

Allies Can Extradite and Punish Kaiser, Says Crewe

MACKENSEN HAS BEEN INTERNED BY HUNGARY

By Courier Leased Wire Copenhagen, Dec. 17.—Field Marshal von Mackensen, commander of the German forces in Roumania, has been interned by the Hungarian government, according to The Associated Press. The Hungarian government is reported to have informed the German leader that his internment was demanded by the Allies.

"WHITE BOOK" WILL GIVE GERMAN VERSION OF WAR

Will be Ready for Publication Within a Few Weeks—Many Important Documents to be Brought to Light

Paris, Dec. 17.—(Havas)—Germany's white book, which will contain official documents bearing on the origin of the war, will be ready for the printer in about three weeks. It will be printed in three or four volumes. Carl Kautsky, an independent Socialist leader, and an under secretary in the foreign ministry, is preparing the data. It is said that many dispatches which were supposed to have been destroyed have been discovered.

LAY OVER IMPROVEMENT TO WATERWORKS SYSTEM

Chlorinizing System Will be Continued For the Present—Reconstruction of Works Not to be Undertaken Until Prices Drop

Chlorination of the city's water supply as a means of ensuring purity until the improvements which are under the consideration of the consulting engineers, was decided upon by the water commissioners yesterday afternoon, when the following correspondence was read: From Health Officer

Dear Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge yours of the 6th inst. forwarding a synopsis of the report prepared by Messrs. Lea and Lea consulting engineers, Montreal, addressed to the Board of Water Commissioners. These have been carefully perused and the Board is of the opinion as expressed in the latter, that taking into consideration the labor situation and the uncertainty of the delivery of materials, only a maximum delay of six months would occur if the work were postponed for one year.

The board also feels that the water supply can be effectively protected in the meantime by efficient chlorination. I should advise that the experiment suggested by your consulting engineers be carried out during this winter, and after completion of same, final plans are estimated to be prepared without delay.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Pressure is high over the greater portion of the continent and the weather continues fine in nearly all parts of the Dominion. A disturbance near the middle Atlantic coast will probably cause gales off the coast of Nova Scotia. Forecasts. Moderate east and northeast winds, fair to-day and on Wednesday, not much change in temperature.

Responsibility Must Rest With Government, and Not With Jurists; Ample Precedent For Banishment or Execution of German War Lords, Declares Ex-State Secretary

By Courier Leased Wire LONDON, Dec. 17.—British wireless service.—Responsibility for punishing the former German Emperor and other high German officials for crimes committed during the war must rest with governments, and not with jurists, according to the Marquis of Crewe, former secretary of state for the colonies, in a letter published in The Westminster Gazette. He writes: "Can Punish Guilty."

"The atrocities in Belgium, the ill treatment of prisoners, and the executions of Captain Fryatt and Miss Edith Cavell, are acts that can be inflicted by tribunals. When, however, we go beyond these persons, responsibility is altered. The former German Emperor, and the higher German politicians must be surrendered first, and then punished by executive acts. For this procedure there are most ample precedents. These criminals can be put away where they will have no further chance of bringing mischief on the world, or they can be executed. In other words, it is important that legal technicalities must not be allowed to divert the hands of justice as they well may do in a field in which there is no basis of previous law to govern procedure. The responsibility must not rest with jurists, but with governments."

Friedrich Ebert, Socialist premier of Germany, declared in an interview yesterday, that he did not know of any legal method by which William Hohenzollern's surrender could be forced.

"I do not know of any provision of law by which the former Emperor could be brought back," said Ebert, "but that is not a question which closely concerns us. We have separated ourselves from him, and now desire that guilt for the outbreak of the war should be finally fixed in order that he may be exposed once for all."

"I am optimistic, but you must remember that our influence upon the course of events is limited. We cannot create bread for the German people. If a nation is allowed to starve, then the inevitable will follow. That a nation can be brought to a desperate pass, and burst through all restraints, has been shown by the experiences of the past year. Our old system came to the ground as the result of Russian events, which itself provoked. It is poor consolation, however, that, in falling, one drags one's enemy to the ground. To us any other solution would be preferable."

HON. DR. CODY, MINISTER OF EDUCATION, VISITS CITY TODAY

Spoke at Collegiate Institute This Morning, and Was Entertained by Rotary Club at Luncheon; Inspects Schools and Factories of the City

Hon. Dr. H. J. Cody, minister of Education in the provincial cabinet, arrived this morning for his long-promised visit. Dr. Cody was met at the station by a delegation from the Board of Trade. His first visit was to the Collegiate Institute, where he addressed the students. An examination was set in London for children between the ages of 11 and 12. The examination took the form "How best can we win the war?" The answer was from a boy: "We must set this country right, after the war and we can accomplish it best by education. The boys are the ones who must help to reconstruct Canada, to take the place of the men who have been killed at the front. The spirit of the boys was indomitable and most courageous. The French officers told him that they thought that the Canadians were wonderful."

The meeting opened with the singing of the National Anthem. Mr. A. M. Overholt then introduced the chairman of the Board of Education, J. W. Shapperson, stated that he was delighted to be present at this most important meeting. He introduced the Rev. C. E. Jenkins to the pupils. Mr. Jenkins read an address to Mr. Cody on behalf of the Board of Education. Dr. Cody was then introduced by Mr. Overholt.

Dr. Cody stated that it was a pleasure to come to Brantford and preside at the Collegiate. He thanked the Board for the welcome extended to him on his visit to the city. The speaker said that he had always tried to do his best in his work. He noted the presence of ladies on the Board and was glad to see it. When he first became Minister of Education he decided to get out into the Dominion and visit the schools instead of sitting behind a desk and writing letters. He said that he wanted to meet the Boards and the pupils of the schools. The rules are laid in the Parliament buildings it is true, but they are a little strict in this regard for the good of the boys and girls who have to obey them.

All have recognized through the war that education is the most important factor in the country for the building up of the nation. The students are the coming men of the nation. The students should obtain their education and without this education the land would be in a bad state of affairs. It is not only books that make an education, it is also the trained mind, the trained hand, and the training with the books that combine to make sufficient education for the great undertaking of life.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN ODESSA LAST WEEK

By Courier Leased Wire Odessa, Friday, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press)—Serious rioting occurred here last night when elements opposed to the hetman of the Ukraine burned the city prison. Five persons were killed. Eight hundred prisoners, most of them adherents of the hetman's regime, were released.

BOLSHEVIST POSITIONS BOMBARDED BY BRITISH

Naval Squadron Opens Fire on Russ Forces Along the Southern Coast of the Gulf of Finland—Advantage on Assertion Front Halted

Stockholm, Monday, Dec. 16.—An English squadron has bombarded Bolshevik positions along the southern coast of the Gulf of Finland, according to an official statement issued from the Estonian army headquarters. Bolshevik forces have been repulsed, according to the report. The text of the statement reads: "An English squadron in the Gulf of Finland bombarded front and rear positions held by Bolshevik forces. The enemy's advance on the assertion front has been stopped. The mobilization of the Estonian army is progressing satisfactorily and Allied support is strengthening the spirit of the people."

BERLIN CHILDREN HELD REFORM DEMONSTRATION

Boys and Girls Paraded With Red Flags Demanding Share in Government, and the Removal of Ebert and Scheidemann From Office

Berlin, Monday, Dec. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Several hundred boys and girls paraded through the streets of the city today on their way to the Reichstag building, where the soldiers and workers' congress is being held. They demanded, among other things, the abolition of corporal punishment in schools and the participation of children in the administration of the government and schools. The marchers carried red flags and incendiary placards. A 17-year-old lad made an address warning the executive committee of terrible consequences if the juvenile program was not carried out. The chairman of the executive committee declared his sympathy with the children's demands; later the procession gathered in the Square in front of the Reichstag building, where youthful orators demanded the removal of Premier Ebert and Philipp Scheidemann from office, opposed the convening of the National Assembly and threatened a juvenile strike throughout Germany if their demands were not immediately accepted.

