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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH HOLDS ANNIVERSARY

The anniversary of St. Paul's Presbyterian church was in every way a success. Large congregations attended the services, and the sermons of Rev. K. W. Barton, of Prescott, were of a high order. There was a splendid gathering at the tea on Monday, and the after-meeting, which filled the church, and which was presided over by the Rev. Wm. Usher, was excellent. The addresses of the Rev. A. Collins, Vickery, and McLeod (Lyn), the solos of Miss Jean Bowman, (Brockville), and the Wen Shun missionary exercises by boys and girls under the training of Miss Usher were all greatly appreciated. The net proceeds, it is expected, will be over \$150.

Death of Mrs. Orre Knapp.

Toledo, Oct. 18.—The death took place at the home of Mrs. G. C. Bellamy, here on Sunday last of Adeliza Kilborn, widow of the late Orre Knapp at the age of 74 years.

The deceased who was a daughter of Remington Kilborn, was born at Plum Hollow, and had resided for a number of years in Athens. She was the possessor of a pleasing disposition and had many friends who sincerely regret her passing away.

She leaves to mourn her loss, two sons and daughters namely, Messrs. Morton and Bert Knapp, Mrs. F. Rabb, and Mrs. G. C. Bellamy. Two brothers also survive, George Kilborn in Manitoba, and Henry Kilborn in Florida.

The funeral took place on Monday from the residence of her daughter so the Baptist Church at Plum Hollow, where Rev. Mr. Cross assisted by Rev. Mr. Collins conducted the services.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Henry Crummy; Fred Scovill; Adam Duncanson; Bert Barber; Austin Craig and George Tackaberry.

Among the many floral offerings were, sprays from Messrs. Morton and Bert Knapp, and wreaths from Mrs. G. C. Bellamy and Mrs. Fred Rabb.

New Hotel at Alexandria Bay

The Crossman House at Alexandria Bay is to become the mammoth new Hotel Alexandria. This structure will cost \$300,000 and will be complete and ready for occupancy June 1 next. It will be the most modern hotel ever erected in that section. The new part will be 200x45 feet in dimensions, seven stories high, of fireproof construction, with 164 rooms with bath. On top of this high building will be an appropriately appointed roof garden. There will be two grills on the ground floor.

In addition to the new hotel better dockage will be provided for. Facilities to accommodate launches and motor boats galore will be provided in the plan now made.

Death of Mrs. Wm. Smith

The death occurred on Monday, Oct. 2 at the home of her daughter in Jones' Falls, of Mrs. William Smith, for many years a resident of that place. Deceased, whose maiden name was Margaret Mustard, was born in Elgin 81 years ago. Her husband predeceased her.

Surviving her are one son and three daughters, namely: Mrs. Miner Sweet, Leeds, Ont.; Mrs. Jas. N. Somerville, Leeds, Ont.; Miss Ella Smith, Lyndhurst, Ont.; and John in the West.

The funeral took place on Wednesday from the residence to St. John's church, Leeds, where the Rev. W. H. Smith conducted the services. The pall-bearers were: Grant Mustard; Fred Mustard, Charles Sherwood, Potridge Mustard, and Frank Mustard. Interment was made in the cemetery at Elgin.

Among relatives from a distance were: Mrs. Robert Scott, Three Mile Bay, N. Y.; Mrs. Lyon Latimer, Mrs. Thomas Sherwood and son, Inverary.

Athens Responds to Plea of British Red Cross

Thursday and Friday were British Red Cross Days, a number of young ladies collecting donations under the popular "tagging system." The high and public schools raised their separate funds and the municipality council will augment the total by a grant the amount of which has not yet been announced. It is thought that Athens contributions will be in the vicinity of \$400. The amount raised last year was \$814 37.

District Teachers Meet in Convention (Brockville Recorder)

The East Leeds and Grenville Teacher's Institute met Friday morning in Victoria School with seventy-five delegates in attendance.

An exhibit of the work of pupils of Brockville schools was shown in one of the rooms and proved very interesting to the visitors. At the noon adjournment a dainty lunch, prepared by the domestic science class, was served.

The first session opened at 10 o'clock with the routine business, followed by an address of welcome to the delegates by Miss H. Graham, president of the Institute. Miss Graham referred kindly to the appointment of the new school inspector, Mr. W. C. Dowseley, and spoke of the cordial feeling entertained for the retiring inspector, Dr. Robert Kinney.

Officers were then elected as follows: Hon. Pres.—Dr. Robert Kinney. President—Mr. Nichols, Athens. First Vice-Pres.—Mr. G. E. Cox. Sec.—T. Cas.—Mr. W. A. Kemmer. Executive Committee—Miss C. Glazier, Newbliss; Miss Mathieson, Miss Kinney, Miss Rowe, Miss J. Simpson, Brockville; Mr. James Cobey, Yonge; Miss Mamie Briggingshaw, Frankville. Resolution Committee—Miss H. Graham, Miss I. M. Ross, Brockville; Miss Price, Mallorytown; Miss Vina Cauley, Kitley.

Auditors—Miss Sherwood, Miss Robertson.

Delegates to Ontario Educational Association—Miss H. Graham; alternate, Mrs. Fisher, Athens.

Mr. Jas. Cobey, of S. S. No. 10, Front of Yonge, read a very interesting paper on "Nature Study, What it is, What it isn't."

Miss Vina Cauley, of S. S. No. 22, Kitley, gave an interesting paper on "Teacher's Tacit, and the School Board," followed by general discussion. Miss H. Graham gave an interesting report of the session of the Ontario Educational Association at Toronto, to which she was a delegate.

At the afternoon session W. E. McPherson, B. A., LL. B., Faculty of Education, Queen's University, gave an excellent address on "Visual Aids in teaching History," illustrated with lantern slides.

Following this a social hour was spent in the Household Science room where Dr. R. Kinney, retiring inspector was presented with a silver tea service, accompanied by an address.

Dr. Kinney was very much surprised but greatly pleased at the evidence of regard displayed in the presentation and replied with much feeling giving interesting reminiscences of his forty-five years as public school inspector and the changes which have taken in that time.

Dainty refreshments were then served by Miss A. Kendall, assisted by a number of girls of the Domestic Science Class.

World's Record Wheat Crop

In view of various claims of world's record wheat crops for large areas, the Crowfoot Farming Company of Crowfoot, Alberta, submit a sworn statement of their results for the year 1915 which probably surpass all properly authenticated claims from other sources. From 1356 acres the Crowfoot Farming Company received an average yield of 51 bushels, 56½ lbs. per acre of number one spring wheat, by actual selling weight; 400 acres wheat average 59½ bushels per acre. These records were established in the Canadian Pacific Railway Irrigation Block in Southern Alberta.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

Miss Wilma Steacy left yesterday for New York to visit her sister who is ill.

Services will be held in the Baptist Church on Sunday morning at 10.30. Rev. Collins will preach.

Miss Eleanor Bawden, an Athens High School graduate, is a guest of Miss Mary Brown.

A new gasoline power pump is to replace the hot air engine in the post-office.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wiltse have news of the safe arrival in England of their son, Captain Harold Wiltse.

Miss Bella Wiltse has been appointed delegate to the Methodist Sunday School Convention at Smith's Falls.

Mr. C. Gifford and family have changed their place of residence and moved into the house on Wiltse street recently vacated by Mrs. Dwyre.

Mr. Mahlon Yates returned last week from Capreol, Ont., where he was in the employ of the C. N. R. system. His father, Mr. Wm. Yates left a few days ago for Vancouver.

Miss Anna Smith, of Boston, who has been spending a few weeks here with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Gordon, left Wednesday for home, and she will visit her brother and wife near Schenectady en route.

—Mrs. Lillie is at Mrs. A. R. Brown's with a display of hand-painted china suitable for Christmas gifts, in naturalistic, conventional, matt, lustre and plain gold with monogram. Special attention given to instructions and order work. Call and see china being fired any Tuesday or Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. T. H. Serviss and daughter, Margaret, returned to New York yesterday, after spending a few weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wiltse.

—See the line of millinery at the Bazaar. There is sure to be something to please you in the hats, trimmings and shapes that are being offered at department store prices.

Mrs. (Dr.) Ed. Giles and children, of Montreal, arrived in Athens to-day on their way to Cedar Park, Charleston Lake, where they will reside until the infantile paralysis epidemic has passed.

Mrs. J. E. Robeson, Elgin street, who went recently to Toronto to bid good-by to her son who was about to leave for the front, has learned that he has been transferred to another battalion and consequently did not go overseas.

Mrs. McClethanan, of Bouckville, N. Y., who was called here by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Gibson, returned home last week, accompanied by Mrs. Gibson, who will spend the winter with her.

Mrs. S. Hollingsworth left on Wednesday last by C. P. R. with two car loads (forty head) of grade Holstein cows for New Westminster, B. C. They are consigned to the Food Product Co., Limited of that city, the president of which is Mr. R. L. Cliff a frequent visitor to Athens during the past few years.

—Hides and live poultry wanted— at C. H. Wiltson, Athens.

Rev. G. V. Collins attended the Baptist convention held in Hamilton last week.

Eighteen cars of silk from China for New York were ferried across the river at Prescott on Thursday.

Mr. Guy Halladay enlisted in 156th Battalion and accompanied them overseas.

Mrs. R. C. Cornell, Church Street, has been ill for several days, but is now much improved.

Miss Jean Bowman, of Brockville, was a guest of Miss Usher, at the manse, during her stay in the village.

Mrs. J. Blanchard of Greenbush was a visitor in the village last week, a guest of Mrs. Sarah Wiltse.

Mr. Amos Hillis Syracuse N. Y., has been spending a few days in Athens visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hillis.

Mrs. Wilson Wiltse is not improving in health as rapidly as her friends could wish.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Arnold have taken possession of their newly acquired home on Elma street.

Mrs. W. B. Connerty has returned home from a month's visit in Montreal with relatives.

Mrs. Earnest Cumming, of Lyn, spent Thursday last at the home of Mrs. H. E. Cornell.

Mr. Herbert H. Foster left on Monday for Brockville where he has secured a position in the office of the Canadian Briscoe Co.

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Lunch Sandwiches.

Tomato and cheese sandwiches are good. Slice a small tomato very thin and take out seeds.

Also remove the soft part, leaving only the firm portion.

Put one slice on the bread, one thin shaving of cheese over it, and then put on bread.

Sardine sandwiches are excellent when carefully prepared, and when lemon is used.

Scrape off all the skin from the sardines, take out the bones and drain them on brown paper.

Mash the sardines with a fork, sprinkle with lemon juice, and spread on toasted bread smoothly.

Cut the bread very thin for all lunch sandwiches, and spread lightly with butter, trim crusts (not taking off all the crust) but making the two pieces even. Wrap in wax paper.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget In Cows.

Double Eyed Fish.

There is a fish equipped with bifocal eyes, one-half of the lens for seeing above the surface of the water and the other for submarine use. This characteristic also gives the fish its popular name—double eyes.

The fish inhabits the shores of South America. Sometimes they swim with the eyes half out of water. Examination shows that each lens is divided into two parts by a dark band. The half above the band is out of water and the other half below the surface.

Naturalists tell us that the fish's eyes became "double" from its practice in swimming with them half submerged. Nature made the part of the eye above water adapted for seeing in the air, while the other part remained adapted for vision under water.

The double-eyes grow to about a foot in length, and in Brazil are caught for food.

THE FALL WEATHER HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Canadian fall weather is extremely hard on little ones. One day is warm and bright and the next wet and cold. These sudden changes bring on colds, cramps and colic, and unless baby's little stomach is kept right the result may be serious. There is nothing to equal Baby's Own Tablets in keeping the little ones well. The sweetest the stomach, regulate the bowels, break up colds and make baby thrive. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A RECORD STURGEON.

One Fish Provided a Meal for 1,000 People.

Very seldom indeed is the sturgeon the fanny monster which Edward II. made a Royal fish, and which, when caught in the Thames, becomes the property of the Crown, captured in English waters nowadays. For this reason not a little interest was aroused a few days ago when it was announced that a sturgeon 9 feet 9 in. in length, weighing 450 pounds, had been caught in the River Delh at Weiny Washes, near Littleport, Norfolk. This fish, which according to the estimate of a salesman at Spitalfields, who ultimately sold it for \$30, would provide a meal for nearly 1,000 people, had been noticed in the river, and attempts had been made to shoot it. But the cartridges used were loaded with shot too small to have any effect on the sturgeon's hard skin. A large net, therefore, was drawn across the river, after which a boat rowed alongside the fish, when one of the men succeeded in forcing a large and powerful hook attached to a strong pole into his throat. This enabled him to keep his head out of water just long enough for the fish to be killed with a gun. Some idea of its size and weight may be gathered from the fact that five men were required to land it. This, however, is by no means the largest sturgeon which has been caught in English waters. The record was a fish weighing 400 pounds, while in the North Sea fish weighing as

much as 562 pounds and 735 pounds have been captured by trawlers. It is pointed out that one of the most remarkable facts about the fish netted in the North Sea is that they are similar to the American species, whence it would seem that the specimens caught from time to time in our waters must have made the voyage across the Atlantic, since the fish appears to have died out as a regular inhabitant of British waters. Sturgeons pass the greater part of the year in the sea, but periodically ascend large rivers, and it was due to this characteristic that the specimen was caught recently in the River Delh. Not only do they attain great size and weight, but, according to the estimates of some experts, they sometimes live as long as two hundred years. Apropos of the fact that Edward II. made the sturgeon a Royal fish, it is interesting to note that its flesh, quite apart from the fact that caviare is made from the roe, is always held in great estimation, and in oiden days was always reserved for the table of the king.

