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GERMANS ARE RETREATING FROM KEMMEL SINCE STRONGHOLD FELL

ALLIED FORCES DRIVE BOLSHEVIKI BACK FOR FIFTEEN MILES

BATTLEFRONT BETWEEN THE AILETTE AND AISNE IS ONE VAST PANORAMA OF FIRE

Enemy's Hold On Coucy-Le-Chateau Is Threatened—Issue in This Sector Has Greater Strategic Bearing Than Anywhere Along the Whole Front.

With the American Army in France, Aug. 31.—Between the Ailette and the Aisne and far to the southeastward along the line of the Vesle, the battlefield is one vast panorama of fire. Here at the moment the Germans are offering the most desperate resistance, since the issue in this sector has a graver strategic bearing than anywhere else along the whole front.

With General Mangin's men already across the Ailette on either side of the village of Champa, the enemy's hold on Coucy-le-Chateau is threatened. Coucy-le-Chateau is highly important to the Germans as a distributing centre of troops falling back from Noyon and those fighting stoutly on the left bank of the Ailette.

From the crest of the plateau north of Soissons shells can be seen bursting like surf against the German lines.

American troops, in the centre, are still fighting to clear the difficult entanglements of ravines before them. There has been no close fighting in these valleys as yet.

A philosophic wounded prisoner was encountered today in the road near the battlefield. He said: "They told me that the Americans murdered their prisoners."

When asked if he had believed that charge he answered: "One does not make a great nation out of men like that."

THE REAL HEROES



Advertiser Illustrations.

Hon. Wesley Rowell—"If you want to know who did it on the western front, look at me and Bob and Jim."—Toronto Telegram.

LAWLESSNESS REIGNS WHEN POLICE STRIKE

Thieves Active in London's Principal Business Centres.

22,000 MEN ARE OUT

"Bobbies" of British Capital Have Sympathy of the Public.

PREMIER RECEIVES DEPUTATION.

London, Aug. 31.—Premier Lloyd George today received a deputation of the London police strikers. After the conference it was announced that proposals had been made in behalf of the Government which would be considered by the strikers this afternoon.

London, Aug. 31.—Considerable lawlessness marked the first night passed by London without police protection. During the early hours of the morning there were some harmless demonstrations, but later on the thieves became active, and daylight found a number of windows of jewelers' shops and other places of business broken and considerable property stolen.

This was particularly true in such centres as the Strand, Aldgate and other busy streets, which are usually so well guarded that shopkeepers leaves their goods on view during the night. Some of these places were entirely without civilian police protection last night.

There were a few military police about, but they devoted their attention entirely to their own men, and even if they had tried, would not have been able to cope with the thieves, who generally worked in squads.

The strike of London police spread steadily throughout the night and early today a majority of 22,000 constables had joined in the movement. The city of London police joined the metropolitan forces last night, and only a few members of the night shifts, which came on duty at 6 o'clock, appeared on the streets.

ATTEMPTS MADE TO KILL LENINE

London, Aug. 31.—Criminal attempts have been made on the life of Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, at Moscow, according to a Russian wireless message received here today from the Russian capital under date of August 31.

Lenine was wounded.

$400,000 FIRE IN HONDURAS CAPITAL

Tampa, Aug. 31.—News reached here today of a disastrous fire at Belize, capital of British Honduras, on August 17, in which the governor of the colony, W. Hart Bennett, was seriously injured. The fire started in the postoffice and swept through the courthouse, library, telegraph office, barracks, other Government buildings and several stores. The loss is estimated at $400,000.

NEW SICKNESS IN BELGIUM BELIEVED TO BE CHOLERA

Disease Has Broken Out to Northeast of Louvain.

Amsterdam, Aug. 31.—The Telegraaf says it learns that a new sickness, probably cholera, has broken out in Belgium. Thirty young people died this week in a village near Diest, 17 miles northeast of Louvain. The Germans are vigorously trying to localize the disease.

STABBED OVER HEART AS HE ENTERS HOME

Wealthy Chicagoan Victim of Mysterious Assault.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 31.—Wm. E. Bradway, wealthy clubman, is dead at a hospital as the result of a mysterious assault last Thursday night, it was announced today. He was stabbed over the heart as he was about to enter his home, but influential friends succeeded in keeping the story quiet until his death at midnight last night. Before his death, the police say, Mr. Bradway mentioned the name of a traveling salesman as his assailant, but lost consciousness before telling of a motive for the assault. Mr. Bradway was the divorced husband of Charlotte Smith, daughter of J. W. Smith, discoverer of Goldfield, in 1903.

SECRET TREATY LED TO U. S. ENTERING WAR, SAYS BOY-ED

German Prisoner Tells of the General Belief in Naval Attache's Explanation.

With the American Army in France, Aug. 31.—It was a secret treaty between Great Britain and the United States that caused America's entry into the war, according to Capt. Karl Boy-Ed, former German naval attache at Washington, whose book on the subject has just been published in Berlin, according to a prisoner taken north of Soissons. The prisoner told his captors that Capt. Boy-Ed's book told the story of his investigations in the United States, and that it explained clearly that had it not been for a secret alliance America certainly would not have entered the war. The prisoner expressed belief in the story, adding that it was accepted as true by his countrymen generally.

TO PETITION GOVERNMENT.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—For presentation to the prime minister of Ontario and his colleagues who will visit Ottawa to meet the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association on Wednesday, September 11, a petition will be circulated through the city next week, praying for the designation as provincial highways of three important roads leading into Ottawa.

GERMANS FAIL IN EFFORTS TO RETAKE NOYON

Armies of Generals Mangin and Humbert Make Important Gains.

French Headquarters in France, Aug. 31.—The armies of Gen. Humbert and Gen. Mangin have made highly important strategic gains. North of the Oise Gen. Humbert's troops have crossed the unfinished canal and occupied Chevilly, on a hill overlooking the Valley of the Meve, and part of Genvry, in the hills two miles north of Noyon. East of Noyon, Mont St. Simeon was carried.

An attempt by the enemy to recapture Noyon by counter-attack failed. Mont St. Simeon, 600 feet high, which protected the enemy's right flank, was attacked at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The summit was reached by middle afternoon, and the French thus established a great natural rampart upon which the enemy counted to guard his flank during the withdrawal before the attacks of Gen. Debeney and Gen. Rawlinson.

With the two main lines of defence—the unfinished canal and the Oise heights—pierced, the enemy's only natural line of resistance between his present unsteady positions and the old Hindenburg line, is the Noyon-St. Quentin road from Ham to Berlincourt, but here his right would be open to attack from the Oise heights.

MONTH'S PERMITS ARE NEARLY DOUBLE TOTAL OF AUGUST LAST YEAR

Over Five Hundred Issued During the Year.

Eighty-five building permits were issued by Building Inspector Piper during August. Their total value was $55,760. This is considerably in excess of August, 1917, when 67 per mits were issued for the low value of $31,255.

To date 553 permits have been issued this year, with a total value of $394,320. Up to August 31, 1917, 598 permits were issued with a value of $515,435.

OBJECT TO RAIDS

Inhabitants Along the Rhine Appeal to German Government.

Geneva, Aug. 31.—An important meeting of representatives from Rhine towns began yesterday at Saarbrucken. The conference was called to discuss means of protesting to the Government against Allied air raids.

It was decided to appeal to German headquarters to come to some arrangements for both sides to abstain from air attacks on open towns. The question of air defences if the appeal fails was also discussed, as were measures for the repair of property damaged and the payment of indemnities to the families of persons killed or injured. Meanwwhile insurance rates have increased 38 per cent in Rhine towns, it is announced.

KAISER'S REPLY

Amsterdam, Aug. 31.—In reply to a message of homage from the Union of Protestant Clergymen, the German Emperor has caused the following telegram to be sent: "His majesty readily accepts the vow to co-operate for the maintenance of an unshakable confidence in good and in our just cause and does not doubt that after the heavy fighting for life and freedom a prosperous peace will arise for the German people, which, obeying the law of the hour, now is firmly united with its princes and heroes at the front."

AVOIDS WEED AND IS STILL YOUNG AT 79

Colonel Denison, Toronto's Magistrate, Celebrates Birthday.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—"To what do you attribute your mental and physical vigor at 79?" Col. George T. Denison, police magistrate since 1877, veteran imperialist was asked today on his birthday. "I never smoked, and I am glad of it, and I shall tell you why. Not learning to smoke, I did not go out at night. Others smoked at the evening gatherings, so I stayed at home and read, read, read. I devoured books on history and military subjects. As a result, when the time came I won the czar's prize of 5,000 rubles, then about $4,000, for the best book on the history of cavalry.

CZECHO-SLOVAK CREWS ON ENEMY WARSHIPS REVOLT

Washington, Aug. 31.—Czecho-Slovak crews on Austro-Hungarian warships in the harbor of Cattaro have revolted, according to an official dispatch yesterday from France. The Czecho-Slovak deputy, Mr. Soukup, is said to have left Prague for Cattaro to defend the sailors in their court-martials.

DENIES KNOWLEDGE OF SOCIALIST CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 31.—Hjalmar Branting, the Swedish Socialist leader, discredits reports of an international Socialist conference at Interlaken, Switzerland, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. He says, according to the dispatch, that it may be that some German, Austrian and Swiss Socialists are conferring, but the meeting is of no importance. He declares that there can be no talk as yet of a real international conference.

TEUTONS IN RETREAT FOLLOWING THE FALL OF MOUNT KEMMEL

RED GUARDS DRIVEN BACK ON USSURI

Entente Allied Forces Attack and Defeat Bolshevik Troops.

Vladivostok, Aug. 29.—Entente Allied forces and Czecho-Slovak troops have attacked the Bolshevik Red Guards on the Ussuri River front and have driven the enemy back for a distance of 15 miles. Prisoners were taken and booty was captured by the Allied forces.

THREE-DAY BATTLE.

London, Aug. 31.—The Daily Mail's Harbin, Manchuria, correspondent, telegraphing Thursday regarding the situation in Siberia, says the Bolshevik forces were defeated in a three-days' battle along the Ussuri River, losing 400 men killed. The correspondent adds that the Bolshevik troops are fleeing toward Kharborisk and that the Japanese have occupied Iman.

SUB DISGUISED AS DESTROYER OFF U.S. COAST

Equipped With Canvas Funnel and Imitation Deck.

SHELLED A STEAMER

American Patrol Boat Goes to Scene and U-Boat Dives.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 31.—A German submarine disguised with canvas funnel and deck as a destroyer, recently attacked a passenger steamer, bound for South America, off the Virginia coast, raining shrapnel on her decks for two hours, according to a story brought to this port today by passengers arriving on a British steamer.

The narrators said the attacked vessel carried 350 passengers including 100 officers and men of the United States navy, and many women and children. They said they got the story from passengers of the attacked ship at a West Indian island, where both vessels touched. The shelling did not end, they said until an American destroyer, which had picked up the attacked vessel's S. O. S. calls arrived and the submarine dived. The captain of the attacked ship kept on a zigzag course, which prevented any of the solid shot from striking home and damaging the vessel.

OBJECTORS SENTENCED

Men at Niagara Camp Dealt With by Court-Martial.

Niagara Camp, Ont., Aug. 31.—Two conscientious objectors were sentenced in camp this morning, one to 42 days detention and the other to ten years in Kingston Penitentiary. They were George Wellington Crawford, Toronto, and Paul Joseph Forst. The latter, an Austrian, who was a naturalized British subject, had refused to put on a uniform. Crawford got off with 42 days detention because of his physical condition, he being in Category C. He has already served his 43 days, and was at once set at liberty.

Forst had been sentenced by a general court-martial to penal servitude for life, but as in the case of thirteen others who are now doing time in the penitentiary, his sentence was commuted to ten years.

MAN POWER BILL SIGNED.

Washington, Aug. 31.—President Wilson today signed the man power act, bringing all men in the United States from 18 to 45 years of age within the army draft and immediately afterward issued a proclamation fixing Thursday, September 12, as registration day.

ANOTHER VERDUN

London, Aug. 31.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at French headquarters, writing of the slaughter in the fighting on the east bank of the Ailette, says:

"It is the old days of Verdun again. The Germans are resorting to their old methods of crowding men into the front lines rather than placing them in echelon in accordance with the more recent theory of the German high command. This probably is enabling them to hold the Ailette positions longer, but at a terrible sacrifice, as Gen. Mangin's artillery is playing on them with deadly precision. The position is as important for the French to win as for the Germans to keep.

"CANADA MUST PROVIDE MEN, FOOD, SHIPS AND SHELLS"

Hon. N. W. Rowell States Needs at Toronto Exhibition Luncheon.

DOMINION'S OUTPUT

Fifty-Five Per Cent of 18-Pound Shells Come From Canada.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—"Canada must provide not only men to reinforce our divisions at the front, but also munitions, foods, and ships," declared Hon. N. W. Rowell, who was guest of honor at the exhibition directors' luncheon at noon today. Canada is one of the great munition-producing nations on behalf of the Allies; the development and expansion of this industry since the war broke out is a real industrial romance. In the case of 18-pound shells, no less than 55 per cent of the output of these shrapnel shells for use on the British front in the last six months of the year 1917 came from Canada. Canada also contributed 42 per cent of the total of 4.5 shells, and a very substantial percentage of other shells in general use on the western front.

"It is the high degree of efficiency which the Canadian manufacturer has attained in munitions production which is securing him large orders from the American Government at the present time."

After referring to the remarkable progress of the airplane industry in Canada, Mr. Rowell spoke of "the

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ANOTHER SPANISH SHIP TORPEDOED

Paris, Aug. 31.—Another Spanish ship, the Alexandrine, has been torpedoed, according to a Madrid dispatch to the Journal.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 73; lowest, 47.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 67; lowest, 60.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Toronto, Aug. 31—8 a.m. Forecasts.

Today — Fresh west to northwest winds; clearing tonight.

Sunday—Westerly winds; fair, with moderate temperature.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	80	62	Clear
Calgary	76	42	Clear
Winnipeg	64	46	Rain
Port Arthur	62	38	Clear
Parry Sound	67	60	Rain
Port Stanley	72	66	Cloudy
Buffalo	74	66	Fair
Toronto	74	62	Rain
Kingston	74	64	Rain
Ottawa	78	56	Rain
Montreal	74	60	Cloudy
Quebec	70	58	Cloudy
Father Point	66	44	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

A moderate disturbance is moving eastward across Ontario, accompanied by rain.

Light local showers have occurred in the Maritime and Western Provinces.

Great Stronghold Is Taken By the Forces Under Field Marshal Haig —British Open An Attack On Marrienes Wood Between Somme and Bapaume---Advance Towards Peronne Continues.

HUNS ARE RETREATING.

With the British Forces in France, Aug. 31.—British successes on the Lys salient sector of the battlefront have caused the Germans to start a retreat from the neighborhood of Kemmel to opposite Bethune. The withdrawal is progressing rapidly.

Field Marshal Haig's men are attacking near Marrienes Wood, between Bapaume and the River Somme, which position is strongly held by the enemy.

KEMMEL AND MONT ST. QUENTIN CAPTURED BY BRITISH FORCES

London, Aug. 31.—Mount Kemmel, the famous stronghold southwest of Ypres, which was the scene of terrific fighting during the German offensive in Flanders late in April, has been captured by the British, according to advices from the front.

Mont St. Quentin, a mile and a half north of Peronne, has been taken by Field Marshal Haig's forces.

French troops made a small advance on the Ailette River and in that neighborhood, occupying the southern outskirts of the wood 500 yards southwest of Coucy-le-Chateau.

In the Lys salient, the British hold La Couture and Lestrem, and are west of Doulieu at Nooteboom.

Field Marshal Haig's forces also have progressed a mile and a half east of Bailleul. British troops have taken Mont-de-Lille and Kemmel Hill.

The British troops which captured Mont St. Quentin are now moving in the direction of Bassau, about two miles northeast of Peronne.

KAISER'S TROOPS DRIVEN FROM POSITIONS TO EAST OF CLERY

London, Aug. 31.—German troops have been driven from their positions east of Clery, on the Somme, northwest of Peronne, and the British advance in this locality is continuing, according to the official statement issued at the war office today.

On the south side of the Lys salient, the British have occupied the village of La Couture, northeast of Bethune.

British forces have entered the village of Dranoutre, south of Locre, on the north side of the Lys salient.

The British have captured a strong point known as the St. Servins Farm, and the village of Eterigny, north of the Arras-Cambrai road southeast of Arras.

The text of the statement reads:

"During the night Australian troops drove the enemy from positions east of Clery-sur-Somme, capturing many prisoners and a number of machine guns. The advance in this locality is continuing.

"Yesterday afternoon English troops carried out a successful operation north of the Arras-Cambrai road, capturing a strong point known as the St. Servine Farm, and the village of Eterpigny, on the east bank of the Sensee River.

"On the Lys front our troops hold La Coutre, and the line of the Lawe River from Vielle Chapelle to Lestrem, both of which villages are in our hands.

GERMAN RAIDS IN CHAMPAGNE DISTRICT REPULSED BY FRENCH

Paris, Aug. 31.—Artillery fire north of Noyon and between the Ailette and the Aisne rivers, is reported in the official statement issued at the war office today.

The text of the statement reads:

"During the night there was heavy artillery fighting in the region of the Canal du Nord, north of Noyon, and between the Ailette and the Aisne rivers.

"German raids in the Champagne were unsuccessful."

AMERICAN AVIATORS DROP BOMBS ON CONFLANS RAILWAY YARDS

With the American Army on the Lorraine Front, Friday, Aug. 30.—American bombing machines this morning attacked railway yards and buildings at Conflans. Several direct bursts were observed and enemy pursuit planes followed the invading Americans back to their lines, but did not attack them.

At noon American airmen dropped bombs on the railway yards at Longuyon, scoring direct hits. Late in the afternoon Conflans was again raided, but poor visibility made it difficult to ascertain whether the bombing was effective. Enemy anti-aircraft guns were active against the American raiders in all three of the day's excursions. All our machines returned.

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Another man was also fined $10 and costs for being drunk. When asked by Magistrate Graydon why he was drunk he stated, "I only had four or five drinks."

Magistrate Graydon—"Well, isn't that enough?"

Prisoner—"Yes, I guess it was too much."

HOCKEY STAR NOW TO OUTWIT GERMANS



Advertiser Illustrations.

FLIGHT LIEUT. A. P. McAVOY, known to every hockey fan in Western Ontario and popular among the athletes of the city, is preparing to fly his machine over Hunland and take his toll of the German fliers. He is in England eagerly awaiting his first trip to France. Lieut. McAvoy joined the air forces at Port Colborne a year ago.

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OPPORTUNITIES AT HOME

No Need To Go Abroad To Seek Chances In Life.

Delivering the most quoted lecture in the world, Dr. Russell H. Conwell last evening told the hundreds of people who had gathered to hear him on the closing night of London's 1918 Chautauqua that anybody can be rich or great who so desires. The only thing about it is to go about it in the right way, after finding the right way. He specially emphasized the point that people don't need to have capital to get a start. It is rather a handicap than otherwise, taking the spine out of ambition. The person to be pitied is the rich man's son and not the poor man's son.

Foundation of Success.

To quote Dr. Conwell directly, "The foundation principle of business success and Christianity is the same. The whole of any man's life is to be doing for his fellow men. The man who does most for his fellow men gets the greatest reward."

"Further," declared Dr. Conwell, "the man who is taking up business space on Dundas street, London, and isn't getting ahead for the reason that he isn't taking an interest in his fellow citizens, finding out their needs and serving them, hasn't any right to be blocking up the street."

One thing mentioned as an essential to getting rich, in addition to sensing the needs of others and meeting them, is being true to oneself and honest with oneself and expecting honest pay for honest work.

Talking about meeting the needs of people, "If you want to be a successful lawyer, doctor, merchant, housekeeper, or to get married," said the lecturer, "find out where there is a known demand, and go where you are wanted."

Thinking Is Needed.

Finding out what is needed involves thinking.

"The man with a handful of wheat who thinks is worth more than the man with a thousand acres who doesn't think," said the speaker, and "When a woman makes up her mind she will do a thing and doesn't say anything about it, she does it. London is going to be a city of a million people some day because of people who think." That's just how important thinking is in the estimation of the world's most famous lecturer.

So far as greatness is concerned, if a person can't be great right in his own home town, he can't be great any place. The office or the rank will never make the man. In a country such as Canada, where more than in any other country, government is of the people, by the people, for the people, the office holder is the servant of the people, and the Bible says the servant is not greater than his master. The great men of the next fifty years in Canada, according to Dr. Conwell, will not be the commissioned officers in the army, but the privates who have studied good books while in the army.

Hopeful Statistics.

Statistics prove important things. Statistics prove that the commissioned officers in the American civil war were scarcely heard of afterwards, so far as positions of prominence were concerned. It was the privates who applied themselves to study who became governors of the states, supreme court judges and filled other conspicuous places of usefulness. Greatness does not consist in office, but in doing great good with little means.

"The mistaken idea people hold about the importance of officers in the army is due to the way history is taught in the schools. The way history is taught, you would think it was the generals who did all the fighting."

Sparkles from Dr. Conwell's acres of diamonds caught and carried away were as follows:

"The young man in London, Ontario, who can't get rich without capital is unfair to himself."

"There is no corporation under heaven doing a fair business unless it divides with its employees."

"The ambition to make a home is the next ambition to having a home in heaven."

"A man who has a thousand chickens to look after is too busy to make money."

"Wherever there is a human need, there is always a great fortune."

"You don't need capital, you need common sense to get rich."

"The man or woman who is not a helpful citizen, helping to make better streets and homes, in the home town, and better and more intelligent people can never be great anywhere else."

Previous to the introduction of Dr. Conwell, an enjoyable program was presented by Charles E. Clarke, baritone and entertainer; Rachel Clark, violinist, and Earl Victor Pratt.

The enjoyable and informing Chautauqua week was brought to a close with last evening's offerings, the audience expressing a practically unanimous wish for a return next year.

Referring to the welcome and courtesy extended to the Chautauqua course in London, Professor Swink, who has been in charge here, stated that in no place has greater encouragement been received, referring especially to the support of the "progressive press."

IS CHIEF PAYMASTER AT BUXTON, ENGLAND



Advertiser Illustrations.

MAJOR ARTHUR R. MORTIMER of this city has received his majority, and is appointed chief paymaster at Buxton.

Major Mortimer has been in France for three years, going over from Toronto with the 4th Artillery Brigade, the commanding officer being Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown of this district. Major Mortimer has been adjutant and cashier while in France, and is looked upon as a most efficient officer.

HOUSE DESTROYED; OWNER ESCAPES IN THE LAST MOMENT

Wife and Family Away From Home at Time.

A fire completely destroyed the residence of L. Middaugh, 127 Wilson avenue, early this morning, with a total loss of nearly $1,500.

The fire is believed to have been caused by defective wiring. Mr. Middaugh was alone in the house, and was fast asleep when the fire broke out. It was not until the fire was well under way that he awakened and made a quick dash for safety.

Only a small portion of the furniture was saved. Mrs. Middaugh and five small children left yesterday for Longwood. It is believed if they had been home that they would have had little opportunity to save their lives.

DEMAND FOR GIRLS IN FRUIT DISTRICTS KEENER THAN EVER

S. O. S. Comes From Port Dalhousie to Local Bureau.

The demand for girls to help with the fruit-picking and canning is becoming greater every day, and so far the girls of this city and vicinity have not yet responded in any great numbers to this urgent call. Nevertheless like all other places, London has had a few volunteers and this morning twelve girls left for these camps. Nine of them left for Grimsby. Five will do fruit picking, while the remaining four will be employed at canning, and three left for Niagara-on-the-Lake, where they will do fruit picking until the end of the season.

Miss Macilobert, superintendent of the women's branch of the Government Employment Bureau here, stated that the girls were urgently needed, and that the most desperate call for them comes from Port Dalhousie, where tomatoes are rotting on account of the inability of the canners to secure help for their factories.

Conditions Are Good.

A letter was received at the bureau here this morning which outlined the work of these girls employed at Port Dalhousie as well as stating the conditions under which they lived. Some girls have the wrong impression of these camps, thinking that they have to live under very poor conditions. This idea, according to the letter and reports of girls, who have returned from the camps, is altogether wrong, for the camp is situated only five minutes' walk from the lake (Lake Ontario) and the girls live in houses or in tents which are electrically lighted not only inside but outside, the lanes between the tents being well lighted. The houses also have baths and a matron is employed to look after the welfare of the girls. The canneries are large, airy places, and the majority of the girls like to work in these. It is also stated that conditions are improving to such an extent that the headquarters are sending their very best girls and a number of university graduates, as well as leisured girls, have expressed their desire to go to this camp work.

It is thought that although many of the girls have not responded to these calls they will do so in the near future when they have been thoroughly impressed with their desirability and the kind treatment offered.

The headquarters at Toronto are greatly in need of help, 75 girls being wanted at Dalhousie, and every effort will be made to obtain a number of these girls from this city. They will be paid $1.50 per day, with good piece rates, and many of the girls are being paid 20 cents a basket for fruit.

"HELLO" GIRLS LAUGH AT STORY OF UNION

Much amusement has been caused among the Bell Telephone operators of the city by a story appearing in a local paper announcing that these young ladies were organizing a union. The officials of the company were inclined to treat the story as little short of mischievous. Both operators and management agree that there is an utter lack of basis for it in truth.

The girls, while ridiculing the idea of organizing, are annoyed that they should have been credited with such a plan, and declare themselves well satisfied with existing conditions. They have received an increase in pay recently which pleased them, and they state that they see no need of organizing.

WESTERN CROP DAMAGE REPORTS GREATLY MAGNIFIED—WANT 10,000 HARVESTERS AT ONCE.

Reports previously published regarding the damage by frost to the crops in Saskatchewan were unduly pessimistic. Frequent showers and favorable weather have changed the outlook, and it is apparent that the great Province of Saskatchewan will have a normal crop. This is evidenced by Western demands for Farm Laborers, as not less than 10,000 are required immediately for harvesting.

Every young man and those more mature, in every community in Ontario, including our own, should get away and can make this a great opportunity to serve the country in a practical way, and at the same time be of invaluable benefit to himself. It means an interesting, long-distance journey at low fares, and a chance to see and study the immense new country served by Canadian Northern—the People's Road.

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PAGEANT PRESENTED BY LONDON CHILDREN PROVED REAL TREAT

Young Chautauquans Gave An Excellent Performance.

In a Roman temple, offering gifts to the goddess of war or as national service workers for the cause of freedom, the children of Junior Chautauqua presented a patriotic pageant yesterday afternoon that made an earnest impression on the large audience. Trained in less than a week their work was thoroughly well done in every detail, and went along smoothly through marches, dances and choruses.

In the scene laid in a Roman temple where priests and priestesses seek to appease the wrath of the Goddess Minerva, and implore here to bestow victory upon their arms in the battle, Marion Hart represented the goddess with excellent effect. The speech to Minerva was spoken by Muriel Johnson. During this scene Marion Stark danced in her usual good style a butterfly dance.

As an entr'acte Dorothy Hart danced a Highland fling.

Miss Canada.

The prologue speech to the second scene was rendered by Jean Johnston, who was also the leader of the Red Cross nurses in their march and tableau. The important role of Miss Canada was left to Ina Thurst, in appearance and appropriate dignity of mien well suited to the part. Winsome little maple leaf girls were in attendance upon Miss Canada. Demonstrating the spirit of service pervading the land, service which proclaims loyal devotion to country, were nurses in uniform who formed their emblematic cross and sang, "Keep the Home Fires Burning"; farmer boys in overalls; boys who formed the word Thrift, and after expressions of homage to Miss Canada, sang in chorus, "Save Up Your Pennies to Win the War," and marched and counter-marched. The spirit of conservation was expressed by caparisoned cooks, bearing spoons and jars.

Allies Were There.

In this scene the different roles were taken by Marion Stark, as France, clad in the tricolor; Audrey Webster, representing England, and Douglas Westman as Uncle Sam. As each national figure was welcomed by Miss Canada the assembled patriots sang the corresponding national air. The "Star-Spangled Banner," in Douglas Westman's clear, sweet soprano, was received with enthusiastic applause.

The pageant was considered an unusual treat, and its presentation by local children with little preparation, makes it a matter for sincere congratulation to the junior leader, Miss Johnson, responsible not only for the training but for many of the original features introduced.

A musical program which followed was rendered by the Charles Edward Clarke Company of Chicago, featuring a violinist, baritone and pianist, all three artists of exceptional ability.

MUSIC-LOVERS TO HEAR EXCELLENT PROGRAM AT SUNDAY CONCERT

On Sunday evening the Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., is holding a band concert in Victoria Park for the purpose of raising funds for soldiers' comforts. This chapter since its formation has been doing splendid work, providing large amounts for different patriotic purposes, and the regent, Mrs. F. Fallon, who has been faithful in her duties to the chapter, is anxious to have the amount to be realized at Sunday evening's concert a large one in order that the chapter may be able to carry through some work they have now in hand to supply our brave men with comforts that they need.

The Senator Coffey Chapter has been fortunate in securing for this concert the band of the Marconi Club, under the leadership of Prof. Venuta, and the program to be rendered by this band is one that ought to appeal to all lovers of music in the city. Prof. Venuta has been very generous in his work for patriotic purposes since the war started and it goes without saying that the concert he will provide on Sunday evening will be thoroughly enjoyed. His band will render the following program:

The Land of the Maple ..... March
Giovanna D'arco, overture ..... Verdi
Mosaic of Patriotic Songs, arranged by ..... Prof. Venuta
Ave Maria ..... Gounod
Fantasticando, valse ..... G. Benninati
The Victoria Cross, selection ..... Read
Gloria, from 12th Mass ..... Mozart
At the Country Fair, overture ..... Filippa
Feature Pot Pourri, introducing, "Just Like Washington Crossed the Delaware," "Over There," and "Homeward Bound."
The Royal Marine, march ..... Mario
God Save the King.

In addition to the above program the chapter has secured the services of Chris Pink, who will render vocal selections. Citizens are asked to turn out in large numbers and help along the good work being done by the chapters of the I. O. D. E. Collection will be taken at the different gates.

Percy King, soloist at the Wellington Street Methodist Church, will sing "The Admiral's Broom." Mr. King has a reputation as a singer who is always welcomed, and he is especially capable in the rendition of the song chosen.

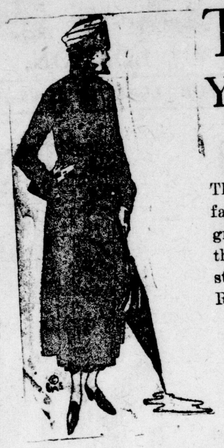
EXPENSES COULD BE CUT BY JOINT MANAGEMENT

Owing to condensation of the report published of the discussion before the board of control on Friday concerning the purchase of the London and Lake Erie Traction Line, Dr. Routledge was represented as saying that "the road, properly managed, could be made to pay."

The expression possibly may be misunderstood. Dr. Routledge intimated that if the municipality took the road and placed it under the control of the London Railway Commission, overhead expense could be cut down considerably. He believed that the line, run in conjunction with the L. and P. S. R., would not have to bear as much expense as has been the case, and that, therefore, it would be a simpler matter than heretofore to show profit at the end of the year.

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J. McGrath.

EXETER.
W. G. Stewart.

BAN ON NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION IN KENT REMOVED IN PART

TORONTO, Aug. 30.—Certain restrictions on the distribution and sale of natural gas produced in the county of Kent, particularly the prohibition of its distribution and sale to institutions such as hospitals, schools, et cetera, have been removed in part by an order dated as of today, issued by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board.

The board reserves to itself the right without notice to any class of consumers of natural gas to rescind the order, or vary or alter it as it sees fit.

BOY FALLS INTO THRESHER; HEAD CRUSHED BY FAN

PORT HOPE, Aug. 30.—Fred Albert Janes, aged thirteen years, a ward of the Port Hope Shelter, met a horrible death yesterday afternoon. The little fellow made his home with William Morton at Osaka, and yesterday when Mr. Morton went over to a neighboring farm to thresh, the boy went with him.

The threshing was proceeding and the boy was quite interested in the work and climbed up on the threshing machine to get a better view. He missed his footing and toppled into the blower.

He came in contact with the fan and the top of his head was completely cut off, one arm was broken and he suffered numerous other injuries.

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The total general tax for the year is $1,258,000, with a little over $100,000 more due on special and local improvement taxes. This means that about $200,000 remains to be paid on the last installment due on October 31.

RETURNED MEN WOULD APPRECIATE RECORDS

New House Has Instrument But It Stands Silent.

The new home of the Great War Veterans, of this city, on Queen's avenue, is still open to the public for their inspection, and since the evening that the home was formally opened by Brigadier-General Shannon, many people have called for the purpose of inspecting its interior. The large register at the front door now has many pages full of names of the visitors, both from far and near. Many names appear from large Canadian cities and two from Philadelphia.

All upon the conclusion of their tour of inspection have expressed their great delight at its fitness and home-like appearance. Congratulations have been showered upon the secretary until he says that it will be impossible for him to tell a new one. Everything has been kept in spick and span shape and the home is spotless.

Nevertheless, like all other places that have been opened up with great pomp and glory, there is something missing. This is so here, and there are two, or maybe just one important thing lacking. The one is that there are no records for the victrola. This handsome instrument adorns the reception room table and is one of the first objects that anyone lays eyes upon. Everyone wants to hear a tune and when the men are there at nights their regret is frequently expressed at the absence of records. The other is that there are no decent balls for the billiard table. The men, when playing, are often heard to use rather strong language to the effect that "I could have made that shot if this ball was decent, so I could have put some 'stuff' on it."

Efforts will be made immediately to obtain these articles, and it is hoped that the citizens will do all in their power to add these two articles to the home to make it complete.

MOTOR CARS CRASH; NO ONE IS INJURED

Traffic was blocked and considerable excitement was caused for a few moments about 1:45 today, when two automobiles owned by R. J. Kelly, 29 Beatty avenue and G. Reid of 32 Byron avenue, crashed together at the corner of Talbot and Dundas streets.

Both cars were going west on Dundas street, when Mr. Reid attempted to turn north on Talbot street. Mr. Kelly saw the approaching collision and attempted to turn and avoid the accident but the turn could not be made quick enough, and as a result the cars crashed together and were very badly damaged. The car of Mr. Kelly had the front axle badly bent and a light broken, as well as some other scratches, while the other machine also had a wheel and mudguard badly bent with a few other damages. No one was injured.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

CAPT. MINARD'S REPLY.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I desire to thank you for the space given my department in your issue of the 27th inst., at the same time would express my regrets that one of my office staff, without consulting me, gave to your paper a reply to the letter from "The Father of a Soldier Who Has Made the Supreme Sacrifice."

As one who has also lost his eldest boy in the fight for freedom's cause and has another over there in France, I feel too deeply for that other father, to take issue with him for any criticism he might offer concerning my action in connection with his son under the M. S. A.

We are but human and any action at such a time must seem harsh to him, no matter how justifiable on my part. I would not add to his sense of injury by entering upon a controversy, and only hope that he may not suffer further by the unauthorized statement. I am, yours very truly,

ASA R. MINARD, Inspector.

London, Ont., Aug. 29, 1918.

MILITARY NOTES

START FOR SIBERIA.

The first party of men to leave this city for duty with the Siberian Expeditionary Force was a draft of Canadian Engineers, which departed from London, for St. Johns, Quebec, at 6:15 p.m. yesterday via Canadian Pacific Railway. This draft, numbering 46, was in charge of Capt. Roy Garrat, and will receive further instruction at the Engineers' Training Depot in Quebec before proceeding to Siberia with the Canadian contingent.

GRANTED LEAVE.

Lieut.-Col. H. D. Smith, general staff officer at local military headquarters, has been granted one month's leave commencing September 2.

APPOINTMENT MADE.

Camp orders today state that Harold C. Harcourt has been appointed lieutenant in the 1st Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment.

MORE OFFICERS.

Orders received from Ottawa at military headquarters here today state that the Canadian Ordnance Corps is subject to a re-establishment. By this amendment, Military District No. 1 will have one major, two captains, three other officers, and 44 other ranks, instead of one captain as at present.

NO WORD OF ARTIST'S RELEASE.—London friends of Frank Nicolet, the artist, have not heard whether he has been successful in escaping from the toils in Montreal. He was held by the dominion police because they considered his exemption papers insufficient.

READY FOR FIRE PROBE.—The inquiry into the firemen's dispute by Judge Talbot Macbeth may start next week. The judge has written City Clerk Baker to this effect. Mr. Baker is out of the city, and a definite decision will not be made until he returns.

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LOCAL NEWS

REPORTED GASSED.—E. B. Morris, 241 Ridout street, is officially reported as gassed in today's casualty list.

WRIT ISSUED.—James Henry Smith has issued a writ against George Thody, suing him for damages for trespassing on his property.

TRUSTEES MEET.—The regular monthly meeting of the trustees of the Protestant Orphans' Home will be held on Tuesday, at the Home, at 3 o'clock.

DIVISION COURT CASES.—Twenty-seven cases were brought before Judge Judd at the first division court Friday. Nearly all the cases were disposed of during the session.

BOYS GET OFF—Two small boys appeared in juvenile court this morning charged with trespassing on the London and Port Stanley property. They were warned against trespassing and were dismissed.

INCREASE RECOMMENDED.—The board of control Friday passed a recommendation to be sent on to the council that the old and faithful janitor of the city hall, Sergeant-at-Arms Harry Merritt, should have a ten per cent salary increase.

CORN 14 FEET.—Perhaps there are few farmers who can boast of having corn measuring 14 feet and 1 inch in height in their fields. John C. Mann of R. R. No. 2, Glanworth, is the only man having reported corn of this height so far.

COMMENCES NINTH YEAR.—Rev. H. H. Bingham, pastor of Talbot Street Baptist Church has returned from his vacation in Calgary and will occupy his own pulpit on Sunday at both services. Mr. Bingham is commencing his ninth year as minister of Talbot Street congregation.