Light on Political Situation. London, Dec. 16.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Some light on the muddled political situation in Germany may be gained by an analysis of the revolutionary forces now at work. There are three distinct parties contending for supremacy, the Social Democrats, the Independent Socialists and Spartacus or Bolshevik group. The Social Democrats are the old Scheidemann Party. Throughout the war they worked hand in hand with the so-called "middle class" and Socialist parties. When the revolution occurred they wished to continue this co-operation and establish a coalition government representing the old Reichstag coalition majority. They may be called the extreme right or Conservative element of the revolutionary movement. But owing to the opposition their program encountered, a compromise was made with their chief rivals, the Independent Socialists, led by Hugo Haase, George Ledebour and Carl Kautsky. The Independents oppose co-operation with non-Socialists, but they have consented in their agreement with the Social Democrats to make the establishment of a Socialist state dependent upon a straight vote of the majority of the people. Like the Social Democrats they are in favor of constitutional procedure. They may be termed "centre" party.

The extreme left is the mysterious Spartacus group formed in the fall of 1916. It gets its name from an anonymous political letter signed Spartacus sent out by Karl Liebknecht for the personal information of the radical element among the Social Democrats. These letters first distributed in 1915 took the form a year later of an illegal, secretly published periodical bearing the name Spartacus. It denounced both the Social Democrats and the Independent Socialists. The aim of the Spartacus group is to put an end to the capitalist system, Liebknecht and its other leaders are said to be trying to bring about a dictatorship of the proletariat by force of arms. The group is the German equivalent of the Russian Bolsheviks.

More or less Allied with the Spartacus are the two other extreme radical groups, the "Internationals" and the "International Socialists of Germany." The "Internationals" named after a publication which the party organizers tried to start in 1915, is led by Franz Meiering, a well-known publicist and by two women, both orators and writers, Rosa Luxemburg and Clara Zetkin. Juliana Borchardt is believed to be the leader of the International Socialists of Germany, but the group has not been appointed for western Ontario up to this time.

STEAMER EXPECTED By Courier Leased Wire Halifax, Dec. 17.—The steamer Regina from London, December 12, is expected to arrive here December 21, with 41 officers and 2039 other ranks.

A Natural Gas Commission has figured apparently in the revolution being appointed for western Ontario up to this time.

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THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

CHAPTER CII
 Ruth learns that Mandel loves her. Ruth held her breath. Oh, why had such a thing happened? Mr. Mandel had been so good to her, and through her he would lose this wealthy customer. Perhaps too he would think it partly her fault that this man had acted as he had—that she had in some way encouraged his advances.

With an unpleasant sneer on his face, the customer had replied to Mandel's threat to throw him out if he did not go at once.

"You wish to keep everything for yourself, I suppose. I must congratulate you upon your taste," then before Mandel, who had turned purple with anger could reply, he turned and walked swiftly away.

"Come in here," Mandel said to Ruth as he opened the door of his private office.

He pushed an easy chair toward her and she sank weakly into it, her eyes filling.

"I'm so sorry—I—"

"Please do not explain," Mandel interrupted. "I saw and heard enough to know that no blame could possibly attach to you."

"But—I have lost you a good customer."

"Never mind that. I would not have had this happen for all the customers in New York. You are more to me, Ruth—than any customer—more than anyone in the world. You know that—I have not been able to hide it from you. And when I saw that man offer you insult, it was almost more than I could stand. You are not offended with me, too, are you dear?" Ruth had covered her face with her hands. "A good man's love never hurt any woman, even though it cannot be returned."

His voice had trembled a little at the last. He feared he had been precipitate, even though he had waited

so long to tell her of his love. But he was sure Brian cared nothing for Ruth; that he was unfaithful, and which so often of late had shown traces of tears, signs of which she was unconscious, had added to his feeling that in time he would win her for his own.

"Oh—please," she begged, lifting her face to him and letting him see the pleading in her eyes.

"Forgive me," he was contrite in a moment. "But you will understand how upset I was when I saw your distress and you will forgive me like a leaf, and opening a small cello in the corner, he gave her a glass of wine.

"I drained it eagerly. Desperately did she long to recover her voice, to show this man that he too had offended her by speaking as he had, and yet, in a way, she was so grateful to him that she was not really angry.

"I think I will go—if you think I can be spared," she said haltingly because "—to—leave—me—"

She nodded.

"Ruth, Mrs. Hackett, won't you accept my apology and let things be as if I had never spoken? I promise I shall not offend again."

Ruth was of course unconscious of the mental resolution he had made that he would say nothing more while she remained with Brian. He really believed this a matter of a short time; and he was a very patient man.

"I should love to stay if—"

"You may trust me. Now I am going out to talk to Lamonte. Stay here until you have fully recovered." And without a backward look Mandel passed out leaving Ruth sitting alone.

"Oh, what shall I do?" she moan-

ed. Ruth had sensed the desire, the love in Mandel's voice, and it had distressed her. Not entirely because she had no right to listen, but because she had hurt this man, who had been so good to her. Hurt him because he loved her. Her mind flew to Brian. What would he think he knew of the morning's happenings? He would surely say she had been to blame, if for no other reason than because she had gone to work against his wishes. She must not tell him. It would be the first thing she ever had kept from him, the first secret between them.

For an hour Ruth remained quietly in Mandel's private office. The door opened and the office boy came in with a large letter which he placed upon the desk before her; and then again she was alone. She lifted the napkin and a delicious luncheon dainty and appetizing was revealed. Her eyes filled again at this mark of thoughtfulness, and half an hour later when she thanked Mandel for it, she told him with a tremulous laugh that she had watered it with her tears before she could eat, and all because of his kindness.

Then she went back to her desk. But all that afternoon she carried thoughts of Mandel in her heart, kind thoughts almost obliterating what the other man had said and done, and in a measure winning her to look upon what her employer had said to her in a different spirit from the one she had been in while he talked. She would not tell Brian, she decided on her way home.

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GERMANY BLUNDERED IN ENTERING WAR

Should be Ready to Admit Mistake, Says Duchess Anastasia

By Courier Leased Wire
 Geneva, Sunday, Dec. 15. (By the Associated Press)—Germany made a great blunder in entering the war, and should admit that she was in the wrong, declared the Grand Duchess Anastasia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, mother of the former German crown princess, in an interview today. The Grand Duchess, who is a Russian and a cousin of the late Russian emperor, came to Geneva at the outbreak of the war and is now about to go to the Riviera for her health. She had many relatives fighting against each other on all fronts.

"I think that Germany made a great blunder in entering this terrible struggle, not only from a humane point of view, but also for political and commercial reasons, as her commerce was prosperous," said the Grand Duchess. "Now she has lost all. Germany should recreate a political, financial and artistic nation by openly admitting: 'We are sorry.'"

The Grand Duchess said she had no news from her daughter, the former crown princess, since September, except through a letter from her eldest daughter, the Queen of Denmark, saying that the both of them were well. She made an appeal for help for the country of her birth, saying:

"If the Allies abandon Russia, Russia, the Allies do not seem to understand the situation clearly. About 70 per cent of the Russians have respect only for two things, God and the czar. The peasants do not say:

"We have no czar; whom shall we obey? It will take the population 50 years to understand the meaning of the words 'republic' and 'president.' The Russian people want one man to worship because it is their old custom, their religion and their lives. Let the allies take note and help poor Russia before it is too late."

Night Classes

The night classes at the Collegiate Institute on Tuesday evening have been postponed on account of Dr. Cody's lecture to be given in the Assembly Hall, and will be held with the other classes on Thursday night. The class in automobile mechanics will not re-open until after the Christmas holidays.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN KER, Deceased.
 Notice is hereby given that the creditors of John Ker, late of the Township of Brantford, County of Brant, Manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the Eighteenth day of October, A.D. 1918, at the said Township of Brantford, and all others having claims against or entitled to share in his estate are hereby notified, pursuant to the Statutes in that behalf made and provided, to send by post prepaid or otherwise deliver to the undersigned, the Executors, on or before the 26th day of December, 1918, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions and full particulars of their claims, accounts or interests and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. Immediately after the said 26th day of December, 1918, the assets of the said Testator will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims or interests of which the Executors shall then have notice, and all others will be excluded from the said distribution.

Rachel Ker and William C. Good, Executors.
 Brewster & Heyd, Brantford, Ont., Solicitors for Executors.
 Dated at Brantford, this 25th day of November, 1918.

DEFENDS POLICY OF INTERVENTION

Canadian Forces Needed to Restore Order in Russia, Says Mewburn

By Courier Leased Wire
 Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 16.—Gordon C. Wilson, member for Wentworth, is in receipt of a letter from General Mewburn in which the minister of militia, replies to the protest made by the county council last week against Canadian soldiers being sent to Russia. General Mewburn points out that the force is being dispatched in fulfillment of an undertaking entered into with the British Government. Its object is not to engage in offensive operations, though it may be called upon to quell local disturbances.

