

FOE DEALS BLOW AT ROUMANIA

Heavy Fighting on West Front; Enemy Counter Attacks Beaten off by British

Arthur Henderson Resigns From British Cabinet Following Yesterday's Conference

Fresh Offensive Launched by Germans in East

Mackensen's Forces Renew Drive and Draw Attention of Crisis to Roumanian Situation Once More; Silence of Russian Army Gives Rise to Apprehension as to Latest Developments

By Courier Leased Wire.

London, Aug. 11.—The military critics here are watching the German attack in Roumania with increasing interest. The greater part of Moldavia, the only section of the country remaining in Roumanian hands, is being attacked, as shown in official despatches, from the north, west and south and the Russians and Roumanians, who until recently conducted a victorious offensive, are now losing ground at all points.

Field Marshal von Mackensen's thrust in the neighborhood of Fokshand is the most serious of the operations being carried out by the German troops and the furious resistance of the Allies is not meeting with success. The enemy's passage of the Suchitza, reported, yesterday, is regarded as placing in immediate jeopardy the Mariasesti junction railroad, the possession of which is of immense importance to the Russians and Roumanians. Attention is called here to the absence of the Russian official statement yesterday, while it is remarked that the Roumanian report does not appear to deal with the latest events.

POLISH AIMS.

Petrograd, Aug. 11.—The Polish National Council, which is assembled at Moscow, has endorsed the resolution of the Polish Socialist Congress and the programme outlined by the congress for future endeavors with reference to Polish independence after the war are as follows:

"To secure from Austria and Germany and all neutral countries sanction for Polish representatives in the peace conference.

"To secure the assistance of the Polish chief military commission in accomplishing the withdrawal of Poles from the Russian army.

"To appoint committees to explain Poland's reconstruction plans.

"To unite all organized forces of Polish society to help free Russia in her struggle with pacifism.

"To make an effort to have the Polish question put forward in the peace negotiations."

PILSUDSKI TO BE RELEASED

London, Aug. 11.—An Exchange Telegraph Company despatch from Amsterdam announces that, pursuant to instructions from Berlin and Vienna, Brigadier-General Pilsudski, of the Polish legion, will be released from detention by the German authorities in Poland. His release is conditional on his going to Switzerland and remaining there until the war ends.

A Copenhagen despatch, July 25, said that General Pilsudski, organizer and former commander of the Polish Legions, had been arrested by the German authorities while attempting to leave Poland on a false passport.

Roumanian Statement

London, Aug. 11.—Russian Roumanian troops repulsed enemy attacks in the Trotus Valley and then launched vigorous counter attacks, which gained them prisoners and captured machine guns, according to an official statement issued to-day by the Roumanian war office. The statement follows: "In the Trotus Valley enemy attacks were repulsed, and in counter-attacks Russian troops, who maintain all their positions, forced the enemy to flee in disorder after taking prisoners and machine guns. "Between the Trotus and Putna Valleys, Roumanian troops gallantly withstood a violent artillery bombardment with attacks accompanied by asphyxiating gas. They completely repulsed the enemy in five assaults except at a single point in the Oltuz Valley. "On the Putna and Sereth rivers, past two days 1,600 men and cap-

tured 30 machine guns from the Russo-Roumanian forces, according to the official statement issued to-day by the German army headquarters staff.

The statement reads: "Front of Prince Leopold of Bavaria—There has been a revival of the fighting activity near Dvinsk, south of Smorgon, and near Brody. Near the latter town an enterprise undertaken by German and Austro-Hungarian troops resulted in the capture of more than two hundred prisoners.

"Front of Archduke Joseph—Southeast of Czeronowitz (Bukowina) stubborn fighting has taken place. Our troops penetrated at several points into the frontier positions of the Russians. Also on the Sereth plain and at Solka advantages were gained following the repulse of enemy counter-attacks. "Take Height Positions. "Between the Trotus and Putna valleys the allies (Teutonic) took by storm several height positions, despite tenacious resistance by the Russians. In the Oltuz sector in the last two days more than 1,600 prisoners have been captured and thirty machine guns taken. "Front of Field Marshal von Mackensen—On both sides of the Mackenshi-Adjudulno Railway line German detachments have forced a crossing across the Suchitza River on a wide front. "During bitter counter attacks the enemy endeavored to hinder our advance by the use of strong masses.

All their attacks directed against our front and flank failed under the heaviest losses. "Macedonian front.—There is nothing special to report. "Roumanians Good Fighters. "The Times correspondent on the Roumanian front highly praises the enthusiasm and artillery work of the Roumanians. He says the Germans fled after storming Maraschul positions. "They were panic-stricken, throwing away guns and steel helmets. Many had no time to dress. The commander of the sector, Col. Schmidt, ran away in slippers, bareheaded. The booty was important as ammunition and thousands of hand grenades. The retreat was so hasty (Continued on page five)

SPAIN HOPES TO MAINTAIN RY. SERVICE

General Impression Favorable Despite Strike Enforced Last Night

By Courier Leased Wire. Madrid, Aug. 11.—Premier Dato has announced that ministers of various departments believe they will be able to assure railroad service despite the strike expected to begin last night. Military and naval engineers will be substituted for the strikers. Serious measures have been prepared, but the government does not intend to anticipate even this by repressive acts.

The Northern Railroad Company has given the men 48 hours to abandon the strike, dismissed the alternatives. The general impression is favorable. Paris, Aug. 11.—Dispatches concerning the Spanish strike are rare and inconclusive. So far as known, only the Northern Railroad is affected. There is a probability the strike may spread to other roads. The split between the men and the company is over questions of discipline and duties, the directors having agreed to consider that of salaries. Even if the trouble should be restricted to this one road, its effect on the troubled political and economic situation cannot be extremely grave.

HEAVY ATTACKS BY FOE ON BRITISH POSITION REPULSED

Violent German Raids Broke Down Before Determination of Haig's Men; Fresh Gains Recorded Upon Ypres-Menin Road

London, Aug. 11.—Six German assaults were made on the British positions to the east of Ypres during the night, according to the British official statement issued to-day. They all broke down after fierce fighting. Field Marshal Haig reported that the British maintained their positions to the east of Ypres and gained ground near the Ypres-Menin road. The statement indicates that a renewal of the general attack is impending as soon as the ground conditions permit the infantry to attack. In the coast section the British attacked at two o'clock in the morning of the ninth after a short drum fire preparation, coming to grips with the Germans at various points, but, according to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, cabled on the ninth, describes three heavy British attacks on that day resulting in the forcing and crossing of the Steenbeek river at a point where the railroad from Boesingsh and Langemarck crosses the creek. It says that in consequence of better weather, the artillery bombardment flamed up along the whole army front. This and other preparations

FOE SOWED MUTINY IN RUSSIAN ARMY

Germans and Ex-Imperialist Servants Mingled With Loyal Troops EXPLANATION GIVEN Causes of Russ Debacle Set Forth To Soldiers And Workmen TROOPS DEMORALIZED Army now Recovering from Disaffection Spread By The Huns

Petrograd, Aug. 11.—Causes of the Russian debacle against the Germans and Austrians are set forth in a remarkable report by Colonel Kolotkoff to the Council of Workmen and Soldiers Deputies. The responsibility is placed on the activity of ex-politmen, gendarmes, and spies of Emperor Nicholas, who after being deprived of their livelihood were complicitly sent to the front. By the end of June, says Colonel Kolotkoff, the soldiers on the front were in excellent fighting form. There was an admirably completed plan to advance which would probably have led to the reconquest of Vilna. But the police, gendarmes and spies of the autocracy consciously started an anti-patriotic counter-revolutionary campaign, the first design of which was the dissolution of the army. Large numbers managed to get elected to regimental company committees, started a propaganda against war, inciting soldiers against officers, against the provisional government's commissaries, and even incited violence. Later they secretly distilled vodka and on the advance doped soldiers therewith. Police and gendarmes arrested criminal convicts, who were sent to the army as were deserters who by their bad examples demoralized the soldiers. The Germans skilfully took advantage of these conditions and flooded the Russian trenches with spies in Russian uniforms, finding this easy because many Russian soldiers at the front do not carry documents of identity. Formerly the reinforcement units arriving at the front were slightly weaker in numbers than the rolls showed, but now the units were always stronger owing to the presence in disguise of Germans who, in the general absence of papers, it was impossible to detect. Many of these Germans spoke Russian so well that they sat at the officers' mess without exciting suspicion. The spies organized fraternization. Soldiers born in the provinces occupied by the enemy were allowed to visit their homes and after a short absence returned to the trenches completely Germanized in sentiment.

The result was that before the attempt to recover Vilna many soldiers refused to participate in the attack. How good was Russia's chance, says Colonel Kolotkoff, is proved by the fact that weakened Germans often ran away, and the strange spectacles of Russians flying from fleeing Germans was some times seen. The Germans first realized the situation, and having an iron discipline were able to turn to advantage the Russian collapse. Ukrainian Troubles Petrograd, Friday, Aug. 10.—A portion of a Ukrainian regiment, which passed through Kiev to-day in a train on the way to the front spent fire on the Cuirassiers who were guarding the station. The Cuirassiers fired back and a battle began in which soldiers on both sides were killed or wounded. When the Ukrainians reached Novograd-Volynsk, an entire regiment of cuirassiers was sent against the mutinous train and a fresh battle began. On the cuirassiers bringing up machine guns the mutineers surrendered. Fourteen days were taken back to Kiev. About fifty men were wounded.

HENDERSON STEPS OUT OF CABINET

Labor Member Resigns Following Yesterday's London Conference ACCEPTED BY PREMIER Another Victory For Sinn Feiners In Election at Kilkenny TROUBLES IN SWEDEN Independence Bill Before Landtag Is Criticized By Press

London, Aug. 11.—Arthur Henderson, labor member of the British war council, has resigned his membership in the cabinet.

London, Aug. 11.—The Pall Mall Gazette says it understands that Arthur Henderson, the labor member of the British War Council, who yesterday addressed the British labor conference, and advised the sending of British delegates to the Stockholm consultation congress, had tendered his resignation, and that Lloyd George has accepted it.

Sinn Fein Victory London, Aug. 11.—Sinn Feiners to-day won another parliamentary bye-election. This time they captured the seat for Kilkenny, made vacant by the death last July of Patrick O'Brien.

William Cosgrave, the Sinn Fein candidate, defeated the Independent Nationalist, ex-mayor McGuinness by 380 votes. Cosgrave received 772 votes to McGuinness' 392.

Helsingfors, Aug. 11.—Swedish and Finnish non-Socialist newspapers appearing for the first time since the introduction of the independence law into the landtag, unanimously condemn the law and the method of passing it. Likewise they criticize the policy of the Socialist majority as an unconstitutional provocation to Russia prejudicial to the cause of Finland's independence for which all of the nation stands.

The Swedish newspapers declare Premier Tokio pushed through the law on the calculation that the Petrograd revolt of July 16 would overthrow the provisional government and the failure of this calculation puts Finland in a dangerous situation. The dissolution of the landtag which meets simultaneously with the Petrograd constituent assembly must come a friendly agreement, therewith insuring independence. Despite the prevalence of these views in educated classes the Socialists are agitating in favor of a refusal to recognize the dissolution. Premier Tokio in his special opinion attached to the Senate's decision to publish the provisional government's manifesto dissolving the landtag, denounces the manifesto.

Police Working Upon Dynamiting of Sir Hugh Graham's Summer Home; Plan to Round up all Conspirators

Montreal, Aug. 11.—It is more than likely that a couple of arrests may be made within the next few days in connection with the dynamite outrage committed at Lord Atholstan's summer home at Carderville early Thursday morning. The police are said to have obtained an important clue, as well as valuable information from one who was "on the inside" and who has told of the preparations for the blowing up of the house, and the manner in which it was carried out.

Some arrests, it is stated on good authority, might be made now, but the men who are at work on the case are anxious to round up the entire gang before any move in that direction is made.

Re-Examine Exempts New York, Aug. 11.—All of the men who were exempted from military service by the local exemption board in district 99, will be re-examined by a new board, the members of which it is expected Governor Whitman will name to-day. Ros-

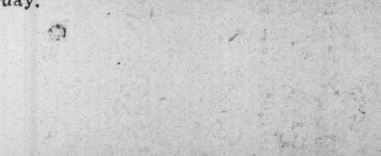
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WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Aug. 11.—The disturbance which was off yesterday morning has quickly passed northeast causing heavy rain and gales near the Bay of Fundy. Showers have occurred in southern Alberta while in other parts of the Dominion the weather has been fine. Forecasts. Light to moderate winds, fair and moderately warm to-day and on Sunday.



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Table for Brantford Tillsonburg Line, listing departure and arrival times for routes to Tillsonburg and Brantford.

Table for G. T. R. Arrivals, listing arrival times for various routes.

Table for W. G. and B., listing arrival times for various routes.

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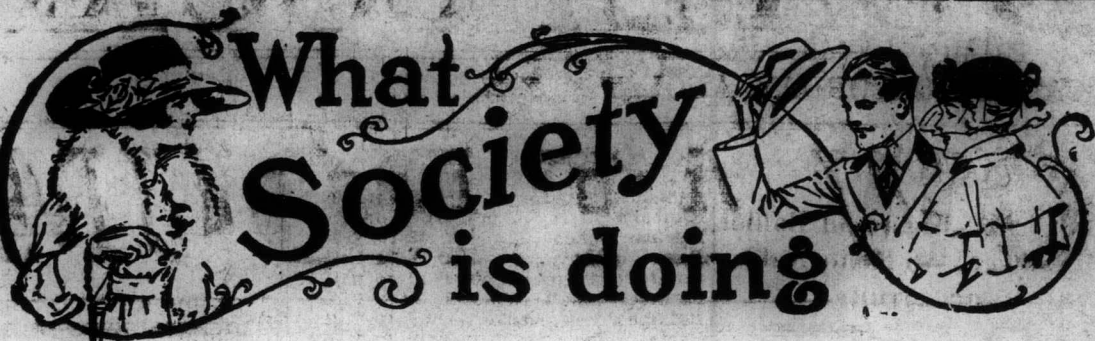
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L. E. & N. RAILWAY