REV. J. G. INKSTER ILL.—Rev. J. Gibson Inkster, for many years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is seriously ill in hospital in Victoria, B. C. The many friends he made during the period of his ministerial work in London are anxiously awaiting word of improvement in his condition.

WHO CAN RAISE KANE?—Pte. Daniel Kane, 823554, a late comrade of the 142nd Battalion, is wanted by the Great War Veterans' Association of this city. Pte. Kane's address has been lost by the secretary, so he is requested to call at the headquarters or telephone 5624 for instructions.

ACCEPTS CALL.—Rev. T. A. Symington, B.A., of Orillia, has accepted the call which has been extended to him from Knox Presbyterian Church, South London, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation some months ago of Rev. J. G. Stuart. The announcement of his acceptance was just received in the city yesterday.

G. W. V. A. MET.—The executive committee of the Great War Veterans' Association of this city held its regular meeting last evening. It was decided by the members to consider all applications regarding pensions that are forwarded to the committee and to deal with them directly.

RAILWAY COMMISSION MEETS.—The London Railway Commission held a short meeting this morning. It is understood that it decided to ask the city council on Tuesday to approve of its accepting the tender for the steel work for the Beatty footbridge and to authorize proceeding with the work.

WOUNDED IN LEG.—Fred Boyd, 19 Blackfriars street, has received word that his brother, Robert M. Boyd has suffered a gunshot wound in his leg and is seriously ill. Pte. Boyd came from Chicago to join the Princess Pats, 18 months ago, and has been in France since then. His mother and sister, Mrs. F. B. Clark, live in Clarksburg, Mo.

M. P.'S BROTHER KILLED.—Lieut. Roy Buchanan, brother of W. A. Buchanan, M. P. of Lethbridge, and former editor of the St. Thomas Journal, has been killed at the front. News to this effect awaited Mr. Buchanan on his return from overseas with the Canadian editors.

ENGINE SMASHES BRIDGE. — A threshing engine, the property of John Shore of Westminster Township, crashed through the bridge on the Bostick road, near Lambeth, Friday, while being driven to the Bishop farm nearby. No one was injured in the accident, and a derrick is being sent from London to the scene to raise the heavy engine.

LADIES' DAY—Wednesday afternoon, September 4, from the hours of three until five will be ladies' day at the new home of the Great War Veterans' Association. It is expected that a good crowd of ladies will be there, as the I. O. D. E., Red Cross and many other organizations have been invited to attend, and an invitation is extended to any woman who wishes to go. Refreshments will be served and a very enjoyable afternoon is promised to all.

REV. DR. PEEVER RETURNS.—Rev. Dr. Peever has returned from his vacation and will preach twice in First Methodist Church Sunday. In the morning "Helpfulness and Encouragement" (an after-holiday message), will be his subject, and at night he will deal with "Our Duty to Men On the Sea." Mr. Jordan has also returned to the city, and will preside at the organ and expects to conduct a full choir.

PTE. A. E. MILLSON TO SPEAK.—Memorial Methodist Sunday School will hold its anniversary services on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. The preacher for the day, Pte. (Rev.) A. E. Millson, B.A., will give special addresses for Sunday School and Epworth League folk, as well as for their elders. Special musical selections will also be provided. A special offering in aid of Sunday school work will be taken.

ENJOYABLE CORN ROAST—A very enjoyable corn roast was held at Willow Beach, Port Stanley, last night by a party of Bell Telephone girls and their friends. There were about twenty young people present, around the huge camp fire, toasting marshmallow, weiners and corn to their hearts' content. With an excellent supply of watermelon as dessert, the party made the nearby woods ring with their songs, and the happy time was concluded in time to catch the last train for London.

AT DUNDAS CENTRE.—Rev. Dr. William Sparling, pastor of the Centenary Methodist Church of Hamilton will occupy the pulpit at Dundas Centre Church at both services tomorrow, while Rev. W. E. Pescott, pastor of Dundas Centre, will preach in Centenary Church there. Dr. Sparling is one of the strongest preachers in Canadian Methodism. He has been pastor in big churches in Toronto, Winnipeg and Ottawa. The Sunday school of this church, which has been meeting in the morning, will resume the afternoon session.

MORE FOR SIBERIA.—Volunteers for the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force continue to offer themselves for service at the local mobilization centre, and Friday three more appeared before the medical board. H. E. Rawling, a native of England; M. Abelof of Canada, and T. Brearoy of England, but forwarded to this city from the British and Canadian recruiting mission at Buffalo, were all found to be in category A2 and were attached to the above-mentioned force. W. Hearth of Detroit was placed in A2 and attached to the Canadian Engineers, while C. McKeogh of Detroit was placed in the Construction Battalion, with category B2. W. E. Mitchell of this district was given C3 and placed in the Army Medical Corps. One defaulter was examined and placed in the W. O. R., with category E.

PENSION ON THE WAY—Word has been received in this city by Secretary Cunliffe of the local branch of the Great War Veterans' Association from R. M. Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada, that the pension which was awarded to Mrs. Benjamin Askey of this city, after her husband's death, from the date of his discharge to the date of his death was, through some misunderstanding or other, not paid immediately, but would be sent at once. The pension, if this statement is correct, will have arrived in this city now. The pension committee of the local branch of the association is still pressing the case of Mrs. Askey, and will continue to do so until some definite decision is reached between it and the board of pension commissioners.

OBJECTORS OFF TO KINGSTON; DEPART WITHOUT ANY SONG

Four Taken to Serve Terms in Penitentiary.

Four conscientious objectors, John M. Clark, John E. Morrison, Judson H. Pulford and Carl F. Robethge, were taken to Kingston Penitentiary last night by Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watterworth.

The four men were sentenced to two years in Kingston, three weeks ago, when they appeared before the judge.

John M. Clark has been in the county jail for 41 days, and the other three men have spent 30 days in jail.

The four men left on the 7:13 Grand Trunk train, but as far as it can be learned the men were not singing when they made their departure, as several other conscientious objectors have when they left the city.

LONDON RESOLUTIONS WERE ALL APPROVED

Ontario Municipal Convention Considered 29 Motions.

Assessment Commissioner Stephen Grant returned to the city today after attending the Ontario municipal convention at Toronto. He brought with him a copy of the 29 resolutions presented to the gathering. A number of these presented by the city of London. There were also several dealing with assessment matters, but the gathering of assessment commissioners at a session which they held, framed a number of important matters to present to the legislative committee which has been named to compose a new assessment act.

Controller Moore presented London's resolution re suburban roads, which would have the act amended to wipe out clauses which the resolution declared to be "repugnant to Canadian municipal government." It would give cities more control of the money to be expended and a voice in deciding what work shall be undertaken.

Ald. H. B. Ashplant's resolution to have the Federal Government frame legislation to allow municipalities to collect a tax from the Bell Telephone Company for the use of streets, was also carried.

Controller Moore moved and City Clerk Baker seconded and the convention carried the resolution from London asking the Provincial Government to tax all crown lands, churches, etc., now exempt.

The city's resolution asking the Federal Government to place insurance on soldiers similar to the system in force in the United States was carried on motion of Ald. Ashplant and Mr. Baker.

Reeve J. L. Robson of London Township and Miss Mary Grant, clerk of the township, presented a number of resolutions dealing with assessment, drainage and municipal act amendments, which were carried.

FINAL TOUCHES ARE BEING MADE TODAY TO LABOR DAY PROGRAM

Union Men of City Will Hear Labor Sermon.

Charles Ferguson, chairman of the Labor Day sports committee, is busy today putting the final touches to Monday's big program.

"We will have the best day in history, and that's the man responsible," stated President Jos. Dean of the trades and labor council this morning. He referred to Mr. Ferguson.

The baby show promises to be a "humdinger," according to Mr. Dean. There will be special prizes of $100 in cups, three of which have been donated by Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Gibbons and Mrs. Philip Pocock.

All convalescent soldiers with the blue bands on their arms will be admitted free.

The parade on Monday will be short. The bands will gather at the market and leave at 1:15 for the fair grounds.

At 6:15 Sunday evening all the labor men of the city will gather at the market and march to St. Andrew's Church. C. E. Wheeler has arranged a special musical program for the service, and Rev. D. C. MacGregor will deliver a special labor sermon. His subject will be "An Ancient and Modern Labor Movement."

CITY'S NET INCREASE IN POPULATION DURING AUGUST TOTALED 23

Stork Made 102 Trips to London During Month.

London welcomed 102 new babies during the month of August, but this gain in the population received somewhat of a setback by 79 death being recorded in the same period.

Girl babies showed the boys the way, as there were only 50 males to 52 females. Deaths recorded show 41 males and 38 females.

The clerics of the city benefitted to the extent of 43 marriages.

In July of this year there were 125 births, or 23 more than August. Deaths totalled 57 and marriages 54. In August, 1918, there were only 89 births, 13 less than August this year, 61 deaths and 41 marriages.

MUST GET TO WORK

Man Found Trespassing on L. and P. S. R. Property in Court.

Mike Bardo appeared in police court this morning charged with trespassing on the London and Port Stanley property. He pleaded guilty to the charge.

The railway detective testified that he arrested the man on the company's property, and that he was lying about five feet from the railroad tracks. He also testified that the prisoner abused him when he was making the arrest.

Mike Bardo told the court that he had been working in Montreal, and he was going to Aylmer to get work. He was discharged and told to find work.

TWENTY FIRES.—The local fire department had twenty-four calls during the month of August. Four of these were false alarms and twenty fires were attended.

MULCTED TO THE LAST DIME.—The scrupulous exactness with which the city's business is transacted was illustrated today in the case of a local ratepayer. His receipt for taxes paid came back all right, and attached to it was a tiny scrap of paper, torn thriftily if unevenly from a large sheet. On the little scrap the memorandum was penned, "You still owe TEN CENTS on your taxes."

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS. — The board of education will hold its first after-the-holiday meeting on Tuesday afternoon. Perhaps the most important matter to be dealt with other than the details in connection with the reopening of school, will be the recommendation of No. 1 committee in regard to the Teachers' Guild. The committee has recommended that the trouble with the teachers be referred to Dr. Waugh, chief inspector.

GEN. SHANNON AT FUNERAL.—Brig.-Gen. L. W. Shannon, D. O. C., attended the funeral of Lieut.-Col. John White at Woodstock Friday. Col. White was the organizer and commander for many years of the 22nd Oxford Rifles, and he and Gen. Shannon became fast friends through their contact in military affairs. Col. White was regarded as one of the most prominent and farseeing businessmen in Western Ontario. He died suddenly on Tuesday.

HUBBY NEARLY GOT A BARGAIN, BUT FRIEND WIFE APPEARED ON THE SCENE A MOMENT TOO SOON

Farmer's Ready Reply Saved Him, But He Had a Narrow Escape—Everything On Market, Including Free Recipes and Good Advice.

The grand prize in a discretion contest should go to a certain diplomatic husband who, with his wife, was in attendance at the Saturday market today. While wife bartered the butter and eggs and other farm produce traditionally belonging to "wimmen's spear," hubby sought diversion in discussing politics and crops with his neighbors. Presently he was lured by the syren voice of the auction sale man, who was offering choice bargains in dilapidated chairs, and other house furnishings, not to mention a genuine No. 1 hard, pure wool and a yard wide job lot of raincoats at regular slaughter prices.

Hubby was gazing fascinated as one coat after another was knocked down to lucky buyers. The musical refrain had just been brought to a close, "It's the greatest bargain in a raincoat that has ever been offered in this or any other sale. JUST two dollars and twenty-five cents for this high-class, swell style raincoat. Keeps out the rain and you can put it right on over your overcoat to keep out the wind. Say, I thought I was getting a bargain when I bought this coat I'm wearing at wholesale price in a store for nine dollars and seventy-five cents, and it is not in it with this coat. Won't nobody bid me two fifty for the biggest bargain of a lifetime?"

Just Waitin'.

Hubby had just opened his mouth, evidently with the intention of raising his voice when a tap on the shoulder caused his jaws to snap together and he turned quickly around.

"What are you doing here?" asked wife, with the light of knowledge and suspicion in her eye.

"I'm waiting to bid on a lady's raincoat," he answered promptly, just like that, in face of the fact that it had been distinctly stated and repeated that it was a job lot of MEN'S and boys' raincoats.

It was a sludgy, squdgy market, indeed, today, so far as underfoot was concerned. And yet, it was a big market, and every pair of feet that trudged across the square served the purpose of stirring up the brown custard surface just so much more, until it rapidly achieved the consistency of a thick gravy.

"Why," said a London man, "can't the fire department come along some day and give this square a thorough wash off. Look how uneven it is. I should think that officials with intelligence could do something to get the square into better shape than this."

Meantime, the women with the men stood gallantly by their stuff, refusing to be daunted by muddy boots and damp feet.

He Likes the Fall.

"I do like the fall time of the year," said a cheerful looking soul, as he poked his way about, accumulating bundles as he went. Then he explained why he liked the fall. "There are so many good things to eat."

There were today, heaps of them, fruits of the soil, tomatoes, radishes, squash, yellow "punkins," that conjured up visions of spicy pies, cauliflower, ten and fifteen cents each; cabbages, worm embroidered as to sheathing, but declared sweet and sound inside; potatoes, corn, belated berries, peaches, plums, pears and husky baskets of apples, the real old-fashioned kind of sweet baking apples.

And cucumbers and peppers! Shades of pickles and sauces! There were little pin pickle cucumbers, larger mixed pickle cucumbers, with which the pearly white onions combine admirably; dill pickles that are to be, and cucumbers just for eating.

Using Elderberries.

One basket of elderberries testified to infinite patience in picking. They had just been sold and the vendor told of her method of using them.

"I make pies just now," she said, "and also can them for pies for winter. I don't can them the usual way. I don't use any water. Instead, I take a cup of vinegar to six quarts of elderberries and I use less sugar even than for ordinary canning. The vinegar gives them a nice flavor you wouldn't believe. With the scarcity of fruit my sisters say they are going to put up fifty or sixty quarts of the elderberries this year."

"But isn't it a life-sized job to get enough?" she was asked. "Not so bad as you would think," she answered. "My brother-in-law told me they got five quarts after stemming from a basket like that." "That" was a six-quart basket, overflowing with the miniature berries on the stem.

Aha! Villain!

"I make elderberry wine," announced a daring person nearby, whereupon her companion nudged her and said "Whist" in a stage whisper, looking anxiously around for the official who imposed $200 fines.

"That watercress is straight from a spring," announced a young lad, proudly, indicating his basket of crisp, green cress. "It's all nice and clean, and say, the water where it grows is so cold I'll bet you couldn't put your hand in it. You couldn't keep it in the water very long, anyway."

Could a lady resist buying arguments like that?

Poultry was conspicuous by its scarcity. Three live ducks quacked noisily in their crate, while a returned soldier protested to the reporter against the price being asked, "a dollar on the hoof" (or was it on the web?). "I wouldn't give her a dollar for one of those ducks, not if she was dying,' he said firmly. Then he somewhat relented. "If she was dying I might give her a dollar, but I wouldn't pay it for the ducks, not much. Why, you could get ducks as good as that in the Toronto market on Thursday for 50 and 75 cents. And peaches. Over there, across the market, they are selling baskets for $1.25 and $1.50. I brought home a basket of peaches from Toronto for my mother yesterday that I bought on the market Thursday in Toronto for 25 cents, and it filled one of those great big stew kettles. You know those big kettles."

Appearance Against It.

Ever see that kind of corn that looks like a mouthful of teeth with several becoming decayed? One market gardener was selling it today, and a city father was helping the grower out by recommending it to a friend.

At first glance, those ears of corn assuredly did look as if they were beginning to mortify.

Against the dead white of the kernels, as it seemed to the uninitiated, they ought to be, appeared in contrast rows ranging from a faint blueish tint to deep purple.

"Try a couple of 'em with the golden bantam. Try 'em on me, and if you don't like 'em why throw 'em out. You don't lose anything," urged the grower of the alderman's friend.

Then the alderman and the grower between them explained that the corn is "Mexican Black,' and that when it is ripe the kernels turn jet black. In the meantime, as green corn, they make good eating. "Ain't they good to look at," demanded the grower proudly, as he held up one artistically-mottled cob. "Say," he concluded, "they're just like the pretty girls in London, painted up all colors of the rainbow."

He made several sales with the witty sally.

REPORTED DEAD NOW, HAVING BEEN LISTED MISSING 9 MONTHS

Pte. John Paxman Killed in November, 1917.

After nine months of alternate hope and despair and deepest anxiety, William Paxman, R. R. No. 8, London, has been notified that his younger son, Pte. John Paxman, is officially listed as dead.

In November, 1917, Pte. Paxman was reported wounded and missing, and since that time no word of him reached his father, in spite of all efforts to have him located, until Friday. He joined the 68th Battalion in Winnipeg, and went overseas with the first contingent. He was twice wounded before making the final and supreme sacrifice. Pte. Paxman's only living brother, James, is now in France, having gone overseas with the 33rd Battalion. His father and two sisters live at home.

BODY OF NICHOLAS TAKEN TO DEEP PIT TO BE DESTROYED

Former Russian Emperor Is Shot Dead by Sailor.

Archangel, Friday, Aug. 30—No trace was found of the body of the Former Emperor Nicholas when Czecho-Slovak forces captured Yekaterinburg on July 26. This information was brought to American Ambassador Francis by a Czecho-Slovak army officer, who has arrived at Archangel with dispatches from the American consul at Yekaterinburg after a long and perilous trip through two lines of hostile Bolshevik troops.

The officer said he had no definite information as to the disposition of the body of the ex-emperor, but the most credited report was that it had been taken to the deepest pit in the Yekaterinburg coal mine, and there destroyed. The officer was unable to learn the whereabouts of the deposed ruler's family, except that he knew they had been spirited away from Yekaterinburg.

The execution of the former emperor took place on July 16. So far as the officer was able to learn the commandant of the Yekaterinburg Soviets, who was reported to be a sailor, killed Nicholas with a revolver. Red Guards who were commanded to kill their former emperor, refused, as also did a Lettish firing party. Then the commandant drew his own revolver and shot Nicholas dead.

POWER BREAK CONTINUES

Hydro Commission's Hours Are Seemingly Long Ones.

The break in the hydro system at Niagara Falls is still unrepaired, although Manager Buchanan of the utilities commission, says he has been receiving assurances from the hydro authorities ever since the break occurred that it would be repaired in an hour or 'two.

There are hours and hours.

The domestic service in the city is still being curtailed, although Br. Buchanan said there would be an ease up on this from now until Tuesday, and he hoped that by that time the break would be repaired.

LUDENDORFF THROWS IN CRACK TROOPS TO CHECK ALLIES

Enemy in Precarious Position Overlooking Aisne Valley.

Paris, Aug. 31.—While the centre of the 80-mile battle line was relatively quiet, enemy resistance increased yesterday on both wings. He was unable, however, to arrest the progress of the Allies. At the northern end, Gen. Horne and Gen. Byng gained important ground for future operations by taking Bullecourt, the most solid position in that sector. (Last night's British official statement admitted that the British troops had been forced to fall back to the western outskirts of Bullecourt).

Gen. Mangin attacked the southern end of the line. The region in which he is fighting forms an elbow where the line running from Dunkirk to Noyon meets a line running at right angles across France to Nancy. This "hinge" position is exceptionally strong since it is based north of Soissons on a high plateau overlooking the valley of the Aisne, to the south, and the Ailette to the north. There are wooded ranges of hills in the St. Cobain country, which dominates Laon, and a serious defeat here would oblige the enemy to make a precipitate retreat and force him to abandon, not only the line of the Vesle, but the three lines formed by the Aisne, the Chemin-des-Dames and the Ailette.

Gen. Ludendorff, in consequence, has thrown in the best divisions he can muster. These are Alpine regiments, Prussian Guards and picked Bavarian and Saxon units.

General Mangin has in his command some of the finest American divisions, together with elite French and colonial troops. The fighting during the past 48 hours has equalled in ferocity anything as yet seen during the war. Nevertheless the enemy had to give way and the Franco-American forces have won half the plateau between the Soissons and the Coucy-le-Chateau. The Soisson-Couchy and the Soissons-Anizy-le-Chateau roads are threatened, and the Germans are faced by the danger of the French getting behind Chemin-des-Dames in their rear.

POLICE STRIKE IN LONDON IS SETTLED

London, Aug. 31.—The strike of members of the London police force has been settled, according to an announcement made this evening by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

CHAUTAUQUA SPEAKER SUDDENLY STRICKEN

SARNIA, Aug. 30.—Col. George W. Bain, noted platform speaker, here with the Dominion Chautauqua, while addressing a large crowd last night during the latter part of the entertainment, was suddenly afflicted with a stroke and removed to the general hospital. He is reported today as doing well.

FAIR AT ST. MARYS.

ST. MARYS, Aug. 30.—South Perth Agricultural Fair will be held at St. Marys on Thursday and Friday, September 19 and 20, and an attractive and varied prize list has been prepared for the occasion, and is being distributed.

DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP.

WALKERTON, Aug. 30.—Irwin brothers, better known as "The Horse Kings," have dissolved partnership. Henry has bought out the business of the farm and a large number of imported horse. Local residents are sorry to have Robert leave the town. They were, it is said, the largest

ZEMSTVO TROOPS UNDER HORVATH ARE DISARMED

Action Taken by the Allies To End Disturbances.

DEFECTION IS EXPLAINED

The Revolter Will Likely Be Attached to Semenoff's Army.

Vladivostok, Monday, Aug. 26.—Four hundred Zemstvo troops who joined the forces of Lieut.-Gen. Horvath, the anti-Bolsheviks' leader, have been disarmed by the Allies pursuant with the decision of the allied commanders to end an intolerable situation that promised to result in local disturbances. The disarmament was accomplished without violence. What disposition will be made of the men depends upon Gen. Horvath, but it is likely that they will join the forces of Gen. Semenoff. The disarming of the Zemstvos was effected by squads of allied troops, who practically besieged the barracks occupied by the revolters. A decision to submit an ultimatum to the revolters was reached by the council commanders. The revolters were given the option of returning to their original command, or of joining the forces of Gen. Semenoff on the Manchurian front, or of submitting to disarmament. At 5 o'clock Sunday evening the allied patrols appeared in the streets approaching the staff building and adjoining the barracks. A curious throng attracted to the scene remained until midnight. Apparently warned that drastic action might be taken, the revolters closed the doors of their barracks to the Allies' emissaries and for hours refused to treat with them. Eventually, however, they submitted and were disarmed.

Explains Defection.

An aide to Gen. Horvath today sought to explain away the defection of the troops and disclaimed any intention on the part of his chief to seize control of the Government. The Zemstvo troops, he said, had long chafed because of their inaction and desired to fight the enemy under Gen. Pleshkoff. Therefore, he said, when Gen. Pleshkoff recently arrived, he issued a call for the troops to assemble and all came except those of Gen. Holstoff, who refused to subordinate himself and was dismissed from command.

"The affair is simple," said the aide, "and I can't understand why there is all this excitement about it."

Gen. Horvath recently by coup d'etat assumed control of all the Russian military forces in the far east. The move failed almost immediately through the intervention of the allied representatives at Vladivostok.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—There were 543 casualties in the lists issued today, of which 143 were killed in action, 21 died of wounds, 6 died, 1 accidentally killed, 1 cancel report missing, 3 missing, believed wounded, 5 missing, 314 wounded, 55 gassed, 1 missing, believed drowned.

The list for Western Ontario:

Infantry.

Killed in Action—325589 G. Jones, Falls View; 737046 R. A. Merritt, Milton West; 757529 R. Gordon, 323 Hunter street, Hamilton; 237962 A. Harrold, Dundalk; 652269 L. Harrington, Walkerton; 210397 R. Howarth, Niagara Falls; 730173 W. Hawkins, Hespeler; 757676 A. L. Barnes, 107 Bushwood avenue, Hamilton; H. V. Tome, Bayfield; 3166375 J. W. McIntyre, Bothwell; 609071 S. Haythorne, 37 Kinrade street, Hamilton.

Died of Wounds—190394 T. H. O. Mulvenny, St. Tsomas; 865835 M. McIntyre, Wallacetown; 928857 H. Smith, Harriston; 237611 S. H. Draper, Cookstown; 654342 C. A. Nediger, Clinton.

Ill—259873 J. H. Mesherschmidt, Rodney.

Wounded—Lieut. R. A. Cluff, Stratford; Lieut. C. H. Wickerson, London.

Gassed—219566 B. H. Richardson, Stirling; 802371 E. B. Morris, 241 Ridout street, London; 1093098 J. W. Johnson, Sheffield.

Artillery.

Killed in Action—141365 J. Addison, 217 Houghton avenue east, Hamilton.

Wounded—317860 T. T. Birkett, Niagara Falls; 42005 A. Kuhry, West Monkton; 54081 C. Allen, 467 Dundas street, London; Lieut. H. L. McCulloch, Galt; 307670 J. W. Rogers, Salem.

Cavalry.

Wounded—850266 J. G. Timulock, St. Catherines.

Machine Guns.

Wounded—730535 A. J. Lawson, Hespeler; 862953 T. W. Robertson, Hespeler.

Mounted Rifles.

Died of Wounds—1066178 W. B. Brett, Markdale.

Wounded—1066032 C. G. Deleree-Proud, Walters Falls W. S. Brown, Owen Sound; 802199 H. T. Stanley, Komoka.

Gassed—1066165 M. S. Nicholson, Chatsworth.

Services.

Wounded—2590966 L. W. Porter, 6 Thomas street, Guelph.

Infantry.

Gassd—838622 N. L. Stewart, Owen Sound; 845045 J. W. Northwood, Thedfoxd; 622157 A. Rheubotton, 158 Simcoe street, Hamilton; 845436 W. T. Willard, Thedford; 844153 J. Silvester, Conlin, Sarnia; 823470 W. Chamberlain, 770 Princess avenue, London.

Engineers.

Wounded—2006221 C. W. Stephens, 36 Gunn street, London; 839017 A. S. Eagles, Meaford; 401625 J. A. Seaman, Windsor; 451862 A. Hunter, 6 Patrick street, Hamilton; L. A. Burman, 5 Hugh street, Hamilton.

Wounded—790052 W. D. Ronald, Ayr, Ont.; 663640 H. W. Byard, Orangeville; 3130409 R. W. Clark, Mitchell; 690882 R. S. Shipley, 218 Grosvenor avenue, Hamilton; 844637 E. N. Johnson, Sarnia; 270308 F. Hopkins, 210 Wellington street, Brantford; 292206 S. K. Gibson, Brantford; 791092 P. R. Fraser, Brucefield; 789914 C. I. Boden, Stoney Creek, Ont.

BOY FIREBUGS USED TORCH TO GET MONEY

Montreal, Aug. 30.—Three boys, aged 14, 14 and 12 years, were arrested today by members of the detective bureau and were charged with being the originators of the costly and mysterious fires that have taken place here during the last month. One of them made a full confession and said that the object of the gang's operations was to get money. The modus operandi of the boys was clever. They would soak an old broom in oil, thrust it into a building, set it alight, and then give the alarm. When the people were out they would ransack the tills. They made $5 to $15 at each fire in this way.

The boys admitted setting fire in this way to eleven premises. They will appear in the juvenile court here tomorrow charged with arson and theft.

MORE MEN REQUIRED FOR HARVESTING IN WESTERN CANADA—ADDITIONAL EXCURSION TUESDAY, SEPT. 10.

Thousands of men are still required to help in the work of harvesting the western crop.

For those going from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta extra trains will be operated through to Winnipeg (the distributing point) without change.

Going trip West, $12 to Winnipeg.

Returning trip East, $18 from Winnipeg.

Consult C. P. R. Agents regarding transportation arrangements west of Winnipeg.

Further particulars from any C. P. R. Ticket Agents, or H J. McCallum, city passenger agent, London. Sep.9

Knights of Columbus

Army Huts Appeal

FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS

CAMPAIGN WEEK

September 15 to 23

DOMINION WIDE DRIVE

EVERY CANADIAN MUST HELP

MR. JOHN P. DUNNE

Ontario Organizer, Catholic Army Huts Association,

And OTHER PROMINENT SPEAKERS

WILL ADDRESS A MEETING IN

St. Peter's Auditorium, City

ON SUNDAY EVENING AT 8:30

Choice Musical Program

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CANADA MUST PROVIDE

splendid response of the farmers of Canada to the appeal for increased agricultural production, resulting in large extensions of the areas under crop, the total increased area in six of our principal farm products being more than one and a half million acres.

Shipbuilding Industry.

"The shipbuilding industry, which constitutes an important part of the Government's constructive policy, is capable of great development. This year there should be launched from Canadian plants steel and wooden ships built by the Imperial Munitions Board and by the Government, of the tonnage of 445,000 tons, or approximately 40 per cent of the total tonnage of the merchant ships launched in Great Britain last year.

"We all recall the industrial depression prevailing in Canada at the outbreak of the war, and yet so great has been the growth in our productive power that our export trade during the past three years has exceeded anything in our history. Our total exports of agricultural produce, including animals and their products, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1914, amounted to $249,569,000. For the fiscal year ending March 31, 1918, it was increased to the total of $740,456,000, or an increase of over $490,000,000 in four years. When we recall the increased prices which the farmers have received for their products sold for consumption in Canada, it is safe to estimate that the farmers of Canada last year received for their produce a sum very much in excess of $500,000,000 more than they received in 1914.

Magnificent Crops.

"With the magnificent crops in Ontario this year, and the high prices now prevailing, I am advised the farmers in Ontario and Eastern Canada, will be in a better financial position than at any period of their history. I am also glad to learn that while it has meant very hard work on the part of the farmers, no crops have been lost owing to shortage of farm labor, and the farmers have not found it necessary to take advantage of the labor offered from the towns to assist them in their work.

"The increase in our exports of agricultural produce has been exceeded by the increase in our exports of manufactured articles. Our total exports of manufactures for the year ending March 31, 1914, amounted to $57,443,000. This amount has been increased in 1918 to the surprising total of $636,602,000, an increase of $579,000,000, or in other words, 1,000 per cent. This enormous expansion has been largely due to the development of the munitions industry in Canada.

"The total exports of the products of Canada for 1918 exceeded those of 1914 by over $1,108,000."

WALSH—SPEIR NUPTIALS.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 30.—Wednesday of this week Gordon E. Walsh and Margaret Mae, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Speir, all of Morris Township, were united in marriage by Rev. A. J. Mann, at the manse, Brussels. They will reside on the groom's farm.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

Toronto, Aug. 31.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	..	40	SWheat	100	96
Ames, c.	28	26	Spanish..	15	14
do pfd.	71½	..	St Chem.	..	16
Barcel..	10¾	10½	do pfd.	..	60
Brazilian	40⅞	40¾	Stl Can..	73	72½
B C Fish	51	50	do pfd.	97¼	96½
Burt, p..	84¼	..	Tooke...	24	20
C Bread.	20	19	Tor Ry.	61	60
C Car...	38	37	Tre'wey.	27	25
Cement.	68½	68	Tucketts	18½	..
do pfd.	92¾	..	Tw City.	45	44
C S L...	43	42½	Win Ry.	48	..
do pfd.	77¾	77¼	Banks—		
CGElec.	102¾	102¼	Com'rce	185½	185
C Loco..	66	65½	Dom	...202	..
do pfd.	90	85	Hamil'n	188	..
C P R..	167	162	Imperial.	185	..
C Dairy.	..	45	NScotia	248	..
do pfd.	82½	..	Ottawa	201	..
Coniagas	..	250	Royal	..208	..
C Smelt.	24⅝	24⅜	Stand	..200	..
Con Gas.	..	145½	Toronto	187	..
Cr Res.	19½	17	Union...		155½
Cr Nest.	55	..	Loans, etc.—		
Canners.	..	900	C Land.	148¾	..
do pd.	70	..	C Perm.	..	164
Dome...	..	900	C Invest.	..	63
DSteel, p	40	38	H Prov.	..	133
DSteelC.	64	63½	H & E..	204	..
Duluth..	41	..	20% pd.	196	..
La Rose.	44	43	L Bank.	..	139
Mackay.	79	78¼	L & C..	126½	..
do pfd.	65½	65	N Trust.	199	..
M Leaf.	119	118½	T Trust.	..	200
do pfd.	98	96	T Mort..	134	..
Monarch	..	43	Bonds—		
do pfd.	80	..	C Bread.	90	88½
N S Car	9½	7	C Loco..	89	..
do pfd.	..	30	D Iron...	..	84
Nipis'g..	..	875	Elec Dev	..	84
NSSteel.	70	..	Penmans	..	85
P Burt..	34	..	P Rico..	..	80
do pfd.	77¼	..	Ontario.	..	76
Penmans	..	80	Rio Jan.	..	83
Petrol.	1425	1375	S Paulo.	..	79
P Paper.	50	..	Stl Can..	..	93
Quebec.	19	18	War Loan—		
Russell..	..	85	1925....	96½	96
do pfd.	90	87	1931....	95¾	95¼
Sawyer..	15	..	1937....	94	93¾
do pfd.	40	..			

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Sales: Brazilian, 20 at 39⅞@40⅞; Cement, 50 at 68@68¼; Steamships, pfd., 30 at 77½@77¾; Nipissing, 100 at 900; La Rose, 1600 at 43½@43¼; Union Bank, 10 at 155¾; War Loan, 1931, $1,000 at 95¼.

BANK CLEARINGS.

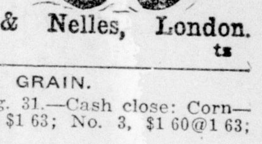
Quebec, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for August, $12,389,523.

VISIT THE FAIR

FOR $1.00 BARGAINS IN DOLLS AND TOYS.

15 Dominion Savings Building. Facing Market Square.

$2.50 to $7.50 No charge for fitting.



Anderson & Nelles, London.

GRAIN.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Cash close: Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1 63; No. 3, $1 60@1 63; No. 4, $1 55.

Oats—No. 3 white, 69@70¼c; standard, 69¼@70¼c.

Rye—No. 1, $1 67; No. 2 nominal.

Barley—$1 02@1 05.

Timothy—$6@9.

Clover—Nominal.

PROVISIONS.

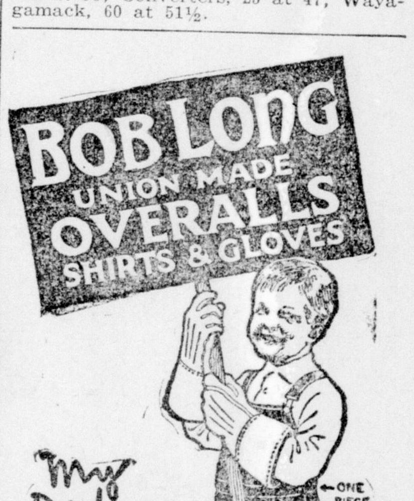
Chicago, Aug. 31.—Cash close—Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$26 75.

Ribs—$24@24 50.

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CHANCE OF DECISIVE DEFEAT FOR ENEMY IN 1918; BUT NEXT YEAR HIS DOWNFALL CERTAIN

Brilliant Strategy of Foch in Series of Quick Blows Has Sent the Groggy Giant Reeling to His Certain Doom.

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Substantially three weeks have now passed since Foch, having gained the initiative at the Marne, launched the first of his blows at the Somme, that of August 8. In that period we have seen a bewildering and almost unfathomable revelation of French strategy as contrasted with German. The events of the campaign from March 21 onward taught us the German method, the combination of men and material in a colossal and brutal attempt to win a decision by sheer force. The strategy was a strategy of mass, of momentum, the effort by the employment of the most gigantic machine military history has known to overpower all resistance.

Between March 21 and July 18 the Germans delivered three major blows, each of them accompanied by a comparatively smaller blow in a secondary field. The greatest blow was the first—the Picardy offensive, in which not less than 110 divisions took part, followed at a very brief interval by the Flanders operation, in which forty additional divisions participated. The second blow, that at the Aisne, was made by far smaller forces, and its secondary phase was the operation above Compiegne and aimed directly at the seizure of all the Lassigny Heights. The third blow was the Marne offensive, which had as its main circumstance the attack between the Argonne and Rheims, and as its minor detail the drive south of the Marne, which took on additional importance when the drive to the east had failed.

No Hun Blow Decisive.

Now in each of the three operations the general circumstances were the same: an enormous concentration, a terrific initial drive, the gradual exhaustion of the forces engaged and thereafter a pause of upward of a month during which the enemy had to reconstitute his mighty machine. And in each case the delay proved to be of greater value to the Allies than to the enemy. No blow was immediately decisive; failing this, each delay permitted the Allies to reorganize their shattered ranks. The pause after Picardy gave Britain time to send metropolitan troops to France, enabled France to recall troops from Italy; this delay and the delay after the Aisne victory gave America time to send to Foch the numbers which were to insure him an eventual superiority and more immediately with reserves which were used with such effect in the Marne counter-offensive.

On its third effort the German machine broke down, the strategy was defeated by a swift, well calculated but relatively light blow delivered by Mangin toward Soissons. The German giant was caught off his balance and a quick blow brought him down in a heap. By comparison with the German blow in Picardy on March 21 the July 18 stroke was insignificant; not more than a tenth as many divisions were used, the concentration of material was incomparably less. The blow prevailed because the point selected for the thrust was the weak point.

The Two Chief Factors.

After the Second Battle of the Marne we all saw that the German plan of campaign was in the discard. Ludendorff could no longer hope to win the war in the campaign of 1918. Foch had won his defensive victory, and he was now assured that the older Allies could hold out until the new Allies, the American millions, were in their places on the western front and the Allied offence had become possible. But what we could not perceive, what no one did perceive, was whether the initiative would henceforth belong to the victor of the second Marne or he would resign it to Ludendorff and await a later opportunity to regain it. We knew that Ludendorff had reserves to the north and that there was a reasonable opportunity for a successful German local offensive either toward Calais or about Ypres. All depended upon two unknown factors, the actual strength of Foch and the comparative weakness of Ludendorff.

