

May Gazette

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NOTICE!

\$1.50 RATE AUGUST 1st.

In accordance with previous announcements, the subscription price of the Gazette will be raised to \$1.50 per year on the 1st of August next. The large increase in the cost of everything which goes into producing a newspaper makes this increase in price absolutely necessary.

We will be pleased to receive new and renewal subscriptions at the \$1 rate up to the 1st of August and as a further inducement to new subscribers we will send the Gazette to January 1st, 1917, for 40 cents providing order is placed with us prior to August 1st.

The \$1.50 rate for weekly newspapers is being adopted in nearly all parts of the Dominion. The publishers, to keep in pace with the constant increase in prices, need additional revenue in order that they may make both ends meet.

Hot Weather

Old Sol has roasted saint and sinner during the past week. The mercury has been climbing the scale with a facility born of frequent practice. It begins about nine o'clock in the morning with a little over 70 degrees, and with that as a basis reaches 90 by noon, and gradually creeps up to about 95. About five o'clock p. m. it begins to fall away from its perch.

Patriotic Meeting.

Lt. Col. Williams, chief recruiting officer of Canada, addressed a meeting of the ladies of Walkerton on the 20th inst., dealing with recruiting problems. Mr. Williams has called a meeting of the ladies of Military District No. 1, at London on Tuesday, August 1st, and has asked for representative ladies from each important point in the County of Bruce to discuss such problems. The Mildmay ladies are requested to meet as soon as possible to elect one or more delegates to attend this convention.

Predicts Early Victory.

Lloyd George, the head of the British War Office, predicts an early victory for the Allies. In his speech in the House of Commons last week he said:—"Numbers and all other resources are on our side." There was only one fear—that years of training and thought on the part of a great military power might be something that might be insuperable. Our men have demonstrated that it is not so, and that British resourcefulness and intelligence are, as in fields of commerce in the past, when they have been able to snatch victory out of what appeared to be complete commercial disaster. Going to snatch victory again in a few months from what appeared at one moment to be something that was invincible.

The Forestry Battalion.

A military unit whose ideals and aims should appeal to any man anxious to do his bit for the Empire, but who still does not feel like trusting himself to the hazardous life of the trenches, or with any of the fighting forces, is the 239th Forestry Battalion, which under the command of Lieut. Col. W. R. Smyth, M. P. for Algoma, has recently received authorization to recruit all over Ontario and as far west as the Pacific Coast. While the military duties of the Foresters will not carry them into the fighting zone, the services which they will be called upon to perform are just as essential to the saving of the Empire as is the actual fighting in which other units must engage. It will be remembered that a short time ago the 224th Forestry Battalion, the first of its kind to be raised in Canada, was sent over to England to cut down the forests of Great Britain in order to keep the men at the front supplied with the necessary timber for the building of trenches, bridges, railways, dugouts, and for the hundred and one other uses to which timber must be put on the firing lines. This unit is now engaged in trimming out the historic forests of Windsor, but as they are unable to turn out enough material for the front the call has been sent out for two similar battalions to be raised in Canada, and one of them, the 239th, is now making its appeal all through this district for young farmers, teamsters, sawyers, lumbermen, mill-hands, and any other person who thinks he is husky enough to play his part in the forestry work.

Building Observation Tower.

The Dominion Government is erecting a huge observation tower on a high hill on James Kemp's farm on the first concession of Carrick. The structure is to be about 75 feet high, and can be seen for miles around. Enormous quantities of lumber are being used in its construction. The tower is being built for the purpose of taking observations to correct former maps and surveys. Mr. Kemp's hill is said to be the highest point of land in the southern part of Bruce.

Bought Threshing Outfit.

Messrs. Frank, George and Joseph Kueneman, in company with Mr. H. Ebel, general salesman of the George White & Sons Co. of London, and Philip Lobsinger, local agent, motored to London with the intention of purchasing a threshing outfit. Frank found everything satisfactory, and bought a 25 horsepower rear mount engine and a White Separator complete with cutting box and chaff blower. Frank has been threshing in Carrick for the past eleven seasons, and has always tried to please his customers, and will now be in better shape than ever to do so.

Lightning Does Damage.

A very heavy rainstorm, accompanied by vicious lightning, passed over the southern section of Carrick last Thursday evening. The rain fell in torrents, and the lightning was alarming. Ignatz Hinsperger's barn was struck and badly splintered, and a brood sow in the stable got the tail end of the shock, completely paralyzing it. Another stroke hit Mrs. August Kleista's chimney on the Elora road. The chimney was wrecked and the wall slightly damaged. The current then was carried off by the telephone ground wire. A brood sow on the premises of Jos. Vogar was killed by lightning, and William Dahms is also reported to have lost a horse during the storm. Several other smaller losses are also reported.

Peculiar Poisoning Case.

Jas. Burnett, who lives near Clifford, had a rather mysterious experience last Friday. After having eaten a plate of oatmeal porridge for breakfast, he went to Clifford to do some shopping. His mother-in-law, Mrs. McManis, who lives with him, took her breakfast a little later and detected a peculiar taste in the porridge, but not suspecting anything serious, gave it to the dog to eat. In a very short time the animal died, and Mrs. McManis, becoming alarmed, telephoned to Mr. Burnett at Clifford to ask him if he felt any evil effects of his breakfast. Mr. Burnett said he was feeling all right, but after dinner he took suddenly ill, and two doctors were called to attend to him, one of whom was Dr. Clapp of Mildmay. They found him suffering from what looked very suspiciously like strychnine poisoning, but they succeeded in getting him over it. The whole affair has stirred up a good deal of excitement in the neighborhood. The oatmeal was bought from a local store, and how it came to contain the poison is a mystery.

War Summary.

German military writers state that the present struggle on the western front cannot continue long by reason of the great losses suffered by both armies. They believe that the Franco-British advance will be brought to a standstill, as all other offensive operations have been on the western front during the past twenty months, because no General is prepared to pay the price in men's lives that must be paid to break the opposing lines. This is not the British view. General Haig continues to push along day by day, making gains of more or less importance against a constantly growing German army which has now many more heavy guns at its disposal than when the struggle began. No estimate of the losses of either side is obtainable. The London correspondent of the New York Tribune lifts a corner of the censorship curtain when he states that the casualty lists published in London on Monday contained nearly six thousand names of officers and men killed, wounded and missing. It is added that not since the stubborn fight of the original advance on July 1 have so many names appeared as on Monday. The British losses may reasonably be estimated as averaging four thousand a day. The Germans, it is believed are suffering quite as heavily, for they are counter-attacking continuously and with great vigor along the British front. On that part of the battle-line where the French are opposing the Germans the losses are not quite so heavy in killed and wounded, but for some reason the Germans there surrender more freely than they do to the British. Paris reports the capture of 20,000 prisoners, but this probably includes those taken on the British front.

The Gazette is always anxious to publish interesting items contained in letters from the front by local people, and all letters placed in our care for this purpose will be taken due care of and returned to the owners. We do not publish these letters complete, but make mention of interesting extracts which are contained in nearly every letter from the firing line. This matter makes interesting and appreciative reading.

B. C. Rhodes Scholarship.

Mr. Edward Weldon Berry, a third year graduate of the University of British Columbia, and a son of Mr. John W. Berry, a former resident of Mildmay, has been accorded the honor of being chosen as this year's Rhodes scholar from British Columbia. The Rhodes scholarship, as is generally known, comprises a four-year course at Oxford University, England, and is accorded to the graduate who is considered by the committee entrusted with the choice, to be the best all-round scholar in the province each year. Mr. Berry ranked slightly the highest in merit of any of the candidates and was the unanimous choice of the committee for the scholarship. He is probably as yet unaware of the honor that has been conferred upon him as, at last accounts, the Queen's battery of artillery, to which he became attached to some time ago, had completed its training about a month ago in England and crossed over to France. By this time he is in all probability engaged along with the thousands of other British guns, in blasting a way for the advances of the British Tommies on the Somme front or elsewhere on the western battle line. Under the present conditions, of course, the new Rhodes scholar will not have to take advantage of the honor that has been conferred upon him this year. Arrangements have been made to hold any scholarships conferred during the period of the war until a sufficient time after peace has been declared so that those serving with the colors or prevented otherwise from taking the course may do so later.

NEUSTADT.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rahn and family of Elmira spent a week's holidays with friends and relatives in town.

The Misses Florence and Charlotte Weinert are spending a week's holidays in Berlin and St. Clements.

Miss Anna Huether is spending a week's holidays in Wiarton.

Miss Lillian Seigmann of Toronto is spending her vacation at her home here. Miss Seigmann is a milliner with the R. Simpson Co.

Mr. Otto Weppeler spent a few days in Hamilton and Toronto last week.

Mr. John Eckenswiler returned home last Wednesday evening. Johnny has formerly been a bugler in the 160th Battalion.

Mr. Herbert Weinert left last Thursday morning for Galt where he has secured a position at the G. T. R. station there. Herb had formerly worked at the G. T. R. station here for four years. Herb had always been a sport and will be missed by the boys.

Mr. Henry Haehnel of Detroit is spending two weeks holidays with his mother here.

A number of our sports from town attended the dance in Carleton Place Wednesday evening and report a good time.

FORMOSA.

Mr. Lorne A. Bady, of the Telescope was in town last week on Wednesday.

Miss Lillie Scheffer is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Tara.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Opperman and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. A. Borho motored to New Germany on Saturday and returned Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Val. Weiler, Philip Weiler, Mrs. Chas. Bildstein and son Harold went to Berlin, Breslau and New Germany by automobile on Saturday.

Bobby Flachs of Hamilton arrived in town on Saturday for a short visit.

Miss Rachel Bildstein who had an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's hospital, Guelph, has returned home last Monday and is getting along nicely.

Mr. John Schurter and family and book have moved into Felix's house formerly occupied by John.

We are pleased to report that Anthony Schurter who was last week is improving.

The Mildmay juvenile basketball team played the return match with here last Tuesday, and won with the score of 22-9.

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A Tenderfoot's Wooing

By CLIVE PHILLIPPS WOLLEY
(Author of "Gold, Gold in Cariboo," Etc.)

CHAPTER XXIV.—(Cont'd.)

"Thank you, Anstruther. Will you take his feet? Here, Rolt, strike a light. We've got to chance their shooting."

Rolt struck one, and in the short gleam of it the others saw Jim and Anstruther lift the body from the floor and put it upon the table where the red fire had been.

"That's the first to go," muttered Jim. "Always wanted the leaf and would have it. Shot through the head from behind. Some of the devils must have been behind when he lit his fire."

"I heard no shoot."

"Not likely to with the noise we were making. What's wrong with your neck, Anstruther? Cut it?"

"Just touched, I fancy. I got it when they hit him. Shall we take him into the house?"

"Better not, and better say nothing about it to them upstairs. We can't do any more for him now, Boss," and Jim drew a large worked table cover over the dead man's face and turned to see that the barricades were as strong as they could be made.

When he was at his post again he drew from his pocket that which the doctor had given him. It was a common playing-card and on it was written in pencil a London address. Beneath this the doctor had written in big letters which wandered uncertainly over the blank space: "So long, Jim. See you again some day."

"So he knew it was coming, did he?" mused Jim, "and he took it all back at the last, all his talk about science and annihilation of matter. Well, I guess the Handicapper knew the Doc's handicap, and will be the best judge of his running."