The importance of seeing a new

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The last German troops left Finland yesterday under command of officers of high rank.

BRANTFORD MARKET

Butter	.....	\$0.50 to \$0.57
Eggs	.....	0.50 0.68
Chickens	.....	1.00 1.50
Geese, alive	.....	0.00 3.50
Grain.		
Hay, per ton	.....	19.00 20.00
Oats, bushel	.....	0.00 0.76
Rye, bushel	.....	1.50 1.60
Straw, baled, ton	.....	7.00 8.00
Wheat	.....	0.00 2.10
Barley, bushel	.....	1.00 1.05
Vegetables.		
Beans, quart	.....	0.25 0.36
Onions, basket	.....	0.25 1.40
Green tomatoes, bas.	.....	0.00 0.25
Cucumbers, basket	.....	0.35 0.65
Cabbage, head	.....	6.05 0.10
Potatoes, per bag	.....	0.25 2 for 15
Beets, bunch	.....	0.05 0.10
Pumpkins	.....	0.05 0.15
Corn, dozen	.....	0.20 0.25
Green peppers, bush.	.....	0.50 0.60
Cauliflower, each	.....	0.10 0.25
Squash	.....	0.20 0.35
Apples, bbl.	.....	3.00 0.00

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET

By Courier Leased Wire
 Toronto, Dec. 17.—Trade at the Union Stock Yards this morning continued slow with cattle, easier. Good butcher cattle were in some cases one dollar lower than last week and medium butchers 25c to 50c lower. Common cattle and canners were unchanged. Sheep, lambs and calves were steady, while hogs were a little easier.

Receipts—745 cattle, 75 calves, 847 hogs and 765 sheep.

Export cattle, choice, \$12.25 to \$14; medium, \$12.50 to \$13.25; export bulis, \$10 to \$10.75; butcher cattle, choice, \$10 to \$11.25; medium, \$9.25 to \$10; common, \$6.50 to \$7.25; butcher cows, choice, \$9 to \$10.50; medium, \$7.25 to \$8.25; canners, \$5.50 to \$5.75; bulls, \$8.25 to \$9; feeding steers, \$9.25 to \$10; stockers, choice, \$8 to \$9; stockers, light, \$6.25 to \$6.75; milkers, choice, \$9 to \$10; springers, choice, \$9.5 to \$10; sheep, ewes, \$9 to \$10; bucks and cubs, \$4 to \$8; lambs, \$14.50 to \$15; hogs, fed and watered, \$18; hogs, l.o.b., \$17.25; calves, \$17 to \$17.50.

Sporting Comment

BOWLING.

Ramblers.						
Dennell	.....	157	150	489	
Humphreys	.....	193	164	451	
Hartsell	.....	167	142	473	
Humphreys	.....	102	142	405	
Sabin	148	149	207	504	
732				759	810	2331

Dominion Steel Products.

Waldington	.....	136	155	138	429
Waldon	.....	176	145	189	510
Hilborn	.....	193	164	148	510
Sanderson	.....	162	112	154	428
Kellett	.....	162	181	205	548
834				757	834	2425

JOFFE RETURNING TO GERMAN CAPITAL

Bolshevik Leader, Expelled From Berlin, is Back Again

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CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY

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AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture
 W. J. BRAGG, Auctioneer, will offer for sale by public auction on WEDNESDAY next, December 18th at 121 Oxford street, West Brant, at 1.30 P.M. sharp, the following goods: Mason and Ribbel upright piano; 3 piece plush parlor suite; oak sideboard; extension table; 6 chairs, china cabinet; brussels rug 9 x 10; kitchen cabinet; table; clock; glass-ware; silver ware; oil heater; glass machine; boiler; wringer; willow rug 3x4; wheel barrow; chicken house and 90 yards wire run; three iron and brass beds; springs; mattress; wool rug 3x12; dressers, commodes; parlor table; toilet set; brushes, also many other articles. Terms, cash; no reserve. All must be sold on Wednesday next, Dec. 18th, at 121 Oxford street, West Brant, at 1.30 sharp.

AUCTION SALE

Of Blacksmith Tools Household Furniture, Cows, Etc.
 I have instructed Mr. Welby Almas to sell by auction all my household effects at my late residence, Burt's Corners, on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19th, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following:
 Blacksmith Tools—Anvil, blower, true iron, taps and dies, tapping machine, tire setting platform, wagon maker's bench, a quantity of bolts and arvil tools, chains, crow-bars, forks, shovels, hand cultivator, vise Household Furniture—Bedroom set, kitchen set, kitchen table, Radiant Home heater, side board, center table, bureau, pictures, dishes, cooking utensils, clock, beds, springs and mattresses, writing desk, easel, 16 chairs and 2 rockers, many tools and small articles not mentioned here.

AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK.
 W. Almas, auctioneer has received instruction from Ed. Roberts to sell at his farm on the Burford road on Friday December 20th.
 Horses—One Percheron Filley rising 4 years. One Percheron Pille rising 3 years. One Percheron Colt rising 2 year. 2 general purpose Colts 2 and 3 years.
 Cattle—65 head, 22 cows, grade durance and grade Holsteins. All supposed to be coming in in Dec. Jan., Feb., and March. 15 heifers, 2 years old. 20 heifers and steers rising 1 and 2 years. 10 heifer calves.
 Pigs—35, four Brood sows supposed to be coming in 12 shoats about 150 lbs. 1 good chester white, male 175 lbs.
 Sheep—70, good Shropshire and Leicester sheep, and some first class young Shropshire rams.

AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture
 On Friday afternoon next, Dec. 20th, the auction rooms, 179 Colborne St., opposite the market, a quantity of used household furniture consisting of tables, writing desk, cupboards, beds, dressers, sideboard, chairs, rockers, sewing machine, organ, 3 gas heaters, mahogany writing desk, brass table, Happyton

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Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of Cecil Howard Shellington, late of the Township of Burford, in the County of Brant, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the statute in that behalf that all persons having any claim against the said deceased, who died on or about the Fourth day of November, 1918, at the Township of Burford, are hereby required to send or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for the Administrator, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 11th day of January, 1919, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which his solicitor shall then have had notice, and the Administrator will not be liable for such assets to any persons of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

BREWSTER AND HEYD, Solicitors for Administrator, Dated at Brantford this Eleventh day of December, A.D. 1918.

Dr. Martel's Female Pills

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Your Problems Solved

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.
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Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart's problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious care that perplexes you. If a personal answer is required, enclose a five cent stamp. No names will be published; if you prefer, sign your initials only, or use a pseudonym.

Parental Responsibility: "A Mother" wants to know whether parents are responsible when their children do wrong. Parents are not responsible for the conduct of their grown-up children provided they have set a proper example before them and have trained them in the right. However, when children do turn out wrong in after life, that they have not had proper parental training. To the extent that you are responsible for the after life of your children. Even in such a case there is no use to wring your hands, start right away to repair the fault of the past.

Notes and Comments: Coalition Governments are proper capers just now and Roumania is to have one. The term of course has no reference to the fuel shortage everywhere.

Canada as the Home for Future Millions: Hon. James Calder, Director of the Department of Colonization and Immigration, said during the course of a recent speech:

"The biggest job which Canada must accomplish within the next ten years is to get people into the country to develop the wonderful natural resources which are ours. Taxes are bound to be heavier after this war; and unless we develop our natural resources and secure new settlers to carry part of the burden, people will be moving out, instead of coming in. Do not think we are facing bankruptcy—for we are not. Do not imagine that the burdens of the future will be so staggering that we will be unable to bear them. At the same time we are confronted with the vital necessity of developing our natural resources if the country is to achieve permanent prosperity."

He further added that in his opinion the Dominion could sustain in comfort and with a high standard of living 50,000,000 people instead of the seven millions at present here.

