

Italians Still Stem Austrian Drive

Enormous Damage Done in Incendiary Fire at Baltimore

New German Chancellor Likely to Prove Unpopular

Kerensky Bans Death Penalty in Russ Army

British Hold All Gains From Yesterday's Thrust

BRITISH IN CONTROL OF GROUND WON

DEATH PENALTY IN RUSSIA REVOKED

HEAVY DAMAGE IN INCENDIARY FIRE

CADORNA IN A POSITION TO HALT FOE

Enemy Attempted no Counter-Attacks Against Haig's Gains Last Night

Extreme Punishment is Forbidden by Premier--Cossacks Have Voice in Trial of Korniloff

ASK PEOPLE OF CANADA TO UNITE FOR SUPREME NATIONAL PURPOSE

Five Million Dollar Blaze on the Piers at Baltimore--Several Seamen Believed to Have Been Lost

Confidence in Italian Military Circles Over Situation To-day

RAIDS ON PRUSSIA

By Courier Leased Wire

By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Oct. 31.—The following official statement was issued to-day: "On behalf of the government the prime minister desires to emphasize the considerations set forth in his public announcement of October 25."

By Courier Leased Wire. Baltimore, Md., Oct. 31.—A disastrous fire, which wrecked two of the finest of the Baltimore and Ohio Terminal Piers at Locust Point, spread to a British steamship, which had just docked and caused it to burn and sink with the probable loss of four of its crew, broke out here last night and was not under control at about 3 o'clock this morning.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 31.—Confidence that Gen. Cadorna will be able to hold his own in Italy is shown by the Russian capture of Udine. It is pointed out that the Austro-Hungarian drive, according to news received in Italy, is as much political as military.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 31.—The Germans made no attempt during the night to regain the ground won yesterday by the British on the Ypres front.

Petrograd, Oct. 31.—The newspaper, Rabotchnaya Gazeta reproduces the text of a telegram sent by Premier Kerensky, prohibiting until further orders, the carrying out of the death sentences at the front.

By Courier Leased Wire. Petrograd, Oct. 31.—The request of the Siberian Cossacks, that they be given representation on the jury which will try Gen. Korniloff, leader of the recent revolt, has been granted by the government.

The steamer which docked yesterday afternoon had on board eighty-five anti-submarine shells from a British port. These exploded with loud reports when the ship took fire and it was not long after the ship had been towed into midstream that she sank.

Paris, Oct. 31.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Rome says: "The most devoted courage and hardiness is shown by detachments of Italian soldiers in the mountains of the Carnic Alps, in an attempt to outflank the Tagliamento line."

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Oct. 31.—The British war office last night issued the following statement on aviation activity: "Yesterday there were a few fine intervals during which our airplanes observed for our artillery and fired several thousand rounds from their machine guns at enemy troops in the trenches and on the roads. Over 100 bombs were dropped on hostile billets at Roulers and elsewhere during the day and again at night. In air fighting, four hostile machines were driven down and one was driven down under control. Two of our machines are missing."

Petrograd, Oct. 31.—A supplementary inheritance tax has been approved by the Minister of Finance. It is estimated it will produce about fifty million rubles additional revenue annually.

By Courier Leased Wire. Emperor William has placed at the head of his Government Count von Hertling, Premier of Bavaria, and former leader of the Catholic Centralists, a strong opponent of parliamentary and franchise reform.

Chief of Police Leigh of the B. & O. began an investigation of the report that the pier watchman had seen five or six men jump from pier number 8 just as the flames broke out. The piers have been under armed guards for a number of months.

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An Unwitting Traitor. Washington, Oct. 31.—How one little canary bird causes consternation among an entire division of British troops, and had to be killed, is told by Dr. Robert Davis, recently arrived in the United States to lecture at the officers' training camps on activities of the Red Cross in Europe.

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WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Oct. 31.—The storm which was centred in Ontario yesterday has moved with great rapidity and has almost disappeared over Labrador. The weather is cloudy near the Great Lakes and fair over other parts of the Dominion. Light snow has fallen in Ontario.

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN. Preparations for the British Red Cross campaign are being made at the headquarters on Dineen street today and the office is being equipped for the reception of the returns of the campaign. A telephone has been installed and other preliminary arrangements made.

British Front in Belgium Tuesday 30.—(By the Associated Press)—The forces of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria yesterday suffered another stinging defeat along the British Westwall out across a sea of mud and wrenched away still more of the few remaining defences in the enemy's Passchendaele system.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

LABOR PARTY.

The leadership of the Canadian Labor Party has been offered to Walter R. Rollo of Hamilton. He received the offer yesterday afternoon from the executive of the Ontario Independent Labor Party. He is as yet undecided whether to accept, expressing the opinion that Allan Strohme, M.L.A., would make a suitable candidate, but it is probable that Mr. Rollo will accept the leadership.

CATTLE TRADE FAIR.

Cattle are a glut on the market in Calgary, says a despatch from that place. Local dealers assert that such is not the case in this section and while they admit that business is falling off in cattle, it is not to any alarming extent. One butcher stated that the reason for the falling off in the sales of beef was that the people were consuming less than before the advance in prices.

QUITS POST.

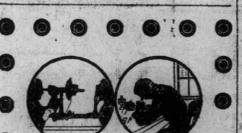
After many years of service as superintendent of game and fisheries under the Provincial Government, Edward Tinsley of Hamilton, has resigned that post. Hon. F. G. MacDonald has intimated that the resignation has been accepted. Donald MacDonald, who has been acting deputy superintendent, has been appointed to the vacancy.

HALLOWEEN TONIGHT.

Ample precautions are being made by Chief of Police Slemm for the irrepressible midnight marauders who will to-night celebrate one of the greatest days of the year. Halloween, the youngsters were active in several parts of the city last night when they conducted the ceremonies in connection with "door bell night" but greater activities are anticipated to-night, and the necessary precautionary steps are being taken.

ST. BASIL'S BAZAAR.

The jubilee bazaar at St. Basil's Church was brought to a close last evening, with a special sale of work and the drawing for the various prizes, which resulted as follows: Barrel of flour, Mrs. C. H. Finch; 100 lbs. flour, Mrs. Vaughan; sugar, 50 lbs., Mrs. J. Morrison; tray, Mrs. N. Haley; statue, Ed. Hawkins; ladies' waist, Irene Tracy; ladies' shoes, Mrs. C. J. Mitchell; tea cosy, Mrs. Waller; sewing machine, Mr. McGrath; dressing table, Miss M. Daly; watch, No. 1242 (unknown); tea kettle, Miss Cook; table cover, Mr. T. Walsh; guessing beans, Miss Cahill.



Many men pay a dollar to have a \$10 watch examined, but balk at paying the same amount to have their eyes, which are beyond value, examined by a competent optometrist.

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Travelling Goods. See Our Assortment. Prices the Lowest. NEILL SHOE CO. Advertisement for shoes and travel goods.

CIVIC PAY SHEETS.

Civic pay sheets for the two weeks ending October 27th amounted to \$2229.93. The sewers department accounted for \$804.30; Streets for \$1,329.53 and cemeteries \$96.

STREET QUESTIONS.

Copies of resolutions passed at Friday night's meeting of the Board of Trade, have been forwarded to the city council. The resolutions deal with the South Market Street crossing; the approach to the G. T. R. tracks on the Paris Road, the Paris Toll Road; the street car service on Market street, between Colborne and Dalpouste streets, and the danger of the intersection of Dalhousie Street and Brant Avenue.

FOURTEEN TO SERVE.

With the approach of November the 10th, when all draftees under the Military Service Proclamation must report for medical examination and service or apply for exemption, no change has been recorded at the post-office in the average number reporting there each day. Within the last twenty-four hours, 30 men registered, and all but one applied for exemption papers. To date 489 have been applied for exemption forms and 14 have reported for service.

FALL ASSIZES.

On November 10th, Carmen Calleja, the Maltese charged with the murder of Gio Batta Bernello, a fellow countryman, will be tried at the commencement of the Fall Assizes. Several other important cases are also slated for settlement at these sessions.