And then, as he looked out in the reddened gloom, whilst his eyes tried to pierce through the fog, his mind tried to peer into that Next Room where the doctor now was, and if he failed to place the doctor, he at least managed to place himself. He saw the triviality of the things which had so embittered him for the last few days, and even confessed to himself that when it came to fighting, his rival was not much of a muf after all. If that which had made the scratch on Anstruther's neck had been an inch or two to the left Jim Combe felt that his memory of the last few days would have been a load for him to carry all the rest of his life. But the first grey light of the morning brought Jim back from the Unknown to the present with a shock. As the mists rolled away the temporary absence of the Indians was explained. They had withdrawn to gather force for their real attack. Whatever answers to the fiery cross amongst the red men had been flying around the country in the last two days, and Jim Combe had never known until that moment how many Indians there were scattered through the timber of British Columbia.

The hog's back was dotted with their camp fires and tents; a line of them stretched across the big meadow; another body of them held the road to Sa'a Creek. The ranch was as regularly invested as if its foes had been European troops instead of mere redskins. With infinitely more cunning than even Combe had given them credit for, the Chilcotens had allowed the white men to return unmolested to their lair, only to find themselves in a trap from which there appeared to be no escape unless Toma or Fairclough had won through and could bring help.

Until this last morning Jim had felt certain that one or other would succeed in getting through; but now, seeing the methodical way in which the Indians had conducted the campaign, he not only doubted, he disbelieved it, and when he met Kitty a little later, her pretty face pale and troubled, a great wave of pity and remorse almost unmanned him.

In his anguish of mind he tried to speak to this little friend in the old way that had been so dear to both of them, but his tongue failed him, and she, not realizing that it was the old Jim, treated him with the coldness he had been at such trouble to teach her.

CHAPTER XXV.

You cannot hide death any more than you can escape it. There is a subtle influence which spreads from a devil man so that even the dumb beasts feel and acknowledge it, and this atmosphere of horror has spread through the ranch house in spite of the men's reticence.

The women knew, though they asked no questions. Their eyes cumbered when they gathered for their morning meal; but if they guessed nothing.

Scarcely a word passed between them until the men gathered in the room after the meal, and for a while no one spoke. At the moment the besieged place, everyone knew that they were surrounded them was their destruction but a few hours.

"The men had better sleep in watches during the day, Jim. We shall want all hands on guard to-night; if Toma does not bring help before then. Horsely and his posse could hardly get through by daylight if they came."

Jim made no reply.

"Don't you think that they will get here to-day?"

In spite of his courage there was a shake in Rolt's voice which he could not hide. For himself he cared little; but the thought of the sweet woman who was all the world to him broke the strong man's nerve.

"It's no good fooling ourselves, Rolt, any longer. No. I don't think any of our messengers are alive to-day."

The younger Fairclough turned very white, but he pulled himself together, and laughed bravely.

"You don't know my brother, Combe. There's no fear that any pack of niggers will wipe him out."

"I hope not. He is a good man and I darsay that you are right, in which case we shall have help before nightfall, but we must not calculate upon that. We've calculated too much on such things already. We've got to do somethings for ourselves now, right away."

"That's talking," assented Al, "and there's only one thing we can do."

"What is that?"

"Shoot the women, and die fighting, or save them."

It was brutally said, but it had the advantage of bringing the issue plainly before every one.

"How can we save them?"

"There's only one way. The Indians are all here now. If a man could get through that ring he'd have a clear course to Sody. There's five horses in the kitchen."

"But we can't leave the place unguarded."

"No, of course not, it's got to be one at a time till we do get through, and if no one gets through—well, then, Boss, we'd most os well take a turn at praying."

For a moment there was silence, and then someone asked:

"Is it to be by day-light, or at night?"

"I guess it don't make no odds," replied Al. "We should have had a good show last night, but the fog has all gone. They won't do much attacking in broad daylight, our people shoot too straight, and the Injuns know it, but they'll do mighty little sleeping at night. I'd leave that to the man as goes. Kin I have that roan as Jim rode for a first shot, Boss?"

It was said so quietly, that no one ignorant of the circumstances, would have guessed that the rough and grizzled old rider was offering his life, but the color came to the Boss's eyes as he answered:

"The stakes are mine, Al, and I play them."

"Pardon, sir, I think you forget," said Anstruther, courteously, "the stakes are not all yours. Volunteers for a forlorn hopes should be unmarried men. The captain's duty is to stay by his ship to the last. Al and Combe have had their turn. You will let me go."

"Nonsense, boy, you couldn't sit a horse now."

"Nor couldn't find his way if he did get through. See here, Rolt. It's Al or me for this job, and Al's wounded, so it's me," and Combe turned to leave the room.

But Anstruther caught him by the arm.

"No, by heaven, you don't Combe! It is for Mr. Rolt to decide. You are not master here. What do you say, sir? Will you shame me? Is it not my right? Combe went for me. The whole trouble is my fault. I can never hold up my head again if you don't let me go."

There was such a genuine ring of entreaty in the young fellow's voice that Rolt, looking at him, wavered.

He understood that, to a man like Anstruther, there might be worse things than death.

"Couldn't we settle it by drawing lots? That's what they always do in books."

It was Fairclough who spoke, and in the impasse to which they had come the suggestion met with some favor.

"If I agree to Mr. Fairclough's suggestion," said Rolt, seeing that the feeling of the meeting was with the last speaker, "it will only be on the understanding that all draw. I will waive my right to go first if you will all agree to that. Otherwise I go."

For a few minutes Combe and Anstruther tried to argue with him, but though the easiest-going man in British Columbia as a rule, Rolt could be sufficiently resolute upon occasion.

"It ain't no use argufying," said Al, irritably.

"Seems to me we had ought to know the Boss by now. He's that blank contrary that if every one else was keeping Christmas, he'd put in the day hauling gravel. May as well cut for the deal if he says so."

This settled it, and Rolt, turning to Anstruther, asked him to get a pack of cards from Mrs. Rolt.



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When Anstruther had gone to the cards, Rolt turned to Combe:

"Is it any good keeping this for the laides? They might prevent going if the lot should fall to I. Nothing else will, and I don't believe that he could sit a horse for a year. His ribs can't be knit yet."

"Don't you worry about that, Boss. He ain't used to our riding, but he's a bit of good stuff harder nor you think. Let him and give him a fair show. It's to one against his getting the lot anyway. But you kin tell the laides they aren't the sort to holler."

"Thank you, Al, old friend. I we might come in."

It was Mary Rolt herself who was having come in quietly while they were talking, with Kitty by her side whose young beauty was somewhat marred by the strain of the last days.

If any one had had time to think such things then, he might have been struck by the contrast between the two women. A face is after all the window which a soul looks through, so that whereas the pink white had fled from Kitty's cheek, the pretty curls lost their coquetry, the dimple became almost a hollow, and she herself a very wistful shadow of the spoiled darling of the ranch; in the other man the strain had only emphasized every brave line in her clear-cut face, made firmer the curve of her swollen lips, and given depth to her fearful eyes.

Rolt looked at her and in his eyes was the pride without which love is not perfect.

"You know what we are going to do, Mary, and you know that I am going with the rest?"

"Of course. You could do nothing else. I will cut first for you, Dick. Lowest deals, of course?"

She had cast the cards on the table and now stood facing the men, a slight figure, as calm to all outward seeming as if this were but the beginning of a game of bridge.

(To be continued.)

GERMAN PEOPLE SUFFER.

An Editor Blames the Newspapers for the Present Condition.

A significant light is thrown upon the present state of public opinion in Germany by the following publication published in the Tag, of Berlin, over the signature of Herr Julius Bichen, the editor of the Volkeszeitung, of Cologne:

"Even for the so-far victorious Central Powers, and above all for Germany, which carries the heaviest weight, the war is very hard.

"The battlefields are soaked with the blood of our youth, and more and more one feels the terrible void left in every domain of our life. It is not surprising that everywhere in Germany there is manifested a pessimistic opinion about our situation. The main responsibility for this state of spirit rests with the German press, which has always under-estimated the strength and courage of our enemies.

"Our German papers are responsible for the pessimism which increases every day in Germany, they also were responsible for the open-mouthed and foolish optimism not less dangerous, which preceded the present depression."

That statement suggests that they see things more plainly in Cologne than in Berlin.

The Headache Excuse.

"Does your wife suffer from headaches much?"

"Only when I want her to do some thing that she doesn't want to do."

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ITALY ADOPTS REPRISALS AGAINST GERMAN SUBJECTS

Declaration of War by the Kaiser's Government Expected to be The Outcome.

A despatch from Rome says:—A royal decree was submitted to the Chamber of Deputies on Thursday containing reprisal measures against German subjects. The decree was the result of the strained relations between Italy and Germany. The decree, which was prepared by Baron Sonnino and Signors Sacchi and Raineri, extends to the alien enemies of Italy and her allies every measure

adopted against the Austrian subjects. The first part of the decree prohibits every transfer of property. The second prohibits a recourse to law courts. The third authorizes the Government to adopt against the alien enemies of Italy and her allies additional reprisal measures. Relations between Germany and Italy will now depend upon how Germany views the decree.

WOOD WAS FULL OF GERMAN DEAD

Not Thirty Left Alive When the British Secured Possession.

A despatch from British Headquarters in France, via London, says:—Troops on the left of the recent great British advance attacked the German line which ran in front of Mesentin-le-Petit wood, and was protected by double lines of wire. British troops, however, had accounted for the wire, and before the Germans realized it the British fire was lifted from their front line and British troops were pouring over the remnants of the battered parapets.

The right of the attacking force got through this part of the programme with comparatively few losses. But the troops on the left suffered more severely, having been raked by machine-gun fire.

Behind the German front line ran a great wood, itself spanned by three successive lines of trenches, each with wire protection. These were taken one after another in a series of rushes, the men going as fast as they could in the dim light of early morning through a wood dense and choked with fallen timber, and so full of huge shell-holes that it was all climbing, jumping, scrambling and crawling. Whatever their method of going, they got there. They waited in one trench while the guns behind concentrated their fire on the next line.

When they staggered forward as soon as the guns had lifted and while the artillery went to the next. Then the process was repeated.

With alternate waits and rushes it took three hours to get through the wood. It was full of German dead and living, and at the upper end machine guns were posted which searched the open spaces between the wrecks of trees as the British troops came on. But nothing stopped them. By soon after 7 o'clock they had cleared the top of the wood and taken 300 prisoners.

The wood itself was full of dead and the Germans taken there say they believe of all the troops who were in the wood, not thirty men escaped alive.

ONTARIO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Large Increase in Attendance at Summer Course.

In 1915 the number attending the summer course for teachers at the Ontario Agricultural College was 105, while this year there are on the roll 182. Five weeks is the length of the course, and includes two years' training. The first year gives an elementary certificate and the second year the intermediate certificate in agriculture. The regular staff of the college does the teaching, but the courses are carried on under the auspices of the Department of Education. Country and city school teachers get a better idea of scientific agriculture, and the idea is to help in keeping young country people from going to the cities. The Inspector of Elementary Agricultural Classes, Mr. J. B. Dandems, is in charge of the school.

FORECAST OF CROPS IN CANADIAN WEST.

A despatch from Duluth, Minn., says:—Bumper crops for the Canadian North-west were predicted by Sir William Mackenzie, of Toronto, president of the Canadian Northern Railway, who was here on Wednesday on his way to Chicago. He said the wheat yield alone this year would be 300,000,000 bushels, and he did not think the farmers would experience much difficulty in securing help to harvest the crops.

TAX EXCESS PROFITS OF SHIPPING FIRMS.

A despatch from London says:—Announcement was made in the House of Commons on Wednesday by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Reginald McKenna, that the Government had decided to take in taxation seventy-seven per cent of the excess profits

ROUMANIA READY TO HELP ALLIES

It is Said She Will Enter the War in the Very Near Future.