Foch Gained Mastery.

The major riddle was answered on August 8, when Foch threw Rawlinson against the German salient in Picardy at the point of junction of the armies of Marwitz and Hutier. The success of the attack settled the question of the initiative for a considerable period of time, perhaps for the rest of the war. The German defeat was obviously to have consequences which would compel Ludendorff, in seeking to minimize these consequences and escape from a position which had become untenable, to conform to Foch's will for a period of weeks at the very least. This was not the case with the Marne defeat; its consequences were local, it involved a retirement only in one strictly limited area, between Rheims and Soissons, and there was not, after the first two days, the smallest chance of the dislocation extending beyond these pivots of the Marne salient.

A "Soft Crust" Front.

But it was just the opposite in Picardy. Here the Germans occupied a front which had no permanent anchorages for more than eighty miles. From Soissons to Arras the German front was a front created by hazard and as a consequence of the successes of the spring battles. It was, to use a simple figure, a "soft crust," unprovided with the system of defences which made the Hindenburg line a permanent barrier; without the elaborate trench lines which had confronted Haig and Foch at the Somme in 1916. The German front between Soissons and Arras was merely a jumping-off place, at which the Germans had paused, in their offensive, with the intention of resuming the advance at a later period.

The result was that any considerable success of the Allies, any material advance at any point on all this bulging line which had its extreme western point at Montdidier, would inevitably set in motion not merely the front attacked, but adjoining sectors. It was a front on which a local dislocation, if it were considerable, might set the whole front from the Scarpe to the Oise in motion. It was, therefore, an ideal front on which to put into operation the French, as contrasted with the German, method of strategy, the swift, sharp blow rather than the mass attack. For Foch had not the masses which were necessary to repeat the German performance of March, and, beyond all else, it was essential that he should not give the foe time to transform a soft into a rigid front.

Breaking Into the Crust.

As a result we had on August 8 the sudden blow of Rawlinson, delivered on Thursday and practically checked by Sunday. It broke through a considerable extent of the soft front from the Somme southward, and it enabled Debeny's first French army, to the south, to move forward on its flank. The result was the precipitate retirement of the Germans out of the point of the Montdidier salient, with the loss of 30,000 prisoners and 700 guns. On the whole front the Germans brought the enemy to a standstill by August 12 on the old Somme front of 1916.

But this dislocation from the Somme right down to the Matz had materially affected that portion of the German line from the Matz to the Oise, holding the Lassigny Heights, which were a vital circumstance in the new German front to the north. Accordingly, when Rawlinson and Debeny had done their work, Humbert, with his third French army, suddenly intervened, and by a series of sharp attacks pushed the Germans right over the Lassigny Heights, across the tiny Divette and in upon Noyon. While the German line still held at Roye and Chaulnes, it began to give way at Lassigny.

The Indirect Menace.

But the dislocation of the Germans on the Lassigny Heights had a weakening influence upon the Germans across the Oise in the triangle between the Oise and the Aisne. Their flank toward the Oise was becoming menaced, and the progressive dislocation of the soft front between Arras and Soissons now extended to the sectors between Noyon and Soissons. This situation was promptly recognized and met by another swift, sure blow this time delivered by Mangin, who had first struck at Soissons, south of the Aisne, in the days of the second Marne, but now transferred the mass of his tenth army to the north bank of the Aisne and struck all the way from the Oise to the Aisne. In three days he had bundled the Germans out of all the strong positions south of the Oise and west of the Aliette to the very edge of Soissons. He had taken 13,000 prisoners and more than 200 guns. He found himself by the middle of the week of August 19 holding all the positions occupied by the French between the Oise and the Aisne, held after the March 21 offensive and before the German attack of June 9, as far east as the Aliette.

Byng Enters the Game.

But by midweek Mangin's thrust was losing its force; the German lines were beginning to stabilize on advantageous ground, Humbert and Debeny were still before the old Somme lines, from Noyon to Roye; Rawlinson could make further easy progress between Albert and Roye. It was time to produce a new dislocation. Thereupon Foch threw Byng against the Germans between Albert and Arras, which position had been in a small degree compromised by the dislocations which had taken place to the south. The result, after a somewhat less rapid initial gain, was the swift advance of Byng's army in the next four days right up to the outskirts of Bapaume, and as far as the old Hindenburg line to the north about Croisilles.

This advance is the more interesting because its consequences shed interesting light upon the old Battle of the Somme. In 1916 Haig had striven to advance northeast along the Albert-Bapaume highroad and turn the Germans out of the high ground west and on either bank of the Ancre. He had succeeded only after the terrible summer and autumn campaign, and he did not reach the outskirts of Bapaume until the German retreat of March, 1917. But now, in less than four days, Byng, manoeuvring at the north, was on the very edge of Bapaume and all the Germans in the old and famous battle positions to the south; Thiepval, with its adjoining redubts and invaluable high ground—the ridge of 1916 battle history—was evacuated; the dislocation which had before extended from south to north was now extending from north to south, and the Germans were retiring toward Peronne right across the familiar country of the first Battle of the Somme. It was becoming patent that unless this dislocation were promptly checked it was bound to extend still further to the south and compel the Germans to get out of Roye, Chaulnes and Noyon.

Further than this, on Monday, August 26, when this article is written, the operative front of Byng had been suddenly extended northward astride the Scarpe, and the British were retaking positions familiar in the reports of Allenby's Battle of Arras, begun on April 9, 1917, just at the close of the Hindenburg retreat. Already the attack was approaching the northern pivot of the "soft" front, the positions about Lens.

A Whole of Many Parts.

Now, it is essential to recognize at the outset that this Foch strategy, this strategy revealed in a series of blows, in the dislocation of a sector of front which would result in the destruction of the equilibrium in adjoining sectors, was not a strategy based upon haphazard blows. The whole series of attacks was perfectly co-ordinated and army followed army into the attack, as various divisions wheel into line from side streets to join a city procession. It was a whole of many parts, but the parts were all perfectly fitted. Nor is there any reason to believe that we have seen the limit of the application of the strategy. On the contrary, new attacks by new armies seem inevitable.

Now, looked at from the broadest possible horizon, what does the Foch strategy aim at? Primarily it aims at destroying the organization and the morale of the central German armies before they can reach a position on which the front will become stabilized. Such a position exists in the old Hindenburg line. To this there is every reason to believe that the Germans are now turning, but the measure of the success of Foch will not be found in the territory regained when the Germans get back to their old defensive systems, but the condition in which they reach these systems and the cost to them in men and guns of their retirement. Don't look at the map between Arras and Soissons, as long as the Hindenburg line stands, to get any measure of Allied success; read, rather, the daily lists of the totals of prisoners, guns and materials captured. The ground is a desert, and in all human probability Ludendorff, left to himself, would have retired at least as far as the upper Somme if Rawlinson's successful thrust of August 8 had been a solitary blow and not one in a carefully arranged series. Between the old Somme front and the Hindenburg line there is only a desert; the man who has it behind him is the worse off, because even the ways of communication are lacking, while his troops in reserve are without cover or protection against the weather.

Loses Attacking Power.

Foch knew, Ludendorff knew, after August 8, that there would be a German retreat; probably both were sure of it after the battle of the Marne salient had turned against the German. Foch's problem was to prevent Ludendorff from repeating Hindenburg's exploit and making a retirement without the loss of men or guns, another such retreat as that of March, 1917. If Ludendorff could get away in good order and with small loss he might be in shape to make a new bid for the initiative, make a later attack in Flanders, Artois or Lorraine, possibly between Rheims and Verdun. But if he had to consume his reserves in preventing a retreat from degenerating into a rout he would find himself, when he did get back to the Hindenburg line, in no shape to make an attack.

Now, in this battle between two rivals Foch has had in the first three weeks all the best of it. Since he first struck the Germans in the Marne salient they have lost more than 110,000 prisoners and above 2,000 guns. Set that against 90,000 prisoners and about 2,000 guns claimed by the Germans for their operations between March 21 and April 29. The time is about the same, the capture of prisoners by the Allies greater. So far the German has paid a high price for his retreat. He has found his infantry assailed after his guns had gone to the rear and before his rearguards could go. He has been harried, hustled, badgered by blows, now in the north, now in the south, now in the centre.

Conceivably Ludendorf had hoped to make a long stay west of the Hindenburg line, possibly he intended to hold the old Somme line for a period of time. If this be the case then he has suffered a sweeping defeat, but this seems an unlikely conjecture. The weakness of his positions was too obvious. At all events he was attacked before he could start anything but the most limited local retreats; he had to accept battle at last about Bapaume, and the various attacks upset the equilibrium of his whole front from Soissons to the environs of Arras. The consequence has been a loss of more than 40,000 prisoners since the end of the original thrust of Rawlinson and Debeny, which alone cost him upward of 35,000 prisoners.

It is a mistake to measure present gains by the old standards of trench warfare. Byng went further in three days of his latest drive than Rawlinson was able to make in six months on the Somme in 1916. But the enemy is not making the same fight and the ground has not the same value. Such a success in 1916 would have meant the expulsion of the Germans from France, for then they had no Hindenburg line behind them and no such comparative strength in numbers.

In 1916 Would Have Been Expulsion.

It is an equally serious mistake to think that the present rapid advances are a sign of the return of an unlimited war of movement. They are not; they constitute in reality the pursuit of an enemy from one series of positions to the next. Unless the enemy is so demoralized in this pursuit between positions that he cannot stand on the next series of lines the war of movement will presently come to an abrupt end. If he is, then we shall see a march of victory going far forward, but it will not be a war of movement then, but just an uninterrupted pursuit until the enemy can find a new position and stand either at the Meuse or the Rhine.

Chance for the Clever Fighter.

The engaging aspect of Foch's strategy is that it permits no period of rest for the enemy. Ludendorff is always being attacked. If one Allied army rests another is at work, and each army's success opens the way for the attack of another. There is an ever present demand for reserves; the strain increases, it does not diminish; the whole line cannot stabilize itself; a local dislocation is always in progress, and this is communicating itself to adjoining sectors. So far it has been something like the strategy of a lightweight boxer against a heavyweight, in which the skill of the smaller man has enabled him to rain blow after blow upon his opponent, confusing him, dazing him, punishing him considerably, but more conspicuously shaking his confidence. The German, on the other hand, has in the past, when he had the offensive, staked all on the knock-out blow, which he never quite landed. Now, when the heavyweight is weary, the comparatively fresh opponent has his chance.

We have now to reckon with the possible and the probable. It is possible that the German strategy may at any moment collapse and some local thrust produce a real disaster. This did approximately happen in March, when Gough's army, routed in the first two days of the conflict, retreated straight away from the French, who were trying to come to its assistance and almost gave the Germans Amiens. It is less likely to happen in the German army, because there is no comparison between the German staff and the British, just as there will be no comparison between any staff we may create in this war and the French staff. This is the fatal defect of new armies, and the British, as contrasted with the French or German armies, is a new army.

Only Defensive Left?

A real disaster might make a German stand at the Hindenburg line impossible and might be the prelude to a general retirement to the line of the Meuse, but if it be possible such a solution is improbable. Much more likely is a continuation of this expensive retreat until the Germans are back on the Hindenburg line or that line amended, as they may have chosen to amend it in the recent months. Such a retirement would almost inevitably involve a withdrawal north of the Aisne. Once the retreat is accomplished then will come the real test. Can Ludendorff attack? Will he have the reserves left to make one more thrust somewhere. Will Foch have taken so heavy a toll that the defensive will be all that remains to his foe?

And if the German is no longer able to attack, what of Foch? Is his present strategy the first step toward a larger plan which shall seek to bring about a retirement of the Germans out of the Hindenburg line and a withdrawal to the Belgian frontier? Many critics believe this, and French friends of mine have forecast that the Hindenburg line will be "ours" by October 1. By contrast there is an equally strong impression that Foch has not yet contemplated any grandiose second blow, that he could only launch such a blow if his success in the present phase weakened the German army to a point where it could be attacked with some certainty of a supreme success. In all such calculations it is well to remember that Foch is an apostle of the offensive; he won the Marne by attacking with an army defeated and almost routed.

Hourly Grows Worse.

Nothing that has yet happened precludes a desperate attempt on Ludendorff's part to regain the initiative when his line has been stabilized. Nothing proves that he will not be able to stabilize the front in a relatively near time and not further east than the Hindenburg line. His position is not yet as bad as that of the Allies just before Foch took command, after Petain had saved Haig by closing the gap between the Oise and the Somme. But that position was one of deadly peril, and Ludendorff's, if not so critical, is one of extreme discomfort, carrying with it the patent danger of disaster in the immediate future and hourly getting worse.

The thing I would say to my readers now is just this: Things have gone better than anyone could have foreseen and most of us hoped this year. I believe that there is a very good chance that the Germans will be driven to the frontier before winter, but I think this is a matter of conjecture. On the other hand, it is possible that he will be able to rally and stand off attack until the end of this campaign. But whatever he does now in the remaining weeks of this campaign, his complete defeat next year seems to me beyond question. I believe a military decision will be had in the next campaign, when American millions are available and these are used with the supreme genius of Marshal Foch.

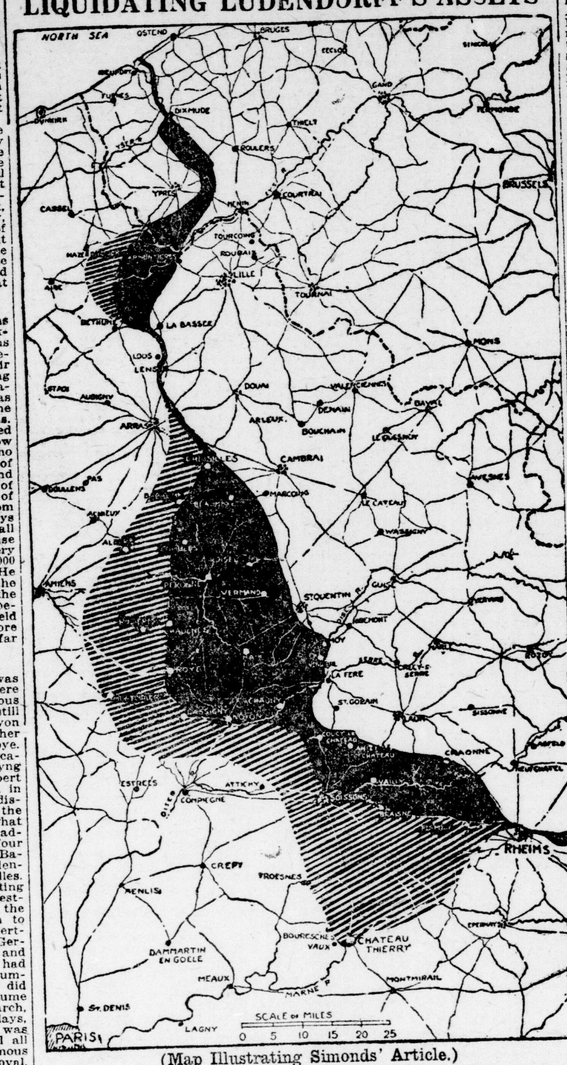
The One Remaining Peril.

The one peril, it seems to me, is that the happy turn of tide may lead us to expect too much this year and thus give the German a valuable weapon when he comes to us, as he will, this winter and says:

"Neither side can win the war on the battlefield. I tried and failed last year, and then you tried and failed, therefore let us make peace by negotiation." We may win the war on the battlefield this year; there is a chance, but only a chance. But this is not our year to win, but his. He has had his chance and failed; our chance can only come surely next year. Our problem this year was to live, and in the last five weeks we have won a second Marne, a third and even a fourth Somme, taken 110,000 prisoners, and regained 1,500 square miles of France, while a little earlier our Italian ally won the Piave.

If we are stopped for the rest of the year at the Hindenburg line we shall be better off than any reasonable man could have hoped for last March, and we shall have every reason in the world for believing that before this time next year we shall have demonstrated that the German is to be decisively beaten on the battle field in the campaign of 1919. Major General Tom Bridges of the British army, who reorganized King Albert's forces, once said to me that the thing that he had found most dangerous in German methods was the advantage they took of unwarranted optimism, of too great hopes held by the enemy which were beyond immediate realization and when they were not realized were followed by equally unreasonable pessimism. To me this is the only remaining danger. For the rest there is Foch, recent victories and ever increasing American numbers, the defeated submarine and the ever-growing material advantage of the Allied armies, and there is a chance, a bare chance, of a decisive victory this year—as against the certainty of next year.

LIQUIDATING LUDENDORFF'S ASSETS



(Map Illustrating Simonds' Article.)

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New Facts from Science and Life

HOW MAPS HELP HUN U-BOATS TO LOCATE THEIR PREY

The accompanying map of the British Isles, with its numbered squares, reproduced from a part of a German map discovered in Norway and lately released for publication by the French censor, shows how the German navy plotted the North Sea and English Channel for the use of its submarines.

By the use of a special code the departure of every vessel, its tonnage, speed, route and whether it was a ship of commerce or of war, was wirelessed to the submarine by spies in certain coast towns of the adjacent waters.

The description of the vessels is designated in the following way: "Wooden box, series 1, means a warship with one smokestack. Series 2, two smokestacks, and so on. Packing case, series 3, means armored cruiser, three smokestacks. Metal box, series 2, 3 or 4, means light cruiser, two, three or four smokestacks. Barrel, series 1, means a torpedoboat, while the submarines are designated as "samples" and mines as "packages." The position of the boat is indicated by the number of the squares on the map; thus a wireless reading "First quality packing cash, series 4, No. 432," translated is "British armored cruiser, four smokestacks, in square 432."

The discovery of this map and the translation of the code quickly led to the discovery of the wireless stations which were being used by the German spies, and it is said that this discovery and the use the Allies put it to accounts in no small measure for the falling off in the list of the U-boat victims.



German U-Boat Map of British Waters.

Mr. Henry Barby writing in L'Illustration gives the following translation of this code, and as it will be seen it is so designed that every message shall seem to refer to some innocent commercial transaction!

The nationality of the vessel is indicated by first, second, third or fourth quality, meaning in that order, British, German, French or Russian, while neutral shipping is designated by colors, such as Norwegian, painted black; Swedish, painted blue; Danish, painted red.

HOW TREES RIVAL MAN AS A TRAVELER

Noting that the early history of man was largely that of his migrations, and that he changed in size and color as he moved about, certain investigators have found that the same is true of trees. When these are content to stay quietly at home they go on reproducing in the same old image for generations. But as soon as individuals or groups take to travel they undergo marvelous changes in the land of their adoption. The tiny dogwood, scarcely six inches tall in Alaska, becomes a 60-foot giant in Texas and Florida. In the far north the honey locust is little more than a shrub; in the southern United States it is found as a medium-sized tree, well defended by thorns and prickles; in the still more luxurious climate of South America it develops into an immense structure bristling everywhere with vegetable spears.

It must not be imagined that these tree movements are things of the past. In many parts of the country second and third growth timber is entirely unrelated to the original trees. The Catskill Mountains when first visited by white men were largely covered with spruce and hemlock. Such areas as have been cut over have nearly always been taken possession of by beech, apple and birch; and of late years it has been noted that poplars and aspens show a strong disposition to grow up in abandoned clearings. Another case, and one in which the hand of man is hardly to be seen assisting the transformation, is that of the wild red cherry, which within a generation has spread from the Eastern to the Western States.

Just how do trees travel? It would be an awe-inspiring spectacle to see a great forest striding across the country, but except in the case of Macbeth's Birnam Wood this has not been recorded as having taken place. They prefer to travel in embryo, transporting future forests half way around the globe by means of tiny fruits and seeds light enough to soar through the air or float upon the water. All summer they devote their energies to maturing seeds and providing them with some sort of flying apparatus.

The seeds of the ash have paper-like wings. Those of the elms and maples are equipped with membranes as gauzy and delicate as those of a dragon fly. Willow, poplar and catalpa seeds are attached to tiny balloons. Hop seeds have a kite-like appendage. The evergreen trees and the birches produce winged seeds. The alders, tulips and ashes send forth winged boxes—single seeds occupying matured pistils.

IS NOISELESS CAR WHEEL AT LAST REALITY?

Several inventions, characterized as "noiseless rail wheels," have been patented. Many of these devices are distinctly flexible, for the purpose of reducing the wear and tear of the rolling stock.

All inventions of this nature are said

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to be characterized by a noise-deadening and more or less elastic substance which is inserted between the flanged rim and the hub portion of the wheel, by some provision to prevent the rim from slipping round on the inserted material, and by guide plates on the sides to hold the hub and rim in alignment. "It is next to impossible to make the 'built-up' wheel as cheap or as strong as the one-piece construction," says Marcus C. Krarup in Popular Science Monthly. "It is almost hopeless to try to introduce a wheel which is, after all, only a little less noisy than those in use, unless it pays for itself from the start through savings in other directions. If the wheel is frankly intended to be flexible, it is well to remember that flexibility makes a constant demand on the power of the locomotive."

In one model of a "noiseless wheel" Mr. Krarup says that the main object of inserting a non-metallic substance is to insulate the wheel and the car from the rail electrically, this being a requirement in some forms of electric railway service.

Another model, on the other hand, he points out, is a cushioned and anti-noise wheel with special wiring to prevent it from becoming non-conductive.

SMOKING IN CHURCH

Will smoking in church become permissible as a result of the war? Army chaplains, when holding services at the front, often invite their congregation to smoke. There is complaint about men, and especially young men, losing—if they ever found—the habit of church-going. Clergymen and ministers mourn empty pews. They fear that sermons are becoming increasingly unpopular, and that the institution of public worship is in danger of falling into decay and desuetude. They say, with some truth, that the "movies" and the Sunday concert deplete the churches.

"May not the reason be that church is not homelike, that it is too stiff and formal, too unsociable?" asks a writer. "The concert and the theatre are free and easy, and a man can smoke there if he likes. He is often inclined to think, too, that he can get more material for thought, more refreshment of mind, from the 'pictures' or a good orchestra than he can get from the pulpit—and a smoke into the bargain.

"He may be wrong. Probably he is. He ought to know that people do not go to church to be amused. But cannot a man be in a serious frame of mind whilst smoking? Some of the most serious-minded men are great smokers. Indeed, smoking is commonly supposed to be a contemplative habit to conduce to the listening spirit, to make a man more attentive."

"But it would be such an innovation, such an unheard-of thing!" someone says. Would it? Take down your copy of "The Heart of Midlothian" and you will find that smoking in church, during the sermon, was a common enough practice even in austere 19th century Scotland.

MARVELLOUS ENGINEERING FEATS OF THE ANCIENTS

Engineering is sometimes proclaimed to be a modern profession, because the present appellation is of comparatively recent adoption. The practice, however, is of such ancient origin that, in considering its relations to the community, we are obliged to view its history. Most of our tools—the dowel, drill, chisel, wedge, screw, pulley, file and saw—were used by the ancients.

No works of modern times compare in magnitude with those of the ancients. Consider a reservoir to impound the waters of the Nile covering an area of 150 square miles, with a dam 30 feet high and 13 miles long. The pyramids of Gizeh, constructed more than 5,000 years ago, had granite blocks which were 5 feet square and 30 feet long, and were transported 500 miles. One of the temples of Memphis was built of stones which were 30 feet square and 65 feet long, and laid with cement. The Appian Way from Rome to Caput was so well built that after a thousand years its roadway was in perfect condition, and, even now, after two thousand years, with slight repairs, is in use. The modern engineer would question the possibility of such work without these great examples.

If one could imagine cessation of life on this continent, and our works subjected to the destructive forces of time and nature for a thousand years, what evidences of civilization would remain? Probably the most surprising and interesting of the older examples of engineering are the inventions of Leonardo da Vinci, as shown in his sketches. He seems to have lacked nothing but the application of mechanical power to produce most of the typical machines of the present day. The bellows-blast, jig-saw, lathe, rolling mill, printing press, file-cutting machine, trip-hammer, sprocket-chain, water-wheel, boring machine, rapid-fire gun, spinning machine, side-wheel boat, flying machine, etc., and I recommend to your notice the work of Franz M. Feldhaus on "Leonardo da Vinci as Engineer and Inventor," published in 1913. In this work is shown an apparatus of cylinder, piston and valve by which Leonardo determined the relative volumes of steam and water; also an atmospheric engine, consisting of cylinder, piston and valve, by which reciprocal motion was produced.

We look in vain for the application of mechanical power by the ancients, whose works were almost impossible without its assumption, but the stone reliefs showing the movement of large weights by manual power indicate that probably they did not exist.

IS EARTH DRYING UP?

Many authorities recognize the fact that the earth is slowly losing its moisture. How this can occur is partially explained by C. F. von Herrmann, in Science, by the action of electric discharges in decomposing water vapor. One of the component gases, hydrogen, is very light and rises to the upper limits of the earth's atmosphere, where it is ultimately thrown off. This loss of hydrogen means in the long run a loss of water. The decomposition of the earth's moisture, with final loss, is also brought about by other agencies, notably the effect of the light-rays of the upper part of the spectrum. Mr. von Herrmann quotes a writer in Umschau, Dr. Karl Stoeckel, as saying:

"It is believed that the ultra-violet rays of sunlight which fall upon the water vapor suspended in the lower strata of the earth's atmosphere decompose a small part of it to produce hydrogen, which rises to great heights."

On this Mr. von Herrmann comments as follows:

"I do not think it has been pointed out before that the earth's surface must be continuously losing hydrogen through the decomposition of water vapor by every flash of lightning. Pickering and others have recognized that hydrogen lines in the spectrum of lightning, and the larger works on meteorology mention the fact that lightning flashes decompose some water. . . . The hydrogen formed by every lightning flash rises rapidly to the upper atmosphere and is lost to the earth.

"Considering the frequency of thunderstorms during the summer season in both hemispheres, and at all times in the equatorial regions, the loss of hydrogen in this way cannot be considered as insignificant. As long as conditions upon the earth remain such as to render thunderstorms possible the slow desiccation of the earth must continue."

HOW ANIMALS SWIM

Nearly all animals are better swimmers than man and take to the water naturally, while he has to learn to propel himself. The rhinoceros and hippopotamus are wonderful swimmers and divers, while the Indian elephant crosses great rivers with heavy loads. The elk and the reindeer are first-class swimmers. The elk keeps his head above water and crosses directly from bank to bank to avoid turning. The reindeer, on the other hand, turns as often as he likes, keeping his head only a little above the surface.

But of all swimmers of all climes the best, though not the swiftest, is said to be the polar bear, who passes half his time in the water swimming and diving. His swimming power is nothing short of miraculous if it be remembered that the water in the region he frequents is invariably cold, and that cold is normally prohibitive to good swimming. There are bears that can swim from 40 to 50 kilometres without great effort.

One of the swiftest swimming animals is the squirrel. A sportsman on one occasion, having at hand a squirrel born in captivity, which had never seen water, wanted to see if it could swim, and took it with him in a rowboat to the centre of a lake. The squirrel turned toward the bank, head and paws above the water, back and tail underneath it, and began to swim so rapidly that it was with the greatest difficulty that the man recovered it when it reached the shallow water near the land. It is said that even many non-aquatic birds will swim like ducks if an attempt be made to drown them.

HOW ORANGES CAN BE ARTIFIGIALLY COLORED

Even your breakfast orange or grapefruit can be artifically colored," says a writer in the Forecast Magazine.

"Oranges and grapefruit and other citrus fruits can be artificially colored by a sweating process, which gives them the appearance of being ripe, while it does not ripen them. Many growers and dealers who find themselves with a lot of unripe and green fruit on hand, and who want to pass it along and get the regular price for it, have recourse to this sweating method. but the United States department of agriculture, through its food and drug department, has discovered a test, known as the eight-to-one test, whereby purchasers can tell the difference between fruit that is really ripe and that which has only the appearance of being ripe.

"In order to protect the consumer the department offers to send specific directions for making the eight-to-one test to dealers who get their citrus fruit through interstate commerce, and who will be in a position to prosecute shippers who have deliberately put it through the sweating process. This test shows oranges to be immature unless the juice contains the eight-to-one solids equal to eight parts of each part of acid contained in the juice, and applies the same principle to grapefruit."

THE BLACK PEARL MOST MYSTERIOUS OF JEWELS

A certain air of mystery seems to attach to a black pearl, as much from its rarity as from any other reason. "There is at present in Brisbane," writes a correspondent from that Queensland city, "a very fine specimen of black pearl, which has been brought from the northern pearling grounds of the state by the owner, who is also the owner of a large pearling fleet. It is spherical in shape and jet black in color, and it seems to exude an air of unfathomable mystery. One felt when looking at it that it should form the pivotal point of some great tragedy—a thing which should be the basis for a cycle of weird events, involving the lives and happiness of men and women. The notorious Hope diamond must have inspired somewhat similar feelings. So far this black pearl has had a very uneventful career since its discovery in the shell of the oyster responsible for its production. However, it has a long time ahead of it if it is anxious to live in history. The probability is that it will ultimately find its way into the collection of some enthusiast on the lookout for curios of great value."

WHY YOU ARE AS TALL AS YOU ARE

Growth is influenced by conditions that may be described as internal and external respectively. One of the sets of factors thus concerned is constitutional; the other environmental in character. Stature is determined by growth, and the question of the degree to which this feature of the individual is controlled by conditions of life rather than by hereditary considerations has been somewhat debated.

As a recent writer has pointed out, that there are hereditary factors involved in the differences in height of adults follows from the recognition of racial differences, for true racial characters are hereditary. Moreover, this hereditary nature has been popularly long recognized. Nevertheless, there is a strong tendency with certain persons to ascribe idiosyncrasies in stature almost wholly to peculiarities of conditions of development. The assumption of an inferior food supply as a cause of decreased stature in certain groups of population has often permitted its adherents to forget differences in blood in the unlike groups.

The superior stature of the residents of the State of Kentucky has been ascribed to lime in the soil. The real reason why, C. B. Davenport, in writing on "The Inheritance of Stature," says, the people of Lexington, Ky., run tall is that they have a large proportion of Scotch blood, as they readily admit. One can test this conclusion by going to Scotland County, North Carolina. This is on the coastal plain, where there is practically no lime. Here, at places like (Mac) Laurenburg, (Mac) Queensdale and Maxton (Mac's Town), a nearly pure Scottish population is found—descendants of the Cape Fear River immigrants—and they are even taller than the people of Lexington. This experience strongly suggests that internal constitutional factors are more important than the ordinary environmental differences.

The experimental investigations of T. B. Osborne and L. B. Mendel, among others, have indicated that growth can be suppressed by inadequacies in either the quantity or the quality of ingested food. But even after the lapse of long periods of suppression of growth—that is, control of growth by external or nutritive agents—resumption of growth may take place if the dietary conditions are rendered favorable and adequate. This represents an extreme situation in some respects; and, as Davenport remarks, over-feeding, however much it may affect weight, has probably little effect on adult stature, though it may hasten growth and thus enable a man to reach precociously his predestined stature. The comparative lack of dependence of growth on quantity of food is shown by the fact that a bantam chick which is fed heavily never develops into anything but a bantam fowl.

The modern study of genetics has made it possible to approach the problem of inheritance of stature in a thoroughly scientific way. Under the direction of C. B. Davenport of the station of experimental evolution at Cold Spring Harbor, N. Y., the eugenics record office has undertaken an analysis of the obvious fact that persons differ in height.

In the case of woman, for example, a writer in the Journal of the American Medical Association says that an examination of the curve of growth brings out the important point that the growth processes, which are fairly progressive up to about 14 years, begin to be damped off after that period. Were the average rate of growth of the female between the ages of 8 and 14 maintained up to the age of 25 years, the average woman at that age would be over 210 cm., or 82½ inches, or nearly 7 feet tall.

"The reason we do not reach such a stature," says this authority, "is that our growth is damped off, and the principal damping off occurs as the germ glands ripen. Variations in adult stature may conceivably result from an acceleration or a retardation in this damping-off process.

"According to the acquired records, very tall men tend to marry a greatly disproprotionate number of very tall women (and few or no very short ones); medium men tend to marry women of the various statures about in their proportion in the whole population. Short men tend to marry short women, and few very tall ones. Very short men marry an excess of short, and very short, women, and relatively few very tall and tall ones. In a word, persons of similar stature tend to marry each other, and extremes are more particular in this respect than those of medium stature.

"The progeny derived from matings of similars are less variable than those derived from matings of dissimilars. Thus, the offspring of two tall parents are less variable in stature than those of two short parents. When both parents are 'tall' or 'very tall,' and of tall stock, practically all the children are tall or very tall. When both parents are 'very short' or 'short,' and of short stock, all children are short or very short."



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AT THE HOUSEBOAT ON THE STYX

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AN INTERESTING VISITOR.

Don Quixote entered the Houseboat on the Styx, and after a cursory inspection of those present, issued a general invitation to the company to remain for luncheon.

"I'll blow the crowd," said he, "in honor of an exceedingly interesting person I ran across on my way up here this morning."

"Bully for you!" said Samson. "My appetite is always in the prime of health, and it isn't in the least particular as to who it sits down to table with."

"Who is this interesting guest of yours, Donqui?" asked Cataline.

"I'll tell you later, Pussy," replied Quixote. "He will—"

"Don't call me Pussy!" protested Cataline. "I am a good democrat, and I don't mind familiarity, but I draw the line at such a corruption of my name as that. I'll stand for Catty, but any man who calls me Pussy a second time has got to show cause why a good part of his immortality should not be knocked out of him."

"O, very well," said Quixote, "I don't blame you in the least. But if I can't call you Pussy you shan't call me Donqui. I may have been eccentric but I wasn't an ass."

"Agreed," said Cataline. "But I am curious to know about this guest of yours."

"One of the most interesting figures in Hades," said Quixote.

"Which is saying a good deal, considering how vurry interesting we all are," said Socrates. "Napoleon, Caesar Frederick the Great, in scientific fiction; Alexander, as warriors; Newton, Galileo and Archimedes, in science; Noah, P. T. Barnum and Darwin, in zoology; Homer, Virgil and Byron in poetry; Ananias, Munchausen and Frederick the Great in scientific fiction, and me, in philosophy."

"Well, this chap is unique," said Quixote. "All the rest of us have counterparts down here, but this chap is what the Romans used to call 'sewer generis'."

"That doesn't sound good to me," said Samson. "Just what kind of a bird is this 'sewer generis' of yours?"

"He means by that, my dear Samson," said Dr. Johnson, "that the individual he refers to is the only pebble of his kind upon the beach of humanity."

"I am glad you feel that way about him, doctor," said Quixote. "That's exactly the way he struck me. But how did you know the chap I meant?"

"I don't know the person you refer to, sir," returned Johnson. "I was only explaining to Samson the meaning of 'sui generis,' which you have corrupted into 'sewer generis,' as if it meant something that had sprung from a sewer."

"That's just what I didn't like about the cuss," said Samson.

"How long has this unique personality of your been in Hades, Quixy?" asked Napoleon.

"O, several hundred years, I guess," said Quixote. "I haven't looked up his date."

"Well, I'm glad," said Napoleon. "I was afraid, from your description of him, that possibly the crown prince had come over. But where has he kept himself all these years, that none of us seems ever to have met him before?"

"O, there's a reason for that," said Quixote. "He keeps himself very much alone because—er—well, because he snores!"

"Great Zeus!" ejaculated Socrates. "What's that got to do with it?"

"It discourages sociability," explained Quixote. "Snoring is the most anti-social habit man has yet acquired. It has even been known to imperil the family life, and I am quite sure that if Castor had snored Pollux would have deserted him forever; and Damon would have fled with a heart full of hatred for Pythias had Pythias been guilty of it."

"There are exceptions to all rules," said Socrates. "I don't mind confiding to you gentlemen that my wife, Xanthippe, snores, and I love her for it. It means that she is asleep."

"My life was saved by snoring once," put in Baron Munchausen. "I was lost in the African jungle, and besieged upon all sides by a blood-thirsty band of cannibals, who had vowed to serve me as an entree for their feast. For seventy-nine successive hours I had fought them off, when suddenly sleep overpowered me, and fell out of the tree in which I was concealed into the bushes. The cannibals were about to rush in and seize me when I began to snore. No sucking-dove affair, but a cataclysmic concatenation of unearthly snortings. It was the concentrated raucous byproduct of a man who for over three mortal days had resisted the allurements of Morpheus and was making up for lost time. If I were Sancho Panza turned tail and disappeared up a side street, and I, too," said Quixote, "felt much inclined to flee, but I remembered that I was still Don Quixote, and, expecting possibly to find there some maiden in distress, I poised my lance and smashed in through the doorway with it. And there I met the gentleman. He lay stretched upon a bed of balsam, deep in slumber, and in the throes of a horrible nightmare. It was not at all exciting. I just shook him a half dozen times. He awoke, thanked me, poured me out a glass of mellowed schnapps, and accepted my invitation to lunch here at —— but here he comes now, gentlemen. Here he comes."

The assembled shades, full of eager curiosity, glanced toward the door, where stood a pleasant-faced old man, clad in rags, leaning upon a rough bit of a stick cut from a tree, while the ghost of a happy dog danced gleefully about him.



"The Cannibals Were About to Rush In."

"Gentlemen," said Don Quixote, with a graceful sweep of his hand, "my friend, the Snorer. Mr. Snorer, my friends, General Bonaparte, Senator Cassius, Colonel Caesar, Professor Socrates, Baron Munchausen, Dr. Ananias and others."

"Glad to meet you all," said the newcomer affably. "The names of some of you are already familiar to me. One of my wife's pet names for me was Ananias."

"Welcome to the House-Boat on the Styx," said Sir Walter Raleigh, extending his hand.

"How about the pup—do we stand for him, too?" demanded Dr. Johnson, as the stranger's dog began to sniff about his ankles.

"Ordinarily we do not allow dogs on board," said Sir Walter, "but in this case perhaps we'll make an exception."