EVIDENCE CLOSED.

(New York Sun)

Lawyer's Wife—So your client was acquitted of murder. On what grounds? Lawyer—Insanity. We proved that his father once spent two years in an asylum. Lawyer's Wife—But he didn't, did he? Lawyer—Yes. He was doctor there, but we had no time to bring that fact out.

I was cured of painful GOITRE by MINARD'S LINIMENT. BAYARAD M'MULIN. Chatham, Ont.

I was cured of Inflammation by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. W. A. JOHNSON. Walsh, Ont.

I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT. J. H. BAILEY. Parkdale, Ont.

STAY-AT-HOMES' RIGHT TO SING

Of Their Guard of Canada, Doubled by Preacher.

Coming and Going Soldiers and Their Outlook.

Two crowds of men in khaki met and mingled at Quebec this last week-end. The one bunch going to the front, the other coming back from the front, many wounded, all disabled.

You could see the difference in their faces and in their walk. You could not say that one bunch was in better spirits than the other; and yet, even in that matter there was a difference.

It came out in the course of an after-church conversation. There was a church parade for the men about to leave, and some of the newly-returned men were there too. The preacher, in the course of his sermon, said:

"I sometimes ask myself the question, when we sing, 'O Canada, we stand on guard for thee,' what right we have to sing it,—we who stay comfortably at home."

Some of his civilian hearers must have found it hard to give a satisfactory answer to the question. Even among his soldier hearers there was at any rate one who was not altogether satisfied with himself.

He was talking it over afterwards with a young fellow of the departing regiment.

"I hadn't been two days in the trenches," he said, "didn't have a chance to do anything, before I got hit, and now this," he continued, looking down at his right arm, "is good for nothing. It'll be months before I can use it, they say, and maybe never. Talk of me 'standing on guard' for Canada or anything else!"

The other was evidently at a loss, at first. But then an idea struck him.

"I guess that's what was the matter with my brother," he said, "it's on account of him getting knocked out that I'm going. There's only two of us boys, and we did most of the farm

ST. VITUS DANCE CAN BE EASILY CURED

A Tonic for the Blood and Nerves With Rest All That is Needed.

Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still or for dropping things, when the trouble was really St. Vitus dance. This trouble may appear at any age but is most often met between the ages of six and fourteen. The most frequent cause of the disease is poor blood, aggravated by indoor confinement, or mental strain at school. Under these conditions the blood fails to carry nourishment to the nerves and the child begins to show listlessness and inattention. Then it becomes restless and twitching of the muscles and jerking of the limbs and body follow. A remedy that cures St. Vitus dance and cures it so thoroughly that no trace of the disease remains is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which renew the blood thus feeding and strengthening the starved nerves. This is the only way to cure the trouble, and parents should lose no time in giving this treatment if their child seems nervous or irritable. Mrs. Wm. A. Squires, Cannington, Ont., says: "My only daughter, now fourteen years of age was troubled for several years with St. Vitus dance. She was so bad that at times she would lose control of her limbs and her face and eyes would be convulsed. We had medical advice and medicine, but it did not help her. In fact we thought the trouble growing worse, and finally we had to take her from school. About a year ago we began giving her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and by the time she had taken five boxes she was completely cured, and is now a fine healthy girl. I firmly believe we owe this to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and am very grateful for her restoration to perfect health."

You can get these pills from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Man is Far Behind Nature in Illumination Power Yet.

If M. Dussaud has succeeded in producing cold light he has raised mankind in this particular to the level of the glow worm and the lightning bug. These attractive creatures produce their illumination without heat; man has never been able to equal them in this respect, though engineers of the highest attainments have studied the problem, the solution of which would result in a conservation of energy in a degree difficult to estimate. Mr. Hutchinson, of Mr. Edison's establishment, has told the Sun's readers that if all its energy could be transformed into light "one small dynamo would light a whole city"; and the application of light in new ways

in industry, mechanics and art is obvious.

Dame Nature does these things better. A lady of the Phengodini flashes a red light at each end of her body, and a green light along her sides. Her Paraguayan admirers call her the railroad beetle. The cucuyo one of the Elateridae, reaches a length of two inches, and is the beetle used as a hair ornament in the countries fortunate enough to harbor it. The light of these interesting fellow citizens is produced practically without heat, as is the luminosity of the familiar lantern carriers who may be seen on the lawn at night. But the method by which they generate their illuminant is a mystery.

M. Dussaud wears a good reputation, earned by his achievements in engineering. We hope the announcement made in his behalf is justified by his discoveries. It is humiliating to confess that an untutored lightning bug, without scientific or technical training, surpasses man in the field of applied physics.—New York Sun.

Every Woman's Ambition For Rosy Cheeks New Easily Satisfied

Hollow cheeks, with dark lines under the eyes, how a woman hates them!

But rosy cheeks, clear skin, and bright eyes, give them to a woman, and she is happy.

The woman who attracts, whose fresh, dainty complexion compels admiration, is always careful of her health, particularly of her blood condition. Bad complexion always means bad blood.

Girls, don't let your blood grow thin or watery. To do so brings on haggard looks and declining strength.

Many a woman who has allowed herself to run down, to develop that tired, worried look has built up again in this simple way. Why don't you try it?

At the close of every meal, just take two small chocolate-coated Ferrozone Tablets—any person can do this in a minute. The action of Ferrozone is apparent at once. It sets you up, makes you feel good, starts up your appetite, aids digestion, brings that old-time feeling of youth into the system again.

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WONDER BOATS OF THE NAVY

"Jackies" at St. John, N.B., Tell of New Marvels.

45-Mile-an-Hour Cruisers—Huns Will Fight.

(St. John, N. B., Telegraph)

"You won't know our navy, you won't when this war is over," said a sturdy son of the sea, who was on board the battleship Warrior when she was sunk in the Jutland fight, when talking to a representative of The Telegraph last night.

He was a member of a gun laying draft of forty-three men that arrived in the city yesterday from the Chignecto from the West Indies where the boys have been engaged in gunnery practice. Not a few of them had been in that famous battle, but they did not seem to be wan or paralytic, in spite of that terrible experience; they were men after Nelson's own heart, who saw their duty ahead and did it.

"Yes," he continued, "no one knows the wonderful new ships that have been added to the navy since the war began. There's two I know about, light battle cruisers in Beatty's squadron, the Glorious and Resolution. They develop a speed of forty-five knots an hour, those fighting boats do. Now what do you think of that?"

"FAST AS EXPRESS TRAIN."

The poor landlubber could only blink hard and express his wonderment. "Yes, sir, fast as an express train, and that's tearing up the water all right."

The tar in question shifted his quid to the other cheek and said with a twinkle in his eye, "That's a bit faster than the express trains in this country. I don't know much about them, but what with the experience I've had

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WONDER BOATS OF THE NAVY

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45-Mile-an-Hour Cruisers—Huns Will Fight.

(St. John, N. B., Telegraph)

"You won't know our navy, you won't when this war is over," said a sturdy son of the sea, who was on board the battleship Warrior when she was sunk in the Jutland fight, when talking to a representative of The Telegraph last night.

He was a member of a gun laying draft of forty-three men that arrived in the city yesterday from the Chignecto from the West Indies where the boys have been engaged in gunnery practice. Not a few of them had been in that famous battle, but they did not seem to be wan or paralytic, in spite of that terrible experience; they were men after Nelson's own heart, who saw their duty ahead and did it.

"Yes," he continued, "no one knows the wonderful new ships that have been added to the navy since the war began. There's two I know about, light battle cruisers in Beatty's squadron, the Glorious and Resolution. They develop a speed of forty-five knots an hour, those fighting boats do. Now what do you think of that?"

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A MOST WORTHY OBJECT

Dear Sir,—With the continued duration of the European war, the increased suffering and destitution of thousands of widows and orphans have impelled the various societies and churches of the Allied countries in Detroit, to combine for the purpose of giving a grand charity bazaar for their relief, which will be held at the New Tabernacle, Grindley Field, Detroit, Mich., November 15th to 25th.

A space has been assigned to the Canadians for a booth, and all donations in cash, as well as the proceeds of our merchandise donated to the Canadian section, will be forwarded to the Relief Committee, founded and conducted by the Canadian Government. The fund will also be increased by the proportion of the general fund to which the Canadian section is entitled.

May I ask you in the interests of charity, to give this public notice, and request the readers of your valuable journal to forward to the secretary at 111 East Congress street, Detroit, Mich., the names and addresses of their relatives and friends now residing in this State, in order that we may communicate with them in this humane undertaking.

Thanking you in anticipation, I am, yours very respectfully, H. Buchnell, Secretary.

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EXCLUSIVE. (New York Times)

A new story is being told about a certain London club famed internationally for both its exclusiveness and its dullness.

In one of the rooms a rule of silence is stringently enforced. One day occupants of the room were startled to see a member press a bell button with evident annoyance, and when the waiter appeared to hear his exclamation, pointing to a neighbor in a chair: "Water, remove that member."

The man in the chair had been dead three days.

Wigwag—I feel fine. I was up with the lark this morning. Guzzler—I wonder if it was the same lark I kept up all night?

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CANADIANS DO FULL SHARE IN BATTLES ON THE SOMME

Eye-Witness Tells of Conditions and Incidents in the Great Struggle

A Nova Scotian Hero--Another, Disgraced, Wins Back His Rank.

Ottawa despatch: The following communique from the Canadian War Records Office has been received:

Canadian Corps Headquarters in France, via London, Oct. 19.--It is impossible for those who are not actively participating in this great battle and who must still entertain a conception of warfare based on former wars to understand the extraordinary revolution which has gradually taken place in our methods of attack. And the Somme offensive is being conducted upon new principles drawn from the study and experience of the last two years. It is at the same time the most colossal and the most meticulous form of warfare which has ever been evolved. Its novelty, its character of change and invention, its bold departure from military precedents, is well exemplified by the famous tanks. Its gigantic scale is illustrated by the casualties returns, which represent, however, but a small fraction of the troops employed. Its infinite detail may be seen from a study of the trench maps, where the lacing and interlacing of innumerable lines form a most intricate pattern and show the slow labor and nature of the advance. Objectives of attack must be defined with the exactitude of a city plot. They must be approached by the construction of parallel jumping-off trenches and communication trenches, so as to reduce as much as possible the period of infantry exposure and also control the direction of the assault. Aeroplane photographs must be obtained of the area objective to show the precise location of the enemy's lines and the results of the artillery preparation there. Photographs are clear and searching, and some taken during the assault even show the advancing figures of the infantry. Every detail, every secret of the German defence is laid bare. Soon after the aeroplane observer, sweeping low over the enemy's lines has taken the photographs, the prints have been distributed to all the staff concerned.

ALLIES DOMINATE AIR.

In this respect the British and French domination is almost absolute. Here all day long we watch our planes circling above our heads. Closely they come and go with the speed and alertness of eagles; far off they seem to hang suspended in the sky. Occasionally a flight of five or more planes intent upon some special mission go over high up and disappears into the distant mist. So rarely do the German machines appear that some men have been here daily for a month and have not seen a single one.

The Canadian corps is only a unit in the great drama. Its movements depend not upon its own volition, but upon the intricate web of the greater scheme of battle. Let any essential portion be checked in its allotted task and a rearrangement of the whole fabric must be made. Yet the ultimate aim is never lost sight of. The mesh may be removed again and again, but the same grim intention remains. There is an inexorable purpose apparent in all this complication of movement. To the casual eye there may perhaps seem confusion in the forward areas where so many units come along the road, where bare rolling plains and valleys are alive with the ceaseless restlessness of a multitude and where from innumerable unexpected emplacements there is a constant flash and din of artillery fire. Yet in reality everything is the most ordered perfection to the smallest degree; every movement is ordained and co-ordinated. Behind it all lies the directing control of the military organization and behind that again the will of a great people.

In this mighty organism the Canadian army is playing its part. It has taken and given its share of blows. This battle has nowhere a counterpart for the slow, small grinding of the military machine.

A REGION OF CONTRASTS.

Never has human agency controlled such engines of destruction nor has ever so profoundly impressed itself upon the face of nature. No plague could be more ruthless, no natural blight more devastating. This is a region of contrast even for the heavy-footed infantry, who must march from one place to another. One day they may bivouac in a snug French village with its shady trees and its gardens bright with flowers; the next they will plod along the straight white roads marked by the regular rows of poplars on either side. Straining as far as the eye can follow, are the undulating plains, all as carefully cultivated as the best kept kitchen garden at home.

Fields are only distinguished by the differences of the crop or the direction of the furrows. There are no fences, there are no waste places, no ragged grass, no idle clumps of trees, no half-cleared land. Every inch of earth does its patient, happy labor; every tree grows for a purpose. Cattle do not wander aimlessly; they are penned in a field of fodder and each may only eat its allotted circle. This ordered thriftiness is mechanical or smoothly self-sustaining, unless the farmer's life is known--his long, untiring day, the faithful service of his brave women, the healthful labor of his children.

