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ALLIES GAIN DURING THE NIGHT BRITISH RAID FOE'S TRENCHES WITH GREAT SUCCESS HUNS IN FLIGHT BEFORE RUSSIANS

FOE TRAPPED
IS BELIEF OF
PETROGRAD;
END IN SIGHT

Cannot Cope With Many At-
tacks on Long Line.

AUSTRIANS ARE HARD HIT
Staggering Back With Rus-
sians Right Behind.

HALF A MILLION PRISONERS

Lemberg and Whole of East-
ern Galicia Menaced by
Brusiloff.

[BY WM. PHILIP SIMMS,
Special Cable to The Advertiser.]
Petrograd, July 6.—At least half a million Austrian troops have been captured or otherwise put out of action since Gen. Brusiloff began his sweep through Volynia, Galicia and Bukovina. That number will be unavailing for the summer and fall campaigns of the Central Powers.

Gen. Letichewsky's advance in South-eastern Galicia, after the capture of Koimeba, has been so rapid that his army not only menaces the important city of Stanislaw but Lemberg and the whole of Eastern Galicia.

Staggering Back.
The Austrians are staggering back along the muddy valleys of the Pruth and Dniester, abandoning great quantities of material. The roads in this region, always bad, have been converted into bogs by heavy rains. Pressing the disheartened Austrians are Russian soldiers in high spirits over their continued successes and the allied victories in France.

Growing development of the operations leads to belief that events are impending which will affect the struggle on French and Italian fronts, and probably the outcome of Austro-Italian war in the Trentino. Along the entire front the Russians are feeling for weak spots.

Think Germans Trapped.
The Czar's capital is taking the news of Russian successes sedately, showing no undue enthusiasm. The transference of reinforcements southward in preparation for the present smash was the first sign here that the Paris military conference was beginning to bear fruit.

Results of the allied decision are now beginning to show. Petrograd, watching with interest the Anglo-French offensive in the west, believes that the Germans are at last trapped and surrounded by deadly danger, being unable to shift troops from one front to the other because they are attacked on all sides.

Authorities here believe German reserves remaining in the interior are insufficient to check the combined allied offensive, either on the line or long.

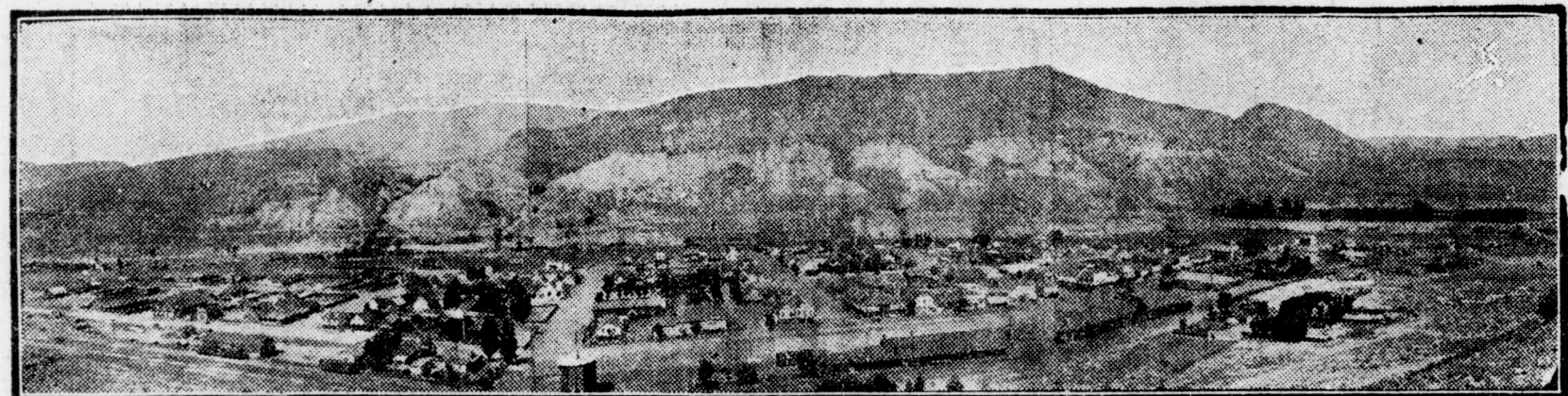
Continued Success.
[Canadian Press.]
London, July 6.—The Russians continue to record successes, some of which are of great importance, along their whole front from Riga to the Carpathians. They have crossed the railway between Detnitsyn, west of Kozmenko, and Kozmenko, one of the main lines between Galicia and Hungary, upon which the Austrians depend largely to supply their armies at Stanislaw and before Tarnopol. This places the army of Gen. Von Bothmer in a still more dangerous position, and it is thought he may decide to withdraw toward Lemberg.

