats and having pianos. Well, I never heard tell of one with a 310 hat, because they couldn't afford it. No woman or man on earth works harder for their dollars than the farmer and his wife, and as for pianos—I have one which I cannot get time to dust, let alone play. It got purely as an obligation for a city lady in dire distress.

Now, I can truthfully say I don't

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The pattern is cut in four sizes—10, 12, 14 and 16 years. It requires 5 yards of 36-inch material for a 12-year size for the dress, and 14 yards for the bolero.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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Town .....  
Province .....

Age (if child or miss) (pattern) .....  
Measurement: Bust ..... Waist .....

Caution: Be careful to include the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is received, you must only mark 24 or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26 or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When miss' or child's pattern, write in child's size. If you are over 16 years of age, it is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot be sent in less than one week from date of application.

All we get, as for "O. F. O. 12" being so sore about working, I wonder if the wives of the poor men who are gone for their protection as well as our own work, I should say yes. I am a gardener, carpenter, cook, laundress, scrub and wash woman, besides several other odd jobs, and last week I had to give up and go to bed. My doctor said I should have medical treatment and stay there. Could I? Not much. I had to get up as soon as I possibly could, and get busy. Who else would do all the things I have to? As for the money, I can tell you all that on connected with not doing what they should, we had contracted debts which I have paid with my money since he has gone overseas.

If a woman should go to a farm and offer her services (as a woman who had no children or anything to prevent her), how many poor farmers would hire her? She would simply be laughed at unless help was badly needed in the house. Then she might stand some chance.

If there are any of the flannelette flags I have I will send stamped envelope. I'll send a few flags for this brave little "Home Guard."

Grandmother's Recipe.  
Dear Miss Grey—Here I come again. That rose for recipe I sent you for was for wild roses only. I forgot to mention the fact. Since reading other readers' replies I think it would be advisable to put in spices. It was grand mother's old recipe.

If "Tride V." wishes to send flowers through the mail to "O. F. O." please let the flowers in a potato. This will keep them fresh as when picked.

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## Daily Bible Question Club

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.  
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The six daily studies for this week constitute the International S. S. Lesson for next Sunday. Read the Bible Story on which this study is based, as you ponder the following questions:

"Journeying to Jerusalem." Acts xx.

Golden Text—"I Commend You to God, and to the Word of His Grace." Acts xx, 32.

1. Verse 22—Is it usual, or common, for God to give to spiritual men a glimpse into the outlines of the future? Give your reasons.

2. Verse 23—Would you say, and why, that each Christian has as distinct a mission as Paul had?

3. Which should we rather sacrifice, our life, or the accomplishment of our mission, and why?

4. Why should our last farewells, to our beloved friends, be sad or glad?

5. brown and it will die. Take it out of the pot and strip most of fine hairy roots off, report in fresh earth, and I think you will soon have it growing again.

Does anyone want Sunkist orange wrappers? I have nearly two dozen saved.

1. Is this letter addressed all right, Miss Grey?

I am sending a Gillett's Lye coupon for anyone who wants it.

2. Is this paper all right I have written on?

3. Do you receive many letters from this city? I have just moved here, and don't know anyone very well.

4. What could I clean a white ostrich feather box with?

5. Your help re the fern is just the practical kind we need. "Molly O." One of our readers, "Young Bride," I think, asks for Sunkist wrappers, so if she sends her name I'll let you know.

1. Yes. 2. Perfectly. All right. 3. Not a great many. It's rather removed from London, you know.

Freckles and Feathers.  
Dear Miss Grey—I. Would you please give me a recipe for freckles?

2. What could I clean a white ostrich feather box with?

Thanking you kindly, I am inclosing 25 cents for "Aunt Nannie" and "Molly O."

Ans.—The buttermilk and peroxide cure may help. To a cupful of buttermilk, add a tablespoon of peroxide. Keep in an open-mouthed jar, and shake over the freckled places two or three times daily.

1. I have had no experience trying to clean a box at home, but for a white leather, there is nothing better than the white gasoline paste treatment. To immerse the box in clear gasoline might be easier than using the paste. Correspondents are invited to give hints.

The contribution will be forwarded to "Aunt Nannie."