FOREIGN QUESTION.

In reply to the resolution passed by the city council on October 9th, urging the Chief of Police to intern all aliens found molesting women and girls, the Chief has written the city clerk, giving the assurance that the matter will be given the earnest attention of the Police Department. He states however, that the Armenian element, and not the alien enemies, are causing the most trouble in this regard.

GOOD ROADS COMMISSION.

The necessary order in council has been passed under date of October 25th directing that a commission be appointed to govern the administration of the suburban roads in Brant County adjacent to the city of Brantford. Notification of this was received at the City Hall this morning from the Provincial Department of Highways. The department has offered to assist in any way possible. Councils are given thirty days in which to select representatives on the commission which will consist of three men, one appointed by the city, another by the county and a third by the Department of Highways.

BUTCHERS AND GROCERS.

An enjoyable evening was spent in their rooms in the Temple Building last night by the Butchers and Grocers of the city who were at home to their clerks and friends. An interesting programme of progressive euchre and music was given and refreshments were served. The ladies prize in the euchre tournament was carried away by Mrs. M. McDonald; the gentlemen's by Arthur Coulbeck; Mrs. G. Suddaby was the champion holder of lone hands and the consolation prize went to Harry Berry.

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning the action against Mrs. Mollie Stewart for receiving stolen goods was dismissed. The goods in her possession will be returned to the Crompton store and she will receive \$100 in payment. Mrs. Stewart was represented by M. M. McEwan, while Crown Attorney Wilkes prosecuted. A hot criticism was handed down from the bench by the Magistrate to Archie Anderson, who has been neglecting his wife and paying too much attention to the wife of a soldier overseas. Anderson was remanded for one week. Collars deposited at the laundry of Jim Lee, a local Celestial by Allan Nelles, were the basis of a charge of conversion laid against the Chinaman by Mr. Nelles. A settlement was made between the parties, and the action dismissed.

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SAVE A SOLDIER SUNDAY NOV. 11 Will be a Feature of Next Week's Campaign for British Red Cross PLANS ARE COMPLETE Business Men to Canvass Stores, Factories and Offices TAG DAY ON SATURDAY War Veterans and A. R. Club to be in Charge on Sunday.

A meeting of the British Red Cross committee was held in Mr. Frank Cook's office on Monday afternoon.

Plans were confirmed for a thorough canvass on the campaign days, Nov. 7th to 11th, inclusive. Twenty teams of business men will canvass the factory offices and the stores, and the Great War Veterans, and probably the A. R. men will assist in a house to house canvass on Sunday, Nov. 11th. This latter will be a new feature, and along the lines of "Save a Soldier Sunday" conducted in other cities.

The Women's Patriotic League will undertake a Tag Day in the business section of the city, only, on Saturday, November 10th, and the Patriotic Organization was held on Monday evening, at which the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"That this Factories' Patriotic organization heartily endorses the Campaign for funds for the British Red Cross Society, which the Brantford Committee has arranged for November 7th to 11th, inclusive, and hereby pledges its best support and co-operation in the work."

The plan agreed upon to reach the employees in the factories is as follows: One or more of the representatives on the Factories' Patriotic Committee will, in company with one of the officials of the factory, or one of the office men, also a subscription list before every employee, and urge all to give what they can to this great cause.

At this meeting, a committee was appointed to join with the special committee to meet the Finance committee on the occasion of the festival, and extend to the Factories' Patriotic representatives, Great War Veterans, A. R. men and the business men who are working in the campaign.

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THE IMPERIAL LIFE Assurance Company of Canada HEAD OFFICE TORONTO W. B. Collins, Branch Manager, Brantford. Advertisement for life insurance.

Where Thrifty People Deposit Their Money--- THE Royal Loan & Savings Co. 38-40 Market Street Brantford. Over Two Thousand People Have Deposits in This Company. Advertisement for a loan and savings company.

MEMORIAL SERVICE Tribute to Brant County's Fallen Heroes Will be Paid at Grace Church. To honor those who have died in the service of our country and our Empire, special memorial services specially commemorating, together with the list of names, of all Saints will be conducted at Grace Church to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock, Captain the Rev. Charles Keith Masters, B.D., M.C., recently returned from the battle fields of France and Flanders, will be the special preacher at the evening service.

RESIGNATION OF MR. MCCLINTOCK Pastor of Alexander Presbyterian Church Accepts Call to Nelson, B.C. At yesterday's meeting of the Presbytery of Paris, at Woodstock, the Rev. D. T. McClintock, pastor of Alexander Presbyterian church, announced his acceptance of a call to Nelson, B.C., where he expressed the belief that his duty lay.

ST. JUDE'S CHURCH All Saints Day Thurs. Nov. 1 Holy Communion 10:30 a.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon 8 p.m. This will be a Memorial Service for late members of the congregation, as also for those who, in the war, have paid the supreme sacrifice. The Rector will preach All are cordially welcome to this Memorial Service.

COMING EVENTS

ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS, volunteer parade Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Memorial Service Grace church. Parade from soldiers home.

RED CROSS November envelopes now due. Special appeal to all to pay up back subscriptions.

BUMMAGE SALE—Victoria Hall Doors open at 2 and 7 afternoon and evening. Thursday and Friday. Good square piano. Happy Thought range, bed room set and other good things for sale.

EUCHE A. R. CLUB, G. W. V. A. Invited Friday Nov. 2nd, 8 p.m. 10 cents. Proceeds for G. W. V. A. Christmas tree. All come.

POLO MATCH at Alford St. Rink Wednesday evening, Oct. 31st. Welland vs. Brantford. A fast game is expected. Don't miss it. Prices 20 and 25c.

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DIED—In Brantford, on Monday, October 29th, Margaret Scott, widow of the late Samuel Scott, in her 80th year.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her niece, Mrs. Wm. E. Day, Echo Place, on Thursday, November 1st, at 2.30. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery.

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Attempts of San Francisco Germans to frustrate the Government's food conservation policy have been reported to Washington by California hotelmen. The Food Conservation Association met at Shawville and decided to disband and form a new union organization. Frank Cahill is the Laurier nominee. The United States food administration contemplates the fixing of the price of 21 staple commodities as a war measure. A. L. Sigmund, a St. Paul socialist, has been sentenced to five years in the Federal jail at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., for sedition. New York bankers are demanding that Speaker Champ Clark give the names of those he accuses of stamping Liberty Loan orders.

TEUTONS PLANNED TO KULTURIZE SOUTH AMERICA BY U-BOAT FLEET

Additional Messages From Luxberg to the Kaiser Made Public by Lansing—Argentine Ambassador Asked for a Squadron of Submarines

Washington, D.C., Oct. 31.—Two more of the notorious Count von Luxberg's messages to the German Foreign Office from Buenos Ayres were made public last night by Secretary Lansing. They provide official confirmation of Germany's plan to control Southern Brazil, shedding light upon Teutonic intrigue in South America generally, and reveal that Luxberg appeared vainly for a squadron of submarines with which to awe some Latin-Americans and to flatter others with salutes.

These despatches, like others that have gone before, were given out by Secretary Lansing without discussion of their contents. The only comment was in this statement attached to the copies: "In view of the fact that the substance of the telegrams addressed by Count Luxberg to the German foreign office has been published, the Secretary of State makes public the actual text of the telegrams."

The message follows: "Number 63, July 7, 1917.—Our attitude towards Brazil has created the impression here that our easy-going good nature can be counted on. This is dangerous in South America, where the people, under this veneer are Indians. A submarine squadron with full powers to me might probably still save the situation. I request instructions as to whether after a rupture of relations Legation is to start for home or to remain in Paraguay, or possibly Chile. The naval attaché will doubtless go to Santiago de Chile. LUXBURG."

"Number 64, August 1, 1917.—I am convinced that we shall be able to carry through our principal plans in South America, the maintenance of open market in Argentina, and the re-organization of South Brazil equally well whether with or against Argentina. Please cultivate friendship with Chile. The announcement of a visit of a submarine squadron to Buenos Ayres would even now exercise decisive influence on the situation in South America. Prespect excellent for wheat harvest in December. LUXBURG."