"Well, keep him away from me," protested Cassius. "I don't like dogs."

"Bones seldom do," said Caesar, with a suggestive glance at Cassius' shins.

"You are very good to take us both in," said the Stranger. "I do not like all history, Mr. Snorer. How about me?"

"Well," said the Stranger, with a sweet smile, "that all depends on who you are. If you are Alexander the Great or Julius Caesar, he's got you backed off the map."

"Ah, but I'm not," said Bonaparte, haughtily. "I'm NAPOLEON!"

"Never heard the name, sir," said the Stranger. "Or if I have it hasn't made any impression on me."

"Such ignorance!" said Napoleon, sourly. "I suppose you never even heard of the corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, New York City?"

"No," laughed the Stranger, "I never did. And for the very good reason that there isn't any such place. Broadway stops at Canal street, as I know very well, being myself a New Yorker. My dog and I used to walk up there every Sunday morning, and, Lord, how I loved to fish in the canal!"

"Catching hoop-skirts and malaria, I suppose?" suggested Izaak Walton.

"No," said the visitor. "Not catching anything but the devil from my wife when I came home at night. Just sitting on the edge of the canal, under a tree, and snoozing along for an hour or two, and then after a swig at the bait, turning over and snoozing along for another hour or two."

"That a dickens of a way to fish!" sneered Walton.

"A mighty good way," said the Stranger. "You didn't have to bother about hook, line, sinker, rod or reel. Just a little brown-jug full o' bait, and the canal, and the tree."

"I should call that Imaginary Fishing," said Walton.

"That's just what it was," said the Stranger. "And it was the only way for that canal, because all the fish in the stream were Imaginary, too. It was all so restful."

Here the old man yawned and stretched his arms over his head.

"I can to tell you, Mr. Quixote," he said, "that I can't take luncheon with you after all. I've got to attend to business."

"What is your business anyhow, Mr. Snorer?" asked Napoleon.

"I'm a Specialist on Insomnia, sir," said the Stranger. "People with bad consciences, who can't sleep, come to me, and I cure them. I have a little preparation of my own which I give to my patients, and it always cures them."

"Never fails, eh?" asked Attila.

"Never," said the Stranger. "I have such confidence in it that I even take it myself. Just to show you how it works—what year is this?"

"Nineteen hundred and eighteen," said Dr. Johnson.

"Donner and blitzen!" he cried gleefully. "Then I have beaten even my own record. I took one bottle of my preparation and fell asleep January third, seventeen hundred and seventy-eight. That's a hundred and forty years—— But tell me, did Gen. Washington win the war?"

"He won his part of it, Mr. Snorer," said Sir Walter Raleigh; "but the fight is still on. It takes a long time to teach these German kings, who want what they want when they want it, that the divine right of kings to other people's property is regarded by the rest of the world as less respectable than any other form of common-garden burglary."

"Who the deuce is that old boy, Quixote?" asked Napoleon, as the old fellow, followed by his faithful dog, tottered away.

"I don't know anything about him, Boney, save that I rescued him from his nightmare this morning," said Don Quixote; "but there is his card."

He tossed the card over to the Corsican, who read it aloud:

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"Old Rip himself!" cried Carlyle.

"But who is Schneider?" asked Bonaparte.

"Schneider is the Scratch-Hound," said Don Quixote. "He is the old man's sleeping partner."



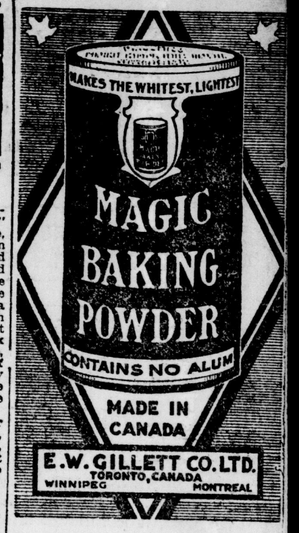
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HINDENBURG LINE OCTOBER 1.

THE SMASHING success of Marshal Foch in the west, it is believed in Paris, will place the Allies in possession of the Hindenburg line by October 1. It seems almost too good to be true, but Frank H. Simonds, the celebrated war correspondent, says: "There is no mistaking the fact that the whole German resistance at critical points shows signs of cracking." The German is being "defeated heavily and continuously." Further "Ludendorff's situation is not desperate, but it is becoming exceedingly perilous." His defeats "increased the depression and pessimism of his army, and increased the sense of superiority felt by his foes."

He closes his letter with this hopeful sentence: "The present hour is the best since the war began for the Allied cause; it holds out great present possibilities, it insures ultimate military decision over the enemy, absolute and unqualified."

There can be no doubt of the success of the cause of Britain, France and America if we "keep our feet solidly on the ground," as he advises. The time to make peace with Germany is not when she offers German terms, but when she accepts the terms of united Britain, France, Italy and America. These terms were defined by PremierAsquith in the early days of the war in his celebrated speech commencing: "We shall not sheathe the sword, which we have not lightly drawn, until Belgium is avenged, and more than avenged," etc. That speech has not been excelled since it was delivered, nor has there been any reason to change it. Belgium will soon see its avenging angel, the first sign of a true peace in the world.

BRITAIN, THE TYRANT'S BANE.

WORLD DOMINATION is an ambition that has tempted monarchs to acts of frenzied conquest age after age. In the sixteenth, seventeenth, nineteenth and twentieth centuries some European despot has turned his reign into a period of unbearable tyranny, in an effort to divert the energies of his country into the paths of military glory, political fame and industrial prosperity. What part have the British played to overcome these attempts at domination?

About 1576 we see Spain ready to assume leadership of European power when Philip the Second sent a force of Spanish troops to quell an Irish disturbance and at the same time interfered in the Netherlands. Expelled from Ireland at a single blow, the Spaniards were routed in the Netherlands by English troops, after Elizabeth had been appealed to for assistance. Irritated by this timely action of England, and roused by the damage done to Spanish trade in the West Indies by the fleet of Francis Drake, Philip used the pretext of the death of Mary of Scotland to put forward his claim to the throne of England. His sudden blow was hurled at England's rapidly-growing sea power, but the Invincible Armada was thrown into disorder by the smaller and swifter craft of Elizabeth's navy. The directness and dispatch of the defeat put an end to Spanish dreams of conquest, and gave a powerful impulse to English seamanship, for it was during the reign of Elizabeth that the navy first began to assume the characteristics that still distinguish it.

Then we come to the most conspicuous reign in the history of France, and the most conspicuous in the history of any country, when Louis XIV. achieved greater success in striving to exalt the principle of monarchical supremacy than any other king, when the Government of France was a machine depending upon the action of a single spring, when the absolute dependence of every department of the nation upon the central authority placed France in the middle 17th century in a similar position to the Germany of today, without, however, the magnificence, the culture, the splendor and the glamor that characterized the old French court. Once again, foreign interference in Ireland led William of England to mature plans for the formation of a continental confederacy against France. The Netherlands, Germany, Spain and Savoy, harassed by schemes of French designing, united with England in the grand alliance with the object of curbing the rising power and far-reaching ambition of Louis, to force him to surrender his conquests, and to confine his territories to the limits agreed upon by him in a treaty with Germany and with France and Spain. "The Oppressor of Europe" had to defend himself against all Europe, with the assistance of a single ally, Turkey. The devastation of the fair country of the Palatinate by the armies of Louis is paralleled by the ruination of Belgium by William the Hun, and it inflamed his enemies with animosity and furnished them with inexhaustible matter for vengeance. After terrible defeats during the campaigns of three years, in 1694, William had a huge army in the Netherlands, then besieged by the French, and the English fleet held the mastery of the channel, and as a result, England once more checked and kept within bounds, tyrannical power. At the peace of Ryswick, Louis was forced to yield far more than could have been expected from one so proud and successful.

The French despot had an inborn conviction concerning universal power, which excluded scruples and remorse. He tried abroad to rule Europe and at home to enslave men's wills and consciences. The weight of his authority had been crushing and the nation breathed freely when it was lifted.

When the nineteenth century was ushered in it brought with it the genius and tyranny of Napoleon, who was turning the ardent spirit of republicanism in France into a militant democracy that was but a cloak for the overweening desire of the man to dominate per se. His conquests were so rapid and so successful as to fill his head with chimerical ideas of the formation of an all-powerful empire. English resentment of French interference in smaller European states turned the might of Napoleonic wrath against British commerce, and his invasion of England proved an expensive fiasco. Crushed and terrified as were the powers of Europe, Britain still retained sea-power and remained unconquered, and in the end was the only country of Europe that had not been ravaged by Bonaparte's troops. Effectual in withstanding Napoleon's attacks upon her commerce and colonial policies, she was the instrument of rescue for all Europe at immortal Waterloo.

The true function of Great Britain in the long struggle with Napoleon can only be understood if there is a clear appreciation of the fact that a really great military power like the French empire under Napoleon is not to be brought to terms by ordinary military successes that simply destroy the organized force opposed, but involves the breaking down of a despotic political system, the annihilation of supreme monarchical ideas and the reduction to a state of national humiliation of the tyrannical force set up to conquer not kings, but peoples, not limited sections of land, but whole nations.

Britain today is striving to bring defeat and complete downfall to the last and worst bidder for world power. "Lay the proud oppressor low" is an immortal line in the fame of the island people and their associates.

A NEW ELEMENT TO BE RECKONED WITH.

WE HAVE heard of German peace. We have read former Premier Asquith's terms, Lloyd George, President Wilson and others, but Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Boston, Massachusetts, recently stated in the Senate, the terms which should be demanded by the Allied nations. They were concise and seemed to cover the ground. They brought out a letter from Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturer's Record, which is a strong protest against the mildness of the terms proposed by Senator Lodge. We print the leter in another column. It is one of the ablest letters yet written. It is entitled to rank with the president's classics, and is judicial in its tone. It appeared in the New York Herald.

JES' GOIN' FISHIN'.

ONE CANNOT refrain from speculating on the latest announcement concerning Premier Borden and its effect upon his newspaper supporters like the Star and the Globe of Toronto, Ont.

The premier will take up the matter of the C. N. R. award, dole out some $10,000,000 odd to Mackenzie & Mann—and then go fishing.

No one had ever before suspected our worthy premier of a sense of humor. We all thought he couldn't hume if he tried, not unless one knew him very well, and then possibly once or twice a year with the aid of diagrams and close to a very old friend who understood him.

But he must have the saving grace in marked degree. He does not distribute bon mots or indulge in satirical quips, but he knows how to act the part of the comedian.

Since his absence in England, the Star and the Globe, and a number of others, have been crying: "Please come home, Oh-o-o-oo-oh, please come home to us, papa!" He did not heed, and they stormed. They tried "The Clock in the Steeple Strikes Twelve," but he just laughed and said "The clock's got that daylight saving on it; it ain't time to come home. Me and Dave and Doug and Bonar is going to have another little touch (of confidence)."

Then how the two big boys raved and roared. "Wait till we get the old man home," they shouted.

And when he came home, instead of getting back to the labors to which the family had been calling him, he paid a couple of bills, dug up some bait in the garden, and when asked where he was going, replied: "Jes goin' fishin'."

Is it any wonder the boys are laying for him with a stuffed club?

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Going fishing! Wonder how much of that Lloyd George has enjoyed recently.

The Montreal Herald has the temerity to refer to the Toronto Exhibition as "the York County Fair."

German retreats are managed "so adroitly that they are unobserved by the enemy." And sometimes the invisibility lies in the fact that the Germans saw some Canadians coming.

Example is better than precept. Therefore, the Government might do some good by insisting that the local postoffice, customs house and armories use only soft coal for heating.

Gasoline scarce in the United States, but plentiful in London. Where is the local supply obtained? The secret should be shared with Washington.

German papers declare that Teutonic retreats are so adroit that they are not noticed by the Allies. All a mistake; we are noting them daily at this distance and rejoicing at their rapidity.

The moonshine country staged a thriller when revenue officers destroyed 486 stills, arrested 200 moonshiners, killed five and poured 30,000 gallons of whiskey into the rivers. Wonder what moving picture company directed the affair?

Thirty thousand gallons of whiskey poured into the mountain streams of American states by Government agents! Spectacular, of course, but does it not come under the head of wilful waste? Is alcohol not useful for munition making!

Eric Ross Goulding, formerly of The Advertiser, and lately with the Windsor Record, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Vancouver to join the Province newspaper as an editorial writer. The best wishes of many friends go with this fine young Englishman, who suffered so severely and so cheerfully in the war.

THIS YEAR'S FASHIONS.

[Chicago News.]

Among the clothes that are "much worn" this year are last year's.

OUR BEST PARADE.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

This is a day of parades; but the most heartening and inspiring of them all is the continuous parade between the two shores of the Atlantic.

VERNON McNUTT — By Fontaine Fox

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Vernon McNutt had told the woman in the flat above that most of the dust she shook out of her rugs blewin his window.

BITS OF BYPLAY

BY LUKE McLUKE

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Not An Accident.

"Could I interest you in accident insurance today?" asked the Agent, as he approached the Farmer.

"I should say not," replied the Farmer.

"But I can show you the best accident policy ever written," insisted the Agent.

"I don't care what you kin show me," replied the Farmer. "I want nothin' more to do with accident insurance. I had an accident insurance policy last year and a mule kicked me and broke my leg. And the durn, swindlin' company wouldn't pay me a cent. They said it wasn't an accident, because the mule kicked me on purpose."

Who's a Liar?

A funny man is Ignatz Slawa,
He must have lots of dough;
They say last month he kicked because
His gas bill was too low.

No Joke.

"Doesn't smoking interfere with your work?" asked Brown.

"Not half as much as wanting to smoke," replied Smith.

A Four-Line Poem.

While walking down the shady street,
I nod to those I chance to meet;
I know most every man in town,
Why should I greet folks with a frown?

I nod to those I chance to meet,
While walking down the shady street;
Why should I greet folk with a frown?
I know most every man in town.

I know most every man in town,
I nod to those I chance to meet;
Why should I greet folks with a frown?
While walking down the shady street?

Why should I greet folks with a frown
While walking down the shady street?
I know most every man in town,
I nod to those I chance to meet.

Names Is Names.

Hill Stump lives in Hill, W. Va.

Nuf Ced.

There were 13,029 business failures in 1917, and according to Bradstreet 84 per cent of the failures were among firms which did not advertise.

Cinch Bet!

We have never seen the young lady, but we will bet that Irene Llenlooker of St. Paul, Minn., is not a Corn Fed.

How About Them?

Ben Zene of Detroit, Mich., and Ray Zell of Akron, Ohio, want jobs tending bar in the Club. We will have to put this to a vote.

Fast-Guides—Hunt-Woods.

The hunting season will soon be here. But what we started to say was that Dayton Fast and Irene Guides and Will Hunt and Bertha Woods were married in Newport, Ky., yesterday.

Bless Her Heart!

Some girls do all their swimming at home. But what we started to say was that Florence Wade Bath lives in Willmington, Ohio.

Our Daily Special.

When Love Flies Out At The Window
Alimony Sneaks In At The Door.

Luke McLuke Says.

If Mother happens to break a dish at the supper table, Father indignates about Mother's carelessness keeping him poor. Then Father goes up to his pet kalf and breaks a couple of bills entertaining the audience that is listening to him whip the kaiser.

Some men don't know how to say "no." We know a poor boob who let three girls become engaged to him at the same time.

Funny how fate arranges things. If the husband is economical, the wife is extravagant, and if the wife is economical, the husband is extravagant.

A wife knows that if she lets her husband have his own way he is going to make a fool of himself. And ten times out of nine she is right.

Theosophists claim to have weighed a soul and that the soul weighed just seven sixteenths of an ounce. Those birds must have dug up a Hun soul by mistake and weighed it. If a Hun has any soul at all, and we have our doubts his soul would weigh about seven sixteenths of an ounce.

Some men are always a month behind the rest of the world. They do not start wearing straw hats until July and do not shake the straw lids until October.

When there are two clocks in the house a woman is always calling up the telephone operator to find out which clock is right.

If you want to get a reputation as a brilliant conversationalist just do all the listening while the other fellow does all the talking.

MINIMUM TERMS OF PEACE FOR AUSTRIA, BULGARIA, TURKEY AND THE UNSPEAKABLE HUN

An Open Letter to Senator Henry Cabot Lodge by Richard H. Edmunds, Editor of the Manufacturers' Record, Printed From the New York Herald.

I believe you have done all civilization a great service in presenting what you regard as the minimum terms of peace to be imposed upon Germany and the allies and in insisting that peace shall be dictated after the victorious armies of America and our Allies have invaded Germany.

Certainly it would be a disaster to civilization for all time to come if the people of Germany and Austria should not, by the invasion of our armies and an overwhelming defeat of their military power, learn something of the agonies which France and Belgium and Italy have had to endure. But will you permit me to suggest that your peace terms do not go far enough?

After many years of preparation Germany and Austria entered this war for the express purpose of conquering and looting the world. The people of Germany, from the highest to the lowest, by the testimony of men like Muehlin and Thyssen and others, had no other thought than that of enormous personal and national profit, and to gain this they were willing to murder millions of men. The people of Germany glorified war. They glorified frightfulness and gave holidays to celebrate the most dastardly crime which up to that time had ever been committed on the high seas—the crime of the Lusitania. Unlike any other war in human history, viewed from the standpoint of supposed civilization, this was the most dastardly war known in the world's history.

The highwayman who carefully plans to commit murder in order to rob his victims is not as guilty as the whole German race, for the highwayman generally acts without long years of predetermined effort. Germany, on the other hand, taught in its schools and in its family life, as well as in its military training, that war was its definite policy and that through war, which meant the murdering of millions of soldiers, Germany should extend its power over the world in order to loot other nations and thus to dominate the whole earth. It was the most diabolical, hell-devised scheme ever launched in human history. Millions of men have been murdered by Germany, and we should ever bear in mind that this is a definite war of murder. Tens of millions have lived in voiceless agony because their loved ones were facing the horrors of the battlefield. Women have suffered the fearful agony of the brutish lust of German soldiers, and the innocent, helpless children have died by the hundreds of thousands and even by millions because of Germany's crimes.

Shall there be no punishment for such criminals?

Shall Germany simply have to retire from Belgium and France, give up its stolen treasure of Alsace-Lorraine and withdraw from the other conquered regions, and Austria simply have to abandon to Italy that section which by right belongs to Italy, and Turkey, which has been guilty of murdering in cold blood a million or more Armenian Christians, go unpunished except for the loss of Constantinople?

Your suggested peace terms do not indicate any direct punishment of the criminals who have been guilty of murdering these millions of soldiers of our Allies and who will before they have surrendered murder hundreds of thousands and perhaps a million or more of our soldiers. Nor do your peace terms suggest any punishment of the people of Germany and Austria and Turkey and Bulgaria who have upheld these criminals in their effort to murder and loot the world.

Would not civilization fail to justify itself if it should permit these crimes to go unpunished—for your peace terms involve no punishment of the death penalty on leading criminals or of punishment by financial indemnity to be paid by the countries guilty of bringing this fearful war upon the world?

Shall there be no other punishment for these criminals, of whom Secretary Lansing recently said "that to recount their crimes would sicken a tiger," than that they shall merely have to give up the loot in the shape of the countries overrun which thus far they have been able to conquer?

It seems to me that even to accept such terms from Germany and its allies would be for all civilization to show a lack of moral strength, for this would indicate indeed a premium upon crime. Unless Germany and its allies are punished and made for generations to come to realize that crime is not profitable, and that civilization will not permit the highwayman to go scot free provided he returns the loot, we shall place a premium upon crime and endanger the moral fibre of all the world for centuries to come.

Germany has issued of bonds and currency for carrying on this war of murdering and looting more than $30,000,000,000. This enormous sum was gladly and gleefully taken by its own people, because they expected to have it repaid out of robbing the rest of mankind. Germany has taken from Belgium and France and other countries an enormous amount of materials, foodstuffs, machinery, coal, ore, railroad cars, locomotives and money, estimated by some to aggregate in value between $20,000,000,000 and $30,000,000,000. In other words, Germany has already robbed the conquered regions which it has overrun of almost as much wealth as the amount of its war indebtedness.

Can civilization in any way whatever justify itself if it should permit Germany to go unpunished by the failure to impose an enormous indemnity, certainly far exceeding the amount of bonds which Germany has issued for its war purposes?

Personally I believe that the entire cost of the war to the Allies and to the United States should be imposed upon Germany, even if it takes that country fifty years to repay the amount, and if in doing so it becomes necessary to compel Germany and Austria and Turkey to repudiate all of their indebtedness to their own people due to their murdering war work.

Is it conceivable that we shall permit Germany to repay to its people the $30,000,000,000 which they have advanced to their country in staking it as a gambler upon the chance of winning the war and robbing others, while the United States and England and France and Italy and Serbia have to bear for years to come the burden of carrying the indebtedness made necessary to stop the highwayman from his murderous campaign?

I have recently pointed out that at the close of the civil war in 1865 all of the indebtedness incurred by the Confederacy for carrying on that war was wiped out and not a dollar of it ever repaid. The investment in slaves was necessarily destroyed with the death of slavery, and all intelligent Southern people today recognize that there was no injustice in their having to bear this tremendous burden when they lost in the contest for what they believed to be a constitutional right. They fought not for slavery as slavery, though that was one of the issues involved. At the close of the civil war the South thus had to face the terrible losses of four years of struggle and a complete wiping out of all of the indebtedness incurred by the Confederacy. It lost the billions which had been invested in slavery, its manufacturing interests were almost completely destroyed, and its labor system was so thoroughly changed that for ten or fifteen years it might have been seriously questioned whether Anglo civilization in the South could be saved. Moreover, the South through taxation immediately began to pay its proportion of the pensions, aggregating since 1865 many billions of dollars, to the very men who had been instrumental in defeating the Confederacy upon the battlefield. It has been well said that the civil war was not an unmoral or immoral war, viewed from any standpoint. It was a war of two great sections both dominated by principle, and far removed from any campaign of murder and looting, such as that upon which Germany entered. The South within fifty years after the close of the Civil war, beginning in overwhelming bankruptcy and poverty, reached a point where its manufactured and agricultural output, where the money expended upon public schools and the amount of banking capital exceeded the totals for the entire country in 1880, though the population of the United States in 1880 exceeded by 17,000,000 the population of the South at the end of the first half century after the close of the war. If the South was thoroughly able to rebuild its fortunes and redeem itself from poverty, surely we would not be inflicting undue punishment upon Germany and its allies if we imposed upon them a financial indemnity sufficient to repay the entire cost of the war to the United States and our allies, and if we forced them to pay a pension to the families of every soldier murdered in this fight of civilizadon to save itself from athiestic barbarism.

May I not, therefore, presume to suggest that this country should go further at this stage of the war than you have done and definitely announce that the leaders in Germany and Austria guilty of bringing on the war shall with their lives have to pay the penalty which is enforced upon any other murderers, and that Germany shall be compelled to repudiate its war indebtedness in order that it may be able to bear an indemnity equal to the cost of the war to this country and our allies? In no other way can the people of Germany themselves be made adequately to appreciate the horrors which they have brought upon the world, and in no other way can they be adequately punished for their crimes, and indeed, even this punishment would be wholly inadequate.

RICHARD H. EDMONDS.

Atlantic City, August 25, 1917.

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THINGS WORTH WHILE.

By Vincent G. Perry.

Teas, dances, house parties, masquerade balls, golf, yachting, motoring—Kathleen was tired of them all. No sooner had one finished than another started. Her aunt had accepted invitations for her that extended months ahead. There was hardly a day that she could count on as her own. The thought of what lay before her bored her. There would have been some variation if Aleck had been going to be there, but she was sure he would not be. Something terrible had happened to Aleck, she was convinced. She had heard nothing of him for nearly a month, and to think that they were engaged, too!

He had probably met some other girl he liked better, and had, perhaps, married her and was on a honeymoon. She determined not to feel melancholy about it, for, she assured herself, their engagement had been nothing but a farce, anyway. He had intended marrying her for her aunt's money, and she sought the social position that his name would bring her. Besides it had been considered a good match. Love? Why, that was only for country girls and story books!

Just the same Kathleen did feel melancholy. Aleck was different from the other men she knew. He was not nearly so artificial as the others. Perhaps that was why he had forgotten her. She couldn't help acknowledging that she was artificial—her every movement and word had been part of a pose while in his company. No wonder he had wearied of her. Oh, to be the little country girl she had been before she went to college! Oh, to have the dreams she had had then! Her college course was not to blame, she told herself, in fairness. It all came from coming to live with her aunt instead of going back to teach the country school, as she had planned. Of course, it would have been foolish to have turned down the chance of becoming heiress to her aunt's immense fortune, but she wondered if it had made her happy.

Kathleen jumped to her feet hastily. It was useless to sit there getting sentimental. She looked at her engagement pad wearily. "A Red Cross tea at Mrs. De Vain's" for that afternoon. Another bore, she reflected, as she rang for her maid to assist her to dress.

Mrs. De Vain's tea dragged through the afternoon. It was hot on the lawn, and Kathleen had just about decided to feign illness as an excuse for leaving, when the feature of the afternoon's entertainment was announced—an address from Miss Marshley, a returned nurse from the front. Miss Marshley had a gripping personality and a great story to tell. Kathleen did not miss a word of it.

"You have no idea what is going on over there," Miss Marshley said as she neared the end of her address. "How lucky we are to be safe here at home enjoying entertainments like this one while the boys are bleeding on the fields of Flanders! Every one of us should do something to bring this war to an end—things worth while. We can, and we must! Pleasure must be forgotten and the stern duties of life taken on. Every one must help where she is best suited to help. It would be ridiculous to suggest to you ladies to go out on farms, where help is needed most, but there is some other place where you are needed. You have judgment—find that place!"

Kathleen sat quite still after the speaker had finished, her mind working rapidly. What a useless being she was to the world when everyone was needed to be valuable! The few dollars she had given to patriotic purposes had been given to her by her aunt and were not a sacrifice at all. She would have to do something—one of the things worth while. What was she best suited to? There was not a thing that she had learned at college or since that would help in any way in the winning of the war. Then her mind traveled back to the days before she went to college—the good old days on the farm. She jumped to her feet with a little cry of joy as she thought of it. She would go back to the farm, where help was needed the most! She would show these shallow-brained women that she was a real person after all. She would show Aleck Beatty that she was not the artificial girl he had mistaken her for. The thought of Aleck caused the triumphant simel to fade just a little. Aleck was really one of the shallow brains, too, though she hated to admit it.

Two weeks later found Kathleen milking cows. She had insisted upon being put to work almost upon her arrival home. How fine it was to be back at the old farm again! She wondered how she could have left it for the life in the city.

As the milking progressed, Kathleen became conscious of the fact that some one was watching her. She realized, too, that it was the man whom she had noticed working in the next field, when she first started to milk. Trying to make it appear quite accidental, she looked up. When her eyes met his she almost overturned the pail of milk.

"Aleck!" she cried, excitedly. "What are you doing here? You are Aleck, aren't you?" After she had spoken she was afraid she had made a mistake, for the man before her was in overalls and was as brown as a berry, but if he wasn't Aleck he was his double.

"You bet I am Aleck," he replied, as soon as he could gain his voice, "and the most surprised Aleck in the world!" He climbed over the fence without waiting for an invitation. "You look sweet in that milking costume, and you are really milking! Where did you learn to do it?"

She told him as hurriedly as she could for she was eager for an explanation, too.

"That is just why I came to work on the next farm," he said when she finished. "I was sick of being dressed up all the time and not getting anything out of life but a bored existence. I wanted to enlist, but they wouldn't take me because of my stiff knee, so I came out here to help with the crops. I am a soldier of the army behind the army."

"You are wonderful!" she told him breathlessly. "Why didn't you write to me and tell me all about it? You didn't let me know whether you were dead or alive."

"I didn't think you would care and besides, Kathleen, I made up my mind to give up the old life forever and, you see, you were part of it."

"I understand," she said quietly, trying to choke back the lump that had risen in her throat. "Perhaps it is for the best. I am really just a butterfly."

"No, you are not," he cried. "You are not a bit like a butterfly, and you never were. You just pretended. It is all changed now, for you have left the old life, too. It was harder to give you up than anything else, for I really love you. Let me tell you how much, dear."

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JIMMY COON STORIES

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TEDDY POSSUM T AKES A WALK.

It was comical to see Teddy Possum put on airs. And to see him take a walk, with his pompous strut. He flocked entirely by himself, on account of his Ancient Family.

And by this time Mr. Theodore Possum, Esquire, was passing the dam of Mirror Pond, where his two friends, Benny Mink and Sammy Muskrat, were paddling their feet in the nice warm water. And Benny Mink cried out with a cheery voice: "Hi! there! Teddy Possum, don't you know your old friends any more! Oh, come on, don't fool us any longer. Let us three old friends, on this lovely sunshiny morning, go over to the old swimming hole, by the big chestnut tree and have some fun."

But Mr. Theodore Possum, Esquire, never even turned his head, or noticed his old friends. He held his head so high, that he almost fell over backwards! And, in pure mischief, Benny Mink and Sammy Muskrat followed Teddy Possum, and acted just as he did, putting on more airs than were ever seen before in the history of Mirror Pond.

And you never saw so many antics in your life as those which Benny Mink and Sammy Muskrat cut up. In that hour, when they followed Teddy Possum in his walk around Mirror Pond, imitating every pose and action of that strutting dandy.

It was a funny sight indeed, as the three Musketeers marched around the shining mirror of smooth water, on that brilliant sunshiny morning.

And the mirror reflected the side-splitting antics of the two furry rascals who mocked Mr. Theodore Possum, Esquire.

And soon all the little people of Mirror Pond, and the Great Forest heard the racket; and they all came, in leaps and bounds, to see the fun. And all had the best fun in years, as laughing and shouting, Peter Rabbit, Jimmy Coon, Dick Otter, Mr. Red Fox, Tom and Jerry Beaver, Bobby Skunk, Ned Chipmunk, Mr. Porcupine and all the rest followed Mr. Theodore Possum, Esquire, and walked and acted just as Teddy did, as he strutted and put on loads and loads of airs!

And the funny thing was, that Teddy Possum was serious as a Hoot Owl; and he really believed he was the only pebble on the beach of Mirror Pond. You see, he had just heard some wonderful news about his remarkable and ancient family, and he was just bursting with family pride!



They followed Teddy Possum in his walk around Mirror Pond, imitating every pose.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers Are Invited to Phone All News of This Kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

A quiet and pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon at All Saints' Church when Miss Sarah J. Patterson of New York was united in marriage to Pte. Frank J. Hickey of Sarnia, and of the 1st Depot Battalion, C. E. F. Mrs. Walter Slade attended the bride and the groom was supported by Pte. C. E. Hunter of the Canadian Garrison Regiment. Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Slade, Pearl street. The young couple left for a wedding trip to Detroit and other American points.

Miss Mary Harris has returned to her home in Rodney after visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. A. T. Edwards was a visitor in Clinton on Friday.

Dr. Anna Backus of Aylmer was in the city on Friday attending a meeting of the Women's Institutes of Western Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watterworth and family of Ridgetown motored to the city this week.

A wedding of much interest to a wide circle of friends in London took place at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, August 22, at the residence of Dr. Hord, Detroit, Mich., when Leona Violet, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Boyce, of London, Ont., was united in marriage to Dr. B. A. Bullock, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Bullock, Detroit. Rev. R. H. Gardner officiated. Miss Helen Bullock played the Lohengrin Bridal Chorus and the Mendelssohn Wedding March.

A dainty color scheme of white and yellow was carried out in the decorations of the drawing-room and living-room in white asters and California poppies, quantities of smilax draping the archways and palms banking the hall.

The bridal party stood beneath a beautiful canopy of flowers—the bride looking charming in her nuptial robe of white crepe-de-chine embroidered in pearls, and carried a shower of white roses. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome set of furs.

Mrs. Boyce, mother of the bride was gowned in brown charmeuse, trimmed with fur, and wore a smart French hat.

An interesting feature of the wedding was the presence of the groom's grandmother.

The wedding dinner was served in the dining-room, made festive with roses and asters in profusion.

The happy couple left by motor to spend their honeymoon in Chicago and other western points, and are expected in London for a few days about the first of October, and on their return to Detroit will take up their residence at 87 Tyler avenue, Highland Park, Mich.

Mrs. Bullock wore a most becoming suit of navy blue serge and chic blue hat.

Among the wedding gifts were substantial checks and a cabinet of sterling silver from the groom's parents.

Mr. Adherton Furlong of Toronto is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cox, William street.

Daily Bible Question Club

UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, Sept. 1, 1918.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION. (By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.)

Christian Giving. — Luke, 6:30-38; 21:1-4.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY.

17. Verses 2-3.—If a poor widow today only has 2 cents and gives them to the church, and if a businessman only has $2,000 and gives the whole amount to the church, would their gifts be equally wise and well pleasing to God, or not, and why?

18. Verse 4.—On which does God base his approval in the giving of different persons, on the amount given or on the motive that prompts the gift?

19. It is generally conceded that God expects us to give to his cause at least 10 per cent of our earnings, would you say, or not, and why, that this requirement applies to the poor?

Golden Text—Remember the words of the Lord Jesus that he himself said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive.—Acts, 20:35.

TEN PER CENT OF OUR EARNINGS IS A MINIMUM FOR GIVING.

The Old Testament has a law making the tithe, or 10 per cent of the earnings of the people, as the amount which the Jews had to give to the cause of God. The New Testament neither re-enacts the Old Testament law about the tithe, nor does it abrogate it; but Jesus, in one or two instances at least, confirms this law in an indirect way. At any rate, Jesus commands and urges liberal giving, as do the writers of the Epistles. It stands to reason that if, under the old dispensation, the people were expected to give 10 per cent of their earnings that under the present dispensation, in which the law of love governs, our giving should not be less than the Old Testament requirement. It is therefore a good rule to establish to give away not less than 10 per cent of our earnings.

U. F. O. PICNIC OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Farm Women's Leader Scores Pseudo-Criticism and Urges Revision of School Curriculum.

The Farm Women's Movement.

I do not know af anything more interesting to give you today than a review of a U. F. O. picnic from a woman's standpoint.

Yesterday was such a lovely day, and the farmers of the county turned out "en masse" to the beautiful park overlooking Grand River.

By the way, few U. F. O.'s have a more delightful spot for their gatherings than we of Haldimand. The surrounding country is beautiful, too, though the harvest has been gathered. The river, like a silver ribbon, winds in and out through the brown and gold ridges, and speeding through the quiet beauty one wonders for a moment if this awful war be not a nightmare. But, ah me, as one passes the homes, we who know the history of them, realize that over the seemingly peaceful landscape rests the grim and awful shadow—

"Oh, for the touch of a vanished hand
And the sound of a voice that is still."

But we are in the crowd now, and for the moment such thoughts are dashed aside.

This war has brought about a crisis here in peaceful Canada, and we farmers are meeting to study it, face it, fight it and conquer it—everyone, men and women together.

There were several speakers and a good program—every number given by a bonafide farmer. But the outstanding figure to us women was the president of the U. F. W. O., Mrs. George Brodie of Newmarket. No, not of Newmarket—that is her address—but she is a farm woman and glories in her position.

With force and great dignity she gave us her message, the aims of our U. F. W. O., its raison d'etre, viz., a medium for the expression of our needs and wishes. She spoke of the handicap under which the institute, a Government-owned and controlled organization, works, citing especially the petition which was circulated throughout the province re medical inspection of rural schools, and which, when signed by hundreds of women, could not be presented to Parliament. "Mr. Putman set his foot upon it," was the forceful figure used.

Then she, who has given her son for the cause of freedom, scored the "patriotism," falsely so called, of those who, while loudly protesting their love of country, are by their selfish aggrandisement believing their professions. After all, religion and patriotism are very closely allied; mere lip service in either counts for very little.

Then she spoke of the preposterous idea that people (some of them) have that women can do farm work here. Of the girls who come out to farms from the cities many come with the very best intentions and the highest motives. The pity is that these do not realize that the unaccustomed labor thus performed is not worth in actual value to the cause of production one-hundredth of the sacrifice of strength they make.

"So long," said Mrs. Brodie, "as there are able-bodied men handling nothing heavier than a fountain pen, I do not intend to handle a pitchfork." And she is right. Moreover, in the main, it is these "fountain-pen holders" among the men who are advocating farm work for women.

Then she spoke of the need of the rural school curriculum being revised from a rural standpoint; of the advisability of teaching agriculture in rural schools, especially under the present system. "Truly my 7-year-old boy knows more of the subject than his town-bred teacher who has spent three weeks at Guelph to qualify (?) herself to teach agriculture." These were a few of the many suggestions which we were given in the pithy address to which we listened.

By the way, a woman was heard to remark after listening to Mr. Hawkes, one of the U. F. O.'s "eyes and ears" at Ottawa, "If things like that are going on, no wonder criticism is barred. When I am doing my work properly I invite and value criticisms."

One would think that governing principles were alike to individuals and to community national leaders. Why not?

This is a day of serious thought on everyone's part, and it is time, high time, that men as well as women consider seriously the trend of today's legislation. It was "while men slept" that the enemy sowed the tares. Those who reap them must be wide awake.

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY OCTOBER 30 AND 31

Addresses on Different Women's Work Will Be Given.

A meeting of the executive of the Women's Institute of Western Ontario was held Friday afternoon in the Government Employment Bureau building, Mr. George Putnam, superintendent of the Women's Institutes in Ontario, presided. A provisional program for the Women's Institute convention, to be held here on the 30th and 31st of October, was drawn up.

It was planned to open the morning session of the convention with a discussion on "The Ways of Financing Patriotic Work" and the presentation of the reports of the various institutes, which will have been previously summarized by Dr. Anna Backus of Aylmer, and will be read by her. These reports will then be open for discussion.