She's After Recipes.  
Dear Miss Grey—This is the first time I have written, but how I can't do it some day to you later. A "Pretty Canary" said she had some good recipes how to do tomatoes, and please someone slip in and tell me how to do cucumbers for the winter, and some kind of jelly. I guess I will stop now, but will call again. Will sign myself,

NEWLYWED B. C. S.

Ans.—Always pleased to have new-comers "drive in." "Canary," please chip in with the tomato recipes. If no one else supplies what you ask for, perhaps I can print some recipes in the Cook-Book, a little later. A few coupons have been mailed you.

Han't Got Them Yet.  
Dear Miss Grey—I could be of some help. Here is a Sweetheart coupon for "Scotch Thistle," two Quaker oats coupons, also some gum coupons.

Last winter I wrote you asking for "a" and "B" type gum coupons. I would gladly send in stamped envelope. Here are two recipes for pepper hash and beet salad I would like someone to try.

Ans.—Your "something-seven" varieties of coupons have been divided, according to my well-known sense of justice. Thanks. Hope we may locate a "net" and an "a" for you.

Look for your recipes in the Cook-Book.

Grandpa's Favorite.  
Dear Miss Grey—There is a song that grandpa loves, but all he can remember of it is the following chorus:

"To the west, to the west, to the land of the free,  
Where the mighty St. Lawrence rolls down to the sea,  
Where a man is a man if he's willing  
Where the humbles may gather the fruit of the soil,  
Away, far away in the land of the west."

I hope that it will be possible to secure the other verses. It will please grandpa so.

P.S.—Please criticize writing.

Ans.—I hope so, too, for the lines you give are most inspiring. They may be by one of our Canadian poets. Are the words familiar to any? You write a very nice hand, graceful and firm.

Larksome "Laurie".  
Dear Miss Grey—Here's your last reader come back to life. I thought that I was going to miss the Mail-Box for good, but now I get it sent me by my aunt, so I'll now be "bon jour" instead of "au revoir" to you.

I sat in the paper some time ago where "Caesar" gave his bit of mind regarding "Silver Bell." Now, "Caesar," if I was you I'd certainly be ashamed of myself, and I wouldn't write any more nonsense like you did. Now I had the pleasure of meeting "Silver Bell" this year at Port Stanley and, believe me, she is not a flirt or anything else like you said. I've only the best to say for her, and I like "Twenty-One," think it's up to you to apologize to her, and soon, too. As ever, LAURIE.

Ans.—Glorious, chilluns. I see where we're going to have a real scrap. Every body get ready to run when "Laurie" and "Caesar" come to arms.

Another Astray.  
Dear Miss Grey—I wrote you five or six weeks ago, in losing a blue book and ten cents for "Aunt Nannie." As the letter never appeared, and no mention of it, I was afraid it had shared the fate of some others, and when the list of donors came out the other day, I see you never received mine—too bad.

Excuse my being so sorry that so many of the blocks went astray.

Here is a hint that some of the readers may find useful—how to run ribbon

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## London Advertiser COOK-BOOK

Recipes Supplied by Cynthia Grey's Readers.

## Strathroy Reader.

Best Salad—1 quart raw cabbage, 1 quart boiled beets, put through meat chopper, 2 cups brown sugar, 1 tablespoon salt, 1 tablespoon celery seed, 1 teaspoon black pepper, cover with vinegar and put in jars.

Pepper Hash—1 large cabbage, 4 large onions, put through meat chopper, stand in salt water overnight; 3 dozen chili peppers, 3 outspooned sugar, 1 tablespoon mustard seed, 1 tablespoon celery seed, cover with vinegar. I make these several times during the winter. Either will keep in a crock with a cloth and plate covering.

(All by Request.)  
Ans.—Salad Dressing, No. 1.—One-half cup sugar, one cup vinegar, two teaspoons mustard, one egg, pepper and salt to taste, teaspoon flour wet in a little of the vinegar. Mix well, place over fire and cook until creamy and thick. When cold add half as much sweet cream; will keep for some time. This makes a lovely, smooth salad dressing.

Salad Dressing, No. 2.—(French)—Mix one tablespoon sugar, a few drops at a time is best. If preferred, more vinegar and less oil may be used. Pour over the salad and serve immediately.