Government's Hand Forced.—After the State Department made public the "slak without a trace" messages, which caused Argentina to hand von Luxberg his passports, the Argentine government sent to Washington a number of the former German minister's despatches for decoding. Whether the two now published were among them or were obtained by the United States at the same time it came into possession of other telegrams forwarded to Buenos Ayres is not disclosed.

Several days ago press reports from Buenos Ayres said a sensation had been created there by the publication of a despatch from Rio Janeiro saying the Brazilian foreign minister had made known that translations of the Luxberg messages revealed a German plot to invade Southern Brazil.

The Argentine newspapers demanded then that their government either publish the despatches or authorize their publication by a foreign government.

The re-organization of South Brazil referred to by von Luxberg is assumed here to refer to the activities of the Hamburg Colonization Company, in connection with the large German element already located in that section. Several months before this despatch was written there were reports of plans for a German insurrection.

The break between Argentina and Germany, which von Luxberg apparently was expecting in July, has not yet come, and latest advices from Buenos Ayres do not indicate any intention on the part of the Argentine government to join Brazil and other South American nations against Germany.

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CANADIANS BATTLE THROUGH DEEP MUD ON FLANDERS SLOPS

Troops of the Dominion Win Fresh Laurels in Their Advance to the Outskirts of Passchendaele Ridge in Face of Heavy German Fire

London, Oct. 30.—The British troops in Flanders carried out successful operations to-day, according to Field Marshal Haig's report to-night. The Canadian troops gained all their objectives on the Passchendaele Ridge, and beat off five hostile counter-attacks. The text of the statement reads: "Successful operations with limited objectives were carried out by us early this morning against the entrenched positions between the Ypres-Roosebeke railway and the Poelcapelle-Westroosebeke Road. In spite of the marshy nature of the ground on the greater part of the front attacked, and notwithstanding heavy rain and gales, which made communication with our troops extremely difficult, important progress has been made. "On the right of the attack, in spite of fierce opposition, the Canadians have gained all the objectives of the outskirts of Passchendaele. The fighting was most severe on the spur west of the village, where five hostile counter-attacks were repulsed by our troops. Captured German machine guns were used effectively in repulsing these attacks. "On the left of our attack, where the ground is low-lying and intersected by flooded streams, the fighting was particularly bad. Nevertheless, our troops captured a number of farms and strong points after heavy fighting. "Gloucester troops successfully raided the enemy's trenches last night south-east of Gavrelle. Another successful raid, in which 19 prisoners were taken, was carried out by the Belgian troops south of Dixmude. "With Their Own Guns. London, Oct. 30.—Haig's correspondent at British Headquarters in France, telegraphing this afternoon, says: "Our armies have again struck the German masses in Flanders and sent them reeling back in places to a depth of nearly one thousand yards. Luck was with us to-day in the matter of the weather. The morning had broken keen and dry, being just the weather that the Canadians would have chosen for ground over the top. Apparently so successfully have they gone over that before the sun was two hours high they had gained a great part of their objectives. "The fighting was on a more limited front than last Friday. It has been chiefly towards the outskirts of Passchendaele and in the region of Poelcapelle. Reports received up to the time of telegraphing indicate that our men have fought their way well along several important tributary spurs of the great ridge system which is gradually being won from the desperately-resistant enemy. "Shortly after making the first stage of their advance the Germans launched a big counter-attack from the direction of Moshelmarke. It was checked by the Canadians but just carried a strongly-fortified line of retreats at the centre of which they fought their way well along several important tributary spurs of the great ridge system which is gradually being won from the desperately-resistant enemy."



COMPLETE EQUIPMENT OF A FRENCH SOLDIER IN TRENCHES. This French soldier has a rifle, grenade throwing gun, pistol, package of powder against gas, grenades in a basket, bag of sand, pick-axe, gun, grenades, signal lantern alarm bell for gas attacks, barbed-wire, rocket, soap, conical iron, hatch grate, shovel, scissors, boom, periscope gun carrier with periscope and galling.

PAPERS MONEY UNPOPULAR IN PHILIPPINES

Chinese Merchants Accept Bills Only at Liberal Discount

BUSINESS BOOMING Trade Has Gone Ahead Faster Than Money Circulation

Manila, Oct. 31.—(Correspondent)—Philippine paper money is quoted below par by the vast army of Chinese merchants who control 90 per cent of the retail business of the islands. Silver coins, including the peso, the bullion in which is now worth \$1.15, are being quoted by Chinese merchants at a ten per cent advance. Meanwhile the government is considering measures to cope with the situation which is regarded as a serious menace to the commercial prosperity of retail business here. The average Chinese retailer to-day refuses to make sales unless the purchaser has with him the exact change necessary. If he presents a two peso bill for payment—the two peso bill being the smallest paper currency in use—he is told that he must accept a ten per cent discount on it or go without the goods. At the same time the Chinese are passing a peso for ninety centavos in silver coin.

The chief factor in causing the present situation is declared to be increasing business. Philippine trade has risen about 20 per cent in recent months that the circulation of money in the islands has not kept pace with it. Then came recent advances in the price of silver, increasing the value of the peso to fifteen centavos above par. Prohibited by law from exporting silver pesos, the Chinese are said to be hoarding them. There is a suspicion also that they are exporting the bullion obtained from melting them down, although there is a law on the local statute books forbidding melting of coins.

This hoarding has withdrawn many silver pesos from circulation. Their work has been done by the smaller coins, fifty, twenty, ten and five centavos, and the burden of trade has been too great for them to carry. The refusal of Chinese store-keepers to give change is regarded as an indication that they are hoarding the smaller coins also.

Several months ago the insular government saw the danger to the peso in the increasing price of silver and authorized the Philippine National Bank, the government institution to contract for the printing of 4,000,000 peso bills. It is the intention also to ask the insular legislature for authority to issue up to \$4,000,000 in bills.

CONVALESCENTS USE ARMOURIES Institute at St John's Equipment for all Branches of the Work

So few active treatment cases have been returned to Canada by the present time in comparison to the number which were expected, that the Armories at St. John, N.B., have been authorized to convert the hospital authorities for bed cases has been converted into a convalescent home by the Military Hospitals Commission and made a centre of activity in the new "K" Unit. One hundred convalescents men are now being cared for in the institution. The wards consist of the disabled soldiers, including physical and vocational training is being carried on. The wards which were made from the old drill hall will accommodate 450 men, and all the company rooms have been made into rooms for special treatment, and administrative offices. The kitchen, which was added, is of the most complete type, equipped with all the steam and electric apparatus of the United Kingdom employed in the battles on the Somme, around Arras, and Ypres and at Messines are given to show that troops from the "Motherland" exceeded those from the colonies in the ratio of from two to one to five to one.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since his infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifles with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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

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FURS!

If you are thinking of buying furs this season, now is the time to do so. We have a large and beautiful stock of Beaver, Fox, Wolf, Lynx, etc., all made from selected skins

Dempster & Co. FURRIERS 8 MARKET STREET. Opp. City Hall

TROOPS OF OLD LAND NOT SPARED LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Denial of Rumors That Colonials Bear Brunt of the British Fighting

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Several U.S. army deserters from Fort Snelling, Minn., are facing the capital charge.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

It Will Pay You Always to Buy in Brantford

MAIL-ORDER BUYING IS SURE TO LEAD VICTIMS TO HOUSEHOLD EXTRAVAGANCE

In discussing the ultimate effect of the habit of catalogue buying in the homes of those who follow the practice, a well-known authority on the subject gives it as his opinion that the tendency to over-buy is perhaps the most marked characteristic of the mail-order patron.

"Go into any home, he said, "that draws its supplies from that source, and you will find goods the family does not need and never would have bought from a local merchant. In many cases these unneeded goods—these freak purchases—amount to a surprising percentage of the total family outlay. If the catalogue houses were suddenly cut out of this class of sales their dividends would undoubtedly suffer a decided shrinkage.