Very deep and very sincere is the admiration of the Canadian soldier,

not only for the skill and courage of the French army, but for the brave, silent industry of the women, the old men and the children of the French farms.

The transition from this scene of beauty, peace and ancient prosperity is infinitely distressing. Fields are given over to the tramping rows of tangled horses and are disfigured by variety of encampments, from ordered white tents to huts of rusted biscuit tins and low discolored bivvies. There is a certain inevitable litter of material, salvage heaps and smoldering incinerators; there is an obsession of a loitering military. The houses are all occupied by uniforms more or less clean, a few civilians are engaged in selling eggs, candles or embroidered picture cards and other odds and ends. The roads block and jam with a ceaseless procession of army vehicles or marching units. Either the dust rises in a choking cloud or the mud spreads and splatters everything.

WHEN SCENE CHANGES.

This area of active occupation gradually thins and abuts a region of more sinister appearance. Here trees have broken bodies, and the houses seem in pain, for their roofs are rent, their windows gone, their walls scarred and pierced, grass-grown trenches appear ringed with depths of rusted barbed wire, fresh or old, become more and more frequent. But the full view of the land of war is not dulled in effect by its gradual coming over beyond the bleak, grassy slopes east of Albert, with their chalk scars cut by the long lines of trenches.

The view suddenly sweeps into the valley. Before La Boisselle there were the original German and British lines on July 1st. This was the outer wall, the stoutly-resisting shell of the defence through which the indomitable English had fought their way, and so permitted those who followed, other English, Australian, South Africans, and Canadians, to come and deal their blows.

Of La Boisselle there is more upon a map than on the ground. A few shattered trunks, here and there a splintered beam, perhaps a cornerstone or two, some cellars roofed with wreckage. Otherwise only the upheaval of tortured earth, mine craters, heaps of rotting white sandbags, half-choked trenches and a dreary litter of old wire, cans and human rubbish remain.

On the left is the twin city of desolation, Orville, La Boisselle, and between the two the white road runs beyond and mounts to the level of Pozieres. All the way to a vista of utter ruin and desolation. This is a desert land, but the silence of the desert is not there. Night and day the silence is shattered by the never-ceasing fire of our own guns or by the crashing explosion of the enemy's shells.

Pozieres shares the fate of La Boisselle. No hand could trace the outlines of a single house or garden plot. There are no bricks or beams which could be used in restoration. As a village Pozieres has disappeared. Just beyond Pozieres and still below the summit runs the line of trenches first occupied by the Canadians. These are in the midst of the ground which has most suffered.

Here is the acme of destruction. No grain of surface remains undisturbed. There is no room for a fresh shell hole. Nowhere now is the power of modern artillery or the thoroughness of preparation better exemplified. We have literally blasted our way forward. Ruins appear not only in the devastated earth and the crushed houses, but also in the sadder waste of human life. This is all ground sacred to the memory of our dead; also in the scarcely defined trenches of the enemy the German corpses lie thickly.

Already the scenes of our earlier attacks are losing the clearness of their detail. The memory of this ground is short; the immediate interest of the front line is all-absorbing. During the past week our advance has not been the result of infantry assault, but of hard labor, under artillery fire, and sometimes at night subject to the sweep of machine-gun fire or the bullets of the enemy snipers. Only upon one occasion did the enemy attempt by counter attack to check the advance.

At 2.30 p.m. on the afternoon of Oct. 11th she opened a heavy fire on our front-line trenches. Shortly afterwards about 100 Germans attempted to leave their trenches, but our signals were promptly replied to by our artillery, and so effective a barrage placed upon their lines that they were driven back with considerable loss. As they retreated northwards along the Pys and east Miramont roads our field artillery discovered them with shrapnel and scattered the survivors. Otherwise the normal artillery duel continued without cessation.

Our supply of ammunition is abundant, and we fired a proportion of over five shells to the enemy's one. Aeroplane photographs showed the destruction and accuracy of our fire. Enemy batteries were engaged and several emplacements destroyed. No more beautiful act of heroic self-sacrifice can be mentioned than that of Pte. Camille Shouie, of a Nova Scotia Battalion. During the great advance on Courcellets of Sept. 15th he was a stretcher-bearer, and while binding the wounded after the capture

of the positions was himself severely wounded in the shoulder. His wounds were dressed, but he refused to be evacuated, and immediately continued his work of ministrations for the remainder of the day and during the night. In the morning he was again wounded, this time through the leg, but he still refused to leave. Finally, about noon, while he was actually dressing the wounds of another man, this gallant, gentle soldier was shot through the heart and killed. His general has said of him, "greater devotion to duty I have never seen."

The whole Canadian army has learned with sympathy and delight of the reinstatement of Lieut. O. B. Jones to his commissioned rank. Deprived by court-martial of his commission because of an act of intemperance while on duty, Lieut. Jones immediately enlisted as a private in a well-known Montreal Battalion. He showed not only strict devotion to duty, but conspicuous gallantry on several occasions. He became a corporal, then won his sergeant's stripes. He was awarded a D. C. M. for his reckless courage, and again a bar for his medal. On Sept. 15th, he was in the thick of the fighting. It was said of him he was perpetually out killing Germans. His conduct was such as to recommend him for further reward. Later he was so severely wounded that it is improbable he will be able again to serve his country as a soldier, but he is now reinstated as an officer, and he had won back his honor.

The total number of prisoners captured by the Canadian troops since Sept. 3rd is now 43 officers and 2,052 other ranks.

ROUMANIANS STILL GAIN

Latest Report Shows Teuton Menace Waning.

Ally Force Wins at Dangerous Point.

London cable says: The news from the Roumanian front is again excellent. In the one region on the long front where the gravest danger menaced the Roumanians, the Predeal Pass sector, the Teutons have been driven across the Transylvania frontier. Ground has also been gained in the Bran defile. In the Trotus valley the Roumanians forced the Austro-Germans to retire, and took 600 prisoners and 12 cannon. Another detachment attacking from Golcassa, in the Trotus area, surprised the Teuton troops and took 300 prisoners and some machine guns.

To-day's Bucharest official report reads:

"On the north and northwestern fronts there have been artillery actions at Tulghez and Bicoz. One of our detachments, passing by way of Lampric mountain to Agas, in the Trotus valley, attacked the enemy with the bayonet and destroyed 12 of his cannon and limbers. It forced the enemy to retire and captured 600 prisoners. Another detachment, attacking from Golcassa, in the Trotus area, surprised the enemy, making 200 prisoners and capturing some machine guns.

"In the Uzal valley we repelled enemy attacks. In the Otius valley fighting continues with extreme violence. Minor engagements took place in the region of Vrancea. On the frontier at Table Butzi there were tight engagements. In the Bezen valley artillery fighting is under way.

"The situation is unchanged at Bratocsa and Predeal. At Predeal we drove back beyond the frontier small enemy units, which were advancing toward Chabucepul and Taurulii. We gained ground in the Bran defile. The indications from Drago-Slavele is that small enemy columns which had advanced towards the Scar Pass have been stopped. On the remainder of the front the situation is unchanged.

"On the southern and southwestern front (Dobruja and the Danube line) the situation is unchanged. The Berlin War Office reports: "At the entrance to the passes over the Roumanian frontier successful engagements are in progress. There were no events of special importance as regards the army of Field Marshal von Mackensen (in Dobruja)."

THE STORM'S TOLL.

Gulf Hurricane Killed Two, Did Great Damage.

Mobile, Ala., despatch: Southern Alabama and western Florida were recovering to-day from the hurricane which swept out of the Gulf across this coast yesterday, causing two deaths and property and marine loss. Although the wind attained a greater velocity than that which accompanied the storm of last July, both Mobile and Pensacola, the chief cities in the hurricane's path, suffered far less damage. The total loss in the two cities probably will not exceed \$100,000.

The chief damage here was to railroad sheds and terminals, and to telephones, telegraph, and light and power wires. Train service from Pensacola to Jacksonville will be suspended for a week.

Marine damage was heavy, both in this harbor and at the Florida port. Two small vessels here sank, while four others were driven ashore. In addition a number of small craft were destroyed. At Pensacola one steamer went down, another is missing, with the fate of the crew undetermined.

Sillius--Yes, he thinks I am a regular devil. Cynicus--Oh, few young men are really as bad as the girls try to make them think they are.

LIMBLESS, BUT THEY'RE HAPPY

Picture of Soldiers in a Canadian Hospital.

Dr. Roberts Receives an Interesting Letter.

An inside picture of the King's Canadian Red Cross Convalescent Hospital, at Bushy Park, Hampton Hall, Middlesex, England, is contained in a letter just received by Hamilton's Health Officer, Dr. James Robinson, who visited the Orient as captain of the medical staff, suffering typhoid at Remnos and being forced to return home. The communication is from H. R. Casgrain, of Windsor, brother of the Hon. T. C. Casgrain, K. C., Canada's Postmaster-General. He writes:

My Dear Bob--By a singular coincidence your letter from Quebec and Bert's from France reached me by the same mail. The reception of these brought back to my mind numerous pleasant recollections of the many times we met in the flesh since we mobilized in London, 17th February, 1915, and parted company on the now famous, but ill-fated, Lemnos.

I have just received a letter from Dr. McCullough, in which he states that he has seen you on several occasions since you returned, and that your health was improving satisfactorily, all of which I am very glad to hear. I am almost well and am most comfortably situated here with a fine command. My hospital is filled to the brim. I have already received one convalescing case from you, sent to the Somme as late as three weeks ago. All amputation cases are first sent to Ramsgate. When their stumps are ready for artificial limbs, they are sent to me, and from here they go to Rochester to be fitted, and afterwards remain with them until they are able to use them properly, when they are sent to Canada for discharge. Patients suffering from disease, as soon as they are well enough are sent to Epsom, where they are whipped into shape for further service. Rheumatic cases are sent to Buxton, where your friend Guest is O. C. All convalescent and active treatment hospitals are full at present. No 3 Stationary is still in France, at Boulogne, and under canvas. It is still undecided where they will winter, whether somewhere in France or in England.

I have at present 228 patients under my care. Many of them are suffering from all kinds of wounds. Of course shrapnel wounds predominate. I also have many cases of shell-shock. There are sixty amputation cases, men with legs off above and below the knee, and three cases where both legs are gone. They have to be wheeled around like babies. I have also cases of armless men, who have to be fed like babies. They are all the happiest bunch one could meet, notwithstanding their infirmities. Their only complaint is that they cannot get back to the firing line. They are possessed of an unconquerable spirit, which no human horror or suffering can break. Were it not for their cheerfulness and optimism I would be morose and melancholy at the sight of so much affliction, but it is the fortune of war. What does it matter who dies, or how many are crippled, if only England lives? Who cares what happens if we can effect the ruin and destruction of that plague spot beyond the Rhine, which has risen from God's green earth, the German Empire?

Your friend Kelly is still at Taplow, and Gordon with No. 3 Stationary. Connolly is in the Casualty Clearing Station in France. Brown, Macaulay and Nettleton are still with the old unit. Captain (Chaplain) Frost is in Canada, where he went to get married.

Affairs are progressing at the front with all the Allies, in France especially. Since the big push began in the latter, we have regained 126 square miles of territory, redeemed fifty villages, and captured 70,000 prisoners, besides heaps of guns and millions of rounds of ammunition. The Russians are progressing slowly with their usual tenacity and dogged perseverance, while the Serbians and Roumanians are more than holding their own and beating back the Bulgars and Austrians.

I am sorry that I cannot write you a more interesting and entertaining letter. The routine is becoming monotonous. Were it not that I am helping the cause, I would become homesick and return to Canada, but, by the grace of God, I will remain here until the last dog is skinned, and until the Germans are beaten to a frazzle.

Give my kindest regards to all enquiring friends, receiving a large share for yourself. I am

H. R. Casgrain.

STILL STRUGGLE IN VOLHYNIA

No Decisive Result of the Fighting There.

Hun Effort to Separate Allies Fails.

London cable: As yet no decisive result has been achieved by either the Austro-Germans or the Russians in the violent fighting that has been going on for several days in Volhynia and Galicia. The Petrograd War Office says that near Kiselin and Svinuski, in Volhynia, violent attacks by

the Teutonic allies were repulsed, while Berlin records the capture of Russian trenches on the west bank of the Stokhod and the repulse with heavy casualties of Russian attacks near Bubnov.

Germany's effort to drive a wedge between Russians and Roumanians by advancing in the Dorna Watra region is not succeeding. It is officially announced to-day that continued attacks against the Russians in that sector were repulsed. A violent snowstorm rages in the Carpathians.

RUSSIAN REPORT.

Petrograd, Oct. 19.--Thursday's War Office report reads: "North of the village of Kiselin, the Germans liberated gas and attacked our trenches under cover of a fierce artillery fire. The attack was repelled. In the region east of the little town of Svinuski fierce fighting continues. Here also all attacks of the enemy were repulsed.

"North of the Kuropatniks yesterday we took prisoner one officer and 35 men and captured one bomb mortar. In the region of the village of Potutork, south of Brzeazy, an enemy aeroplane fell after being hit by our fire as it struck the ground. The aviators were taken prisoner.

368,863 MEN

Total Canadian Enlistment --6,000 Per Month Now.

Ottawa despatch: Recruiting in Canada is proceeding at the rate of about 6,000 a month, compared with 30,000 a year ago. In the fortnight, ended October 15, 3,160 men were enlisted, compared with 3,046 in the previous two weeks. The aggregate enlistment from the start is 368,863.

