

PAN-GERMANS IN ASCENDANCY

Continue Campaign Against Foreign Sec. Kuehlmann Peace Movement Is Reported To Be Growing

Situation in Germany Appears Doubtful; Message of British Labor Party Gave Encouragement to Russ People --Arrested Rumanian Ministers are Released

While German leaders are undecided as to what course to pursue in the peace negotiations with Russia, the British Labor Party has issued a message to the Russian people supporting the principle of self-determination of peoples and no annexations for the British Empire.

Chancellor's Speech Postponed. Apparently no definite course has yet been decided upon by the German Emperor and his advisers, but the speech on foreign policies which Chancellor von Hertling was to deliver before the Reichstag main committee has been postponed.

Peace Movement Growing. It is declared by a friend of the pan-Germans, Count von Reventlow, that the peace movement in Germany is strong and is made up of the Socialists, a large number of Liberals and Clericals and many diplomats.

Peace Terms. The Labor party in its message, says that the British people must aid Russia by proclaiming peace aims similar to Russia. It is proposed that the peace conference shall put Arabia, Palestine, Armenia and the Black races of Africa under international control.

ATTEMPT ON LENINE. Petrograd, Monday, Jan. 14. (By the Associated Press)—An automobile carrying Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, is reported, was fired upon tonight when he was driving to a meeting of the Council of People's Commissaries.

NO EXPLANATION. Petrograd, Jan. 16.—The Bolshevik Government authorities at the Smolny Institute declined to explain the arrest of the Rumanian minister here saying that details would be given out later.

Foreign Minister Trotsky's absence at Brest-Litovsk caused the diplomats to appeal to Premier Lenine, instead of the deputy minister of foreign affairs.

RELEASE MINISTER. Petrograd, Monday, Jan. 14. (By the Associated Press)—Constantine Diamandi, Rumanian minister, who was arrested Sunday by the Bolshevik Government, will be released to-night.

The diplomats went to the Smolny Institute late this afternoon and were met at the entrance by the premier's personal guard of soldiers, workmen and sailors.

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ARREST OF GAILLAUX SUSTAINED

Chamber of Deputies Supports Action of French Government

SOCIALIST PROTEST Claimed That Case Was Being Prosecuted in Illegal Manner

Paris, Jan. 16.—The Chamber of deputies sustained the government's action in the Gaillaux case late yesterday by a majority of 274 out of 484 members present.

After repeated calls the Premier Clemenceau arose from the government bench and said it was the Italian Government which had presided at the search in the Florence bank and France was obliged to suppose that all legal forms had been observed.

THREE APPEALS. London, Jan. 16.—Three appeals issued by the Bolshevik Government in Petrograd on Tuesday are contained in a Russian official wireless communication received here.

Paris, Jan. 16.—Paul Comby was arrested last night in connection with the government's investigation of the activities of former Premier Gaillaux.

General Dubail, the prosecutor of former Premier Gaillaux, signed an order for the prosecution of Paul Comby on December 24 and on the same day M. Comby was examined by Captain Buchardon, in charge of the investigation.

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Crisis Continue to Rage Round Germany's Attitude Toward Brest-Litovsk Negotiations; Campaign Against Foreign Secretary is Being Waged With Violence

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Jan. 15.—No authoritative information has reached London on the progress of the political struggle in Berlin, but it is confirmed that Chancellor von Hertling's speech before the main committee of the Reichstag has been postponed for a few days.

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OBJECTIVE OF \$150,000 FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

Campaign Will be Conducted Here on Feb. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

PLANS IN FORMATION Mr. Norman Somerville, of Toronto Addressed Meeting Here

PRESENT SYSTEM BEST Money Could Not Practically be Raised by the Government

Brantford's 1918 objective for the Canadian Patriotic Fund was fixed last night at \$150,000, to be raised in a four days' campaign on Feb. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Two more Murders to Teuton Credit. Death Roll at Yarmouth Is Now Five, Following Sea Attack

WINS MILITARY CROSS. Montreal, Jan. 16.—Captain Ralph Skelton, of this city, of the Royal field artillery, has been awarded the Military Cross for gallantry and devotion to duty during the battle of East Ypres on July 31 and August 1.

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FRENCH REPULSED FOE FROM POSITIONS GAINED AT CHAUME

German Troops Obtained Footing in Advanced Points on Verdun Front Following Heavy Attacks, But Were Dislodged—Italians Dealt Formidable Blow at Brenta

Paris, Jan. 15.—(Delayed)—German troops who attacked the French lines, on a front of 200 metres in the Chaume wood, northeast of Verdun, to-day succeeded in gaining a footing in some advanced elements from which they were driven out by the French says the official statement from the war office to-night.

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E. L. HANSELMAN IS ON TRIAL TODAY

Case Has Opened in City of Hamilton; Will Likely Occupy the Entire Day

Hamilton, Jan. 16.—The case of Hanselman, charged with alleged treason in connection with the plugging of shells at a Brantford munition plant, was called at the assizes at 10 o'clock this morning.

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WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Jan. 16. The storm which was centred in Pennsylvania yesterday has passed the Gulf of St. Lawrence and is dispersing. A heavy snow fall has occurred in Quebec and New Brunswick, and rain in the Maritime provinces. The weather is cold in all the provinces except British Columbia. Forecasts Fresh to strong southwest and west winds continued cold to-day and on Thursday, light local snow falls.

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MAIN LINE EAST
 Eastern Standard Time.
 6:30 a.m.—For Guelph, Palmerston and north, also Dundas, Hamilton, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.
 6:54 a.m.—For Toronto and Montreal.
 9:30 a.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto and intermediate stations.
 1:38 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
 4:05 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
 6:00 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
 8:37 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto and East.

MAIN LINE WEST
 Departure
 2:16 a.m.—For Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
 10:2 a.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
 9:20 a.m.—For London and intermediate stations.
 3:22 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
 6:52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
 7:23 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
 8:55 p.m.—For London and intermediate stations.

BUFFALO AND GODEFRICH LINE
 Leave Brantford 10:05 a.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.
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 Leave Brantford 10:10 a.m.—For Goderich and intermediate stations.
 Leave Brantford 8:10 a.m.—For Goderich and intermediate stations.
 Leave Brantford 6:30 a.m.—For Galt, Guelph, Palmerston and all points north; also Goderich.
 Leave Brantford 3:35 p.m.—For Guelph, Palmerston and intermediate north.
BRANTFORD-TILSONVILLE LINE.
 Leave Brantford 10:35 a.m.—For Tilsonville, Port Dover and St. Thomas.
 Leave Brantford 5:15 p.m.—For Tilsonville, Port Dover and St. Thomas.
 From South—Arrive Brantford 8:45 a.m.; 5:10 p.m.

G. T. R. ARRIVALS
 From West—Arrive Brantford 6:50 a.m.; 6:47 a.m.; 9:30 a.m.; 1:33 p.m.; 3:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:10 p.m.; 8:37 p.m.
 From East—Arrive Brantford 2:16 a.m.; 9:05 a.m.; 10:02 a.m.; 3:22 p.m.; 6:52 p.m.; 7:32 p.m.; 8:55 p.m.
 Buffalo and Goderich
 From West—Arrive Brantford—10:00 a.m.; 8:45 p.m.
 From East—Arrive Brantford—9:05 a.m.; 8:45 p.m.

W. G. AND B.
 From North—Arrive Brantford 9:05 a.m.; 8:45 p.m.

Brantford and Hamilton Electric Railway

Leave Brantford—6:35 a.m.; 7:45 a.m.; 9:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 12:00 a.m.; 1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m.; 3:00 p.m.; 4:00 p.m.; 5:00 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 7:00 p.m.; 8:00 p.m.; 9:00 p.m.; 10:00 p.m.; 11:00 p.m.; 12:00 p.m.

Leave Brantford 3:44 p.m.—For Galt

T. H. & B. RAILWAY

EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 18, 1917.

Eastbound
 7:30 a.m. ex. Sud.—For Hamilton and in intermediate points, Welland, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and New York.
 8:47 a.m. Sunday only—For Welland, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and New York.
 2:42 p.m.—For Hamilton and intermediate points, Toronto, Peterboro, Whitby and Buffalo.
Westbound
 8:47 a.m. except Sunday—For Waterloo and intermediate points, St. Thomas, Detroit and Chicago.
 4:10 p.m. daily—For Waterloo and intermediate points, St. Thomas, Chicago and Cincinnati.

L. E. and N. Railway

Effective November 11th, 1917.

SOUTH BOUND
 Leave Kitchener 8:05, 10:05 a.m., 12:05, 2:05, 4:05, 6:05, 8:05 p.m.
 Leave Brantford 10:10 a.m., 12:10, 2:10, 4:10, 6:10, 8:10 p.m.
 Leave Preston 12:40, 2:40, 4:40, 6:40, 8:40 a.m., 12:40, 2:40, 4:40, 6:40, 8:40 p.m.
 Leave Galt, Main Street, 7:00, 7:15, 8:30, 10:50 a.m., 12:50, 2:50, 4:50, 6:50, 8:10 p.m.
 Leave Guelph 7:10, 7:25, 9:12, 11:12 a.m., 12:45, 1:12, 3:12, 5:12, 7:12, 9:27 p.m.
 Leave Paris 7:25, 7:45, 9:25, 11:25 a.m., 1:05, 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30 p.m.
 Arrive Brantford 7:32, 8:00, 9:42, 11:42 a.m., 1:25, 1:42, 3:42, 5:42, 7:42 p.m.
 Leave Brantford 7:50, 8:20, 9:45, 11:45 a.m., 1:35, 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 10:10 p.m.
 Leave Mt. Pleasant 8:22, 9:38, 11:58 a.m., 1:40, 1:58, 3:58, 5:58, 7:58, 10:22 p.m.
 Leave Waterloo 8:31, 8:52, 10:18 a.m., 12:18, 2:08, 2:18, 4:18, 6:18, 8:18, 10:42 p.m.
 Leave Simcoe 8:54, 9:12, 10:31 a.m., 12:31, 2:31, 2:41, 4:41, 6:41, 10:42 p.m.
 Arrive Port Dover 8:50, 9:20, 10:50 a.m., 12:50, 2:40, 2:50, 4:50, 6:50, 8:50, 11:10 p.m.

NORTH BOUND
 Leave Port Dover 6:45, 8:55, 9:45, 10:55 a.m., 12:55, 2:55, 4:10, 4:55, 6:55, 8:55 p.m.
 Leave Simcoe 7:00, 9:12, 10:45, 11:12 a.m., 12:50, 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20 p.m.
 Leave Waterloo 7:12, 9:20, 10:45, 11:20 a.m., 1:30, 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 p.m.
 Leave Mt. Pleasant 7:32, 9:40, 10:58, 11:40 a.m., 1:40, 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 7:50, 10:10 p.m.
 Arrive Brantford 7:43, 8:50, 10:10, 11:08 a.m., 1:50, 3:38, 5:38, 7:38, 9:58 p.m.
 Leave Brantford 7:49, 10:00, 11:00 a.m., 12:50, 2:50, 4:50, 6:50, 8:50, 10:10 p.m.
 Leave Paris 8:15, 10:15, 11:55 a.m., 12:38, 2:18, 4:18, 6:18, 8:18, 10:28 p.m.
 Leave Guelph 8:31, 10:31, 11:58 a.m., 12:31, 2:31, 4:31, 6:31, 8:31, 10:41 p.m.
 Arrive Main Street, Galt, 8:48, 10:45 a.m., 12:35, 2:45, 4:45, 6:45, 8:45, 11:00 p.m.
 Leave Preston 9:30, 11:30 a.m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30 p.m.
 Arrive Kitchener 9:55, 11:55 a.m., 1:55, 3:55, 5:55, 7:55, 9:55 p.m.
 Arrive Kitchener 10:03 a.m., 12:03, 2:03, 4:03, 6:03, 8:03, 10:03 p.m.

Notes
 No Sunday service on G. T. and B. or K. Galt and north.
 Sunday service on L. E. and N. same as daily with exception of first cars in morning and cars scheduled to leave Brantford and Port at 11:00 a.m. and 5:35 p.m., South 8:20 a.m. and 1:33 p.m.;

Cook's Cotton Root Compound.
 A safe, reliable, and powerful cathartic, sold in three degrees of strength, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Innes Honored on Golden Wedding Anniversary
REMEMBERED BY ALL
 Simcoe Still Snowbound, No Mail Since Friday—L. E. & N. Running

Write Simcoe Agency, Box 311, or phone 356-3 all matters regarding delivery of subscriptions, news items or advertisements.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
 Simcoe, Jan. 15.—The centre of attraction in town to-day was "Strathlynn" the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Innes, who were remembered by their friends in and out of town.

All of the eight children are alive and in good health. They are William L. Innes, manager of the Simcoe Canning Factory and can plant; Charles E. Innes, superintendent of the same; Hugh P. Innes, K. C. of Simcoe; Robert Innes, general manager of Dominion Canners, of Hamilton; Mrs. W. R. Dryan of Hamilton, and Mrs. W. H. Nelles of Toledo, and all the out-of-town children, except Mrs. Nelles, were home. There are twenty-eight grandchildren.

Owing to the rather critical illness of Mr. Innes, there was of necessity no demonstration, but flowers came and telegrams of congratulation from friends near and far and many townsfolk called during the afternoon, among whom there were at least two who were present at the wedding.

A Double Wedding.
 It was a double wedding, two daughters from the Maize, now occupied as the private dwelling of Mr. Ansley Irwin, Don street, then by Rev. M. W. Livingston, the brides and Mr. Innes and Mr. Robert Jackson, barrister, were the grooms. There were six bridesmaids and six groomsmen in the wedding party. In those days Paris or Brantford were the nearest railway points and Mr. Innes was at the time in business in Dundas.

The little church, which stood on the site between John and Dean streets, the site of which is now part of the lawn of Senator McCall's residence, was filled on the occasion, for it was a church wedding. The officiating minister was Rev. Geo. Bell, known and revered during the last decade of his life by every student of Queen's University. Kingston, where he was registrar for some time during the closing years of the last century. He preached for years at Niagara Falls. Another elder was Rev. Geo. Grant, long resident in later years at Orillia, and inspector of public schools, who was at the time principal of the Simcoe High School.