Salmon Loaf—Empty contents of salmon can into bowl, chop all up fine, removing all the bones, add pepper and salt to suit the taste, then make a cream sauce of a cup of milk, one or two eggs beaten, 1 teaspoon flour, 1 tablespoon butter, a pinch of red pepper; pour this over the salmon, sprinkle with cracker crumbs and put in the oven for half an hour.

Nutloaf—Two cups flour, one-third cup granulated sugar, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup milk, 1 egg, 1-2 cup walnut paste. Directions: Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt; add sugar, butter, then milk, and well-beaten egg, stirring in gradually; add walnut paste. Beat thoroughly.

Mailing Announcements.  
Dear Miss Grey—I. Would you please give me a recipe for a marriage, before the event has taken place or just afterwards?

2. Would you give me a simple menu for a wedding supper (preferably cold)?

3. Is it correct to serve fruit salad (without dressing) for the first course?

4. Could you give me a recipe for cranberry jelly?

Thanking you in advance, I am,  
AN INQUIRER.

Ans.—1. Wedding announcements are sent out the day after the ceremony—never before.

2. Plates or baskets of mixed sandwiches, cut in dainty triangles, potato salad, tomato jelly, cake and ice cream, coffee, 40 sandwiches, date or nut bread sliced thinly, small cakes, ice cream, tea, and food lemonade.

3. For the first mentioned menu, yes. It is to be a "sit-down" meal. In place of sandwiches, cold, sliced meat could be served. For the jelly, boil new tomatoes, strain carefully, add clear gelatine (dissolved in hot water), and season to taste; mold in jelly molds. Serve cold.

4. Cranberry Jelly—To 2 quarts cranberries, allow 2 cups water; boil until soft enough to mash, strain the juice out, and allow a pound of white sugar to one pint juice. Boil until it reaches the jelly stage.

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# MADE BRIGADIER-GENERALS.

OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—The rank of brigadier-general has been conferred on Sir Henry Pellatt of Toronto, and Col. H. N. Rutan of Winnipeg.

## PERSONALS

Ontario Women.  
Chatham, Ont., Aug. 22.—Some time ago I had a general breakdown. It terminated in quite a bad case. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was recommended to me by a friend who used it and received much benefit. I began taking it, and in six months I was completely cured of my ailment and have never had any return of same. I can recommend this medicine as being good, if one will give it a fair trial. Mrs. John Ackert, 87 Edgar street, Chatham, Ont.

At the first symptoms of any derangement at any period of life the one safe really helpful remedy is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

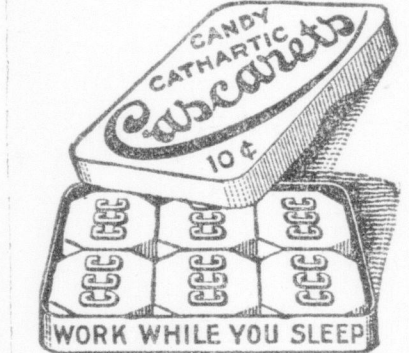
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## "I DON'T SUFFER ANY MORE"

"Feel Like a New Person," Says Mrs. Hamilton.



New Castle, Ind.—"From the time I was eleven years old until I was seventeen I suffered from a headache every month so I had to be in bed. I had headache, backache, and such pains I would cramp double every month. I did not know what it was to be easy a minute. My health was all run down and the doctors did not do me any good. A neighbor told my mother about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took it, and now I feel like a new person. I don't suffer any more and I am regular every month." Hazel Hamilton, 822 South 15th St.

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## FERGUSON DECLARES TORONTO ELECTION CAUSES NO ALARM

Does Not Believe Nickel Policy Was Responsible.

### BLAMES LIQUOR VOTE

Conservative Toronto News

Says It Is a "Rebuke to Hearst."

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—In the absence of Premier Hearst and Acting-Premier Lucas from the city, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson gave out what might be considered an official statement of the Ontario Government regarding the southwest Toronto result. He said that he didn't think the result indicated in any way the general feeling of the province in respect to the policy of the Government. He said it was "the wet test" riding in the province, and it was evident the liquor interests there had tied themselves up strongly with the Liberal party. He didn't think the nickel policy had anything to do with it, neither did he consider that the Ontario Government should be at all alarmed over it or depart from the even tenor of their way as a result.