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What Society is doing

Mademoiselle Viet is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Digby. Miss Evelyn Boney is holidaying at Port Dover. Mrs. Douglas Hammond has returned from spending two or three weeks in Toronto. Mrs. Thompson, of New York is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Strong, Kanyengah rectory. Mrs. H. Hawkey and Miss Hawkey of Toronto, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bastedo. Miss Mary Irwin and Miss Helen Ballantyne, left this week for a visit in London, Ont. Mrs. C. B. Robinson and family of Paris, left this week for Rodney, to spend two or three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Graham Stratford, of Toronto, were in town this week, the guests of Mrs. J. T. Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. George Watt and family, Dufferin Avenue, left this week to spend the balance of August in Muskoka. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams and family are leaving tomorrow for a month's vacation in New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Bastedo and family of Toronto are summering with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Griffin, "Whispering Pines," Erie Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith and son of Toledo, Ohio, have returned home after visiting relatives and friends in the city. Mrs. Wm. Deberry and two children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith at their summer home, "The Lucine," Toledo Beach, Ohio. Mrs. E. L. Good, Mrs. VanAllen and Miss VanAllen, were visitors in Toronto this week, the latter going on to Algonquin Park, with Mrs. Sims, of Toronto. Mrs. F. D. Reville, Mrs. W. F. Paterson, Miss Jean and Gordon Paterson, returned this week from spending some weeks at the Wa-Wa, Muskoka. A team of Brantford golfers, are playing a return match to-day with the Levee golfers, Toronto. The proceeds of the match will be devoted to the Red Cross. Miss Scott, Indiana is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Scott, Lorne Crescent. Whilst nursing in the States she contracted typhoid but is now convalescing most satisfactorily. Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Welsh and Master Jack, have just returned from a motor trip through Eastern Ontario and New York State. Miss Gertrude Best, of Brockville, returning with them for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. O. Thompson, of Toronto, and little son, motored over from their summer home at Oakville on Civic Holiday and stayed a day or so with Judge and Mrs. Hardy, at Hazelbrook Farm. Brantfordites will sincerely sympathize with Mrs. P. D. Greer, Hamilton, in the death of her youngest son, Lieut. Malcolm Greer, who was serving with the Royal Flying Corps when killed. Lady Beck, London, is a sister of the gallant young officer. The young people who are camping out at Whiteman's Creek had a very jolly marsh mallow party on Tuesday evening in honor of the birthdays of Miss Kathleen Gibson and Miss Grace Leeming. A number of guests motored out from the city. Miss Foster, of Glasgow, Scotland, who is a celebrated contralto singer of wide reputation, and who has just completed a concert tour of many American and Ontario cities, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, 44 Chestnut Avenue for this week-end. Miss Foster is particularly effective with Scotch songs. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Handsfield and children, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are spending the month of August with their brother and sisters, "Laycock" farm. The rev. gentleman has kindly taken several of the Anglican services in the city from time to time, during the holidaying of the incumbents. He is a graduate of the University, Toronto, but has lived in the States now for some years. Lieutenants Chase, Washington, and Godwin, Philadelphia, spent the week-end in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Reville. They are the first of the United States Army in the making to visit Brantford, and if they are a fair sample of the young fellows rallying to the call of liberty in the States, then "Uncle Sam" is going to be represented at the front by particularly clean cut chaps, worthy in every sense of the word to fight shoulder to shoulder with the best of the Allies. Lieutenants Chase and Godwin are at the officers' training camp at Youngstown, N. Y., with 1300 others—nearly all University men. They are hoping to go overseas very shortly to complete their training in France. Mrs. Evelyn Boney is holidaying at Port Dover. Dr. Kippax has returned from Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Webster, London, were in town this week. Mrs. W. C. Boddy is spending two or three weeks in Trenton. Miss Bessie Bayne of Detroit, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Slemia. Miss Jean Vaughan, left to-day for Owen Sound on a holiday visit. The Misses Smith, Davis and Miller motored to Galt and Preston on Friday. Mr. E. M. Wood, Manager C. P. R. Tel. Co., Grain Exchange Branch, Calgary, Alb., while on a business trip East, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dowling, 127 West St. Mrs. Coombs, sister of Mrs. Lloyd Harris, who was a visitor in town last year, writes to Brantford friends in a most entertaining manner of the German air raid over London, in which 32 enemy machines participated. Mrs. Coombs was one of the victims of this terrible raid, which it will be remembered, was attended by great loss of life. Mr. George Macdonald, secretary of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, is spending the week-end at Burlington, owing to the illness of Mrs. Macdonald. Miss A. E. Bould, of New York City is visiting her mother, coming home via Montreal. A romance of war in which a Kingston girl becomes heiress to a fortune of \$50,000 has just been unfolded in the death of Private Galloway, who enlisted at Toronto and went overseas with the 22nd Battalion. Pte. Galloway was wounded and ordered home. He died on the hospital train Sunday, between Hamilton and Kingston. The young lady who figures in the romance is Miss Edith Villard, who for many years lived on Place d'Arms street, Kingston, but who recently moved to Napanee. Pte. Galloway met her while he was in training at Kingston previous to going overseas, and in his will, made before he went to France, left his entire estate to his girl friend. The estate consists of \$37,000 in negotiable securities, two sections of land now under cultivation in the North-West, and a herd of over one thousand sheep. Had he received \$800 a year pension, he would have been able to purchase the Victoria Cross, French Legion of Honor and Belgium Royal Victoria Cross with four bars. Mr. T. E. Convery and Master Reginald Convery, left this morning on a trip to Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo, by boat. Miss Helen Oldham is spending a few weeks at Lake Couchiching, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yeigh of Toronto. Miss Beatrice Anderson of the Post Office staff has returned from spending a couple of months in Regina and other Western cities. Mr. W. Fair is in town this week and on his way to Camp Borden, where he completes his aviation tuition. Miss Bessie Irwin, who has been the guest of her aunt, Dr. Christine Irwin, has returned to her home in Galt. Professor Morris of London, was the guest of the Rev. Mr. H. Henderson, Wellington St. Methodist parsonage. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Mackenzie, have returned from a week-end visit with their son, the Rev. A. W. Mackenzie, Lakefield. The Rev. Mr. Fotheringham, rector of Grace Church, leaves on Tuesday for Goderich, for two or three weeks' vacation. Mrs. Fotheringham and children are already there. Miss Margaret Cocksbutt returned on Thursday from visiting her uncle Mr. George Drummond at his country residence, St. Bruno, near Montreal. Mrs. Bruce Walker and Miss Marjorie Walker have left for Brantford and other points east, travelling via the Great Lakes—Windsor Saturday Post. Capt. H. V. Duggan formerly quartermaster of the 84th Battalion when stationed in Brantford has now been appointed to Hospital duty in England. Lt. Norman Greer, Brantfordites will be interested to know has been gazetted to the Imperial Army after four months at Aldershot in now in France. Letters were received from him from there this week. Miss Margaret Acres of St. Catharines was a week-end visitor in town the guest of Miss Kathleen Reville. She left on Monday for Goderich in company with Miss Dorothy Herrick of St. Catharines. Mrs. Acres has a summer cottage at Goderich. Mrs. F. C. Harp and Miss Tatterall left at the beginning of the week for Montreal where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hugh Bullen, at their summer home on Lake St. Francis, Quebec.

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NEWS OF NORFOLK

Simcoe Students Successful In Junior Matriculation Exams.

CAMPAIGN OF THRIFT Women of County Discuss Methods of Launching Campaign

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS Work of Repairing Trunk Sewer Goes on Rather Slowly

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Simcoe, Aug. 11.—(From Our Own Correspondent)—Of the three students of Simcoe High School who wrote for Junior Matriculation Helena M. Boles passed the full examination and Annie E. Gunton qualified in part III.

To Launch The Thrift Campaign. Following up suggestions of the Executive committee of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Organization of Resources Committee appointed at the Toronto convention recently, Mrs. T. E. Langford and Miss Haddow, delegates from Simcoe met heads of various local Women's Organizations last evening at the council chamber to discuss methods of promoting thrift and conservation of food locally.

There were present, Mrs. Rupert Simpson, Regent, and Mrs. W. B. Tomlinson, secretary of the I. O. D., Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Pres. of St. Paul's Missionary Soc., Miss P. Matthews, vice-pres., Women's Institute; Mrs. Eben Edwards, pres. Baptist W. M. S.; Mrs. A. Hicks, vice-pres. Anglican Miss. Soc.; Miss Annie Miller, Pres. Baptist Young Ladies' Mission Band.

The ladies declined the offer of a free demonstrator on home canning of vegetables, on the grounds that the class of women who require instruction would not attend. An effort will be made to secure Miss Templeton Armstrong, of Port Rowan for an evening lecture to housewives.

Local clergymen will be asked to call attention of their congregations to the urgent necessity for thrift as an aid to the victorious termination of the war.

Good Roads Scheme Approved. County Clerk, E. Boughner has received notice that the county-council's bylaw for the construction of good roads has been approved by the lieutenant-governor-in-council.

Knocked at the Wrong Door. Mr. G. O. Werrett, secretary of the local retailers' association received recently a communication from Headquarters requesting him to get the merchants together and ascertain if they are in a position to assist the country at this serious time and if so to forward the names of employees who could be released to be placed where they could assist in farm work in Ontario. The letter stated that transportation would be arranged and farmers would pay the highest possible wage.

Mr. Werrett's reply gives the situation here tersely and truly. "Dear Sir:—Your communication re harvest help of Aug. 7th date, requesting that a meeting of the local merchants be called in regard to this matter, to hand.

In reply I would say that I have not in touch with a number of our merchants and they all report that they are either running with women help or short handed.

In many of our stores there is the proprietor with only women as help. Having recruited the 133rd Batta, the man power of the stores here has dwindled to almost the vanishing point.

We are sorry to be unable to give assistance at this particular time, we are finding it difficult to find even competent female help, the demand for their services being so great."

G. O. Werrett, Secretary. Simcoe Branch R. H. A.

The Fire and Light committee and Fire Commissioner W. G. Jackson, had a long conference with the brigade last evening in the town hall, and made considerable progress in the matter of getting an organization perfected.

Alderman Jaques, chairman of the Fire and Light committee took the chair with an evident determination to sit there till some progress was made, and it was made. Commissioner Jackson is the council's representative over the Fire Brigade. His duties are clearly defined, and though not to be considered as director of operations at a fire, should he take a hand in so doing, his will be supported. He is responsible to the council for the organization of the brigade and the care of the equipment, and through him as secretary of the brigade all communications come to council. The men ballot for their officers and for new men subject to the approval of council. P. Kendall is Chief and in control of all operations of the brigade. He is responsible to the Commissioner, as to the discipline of the men and the care of the apparatus. Wm. Stewart is first assistant chief and Frank Coates second assistant chief. The terms "Captain" and "Lieutenant" were not in favor among the men. The chief retains his former office as treasurer of the brigade fund.

WOULD CHRIST BE A CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR TODAY?

"No," Says Master of Balliol College; An Historical Incongruity

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Aug. 10.—The Tribune this morning publishes the following: London, Aug. 9.—The master of Balliol College was asked at a public meeting to-day this question: "If Jesus Christ was on earth today, was under forty years of age and not in holy orders, do you think he would be engaged in making German widows, or would he prefer to be in prison for holding conscientious objections?"

The master answered the young man: "There are many historical incongruities which are being suggested by imagining this, that or the other thing. For instance, Julius Caesar at a telephone. Can you imagine any religious leader or any other religious things done to children for whom he was responsible, and not do all he could to prevent them?"

speaking this week in whispers behind closed doors. Canning green peas is over for the season and the factory is now working on cherries, string beans and dry beans. Work on the dry beans was resumed yesterday on a large scale. (August subscriptions are now overdue. You were doubtless out when called on. Kindly remit.)

DATES OF FALL FAIRS

- Alisa Craig Oct. 5
Amherstburg Oct. 9, 10
Amherstburg Oct. 1, 2
Atwood Sept. 18, 19
Ancaster Sept. 18, 19
Beamsville Sept. 21, 22
Blenheim Oct. 2, 3
Bowmanville Sept. 20, 21
Bothwell's Corners Sept. 18, 19
Brampton Sept. 21, 22
Brighton Oct. 13, 14
Burlington Sept. 17, 18
Brookville Aug. 20, 23
Burford Oct. 2, 3
Caledonia Oct. 11, 12
Collingwood Aug. 24, 25
Collingwood Sept. 19, 21
Campbellford Sept. 25, 26
Cayuga Sept. 25, 26
Charlton Sept. 26, 27
Chatham Sept. 20, 21
Chatham Sept. 18, 20
Chesley Sept. 18, 19
Colborne Sept. 11, 12
Comber Sept. 28, 29
Dorchester Station Sept. 27, 28
Drumbo Sept. 25, 26
Dunnville Sept. 13, 14
Durham Sept. 20, 21
Elmira Sept. 24, 25
Embo Oct. 4
Essex Sept. 18, 20
Fergus Sept. 26, 27
Fleisherton Thanksgiving Day
Florence Oct. 4, 5
Forest Oct. 10, 11
Fore Erie Oct. 9, 10
Galt Oct. 4, 5
Georgetown Oct. 3, 4
Glencoe Sept. 25, 26
Goderich Sept. 26, 28
Haldimand Sept. 10, 11
Highgate Oct. 12, 13
Ingersoll Oct. 1, 2
Jarvis Sept. 25, 26
Kincardine Sept. 20, 21
Kirkton Oct. 4, 5
Kingston Sept. 25, 27
Lakeside Sept. 27
Lambeth Sept. 26
Leamington Sept. 7-15
Lidgerton Sept. 27, 28
Lucknow Sept. 27, 28
Listowel Sept. 20, 21
Madoc Oct. 2, 3
Meaford Sept. 20, 21
Melbourne Oct. 2
Midland Sept. 27, 28
Mildmay Sept. 17, 18
Milton Oct. 9, 10
Milverton Sept. 27, 28
Mount Brydges Oct. 5
Mount Forest Sept. 19, 20
New Hamburg Sept. 13, 14
Norwich Sept. 25, 26
Norwood Oct. 9, 10
Ottawa (Central Canada) Sept. 8-17
Oshweken Oct. 3-5
Onondaga Oct. 1, 2
Paisley Sept. 25, 26
Palmerston Sept. 18, 19
Paris Sept. 27, 28
Parkhill Sept. 24, 25
Petrolia Sept. 20, 21
Ridgeway Oct. 9-10
Ripley Sept. 25, 26
Rodney Oct. 1, 2
Sarnia Sept. 25, 26
Seaford Sept. 20, 21
Shedden Sept. 19
Simcoe Oct. 8-10
Stratford Sept. 17-19
Tara Oct. 2, 3
Tavistock Oct. 2, 3
Teeswater Oct. 2, 3
Thamesville Oct. 2, 3
Theford Sept. 20, 21
Thorndale Sept. 24, 25
Tiverton Sept. 13, 14
Toronto (C. N. E.) Aug. 25 Sept. 10
Wallaceburg Sept. 26
Wallacetown Sept. 20, 21
Wainfording Oct. 2, 3
Ward Oct. 1-3
Welland Sept. 14, 15
Weston Sept. 14, 15
Winham Centre Sept. 25
Wheatley Oct. 1, 2
Winton Sept. 25, 26
Windsor Sept. 24-27
Wingham Oct. 9, 10
Woodstock Sept. 19-20
Wyoming Oct. 4, 5
Zurich Sept. 19, 20

MARKETS

VEGETABLES

- Cucumbers .05 to 0.10
Vegetable marrow .010 to 0.15
Tomatoes per lb .010 to 0.25
Radishes, bunch .5c, 3 for 10c
Rhubarb .3 for 10c
Lettuce, bunch .3 for 10c
Beans, green .015 to 0.25
Potatoes, large basket 0.50 to 0.50
Potatoes, small basket 0.35 to 0.35
Peas, green, shelled, per quart .020 to 0.20
Peas, peck .040 to 0.40
Celery .005 to 0.08
Turnips, basket .030 to 0.30
Fennel, bottle .010 to 0.15
Cabbage, each .05 to 0.15
Cabbage, doz. .200 to 2.00
Onions, pk. .075 to 0.80
Onions, bunch .005 to 0.05

FRUITS

- Cherries box .2 for 0.25
Cherries, basket .075 to 1.00
Strawberries .025 to 0.25
Red Currants, box .125
Black Currants, box .015 to 0.13
Black Raspberries, box 0.20 to 0.20
Red Raspberries, box .20 to 0.20
Gooseberries, box .012 to 0.13

DAIRY PRODUCTS

- Butter, dairy, per lb .042 to 0.43
Butter, creamery .041 to 0.44
Eggs .045 to 0.46

MISCELLANEOUS

- Old hay \$12.00 to \$14.00
New Hay \$9.00 to \$11.00

MEATS

- Bacon, side .034 to 0.38
Bacon, back .036 to 0.40
Beef, per lb .015 to 0.34
Beef, hinds .014 to 0.13
Chickens, lb. .016 to 0.17
Ducks .050 to 1.00
Dry salt pork .030 to 0.28
Dressed pork .022 to 0.27
Kidneys .010 to 0.11
Lamb .028 to 0.35
Live Hogs .18.00 to 0.00
Smoked shoulders .040 to 0.24
Chickens, each .090 to 1.00
Chickens, spring, pair .150 to 1.50

MARKETS

AT A GLANCE

(Written especially for the Brantford Courier.) News of the Exchanges Bethlehem Steel—The Wall St Journal states that Bethlehem Steel is now doing an average monthly business of over \$20,000,000 and, in view of the fact that much of this business is for the U. S. Government and payment of Government contracts being so slow, the present working capital is insufficient for the monthly turnover and, it is considered that some new financing is the very near future is quite essential.