Mr. Innes was born at Speyside, Inverclyde, Scotland, on November 6th, 1832. His father, Robert Innes, and his grandfather, Alexander Innes, were leading engineers in the north of Scotland. Our country citizen received a good education and quickly rose from office work with iron manufacturers at Glasgow and Dalkeith, till he became manager of the Elmfield Iron Works. He left Scotland in 1857 for Canada and for a quarter of a century before tackling the canning business, engaged in a wide range of manufacturing and commercial pursuits in Dundas, Chatham, Fergus, Port Ryerse, and Simcoe. He once kept a grocery store at the Geo. A. Curtis stand on Norfolk street.

In 1893 he was importing fruit to supply his industry, which was started to take care of surplus products which otherwise would have gone to waste and though his plant was then only twelve years in operation he had found a market in Great Britain and in South America.

As far back as 1886, in "Representative Canadians," he is estimated as a man of unusual enterprise, energy, and business pluck. He was the king-pin of Canadian Canners, an amalgamation formed in April, 1903, and his most successful and gigantic achievement was accomplished in February, 1910, when "Dominion Canners" were incorporated.

Perhaps the best review of his fifty years of married life is epitomized in the following:
 Ministerial Association's Greeting, Simcoe, Jan. 15, 1918.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Innes:
 On this, the jubilee of your marriage, the Ministerial Association of Simcoe here leave to extend to you their hearty congratulations and best wishes.

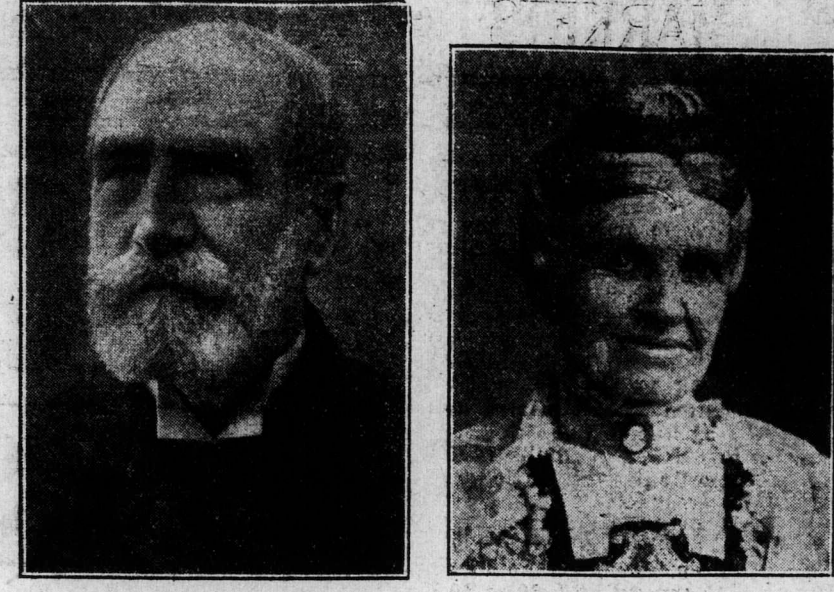
Through these fifty years you have rejoiced in each other; and happiness, sobored sometimes by trial, has attended you; and year by year your hearts have become more firmly welded into one.

Life's responsibilities you have borne together. One has attended to the business part with diligence and integrity; achievement was success has come to himself and to those with whom he dealt; while the other, with equal diligence and wisdom and success, has guided the home and its large family; and their children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her.

Your example and influence in the town have been steadily and strongly on the side of righteousness, and thus have been an uplift to the life of the community.

While loyal to your own church and prominent in its activities, your christian sympathy and generosity have been extended to all the churches, and your goodness has been appreciated by them.

May you, for years, be spared to each other, and to your family, and



Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Innes, of Simcoe, who yesterday celebrated the Jubilee of their wedding day.

to our country, which you have been serving so well. We rejoice in the assurance that when life's task is done you shall receive the Master's Welcome Home.

Signed by the members,
 Utilities Commission Quarterly Report

The report on the waterworks and sewer departments, for the last quarter of 1917, as submitted to council on Monday night showed:

Receipts
 Sept. 30, balance on hand \$2063.59
 Quarter's collections . . . 3483.75
 \$5547.34

Disbursements
 Expended on waterworks. \$2084.95
 Expended on sewers . . . 1770.75
 Remitted to council . . . 1000.00
 Balance on hand 691.64

There was outstanding:
 Motor installation at pumping station, \$1,685.
 Balance on repairs for sewers (Milling Co's claim with interest), \$962.79.
 The break in the trunk sewer has cost therefore \$3,177.67, plus law costs.

No Mail Since Friday
 Callers at the post office are advised to look for no mail till this evening, probably none then. No London mail, nor even newspapers have reached here via St. Thomas since Friday. The road is not yet open over the Grand Trunk in any direction.

The L. E. and N. maintain a good service, and newspapers from Hamilton, Brantford and Toronto come as usual. The situation as present amply proves that Norfolk has a good case in asking for mail service over the L. E. and N., and there was some talk yesterday about a petition in the matter. Even without a storm, the London mails frequently miss, and if the government were to "put" an "interim" service, as that via St. Thomas from London, it is thought to be able to pay for a regular service. There is assuredly no objection in the reckoning somewhere, and it is felt here that the long-standing poor service should be improved.

The L. E. and N. has proved its ability to cope with a real storm. The post office staff are saving up energy for a real time when the mail moves. The rural carriers are having a holiday.

Country Roads Open
 Supt. Guy R. Marston reported yesterday evening that the roads from Simcoe to Dover, Waterloo, Townsend Centre, Windham Centre, Teeterville and Lake Hunger, are all passable for traffic, but as yet he has not got in touch with the west end of the county, for lack of a telephone line direct west to Langton.

For more reasons than one in the interests of the county it is desirable that a direct telephone line be run across Norfolk from Simcoe west. We have heard humorous descriptions of the makeshift lines in the southwest of the county.

Perhaps the worst snowing-under in town may be found on King St. The post office is actually some snow. Up to last night, not even a delivery wagon had been able to negotiate it.

The storm blew down five telephone poles on the road south of Simcoe.

D. D. Kitchin cut through ten miles of road with his gang of breakers on Monday.

Windham Council of News
 Windham council on Wednesday opened tenders for the steel bridge at the old McKnight mill dam. The contract will not be let until the engineer has passed on the plans. Windham Township has spent on

JANUARY SALE J. M. YOUNG & CO. Quality First JANUARY SALE

Second Week of Our January Sale Offers Many Bargains in Winter Merchandise at Lowest Prices

Warm Underwear for Women and Children's Wear

Children's White Flannelette Sleeping Suits, sizes 1 to 6 yrs. good quality; Sale price . . . **75c**

Ladies White Flannelette Gowns, good quality flannelette, in slip-over or high neck styles; nicely trimmed; Sale price . . . **\$1.50**

Ladies Combinations, medium and heavy weight, in high or low neck; long or short sleeves; Sale . . . **\$1.00**

Children's White Flannelette Undershirts also a few knitted skirts; sizes 2 to 8 years; to clear at . . . **75c**

Children's Vests, good weight, sizes 2 to 5 years; Sale price . . . **18c**

Drawers to match at . . . **18c**

Infants' White Flannelette Slips and night gowns, good quality flannelette; dainty styles; at \$1.25, \$1.00 and . . . **75c**

You Can Save Money in Dress Goods and Silks During This Sale

All Wool Serge in black, navy, myrtle and topuc; 40 in wide; and worth \$1.50 to-day \$1.50; Sale price . . . **\$1.00**

BLANKET CLOTH COATING
 3 pieces Blanket Cloth, coatings; good heavy weight; 54 in. wide; worth \$2.75; Sale price . . . **\$2.00**

CHINCHILLA CLOTH
 54 in. wide Grey Chinchilla Coating, heavy weight, correct for winter wear; and worth \$4.00; Sale price . . . **\$3.00**

\$2.50 SERGE \$2.00
 52 in. wide, all wool French Serges, in navy, brown, green, wine, burgundy and black; for separate coat, skirt or suits; good weight and a cloth which will give all kinds of wear and service; Sale price regular \$2.50; Sale price . . . **\$2.00**

BLACK SILKS
 Black Duchess Satin, 36 in. wide, best French dye, extra weight and one which will give entire satisfaction in quality wear; worth \$3.25; Sale price **\$2.50**

SILK POPLINS
 Silk Poplins, 36 in. wide, in black, navy, rose and nigger, worth \$1.75; Sale price . . . **\$1.25**

HABITUA SILKS
 Habitua Silks, 36 in. wide, in white only; Sale price, \$1.25, \$1.00, 90c, 75c to, per yard . . . **50c**

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CHILDREN PRESENT "TIDINESS" TROPHY

Silver Cup for Best Ordered Ward Promotes Lively Competition

Keeping the wards "picked up" and order enthroned with a company of patients who have been anywhere from three months to three years in the trenches, is one of the most arduous jobs in the military convalescent hospitals. To successfully impress upon the returned man the necessity of keeping his wards shipshape is a test for the personality of the sergeants and the charms of the V.A.D.s.

At the Orthopaedic Hospital in North Toronto where the Military Hospital Commission has centred the amputation cases from all parts of the Dominion, this problem was acute until competition was enlisted as an ally. A silk flag was offered as a trophy to be re-awarded at the end of each week to the ward in which the men maintained the greatest degree of neatness and order, and the revolution worked in easy going "front line" habits has been nothing short of a miracle.

The contest has created as much enthusiasm as any sport and attracted public notice. The children of the Junior Fourth Class, 1917-1917, of the Withrow Avenue School heard about it, and the outcome has been the presentation of a silver trophy, a handsome cup, scrolled and inscribed and mounted on an onagry base. This cup will hereafter take the place of the silk flag, and be known as the "Withrow Trophy."

PARIS CUTS OFF POWER

In Connection With The Grand Valley Commissioners Hope to Arrange for Two Hour Service

Power was cut off at the Paris end of the Grand Valley Railway this morning, this municipality securing part of the "juice" from the sub-station there. The municipal commissioners are hoping to arrange for enough to run one car, thus giving a two hour service.

The Courier phoned Mayor Robison of Paris regarding the matter. He stated that with Penman's, the Winney Mill and munitions plant busy on war orders, they were up against it for electric energy, hence the step taken. In addition, as there had been no thaw this winter, water power from the Nita and Grand Rivers was at a standstill. Under the circumstances, the step mentioned above had been decided upon, as there was plenty of other means of communication between Paris and Brantford.

Laid at Rest

W. R. EDWARDS
 The funeral of the late Wm. R. Edwards took place on Tuesday from his late residence, at 35 Walter St. The deceased was born in Haldimand County, 48 years ago and was a resident of Brantford for 25 years.

He leaves a wife and one daughter Mrs. Chalk of this city, to mourn his loss. The late Mr. Edwards, who was a member of the Gospel Tabernacle and belonged to the Ancient Order of Foresters of this city, had been ailing for some years.

The pall bearers were Dave Edwards, Dan Edwards, John Edwards, Chas. Edwards, George Edwards and Robert Edwards, all brothers of the deceased.

The church service was held at the Gospel Tabernacle Mr. Garriner officiating. There were many floral tributes from Brantford friends and relatives.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy.

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 Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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 BRONCHITIS, RHEUMATISM, MIGRAINE, DIABETES, GRAVEL, CALCULI, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, GOUT, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.

123 THE PHARMACY



THE TOMB OF JOSEPH SOON-TO-BE IN THE BRITISH HANDS
 Joseph's Tomb lies about a mile and a half south of Nablous (Ancient Shechem) towards which the British forces in Palestine are approaching. This is supposed to be the parcel of ground purchased by Jacob and is an object of great veneration. Jews, Samaritans, Christians, and Mohammedans, agree on the identity of the sacred place.

AUTOINTOXIC OR SELF-POISON

The Dangerous One Which Produces Many Known Diseases

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He added a word of praise to the officials of the local committee and to the factorymen's branch of the executive.

"The boys at the front are fighting our battles," he declared, "and we must pay their way as far as possible. The only thing before us now is to win the war, and we must

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Continued from Page One never yet failed, and she will not fail now."

Mr. Woodside did not approve of the raising of the Patriotic Fund by taxation. The charming thing about the present administration of the fund was the spirit of sympathy and inspiration carried into the work, the spirit which alone could meet many situations arising out of the war. Brantford at large knew the efforts being put forth by the men in charge of the committee, none would hesitate to put their shoulder to the wheel. Mr. Woodside declared, none should hesitate to make their contribution for the year 1918.

Ladies to Help. Mrs. J. J. Hurley gave assurance that the Kith and Kin association added a word of praise to Mr. Spence, Mr. Watt and Mr. F. W. Thompson, under whose leadership, they would do their share in the campaign.

Mrs. W. C. Livingston, on behalf of the Women's Patriotic League, promised the hearty cooperation of that body.

Mr. Logan introduced a motion that the work be carried on as in past years, subject to the discretion of the executive, the objective for the city to be \$150,000, and the date to be set at Feb. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Miller, and carried unanimously.

Committees Chosen The following were appointed as heads of committees: Reg. Scarfe, Governor; C. M. Thompson, secretary.

Publicity - W. B. Preston, convener. Lists - Logan M. Waterous, convener. Headquarters Committee - A. B. Burnley, convener.

Old Boys' Committee - Geo. Hatoly, F. S. Blain. The following committee was nominated to approach the county council in the hands of the executive.

"I don't think the county council will need a denunciation," observed A. E. Watts, county clerk.

It was decided to leave this matter in the hands of the executive.

The following will interview the city council: W. F. Cockshutt, W. S. Brewster, C. Cook, T. H. Preston, Dr. Hart.

Mr. Spence next called upon Mr. Norman Somerville of Toronto, who served as chief organizer of the Victory Loan campaign for the province of Ontario.