May Modify Policy.  
Although responsible leaders are very noncommittal, the rank and file of both parties attach much importance to the election, which it is believed will have important effects. In well informed circles it is believed that a modification of the Government's policy is probable. The Ontario Government, in reviewing the result, says: "It is cowardly and treacherous to try to make a scapegoat out of Mr. Hearst. While he has the responsibility and credit for the prohibition measure he is not responsible for his colleagues' feeble efforts to repeal it. The Government would have been in a far stronger position if it had stood manfully by Mr. Hearst's declaration and accepted the result."

Rebuke to Hearst.  
The Toronto News (Conservative) refers to the election of Mr. Dewar as "the rebuke to Hearst."

"There is nothing in North Perth or Southwest Toronto to suggest that Ontario is ready for a general measure of prohibition. As the election over the war subsidies the feeling for prohibition will be less active. We were making substantial headway against the abuses of excessive drinking by local option. Was it wise to abandon that method? We admit all the success of the open bar, but in summary legislation no government can go far in advance of public opinion and unquestionably North Perth and Southwest Toronto have thrown prohibition back into party politics."

Time For House-Cleaning.  
KINGSTON, Aug. 22.—The Daily Standard (Independent Conservative) which on July 11, the day following the North Perth election, suggested a house-cleaning in the Ontario Government lest the tide should run even more strongly than ever against the Government, sees little that in encouraging the Conservative standpoint in the southwest Toronto election, and in an editorial of today again urges that the cabinet be strengthened and incidentally suggests a referendum of the people on the temperance question.

Statement of Major Baird in the Commons.

34 RAIDS ON ENGLAND

334 Civilians and 50 Military Men Killed by Enemy Visitors.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Major Baird, representative of the aerial corps in the House of Commons, replying in the House last night to criticism of the air defenses during the recent zeppelin raids announced that since the war began the Entente Allies had accounted for 33 zeppelins.

"There have been 34 raids on England," said Major Baird, "in ten of which no casualties were suffered, while in the remainder the number of killed and wounded civilians and 50 military men. Nobody can say that these casualties, deplorable as they are, will have any influence on the conduct of the war. The house of Commons members of the House do not give utterance to such ill-chosen statements as have been made in the House of Commons tonight."

Members of the House of Commons ought to be leaders of the people. They should encourage the people—not create panic. Lord French has a very complete system of air defense and it is being improved daily, while the British flying corps has a record superior to any other nation."

Rye in Duluth Sells for \$1.20 Per Bushel

DULUTH, Aug. 22.—Rye sold at \$1.20 per bushel today, the highest price ever recorded on the Duluth Board of Trade. The highest previous price was \$1.17, recorded in February last year.

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 Per Cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eyestrain? Do you have eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see a thing. Now I can read every line without any glasses, and my eyes do not water any more. At night they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "I am now free from my eyeglasses, and after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time, and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to avoid the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by

## BRITISH CHECK BULGARS ALONG PART OF STRUMA; NO CHANGE AT DOIRAN

Mounted Troops Working With French in Clash With the Enemy From Seres to Savjak — Working Parties Opposite Kamarjan.

[Canadian Press.]  
London, Aug. 22.—British artillery has checked the advance in a sector of the central powers in a sector of the Struma front, thirty-five miles northeast of Saloniki, says an official statement on the operations in the Balkans given out by the war office this evening. Working parties are trenching opposite Kamarjan, the same front were dispersed by the British artillery also, the statement adds. The statement says:

## ALLIES TAKE LINE OF HEIGHTS WEST OF THE VARDAR RIVER

PARIS, Aug. 22.—10:30 p.m.—The allied forces have captured a series of heights west of the Vardar River on the Saloniki front, according to the official report issued by the war office tonight. On both wings advance detachments have fallen back before the counter-offensive of the Bulgarians. The text of the statement follows: "The battle continued on August 21 on the whole front of the allied armies on the Saloniki front. In the center the Anglo-French forces have violently bombarded Bulgarian positions on both sides of Lake Doiran, while our infantry established itself on the southern slopes of the Rila Mountains. "West of the Vardar our troops have occupied a line of heights near Ljumnica, and have maintained their positions at all points despite violent counter-attacks by the enemy. The Serbian army has continued its progress in the mountains south of the Cerna and Moglenica Rivers. On the two wings the enemy, at the cost of very heavy losses, has succeeded in pushing back our advance detachments. On one end of the line the covering detachment which attacked on August 20 west of Seres, Bulgarian forces more than a division in strength, in order to delay their march, has fallen back on the Struma. All the passages of the river are solidly held by the Allies. On the extreme left wing the Serbian army after a very hot battle lasting two days, which was undertaken to retard the advance of the right wing of the Bulgarians, has retaken its principal defensive position in the neighborhood of Lake Ostrov."

## YOUTH IS KILLED BY LIGHTNING ON EDGE OF HESPELER

Struck Dead in Midst of Several Chums Who Had Taken Refuge From Storm; Others Stunned—Several Barns Burned After Being Struck by Lightning.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
GALT, Aug. 22.—Wally Dickson, aged 19 years, while standing in the doorway of the "Old Log Cabin" clubhouse on the outskirts of Hespler, was instantly killed this afternoon during a severe storm, when the building was struck by lightning.

Dickson's companions were not injured, although stunned. The young victim was the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dickson, Boone Hill.

BARN BURNED DOWN IN SHAKESPEARE VICINITY

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
STRATFORD, Aug. 22.—For the first time in weeks Stratford today received the full benefit of a good thunderstorm. With the thermometer around 35 to 38 the cooling of the atmosphere was especially welcome. The rain will prove of much value to the farmers.

It was reported this afternoon that a large barn was struck by lightning near Shakespeare and burned to the ground.

LIGHTNING DESTROYS BARN IN W. MISSOURI

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
THORNDALE, Aug. 22.—The barns and considerable stock and crops belonging to John Elliott, concession 3, near Niagara, were destroyed by lightning caused by lightning between 6 and 7 o'clock tonight.

Besides the buildings seven calves, a cow, and a lot of other stock and crops that had been housed, and two

Bush Fires Are Again Raging in New Ontario

District Around New Liskeard Is Scene of New Outbreak.

COBALT, Aug. 22.—Bush fires are raging in the district around New Liskeard. Court in Haliburton was adjourned today so that New Liskeard people in attendance could return to protect their homes.

Eight farms have been destroyed on the north road and one on the west road. The big swamp near the Casey-Cobalt mine is burning fiercely.

Bush fires are also raging between Latchford and Gilles depot. A large number of men are out fighting the fire. After the continued dry spell the fires assumed serious proportions around Schumacher and Timmins, but the heavy rainfall last night put an end to the danger.

RUMANIAN KING IN CONFERENCE WITH TEUTONS

Receives German and Austrian Ministers to Bucharest in Audience.

[Canadian Press Cable]  
LONDON, Aug. 23.—The King of Rumania received the German and Austrian ministers to Bucharest in private audience on Monday, according to a Cologne dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The Rumanian King and his ministers were received separately and afterwards jointly. It was the longest audience ever granted by the Rumanian King to the Teutonic representatives.

Preparing for War.  
AMSTERDAM, via London, Aug. 23.—Rumania is preparing for war, according to Dr. Lederer, a correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt. A dispatch from Dr. Lederer, dated Sunday, says:

"There is ground for some uneasiness as to the attitude of Rumania. The outward life of the city is greatly changed. Gay Bucharest has become a grave city, and all like signs in public life indicate that everybody is preparing for eventualities and that the country is getting ready for war."

"I still believe that Bratiano is playing a game with Russia. In political negotiations at Bucharest Von Hindenburg is now playing the foremost role."

The appointment of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg to the supreme command on the eastern front was interpreted in allied circles as having a political as well as a military significance. It was said that Germany believed the prestige of Von Hindenburg's name would favorably impress Rumania.

KILLED IN HAMILTON.  
HAMILTON, Aug. 22.—James Weeden, 35 years of age, 947 Cumberland avenue, was killed this afternoon by the fall of a beam while at work on the new factory of the Mercury Knitting Company, where he was employed as engineer.