"These buyers see something alluring in the catalogue and become fascinated by it. The 'silent salesman in the home' keeps on teasing them with it until they find some excuse to justify their purchase of the coveted article. Those utterly unjustified whim-sales amount to millions of dollars a year.

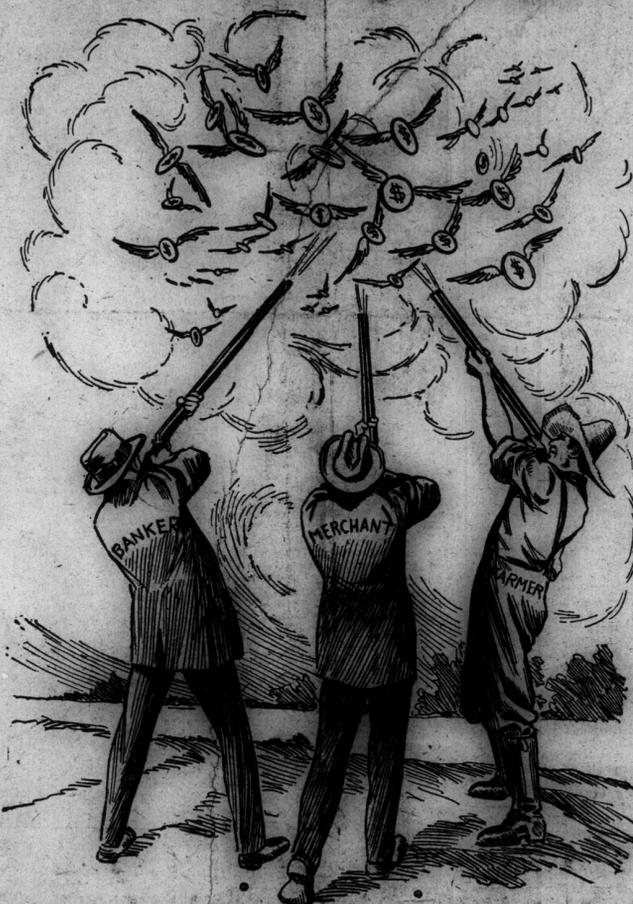
"With some women freak buying becomes a passion. They make absurdly foolish purchases from mail order houses that they would not dream of making from their home dealer. How to account for it? Simply the psychological effect of the catalogue perhaps. Anyhow this matter of freak buying, of over-buying, is so universal that not one catalogue buyer in a thousand is wholly exempt from it. The mail-order catalogue which so loudly proclaims itself an apostle of prudence, is in fact a most subtle and pernicious agent of household extravagance."

"FREIGHTS ARE PRE-PAID"

How this phrase catches the average person, when they read it in connection with out-of-town buying. "Freight paid to your Nearest Railroad Station." Who pays it? Surely you do not believe for a minute that the mail-order merchant is generous enough to do this as a favor. But, you assert, freight is prepaid. Sure it is. But has it ever occurred to you that the cost of the freight must necessarily have been added to the price of the goods shipped. It is. Like the story of the young commercial traveller. He was told by one of the older and wiser men of the road that he should charge up in his expense account any expenditure he made while on a trip. He did. He charged up a pair of shoes, and the boss, noticing the item, charged it back to him, at the same warning him against such items. Wiser the next time, the young traveller put in his expense account without showing expenditures of that nature. The boss, in checking it, remarked that there were no personal expenditures. "Still not wise, the young traveller remarked, "oh, yes, there is. I bought a suit, but you can't see it."

That's just the way freights are prepaid. Don't be blinded. Express and freight charges are paid by the purchaser. But the items are not entered that way.

CONCERTED ACTION REQUIRED



A flight of dollars. Are you, Mr. Banker, Mr. Merchant, Mr. Farmer—are you doing your best to stop the out-flow of money from this district? Just as much as any other citizen, it is your duty to use every means in your power to stop it. You are, or should be, interested to a large extent, because of your investments in the district. If you do not see that whatever personal interest you have is directed towards keeping Brantford money in Brantford, you are setting an example which will have a detrimental effect on the community.

KEEP THE STORES IN BRANTFORD BUSY

Keep the stores in Brantford busy. Make them busy by boosting for them and pushing for Home Trade in every way you can. Be proud of your city. Anything you can do, any effort you can make to increase the volume of business locally is bound to re-act to your own individual benefit, because increased business volume means increased property values, which in turn means larger tax returns and the consequent benefits which follow in every progressive centre.

DON'T BE PREJUDICED.

Some people are of the prejudiced opinion that if they spend their money at home, it simply goes to make the local merchant a little richer, and that it would have absolutely no other result. They feel that all movements to encourage a spirit of loyalty to home interests are based on the purely selfish motives of merchants. In the case of this campaign no merchant or body of merchants have done any promoting. None of the business men were approached or asked to support the movement prior to the opening of the campaign. The Courier has the best interests of the community in view. Better business conditions here would benefit all.

Let the word go abroad that Brantford is a real, live, go-ahead, home-trading city.

WE MAKE OUR MONEY HERE—LET US SPEND IT HERE

Brantford is the place in which the people of Brantford make their money. If Brantford is good enough to make our money in, it should be good enough in which to spend our money. Let us again consider what the conditions would be if every citizen bought goods from out of town stores. It takes Brantford money to buy food, clothing, boots and shoes, etc., and every dollar spent in Brantford for these necessities means added wealth for all. On the other hand, every dollar sent out of town is just that much taken from the wealth of the whole community. The Brantford merchant with whom you spend your money starts that money circulating again. He pays his clerks, his living expenses, his taxes, etc., and this, in turn is paid to the farmer, the other merchants, etc.

There is nothing gained, but much lost, in trading out of town. Brantford merchants, given the chance, will meet mail-order prices. The catalogue may be attractive and some of the offerings may look enticing, but if you eliminate a few "leaders," which compare only with frequent bargains offered locally, you will realize that it is as cheap and much more satisfactory to Buy-at-Home. Be honest to yourself and your community. Believe that the need of your money is necessary for Brantford's prosperity. Pledge yourself to buy at home and urge your friends and neighbors to do the same.

WOMEN'S ENTRY HAS MADE BIG CHANGES IN BUSINESS WORLD

Speaking on woman's success in business as a factor in securing her long denied rightful place as man's equal, a prominent business man of the province said recently:

"To maintain the equality that women deserve and demand she has been compelled to adopt many of the trades and professions formerly occupied by men exclusively. That women have done it well is answered in their success, and men will now have to look well to their laurels or they will lose them through woman's perseverance and ability.

"It is due largely to the success of women in business that to-day they are getting the recognition of equal rights that they have so long deserved and worked for. Woman has only been able to prove to concerted man that she is the equal in mental power and initiative, since she has the opportunity to equal him in his own game. However, it is a deplorable thing that so many men have degenerated in efficiency that they do not care enough to support a wife and maintain a home as God intended they should, so woman could fill her natural sphere.

"Now that she has found herself, may I digress from the business side for a moment to say that it is woman's greatest glory that God created her to be man's companion.

"But to get back to my subject again, I believe man's gallantry and woman's willingness to accept it are big factors in women's fitness for business. Women's clubs have petitioned legislators to limit the hours of work for women and to compel stores and other places to provide stools so girls may sit down. But no such privileges are demanded for men.

"No one employs another unless he wants help. He either wants work done he cannot do himself, or he wants it done better than he can do it, and the wages of the person who helps go up in proportion to the amount of efficiency of work done without superintendence or assistance. Women are now assuming this, and men are recognizing their initiative and keenness in trade, her quickness to execute, her loyalty, and above all her universal honesty. I have been employing men and women for more than twenty five years, and if I were to name a quality that women are superior in compared to men, it would have to be loyalty and honesty. And now that the war is making vacant so many places of trust and responsibility it is woman's chance to prove her ability to fill them."

A successful business man of the city of Brantford says: "I want to cater to the good women of this town, for, believe me, they are doing things these days. They are becoming a great power all over the world, in this business game. "Why," he said, "even the clothing people, the haberdashers are talking to the women folks nowadays in their advertising space." "Why," I asked him. "Because," said he, "the woman will go and buy a better suit, a better necktie, or a pair of socks, for less money, and will get a pattern or design that suits the average man, better than he would purchase himself."