A Boost for Brantford "I have been struck by the unanimity shown in Brantford after three years of patriotic work," observed Mr. Somerville, in opening.

He was high in his praise of Brantford's record in past years, declaring that he had cited the example of this city throughout all parts of the province.

Campaign in Toronto In Toronto, the campaign opened this week, to raise \$3,000,000 in three days. By the end of the week, one hundred men would speak in the theatres of the city; Sunday, G. W. V. A. men would occupy every church pulpit. The organization was more perfect than ever before.

An absolute block system had been adopted for the entire city, half of which in all the business houses and industrial plants, would be canvassed by men, and the other half by the women workers. At least 1,000 women would be engaged in active campaign work. The publicity committee was the largest and best organized on record, comprising 500 members, who would spread to every nook and corner of Toronto the gospel of giving. Behind the whole publicity committee was the vast experience of Mr. J. J. Gibbons.

Other committees included finance, lists and "shock absorbers" - a committee to deal with the friction bound to arise from a campaign of such proportions.

The campaign was a joint effort for the patriotic fund and the Red Cross, \$2,000,000 for the former and one for the latter.

Mr. Somerville laid stress upon the benefit bound to accrue to any community from a campaign, the best factor which ever entered into the citizenship of Ontario, he declared.

The present campaign in Toronto would be the most difficult yet undertaken, for a mysterious feeling had arisen that the government should handle the Patriotic Fund.

Mr. Somerville painted a graphic picture of the conditions which prevailed in the fall of 1914, with Canada face to face with business depression.

"Men," he exclaimed, "in the name of God, was there ever a time when we were better prepared to give, than at the present. Is the accumulation of wealth to wipe out our desire for service?"

Of the \$12,000,000 raised for the Patriotic Fund, \$7,000,000 had been raised by taxation, federal, provincial or municipal. Another million had been given, almost as if by taxation, from large business corporations. The other \$4,000,000 had been raised by voluntary subscription. If the government were to regulate this money, the allowances would be necessary to cope with the cost of living in various parts of the Dominion. Under the present system, the local committees were fully capable of supervising and regulating the administration, of dealing with every individual case. Under the present system, politics could not creep in; under government control, it must be inevitable.

It would be impracticable for the government to raise \$12,000,000 annually and to hand the money at once over to two thousand scattered administration committees.

Centralized control would be essential, and central control must involve the elimination of the sympathetic personal touch which had placed the fund upon its present basis.

Criticism of the administration were inevitable, but they were the fewest ever levelled at any administration in the Dominion of Canada. After three and a half years of service, the Canadian Patriotic Fund would receive at the hands of 99 out of every hundred citizens, the verdict "absolutely honest, kind and fair."

Where government administration of the Patriotic Fund to be adopted, government control of the Red Cross and every other war fund must logically follow.

"Are we to stand by as idle spectators?" demanded the speaker. "Those men over yonder are active participants, as they were three years ago, prepared to give all. Should they look back over the waters, to this fair land of prosperity, and learn that we have quit?"

A Dangerous Spirit. Whatever arguments might be brought forward in favor of government control of the fund, such a course was not to be adopted, and every man should stand prepared to meet the danger within the community, to wipe out the suggestion of letting the government do it, the suggestion which must eventually develop into the suggestion "let us have peace."

"That spirit," declared the speaker, "that desire to do this thing by proxy, is the most dangerous thing which ever entered into our life, it is bound to eat the heart out of our life, and if we give way to the suggestion, we have stifled our patriotism for patriotism is engendered of service, the spiritually which expresses itself in service. For the sake of our future, our national life, for the sake of the nation over yonder, don't let it creep into any part of our war activities."

W. F. Cockshutt, M.P. Mr. J. H. Spence, after expressing his appreciation of Mr. Somerville's address, called upon Mr. W. F. Cockshutt to move a formal vote of thanks. The latter admitted having felt faint-hearted as to the prospects for a 1918 campaign, but declared that personal obligations of citizenship should not be waived for any government, nor should any government take away the privilege of making personal contributions. "The commendation of a good conscience, before God and man, is worth a good deal to any man," observed Mr. Cockshutt. "We are up against a crucial situation as the war has yet produced, but we are here to bear the responsibilities of the hour. The Brantford fund is thoroughly well administered, it is absolutely above criticism."

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THE SITUATION

By an unexpected hammer blow, the Italians succeeded in making notable gains on the enemy positions east of the Brenta River. The Italian losses are stated to have been severe, while many prisoners were taken, together with quantities of war material. It is further announced that many Austrians are deserting to the Garibaldians, as they cannot endure the winter in the mountains. It is regarded as quite likely that the Allies will launch a series of attacks in the Italian area, as the Austrians have been sending many of their troops to the western front.

The Canadians have been busy once more in the Lens sector, and made two successful raids on Hun trenches. Austria is making a bid to secure a separate peace with Serbia, but her advances have not met with any encouragement.

The message of the British Labor party, in which endorsement is given to the Russian proposal of no annexations and no indemnities, together with the self-determination of all peoples with regard to the future form of government, cannot be regarded as otherwise than a move of importance. Much discussion with reference thereto is bound to result. It will be noticed that the crushing of militarism is also insisted upon.

British air men have made another successful raid on Germany. This reprisal method will accomplish far more good than protests in the name of humanity, for the Hun mind does not understand the latter.

The indications continue that the military forces in the Fatherland are still paramount with regard to annexations.

PATRIOTIC FUND

It has been decided that Brantford shall again aim this year for the sum of \$150,000 in connection with the Patriotic Fund, and the figure should more than be met. The pledge to the brave men going to the front, that their families should properly be looked after, as a matter of plain duty, still holds, and all classes must realize their deep sense of obligations in this respect.

At the meeting last night, Mr. Norman Somerville of Toronto, dealt in a most effective way with the claim, in some quarters, that the Dominion government should levy the funds and take entire charge of their administration. In this regard, he pointed out with great cogency, that the spirit of personal touch and personal giving would be obliterated, something which is most certainly not at all desirable.

The local association is well and efficiently run, with a factory men's committee giving splendid aid, and with excellent administrative officers headed by Mr. John H. Spence, Mr. H. T. Watt and Mr. F. W. Thompson.

Citizens should, and will rally to the call in the same whole-hearted way as the boys in khaki have also responded.

REVIVAL OF CANADIAN SHIP-BUILDING

The revival of shipbuilding on her lake and ocean shores has been an outstanding feature of Canada's industrial achievement during the past year. Wood as well as steel has entered largely into individual vessel construction, the former constituting the hull material not only for auxiliary powered schooners, but for ocean-going steamships propelled by standard type marine engines or steam turbines as well. Needless to say, the revival is entirely due to the necessity of our aiding to offset the losses arising from German submarine activity and the otherwise abnormal demand for tonnage to maintain the world's commerce and to keep the allied fronts supplied with both men, munitions and merchandise.

Many new shipyards have been established, all of which together with those of many years' standing are taxed to capacity with orders at least twelve months ahead. Complete returns are not yet available of the year's output, nevertheless, although it will not eclipse the banner year of 1874, the tonnage for which amounted up to some 190,000 tons for 487 vessels, a reasonably close approach to that tonnage will be the ultimate record.

Marine engine building, ship deck

and engine room auxiliary machinery manufacture are lines of endeavor to which Canadian metal working plants have applied themselves as a result of the shipbuilding activity, and in each of these spheres perhaps even greater success has been achieved than in the purely ship construction feature, due to the fact that many plants specializing in more or less similar equipment for stationary or land requirements found little difficulty in meeting the specification demand for boardship installations.

Schooner construction continues to be actively prosecuted in Nova Scotia, some twenty-five or thirty little shipyards being engaged in the building of that type of craft in tonnage ranging from 150 to 1,000 tons gross.

The placing in the early spring by the Dominion Government of contracts for a large number of trawlers and drifters in wood and steel, and steam engine propelled, intensified the otherwise briskness that had begun to make itself felt in shipbuilding and marine engineering circles, especially as deliveries of these craft were called for in all cases before the season of navigation closed.

Numerous contracts have been received during the year by our steel shipbuilding yards from interests unconnected with either the Imperial or Dominion Governments.

A number of enterprising Canadian metal-working plants took advantage of what appeared to them an opportunity to participate in the distribution of machinery orders for vessels on the American Government program, and several hundred thousand dollars worth of such business has been secured as a result. At this writing, we are in a position to state that good progress is being made in the matter of this particular equipment output, and little doubt is entertained but that further substantial contracts are likely to be booked from the same source.

IDOLATRY

"The fundamental evil of Germany to-day is idolatry," said Lord Robert Cecil recently. "They have set up for themselves a graven image, just as truly as did the worshippers of Baal against whom the prophets of the Bible preached."

"Germany's idol is the state. They place the state above religion, above morality, above all laws of God or man. They believe that any act is justified which advances the interests of the German state, however base that act may be, however immoral, however inconsiderate of the lawful rights of others."

"Otto Kahn, himself a German by origin, has defined this state-idolatry as 'the demoniacal obsession of power-worship and world-wide domination.'"

"This idolatry is at the bottom of our whole fight against Germany. It is the secret of the whole revolting list of outrages and atrocities which Germany has committed against the civilized world. The violation of Belgium, the Armenian atrocities, the unpeppable horrors of submarine warfare—all these are the outcome of a creed which holds that no laws of morality are binding when the defense of the state-idol is at stake."

"The results of this violating of the foundations of morality by Germany are bound to be colossal and far-reaching. They mean the degeneration of the whole German structure and the effects are already seen in the wave of crime and immorality which is sweeping over Germany. So long as the governing classes are infected with this doctrine there is no limit to the wickedness and cruelty which will be put into execution. It means the undermining ultimately of the whole fabric of their civilization. This is what President Wilson has foreseen. This is a reason for the determination of President Wilson and the leaders of the Allies on both sides of the water, to carry this war through, whatever the cost, in order that the world may be a fit world to live in."

"The Lansdowne letter has been thought by some to indicate some weakening of determination on the part of this country, some change of attitude. I believe any such impression is a profound delusion. I know it is a delusion as far as the actual government of England is concerned, and I believe that the British people as a whole, including Lord Lansdowne himself, are more determined than ever to bring the war to a victorious conclusion."

"I see that it is being alleged with a certain degree of plausibility, that there are many points in which Lord Lansdowne is in agreement with President Wilson's message. That may be so. But in the case of the President's message there breathes through every line not only a determination to win—for 'in that there is no difference between the two men—but also a certainty of victory. President Wilson's message has an inspiration of leadership which Lansdowne's letter lacks."

NOTES AND COMMENTS

If you've a cold these days the up to date caper is to say that your voice is camouflaged.

Allied airmen have been dropping copies of President Wilson's recent message among Hun soldiers. Bombs would reach their understanding much better.

This is the manner in which a peace loving Prussian clergyman re-

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Would it be possible for blasphemy to go further than that? Three hundred tons of onions have been seized in Vancouver by order of Food Controller Hanna. This has nothing to do with the smelt end of the recent fish more.

An attempt to defeat suffrage has again been balked in the House of Lords. Opposing Ludships might just as well realize that lovely women has come into her own and is going to stay that way.

HUSBAND KILLED BEFORE WIFE'S EYES

Armenian Woman Here is a Peniless Refugee from Turks

In 1914 Johann Bagdasarian and his wife, Armenians, returned to their native land, arriving there just before the war broke out. They were caught by the Turks before they could flee. Bagdasarian had on him two drafts issued here, for fifty and fifteen pounds respectively. The Turks took these on promise to spare his life, but afterwards slaughtered him before his wife's eyes. She with many thousands of others, was driven to the interior by the Turks, but made her escape to Russia, finally reaching Norway. She has just returned to this city peniless, and an effort is being made to have the bank drafts refunded to her, as it is not thought that they will be cashed for the Turks.

LISTLESS, PEEVISH GIRLS

When a girl in her teens becomes peevish, listless and dull; when nothing seems to interest her and dainties do not tempt her appetite, you may be certain that she needs more good blood than her system is provided with. Before long her pallid cheeks, frequent headaches, and breathlessness and heart palpitation will confirm that she is anemic. Many mothers as the result of their own girlhood experience can promptly detect the early signs of anaemia, and the wise mother does not wait for the trouble to develop further, but at once gives her daughter a course with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which renew the blood supply and banish anaemia before it has obtained a hold upon the system.

Out of their own experience thousands of mothers know that anaemia is the sure road to worse ills. They know the difference that good red blood makes in the development of womanly health. Every headache, every gas for breath that follows the slightest exertion by the anaemic girl, every pain she suffers in her back and limbs are reproaches if you have not taken the best steps to give your weak girl new blood, and the only sure way to do so is through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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These are Days of Treasure Hunting IN THE Ready-To-Wear Store

Not only treasure seeking, but treasure finding, for prices have been lopped off to such an extent that it isn't at all unusual to find splendid coats, whose materials, alone cost by far the greater part of the present sale price. Or Suits with all the marks of fine tailoring, selling at what might be the cost for their making. All wool skirts, now off the market, for a mere song. We can legitimately say that every garment in this Clearance Sale represents a value to be seized upon eagerly. Even if not needed now it is wisdom to buy and store away for another day.

\$7 Skirts \$4.75 15 only, Pure Wool Poplin and Serge Skirts, made with belts, pockets, braid trimmings, and pleats; all sizes, regular \$7.00 skirts; Sale price \$4.75

\$5 Cloth Skirts \$2.98 Made with gathered back, belts and pockets, colors are grey, navy, black and tweeds, sizes 24 to 30. These are good values at \$5.00; Sale price \$2.98

\$24 Suits \$14.95 Eight only Suits, in colors of black, navy and brown, in serge, chevot, tweeds; made in the new fall styles. These were priced up to \$24.00; Sale price \$14.95



White Sale Notes of Interest Ladies high neck Gowns, made of good quality Cambric, several pretty styles; Swiss Embroidery trimmed; very special at \$1.43 Ladies White Cambric Corset Covers, daintily trimmed, back and front, with lace; Sale price, each 50c Ladies White Cambric Drawers, trimmed with embroidery flounce, Sale price 69c

\$10 Serge Dresses \$6.95 Ladies and Misses' all wool Serge and Corduroy Dresses, made in high and normal waist line style; with fancy detachable collar and cuffs. There are some very pretty sample dresses among these. Colors are navy, black, brown and fawn; open, regular \$10.00; at \$6.95



Black Velvet Suits \$18.50 A \$30.00 Black Velvet Suit, fur trimming on collar and cuffs; fancy braiding, nice quality Mantle Velvet.