Dr. Anna Backus will preside at both morning and afternoon sessions of the first day of the convention. On the second day of the convention Mrs. G. Edwards of Komoka will preside. Those attending the convention will visit the Queen Alexandra Sanatorium at Byron and the local hospitals. Mrs. Patterson of Stratford will speak of the work of the woman on the farm before the war and at the present time.

Several good speakers have been obtained to speak at some time during the convention, and it is expected that a farmerette in costume will tell of her experiences while working on a farm during the summer. George Putnam, the superintendent, will also speak. Mrs. Todd of Orillia will be present and represent Central Ontario. In Canada there are 900 branches of the Women's Institute, and boasts 30,000 members.

Arrangements for a banquet on the closing day were not completed. Musical selections will be given at all sessions of the convention.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

They Are Cherry's Patterns.

Dear Miss Grey,—In reading the Morning Advertiser I saw where "Cherry" would lend some crochet patterns of lace. I would be very thankful if she would lend me them, and will take the best of care of them. I like to crochet very much, but don't get a great deal of time. This is my first letter to Mail-Box, but the next time I will try and send some help.

A SOLDIER'S SISTER.

Ans.—You evidently misunderstood the letter appearing in issue of Thursday, August 22nd, in which "Sunflower" (?) returned some patterns which "Cherry" had loaned her. I scarcely like to send these out again without "Cherry's" permission. Shall hold your envelope hoping to hear from "Cherry"—or someone else may send some designs in for you.

Would Visit Santa.

Dear Cynthia,—Are you nearly melted, too, these days? I am almost reduced to a grease spot! I wish I had an aeroplane and I'd visit Santa Claus at the North Pole for a while.

I am rather amused over the interest some folks are displaying over "Revelations of a Wife." I think Madge is a poor simp. These ladies who are always getting folks wrought up over the scandalous things they are about to reveal (and don't) make me eternally tired. No doubt the story will stop abruptly and leave Madge's admirers wondering what became of her; the last one did anyway. I guess the authoress gets Madge into such a fix she can't get her out again. Say, Cynthia, when are we going to have "Revelations of a Step-Aunt's Grandfather"?

I do like Winnifred Black. She is so sensible. No frills or nonsense about her, and what ails your valuable Dr. Hirshberg? Wrote to him twice, real nice polite letters, too, and he never answered them. Wasn't that mean?

I have just returned from visiting "Soldier of the Soil." Had a grand time, of course! Hurrah! A storm is coming up. We'll sizzlefry no longer!

"Ontario, N. S., Worker." I, too, value No. 65167 Pte. E. F. H. W., as a correspondent. He writes lovely letters, doesn't he, Cynthia, dear? I wonder if anyone would care for the addresses of American soldiers. As they pass by they toss off their addresses, asking us to write, and if anyone cared to have the names I have I'll gladly send them to you.

And now best of luck to all.

CAPT. URA KIDD.

Ans.—Same to you "Capt. Kidd." But you know you'd feel more at home on the rolling deep than flitting thro' the clouds. I'd hate to be along as a passenger for you might suddenly resume your old habits, and walking the plank two or three thousand feet above the tree tops would really rather worry me!

But to be sensible, who would like the names "Ura" offers?

A Young Housekeeper.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have been a reader of your interesting Mail-Box for some time, and enjoy it very much, but have not had courage to write before. I am 15 years old and have been keeping house for my uncle for six months. He has two boys. I see where "Trilby" gave her opinion of how "Revelations of a Wife" would turn out. Her guess is about the same as mine.

Please send me a "lonely's" address, as I would like to help cheer them up "over there."

I am sending you a recipe for a "war cake"—2 cups brown sugar, 2 cups hot water, 3 tablespoons lard, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 pound raisins, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 teaspoon cloves. Boil together five minutes; cool; then add 1 teaspoon soda dissolved in hot water), 3 cups flour. Bake in slow oven from three-quarters to one hour. I will sign myself A YOUNG HOUSEKEEPER.

Ans.—You are indeed young to be keeping house, but I hope you like it and succeed at it. It certainly requires brains to be a successful housekeeper, for 'tis one of the finest arts in the world. Thank you for your cake recipe. It sounds worth trying.

A Sad Plight.

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw by the paper that the stocking foot pattern was nearly worn out, and as it is getting cold evenings, thought I would like feet in my stockings. Ha! ha! Inclosed find stamped envelope for same and oblige.

A BARE-FOOTED FARMERETTE.

Ans.—Sad, indeed, would be your plight should an unlooked for frost o'ertake you. So I hasten to forward a pattern to your address. Nothing like preparedness, is there?

Address For "Audrey."

Dear Miss Grey,—I am writing to you for help like many others. Will you please answer the following questions:

1. Could you give me the address of the McClure Newspaper Syndicate?
2. Do shorthand stories have to be typewritten?
3. If not, what kind of paper is best to write them on?
4. About how much is paid for these stories?
5. What is the meaning of Audrey, George and Evelyn?

I hope to see this in print soon, as I am anxious for an answer. I will close, hoping this is not too troublesome.

BLUE-EYED AUDREY.

Ans.—1. New York City is sufficient.
2. Receive more careful reading if typed.
3. Plain white paper (thin and tough in texture), not less than eight by ten inches in size.
4. I do not know. Five or ten dollars, probably.
5. Audrey, coming from same root as Aurelia, means golden; George, a landowner; Evelyn, lively.

No trouble at all, Audrey.

Our Friend Chatterbox.

Dear Miss Grey,—Inclosed find $1 for the fund for war prisoners.

CHATTERBOX.

Ans.—Very gratefully received, friend Chatterbox. You are an old page friend from whom we are glad to hear any time.

Brain Fag

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INGOES STILL LEAD LEAGUE

eafs and Binghamton Both Win Yesterday's Contests.

ORONTO, Aug. 30.—The Leafs hit idbauer in the pinches and defeated rsey City, 7 to 3, here today. Peter- n kept the six hits of the Skeeters ll scattered.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
rsey City ..0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2—3	6	3	
ronto .....0 1 0 1 5 0 0 0 x—7	9	1	

Waldbauer and Breen; Peterson and sher.

INGOES TRIM HUSTLERS AND CLEAN UP SERIES

ROCHESTER, Aug. 30.—Binghamton efeated Rochester here today, 5 to 2, aking a clean sweep of the series. he locals outhit the Bingers, but the sitors used all their hits in making ns.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
inghamton ..0 0 2 0 0 1 0 2 0—5	6	1	
ochester ....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2	9	3	

Verbout and Haines; Brogan and Neill.

LOWLY HAMS DEFEATED

HAMILTON, Aug. 30.—The Interna- onal League season closed here today, hen the Hams lost to Baltimore by a core of 6 to 1. The visitors hit freely, nd two of the runs resulted from a reult clout by Parker. At the close f the fifth inning Patsy Donovan, man- ger of the Hamilton team, was called o the plate and presented with a urse of gold by Ald. Radigan on behalf f the "fans," with whom he was very opular.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
amilton .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	5	4	
altimore ....2 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 0—6	10	1	

Ray and Turner; Parnham and arker.

BEARS TAKE A PAIR

BUFFALO, Aug. 30.—The Bisons ound up their at home season today with a double defeat at the hands of Newark by scores of 4 to 2 and 4 to 1. n each game the Bears clustered their hits in one inning, while the hits of he locals were kept scattered.

Score—First game—	R.	H.	E.
Newark .....0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 0—4	11	2	
Buffalo .....0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2	8	3	

Ross and Madden; Gallagher and Bengough.

Score—Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Newark .....1 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 x—4	5	3	
Buffalo .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2	9	2	

Barfoot and Madden; Helfrich and Bengough.

Stratford Races

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Monday, Sept. 2, 1918

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RED SOX ALMOST CLINCH PENNANT

BOSTON, Aug. 30.—Carl Mays qualified for the iron man class of honor today by pitching and winning two full games of a double-header against Philadelphia. The first game was a Boston runaway, 12 to 0, and the second was a pitching duel, in which Mays, even better than in the opener, was a winner over Perry and Johnson, 4 to 1.

Boston needs but one more win out of its four remaining championship games to clinch the American League pennant race. The scores:

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	9	8	
Boston .....2 3 3 0 2 0 2 0 x—12	11	1	

Johnson and McAvoy; Mays and Schang.

Second game:	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	4	1	
Boston .....0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 x—4	5	2	

Perry, Johnson and Perkins; Mays and Schang.

INDIANS KEEP UP IN RACE WITH TWIN WIN

DETROIT, Aug. 10.—Cleveland won both games of a double-header with Detroit today, taking the opener 2 to 1, and the second contest 4 to 2. Loose allowed Detroit only four scattered hits. Cleveland ran wild on the bases in the second game, in which Carroll Jones gave eight bases on balls. The scores:

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland .. 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2	7	1	
Detroit .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	4	4	

Covaleskie and O'Neill; Cunningham and Spencer.

Second game:	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland .. 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 1 0—4	6	1	
Detroit .... 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2	7	3	

Bagby and O'Neill; C. Jones and Yelle.

TOO MUCH JOHNSON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Johnson held New York safe at all stages of today's game and Washington won 6 to 1, by battering Finneran hard.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
New York .. 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1	5	2	
Washington 3 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 x—6	12	1	

Finneran and Hannah; Johnson and Ainsmith.

SPECIAL TOURNAMENT AT THISTLE CLUB LABOR DAY

On account of the urgent requests of a large number of bowlers who will not be invited to take part in the "picked" rink event at the Rowing Club on Labor Day, the games committee of the Thistle Bowling Club has decided to hold a tournament on the Thistle greens next Monday for all bowlers not engaged at the Rowing Club. This will be an open draw tournament, so that every bowler, whether a new beginner or a more experienced bowler, will have an equal chance. There will be first and second prizes for the two rinks making the best scores in the four games to be played.

The draw will be made at 9 a.m. sharp on Monday, and the first games start at 10 o'clock. Entry fee 50 cents.

BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	82	43	.656
New York	67	50	.572
Pittsburg	64	59	.520
Cincinnati	61	59	.508
Philadelphia	53	63	.457
Brooklyn	53	67	.450
Boston	50	68	.424
St. Louis	51	74	.408

Yesterday's Results.
Cincinnati 5, Chicago 0.
Philadelphia 1—3, Boston 0—8
New York 1, Brooklyn 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	73	49	.669
Cleveland	71	54	.568
Washington	69	55	.557
New York	60	58	.508
Chicago	56	63	.471
St. Louis	55	64	.462
Detroit	52	69	.429
Philadelphia	51	73	.410

Yesterday's Results.
Boston 12—1, Philadelphia 0—1.
Cleveland 2—4, Detroit 1—2.
Washington 6, New York 1.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Binghamton	81	37	.686
Toronto	85	39	.685
Baltimore	73	49	.598
Newark	61	61	.500
Rochester	57	58	.495
Buffalo	53	65	.449
Hamilton	36	72	.333
Jersey City	28	91	.234

Yesterday's Results.
Newark 1—4, Buffalo 2—1.
Binghamton 5, Rochester 2
Toronto 7, Jersey City 3.
Baltimore 6, Hamilton 1.

Sportlets

BY REX.

"Duck" Kahanamoku of Waikiki, the water wizard, is reported to carry $50,000 insurance on his feet. The protection is probably of the marine variety, but it seems to be an awful lot of coin to be tide up with.

FAMOUS DEFINITIONS.

A renowned retreat — The Clown Prince's chin.

Non-essentials—The kaiser and his six silly sons.

Camouflage—Freddy Fulton's fighting figure.

Several baseball umpires enlisted in the army last month. They are all safely overseas by this time.

SIMPERINGS OF A SLACKER.

"What have you done to help win the war?"

"Stopped smoking Turkish cigarettes."

Nobody ever gave Ty Cobb credit for being a boob—yet he pulls more bones per month than any other player.

Investigations disclose the fact that there is positively no truth in the report that Fred Fulton is going to Africa in quest of ivory. It is all Fred's neck can do to carry what it does.

To write a yard or two of rhyme
Secure a poet's license,
Then when you've bought a mug of wine
Exhibited no reticence.

Whom has been tried out by the Indians, and has made good. Move that somebody writes a sketch on Whom's Whom in Sport.

Heinie Zimmerman will either go to war or revert back to his old occupation—that of a barber. Should Zim go to war the Allies will be shaved from the horrible hands of the hateful Hun in record time.

Jessica Willard was bitten by a potato bug the other day and was laid up for a fortnight. The bug probably mistook Jess for one of the family.

The price of a shampoo is going up twenty-five per cent. Here's hoping the barber trust will in future insist on giving customers real poos, when the new rate becomes effective.

"Will Hunzollern win the war?" asked Oliphant, our office oddity. "Not unless an epidemic of bunions seizes the Allied army," was Oliphant's sage retort to his query.

He rings the church bell every night
Until the building's full.
They say he got the job, because
He had a lot of pull.

Of all mishaps that put my firm philosphy to flight.
There's none like sitting on a large and rusty tack at night.

I do not like a man that grumps, nor off who likes to crabbeth.
But the guy who swindles week-days and won't play golf on the Sabbath.
I despiseth even more than he who does in murder dabbleth.

Dollar muffed an easy fly when the Dodgers played the Reds the other day. The erring player showed himself to have little baseball sense.

THE MODERN OMAR.

A plate of bully in a muddy trench;
Shells overhead; an awful, reeking stench
That all the perfume in the world won't kill.
I'll tell the word John Sherman had some sense!

I'm fed up with this constant fighting game,
And yet I'm sort of happy that I came,
And did not fail to ignore Europe's cry,
That my loved ones might safe at home remain.

My thoughts drift back to Canada somehow.
I see the lights, the flowing wine and thou
Tucked safe at home in luxury and ease.
While I in France am living like a sow.

Sometimes I think the horizon that clears
My deep forebodings and my morbid fears,
Is mere fantasy, yet I know its not,
Despite the fact I've been here four long years.

My thoughts drift back to home and life with you,
And though they tend to make me sad and blue,
I will not waver till they send me back,
And I can truly say, "I've seen it through."

"FUR WILL FLY" WHEN MORGAN AND ZOCCANO CLASH ON LABOR DAY

Featherweight Championship Bout Will Be Free to Women.

Reports emanating from the camps of Eddie Morgan and Tony Zoccano, the pugilists who will meet at the Patricia Theatre on Labor Day for the featherweight boxing championship of the Dominion, indicate that a great battle is in store for local fight fans. Morgan claims that he never felt better in his life and promises to run away with the Canadian title.

Zoccano is in Brantford undergoing a severe training. He is endeavoring to have a special train run up to London on Labor Day to accommodate fistic fans of the Telephone City who are desirous of seeing the contest.

Promoters of the bout have decided to allow women in free of charge. This action is to demonstrate to the fair sex that the so-called brutal sport of boxing is not brutal at all, but can be witnessed by all classes of society without causing a qualm of alarm.

Several fast preliminaries are slated before the big feature of the program. A number of soldiers under the supervision of Sergt. Tom Dyer will commence mixing things at 10:45 p.m. and the featherweight title battle will likely come off an hour or so later.

The match on September 2 has all the symptoms of being the best exhibition of real fighting ever seen locally. Both men are good boxers, but are apt to become fighters of the old-time variety after the first few rounds. Their last exhibition in this city was genuine to the core. So much so, in fact, that Zoccano wanted to beat up Morgan again after the contest had been awarded to the London pugilist.

ROWING CLUB ONE-DAY TOURNEY ATTRACTS FIFTY STRONG RINKS

The draw for the big one-day Labor Day bowling tournament at the London Rowing Club includes the biggest entry ever secured for such an event.

Dead ends will count as ends played except the last end.

Five sets of prizes and the Dunlop trophy will be awarded.

The draw:

9:30 A.M. DRAW.

Elmwoods.	St. Matthews.
R. E. Gregory, sk.	J. McLeod, sk.
Ingersoll.	Lambeth.
W. R. Veale, sk.	B. Anguish, sk.
London R. C.	London R. C.
J. S. McDougall, sk.	T. Oke, sk.
Elmwoods.	Hensall.
R. D. Hillier, sk.	J. Hemphill, sk.
Woodstock.	Lon. Thistles.
G. Mahon, sk.	A. M. Heaman, sk.
Hensall.	Elmwoods.
F. Bush, sk.	A. Beal, sk.
Elmwoods.	London R. C.
S. Horn, sk.	J. Hately, sk.
Elmwoods.	Exeter.
G. Grant, sk.	R. G. Seldon, sk.
Lon. Thistles.	London R. C.
E. L. Morren, sk.	C. A. Fraser, sk.
London R. C.	Elmwoods.
A. C. McMullen, sk.	H. Bulpit, sk.
Exeter.	Lon. Thistles.
R. N. Creech, sk.	H. F. Hartry, sk.
Seaforth.	Lon. Thistles.
W. G. Willis, sk.	F. A. Brown, sk.
London R. C.	Asylum.
J. W. Griffith, sk.	A. Thrower, sk.
Lambeth.	Thamesford.

11 A.M. DRAW.

W. Caldicott, sk.	E. McAlpin, sk.
London R. C.	All Saints.
W. H. Shannon, sk.	W. Risler, sk.
Lon. Thistles.	Elmwoods.
G. H. Backus, sk.	W. B. Screaton, sk.
St. Marks.	Elmwoods.
W. J. Talbot, sk.	C. B. Hillier, sk.
London R. C.	Lon. Thistles.
J. R. McPetrie, sk.	J. P. Dewan, sk.
London R. C.	London R. C.
J. J. McDougall, sk.	H. G. Wright, sk.
London R. C.	Lon. Thistles.
D. C. Gibson, sk.	F. N. Allen, sk.
London R. C.	St. Matthews.
J. Macpherson, sk.	A. Whitlow, sk.
London R. C.	Tillsonburg.
J. H. Cameron, sk.	A. Stewart, sk.
Lon. Thistles.	London R. C.
F. C. Browne, sk.	T. Loveless, sk.
London R. C.	London R. C.
C. E. Wheeler, sk.	W. Hynd, sk.
Ailsa Craig.	London R. C.
Rev. Fanjoy, sk.	W. Snelgrove, sk.

WINNER OF KENTUCKY DERBY MAKES POOR THIRD IN THE COHOES

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 31.—That Exterminator was a lucky horse to win the Kentucky Derby was indicated yesterday when he finished a poor third to Andrew Miller's Ticket and Mrs. Arthur's Bondage in the Cohoes handicap at a mile and a quarter, which was the feature of the card.

Though Exterminator was giving away a lot of weight, he was the early favorite, but the money poured in on Ticket until he was an equal favorite with the Derby winner when they went to the post. The going was much the same as when Exterminator won the Derby, but the muddy track also suited Ticket, which was capably ridden by Schuttinger.

Fairy Wand set the pace with Exterminator in second place in the run along the back stretch. There Ticket was last, but lapped on Bondage. Rounding the turn Ticket moved up and, most of the field going wide, let Bondage on the inside. This pair quickly ran over the others and with Bondage in the deep going on the rail, Ticket was not pressed to win by a length and a half. Exterminator was eight lengths back of Bondage, Favorite players had another successful day, as four of the choices finished in front.

The Saratoga cup and Hopeful stakes to be run today has attracted many new visitors, including Harry Payne Whitney, who came here from New York to see his sturdy 3-year-old Jerren measure strides with Roamer in the cup race. This will probably be a match race, as both Sun Briar and Cudgel have been withdrawn.

The Hopeful, the richest 2-year-old stake of the meeting and perhaps of the season, has attracted twenty of the best youngsters, with Sweep On and Hannibal scheduled to carry 126 pounds each.

BASEBALL WEATHER

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn at New York, cloudy, 1:30 and 3:30 p.m.
Boston at Philadelphia, cloudy, 1:45 and 3:45 p.m.
St. Louis at Pittsburg, cloudy, 2 and 4 p.m.
Cincinnati at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at Boston (2), cloudy, 1:45 and 3:45 p.m.
New York at Washington, clear, 3:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.
Detroit at St. Louis, clear, 3 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Newark at Jersey City, clear, 3 p.m.
Hamilton at Rochester (2), cloudy, 2 and 4 p.m.
Baltimore at Binghamton (2), cloudy, 2 and 4 p.m.
Buffalo at Toronto, rain, 3:30 p.m.

LABOR DAY QUOITING

Quoiting will be in full swing at the Forest City quoiting grounds, King street, on Labor Day. The games will start at 1:30 o'clock, and a lot of old-timers will be present. After the games the championship will be played off for the Johnson & Murray trophy which is open to all competitors.

BRANT SEMI-PROS TAKE REVENGE ON W.O.R. BALL TEAM

Defeat Locals by 8 to 1 in Last Game of the Season.

BRANTFORD, Aug. 30.—The Brantford Semi-Pros. got revenge here tonight against the W. O. R., of London team, when the locals handed out an 8 to 1 trimming. The Londoners narrowly escaped a shutout. Little stealing home in the ninth, which avoided a whitewash and sprang a surprise.

Down pitched for the visitors, and for five innings staged with the Brantford spit-baller, in pretty pitching duel as has been seen here this year. Neither side could muster more than a couple of singles in the five rounds. It was in the sixth that the Brantfords got to Down, scoring three runs on four consecutive safeties. Bradley and Mitchell singled, while McKelvey doubled to right. Burke's single sent McKelvey home. In the seventh the Brantfords added two more. Bradley, Down support cracking behind their pitcher. With two out, Dumond dropped a line drive and two runs came home. The locals added three more in the next round, McLeod's two errors being largely responsible.

The visitors did not look quite up to the form they displayed here on their first appearance, when they gave Brantford a good walloping. Eddy, the W. O. R. third baseman, gave a performance at third, his splendid fielding being roundly applauded. His two-base hit just about knocked the top board off the fence along the dyke. Thomas, for the locals pitched shutout ball, and was well supported all through.

The game was the last twilight affair here this season.

W. O. R.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Fulton, m.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Eddy, 3b.	4	0	1	3	6	0
Little, s.s.	4	1	1	1	3	0
King, 2b.	4	0	2	2	2	0
McLeod, 1b.	4	0	2	15	0	2
Dumond, l.f.	3	0	0	0	0	1
Birmingham, r.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Down, p.	3	0	1	1	4	1
Vanderlinder, c.	3	0	0	4	1	0
Totals	31	1	6	24	16	4

Brantford.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Finlayson, 3b.	5	2	2	1	1	0
Proutt, 1b.	5	0	1	9	0	0
Bradley, l.f.	4	2	1	1	0	0
Mitchell, s.s.	4	1	2	2	5	2
McKelvey, m.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Sears, r.f.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Burke, 2b.	4	1	2	2	0	0
Summerhayes, c.	4	1	0	7	0	0
Thomas, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	37	8	10	27	8	10

Score by innings—	R.	H.	E.
Brantford	000 003 23x—8	10	1
London	000 000 001—1	6	4

Summary: Two-base hits—Eddy, McKelvey, Mitchell. Sacrifice hits—Dumond, McLeod. Struck out—By Thomas (7), Fulton, King, Dumond, Birmingham 2, Vanderlinder 2; by Down (4), Bradley, Mitchell, McKelvey, Thomas. Bases on ball—Off Down 1, off Thomas 1. Stolen bases—Little, Bradley. Left on bases—London 6, Brantford 7. Umpire—Sammy Lee.

CAPT. DEANS ROLLS UP RECORD PLUS SCORE AT ELMWOOD TOURNEY

Wins Three Games With a Majority of 34, Taking Prizes.

Capt. Deans, the demon bowler of the Canadian Dental Corps, won three games and rolled up a record plus score at the Elmwood bowling tournament last night, it being 34. His rink won first prizes, while Secretary C. E. Speiran's rink walked off with second prizes with three wins and a plus score of 17.

Summary:

J. Drummond	C. Nichol
W. T. Clark	W. A. Martin
W. S. Thompson	E. J. Grant
R. D. Jarvis, sk.	W. W. Scott, sk.
Won 1, minus 4.	Won 2, plus 8.
L. E. Barrie	C. Talbot
	R. P. Baker
O. C. Barrie	J. Guthrie
F. Chambers, sk.	F. Kilbourne, sk.
Won 2, plus 12.	Won 2, minus 2.
	J. Pritchett
H. J. Stewart	F. E. Wray
Rev. Hosie	O. Deacon
R. D. Hillier, sk.	J. Griffith, sk.
Won 2, plus 7.	Won 1, minus 7.
N. P. Walsh	J. Roughly
J. M. Jackson	C. E. White
H. V. Nichols	Capt. Gould
H. A. Kompass, sk.	H. Talbot, sk.
Won 1, minus 13.	Won 1, minus 15.
F. Spry	Dr. Karn
Sergt. Gemeroy	A. McQueen
W. Weston	H. McKenzie
Capt. Deans, sk.	E. Dunn, sk.
Won 3, plus 34.	Won 1, minus 10.
T. Owen	P. M. Wood
T. Cornelius	W. Suhr
H. Sutherland	J. Lambie
F. J. E. Reid, sk.	A. Cave, sk.
Won 2, plus 10.	Won 3, plus 16.
J. Heaman	N. Wood
Rev. Stuart	A. Billbrough
P. Doig	Geo. Grant
J. H. Vanstone, sk.	W. Brazier, sk.
Won 0, minus 5.	Won 1, minus 18.
T. Murray	G. Maritn
T. Robinson	F. Walker
Dr. Fuller	A. Branston
H. Bulpit, sk.	S. Horn, sk.
Won 2, plus 4.	Won 1, minus 9.
R. P. Taylor	W. Sangster
R. W. Wray	E. Nichols
G. G. Wilson	J. W. Scott
A. C. McMullen, sk.	H. C. Barrows, sk.
Won 1, minus 6.	Won 1, minus 1.
I. Wildern	J. Banks
H. Baker	J. McIvor
C. McFarlane	W. Stewart
C. E. Speiran, sk.	F. E. Silcox, sk.
Won 3, plus 17.	Won 1, minus 12.
C. A. Fraser	F. P. Onn
J. Mortimer	H. Scheidling
W. J. Patterson	J. Vivian
C. B. Hillier, sk.	A. Gunther, sk.
Won 0, minus 1.	Won 0, minus 23.

SPORT AS IT ISN'T

(By Percy Prune, The Advertiser Sport Critic.)

Having just completed an interesting article on "What's What in Sport," I now take it upon myself to write a line or so on "Who's Whom in Athletics." I do this because I wish to put one over on my moribund contemporaries, who, I am led to believe, are about to scribble a series of articles on "Where's Where in New York," and "Which's Which in Europe."

So many people are under the hallucination that Ty Cobb, Jack Dempsey and other men of their pattern are the foremost figures of the sport world. It is not so. There are numerous guys who have devoted their lives to games who are never mentioned by the short-sighted sport writers of the present day. Although modesty is one of my most celebrated characteristics, I am going to come out with the statement that Percy Peanuckle has done more to uplift sport than any other athlete. As you know, Percy Peanuckle is a relative of mine. He was christened after me and is second nephew to the Duke of Bone Dome, who, as you know, is a cousin of mine by the marriage of grandmother's adopted daughter Damitina.

Discovered the Pea.

Percy Peanuckle's father was the man who first discovered the well-known and celebrated vegetable, the pea. For this remarkable service to humanity, he was given the title of the Earl of Pea. Later on this remarkable man advised Mr. Dan Webster to put the word "knuckle" in his dictionary. For this he was elevated to the rank of the Tzar of Peanuckle. Percy inherits his old man's inventive genius and one day constructed a card game. For this service, the game which he constructed was christened "peanuckle." Percy has not only spread this wonderful game throughout the wilds of America and the plains of Switzerland, but he has also advertised the sport widely through the hills of Sahara. True, he has become wealthy through his efforts, but he would not have become wealthy were it not for his remarkable foresight in publishing a book on the game entitled, "How to Become a Peanuckle Shark." Following the publication of this book, Percy got thousands of royalties, or, in other words, graft money from the sharks his book had produced.

A Student of Crap.

While traveling in the suburbs of Africa, Percy conceived the idea of educating the natives of the dark continent in the intricacies of crap. He realized that billiards could never be made popular in Africa, owing to the ivory condition of the natives' heads, and also to the fact that ivory was too common an article to be productive of enthusiasm when transformed into a billiard ball. For this service he was offered the title of the Counte of the Crap, but refused it. Percy always was a man of democraptic principles.

Percy has not only uplifted sport, but he was the originator of the old and ancient pastime of rotten-egg throwing. Then, Percy did not instigate the throwing of over-ripe hen fruit intentionally, but, nevertheless, the pastime would never have come into existence had it not been for the existence of Percy. Several decades ago he rendered a song entitled, "Father Get the Monkey Wrench, Your Poor Old Dad's a Nut." After the first verse the unappreciative audience pelted him with decadent pieces of immatured poultry. Truly, Percy Peanuckle's name should have an auspicious place in the Hall of Fame.

Another man who receives far less attention than he deserves is Marmalade Marmaduke. This remarkable sportsman gave up his life to that popular and soul-refreshing pastime called, "Hitting the Booze." Marmaduke's breath finally sniffed out, after he had completed a tour of practical demonstrations of the sport, which he encouraged with all the strength and capacity of his renowned wine cellar. He coached some of the most famous marksmen the "Hitting the Booze" game ever produced. His following was probably the largest ever enjoyed by human and inhuman being. It dwindled down slightly in the latter part of his life. A portion of his admirers ceased to follow. They preferred calling taxicabs.

Marmalade's Finish.

The end of Marmalade is one of the most touching incidents of modern and present-day history. Refusing to drink nothing but Scotch and eating nothing but rye, Marmalade in a delirium of disintegration demarded that they let him have one last hit at his booze.

"I'm the guy that put the key in whiskey," he yelled inarticulately through his convulsions. "Let me play my favorite pastime once more."

But the nurse made a fatal mistake. Instead of bringing him the game of "Hitting the Booze," she brought him the game of Rum. It happened to be bay rum. Let me draw a curtain over the final chapter of Marmalade's career. His last words were:

"John Barleycorn, my love, Jo. You've got me, yes you have bo." I know I'm going to fall, Jo, in the battle of Bay Rum."

RACES POSTPONED.

READVILLE, Mass., Aug. 30.—On account of the muddy condition of the track, the Grand Circuit races were postponed until tomorrow. The first race will be started at noon tomorrow to permit of running off the postponed events, as well as those on the regular program.

CUBS WALLOPED BY CINCY 5 TO 0

Giants Defeat Superbas in One of Hardest Games of Season.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30. — Cincinnati bunched hits behind Chicago's errors and shut out the league leaders today, 5 to 0. Mitchell kept the Cubs' hits well scattered, and was given perfect support.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati ....0 0 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 1—5	11	0	
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	4	4	

Mitchell and Wingo; Walker and O'Farrell.

SUPERBAS GET SHORT END OF SHORT GAME

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—In one of the shortest games of the season, which took the Giants 57 minutes to play, New York defeated Brooklyn, 1 to 0, at the Polo grounds today. It was a pitching duel between Perritt and Coombs.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	2	3	
New York ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	7	1	

Coombs and Miller; Perritt and McCarty.

Coombs and Miller; Perritt and McCarty.

PHILS 1--3, BOSTON 0--8

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—Philadelphia and Boston split a double header today. The Phillies won the first game, 1 to 0, in the ninth inning on Meusel's double and Cravath's single after two men were out.

Fortune was hit hard in the second game, and Boston won, 8 to 3. He gave nine bases on balls.

Score (First game):	R.	H.	E.
Boston .. ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	7	1	
Philadelphia ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	7	0	

Rudolph and Wagner; Oeschger and Adams.

Score (Second game):	R.	H.	E.
Boston .. ....0 0 0 0 1 1 0 3 2—8	12	0	
Philadelphia ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—3	11	4	

Ragon and Wagner; Fortune, Jacobs and Devine, Adams.

GOOD RACES ASSURED WOODSTOCK ON LABOR DAY

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 30.—The best horse races held here in years are assured for Labor Day.

Over twenty of the best horses in Ontario are now at the track, which is in fine shape. The card consists of a 2:18 trot or pace, a 2:30 trot or pace, a free-for-all and a running race.

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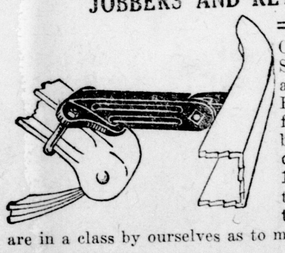
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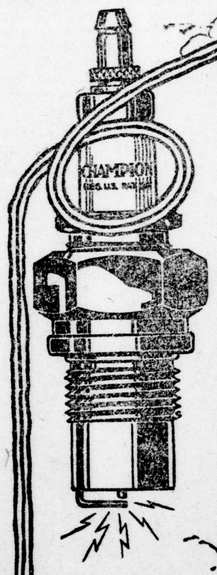
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DAILY PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Milk a Vital Food For the Growing-Child Menus

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG.
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University.)



The United States food administration has recognized the fact that there can be no substitute for milk without a fundamental injury to the bodily mechanism. Milk, as a matter of fact, has been urged as one of the substitutes for meat. Milk, eggs and nuts furnish enough protein to the human engine to make safe the omission of meat entirely from the diet.

Milk, moreover, furnishes not only the needed protein which is the substance of tissue repair, but it also contains practically every life-giving property except iron. This element is furnished in sufficient quantity in such foods as spinach, asparagus and most vegetables. It is also furnished in considerable quantity in water.

The food administration has recommended, in the 1918 Home Card just recently issued, the wise use of milk. This does not mean that milk should be used exclusively in preference to most other foods, but only as it can be worked into a well-balanced bill of fare.

For children, even to a greater extent than for adults, milk is the chief part of the diet. The diet of children is naturally more limited than that of the adult, for fried foods, extraordinary fatty foods, meats and similar stuff must be reduced to a minimum, or, better still, eliminated from the child's menu.

Some of the Reasons.

The bodily mechanism of the baby or growing boy or girl is not sufficiently developed nor strong enough to digest whatever of heavy foods are sent down its digestive tract. This is one of the reasons why milk is advisable in preference to meats. It is a light-weight food, easily incorporated into the scarlet stream and tissues, and contains what properties meat has to offer, as well as other properties essential for the bodily construction.

Milk has a property necessary for making bones, teeth and tissue; it has sugar and fat; in the fat of milk, moreover, there is a kind of substance which acts as a growth promoter—a substance with which scientists have heretofore not been acquainted.

No growing boy or girl should be allowed to live through a day without the use of some milk. Milk for children should not be skimmed, but served with all the creamy properties present in it.

A pint to a quart of milk a day should form part of the diet of every child old enough to take that amount. It may be served between meals with bread or plain; at meals with cereals and on fruits and in cocoa, custard and similar dishes.

Some Valuable Menus.

A well-balanced diet should contain every day at least one element of the following food stuffs:

1—Milk, and dishes made chiefly of milk, meat, fish, poultry, eggs or meat substitutes.

2—Cereal foods and bread.

3—Wholesome fats, the most important of which is butter. Do not use fried foods, if possible, for these are hard to digest.

4—Fruits, vegetables and simple sweets, such as custard, brown betty, Spanish cream and like desserts.

5—A fine hominy is a good sustitute for the usual wheat preparation for children.

6—Nuts contain much protein, and are a good substitute for meat.

Candy should not be given to children directly after meals, nor as dessert, for thus they will be eating more sweets than the body needs.

Good, nourishing breakfasts may be varied in the following way:

1—Well-cooked oatmeal with milk, toast and butter; coffee for adults and hot water with equal parts of milk for children.

2—Cornmeal mush with milk, fried mush for older persons, and coffee if desired, milk and water for children.

3—Stewed prunes, corn bread with milk, coffee for adults and cocoa for children.

4—Stewed dried fruits and boiled rice with milk.

5—Stale breadcrumbs served with scrambled eggs.

Answers to Health Questions

J. A. G.: Q.—Kindly give me some remedy for sunburn?

A.—Pour one ounce of quince seed into a quart of water; keep boiling. Remove the boiling water and quince seed and place this in another closed vessel for an hour. This mixture should be strained through a cloth. To each six ounces of this lotion add 10 drops of oil of lily of the valley and one ounce of glycerine. Keep this on ice and it will last a long time. This may be applied to the face before you venture into the sun and immediately upon your return from the seashore, the river or the sun out-of-doors.

MRS. M. B. M. Q.—Do tumors of the breast necessarily always result in cancer? I am anaemic, and suffer from stomach gas and acid conditions. What is the cure for them?

A.—A tumor usually results in cancer. The only cure for this is the surgical operation. Your stomach trouble may be caused by the breast trouble.

M. E. H. Q.—What shall I do to reduce my weight?

A.—You must not get more than eight hours' sleep out of the 24. Keep the intestines open and active, and get daily outdoor exercise. You should reduce the amount of sugars, starches and oils which are taken into the body. Food laxatives such as uncooked bran and green vegetables help in the reducing process. Drink lots of water only between meals. Do not eat any bread, except gluten, and it is better to have this toasted.

A. J. M. Q.—Please give me the cause and cure of shingles.

A.—Shingles require treatment for blisters, such as boric acid powder or orthoform; treatment of the infective germs with adrenal in solutions and citrated hexamethylenetramine, 5 grains in a glassful of water every four hours, and sedatives to allay the enduring neuralgic torment. Salicylic acid, bromides and quinine may be used. Singles are caused by germs and bacteria getting into heads of nerves around the spinal cord.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is inclosed. Address all inquiries to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, in care of this office.



By Genevieve Kemble

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 AND 2.

Sunday finds the Sun—the planet of the spiritual creative forces—aspected by Neptune, the mystical planet, in a figure which exalts, energizes and illuminates the spiritual faculties and potencies. Under this and other profound influences the energies will be turned within in devotion, contemplation or study of philosophical problems.

Those whose birthday it is are promised a fortunate year with benefits from friends and speculation. A child born on this day should have a beautiful nature, and also be clever, industrious and enterprising.