MY PLEDGE

As a Resident of Brantford I Herby Pledge Myself:—

- 1st.—That I will Boost Brantford at all times.
- 2nd.—That as a Booster I will buy, as far as possible, everything I need for myself or for my family, in my home city.
- 3rd.—That I will, where possible, purchase Brantford-made goods in preference to goods manufactured in other cities or towns.
- 4th.—That I will, on every occasion, urge my friends and neighbors to buy in Brantford and Boost Home Industries.

(Signed)

Address

BOARD OF TRADE OUT TO BOOST BRANTFORD

Brantford's Board of Trade is out to Boost Brantford. At least, it would seem so from the following verses, which were sent out with the notices for last Friday's meeting. The Courier welcomes the co-operation of any and every organization or person in its Boost Brantford Campaign:

THE SOUTH SHORE BOOSTERS.

Do you know there's lots of people,
Settin' round in every town,
Growlin' like a broody chicken
Knockin' every good thing down?
Don't you be that kind o' grouch,
Cause they ain't no use on earth,
You just be a booster rooster,
Crow and boost for all you're worth.

If your town needs boostin', boost 'er,
Don't hold back and wait to see
If some other fellow's willin'—
Sail right in, this country's free,
No one's got a mortgage on it,
It's just yours as much as his,
If your town is shy on boosters,
You get in the boostin' biz.

If things just don't seem to suit you,
And the world seems kinder wrong,
What's the matter with a boostin'
Just to help the thing along.
'Cause if things should stop a-goin'
We'd be in a sorry plight,
'You just keep that horn a-blowin'—
Boost her up with all your might.

If you know some fellow's failin's
Just froget 'em, cause you know
That the same chap's got some good points,
Them's the ones you want to show.
'Cast your loaves out on the waters,
They'll come back," a sayin' true,
Mebbe, too, they'll come back "buttered"
When some feller boosts for you.

"BOOST BRANTFORD" CAMPAIGN ENDORSED BY FOLLOWING MERCHANTS:

Already the following local business firms are giving their support to the campaign for a Bigger and Better Brantford, which was inaugurated by The Courier:—

J. M. Young & Co., Dry Goods, Rugs, Linoleums, Etc.

Ogilvie, Lochead & Co., Dry Goods, Rugs, Linoleums, Etc.

E. B. Crompton & Co., Limited, Department Store.

The Crompton Grocery, Pure Food Store.

C. J. Mitchell, Automobiles and Sporting Goods.

J. W. Burgess, Furniture and House Furnishings.

The Brantford Willow Works, Willow Furniture.

R. Stoler, Furniture and House Furnishings.

Sheppard & Co.—Shoe Repairers.

T. A. Cowan, Plumbers & Electricians.

M. E. Long, Furniture Co., Furniture.

Dominion House Furnishing Co. Furniture and Clothing.

Howie's—Heavy and Shelf Hardware. W. G. Hawthorne, Bicycles and Sporting Goods.

Ludlow Bros.—Clothing, Boots and Shoes.

T. A. Squire—Shelf and Heavy Hardware.

The Scotland Woolen Mills Stores—Men's Clothing.

M. E. Buck—Millinery.

Henkle Bros., Limited—Clothing, Furs, Etc.

E. H. Newman and Sons—Jewellers.

Greiff's—Jewellers.

The Western Fair—Millinery.

F. J. Calbeck—Men's Clothes.

L. Pettit—Millinery.

Clark Lampkin Co.—Milliners.

Joseph Orr—Harness Maker.

W. L. Hughes, Limited—Ladies' Wear.

S. G. Read & Son—Piano Dealers.

Buller Bros.—Jewellers, etc.

Andrew McFarland—Clothing and Gents' Furnisher.

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Irish Soldier Tells of Mir-
acle—Though 54 he Likes
the Trenches.

Dublin, Oct. 31.—Sincere has
been there have been many remark-
able cases of sight, hearing, or
speech being lost, and found under
circumstances suggesting that the
day of miracles is not yet passed.
Such a case is that of Pte. Stephen
Conroy, of the Leinster Regiment,
who recovered speech and hearing
after seeing a vision by his bedside
the night of the 21st of the month
at the hospital in Dublin.

Conroy was a recruit that night
shame many new. He is fifty-four
years of age and next service in dif-
ferent parts of the world. When the
present war broke out he was work-
ing as a laborer at Mountmellick,
Queen's County. He responded to
the call, and went to France in
due course with his regiment in spite
of his age.

All that I know is that I had given
up hope of speaking again in this
world, and was turning my thoughts
more and more to the time when
the Saviour would come to take me
home.

"One night I felt a great thirst
come on me. I signed to the nurse
that I would like a drink. She left
the ward to get me one. What with
the drought and starvation, I felt
queer entirely, and it's me that did
not know what was coming over me.
My eyes shut tight, and I wondered
whether the Lord was going to take
my sight away as well.

"All at once I opened my eyes
again, and as sure as it's me that's
looking at you this minute, there
was one of the prettiest pictures I
ever saw standing 'fore me in the
room. It was a slip of a girl, com-
ing in with a beautiful and a beautiful
wreath of flowers around her head.
She was dressed just like they are
for communion in the chapel. She
was smiling at me, and looking like
an angel from heaven.

"At first I thought it was a new
nurse or a visitor, but then I re-
membered that visitors didn't come
at that time. Besides this girl
didn't look as if she belonged to this
world. She said something to me.
At the time I heard the words, but
can't mind them now. I could hear
her as plain as I hear you, and what
was more, I could answer her back,
for, without minding my dumbness,
I opened my mouth and asked her
what there was to go to get back my
speech. She smiled more sweetly
than ever, and told me to say three
prayers. Then she waved her hand
to me, and disappeared from the
room."

"My tongue's loosed; Glory be
to God."
"I said the prayers as I was told,
and sure it came as easy as a kiss
to me. By the powers, I had got
back my speech, and I was mad with
joy. I started shouting fit to lift the
roof off, and the sister who had come
to fetch me a drink came rushing in
to see what the matter was. "Sister,"
says I, "my tongue's loosed; Glory
be to God." And there was she like
to faint at hearing a man who was
deaf and dumb talking as loudly as
I do now."

"She was that much scared out of
her wits that she could only hold on
by the wall and look at me. Sure,
it was as big a surprise as anything
that was ever heard of in the olden
times. Patrick himself, there was I,
who hadn't spoken or heard a word
for six months, able to shout as loud
as any Sinn Fein speaker trying to
make his voice heard above the
shouts of the opposition. It's me
that can never be thankful enough."

"Private Conroy then went on to
speak of his experiences in France,
and had flashings of his fighting," he
said. "We got more than a bellyful
every day of our lives. I used to
see poor Willy Redmond before the

German killed him. He always
came to me because I was about his
own age, and he wanted to know
how could stand the life in the
trenches so well. He was a fine
gentleman, and the soldiers all loved
him.

"I can't tell you whether they will
let me back to the trenches," he con-
cluded, "but I'm hoping they will
anyhow, for it's a fine life for those
who like it."

CIVIL OFFICIALS TO CHASE ODDGERS

Military Men on Tribunals
to Treat Applicants
As Civilians.