Associated Gold Fields, Limited: Work on the property of the Associated Gold Fields at Larder Lake is going ahead very rapidly and, the main shaft is now down something over 400 feet. The company owns over 2,000 acres of valuable mining lands and the ore bodies, so far, have been very large.

Great Northern: Great Northern reports July gross \$8,089,011, increase \$439,765; from last. \$45,002,498, increase \$4,597,258.

Cosden and Company: Cosden and Company will make an offer of about 640,000 shares of stock to stockholders of record August 14th, at \$10.00 a share, which offer will be underwritten by a syndicate to be formed by Hallgarten and Co., New York and Cassett and Company, Philadelphia. The privilege to subscribe will expire on August 30th.

Alaska Gold Mines: Alaska Gold Mines Company reports for six months ended June 30 last net operating profit of \$227,237, before deduction of interest on debentures, bonds, and floating indebtedness, compared with net operating of \$451,026 in full year of 1916, and \$278,771 in 1915.

The Hot Weather Test makes people better acquainted with their resources of strength and endurance. Many find they need Dodd's Sarsaparilla which invigorates the blood, promotes refreshing sleep and over-come that tired feeling.

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ARRESTS IN

Continued from Page One There were about 600 aliens on the list yet to be examined when the members of the board were removed last night by the order of President Wilson "because of irregularities" after an investigation for the last few days of the department of justice. The order of removal which came from the state adjutant-general at Albany, concluded as follows:

KILLED IN QUEBEC. Quebec, Aug. 11.—As a result of a row near the C. P. R. station last night, a man named James O'Neill died at the Hotel Dieu Hospital this city early this morning. A letter was found in his pocket addressed to James O'Neill and dated from Montreal. A carter has been arrested as a witness.

U. S. UNDER BLACKLIST Berlin, Aug. 11.—The Bundesrath, or federal council, has passed a measure prohibiting Germans from making payments to citizens or residents of the United States.

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NEW YORK STOCKS There are some stocks listed on the New York Exchange which are an excellent buy on this reaction. Phone us for information.

CANOEING ACCIDENT Nelson, B.C., Aug. 11.—E. F. Rigby was drowned and J. Carson is missing as the result of a canoeing accident last night in Kootenay Lake. Both men are patients at the Balfour Sanitarium for Returned Soldiers. Hope of finding Carson alive is slight.

Advertisement for LUX soap featuring an illustration of a woman and child. Text: 'HERE'S a luxury within the reach of everyone—a hair-bath in the whipped-cream-like lather that LUX makes in hot water. Your hair takes on a soft, luminous silken quality that makes it a crown of beauty indeed. The scalp is stimulated, your head refreshed. LUX makes water soft as summer rain. These wet-satin-smooth flakes of the purest essence of soap dissolve absolutely in hot water so that not the tiniest particle of soap can remain to clog the pores. (Try it to-night.)' Includes 'Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto' and 'at all grocers'.

Vertical advertisement for 'ANNUAL BEST SALE' featuring 'Rugs', 'Curtains', and 'Carpets'. Includes prices like '\$11.69', '\$9.69', '\$6.69', '\$4.69', '\$2.75', '\$1.75'. Also mentions 'Reduced' and '55c'.

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Saturday, Aug. 11th, 1917.

THE SITUATION.

With better weather the Allied forces, both British and French, are commencing to gain more ground on the Flanders front. Not much of an advance, it is true, but one which is in the right direction. Westhoek and the remaining German positions on the ridge at that point are now in the hands of the British, and the French have also made slight headway, although in the neighborhood of St. Quentin Berlin claims that some trenches have been taken. The Hunns suffered very heavy losses in connection with this attack.

The Canadians have made further raids in the Lens sector and reached the enemy's support trenches which they found lightly held and badly battered. They did not proceed further, as it will require very heavy forces to take Lens itself.

Russo-Romanian troops repulsed fog attacks in the Trotus Valley and then made counter attacks which resulted in the capture of some prisoners and guns. The Germans also claim successes in this region and it would seem to be clear that they are making marked progress despite their vallant but comparatively small efforts to restrain them.

The Russian embassy at Washington has received a despatch from Petrograd contradicting press despatches as to the poor state of health of Kerensky, and affirming that he "is physically equal to his responsibilities." This is good news.

Lord Robert Cecil, discussing Great Britain's war expenditure, stated that from April 1, 1914, to August 4, 1917, the expenditure had been \$26,378,000,000. The sum of \$510,000,000 was now being raised yearly by direct taxation and \$2,325,000 by indirect taxation.

THE SILENT FORCE.

The party manipulators who swung the Liberal convention at Winnipeg—in appearance at any rate—in a direction the rank and file did not desire, no doubt think that they accomplished a very clever thing but did they?

The truth of all political history, in Canada as in others lands in which constitutional government prevails, is that the wire pullers last only so long as the bulk of the people say so.

It is natural of course for men to stick to the party affiliations with which they have been identified and some do that no matter what happens, but a large number of others quietly go to the polls and vote against their former leaders if they think that the time has arrived for such a step. For the most part they do not openly make the break but that many follow such a course is abundantly proved by the changes of government which take place.

That has been true in the Dominion of Conservative as well as Liberal administrations.

In 1888 when Laurier first attained power that fact was not due so much to anything which he had to offer as to the circumstance that after the death of Sir John Macdonald there was more or less dissension among the Conservative leaders and Sir Charles Tupper, who had come over from the High Commissioner in England to occupy the post of chief, failed to stem the tide despite herculean efforts.

In the same way but for a very different reason, to wit arrant corruption, the Ross Government was swept from power in Ontario by an outraged public opinion, and Laurier went under because in the matter of his reciprocity proposals, he had coolly ignored popular sentiment and had not even conferred with his own colleagues.

In like manner, Graham, and Oliver and other wire pullers in the present crisis are seeking to manipulate conventions and crying out that all is well on behalf of Laurier and his anti-conscription attitude, while they conveniently ignore the undoubted fact that there are thousands of men in the ranks who will not be dragged into shooting their eyes as the basis of settling what the White Plumed Knight will give them, in war matters, should he attain office?

They and their leader may hug the delusion to themselves that Quebec traitorous dictation is going to prevail and that Canadians will be made to appear in the eyes of the world as an apostate people, but they are

reckoning without the great silent force of the men and the women who will see to it, when the test comes, that Canada acquits herself as the greatest overseas Dominion should.—That she will be ranged on behalf of the brave lads at the front and declare herself, without any half measures, on behalf of the God given right of human liberty.

MACHINE LED

The Hamilton Herald (Independent), during the course of an editorial on the Liberal convention in Winnipeg, says:—

"There are evidences that the convention was manipulated by the machine. It appeared to be free and spontaneous in the opening stages. In fact, it appeared that no limits were fixed, and everything from hereditary titles to Dominion-wide prohibition and women's rights could be freely discussed. The only subject under the ban seemed to be the question of leadership. It was perhaps the first political convention where the party had been under recognized leadership in which the leader was kept so carefully in the background. Then in a graduated scale until the climax was reached, the sentiments of the convention were worked up into an enthusiastic endorsement of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the closing hours. It indicates that there were careful and skillful stage directors in the background."

IN GOOD STYLE

Uncle Sam was mighty slow in the matter of getting into the war, but once he got started his strides savored very much of the seven leagued boot variety.

As a matter of course, he has had the valuable experience of other countries to guide him, but that aside, the steps taken have been most vigorous and comprehensive.

The first army draft was well conceived and executed and the advance of large sums to the Allies was another timely move.

Since then signal alertness has been shown in all other directions. President Wilson has been the guiding and the compelling force, and he has certainly disclosed himself as a strong man, far beyond what seem to be predicted during his letter writing era.

Among other things, he insisted that one man should be food controller. Congress wanted a committee, with the delays and the cross purposes which such a plan would have inevitably involved, but Wilson stood firm and Hoover, thoroughly well qualified by his experience in Belgium has charge. The edict which he has at once issued, backed by the President, is such as will cause the profiteers and others of that tribe, to sit up and take notice.

In the United States Senate yesterday, Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance Committee, had charge of a bill proposing over two billion dollars in direct taxation, and during the debate he remarked that it was proposed to spend ten billion dollars this year on war purposes. By this time the Hohenzollerns will be just about ready to withdraw the gaucers with which they first regarded the entry of our neighbors into the struggle.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Not having made enough noise with their mouths Quebec traitors are now trying explosives.

The Liberal convention in Toronto was held behind closed doors and a false report given out; that at Winnipeg was held in the open but results manipulated. Small wonder the rank and file are dissatisfied.

CASE DROPPED

Petrograd, Aug. 11.—The case against General Gurko, former commander of the Russian armies on the southwestern front, who recently was arrested on political charges, has been dropped. His offense was committed prior to the enactment of the law giving amnesty for political offenses. As yet, however, Gen. Gurko has not been released from prison.

AN ORIENTAL ORDER

By Courier Leased Wire. Boston, Aug. 11.—Sheiks and tribesmen from Sanitoriums in Canada and the United States gathered here for the annual convention of the Oriental Order of Humility and Perfection to be in session for five days. The Order is composed of members of the Independent Order of Oddfellows and is designed "to strengthen the bond of love and fellowship."

ADDITIONAL DUTIES.

By Courier Leased Wire. Melbourne, Australia, Aug. 11.—Additional customs and excise duties were announced by the Australian Government to-day. The chief increases in the customs are three shillings a gallon on imported spirits and one penny a gallon on excise on beer. This it is estimated will increase the revenue 600,000 pounds.

STEAMER SAFE.

By Courier Leased Wire. Kingston, Ont., Aug. 11.—The Steamer T. J. Waffle is safe at Duck Island, her owners, the James Swift Company announce to-day. She left for Fair Haven Tuesday night and was caught in mid-lake in the terrible storm of Wednesday morning, but made port at Duck Island and has been lying there since.



Men often remain away from church because of a misunderstanding regarding its terms of admission, its character, its membership, its form of government, or its doctrines. All of these subjects readily lend themselves to publicity treatment and may serve as the basis of an advertising campaign, particularly through paid advertising in the daily newspapers.—Editor Christian Herald.

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3 p.m. Sunday school and Bible classes.
7 p.m. Evening prayer and Sermon.
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Mr. Alfred Drury will preach at both services. Seats free. Strangers and visitors always welcome.

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Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Henderson, Pastor.
10 a.m., Quarterly Fellowship Service in the lecture room. 11 a.m.—Public service. Brief sermon by the pastor followed by communion service. Mrs. Frank Leeming will sing.
2.45 p.m., Sunday School for old and young. 7 p.m., public service in Zion Church. Dr. Henderson will preach. Soloists will be Mrs. Frank Leeming and Mr. Chas. Darwen of Toronto. Thomas Darwen, A.T.C.M., Organist and Chormaster.

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7 p.m.—Zion Church.
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Evening solo by Mr. W. T. Millard.
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Subject for Sunday, 7 p.m. "The things concerning the Kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ."
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44 George street. Service Sunday 11 a.m. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading room every day except Sunday. 2.30 to 4.30 p.m. Subject, Sunday, Aug. 12th, "Spirit."

HOOPER DE-CLARES WAR On Profiteering in the United States He and President Will Exercise Their Great Powers

Washington, Aug. 10.—Herbert C. Hoover was named formally as Food Administrator to-day by President Wilson under authority vested in him by Congress, and immediately served notice on speculators and profiteers that the time of reckoning for those who would not co-operate in the efforts of the Government to obtain lower prices for the consumer and help supply the allies of America in the war against Germany had come.

With the full approval of the President, obtained after a long conference at the White House last night, Mr. Hoover announced that the food administration would not hesitate to apply to the full the drastic and coercive powers that Congress had granted. It was at the same time a warning to those who had engaged in gambling with the food supply and to extortion that the United States Government, through its food administration, was the only agency which could hope to successfully corner the food market.

That action, through power of purchase or otherwise, it was broadly intimated, would be followed out if the best interests of the people of the country and their allies demanded it. Among the first steps to be taken, Mr. Hoover announced, would be the control of wheat and flour.

The rapidly with which the President and Mr. Hoover acted to-day was accepted as proof that there would be no hesitancy upon the part of the Government to use in full the great powers conferred by the food control law. The bill was signed by Speaker Clark in the House at 12.03 o'clock and by Senator Salisbury, Vice-President pro tem. of the Senate, at 12.13 o'clock. Then it was

rushed to the President, who added his approval early in the afternoon and announced the appointment of Hoover to the post. While he used strong words, he expressed the hope that all would co-operate with him.

By a queer coincidence, to-day was Mr. Hoover's forty-third birthday. The President sent him as a gift the pen with which he signed the food control bill.

In his statement Mr. Hoover outlined the lines of the allies of America, and the great part which he believed the consumers as well as the producers could play in alleviating suffering and distress. With proper co-operation and exercise of the unusual powers granted by the food bill, he felt sure the situation could be met. The powers, he said, would be used to protect honest and patriotic men against those who saw fit to gamble on the sufferings of others.

PRICES REGULATED.
By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Aug. 11.—The minister of food supplies presided yesterday at a meeting of the beer-selling industries, at which an agreement was reached concerning the barley trade in order to stop speculation and bring back malt beer to a reasonable price. As a result of the agreement, the barley henceforth may only be bought by a ministerial committee which will divide according to the needs of the various districts.

The price of barley has been fixed at 43 francs per hundred weight and the price of malt will not exceed 85 francs per hundred weight. The price of malt has been 160 francs. The lowering of the price on malt will result in reducing the price of beer proportionately.

News Notes
A million-dollar airplane factory is to be erected at the Philadelphia navy yard inside 100 days. It will have a capacity for 1,000 machines a year.

Fifty-seven American warehouses certify they have 1,477,080,000 eggs in storage now, an increase of 127 million over the corresponding date last year.

The United Master Butchers of America, in session at Minneapolis, recommended the establishment of two meatless days weekly, and urged Food Controller Hoover to investigate fish prices.

Less than 12 per cent. of American school children have normal vision according to a statement by Dr. C. B. Aveggen, of Colfax, Wash., in which he claimed that most of the existing blindness could have been prevented.

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FIREMEN'S HOLIDAYS. Fireman Ed. Ribbey, of the Central Station, returned this morning from a week's holidays. Fire Lieutenant Kelly, of the East End Department, takes his vacation next week.

AN INCREASE. During the quarter from April 1st to June 30th, the quantity of business that passed through the local postoffice exceeded by about ten per cent the amount for the corresponding period of 1916.