## CANUCK CORPS OF WAR FLIERS MAY BE FORMED

Move Launched To Have One Made Up of Canadians Entirely.

APPROVED BY PREMIER

Plan Now Under Consideration By the Imperial War Office.

[Canadian Press.]  
London, Aug. 22.—The recent aviation exhibition by Canadian fliers at Kent, arranged by Col. Grant Morden for the minister of militia, has brought to a head a popular demand among Canadians for the establishment of a Canadian flying corps. Representations have been made by prominent Canadians that the scheme drawn up by Col. Morden should be proceeded with. Among the supporters of the movement are Sir William Peterson, Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, Sir Richard McBride, Mr. Larn Brown and John Aldred. The argument in support of the movement is that Canada, having organized such a fine army, should complete it by adding the latest arm of the fighting machine.

Build Machines Here.  
With 450 Canadian fliers in the Royal Naval Air Corps and the Royal Flying Corps, many of them exceedingly expert and courageous fliers, it is felt there is a splendid nucleus for a Dominion corps, and the Canadian divisions would welcome the co-operation of their own fliers. The cost of such services is said to be smaller proportionately than that of any other branch of the army, while the aid rendered by it is incalculable. In fact, Sir Douglas Haig is credited with the statement that one aeroplane is worth a whole battalion of infantry. The establishment of a Canadian flying corps is urged not only for military utility but for commercial benefits, as it would mean a new industry for Canada, the proposal being to build the aeroplanes in the Dominion. The fact that the United States is backward in this respect would afford a big market in Canada.

Supported by Borden.  
It is even suggested that letter mails could be distributed in the isolated parts of the Dominion by aeroplane. Details of the scheme have been fully elaborated, and could be inaugurated, Col. Morden asserts, within a week by sending to Canada officers and men already selected for a Dominion corps, with three exceptions, would be Canadians. Col. Morden says the scheme has the support of Sir Robert Borden and Sir John Hughes, but the imperial authorities have not yet approved of the financial proposals.

Major J. E. Kennedy of Sherbrooke has been transferred from Kent, where he was an instructor in aviation, to France. He was one of the officers selected for special service in connection with a Canadian flying corps.

WOODSTOCK GETS WET FIRST TIME IN 7 WEEKS

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
WOODSTOCK, Aug. 22.—This city tonight had its first rain in nearly seven weeks. While the deluge was not a lasting one, still the citizens who have gardens and lawns certainly appreciated the downpour.

TREES ARE DAMAGED IN ST. MARYS TOWN

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
ST. MARYS, Aug. 22.—A severe thunder and lightning storm accompanied by high winds and a heavy downpour of rain, passed over St. Marys and district this afternoon and evening.

Shade trees on many of the hill streets suffered badly, many having large limbs broken off.

It is reported tonight that a barn and dwelling house of Mr. Porter, in the township of Downie, some four or five miles northeast of St. Marys, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground.

Many people noticed a reflection in the tonight of a fire in a north-westerly direction from St. Marys. The downpour of rain which continued until the night will greatly help all root crops and pasture fields.

The electric light service was badly affected during the storm.

Witness Says Plans for Reinforced Concrete Dome Were Impracticable.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 22.—Objections were taken by the defense in the ex-ministers' case this afternoon to the desire of the crown to secure expert evidence from Capt. A. J. Andrews, K.C., chief defense counsel, submitted that the authorities held that no more than five expert witnesses would be called for either side and he claimed the crown already had called seven men, who gave opinion evidence. Mr. Justice Prendergast said that the defense had examined Schioler as expert witness and the crown had the privilege of re-examination. It is probable that the point will arise again when the crown calls other witnesses.

The evidence of Capt. Schioler, a civil engineer, who reported on the work done on the parliament buildings last year, was completed. Mr. Andrews continued to present the early part of the afternoon to examine him on technical matters of engineering.

Simon's Plans Impracticable.  
Schioler said that E. C. Shankland of Chicago, consulting engineer on the parliament buildings, was of very high standing in Chicago. The witness considered Shankland's dome plan better than F. W. Simon's and thought that concrete plans for a reinforced concrete dome were not practicable. He said it was customary to settle for a cheap plan and in construction at the end of any work.