From the 1st to the 15th of October, Montreal again led in its enlistment. It reported 672 recruits.

By divisions the enlistments are as follows: Mil. Div. Two Wks. G'd T'l. London ... 314 30,456 Toronto ... 447 32,827 Kingston-Ottawa ... 356 38,891 Montreal ... 672 31,951 Quebec ... 138 7,344 Maritime Prov. ... 336 33,410 Manitoba ... 425 74,320 British Columbia ... 296 36,157 Alberta ... 286 33,508 Total ... 3,160 338,863

QUAKE AND STORM.

The Southern States Were Shaken, Also.

Atlanta, Ga., despatch: The south was rocked by an earthquake and swept by storm at the same time today. While a tropical hurricane was flaying the gulf coast, earth tremors overturned chimneys and frightened many people from their homes in Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee. The earthquake did little damage, but a wind that reached a velocity of 14 miles an hour lifted roofs from houses at Pensacola, Florida, and sunk a number of vessels in the harbor. One life was lost.

The earthquake was left as far north as Louisville, Ky., and east to Augusta, Ga. Its duration was about three minutes and there were two shocks.

LOST 40,000 MEN.

Austrian Casualties Since Cadorna's Drive Opened.

Rome, Cable--Despite the inclement weather the Italians continue to push their new offensive toward Trieste. It was estimated to-day that the Austrians have lost 40,000 in killed, wounded and captured since the offensive began. The War Office reports: "On Monte Pasubio there were almost incessant attacks and counter-attacks, all preceded and supported by extremely violent bombardments. Yesterday morning the enemy succeeded in breaking into the redoubt on the 'Tooth of Pasubio,' but was promptly driven out after a hand-to-hand struggle. About 100 prisoners were taken, and one gun and a howitzer. Along the remainder of the front only artillery actions took place. On the Carso plateau we took some prisoners and machine guns.

STORM DELAYS LAKE TRAFFIC.

Cleveland, Report--A storm that swept Lake Erie Wednesday night and this morning caused considerable delay, and in some cases freighters had trouble getting in and out of Ohio ports. A number of boats were late, and the steamer Republic, due here last night, did not get in until this afternoon. Steamers had to wait outside at some points.

WORK OF U-BOATS.

Washington, Report--Despatches to the State Department today report the sinking of the British steamer Kennet by a submarine and the landing of the body of her captain. The steamer Damia, presumably Norwegian, also was reported sunk by a German submarine, and the Swedish steamer Norma was reported disabled south of Dresden. Light vessels by her propeller becoming entangled in nets stretched by the Germans to trap submarines.

The cowboy had just been served with papers in a breach of promise suit. "Well, I guess here's where I am lassoed," remarked the cowboy. You never can tell. The fellow who gives himself away sometimes has to take it all back.

ALLIES ARE CLOSING IN ON PERONNE

More Gains On the Somme Front by Both British and French.

AIDS ROUMANIA

Germans Prevented From Sending Men to Help Falkenhayn's Drive.

London cable: Operations on the Somme, directed toward the isolation of Peronne simultaneously with a frontal advance on Bapaume, made progress again to-day. Directly across the river from Peronne, where the French last night announced that the German first line had been stormed, there has been, according to this morning's French communique, a new advance by General Foch's men. In heavy fighting they have made further progress between La Maisonette and Blaches, on a front of about two miles. More than 350 prisoners were taken by the French.

North of the Somme a German attack on the French lines north and east of Sully-Saillissel was repulsed, and the French are firmly consolidated in the ruins of the village, the last house of which was taken in the face of clouds of poison gas and sheets of liquid flame. The Germans fought desperately to retain a footing in this hillside village, overlooking Cambrai plain. At least a score of counter-attacks were launched, but each mass of German infantry which swept forward was moved down and the French continued their slow but methodical advance. The fighting then became hand-to-hand, and practically the whole garrison was killed. Nearly 200 enemy machine guns were captured or destroyed.

The British have slightly advanced their line at Butte du Warlencourt. Berlin, in admitting that both the French and British made gains, claims that they were not "commensurate to the losses sustained."

The Germans on the Somme front are being prevented from sending men to aid in the Austro-German attack against Roumania, according to Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations of the War Office, who to-day discussed with the American correspondents the objectives of the Anglo-French offensive.

This provides a temporary feature of the Entente objective in the west, as the Entente commanders feel that while the situation in Roumania cannot be considered a crisis, it is serious and that the best assistance the western armies can give is to prevent, as they have done thus far, the despatch of any reinforcements to Gen. von Falkenhayn.

General Maurice declared that Bapaume and Peronne cannot be considered objectives in the usual sense of that term. The capture of these cities, he said, may be expected as a result of the present offensive, but their fall could not be called a decisive feature of the operation. It is planned to drive such a wedge into the German lines that attacks can be made in three directions against the expanded hostile battle-front.

Ultimately it is hoped to carry these advances so far that a breaking point will result. The Germans, said Gen. Maurice, may shorten their lines before this happens, but such an outcome is always kept in view by the Entente staffs in planning future advances.

BRITISH REPORT.

London cable: The bulletin from British headquarters in France issued Thursday night reads: "Rain fell heavily all morning. We have slightly advanced our line at Butte de Warlencourt. An enemy counter-attack in that neighborhood was stopped by our barrage. "Elsewhere there is nothing to report."

FRENCH REPORTS.

Paris cable: Thursday's War Office report read: "North of the Somme the Germans tried vainly about 5 o'clock in the afternoon to attack our lines north-east of Sully-Saillissel. Our curtain of fire broke up their unorganized efforts and inflicted heavy losses upon them. Progress of the Somme we made fresh South of the Somme we made fresh progress between Blaches and La Maisonette. The total number of prisoners taken during yesterday's action exceeds by actual count 250, of whom 10 are officers. Elsewhere on the front the day was calm."

"North of the Somme our troops organized during the night the village of Sully-Saillissel and consolidated the conquered positions around this place. Some German counter-attacks were broken by our curtain of fire and all our gains were maintained.

"South of the Somme we made fresh progress between La Maisonette and Blaches. "In Lorraine an enemy surprise attack on our trenches near Bures, northeast of Lunville, was repulsed easily.

"Our machines yesterday, during operations south of the Somme, attacked with machine guns enemy troops in the region of Blaches. It is confirmed that Adjutant Dorne brought down on Oct. 16 a German aeroplane to the north of Peronne, this being his fourteenth. Another enemy aeroplane fell to the ground near Beaulencourt."

COMMITTED FOR OLD CRIME.

Chatham, Ont.--Frank Macdonald of "Redtown" was committed for trial in the County Police Court this afternoon on a charge of murder in connection with the derailment of a Michigan Central train near Ridgeway on the night of May 31st, 1911. Henry Macdonald, a brother, will in all probability be committed on a similar charge. The complaint of Macdonald was brought about a year through evidence by his wife Nora.

CANADIANS DECORATED.

Distinguished Service Order, Military Crosses, and D.C.M.'s Awarded. LONDON, Oct. 23.—The following were decorated by the King at Buckingham Palace on Saturday:

Distinguished Service Order—Captain Malcolm Believing.

Military Cross—Captains Lindsay, 24th Batt.; Stanley Kent, 10th Batt.; Guy Gurney, 1st Batt.; Lieuts. J. S. Andrews, 28th Batt.; Thos. Williams, 28th Batt. Lieut. Williams, who lost both feet in action, was borne on a stretcher to the King, who bowed and pinned the cross over his breast.

Distinguished Conduct Medals have been granted to the following: Corporal J. J. Kelly, infantry, though wounded in a heavy bombardment, stuck to his post, and his cool and fearless handling of his section was largely responsible for the repulse of the enemy.

Sergeant C. McDowell, infantry, when two of the enemy penetrated a trench he immediately attacked them, and though wounded with a pistol shot, succeeded in bayonetting one, and then killed the two with a bomb.

Sergeant D. McLeod, Engineers. During a bombardment he rescued a wounded man from a crater under heavy machine-gun and shell fire. By faithful work and devotion McLeod was to a great extent responsible for the recovery of a deep enemy gallery, which enabled the position to be successfully held.

Sergeant D. O'Brien, Engineers. During a bombardment he rescued a wounded man from a crater under heavy machine-gun and shell fire, and was to a great extent responsible for the recovery of a deep enemy gallery.

47770 Reynolds, Royal Canadians. Was leading a bombing party and after being wounded continued to press forward and throw bombs with the greatest coolness and precision. Was the only man who reached the enemy parapet, where he fought alone with a revolver and bombs. Again hit, he extricated himself with difficulty.

The following have been gazetted for the Military Medal:

Corporal V. A. Arding, Private J. Barton, infantry; Sergt. L. T. Beer, Engineers; Corporal F. Bullen, Private A. N. Burgess, Royal Canadians; Sapper E. Graham, Sergeant A. Harrison, Engineers; L. C. Kamb, Royal Canadians; Sapper T. Maish, Engineers; Lance-Corporal J. C. McCarron, infantry; Corporal W. J. McCauley, Engineers; Private Nobbs, Private J. O'Rourke, Sergeant E. L. Fyver, Private J. H. Richards, infantry; Private N. Rooney, Mounted Rifles; Acting Sergeant B. C. Rowley, Private O. W. Sale, infantry; Bomber D. P. Simpson, Sergeant T. Toon, Engineers; Corporal J. Watter, infantry.

Sergeant J. C. Stackhouse, of the Artillery. When a shell had just been rammed home, he realized that the fuse had become ignited, and instantly stopped the cartridge being put in and ordered the gun crew to cover. The explosion took place harmlessly. The officer's promptness and pluck probably saved many casualties.

SHEERNESS BOMBED.

Hostile Aeroplane Visits Southeast Coast of England.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A hostile aeroplane appeared over the southeast coast Sunday and dropped four bombs in the vicinity of Sheerness, it is announced officially. No casualties have been reported.

The following official account of the attack reads: "A hostile aeroplane approached Sheerness at about 1.45 p.m. Sunday, flying very high. Four bombs were dropped, three of which fell into the harbor. The fourth fell in the vicinity of a railway station and damaged several railway carriages.

"British aeroplanes went up, and the raider made off in a north-easterly direction. No casualties have been reported."

An official communication issued later said:

"A hostile seaplane was shot down and destroyed Sunday afternoon by one of our naval aircraft. The enemy machine fell into the sea. Judging by time, it was probably the seaplane which visited Sheerness Sunday."

No Reflection on Canada.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—I have been granted an interview by Lord Robert Cecil, Foreign Under-Secretary, who in an interview to the American press stated that certain amounts of nickel emanating from allied territory which were despatched to the United States ultimately found their way to Germany on board the submarine Deutschland. Lord Robert assured me that this in no way referred to nickel from Canada, and that he had no intention whatever of criticizing the arrangements for controlling Canadian nickel or suggesting that any Canadian nickel reaches the enemy. The British Government is perfectly satisfied with the precautions taken and arrangements made by the Canadian Government with regard to nickel.

Britain Grateful.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—The splendid contribution to the British Red Cross Fund made by Ontario, and especially by Toronto, has made a most gratifying impression in London. To his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor's cablegram on Friday night announcing the result, Sir Robert Hudson, Chairman of the Finance Committee, cabled the following reply: "Sir John Hendrie, Toronto: 'Please accept and communicate to all concerned our most grateful thanks for the wonderful munificence of your Province. The grand contribution from Toronto must surely constitute a record, and the splendid assistance given by Ontario insures the success of 'Our Day.'"

"Robert Hudson."

TEUTONS ARE HALTED

Roumanians Are Holding Their Own in Mountain Passes.

Mackensen Has Broken Left Wing of Russo-Roumanian Line and Has Reached the Coast—Bucharest and Petrograd Admit a Slight Withdrawal, but Deny Teutonic Claims of a Great Victory.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Sunday's news from Transylvania continues to be generally good from the Entente allies' standpoint, though in the Buzen Valley they admit a retirement, and there has been fighting only five miles from Tergu Gena, the important Roumanian railroad junction in the Trotus Valley in Moldavia. The Austrians who had reached that far were thrown back to the frontier, however. Elsewhere the successful defence of the mountain passes continues.

All told, 600 prisoners, two guns, and ten machine guns have been captured from von Falkenhayn's armies in engagements scattered over the whole mountainous front of 400 miles. Most of these were taken when Austrians occupying Mount Sispbes were surrounded and "put to the sword" in the Roumanian phrase.

The new offensive of Field Marshal von Mackensen in Dobruja has, however, caused the Russian and Roumanian troops to retire slightly, the Petrograd War Office announced Sunday.

The Berlin War Office claims, however, that von Mackensen has smashed the Russo-Roumanian left wing in the Dobruja and is advancing on the important Black Sea port of Constanta. He has captured Tuzla, on the coast ten miles south of Constanta, and cut into the main positions elsewhere on the 45-mile battle front.

The German, Turkish, and Bulgarian troops under the German field marshal have stormed the heights north-west of Topral Sari, ten miles west of Tuzla. They have also captured the Russo-Roumanian positions north of Cocarcea and north-west of Muloiova. The Roumanian statement admits a withdrawal on the centre and left wing.

The towns of Topral Sari, 14 miles south-west of Constanta, and Cobadin, 17 miles south-east of the Danube town of Rachova, have been taken.