One more step towards the en-
forcement of the Military Service Act
was taken yesterday afternoon, when
Major-General W. A. Lorie and Mr.
Glyn Ouler, chief justices for the
province, met some hundred and
fifty military representatives on the
tribunals, and went into a detailed
discussion as to the best methods to
check up on other distinguishing
duties, as defined by the
proclamation issued a couple of
weeks ago. General Lorie, who pre-
sided, pointed out quite plainly that
the raising of Canada's army
900 rests in the hands of the civil
authorities, and while the military
representatives had been appointed
to the tribunals to see that the army
is not deprived of men by the grant-
ing of exemptions which should not
be allowed. Further, the duties
that they must deal with in cases
of their civil merits. Men who ap-
pear before the tribunals claiming
exemption must get their papers
checked up on the military representa-
tives, and the military representa-
tives are asked to forget the fact that
they are military men, forget army
strictness, and remember that the
man applying for exemption does not
know anything of military routine.
The representatives, he added, are
not to attend the hearings with the
belief that they must get every man
into the army, but they should con-
sider each case on its individual
merits. Further, the duties
of the military men will stop with
checking up any men who attempt to
beat the tribunals, the work of fol-
lowing up the slackers being put up-
on the civil authorities. The duties
of the representatives, which have
already been announced, were dis-
cussing each case on its individual
merits, and to examine any witnesses who attend
a tribunal to support the claim of
exemption, and to be satisfied that the
weight must not be attached to the
written statements of civilian doc-
tors as to the physical condition of
men claiming exemption, such de-
clarations not to be given preference
to the rulings of a military medical
board unless the tribunal decides to
order the applicant back for a fur-
ther examination.

Representatives Busy
Many of the military representa-
tives in the city have already had a
busy time of it in their attempts to
find the men who have claimed ex-
emption. Though the numbers have
pled up to such an extent that they
will find it impossible to visit all be-
fore November 10, one unusually ac-
tive representative has already been
over 300, and reports that there is
some disposition on the part of men
to avoid a free discussion of their
claims for exemption. Such a view-
point does not affect the representa-
tives, and is only piling up future
trouble for the man interested. Of-
ficers of the 2nd, 3rd and 4th regiments
will not be required to appear
before a tribunal, but if they make
statements in their tribunals, they
will be required to answer any ques-
tions put to them. It simply means
that they will have the further trou-
ble of stating their case to the tribu-
nal. While the representatives are
doing their best to see all men claim-
ing exemption, working all day and
into the evening, there will be
many missed, as all who have put in
a claim for exemption are advised to
learn just who is the military man
for their district, and make it a
point to see him personally. A per-
centage of the present situation is
that so far very few Grade A men
have reported one way or the other.
Many of those who are bank clerks,
who are supported by the statements
of employers to the effect that already
this line of work has seen severely
depleted of workers by voluntary
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Music and Drama

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Mack Sennett's great dane, Teddy,
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bit parts at benefits. When a per-
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M.H.C. BUYS TEA IN 25 TON LOTS

Patients in Military Hospi-
tals Will Drink up a Small
Fortune in Few Months

The Military Hospitals Commis-
sion have ordered 50,000 pounds of
tea to slake the thirst of returned
men. There's nothing drier in the
prohibition propaganda than the con-
scious Canadian. He wants tea
good stiff black tea three times a
day, and the cooks in the con-
valescent hospital under the direction
of the commission are going to be
ready for him.

The 25 tons just ordered will
only last a few months with 119
institutions, some of whom are re-
quisitioning tea in ton lots, to sup-
ply. There is no limit put on the
tea allowed a man; he can drink as
many cups of tea as he wants, al-
though he had been raised on salt-
fish.

Tommy takes his tea with all "the
trimmings," especially sugar. War,
instead of weaning him away from
his taste for sweet things, has in-
creased his desire for them.

In one instance where the popula-
tion grew in such proportions that
the kitchen facilities were inade-
quate for a few weeks, it was put
up to the men whether they would
have tea or soup for dinner and the
vote went overwhelmingly for tea.

In Manitoba, 9,191 men have
made claims for exemption and
12,848 have reported for service, a
total of 22,039.

Cattle are distinctly a glut on the
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STEAMER SEIZED.
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Mexico City, Oct. 31.—The steam-
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The V
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The Sealed Valley

By HULBERT FOOTNER

Author of "Jack Chanley"

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Nahya, a beautiful half-breed Indian girl, asks Ralph Cowdry, an impressionable young doctor in a frontier town of the Canadian Northwest, to make a journey of three hundred miles to break and reset her mother's cruelly set arm. Aroused by his interest in the girl, Ralph consents. They travel first on a primitive steamboat. Nahya's charms attract attentions from the rough men on the boat, especially Joe Mixer, with whom Ralph almost comes to blows in consequence. The last stage of their journey is made by canoe with Nahya's brother Charley. Ralph's growing love for Nahya insists that Ralph must go her an unguarded passion. She proves her ability to take care of herself. Ralph is remorseful and Nahya forgives him. At the beginning of a rapid Nahya insists that Ralph must go the rest of the way blindfolded. He is angered at the mystery and refuses. They camp for the night. Suddenly Ralph is rudely awakened by the descent of two heavy knees between his shoulders.

Blind Man's Bluff. While Ralph still struggled with the mists of sleep, his wrists were secured behind him. He put up the best fight he could, but his ankles were soon tied, and he was bound. Then it was easy to bandage his eyes.

Harder to bear than the indignity of bondage was the pain of betrayal that stabbed him. "Is this your friendship?" he cried.

There was no answer out of the dark. His struggling only exhausted him, and he lay there, his wrists and ankles were soon tied, and he lay outwardly quiet, seething with resentment within.

Deprived of his sight, his hearing became preternaturally acute, and he had no difficulty in following the various steps of their preparations for departure. Before the bandages were clapped on his eyes, he had had a glimpse of daylight. He guessed from the freshness of the air in his nostrils that the dawn had just broken.

After the tent had been taken down over his head, and carried away, Nahya and Charley came back to get him together.

Charley lifted him under the arms, and Nahya took his feet. Charley's manner of carrying him suggested an insulting indifference that caused Ralph to grind his teeth.

They climbed cautiously down the steep bank, finishing with a sudden slide to the bottom, and almost dropping Ralph between them. Charley laughed, and Ralph swore savagely.

They laid him in the dug-out, and he heard Charley's steps retreating. Nahya was arranging the blankets under him.

"Ralph, I sorry," she said in a soft voice, sharp with emotion. "I not know anything else to do."

It did not help matters any. He was too full of resentment to give a thought to her side of the case.

"This is what I get for trying to do the square thing by you!" he cried. "For holding myself in right and day to keep from distressing you! You worked on my sympathies. You made me think you were on the square. You talked about friendship, and then you attacked me while I was asleep! Oh! I have been nicely taken in!"

They slid the boat off the stones; Nahya climbed over Ralph to take her place in the stern, and they set

off in the current. For hours after that Ralph had nothing to go on but the quiet dip of the piddle, the answering leap of the boat to the thrum of their strong arms, and the drip of the water as the blades were withdrawn.

Both brother and sister had a great capacity for silence. Ralph's frame of mind was anything but an enviable one. It is not pleasant to a man to be confronted with a mystery in the woman he loves. As long as they had been in accord it had troubled him very little. He had looked in her clear eyes thinking, "Whatever may be in store, she's on the square."

But when she turned against him all this was changed. Every look, word, act that he had not understood at the time, recurred to him charged with a sinister significance. Wounded pride hatefully suggested to him that she was using his love for her to further her own ends.

Nevertheless he could not but admit that for such a hardy villainess some of her acts were strange. He had plenty of time to think things out. He remembered how she had boxed Charley's ears when the boy had first suggested tying him up; he remembered how her eyes had flashed, and how sadly she whispered, "I think you are going to hate me by and by."

This suggested that she might be the victim of circumstances no less than himself. "Why can't she trust me a little?" he thought. "She knows I'd do anything for her!"

Behind all this was the mystery of what lay before him, hanging like a heavy black curtain close ahead. When a man has his eyes to see, and his arms to fight with, a mystery is pleasantly provocative and stimulating. When he loses his sight, he is bound and helpless, the darkest apprehensions seize upon him. Thus the weary round continued in Ralph's mind.

The long silence was broken by Nahya. She uttered in Cree what sounded like a quiet warning. Immediately afterward the dug-out lurched violently as if under a side blow, spun around and went on as smoothly as before.

For a long time Ralph lay vainly threshing his brain for an explanation of what this was, rapid but no succor rapid as they had shot in the Ponv river, or hitherto in the Rice.

Those compared with this sound were as the laughter of children to the voice of a giant.

The growl became a roar which grew louder with every moment. Ralph's heart began to beat painfully. It is probable that it never occurred to Nahya, certainly not to Charley, what a refined species of torture they were inflicting on their prisoner.