Monday should be a particularly busy day, and a successful one, provided the tendency to hasty words and to rash deeds born of the fiery Mars in square aspect with the Moon doesn't defeat otherwise benefic conditions. Those in employment are specially favored; those in commercial and professional vocations should prosper, and finances generally are indicated as promising. There is a possibility of deception, fraud or intrigue, but with this precaution the day should develop some unexpected good fortune or advantages.

Those whose birthday it is should have a successful year, but must beware of deception and avoid law and quarrels. A child born on this day will be quick, active and industrious, but should be trained in patience, kindness and self-control to insure success.

France has had 77 queens. Eleven were divorced, two legally put to death, nine died young, seven were widowed early, three cruelly treated, three exiled. Most of the rest were either poisoned or died broken-hearted.

BIG LITTLE-GIRL FROCKS

Note the Looseness of Line in These Models That Give Full Play to Growing Bodies.



Amelia Bradstreet

Suggestions For Sister Who Is Fast Growing Up

If she is entering his school this fall daughter probably is beginning to think seriously of lengthened skirts. And with the lengthened skirts a slightly perceptible change in fashions sets in also. For the very little girl styles will no longer do, and little Miss High School begins to scan with interest the "Misses' styles" instead of the children's fashion page.

These two models, while essentially girlish, copy some of the loose lines that are fashionable in the older frocks. It is, indeed, fortunate that modern fashions demand looseness of the line, and generous girth of waist, and thus influence the younger generation toward the more wholesome styles, instead of the old-fashioned strictures of waist and hip.

The frock at the left is a loose guimpe model. It is of Liberty blue poplin, with little squares of soutache braid. A novel touch is given by the lengthening of the waist into sash ends on each side, tied under the arms. The tunic skirt is trimmed with squares of braid at back and front. A simple guimpe of soft white linen or net may be worn with this frock.

The frock at the right is a loose Russian smock type. It is of navy blue crepe with embroidered red trimming. The soft folds of the frock, depending from the shoulders, are gathered toward the waist by the wide sash of navy blue crepe. It is sewed high across the back, where the dress buttons, is crossed in front, and then loosely knotted at the side. This simple frock is artistically charming and youthful, and becoming

KITCHEN ECONOMIES

BY ISOBEL BRANDS

OF THE APPLECROFT EXPERIMENT STATION.

Six Delicious Ways To Use Peppers As a Main Dish.

Green peppers have a large variety of uses—serving as a garnish to salads and meats and acting also as a base for the chief dish of the meal. A delightfully cool luncheon dish is quickly made by combining peppers and cheese.

Stuffed Peppers.

Soak in cold water sufficient bread to make one pint when the water is pressed out. Add to this one tablespoonful of fine herbs, two teaspoonfuls of salt, a little summer savory, and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Cut off the stem end of six peppers and scoop them out, removing all seeds. Fill the peppers with the bread mixture and place them in a shallow baking dish, pouring around them a sauce made in the following way:

Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a pan over the fire and when hot add one tablespoonful of flour. When smooth add three-quarters of a pint of water, one teaspoonful of salt and cook for five minutes. Pour this around the peppers and bake for one hour in a moderate oven, basting often with the sauce.

Stuffed Pepper Salad.

3 green peppers
1 cupful of cottage cheese
Lettuce
1 teaspoonful of salt
¼ teaspoonful of paprika
French dressing

Mix the cheese, salt and paprika. Allow the peppers to stand for five minutes in boiling water. Cut off the stem ends and remove all seeds. Fill with the cheese mixture and put in cold place for one hour, allowing the cheese to become firm. Cut in one-quarter-inch slices and place on lettuce, pouring the dressing over them when ready to serve.

Peppers and Cheese.

1 tablespoonful of chopped peppers
2 ounces of cheese
1 tablespoonful of butter
Salt, mustard and paprika

Melt the butter and cheese together in a saucepan and add the chopped peppers with the seasoning. Cook until well blended and serve on toast.

Cabbage and Pepper Salad.

½ small head of cabbage
Lettuce
3 green peppers
French dressing

Soak the cabbage in cold, salted water for five minutes, then drain and shred it. Allow the peppers to stand for five minutes in boiling water, drain and remove all seeds. Cut the peppers into narrow strips and mix them with the cabbage. Place the mixture on lettuce leaves and pour the dressing over it.

Peppers Stuffed With Nuts.

6 green peppers
½ cupful of tomato sauce
2 cupfuls of soft breadcrumbs
1 cupful of chopped walnuts

Cut a slice from the stem end of the peppers and remove the seeds. Place in cold, salted water, bring to boiling point quickly, remove and drain. Mix the crumbs and nut meats, moisten with the sauce, season with salt and pepper and stuff the peppers with this. Bake in a moderate oven for 30 minutes, basting with hot water containing a little butter.

Potatoes and Peppers.

6 large, raw potatoes
Cream sauce
2 green peppers
¾ cupful of sliced cheese
Milk

Peel and slice the potatoes. Remove the stems and seeds from peppers and shred. Into a buttered baking dish pour milk to a depth of one-half inch. Put in a layer of potatoes, peppers and cheese until all are used, sprinkling the cheese on top. Pour on cream sauce to cover over this, sprinkling thickly with crumbs and a dash of black pepper. Bake in a moderate oven until the potatoes are done and the dish is brown on top.

Three Minute Journeys

by TEMPLE MANNING

Where Children Find Their Greatest Fun in Berrying.

To those who remember "their geography," the Aleutian islands are just another way of saying "cold." For the Aleutians are a chain of islands of volcanic origin, extending westward from the Alaskan peninsula, between Behring Sea and the northern Pacific Ocean. But to those who have been on any of these islands the words bring up other thoughts, not the least of which are the kindness and the intelligence of the natives.

"To know a people, know the children," is a saying one hears the world around, and in some respects it is true. Applied to the Unungun this theory reveals that these people are much like the rest of us, though they do live far away and in a climate and under conditions few of us would envy. For the Unungun kiddies are much like the boy and girl next door, when you get under their furs and their dirt, and their brown skins and peep into their hearts, as shown by their love of fun and adventure and games.

But conditions are such in these islands that for as far back as the oldest member of the tribe can remember and recall the words of his forefathers in evidence, the children have helped in gathering food for the family. They aid the older members in the catching and the curing of the salmon. They dig clams when the tide is low. And they learn to make traps and to catch the foxes whose skins bring so much money when "sent to the States" to be sold.

Still, these children don't work all the time. They have their own childish delights, just as do children the world over. Perhaps their greatest pleasure is picking melinas—large raspberries—and it is exciting sport.

The melina bushes grow on the sides of the mountains. To pick the berries one must either sit down, and by digging the heels into the scant soil, gradually work down to the bushes, or hang by hand and feet so the other hand may do the picking. Of course, there are times when the picker takes an involuntary slide down hill, and there are bogholes and pitfalls and mountain creeks to add to the excitement and the love of the quest.

But when the berries are all gathered and the children reach home, weary but happy, there could be no greater joy in the little houses than though they were palaces and all the possibilities of infinite riches were at their command.



Picking Melinas a la Unungun.

"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War.

BY ALBERT BARRETT SAYRES.

Encouraging the Boy Scouts.

The national value and the world value of the Boy Scouts was recently evidenced by a cablegram to the Boy Scouts of America from the French secretary of foreign affairs, in which the secretary said:

"The French Government is preparing a general system of physical and moral training along scout lines. Our officers and soldiers show the result of scout training; their strength comes from their spirit, and it is desirable to have our soldiers act as scoutmasters in towns where they are located. Boy Scouts here are always on duty and in uniform."

There are in the United States close to 500,000 scouts and scout officials. Is your boy among them? Is your son receiving the benefits of the physical and moral training that is so emphasized by the French secretary of foreign affairs? If there is a country that can justly estimate the value of Boy Scouts' training it is heroic France. See that your son reaps the benefits immediate, and felt through all his life, that the Boy Scouts give.

Selecting Right Organization.

The tremendous success of the Boy Scouts' movement in this country and the notable attention given to this great and good organization in these days of war, has emboldened some men to attempt to start similar organizations. The Boy Scouts of America is as nearly an official organization as any boy organization could be. It has the respect and the confidence and the encouragement of the Government, from President Wilson to the humblest official. That there have appeared three imitation organizations in the Eastern States, all sponsored by one man, seems to indicate that the purposes of the imitations isn't as philanthropic as one would wish.

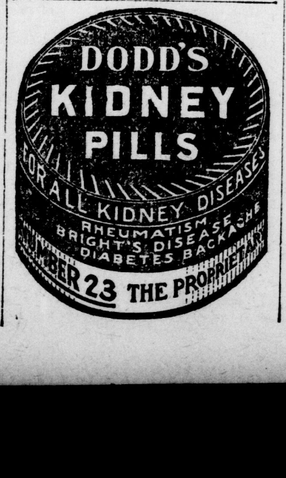
Therefore, not only see that your boy becomes a Boy Scout, but see to it that he joins the Boy Scouts of America. The other organizations above indicated are being investigated in several states; for instance, in Massachusetts the public safety committee has warned the people of the state against them.

All you need worry about is that your boy has the real benefits of the Boy Scouts of America, whose name is not only protected by federal charter, but whose efforts are seconded and warmly praised by the Government.

Boy Scouts Not Military.

One of the easiest ways to be sure that you aren't giving money to some enterprise that may soon pass out of existence, and to determine that your boy is getting the benefits of the real Boy Scouts of America, is this:

The Boy Scouts don't ask money for equipment. The Boy Scouts don't train with guns. The Boy Scouts of America is a non-military organization. But its program is recognized as the best sort of preparation for the life of a soldier as well as for useful citizenship.



Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Gruelle

THE MESSENGERS OF THE FLOWER CASTLE.

Doris stood watching a crowd of golden butterflies gathered around a bright red poppy.

"Gathering honey, I do believe," she mused.

A happy little bee flew by the poppy and alighted on a leaf near Doris.

"Why don't you visit the poppy castle?" laughed Doris. "There surely must be a deep well of honey or the butterflies wouldn't hover around it."

"You're right," buzzed Mr. Bee merrily. "But I'm doing messenger work for the clover castles today. Would you like to come with me?"

Doris was delighted, and jumped upon Mr. Bee's back, and away they flew over the garden to the meadow beyond.

"Why don't you stop at that beautiful golden castle with tall white spires around it?" asked Doris, pointing to a beautiful flower castle.

"Oh, that's the daisy castle!" buzzed Mr. Bee. "I can't go there today."

"I'd like to know why!" laughed Doris.

"There are a number of bees around it."

"Sure there are," laughed Mr. Bee. "But gathering pollen is a business, and each bee, bird, butterfly and each insect is given his own territory to cover."

"Gathering pollen!" exclaimed Doris. "I thought they were gathering honey."

"But we have to promise to carry the messages from one castle to another before the Flower Fairies give us any honey," pulled Mr. Bee. "We meadow folk work for honey just the same as your daddy works for money. No matter which flower castle we begin with in the morning, we must visit the same kind of flower castles all the rest of the day."

"Well, I never knew that before," laughed Doris.

"Certainly!" buzzed Mr. Bee. "If we didn't, what a mess we'd make of things. Different flower castles need different messengers. Some need us bees with thick bodies. Others require butterflies with their long, slim tubes, while still others call for wasps with slender bodies and legs, and some need ants and tiny gnats. Now, the bird messengers don't distribute pollen as we do; they carry the little seeds from one tree castle to another. We're each given our route just the same as the mail carrier who blows his whistle at your gate."

"I often wondered why the butterfly takes a slip from my petunia, then flies away over the fence to another petunia bed without even tasting the roses, and this must be the reason," laughed Doris as they landed at the entrance to the clover castle.

There a lovely Flower Fairy met them and after giving M. Bee several bundles of pollen to deliver to her clover friends she invited Doris and Mr. Bee to have a sip of honey.

Doris declared it was the sweetest honey she's ever tasted, and away they flew from clver castle to clover castle until the sun went down. Then Mr. Bee bade Doris good-night, and flew away to his hive, and Doris went home to supper.

In Korea women occupy a place in society which has no parallel elsewhere in the Orient. They are both better and worse off than in China or India or Japan—better off because there are more fields open to them, worse because they are overworked, often ill-treated, and until recently were actually enslaved.

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How Katherine Amazed Madge and Lillian, and Jack Won Out.

"Of all the pig-headed, obstinate mules!"

Lillian stopped short as if her expletives had failed her. We were upstairs in her library, whither I had followed her after dutifully entertaining my brother-cousin until Katherine had come down to the living-room.

"He is all of that," I agreed promptly to her estimate of Jack Bickett. "Only ——"

"Only what?" she demanded quickly.

"I don't know," I confessed. "But something in his manner after you left made me fancy he had something up his sleeve that he wasn't quite so opposed to your idea of things as you think."

"Well, I'm sure I hope so, for Katherine's sake!" she said in the hopeless tone which invariably accompanies such a wish, and then for a long time there was silence between us. Ours is one of the rare friendships which doesn't require chatter to keep it alive and flourishing.

When the door opened after an hour, and Katherine came into the room, Lillian and I turned involuntarily to each other after our first glance at her. Was this the wan, listless girl who had gone down the stairs an hour before?

Her cheeks were flushed, her eyes starry, her steps light, almost dancing. She came up to us shyly, and held out a hand to each of us.

A Joyous Surprise.

"Will it inconvenience you greatly, Lillian, if I should be married tomorrow?" she asked, blushing as if she were 17, and a schoolgirl, instead of a poised, trained nurse of several years' experience.

"Bless my soul!" said Lillian, and then sharply: "You don't mean you've given in to him about your work?"

"Oh, no!" Katherine replied, and the words had a singing quality like a carol. "Everything had adjusted itself."

Lillian rose, took her by the shoulders and shook her playfully.

"If you don't begin at the beginning and tell us every single thing, pronto," she said, "I'll—I'll forbid the banns."

"It's very simple," Katherine answered, but her tone said that it was the most wonderful thing in the world. "The physicians have finally pronounced Jack fit to go back into active service. And I fancy the joy the decision gave him opened his eyes a bit as to what I was feeling. Anyway, he came over today to tell me he was ready to withdraw all objections to my going on with my Red Cross work, and to ask me to marry him at once. And oh, girls, I am so happy!"

Her voice broke, and I saw the happy tears start into her eyes. I put out my arms and gathered her into them. Lillian came over to us, impartially hugging us both.

A Perplexing Question.

"You blessed child," she said. "Married tomorrow! I can see where this child does some hustling in the next 12 hours. But first, where's that young man of yours? I have a few words to say to him."

"Waiting in the living-room for me to come back," Katherine rejoined, with a look of sudden alarm in her eyes. I could imagine the opinion Jack had just expressed of Lillian—knew that Katherine dreaded another meeting between them.

Lillian caught and interpreted the look. Her lips twitched humorously.

"Don't worry, baby," she said. "We won't claw each other to pieces. I've got a little piece of humble pie to eat for misjudging Jack, and as for his end of it, you mark my word he'll be eating out of my hand when you see us next."

She went swiftly out of the room, kissing her hand to us gayly at the door. Katherine and I looked at each other.

"Jack's awfully angry at her," she said doubtfully. "What did she say to him?"

"Nothing much, although she was a bit strenuous in her manner. But now that she knows she's misjudged him she'll apologize so royally, manage him so beautifully, that he'll wonder how he ever could have been angry at her. I've seen Lillian manage people before, and I know her little way."

"She's a darling!" Katherine agreed warmly, and then we waited impatiently for the result of Lillian's amende honorable.

My prediction was justified. When Jack and Lillian came up to the library after a few minutes' interval they were smiling and chatting together as amicably as if the little episode of an hour before had never been. Manlike, Jack wasn't quite at his ease. I saw him glance uneasily once or twice at Katherine and me in rather shame-faced memory of his own displeasure, but Lillian's whole-hearted manner soon banished all embarrassment.

"Now, there's one thing certain—just got to be!" Lillian said, when we had all settled down a bit. "I'm going to be the mother of this bride and give this wedding, so we'll have to start planning this instant. Suppose we say 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon—that will give us barely time to get ready. Now, Jack, you may see Katherine just 10 minutes more, and then you hustle and arrange for the minister, ring, carriage, everything you wish. Do you want to be married in church, Katherine, or here?"

"Oh, here!" Katherine said. "With no fuss, and just you, Madge, Dicky, of course, another friend of mine, and any friend Jack wants."

"There's only one man I want—Dick," Jack said. "Will he be able to get here?"

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Mrs. Vernon Castle in Her Greatest Success, "The First Law," Showing at the Patricia Theatre Next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

In spite of her recent bereavement, Irene Castle, the Pathe star, who comes to the Patricia Theatre for three days, starting next Thursday, in her great screen success, "The First Law," remains the arbiter and leader of fashions in America. In a recent interview just before she sailed for France, where she is now entertaining the soldiers near the front, Mrs. Castle said that American women will be the style leaders more by reason of their manner of wearing clothes than the expense of their garments.

"The woman who wants to be well dressed, and this is the natural desire of every woman, must first of all learn to be honest with herself. She must see herself as she is, and not as she would like to be. If she is short and broad, she must not imagine herself tall and thin, and vice versa. If she is angular and broad, she must not believe herself plump and rounded. And then having seen herself honestly, as in a looking glass, she should dress in a manner suitable to her own peculiar style.

Take the French women, for instance. They do not hesitate to admit their faults in face and figure, and this grand study of themselves leads them to the adoption of those patterns, fabrics and adornments which lend distinction, individuality and style to their appearance.

Go into a Parisian restaurant. You will never see, as in America, women of every height, weight, age and individuality all wearing clothes cut after the same design. American women are what one might call vogue crazy. They see a model, run across some particular style in a magazine worn by somebody or other, and are not happy until they get one like it. How much more sensible it would be to choose a style suitable to one's own self. Surely it is more comfortable and self-satisfying to be distinctive, individual, representative of yourself, than to be merely one in a crowd, like a paper doll in a long row cut from one folded sheet. Regardless of patterns or fabric, the well-dressed woman is the woman whose gowns, suited to the occasion, best express herself.



Thomas H. Ince presents ENID BENNETT in 'The Vamp' A Paramount Picture

At the Patricia Theatre Today.

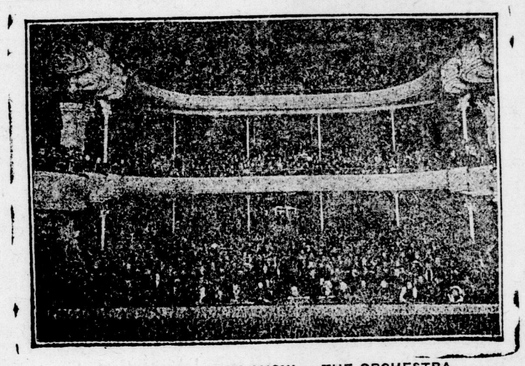


Mrs. Vernon Castle, "the best dressed woman in America," in her latest photoplay success, "The First Law," showing at the Patricia next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



Douglas Fairbanks in "The Half-Breed"

Showing at the Patricia Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.



THE THEATRE—THE SHOW—THE ORCHESTRA.

Picture Proof of Majestic Popularity—The Home of Paramount and Artcraft Productions—Some of the World's Most Famous Attractions Coming to the Majestic—"The Pick of the Silent Art."

D. W. Griffith's supreme triumph, "Hearts of the World."
Enrico Caruso, the world's most famous tenor, in an elaborate production.
Cecil B. de Mille's masterpiece, "We Can't Have Everything."
John Barrymore, in "On the Quiet."
Billie Burke, in "The Pursuit of Polly."
All star cast, "The Hun Within."
Marguerite Clark, in "Out of the Clear Sky."
Fred Stone, in "Under the Top."
Mary Pickford, in "Johanna Enlists."
Charles Ray, in "The Law of the North."
Wallace Reid, in "The Source."
Dorothy Dalton, in "Vive la France."
Cecil B. de Mille's production, "Paths of Glory."



Charles Ray in "A Nine o'Clock Town," showing at the Majestic again today.

MAJESTIC

WILLIAM S. HART, "IN RIDDLE GAWNE," AT THE MAJESTIC NEXT MONDAY, TUESDAY, AND WEDNESDAY.

"Riddle Gawne," to be presented at the Majestic on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, is a production showing William S. Hart in his most recent release, based upon the story of "The Vengeance of Jefferson Gawne."

The cast and story follows:

Jefferson Gawne.....William S. Hart
Katherine Harkless.....
.....Katherine MacDonald
Hame Bozzam, a cattle rustler.....
.....Lon Chaney
Blanche Dillon, Bozzam's woman..
.....Gretchen Lederer

Living with his niece on a western ranch, "Riddle" Gawne has devoted his life to the task of bringing to punishment the man who slew his younger brother, ran away with the faithless wife of the lad, and left their daughter behind, leaving her to the tender care of her uncle. He is the deadly enemy of Hame Bozzam, leader of a band of cattle rustlers, and one day he rescues Kathleen Harkless, an eastern girl of refinement, daughter of one of Bozzam's henchmen, from two of Bozzam's rustlers. They fall in love with each other, and when Bozzam resolves to make Kathleen his wife, he orders Gawne's death. Gawne is shot and seriously wounded by one of the rustlers and Blanch Dillon, the plaything of Bozzam, nurses him. She contrives by an artifice to poison Kathleen's mind against Gawne, her purpose being to win him herself. Gawne recovers and begins a crusade to drive Bozzam and his rustling band out of the country. Bozzam mortally wounds Harkless and abducts Kathleen. Gawne starts in pursuit, and when he comes up with his quarry a fierce battle ensues, in which Gawne's leg is broken. Bozzam, believing himself the victor, gloatingly admits that he killed Gawne's brother, stole the latter's wife, and broke her heart. Gawne, despite his injury, grapples with Bozzam and strangles him. Kathleen appears, and during the subsequent days, while she is nursing him back to health, the flame of their love is renewed.

NORMA TALMADGE AND EUGENE O'BRIEN IN "THE SAFETY CURTAIN," SHOWING AT THE MAJESTIC NEXT THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Norma Talmade has a most delightful role in "The Safety Curtain," one in which her emotions are allowed to run riot, and where she is all in a breath a veritable little spit-fire and a scared, submissive child. As Puck, the music hall dancer, she is exquisitely active, adorably pensive, and very much in evidence. Add to this lure a story (quite an interesting story) which has been finely mounted with convincing scenes of sun-baked India, and you have "The Safety Curtain." A fire which occurs in a theatre while the little star is performing causes some moments of intense suspense for the spectators, and other thrills are provoked by a cholera scare at an army post and by the sudden return of a brutal husband (strong man of a vaudeville act), who was thought and hoped to be dead. The story itself is a very simple one and offers nothing new in plot material, but the happy selection of unique and human characters to enact the drama gives it a new twist, which will find appreciation among the film fans. In the early reels the scenes behind the stage of a music hall offer color and contrast to the later scenes of society at an English army post in India. The sets are especially pleasing and harmonious, and some are noticeably lavish. The character of Puck carries the interest from first to last, and the star fits the role as if it had been moulded for her. She is full of fire and spirit and, above all, is perfectly natural—a dear little figure whom one watches with the keenest interest and enjoyment. Needless ot say that Miss Talmadge's admirers will be delighted with her. Eugene O'Brien is again Miss Talmadge's leading man, and, as always, he is the perfect lover, the considerate husband and, above all, the very likable man. Anders Randolph portrays a peculiarly unpleasant type of villian and Gladden James rounds out the well-chosen cast by a bit which is satisfactory. This is the type of picture which almost anyone could enjoy. It has plenty of appeal for the majority of fans and has been adapted with an intelligence which will be appreciated by the critical.



Norma Talmadge, the screen's greatest emotional actress at the Majestic next Thursday, Friday and Saturday in "The Safety Curtain."

UNIQUE

William Russell in "Hearts or Diamonds?" at the Unique Theatre Next Monday and Tuesday.

William Russell, Adonis of the screen, who holds among other records that for the highest standing jump over made by a motion picture athlete, five feet three inches, proves his title to the honor by clearing a hedge over six feet in height at one bound in his latest picture production, "Hearts or Diamonds?"

Russell is in chase of a band or thieves and he takes the tall hedge in his stride, a feat that makes the new offering remarkable from an athletic as well as a dramatic point of view.

"Hearts or Diamonds?" is the first Russell offering put out under the auspices of Mr. Russell's new organization, the William Russell Productions, Incorporated.

It is a thrilling drama dealing with a gang of diamond thieves, in which Mr. Russell is supported by that capable actress, Charlotte Burton, and a splendid cast. The production was directed by Henry King, who has directed some recent screen successes starring Mary Miles Minter and Gail Kane.

Showing at the Unique Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

"Lest We Forget," a Great Production Starring Rita Jolivet, Showing at the Unique Theatre Next Wednesday and Thursday.

The star of "Lest We Forget," beautiful Rita Jolivet, was herself a passenger on the Lusitania on its ill-fated trip, and heard those immortal words of her fellow-passenger, Charles Frohman: "Why fear death? Death is the most beautiful adventure of life." Her life was spared to be a living witness to the brutality of the Huns.

This great eight-act production provides a mighty panorama of events now historical, connected with the opening days of the war, and follows its progress through the later thrilling months. A beautiful love story shines like a star through the darkness, the roar of battle sometimes seeming like a mighty accompaniment to the human drama being played. Many Americans unable to go abroad and engage in actual fighting or works of mercy have wished they might see with their own eyes a part of what has been going on in Europe since August, 1914. "Lest We Forget" shows far more of actual events abroad during the great struggle of decency against barbarism than any one person, whether combatant or non-combatant, could possibly see. Besides being a great love story, it is a valuable chronicle of the war.

The scenes of the Lusitania are especially thrilling. The sailing, the vast crowds of friends wishing bon voyage to the passengers, "flames" of the various activities and amusements on board ship, are followed by the launching of the deadly torpedo from the German submarine, the filling of the vessel with water and the panic and excitement of the amazed passengers, who are shown plunging into the ocean, some swimming to the small boats, others sinking to the ocean's depths.

At the Unique Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.



Showing at the Majestic Theatre next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Co-starring with Miss Talmadge is Eugene O'Brien, the noted screen actor.

ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATRES

MAJESTIC

TODAY—Charles Ray in "A 9 o'Clock Town." Charlie Chaplin in "The Roustabout." Majestic Screen Telegram. Vaudeville, Frankie Callan, "The Ziegfield Follies' Boy," in up-to-the-minute songs.

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY—The great favorite, W. S. Hart in his latest production, "Riddle Gawne." Sunshine Comedy, featuring Slim Summerville and Tom Mix. News Weekly. Frankie Callan in songs.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Norma Talmadge and Eugene O'Brien in "The Safety Curtain," a sensational and thrilling production with real thrills. Mack-Sennett Keystone Comedy. Majestic Screen Telegram. Frankie Callan in songs.

PATRICIA

TODAY—Enid Bennett in "The Lamp." "Sisters of the Golden Circle," an O. Henry story. Leonard and Wright, classy dancing act.

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY at 2:15, 7 and 9—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Half Breed." Mutt and Jeff comedy. Montgomery Flagg's, "The Good Sport." Weekly current events. Vaudeville, The Straub Trio, dispensers of classy harmony.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Mrs. Vernon Castle in "The First Law." Vaudeville, Foy-Toy Company, startling Chinese novelty.

UNIQUE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—William Russell in "Hearts or Diamonds." Last chapter of that great serial, "The Woman in the Web."

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—Reta Jolivet in "Lest We Forget."

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Corinna Griffith in "The Clutch of Circumstances." Charlie Chaplin in "The Cure."

UNIQUE - THEATRE

MONDAY, TUESDAY

WILLIAM RUSSELL

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS' ONLY RIVAL, IN

"HEARTS OR DIAMONDS?"

A 5-Act Feature Full of Thrills, Sensations and Surprises

THE LAST CHAPTER OF "THE WOMAN IN THE WEB"

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

THE WORLD WAR AND A WOMAN

Metro's Great 8-Act Special Production

"LEST WE FORGET"

THE MIGHTY ARRAIGNMENT OF THE HUN

Starring the Beautiful Survivor of the Lusitania Disaster

RITA JOLIVET

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FRIDAY, SATURDAY

Corrine Griffith 'Clutch of Circumstances'

In a 5-Act Vitagraph Feature

IN

The Million Dollar Comedian **Charlie Chaplin** 'The Cure'

COMING—MONDAY, TUESDAY—FAIR WEEK

WILLIAM DUNCAN in "A FIGHT FOR MILLIONS"

FRIDAY, SATURDAY—FAIR WEEK

PEARL WHITE in "THE HOUSE OF HATE"



Thomas H. Ince presents WILLIAM S. HART in "Riddle Gawne" An ARTCRAFT Picture

Showing at the Majestic Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Conceded to be Hart's triumph.



RITA JOLIVET in "LEST WE FORGET"

Showing at the Unique next Wednesday and Thursday. Starring Rita Jolivet, "the beautiful survivor of the Lusitania disaster."

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TRADE MARK ARTCRAFT PICTURES

The Greatest Stars in the Greatest Productions

TODAY---THE WONDER BOY

CHARLES RAY in "A Nine o'Clock Town"

Extra Added Attraction—CHARLIE CHAPLIN, in one of his funniest comedies.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

ACTION, SUSPENSE AND THRILLING SITUATION



WM. S. HART

In Latest Artcraft Production,

"RIDDLE GAWNE"

Forceful Story, involving Hatred, Vengeance and Redemption

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

ATTRACTION EXTRAORDINARY

Norma Talmadge

---and---

Eugene O'Brien

In Another Big Stage Success for Screen Lovers

"The Safety Curtain"

Beautiful Gowns—Magnificent Cabaret Scene.



NORMA TALMADGE IN "THE SAFETY CURTAIN"

SELECT PICTURES

The Pick of the Silent Art. ALL HEADLINE ATTRACTIONS

DOORS OPEN — Afternoon, 1:30; Show, 2:15. Evenings, 6:45; Shows, 7:10 and 9:00.

THE BEST IN LAUGHS—Paramount, Mack Sennett Comedies. Sunshine and Lonesome Luke Comedies. All the World's Latest News Weekiles.

Majestic Concert Orchestra Augmented, 10 Pieces—Leadership, Mr. Joseph Tirri

Extra Added Attractions at Majestic Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The latest Sunshine comedy, "Who's Your Father," featuring Tom Mix and Slim Summerville, a big laugh from start to finish, will be shown at the Majestic Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Frankie Callan, "the Zeigfield Follies Boy," To Open His Third Week's Engagement at the Majestic on Monday.

Frankie Callan, "the Zeigfield Follies Boy," is proving a tremendous attraction at the Majestic. Every song he sings makes a hit, and his way of "putting them over" has made him extremely popular with the Majestic audiences.

PRINCESS

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MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY,

THE FOLLIES

MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY

will open their season with

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ACCOMPANIED BY A BIG SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

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Seat Sale Opens Wednesday, Sept. 4. Mail Orders Filled Now.

STARS IN "HEARTS OF THE WORLD" WERE UNDER FIRE WHEN SCENES WERE TAKEN

D. W. Griffith's Master-Production Required the Taking of Over 25 Miles of Film—This Wonderful War Romance Will Be Shown at the Majestic Theatre All Fair Week.

Apparently motion picture producers who deal only with gigantic undertakings, such as "The Birth of a Nation," "Intolerance," "Cabiria," "Hearts of the World," and similar unusual features, have temperaments and souls. The report comes from the studios of David Wark Griffith at Los Angeles that this producer, working over the arrangement of his greatest triumph, "Hearts of the World," to be shown at the Majestic all fair week, spent sleepless nights and seemingly unending days of mental torture over the necessary cutting of his precious film. When it is shown that Mr. Griffith actually "shot" more than 120,000 feet of film, the sacrifices he made to get his production down to an evening's entertainment requiring but 12,000 feet, may be appreciably imagined. Perhaps Mr. Griffith's experience may be best understood in his own terms.

"When I returned to America last November, I brought with me enough film to reach a distance of 25 miles. Considerably more than 100,000 feet were secured during the eighteen months that our company was abroad. The labor entailed in securing this precious material was the hardest I have ever known, and taxed the strength and endurance of every player in the cast almost to the breaking point. While the actual work itself would have been considered of the most strenuous character executed in a regular motion picture studio, when it is considered that the players appearing in "Hearts of the World" suffered additional handicaps by reason of the war-stricken country in which we labored, and the fact that we were many times under actual bombardment, seeking refuge in cellars and dugouts, the tremendous strain of the work may be better appreciated here at home.

"Of the thousands of feet of film exposed in this work it was of course impossible for me to use in "Hearts of the World" more than enough to make an entertainment of some three hours. This requires about 12,000 feet, so my friends can imagine the suffering I endured during the long days and nights that my camera man and I spent in cutting this almost priceless material. Every inch of those discarded feet seemed like a drop of blood from my very heart, and I must confess that it was the saddest experience I have ever had in my life. Every turn of the crank during the taking of the scenes in France represented the realization of my greatest ambition—to give to this country a romance of the great war—and to have to cut it down to its present size was to me like cutting off the ears of a favorite son. It was the keenest torture to me."

Grandmother Gave It To Mother, Mother To Me, I To My Baby

Read what Mrs. Wm. Gray, Jacquet River, N. B., has to say about Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. She writes: "There is no medicine I know of that can come up with Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It has been in our house for forty years. My grandmother gave it to my mother, she to me, and I to my baby. For summer complaint it has no equal. I never miss a chance of telling my neighbors about it. I would not think it safe to go to the country in the summer without a bottle of it. It has saved us many a doctor bill."

For the past 72 years, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been recognized by both the people and the medical profession as the greatest remedy known for all cases of diarrhoea, dysentery, cramps, colic, pains in the stomach, cholera infantum, cholera morbus, seasickness and all bowel complaints.

There are so many spurious "strawberry" preparations on the market today that it would be well for you to see that the name, "Dr. Fowler's," is on every bottle you buy.

Our guarantee, that it will do what we claim for it, stands behind every bottle. But the imitations—what is their record, where the guarantee?

Put up only by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont. Price, 35c.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

THE CANDYMAKERS' CASE.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The following is a copy of a letter sent to the Toronto Mail and Empire in reply to an article headed "Check the Sale of Candies":

This article is a mass of inaccurate information as regards the candy business. Had you made due inquiry before writing such an article, you would have found out that the candy manufacturers have only been allowed 50 per cent of their last year's consumption in the manufacture of candy during the past four months, and for the next four months they are only allocated 60 per cent of their monthly average for 1917, and this 60 per cent, being based on their average monthly allowance, really means only 40 per cent, or less than the consumption during the last four months of the year.

When you intimate that the Food Board placed no restrictions on the candy manufacturers, you are making a statement that is not only unfair to the Canada Food Board, but detrimental to the candy manufacturers, who are as much entitled to fair consideration as any other trade, and just as patriotic in their line of business, and willing to bear their share to win the war.

You further say that candies are chiefly consumed by children and girls. This again shows that your source of information is not based on solid facts. The men at the front are large consumers of candies, particularly chocolate products. They also take the place of tobacco and liquor with many people who are not at the front, and an inquiry at any candy store would confirm this. Only yesterday a gentleman in the advertising line stated to the writer that he consumed from one-half pound to one pound of candy every day.

You say: "It is equally true that a tremendous business in this luxury has continued since the early days of the war." This statement is also not correct. Neither is it correct to say that some factories are making and selling more sugar candy than ever before. How could this be possible when they have only been allowed 50 per cent of the sugar of their usual consumption?

The proportion of sugar used in the confectionery trade is not more than eight per cent of the total consumption of the Dominion of Canada based on previous years' imports, and even this is not a correct percentage, owing to the fact that there is no distinction made between the biscuit manufacturers and candy manufacturers in the consumption of sugar used by those trades. It would be safer to say that six per cent would be the maximum amount used by the candy manufacturers.

It has been estimated by close observers that there is more sugar wasted in the household in cups of tea, coffee and cocoa than is used by all the candy manufacturers in Canada, and this is the waste left in the bottom of the cup. In the past sugar has been so cheap that it has been recklessly and carelessly used in the households.

You will also bear in mind that there are no restrictions placed on the making of homemade candy, where sugar is used more extravagantly in the manufacture of candy than it would be in the ordinary factory.

For your information, we might state that it has been estimated that there are 10,000 merchants engaged in selling candy retail, 310 wholesale, 143 manufacturers, making 10,453 concerns that would face financial annihilation if this line was absolutely prohibited. It is estimated there are 50,000 operatives, salesmen and clerks, etc., making over 60,000 people who make their livelihood by this line, besides 2,000 druggists selling candy, 2,000 retail fruit and confectioners, 392 wholesale fruit and confectioners, 18,000 retail grocers, 367 wholesale grocers, or a total of 23,759 merchants, besides their employees, who sell confectionery, and with many it is the most important item of their business.

Why should you single out this business for attack as you have done without making due inquiries as to the corrections of your statements?

Yours truly,
C. CURRIE,
Sales Mgr., D. S. Perrin & Co., Ltd.

LOST HIS LIFE WHEN AIRPLANE STRUCK BUOY

BRUSSELS, Aug. 30.—Word has been received by Mrs. George Lott from Malta that her son, Aviator Wilfred Lott lost his life by drowning. His seaplane ran foul of a buoy as it was about to rise and upset, the two men being thrown into the water. While tangled up in the wreckage, before Mr. Lott could be assisted out he had lost his life. He had saved a convoy from attack three days before.

A patriotic field day is being held by the Belgrave folk on Labor Day on the farm of Mr. McClenaghan. A good program of sports is being arranged and the proceeds will go to patriotic purposes.

The local baseball team will go to Clinton on Labor Day to play a game at the celebration being held there.

Miss Rebecca Spence has resigned her position as postmistress at Ethel. Her father and grandfather were her predecessors.

Miss Hazel Lowry has resigned her situation at Welland and accepted a school at Walton and will commence work next week.