Major-General A. D. McRae, C.B., of Vancouver, deals with the same subject in a comprehensive manner. A railroad builder, and man of large finances he had been intimately associated with immigration in the West when he went to the war in 1914, and he is well entitled to deal with the possibility of future citizens both from the Dominion and European standpoint. He points out that there will not be any arrival of immigrants during 1919 as all shipping will be required for the transference home of the soldiers. After that he considers that under proper circumstances there should be a considerable influx and he says on this head:

"On the basis of pre-war colonization, Canada might look forward to an immigration from Europe in the first five years following the war of three million peoples. Two-thirds of such an immigration would be suitable only for the industrial needs of the Dominion, and consequently cannot be received until a new development creates a demand for the same. A careful survey of present conditions in Great Britain justifies the expectation that with an aggressive colonization Canada should secure during the next five years from Great Britain alone a selected immigration of at least 1,000,000 people, who would bring with them in cash or credit an average of \$1,000 each. This new wealth would aggregate half of our present interest-bearing debt. Canada's total immigration during the next five years, even on a much restricted basis, should bring cash into the country far in excess of our entire national debt. Such new credit will go far to offset the balance of trade which, with the discontinuance of the manufacture of munitions and the possibility of an industrial depression, is likely to be against Canada again, in the near future. The developments resulting from such immigration would add greatly to our national wealth, reduce the burden of our taxes, increase our industrial and commercial activities, and in one way or another absorb all of our present war forces. We have nothing to fear from our present national obligations if we quickly develop the natural resources of our country.

It will be noticed that he and Hon. Mr. Calder are in complete accord with regard to the fact that many more settlers will be needed to reduce the taxation burden and the authorities at Ottawa should certainly leave no stone unturned in order to help bring about such a result. Canada has all kinds of advantages to offer in the matter of land, natural resources and cit-

Distinguished Visitor.
 Dr. Cody, the new Minister of Education for Ontario, is most deservedly receiving an exceedingly hearty welcome upon his first visit to Brantford in his official capacity. To him belongs the unique distinction of having had the office seek him, for he was not even a member of the Legislature, and did not possess any aspirations in that regard, when Premier Hearst prevailed upon him to become a member of the Provincial Cabinet.

He is a man of ripe scholarship, broad-minded views, great executive ability and in addition possesses oratorical abilities of a very high order. The feeling is general that no better choice could have been made for the important post which he now occupies and that the future will abundantly demonstrate this to be the case. There is certainly room for many improvements upon a common sense basis.

REPORT CONTAINED ELSEWHERE
 In this issue with reference to Brantford Waterworks is worthy of the close attention of every citizen.

THE ALLIED ARMIES CONTINUE TO OCCUPY GERMAN SOIL WITHOUT ANY TROUBLE AND IT IS REPORTED THAT THE PEOPLE OF THE RHINE DISTRICT ARE EVEN WELCOMING THE TROOPS AND ANXIOUS TO RE-ESTABLISH RELATIONS WITH THE BRITISH.

THE WARDROBE OF THE EX-ALL HIGH-EST HAS BEEN FOUND TO CONTAIN 598 UNIFORMS. AND TO THESE CAN BE ADDED THE UNIFORM OPINION THAT HE SHOULD GET IT WHERE MARY ANNE WEARS HER NECKLACE.

THE COURIER HAS IT ON EXCELLENT AUTHORITY THAT THE RUMORS OF A STORMY SESSION AT A RECENT MEETING OF THE G.W.V.A. ARE ENTIRELY WITHOUT FOUNDATION. IN REALITY THEY TRANSACT THEIR BUSINESS WITH THE SAME ORDERLY SYSTEM AS THAT WITH WHICH THEY WENT AFTER THE HUN.

CANADIAN VICTORY BONDS ARE ALREADY QUOTED AT RISING PRICES. THEY CONSTITUTE A GILT EDGED SECURITY, WHOSE POSSESSION SHOULD NEVER BE LIGHTLY SURRENDERED.

OLD RESIDENT OF PARIS DEAD
 Mr. Hugh Pickering, Was for Forty Years a Resident of the Town LEAVES LARGE FAMILY

Paris, Dec. 17.—(From Our Own Correspondent).—The death occurred at an early hour this morning of an old and highly esteemed resident of Paris in the person of Mr. Hugh Pickering, aged 72 years. The deceased was a native of Cumberland, and came to Canada with his parents when a child. He settled in Oxford county, but later moved to Paris, where he has resided for the past forty years. In politics, Mr. Pickering was a Liberal, and in religion he was a Baptist. His wife predeceased him some two years ago, but he leaves to mourn his loss a family of nine sons and three daughters. The deceased had been ill for a month. The funeral will take place from his late residence Thursday afternoon.

PERSONAL
 Mr. Andrew McFarland is spending a few days in Toronto.

Friends of Mrs. William Thomas will be pleased to learn that she is making satisfactory progress after a serious operation at the general hospital.

YOUR CHRISTMAS STORE.
 A splendid assortment of gifts to choose from at Brander's Drug Store, corner Market and Dalhousie streets.

IS PROMOTED.
 Mr. Clem Coles has received word from his son, Clem, junior, now in France with a draft from the 125th Battalion, that he has been promoted to the rank of corporal.

SUCH IS FAME.
 Mr. Clem Coles, the local shoe merchant, has received a letter from Belgium, in which the writer makes application for the agency of Coles shoes in Belgium. The name of the firm he had obtained from a letter head on a letter sent by Mr. Coles to France.

40,000,000 TONS OF CEREALS SHIPPED
 That Quantity Sent Through Chicago en Route East

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Chicago, representative of the middle west, to which the world has looked for its provisions, has had a great share in victualing peoples and armies during the four years of the war and the amount of provisions has passed through the Chicago gateway.

With the 1918 shipments there has been shipped from Chicago 40,000,000 tons of cereals. In the same period the meat shipments, according to the Drover's Trade Journal including, cured, canned and fresh meats amounted to more than 2,000,000 tons. Fats, including lard, butter and cheese totalled more than 1,800,000 tons.

In addition to grains, meats and fats 20,415,000 bushels of potatoes were handled out of Chicago, and 5,973,891 live hogs, 3,874,415 head of cattle and 4,166,570, sheep were shipped.

Prior to the spring of 1917 the usual agencies of trade conducted the distribution of the vast quantities of food-stuffs sent out of Chicago and contracts for provisions were made by foreign governments direct with the dealers in Chicago. With the entrance of America into the war the food administration took over the handling of provisions in quantity and the distribution was conducted under governmental supervision.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES
 By Courier Leased Wire.
 Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Today's casualty list follows:
 INFANTRY
 ILL.—W. A. Bello, St. Catharines. PRISONER REPATRIATED.—M. Gillis, not stated.
 ENGINEERS
 PRISONER REPATRIATED.—J. Robinson, Hamilton.
 CAVALRY
 DIED OF WOUNDS.—F. W. Prefitice, St. Catharines.
 MOUNTAIN RIFLES
 DIED.—A. S. Merritt, Smithville.

LOCAL NEWS

OFFICERS HOME.
 Three local officers, all members of the former 125th Battalion, returned home yesterday, in the persons of Major H. J. G. McLean, Capt. P. E. James and Lieut. Cliff Stelm.

BUSY AT POSTOFFICE.
 The Christmas rush at the local Postoffice has already begun and although there has been no increase in the staff, the labors of the present employees are being taxed by the heavy mails that are coming in.

CANNOT OFFICIATE.
 City Clerk H. F. Leonard has received word from Fred Oyle to the effect that he will not be able to act as deputy returning officer in polling station 17 at the coming municipal elections.

AT HOUSE OF REFUGE.
 Preparations are being made for the annual Christmas tree at the House of Refuge. As some of the inmates have sons and grandsons at the front, Mr. and Mrs. Storey are hoping to have an extra merry time for the old folks.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.
 Judgment was reserved by His Honor Judge Hardy at the hearing of the Roberts vs. English case at the Court House yesterday afternoon. The case consists of an action arising out of the alleged non-payment of a mortgage.

ARE SAVING SUGAR.
 No local restaurants have yet put the old sugar bowls in the open again, following the cancellation of the order forbidding it. Some of the restaurants maintain that the "free and easy" sugar bowl is gone for good.

TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.
 Revere McCann of Brantford township has definitely announced that he will stand for reeve in the coming January elections. His opponents are not yet announced, though it is thought that First Deputy Reeve Greenwood will also be in the field.

EIGHT PATIENTS.
 One new patient admitted to the Emergency Hospital yesterday has increased the number of inmates to eight. Those who are at present in the hospital are not in serious condition and all the patients are now situated in the western end of the building.