A despatch from London says:—Roumania will cast her lot with the allies in the very near future. That is the belief in London. The plight of Austria, the continued successes of the Russian armies—successes that have reached and passed the Roumanian border—and the impending allied offensive from Saloniki will lead, it is expected, to the important decision. Information from Bucharest forecasts developments at almost any moment.

LATEST ZEPPELINS ARE MONSTER AIRSHIPS.

A Copenhagen despatch to the London Daily Telegraph describes the new and very powerful Zeppebins which, it says, are housed at the airship and aeroplane station in Damstadt, the most important in Germany. The new Zeppebins, the despatch says, are 820 feet long, with a gas capacity of 190,075 cubic feet, mount not only machine guns, but light pieces of artillery, have four armor-plated gangways connecting their cars, engines of 4,000 horse-power, and can make 57 miles an hour and rise to more than 13,000 feet.

SCORES OF BODIES OFF THE NORWEGIAN COAST.

Victims of Jutland Battle Floating Amid Wreckage in North Sea. A despatch from New York says:—Scores of bodies of both English and German sailors, equipped with life preservers and floating in a mass of wreckage from the big Jutland naval battle, were encountered off the coast of Norway on July 2 by the steamer Lyngene, which arrived here from Bergen on Wednesday. A fleet of small vessels sent out by the Norwegian Government were collecting the dead.

CANADA'S ENLISTMENTS NOW TOTAL 350,655.

Ontario Leads with 145,195, as Compared with Quebec's 36,890. A despatch from Ottawa says:—Total enlistments in Canada up to July 15 number 350,655, Ontario leading with 145,195. From the Toronto division alone there are 79,715. Quebec has given 36,890 men, of whom 30,186 were from the Montreal district. From the Maritime Provinces the number is 31,633, and from Manitoba to the coast 136,939.

TOOK 50 SQUARE MILES IN THE PAST FORTNIGHT

A despatch from London says:—An official eye-witness report of the Somme battle received on Thursday night from Paris states that the French troops within a fortnight have captured 50 square miles of German organizations, including fortified villages, quarries transformed into fortresses, and woods turned into redoubts. In addition, 85 guns, 100 machine guns, 26 trench mortars and great quantities of other material as yet unaccounted have been taken. The prisoners number 235 officers and 12,000 men.

LIQUOR CONSUMPTION IN CANADA DROPS.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—The consumption of alcoholic liquors in Canada dropped from 372 per capita to 745 per capita in the fiscal year just ended, according to returns issued on Thursday by the Inland Revenue Department. The consumption was about three-quarters of a gallon per capita for spirits, for beer nearly five gallons, and for wine 0.625 gallon. The consumption of tobacco also shows a falling off from 3.421 pounds to 3.329 pounds per head.

SIR VICTOR HORSLEY DIES IN MESOPOTAMIA.

A despatch from London says:—Sir Victor Horsley, a noted surgeon, died from a heat stroke in Mesopotamia on Sunday. He was born in 1857, and was created a Knight in 1902. He was emeritus professor of clinical surgery and consulting surgeon at the University College Hospital since 1906.



WHEN BIG GUNS HAVE DONE THEIR WORK. German defences leveled by shell fire in preparation for an infantry assault. Naturally nothing could stand up under such an avalanche of fire. (London Mirror photo.)

Markets of the World

Breadstuffs.

Toronto, July 25.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.22 1/2; No. 2 do., \$1.20 1/2; No. 3, do., \$1.17 1/2, on track, Bay ports.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 49 1/2c; No. 3 do., 48 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 48 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 48 1/2c; No. 2 do., 47 1/2c, on track, Bay ports.

American corn—No. 3 yellow, 89c, on track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 47 to 48c, according to freights outside.

Ontario wheat—No. 1 commercial, 98c to \$1; No. 2, do., 95 to 97c; No. 3, do., 89 to 91c; feed, 87 to 88c, nominal, according to freights outside.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, \$1.25 to \$1.30; according to sample, \$1.25 to \$1.50, according to freights outside.

Barley—Malt, nominal, 65 to 66c; feed, 60 to 62c, according to freights outside.

Buckwheat—Nominal, 70 to 71c, according to freights outside.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, \$6.50; second patents, in jute bags, \$6; strong bakers', in jute bags, \$5.80, Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, according to sample, \$4.05 to \$4.15, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; \$4.15 bulk, seaboard, prompt shipment.

Milled—Car lots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included—Bran, per ton, \$19; shorts, per ton, \$22; middlings, per ton, \$24; good feed flour, per bag, \$1.05 to \$1.70.

Live Stock Markets.

Toronto, July 25.—Choice heavy steers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; good heavy steers, \$8 to \$8.25; butchers' cattle, choice, \$7.80 to \$8; do., medium, \$7.50 to \$7.75; do., \$7.25 to \$7.50; butchers' bulls, \$6.75 to \$7; do., good bulls, \$6.75 to \$7; do., rough bulls, \$4.50 to \$5; butchers' cows, choice, \$7.10 to \$7.35; do., good, \$6.75 to \$7; do., medium, \$6.25 to \$6.75; choics, \$5.50 to \$6.25 to \$6.40 to \$7.25; feeders, dehorned, \$3.75 to \$4.75; milkers, choice each, \$70 to \$80; do., common and medium, each, \$40 to \$60; Springers, \$50 to \$90; light ewes, \$7.50 to \$8.25; sheep, heavy, \$4.50 to \$5.35; Spring lambs, per lb., 13 1/2c to 14 1/2c; calves, good to choice, \$9.50 to \$12; do., medium, \$7.25 to \$8.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$11.30 to \$11.40; do., weighed off cars, \$11.65 to \$11.80; do., f.o.b., \$11.80.

Montreal, July 25.—Export cattle, choice, \$9 to \$9.25; do., medium, \$7.75 to \$8.75; butchers' cattle, choice, \$7.25 to \$8.25; do., medium, \$6.50 to \$6.75; hogs, \$6 to \$7; do., \$6.50 to \$7. Hogs—Fed and watered, \$11.75 to \$12.25; do., f.o.b., \$10.50 to \$11.50.

Country Produce.

Butter, fresh dairy, choice, 26 to 27c; inferior, 24 to 25c; creamery prints, 29 to 31c; regular, 28 to 29c.

Eggs—New-laid, 29 to 30c; do., in cartons, 31 to 33c.

Cheese—New, large, 17c; twins, 17 1/2c; triplets, 17 1/2c.

Maple syrup—Prices are steady at \$1.40 to \$1.50 per Imperial gallon.

Dressed poultry—Chickens, 25 to 27c; fowls, 23 to 25c.

Potatoes—New Brunswick quoted at \$2 per bag; Western, \$1.85.

Provisions.

Bacon, long clear, 18 to 18 1/2c per lb. Ham, \$2.40, 24 to 25c; do., heavy, 20 1/2 to 21c; rolls, 19 to 19 1/2c; breakfast bacon, 25 to 27c; backs, plain, 26 to 27c; boneless backs, 29 to 30c.

Lard—Pure lard, tierces, 16 1/2 to 17c, and packs, 17 1/2 to 17 3/4c; compound, 14 to 14 1/2c.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, July 25.—Corn, American No. 2 yellow, 91 to 92c. Oats, Canadian western, No. 2, 53 to 53 1/2c; do., 52 1/2 to 53c; extra No. 1, feed, 53c; No. 3, do., 52c; No. 2 local white, 53c; No. 3, do., 52c; No. 4 do., 51c; Man. Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$6.60; seconds, \$6.40; strong bakers', \$5.90; Winnipeg patents, choice, \$6 to \$6.25; straight rollers, \$5.10 to \$5.30; do., bags, \$4.80 to \$5. Rolled oats, barrels, \$2.40 to \$2.60. Bran, \$20 to \$21. Shorts, \$23 to \$24. Middlings, \$26 to \$27. Mouillie, \$31 to \$32. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$18.50. Cheese, finest westerns, 15 1/2 to 16c; do., easterns, 15 1/2 to 15c. Butter, choicest creamery, 29 1/2c; seconds, 28 1/2c. Eggs, fresh, 35c; selected, 32c; No. 1 stock, 29c; No. 2 stock, 26 to 27c.

Winnipeg Grain.

Winnipeg, July 25.—Cash quotations:—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.15 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.13 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.10 1/4; No. 4, \$1.05; No. 5, 99c. Oats—No. 2 C.W., 41 1/2c; No. 3, C.W., 43c; extra No. 1 feed, 42 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 42 1/2c; No. 2 feed, 41 1/2c. Peas—No. 4, 71 1/2c; rejected, 64 1/2c; feed, 64 1/2c. Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., 69 1/2c; No. 2 C.W., \$1.66 1/2.

United States Markets.

Minneapolis, July 25.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.22 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.11 1/2 to \$1.17 1/4; No. 2 Northern, \$1.12 1/4 to \$1.16 1/4. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 82 1/2 to 83 1/2c; Oats—No. 3 white, 38 to 38 1/4. Flour unchanged; shipments, 79,244 bbls. Bran, \$17.50 to \$18.

Duluth, July 25.—Wheat—On track, No. 1 hard, \$1.18 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.16 1/2 to \$1.17 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.13 1/2 to \$1.12 1/2; No. 1 Northern, to arrive, \$1.15 1/2; No. 3 Northern, on track, \$1.00 1/2 to \$1.09 1/2; Linseed—On track, \$1.92 1/2 to \$1.93; to arrive, \$1.92 1/2; July, \$1.92 bid; December, \$1.92 1/2 asked; October, \$1.90 1/2 asked; November, \$1.90 bid; December, \$1.89 asked.

MUNITIONS SUPPLY MEANS EVERYTHING

New Minister Receives Urgent Message From Gen. Haig.

A despatch from London says:—Edwin Samuel Montagu, the new Munitions Minister, had the following letter from General Sir Douglas Haig read at the conference of representatives of trades unions on Wednesday:—"At this moment we are engaged in the greatest battle the British army ever fought. I feel confident if the workmen could see their comrades fighting here, both night and day, with heroism beyond all praise, they would not hesitate to surrender their two days' August holiday."

"A two-days' cessation of work in the munition factories must have a most serious effect on our operations. It might even mean an addition of many months to the war. The army in France looks to the munitions workers to enable it to complete its task, and I feel sure that this appeal will not be in vain. Let the whole British nation forego any idea of a general holiday until our goal is reached. A speedy and decisive victory will then be ours."

Mr. Montagu pointed out how vital was the question which had induced General Haig to write such a letter in the midst of his overwhelming responsibilities. The conferees unanimously decided to send a reply to General Haig, assuring him that there would be no relaxation in their efforts, and that all holidays would be postponed until military exigencies permitted of their being taken.

The decision was hearty and enthusiastic, and the conference ended with the singing of the National Anthem, "an incident," says the Chronicle, "probably unknown at a Labor conference any time within the last thirty or forty years."

GETTING A BATH IN SENEGAL.

Takes Three Days to Secure Necessary Government Permit.

In the French colony of Senegal the capital is a dull, unprogressive town wherein officialism prevails to an extraordinary degree. Two French travellers had a most amusing experience when they wished to obtain a bath. There was at the time no bathing establishment in the capital, but rumor had it that it was possible to purchase a bath at the hospital. Accordingly, the travellers repaired to that institution and made known their want.

"Certainly," said the polite official; "names and birthplaces?"

"But," they objected, "we merely want a bath."