Cosy Kimonos Underpriced Heavy season Blanket Cloth, Kimonos, in lovely combination of colors, comes in grey, navy, fawn and open; regular \$6.00 value; Sale price \$4.75

Some Specially Good Items From Our Staple Section Dress Gingham 25c 25 pieces of checked and striped Dress Gingham, perfectly fast woven colors, in fine qualities for children's wear, 28 inches wide; old stock; actual worth 35c and 40c yd.; Sale price 25c

10 pieces light and dark prints, 32 inches wide; perfectly fast colors; old dye, regular 25c yard; Sale price 20c

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GIVE TO THE RED CROSS

"Wounded men first." Let that be the slogan of the people of Brantford. Everyone knows the story of the British hospital ship that was torpedoed.

"Nurses first," ordered the doctors. "Wounded men first," cried the nurses, stepping back.

Anyone who subscribes \$25 will be entitled to a life membership Red Cross pin. It is in the form of a shield with a red cross in the center and at the corners the letters C. R. S. C. At the top is the word "Life," and underneath it "member." Those who have already paid this amount should telephone his or her name to the W.F.L. headquarters at the Y. M. C. A., No. 512.

All cheques should be made payable to the treasurer of the Red Cross Fund, or the Women's Patriotic League.

FORMER EMPRESS IS HOPELESSLY INSANE

Amsterdam, Jan. 15.—The former Empress of Russia, according to German papers, has become insane, and is now confined to a sanatorium at Tobolsk, Siberia. Her condition is reported to be hopeless.

The former Empress was reported to be seriously ill last September. She accompanied the former Emperor, Nicholas Romanoff, when he was transferred from Tsarskoe-Selo to Tobolsk.

SEVENTEEN AT SAN. During the month of December seventeen patients were treated at the Brant Sanatorium.

SALARIES OF POLICE. The city clerk has received an inquiry from the assistant secretary of the Board of Police Commissioners of Niagara Falls, Ont., asking for particulars in regard to the salaries of the local police.

HUNGARIAN CABINET UN-SUPPORTED, QUILTS

Ministry Has Resigned, According to Budapest Despatch, Owing to Lack of Approval for its Military Program—Emperor Vetoes Independent Hungarian Army

By Courier Leased Wire LONDON, JAN. 16.—THE RESIGNATION OF THE HUNGARIAN CABINET ON ACCOUNT OF FAILURE TO OBTAIN NECESSARY SUPPORT OF ITS MILITARY PROGRAM, IS REPORTED IN A BUDAPEST DISPATCH TO COPENHAGEN, FORWARDED BY THE EXCHANGE TELEGRAPH.

Amsterdam, Jan. 16.—Emperor Charles, according to a Vienna dispatch to The Koelnische Zeitung, has rejected the scheme to establish an independent Hungarian army, proposed by Dr. Wekerle, the Hungarian premier. It was reported in an Amsterdam despatch on January 8th, that the Austrian ministerial

council opposed unanimously the Hungarian Government's army reforms. It was proposed to give the Austrian and Hungarian armies separate identities. It is believed Emperor Charles will ask the Hungarian premier, Dr. Alexander Wakerle, to remain in office and reconstruct the cabinet.

LOCAL

TOWNSHIP HYDRO. The Township Hydro met last evening in the clerk's office to discuss business.

WOUNDED. Corp. F. S. Wadd reported in the office this morning wounded.

ALL ARE MEMBERS. In connection with the fund to be conducted for the next month, it is noted that the money by the Brantford Canadian Patriotic Fund separate body, the Patriotic and War Relief, and that all any sum to the Patriotic and War Relief Association.

WATERFORD CASE. Mr. Justice Latchford has made an order Oddfellows Relief Canada to pay into being two-thirds of a suit out by W. J. Banks in 1893. The question is entitled to the money be paid into court, at a later date. There is dispute on the question titled to the cash.

RETURNED MEN. A party of invalids have returned to Canada from the steamer Metagama following Brantford men whom have already homes here: Acting Sergeant, P. G. Burke, Benning, Sergeant, J. C. Foyte, Pte. T. Beau Emmett, Sergeant, J. H. F. Harrington, Pte. W. Mathews, Pte. W. Johnson (S. F. Martin, Pte. Robt. Pte. F. L. McQuinn.

HOW ABOUT US? Nearly eight thousand fish arrived from Lake Toronto yesterday, to be taken to Toronto, Hamilton, Woodstock, Ottawa, St. Grimsby. This is the first of Government fish for the north for several days as the railroad lines are more shipments are expected from the supply apparent for Brantford.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

TOWNSHIP HYDRO.

The Township Hydro Committee met last evening in the township clerk's office to discuss general business.

WOUNDED.

Corp. F. S. Waddle of this city is reported in the official casualty list this morning wounded.

ALL ARE MEMBERS.

In connection with the campaign to be conducted for the Patriotic Fund next month, it is worthy of note that the money is raised, not by the Brantford branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, but by a separate body, the Brant County Patriotic and War Relief Association, and that all who contribute any sum to the Patriotic Fund thereby qualify as members of the association.

WATERFORD CASE.

Mr. Justice Latchford of Toronto has made an order allowing the Oddfellows Relief Association of Canada to pay into court \$666.66, being two-thirds of a policy taken out by W. J. Banks of Waterford in 1893. The question as to who is entitled to the money, which will be paid into court, will come up at a later date. There is a family dispute on the question of who is entitled to the cash.

RETURNED MEN.

A party of invalided soldiers who have returned to Canada on the steamer Metagama includes the following Brantford men, many of whom have already reached their homes here: Acting Sergt. B. Abbott, Pte. G. Burke, Sapper C. Benning, Sergt. J. Cooke, Pte. L. Foyle, Pte. T. Beau, Corp. J. Emmett, Sergt. J. Hagyard, Pte. F. Harrington, Pte. W. Lucas, Pte. W. Mathews (Waterford), Pte. W. Johnson (Simcoe), Pte. F. Martin, Pte. Robins (Simcoe), Pte. F. L. McQuinn.

HOW ABOUT US?

Nearly eight thousand pounds of fish arrived from Lake Newlon at Toronto yesterday and is distributed to Toronto, Hamilton, London, Galt, Woodstock, Ottawa, Stouffville and Grimsby. This is the largest shipment of Government "flinies" from the north for several days. As soon as the railroad lines are re-opened more shipments are expected. None of the supply apparently is slated for Brantford.

WHY THIS THUSNESS.

In these days when conservation of hydro power is the paramount question of the hour, Brantfordites rubbed their eyes and stared yesterday afternoon, when a vista of light-street lights greeted their eyes along Queen street before four o'clock, when the daylight was still at its brightest. There may have been a reason, but Brantfordites in this instance are more likely Missourians.

WATERFORD CASE.

Following is the official temperature for yesterday, as recorded at the Meteorological depot, Bank of Commerce building:—Highest, 27 above; Lowest, 3 above; Barometer, 29.05.

HIGH SCHOOL CLUB SUPPER.

Mrs. D. J. Waterous, Mrs. Jas. Sutherland, Mrs. W. C. Livingston, Mrs. Geo. Heyl, Mrs. W. C. Boddy and Mrs. F. Shepherd last evening attended the supper of the High School Club. McNamers, Brewster and were appointed there will be arrangements with Mr. A. W. Geddes, boys' work secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for a skating party.

ACCEPTS FOURTH TERM.

At a very largely attended meeting of the official board of Sydenham street Methodist Church last night, a hearty and unanimous invitation was given to the pastor, the Rev. Wm. Smythe to remain for the 4th year. The pastor expressed his appreciation and accepted the invitation. The members of the board pledged their full support in all departments of the church work for the full term.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS.

Owing to the fuel shortage Zion Presbyterian Church is not allowing any fuel to be used during the week, and as a result there will be district cottage prayer meetings held in the various sections of the city. The first prayer meeting will be held to-night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Watt, 32 Dufferin Avenue, eight o'clock. It is expected this necessary change in week day religious work will receive hearty co-operation.

MANY GIVE COAL.

Over twenty-five tons of coal have been donated to the civic depot within the past few days, as a result of the appeal issued by Mayor MacBride to all citizens having a surplus of fuel. The municipal bureau acknowledges receipt of the following contributions: J. H. Ham, 7 tons; W. E. Buck, Victoria School, 5; J. H. Hall, 2 1/2 tons; J. H. Bunnell, 2; T. E. Ryerson, 1; S. Stedman, 1; Logan Waterous, 1; Mrs. Irwin, 2 1/2; Park Avenue, 2 1/2; Mrs. Berk, 1 1/2; 85 Ontario street, 1-2 ton. Mr. George Kippax has also given a quantity.

SOLDIERS RETURNING.

The following Brantford men will leave for this city on Friday: Pte. A. Butler, 137 Chestnut Ave.; Pte. H. J. Hall, 275 Broad Ave.; Spr. H. E. Harris, 151 St. Paul's Ave.; Pte. J. Jackson, 57 North Park St.; Pte. J. H. Liddell, 66 Cayuga st.; Pte. E. W. Pattison, 98 Oxford St., Corp. A. Yates, City. The advice as to the train on which the local soldiers are coming is not to hand but friends and relatives of the men can secure that information by phoning Mr. Geo. McDonald of the Soldiers' Aid Commission.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The Tutela branch of the Women's Institute held their January meeting at the home of Mrs. H. McIntyre, Tutela Heights, the president, Mrs. Hird in the chair. The meeting opened in the usual way. The members decided to hold a Talent Tea on the first Tuesday in February, at the home of Mrs. F. Tomlinson, Brighton Row, the proceeds of which is to increase the funds of the Red Cross. Each member is kindly asked to be present and if possible bring a friend. Miss Thompson's clever reading was enjoyed by all. The hostess served a dainty lunch, and the singing of the National Anthem brought a pleasant afternoon to a close.

MUCH TOO MUCH.

When, in the course of human events—no, no, that's not original. And we must be original or nothing. We are original. The Expositor are not, therefore—shucks, the deduction is obvious. To return, however, to our main theme. No, that's French. The fact of the matter is that we are moved to protest against the Expositor's version last night of Monday night's classic five-man, twenty-five-minute encounter. "The actual tally," says the late-in-everything, "was four to one." Later, "Referee Frank Cassidy gave good satisfaction." By the way, satisfaction cannot be anything else, can it? However! Out of their own mouths, the Expositor aggregation are condemned, for the official score, as given by Frank Cassidy, whom the cupola corner crowd so graciously condescend to approve, is—1, not 4—1. And even at that, we opine that our friend the referee had a shade of advantage. But 4—1! Later, "Referee Frank Cassidy gave good satisfaction." Next time, at all events, we will make the score so decisive that there will be no room for misrepresentation. And the I. O. O. F. tenants hail themselves as "good sports." Where do we go from here, boys?

CHRISTIAN IDEALS.

Because a business failed through the indifferent support given it by the members, said Archdeacon Paterson Smyth, at the Convocation Hall, Toronto, it did not mean that the business was to be condemned completely. "Men say to-day they are doubting the power of God; the only thing they are not doubting is the power of the devil." Many men are asking why Christianity could not prevent this war after 1,900 years. If it could not it must be faulty. "This is a challenge that is not to be ignored, but at the same time it is not to be taken too seriously, for it is an exaggeration, and half the time the questioner does not mean it." The preacher pointed out that in spite of Germany's frequent allusions to God, hers was only a "so-called Christianity." Britain's greatest battles have been fought for pure rightness and the triumph of idealism had always been Christian. The archdeacon is well known in this city, where he has frequently spoken. He is the father of Rev. C. Paterson Smyth, former curate at Grace church.

THE MERCHANTS HOLD MEETING.

With Regard to the Coal Situation. Resolution Passed to Close Places of Business at 5 p.m. to Help Save Light.

In response to the Municipal call for the conservation of fuel, a large-attended meeting of merchants took place this morning in the Board of Trade rooms. Mr. Lavery, of the fuel commission presided, and others present in addition to the merchants were Mayor MacBride, J. H. Spence and Logan Waterous, President of the Board of Trade.

After general discussion the following resolution was passed. Moved by E. B. Crompton, seconded by T. E. Ryerson: That this Committee recommends that the general closing hours of all business places be five o'clock, and the opening hour nine o'clock in the morning, except Saturdays, when the closing hour will be nine o'clock p.m.

But, if these conditions interfere materially with any particular class of business, then the opening and closing hours to be determined by a Committee composed of one representative from each line of business, who will meet and hear the facts concerning the requirements of same and arrive at a decision as to the opening and closing hours of that particular class of business, and the Mayor be requested to apply for an Order-in-Council to pass a By-law to make the above arrangements legal and enforceable under a clause of business she now named.

Another suggestion brought up was that a block census be taken of coal now in the hands of the merchants. A sub-committee will go further into matters.

CAN GET SOFT COAL.

Large numbers of citizens were turned away from the municipal fuel depot this morning, coal being unobtainable there. The officials of the depot have been successful in purchasing from the Verity Plow Company a car of soft coal, which arrived here recently, consigned to that firm. This fuel will be placed on sale this afternoon, through the Gibson Coal Company. As it is soft coal, it will not be necessary for citizens to make application at the depot to secure orders.

THE WHOLE BODY NEEDS PURE BLOOD.

The bones, the muscles, and all the organs of the body depend for their strength and tone and healthy action on pure blood. If the blood is very impure, the bones become diseased; the muscles become enfeebled, the step loses its elasticity, and there is inability to perform the usual amount of labor. The skin loses its clearness, and pimples, blotches and other eruptions appear. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. It is positively unequalled in the treatment of scrofula and other humors, eczema, rheumatism, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling. Be sure to get Hood's and get it today. All druggists.