AT FUEL OFFICE.
 The coal situation in the city now seems to be very favorable. There is at present in the city a large supply of stove coal and in more moderate quantities chestnut is to be had. The supply at present is more than sufficient to meet the demand to deal with the number of orders at present coming in.

BREAKING LIGHTS.
 Since the Township of Brantford has installed the electric lighting system on its thoroughfares there have come up against the same difficulties that the city officials have confronted. The boys of the community have taken a particular liking to using the lighted globes as targets for stones and as a result the damage done to the lights has been quite extensive.

CARPETBALL.
 The Foresters' team came from behind and defeated the Maccabees 73-66 in a carpetball game last night. The score at half time was 34-23 for the Maccabees. Win. Moss captained the Foresters and F. W. Scott the Maccabees. A. B. Lee refereed. Another carpet ball game was played last night between the John Hill team and the War Veterans. At half time the score was 49-36 for the John Hill team, and at full time 105-74, also in their favor. If Aid Hill could get a team to work like that on election day, the result would be just as gratifying to him.

FOR RETURNED MEN.
 J. F. Fitzpatrick, of the 3rd and 14th battalions, will be in the city for the next three days. He is a representative of the department of Soldiers' Re-employment, vocational branch, and will receive soldiers in Secretary Hutcheon's office at the G. W. V. A. for the purpose of ascertaining whether they are eligible for class attendance of this branch. The purpose of the department is to fit soldiers for positions different from those they held prior to the war, if they were incapacitated by serving in the army. It should be understood that all men are not entitled to this course, however Mr. Fitzpatrick will be able to advise the men as to whether they will be able to qualify.

CHRISTMAS TREES
 Christmas trees made their first appearance on the market this morning, selling at from 25c. to \$1.00.

SITE FOR HOSPITAL
 Aid. Harry chairman of the finance committee, has received a letter from Judge Hardy, a trustee of the Yates Estate, advising him that it is for sale, and suggesting that it would make an excellent isolation hospital, if the city cared to use it.

RECEIVES RESOLUTIONS.
 The city clerk has received a pamphlet containing the resolutions passed by the general meeting of the Hydro-Electric Railway Association of Ontario held on November 25th.

IN ASYLUM.
 Three Brantford patients were admitted to the Hospital for Insane during the month of September. W. W. Dunlop, Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities, has written the city clerk asking for his immediate attention in this matter.

CAPT. OKE SPOKE
 The Park Baptist Young People were glad to have with them last evening Rev. Captain Oke, who gave an address in a very interesting and helpful manner. The missionary committee under the convesorship of Miss Evelyn Hext was in charge and Miss Stella Allen sang a solo which helped to pass a pleasant hour well spent.

JOIN NAVY LEAGUE
 The following list of names are the pupils of the Montessori school who have just joined the Navy League: Alice Kelleit, Mary Kelleit, Betty Hollinrake, Hilda McPherson, Isabel Secord, Sandy Secord, Buster Secord, Eva Stevens, Margaret Lochead, James Westway, Josephine Harley, Jim Hurley.

BILLIARD TOURNEY
 "Irish" Howling showed his pedigree at the billiard tourney held last night at the G. W. V. A. by obtaining 200 and defeating C. Bishop, 173. E. W. Winyard, scratch, defeated G. Bishop, received 183. Major Shultis owed 25, defeated "Wingie" Taylor, received 70. Some of the shots played by "Wingie" were masterpieces in the art of billiards, and deserves much credit.

POLICE COURT.
 In the Police Court this morning George Elliott, on a charge of false pretences, elected to be tried by the next sitting of the jury court, in June. On another charge of false pretences Matthew Jones paid the costs of the court and settled for the amount demanded. He sold oats and while so doing gave short measure. Three shoe merchants were charged with keeping their stores open after seven o'clock. They claimed, however, that they were not selling shoes, but only repairing them. They were dismissed with a warning. Mrs. Collin Patterson was charged with using abusive language and for her uncalled for oration was fined \$1 and costs.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

The advantage of a Savings Account is that it earns you Three per cent interest night and day, and you can always get your money any time you want it. Many hundreds of people make regular deposits in our Savings Department.

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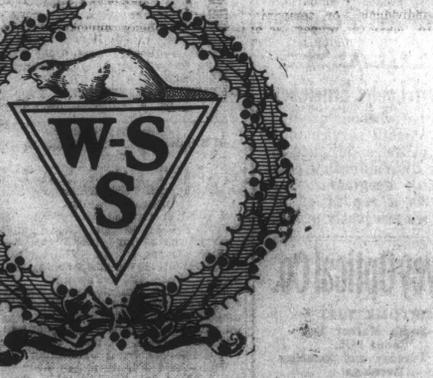
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Special Saturday Bargains

- Men's Mahogany Calf Laced Boots, Neolin Soles. Sizes 6 to 10. Regular value \$6.50. Saturday, pair... **\$4.98**
- Men's Box Calf Hockey Boots, ankle support and strap. Special Saturday, pair... **\$2.78**
- Child's Dongola Bals, cloth top. Sizes 2 to 5. Regular \$1.85. Saturday... **\$1.28**
- Women's Patent, Cloth Top Boots. Sizes 2 1-2 to 7. Regular \$4.50. Special Saturday, per pair... **\$2.98**
- Women's Elastic Side Shoes. Regular \$3.00. Saturday at... **\$2.28**
- Boys' Box Kip School Shoes, extra solid. Regular \$3.50. Saturday... **\$2.48**
- Women's Chintz Boudoir Slippers, in pink, red and blue. Special at only... **98c**

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A completion has been formed with the purpose of promoting the building of a peace bridge at Niagara Falls.



Give a WAR-SAVINGS STAMP for Christmas!

BUY a War-Savings Stamp at any Money-Order Post Office, Bank, or other place displaying the War-Savings Stamp sign. This will cost \$4.00. At the same time ask for a Certificate and affix the W-S.S. thereto.

Fill in the name and address of your friend, of your boy, girl, or other person for whom your gift is intended, and there you have the most desirable of gifts!

You might say, in presenting it, "It is worth four dollars in cash right now at any post office, but I advise you to hold it because it is the promise of the Dominion of Canada to pay you Five Dollars on the first day of 1924."

"This is a 'baby bond', earning interest, and you can make it a bigger 'bond' by saving up and buying more stamps. It is easy to buy W-S.S. because for every 25 cents you save you can get a THRIFT Stamp, 16 of which on a Thrift Card will be exchanged for a W-S.S."

After January, 1919, the purchase price of W-S.S. increases 1 cent a month—the interest earned. The cash surrender value increases also. Certificates with one or more stamps can be registered at the Post Office against loss by fire, theft, or other cause.

A gift of a War-Savings Stamp is more than a gift of cash. It may well mean the commencement of habits of Thrift, to the great benefit of both the individual and the country at large.

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LOCAL NEWS

ONE YEAR IN POWER.
Today is the first anniversary of the union government. On Dec. 17th, of last year, the coalition ministry was elected to power with a record majority.

STORY HOUR.
"The Birds Christmas Carol" was the subject of Miss Middlemiss' story to the children at the library this afternoon. On Thursday she will tell another seasonal story, Dickens Christmas Carol.

STORES OPEN.
The majority of the downtown stores remained open last night and report a very satisfactory evening's business. Only a week remains before Christmas, and all are advised to do their shopping before the eleventh hour.

STALLS AUCTIONED.
The meat stalls on the market were auctioned off on Saturday afternoon, for the coming year, and brought a total of \$2440 to be paid in weekly payments by the occupants of the stalls. W. Almas conducted the auction.

"RED" WEDS.
Friday the thirteenth has no terrors for "Red" Fisher, well known in local baseball circles, for on that day in Hamilton "Red" was married to Mrs. Irene Carey, the widow of the late Robt. Carey, who was killed in an auto accident in April.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE.
Business men attended the gym class last night. This is the best attendance for this season. The following gentlemen were appointed to organize a volleyball league in connection with the class: Messrs. W. S. Brewster (chairman), Linscott, Day, James and Boddy.

ACCEPTS POSITION.
Mr. Frank Veigh of Toronto, and formerly of Brantford, having resigned as Secretary of the War Lecture Bureau of the Government, has accepted the position of Publicity Secretary of the Forward Movement of the Presbyterian Church, and will enter upon his duties at the first of the year.