JOINS A. M. C. Lloyd E. Verity, who has completed his third year in medicine, at Toronto University, has decided to enter the Army Medical Corps, and will be reported at Montreal on the 18th of this month. He expects to be a surgeon apprentice on one of the vessels in the navy.

FOOTBALL. At a meeting of members of the Brantford and Paris Football league last night, two teams were formed to play a series of games during the summer and fall, with teams from the Hamilton and Toronto Soccer leagues, in order to keep the old game alive until after the war. Mr. John Hill was elected president of the association.

POLICE COURT. Charlie Lake, who had imbibed too copiously of the forbidden nectar of the gods, and who was celebrating his enjoyment of celestial bliss, was arrested in the middle of his revelry on Nelson street last night at about half past eleven by Constable Diamond. He appeared in the police court until Monday for further evidence.

THE MARKET. There was an abundance of vegetables on the local market this morning, but in spite of the good supply there was no reduction in prices. Raspberries were plentiful and of a splendid quality but there was a sharp advance in price of three cents per box, and twenty cents per box was demanded of purchasers to-day. Butter and eggs were a few cents dearer also. New potatoes are now being offered for sale at from fifty to fifty-five cents for a large basket, and are an excellent quality.

INCREASE. Welcome word has been received in the city from the postal department of the Dominion government that the rate of pay for temporary employees in the postal service has been increased. Temporary clerks, and mail carriers will now receive \$2.50 per day, and as many of the men are married, the increase will be appreciated as an assistance in keeping with the ever increasing cost of living. Formerly the temporary mail carriers received \$2.00 per day while the clerks were paid \$600.00 a year. Before the war there was keen competition for these positions in the government service, but latterly returned soldiers have been exclusively favored. All the vacancies on the local post office staff have been filled with returned men. There are six clerks and two mail carriers who have returned after discharging their duties overseas and who will benefit by the action of the postal department. As yet there has been no relief for the permanent men, but it is expected that they will receive a bonus to aid them in meeting higher expenses. The increase that has been granted the temporary helpers takes effect from the 1st of August.

ATTO UPST. By Courier Leased Wire. Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 1.—K. Tarris was killed and Clarence Sutherland badly injured yesterday in the upset of an automobile near North Battleford. Both men were from Waseca, Sask.

President Wilson has commissioned Harry C. Gilbert, the first drafted man to qualify in the national army. Twenty-eight New York State electric railway companies are applying for permission to increase fares from five to six cents.

THE STRATFORD BOYS

Have a Proud Record at the Front All Doing Splendidly For King and Country

Judge Hardy is in receipt of a letter from Captain Arthur Stratford, of the Bedfordshire regiment, who is now serving in East Africa, attached to the King's African Rifles. He was severely wounded in the early fighting on the Western front. Many old Brantford friends will be pleased to learn that the Stratford boys, who have been largely in the thick of it are doing their full share for King and Country.

George, of the Princess Patricia's, who was twice wounded, after some months in hospital in England, has gone back to the front, and on his return was granted a commission as Lieut. in that famous regiment.

Harold, Lieut. of the 125th, who had been invalided home, expects to shortly rejoin his regiment. Joseph, now Captain in the Fort Carry Horse, First Canadian Cavalry Brigade, has lately been on active duty on the Western front.

John, who enlisted in Calgary, in the 56th Battalion, was for seven days continuously in the fierce fighting at Vimy Ridge. He was twice wounded, but is now again with his battalion.

A. R. CLUB GROWING

Co-operation between the A. R. club and the War Veterans of this city was assured last evening at the meeting of the former body, when C. S. Vansickle and Capt. J. R. Goposters, and was also conducted a gathering of some fifty men, upon their common aims and objects toward war winning. Both organizations will work together to ensure the success of the G. W. V. A. field day on Labor Day, while the A. R. men will assist in other ways in the establishment of the clubhouse for returned soldiers here.

In order to perfect the organization of the A. R. club, ward chairmen were appointed to conduct campaigns throughout the city for men eligible for enrollment, and the following being placed in charge:

Ward 5, T. W. Clark; Ward 4, E. Bingham; Ward 3, J. L. Murphy; Ward 2, Harry Bremner; Ward 1, F. C. Bodley. At next week's meeting the examination and enrollment of members will be proceeded with in earnest. A day meeting will also be conducted for the purpose of rejecting men in the city who may be doing night work.

The service flag proposed by the Rotary club was approved by the meeting.

Obituary

J. Neilson. Death came suddenly to John Neilson, a well known and widely respected resident of this city, last night at his home, 54 Huron street. The deceased had been engaged in cutting the grass on the lawn around his residence, when he was suddenly taken ill, and collapsed. He was taken into the house and died shortly after. He was for twenty years secretary of Harmony Lodge, I.O.O.F., was a member of the Ancient Order of Foresters, and was also connected with the Knights of Pythias when that fraternal order was existing. The deceased was sixty-eight years of age, and is survived by a wife and grown up family. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from the family residence, 54 Huron street, to Mount Hope cemetery.

Laid at Rest

Margaret Rainey. The funeral of Margaret Rainey, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rainey, took place from the family residence, 26 House avenue, on Thursday afternoon at Mount Hope cemetery. She leaves a father and mother, four brothers and two sisters, to mourn her loss: George, John, Mary, David, Leslie and Jean. The funeral service was conducted by Mr. A. Lundy and Mr. W. J. Craig. A large number of friends were in attendance. The pall-bearers were: Mr. Wm. Elliott, Mr. J. Russell, Mr. Hawley, Mr. Farmer, Mr. Oliver, Mr. Wallace. The floral tributes were: Pillow, the family; Harp, Employees of Pratt and Letchworth Co.; Wreath, Missionary Study Class of Bethel Hall. Sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis and Jean; staff, of E. B. Crompton and Co., Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. F. Newitt, Mr. Jas. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Hawley, and Hazel; Mr. and Mrs. R. Conway, Mr. W. L. McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliott, Mrs. B. J. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and Ariel; Mabel, Hazel and Jack Harwood, Mrs. Clement and S. S. Glass of Bethel Hall, Mrs. Grant, Miss Violet Hull, Mrs. Danner and Bessie, Mrs. Bacon and Grace, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doughty, Mr. and Mrs. H. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Rowley, Miss L. Forgie, Mr. and Mrs. Busby, Mr. and Mrs. Art Pickles, Mr. and Mrs. Rainsbottom, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herbert and family.

The remains of a Zeppelin brought down during a raid on London have arrived at New York in the hold of a cargo boat. The American Red Cross having been reorganized on a military basis, ex-President Taft is now gazetted a full-fledged major-general.

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OLD BRANTFORD BOY

Would Seem To Bear A Charmed Life Bullet and Steel Mirror Deflected A Bullet

The following taken from the Welland Telegraph, refers to a young soldier who was born in this city and has many relatives here:—

"Douglas Watt, son of J. F. Watt, Merritt street, one of the Welland boys with the machine gun battalion (Gott Mit Uns)" The shrapnel fragment that wounded Douglas hit this buckle and penetrated it, and no doubt some of its force at least was spent as it passed through.

But Douglas had another experience, more strange still, and not so painful. To his Bible and his pocket mirror he owes his life. The Bible and the mirror were carried in his breast pocket. A German bullet went through the Bible, and then through touching him. The mirror is of solid steel, such as the boys at the front use. The bullet twisted a hole through it. "Mr. Watt yesterday received by mail, the German buckle, the Bible, the mirror and its leather case."

Bowling

Four rinks of Brantford Club Bowlers paid a friendly visit to the Dufferin Bowling Club on Friday evening Aug. 10. The score of game was as follows:

- Dufferins Brantford Club. C. H. Benson Dr. Hart J. Wilson N.E. Watson 20 Burke D. Adams G. Broadbent D. J. Mabon 14 A. McAdam D. J. Waterous J. G. Townsend A. Bixel G. Higgin Col Howard O. Morris 29 E. C. Tench 12 A. F. Wicks S. Burnley G. G. Scott J. Cohog R. C. Burns W. E. Turnbull S. G. Bull 11 H. R. Howie 27 Dufferins up 11.

SOAP SOARING.

The ultra fastidious will be most affected by the most recent flanking manoeuvre of the General High Cost of Living. Toilet soaps of all kinds are the latest objective, and these are advancing rapidly in price with no indication of a cessation. The shaving soap used by barbers which formerly sold for thirty five cents, can now only be purchased at fifty five and there is a strong prospect of a further increase. Toilet soaps have advanced from five to ten cents a cake on all varieties, and plain bars of castile which at one time had a market value of twenty-five cents are now forty and fifty cents.

Russ Official

Petrograd, Aug. 11.—Austro-German attacks yesterday in the region of the villages of Vyden, Voloskiy and Glescht, on the northern Rumanian front, were repulsed by the Russians, says the official statement issued to-day by the Russian war department, and the Tzentsou were driven across the Putna River.

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HEAVY ATTACK

Continued from Page One. British were more successful. Here two hours of drum fire from Murket to Frezenburg was the prelude to violent infantry attacks in the sector between Drabank and Saint Julien. The chief effort was concentrated south of the Boesinghe and Langemarck railway, where the British established themselves on the west bank of the Steenbeek.

Paris, Aug. 11.—North of St. Quentin French troops last night made important progress in the region of Favenot, says the official statement given out to-day by the French war department. The French ejected the Germans from a large part of the terrain which they had captured on the night of August 9-10.

In the Champagne, the Germans launched several attacks over a front of nearly two miles in the region of Canillet and an one point succeeded in penetrating the French advanced trenches. In an energetic counter-attack, the French station-

Sub Sunk.

A Canadian Port, Aug. 11.—Officers on board a steamer which reached here to-day tell of an encounter with a submarine on the trip across the Atlantic in the undersea boat was sunk. The meeting took place near the Irish coast. The lookout man notified the captain that a small sailing vessel was acting suspiciously. It was watched carefully and a submarine was seen to emerge from behind it. The gunner on the steamer had his weapon prepared and directly the submarine showed itself he fired. He hit the undersea boat with his first shot. A second struck the conning tower and a third turned the submarine over and it began a nose dive. Its crew clambered

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LORD ATHELSTAN'S VILLA DAMAGED BY DYNAMITE The picture shows the summer home of Lord Athelstan, at Cartiersville, Quebec, Lord Athelstan, Lady Athelstan, in the centre, and Hon. Alice Athelstan. Four or five sticks of dynamite were exploded under the sleeping quarters of the house. Nobody was injured. The dynamiting followed the receipt by his Lordship of threatening letters warning him that the passing of Conception would be succeeded within ten days by his death.

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HOTSON—On Friday, Aug. 10th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Hotson, 17 Fleet St., a daughter, Dorothy Marion.

DIED

NEILSON—In Brantford, on Fri-day, August 10, 1917, John R. Neilson, aged 68 years. The funeral will take place from his late residence, 54 Huron St., on Mon-day afternoon, August 13th, at 3 o'clock, to Mount Hope cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

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British Labor Party to Attend Conference

Delegates To Be Sent To Convention of Socialists In Stockholm; To Consult On Peace Terms Only

London, Aug. 11.—Decision to send delegates to the International Socialist Peace conference at Stock-holm in September was arrived at by the Labor party yesterday after only a brief discussion. The party to be taken by the British delegates will be merely consultative, and conclu-sions reached will not be binding. William Purdy, chairman of the Labor party, presided, and opened yesterday's conference by saying: "The labor movement has given its best to ensure to the Entente al-lies a decisive victory over militar-ism, which has shown itself brutal in application, and determined to extinguish all ideals of democracy and liberty. "Labor's inflexible resolution is to see justice done and reparations made, and that still is the determina-tion of the great masses of the in-dustrial classes of the country and the colonies. "No peace will be satisfactory un-less it guarantees complete freedom from the aggression of militarism. "Our Russian comrades here all the sympathy the Labor party here can give them and there is no ques-tion of a separate peace. We must stand shoulder to shoulder until a righteous peace is obtained. We are sure our Russian comrades are not going to exchange a hard won free-dom for a sham one under the heel of Prussian militarism. "The invitation to attend the Stockholm conference deserves care-ful consideration as the decision call-ed for is probably the most import-ant in the history of the labor move-ment. Arthur Henderson, Labor member

of the British War Council, was before the party with a proposal to speak before the vote was taken. He said: "I address the conference with a deep sense of my own responsibility. It must be borne in mind that the situation in Russia is constantly changing. Otherwise injustice will be done to the merits of the case. Before I went to Russia I opposed the holding of an ordinary confer-ence. On my arrival in Petrograd, however, I was met by the executive of the Council of Workmen and Soldiers' Delegates and in view of the condition of public opinion I in-timated to them that if they were prepared to change the conference from an obligatory to a consultative one, I would recommend that the British labor movement reverse its previous decision and make a con-sultation possible. That position I maintain. "The Russians wanted a binding conference to actually discuss peace terms. I made it clear that if our representatives anticipated there could be no question of negotiating. Our case is not properly un-derstood in Russia to this day, and to have refused pointblank to con-sider the question would have done incalculable harm. The Russians still insist upon a binding confer-ence. British labor would be placed in a most dangerous position by sending delegates to such a meeting. "I still favor a consultative con-ference with a proper safeguard, to leave the decision as to that to the conference, but it should be settled from the standpoint of national in-terests and not of party."

MARSEILLAISE 124 YEARS OLD Great National Song Of France Was Written In Times of Stress

The greatest of war songs is the "Marseillaise." No song was ever written that so inspired armed hosts or so wrought vast, warm-blooded multitudes to frenzy. This great song was composed by young Ar-tillery officer, Rouget de Lisle, in 1792. Rouget was from Marseilles, which circumstance gave his song its name; but it was written at Strasbourg, where the young officer was station-ed. The time was just ripe for such a song. The bloody revolution had France in the grip of its mad and just been executed and nearly all Europe full armed, was leagued against France and her democratic government. The republican army was at the frontier of the Rhine, struggling against the combined forces of the emperors and kings. As consul and then emperor, Napo-leon feared this appeal of freedom. It would not do to have his people sing-ing of liberty and shouting death to tyrants. So he forbade its playing or singing. The sovereigns that succeeded Bonaparte were quite as unwilling as he that the people should be stirred by this song of liberty, and both Charles X. and Louis Philippe con-tinued to suppress it. Likewise Napoleon III. would not permit it to be heard. Thus it happened that three times only during the 70 years that elapsed between the rise of the first Napo-leon and the downfall of the third did this great martial air burst forth and intoxicate the French people with its fiery inspiration. Once, for a little while, it was sung when the revolution of 1830 overturned the last of the Bourbons, Charles X., and once again when, in 1848, his suc-cessor, Louis Philippe, was driven from his throne. The third time was a memorable occasion. It was in 1870, just after the war had been declared against Prussia. A great military fête oc-curred at the palace of St. Cloud. Thousands of aristocrats, officers and soldiers were gathered in its beau-tiful park and stately halls. Napoleon III., who had always before strongly forbidden the song, but who knew its thrilling effect in stirring the ardor of the people and the valor of the troops, of a sudden gave a signal to the bands, and with one accord they struck up the long-unheard "Marseillaise." A wild scene ensued. The song had struck a deep chord in every French heart, and the regiments marched away for the seat of war as its defiant strains filled the air.

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BASEBALL RECORD

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C.

Yesterday's Results Providence 5, Montreal 4; Richmond 10, Rochester 0; Toronto at Newark; Montreal at Providence; Buffalo at Baltimore; Rochester at Richmond. Games Sunday Toronto at Newark; Montreal at Providence.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C.