An innovation was put on the program one night recently here by Councillor Wilton threshing his acre of fall wheat by lamp light. His neighbors, R. Henderson and George M. Millen, took advantage of the machine being on hand and threshed out an acre each of oats. The crop panned out very well, showing about forty bushels of wheat and eighty or ninety bushels of oats to the acre. It was after 11 p.m. when the work was completed. Machines are having a very busy time, and good results are showing.

J. W. Morrison, formerly of Walton, who has been on the drafting staff of the C. P. R. at Montreal, has accepted a position with the engineering staff of the Canadian Northern at Toronto. He will likely go on with construction work. He is a reliable man and his friends expect him to do well.

Recently Robert W. Ross, formerly of Brussels, was married to Mrs. Ella B. Tummis of Toronto. They will continue to reside in the Queen city.

The last half-holiday for the season was observed Thursday. They have been enjoyed for the past three months.

Brussels fall fair will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, September 17 and 18. The directors are getting everything in shape and count on a first-rate fair.

Hugh R. Elliott is carrying his left arm in a sling on account of a severe sprain.

A large number of persons are attending Toronto fair this week.

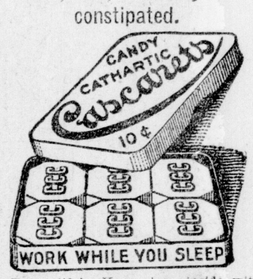
BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the summer months than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera infantum and stomach disorders, come without warning and when a medicine is not at hand to give promptly the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in the home, where there are young children. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will cure the baby. Mrs. Chas. Anderson, Minda, Alta., says: "Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine for little ones who are suffering from stomach troubles. They cured my baby and have made her a fine healthy girl." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

CASCARETS SELL TWENTY MILLION BOXES PER YEAR

Best, safest cathartic for liver and bowels, and people know it.

They're fine! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy or constipated.



Enjoy life! Keep clean inside with Cascarets. Take one or two at night and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand. Your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath right, stomach sweet and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store and straighten up. Stop the headaches, bilious spells, bad colds and bad days—Brighten up, Cheer up, Clean up! Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to children when cross, bilious, feverish or if tongue is coated—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.

"HEARTS OF THE WORLD" A Story of Love and Strife

Three Crises in the Lives of "The Boy" and "The Girl."



D. W. Griffith's supreme triumph, showing at the Majestic Theatre during Fair Week. A big symphony orchestra will render special music during the showing of this wonderful motion picture production. Prices will range from 25 cents to $1.50, the Majestic management, as well as all other theatre enterprises in Canada and the United States, being under contract with D. W. Griffith to adhere to standard prices as set by the producer. Mail orders received now. City seat sale opens Wednesday, September 4.

The Advertiser's Tabloid Comics For Saturday Readers

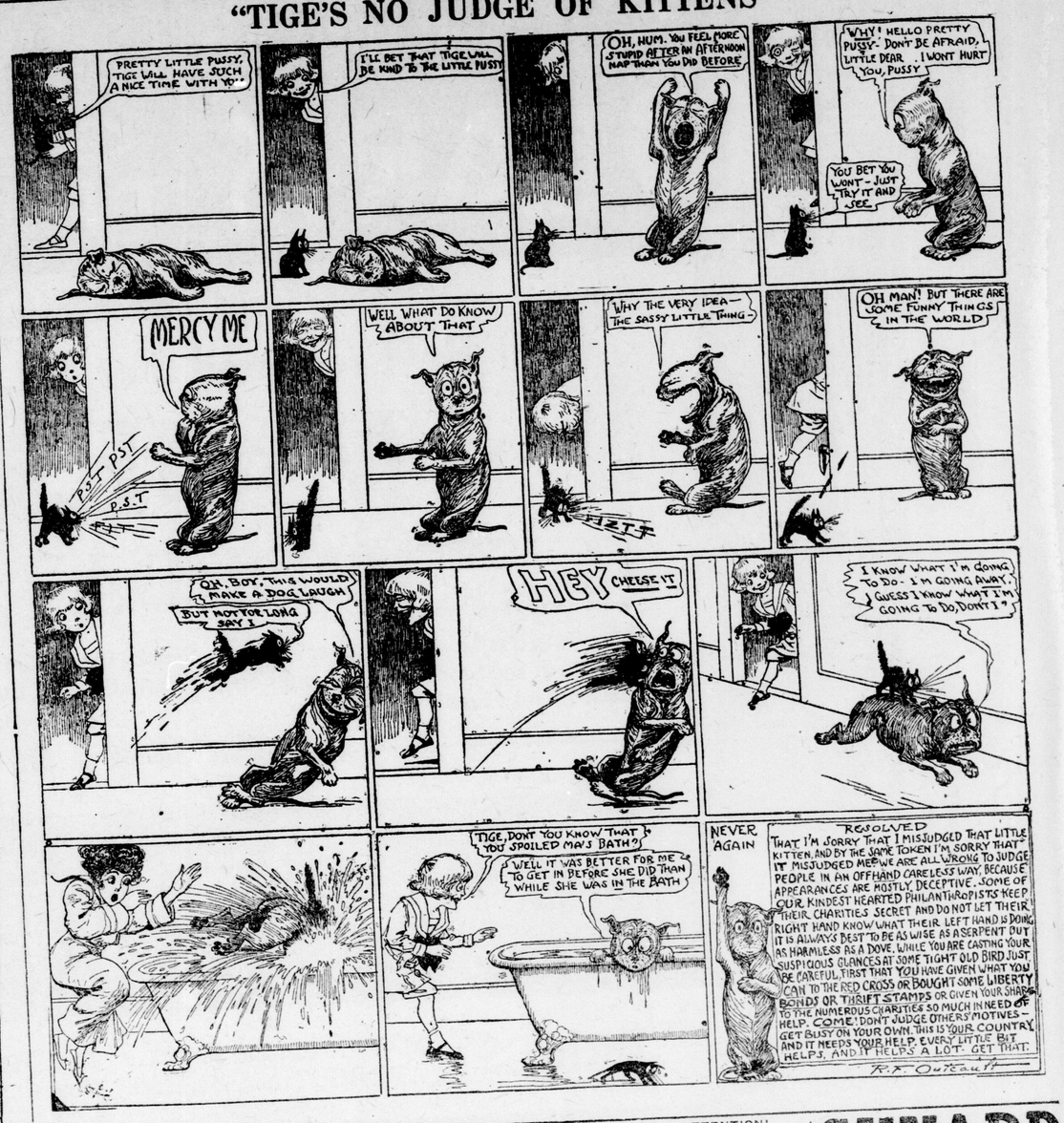
POLLY---"SUBSTITUTES ARE IN ORDER THESE DAYS"



THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S—"BUT PA GOT SOME GOOD PRACTICE ENTERTAINING THE GREAT"



"TIGE'S NO JUDGE OF KITTENS"



STEFANSSON HAS REACHED OUTSIDE MINUS HIS MATE

Canada's Explorer Reports Assistant To Have Made a Record.

DAWSON, Y.T., Aug. 30.—V. Stefansson, who headed the Canadian expedition exploring the Arctic regions north of Canada, which sailed from Esquimalt, B.C., under direction of the naval department in 1913, arrived here today en route back to Esquimalt to make his report. He will then proceed to Ottawa and later to New York, where he will open his official Red Cross lecture tour, probably late in October.

He reports no definite news from Storkerson, his assistant, who left Herschel Island last winter. Storkerson last sent back word in April that he had reached a point, 175 miles north of the Alaskan coast, opposite Cross Island. That location is 100 miles beyond the Leffingwell-Mikkelson party's advance point, the farthest north ever reached in that section of the Arctic.

On Dash to Melville.

Stefansson believes that Storkerson traveled easterly, trying to reach Melville Island, which is 600 miles farther across the ice, being one of the longest journeys ever attempted over Arctic ice. Storkerson had three Eskimos and two sleds of supplies when last heard from, and with good luck he may have reached Melville.

Stefansson is looking well, but says it probably will be a year yet before his old-time physical endurance returns, when he hopes again to resume Arctic explorations. He was ill with typhoid at Herschel last January. This was followed by pneumonia and pleurisy. When convalescent, yet weak, he traveled four weeks with the Canadian Mounted Police and Eskimos with dogs over mountains covered with snow to Porcupine River, and thence to Fort Yukon, where he took treatment for 150 days.

Doffs His Arctic Togs.

He will leave Dawson either next Sunday or Monday. He arrived here, wearing moccasins and other rough garments, outfitting himself with "store clothes" today, his first in five years. He said he is anxious to help the Allies' cause and believes he can best accomplish this by Red Cross lectures.

NO DAYS ADDED TO DESERTERS' GRACE; SURRENDER HELPS

Those Who Come In Without Compulsion Get Consideration.

OTTAWA, Aug. 30.—There is to be no extension of the amnesty to deserters. "It is not possible," reads an official announcement, "to extend the delay fixed for general amnesty to defaulters under the M. S. A. All, however, should be urged to report voluntarily and promptly. Those whom it will be necessary to bring in compulsorily must be rigorously dealt with. Those promptly reporting will have every consideration given to reasons for delay and to circumstances which may excuse it."

An official statement showing how far advantage has been taken of the amnesty will be issued shortly. So far, it has not been possible to compile complete figures owing to the rush of men to come in during the last few days. It is expected that final returns will show a heavy reduction in the percentage of defaulters under the act.

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MANGIN'S ARMY IN ADVANCE GAINS STRONG FOOTHOLD ON NORTHERN BANK OF AILETTE

Hindenburg Line South of Bullecourt Crossed by Haig—Canadians Add To Successes in Attack Astride the Arras-Cambrai Road.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 30.—The French and Americans, under orders by Gen. Mangin, advanced today on the plateau north of Soissons to the western edge of Crouy, taking Cuffies and Chavigny after very hard fighting.

Farther north, between the Ailette and the road from Coucy to Chauny, the struggle was equally severe. The French occupied Champs, the Daast Wood, Praast and Vilette.

Gen. Mangin now has gained a strong footing on the northern bank of the Ailette and the plateau north of Soissons, occupying positions of great importance with a view to further operations.

HAIG CROSSES HINDENBURG LINE TO SOUTH OF BULLECOURT

LONDON, Aug. 30.—7:30 p.m.—Troops of Field Marshal Haig today crossed the Hindenburg line to the south of Bullecourt. In the Lys salient the British forces are reported to have taken Noote Boom, three miles south of Bailleul.

The Germans have retreated from the town of Bailleul.

North of Soissons French troops today captured Hill 159, and they now hold all the high ground between Soissons and Leury, according to information received from the battlefront this evening.

The full text of Field Marshal Haig's report from headquarters in France tonight follows:

Enemy Counter-Attacks.

"East and north of Bapaume our operations are proceeding satisfactorily in spite of increased hostile resistance. Hard fighting has taken place on the greater part of this front, and a number of heavy counter-attacks have been made by the enemy.

"Our troops have entered Riencourt-les-Bapaume and Bancourt, where they have been actively engaged with the enemy throughout the day. They have captured Fremicourt and Vaulx-Vraucourt, taking a number of prisoners, and have reached the western outskirts of Beugny.

"At Ecoust-St. Mein, the enemy is still maintaining an obstinate defence though closely pressed by our troops, who have taken a number of prisoners in this locality.

Fall Back Before Enemy.

"At Bullecourt and Hendecourt hostile counter-attacks delivered with much determination by strong forces compelled our troops to fall back to the western outskirts of these villages, and to the German trench system between them where the enemy's attack was stopped by our fire.

"North of these villages the attack launched this morning by Canadian troops astride the Arras-Cambrai road has been successful.

"The enemy's defences between Hendecourt and Haucourt have been captured together with the latter village and several hundred prisoners.

"South of Bapaume our troops have maintained a vigorous pressure upon the enemy and have gained ground. We have made progress east and northwest of Clery and in this sector have taken three hundred prisoners.

"In the Lys sector the enemy is continuing his withdrawal, closely followed by our troops. The town of Bailleul is again in our possession."

I.W.W. PLOTTERS GO DOWN FOR TERMS RANGING FROM 10 DAYS TO 20 YEARS

"Big Bill" Haywood and Followers Are Sentenced.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—William D. Haywood, "uncrowned king" of the Industrial Workers of the World, and fourteen of his chief aides in the conspiracy to overturn the American war program, were sentenced today to 20 years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kas., by Federal Judge K. M. Landis.

Ten-year sentences were imposed upon 33 of the organization's leaders, five-year sentences on 33, one year and one day on twelve defendants, and ten days on two others. Cases against Benjamin Scraeger, Chicago, a writer, and Pietro Nigra, Spring Valley, Illinois, were continued.

Sentences Are Concurrent.

All sentences on the four counts in the indictment will run concurrently. Fines ranging from $20,000 on Haywood and his chief aides down to $5,000 were imposed.

Ninety days is granted in which to file a bill of exception, and a stay of seven days in which to petition for bail.

Aside from a slight disturbance in the corridor, when one of the prisoners became hysterical while being led away, there was no disorder.

There was a deep silence in the courtroom as Haywood and his fourteen chief assistants were called before the bar. As "Big Bill" arose from his seat a group of women who had been weeping started a mild ovation, which was quickly silenced. George Andreytchine, the young Russian poet, whose stormy career since his exile from Russia for plotting a revolution is an outstanding phase of the Industrial Workers of the World, was next called. As he stepped forward he smiled and blew a kiss to his pretty bride, who waved her handkerchief

"The Alarm" Editor Pales.

Then followed Ralph Chaplin, another poet, smiling and confident, and Carl Ahlteen, Minneapolis, editor of "The Alarm," pale and nervously twisting his cravat.

So the procession continued, the proceedings interspersed with an occasional groan from the defendants, and an outcry from women relatives, until ninety-five of the organization's chief directors had been sentenced and led to the county jail, through lanes of curious that surrounded the federal building.

Vincent St. John, who formerly held Haywood's office of general secretary-treasurer, was sentenced to ten years at Leavenworth. J. A. MacDonald, Seattle, publisher of a radical paper, was sentenced to ten years, while J. T. (Third Rail Red) Doran, a western coast leader, and Harrison George of Pittsburg, whose printed vision of President Wilson and his cabinet in flight before an army of I. W. W.'s was an important factor in the trial, received sentences of seven years each.

How They Accepted Sentence.

Some defendants chuckled as sentence was pronounced; others paled and swayed uncertainly, while still others tried to make their way to wives and other relatives.

Manuel Ray, an organizer of Buffalo, N. Y., who appeared in court yesterday morning wearing a red flag, symbol of the I. W. W., on his coat lapel, had not removed it when called for sentence today. He was among those given twenty years.

Benjamin Fletcher, of Philadelphia, the only colored member on trial, grinned broadly when he was sentenced to ten years. He was being led away when he remarekd: "Judge Landis is using poor English today. His sentences are too long."

The Nation-Wide Conspiracy.

For more than an hour before passing sentence Judge Landis, with sharp direct sentences, reviewed the nation-wide conspiracy against the Government and read excerpts from Haywood's correspondence relative to opposition to the war.

"In light of the evidence before it, the jury had no avenue of escape from a verdict of guilty," said the court.

"I don't mean," said Judge Landis, at another point in his statement, "that the I. W. W. started out deliberately to aid Germany." He added that their acts were an aid to the enemy and were aimed directly at their own country.

HANNA OF C. N. R. TO TAKE CONTROL OF "GOVT." ROAD

Artistic Camouflage To Follow Payment of Ten Millions to Bill and Dan.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, Aug. 30—Having provided that ten million dollars shall be paid Mackenzie & Mann in consideration of which the two railway knights agree to retire from the board of directors, and to let the Government have the stock, the Government now proposes to appoint a new Canadian Northern directorate. It will further glorify that company by placing the entire 14,000 miles of state railways under its corporate control.

A "Dominion Railway Company" is to be formed, and it is stated D. B. Hanna, first vice-president of the Canadian Northern, is to be the chairman. Mr. Hanna indeed is known as Exhibit A of the Canadian Northern, and Canada is to have on the board one official of the Government—not a member of the Government—in order that the camouflage shall be complete, the company will submit to parliament a statement of its revenue and expenditure each year. Such, it is stated, is the Government's new "railway policy."

DRAFT BILL GOES TO WILSON NOW

13,000,000 More Americans Are Subject to Service.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Congress late today enacted the man-power bill, bringing within the army draft all male citizens from 18 to 45 years of age, and sent it to President Wilson for his signature.

It is estimated that 13,000,000 men will be affected by the extension of the age limit.

MORE GREEKS CALLED UP.

ATHENS, Greece, Aug. 30.—A royal decree has been issued calling to the colors recruits of classes of 1900, 1901 and 1902 in Greece and Macedonia.

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MARVELLOUS IMPROVEMENT SEEN IN CROPS OF SASKATCHEWAN

REGINA, Sask., Aug. 30.—Saskatchewan's wheat and oats crops have each improved by at least fifty per cent during the last month, it was officially announced today by the department of agriculture.

Reports received from the field representatives stationed in all parts of the province show that the improvement has been marvellous.

"Each day we get additional information from our field men from all parts of the province," it was announced. "Conditions continue to improve, particularly in the north where the damage from frost is not nearly as extensive as it was first reported. For instance, in the Prince Albert and Melfort districts, as far south as Cudworth, the crops are magnificent with not more than ten per cent damage from frost, and in many instances there is no damage at all.

"The wheat crop has improved by fifty per cent during the last month, and the oat crop has also improved to the same extent, all over the province. It looks as if there will be no difficulty in securing an abundance of seed oats within the province."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The rain of this morning affected the local market, and although many farmers were there, not many Londoners turned out to purchase Sunday eatables. A very large quantity of vegetables, etc., was offered, and some of the farmers had to take home the larger portion of their produce.

Tomatoes took a drop in price, and sold at 40 cents per basket, wholesale, and 50 cents, retail. Eggs also dropped in price and brought 41 cents a dozen for crate lots, and 42 cents per dozen for basket lots. Radishes again appeared this morning and some very choice samples were offered at two bunches for 5 cents. Hay and oats remained firm in price, and not much was offered. All the rest of the produce remained firm.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt	$2 12	to	$2 30
Oats, new, cwt	2 00	to	2 10
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu	2 10	to	2 12
Oats, per bu	92	to	92½
Vegetables—			
Cabbage, per doz., wholesale	50	to	75
Cabbage, each, retail	5	to	8
New potatoes, wholesale, per bu	1 40	to	1 60
New potatoes, retail, per peck	50	to	50
Celery, per doz	45	to	60
Rhubarb, per doz	40	to	45
Peppers, doz., wholesale	15	to	15
Peppers, dozen, retail	20	to	20
Green onions, doz	30	to	40
New beets, doz	35	to	40
Tomatoes, basket retail	80	to	80
Tomatoes, basket, wholesale	40	to	40
Tomatoes, basket	50	to	50
Beans, per qt	6	to	8
Green peas, qt	25	to	30
Radishes, 2 bunches	5	to	5
Beets, dozen	25	to	25
Cauliflowers, dozen, wholesale	50	to	1 50
Cauliflowers, retail, each	10	to	15
Green corn, wholesale, dozen	12½	to	15
Green corn, dozen	20	to	20
Sage, savory, per doz	40	to	40
Green peppers, doz. retail	15	to	15
Green peppers, doz. wholesale	10	to	10
Sweet peppers, 6-qt. bas	1 50	to	1 50
Dry onions, bu	2 00	to	2 00
Pickling onions, 10-quart basket	1 80	to	1 80
Pickling cucumbers, per 100	25	to	25
Pickling cucumbers, 100, retail	40	to	40
Onions, quart	25	to	25
Parsley, doz	40	to	40
Vegetable marrow	5	to	15
Carrots, dozen	25	to	25
Fruits—			
Apples, per bu	75	to	1 00
Plums, 11-q. bas	90	to	1 00
Plums, 11-qt. bas. wholesale	90	to	1 00
Small harvest pears per box	5	to	5
Peaches, 11-qt. bas. wholesale	1 00	to	1 25
Peaches, 11-qt. bas. retail	1 10	to	1 35
Blueberries, box	30	to	30
Blueberries, box	20	to	20
Blueberries, 11-quart basket	2 00	to	2 00
Hay and Straw—			
New hay, ton	14 00	to	16 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	47	to	48
Butter, dairy, lb	45	to	46
Butter, crocks, lb	46	to	46
Eggs, per doz	45	to	45
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	44	to	44
Butter, dairy lb rolls	43	to	43
Butter, crocks, lb	43	to	43
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	41	to	41
Eggs, basket lots, doz	42	to	42
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Spring chickens	80	to	1 10
Chickens, per lb	33	to	35
Spring ducks, dressed	1 10	to	1 40
Ducks, per lb	25	to	28
Geese, per lb	24	to	28
Turkeys, per lb	30	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt	18 50	to	19 00
Fat sows, cwt	16 50	to	16 50
Small pigs, pair	18 00	to	20 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt	26 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt	17 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt	15 00	to	20 00
Heifer beef, cwt	20 00	to	22 00
Lamb, per cwt	30 00	to	32 00
Hides and Wools—			
Wool, washed, lb	70	to	85
Wool, unwashed, lb	60	to	65
Calfskins, per lb	30	to	35
Country hides, lb	11	to	11
City hides, lb	13	to	13

GRAIN.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Opening: Corn—September, $1 54@1 54½; October, $1 56½@1 56¼.

Oats—September, 70¼c; October, 72c.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—The board of trade markets opened quiet today, without notable price changes. Traders mostly adjusted their accounts to be on the safe side over the two-day holiday, Sunday and Labor Day.

Corn opened ⅛c lower to ¼c higher; oats ⅛c to ¼c higher, and the first sales of provisions were unchanged to 12½c lower.

October corn opened at $1 56½@1 56⅛, and October oats at 71⅞@72c. The first hour's fluctuations were within very narrow limits.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, Aug. 31.

Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aug.	$1 54	$1 54¾	$1 52⅞	$1 52¾
Sept.	1 54	1 55¼	1 52¾	1 53½
Oct.	1 56½	1 57⅜	1 54⅝	1 55½
Oats—				
Aug.	69⅞	70¼	69¾	69⅜
Sept.	70¼	70½	69½	69⅝
Oct.	71⅞	72¼	71¼	71⅜

LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 450; slow.

Calves—Receipts, 75; market easier, at $7@20 50, a few at $21.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; strong; heavy, $21@21 20; mixed, $20 20@20 25; yorkers, $21 25@21 30, a few at $21 35; light yorkers, $20 50@20 75; pigs, $20 25@20 50; roughs, $17 50@17 75; stags, $12@15.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600; active and easier; lambs, $10@17 75; others steady and unchanged.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; weak; butchers, $19 20@20 25; light, $19 50@20 30; packing, $18 25@19 25; roughs, $17 75@18 25; pigs, $18 25@19 10.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; compared with a week ago native steers are unevenly strong to 50c higher, the medium and common grades advancing mostly; western steers mostly 50c higher; medium and good butcher cows and heifers unevenly lower; canners strong to 25c higher; calves and stockers and feeders mostly 50c higher.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; arrivals practically all direct; compared with a week ago lambs are 10c to 25c lower; feeding sheep strong.

DAIRY.

Chicago, Augu. 31.—Butter—Creamery extras, 46@46½c; firsts, 43½@45½c; seconds, 41½@43c; standards, 43¾@46c. Eggs, cheese and poultry unchanged.

WALL STREET REVIEW.

New York, Aug. 31.—Money was the paramount factor of the more active week in the stock market, even the stirring war news being wholly subordinated to that issue.

Previous warnings against speculative use of bank loans were supplemented by the statements of the head of the local money pool, which threatened repressive measures in the form of higher rates.

A few market leaders improved upon the previous week's high records, notably United States Steel and other industrials, also C. P. R. and several other high-grade rails.

The vast improvement in the foreign situation was expressed in the strength in exchange on virtually all countries of the Entente Powers, remittances to Paris mounting to highest quotations since the middle of 1915.

It was accepted as more than ordinarily significant that exchange on the neutral countries meanwhile worked steadily in favor of this centre, the movement being associated with recent political developments in Northern Europe and Spain.

The advent of September is expected to bring the impending Liberty Loan to the forefront. Outstanding issues were heavy on large transactions, the 3½'s relinquishing much of their recent advance.

WALL STREET.

New York, Aug. 31.—From its firm but listless opening today, the stock market gradually moved with a moderate increase of operations to higher levels under the impetus of a further inquiry for seasoned rails. Leaders of that division made gains which extended from large fractions to more than a point. Low-priced issues, especially Southern Railway, also displayed greater activity. United States Steel featured the industrials, approximating its best quotation of the year. Other equipments were appreciably higher, also the less prominent specialties, including sugars. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 175,000 shares.

New York, Aug. 31—Wall Street, 10:10 a.m.—Canadian Pacific's loss of a substantial fraction was the only noteworthy exception to the firm opening of today's stock market. Other investment rails were moderately active with standard industrials and specialties.

10:30 a.m.—The week-end session on the stock exchange opened with a firm undertone, but dealings were insignificant. Trading was limited to small lots, and some of the more prominent issues were not quoted at all during the first half-hour. Steel, shippings, Southern Railway and some of the coal-carrying rails were fractionally higher. Canadian Pacific was the only investment issue to register a decline. Liberty bonds hardened a trifle, and foreign bonds retained much of their recent strength.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

New York, Aug. 31.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $55,327,750 in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $4,027,480 from last week.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, Aug. 31.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Baltimore & Ohio	56	56⅜	56	56⅜
Erie, com	15⅜	15¾	15⅜	15¾
Erie, 1st pfd	33	..	..	..
Illinois Central	96½	..	..	..
New Haven	44½	..	..	..
New York Central	74¼	75	74¼	75
Rock Island	26	26⅜	26	26⅜
St. Paul	51¾	51⅞	51¾	51⅞
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com	87⅛	87⅜	87⅛	87⅜
Canadian Pacific	163⅛	164¾	163⅛	164½
Col. Southern	19	..	..	..
Kansas & Texas	54	..	..	..
Louis. & Nash	116	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	24	24⅞	24	24⅞
Northern Pacific	90¼	90½	90¼	90½
Southern Pacific	87½	87¾	87½	87¾
Southern Railway	25½	26⅝	25⅜	26⅝
Southern Ry., pfd	66⅞	..	..	..
Union Pacific	128¼	129	128¼	129
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	58	58¾	58	58¾
Lehigh Valley	60½	60¾	60½	60⅝
Ontario & West	22⅛	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	44	44⅛	43⅞	44⅛
Reading Railway	90½	91	90½	91
Industrials—				
Am. Beet Sugar	70	..	..	..
American Can	47	..	..	..
Am. Locomotive	66⅛	..	..	..
American Sugar	110⅜	111	110⅜	111
Am. Tel. & Tel	98½	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco	93⅛	94	93⅛	93⅞
Central Leather	70	70¼	70	70¼
Corn Products	43⅜	..	..	..
Col. Fuel & Iron	47½	..	..	..
Distillers	58¼	58¾	58¼	58¾
General Electric	146¼	..	..	..
G. Northern Ore	32⅝	32¾	32⅝	32¾
Inter. Nickel	29⅝	29¾	29⅝	29¾
Ice Securities	33	..	..	..
Marine, com	28⅜	28⅝	28⅜	28⅝
Marine, pfd	103¼	103¼	102¾	103
Pacific Mail	32½	..	..	..
U. S. Rubber	63	63¼	63	63¼
Westinghouse	43¾	..	..	..
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper	68¼	68⅜	68	68⅜
Chino Copper	39¾	..	..	..
Inspiration	53½	53½	53⅜	53½
Miami Copper	28⅛	..	..	..
Nevada Con	20⅝	20¾	20⅝	20¾
Ray Consolidated	24⅞	..	..	..
Tennessee Copper	19	..	..	..
Oils—				
Am. Cotton Oil	43	..	..	..
Cal. Petroleum	20⅛	..	..	..
New Mexican	100⅝	100⅞	100½	100⅞
Texas Oil	153¾	..	..	..
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel	85	85¼	84¾	85⅛
Crucible Steel	67¾	68½	67¾	68½
Pressed Steel Car	70¾	71⅛	70¾	71⅛
Republic Iron	92½	92⅞	92½	92⅞
Railway Steel	68¾	..	..	..
Sloss-Sheffield	60⅞	..	..	..
U. S. Steel	110⅜	111¾	110⅜	111¾
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5s	95	..	..	..

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Toronto, Aug. 31—Close.

	Bid.	Asked.
Apex	2½	2¾
Boston Creek	..	20
Dome Mines	8¾	9
Hollinger	480	495
Imperial	12	10½
McIntyre	143	144
Porcupine Crown	11½	..
Porcupine Vipond	11½	13
West Dome	15	18
Adanac	9	9¾
Bailey	3¼	..
Beaver	27¼	27½
Chambers-Ferland	11	13
Coniagas	260	..
Crown Reserve	16	..
Foster	1¾	3
Gifford	1¾	2
Great Northern	2¾	3¼
Hargraves	4¼	4½
Hudson Bay	..	20
La Rose	43¼	44
McKinley	43	44¼
Mining Corporation	460	485
Nipissing Mines	900	905
Seneca-Superior	..	2
Silver Leaf	⅞	1½
Temiskaming	29½	30
Trethewey	25½	27½
Wettlaufer	4½	7½

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Sales: Davidson, 1000 at 33; Dome Extension, 2000 at 14½, 1000 at 14¾, 500 at 15, 1000 at 14¾; McIntyre, 500 at 143, 1400 at 145, 70 at 144; Lake Shore, 500 at 67; New Ray, 1000at 156; Porcupine Crown, 1000 at 12; Teck-Hughes, 5000 at 16; Beaver, 1500 at 27½; Hargraves, 4000 at 4⅝; La Rose, 1050 at 40, 500 at 41, 500 at 42, 1200 at 43, 8800 at 45, 1000 at 44; Mining Corporation, 100 at 275; McKinley, 1000 at 43½; Nipissing, 100 at 895, 100 at 950, 100 at 900, 100 at 900; Ophir, 500 at 6¼, 500 at 6⅛; Peterson Lake, 500 at 9; Rockwood, 1000 at 27½.

POTATOES.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—Potatoes—Receipts, 78 cars; Minnesota Early Ohios, bulk, $1 80@1 90; do, sacks, $2 20@2 25; Wisconsin, bulk, $1 80@2 15; sacks, $2 10@2 25.

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

New York, Aug. 31.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	34.75	35.00	34.45	34.50
December	34.15	34.45	33.94	33.94
January	33.86	34.23	33.70	33.83
March	33.65	34.42	33.40	33.70
May	33.55	34.00	33.48	33.60

BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for the month of August, $277,866,996.

Brantford, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for the month of August, $3,689,693.

Hamilton, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for the month, $22,315,718.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for August, $25,758,244.

Montreal, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for August, $391,761,808.

Halifax, Aug. 31.—Bank clearings for August, $18,557,168.

CASH GRAIN TRADING WITHOUT FEATURE AT WINNIPEG ON FRIDAY

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.—The cash markets were quiet again today, the transactions almost nil. Oats closed ⅛c higher for October and unchanged for December. Flax finished 3½c less expensive for October, 3⅛c down for November and 7c lower for December.

Futures:	Open.	Close.
Oats—		
Oct.	$ 82¼	$ 82½
Dec.	79⅛	79⅛
Flax—		
Oct.	4 07	4 07
Nov.	3 95	3 95
Dec.	3 90	3 89

Cash grain:

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 85½c; No. 3 Canadian western, 80½c; extra No. 1 feed, 81c; No. 1 feed, 79c; No. 2 feed, 75½c.

Barley—No. 3 C. W., $1.05; No. 4 C. W., $1.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $4.22.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 30.—Grain quotations are as follows:

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 85½c; No. 3 Canada western, 80½c, at lake ports for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 76@78c, outside; No. 3 white, 75@77c, outside.

FLOUR

Montreal, Aug. 30.—Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, war grade, $10.95@11.05.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $5.30.

Shorts—$40.

Moullie—$67@68.

HAY

Montreal, Aug. 30.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $15@16.

SIR ROBERT HANDS NEW BLACK ROD TO GENTLEMAN USHER

Premier Brought Gift of Empire Association From England.

OTTAWA, Aug. 30.—Sir Robert Borden today formally handed to Lieut.-Col. Chambers, gentleman usher of the Black Rod, the black rod, which is the gift to Canada of the United Kingdom branch of the Empire Parliamentary Association.

Sir Robert received the black rod while overseas at a gathering attended by the speakers of both Houses of the Imperial Parliament. the black rod replaces the one destroyed in the fire.

MOUNT VESUVIUS AGAIN IN VIOLENT ERUPTION

NAPLES, Thursday, Aug. 29—Mount Vesuvius is in violent eruption for the first time since November last year.

MANY KILLED IN RAIDS.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 30.—Frontier correspondents of the Telegraaf assert that travelers from Germany report heavy damage from recent air raids on towns along the Rhine. Forty persons were killed in the last aerial attack on Cologne, and entire streets in Mannheim were laid in waste.

At Bingen the aniline works were levelled.

HORSEMEN, ATTENTION!

Exeter Fair, September 16 and 17—2:20 trot or pace, purse $200. R. G. Seldon, secretary. Aug.24,31

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September 1-8, 1918

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QUEEN'S PARK, MONDAY, 2 P.M. Bands, track events of all kinds, physical training display, dancing, baby show, vaudeville acts, drawing for prizes.

Free drawing for returned soldiers for four $5 gold pieces. b

GRAND BEND

If you haven't made that trip yet set aside this week-end, where you can enjoy Saturday night dancing; special Sunday concert, Monday (Labor Day), the last holiday of the season. Don't miss, as the lake is at its best for boating, bathing and fishing.

Patriotic Band Concert

Victoria Park, Sunday Evening, September 1st, under auspices Senator Coffey Chapter, I. O. D. E., Marconi Club Band, under leadership Prof. Venuta. Vocal selections by Mr. Chris Pink. Collection for Soldiers' Comforts. b

Victory Bonds

Highest price paid for Victory Bonds. Consult F. B. Clarke, London Stock Exchange, 416 Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce, London, Ont., if you wish to buy or sell Victory and other Government Bonds. Office open Saturday evenings 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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BRUNSWICK TRIO, "THE HARMONY Boys"—Fall fair program, songs, violin specialties, comic. Other artists supplied. W. Spence, 2 Erie avenue. Phone.

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An extra charge of ten cents is made for all transient advertisements that are charged.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

MARRIED.

BRAITHWAITE—ROWAN—In St. Martin's rectory, by Rev. Father Dignan, on Monday, August 26, Elizabeth Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rowan to Frederick R. Braithwaite of Detroit, formerly of London. *b

DIED.

ELLIOTT.—At the parents' residence, 51 Elliott street, on Friday, August 30, 1918, Thorold Teney, infant son of Howard and Olive Elliott, aged 3 months and 11 days.

Funeral from above address on Sunday, September 1, at 3 o'clock, service at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. b

HAWKEY—Killed in action, in France, August 8, 1918, Pte. John Rundle Hawkey of 4th Battalion, formerly sergeant C Company, 135th Battalion, aged 23 years, second son of J. J. Hawkey and the late Mrs. Hawkey of Parkhill, Ont. 74o

ROUTLEDGE—At Hyde Park, Ont., on Saturday, August 31, 1918, William Routledge, in his 78th year.

Funeral will leave his late residence on Monday, September 2, at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Hyde Park. Please omit flowers. b

THOMAS.—On Friday, August 30, 1918, George Thomas, 74 years of age, formerly of Exeter, Ont.

A short service at the home of Mr. A. G. Pearson, 251 Simcoe street, Saturday at 3:30 p.m. Funeral at Exeter on Monday afternoon. b

WALKER—At Ontario, California, on August 28, Thomas Walker Sen., aged 93, beloved husband of Mary Walker and father of Mrs. Aaron Wolf, Maple street, city. Ingersoll papers copy. b

IN MEMORIAM.

HARRIS.—In loving memory of my dear husband, James W. Harris, who died August 31, 1917, aged 22 years.

Oft I think of you, dear husband,
And my heart is filled with pain.
Oh! this earth would be a heaven
Could I but hear your voice again.

Anchored by love, death cannot sever,
Sadly I miss you, and will forever.
Some day, some time, I hope to see
The dear face I hold in sweet memory

Sleep on, dear daddy, and take your rest,
We miss you most that loved you best.
b —His Wife and Little Son.

MEETINGS.

NO. 4 NURSING DIVISION, ST. John Ambulance Brigade, First aid and home nursing classes will be organized on Wednesday next at 8 p.m. b

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY WILL meet in its room next door to the Free Press Sunday evening at 8:30. Miss Helen M. Shaw will speak. All welcome. b

ALL INTERESTED IN THE LABOR movement are invited to meet at Market Square on Sunday, 6:15 p.m., September 1, and parade to St. Andrew's Church, where Rev. D. C. MacGregor will preach. Subject, "An Ancient and a Modern Labor Movement." b

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—PURSE, CONTAINING BIRTH certificate and registration card; name Nathan Coppersmith, 91 Maitland street. Kindly phone 3722. *77c

BETWEEN BANK MONTREAL AND Utilities Building, two 5-dollar bills, by returned soldier. Reward 24 Cartwright. *b

WILL GIRLS PLEASE RETURN UMBRELLA and parasol to 529½ Richmond street? b

LEFT AT PORT STANLEY STATION last Saturday evening, coat and sweater. Reward Advertiser or phone 4129. b

WILL THE PARTY WHO WAS SEEN picking up purse at 373 Queen's avenue on Thursday afternoon kindly return to above address to save further trouble? *76u

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LAST SUNDAY MORNING, ON TRACTION car leaving London at 10, purse, containing money. Liberal reward. Miss Rosa Marvey, 81 Dundas. Phone 5904. *74k

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FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS — 444 Waterloo. Clinics closed during summer months.