Under re-examination by R. A. Bonnar, K.C., for the crown, Schioler said there was too much steel in Shankland's dome plan. "They were 'stuffed plans,'" he said. Mr. Bonnar said he wanted to ask the witness as to Shankland's reputation as an engineer for honesty.

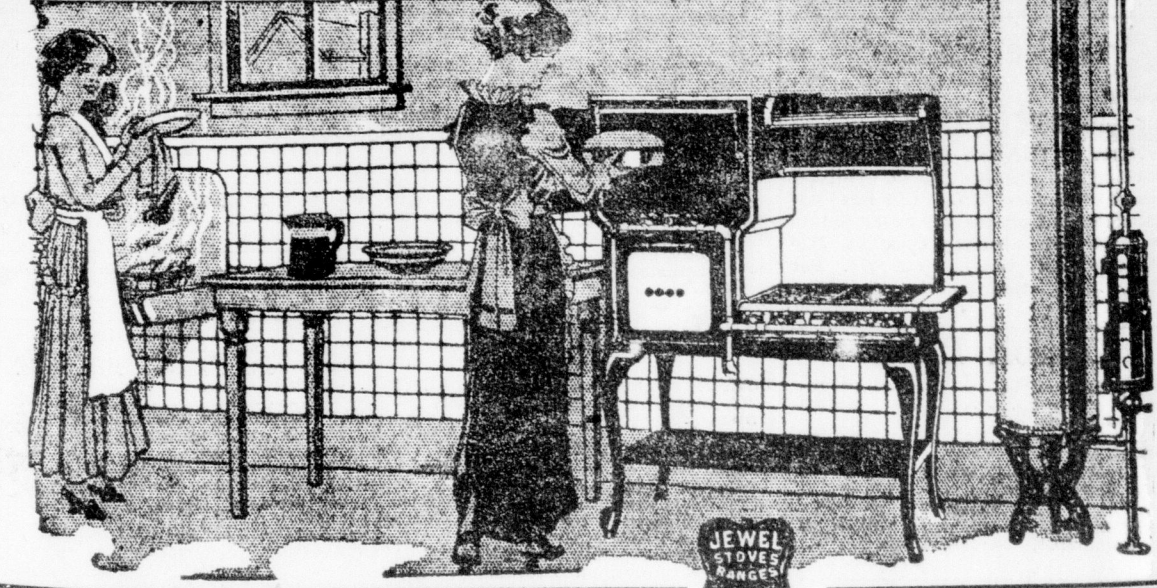
Mr. Andrews declared it was a "cowardly fashion" to attack a man not present.

Record for "Indecencies."  
The judge ruled that there had been "more indecencies in this trial than in any other trial in any court in the British Empire."

"And you are responsible for them all," retorted J. B. Coyne, K.C., of the crown counsel.

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## TWO MONTHS HAVE MADE BIG CHANGE FOR ENTENTE ALLIES

Lloyd George Makes Another Optimistic Speech.

CAN NOW SEE THE END

All That Is Now Necessary Is to March Steadily Ahead.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—David Lloyd George, secretary for war, in the House of Commons today, contrasted what he termed the extraordinary change in a couple of months in the relative positions of the Entente allies and the central powers on all the fronts except Mesopotamia, where climatic conditions had kept the British forces quiescent. Mr. Lloyd George said the criticisms of the British operations on the Somme front, on the ground of their failure to break through the German lines, were unjustified. The Germans, having two alternatives, said Mr. Lloyd George, chose the alternative of bringing troops and guns from Verdun to prevent the British from breaking through.

"That suited our purpose," the war secretary continued. "It relieved the pressure on Verdun and prevented the enemy from pouring his forces into the Russian theatre to support the Austrians against General Brusilov's thrust."

Losses Relatively Low.  
"The German accounts of our losses on the Somme are ludicrously exaggerated. Our losses, though deplorable, have been relatively low as compared with those of the Germans. The French and ourselves have captured positions on the Somme front whence the course of the campaign is visible, and I think in the dim distance we can see the end."