Yesterday's Results Washington 4, Chicago 0; Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 0; Boston 5, Detroit 4; Cleveland 8, New York 7; Chicago at Washington; St. Louis at Philadelphia; Cleveland at New York; Detroit at Boston. Games Sunday St. Louis at Detroit; Chicago at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C.

Yesterday's Results Pittsburgh 1, Philadelphia 0; Cincinnati 7, Boston 0; Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4; New York 7, St. Louis 4. Games To-day Philadelphia at Pittsburgh; Brooklyn at Chicago; New York at St. Louis. Games To-day Pittsburgh at Detroit; Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Waterford News

(From our own Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Croker, of Brantford, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith. Mr. Charles Savage has returned from a visit to his relatives in St. Thomas. Miss Ella Mayes of Brantford, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weaver. Forthcoming Waterford bowlers went to Hagerstown on Monday night for a game and were defeated by the Hagerstown bunch. Mr. C. O. Stewart returned to her home in Thorold after spending three weeks with Mrs. Watkins. Miss Vera Fleming accepted a position with the Merchants Bank, and commenced work on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanders motored to Toronto on Sunday and at-tended the funeral of a nephew. Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Slight of Brantford spent Monday in town. Mr. Gordon Cunningham of Hamilton called on old friends here this week. Several out-of-town people visited our town on Monday owing to sev-eral places observing civic holiday then. The day was beautiful, and the only cause to mar the enjoyment of the day was that the L. E. and N. cars were not on time, and caused a great deal of waiting. Mr. Will Blair of Arthur, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Savage. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stafford and children of Toronto motored here last week to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark. Miss Neva Trusdale is visiting at her home here. Miss Mabel Hartley of Brantford called on old friends on Monday. Mr. Gordon York of Chicago is visit-ing his parents, Colonel and Mrs. I. E. York. Work is getting scarce for the Na-tional Service girls, and a number have gone to their homes. There are about twenty here. Miss Bertie Watkins is spending a week at Thorold and Port Dal-house. Miss Grace Tench is a visitor in Brantford. Miss Laverne Trotter of Toronto, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. James Trotter. Mrs. I. F. McKinnon is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter at Perryburg, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. George Series are spending several days here and in the vicinity, visiting the former's brothers. Mrs. R. W. Hind and Miss M. Hill of Toronto, are guests of Mrs. A. Dalgish. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Flebig of Stratford, spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walker. Harold Wilson, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wilson. Master Horby Sovereign, of Put-man, is visiting his cousin, Master Wayne Roberts. Misses Rock Dean, and Watkins spent Thursday in Brantford. Miss Ariel Beemer of Buffalo, and

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Misses Florence, Helen and Mar-garet Sands of Detroit are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Beemer. Mrs. Wm. Batchelor returned to Toronto after spending a couple of months here. Mr. George Munce of Hamilton spent the week-end with his father, Mr. Sol Munce. A large crowd took in the Angli-can picnic at Port Dover on Thurs-day. Miss Maud Walker left this week for Toronto where she will spend a week before going on to London to her new position. Mr. Hugh McMartin has returned from Hamilton hospital where he underwent his operation. His leg is getting on nicely. Mr. Colverhouse of Hamilton, has been spending a few days with him. Mrs. G. W. Bauslaugh recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Master Kenneth Lefler has returned home after spending three weeks in Hamilton visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Robbins. Miss Clara Hillyer and Clara Col-

ver are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. F. McDonald at their summer home at Portland. Miss Florence Gall left last Satur-day for her home in Ameliasburg. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Huson and children of Brantford spent a few days this week with relatives here. A number of national service girls have left for their homes, and others are going daily. It is expected the camp will be broken up in a few days. They have done their part nobly, no matter what fell to their hands to do, whether picking fruit or hoeing or working in the factory. Mr. W. J. Church spent the first part of this week attending grand lodge at Toronto. Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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IS THE KAISER THE ANTI CHRIST? The Amazing Prophecy French Monk Present War Foretold Most Striking Manner

is the Kaiser Wilhelm of Ger-the Anti-Christ? The name of God is contin-ually on his lips, but his appeal seems not to the God of Incarnation to the tribal War God of the Jews, "our good German God, has he not us so magnificently great ally." "The Holy Spirit," the Kaiser ported to have said, in his pro-lation to his eastern army, "has ascended on me. Because I am Emperor of the Germans, I am in-strument of the Most High. Who death to those who resist my will and death to those who do believe in my mission; we are ad-wards. Let all enemies of mans perish. God demands the struc-tion." "It is an amazing fact that sac-eristics ago prophesied the com-ing of the Kaiser Anti-Christ. One of these sages was Broth-ianne, believed to have been French, the death of his father in the sixteenth century, and writings have created a profound terret throughout Europe. Allegorically, France is repres- in this astounding prediction, cock, England by a leopard, by a white eagle, Germany by a eagle and Austria by "the other bird." The authenticity of this am- document can scarcely be dor- The latin original was found a the papers of the late Adrien Pe- author of a work in three vol- on "Prophees," an editor of view named, "The Annals of the pernatral," by his son, who he translated into French and pub- in a recent issue of the Paris M. Peladan (the son) a deep- of all matters appertaining theology, found the manuscript 1844; was the death of his father more a mass of other papers de- with the gift of prophetic vision though even at that time he startled by the extraordinary ness of the picture drawn by Br- Johannes, he never thought of gain until the entrance of Eng- into the present struggle recall- claws." He rediscovered the prop- and the description of the bat- nations led him to translate it- ate to the world what readers admit is one of the most stran-

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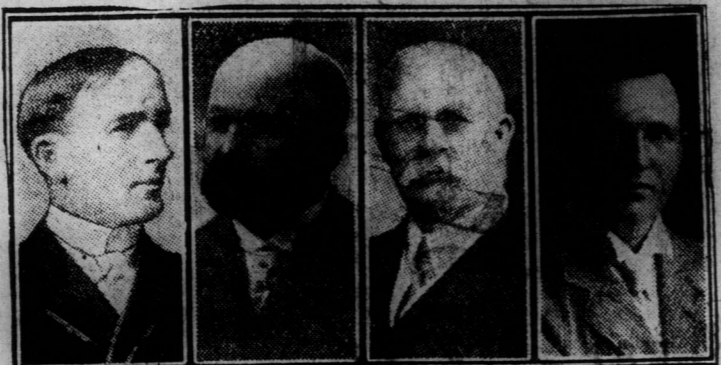
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Is the Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany the Anti-Christ?
The name of God is continually on his lips, but his appeal seems to be not to the God of Incarnation, but to the tribal War God of the Prussians, "our good German God, who has helped us so magnificently, our great ally."
"The Holy Spirit," the Kaiser is reported to have said, in his proclamation to his eastern army, "has descended on me. Because I am the Emperor of the Germans, I am the instrument of the Most High. Woe and death to those who resist my will; woe and death to those who do not believe in my mission; woe and death to those who do not believe in the Emperor of the Germans. Let all enemies of Germany perish. God demands their destruction."
It is an amazing fact that sages of centuries ago prophesied the coming of the Kaiser Anti-Christ.
One of these sages was Brother Johannes, believed to have been a French monk who lived and wrote in the sixteenth century, and whose writings have created a profound interest throughout Europe.
Allegorically, France is represented in this astounding prediction by a cock, England by a leopard, Russia by a white eagle, Germany by a black eagle and Austria by "the other eagle."
The authenticity of this amazing document can scarcely be doubted. The latin original was found among the papers of the late Adrien Peladan, author of a work in three volumes on "Prophecies," and editor of a review named, "The Annals of the Supernatural," by his son, who had translated into French and published in a recent issue of the Figaro, Paris.
M. Peladan (the son) a deep student of all matters appertaining to theology, found the manuscript in 1890, on the death of his father, among a mass of other papers dealing with the gift of prophetic vision. Although even at that time he was struck by the extraordinary vividness of the picture drawn by Brother Johannes, he never thought of it again until the entrance of England into the present struggle recalled to his mind the "leopard and his claws." He rediscovered the prophecy, and the description of the battling nations led him to translate it and give to the world what readers must admit is one of the most startling

documents relating to the present war yet published.
Full Text of Prophecy
Following is the full text of the prophecy:
1. Several times has one seemed to recognize him, because all the slayers of the lamb resemble each other, and all the wicked are the precursors of the Great Wicked One.
2. The veritable Anti-Christ will be one of the monarchs of his time, a son of Luther; he will invoke God and call himself His messenger.
3. The prince of lies will swear by the Bible; He will call himself the Arm of the most High, chastising corrupted people.
4. He will only have one arm, but his innumerable armies, who will take as their motto "God is with us," will seem like infernal legions.
5. For a long while he will act by ruse and treason; his spies will spread all over the earth, and he will be the master of the secrets of those in power.
6. He will have theologians in his pay to certify and prove his celestial mission.
7. The war will furnish him with the reason for lifting the mask. It will not be the one which he will make against the French monarch, but another which will be easily recognized by the fact that in two weeks' time it will have become universal.
8. It will call to arms all Christians, all Mahometans, and even other very distant peoples. Armies will be formed in the four parts of the world.
Christian Words—Fleishish Act
For men's minds will be opened by angels, and in the third week they will understand that this is the Anti-Christ, and that they will all become slaves if they do not trample down this conquering one.
9. The Anti-Christ will be recognizable by several marks; he will chiefly massacre priests, monks, women, children, and old people. He will show no mercy; he will pass along holding a torch like the barbarians, but invoking the name of Christ.
10. His false words will resemble

those of Nero and the Roman persecutors; there will be an eagle in his coat of arms, and there will also be one in that of his confederates, the other wicked monarch.
11. But this one is a Christian, and he will die cursed by the Pope Benedictus, who will be elected at the beginning of the reign of the Anti-Christ.
12. Priests and monks will no longer be seen confessing and absolving the combatants because for the first time priests and monks will fight with the other citizens, and also because Pope Benedictus having cursed the Anti-Christ, it will be proclaimed that all those who wage war against him will be in a state of grace, and should they die, will, like martyrs, go straight to heaven.
13. The Pope's "Bull" proclaiming these things will make a great sensation, and will cause the death of the monarch, the Anti-Christ's ally.
14. In order to conquer the Anti-Christ, more men must be killed than Rome has ever held. It will require an effort from all lands, for the cock, the leopard, and the white eagle would not suffice to overcome the black eagle if they were not helped by the prayers and devotion of all the human race.
Humanity in Grave Peril
Never before has humanity been in such peril, for the triumph of the Anti-Christ would be that of the Demon, in whom he is incarnated.
15. For it has been said that twenty centuries after the incarnation of the World the Beast in his turn would be incarnated, and would threaten the earth with as many evils as the Divine Incarnation had brought it grace.
16. Near the year two thousand the Anti-Christ will appear; his army will surpass in numbers anything heretofore imagined; there will be Christians amongst his hordes, and amongst the defenders of the Lamb there will be Mahometans and savage tribes.
17. For the first time the Lamb will be entirely red, in the whole of

the Christian world there will not be into twenty-two states, but none will have either a royal house, an army, or vessels.
18. The white eagle, by Michael's order, will drive the Crescent from Europe, where only Christians will remain; it will occupy Constantinople.
19. Then an era of peace and prosperity will commence for all the universe, and there will be no more war, each nation being governed according to its wish and living in justice.
20. There will be no more Lutherans of Schismatic. The Lamb will reign, and the joys of humanity will commence. Happy they who escape from the perils of this prodigious time, can taste of its fruit, which will be the reign of the Eternal Spirit, and the sanctification of humanity, only to be achieved by the defeat of the Anti-Christ.
21. The black eagle, which will come from the north, will surprise the black eagle, and the other eagle, and will completely invade the land of the Anti-Christ from one end to the other.
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Rivers Crossed Over Corpses
The black eagle will be forced to leave the cock to fight the white eagle, and the cock will pursue the black eagle into the land of the Anti-Christ to help the white eagle.
23. The battles waged until then will be small in comparison to those that will take place in the land of Luther, because the seven angles will at the same time pour fire from their burners on the impious land (image taken from Apocalypse), which means that the Lamb will order the extermination of Anti-Christ's race.
24. When the beast sees he is lost he will become furious; during the months the black eagle will pursue the spurs of the cock must harass him.
25. Rivers will be crossed over masses of dead bodies, which in some places will change the course of the rivers. Only great noblemen, superior officers, and princes will receive burial, for to the carnage caused by firearms will be added those who furnished by Anti-Christ will several times ask for peace, but the seven angels who precede the three animals, defenders of the Lamb, have declared that victory shall only be accorded on the condition that the Anti-Christ be crushed, like straw on the threshing floor.
26. Executors of the Lamb's justice, these three animals cannot stop fighting as long as any soldiers remain to the Anti-Christ.
27. The reason the sentence of the Lamb is so implacable is that the Anti-Christ has pretended to be a Christian; and to be acting in his name, so that if he did not perish, the fruit of the Redemption would be lost, and the gates of Hell would prevail against the Saviour.
Predicts Era of Peace
It will be seen that it is not a human combat which will be waged where the Anti-Christ forges his arms. The three animals, defenders of the Lamb, will exterminate the Anti-Christ's last army; but the battle will become as an altar of sacrifice, larger than the greatest of cities, and the corpses will have changed its shape by raising in it chains of mounds.
28. The Anti-Christ will lose his crown, and will die demented and

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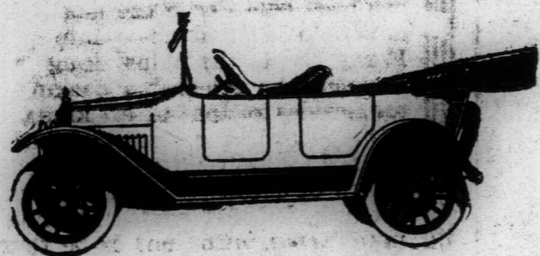
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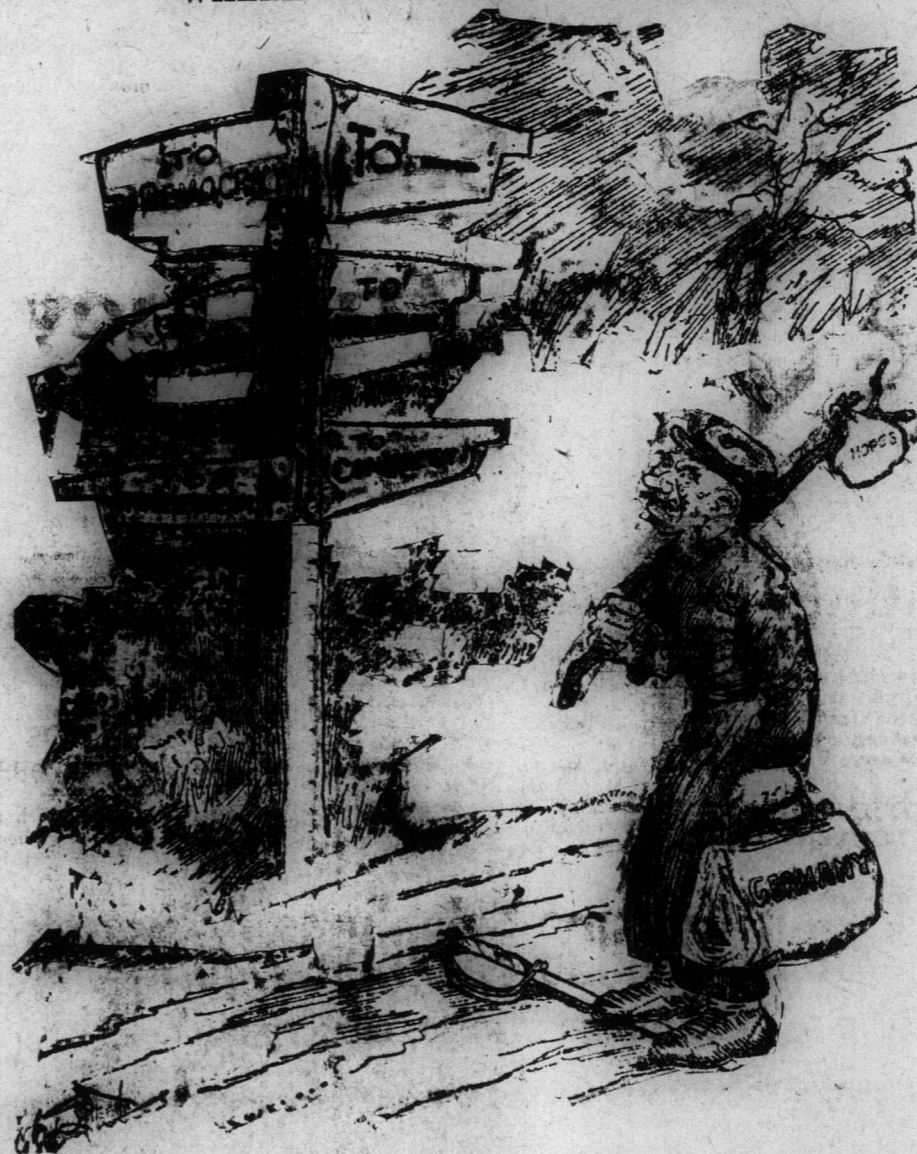
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Another Success by Haig's Men; Strong Infantry Attacks About Ypres Result in Capture of Objectives

London, Aug. 11.—Both the British and French armies facing the Germans in Flanders have again struck hard blows at their antagonists and been rewarded with further gains in the line of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria.