"Quite so," continued the official. "What are your names, and where and when were you born, and are you Government employes, soldiers or officers? No? Well, the rules do not provide for this. Just a moment, I will read them again. Yes; here is your case. You must first make out on stamped paper an application to the Governor of the colony. After favorable notice from his Excellency, you will send another application to the chief colonial physician, who will send for you and examine you."

"But we are not ill."

"Pardon me, gentlemen, but it is the rule. Having examined you, the doctor will give you two non-commissioned officers' bath tickets, to be delivered to the assistant physician."

"Why non-commissioned officers' bath?" asked one of the travellers, becoming more and more interested.

"For this reason. In our accounts we recognize only two categories of persons—officers and civil employes, the latter taking rank with officers or petty officers."

"What period of time will all these formalities consume?" asked one of the travellers.

"Oh, two or three days, provided your application is approved at the Government house."

GERMAN MINE LAYER WILL BE EXHIBITED

A despatch from London says:—The first official announcement that Great Britain had captured a German mine-laying submarine of the U-35 class, was made in the House of Commons on Thursday by Thomas James MacNamara, Financial Secretary of Admiralty, who said that one of these vessels would be brought to London to be viewed by the public.

GERMANY BLUFFS OVER PEACE BASIS

Amsterdam, July 20.—A despatch from Berlin to Amsterdam says that the German national committee, organized for producing an honorable peace, states that Germany desires to extend her frontiers to the east and procure real "guarantees" to the west as a basis for a permanent peace.

U-BOAT POSTAL SERVICE BERLIN TO AMERICA.

A Geneva despatch to the Exchange Telegram, London, says that the Munich Nachrichten publishes a Berlin despatch saying that the postal authorities are compiling regulations and scales of charges for a submarine postal service between Germany and the United States.

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The astonishing part which Signor Marconi and his wireless system have played in this war to our advantage and how nearly the British came to replacing Marconi by a German is told in two remarkable interviews by Harold Begbie in the London Daily Chronicle.

Mr. Begbie saw Signor Marconi in London and writes:—"Here is one universal man of this world-war."

"It is odd to look at him, smoke with him, and laugh with him, reflecting that a thought of his brain is spun like a spider's web all over the bloody battlefields of Europe, all over the seas of the world, and high above the clouds. His invention, you feel, should belong to some legendary hero. It is too immense a thing for a man still living, and a young man, a young man who has mood of volatility, who loves to laugh, and who is perfectly simple, modest, and unassuming."

A Young Old Man.

"He is at once a young old man, and an old young man. He is young as youth in his moments of gaiety; and in his thought, when he is serious and reflective, he looks far older than his middle-age. His face lights up at times with an almost boyish delight in a piece of fun; but it becomes clouded and suffering and sorrowful. Few men are so many men. He loves horses and music. He loves fun and science. He is interested in literature and politics. He is fond of motoring and is something of a mystic. He said to me:

"I often think that D'Annunzio came pretty near the truth when he suggested that wireless is something of a symbol for religion. We send our thoughts through silence to one who is invisible. And a good deal of the process is still a mystery. In any case, the universe is mysterious enough. The more I investigate, the more I wonder."

The story concerning Marconi which it is well to remember in the present is this told by Mr. Begbie:—"If those people who raised a vulgar and disgraceful hullabaloo about the Marconi contract a few years ago had got their way—that is to say, if the Government and the working classes of this country had not stood firm as a rock in the midst of a maelstrom of aristocratic and middle-class scandal, Germany might by now be mistress of the world."

Might Have Been German.

"For the great competitor of our English Marconi was a German company; and I assure you it was actually on the cards that this German company might have been brought over to London to drive Marconi out of the national business.

"Every responsible person in the Marconi Company is now a member of the British Secret Service. They know things of the highest importance. They hear every hour of the day things which must be divulged to no one. And who is there among the slanderees to raise a voice, even a whisper, in condemnation of these loyal subjects?"

"Such is the initial romance of the Wireless War. We might have been in German hands for a weapon which is essential to national safety. And now to the war itself. If I might tell you all I know about this matter, and I know only a very little, you would be astonished and amazed; but at least I can tell you enough to show you, if you have not thought about the matter before, how romantically the invention of Marconi is interwoven into all this grim business of mutilation and slaughter on the earth," adds Mr. Begbie.

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Recruiting in Grey is about at a standstill since the departure of the 147th Battalion in May. It is to be regretted that the Battalion has not been brought up to full strength and there does not seem to be a very bright prospect of making up the small shortage at the present.

At ten o'clock on the evening of June 30th the sale of intoxicating liquors over the bar became unlawful throughout the province of Alberta. The Alberta prohibition law had been voted on by the people last summer and a very decided majority favored it. This makes the three prairie provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—dry territory. Ontario's prohibition law comes into effect on the 16th of September.

Many a girl gives up an easy job at a good salary for the sake of working all the rest of her life for her board and clothes.

The man who grumbles most about the weather and other things is generally the one who makes poorest use of ideal conditions.—Farmers Advocate.

Half a million were the casualties for the past month among the Teutons. How long can they stand that?

If all amounts to the same thing whether it is the Russians, the French or the British who defeat the Germans but all the same we want to see the hardest blow struck by the British.

The consumption of cigarettes in Canada has been increased during the war. In the last fiscal year the aggregate number entered for consumption at the Inland Revenue Department was 1,168,097,854 of which 86,936,545 were entered for "army and navy stores"; 49,900 heavy cigarettes and 95,863 pounds of tobacco came under the same head.

Only four more days in which you can receive the Gazette for \$1.00.

Cargill Bank Struck.

During the electrical storm which passed over this section on Wednesday afternoon the Royal Bank at Cargill was struck by lightning. The bolt entered an up-stairs bedroom at the south-east corner, and after up-setting all the furniture in the room, passed along the electric light wire into the bathroom and turned the entire furnishings around. It then followed the wire through the floor into the manager's office, breaking the electrical fixtures, blacking all the wall and scattering everything about the room. It stayed with the wire and finally made its exit out of the building into the ground, after filling the entire bank with smoke and gas. The fire brigade was called out, but found it unnecessary to turn on water as there was no blaze of any kind.

Pint of Whiskey to be Maximum.

The Ontario License Board has distributed to all dentists, physicians, druggists and veterinary surgeons in the Province of Ontario a blue book, which will govern their conduct in the matter of requisitions for liquor. Hitherto a doctor could 'phone up a drug store and tell the attendants to give a patient a certain amount of liquor. Sometimes the druggist was deceived by this method, and the License Board is bound that such practices must cease. The blue book contains a form which must be filled out by the physician and signed by the person to whom the liquor is delivered saying plainly how much liquor is required and what the disease is. Only six ounces may be prescribed for internal use, but a pint may be obtained if the patient is to be bathed. The prescription may be filled only once, and must be filed for purposes of record. The blue book also contains sections of the Ontario Temperance Act for the convenience of the physicians and druggists of the Province, defining their powers and duties and the penalties for infractions of the law.

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A Maxwell Car for \$1.00

A novel method of raising recruiting funds has been struck upon by the 238th Forestry Battalion who, seeing that they are calling for men all over the province, are giving the whole of Ontario an opportunity of sharing in the expenses of raising the unit. While the headquarters of this non-combatant unit are at Ottawa, the central recruiting depot for the province is at 55 Queen Street West Toronto, and this office has found it necessary to purchase an automobile to facilitate its work. When the battalion is up to strength the officials will give this machine to some one of the patriotic supporters of the unit, the winner to be determined by a drawing of cards to be held on September 1. The battalion is now sending out the call for contributions of one dollar each, to be applied to recruiting expenses, and to each contributor it will present a numbered ticket which will entitle the donor to one chance of winning the car.

This is not a lottery or a raffle, but merely an attempt to give the general public a chance to help along the recruiting of this very essential unit and the sanction of the Department of the Attorney General has been secured. The car is a very desirable one. It is a Maxwell, five passenger, self starter, up to date thousand dollar machine, with full electrical equipment, and it is an undisputed fact that some civilian who donates a dollar to the battalion funds will receive the car on September 1st without further cost, as the battalion will no longer have use for it. No persons connected with the battalion will receive tickets, regardless of the size of their contributions.

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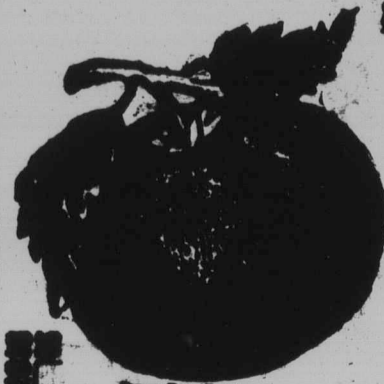
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13-Year-Old Boy Suicides.

It was with a feeling of deep regret that this community on Friday afternoon last, heard of the suicide of Garnet, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. Thos. Capling, now serving at the front. The boy had been residing for over a year with Mr. Wm. Eddy, of Ellice. He did not show any vicious tendencies but was easily irritated and occasionally displayed temper. On the day that he committed the rash act he was in his usual health and frame of mind and had dinner with the family. No reason can be assigned for the deed beyond the fact that he may probably have resented a reproof he received for disobedience. He was discovered in the stable suspended by a halter shank, by Louis Gischler and one of the Eddy girls. There were still faint signs of life but all efforts at resuscitation failed. Dr. Type of Milverton was called and reported the matter to Coroner J. P. Rankin, who deemed an inquest unnecessary. The funeral took place to the Elma Methodist cemetery.—Milverton Sun.

Medicine Man Heavily Fined.

Although he had never passed through a medical college or qualified as a physician, yet this did not deter Julius Wichel of Waterloo, commonly known as "The German Doctor," from coming into Brant and prescribing for the pains and ills of that township. He was apparently doing a land office business in the neighborhood of Dunkeld and was fast exchanging physics and concoctions into cash, when David Fife, a prosecuting officer at the Ontario Medical Council, swooped down on him, and had him before Magistrate Tolton in the Walkerton police court on Thursday last on a charge of unlawfully practicing medicine for gain by prescribing for and attending on John Boddy of Brant, Anthony Sutter and others. On being arraigned before the court, Wichel, it seems, contended that he merely sold his medicine and didn't, like doctors, diagnose cases. Mr. Boddy, who testified at the trial, stated that he had been ailing, and on consulting Wichel that the latter enquired about the symptoms of his case, and after he related the nature of his ailments, the same as he would to a doctor, the defendant, who seemed to be taking cognizance of the different symptoms, said he could fix him up and made a mixture of some kind to take. Others also testified and at the conclusion of their evidence, the court held that he had been practicing medicine within the meaning of the term, and fined him \$50 and costs, or a total levy of \$56.75. Pulling out a roll of bills big enough to choke a whale, the defendant whacked down his fine, and departed richer in experience but lighter in finance from the plucking he received. This is said to be the fourth time that he has been fined for unlawfully practicing medicine. Lawyer Klein appeared for the prosecution at the trial, while Wichel looked after his own defense.—Herald & Times.

Is your subscription paid?

Overseas Postage
Those who are in the habit of sending newspapers to England, or to the front, will note that the postal rate has been changed at the rate of one cent for every two ounces. The old rate was one cent for every four ounces. Many papers with insufficient postage have been sent to the dead letter office. This can be avoided if parties sending papers overseas will place their own addresses on the wrappers, so that if the postage is insufficient the papers can be returned to the mailer for sufficient postage, and thus save delay, or the entire loss of the papers.