RELIEF FUNDS.
The Board of Trade acknowledges with thanks the following contributions: Belgian Relief Fund—A. Irwin (per Courier), \$2; Miss G. Raynor, \$2; Mrs. D. P. L., \$10; C. L. Gamble, \$2; per Imperial Bank, Mrs. C. Baker, \$2.50; No Name, \$2. Total, \$21.50. Serbian Relief Fund—Per Imperial Bank, Mrs. C. Baker, \$2.50.

EMBARGO COMMITTEE.
A Toronto Embargo Committee of the Canadian Railway War Board has been appointed, with authority to place all necessary embargoes against individuals or companies failing to make the proper use of railway cars for shipping purposes. This takes the place of the old system of each railway placing the embargo against the shipper, and is designed largely to facilitate prompt shipping of coal during the winter.

COUNTY COUNCIL.
This morning's session of the county council was largely taken up with the question of deciding upon a means of preventing the petty thefts that have been frequent throughout the county recently. Whether special constables will be appointed to keep boys from working mischief in stealing small things such as robes from vehicles, has not yet been decided. The session is being continued this afternoon when the business end of the year will be completed.

HEAVY MAILS.
"Nothing but English mail this morning," was the exclamation of one postman when questioned as to communications. Not only are the carriers overloaded, but inside as well the rush continues. One of the largest consignments of English mail that has been received for some time was received last night, followed by a registered mail this morning.

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Store Open Evenings from Wednesday Night to Christmas Eve

We believe with the first class service we are giving this year that our customers will be able to accomplish their shopping without making it necessary to keep open every night this week, and thus help to relieve our staff of the longer hours. We request you, however, to shop early in the day and early in the week. Please carry small parcels so far as possible.

Where Else Will You Find Such an Abundance of Cheer and Brightness?

Brantford's Great Christmas Store is a-glow with the Christmas spirit. Its fine, broad, sweeping floors are full to overflowing with beautiful Gift things—in such variety and so reasonably priced that every fancy and every purse can be satisfied. You are invited to come and enjoy the holiday displays.

Help Boys!

Your Boy Can Construct All Kinds of Steel Models and Win Honors and Prizes With

GILBERT ERECTOR

"The Toy Like Structural Steel" Give your boy a set of Erector. It has most and strongest parts of all steel construction toys. He can build things with it genuinely like the real bridges, skyscrapers, etc. that engineers build. It will teach him valuable engineering principles that he will never regret knowing even if he doesn't become a professional engineer. Come in and see what Erector is like. Ask for a copy of the holiday number of *Toy Tips* that tells how a boy can have free membership in the **GILBERT ENGINEERING INSTITUTE FOR BOYS**, with a chance to win valuable prizes, fame and honor.

ON DISPLAY FOURTH FLOOR.

Here Are Toys the Children Crave

Mecanno Toys, the educational and instructive toy for boys. Price, \$1.00 to **\$9.00**

Castle Builder, the steel constructor for boys. Priced at 50c to **\$3.00**

Mechanical Toys, so interesting to the boys, here in endless variety, including Engines, Fire Trucks, Life Boats, Ambulances, Pay-as-you-enter Cars, Moving Fans, etc. Priced at **39c**

Strong Velocipedes, nicely enamelled, adjustable leather seat, some with rubber tires. Priced at from **\$14.50**

Wonderblocks. Priced at **\$1.39**

Games of All Kinds, as Old Maid, Robinson Crusoe, Tiddly Winks, Dr. Busby, Messenger Boy, Baseball, Snap, Authors, Checkers, Pit, etc. Priced at **10c**

Blocks, graduated sizes, with pictures, letters, etc. **25c**

Teddy Bears, of brown bear cloth, large sizes. Priced at **\$4.85**

Toy Pianos, in upright style. Priced at **\$1.15** and **\$2.50**

Reed Doll Carriages, of white reed, with reed hood, rubber tires. At **\$8.75**

Black Boards, on stands, with suggestions of drawings, figures and letters that can be adjusted at top. Price, \$2.29 and **\$3.75**

Trunks, for Dolly, fitted with tray and lock, just like mother's. Priced up from **79c**

Rocking Horses, fitted with upholstered saddle, reins, etc. Priced at **\$2.75** and **\$5.50**

Dolls, Baby Dolls, Dressed Dolls, Character Dolls, Sleeping Dolls, Dolls with real hair, Celluloid Dolls. Priced up from **15c**

Toy Kitchen Cabinet, fitted with bake board, rolling pin, potato masher, canisters, etc. Just like mother's. Priced at **\$2.75**

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1-4 and 1-2-inch hems, all linen. Priced at each, 35c **\$1.00** or 3 for

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We are showing a very fine range in both men's and women's umbrellas. The handles are in the very newest styles, the ring style being very greatly favored. Covers are mostly of silk and wool, guaranteed in every respect. The Prices range from **\$1.98 to \$7.00**

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DETAILS OF GOVT. HOUSING PLAN

Legislature Will Advance Money to Municipalities to Erect Dwellings

The Dominion Government has agreed to make a loan to the Ontario Government for the purpose of assisting in the erection of workmen's homes. The Province will in turn loan to municipalities upon the following terms: Municipalities and companies incorporated under the Housing Accommodation Act (R.S.O., Chap. 220), may acquire lands and construct houses for returned soldiers and also for working men and women and those of small means. The Act mentioned will be amended to include all municipalities. The type of house to be constructed shall not exceed \$2,500 in cost for the construction of each house. The maximum cost of each house, together with the cost of the land and interest during construction, is not to exceed \$3,000.00. The building scheme of each municipality including the laying out of the land and the plotting of the houses, the form of construction and the location of the land to be developed, shall be approved by the Director of the Bureau of Municipal Affairs, or such other person or body as may be designated for that purpose. The loan will be for a period not exceeding twenty years at 5 per cent. Municipalities are not to make loans to individuals, firms or corporations except companies incorporated as before mentioned, and to persons who own their own land and desire to erect houses thereon for their own occupation, and to farmers for the erection of houses for their employees. If a municipality itself acquires land and constructs houses it will be loaned the full amount required therefor. The loan to be made to a farmer, and to a person who owns his own land, and erect a house thereon for his own occupation, to the full value of the building. Also to a person for the erection of a house on land owned by the municipality, provided the contribution in cash the value of the lot or 10 per cent. of the whole cost. The loan will be made by the Province to the municipalities on progress estimates as required. It is suggested that all houses be sold on the monthly repayment plan. The period of repayment must not exceed twenty years, and the rate of

interest 5 per cent. The monthly repayment for twenty years to cover interest and repayment of principal will be about \$20 per month for a \$3,000.00 house. Interest will be charged on arrears. The whole or any part of the principal may be repaid at any time during the twenty years. Municipalities and Housing Companies must enter into agreements for sale of such houses, and give deeds for same when the payments are completed. Said agreements for sale may be cancelled on default for three months, but a person can sell his interest in the property at any time before default. A person taking a house must covenant to repair, and to pay taxes and insurance. Municipalities are to repay the province monthly at the same rate as the above monthly repayments. These repayments to begin one month after the houses are completed. Housing Companies are to repay a municipality in the same way, and to give the municipality a mortgage upon all the land and houses for which the loan was secured. Interest to be charged on arrears in both cases. Any municipality may come under the provision of the proposed legislation after it is enacted, upon by-law being passed by the council. The council must then appoint a commission for the purposes of the Act, composed of three members, of whom the Mayor shall be one, and the other two nominated by the council, not members of the council and elected for two years, one retiring each year. It is expected that the Ontario Housing Committee will report early next year, recommending various types of houses, and provide plans and specifications for same. Also as to the laying out of the land and the plotting of the buildings thereon. Copies of such plans, specifications, etc., may then be obtained on application. Any municipality on request, will be given free expert assistance to enable it to adopt the best location and method of laying out the land, and the plotting of the buildings thereon, and the design and construction of the houses, etc. U. S. TRANSPORT LANDS. By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Dec. 15.—The giant American soldiers aboard arrived in port today after a long delay due to a heavy fog that hung over New York harbor for two days. The transport reached Sandy Hook Saturday night, but was forced to anchor on account of the weather conditions. The steamship Stockholm of the Swedish-American Line, which was forced to anchor off the Statue of Liberty last night on account of the fog, brought home a number of American refugees, who were badly treated by the Bolsheviks in Petrograd.