Driving eastward from the sector of Ypres in the early dawn of Friday Field Marshal Haig's men took for their own all the German first-line positions east of Hooze between Frezenberg and the Ypres-Menin road, including the village of Westhoek, and held them in their entirety.

The official communication issued last night by British headquarters announced that heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy during fierce fighting for possession of advantageous positions. Between 200 and 300 prisoners were taken.

Perry Robinson in a despatch to the Times reports that the weather on the Flanders front is fair and the visibility good.

To the north near Bischoote and Langemark the French troops have captured several farms held by the Germans, and also have taken a number of machine-guns from them. While these gains are characterized as "slight" they nevertheless are another step forward eastward toward the Ostend-Lille railroad, toward which the British drive from Hooze also is pointed.

On the long-neglected front near St. Quentin the Germans have delivered a surprise attack of considerable proportions, but were unsuccessful in gaining ground anywhere. Otherwise the fire of General Petain's men put down the sally, inflicting considerable casualties on the Germans.

Likewise along the Aisne front the Germans have delivered onslaughts against the French, but here also they met with the same result that has marked the previous attempts of the German Crown Prince to pierce the French line—defeat. At several points the Germans managed to make their way into isolated trenches, but they met death later in hand-to-hand fighting or were captured.

Gained Objectives.
(By R. T. Small, Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)
British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 10.—Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces at daybreak

this morning attacked and captured virtually all the German forward positions east of the Belgian town of Hooze on the battle front, between Frezenberg and the Ypres-Menin road.

The assaulting forces gained virtually all their objectives to the depth of several hundred yards in the first rush.

The German defences stiffened after the initial onslaught, and heavy fighting developed at some places, but at the latest reports the British were holding their new line strongly.

This section of the front was the scene of some of the hardest fighting of the first day of the battle of Flanders. South of Westhoek the terrain is marshy in places, and in the wooded section the Germans had strengthened their positions by constructing deep dugouts. These obstacles, however, did not deter the forward rush of the British troops this morning.

The British troops forged forward in the wake of protecting barrage from their artillery, and achieved most of the objectives in a remarkably short space of time.

Following the usual tactics, the Germans undoubtedly will counter-attack almost immediately in an attempt to regain these important positions.

Yesterday was a disastrous day for the enemy. Seven enemy aeroplanes were crashed to earth, and another was driven down out of control. The German sausage observation balloons also had a bad time. Two of them were destroyed and four others, emitting smoke, were forced to descend in a flabby condition. Three others were hit by British anti-airmen, and still three more were forced down by long-range fire from the British guns.

The German artillery continues to pound the British positions before Lens. Points east of Vimy Ridge and west of Lens were heavily shelled throughout yesterday. German gunners were especially active along the whole British front from Nieuport to the southern extremity of the line.

London, Aug. 10.—Reuter's correspondent at British Headquarters in Flanders, telegraphing to-day, says: Early this morning the Germans



ANN PENNINGTON
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

received definite proof that their newspapers were talking bosh when they declared that the British offensive in Flanders had come to a standstill. That their high command does not think so is shown by the strenuous advantage it has taken of the halt which bad weather has imposed on us, to strengthen their front and rear defences.

I learn that no fewer than ten infantry divisions have been withdrawn since the 31st of July, which is a fair criterion of their losses, since we know that most of these troops were fresh in the line on the eve of the attack.

Operations this morning were not of the first magnitude but rather a battle for position, to try and complete our partial dominance of Westhoek Ridge. Following the usual thunderous preliminaries by the guns our infantry went over at 4.30, on a front of 2,500 yards. We carried the advance to an extreme depth of 500 yards. At the time of writing the Germans are preparing counter-attacks, but our artillery is warning them off in no uncertain voice. The weather is pretty fair except for local showers which temporarily mar visibility and hasten the drying of the ground.

Telegraphing this afternoon Reuter's correspondent says: Fighting continued throughout the morning in the development of our operations against the German positions of Westhoek. The Germans launched several counter-attacks, but latest accounts show that all gains have been pretty well maintained. Up to the present two hundred prisoners had been counted. The fine weather is enabling the airmen to render fine service. The enemy is still resisting vigorously, some of the southern sections of the front being attacked. French patrols to the northward pushed forward and found several farms evacuated, with the result that our line of outposts is now established well into the area of the flooded country north-east of Bischoote.

This evening near the famous Korsteek cabaret, on the Bischoote-Langemark road the French found five guns abandoned. Our artillery is most busy counter-firing with their batteries and the most satisfactory results are reported. Your correspondent has been shown aerial photographs of Hollebeke from which it is plain that not the least sign of a habitation remains.

Last night two British parties carried out a most satisfactory raid in the neighborhood of Monchy, taking sixty prisoners, capturing two high mine-firers, bombing dugouts and generally considerably damaging the enemy defence works in the direction of Boisvert.

INCREASE POSTPONED
By Courier Lensed Wire.
Paris Aug. 11.—The increase in the price of newspapers from one to an inter-ministerial committee, has been postponed until September 1. The committee fixed the minimum subscription rate at 25 francs for Paris and vicinity and 27 for the rest of France.

BODY IDENTIFIED
By Courier Lensed Wire.
Kingston, Ont., Aug. 11.—A body washed ashore from the wreck of the schooner George A. Marshall, has been identified as that of George Greaves, aged four, son of George Greaves, of Toronto, and a nephew of Neil McLennan one of the survivors.

GOLF SEMI-FINALS.
By Courier Lensed Wire.
Chicago, Aug. 10.—Fred J. Wright of Boston, inter-scholastic champion, and R. A. High of Massachusetts Club, N. Y., entered the semi-final in the western junior golf championship today. They were paired with E. A. Tolson of Rockford and E. Collins of Harlem Club, Chicago, respectively.



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Change of Scenery Has Improved Marsans

Cuban Outfielder Now Making Big Hit In New York, And Playing Hundred Per Cent Better Game Than When With the Browns.

Change of scene is highly recommended as the means of curing many ailments. Shifted from a place where there appeared to be only monotony and discouragement mind and muscle very frequently take on new zest, and what had seemed the impossible becomes simply a matter of course. In baseball countless cases have been recorded of a player taking on new life and showing renewed activity when shifted from one club to another. The value of a change is now being demonstrated in the case of Armando Marsans, until recently with the Browns and lately added to Bill Donovan's Yankee squad.

The Cuban, highly temperamental and once rated among the stars of his profession, seemed to be at the end of the major league trail not less than a month ago. He still could chase flies in the outfield and cover ground as he did when he first flashed his worth with Cincinnati Reds back in 1911. But his hitting was lamentably weak, and outfielders must hit to hold their places. Furthermore, his speed on the bases, once a big asset of Marsans, was of little use, because he was not getting on often enough. He couldn't steal first base, and there was no such thing as stealing second, he couldn't get on. So Fielder Jones had to place him on the bench.

Then came the chance. Sitting in the dugout at Sportsman's park the Cuban became dejected. He longed to get into the game, but realized that there was little chance of ousting any of the present incumbents of Jones' outfield. He had had his opportunity and had failed. A sentence to Portland in the Pacific Coast league, or to Memphis in the Southern, the farms for faded Browns, loomed up before him. He had reached the stepping off place which all major leaguers, great or small, inevitably reach. Then he suddenly emerged from these discouraging surroundings and found himself again a regular. He was told to join another club, as he had been used in a trade.

To-day Marsans is showing all the fiery flash in his play that distinguished him with the Reds and made him so desirable in the days when the Federal League was leading the majors for stars. Instead of seeing his team play from a seat in the dugout he finds himself an important cog in another machine. This realization that he is a big favorite with the fans now stirs him to greater endeavors, especially so because he realized that his hold on the affection of St. Louis fans was gone. It is the old story of change of scene.

That shapes up as glory enough for any one player over a stretch of two weeks. He has been there only a short time, but long enough to impress upon the fans that he ranks with the best fly chasers who ever wore a Yankee uniform.

As said before, Marsans has not compiled a very impressive batting average as a Yank, but he has done well, nevertheless. He has pored twelve hits, two of them doubles, in the fourteen games. He has reached first base four times on passes and he has three sacrifice hits to his credit. He has made six successful steals of second base and lost another decision by oversiding after his speed had beaten the throw and he had been waved safe. There are many players who have not stolen as many bases during the season as Marsans has pilfered since becoming a Yankee. So his work, figured from every angle, has been highly successful and very satisfactory.

It is the old story of change of scene. New ambition has been awakened in the Cuban, and the world does not look half as dark from the centre field patrol at the Polo grounds as it looked from that dugout at Sportsman's park. Marsans has proved in the past two weeks that he isn't yet ready for that trip to the minors. He has flashed plenty of baseball of major league caliber. Buoyed up by the positive knowledge that he really "belongs" and that the fans are with him and for him, he is sure to show a lot more. All of which will be of no little help to the Yankees.

Marsans freely admits that he is pleased with the transfer. Furthermore, he says this without making any complaint about his former surroundings. He is a player who does little grumbling on or off the field. He always gives his best efforts, is somewhat inclined to elation or dejection, according to his success or failure, but is not strong for the alibi or the kick. He is a ball player who is sure to win a place for himself with the New York fans.

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Has Made Fine Start in New York. Marsans has played only fourteen games in a New York uniform, seven on the road and seven at the Polo grounds, but he has been with Bill Donovan's crowd long enough to realize that the fans are with him, and with him strong. His playing on both attack and defence was the big feature of the double victory at the Polo grounds Saturday, and few players have drawn more applause in one afternoon than the quiet Cuban got for his efforts in that double header. Timely hitting, clever out-fielding and masterly throwing made it a perfect day for this hustling ball player, who is literally working his head off to prove his worth. His hitting won the first game, his fielding and throwing saved the other. Surely the fans could ask for nothing more.

As a hitter Marsans has done nothing since going to the Yankees that should throw a scare into Cobb or Speaker, but what he has done has been done very well. He has batted around .240 in a Yankee uniform and that is not to be despised in a season when the Yanks have been handicapped so much by weak hitting by the outfielders. His chief claim to distinction as a Yankee has been his ability to rise to emergencies at the bat or in the field.

Has Won Three Games. Of the fourteen games played by the Yankees since Marsans became a member of the club, seven have resulted in victories and seven in defeats. Marsans has had the distinction of pushing over the winning run in three of these games—one at Cleveland, one at Detroit and the other at the Polo grounds last Saturday. Two great throws Saturday saved another game and his fielding has been spectacular throughout.

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ST. GEORGE

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Miss Clara Willis of Brantford has secured the position of operator at Machine Telephone Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jackson were the Sunday guests of friends and relatives in New Hamburg.

Garfield Saas and Sidney Hardcastle spent Sunday at Port Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bastendorff, Milverton and family were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Chas. Herbert.

Mrs. Robert Snowball is holidaying with her daughter, Mrs. Simonson in Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nylin were the week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Robinson.

Mr. George Newell, is spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. Harold Kitchen of Brantford was the week-end guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Blanche Little of Brantford, spent the week-end at her home.

Allen Burke returned home on Sunday after holidaying with relatives in Milbank.

Mrs. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mock and little son, George, of Hamilton spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herbert.

Miss C. M. Anderson of Paris, was the guest of Mrs. S. G. Kitchen last week.

Mrs. Green who has been spending the past few months in California has returned and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lenington.

Mrs. T. S. Atmore and Miss E. M. Atmore are spending a week with relatives in Warton.

Mrs. R. Gillen and children of Brantford, and Mrs. A. Cornwall and children of Langford spent last week with Mrs. Wm. Little.

Miss Gedney of Brantford is the guest of her cousin, Miss F. Atmore.

Darcy Herbert is holidaying with relatives in Milverton.

Five rinks of the local bowlers motored to Galt on Friday evening to play a friendly game with the Galt Club. Galt won the game by four shots.

Mr. Ellsworth and Miss Irma Warrington of Brantford were the week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Warrington.

Miss Justine Herbert is holidaying with her cousin in Hamilton.

On Sunday last Mr. Leo Herbert acted as Organist for the day in the Brant avenue Methodist church, Brantford.

Miss Grace Mullin of Brampton is holidaying with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Pennington and Miss Annie Pennington of Hawtry were the Sunday guests of Mrs. James McKenzie.

Mrs. M. Sager of Beverly, and Mrs. Stuart McKenzie, of Lynden spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. McKenzie.

MENTION TO MOTORISTS

Not infrequently, motorists allow their storage batteries to become almost totally discharged and, in some cases, nearly dry.

Too many motorists are apt to treat the storage battery as they would treat a dry-cell—they have the impression that there is nothing to do but use the battery until it is exhausted. Consequently, they pay no attention to it, as long as it does its work, with the result that by the time it becomes inoperative the battery is very seriously harmed.

It should be remembered that dry-cells are not intended to be re-charged or used again, while storage batteries, by virtue of their electro-chemical nature, may be used continuously throughout their life, by recharging from a source of electric supply.

Do not neglect to take a few spark plug cores with you on your trip. The metal parts of a spark plug will last almost indefinitely, but the cores must break in time, and that usually means buying a new spark plug. As the cores can be bought for a fraction of the cost of a new spark plug, it means economy to carry a few with you. Also carry a few extra gaskets.

A direct cause of rapid tire wear, particularly the rear tires, is in the misuse of the brakes. The brakes on a car should be very seldom locked. They should not be locked in wet weather any more than in dry.

When the brake is locked, those parts of the rear tires which are in contact with the ground are planed off as rapidly as though the tires were held against a piece of cutting machinery. It does not take long for a tire to be worn out after it has been subjected to this treatment for any length of time.