Increase Not Sudden

To buyers of weekly newspapers the increase in price from \$1 to \$1.50 a year may seem sudden and sharp. It is adding a half of the old price, as eggs should go from 20c to 30c, or wheat from \$1 to \$1.50 per bushel at one bound. But if facts are taken into account the cases are not similar. Forty years ago, when eggs ranged in price from 8c to 12c dressed hogs from 25c to 35c per lb., and good cows could be bought for \$25, and calves now worth ten to fifteen dollars could be had for the taking, the weekly newspaper was \$1 per year. Had it kept pace with other commodities it would have been up to \$1.50 long ago; but it would be quite impracticable to advance at the rate of five or ten cents per year. As compared with living expenses and cost of production a weekly paper is cheaper to-day at \$1.50 than it was 25 years ago at \$1.

After August 1st this paper will be \$1.50 per year.

Are the Women Guilty?

In calling a meeting of the women of Walkerton to be held in the Court House here, this Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to organize a Women's Emergency Corps to aid in recruiting. Lt. Col. McCrimmon of London, who will be present and address the gathering, says "that the women are no doubt responsible for holding back a great many men who should enlist," and that these meetings are for the purpose of educating the women in their duty. While not depreciating the good work done by the women of Walkerton in knitting and preparing comforts for the soldiers, yet we know mothers here who while ceaselessly working themselves for the soldiers, are secretly keeping their own sons home. "The Little Gray Mother Who Waits Alone" may not get half the advertising that some of the knitters do, but in sending her sons to the war she is playing a bigger part in the defence of the flag and doing a far nobler work than if she kept her own brood safe at home and burned mid-night oil supplying comforts for some other body's darling at the front. If our patriotism is to be measured by the sacrifices we are willing to make, the mothers who are sending their boys to the fight are the sisterhood who are really doing the great work in this war.—Times.

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The Trouble in Mexico.

The prospects of a war between the United States and Mexico have largely passed, though the original cause of the trouble—the unsettled condition of Mexico—still exists.
Carranza, head of the government of Mexico, made a very civil reply to the United States ultimatum; he released the American soldiers and returned the equipment taken in the fight at Carrizal, and showed a desire to prevent further raids on United States territory by Mexican bandits.
Villa, the immediate cause of the trouble, is still at large and liable to create disturbance again. A band of his followers, said to be about 3,000 strong, was attacked by a government force last week. The government force was defeated, the general in command and many of his men being killed. The calling out of the National Guard by President Wilson appears to have been the deciding factor in bringing Carranza to his senses; yet it was most fortunate for the United States that the Guard did not have to go immediately into war. The unpreparedness of the National Guard for immediate action was only discovered when mobilization was ordered. Not only was there lack of equipment, but in different states from thirty to sixty per cent of the men were pronounced physically unfit for military service.
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Pastor Russell has been politely kicked out of Canada. A despatch from Winnipeg says:—"Pastor Russell, the Brooklyn divine, who was scheduled to speak this evening at a local theatre, was taken off the train at Grenville, Manitoba, to-day, at the request of the immigration authorities at Ottawa, and was sent back across the border. Pastor Russell was enroute to Winnipeg from St. Paul's Minn. In Eastern Canada he has been making speeches harmful to recruiting.

THE FASHIONS

In the summer season, perhaps more than at any other time, it is the little things of dress which count in the wardrobe. The sheer lingerie frock gathers much of its charm from the bright girdle, the touch of color at the throat, the well-fitting pump, or boot, dainty stockings and gloves and the wide-brimmed, becoming hat which touches, the frock itself might fall short of expectations.

Summer Footwear

Although the high laced boot was chic and becoming with the short tailored skirt, and is still a favorite in white canvas, buckskin, and the soft gray and tan leathers, the low shoe is much in demand. The old-time pump with huge buckle and more or less exaggerated tongue, according to personal fancy, is a general favorite. These are equally modish in the dull calf or bright patent leather. Another favorite in low shoes is the perfectly plain pump of calf or patent leather. This is made with a rather long vamp and fits smoothly over the instep, being finished with a bow of leather, a small buckle, or no ornament at all. There is variety in heels also; the medium high heel is generally favored for street wear, the French heel for evening, and there is a comfortable and good looking low heel for those who do not care for the higher one for street wear. Sport shoes are particularly charming, be-



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Satin Afternoon Dress

ing low of heel, broad of toe, and most comfortable as well as chic. There are rubber-soled and fleeced canvas shoes, high and low, for tennis, golf, and similar sports; substantial looking shoes for walking, mountain climbing and the more strenuous of out-door purposes. These come in tan or black and lend themselves to and appropriate out-of-door costume. For those who favor the flat-heeled, broad-toed shoe, there are a number of modish low shoes, on the Oxford type, which may be appropriately worn with the tailored suit or dress for street and business wear.

What's New in Neckwear

Neckwear is particularly interesting this summer. The various collars and jabots now modish offer limitless ways of changing or brightening up a frock or blouse. Perhaps the very newest idea in neckwear is the shoulder cape of white, black, Java brown, or other favored shade, of crepe Georgette, trimmed with bands of ermine, beaver, or moleskin. The short-haired furs



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Street Dress with Cape.

are preferred for these capes. While these novelties are a bit absurd, still, they are effective and becoming, and afford quite a bit of variety, worn in the evening over the sheer lingerie frock or the filmy dance dress.

The jabot frill of chiffon, net, pleated Georgette, or organdy is an effective accessory with the tailored suit; it is worn oftentimes with the coat, and then again it is a part of the blouse. The jabot blouse is one of the popular models of the season.

There are attractive sets of Quaker collar and the various other models, with cuffs to match, in lawn, organdy, crepe, Georgette and net; many of them in the soft pastel tones so much favored this summer. These are worn with frocks of dark linen or serge, and with the tailored suit. Now and then one sees a becoming high stock with sports blouse or street frock, but the open throat is the rule, although both high and low collars are modish. In order to be smart, a high collar must fit perfectly, and be well adjusted.

Girdles and sashes are another means of introducing a bit of color contrast. These girdles and sashes are offered in great variety in the shops and belts are once more coming into favor. With the trim tailored dress of serge or linen, the narrow, flat sash encircling the waist, crossing in back and tying in front or at the side front, in a loose knot, is a great favorite. These sashes are usually made of the same material as the dress, or of satin. Ends are finished with a tassel or a bead design. For lingerie frocks and dance dresses the wide ribbon girdle or the silk or satin sash is modish. Dresden ribbons, with the design worked out in metallic threads, are worn considerably with dance and evening dresses.

The strictly tailored suit is completed with a narrow leather belt, or a stitched belt of the material.

Buttons and buckles must not be forgotten in the summer scheme, for they are becoming daily more and more important. The dark serge frock has a row of satin-covered buttons, usually in a contrasting color, from collar to hem, or a row from shoulder to wrist. It is predicted for fall that we will wear button boots again, and that not only will they have the single line of buttons at the closing, but a double row.

These patterns may be obtained from your local McCall dealer or from The McCall Co., 70 Bond St., Toronto, Ont. Dept. W.

THE SUNDAY LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON JULY 30.

Lesson V.—The Word of the Cross—
1 Cor. 1. 1 to 2. 5. Golden
Text.—Gal. 6. 14.

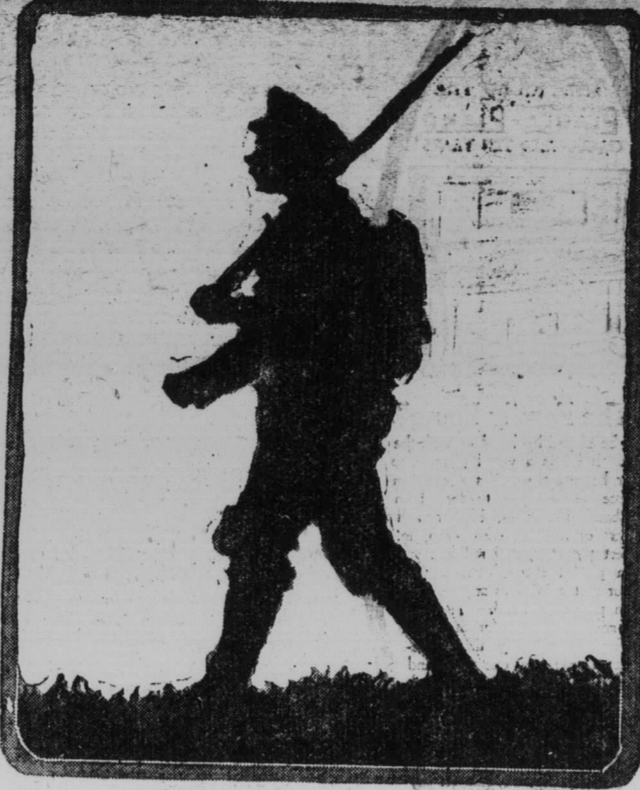
Verse 18. Them that are perishing (margin)—us who are being saved (margin)—The text is a most unfortunate mistranslation, ignoring the significant Greek tenses altogether. The New Testament represents "perdition" and "salvation" as future, fully attained only when probation is over. Except twice, where salvation is described as ideally complete by God's grace, Christians are always "being saved"—traveling on the narrow way that leads to life.

19. Paul uses Isa. 29. 14 as expressing and endorsing the thought.
20. Scribe.—The Jewish Scripture scholar. Disputer of this age (margin)—Not world as below. Paul appeals from the fashionable philosophy of the day to the wisdom of the future which will know.

21. In the wisdom of God—It is providentially ordained that knowledge based only on conceit and arrogance must always fail to gain any true apprehension of God. The law has been illustrated in the history of the church as well as the world; Jewish theology and Greek rhetorical speculation failed, and everything since that has worked in the same spirit.
The foolishness of the thing preached (margin)—With daring irony, Paul appropriates the term used by the Superior Person. "They may laugh who win," and as Paul knows the gospel is God's plan, he can afford to repeat with proud satire what clever men choose to say about it. To-day, the church historian would give a great deal if he could get hold of those primitive criticisms, but they survive only in the quotations of Christian writers.

22. Signs.—As they did of the Master. He gave them one, but those who ask in such a spirit "will not be persuaded though one rise from the dead."
23. A Messiah crucified (margin)—And therefore accursed (Gal. 3. 13).
Stumbling block.—The Greek word (which we have borrowed as scandal) more probably means a snare or trap. Their own obstinate prejudices were the bait, and they made God's own means of salvation into a means of destruction, like a wild animal pulling down on him the heavy stone of the trap. Compare 1 Pet. 2. 8.
Foolishness.—We can easily imagine how a cultured Greek would scoff at the idea of being saved by a Galilean carpenter who was not even alive, but dead on a malefactor's cross of shame.

24. Called.—Since God's call has two necessary elements, God's invitation and man's acceptance, the former being universal, but the latter limited, the term is naturally used of those in whom the call becomes effective.
26. Not many.—Yet there were some from all these classes, and every one of them counsel for a great deal in



A LONELY SENTRY IN FLANDERS.
An official photograph showing a British sentinel on duty in Flanders silhouetted against the sky.

their influence with others. In the first century, as in the twentieth, Christianity was mostly a middle class movement, in this respect agreeing with every other great movement upward in human history. But then, as now, it also laid hold of the lowest. So in India to-day a few Brahmins and a great many outcasts recruit the church—till the flood comes!

27. Even so in Benares we have degraded outcasts whom Christ has educated, and proud Brahmins who cannot read.

28. Base.—The opposite of noble (verse 26). of birth. And the things that are not—For the Creator still makes his world ex nihilo. The commentaries, forgetting that this is not classical Greek, often render "counted as nothing, cyphers"; but this would repeat only the word despised; literally, made nothing of. Bring to nought—Literally, make idle, a favorite word of Paul's (for example, 1 Cor. 13. 8; 15. 26).