Thus far the Teutonic troops have taken 3,000 Russian prisoners, including a regimental commander, and some hundreds of Roumanians, says the German statement. Twenty-two machine guns and one mine-thrower also were captured.

SERBS MOVE ON MONISTIR.

They Have Captured Mountain Positions and Are Traversing Plain.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Serbian forces which, having captured by long, hard fighting the flanking mountain positions to the east, pushed down to the plains and across the Cerna River, are now advancing rapidly on Monistir. In the river bend they have reached the suburbs of the town of Baldentol, four miles north of Brod, and but 10 miles from Monistir.

German troops are now assisting the Bulgarians in an attempt to check the advance of the Serbians who forced a passage of the Cerna River on the Macedonian front south-east of Monistir and captured several towns. The Berlin official account of Sunday in regard to the Macedonian campaign follows:

"The struggle in the bend of the Cerna has not been terminated, German troops are engaged there." The Serbian official report reads: "On the evening of Oct. 19 in the Cerna River sector General Mischitch's army advanced successfully in the direction of Baldentse village, north-west of Brod. We took four field guns, one trench mortar, seven machine guns, and a large quantity of other war material. We also captured two Bulgarian officers and one German officer, and 114 Bulgarian and 24 German men."

"In this sector we identified among the enemy forces two German regiments that had freshly arrived, one from the Russian front and the other from Gievell, in the Vardar region. "On the rest of the front nothing important occurred."

Storm on Lake Erie.

BUFFALO, Oct. 23.—At 1 o'clock this morning the overdue steamer Merida of Midland, Ont., had not been reported.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 23.—Storm-swept Lake Erie Sunday gave another fragment of its "Black Friday"—another vessel pounded to pieces in the stinging gale and grinding waves, carrying 21 men to their deaths. The latest victim of the fierce storm is the Cleveland whaler-back, James B. Colgate, bound from Buffalo to Fort William, Ont., with a cargo of coal, and the only survivor, her commander of two weeks, Captain Walter Grashaw, of this city.

Captain Grashaw, buffeted about on a frail raft since 10 o'clock Friday night, was picked up by a rescue steamer at 10 o'clock Sunday morning in a pitiable condition, and was unable at first to tell a coherent story of the catastrophe that befell his ship and crew. When first sighted by the rescue ship which brought him to Conneaut, Ohio, the captain, half unconscious, was prostrate on the raft, numbed hands wrapped around the ropes twined across it, his body lashing in the waves. His fight at that moment to hold on until help arrived was nothing compared to his struggles during the previous 24 hours, when two companions, Second Engineer Osaman of Cleveland, and a coal passer, name unknown, who shipped at Buffalo just prior to the ship's departure from that port, were washed from the raft by the giant waves that buffeted it like a cork on the surface of the lake.

CHANTRY

Mr. J. N. Davis and little son Frank, of Chantry, are visiting friends in Addison during the past week.

Miss Surfina Singleton of Crosby, spent the week end at Chantry guest of Miss Doreen Davis.

Mr. Roy Darbyshire has purchased the Chantry Cheese Factory, formerly owned by Mr. Frank Seed.

Mr. Hall of Crosby has bought Mr. Darbyshire's farm and will take possession in the spring.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Elliot a daughter, Marion Elizabeth.

Mr. Walter Wykes of Elgin was a guest at his uncle Mr. T. C. DeWells on Sunday last.

CAINTOWN

Oct 17

Mr. H. W. Powell, Brockville, spent a few days at his old home here.

Mr. Jas. Simpson is spending a few days, guest of Mrs. Joseph Hull.

Rev. and Mrs. Bradford spent Friday at Mr. John Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Eligh have returned to their home after spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mills.

Miss Wiltis, of Athens, is now the guest of her friend, Miss Alice Tennant.

Miss Beatrice Dickey was home for Thanksgiving.

Pts. Willie Dickey, after spending a few days at his home in Caintown, has returned to Kingston.

School is progressing under the management of Mrs. R. J. Brown.

Mrs. W. J. White and daughter, of Gravenhurst, is now the guest of Mrs. W. J. White.

FRANKVILLE

Joseph Hanton

Mr. Joseph Hanton, a life-long resident of Frankville, passed away at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital on Oct. 7th, after a prolonged illness.

The deceased was a well known farmer of Frankville, and had a host of friends who will deeply regret to hear of his death.

Surviving him are his wife and one son, Albert R. Hanton, of Frankville. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from his late residence to the Lehigh cemetery.

Rev. G. Swayne, of Athens, assisted by Rev. Mr. Gratton, conducted the services in the presence of many friends of the deceased. Among the many floral tributes was a wreath from Beacock & Co; Brockville.

The pall-bearers were G. M. Leverette, T. Singleton, S. Montgomey, Chas. Baker, T. Cooner, W. Lovly.

Among relatives and friends present from a distance were Mrs. Nelson Parker, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Soper, Smith's Falls; Mrs. Mary Moxon, Hamilton; Mrs. Frank Stewart, Prescott.

Mr. Sydney Crummy, of New York is spending his holidays with his brother, A. E. Crummy.

Mrs. Livingstone, of Brockville, is visiting her many friends here.

Miss Miriam Kirk has returned after spending the summer in Winnipeg.

Mr. Alfred Ireland has returned home from the West.

Miss Bessie Leverette, teacher from Rockport, and her brother, Dalton, of Easton Corners, spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Leverette.

Mr. Ezra David has resumed his position as traveller in the interest of Frost and Wood Co., Smith Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Holmes spent the week-end with their daughter Mrs. Fred Pattimore, Glen View, Smith's Falls.

Mr. Norton, North Augusta, has been here for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Wilford Hewitt, Lehigh Corners.

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CHARLESTON

Among recent guests at Foster's hotel were H. Bingham, R. A. Whitney, J. C. Brownfield, D. Murray Prescott; R. A. Montgomery, Lambertville, N. J.; B. C. Kuser, Trenton N. J.; C. C. Ridgway, Columbus, N. J.; W. F. Harkness New Brunswick N. J.

Mrs. W. Stuart and little son, Brockville, were recent visitors at T. Spence's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Beacher and family have returned to their home in Englewood N. J. after spending the summer at their island home here.

Mrs. Cooper has returned to her home in Kingston, after a visit with Mrs. Finley. She was accompanied by Percy Finley.

L. Slack has returned from Bessivain, Manitoba, after a couple of months stay with his uncle, Mr. Wm. Plunkett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster were at Smith's Falls on Wednesday.

A great many persons in this vicinity visited Barriefield on Friday and Saturday.

DAYTOWN

Oct 23

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood, who have been making an extended tour by auto through N. York State, having visited friends and relatives in Watertown, Syracuse, Rochester, Albion, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, and Rome, have just returned home, and are very much elated over the good roads of that state. The boulevard between Niagara Falls and Buffalo, paved with brick, is a motorist's paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hinton, who have been spending their vacation here have returned to Prescott, where Mr. Hanton is employed on the C. P. R. train between Prescott and Ottawa as mail clerk.

The recent rains have made ploughing much easier.

Jas. Huffman has rented his farm to Charles Warren, who will take possession soon.

SHERWOOD SPRING

Oct 23

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stewart spent Sunday last at Mr. Stewart McMillan's, Riverside.

Miss Bessie Cowan attended the Teachers' Convention in Brockville last week and spent the week-end at her home in Athens.

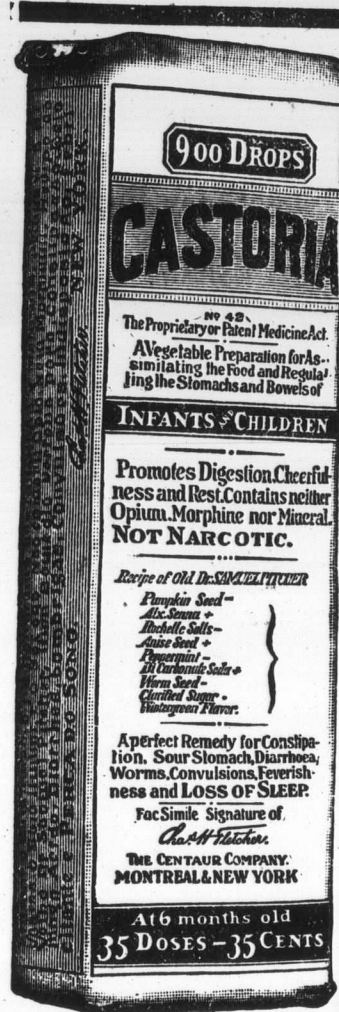
Mrs. H. Clow and Mr. Geo. Clow attended the White-Marshall wedding at Caintown, on the evening of the 18th.

Miss Myrtle Clow has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Dolly McMillan, Riverside.

Messrs Robert Mallory, and Howard Trickey Mallorytown Landing were guests on Sunday last at Mrs. A. Eligh's.

Mr. E. P. Eligh has finished a cement floor in his new barn and installed steel rails in his cow stable.

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The Reporter in a Foreign Land

We returned Friday from New York, where we spent several days gazing at strange sights, and riding in street cars. The stranger in New York feels the overwhelming importance of street cars. He wonders which he ought take, the surface, the elevated, or the subway; he wonders whether he ought to take an express or a local; he wonders where he should take it; and what will become of him after he does commit himself to a decision. Eventually, and in spite of dark forebodings, he reaches the corner he had in mind. The avenues have shifted since he started, and he is quite positive that they are not running up and down town, but across town. He walks (against his best judgment) in the direction the street nameplates point him, and it is not until he tells his troubles to the blue-coated figure which stands for solidity and directional accuracy, that he wipes his furrowed brow in relief. Bless all policemen; if there were none, we should all stay at home.

The people of New York are very human beings. They speak English in varying degrees of fluency, the foreign-born element having done wonders in acquiring the "United States" language. So cosmopolitan is the population that you go to a German when you wish to be fed decently, to a Jew in financial matters, to an Italian for a shoe-shine, and to a true American to assure yourself that the Anglo-Saxon race has not become defunct.

One outstanding characteristic of the New Yorker is courtesy. A stranger is received pleasantly, and nothing is left undone to make his stay a happy and profitable one. The Canadian feels that they have strange ideas about his country, and are vainly searching him for national peculiarities. One feels that they are disappointed; for the Canadian is just an ordinary mortal, lacking the language accents of other countries, and displaying neither a mercurial nor a stolid temperament.

Great opportunities are apparent in every walk of life in New York. So many men, poor in their youth, are now in positions of trust, influence, and wealth. One feels that the mighty, seething business world of the big metropolis is a crucible from which are emerging men who have made good. The educational opportunities are excellent. Besides the public and high schools, there are a vocational school, libraries, museums, exhibitions, and lectures. The vocational school teaches the boy an art or a trade. Students in their teens are producing work that would put the average artist or artisan to shame. They are following their bent, and will not be thrown into the world to earn their living at haphazard.

A visit to New York leaves a host of impressions, which only time will sort into anything like order. It makes one more tolerant, and lifts him out of the narrow groove of selfishness and antiquated ideas to a more progressive and kindlier view of life. The privilege of dwelling in a rural district is a joy supreme; but spontaneity is needed in social life and a more life-like attitude in business.

[We wish to extend our thanks to Professors Chinmook and Battelle, of Erasmus High School; to Mr. Edwin Wilson, assistant city editor of the Brooklyn Eagle; to Mr. A. C. Arstin, one of Brooklyn's capable young organists; and to Mr. George H. Flint, manager of the foreign office of The Mergenthaler Linotype Co., for affording us opportunities of seeing the huge city and its delights.]

Recruiting Activities

Certain reports have been received at Militia Headquarters to the effect that recruiting efforts are no longer being actively carried on by either Military or Civilian Organizations under the misapprehension that this is not necessary in view of expected changes in connection with recruiting.

The authorities at Militia Headquarters have issued instructions to all Commanders, that the recruiting efforts be carried on in the strongest possible manner.

There are at the present time in all Districts, a number of units which are not yet up to strength and every effort is to be made to bring these units to their full establishment.

There are also urgent requirements for Engineers and Signaller, Telegraph Operators, and Linesmen to fill the drafts called for from the depots of these services.

In every Branch of the Service vacancies still exist for men, and recruiting must be carried on continuously if success is to attend the Allies cause.

It is not intended or contemplated that any change in organization for recruiting should destroy existing methods, but rather materially assist such efforts.

The Militia Department desires that recruiting effort should not be slackened, that Recruiting Leagues and Patriotic Associations should continue the splendid work they have done in the past and that every man should take part in the campaign in the way which he believes to be best, and for which he is most suited.

Brig-General T. D. R. Hemming, the General Commanding the District, and Major G. I. Campbell, Chief Recruiting Officer of the District, both of whom may be addressed at Kingston, Ont., are always prepared to give their advice and counsel to any Association, Leagues, or other parties requiring assistance in determining the manner in which their activities should be conducted.

Starving Albania, without even one newspaper of its own to make public its need is dying in silence, its tragedy passed by unheeded. The Christian Work, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York, is sending out pleas in behalf of the Balkan Relief Fund. While Canada sympathizes with every needy cause, it cannot support them all. The United States can well afford to look after Albania.

That Scathing Tongue

(N. Y. Central Bulletin)

"Like the strange missile the Australian throws, Your verbal boomerang slaps you on the nose."