DRIVE "OLD HEINIE" OUT

OUR BOYS GAVE DENAIN BACK TO FRANCE

Soldiers Took Part In a Historic Occurrence When the Liberated Townfolk Gave Thanks For Their Deliverance — Prince of Wales Was Present and Many Touching Scenes Were Witnessed.

A REMARKABLE scene took place in Denain, which was recently captured by the Fourth Division of Canadians after severe resistance of the enemy outside and in its streets. Many hundreds of people were in the town during this battle, living down in cellars while the shell fire passed over the house-tops and machine guns made a tattoo from their windows and roofs. When the enemy retreated at last he left a number of machine gunners here as a rearguard, and these men fought to the last. When the Canadians entered to take possession of the town some French and British soldiers, a church, and then, when the last shells were fired, the civilians came out of their cellars, shouting and cheering and weeping.

While they cheered the Canadians who had rescued them, they gave the soldiers coffee, but could not offer them food, for they had none; and the Canadians did not stay, but after drinking the coffee and shaking hands with the women who patting their muddy uniforms and poured out their thanks, they said: "Now, we must be getting off after old Heinie," as they call the Germans, "as we want to finish this war, don't you see, madame?" So these hard, tough men went on again after the enemy and drove him to the outskirts of Valenciennes. But these very men returned later for a while to take part in a thanksgiving ceremony by the people of Denain, of which they were heroes. It was a touching episode in this war, and I saw that some of the soldiers from four years of service and Denain is not a pretty town. It is in the coal mining region of France, and like most coal mining villages in the world, with rows of red brick cottages beyond any other factory chimneys, leading up to the big church which is the centre of life and spirituality of the town. The church is ugly also with none of the beauty of mediæval architecture, but here is a spiritual beauty here to-day—the gratitude of many hearts redeemed by the courage of men from four years of service and horror, and thanksgiving for the mercy that had come to them somehow or other.

The people of Denain, poor though they are, still had a great feast, found or bought or made thousands of flags, British flags and French flags, and had hung them across the streets and from the windows of the houses. Outside the church, and down the high street, the Canadian soldiers of the Fourth Division were lined up, and the grim fighting men they looked in their helmets, like seventeenth century men-at-arms. Outside the church there was a group of priests in gold-worsted vestments, glinting in the sun, that pierced through the mists, and behind them a row of girls with colored ribbons and big silk bows on their heads, and each girl carried a large bouquet of flowers for one of the officers of the Canadian corps, as a tribute to the heroes.

Gen. Currie, the Canadian corps commander, and the general commanding the Fourth Canadian Division, came with their brigadiers and other generals and staff officers, and then came the British British captain, who was received with a royal salute by the Canadian soldiers. It was the Prince of Wales, and one of the Alsatian girls went to him and put a great bouquet in his arms, and he bowed low and smiled his thanks. Masses of flowers were taken to the Canadian officers, and there came up a little procession of old men in black, bearing a banner which they gave to the general commanding the division as a gift from the town of Denain to the Province of Quebec. They were veterans of the war of 1870, and for the second time they had been delivered from the Germans.

The doors of the church were wide open, and the officers and men, and women followed the Prince of Wales inside, while the priests, in their gold vestments, went to the altar and prayed God for his deliverance and day of joy. It was in the church around which there had been bloody fighting a few days ago, and in the roof over the high altar was a big shell hole, some of the men had happened there. Not far away, up by Valenciennes, the enemy was still fighting, and Denain was within range of his gunfire. But there was no sound of war in the church. There was music of women's voices, singing very sweetly old songs of praise; and on the altar the chanting of the priests. The women's voices were so full of emotion and beautiful in their harmony that all the Canadian soldiers in the church sat very still, and in their eyes, the eyes of men who have seen the worst things of war, its most bloody cruelties, there crept a melting look, and they bowed their heads below that high, thrilling melody, which was like running water, to wash away the wounds of war. One of the priests turned to the crowd of soldiers and to the young princes among them, and in a low voice said, "Merci!" And then, with an eloquence that was not studied, but came from the heart, this man, who had seen the sufferings of his people in this town, thanked British for what she had done for France, and acclaimed the valor of the Canadians, who were the rescuers of Denain, and reminded the Prince of Wales that, though in old days England and France had fought each other because of rival interests and ambitions, yet now, when the liberty

OUR FUTURE KING

Prince of Wales Is Popular With Troops. The Canadian corps is charmed with its young staff officer, the Prince of Wales. His simple manners, keen interest and gay youth win him friends wherever he goes, and this is pretty well everywhere. From the front to the rear divisions, brigade and battalion. It is an open secret that he is never so happy as when he is in the forward areas, and the A.D.C. must be the most worried man in France. He pops up unexpectedly, but his natural vivacity sets everybody at ease. It is no state secret to the main members of the Canadian Corps viewed with alarm the coming of the heir to the throne, and there was great researching into forms and address and etiquette. Now comes the Prince of Wales, and he bids fair to become the most popular young officer in the corps. Commenting on the embarrassment caused by the sudden intrusion of a single-handed until relieved. In the battle of Upton Wood, when the stretcher-bearers had many losses, the chaplain on duty labored unceasingly, carrying out our casualties from where they would be shot down in the enemy wire amid a storm of machine gunning and shelling. After our capture in the battle of Cambrai on Sept. 30, the chaplain of a Canadian regiment worked incessantly through shot and shell bringing in wounded, and for forty hours, without rest, made repeated trips to No Man's Land on his errand of mercy. Many a wounded soldier, alive to-day, owes his life to this gallant padre. When, later, all but four officers of the battalion were casualties, he labored unceasingly to keep up the spirits of the men and carried food and drink to them. Even in the heat of the battle, he raised a cheer when the saw him coming. These scenes might be multiplied, but they are sufficient to indicate the spirit of the chaplain service.

Made Hit in States. Fifty odd Canadian returned soldiers have come back to Canada after taking part in the Liberty Loan Campaign in the United States. They were distributed over a wide area in the United States and their work on the war were responsible for raising many thousands of dollars in the American loan. Soldiers went from Halifax, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver, and spoke in New York State, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia, Missouri and Washington. The arrangements were made by the War Department in co-operation with the British Bureau of Information, the Department of Militia and Defence and the Director of Public Information. That their work was appreciated is shown in a letter from the state chairman for West Virginia, who, writing in regard to three officers, said: "I do not believe that I ever met men who were more suited to this kind of work than they were. I have a very high regard for these gentlemen."

Broke the Wire. It's funny the little things you notice, writes a soldier in France. Behind me on the roof of a building a sign says private was straggling wire, and a pair of his was feeding the wire up to him. When the shell fell it knocked the ground man against the wall, but part of it struck the man on the roof with such force that it knocked off the back of his steel hat. He wasn't hurt, merely dazed. Three minutes later I saw him sitting on the roof holding the end of the broken wire in his hand. "Well," he called down to his sidekick, "I guess we'd better splice this wire."

Caught Thief In Rat Trap. Having periodically missed money from his till, Joe Pigson, a Dundas fruiterer, placed a careful sambo-trap in his till and soon after made a catch. A Russian man whose prisoned hand still clutched awad of banknotes. As the thief had three small children the tenderhearted fruiterer declined to prosecute.

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ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE AT HAMILTON

Insurance Man Held at Muskogon for Killing His Second Wife

By Courier Leased Wire. Muskogon, Mich., Dec. 17.—Further questioning to-day of Milo P. Piper, wealthy insurance man, charged with killing Frieda Weichman after a short honeymoon, although he had a wife living, was expected to clarify several obscure points developed in the case since Piper's arrest Saturday at Hamilton, Ontario. Piper was brought here from Hamilton yesterday, and added to the mystery surrounding the case by declaring that his name was used by another man in marrying Miss Weichman. He gave this man's name as "John Sheldon," adding that his objections to the use of his name were silenced by the threats of trouble. Miss Weichman was last heard from by relatives in August, 1916. A few weeks later she was identified as her only by the clothing was unearthed near a railroad crossing in Eggleston township, Mich. Piper's whereabouts at the time were unknown here and he was sought in Chicago, Detroit and other cities. He was finally arrested through a letter sent to him under the name of John Garlison at the general delivery window of the Hamilton post office. Piper's wife and mother strongly express their belief in his innocence. Chicago, Dec. 17.—Letters to relatives here of Frieda Weichman giving details of her honeymoon trip with her husband, Milo H. Piper, held at Muskogon, Mich., on a charge of killing her, were to-day forwarded to the Michigan authorities. A post card ante-dating the letters and bearing date of Rensselaer, Indiana, March 21, 1916, told of her marriage there. Most of the letters were written to her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Kincke, of Hinsdale, a suburb and bear the post mark of various places, including Henderson, Kentucky; Stone-wall, Colorado; Pulaski, Tennessee; and Hot Springs, Ark. The said letters were travelling by automobile, and were having a pleasant trip. Records of the Methodist Episcopal church at Rensselaer, Indiana, show that a man giving the name of M. H. Piper and Miss Weichman were married on March 21, 1916.