29. No flesh—"All flesh" in this phrase is a common Old Testament term for the whole human family.
30. Both righteousness, etc. (margin)—These three are elements in the comprehensive wisdom which was incarnated in the Saviour.

31. Quoted from Jer. 9. 24f., the passage so magnificently used in Wesley's great little hymn.

"Let not the wise his wisdom boast, The mighty glory in his might."
2. 1. And I—He has been enforcing his point from their case, now he turns to his own. Excellency.—Not like a visiting sophist with a big reputation for eloquence and philosophy. Testimony (text) and mystery (margin), two very similar words, are about equally balanced in the MSS. The latter is perhaps better. It was for the Greeks a religious rite which it was unutterable sacrilege to reveal to any but initiates. So with the gospel—only initiation was open to all.

2. The "determination" was colored by Paul's distress at his failure in Athens. He had not suppressed the cross there, but they had laughed him down just when he was getting to it, as is obvious from his last words there. The spiritual blindness of the philosophers had more than ever disgusted Paul with more human wisdom. He, the learned and cultured rabbi would be a man of one idea. And him—Not as the wonderful Teacher and Worker of miracles, the winsome Example, the supreme Flower of humanity, but as crucified. The cross must come first in every theology that is going to save men.

FILMS SHOW CRATER FIGHT.

London Movies Display Soldiers Seizing New Ground.

London is flocking to see the first film recording crater fighting—the real thing. The description of the incident is taken from the official daily record: "Yesterday we sprang a mine near—and occupied the crater."

The operator shows five minutes in the life of a company of mud-bespattered Connaught Rangers. First one sees the Irishmen hugging the dripping wall of the trench with fixed bayonets waiting for the mine to be sprung. There is a spout of black earth a little way off it in the desolate fields, and at once the Rangers tumble out and walk, rather than run, through the sticky mess toward the crater.

The camera man evidently went with them, for he was there when the Rangers took possession of the hole, and he filmed the hand grenade throwing that followed. The soldiers remind one of workers busy with risky blasting operations in a railway cutting concentrated on a shift of toil that has nothing to do with fighting man to man. This is as near fighting the Germans as the camera has got as yet, and short of a bayonet attack it is as near as anything we are likely to see on the film.

FROM OLD SCOTLAND

NOTES OR INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

What Is Going On in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

Dunbar West End Bowling Club has ceased to exist owing to so many of its members joining the colors.

Mr. J. E. Williams, of Glasgow, has tendered his resignation as secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen.

Pte. Robert Martin, Scots Guards, a popular member of the Brechin Cricket Club, has been reported as killed in action.

The death took place at his residence, Glenbank, Lenzie, recently of Mr. Robert Baird, a well-known Shetland pony breeder.

One of the few remaining Indian Mutiny veterans has just died in the person of Mr. Wm. McLauchlan, of Paisley, in his 77th year.

Scottish shipbuilders launched during May ten merchant vessels of 24,614 tons, of these six of 21,970 tons were built on the Clyde.

Reports of the lambing season, in Berwickshire and Scotland generally, show that it has been the worst in the experience of flockmasters for many years.

A conscientious objector has sent a donation of \$1,250 to the National Bible Society of Scotland, being war profits which he could not conscientiously use.

Mr. Alex. Campbell, who recently retired from his position as head postman in Alloa post office, after 41 years' service, has received the Imperial Service Medal.

In acknowledgement of a donation of \$1,035 from Paisley, the proceeds of a flag day, a "Paisley Bed" is to be established in one of the chief hospitals in Petrograd.

The Wilder Park, which along with the new Municipal Baths, was presented to Galashiels by Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dickson, Westwood, has been formally opened to the public.

A Scottish woman, Miss Grace Ellison, is the chief organizer of an Edith Cavell Hospital, which is to be built in Paris for the training of French nurses on the British system.

Representatives of the Russian Council of the Empire and the Duma, after a visit to the Clyde and Edinburgh, visited Rosyth dockyard and were shown over the Government works.

A flag captured from the Germans at Windhuk, in South-west Africa, has been presented to Ayr Academy by Major J. H. Cormack, director of works for South-west Africa, a former member of the school.

Great damage has been caused among the lambs in Campsie and Kilsyth hills by foxes this season, and at a meeting held in Glasgow it was agreed to take steps for their destruction.

Lieut. Tom Wilson, of the King's African Rifles, the well-known rugby footballer of Clydesdale, Hawick and Carlisle, has been recommended for the Military Cross.

The Scottish branch of the British Red Cross Society has received a gift of eleven motor ambulances, subscribed for by the Scottish Drapery and Textile Trade.

At a demonstration in the Queen's Park Recreation Ground, Glasgow, a resolution was adopted on the motion of Sir Samuel Chisholm, demanding the Government to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors during the war.

Distressed the Promise.

"Why so sad and downcast?"
"My wife has threaten't to leave me."
"Cheer up. Women are always threaten't something like that, they hardly ever do it."
"That's what I was thinking."

About the House

Useful Hints and General Information for the Busy Housewife

Preserving Fruit Without Sugar.

The Recipe.—The fruit is prepared in the ordinary way, the jars are cleaned and scalded while the rubbers and tops are boiling. The fruit is then placed in the jars, in which cold water is placed. When the jars have been sealed air-tight they are placed in a boiler filled with cold water and brought to the boiling point. Berries will do if removed when the boiling point is reached, while large fruit, such as peaches, cherries, plums, etc., should get 20 to 30 minutes. Keep cover of

son with salt and pepper, coat with flour, and cook in a hot blazer until thoroughly heated, using enough butter to prevent burning. Cream one-fourth cup butter, add two teaspoons powdered sugar, one teaspoon mustard, one-fourth teaspoon salt, a few grains cayenne, the yolk of one hard-boiled egg, one egg slightly beaten, and two tablespoons vinegar. Cool over hot water, stirring constantly, until it thickens. Pour over tomatoes.

Curried Eggs.—Melt two table spoons butter, add two tablespoons flour mixed with one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half teaspoon curry powder, and one-eighth teaspoon paprika. Stir until well mixed, then pour on gradually one cup milk. Add three hard-boiled eggs, cut in eighths lengthwise, and reheat in sauce.

Eggs A La Bechamel.—Fry three tablespoons butter with one slice each carrot and onion cut in pieces, a sprig of parsley and a bit of bay leaf, five minutes. Add three tablespoons flour, one-fourth teaspoon salt and one-eighth teaspoon paprika; then add one cup chicken stock, strain, reheat and add four hard-boiled eggs, cut in eighths lengthwise. Just before serving add one-half cup cream and a slight grating of nutmeg.

Tasty Sandwich Filling.—A half pound of plain cheese, a half can of pimento peppers, olives and ketchup, as onion, salt and paprika. Grind the cheese in a grinder and mix well with the other ingredients.

Put the bread round by stamping each slice with a biscuit cutter. Put the mixture over the rounds and brown in the oven before serving.

"Tomato Figs."—Scald and skin pear-shaped tomatoes, and to eight pounds of them add three pounds of brown sugar cook without water until the sugar penetrates, and they have a clear appearance. Then take them out, spread on dishes, and dry in the sun, sprinkling on a little syrup while drying. Pack in jars or boxes, in layers with powdered sugar between. These will keep any length of time and are nearly as nice as figs and certainly less expensive.

Mint Jelly.—This is my way of making mint jelly, and it is fine; Boil crab apples in water until they are soft, then put in jelly bag and hang up where it can drip. Don't squeeze the bag, or the jelly will be pink. Use one cupful of sugar for each cup of juice and boil until it jellies. Have your mint washed and lightly brushed. Put a good-sized sprig of mint in each jar, pour the jelly over it, and seal. This has the true mint flavor or the leaves look pretty when served.

How to Vary Sauces.

The young or inexperienced housewife is perplexed often to know which sauce or gravy it is correct to serve with the different dishes. The cookery book give all the recipes, but seldom tell the exact combinations, as they are so much a matter of course to most of us that it would seem a waste of time and space while she, feeling her ignorance, is half ashamed to ask a more sophisticated neighbor, and so has always the uneasy sensation that, maybe, the sauce she is serving is not exactly right.

Sauces are such an important part of the meat, too, that they either can make or mar an otherwise uninteresting dish, and besides a good many of the traditional combinations are so arranged for some dietetic reason. It might be a good idea to cut out the following and put it on a card for further reference in time of doubt:

Raw oysters: Lemon, horse radish sauce, tobaco.
Baked fish: Dawn butter, Hollandaise sauce, melted butter with finely chopped parsley.
Broiled fish: Maitre d'hotel, or tartare sauce.
Boiled fish: Plain white sauce, or egg sauce.
Roast chicken: Bread sauce, brown gravy, grape jelly.
Roast turkey: Cranberry jelly, brown gravy, celery sauce.
Roast goose: Apple sauce, barberry jelly.

Fried chicken: Cream gravy.
Roast duck: Bread sauce, brown gravy, currant jelly.
Roast veal: Tomato sauce, horse radish sauce.
Roast lamb: Mint sauce.
Roast beef: Brown gravy, horse-radish sauce.
Roast flet, of beef: Mushroom sauce.
Roast venison: Brown gravy, currant or barberry jelly.
Roast quail: Currant jelly, celery sauce.
Roast canvas back duck; Black currant jelly, olive sauce.
Boiled chicken: Bread, parsley or celery sauce.
Boiled mutton: Caper, or parsley sauce.
Boiled tongue: Tartare sauce.
Pork sausage: Apple sauce, or fried apples.
Sweetbreads: Bechamel sauce.
Lobster cutlets: Tartare sauce.
Broiled steak: Maitre d'hotel.
Lamb chops: Bearnaise sauce.
Roast game: Bread sauce, brown gravy.

Can Rubbers.

A jar of preserved fruit, if the wife very often uses it, can be made to last longer by using a few layers of the paper required to put them on the can—screw the lid down as tightly as possible. If preferred, rings of soft leather, cut from the tops of old shoes, may be used, but they are not as satisfactory as those made from newspapers.

Raspberry Crown.—2 Tablespoons water, 2 tablespoons corn starch, 1 cup boiling raspberry juice, 1 egg, pinch of salt, lemon extract. Cook until creamy. Put into molds. When cold serve with raspberries or whipped cream.

Raspberry Tapioca.—Put 3-4 cup tapioca into a kettle, cover with 4 cups boiling water and cook until transparent. Stir into this 1 pint of fresh raspberries, adding sugar to taste. Pour into a mould. Serve cold with cream.

Raspberry Cake.—1 Cup white sugar, 1/2 cup butter, 2 eggs, 2 tablespoons buttermilk, 1 1/2 cups flour, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 teaspoon soda, nutmeg, 1 cup raspberries, (to be added last). Bake in layers.

Raspberry Vinegar.—Put 1 quart of raspberries into a suitable dish, pour over them a quart of good vinegar, let it stand 24 hours, then strain through a flannel bag, and pour this liquor on another quart of berries; do this for 3 or 4 days successively and strain it; make it very sweet with loaf sugar, bottle and seal it.

Raspberry Cream.—Stir enough confectioners' sugar into a teaspoonful of raspberry jam to form a thick paste; roll it into a ball between the palms of your hands. Put a lump French Cream into a teacup and set it into a basin of boiling water, stirring it until it is melted then drop a few drops of cochineal coloring to make it a pale pink, or a few drops of raspberry juice, being careful not to add enough to prevent its hardening. Now dip these little balls into the sugar cream, giving them two coats. Lay aside to harden.

Raspberry Pie.—To 2 cups raspberries add 1 cup of red currants and 1 cup granulated sugar, with which a teaspoonful of flour has been mixed; stir together. Line a plate with flaky pie crust, put in the fruit, cover with a tolerably thick sheet of paste, make several incisions for escape of steam, and bake until the crusts are nicely browned. Serve cool.