SIR CHARLES KINGSMILL. Director of Canada's Naval Services who was recently knighted.

HELPS HYDRO OVER CRISIS.

Province Makes Financial Arrangements to Avoid Popular Loan.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—A serious crisis in Hydro-electric history has just been avoided by financial arrangements made by the Provincial Treasurer, Hon. T. W. McGarry. It was rumored a day or two ago among the important Hydro municipalities of the Province that the great Chippewa Creek development work was being seriously hampered by the failure of the Ontario Government to supply the money for construction. There was talk among the municipal representatives of a popular \$15,000,000 Hydro loan which would mean the Hydro Commission independent and permit of the speedy completion of the big development scheme at Niagara, which will give Ontario an additional 300,000 horsepower of electrical energy. An emergency meeting of the Hydro municipalities was called for yesterday at the office of the Hydro Commission, 10 University avenue, when the proposal to float a public loan for \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000 was to have been put forward.

Short of Money. Sir Adam Beck, the chairman, told the gathering, which included representatives from practically every municipality in Western Ontario between Toronto, Niagara and Windsor, that we are short of money—seriously short of money. I am not insinuating that the Government has no money, but it has not given us the money, but it has not been forthcoming." He went on to say that a great public loan of \$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000 had been suggested and that interests in the United States had offered to cooperate with the Hydro in financing and constructing the Chippewa work. It would expedite the work, he said, if more money were available, and he presumed it would be. Then he went on to describe the financial arrangements that had been made up to the present.

Indicts Electrical Development. Sir Adam also made serious charges against the Electrical Development Company and other privately-owned concerns which compete with the Hydro.

"We believe we will be able to complete the construction of the Chippewa canal a year before the time limit fixed before the war," said Sir Adam, "eliminating labor to a large extent by the use of very efficient equipment. We have six hundred men employed on the work and are engaging the services of all the men we can secure. We hope that new equipment we have ordered will have precedence because of war requirements."

"We are short of money—seriously short of money—proceeded Sir Adam. "We have secured a million dollars of the Chippewa development work alone, but we have not paid it yet. (Laughter). I am not insinuating that the Government has no money, but it has not been forthcoming. It has been suggested that we should float a popular loan, but interests in the United States who were anxious to give us a loan to cooperate with us in the financing and construction of the Chippewa Creek development work. If 300,000 horsepower could be made available a year earlier than we were counting on it would be of enormous value to both countries, as we are now allies fighting for the same cause, and we should co-operate in the manufacture of war supplies and munitions."

Is Arranged. "Arrangements will probably be made through the Federal Government to finance the Hydro Chippewa Creek development without it being necessary to resort to the suggested plan of issuing a Hydro loan through the municipalities within the Hydro system. In the meantime, backed up by the guarantee of the Ontario government, the Hydro Electric Commission has been able to secure a loan of \$1,250,000 from the Bank of Montreal to construct the extension to the Ontario Power Company plant that will within the year add 50,000 horsepower to the Hydro supply."

STORY HOUR.

Approximately a hundred children attended the story hour conducted by Miss Middlemiss at the Children's Library last evening. The subject for Thursday will be "At the Back of the North Wind" a very interesting tale written by Geo. McDonald.



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FIRST BAPTIST BIBLE SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY. 84th Annual Meeting Held Last Night—Splendid Progress Reported. The 84th annual meeting of the First Baptist Bible School was held last evening, Superintendent, Mr. J. F. Schultz, occupied the chair. Reports were read from the following officers: Home Department report was read by Mrs. A. Chrysler, showing a membership of 43 and an offering of \$32.00. Library Department—Report read by Mr. Norman Schultz, showing that the library was open for 40 298 birthday cards mailed. Secretary-Treasurer's report, by Geo. A. Winters, as follows: Total enrollment, 547; total attendance, 14,683; average attendance, 282; highest attendance, 365; lowest attendance, 121; number of papers etc., distributed, 23,690; number of scholars baptized, 15; total collections for 1917, \$411.62; total receipts for 1917, \$554.38; total given to Missions, \$267.00; average collection per Sunday, \$7.91; balance on hand, Dec. 31st, \$24.25. Superintendent's Report, by Mr. J. F. Schultz, was most inspiring and touched on the spiritual activities of the school. This school during 1917 has supported two native missionaries in India, also supported one native teacher in India, and built two new schools in India. The following officers were elected for 1918: Superintendent, Mr. J. F. Schultz; associate superintendents, Mr. C. Cook and Mr. A. Chrysler; Secretary-Treasurer, Geo. A. Winters; associate Treasurer, Mr. Horace Fuller; Sergt. Lloyd P. Pierce; House Department, Mrs. A. Chrysler; Cradock Roll, Mrs. D. L. Wright; Recording Schofield; associate pianist, Mrs. J. F. Fotherington; Pianist, Mrs. J. F. Schofield; associate pianist, Mrs. J. Schultz; Choister, Mr. A. Chrysler; Auditors, Mr. D. S. Large, Mr. Harry Marshall; lantern operators, Reg. Cook, Geo. Fields; Missionary Committee, Mr. C. Cook, Miss Wilmut, Miss Howell, Mr. A. Foulds. Library Committee, Mr. C. Cook, Mr. J. F. Schultz.

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COMING EVENTS
OWING TO THE STORM destroying plate glass. Fire Sale delayed. Announcements later. Harwood's, 320 Colborne Street.

OPENING SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON CLASS by Rev. J. W. Gordon Y. M. C. A. Reading Room Saturday, Jan. 19th, 7.30 p.m. For both men and women

G. W. V. A.—Raffle to take place for Model Submarine in the Brant Theatre on Jan. 21st. Balance of tickets can be had at Percy's Store Members of A. R. Club, and Soldiers' Home.

HOME NURSING CLASSES will commence Thursday evening at 7.30 Women's Patriotic Rooms. Y. M. C. A. Dr. Barber lecturer.

THE BRANTFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY will order Old Country Roses, Feb. 1st. Leave your order with the Secretary, E. E. C. Kilmer, 105 East avenue.

OPEN EVENING OF Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium classes. Thursday, Jan. 17 at 8 o'clock. Admission 15c Girls basketball match with the B. C. I.

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Just try it! Get three ounces of each white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

FOOD CONTROLLER SPEAKS TO PUBLIC
Advocates Hog Raising and Greater Garden Production

Office of the Food Controller, Ottawa, January 9th, 1918

To the Editor: It is unnecessary for me to point out to you the serious world food situation and the imperative need of encouraging increased production during 1918. I am writing to thank the newspaper editors for what they are doing to make known the facts and to arouse the people to a realization of the gravity of the problem. I want also to suggest the advisability of stimulating local interest, as much as possible, in ways and means by which production may be increased in each and every community. In this work, the newspapers can perform an invaluable public service and at the same time interest their readers in practical discussions which have a direct bearing upon local problems in connection with the effort for increased production. I am taking the liberty of suggesting a few of the questions which might be so discussed.

In some of our Provinces there is certain legislation restrictive of agricultural production. It may be necessary under normal conditions, but in times of national peril such laws should be suspended or amended. Then, too, most of the provinces control their own game and fish laws; the supply of food could be considerably increased by making use of game and fish to a greater extent than is possible at present, if these laws were carefully considered in the light of the urgent need for food and special regulations put in force with a view to utilizing to the utmost every available source of food supply while the present emergency continues. The keeping of hogs within the limits of Canadian municipalities has been strongly advocated, but is practically prohibited by existing municipal restrictions. The people living in suburban areas adjoining the cities and towns of Germany maintain and raise in this way nearly half a million hogs in excess of the total hog population of Canada. Poultry keeping within municipal areas, under reasonable restrictions, would also be of general benefit. Legislation controlling and reducing the number of useless dogs in the country would do much to promote production of sheep.

Small lot gardening should also be encouraged. In this way an abundant supply of fresh vegetables would be assured and land now devoted to market gardens could be used for grain crops. This year the idea ought to be not merely to grow potatoes, but to grow good potatoes and all kinds of vegetables. Last year thousands of city people did a little gardening for the first time. This year their experiences will be of value and the results should be in proportion to their proficiency.

You are conversant with local conditions in your municipality, and, doubtless, can add to the suggestion which I have made. Greater production offers the only permanent solution of the food problem and I am confident that the press of Canada will do its utmost to impress the facts upon the people of this country.

Closely connected with the problem of increased production is the necessity of organizing the man power of the cities so that it may be the greatest possible factor in the successful prosecution of the war. This at once suggests a large number of questions in regard to the employment of men in unnecessary work, multiplication of services, etc. By discussion of some of these problems through the newspapers much good could be accomplished.

Information which this office can give you in connection with any of these matters will be supplied gladly and we shall welcome any suggestions which you may be good enough to offer. We have established a general information division which is engaged in collecting the latest available data in regard to the questions which I have mentioned. This division is at your service.
Very truly yours,
W. J. HANNA.

REMEMBER THAT

If your boy goes to the front:
He has twenty-nine chances of coming home to one chance of being killed.
He has ninety-eight chances of recovering from a wound to two chances of dying.
He has only one chance in 500 of losing a limb.
He will live five years longer because of the physical training.
He is freer from disease in the army than in civil life.
He has better medical care at the front than at home.
In other wars from ten to fifteen men died from disease to one from bullets.
In this war one man dies from disease to every ten from bullets.
This war is less wasteful of life than any other in history.
Only ten per cent. of all Canadians disabled for further service have been physically unable to engage in the fighting.
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NOTHING ON EARTH LIKE IT SAYS FOSTER

Friends Surprised at his Improvement Since Taking Tanlac—Gains 10 lbs.

Here is another instance of the remarkable powers of Tanlac. Alfred Foster, a well known employee of the Harris Lithographing Co., on the Sterling Road, Toronto, a few days ago said:

You can just take the word of a man who has doctored and taken medicine for many years; there is no medicine on earth like Tanlac. Some ten years ago my stomach got out of order and in spite of the best treatment I kept going down until they finally took me to the hospital and operated on me, taking out both my gall bladder and appendix. I was in the hospital for two months, and after getting out from there I was unable to do a bit of work for six months more. I regained some of my strength but presently soon my old trouble came back, and I suffered just as bad as I ever had. I couldn't eat hardly anything and never enjoyed the little I did eat. In a little while after eating my stomach would sour, my side would swell up and the pain was so intense that I could hardly bear it. My stomach just seemed to be full of gas which would rise up in my chest and almost cut off my breath. I always had a sickening taste in my mouth, and my tongue was always badly coated. I felt bilious and dizzy, my skin was sallow looking and even my eyeballs were right yellow. I would work for a little while and then be laid up sick for six or seven weeks. I had no life or strength, and it was just by force of will that I managed to drag myself around. In fact, during those four years, following the operation, I felt simply awful.

While reading the paper one day my eyes fell on a Tanlac testimonial that seemed to fit my case exactly, and ever since then I have been taking it and gradually getting better. I have gained ten pounds and feel like a different man altogether, and only to-day called on some friends who were surprised to see looking so improved, and asked me what in the world I had been taking. I haven't had a sign of swelling and bloating since I began using Tanlac. My appetite is great and I can eat just anything I want. All that bilious, yellow look is gone, and my skin is clear and healthy looking as a baby's. That lump has gone out of my side, my pain is all gone and I simply feel that Tanlac saved my life, and I will cheerfully tell anybody who cares to call on me what I have found out about Tanlac.

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ARTHUR CRISP
Canadian who has become noted in New York for his work in mural art.

To The Editor of The Courier

Sir:—The residents of our section of the city would like to know if the man who claims to have been always on the job received payment in full for last year's garbage collection. If so he had better finish the job before he quits, and not leave a legacy for a new man as is at present the case. The service rendered the last three months has been very unsatisfactory not only as far as collection is concerned which in some cases has only been once a month, but for quite a while it was distributed along the centre of the road either down Pearl, Albion, or William street, through the bottom of the rig. Mr. Glover has been appealed to and he seems to be doing his best, but I can assure you it is not helping the situation any. I am not kicking for myself as I have burnt all possible and only about 2 weeks at a stretch was I misled, but I can furnish names as proof on House and Wells avenue and Elizabeth, Lawrence and Dundas streets, where people have 2 and 3 barrels and some claim best part of a load awaiting removal and by the looks of things it seems as if it will keep our present man busy for the next month cleaning up. Kindly publish these few remarks and see if something cannot be done before the mild weather sets in.
Yours Truly,
STEPHEN CAYLES
163 Terrace Hill Street.

Have YOU Got COAL?



An Appeal

IN VIEW of the recent severe storm and the consequent tie-up of transportation, our city is facing a most acute fuel famine. It will be at least five or six days before freight can be moved on any road, nor can wood be brought into the city. In many homes there is very little or no fuel of any sort, and

Women and Children are Suffering

It is believed that in some homes there is plenty, and in some others fuel to spare. Will you assist in relieving the suffering. We appeal to the patriotism and loyalty of our citizens in this extreme situation. Present conditions are lamentable. Sickness and disease follow. You may assist in averting an epidemic.

If You Can—Will You Assist?

For humanity's sake—for the sake of the women and small children who are suffering—we respectfully ask every citizen who has more than sufficient fuel for the immediate present, to volunteer as much or as little as can be spared. We undertake to guarantee that this coal will be replaced, but in view of the situation as out-lined above, we urge immediate and desperate necessity.

Write or telephone the quantity you can spare to Mr. N. D. Neill, or Mr. Herb McIntyre, Civic Fuel Clerks, Phone 131. A proper receipt will be given you.

Ed. Lavery
Chairman Fuel Committee.

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Collector of Customs.

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Pres. Board of Trade.