If you would keep your nose intact, your head unbroken and your heart unscarred, keep your verbal boomerangs to yourself. But if you simply must throw them, don't choose a customer or your wife or your brother or sister, but go out back of the woodshed and throw them at yourself; and then you will be likely to hit the one who needs it most.

The Price of Newspapers

The increase in the price of paper has become so serious that publishers are getting together to devise measures to meet the situation. Many have already increased their subscription rates and some have been forced to suspend publication.

We are advised, however, by the publishers of The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal that for the present, anyway, there will be no increase in the price of that paper, and we are permitted to offer The Family Herald and Weekly Star along with Reporter for the small sum of \$1.75, that is one full year's subscription to each paper.

This offer is good only until Nov. 30, 1916, as it may be found necessary to make a change then.

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Newspaper and News

(Buffalo News)

Newspapers should be news-carriers not news-makers.

There is truth and instruction and entertainment enough in this old world of ours to print, without resorting to falsehood. And to publish the latter is to betray the former.

The British government has taken drastic action in excluding one of the American press services from the official press bureau.

It has also refused the use of facilities for the transmission of news by that service.

Authentic and truthful news is what the people want, and that is the kind of news all reputable newspapers spend large sums of money to get.

Stories of the Wild

In "The Outlaw" in the October number of *Roll and Gun Magazine* which is now on the news-stands, H. C. Haddon gives some intimate details in the life of a family of wolves, which the writer observed at first hand, from the birth of the cubs up till the time when one of their number became a famous hunter and destroyer of cattle on the ranch of a Western farmer. In "A Bull of Triple Creek" A Ray Giddings gives a dramatic account of a fight between two bull moose, the human element being supplied by two trappers and a woman, the wife of one of the trappers, who witness the encounter between the two rival bulls, and one of whom is narrowly rescued from death. The Light that Saved, Camp Magic, On the Trail of the Wounded Bull Moose, A Story of Eggs and Skins, and other articles besides the regular departments, constitute an interesting issue to the sportsman whose thoughts at this time of year are turning to the opening of a big game season. W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., are publishers of this representative Canadian publication.

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Fort William, Oct. 21, 1916

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With best wishes

Sincerely yours,

Geo. W. Hickey

GREENBUSH

Oct. 19

Last week, Mr. John Horton, a flourishing tinsmith of this place was married to Miss Christina Horton, of Delta.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blanchard, on Oct. 6, a daughter.

Miss Bernice Taplin, who is a student at Peterboro Normal school spent Thanksgiving at her home here.

Mr. Chas. Horton is at present at Westport engaged in carpenter work. Mr. W. Spence had the misfortune to badly sprain his knee, and he is now under the care of Dr. Bourns, of Frankville.

Mr. Harold Blanchard, son of Mr. Fred Blanchard, a former resident of this place, is here from New York visiting relatives.

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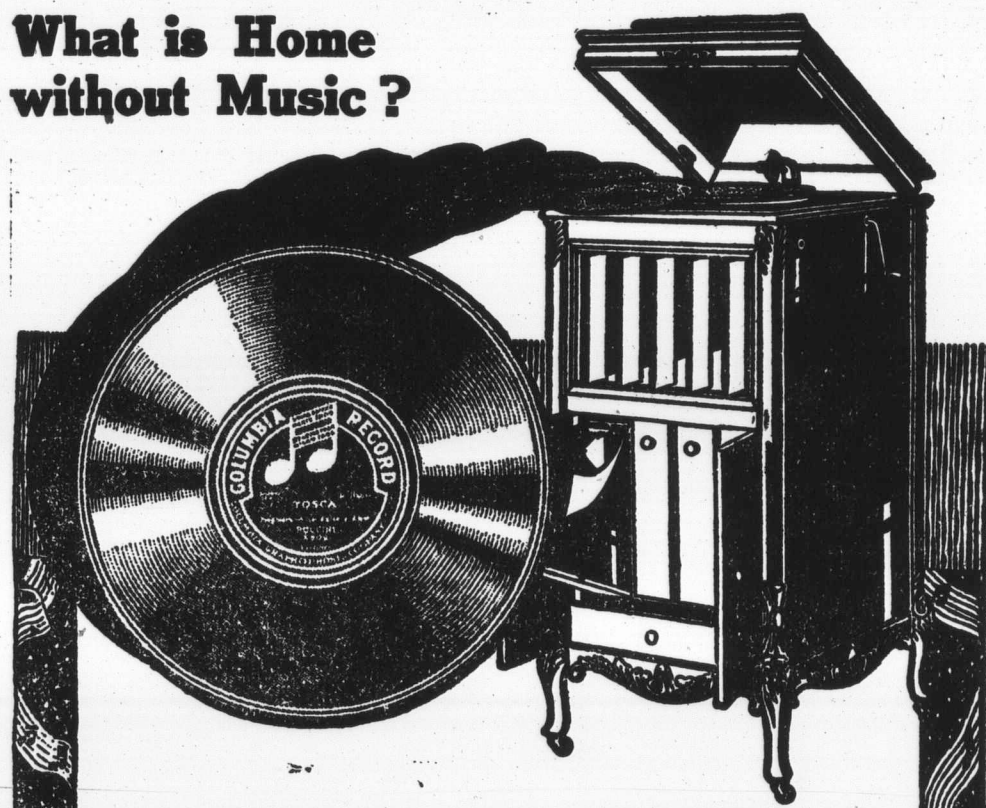
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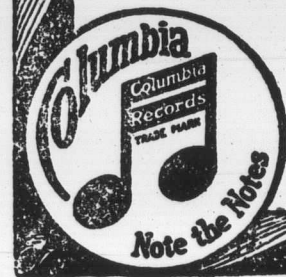
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"I understand," says Signa, thoughtfully, and admiring the delicate way in which the speaker has answered her. "Lord Delamere is not just quite as bad as he is painted."

"Exactly," he says. "No one is, you know."

"And why does he not come home and live in this beautiful place?" she asks. "But I beg your pardon once more. Perhaps you never asked him?"

"Indeed, but I have," he says, thoughtfully. "I don't think he himself knew. Do you remember the legend of the man who could not rest in the same place for more than twenty-four hours? It is a Flemish legend—there are many good Flemish stories, by the way. The story goes that he could not live unless he took a strange draught of water drawn from a fresh town or village each day. I fancy Lord Delamere is like that man; he must have a draught from a strange spring each day."

"What an unhappy man he must be!" says Signa. "Very," he assents, laconically. "And where is he now?" asks Signa, thoughtlessly.

The stranger shrugs his shoulders. "I don't think any of his friends know. His last date was Cairo, I believe. He may be now—anywhere. Perhaps I could find out—"

face grows paler and her lips quiver. He inclines his head. "I understand," he says, almost in a whisper, so low, so gravely sympathetic is the voice.

"Perhaps," she goes on, impelled by some subtle impulse, "perhaps you may have heard of—my father?"

He is silent for a moment, then he says: "I once knew a man by that name. One of the noblest, one of the grandest men I ever saw. He was an artist, musician, poet, painted—the sweetest, highest type of humanity one can conceive. Jack Grenville they called him; we were at Vienna together, my tutor and I; I was a lad fresh from school, when I met him, he a man of the world. I shall never forget the charm his presence and manner, his look and voice had for me. I was spellbound. But I shall say no more," he says, gently.

"Yes, go on!" says Signa, calmly, though the tears are running down her face, and her hands are clasped tightly. "Go on! I remember that time; he had left me in France. I was a little child then, and—sick and ailing. Go on, please; if you knew how sweet it is for me to hear you speak of him—as you do—"

she stops and sweeps the tears away with an impatient gesture. "I have pained you!" he says, with self-reproach.

"No, no," he says, earnestly, eagerly. "I am not trying for grief, but pleasure. I have never cried for grief since he went. I promised him that I would not. And you know him that I was kind and good of you to speak as you did of him! Here—and he knew she meant at the rectory—if they avoid all mention of his name as if—with a laugh and a sob of scornful amazement—"almost as if they were ashamed of him."

He looks at her with gentle sympathy. "Such people as these, if they are the ordinary type, could not understand such a man as your father," he says. "His place was in the world of the great. They learned to value and to love him there; and you are Jack Grenville's daughter? How small the world is!"

with her whole heart and mind full of her lost one; and she is so absorbed in reflection that she does not notice his momentary hesitation.

"I am afraid you will not," he says. "I scarcely think your father heard it. It was my tutor whom he knew, and he merely suffered me to haunt his chambers in the goodness of his heart. My name is—Hector Warren."

Signa thinks for a moment, and murmurs the name softly. "No; I am afraid I cannot remember it," she says, with a touch of regret. "My father knew so many—no man had more friends. Wherever we went, in every capital of Europe, we found a circle ready to welcome us. I say 'us'—I mean him."

Then she turns with that sweet, grave smile which renders the gray eyes so deep and soft, and holds out her hand. "We must look at my watch."

He rises and takes the hand in his and holds it for a moment, looking into her eyes with the grave, subtle earnestness peculiar to him. "I will fetch Archie," he says, in a low, calm voice, and he goes down to the beach, and hoisting the child on his shoulders, carries him up the cliff. Then he comes down and helps her to ascend.

As she reaches the top, his hand closes on hers with a gentle pressure. "Good-bye," he says. "We shall meet again."

"Perhaps," says Signa, laughing. Then she stops short and looks down at him. "Shall I tell the rector that you will call?"

He thinks for a moment—scarcely a moment—and a strange look comes into his eyes. "Do not, please," he says. "Very well," says Signa. "Good-bye."

"Good-bye!" echoes Archie, leaning over and nodding with infinite condescension. "Are you going to wait there till the mermaids come?"

"Perhaps," he replies, with a smile. "Shall I catch one for you, Archie?"

"Yes, do!" replies the child; then he adds, with infinite generosity. But you can keep it yourself; I've got Signa, you know."

"Thanks," responds Hector Warren, gratefully; and Archie, with a last grave nod, bounds after Signa.

CHAPTER IV. It was a strange meeting. Signa yondered over it on their way home through the park, while Archie ran by her side, chatting in his old-fashioned style.

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them too much. At any rate, though Mr. Warren may be poor, he is a gentleman, and one doesn't offer gentlemen one's pocket-money. Do you understand?"

"I think I do," he replied, thoughtfully. "But I do think that he would have been very angry; he would only have laughed, and then I should have felt ashamed. Yes, I'm glad, too, that I didn't offer him my money."

Archie's chatter served to keep Signa's mind on the same tack, and when she went down for luncheon she found herself still thinking and wondering whether Hector Warren would pay his intended visit that afternoon. So absorbed was she that the rector had to ask her twice to pass the salt; and Mrs. Podswell regarded her with a stony stare of cold-blooded surprise when she passed the pepper instead.

"You seem—ahem!—a little absent this morning, my dear Signa," said the rector, with a feeble smile; and Mrs. Podswell snorted, complainingly.

"Absence of mind is another term for inattention to the wants of others."

"I beg your pardon," said Signa, coloring for a moment, but recovering herself almost instantly. "I was thinking—"

"Of what may we inquire?" demanded the rector, with a heavy sort of playfulness—"of your new bonnet, or what?"

"We will say it is the new bonnet," said Signa, quietly, and the rector, not being quick at repartee, smiled feebly and relapsed into silence.

While the cloth was being removed, and Signa was rising to take her departure for the schoolroom, the servant entered, and said that a gentleman wished to see the rector.

Signa's face flushed, but fortunately her back was turned to the sharp eyes of her aunt, who had betaken herself to her sofa.

the rector; but as Signa glanced up he seemed to know it, and for a second's space his eyes turned and met hers. Signa bent over her papers again instantly.

"From Lord Delamere?" echoed Mrs. Podswell, rising with a sudden alacrity which one would scarcely have deemed her capable of. "Indeed!" and her light eyes glanced at the quiet figure in the chair curiously.

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"When I got back into the street it was still within what you might call my business working hours. I hadn't been in that house ten minutes and I thought I still had plenty of time for another."

"In this second house I had just exactly the same experience as in the first, with one thing added that I will tell you about. In this house there was a crib which I saw, and that ought to have been enough for me, but sometimes, you know, we have to have our experience rubbed in."

"I went to the bureau here just the same as in the first house and opened the top drawer and was pawing around in it with one hand and holding the lamp with the other when the baby here fairly screamed—nightmare, I suppose. Two persons in the bed jumped as if they'd been blown out of bed, one on the side toward the crib and the other on the side toward me, but I got out and got away."

"I hadn't much more than got settled down and started on the road for home when I began to feel as if some thing was wrong, as if I had missed something or lost something, and then it struck me all of a sudden that I had lost my diamond ring! I must have clenched my hand on it when that first baby cried, for I know I still had it on my finger when I reached into the bureau drawer in that second house, but there I must have left it. That second baby's sharp cry was really startling, and when it struck me I must have let go of myself for just an instant, let my hands open, and in that instant the ring slipped off my finger."

"These two experiences, being scared out of two houses by infants and losing a valuable diamond ring all in one night, were enough to teach me the lesson, and from that on as long as I was in active business wherever I went through a town prospecting by day I always left out of my calculations all houses around which I saw a baby carriage."

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"Yes, a letter of introduction," said the rector. "Lord Delamere—whom I regret to say I have not the pleasure of knowing, though his father was my patron, and presented me with this living—Lord Delamere writes, in reality—ahem—the kindest way, asking me to assist his friend, Mr. Hector Warren, in—er—ahem—the writing is a little indistinct."