There is no terror like terror of the unseen. "If anything happens I'll drown like a cat in a bag," thought Ralph. He would not stoop to make any complaint aloud.

Charley and Nahya stopped paddling, and talked low-voiced; Nahya gave unmistakable orders. The slight, sharp note of excitement in their voices shook Ralph's breast.

From the sound ahead he pictured a very cataclysm of the waters awaiting them, wider indeed than any earthly rapids.

Little beads of perspiration broke out on his forehead. Oh! for his out on his forehead. Oh! for his out on his forehead. Oh! for his out on his forehead.

Ralph clenched his teeth and his hands. "Now we're going to take hands."

Good Night Stories

By RUTH YOUNG CAMERON

Do you believe in being quick to call each other by your first names, as I must say I do not.

Some are married at me the other day because two friends whom I met about a year ago and whom I like very much, I still speak of and to as Mr. and Mrs. G.

"I should think you people would call each other by your first names," she observed. "It seems so stiff and formal to say Mr. and Mrs."

"I had never spoken her first name I tried the other day to remember the first name of a woman who was once my close friend—and could not because I had never spoken it."

A little formality, keeps people from getting too close to each other too soon. You know what a familiarity does and that is especially true of the family. I haven't known any one but friends, whose names were so delighted that you "rushed" them. And didn't you feel sorry afterwards that you didn't let the intimacy slip more slowly?

Friendships should ripen slowly. Emerson speaks of the danger of "sucking a sudden sweetness" from friendships. If it is to be a friendship, all young people are prone to run. Friendships, like fruit, want to ripen slowly.

the plunge!" he thought. "Now! Now!" And still it held on until he could have screamed with suspense. And then the dug-out seemed to drop from under him, and immediately afterward precipitated itself with a crash against a wall of water.

A wave leaped aboard drenching Ralph to the waist. He thought it was all over, and suddenly ceased to trouble. Charley yelled with pure excitement; the dug-out gave a series of mad leaps and plunges, flinging Ralph from side to side like a sack of meal, and suddenly they floated in smooth water again.

An uncanny stillness descended on them. A long breath escaped between Ralph's teeth.

There followed what seemed like the greater part of a day to Ralph, with scarcely anything to register the passing of the heavy time. It was perhaps four hours.

The sunshine grew warm in his face, and he smelled the pines on shore. High overhead he heard the eagles screaming. Charley complained—of hunger, Ralph guessed—and Nahya laconically silenced him. At intervals a new sound gave Ralph food for thought. This was a low, hoarse, hoarse, hoarse sound, now on one side, now the other.

"The whole character of the country must have changed," he thought. "We must be passing between steep hills, or mountains for the streams to come down like that."

The long wait for something to happen was ended by the voice of another great rapid ahead. Ralph's hand began to beat. "Must I go through with that again?" he thought.

But while he was stealing himself for the ordeal, the dug-out of the dug-out grounded, and Charley springing out, pulled her up on shore.

Ralph was lifted out and laid on a flat rock. There he lay, his head on a very real hunger, began to assail him, one of the brawling streamers came down nearby.

From the sounds that reached his ears, Ralph pictured the dug-out being dragged across the rock on rollers, and hidden under bushes.

(Continued in Thursday's Issue.)

Courier Daily Recipe Column

Cocoanut Ice Cream

One pound grated cocoanut, 1 cup sugar, pint cream; stir the cocoanut into the cream; mix well until the flavor of the nut is extracted; then pour the cream into a bowl and stir in the sugar; when set, freeze in plate of fresh cream and freeze the mixture.

Manhattan Sherbet

One-half a cupful claret add the juice of 2 lemons and 1-2 cupfuls sugar, fruit coloring to tint a cupful pink and vanilla to flavor; freeze as for cream; when half frozen add the first mixture and stir well before adding hot milk; cream to a stiff froth; add 1-2 cupful sugar and flavor with vanilla; the sherbet should be served in tall, narrow glasses, fill them about two-thirds with the frozen mixture and whip cream lightly above and in the centre of each portion drop a Maraschino cherry, adding a teaspoonful of its liqueur.

Two Quarts Milk, Scalded

Then mix with 4 eggs, 1-4 cup flour, 14 ounces sugar; beat eggs, flour and sugar well before adding hot milk; when cold, add 1 quart cream, 10 ounces sugar; flavor and freeze.

Milk Sherbet

Juice of 2 large lemons or 4 oranges, 1-2 cupful of milk, add 1-2 cupfuls cream; freeze; no cooking.

Fruit Punch or Sherbet

One quart of water, 1 pint of sugar, juice of 3 lemons, juice of 6 oranges; boil the water and sugar 20 minutes; add the fruit; add the fruit juice to a little dissolved gelatin; then freeze.

Pineapple Water Ice

One-half pound of fresh pineapple, the juice of 1 lemon, 1-2 pint of water, 1 pint of clarified syrup; chop pineapple as fine as possible; water, 1 pint of clarified syrup; chop water; strain.

STORAGE CUTS PRICES

(Associated Press.) London, Oct. 31.—All the cold storage warehouses in the London district are filled so capacity with foodstuffs, and have announced they will accept any further custom. This is having a marked effect on the markets, forcing down prices and bringing incoming supplies onto the coast.

Large shipment of Tasmanian apples arrived the other day at a time when there was a glut of home-grown fruit and when the home-grown embargo on French fruit had brought a heavy shipment of pears from the other side of the Atlantic. Ordinarily the English fruit would have been stored in cold storage, but no space was to be found there, and the apples had to be sold for export. They would fetch some good varieties of would fetch some good varieties of cents a case.

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Good Night Stories

By RUTH YOUNG CAMERON

slowly to be the more perfect. The fruit that ripens suddenly is apt to have a false heart.

Even between husbands and wives, I believe in more "stiffness and formality" than there usually is. It may serve as a cushion to keep the two personalities from getting too close, and perhaps save a little of the inevitable friction of the daily life together.

I Think Husbands and Wives Might Be Less Familiar. I wonder what any critic who objected to my calling a year's friend "Mrs." would say if she realized that oftentimes I wear great-grandmotherly respect each other's privacy more; knock before entering a closed door; never open each other's letters; each let the other alone when he wants to read, not intrude on the thoughts by asking what he or she is thinking about when he or she is silent.

The notion of spirit will only be the closer to other's individuality and allow him as much freedom of personality as possible.

Without another word Red Squirrel let go of the limb and dropped to the ground.

"There he goes!" cried the boy in the tree. But just as Red Squirrel's feet touched the ground Squeedee changed him into a great big boy and the three little boys into squirrels.

"Now see how you like it!" cried Squeedee as the three squirrels took to their heels across the field, the big boy pelting them with stones and chasing them all the way. When they reached the stone fence they scouted out of sight.

"Squeedee chased the big boy back into Red Squirrel again, and they both sat down and had a good laugh.

"Little boys, I'll bet they'll never chase squirrels again. But don't forget to turn them back into boys when I'm out of sight," laughed Red Squirrel, and after thinking Squeedee for helping him he scampered home.

After it grew dark Squeedee peeped under the stone wall and there sat the three squirrels huddled together just where he'd left them.

"What shall we do?" cried the first one. "We can't go home this way, for the boys will stone us and the dogs'll chase us."

"I'd rather stay here always than to meet that horrid boy," exclaimed the second.

"I'll carry us right for chasing that poor little squirrel. How rightened he must have been. I'll never chase another one as long as I live!" cried the third.

"Neither will I," said the first. "Nor I," sobbed the second. Squeedee waited for no more, but called the three out from under the fence and turned them back into little boys once more.

If you boys would only stop and put yourselves in the places of the hunter, you'd be kinder to animals than you are," said Squeedee. The three boys never said a word, but hung their heads in shame and went quickly home.

Red Squirrel filled his store-room and was never molested again. Of course, they didn't tell any one of their experience—it was Squeedee to look out because the boys feared they wouldn't be believed, and after a time they didn't speak of it to each other, for each came to think he'd dreamed it all himself. But they remembered the lesson in kindness they had learned, and they tried to teach the other boys, too.