M. MacBride
Mayor

Bowling

A treat for Bowling Fans
The following is the line-up in the Bowling match between the team from Toronto and the Brantford team at the Assembly Alley, 91 Dalhousie St. to-morrow night:
Toronto—Schliman, Gillis, O'Connor, Ryan, Glendenning.
Brantford—Crowley, Geo. Staves, Kellett, Hilborn, Matthews.
Sam Schliman won the high single championship at A.P.C. Tournament held at Toledo, 1916.
Glendenning holds the alley record for three consecutive games at Saunders alley, Toronto, and we all know what Gillis can do as he is known all over America. O'Connor

Music and Drama

"COME BACK TO ERIN"
One of the season's biggest hits will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House, on Wednesday, January 23rd, when Walter Lawrence will be seen in the Irish comedy drama, "Come Back To Erin." Mr. Lawrence is no stranger to us, he having played here at various

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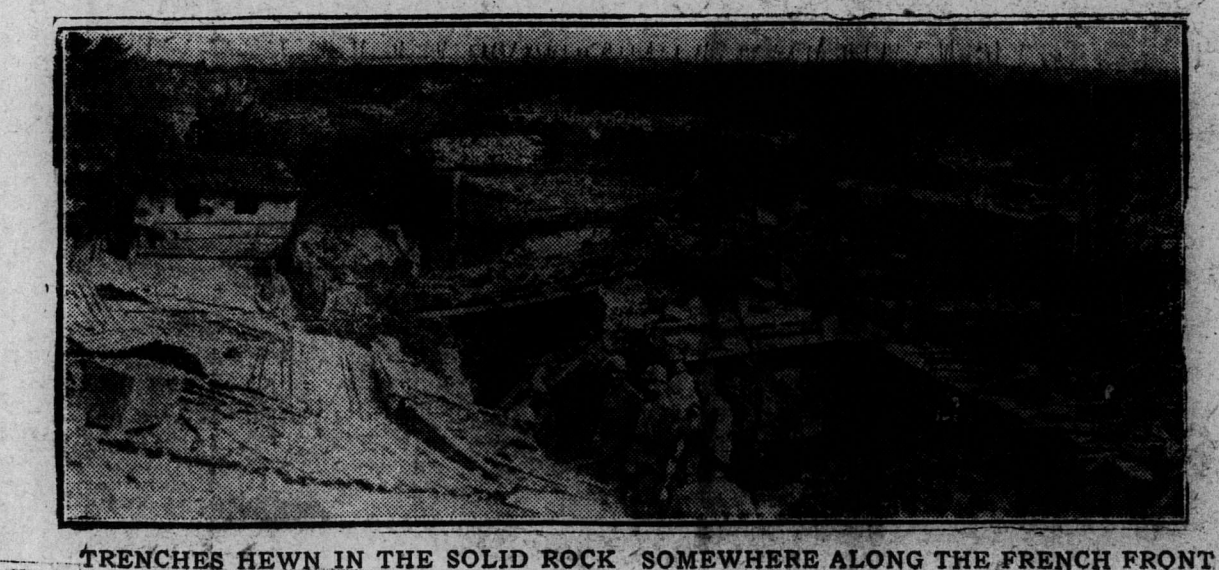
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BRITISH LABOR BACKS RUSSIA

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CRISIS IN THE WAR Principle of No Annexations is Accepted for British Empire

London, Jan. 15.—The British labor party, in a message to the Russian people made public today, announced that the British people accepted the Russian principle of self-determination of peoples and no annexations for the British Empire, particularly in the middle East, Africa and India.

The message, which was issued by the labor party in conjunction with the Parliamentary Committee of the Trades Union Congress says: "We have reached the British Empire in the war. The negotiations at Brest-Litovsk have been interrupted because the Germans have refused to admit the principle of self-determination of peoples and the doctrine of no annexations. In this acting, the Central powers are speaking clearly in the name of a militarist state.

"In this crisis the British people must speak because the Russians can only succeed in their great and perilous task if supported by the people everywhere. The British people must proclaim to Russia and the Central powers that its aim is identical with Russia's, that we, too, see no solution for the evils of militarism except self-determination and no indemnities.

"In applying these Russian people to our own case, we are conscious of the problems raised, but we don't shrink therefrom. The British people accept the principle of no annexations for the British Empire. This applies in our case to the middle East, Africa and India.

British Learned Lesson

"We wish to remind the Russian people that Great Britain, taught by the loss of the American colonies in the eighteenth century was the first modern State to grant complete self-determination to any group of its inhabitants for example, the Dominion of Canada, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand. We also adopted the principle for India and other dependencies of the British Empire, though we believe that the record of the British Government here gives little occasion for reproach.

"We intend to meet this by more rapid development of self-government. We respect the sovereign independence of the Turkish people in their national home, but we believe that the domination of their Government over other peoples is a hindrance to their own national development.

Keep the Turks Out.

"Our Government is pledged to some of those people—Arabs, Palestinians, Armenians—that the Ottoman rule shall not again be imposed on them. This responsibility should be undertaken by the peace conference, and a permanent international organization that we hope will be there constituted.

"In tropical Africa we repeat our renunciation of annexations. No body contends that the black races can govern themselves. They can only make it known that the particular Government under which they have been living is bad in some respects and indicate the specific members of which they desire liberation. We believe that the peace conference would be well advised to place all tropical Africa under uniform international control.

"We adjure the peoples of Central Europe to declare themselves or make their Governments speak for them in answer to Russia and ourselves. We call on them to renounce annexations in which we are the same good faith in which we call on them to give the same self-determination to the French, Albanian, Italian, Polish and Danish members of their classes as Russia has given to Finland, Poland, Lithuania and Russian Poland."

Must Smash Militarism.

The manifesto concludes: "The family interests of dynasties or the desire of the German, Austrian and Magyar governing classes to dominate other classes and nationalities must no more be suffered to prevent self-determination in Central Europe, and thereby immerse it in Europe as a whole, than the interests of British Imperialism or British capitalism must be suffered to do elsewhere.

"Peoples of Central Europe! This catastrophe of the human race, this fatal schism in the civilized world can only be ended by the defeat of militarism on both sides and by the victory on both sides of moral and intellectual fair dealing. If the world is to be saved, it must be saved by good faith and reciprocity by all. Do not fail us now. Do not let your Governments drive the British people, as they are driving the Russian people, into the terrible choice between continuing the war and abandoning the only principles that can save the world.

"If this choice is forced upon us we shall choose as Russia chose. We shall continue, but the responsibility will be yours."

PAPERS LIKELY TO CONVICT SPY

Property of German Officer Seized by U. S. Authorities

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 15.—Two large boxes filled with documents belonging to Lieut. Walter Spormann, alleged German spy, arrested at Norfolk, were seized by the police in a house here. The papers were found in the room of Martin Asch, a German enemy alien. Asch was arrested.

At the office of the United States Marshal, Asch said that Spormann approached him the latter part of last month and asked him to take care of two boxes for him. He declared that he did not know the nature of the contents.

Asch was the second person to be arrested here in connection with the case. Frederick H. C. Spormann, a brother of Walter Spormann, was taken into custody last night.



VETERINARY HOSPITAL IN LONDON RUN ENTIRELY BY WOMEN.

Many businesses in Britain are falling entirely into the hands of the women and not the least successful of these is McNamara's Horse Hospital in North London. Amongst many others the whole of the horses used by the G. P. O. pass through the hands of women before they appear on the London streets and they drawing the well-known red vans are familiar to everybody. To illustrate this rapid and really wonderful innovation this photo shows how in the fair sex have gone in tackling a difficult profession. It shows them unloading a forage van at the Hospital. They fetch and deal with all the forage themselves.

NO WASTE IN ARMY

Amount of Material Which is Now Saved Almost Incredible

AUSTRO-GERMAN FORCES REPULSED

Forced to Evacuate Trench Section; Suffered Heavy Losses

(Written for the Canadian Press Limited by Walter Curran.) London, Jan. 16.—The amount of material which was wasted and is now being saved by the Army is almost beyond belief.

In 1914, good manufactured materials were thrown away with abandon. In 1917, they are saving the grease off the Army dirt water. This saving spirit is not localized to any particular Unit, but is general and one Unit would serve as well as another to illustrate it.

On a recent visit to Number One Canadian General Hospital, France, commanded by Colonel R. M. Simpson of Winnipeg, the writer saw a very good example of the system.

The patients in the Hospital are exceedingly well fed at a cost of one shilling and two pence per day. The dinner diet consists of soup, fish, chicken, hot meat and dessert. The waste of the meal that a man would require after a strenuous day's work.

All the bones, gristle and other unusable portions of the meat were put into pots and the grease boiled out. All used water is put through

a series of seepage tanks and the grease secured. Used cotton batten, bandages etc. are sent to be sterilized and then go on to be used in making gun-cotton. Old tins are collected, all refuse is incinerated and all the metallic slag left in the incinerator is sent back for munitions. In this way millions of dollars worth of materials are salvaged for further use in the war.

When men come into hospital from the front, all their clothing is sent straight to a sorting room. There, such things as leather buttons or anything else that will be destroyed by heat is removed. The clothes are then put through a sterilizer. The good clothes are reissued and the rest sent to Paris for repairs.

Incidentally the men themselves are sterilized. They are washed with a solution of acetic acid which kills the nits, with coal oil which exterminates the lice, and if anything still lives a special report is submitted. When all signs of life are gone, the men are given a bath. One hundred and forty men have been put through this process in an hour.

With reference to the Commissariat of all hospitals in France, it would be unfair if one failed to mention the splendid contribution which the National Egg Gift Collection Society, 154, Fleet Street, give. This Society sends fourteen hundred eggs a week as a gift to patients in this Hospital.

Major Orr, by the discovery of the germ which causes Army dysentery, or Wile's disease, has brought distinction to the Hospital. One of the most noticeable and important characteristics of this Hospital, is the splendid spirit of the Staff. Neither Colonel Simpson nor any of his Staff have ever put in a request for comforts for the officers, but they have put up some hard fights for improved conditions for the patients. Colonel Simpson's stand is that the doctors are in good health and have an equal chance, while the patients are in a weakened condition as a result of fighting for their King and Country. And even on this ground he does not always get what he deems necessary. And patients have been compelled to live in cold tents (in spite of all he could do) long after the time when able-bodied men were ordered into billets in England.

The Canadian Red Cross is doing excellent work at Number One as elsewhere. The Recreation Hut, under two charming girls, Miss Amorel Thomas of Montreal and Miss Alice Bell of Victoria, is a very attractive spot for the convalescing lads.

COTTON CONSUMED

Washington, Jan. 15.—Cotton consumed during December amounted to 16,580 running bales and for the five months ending December 31, 2,734,741 bales, the census bureau today announced.

QUEBEC ON SECESSION.

Quebec, Jan. 15.—The Francoeur motion which is expected to bring up in the Quebec legislature the question of the secession of this Thursday. The most important statement on secession is expected from Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec.

Sporting Comment

An interesting story of Jack Hendricks' brief engagement with the New York Giants in 1902 is told by Bill Phelon. Like most Phelon stories, there is some fact and a lot of fiction in it, but since it is amusing it is printed here for what it is worth. Says the honest Phelon: "Jack Hendricks, the new manager of the Cardinals, has one distinction that is probably unique in baseball history—he was released from a major league team for hitting the ball too hard. Long ago, when the Giants were floundering in the soup, Jack, then considered the best of college batmen, was sent for in a hurry, and joined them in mid-season. The story of his having 'accompanied the Giants in a spring training trip' is all wrong—he joined them in July, and played his first game against the Reds. From the very start he was a success, and hit .353 in his first seven games.

At this time Andrew Freedman, who meant well, but didn't know much about baseball, excepting the business end, was running the Giants. Presently a flock of the older Giants came to Mr. Freedman and told him that the heavy hitting of the new player had demoralized the fans; that the bugs were joshing and reviling the older players; that it would be impossible to maintain harmony in the club if this slugger were permitted longer to slug at a .350 clip, and urged that he be released immediately.

"Well, gentlemen," gravely answered Mr. Freedman, "we must have harmony; I shall release Mr. Hendricks to-morrow"—and he did.

HUNS SEEK TO KEEP ALLIES GUESSING

Italian Military Critic Thus Explains Rumors of Big Drive

By Courier Leased Wire. Jan. 15.—Commenting on the rumors of a coming German offensive on the western front, General Corsi, military critic of The Tribune, says: "After an Austro-German offensive against some weak point on front like Serbia, Roumania or Italy Germany has always circulated rumors of a great offensive on the western front. The press of the Entente unsuspectingly takes up the rumor thus without intention helping the German plan. In this way the Central Empires have always succeeded in preventing the Allies from sending forces to the parts really threatened, or against the weak points on the enemy's lines. For this reason the Entente has never succeeded in making the initiative on a grand scale. At the time of the Russian, Roumania and Serbia offensives, diversions on the Italian front ought to have occurred with great masses of allied forces against Austria, which was seriously occupied with Russia. The western front being richest in effectives, the Germans always spread the rumor that their next offensive will be on that front thus keeping huge Entente forces immobilized."