It should be a rule with everyone who drives to use the brakes sparingly and never to drive his car rapidly enough so that he will be compelled to make a sudden stop.

If you use an enamel cover for your tires, be sure you put it on right side up. Sometimes one finds one put on upside down, which will cause it to hold the rain instead of shedding it.

Keep watch on the spokes of the wheels, especially if the car is an old one. If the spokes can be shaking, tighten the bolts on the flanges of the hub. If they are still loose, consult a wheel-wright, as your life may be endangered by the breaking of a wheel.

Occasionally the interrupter becomes loose, and it is important that the beginner should learn to set it. This trouble is shown by the fact that the engine will not start when cranked, but gives only one or two explosions. Where an engine has been running properly and the above trouble develops, inspect the interrupter immediately.

In turning up a six-cylinder motor one should be very careful to note that there is good compression in each cylinder. In a four-cylinder motor the sound of the exhaust will reveal a weak cylinder. From the exhaust of a six-cylinder motor, however, the condition of a particular cylinder is hard to detect on account of the stroke lapping. Very often a weak cylinder is not detected, and the carburetor adjustment is changed to eliminate the supposed thump in the motor. In reality the cause lies in a weak cylinder.

In resetting the magneto the coupling may often be placed so as to cause the magneto shaft to be out of alignment. The best method is to note the condition of the coupling before being removed, which is done by slipping the thumb and forefinger around it.

The periphery should be perfectly smooth and one side should not be higher than the other. In resetting the coupling clean it well and see that the outer surfaces of the parts are in line.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH

By Courier Leased Wire. St. Johnsbury, Vt., Aug. 11.—Attorney General Barber assumed personal charge to-day of the investigation into the death of eight-year-old Alice Bradshaw, who disappeared from her home here on July 5, and whose body was found last night on a farm in Lindon near her father's home. Arrangements were made for the performance of an autopsy.

Misetta May Hicks, housekeeper for John Bradshaw, father of the little girl, and Mrs. Alvin Kennison, a neighbor, have been held in the county jail since their alleged confession on July 6, that she killed the child because her crippled condition, due to infantile paralysis, made the care of her too troublesome. Before the finding of the body on the edge of a swamp, it had been announced that the case would be presented to the September term of the grand jury and that the two women probably would be taken to the state prison for observation as to their mental condition.

MARSH MAY RUN

By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal, Aug. 11.—Tancredi Marsil, editor of La Liberte, the anti-conscriptionist paper, may be an anti-candidate for St. Marys division, Montreal, in the forthcoming Dominion elections. In his paper yesterday, Mr. Marsil says he has been asked to contest the seat and that requisitions had been signed and sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, for his approval. At Liberal headquarters here it was said to-day that Mr. Marsil would not receive any recognition from the Liberal party.

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SIDELIGHTS ON THE STAGE AND SCREEN

"AT FIRST SIGHT"

Justine Gibbs (Mae Murray) a pretty and romantic small town girl has been inveigled into an engagement with Ralph Gaylor, an idler who cares only for the fortune she will bring him.

In the meantime young Hartly Poole, a successful author of romantic novels has run out of inspiration and is in despair about his next serial, the first installment of which is due in a week. His editor, a kindly, humorous old man, sends him down to his own home in the country where he asserts the young man will find an idea on every bush.

Soemwhat doubtful, Hartly starts for the village, which happens to be also the home of Justine, and true to the editor's prediction, he collides violently with Romance the moment he steps off the train in the shape of Justine herself who has come to buy a supply of her favorite magazines.

The two make friends over their amusing encounter and she takes him in her car to "The Stone House" which is to be his residence, where he starts at once on his novel. Later he decides to engage a housekeeper and Justine sends him her own personal maid, the trusty and middle-aged Clara. Soon afterwards Justine steps at the "Stone House" to see Clara and asks about the novel. Hartly tells her he has the heroine in love with the hero, but doesn't know what to do with them next. Justine laughingly suggests having the hero love the heroine and drives off. Hartly quite seriously follows her advice and soon after phones her to inquire minutely about the color of her eyes—for his heroine of course.

Thus the queer courtship proceeds to its climax, the absorbed author not realizing that he is living every experience with Justine.

The climax comes when Justine finds out how unworthy her fiance is and resolves to punish him. She allows the preparations for the wedding to proceed until the very hour before the ceremony when she flies to the "Stone House" to Clara—and Hartly. Hartly, absorbed in his writing, pays but scant attention to her until a searching party who have set out to look for the run-away bride, enters his home.

It seems he had in a moment of discouragement, telegraphed back to his editor that he had his heroine stuck—didn't know what to do with her next in the novel, and the humorous answer had come back, "Why don't you abduct her?"

The village detective finding the telegram had thought it a clue and hence the abrupt entrance of the searching party. Ralph Gaylor, furious at his treatment, threatens to disgrace her by saying he found her

alone with Hartly and Justine in terror tells the young author that the only escape from the situation is for them to get married at once.

Hartly agrees in an absent-minded sort of a way, until the happy thought strikes him that he will be furnished with unlimited material by his vivacious bride and Justine is happy in the thought that here at last is Real Romance. To be seen at the Rex Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

"IN AGAIN—OUT AGAIN." Behind the majestic Hudson, in peaceful and non-militant New Jersey lives Teddy Rutherford (Douglas Fairbanks) a red-blooded youth of metropolitan ideas and a vigorous exponent of preparedness. Before the natives realize it, the community becomes the very hive of munition manufacturers and behind many powder are being prepared for the nation's defense.

In due time Teddy falls in love with Pacifica Ford, who happens to be the daughter of an extreme pacifist. When Teddy's courtship is refused in favor of a youthful pacifist, the vigorous youth vows that he is through with the fair sex for all time and imbibes freely in spirits. On awakening the next morning he finds himself in jail with a pretty girl nursing a discolored optic, the cause for which he does not seem to be able to remember.

After becoming acquainted with his fair nurse, Teddy decides that the world is not, so bad after all, and when he learns that she is Janie Smith, the deputy sheriff's daughter, who is never allowed to venture outside the prison grounds by her watchful parent, he welcomes with joy the information that he is sentenced for thirty days in jail.

Someone's mania for placing bombs under Jersey ammunition plants and blowing them into the thin air disturbs the sheriff's peace of mind to the extent of venturing the hand of his daughter to the person who can throw some light on the mystery. When his worries are at their height the sheriff discovers the new trend of Janie's affections and orders the prison authorities to allow Teddy to go free on the ground that the prisoner's health is in great danger. The latter, finding that he is by no means a welcome caller at the jail, decides to live the life of an unlawful citizen with this end in view. He tries speeding, only to find that he has crossed the city line and is sent to the wrong jail. Breaking up a pacifist meeting conducted by the father and fiancé of his former sweetheart, robbing a house and



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other disorderly acts fail to attain the desired results.

As a last resort, Teddy impersonates the mysterious stranger who has been sending the munition plants skyward, from a description of the culprit which has been broadcast. He finally realizes his great ambition, but is given little time to rejoice over his success, for things take an abrupt and serious turn when he discovers that he has no means of proving that he is not the desperate criminal he is impersonating. Fate intervenes, however, at the last minute, just as Teddy is about to be lynched by the angry Jerseyites and not only does he go free but through a strange coincidence, he catches the real criminal, thus taking an abrupt and serious turn when he discovers that he has no means of proving that he is not the desperate criminal he is impersonating. Fate intervenes, however, at the last minute, just as Teddy is about to be lynched by the angry Jerseyites and not only does he go free but through a strange coincidence, he catches the real criminal, thus taking an abrupt and serious turn when he discovers that he has no means of proving that he is not the desperate criminal he is impersonating.

"THE LITTLE BOY SCOUT."

Justine Howland, (Ann Pennington) lives in Mexico near the border of the United States with her Uncle Miguel and his son Luis. The uncle plans to have Justine marry Luis in order to get the money which she will inherit.

Matters come to a climax one evening when Miguel sends for a priest and announces that the marriage will take place at once. Justina, however, escapes on the very night that brought the padre to marry her and crosses the border to the American side where she is given shelter by Lieutenant Morton.

In the morning she tells her new friends her plan to get to her American Aunt Betty in Lowell, Massachusetts. The soldiers discover that she can dance marvellously and gather to dance for them, taking up a collection to take her safely to her aunt.

Justina arrives at her aunt's home where all goes well until Uncle Miguel, back in Mexico, makes the discovery of Aunt Betty's address on a photograph and comes to Lowell on the first train, bringing Luis with him. The two Mexicans arrive in Lowell at about the same time as Lieutenant Morton's regiment. Betty is delighted to see her rescuer again and when she learns that he is the local Boy Scout Master, she envies the boy scouts and impulsively decides to become one of their number.

Her wish comes true sooner than she had expected for Miguel hunts up the local sheriff and brings him to Aunt Betty's home to capture the runaway. Miguel asserts that he is the girl's lawful guardian and will

force her to marry Luis. One of the boy scouts has been hurt and brought to Aunt Betty's home, so Justina, at bay, decides to put on his uniform and gets away through the window, while Aunt Betty holds off the marching party. In the meantime Justina is helped away through the woods by the party of boy scouts.

A long chase follows until Justina finds herself unable to go a step farther and breaks down, the pursuers catch up and at the same time, Lieutenant Morton, who had been warned of Justina's fate, appears. The girl is leaning against a large stone (the state boundary mark) and she unconsciously moves to the other side of it, thus putting her feet across the boundary of New Hampshire. For that reason, the uncle is unable to take his ward until he secures a New Hampshire sheriff. While this is being accomplished young Morton secures the services of a minister and the little party is turned into a wedding procession, the Boy Scouts forming a lane of honor through which the latest recruit to their numbers, plucky little Justina, and her husband walk. To be seen at the Rex, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR."

The Edward Keane Players, Brantford's permanent stock organization will present to the approval of Grand Opera House patrons, "Bought and Paid For" on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday and Wednesday matinee next week.

Can a woman be bought and paid for nowadays? If a woman marries a man she does not love to help her position in life is it legal, or is it right. But suppose she falls in love with him after marriage and he continues to believe that she only loves his money, refuses to stop his bad habits, the principal one of which is drink, and when she threatens to leave him he reminds her that he has "bought her and paid for her". Then comes the final accounting—Robert Stafford is the man, (played by Mr. Keane) and Virginia is the woman (played by Miss Roma Reade). She leaves him, goes back to work. Some time elapses when Jimmy Gilley the husband of Virginia's sister Fanny, gets an "idea". In fact his brain is full of "ideas". He, when Virginia was Stafford's wife had a swell position and an enormous salary but since the quarrel he is reduced to a job at a small wage. His idea is to bring Virginia and her husband back to friendly relations or re-marriage if possible. His idea works out to the advantage of all, and he (Stanley Price) is restored to the average. It is a good play, full of fun and drama and is a good play as New York sees plays. The Blindness of Virtue which the Keane players are at present showing at the Grand Theatre on Thursday Friday and Saturday will be presented to lady audiences, but after a consultation with some people in Brantford regarding the play. It has been decided to show it to mixed audiences of ladies, gentlemen and children.

"THE ARGYLE CASE." The feature on the program of the Brant Theatre on Thursday Friday and Saturday will be Robert Warwick in his first Selznick-Picture, "The Argyle Case." This is an adaptation of the famous detective drama that ran for two years on Broadway in New York and toured the country with immense success several seasons ago. The play was the work of Harvey J. O'Higgins and Harriet Ford, the celebrated American dramatists, and William J. Burns, the international detective, who collaborated with the authors in order to insure the realistic effectiveness of the use of such modern instruments of the science of detection as the dictograph and finger-print photography.

The result was a detective drama that differed from any play of its kind ever produced. In this play the methods by which the detective follows up his clues and runs the murder case are precisely the methods employed by such real detectives as Mr. Burns. The old-school detective of fiction with his false whiskers and other ridiculous disguises, is abandoned in favor of a fine modern type of courageous and acute young man, who solves his problems by clever brain work with the aid of the latest scientific invention.

The story of "The Argyle Case" is one that will hold every spectator enthralled from beginning to end. It is the absorbing mystery of the murder of old John Argyle, an eccentric millionaire. Suspicion falls upon Argyle's adopted daughter Mary, and while the police are trying to amass enough evidence to convict her Asch Kayton private detective extraordinary is called in to prove her innocence. In accomplishing this the trail leads into the life of the cleverest band of counterfeiters in America and the action of the play is replete with thrills and moments

of nerve-racking suspense. In addition to its interest as a mystery, the story unfolds a charming romance between the detective and the girl he saves.

FILMLETS.

At last a male form of the word "vampire" has been found. A "he vampire" lades and gentlemen, is, according to the Balboa scenario staff, a "chicken-hawk." Dictionary writers, please copy.

Mary Miles Minter has a collection of fifty dolls, of all sizes and conditions. Mary says she loves them just as much as she ever did and likes to have them near her, for they seem just like members of the family.

Zoe Ray says she'll never marry a man who drinks or swears. She asked her father how she could tell if he had those habits or not. "You can smell his breath," answered her father. Now Zoe wants to know how she can smell swear words.

"At last," says the Fox publicity bureau, "Theda Bara has revealed the secret of her remarkable screen impersonations, which have held millions enthralled by her consummate skill. Miss Bara is self-hypnotized when portraying vampire plays."

Josie Selznick and the rest of the Universal Company worked straight through from eight-thirty Wednesday morning to ten-thirty on Thursday, recently, to complete a picture, which goes to show that all is not gold—not that the last line fits, but we had to finish up with something, didn't we?

Shorty Hamilton is so fond of his horse, "Beauty" and talks to her so much, that people around the studio have fallen into the habit of referring to them as "Beauty and the Shorty." Shorty hasn't decided yet whether he's going to feel insulted or not.

Biffie Rhodes (Strand) is frightened to death of a rowboat.

Mary Miles Minter (American) detests and men in Hollywood.

Jackie Sanders (Herkheimer) can turn five handsprings without stopping.

Lois Weber, the director-de-luxe, is to have a studio built just for her own productions. It will be "somewhere in Hollywood."

Another baby camel has been born at the Universal City zoo. "Baldy" is the name of the proud parent.

Lon Chaney, the character actor who supports Dorothy Phillips in Bluebird Photoplays, says he can outwalk any other picture actor.

Agnes Vernon, featured with Franklyn Farnum in Bluebird Photoplays, declares that she wishes to be known from now on by her nickname "Brownie."

It is said of William D. Taylor, the director, that he could not tell a lie if he tried. While something of a martinet, his artists all respect and have an affectionate regard for him, and no actor or actress tries being "temperamental" with him twice.

Franklyn Farnum, star of the Bluebird Photoplay, "The Clock," has been presented with a life membership in the Order of Elks, Boston Lodge.

PROBE BOMBING CASE

Montreal, Aug. 11.—Colonel Percy Sherwood, chief of the Dominion police, arrived here yesterday with a couple of his officers to probe the dynamite outrage at the summer home of Lord Atholstan, Cartierville, Thursday morning. So far nothing has been discovered except the cap of one of the gangs, that would lead in any way to the discovery of the dynamiters.

Several meeting places of recently formed organizations are being closely watched, police officers admit, but so far there are no arrests and none in sight. There are many rumors that other outrages of a similar nature are likely to occur.