Raspberry Shortcake.—Bake sponge cake in 2 layers, or split one thick cake; put in between them a thick layer of berries, and on top put whipped cream and more berries.

Raspberry Fruit Basket.—Bake plain paste over inverted patty pans, roll paste 1-8 in. thick, and cut in strips 1/4 inch wide. Twist strips in pairs and bake over a 1/4 lb. of baking powder box, thus making handles. Fill cases with raspberries sprinkled with sugar. Garnish with whipped cream.

Fricasseed Eggs.—Cook two table spoons butter with one and one-half tablespoons finely chopped mushrooms and one-half shallot, finely chopped. Add one and one-half tablespoons flour and pour on gradually one cup white stock. Add five hard-boiled eggs cut in slices.

Peach Canapes.—Saute circular pieces of sponge cake in butter until delicately browned. Drain canned peaches, sprinkle with powdered sugar, a few drops lemon juice and a slight grating nutmeg. Melt one tablespoonful butter; add peaches and when heated serve on cake.

Bananas Cooked in the Skins.—Loosen one of the sections of skin from each banana. Put into blazer, cover and let cook until skins are discolored and pulp soft. Remove from skins and sprinkle with sugar. Serve with lady fingers.

Sauted Bananas.—Remove skins from three bananas, cut in halves lengthwise, and again cut in halves crosswise. Put one tablespoonful butter in blazer; when hot add bananas and cook until soft, turning once. Drain, sprinkle with powdered sugar and a few drops lemon juice; orange juice or sherry wine may be used if preferred.

Deviled Tomatoes.—Wipe, peel and slice crosswise three tomatoes. Season with salt and pepper, coat with flour, and cook in a hot blazer until thoroughly heated, using enough butter to prevent burning. Cream one-fourth cup butter, add two teaspoons powdered sugar, one teaspoon mustard, one-fourth teaspoon salt, a few grains cayenne, the yolk of one hard-boiled egg, one egg slightly beaten, and two tablespoons vinegar. Cool over hot water, stirring constantly, until it thickens. Pour over tomatoes.

Curried Eggs.—Melt two table spoons butter, add two tablespoons flour mixed with one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half teaspoon curry powder, and one-eighth teaspoon paprika. Stir until well mixed, then pour on gradually one cup milk. Add three hard-boiled eggs, cut in eighths lengthwise, and reheat in sauce.

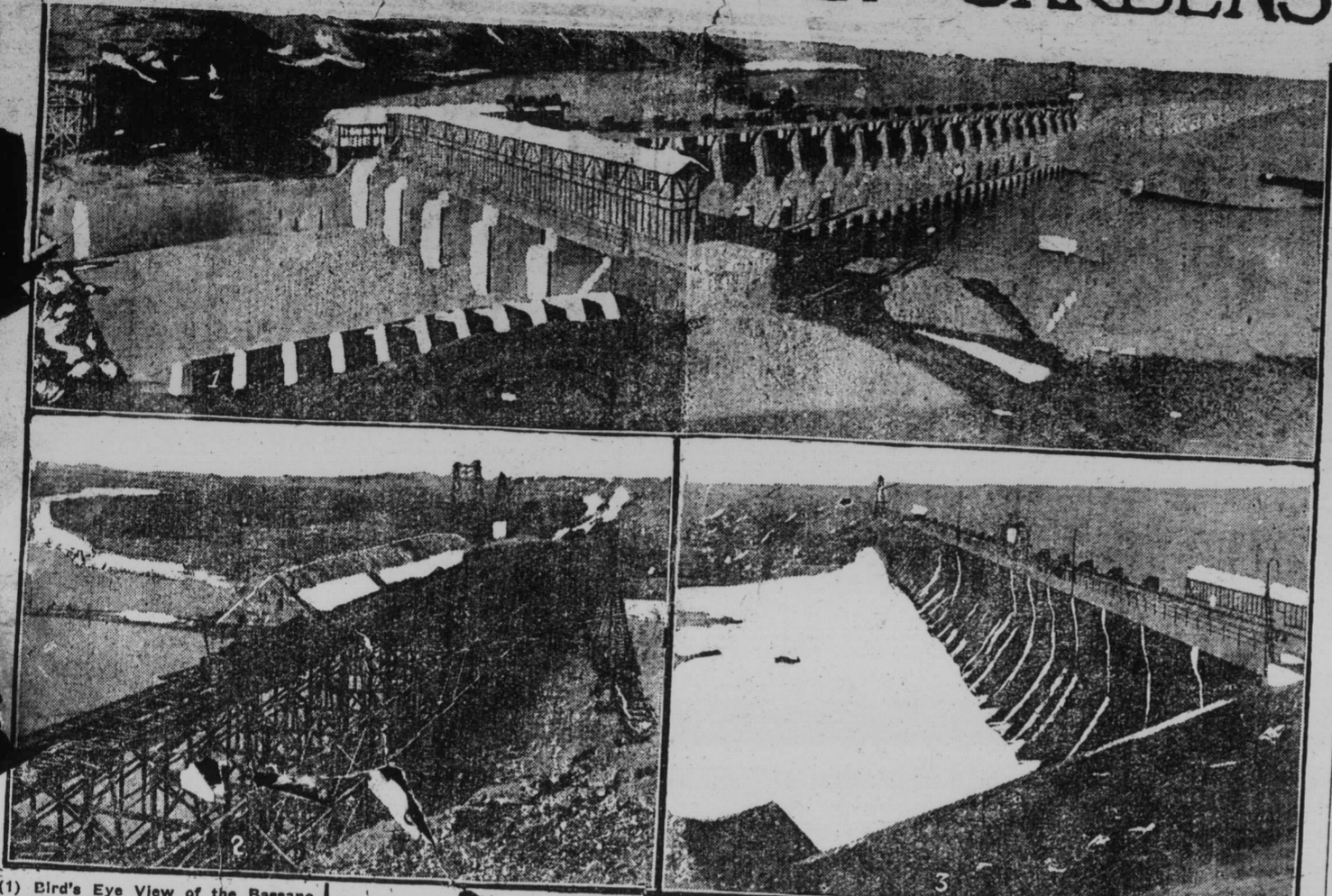
Eggs A La Bechamel.—Fry three tablespoons butter with one slice each carrot and onion cut in pieces, a sprig of parsley and a bit of bay leaf, five minutes. Add three tablespoons flour, one-fourth teaspoon salt and one-eighth teaspoon paprika; then add one cup chicken stock, strain, reheat and add four hard-boiled eggs, cut in eighths lengthwise. Just before serving add one-half cup cream and a slight grating of nutmeg.

Tasty Sandwich Filling.—A half pound of plain cheese, a half can of pimento peppers, olives and ketchup, as onion, salt and paprika. Grind the cheese in a grinder and mix well with the other ingredients. Put the bread round by stamping each slice with a biscuit cutter. Put the mixture over the rounds and brown in the oven before serving.

"Tomato Figs."—Scald and skin pear-shaped tomatoes, and to eight pounds of them add three pounds of brown sugar cook without water until the sugar penetrates, and they have a clear appearance. Then take them out, spread on dishes, and dry in the sun, sprinkling on a little syrup while drying. Pack in jars or boxes, in layers with powdered sugar between. These will keep any length of time and are nearly as nice as figs and certainly less expensive.

Mint Jelly.—This is my way of making mint jelly, and it is fine; Boil crab apples in water until they are soft, then put in jelly bag and hang up where it can drip. Don't squeeze the bag, or the jelly will be pink. Use one cupful of sugar for each cup of juice and boil until it jellies. Have your mint washed and lightly brushed. Put a good-sized sprig of mint in each jar, pour the jelly over it, and seal. This has the true mint flavor or the leaves look pretty when served.

TURNING DESERTS INTO GARDENS



(1) Bird's Eye View of the Bassano Dam.
(2) The Dam Under Construction.
(3) The Sluice Gates Open.
(4) Distributing the Water.

OUT on the prairies of Western Canada and among the mountain valleys of British Columbia, deserts are being turned into gardens by the application of life-giving water.

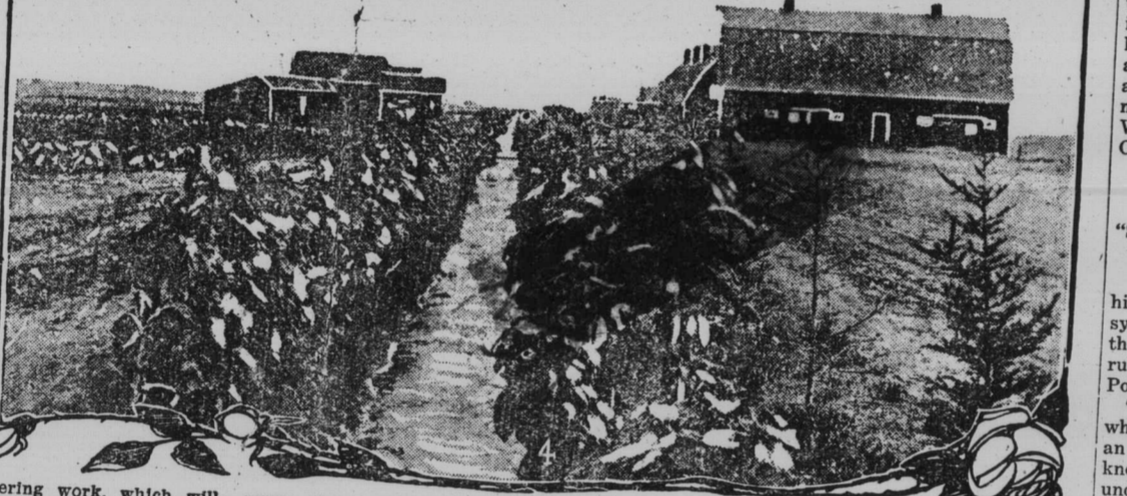
Every desert is a potential garden. It is not fair to say that it is not fair to use the word "desert" or even "arid region," for Alberta is neither arid nor desert. But nature may often be assisted in her great task of production, and this is what the irrigation systems of the Canadian West are doing.

In Alberta the Canadian Pacific Railway is developing the largest individual irrigation project on the American continent, with an area larger than the total irrigated area in either Colorado or California. Portions of a tract of "red" million acres will be included in this prosperous and fertile so-called "dry belt" region.

The western section is already completed, including sixteen hundred miles of canals and ditches. The eastern section is in process of development where twenty-five hundred miles of canals and ditches will be required for the service.

On April 25, 1914, the great irrigation dam at Bassano, Alberta, was opened. Built across the Bow River, eighty miles east of Calgary, the huge structure, 7,000 feet long, will conserve the water of the Bow for the eastern section. Another great engineering work, which will serve the same tract, is a giant aqueduct at Brooks, thirty miles east, two miles in length, which carries the waters of a branch canal over a wide valley.

One has only to visit this great undertaking of the Canadian Pacific Railway to realize not only its magnitude but the results it will, indeed, be producing. Here is one of the smaller radiating ditches, filled with rippling water. On either bank nature has responded with a luxuriant growth, and a garden of productivity is the result. The wheat fields extend in another direction, showing a fine head of grain after imbibing the thirst-quenching waters, for nature grows prosperously. All kinds of garden truck, fruits, cereals and live stock flourish wherever there is an irrigation canal. The country is filling up with what are called dry farmers for the waters ensure a practical certainty of crop. A six-year yield of Marquis wheat on irrigated land ran forty-four bushels to the acre, compared with only 29 on non-irrigated lands. Here the C.P.R. provides



ture frames, every part of the room, except the floor, is thickly covered while from the ceiling hang long festoons and ropes, made of bundles of stamps for which there is no other place. Fully 2,000,000 more hang in the festoons.