General Corsi closes by saying: "To-day also we are confronted by such a rumor, while on the Italian front the offensive of the Central Empires is still continuing. Germany has always in her drives aimed to put hors de combat one of the countries of the Entente, but has shown in her conduct the certainty of be-

AMERICAN MINE-WORKERS MEET

Defense Fund Planned For Maintenance of Present Wages

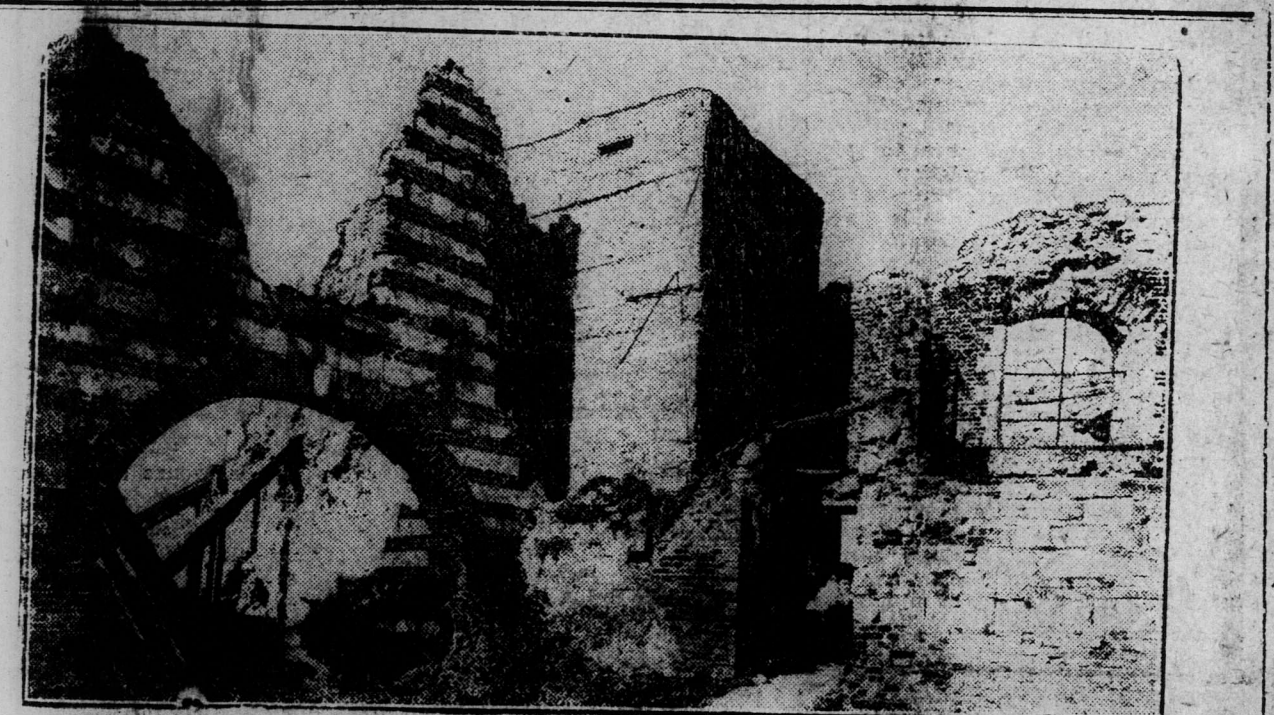
By Courier Leased Wire. Indianapolis, Jan. 15.—With addresses of welcome by officials state and city and the reading of a letter from President Wilson expressing his good will toward the coal diggers of the country, the biennial convention of the United Mine Workers of America convened here today. The delegates in attendance represented more than 400,000 organized men in the industry. For the first time in many years an increase in wages will not be paramount business, although many phases relating to the present standard will come before the delegates.

While delegates will not ask for higher wages, they are expected to take action looking to the maintenance of the present standard, at least after the war is over. To this end a large defense fund is suggested by some of the leaders for use in the event any attempt is made to readjust wages downward.

President Frank J. Hayes in reviewing the activities of the organization urged the delegates to ratify the wage agreements entered into at Washington with the bituminous and anthracite operators and sanctioned by the federal government.

TEUTONS STARVING

Associated Press. Amsterdam, Jan. 16.—The ravages of the new hunger disease, called in Germany "famine dropsy," are described in the Budapest newspaper Nepszava. Men are attacked by it chiefly between the ages of 40 and 50, and unless the patient can be given plenty of nourishment, the disease is very likely to prove fatal. In the small town of Asch, 900 cases have been reported, 3 per cent. of which have already proved fatal.



GERMANS CONCEAL 'PILL BOX' IN WALLS OF RUINED CHURCH. This is probably the most unusual location in which a German "pill box" observation post has been found, though they are always well hidden away in some unlooked for spot. On this occasion the Boches set up their concrete lookout post between the walls of his ruined church at Monchy and Bois Pasdebalais.

Even to think of it makes pa shiver

THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

---By Wellington



"I'M SORRY I HAVE TO USE YOUR ROOM FOR A SEWING-ROOM, PA, BUT I SIMPLY MUST HAVE SOME CLOTHES MADE."

"ONE'D THINK YA DIDN'T HAVE NO CLOTHES, AN BY ACTUAL COUNT YA GOT BY DRESSES THAT PAINT HALF WORE OUT YET?"

"BUT THEY'RE OUT OF STYLE, PA; HOWEVER I'M UTILIZING ALL THAT I CAN FOR INSTANTLY BY TRIMMING THIS OLD WHITE SUIT WITH FUR I SHALL BE AB TO WEAR IT SEVERAL MORE TIME BEFORE THE WINTER'S OVER."

"AND THANKS TO DEAR CEDRIC THE FUR DIDN'T COST A PENNY!"

"HE SUGGESTED CUTTING WHAT I NEEDED FROM THE BACK OF YOUR SABLE-LINED OVER-COAT."

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NEVER MISSED AN IMPORTANT FIGHT

One-Eyed Connolly Was Hardest Man in History of the Game to Keep Out of Prize Battle

James Worthington Connolly, better known to the sport world as One-Eyed Connolly, was being discussed the other night when some of the boys sprang several funny stories of this famous character now dead, says a writer in the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Connolly was the hardest man to keep out of a prize fight in the history of the game. He managed to "horn" his way into all the big glove contests, including the famous Fitzsimmons-Corbett encounter at Carson City, Nev., on St. Patrick's day, 1897. That Connolly managed to get there before the fight started puzzled all those who rode from Chicago with him on that night special. He was thrown in jail with a Chinaman upon the arrival of the special, but walked in the show big as life just as the notables were being introduced at the ringside.

Connolly had a very exciting experience going to the fight. Someone tipped it off that bandits were going to hold up the train. Jim had quite a goodsized bank roll on his person, and so as to forestall the work of the road agents found a spot to hide it. A rubber rug on the rear of one of the dining cars was the place selected. After planting his roll, Jim went into the smoker for a social game of hearts. While busily engaged in showing the other fellows when they did not know about the game, Connolly was notified by a friend that the dining cars had been detached from the train. The special was out on the Arizona desert, and Connolly was almost wild with anger. He tried every way to get word back to the station where the dining cars were taken off, but without avail. When he got to Carson City he was flat broke and proceeded to drown his troubles and was arrested. He lost all his coin, was halted by the law and paid a fine, but he got in the place for nothing and had a ringside seat.

Speaking of Connolly, Al Spink says that Connolly was a Cockney, born in London within sound of the Bow Bells. He had a delighted Cockney accent, and he claimed to have at one time been one of England's greatest pugilists.

"He was really and truly a great fighter," Connolly used to say, "until he lost me 'blowin' his head hi 'ad it to-day hi'd fought any man as lives. Why, if hi 'ad me two protty peepers back in me hi wouldn't be afraid to tackle even

WAR MENUS

How to Save Wheat, Beef and Pork for the men at the front. Issued from the Office of the Food Controller for Canada.

MENU FOR THURSDAY
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Oatmeal Porridge
Sausages
Tea or Coffee
Toast

Dinner
Rabbit in Casserole
Boiled Onion Mashed Potatoes
Banana Shortcake.
Supper
Creamed Celery on Toast
Peanut Bread
Tea
Apple Sauce

The recipes for Rabbit in Casserole and Peanut Bread, mentioned above, are as follows:

Rabbit in Casserole—
1 rabbit
1 cup drippings or other fat
1 cup water
2 cups meat stock or thickened gravy
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt

Peanut Bread—
1 cup lukewarm liquid
1 teaspoon salt
3 cups flour (more if desired)
1 to 2 tablespoons syrup
1 to 1 1/2 cake yeast softened in 1/4 cup lukewarm water
1 cup ground peanut meats
Scald the liquid, cool to lukewarm, add the salt, the softened yeast and half the flour. Beat thoroughly, cover and let rise until very light. Then add the remainder of the flour and the peanut meats. Knead, cover and let rise until double in bulk. Shape into a loaf, cover and let rise again until double in bulk. Bake.

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WAR STIRS NEW ASPIRATIONS

Alsace Lorraine Now Anxious to Become Again a Part of France

Petrograd, Jan. 16.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The Alsace-Lorraine situation from a native's point of view is laid before the Russian public in an article published here by the Alsace delegate, George Veil.

"I myself am a walking example of our people's attitude," he says. "I am a social democrat and therefore in principle am opposed to war. Before the war I was one of the many Alsace-Lorraine politicians who were content to limit our national program to an autonomy within the boundaries of the German Empire. From this it must not be gathered that we had forgotten that in 17, our right as a nation to self-definition had been violated by Bismarck. No, we were willing to limit our demands for the sake of peace, that was all. We knew that we could be reunited to France only at the price of war and we wished to avoid that."

He further explains the reason why the people of Alsace-Lorraine do not wish to and cannot become Germans. "Our national culture is French, not German," he says. "The Germans state that by descent, in language and in history we are Germans. This, however, is untrue, or only partly true.

"Admitted that the great majority of our population is a mixture of German and Celtic races, as is also the case of a good part of the population of north and west France," admitted also, that a considerable number of the population speaks in the Alsatian dialect, which is a branch of the German language. Nevertheless, our history has removed us far from the German root and has made us French.

"During the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries we were utterly separated from Germany and took no part in the formation of the new Germany which was forming under the banner of Prussia. The new Germany became a stranger to us, while France drew nearer and nearer to us.

"The great French revolution finally decided our national character. The entire population of Alsace-Lorraine was caught by the revolutionary movement. The Marseillaise was written in Strasbourg and sung for the first time by Rougè-d'Elle at the house of the Mayor of Strasbourg."

"The whole question is whether an enlarged production is needed. It is said in the trade that eighty per cent of the United States production is going into war work."

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In fact, tea absorbs odors as readily as does butter. This is because of the high temperature at which it is "fired" during the drying process, which makes the tea very sensitive. It thus quickly loses flavor and strength, and goes "flat" if left exposed to odors, dust or air.

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When you buy a package of Red Rose Tea at your grocer's you get the benefit of the great care we take to protect the consumer, as the sealed package is an armor that keeps out odors, dust and air. It keeps the tea pure, clean, fresh and full strength.

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You will enjoy the distinctive flavor, rich strength and splendid economy of Red Rose Tea. TRY A PACKAGE.



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The King Of The Rockies

WITH his back broken by a lucky or unlucky shot, the big mountaineer billy of a section of the Rockies in the headwaters of the Kootenay River sits, awaiting the dogs first of whom can be dimly seen in the background, scouting cautiously to learn if it is judicious to fly at the bearded throat of the crippled denizen of the heights.

It all came about through the imperious temper and a long, successful warfare waged against opponents. No sympathy ever stirred the old buck's life. From his infancy, when his mother taught him to duck to the rocks and earn his sharp little horns skyward when the shadow of an eagle fitted across the sun-kissed rocks on high he had battled on his own terms, and with profit, as testified by his beard and his magnitude. In time he became the biggest and most sought-after mountain goat in the reaches of the westward peaks above the stretches of beaver-dams that go to assist in starting the Kootenay River.

Bears and mountain lions he had escaped in his youth, through his own agility, and the watchfulness of his mother and other relatives. When maturity came he met other dangers, the lightning fury of older bucks who saw in him a coming interloper in the happy home circle. These he fought, and won or lost or drew.

Then he became lord of a band. Their cares were his cares. Other and more selfish interests also called him. More than once he had ripped the life out of ambitious bucks, or had tossed them over sheer precipices to perish on the jagged rocks hundreds of feet below. At dawn he led his band down to the first grass flats of the upper meadows, at night he headed them back. Frequently, according to judgment, he took them to the lower plateaus at nightfall and fed them during the dark hours, slipping back in the safety of dawn and sleeping in safety on the sun-warmed pinacles.

Tourists and hunters sought him eagerly and earnestly, for he was a fine specimen. Sometimes they lost him in the rubble of a great slide, sometimes he went down a precipice like a fly down a wall, sometimes his short tail flicked around an edge of granite as the steel-tipped bullet slipped splinters from the face of the ledge.

But finally he met dogs. First it was the trail-mate of a trapper that had gone on a foraging trip of his own. The dog charged boldly. The goat received him on his sharp black spikes, and then trampled him to pulp. Again it was a group of distant hunters, led by a pair of Airedales. These he shook off by slipping up the face of a sheer height, and then down the further slope, leading his band to more inaccessible peaks ten miles further south where the higher peaks gave view as far as the entrance to the Vermilion Pass.

One day a man from New York, skilled in hunting in all big game countries, arrived at Leachcock station, on the C. P. R., with a pack of six powerful dogs. He was going after bear, and anything else that the Canadian Rockies had to offer. His guide knew the Kootenay country like his favorite book, and he proposed a bright for a big hunt. The bears were on the slides, the sheep and goats were working down and the fish were jumping in the



river.

Forty hours later the dogs were baying as they scrambled over the loose rubble on the trail of the big goat. Two miles behind and below toiled the men—the dogs had gone beyond control. The goat band scattered, and the big billy, surlily loitering, was pinned in a corner of rocks where even his sure feet could find no way out except through the first and tossed him aside, he ripped the second wide open, he ripped the spikes deep in the shoulder of another. The other dogs sheered aside like water from a rock, and the goat rushed away through the gap by which he had come.

Two dead dogs and a wounded one was bad medicine for the hunting party. The hunters desisted the first day and in a few days it was able to take its place again. Then the men decided to make another try for the big goat. They took the dog who had been hurt and turned loose, holding the others in leash. They climbed the heights. In an emerald gem of grass, flanked by the grey cliffs of the summits they first spied the white dots of the herd.

baying of the loose dog started the goats toward the rocks, all excepting the leader. He loitered again, for he had heard the sound before, and knew he could escape, and still the dog came up, and the goat stood with lowered head, making short, angry rushes. But the canine had learned. He ran around the white figure, and did not come to grips. From out of the clear sky something struck the goat just in front of the bullet. The dog crept nearer, the goat sat helpless, his head arched with its needle-pointed dagers beaming still an active menace from which all the dogs shrank as they circled. Then the men came, and a merciful bullet put an end to the biggest mountain goat in the upper east Kootenays in the history of the guiding fraternity. A note, the king lords it over the band of nannies and kids, and growing young males.