WILSON PRAISES CLEMENCEAU

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Dec. 16.—President Wilson and Premier Clemenceau touched only in the slightest manner on the problems of the peace conference in the course of a conversation they had at the Murat residence last evening, according to Marcel Hulin of The Echo de Paris. Mr. Wilson was most impressed with the Premier's personality, and is reported to have expressed himself in the most flattering terms, remarking: "He is a most prepossessing man."

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POLAND ASKS FOR ALLIED RECOGNITION

This Would Help Government to Deal With Internal Situation

Warsaw, via Vienna, Sunday, Dec. 15.—(By the Associated Press).—The Government of Poland should be recognized by all the Allied Powers in order to deal properly with the situation.

WAGES HIGH IN ODESSA. Odesa, Wednesday, Dec. 11.—Wages are very high in Odesa and amount to a confiscation of capital.

FLU IN WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, Dec. 16.—In the 48 hours, from 7 p. m. Friday to 7 p. m. Sunday, 153 new cases and ten deaths as a result of the influenza epidemic were reported to the local health authorities.

"YOU KNOW HOW THE WOMEN ARE"

Story of an American Private and His Christmas Shopping

Paris, Dec. 17.—He wanted to buy a Christmas present for his girl back home so that she could show it to all the other girls, and destroy their peace of mind because it had come from France.

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MONTREAL MEETING ENDORSED SOCIALISM

Express Sympathy With Russia and Censure Canadian Government

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Fraternal sympathy with the Soviet Government of Russia, with the Socialist Government of Germany, condemnation of the Canadian Government for banning the right of free speech, free press and assembly to Canada, a threat of stopping every wheel of industry if the order-in-council, under which this was done, was not withdrawn, all these found expression last night in a meeting held in the Auditorium Hall.

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LOST—Cheque near Wilke's Dam, Reward at Bank of Montreal. L120

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LOST—Will person seen taking Buffalo robe from Ford car in front of 541 Colborne street, return to Mitchell's Garage and save trouble. L124

LOST—Pair automobile chains. Finder please leave at the Chevrolet Garage. L12

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RECORD WHEAT CROP

By Courier Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 17.—The largest winter wheat crop ever grown in the history of the United States is promised by the enormous acreage sown this fall. The acreage is almost 18 per cent. larger than last year's and totals 49,027,000 acres. A crop of 765,000,000 bushels or 80,000,000 bushels more than the best record is forecasted by the Department of Agriculture as next year's winter wheat yield, allowing for winter killing and spring abandonment. Last year's crop was 565,725,000 bushels.

Bulgars Ask Compensation

CABLE despatches from correspondents with the Allied armies now in Bulgaria indicate that the Bulgars have not as yet decided to amend their attitude toward established facts, and to cease putting forward their usual ridiculous pretensions regarding Macedonia and Thrace.

It is apparent from the despatches sent by correspondents that these pretensions have taken a new form—the form of "compensation." This is an improvement on the past. A year ago these same pretensions took the form of extermination. Unable to muster sufficient nationals in Macedonia and still less in Thrace, the Bulgars endeavored to exterminate the Greeks, Turks and Serbs who resolutely refused to abandon their own national traditions and religion.

And so, now, the old pretensions are clothed in new and more palatable cloak of "compensation." "Let Serbia," the Bulgars say, "expand toward the north and the Adriatic, let Greece take the islands and some of the Aegean Sea, and let Bulgaria have the Macedonia which she covets." In another paragraph we read that besides Macedonia, they are convinced that both the Dobruddja and Cavalla, will be assigned to them. Apparently, then, they are unable to understand the fact that if Serbia expands to the north and the Adriatic, it is because the Balkan regions are inhabited by people who speak the same language and have the same national traditions as the Serbs; and that if Greece received the islands and the Aegean Sea, it is because the same justification holds good, seeing that the Dodecanese Islands, now under the military occupation of Italy, to which they were, until recently, Greek populations, and the district of Smyrna, in Asia Minor, for instance, contains no fewer than 245,000 Greek inhabitants.

Now everybody knows that the Dobruddja, which the Bulgars claim and which was recently wrested from Roumania by the abominable treaty imposed on the latter by the Germans and Bulgars, is inhabited by Romanians. As regards Macedonia and Cavalla, I can again quote exact figures. In the district of Cavalla, for instance (Cavalla, Drama, Nestos, etc.) there are 121,181 August, 1915, 96,042 orthodox Greeks and only 3,904 foreign inhabitants by no means always pure Bulgars. In the district of Serres, Zichne, etc., there were on the same date 68,098 orthodox Greeks and 12,260 Slavophones. Why on earth, then, should Bulgaria expand its territory inhabited by races that are entirely except Bulgarian?

It cannot be claimed that the figures quoted above as orthodox Greeks and Slavophones are for the simple reason that in that part of the world the population into clear, distinct groups. It is, therefore, as easy as locating the Greeks in the Balkans, being under the jurisdiction of the Greek Patriarch in religion, and naturally Greek in tradition and national consciousness, will be found in the Greek churches, where divine service has been held in the Greek language from the day when Saint Paul landed at Salonica. The Bulgars being schismatics in religion, and under the jurisdiction of the Bulgarian church, do not attend the Greek orthodox churches. The dividing line is, therefore, clearly and definitely marked. Nothing that the Bulgars have said or will say can alter established facts and no method, whether old or new, whether in the form of extermination or compensation, can justify their claims to territories in which they are aliens from every point of view.

FOR SALE

A St. Louis man, who was arrested, had a picture of his Sunday school teacher and one of a burlesque actress on his person. The Philadelphia Telegram has discovered a man whose diet is cream puffs and pig's feet. We know of a baseball writer whose hobby is Shakespeare.—Buffalo News.

Chinese Mouth Organ.

The Chinese have a singular instrument called cheng or mouth-organ. It is a circular bundle of small reeds of different lengths, pierced with finger-holes at proper distances, and communicating with a common air chamber beneath. The notes are produced by stopping the holes with the fingers.

Just to Oblige.

"Why did you put up your city hall to look like an ancient castle?" "Well, the movie people pay a good bit of taxes here, and they said it would be a great help in filming medieval scenes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Self-Denial.

You must practice self-denial if you would get well and keep well. There is no other way—no short cut or royal road to health. Do not permit yourself to be deluded on this subject.

And the "Wise" Do It.

Perhaps one reason why fools are always rushing into trouble is because they seem to know they can always call to the wise to come and help them out.—Detroit Free Press.

Rather the Reverse.

To see some small soul prouetting throughout life on a single text, and judging all the world because it cannot find a partner, is not a Christian sign.—Professor Drummond.

Lots of Tin.

Most of the world's sources of tin ore are either stationary or receding in output. Bolivia, of all countries, giving promise of permanency and future growth.

Impossible.

You could not persuade a man that a homely criticism is good manure.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Daily Thought.

There is nothing so powerful as truth; and often nothing so strange.—Daniel Webster.

Daily Thought.

A woman may insist on having the last word in an argument, but even after you've granted her that you've got to be mighty careful or she'll start another argument.—Exchange.

Daily Thought.

No man can justly condemn or tolerate another, because, indeed, no man truly knows another.—Sir Thomas Browne.

Fresh.

Fish Dealer—Fresh, mummy. Why the unfortunate fish breathed his last just as it saw you, comin'—Boston Evening Transcript.

The Other Way Round.

Either success or failure comes to those who stray away from the beaten path.—Winnipeg Telegram.

Area of Greenland.

Corrections made recently in maps of Greenland have shown it to be about 150,000 square miles larger than formerly believed.

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