CONSPIRATOR SOUGHT

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Agents of the department of justice are to-day en route to Winnipeg, Man., carrying extradition papers for George Paul, Boehm, wanted here by the government in connection with an alleged plot to foment a revolution against the British Government in India in 1915. Boehm was indicted, together with Gustave H. Jacobson, real estate dealer, Albert Wehde, curio dealer, Baron Kurt von Eswitz, formerly acting German consul here, now in Germany, Adolph Scholtz and nine Hindus. Boehm is the last of the important witnesses in the case to be apprehended. The arrest of Boehm was made three weeks ago. It is said, but secrecy was maintained until the necessary papers could be obtained.

C. N. R. EARNINGS

Toronto, Aug. 11.—Canadian Northern Railway earnings for the week ending August 7, were \$775,500, and for the corresponding period last year \$868,000, a decrease of \$92,500.



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I want to tell you about a

Doubtless you have heard deal about gardens this summer. In a way there was nothing remarkable about it and in a way it was quite remarkable. I have seen some of the gardens that have been made in the last few years, and other folks, not boys in their family, may not be interested on that account. For the sake of those who have been told this kind of a garden to tell you about it. (And a the sake of neighbors of garden boys.)

The Father Didn't But

This garden was a boy's idea. It belonged to him. His father had a garden of his own and he showed boy some things (later the showed him some things) but not in to the boy's garden any business or helping. That was one important thing. Another was this: When the was made his father said, "deing things alone is work and things with someone is fun." and let the boy pick out two other den together.

The Other Boys Were The

Feature

His mother looked a bit d

Good Night Stories

By Gladys Stirling

HOW MEAN FARMER BEC

BECAME A BETTER MA

Farmer Brown was the

meanest old man in the

Some said he was rich becau

was too stingy to feed his w

well, and never spent a cent he

have to spend.

"His horse certainly looks it,

Neighbor Grey.

"Perhaps he's not so bad an

say," replied Wife Grey, who

had a good word for every one

The object of their disc

drove by without even a nod, u

white horse ready to drop, u

load he was pulling.

"Get up, the net!" yelled B

Brown, laying the whip acro

horse's back.

The horse gave a lunge to o

of the road and stood still

back wheel of the wagon sun

in the soft mud.

Farmer Brown jumped fro

wagon and tried to pull the

out of the mire, but it was b

deep that he couldn't bud

rough language, that had

worked like a charm on the ol

horse, failed to have any ef

refused to move one step fur

"I wish that wheel was at

of Grey's mill yonder!" cried

Brown.

The words were no sooner

his mouth than up through

whizzed the wagon wheel, sp

Farmer Brown with mud on

and at last landed on the

Grey's mill, where it turned

round in the wind.

"Well, of all things!" cried

Brown, and the wish he had

horse died on his lips, for

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Royal Tour in the North-Eastern Counties.—The King chatting to some of the munition girls. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



On the British Western Front.—A house set on fire by the Germans as they were driven out of the village. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



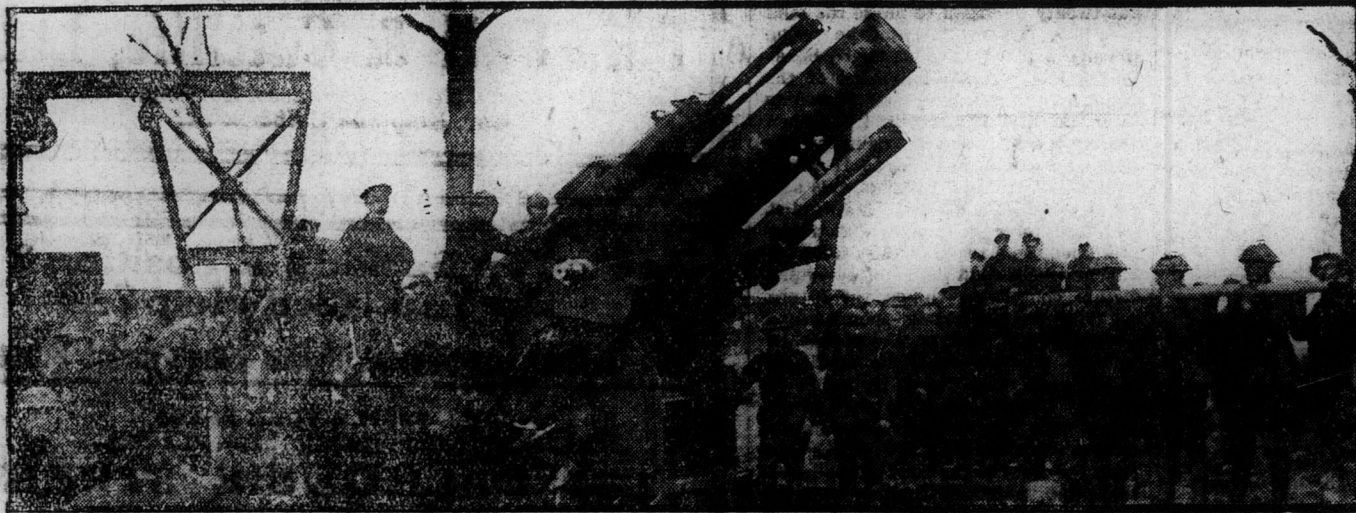
On the British Western Front.—Tending German wounded. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



On the British Western Front.—Interior of Arras Cathedral. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



On the British Western Front.—German machine gun emplacement on wheels captured in Tilloy. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



On the British Western Front.—Getting ready to "strafe" the Germans. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



On the British Western Front.—Pounding the German lines with a big naval gun. —Photo by courtesy of C. P. R.



Totem pole at Wrangell, Alaska

Among the Totem Poles in Alaska

Attu Island, Alaska, is farther west of San Francisco than that city is west of Eastport, Maine. To the average American or Canadian the very name is synonymous with gold and glaciers, but of the country itself he knows less than that of any other spot on the continent. He doesn't realize that Alaska contains fjords equal to those of Norway, that Alaska contains more than two hundred immense and unmatched glaciers, some of them near neighbors to active volcanoes, such as Wrangell, whose smoking summit forms the eastern end of a chain of living and dead lava peaks a thousand miles long. Nor does he realize the climatic variations that are to be found in Alaska, where the coldest north of Sitka is no colder than that of St. Louis, the warmest months of San Francisco and Juneau are of identical record, and yet Point Barrow, on its northern fringe, is 300 miles within the Arctic Circle and has no sun for forty days out of every year.

Leaving Vancouver in a comfortable Canadian Pacific "Princess" steamer, the traveller wakes next morning to his first view of the typical and wonderfully beautiful scenery of the salmon-hord country. Seymour Narrows ushers him into smooth, island-dotted waters that lead to Alert Bay, where he may see fifty-foot totem poles and a modern hospital by the cedar lodges of the Kwakwaka'wakw.

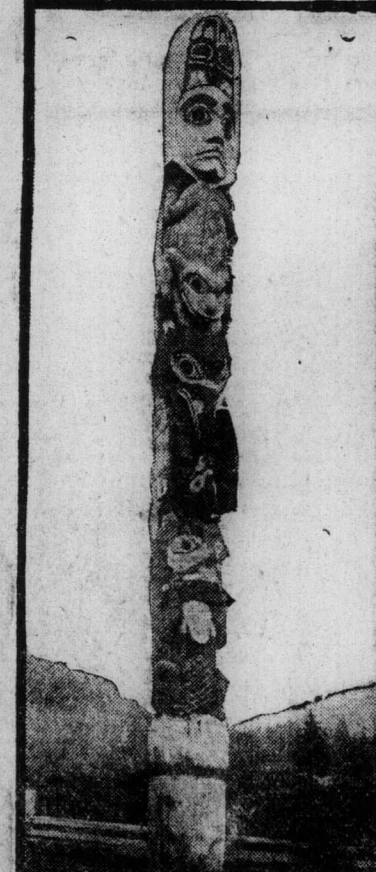
At evening time Queen Charlotte Sound is reached and for the first and only occasion during the trip the sea

sol rides open water while the whale spouts in the offing and the basking shark lies in the last sunshine. River Inlet, Namu, Bella Bella, Milbank Sound, Finlayson Channel, they all slip by in the night as the ship steams northward. Morning brings Swanson Bay, where there is an immense mill turning Douglas firs into paper pulp.

At the mouth of the Skeena a fleet of salmon boats is encountered and ground. Copper has made Ketchikan, but the tourist will perhaps be more interested in the vanishing Indian with his woven baskets than in the advancing miner. Wrangell Narrows is a fascinating and pulseless shadowland, where the vessel goes too slowly through the widening channel to break the reflection of the midnight sun in the solemn northern waters. At the end of the

most difficult of hilly passages glaciers are sighted for the first time. These huge and awe-inspiring ice are characteristic of Alaska. In Sundum Bay a hundred or more may be seen along the walls. The scenery is of the wildest description and the plunging bergs keep the fiord roaring like some vast foundry of the gods. Farther north, the Taku Glacier stretches a mile along Taku Bay, the largest of forty-five ice streams emptying their gorgeous colored bergs in the path of the steamer. At the bottom of a sheer 3,000 foot mountain, Juneau has ensconced itself as the capital of Alaska, and is a well-built city, although there couldn't be found a naturally level spot on which to place a single large building. The townspeople are up-to-date, phenomenally healthy and entirely sane despite the rush created past of the district and its present dependence on gold mining.

After leaving Juneau there is an all-day trip up Lynn Canal to Skagway, the end of the journey and the best-known town in Alaska. In the wild days of '98, Skagway was the door through which all trail-hitters struck for the gold fields, taking the line of the present White Pass & Yukon Railway. The Canadian Pacific steamers remain long enough for the passengers to take the road as far as White Pass, or up to White Horse, if a sufficient number wish to explore the dizzy peaks, the terrible gorges and scounding glaciers of the north country. The round trip from Vancouver lasts nine days.



Totem poles at Wrangell, Alaska

PROTECT YOUR CAR ON STREET

Removal of Small Part Makes Auto Secure Against Thieves

PRECAUTION NEED Owners Should Realize Necessity of Guarding Their Automobiles

Thieves are riding better today, and unless your automobile is properly guarded at all times there is no telling when they will be yours. A car properly locked and left with a responsible garage is reasonably safe. The real danger comes from leaving the car unattended in the street. Many a man has left his machine with him, and has seen it again. It is useless to lock the stable door after the horse is stolen, yet some owners will protect their cars properly until they have lost one.

The motoring public, however, gradually awakening to this danger and so a few suggestions will interest. First, the owner must be impressed with the necessity of taking some such precaution, as he will not make the effort unless he realizes the need of it.

Many ignition systems have been on them, and the owner carelessly locks the switch and removes the key, ignorant of the fact that a blow from a hammer will break the lock. Some devices are for those provided with a good arrangement of tumblers are not open to this objection. But it is easy enough to raise the hood of the engine, remove the wires leading to the distributor. This is not so difficult a trick as might imagine. A man leaves his automobile at the curb near a restaurant while he and his friend inside. It is evident they intend to stay inside for fifteen minutes or an hour or more. A thief walks up to the car in a businesslike manner, raises the hood, fixes a couple of wires with a pair of pliers, starts the motor and drives off. By policeman watching him would expect nothing. Yet the thief has a clean getaway with an expensive car and left no clue.

The best safeguard is to remove some important part of the ignition system or to disconnect the wires at some place that is not easily accessible. For instance, removing the distributor brush is one of the best. If the car is equipped with a contact collector-ring brush and

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rod connecting it to the distributor should be removed. Any one of these will make a gap in the circuit which is not easily bridged, as the thieves have not yet acquired the habit of carrying these parts with them. Another way is to use a special switch controlling the starter current. Have it concealed under the cowl dash, where no one would expect such a thing to be placed. Use one capable of carrying 100 amperes and run your starter wires to it. With the safety switch open and the starting handle locked in the tool box the thief will not experiment very long.

Another safeguard that employs none of the above methods is to lock the gasoline valve in the closed position. This requires a special lock, but is a sure preventive. So protect the car when it is out of your sight. Do not think that it may never be stolen because it never has been. It may be your turn next.

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Capacity.
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A speed of six miles an hour was used in the experiment, and although twelve miles an hour was maintained for some time, the possibility of danger due to the presence of stones in the soil is responsible for Mr. Long's opinion that the former speed is best suited for breaking up turf.

RAILWAYMEN STRIKE

By Courier Leased Wire.
Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 10.—With more than 2,000 traction employees idle and all lines within the city inoperative, the status of the strike began Wednesday by employees of the Kansas City railway company, remained unchanged to-day. The men demand the right to organize and reinstatement of discharged employees. The strikers reiterated their confidence in ultimately gaining satisfactory settlement, while company officials continued to refuse any concession to the men. In the meantime the public walked or took passage on innumerable automobiles, hastily converted trucks and other conveyances which swarmed the streets. Mayor George Edwards announced that unless some action were taken to-day looking toward a settlement of the differences "drastic action" might be expected by the city.

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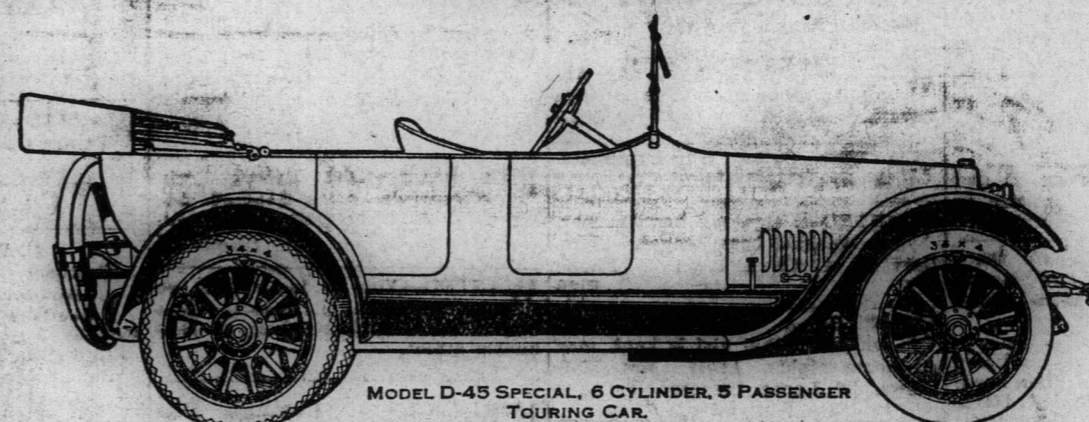
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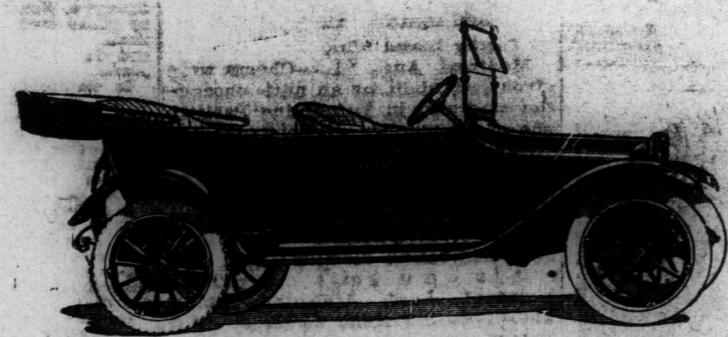
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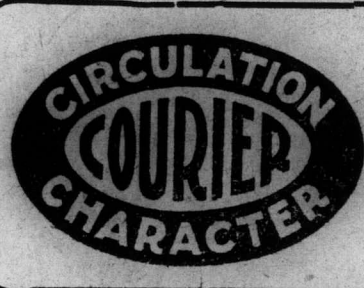
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The German Attack

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