"France is equipped and Russia is rapidly becoming equipped. Italy's army has been retrained by our friends. Germany has missed her chance and she knows it. It would be a mistake to underestimate the nature of our task, which requires all of our resources, but surveying the whole situation and

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Under re-examination by R. A. Bonnar, K.C., for the crown, Schioler said there was too much steel in Shankland's dome plan. "They were 'stuffed plans,'" he said. Mr. Bonnar said he wanted to ask the witness as to Shankland's reputation as an engineer for honesty.

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ARREST FOLLOWS QUARREL WITH HIS SWEETHEART

Girl Tells Police of Man Wanted at Montreal on Murder Charge.

MONTREAL, Aug. 22.—The capture in Detroit of Alfonso Borselli, the bonnie who has been wanted by the Montreal police for more than two years on a charge of murdering Constable Bourdon on the Cote Des Neiges road, when the latter attempted to arrest the accused on a charge of robbery, was the outcome of a quarrel with his sweetheart. She gave him away to Detroit authorities.

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NEW "ROYAL" DIRECTORS.

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THE BEST THING FOR DYSPEPSIA

WHY PEPIN, PANCREATIN, ETC., SO FREQUENTLY FAIL.

An international specialist whose articles on stomach troubles have been printed in nearly every language, recently stated that to treat the average case of stomach trouble, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., by doctoring the stomach, killing the pain with opiates, or the use of artificial stimulants, such as pepin and pancreatin, was just as foolish and useless as to attempt to put a fire out by throwing water on it. Instead of the fire, he claims, and facts seem to justify his claim, that nearly nine-tenths of all stomach troubles are due to acidity and food fermentation; and that the only way in which to secure permanent relief is to get rid of the cause, i. e., to neutralize the acid and stop the fermentation.

Dr. J. C. Ayer strongly recommends the plan now generally adopted throughout Europe of neutralizing the acidity of the stomach immediately after eating or when even pain is felt. This immediately neutralizes the acid, stops the fermentation, and permits the stomach to do its work in a normal manner, and thus by removing the cause, enables nature to quickly restore the inferior mode of living to a perfectly healthy, natural condition. For the convenience of travelers it may be noted that most druggists are now able to supply bisulphate of magnesia in 5-grain tablets, two or three of which will almost instantly relieve the most violent attacks of indigestion.—Advt.



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for all transient advertisements that are  
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## BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.  
TURNER--On Tuesday, August 22, to  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Turner, 100  
Stanley street, a son.

DIED.  
CLANCY--At St. Joseph's Hospital, on  
August 18, 1916, James Clancy, in his  
63rd year, brother of Mrs. Mary Clancy,  
804 King street, and Mrs. Anna  
Bell, 103 Victoria street.

Funeral from his late residence, 103  
Victoria street, on Thursday, August 24,  
at 10 a.m. to St. Michael's  
Church. Requiem high mass at 9 a.m.  
Friends and acquaintances please at-  
tend. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

HUDSON--At his late residence, 1236  
Dundas street, on Tuesday, August 22,  
1916, William Hudson, aged 53 years.  
Funeral will leave the above address  
on Thursday, August 24, at 2:30 p.m.  
for St. Michael's Church. Friends and  
acquaintances please accept this in-  
formation. Interment at St. Peter's  
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PARSONS--Suddenly, at St. Joseph's  
Hospital, Chatham, on August 22, 1916,  
John Parsons, husband of the late Alice  
Parsons. Funeral from the residence of his  
widow, Mrs. Parsons, 627 Central  
avenue, on Friday, August 25, at 3 p.m.  
for St. Michael's Church. Friends and  
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PARSONS--Suddenly, in this city, on  
Monday, August 21, 1916, John Parsons,  
aged 21 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. John  
Parsons, 114 Hamilton street. Funeral  
from his late residence, 114 Hamilton  
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MCKINLEY--At his late residence, 114  
Hamilton street, on Tuesday, August 22,  
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GRAHAM--In loving memory of Alfred  
Graham, who died one year ago today,  
August 22, 1915.  
Where the trees their branches  
lie,  
Lies a loving son and brother,  
In his cold and silent grave.

He made no one his last farewell,  
He waved his hand to none,  
His spirit fled before we knew  
That he was no more.  
--Father, Mother, Sister and Brothers--

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