LANGFORD

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Rev. Mr. Down preached on missions on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Wallace Lang, Waterloo, visited with relatives last week. Mrs. L. Phelps, Echo Place, spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Lang.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood Jerseyville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hunter, Cambridge, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Jr., Waterloo, spent Sunday at Mr. E. R. Lang's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Duncan, spent Sunday at H. M. Vanderlip's.

Miss Daisy Westbrook, spent over Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lang spent Sunday afternoon in the city.

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Hawtreys last Sunday. Mrs. Alfred Dean returning home with them, will spend a few days here, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casner and children and Mrs. Wm. Shellington motored to Woodstock on Sunday and spent the day there with Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Dean.

Miss Gladys Swears, of Burford, was the guest of Miss Mabel and Dora Force last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Reilly and daughter, Hazel, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brittain, Cambridge.

Mrs. Jane Metcalf is visiting relatives in Brantford. Mr. and Mrs. Coultin, week here with a few days last week.

Quite a number from here attended the plowing match near Paris last Thursday.

John Brown, Jr., spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Hainl, Northfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Dean motored to Burford.

SCULPTOR ENLISTS

London, Oct. 31.—Jacob Epstein, prominent among the younger school of sculptors in England, has joined the new Jewish regiment of the British army as a private. Epstein is 37 years old, and was born in New York of Russian-Polish parents. He expects to serve with his regiment in Palestine.

Courier Daily: Pattern Service

GIRL'S DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

Preparedness for the fall school term includes a good looking dress like this one, No. 8412. It is very appropriate for girls at this age because there is a noticeable lack of fussiness. The long waist is quite plain and fastens at the centre back. The fullness is caught in plaits at front and back, giving the effect of panels. Straight pieces of material which form pockets are attached under these plaits. Both long and short sleeves are included in the pattern. A one piece skirt is gathered to the waist. Serge, poplin, hennette, twill or gabardine would be good for this dress.

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BANK NEEDS FUNDS

(Associated Press.) Mexico City, Oct. 31.—President Carranza has issued a decree providing that if the funds for the central bank of emission, the capitalization of which was to have been 50,000,000 pesos, are not raised by an exterior loan prior to April, 1918, the bank will be opened then with a capital of 5,000,000 pesos raised by individual and Government officers and employees already have agreed to donate from one to two days pay each month for the raising of this fund. Each of those who contributed will become a shareholder in the bank.

BELGIUM REPLACES HUNS

(Associated Press.) Pekin, Oct. 31.—The French Minister is especially anxious to have Belgium replace Germany as the fifth member of the group which floated the \$50,000,000 Chinese reorganization loan, which is secured upon the salt monopoly.

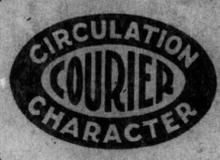
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- TO LET—Eight roomed house** with all conveniences, garage, vacant Nov. 11th. Apply 10 Madison Ave. Hamilton. T/50
- TO LET—Two furnished rooms** for light housekeeping, heated, apply 30 King Street. T/36
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DR. HART has gone back to his old stand over the Bank of Hamilton; entrance on Colborne Street. d/Mar/25/17

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DR. RUSSELL, Dentist—Late American methods of painless dentistry, 201 Colborne St., opposite George St., over Cameron's Drug Store, Phone 395.

JAPANESE ACTRESS QUILTS

Associated Press. Tokyo, Oct. 31.—Sadayakko Kawakami, the celebrated Japanese actress, well known in foreign lands, will retire from the stage. Her final appearance is a Tokio theatre in a faraway.

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SHE THOUGHT SURE HER TIME HAD COME

Mrs. Baker Confined in Bed for Weeks—Her Recovery With Tanlac Wonderful

"Honestly, I have gained fifteen pounds and my neighbors as well as myself, are amazed at the change Tanlac has made in me," said Mrs. Emma Baker, of 39 Marlborough Avenue, Toronto. "I had been going down in health for more than a year losing weight and steadily getting weaker all the time. My troubles were mainly stomach disorders and nervousness and about six weeks ago I took a very sudden turn for the worse. At last I got down in bed and thought sure my time had come. I was so sick I couldn't retain a thing on my stomach and was so weak I could hardly raise my hand. I was so nervous the least noise would startle me and I couldn't get any sleep or rest at all scarcely. Many a night I would lie awake and toss and roll until day. I fell off until I weighed only one hundred and twelve pounds and when I began taking Tanlac I had been confined to my bed for three weeks.

"Mr. Baker had taken Tanlac with wonderful results but I never thought much about it being good for me until I tried other things and kept getting worse. Then I bought a bottle of Tanlac and pretty soon I began to feel better. So I wasn't long until I was able to get out of bed and realized that I was gaining in weight. My appetite is fine now and my stomach never troubles me again. My nerves are calm and steady and I sleep all night long every night. I now weigh one hundred and twenty-seven pounds, have gained fifteen pounds, and have hardly finished my second bottle of Tanlac yet. I am now feeling stronger and better than I have since my troubles began—can do all my work without the least inconvenience—and with the Turks out it is practically all Greek. 'Even Constantinople,' he said, 'is a Greek city—the largest of Greek cities—with a population of 500,000 Greeks. That gives an idea of the extent of Greek citizenship in all this section down to the Straits, which will have to be considered on the basis of nationality and race, when the Turk leaves Europe.

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MACHINERY IS WORKING WELL

Military Service Act Comes Smoothly into Operation Throughout Country

Associated Press. Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Successful operation of the machinery placed throughout the country for the enforcement of the Military Service Act is reported from all points. The rush of the men in the first class to be medically examined and to be drafted with the authorities were established and has continued steadily ever since.

Since the proclamation was issued, on October 15th, the men have been going to the post-offices in large numbers to comply with its requirements.

As was expected, a large number of men are seeking exemption. A comprehensive system of handling these exemption claims has been established and it is expected confidently that no trouble will be found in dealing with each case satisfactorily. The officials charged with putting the act into operation in this connection, the new masters of the country are playing an important part—will be exceedingly busy until November 10, the last day for answering the call.

MUST RETURN MEXICANS

Associated Press. Mexico City, Oct. 31.—The Department of the Interior has sent a circular to all the Emigration Inspectors stating that all contracts with American companies taking Mexicans out of the country must contain a clause providing for the return of the workmen to Mexico at the cost of the company.

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GREECE LOOKING BEYOND THE WAR

Has an Eye to Territorial Changes Which Must Come With Peace

TURK TO BE BANISHED

Greece Hopes to Succeed in Control of the Dardanelles

Athens, Oct. 31.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The Turk is to leave Europe as the Entente allies have required in their war terms, then there is a well-defined belief in the Balkans that two results will occur of high importance to Greece and all Europe.

First.—That the Greek inevitably will succeed the Turk throughout Thracia and in the whole region down to the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus.

Second.—That a new zone of territory friendly to the Entente will thus be stretched horizontally straight across the Balkans as a barrier to the German dream of making the Balkans a German highroad to the Orient.

Professor Andreade of the University of Athens, one of the foremost authorities on international affairs relating to the Balkans holds this view and in the course of a talk to the Greeks he explained how these two results would naturally come about in the final peace adjustment, by reason of the principle of nationality, now accepted by the Entente allies as a basis for territorial readjustment.

Professor Andreade who is a specialist on the Balkans of Greek citizenship beyond the Greek frontiers—Macedonia and the other Balkans, in Turkey, Syria and Asia Minor—pointed out the great preponderance of the Greeks in the region to be evacuated by the Turks if they are to leave Europe.

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In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as pre-emption. Price \$100 per acre. Duties—six months in each of three years after making homestead patent and cultivating 20 acres until the homestead patent is as soon as homestead patent on certain conditions.
A settler after obtaining homestead patent may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$200 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 20 acres and erect a house worth \$2000.
Holders of entries may count time of employment as farm labourers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties must be paid on certain conditions.
When Dominion Lands are advertised or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honourably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry in local office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent.
W. COET,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.
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