Hector Warren smiled.

"Delamere doesn't write the plainest of hands," he said, quietly. "As I know the contents of the letter, perhaps you will permit me to read it for you."

"Thank you, thank you very kind!" assented the rector with an air of relief, and he handed the letter, and put his head on one side, with an air of respectful attention. The rector dearly loved a lord.

"Dear Mr. Podswell,—The bearer of this is a friend of mine, who is anxious to make acquaintance with some of the old books in the library; please give him the key, which I believe my father left in your care. I don't know whether the rats have left any of the old books, but at any rate let Mr. Hector Warren have perfect liberty. I may add that he bears a letter to the steward, authorizing my friend to do pretty much as he likes with the Grange—that is, if the rats and the winds have not eaten it or blown it away."

"I remain, yours truly,"

"Delamere."

Quietly, almost mechanically, Hector Warren read the strange epistle. The rector's mouth opened wider and wider; Mrs. Podswell stared with all her eyes; Signa herself could scarcely keep her glance of curious surprise fixed on the book beside her.

"Bless my soul," exclaimed the rector, vaguely, "what an—ahem—extraordinary letter!"

Hector Warren folded it, and handed it back with a smile.

"I am afraid Lord Delamere has earned the character of being somewhat eccentric," he said, quietly. "You think the letter gives me rather too wide a power? Do not be alarmed, I shall not take advantage of such carte blanche. I am merely desirous of amusing myself in the old library, if there is any of it left, as Delamere says, and that only for a few days, perhaps for a few hours only."

The rector breathed a sigh of relief. As a friend of the great Lord Delamere's, Hector Warren was sure of a courteous welcome at the hands of the rector; but the rector could not quite make him out. He was a gentleman certainly, but why did he wear such well-worn clothes and such a seedy hat, unless he were poor? and the rector, who had an instinctive dislike for poverty, felt unusually glad that Lord Delamere's mysterious friend might only stay a few days.

"Some chance acquaintance Lord Delamere has picked up on his travels," thought the rector, "and whom he has given permission to examine the library. It'd better be civil to him, I suppose."

So, having come to this conclusion, the worthy clergyman said, with the usual smile:

"Ahem, we shall be delighted to be of any service to you, Mr.—Mr. Warren; his lordship's lordship knew he could count upon us. Let me introduce you to my wife in proper form."

Hector Warren rose and bowed in response to the half-civil, half-reserved nod Mrs. Podswell bestowed on him. Then he looked at Signa, and the rector, with a little cough, added:

"And—ahem!—my niece, Miss Grenville."

Hector Warren bowed again, and Signa bent her head in acknowledgment, scarcely raising her eyes from her work. She felt guilty of deception and concealment in thus permitting it to be thought that she had met for the first time, but she so

dreaded the flow of commonplace questions which the rector and his wife would shower upon her if she made any explanation, that she remained silent and did not say, "I have met this gentleman before."

He waited to see if she would speak, then he said in the most ordinary of tones:

"Miss Grenville and I met by chance on the beach this morning."

"You didn't mention it, Signa," said Mrs. Podswell, suspiciously.

Hector Warren gave a faint shrug with his shoulders and smiled.

"I imagine Miss Grenville would scarcely think it worth while," he said, easily, and Signa felt grateful to him for saving her the necessity of a reply.

"And now, Mr. Warren," said the rector, "I trust you will become our guest during your stay in the neighborhood; we are homely people, but—"

But Mr. Warren shook his head reluctantly, and made haste to decline, notwithstanding the rector's relief.

"Thank you very much, my dear sir, but I have already taken up my quarters at the little cottage at the end of the lane, Mrs. Thompson's, and I could not think of troubling you. Besides, my stay is uncertain, and I am I regret to say, such an irregular member of society in the matter of meals and appointments generally, that I should be a nuisance in a well-ordered household."

The rector murmured a faint, half-hearted expostulation, but Mr. Hector Warren remained firm.

"At least, you will let me offer you some luncheon? My dear," to Mrs. Podswell, "there is some cold salmon."

But Hector Warren shook his head again.

"I rarely eat in the middle of the day. A crust of bread and a glass of water is generally my lunch, and I have already had that."

The rector stared, and his mouth dropped with mild horror, and Hector Warren smiled, adding by way of explanation:

"You see, I have been travelling for some years—have been in fact, a wanderer on the face of the earth, and have found it wise to limit my requirements. In some countries a crust of bread, a slice of melon, are the best fare one may expect."

"Just so, just so," murmured the rector, who would have fretted to death without at least three good meals per day. "Exactly! Very wise! Then we may hope to see you to dinner?"

Hector Warren hesitated, and the rector waved his hand.

"At any rate, we are—ahem!—very pleased to see you. We dine at six, and shall make no ceremony."

Hector Warren bowed.

"That is true hospitality," he said, gravely.

The rector glanced at the letter and coughed.

"When did you see his lordship last? This, I see, is dated Genoa. Is he there now?"

"I should think so," was the reply. "Delamere is always on the wing. He may be at the other end of the world by this time. Indeed, he was starting for Egypt a few months ago."

"I hope his lordship was in good health," said the rector.

"Excellent," replied Hector Warren. "He is always well."

The rector shuffled his feet.

"It is a pity that his lordship doesn't favor us with a visit. He would find Northwell well worth a few weeks' stay in the course of the year. You will be surprised to hear that I have never seen him. In fact, I don't think he has ever been here."

"I believe not," assented Lord Delamere's friend. "Yes, it is a pity. The Grange—already I have had a glimpse of it—is a fine place."

"Yes, too fine to be so neglected," said the rector, complacently.

"Some one ought to make it his duty to inform Lord Delamere of the condition of his property, and recall him to a sense of his responsibility," said Mrs. Podswell, acerbity.

Hector Warren inclined his head toward the sofa with an air of respectful deference.

"Indeed, yes. That is quite true. I am quite sure, from what I know of Delamere, that if any such reminder had reached him, he would have given it his attention."

"Then it's a pity I don't write," said the rector. "But, really, one dislikes interfering in other people's business; and besides—naively—"I don't know his address. No one seems to know. The steward even does not."

"Delamere is very erratic," remarked Hector Warren. "I have heard him say that he never reads nor writes a letter unless he is compelled; and I believe that he does not have them forwarded from place to place."

"A most extraordinary young man," said the rector, frowning, with strong disapproval.

Lord Delamere's friend assented with an inclination of the head.

There was silence for a moment, then the rector shuffled to the door.

"I will get you the key," he said. "I don't feel certain that you will be able to get in with it. It is months since the door was unlocked. I had a fire there in the winter; it was a liberty; I am afraid, but I ventured on it. I hope his lordship will not deem me too presumptuous."

"Delamere will be much obliged, I am sure," said Hector Warren.

The rector left the room, and there was silence again. Signa, bending over her work, felt rather than saw the dark eyes turn her way, but he did not address her. Mrs. Podswell made a few inane and commonplace remarks

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about the weather, and he agreed with her that England could boast of the worst climate in the world, and by that time the rector returned, dangling a bunch of keys.

"Here they are," he said, in his feebly pompous way. "I deliver them into your charge, Mr.—Mr. Warren, with much pleasure. By the way, I don't know whether you will need a guide," and he smiled.

CHAPTER V.

Hector Warren rose, and took the keys with a smile.

"I don't know," he said.

"Perhaps I'd better come," murmured the rector, reluctantly; the day was warm, and it was his time for "reading" in his study—that is, snoring comfortably in the easy chair.

Hector Warren made haste to assure him that it was not necessary.

"I can find my way," he said, "and if the keys will not prove a sufficient 'open sesame,' I dare say one of the windows will open. Good-afternoon."

"Good-afternoon," said the rector, with a sigh of relief. "You'll be smothered in dust!" he added, with a faint touch of enjoyment. It is always pleasant to anticipate the troubles and annoyances awaiting our fellow-creatures, though we shrink from our own.

"I should advise Mr. Warren to take a duster with him," said the voice from the sofa. "Signa, ring the bell, and tell Mary to bring one—that is, if Mr. Warren has no objection to carrying it. He can put it in his pocket."

Signa could scarcely repress a smile as she rose to obey, but Hector Warren bowed gravely and gratefully.

"Thank you very much," he said; "that is very thoughtful and considerate of you." And he took the duster and put it in his pocket. "Good-afternoon."

And, with a pleasant bow, he took his departure.

The door had scarcely closed before the rector gave vent to his bewilderment.

"A most extraordinary business!" he exclaimed, using his favorite ejaculation—"really extraordinary! What do you think of it, my dear?"

And he took up the letter and scanned it curiously.

"I suppose it's all right," responded Mrs. Podswell, querulously. "There's no mistake—or deception? This is a very wicked, designing world, Joseph."

"There's no deception, my dear," said the rector, in the tone of a conjurer addressing his audience. "Here's the letter, the Delamere coat of arms and all correct."

"It may be a forgery," remarked Mrs. Podswell, grimly.

"It may," admitted the rector. "But—ahem—I can't see how it would be anybody's while to commit such a—ahem—crime."

"Robbery!" answered Mrs. Podswell, in an awful voice. "The letter may be a forgery to obtain possession of the keys, Joseph."

"Ahem!—I think not, my dear," said the rector, "considering that any one could get into the place, as Mr. Warren remarked, by opening one of the windows."

Signa smiled; it was about the most sensible remark she had heard her uncle make since she had entered the house; and even that was Mr. Warren's, and therefore second-hand.

"Besides, if we may judge from appearances, Mr.—Mr. Warren doesn't strike me as a burglar, my dear."

"Appearances are deceptive," said Mrs. Podswell solemnly. "I must say that there is something about the young man that does not prepossess me in his favor."

"A gentleman, I think, my dear—evidently a gentleman. I wish we knew something more about him. It would be rather awkward—if he should turn out to be a real friend of Lord Delamere's. We were quite right to be cautious, but I think, my dear Amelia, we were—a deprecatory cough—"rather cool."

Mrs. Podswell sniffed.

"Who is to know who he is?" she replied. "He doesn't look anybody of any consequence."

"Appearances are deceptive," said the rector, timidly retorting on his beloved Amelia. "He may be Lord Delamere's most intimate friend; now I think the matter over, I feel convinced that he is! and if he should be, we—we—ahem!—we ought to be civil to

him, my dear. Lord Delamere may return any day or hour, and if he should, I shouldn't like to be anything but—ahem—a friend and neighbor; besides"—here the cough is very pronounced—"there are the alterations to the church, and the paddock, I want to get. Really I think we ought to treat this young gentleman in a friendly way if we trust him at all."

Mrs. Podswell sniffed again, but rather more faintly.

The rector shuffled his feet about uneasily, for a few moments.

"Don't you think we'd better ask him to dinner to-morrow? There will be some people for him to meet. Sir Frederic would—ahem—like it; he likes strange faces. I think, my dear, you had better make room for him, if you can."

Mrs. Podswell coughed warningly and glanced at Signa, and the rector colored and was silent for a moment, then he looked across at her uneasily. Aunt Podswell moaned faintly, and sighed apologetically.

"I forgot to mention to Signa that we expected a few friends to dinner

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"Put on your bonnet, Signa. You will know what to say," he said, in a tone of resignation.

Signa colored faintly, and sat for a moment silent and hesitating, then she rose; after all, what did it matter? Yes, she would go.

"Tell him in the excitement and confusion of the moment, we forgot our little party," said Mrs. Podswell.

Signa smiled with good-natured irony.

"It doesn't matter what I tell him in the way of excuse," she said. "I don't think he would believe it. But it doesn't matter."

She found Archie in the schoolroom brooding over one of his fairy books, which he threw down with alacrity when informed of the object of their walk, and they started.

There was no occasion to creep through the hedge this time, for Hector Warren's strong hand had opened the tall iron gates, and they were still ajar.

With a vague sense of reluctance Signa approached the house. It was not a pleasant mission to tell a man that after due consideration he had been considered respectable enough to be invited to dinner. She wished that she had refused, that she had suggested that a servant should be sent; and yet in the innermost recesses of her heart was a dim feeling of pleasure at the near prospect of seeing the grave, handsome face, and hearing the deep, musical voice, which still seemed to ring in her ears.

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sure that Signa saw through the thin excuse.

"Well, my dear," said the Reverend Joseph, at last. "What you ask him or not?"

"What will Lady Rockwell say? She will be sure to ask all sorts of questions as to who he is!"

"Introduce him as Lord Delamere's friend," said the rector; "that ought to satisfy her."

"If it should not, she will not fail to badger him until she is satisfied," said Mrs. Podswell, with grim satisfaction.

"I repeat any rate it is the safest course," remonstrated the Reverend Joseph, rubbing his chin. "He is a gentleman, and he may be Lord Delamere's intimate friend, and—yes, I think you had better ask him, my dear. Write him a note, saying—saying that you forgot"—he caught a smile on Signa's face and stopped, stammering—"better send a message, perhaps," he said; "it will seem less formal. Say that—that"—he stopped again and shuffled, then a bright idea struck him. "Perhaps Signa would not mind walking up to the Grange—he won't be gone yet—and explaining, I am sure she will know how. She can take Archie with her, he will like the run—oh, my dear!"

"My dear" wailed an assent.