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LADY WANTED AS HOUSEKEEPER, to take care of home and child 13 months old; small cottage. Apply 3 Kennon Place, off Wellington road. *76u

BRIGHT SALESLADY—APPLY CANADIAN Smallwares, 136 Dundas street. *76c

SEND A DOMINION EXPRESS Money Order. Five dollars costs three cents. b

GIRLS WANTED TO WORK SATURDAY at booth in fair grounds—Apply G. Geffries, corner Oxford and Adelaide street, or on the grounds Monday; also boys wanted for grandstand. *76c

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once—Apply Grigg House. *76c

HOUSEMAID AND PARLOR-MAID wanted—Apply Lady Beck, "Headley." *76n

MIDDLE-AGED BACHELOR DESIRES housekeeper for the farm. For particulars address Box 25, Marshville. 76i

WANTED—100 GIRLS TO WORK IN knitting mills. All kinds of operations on underwear and hosiery. Good wages paid while learning. Write or phone. Penmans Limited, Paris, Ont. A 31-wty

EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER, with knowledge of stenography and typewriting, for light manufacturing plant. Apply Box 86, Advertiser. 76c

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER for two weeks. Box 85, Advertiser. 76c

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CHOCOLATE PACKERS
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Smart Girls Wanted
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Carling Street Entrance. Sept.9

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Aug. 24 to Oct. 1, at Vineland, Winona, Port Dalhousie, Grimsby, Beamsville, Niagara Falls, at $9 a week, at Y. W. C. A. Camp; board $4.50 a week.
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WANTED — HOUSEKEEPERS TO test wonderful invention and inform their neighbors; tablets that wash clothes absolutely clean without rubbing. Send 10 cents for samples for four washings. Make one dollar an hour. Washing Tablet Distributors, Brantford, Ont. Sept. 14

PARLORMAID WANTED — APPLY Mrs. Gibbons, 257 Dufferin. 63-tf

TOBACCO STRIPPERS WANTED—John McNee & Sons, 381 Clarence street. 75tf

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 24, Sombra—Duties to commence September 3; salary six hundred and fifty dollars. Apply to S. C. McDermid, R. R. No. 2, Tupperville, Ont. 66bu

HELP WANTED

MAKE MONEY AT HOME WRITING show cards. Quickly and easily learned; new, simple method. No canvassing; we sell your work. Big demand. Write today. American Show Card School, Ryrie Building, Yonge and Shuter streets, Toronto, Ont. Sept.30

$5 PRIVATE CHRISTMAS GREETING card sample book free; representatives already making five to ten dollars daily. Bradley-Garretson, Brantford, Ont. Sept. 14

WORK WANTED

WASHINGS WANTED TO TAKE home. 72 High street. 76c

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50 acres in Aldborough Township, Elgin County, close to Muirkirk, 1½-story frame house, 2 good barns, good loam soil. Valued at $3,800. Exchange for house and lot in St. Thomas, Chatham or London.

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50 acres in Aldborough Township, 1 mile to Village of Rodney, good sand-loam soil, fair buildings. Consider exchange for small cottage in London.

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78 Dundas Street, London, Ontario.

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MAITLAND STREET, CENTRAL—Large frame cottage on brick foundation, 7 rooms, in good order, electric light and gas, two verandas; lot 42x121 feet. Price $2,300. Inspect at once.

PRINCESS AVENUE, CLOSE IN—Two-story frame house on brick foundation, 9 rooms, decorated in style, fully modern, corner lot 38x120 feet. Price $5,000. Desirable location.

WHARNCLIFFE ROAD SOUTH—Two-story red pressed brick house, 4 bedrooms, modern verandah, lot 38x150 feet. Price, $3,500.

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$7,500—100 ACRES, OXFORD COUNTY, clay loam, well fenced, brick house, basement barn, water in all buildings. Large fruit orchard. Reduced in price. Brodie, London Loan Block. b

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100 ACRES, WESTMINSTER, $8,000, two-story brick house, basement barn; two other good barns, first-class orchard, some wood, spring creek, rich clay loam. T. A. Faulds, 59 Dundas. 77u-ty

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50 ACRES—$4,200—FOURTEEN MILES from London, five minutes walk from first-class village and school; ten minutes walk from station and high school. Good frame house, first-class basement barn, best of water. Rich sand loam. Some clay loam. T. A. Faulds, 59 Dundas. 73u-yt

143 ACRES IN EAST WILLIAMS, MIDDLESEX COUNTY. Well drained, mixed loam. Frame house, barn, stabling. Good water, orchard, maple and elm woods. For particulars, write James M. Waters, R. R. 7, Parkhill. 1awt-Oct.5

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GENERAL STORE FOR SALE, WITH or without stock or fixtures; dwelling above, all conveniences, hard and soft water, piped upstairs, garage, oilhouse and public shed. In lively village; only two stores. Apply to Box 1, Camlachie. Snap, if sold at once. 49tf

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100 ACRES—2½ MILES FROM BOTHWELL, for sale or exchange for house and lot in London. James Will, R. R. No. 5, Bothwell, Ont. Aug.31,Sep.7,14

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST 200-ACRE farms in Lobo, three miles northeast of Komoka and one and a half miles west of Lobo Village, one and a half miles from cheese factory, 12 miles from London. This farm cannot be beat for grass or grain. The buildings are nearly all new and in good repair; a cement 8-roomed cottage, a cement horse stable 24x36, frame over, cattle houses for 50 head, a frame barn 56x36, a cement block implement house, a new frame piggery, also other buildings, all fenced with Page fencing and 175 acres now in grass; there is firewood to last 10 years, also three never-failing bricked-up wells. Price $13,000; cash down $2,000, balance to suit purchaser at 5 per cent, or will take in lieu of the cash down a security on other farm property will be taken for five years. If not sold at once this farm will be rented. Apply to Joseph Lawrence, R. R. 4, Komoka, Ont. b

19 ACRES, 10-ROOM HOUSE, GOOD barn, ground all workable. Apply to Thos. Broadhurst, Sarnia road, West London. 77k

80 ACRES, 5 MILES FROM LONDON market, soil clay loam, first-class buildings, railroad station a few rods away. This is one of the best located farms in the county. Currie & Tull, 418 Talbot street. 77u

TEN ACRES, GOOD BUILDING, ORCHARD, etc. First-class land. About five minutes from car. Apply W. V. Doupe, R. R. No. 3, or on premises, Sarnia road, West London. b

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FOR SALE—NEW HOUSE, EIGHT rooms; great bargain, needing money; on car line. Phone 4596. b

$1,000 DOWN, BALANCE AT 5 PER cent—Solid 2-story brick, 5 bedrooms, combination hot-water heating, modern conveniences, garden and lawn; immediate possession. Apply to John Dearness, corner Maitland and Piccadilly, or telephone 3295. 77c-tzy

Modern Brick Cottage

No. 14 Gerrard street. All conveniences. Reduced to $2,500. Immediate possession, owner leaving city.

Apply R. H. SMITH,
191 Wharncliffe Road South. Phone 2998 77g

$3,200—NEW RED PRESSED BRICK bungalow, newly decorated, 3 bedrooms, one downstairs. Choice district, south. T. A. Faulds, 59 Dundas. 77u-ty

1½-STORY BRICK HOUSE ON Queen's avenue, thoroughly modern. Price $3,500. 2-story brick on Princess avenue, $3,000. $300 down. 1½-story frame, $1,200. $200 down. Currie & Tull, 418 Talbot street. 77u

SPECIAL BARGAINS—108 MARLEY Place, brick cottage, 7 rooms, modern, furnace, good shape, splendid location. Reduction $350. Get particulars. 582 Piccadilly street, 6-roomed, all modern, red brick, good shape, splendid lot, central location. Reduced for quick sale. Call for particulars. 3 first-class, 7 rooms, red brick, fully modern, $3,000 to $5,000. $15,000, beautiful home, reduced $4,000 for quick sale. 6 splendid cottages, modern, semi-modern, from $1,500 to $2,500. 6 large and small homes to rent; 5 summer cottages at Port Stanley for sale. List your properties with me. I have buyers. Special attention to owners and buyers. Sam D. Campbell, Bank of Nova Scotia Chambers, 420 Richmond. b

$100 DOWN, $15 MONTHLY—$1,750 story-and-a-half frame house, Salisbury street, near military camp. Bert Weir, 493 Adelaide. *76c

8-ROOM BRICK HOUSE, LARGE LOT, hen house, garage, fruit, $2,000. Terms, $300 or more cash, balance easy terms. On car line. Must be sold. Box 87, Advertiser. 76c

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$100 DOWN, $15 MONTHLY—$1,350, frame cottage, Inkerman street, near McClary's foundry. Bert Weir, 493 Adelaide. *76c

BARGAINS—THREE COTTAGES, OXFORD, King, Dufferin avenue. Easy payments. Also store, dwelling. Sutherland, Corner Talbot and Dundas, second floor, London House. 71k-tzxt

$100 DOWN, $14 MONTHLY—$1,750, brick cottage, Salisbury street, east end, hydro, gas, water, 3 bedrooms. Bert Weir, 493 Adelaide. *76c

NO. 12 ELMWOOD AVENUE

Two-story modern house, red pressed brick, new painting and decorations, $3,600; easy payments, $50 down, $10 per month, buys 4-room cottage, Brisco street, city water. Price $950. Craig street, 2-story brick, divided for three families, $3,000.

To Let—Elmwood avenue, partly modern house.

Apply R. H. SMITH, 191 Wharncliffe road south. Phone 2998. 71g

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

City Property.

$100 DOWN, $13 MONTHLY—$1,650, brick cottage, Florence street, near McCormick's factory, east end, 3 bedrooms, hydro, water. Bert Weir, 493 Adelaide. *76c

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$100 DOWN, $15 MONTHLY—$1,750, story-and-half brick, almost new, 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, hydro, gas, water, furnace, Egerton street south. Bert Weir, 493 Adelaide. *76c

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REAL ESTATE WANTED.

I HAVE CASH CLIENTS FOR THE following: Two-story modern brick, 3 to 4 bedrooms, north or northeast, $4,000 to $5,000; modern brick cottage or small house, north, about $3,000; modern brick cottage, south; first-class modern brick residence, not less than 5 bedrooms, large lot, central or north, $10,000 to $14,000. If you want a quick sale list your property with me. I have buyers. No charge unless I effect a sale. T. A. Faulds, 590 Dundas. 75u-wt

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DR. J. E. KIDD, OFFICE AND residence, corner Dundas and Maitland. Phone 889.

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DR. G. L. CLARKE—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat. 395 Dundas street.

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DR. W. M. SHOEBOTHAM, 620 RICHMOND, corner of Hyman. Specialty, surgery, diseases of women.

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DR. D. H. ARNOTT, 226 QUEEN'S avenue, in addition to regular practice, will give special treatment for cure of liquor and drug habits.

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DR. W. J. STEVENSON, 389 DUNDAS street—Specialty, diseases of women and surgery. Phone 510.

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ONE McLAUGHLIN, 6-CYLINDER, model 45; 1 McLaughlin, 4-cylinder, roadster, model 25, self-starter, etc.; 1 Chevrolet, 5 passenger; 1 Chevrolet, 1918, chassis complete. Terry, 150 Fullarton street. *77n

SEVEN-PASSENGER FOR SALE, almost good as new. Address Box 426, London. b

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50 Head Scotch and Scotch-topped Shorthorns,
TUESDAY, SEPT 17, 1918
at Tregenna Stock Farm

3 miles south of Glencoe, at 1:30. Fourteen cows with calves at foot, 8 heifers, 2 years old, coming in; 8 heifers, yearling, open; 7 bulls, about 1 year old, and the stock bull, Pride of Tregenna, No. 100203, by imported Pride of Scotland, No. 45203, will also be sold. Will Johnston, Shorthorn World Fieldman, will be present.

In the offering are some of the most noted families that can be found in the breeding circle.

Lunch will be served and trains met for those coming a distance. Remember the date. Write for catalogue.

CAPT. T. E. ROBSON, Auctioneer.
TRESTAIN & HENDERSON, Proprietors.
Aug.31,Sept.7

AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, September 4, at 379 Eva street, for Mr. J. Maize, odd pieces, dandy bed couch, rockers, tables, splendid rug, carpets, Morris chair, combination buffet china cabinet, extension table, diners, desk, 2 bedrooms complete Jewel cook stove, Jewel heater, glass-topped cupboard, gas oven, dishes, glassware, utensils, sealers, lot of other useful articles. Come. Giving up housekeeping. Extra good sale. Starts 2 o'clock sharp. John Lightfoot & Son, Auctioneers, offices 694 Dundas street, and 101 King street. b

GARBAGE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF LONDON
NOTICE

For the information of the Householders within the Garbage Area of the City of London and for the purpose of increasing the efficiency and reducing the cost of Garbage Collection, the regulations governing the collection of garbage, ashes and refuse are herewith given and householders are requested to do their utmost to assist the Department by complying strictly with these regulations, as in future no garbage, ashes or refuse will be removed unless in accordance therewith:

1. The owner, tenant or occupant of every store, house and building requiring the removal of garbage within the "Garbage Area" must provide watertight, metal, covered can of approximately two cubic feet capacity and place or cause to be placed therein, the garbage and household refuse accumulating on the premises.

2. All domestic and restaurant garbage must be wrapepd in paper before being placed in the can.

3. No liquid matter is to be placed in the can.

4. No stones, bricks or other building materials will be collected and cans containing such materials although also containing garbage will not be emptied.

5. Commercial and business refuse, cut grass and garden refuse and ashes if dry and not frozen will be removed if placed in boxes or cans of convenient size for handling and weighing not more than 50 pounds when full.

6. Tin cans, bottles, crockery and other non-combustible articles must be placed with the ashes and not with the garbage.

7. Cans and boxes to be emptied must be placed on the premises in a position most handy for the collector. Collectors are not permitted to enter houses or any part of any house for the removal of garbage, ashes or refuse.

8. No remuneration of any description must be offered, given to or received by the collectors for services given by them.

9. Ashes must at all times be kept separate from the garbage.

10. During the period between May 1 and October 15, garbage will be collected twice weekly and the ashes when necessary. During the period between October 15 and May 1 garbage will be collected once weekly and ashes once weekly.

11. Where there is a vicious dog on the premises necessary protection must be given the collector during the removal of garbage, ashes, etc.

12. All acts of inattention on the part of employees or neglect to remove garbage, etc., should be immediately reported to the Superintendent, phone 37, care being taken to give full details of the cause of the complaint.

13. Your hearty co-operation is required, so that the work may be placed and maintained upon an efficient basis.

14. Help the collectors and they will help you.

15. Remember to treat the collectors as you would have them treat you.

C. R. SOMERVILLE, Mayor.
H. A. BRAZIER, City Engineer.
London. Ont., Aug. 20, 1918. Aug.31

SECOND INSTALMENT OF CITY TAXES
Payable by August 31, 1918

Taxpayers are hereby notified that the Second Installment of taxes for the year 1918 is due and payable on or before August 31, 1918.

FIVE PER CENT will be added immediately after August 31 to the amount of the second installment of taxes unpaid after due date.

OFFICE HOURS:
August 28, 29, 30 and 31, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.; other work days, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

R. C. TURNER, Tax Collector.
Aug.24,27,29,30,31

MORTGAGE SALE

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction by D. H. Porter, Esquire, at his rooms, No. 110 Dundas street, in the City of London, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 14th day of September, 1918, a desirable property situated in Argyle Park and described as Lot Number Forty-eight in the Township of London, according to Plan Number 485.

This property consists of a white brick house on Churchill street, and is just south of Dundas street and about five minutes' walk from the east end of the Dundas street car line, in what is known as Argyle Park. This property being outside the city limits, the taxes are very low, and it is convenient to all the east end factories.

TERMS—Ten per cent of purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, and the balance to be paid on the 20th day of September, 1918.

Further terms and conditions made known on day of sale or upon application to U. A. Buchner, 426 Talbot street, London, Solicitor for Vendor, or D. H. Porter, Auctioneer, 110 Dundas street, London. Aug.31,Sep.7,10

USED CARS FOR SALE.

BARGAINS IN ROADSTERS

FORD WITH AN EXTRA TIRE
McLAUGHLIN D-62, SIX-CYLINDER, EXTRA TIRE AND BUMPER

McLaughlin Carriage Co., Ltd., London 75u

COOPER'S AUCTIONS

TONIGHT
374 DUNDAS STREET.

Complete contents of large, well-furnished home, removed to my rooms for convenient sale, comprising of parlor, den, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen household effects. Something of everything. A sale well worth attending.

SALE AT 7:30 P.M.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD
426 PRINCESS AVENUE.

MRS. M. SMITH HAS INSTRUCTED ME TO DISPOSE OF HER NICELY FURNISHED HOME OF GOOD, CLEAN FURNISHINGS: Rockers, chairs, large rugs, hall rack, electric reading lamp, mirror, curtains, blinds, pictures, book rack, books, fancy table, carpets, plenty of good linoleum, lamps, hockey skates, tables and chairs, dishes, glassware, modern dressers, iron beds, springs, mattresses, quilts, toiletware, stretcher, Clark Jewel Cabinet gas range with kitchen heater (just new), mower, sealers, kitchen goods, etc. Don't fail to attend this large sale.

SALE AT 10 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH.
39 AND 45 EMERY STREET.
(Near Wreay Street.

HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO SELL COMPLETE CONTENTS OF THESE TWO HOMES. In part: Evans' Bros. Cabinet Grand Upright piano, large new Axminister rug, parlor tables, rockers and chairs, plants, pictures, linoleum square, 15 volumes E. P. Roe's Works, beautiful fumed oak dining suite, buffet, round pedestal table and diners, dishes, glassware, sideboard, good linoleum, blinds, dressers, iron bed, springs, mattresses, child's crib, child's high chair, Rival Oak heater, Royal range, Favorite range, cupboard, cut wood, screens, screen doors, chicken coop, stone jars, tubs, boiler, mower, garden tools, kitchen tables, chairs, and goods, etc. You will find many choice pieces you have been looking for in these sales. Take Ridout South car.

SALE AT 10 A.M.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH.
312 WOLFE STREET.

MRS. (DR.) C. H. ZIEGLER HAS INSTRUCTED ME TO DISPOSE OF HER NICELY FURNISHED HOME OF HIGH-CLASS HOUSE FURNISHINGS. In part: Solid mahogany combination secretaire bookcase, large oak bookcase, couch, easy chairs, lady's desk, walnut table, birdseye maple tea table and chairs, leather couch, small Chesterfield, oak rockers, best of (green) Wilton carpets, Death of Nelson engraving, pictures, books, electric reading lamp, games, walnut hall rack, beautiful massive quartered oak dining-room suite, buffet, table, server, and six leather seated diners (best suite this year), dishes, glassware, just new linoleum, extra fine quartered oak bedroom suite, dresser, chiffonier stand and bed, oak dressers, enamelled beds, springs, hair mattresses, toiletware, folding cot, small refrigerator, table cabinets, carpenter's bench and lathe, kitchen chairs and goods, etc. Extra good sale of choicely selected household effects. You should attend this grand sale.

SALE AT 10 A.M.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 5TH.
374 DUNDAS STREET.

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF CHOICE HOUSE FURNISHINGS. Something for every room in your house. Plenty of goods. Come to this evening sale.

SALE AT 7:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.
572 HILL STREET.

COMPLETE CONTENTS OF THIS WELL-FURNISHED HOME. In part: leather rocker, parlor chairs, tables and rockers, hall seat and mirror, massive davenport, easy chairs, Morris chair, book rack, books, leather couch, carpets, oil paintings, pictures, large electric dome, rope curtains, sweeper, quartered oak combination china cabinet and buffet, dining table and diners, dishes, glassware, fancyware, linoleum, dressers, iron beds, springs, mattresses, toiletware, Souvenir range, Radiant Home baseburner, kitchen cabinet, oval dining table, gas range, screen doors, cut wood, mower, wringer, tubs, boiler, steps, kitchen goods, etc. A good large, clean sale of up-to-date furnishings. Come.

SALE AT 10 A.M.

C. N. COOPER,
Auctioneer and Valuator,
374-378 Dundas St. Phone 1332. b

SEALED TENDERS

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 2 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 3rd day of September, 1918, for the Construction of the Munro Creek Municipal Drain, in the township of Delaware. Plans and specifications may be seen on applying to the Municipal Clerk.

J. H. MATTHEWS,
Township Clerk, Delaware P. O.
Delaware, Aug. 10, 1918. 68n-xvtywt

AUCTION SALE

Tuesday, September 3, at 897 Princess avenue, for Mrs. Walker, 3-piece suite, rugs, tables, rockers, mats, glass-topped cupboard, diners, fall-leaf table, contents 2 bedrooms complete, good range, splendid heater, gas oven, dishes, utensils, sealers galore, copper boiler, old brass kettle, garden tools, other useful articles. Come. Giving up housekeeping. Sale starts at 2 o'clock. John Lightfoot & Son, Auctioneers. Phone 2066. b

LEGAL CARDS.

J. M. McEVOY, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, Robinson Hall Chambers. Money to loan.

GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS—Barristers, etc., Imperial Bank Building. Sir George Gibbons, K.C.; Fred Harper; George S. Gibbons.

T. W. SCANDRETT, BARRISTER, solicitor, notary. Money to loan. 98 Dundas street.

McKILLOP, MURPHY & GUNN—OAK HALL BUILDING

PURDOM & PURDOM—DOMINION SAVINGS BUILDING. First Floor, corner of Richmond and King streets.

MACPHERSON & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors. Money to loan. Robinson Hall Chambers.

TENNENT & TENNENT, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries public. Money to loan. 78 Dundas. D. H. Tennent, Gordon H. Tennent.

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BRIGHT SUMMER SERVICES.
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Sunday school after morning service.

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Askin St. Methodist Church

Rev J. T. Cosby Morris, B.A., B.D.
80 Askin Street.

The pastor has returned from vacation and will preach at both services. Subjects: 11 a.m.—"Future Needs and Their Supply." 7 p.m.—"The Need of the Present." Strangers welcome at all services.

Centennial Methodist Church

Rev. H. T. Ferguson.

The pastor will preach at both services. Mr. Bert Weir, organist.

Colborne Street METHODIST CHURCH

10 a.m.—Fellowship Service.
11 a.m.—"OUR SAILORS."
7 p.m.—"LABOR DAY."
Lord's Supper at morning service.
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Dr. Barber at all services.

DUNDAS CENTRE

Rev. W. E. Pescott, Pastor.

Rev. Dr. William Sparling

of Centenary Church, Hamilton, will preach at both services.

Sunday school, 2:45. Good music. All welcome.

Empress Avenue METHODIST CHURCH.

SERVICES AS USUAL.

First Methodist Church

PASTOR:
Rev. R. G. Peever, D.D.
PREACHER.

11 a.m.—"An After-Holiday Message or Helpfulness and Encouragement."

3 p.m.—Sunday school, Wesley Hall.

7 p.m.—"Sailors' Week, or Our Duty to the Men on Sea."

Church choir and soloists. Mr. A. D. Jordan, organist.

Hale Street Methodist Church

Rev. B. Snell, Pastor.
10 a.m.—Fellowship.
11 a.m.—Subject, "Labor Day."
3 p.m.—The church school.
7 p.m.—Subject, "Modern Taskmasters."

Hyatt Ave. Methodist Church

Rev. G. McKinley, B.D., Pastor.

Sailors' Day services. 11 a.m.—The pastor. 7 p.m.—The pastor. Sailors' Day offerings at both services.

Memorial Methodist Richmond St. Sherwood Ave

Sunday School Anniversary. Preacher, Pte. (Rev. A. E. Millson, B.A. 10:30 a.m., "Christ, the Friend of Boys and Girls"; 7 p.m., "The Christian in the World." Special musical selections. All church friends urged to be present. Miss H. Powell, organist. Miss Irene Bartlet, soloist.

Ridout St. Methodist Church

Rev. J. E. Holmes, Pastor.

11—"Kings and Priests." Communion and reception of new members.
7—Rev. Walter Rigsby.
Sunday school and Bible classes at 3. Full choir. Mrs. W. R. Court, organist.

Wellington St. Meth. Church

Rev. W. J. Ashton, B.D., Pastor.

Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Sunday school at 2:45. The pastor has returned from his vacation and will occupy the pulpit at both services. Good music. All welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Percy King, musical directors.

PRESBYTERIAN

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REV. JOHN ELDER, PASTOR.
11 a.m.—"Kept From Falling."
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Hamilton Road Presbyterian

J. R. Laverie, Pastor.
Morning—"The Church Laborer."
Evening—"To Labor Is to Preach."

First Presbyterian Church

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Rev. W. J. Knox, Minister.
Labor Sunday.
11 a.m.—"None Liveth to Himself."
7 p.m.—"Sharing in the World's Work."

King St. Presbyterian Church

W. R. MacIntosh, Minister.

Labor Day sermons. 11 a.m.—"The Happy Land of Labor." 7 p.m.—In reply to Dr. Russell Conwell, "Looking for Diamonds in the Wrong Place." The minister at both services.

Knox Church

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Rev. D. C. MacGregor, B.A.

11 a.m.—Subject, "Christ in the Heart," the Minister.

Junior Congregation—"How We Got Our Bible."

7 p.m.—Subject, "An Ancient and a Modern Labor Movement," the Minister.

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ANGLICAN

Cathedral St. Paul's

Rector, Rev. L. Norman Tucker, M.A., D.C.L. 1st September, Labor Sunday. The services and sermons will be in keeping with the occasion. Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. and at morning service. Morning service, 11; evening service, 7. Preacher, morning and evening, the rector.

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SERVICES AS USUAL.

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Egerton St. Baptist Church

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Services, 11 and 7. Pastor will preach both morning and evening.
Sunday School, 3 p.m.

London South Baptist Church

Pastor, Rev. W. M. Walker.
11 a.m.—The pastor.
3 p.m.—Sunday school.
7 p.m.—Rev. G. W. Young, B.A.
All welcome.

Maitland St. Baptist Church

Rev. J. M. Norton, Pastor.

Labor Sunday, September 1st. Morning worship, 11 a.m.—"God's Thought of Labor." Communion service. Evening worship, 7 p.m.—"A Message to the Building Trade." The pastor will preach at both services.

Talbot Street Baptist Church

Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., Pastor.
11 a.m.—"God's Fellow-Workers." Communion at close.
3 p.m.—Sunday school.
7 p.m.—"Christ and the Workingman."
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MISCELLANEOUS

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7 p.m. study: "The New Creation."
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Gospel Address at 7 p.m., by
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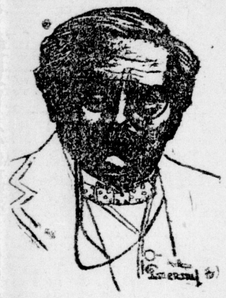
At the outbreak of war Britain possessed 10,000 ships. Addition of the fishing fleet brought the number to 13,000. Three hundred thousand British and foreign sailors manned these ships, of which 15,000 have paid the supreme penalty of courage opposed by superior force and diabolical methods of warfare. Thrice that number of widows and children are the poorer for the loss of their breadwinners.

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TREASURE BOX ADS IN ADVERTISER LEAD TO STRATFORD COURT

Police Chief Brings Newspaper Before Magistrate.

FINE OF $50 IMPOSED

Court Declines to Agree With Crown on Nominal Penalty.

For publishing the advertisements of the London merchants in connection with the recent Dollar Day, in which reference was made to the "Treasure box" The London Advertiser Company was summoned yesterday morning before the police magistrate of Stratford.

Information was laid by the Stratford chief of police under a section of the code which forbids the publishing of information regarding a game of chance conducted to induce the sale of goods. The Stratford chief claimed that the "treasure box" constituted a game of chance, and he took advantage of The Advertiser's large circulation to drive home his point.

The Advertiser appeared through its solicitor, F. H. Thompson, K.C., of Stratford, and entered a plea of not guilty in order to place the evidence on record. The chief of police produced copies of The Advertiser containing the advertisements in question, which were filed with the court. Mr. Thompson then withdrew his former plea and entered a plea of guilty, explaining to the court that his client had come to the conclusion that a mistake had been made in publishing the advertisements. While the publishers were legally guilty he did not think they were morally guilty. Other newspapers had printed the same advertisements under the same conditions, and he suggested to the court that a nominal fine would serve the purpose of the act.

Crown Attorney McPherson indorsed the view that a nominal fine would be sufficient.

The magistrate stated that he hardly knew what would constitute a nominal fine in such a case. The maximum penalty, he said, was two years imprisonment and $2,000 fine. He concluded by imposing a fine of $50 and costs, a total of $59.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Miss Irene Foster, 503 St. James' street, will commence the fall term teaching piano and history, Monday, September 16. 75c

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Graduate of Western University Leaves Today for Rochester, Minn.

The signal honor of being appointed first assistant to the first surgeon at the famous Mayo Brothers Hospital in Rochester, Minn., has been bestowed upon a leading surgeon of London and a graduate of the Western Medical College, Dr. Norman H. Beal.

Dr. Beal leaves today for Rochester, having accepted the appointment for a year, with intentions of returning to resume his practice here at the end of that time. Last evening a farewell banquet was tendered him at the Tecumseh House by a number of associates in the medical profession and other friends.

Following his graduation from the Western Medical College, Dr. Beal, who



DR. NORMAN H. BEAL.

is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Beal of this city, took post-graduate work in London, England, before establishing himself in a practice here. Indefatigable student, he has also from time to time taken post-graduate work in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston and New York, and is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

When first approached in regard to the appointment in Rochester, Dr. Beal felt that he could not consider leaving his large practice for that length of time. It is understood it has been made well worth his while to do so. Dr. Beal is not only prominent in medical work, but also in literary circles in London, and is possessed of exceptional force and originality as a lecturer. He has been prominently associated with the London Child Welfare Association, and his removal to Rochester will mean necessity for appointment of a convener of the milk depots committee.

LONDON TO "GO OVER TOP" IN CAMPAIGN FOR ARMY HUTS FUND

Organization Meeting Held Last Night.

MASS MEETING SUNDAY

Work To Be Under Auspices of Knights of Columbus—Committees Chosen.

London is going to go "over the top" with a bang in its efforts to raise its share of the $200,000 required from Ontario in the Dominion-wide campaign for funds for army huts in England and France that is being conducted under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus for the Catholic Army Huts Association.

That was plainly evident last night in the keenness and enthusiasm that pervaded the largely-attended organization meeting for the campaign held at the K. of C. hall, Ridout street.

Need Well Known.

Little need be said in explaining the cause for which the funds are being raised. Few people are ignorant of the work that is being done for the boys in khaki of all races and creeds without distinction by the Catholic Army Huts Association in the camps of England and behind the lines in France.

Side by side with the huts operated by the Anglican Church, the Salvation Army, and the Y. M. C. A. are built the houses of the Catholic Army Huts Association, and their work is done for all without "fear and favor."

Canada's Share Small.

Last year in the United States during a similar campaign, $13,000,000 was raised. This has proved inadequate for the needs of the men, and another is being started for $50,000,000. In view of this, the objective of the campaign in Canada, seems small when placed at $500,000.

Preliminary arrangements were made at the meeting last night for the big job in hand. The campaign in London will be put on between September 13 to 23, and a general canvass of the city will be made at that time.

At last night's meeting Lieut.-Col. Coles was chosen chairman of the central committee, while J. F. Hickey will head the organization committee. The publicity committee will be under the guidance of E. J. Carty, and the finance committee will be in the hands of John V. Givins. The various women's organizations will be asked to lend their assistance to the cause.

Everyone is Invited.

On Sunday evening, September 1st, an open mass meeting will be held at 8:30 o'clock in St. Peter's Auditorium, to which everyone is invited. There the ball will be set rolling, and the objects of the campaign explained by John P. Dunn, organized for the campaign for Ontario. Other prominent speakers will address the meeting. A musical program will also be provided.

The Nova Scotia branch of the campaign is already completed, and Mr. Dunn, who only recently returned from there, states that $115,000 was raised in that province.

NURSING SISTER GIVEN PRESENTATION

INGERSOLL, Aug. 30.—On behalf of the Daughters of the Empire, Soldiers' League, and other friends, the presentation of a purse of gold was made to Nursing Sister M. C. Kennedy of this town, who expects to leave soon for another trip overseas. Miss Kennedy went overseas with the first contingent and has served both in France and England. She was home two years ago on a short furlough and again returned here about ten days ago.

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Visitors to London Show To See Exhibit.

INTEREST IN CLINICS

Association Expresses Regret at Death of President Sir George Gibbons.

The Child Welfare movement will be brought before visitors to the Western Fair through a booth for which plans were made at a meeting of the executive of the London Child Welfare Association held on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. P. T. Robinson, recording secretary, with Col. Gartshore, was appointed a committee, with Miss B. Smith, the recently-appointed Child Welfare nurse; Miss Friend, public health nurse; Mrs. G. Wilson, Mrs. Gemmill and Miss Isobel C. Armstrong, to make arrangements. These were empowered to add to their numbers.

Mrs. Robinson is getting in touch with the Toronto Exhibition immediately with regard to the possibility of securing some of the Child Welfare exhibits there for the Western Fair.

Deep Regret Expressed.

After less than six months of organization, the Child Welfare Association finds itself without a president, owing to the death of Sir George Gibbons, for whose loss deep regret was expressed by the members of the executive yesterday. Further, the offices of first and second vice-president are vacant on account of the removal from the city of Mrs. H. W. Hill and Dr. S. J. Radcliffe. The third vice-president, D. H. McDermid, presided, and was made convener of a nominating committee to report to the quarterly meeting of the association in September, concerning the filling of these vacancies, and also three others on the executive.

Associated with Mr. McDermid on the committee are Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. C. E. Wheeler, Mrs. A. C. Joseph, Rev. Dr. Tucker and Dr. Tillman. Considerable time was devoted to discussion, regarding the promotion of close co-operation between the Child Welfare Association, the Children's Aid, the mothers' clubs and all organization working for Child Welfare.

The association already has co-operation with other societies' committees, and the importance was emphasized of "interlocking" activities to prevent overlapping.

Interest Being Maintained.

A report indicated that interest is being maintained in the weekly clinic held at Victoria Hospital under the auspices of the association. Some seventeen children were taken there by their mothers this week. Miss Smith, the Child Welfare nurse, who has been making a thorough study of methods in Toronto and Hamilton during the past month, assumes her duties in the city on September 1. The committee to whom the selection of the nurse was left will arrange for an office for her.

Col. Gartshore reported that a prominent London man who is deeply interested in all that affects child welfare has recently presented to the association a check for $50 for the work it is undertaking.

The quarterly meeting will take place the third Wednesday in September.

PICTURES, EXHIBITS AND SHOWS ARE PILING IN

Western Fair This Year Will Eclipse All Records.

Telegrams received by Secretary Hunt of the Western Fair make it look as though this is to be the greatest year in the history of London's popular exhibition. From the National Gallery at Ottawa comes word that the splendid loan exhibit of pictures will be shipped today. Some idea of the merit of these fine works of art may be gathered when it is said that the amount of insurance upon them reaches well on to $10,000.

Midway-lovers and fans will be gratified to know that a wire from Henry Meyerhoff today gives positive assurance that an excellent midway is now en route for the fair, and the advance guard arrives in the city this afternoon. Roy Weaver, in charge of the Dominion Government exhibit of domestic science, which embraces a practical demonstration of war-time cooking, will be on hand early next week arranging his culinary department for the inspection of London's critical housewives.

A very large exhibit of automobiles, tractors and machinery is already on the grounds and overflowing its allotted space. The demonstration of machinery in motion this year promises to be of unusual interest to city folk and farmers alike. Unusual interest is being shown in the cheese department this year, stimulated, no doubt, by the extra prizes donated by the Bank of British North America. The new subway is now completed and is bound to prove a valuable acquisition to the grounds and a great convenience to car owners and drivers.

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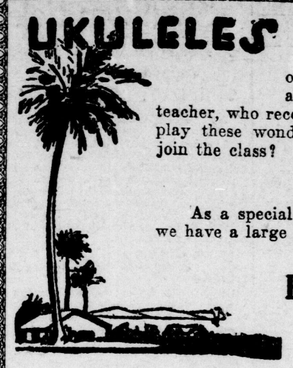
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FORMER PROMINENT EXETER RESIDENT DIES IN THIS CITY

George Thomas, a prominent resident of Exeter for 50 years, previous to his coming to make his home in London four years ago, died at Victoria Hospital on Friday afternoon after a short illness. Mr. Thomas was in his usual health until a week ago, when he was taken severely ill with intestinal trouble.

Owing to his advanced age, the doctors considered an operation a great risk, only to be undertaken as a last resort. The patient failing to improve, he decided to have an operation, which was performed on Thursday afternoon. After regaining consciousness, he appeared to rest more comfortably than before, though no hopes were entertained for his recovery. He recognized the relatives who were with him until almost the end, passing peacefully away.

Short Service Here.

A short service will be conducted this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence of A. J. Pearson, 251 Simcoe street, a brother-in-law, with whom Mr. Thomas made his home here. The remains will be taken to Exeter at 4:40 o'clock, where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from the residence of C. T. Brooks, also a brother-in-law, to the Exeter Cemetery. Rev. W. J. Ashton of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, of which Mr. Thomas was a devoted member, will conduct the service both here and in Exeter.

George Thomas was born in Cornwall, England, in 1844, coming to Cobourg at 17 years of age. His father was killed in the American Civil war. Removing to Exeter some 50 years ago, he was married in 1890 to Emily Taylor of that town, a sister of Mrs. A. J. Pearson of this city. Mrs. Thomas died in February, 1914, Mr. Thomas coming to London shortly after.

Made Many Friends.

Though only a resident of this city a short time he made a wide circle of friends, including the whole neighborhood, in which he lived. Men, women and little children learned to know and to love the kindly man. His pride and delight was in his garden which afforded him many an hour of exercise and enjoyment. The central interest of his life, outside of his own family, was his church, both in Exeter and later in London.

Keenly interested in religious, educational and welfare movements, he took advantage of the opportunities afforded in the city to follow up these watching closely the progress of the war, it was his great desire that he might live to see it through.

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