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which cleanses the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 gallons of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days, and your kidneys will act fine. This familiar salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful, effervescent lithia water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

NORWAY HIT HARDEST

Associated Press.
London, Jan. 16.—The cost of the principal foods has increased more proportionally in Norway, since the war began, than in the United Kingdom, France or the United States, says the Board of Trade and Labor Gazette. The comparison shows the increases to have been 114 per cent. in Norway, 105 per cent in the United Kingdom, 83 in France and 46 in the United States.

Some of the detailed increases per cent in the United Kingdom are:—Beef, 79 to 135 per cent; sugar 188; milk 96; tea, 107; eggs, fresh 239; butter, 99; fish, 191.

It is estimated that of all the items ordinarily entering into the family expenditure of workmen, including food, rent, clothing, fuel and light the advance on pre-war times is about 85 per cent.

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Associated Press.
Amsterdam, Jan. 15.—All nickel five and ten pennig pieces have been called in by the German government. It is announced that no more will be issued, and all citizens are ordered to take nickel in their possession to the nearest postoffice for exchange.

ASK INCREASE

By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, Jan. 15.—The employees of the Montreal Street Railway Company, at a meeting held this morning, decided to ask for four per cent increase in wages. They claim they are being asked by the company to work longer hours because of the shortage of labor owing to the Military Service Act.

PUT FULL ADDRESS ON ALL LETTERS

Americans Writing to Their Friends Abroad Should be Very Explicit

(Associated Press)
London, Jan. 16.—Americans who write letters to friends abroad should take special pains to address the letters adequately. If an exact address cannot be obtained, and it is necessary for any reason to address the letter "care of the American Embassy in London," all possible details regarding the person addressed should be given on the face of the envelope for the assistance of the Embassy authorities.

There are now living in the American Embassy here hundreds of letters, which have been addressed casually "care American Embassy" and which the Embassy officials have no way of delivering. If the senders had even indicated whether the person addressed was in the army, the navy, the aviation corps, or the nature of his business in London, there might have been a chance of the letter finding its way, but without any such particulars, the likelihood of its reaching its destination are rather remote.

Some people at home seem to think that the American Embassy in London is a small compact office where is kept a card index of all Americans abroad. As a matter of fact, the American Embassy in London has expanded since the war until it occupies a half-dozen scattered buildings and employs several hundred clerks and secretaries. Americans who call at the Embassy usually have business with only one department and the clerks who have

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FIRE IN OTTAWA ROMAN CATHOLIC GENERAL HOSPITAL
Fire, which broke out Thursday near the operating room in the Roman Catholic General Hospital on Water street, Ottawa, was confined to the upper floors of the east wing. Of the 120 patients in the hospital at the time, one, three girls, was burned and another died from excitement shortly after being moved to a safe place. It was in this hospital that Sir Wilfrid Laurier received treatment about a year ago.

STRICKEN

The picture shows apart of the South Common and Forty of these are to be buried.

CANADIANS THIRD CHANCE IN THE T

Indomitable Spirit
inion Troops R
"The Listeni

(By W. A. Willison, Student of the Canadian Somewhere in France.)

"For the third time finds the Canadians in the trenches. What they have striven for—and in and died for—is the original Canadian through the second Ypres is still marred the Canadian through all the hell—and the field, and will them to the only real striving for—real Peace that will recurrence of this hell-mare impossible.

"But in letters a foot the motto that greets the first train rolls cartier in August, 1918, or Bust" it is after—but silent now—in the thoughts of carry on.

"And to our own dearest wish was that be with them at the board that Christmas the old, old message, Christmas and a glad from the bottom of A Merry Christmas and true sense of the not the abolition of the toms in the absence ones, but the whole joyant of all that while. Life is short old world too small and long faces—look brighter side of life an training at smiling who are ever read come us back. And midst of all you pause of faces and silently the who have paid a price, remember that those happy, cheery down on the very thrife—would wish fit so. Such is the message. It is the only editor's Christmas Number of "ing Post" that famous of the Battalion of the Div it well, Canada for the only a regiment but a na is in it.

And here is another me the Brigadier of this fame who writes "from every the Brigade to anxious home, to assure them the our constant love and daily thoughts, and our a Merry and Happy Christmas the Home Fires burning, places in your hearts, an homes fresh and fragrant, long years and long leagu us, our love and loyalty space of time no distance. The letter from Brigad C.M.G., D. S.O., continue message to the officers, missioned officers and me Brigade, a message which of France and Flanders their thoughts are of H Loved Ones far away. "That Fathers, Mothers W den and Sweethearts are ing of them and working such devoted Children, fectionate Sweethearts! Canada possesses such as sons will be ready to go to of the world to fight for them, and they will forever."

There is more in the Ge

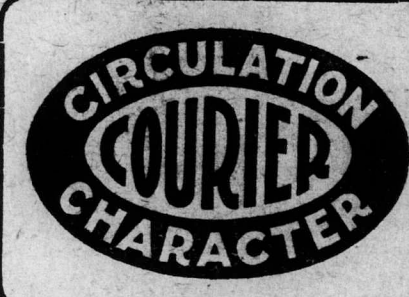
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WANTED—A boy for office work and errands. Apply Pratt and Letchworth Ltd.

WANTED—Carpenters 50c, Laborers 37 1/2c. Dominion Steel Products plant. The Austin Co. W21

WANTED—Toolmakers. Apply Verity Plow Co. M15

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WANTED—For weaver room, man with some experience in weaving department to assist loom fixer. Good opportunity to learn fixing. Steady job and good wages. Immediate or early engagement. Apply stating age, experience, etc., to Slingsby Mfg. Co.

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REST wages to food cook general, no laundry small family. Apply Mrs. Lamoreux, Kerby House, F21

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FOR SALE—Gasoline engine 2 1/2 H. Power, Good, Shapley & Muir, 1 circular saw, 335 St. Paul Ave. Phone 2094. A21

FOR SALE—Quantity second hand pine sheeting for sale. Bell 2475 A29

FOR SALE—Frame House, modern convenience. Apply 6 Joseph street.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, just overhauled, winter and summer top. Don't leave this opportunity open. See this car at once. Apply Box 105. A35

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LOST—Military Service Button, No. 3554. Finder please return to Soldiers' Home. L15

LOST—A bunch of four keys at skating rink on Saturday night. Return to Courier office. F15

STRAYED—One Jersey Steer rising two years old. Reward. Lawrence Stewart, Middleport. L15

LOST—Black fox neck piece on Colborne or South market. Reward return Courier.

STRAYED—Two heifers rising two years old. One black and one black and white. Reward Martin L. Vansickle, Middleport, R. R. 1. L15

LOST—On Brant Ave, Friday afternoon, velvet headed bag containing money. Finder please return to 84 Brant Ave. L123

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ONE KILLED ONE INJURED
By Courier Leased Wire.
Beverton, Ont., Jan. 15.—Grand Trunk Fireman Sullivan of Lindsay was instantly killed and Engineer Eimhurst slightly burned, about three miles east of Lorneville this morning. The engine with a plow and van engaged in clearing the track left the rails at the second overhead bridge between Eldon and Thorah at 2:50 this morning. The same crew had been engaged since Saturday clearing the line from Midland east, plowing through snow ten feet deep and started in on the line east of here yesterday. An inquest into Sullivan's death will be opened Friday.

EL DORADO FOUND
Associated Press
Madrid, Jan. 15.—News has been received here of the discovery in Brazil of the site of the Incan city, known to early Spanish and Portuguese explorers as El Dorado, and hitherto regarded as legendary. The ruins are located in the Macon region, near the Bolivian frontier, in the midst of a dense forest. An archeological expedition, including Brazilian, Spanish and Portuguese scientists, will make a detailed study of the district.

MILAN FEELS H. C. OF D.
Associated Press
Milan, Jan. 15.—Household expenses have increased 105 percent. here since 1912, and clothing 140 percent, according to figures published by the municipal authorities.

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Aged Polish Prince and His Daughter Murdered

Graphic Story of Ghastly Crime Committed by Drunken Russian Soldiers; Castle Looted and Inhabitants Slain

London, Jan. 16.—(Correspondent of The Associated Press).—A graphic story of the murder by drunken Russian soldiers of Prince Sangusko, a Polish noble, and of his two daughters, the Countesses Ryszczewski, is related by the Petrograd correspondent of Lloyd's Weekly.

"Before the war the tragedy enacted at Slavuta would have been a thrill of horror through Europe," says the correspondent. "As it is, the bare fact that the venerable Prince Sangusko, 90 years old, had been murdered, has been announced, but the ghastly details of the crime have only just been revealed.

"The castle of Slavuta, built when the district of South-Western Russia, where it stands, belonged to the King of Poland, lies on the outskirts of a little manufacturing town of the same name. Owing to the unsettled state of the country, which is infested by deserters from the army, the military authorities had sent a guard of dragoons to the castle, which contains priceless historical treasures accumulated by the Sangusko family in the course of the centuries.

"One of these dragoons caught a soldier from a neighboring village cutting down a tree in the forest surrounding the castle and tackled him. The thief was slightly wounded, but not severely enough to prevent his running to the neighboring village, where his regiment was stationed, shrieking that the guard at the castle was trying to murder him. The soldier's comrades at once seized their rifles and surrounded the castle of Prince Sangusko. They began to fire, and the dragoons guard returned their fire. All this time the officers and the members of the regimental committee were appealing to the insurgent soldiers to obey orders and to cease firing.

"Suddenly they gave way, only stipulating that a deputation from the regimental committee should search the castle, as they were convinced that the old Prince had stored machine-guns for use in the cause of the counter-revolution. Of course, there were no machine-guns, and all that was found was a few sporting guns and revolvers.

"Just as suddenly as the crowd of soldiers, standing in the courtyard of the castle, had yielded to the appeal of the officers, came a band of overpowered the guard and rushed into the castle. Neither threats nor appeals had the slightest effect on them. They destroyed, in a fit of maniacal fury, everything that they could lay hands on. Pictures, furniture, statues, draperies were destroyed blindly, ruthlessly. The venerable Polish magnate and his two nieces, the young and beautiful Countesses Ryszczewski, fled to one of the attics, hoping that, if their home was to be ruined, at least their lives might be saved. From early in the morning, when the marauders began their attack, until five o'clock in the afternoon, the sacking of the castle went on. Then the soldiers retired to the courtyard.

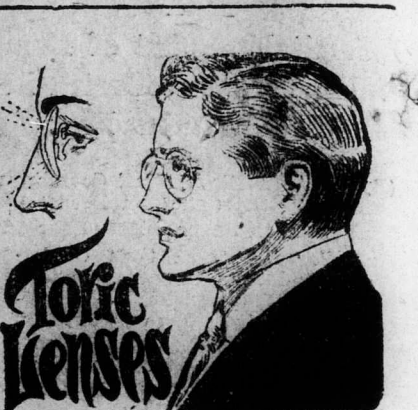
"What about the Prince?" cried one of them.

"And the lovely Countesses?" added another.

"Back into the castle rushed a band of soldiers, and began to search for the owner. At last he was found, and dragged into the courtyard among the derisive yells of the soldiers waiting for their victim. They decided to take him to the village where they were stationed, and dragged the old man along, for he was too old to walk at the pace of his murderers, like savage beasts, tore his body in pieces.

"The fate of his nieces, the two Countesses Ryszczewski, was more terrible than that of the Prince. They had managed to escape by a back way and had got to the marketplace of the town. There they were recognized, and soldiers at once seized them. Those two youthful countesses, whose exquisite loveliness had made them the centre of all eyes in the saloons of the palaces of Warsaw and whose goodness and sweetness had made them beloved by the people of Slavuta, were deported for a time by the Catholic priest of Slavuta, who had known them from childhood and prepared them for first Communion. But the soldiers refused to be deprived of their victims and showed them with the butchers of their rifles on the courageous priest, who fell and was beaten to death. It is perhaps well that the sufferings of the two countesses ended in death.

"The day ended with the soldiers running amok in the town, murdering and maltreating peaceful inhabitants, while the scene was lit up by the flames of the blazing castle of the Sangusko."



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RUMANIANS ARRESTED

By Courier Leased Wire.
London, Jan. 15.—The Roumanian minister at Petrograd and his entire staff have been arrested by the Bolsheviks, the Roumanian legation here announces.

The arrests are believed to have been made in reprisal for the arrest of a number of Bolshevik agitators at Jassy, Roumania.

The Bolshevik Government announced on January 2 that a committee of Bolsheviks visiting Roumania had been arrested and would have been shot except for intervention of Cossacks. Several clashes have occurred on Roumanian territory between Russian and Roumanian troops.

WIND UP COMPANY

By Courier Leased Wire.
Toronto, Jan. 15.—An order was made to-day by Mr. Justice Latchford winding up the Canadian Bartlett Automobile Company, which has its head office in Toronto and a factory at Stratford. E. E. Bartlett, a Stratford shareholder to the extent of \$400,000, was petitioner and N. L. Martin is named as interim liquidator, with reference to J. A. C. Cameron.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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British merchant Submarines and min less than that tonnag more than 1,600 tons, increased from one in during the week end

How It Happened
London, Jan. 17.—The y the incident, which resulted arrest of Roumanian Minis mandi, given by the Petro respondent of The Daily N that Roumanian troops su a Russian regiment and with Austrians who were visit Russians, thus breaking th of the armistice on the front. The Roumanians sto Russian supplies, disarmed ian soldiers and arrested t mental committee.

The whole incident, the pondent says, suggests a agency because nothing w the Germans better than a to break with Russia over of the armistice instead of independent point in the negotiations.

The visit of the allied an diplomats to Premier Leni stitutes a de facto recogniti Bolshevik. The correspond the general tone of the con at the meeting was frien Italian ambassador took th unity to protest against th of his wine cellar. Lenin that the ambassador shou telephoned to him.

WEATHER BULL

Toronto
17 — Th storm be to the At shallow low press covers the lakes, wh western a the baro high and perate Light sno ing in m of Ontario Fresh west winds, cold with snow. Friday—Northwe and colder.

The valleys of ancient Shechem, towards which the British forces in Palestine are approaching.