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the leaves. It is a mistake to think that no action should be taken in regard to games of this kind, for there is a distinct principle involved, and the child who is allowed to play games of chance will become calloused to the finer sensibilities of right and wrong.

Games of chance are immoral, in that through them we hope to gain that for which we have not offered honest and adequate return. They teach us to expect something for nothing and so discourage the disposition to proper effort. Sooner or later the one who indulges in pleasures of this kind is led into sporting company and so the ideals are bound to be lowered.

Perhaps one of the things which young America needs to be taught today is that it takes continued effort to accomplish worth while things. A game or a lottery which awards something of value creates false standards and the question soon arises: "How else can I get what I want without effort on my own part?"

Any game of chance should be avoided and a child's parents should take pains to explain why it is wrong and forbid participation in plays of this kind. Every effort should be made to arouse the sense of honor in the child so that there will be no disposition to do anything of this kind on the sly.

This does not mean that competitions may not be entered which offer a test of wits and skill, for this is a different matter. In a competition each person is pitted against every other one and rewards are offered to those who can show the greatest efficiency in some given lines.

The very fascination and charm of games of chance soon make it difficult to break from their hold. The gambler is not made in a moment. He has to travel a long path before he becomes obsessed with the idea that if he keeps on he may win large stakes.

We are all apt to sneer at luck, especially if it comes to other people.

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Others are likely to meet this problem soon after their children begin to play with other children or to go to school. Playing marbles for "keeps" seems to appear every spring with the passing of the snow and the coming of

LINERS TO BE OVERHAULED

The C. P. R. is going to overhaul its trans-Pacific liners at the beginning of the new year. The boats will be laid up at drydock at Hong Kong for renovation and repair. The Empress of Asia will be the first to be laid up. She will be out of commission for about a month. The Empress of Russia and Empress of Japan will be laid up in turn—the former have a month and the latter 25 days at Hong Kong. The big liners are kept in the best of trim, being all thoroughly overhauled once a year. The Empress of Asia and Empress of Russia have not been completely overhauled since they were released from the Admiralty service, toward the latter part of last year. The Montezuma, which is now on her way across the Pacific, was recently overhauled in Hong Kong.

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TUESDAY.

An epidemic of "tin sickness" is sweeping Germany.
 The total of British casualties during last week was 5,685.
 Serious food riots occurred in Hungarian centres of population.
 Dr. Thomas Carter of Flesherton died as the result of a paralytic stroke.

Alfred Allard and Alphonse Leblond were drowned in the St. Charles River, near Quebec.
 Hon. Colonel Harry Cockshutt has given \$2,500 to the Braikford Y. M. C. A. to cover the membership of all khaki-clads.

C. W. G. Westfay, Assistant Manager for the Massey-Harris Co. at Regina, accidentally shot and killed himself while hunting.
 Canadian fresh frozen fish is to be sent for British soldiers, a request having come for an order of one and a half million pounds.

London Health Association is to erect a \$50,000 building for tuberculous soldiers at the request of the Military Hospitals Commission.

South Grey Liberals selected W. H. Wright of Owen Sound and Dr. Mearns of Hanover as Federal and Provincial candidates, respectively.
 The Toronto City Council voted \$75,000 for the British Red Cross fund, and the campaign was launched at a rousing meeting in Massey Hall.

Robert Cooper, manager Maple Leaf Milling Company, Welland, was nominated for the Ontario Legislature by the Liberals in convention at Welland.

J. Kelley, a former member of the Standard Bank staff at Tillsonburg, has enlisted in the 6th Inniskillen Dragoons, the last of seven sons to enter the King's service.

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson announced that the Government planned to build more high-class roads in the Province, with the Toronto-Hamilton highway as a model.

James Gilholey, who sat in the British Parliament as the member for the Western Division of Cork County, Ireland, since 1885, died at Cork yesterday. He was an Irish Nationalist and was seventy-one years old.

WEDNESDAY.

All British shops will be closed early to economize on coal.
 Heavy attacks by Austrian troops were repulsed by the Italians.
 The heroic Bishop of Arras was decorated by the French Government.

The Department of Agriculture announces a scheme designed to popularize sheep-raising.
 Wm. Burt of Brampton, a veteran of the Crimean War, celebrated his hundredth birthday.

Presbyterian anti-church unionists held a large meeting in Toronto in opening a three-days' convention.
 The Canadian Machine Telephone Company's exchange and plant at Lindsay were burned, causing \$26,000 loss.

The Regina Evening Province has changed hands, and its name will shortly be changed to The Regina Daily Post.

His Majesty the King, cabling to Ottawa a message of appreciation to the Red Cross Society, gave as a donation £5,000.

What is believed to be either a derrick scow or a three-masted schooner was observed to founder in Lake Ontario about five miles northwest of Port Hope.

C. H. Lovell, M.P. for Stanstead, died at Coaticook in his 63rd year.
 A heavy snowstorm, with gales and hail, has been raging in Quebec Province.

Government ships to carry Canadian produce to Britain were urged by the representative of the Dominion Millers' Association at the sitting of the Dominions Royal Commission in Toronto yesterday.

The quinquennial census of the Prairie Provinces last June, according to a preliminary report just issued, shows increases in all but a few of the urban municipalities, but not nearly so great as during the boom times of the two preceding periods.

THURSDAY.

The south was rocked by earthquake and swept by storm at the same time yesterday.
 Eben Eugene Rexford, Wisconsin poet, author of "Silver Threads Among the Gold," died of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Jellicoe, mother of Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, the Commander of the British Grand Fleet, died Tuesday night at the age of 82.
 The Chateau Laurier was yesterday fined \$200 and costs for a technical breach of the prohibition law in having liquor stored on the premises.

At the annual fall convocation of Queen's University, held in Grass Hall last evening, a portrait of Rev. Dr. D. M. Gordon, Principal, who is shortly to retire, was unveiled.
 All the public schools in Westmount were closed in an attempt to check the progress of infantile paralysis, which has already caused three deaths among children within the past few days.

Crews of certain Norwegian vessels torpedoed by German submarines were placed in small boats and endured dreadful sufferings before reaching land, says a Bergen despatch to The Copenhagen Politiken.
 The newspaper Sporting says it learns from an authorized source that Captain Boelke, the celebrated German aviator, has been severely wounded by a shell from a French anti-aircraft gun.

A new battalion for Queen's University has been authorized. It is to be a Kilties battalion, and will be in command of Prof. P. C. G. Campbell, M.A. (Oxon.), Professor of Romance Languages, who is made a Lieutenant-Colonel.

FRIDAY.

Pierce Austrian attacks were repulsed by the Italians.
 British and Belgian troops scored further successes in German East Africa.

The Turks were driven from strong positions east of the Suez Canal by British troops.
 British Red Cross canvasses in various places in Ontario resulted in generous givings.

Wm. E. Martin, of 150 West Lodge avenue, Toronto, a car checker, was fatally injured by a train.
 The Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec had a vigorous discussion of the home mission problem.

David Barclay was killed at Point Edward by being caught in the jaws of a two-ton clam shell bucket.
 Three days' campaign for the British Red Cross in Toronto have realized \$451,200, with another day to go.

Premier Hearst addressed the Empire Club, and Prof. Robert Law, in moving a vote of thanks, denounced the war profiteers.
 Opponents of Church union, meeting in Toronto yesterday, formed the "Presbyterian Church Association," and resolved to maintain the Presbyterian Church.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association is preparing a protest to the Dominion Government against the awarding of so many large contracts to United States firms.
 A Havas despatch from Salonica says an important fresh contingent of Italian troops disembarked Wednesday and Thursday, and was reviewed by General Sarraill and General Pettiti.

Hon. J. A. Sheppard, Speaker of Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly, has resigned his seat for Moose Jaw, in consequence of recent findings by the Commission investigating charges of accepting political contributions from liquor men.

SATURDAY.

The Duke of Connaught and party arrive in London.
 Russian troops won further success in the Persian region.
 General von Falkenhayn was reported to have been seriously wounded.

The last infantry battalion has left Carling's Heights, Camp London, for winter quarters.
 Colonel Hugh Clark, M.P., has been appointed Parliamentary Secretary for External Affairs.
 Toronto's gifts to the British Red Cross reached \$71,546, and the Province's \$1,268,000, with many points to bear from.

Prof. Mackenzie of the University of Toronto, speaking at Hamilton, defended the action of the A. O. U. W. in raising its rates.
 It was announced at Upper Canada College prize day celebration that over seven hundred U. C. C. Old Boys had enlisted.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has declined to accept Premier Borden's invitation to co-operate in a Parliamentary committee on recruiting.
 The Kitchener Public School Board has declared vacant Trustee A. L. Bitzer's seat for absence from three consecutive meetings without permission.

W. B. Clarke, customs officer and collector of canal tolls at Port Dalhousie, took ill on a trolley car returning home from St. Catharines and died shortly after.
 Walter Chater, Councillor of Windsor for nineteen years and thrice its mayor, has resigned, dissatisfied with the way the Council this year has conducted business.

Representatives of Canadian municipalities urged upon members of the Federal Government, in a conference at Ottawa, the necessity of action to deal with the high cost of living.
 W. M. Ackworth of London, Eng., who has had much experience in railway matters, succeeds Sir George Paish, who has resigned on account of ill-health from the Railway Board of Inquiry.

MONDAY.

Raphael Collin, artist, is dead. He was sixty-six years old, an officer of the Legion of Honor and a member of the Academie des Beaux Arts.
 Advice received in Amsterdam from Berlin are to the effect that a bill will be presented in the Reichstag Saturday asking for a new war credit of 12,000,000,000 marks.
 Four persons met their death at Delhi Saturday just before noon when the No. 3 Wabash Express, westbound, struck an auto at the Simcoe road crossing, just east of the town.

The population of Brockville, according to a census just completed, is 9,473, an increase of forty-five over last year. With an absence of ten or twelve hundred soldiers Brockville can now lay claim to being a city.
 The latest list of wounded from

France includes the name of Captain Lionel Hallam Tennyson, eldest son of Lord Tennyson and grandson of the poet. This is the second time that Captain Tennyson has been wounded.
 Arthur Ponsonby, member of Parliament for Stirling Burghs, and Private Secretary of the late Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, Prime Minister, has resigned his seat owing to the unpopularity of his advocacy of peace negotiations.

British Airmen Succeed in Raids
 LONDON, Oct. 23.—Describing aerial operations of the British Naval Service off the Belgian coast Friday an official statement issued Saturday by the British Admiralty says:
 "The Secretary of the Admiralty announces that on the morning of the 20th a naval single-seater aeroplane attacked and brought down a hostile kite balloon near Ostend. The balloon descended in flames.
 "A similar machine engaged a large hostile double-engine tractor seaplane, shooting both the pilot and the observer. The seaplane side-slipped and dived vertically into the sea two miles off Ostend. The remains later were seen floating on the water. Both of our machines were undamaged."

Messrs Harold Banchar and Robert Chapman, of New York, were guests for a few days of their cousin Dr. C. H. Prichard.

Among those who went to New York on the excursion were: Mrs. Jonas Steacy and grandson, Reynolds Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Torriss, Mr. Alex Compo, Mrs. F. W. Tribute, and son Mr. A. G. L. Tribute.

W. C. T. U. officers have been elected for the year as follows:—President, Mrs. B. Brown; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. G. V. Collins; 2nd Vice-Pres. Mrs. Wm. Johnston; Rec.-Sec. Mrs. P. Washburn; Cor. Sec. Mrs. C. C. Slack; Treasurer Mrs. G. F. Donnelly.

Rev. K. W. and Mrs. Barton of Prescott are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson and are spending the day at Charleston Lake.

LOCAL ITEMS

White—Marshall
 The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marshall, Caintown, on Wednesday October 18 of Miss Edith Eva Marshall and Mr. Elmer White, son of W. R. White, also of Caintown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. G. Bradford, of Malorytown.

W. C. T. U. Notes
 The Leeds County Convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Brockville on Friday, Oct. 27th. Miss Usher is the delegate from the Athens union. Any of the union who wish to attend, kindly leave their names with Mrs. Donnelly on Thursday so arrangements may be made for a conveyance.

W. I. Notes
 The regular meeting of the Athens Women's Institute will be held on Sat. Oct. 28th, in the Institute rooms, beginning at three o'clock.
 Musical selections will be rendered and papers on the following subject will be given: "War and Its Relation to Women", "Books and What One Should Read"
 A letter from nurse LaRose will be read and a number of other communications from the boys at the front.
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 Every lady in the town and vicinity is cordially invited to attend this meeting, which will start at three o'clock sharp.

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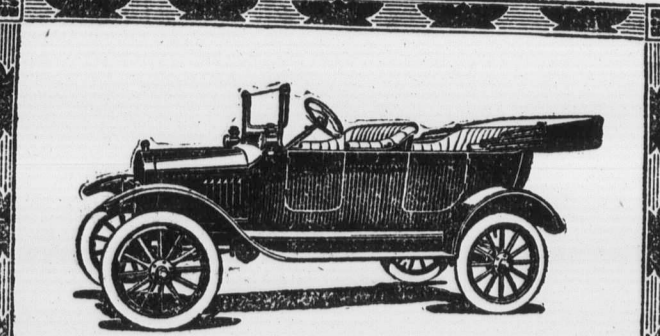
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And further take notice that after the said date the executor of the will of the said deceased will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated at Athens the fourth day of October, 1916.

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