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend

Human Sacrifice in India.

A despatch to London from Calcutta says that a case of human sacrifice is reported from a Hindu temple at Jafna. It appears that certain Hindus of Vannarponnai were strongly tempted by a dream regarding treasure trove. Believing that by the sacrifice of an innocent youth to the goddess they could obtain the desired money, they led a youth of 20 at dead of night to the temple of the goddess where he was drugged and his throat was cut.

Holding it Up.

"I don't think that women have always been vain; you know that women were made before mirrors."

"Yes, and they have been before them ever since."

Plain "Wages."

"Does your employer give you any kind of a stipend for your week's work?"

"Not much, he don't. He pays me regular wages."

STEEL MONEY FOR BULGARS.

Germany Also Supplies Iron and Lead Coinage.

Gradually the monetary systems of the Central Powers are being radically changed, but their specie and paper now coming into circulation will be valueless, except among themselves, unless the conclusion of the war should be in their favor.

There is no gold in circulation, and silver is beginning to disappear completely in some countries, notably in Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey. Thus, to replace specie, iron, steel and lead are being introduced instead of copper and silver.

The Bulgarian Government has ordered \$2,000,000 worth of 2 cent and 1 cent coins in steel and lead. Moreover, about \$3,000,000 are to be shortly issued in small bank notes in the respective value of 20 cents and 40 cents each. These small bank notes are being printed in Germany.

A first series of bank notes of the face value of 96 cents, \$1.92 and \$3.84 apiece, and amounting altogether to \$5,000,000 nominally, are awaited by the Bulgarian Treasury from Germany almost immediately, as a first instalment. Further daily deliveries are to be sent to Sofia, representing

\$4,000,000 each time in these new notes, until the total order for \$100,000,000 in bank notes has been supplied. All this new Bulgarian money is made in Germany.

This is to certify that fourteen years ago I got the cords of my left wrist nearly severed, and was for of my hand, and tried other Liniments, also doctors, and was receiving no benefit. By a persuasion from a friend I got MINARD'S LINIMENT and used one bottle which completely cured me, and have been using MINARD'S LINIMENT in my family ever since and find it the same as when I first used it, and would never be without it.

ISAAC E. MANN,
Aug. 31st, 1908. Metapedia, P. Q.

Willie—"I met the new boy who lives next door on my way to school this morning, and it made me late." Mother—"I'm sorry for that, Willie." Willie—"It's all right. The new boy wasn't able to get there at all!"

Ask for Minard's and take no other

His Last Words.

The following passage took place between counsel and witness in a disputed will case:

"Did your father give you no parting admonition?"

"He never gave much away at any time."

"I mean, what were his last words?"

"They don't concern you."

"They not only concern me, sir," remarked the barrister severely, "but they concern the whole court."

"O, all right," was the reply.

"Father said: 'Don't have no trouble when I'm gone, Jim, 'cos lawyers is the biggest thieves unhung.'"

A PROFITABLE BUSINESS.

Big Profits in Hotel Investments Without a Bar.

Hotel investments in most parts of Canada, and particularly in Ontario, have depreciated very much in value owing to the spread of prohibition, and many owners are in despair.

But there is no need for this. On the other hand a new and much better era should now open. Hotel-keeping has proved to be, and may, in Canada, be made, one of the most profitable and reputable of businesses. It is the most promising field for business development, we know of to-day for ambitious capable young men.

The trouble is that our hotels have been conducted on the wrong lines. The bar has been regarded as the chief object. Most hotel-keepers have not been business men but liquor handlers. Lodgings and food have been merely an incident. Some of them expected to lose money on their tables. The wastefulness was appalling yet the supplying of good food and good accommodation is one of the most profitable businesses in the world to-day. In Canada it has been more or less of a disgrace to be associated with, or even seen in, an hotel. In Europe and the United States some of the richest and most prominent families socially are investing and naming hotels after themselves and the hotel is becoming a social centre.

The most successful hotel-keepers are men who began in the kitchen and dining-room; who learnt the business from that end. The Ritz Hotel in Paris is probably the finest in the world to-day. Mr. Ritz, when the writer first knew him, had just been promoted to assist in the management of the Savoy Hotel, London. The present general manager of the Ritz, Mr. Ellis, was his head waiter. Like so many successful caterers they are both of Swiss birth. George C. Boldt, of the Waldorf-Astoria, and other big hotels in the States, is the largest hotel owner in the world, with a net income of well over a million; perhaps a couple of millions, a year. He worked his way up from the kitchen. Fred Sterry, manager of The Plaza and other big American hotels, also

worked his way up through all departments. The departments, of which these men know least, in their business, is the bar.

It is not only the big hotels that have been marvelously successful when managed by men of capacity, who learnt the business from the ground up, and who have developed executive ability, but some of the small hotels have been remarkably profitable. We know of one hotel, in a town of only 17,000, managed by a man who began, when a boy, cutting meat in the kitchen of a big city hotel. As a result of good food and clean, perfectly appointed rooms and efficient management, the profits of this house have steadily crept up, until, in 1915, they reached \$50,000. To-day the building is being nearly doubled in size to meet the demand of good service. So little does this manager think of his bar that in his new building, he is putting it in the basement, as he is satisfied that, in a very short time, liquor selling will be eliminated.

Investors in hotel properties should deal with them as a manufacturing and retailing proposition. Manage or have them managed, by experienced business men. Give a quality service, advertise it, and build a reputation just as a manufacturer does for his name or trade mark. The traveling and local public will flock to them.

"BLENDED SAUSAGE."

"Succulent Source of Huns' Joy" Disappears.

The German's faith in the idol of his soul, the pivot of his being, the symbol of all he holds dear—in short, the sausage—has been rudely and ruthlessly shattered. The Munich Post says:

"To-day more than ever before he who eats sausage must be gifted with an unquestioning trust. Heaven only knows what it is that is being sold under that name at present. The substance which is passing for sausage at the officially fixed maximum price in no way corresponds to the money that is spent on it. The intention of the city authorities was to produce cheap sausage. Their goodwill was most selflessly, but unfortunately their efforts met with no success.

Large quantities of "blended sausage" were placed on the market. Why "blended sausage"? Simply because that variety yields the biggest profits, of the very expensive blood and fat hardly a trace enters into its composition. The latest materials to be employed in sausage manufacture are beetroot and parsnips, the succulent source of our joy, has disappeared. What else takes its place it were better not to enquire too closely. Suffice it to say that the sale of "blended sausage" yields the butchers a magnificent return, while the sausage-making art, as it is carried out at present, simply defrauds the consumer of his hard-earned money.

Many a man who seeks fame finds nothing but infamy.

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Most everyone likes a hot table drink, but it must have a snappy taste and at the same time be healthful. Probably no beverage answers every requirement so completely as does

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This famous pure food-drink, made of roasted wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses, affords a rich, delicious flavour, yet contains no harmful element.

The original Postum Cereal must be boiled; Instant Postum is made in the cup "quick as wink," by adding hot water, and stirring.

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BAKING POWDER

He Was Too Busy.

"Mamma," asked three-year-old Freddie, "are we going to heaven some day?" "Yes, dear, I hope so," was the reply. "I wish papa could go," continued the little fellow. "Well, don't you think he will?" asked the mother. "Oh, no!" replied Freddie; "he could not leave his business."

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Up Against it Now.

"Jiggs has just had an increase in salary."

"That so? I'm sorry."

"Sorry. I should think you'd be ashamed to say that. You ought to rejoice in your neighbor's success."

"I do, but Jiggs lives next door to me, and it was all I could do to keep up with him on his former income."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house

Getting into Society.

"Guess I'll have to rig up a middle name," declared Flaubert. "I never had one, but I gotta have one now."

"Why so?"

"My wife demands one to print on her visiting cards."

Minard's Liniment Used by Physicians.

Worry gives the undertaker more business than work does.

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS TORONTO.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards yesterday was 70 cars, 1878 cattle, 216 calves, 407 hogs, 219 sheep.

There was a very light run of all kinds of live stock at the Union Stock Yards. In some grades of cattle there was a slight advance, while the rest remained steady at last week's quotations.

Butcher Cattle—Choice heavy steers, \$8.50 to \$8.75; good heavy steers, \$7.75 to \$8.25.

Steers and Heifers.—Choice, \$8 to \$8.50; good, \$7.75 to \$8; medium, \$7.25 to \$7.75; common, \$6.50 to \$7.

Cows—Choice, \$7.25 to \$7.40; good, \$6.75 to \$7; medium, \$6.25 to \$6.50; common, \$5.25 to \$5.75; canners, \$3.75 to \$4.75.

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CARRICK VOTERS' LISTS.

Clerk's Notice of First Posting.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of the Voters' List Act, the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said municipalities to be entitled to vote in the said municipalities at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections, and that the said list was first posted up at my office on the 27th day of July, 1916, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found, to take immediate proceedings to have said errors corrected according to law.

Dated at Midland this 27th day of July, 1916.

J. A. JOHNSTON,
Clerk of the Township of Carrick.

CARLSRUHE.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hesch visited Mr. and Mrs. John Ruetz in Walkerton last week. Mr. Hesch informs us that he is offering his farm for sale this fall and intends to retire.

Mrs. Anthony Hundt and daughter Josephine visited relatives in Owen Sound last week. Mrs. Hundt intends taking up housekeeping here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Huber of Delhi are visiting Mr. Jos. Hoffarth and relatives here.

Peter Kroetz, Xavier Oberle and Xavier Poehman visited relatives in Teeswater on Sunday.

Charles Schwan, our prosperous business man is receiving new orders from far and near. Everybody likes Schwan's Beer.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wojcekowski visited at Mr. and Mrs. C Forler in Elmwood last week.

Mrs. Peter Girodat sr. is visiting relatives in Berlin and New Germany for a few weeks.

Messrs. Frank Schneider and Clement and Miss Mary Hinsperger of Deemerton visited at Paul Hinsperger's on Sunday.

John Ruetz from Walkerton visited Geo. Zettler on Sunday.

Mr. Peter Zettler is busy framing a straw shed for his nephew, Alex Zettler, in Walkerton.

Additional Locals.

Possibly it is England's strong point that she is so slow to learn. Germany learned a lot, learned it very fast, and a good part of it wasn't so and has got her into heaps of trouble.

Brussels is starving for meat according to Swiss investigators. They report meat of all kinds a dollar a pound. Chickens are from \$2 to \$4 apiece. Butter is a dollar a pound. There is much distress and even starvation in the surrounding country.

Preserving Without Sugar.

The fruit is prepared in the ordinary way, the jars are cleaned and scalded while the rubbers and tops are boiling. The fruit is then placed in the jars, in which cold water is placed. When the jars have been sealed air-tight they are placed in a boiler filled with cold water and brought to the boiling point. Berries will do if removed when the boiling point is reached, while large fruits, such as peaches, cherries, plums and apricots should get 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Keep cover of wash boiler on tight.

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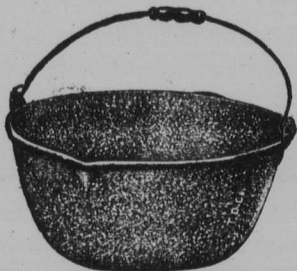
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The old-fashioned Indian Head Linen—that is the best and cheapest fabric for women's skirts, suits, dresses or children's clothes. Per yd., 15 and 25c.

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