In the Caucasus.
The situation in the Caucasus is somewhat confusing. Turkish and Russian reports are more at variance than usual, both claiming victories in the Tchouk region on the Russian right. It appears, however, that while the Russian right wing is drawing back toward the Black Sea littoral and their extreme left is entering across the Persian border in the Kermanshah district, their centre is continuing to advance from Babur southward to the west of Lakes Van and Urmiah.

IS KAISER TO MAKE
A NAVAL DIVERSION?

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 6.—A special cable from London to the World says: High naval circles here believe that Germany may soon attempt a minor naval diversion in hopes of drawing attention from the land battle, a similar attempt by Austria would not be surprising, especially as the latter has, except for submarines, played such a small part in the war on sea. Intimations by Captain Persius have not yet materialized, for it is learned that fewer U-boats have been in British waters recently than for many months.

ASHCROFT, B.C., ALMOST COMPLETELY SWEEP AWAY BY FLAMES



Advertiser Illustration.

This picture of the stricken mountain town was loaned to The Advertiser by Mr. James Gray, of Gray's, Limited, whose son-in-law, Mr. M. W. Huston, reports that he and his wife and property are safe from the flames. Mrs. Huston, formerly Miss Irene Gray, was known to many Londoners before her departure for the west.

STOP BRITISH AT ANY COST, KAISER'S MESSAGE TO MEN; MASSING FORCE TO COUNTER-ATTACK HAIG'S LEGIONS

LONDON BOY WHO
FELL WHILE WITH
BRITISH REGIMENT



LIEUT. A. A. McLEAN, son of A. D. McLean, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, this city, who was yesterday officially reported killed in action while serving with the 11th Suffolk of the Imperial Service.

CZAR AND MIKADO FORM AN ALLIANCE CALL IT "GENERAL"

Washington Curious as to Con-
ditions of the Agree-
ment.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 6.—A Washington dispatch to the Times says: Information has come to Washington that Russia and Japan have negotiated an alliance. Neither the text nor scope of the agreement has been made public. Officials are not aware, but would like to know as to whether the alliance is political, military or commercial, or if it is broad enough to embrace all these factors.

That an alliance has been under negotiation between Russia and Japan has been known for some time. Recently it was given out in Tokyo that the alliance had been practically concluded. Nothing more was vouchsafed. Semi-official advice to authoritative quarters here now make the positive statement that the alliance has been concluded.

SUBMARINE GETS BACK FROM TRIP TO SPAIN

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, July 5.—(Via London, July 6, 12:50 p.m.)—The admiralty today gave out the following report: "One of our submarines sank an enemy submarine destroyer in the North Sea on Tuesday." "The submarine U-35, which carried to Cartagena, Spain, an autograph letter of Emperor William to the King of Spain, and medicaments for interned Germans, has returned after carrying out its task successfully. On this journey it sank the armed French steamship Herculit, capturing its gun." "The vessel referred to as a submarine destroyer probably was one of the large fleet of small swift boats which patrol the North Sea on the lookout for submarines."

[Canadian Press.]
New York, N. Y., July 6.—A news dispatch from London today says: The Kaiser is reported to have arrived on the Somme front, accompanied by members of his general staff, who will direct the defence of the German lines in the great allied offensive.

An Amsterdam dispatch today said the Kaiser had established headquarters near the front and not far from Cambrai and opposite the British front. It is reported that orders have been given to stop the British at any cost.

Massing Huge Force.
Great bodies of German troops are being massed between Amers and the Somme to stem the British advance. Allied aviators report the constant arrival of troop trains and Holland dispatches today con-

firmed reports of heavy concentrations behind the British lines from Ypres to the Somme. Expect Heavy Counter-Attack.
There are many indications that the Germans will launch a very heavy counter-attack against the British lines. All dispatches from Berlin today emphasized a determination to halt the British.

General Sir Douglas Haig, commander-in-chief of the British army, is reported to be ready to meet the German counter thrust. While a few hundred thousand of "Kitchener's new army" are engaged in the battle along the Somme, there are many hundred thousands more who have not yet been engaged, but who are lying along the strategic railways, ready to reinforce any point in the British line at which the Germans may make their counter-attack.

FIGHTING DURING NIGHT GIVES SMALL WOODS TO BOTH FRENCH AND FOE

Quiet Prevails Along the Somme Except at Hem, Where
Both Germans and French Made Slight Gains—French
Have Taken 76 Cannon and Several Hundred Machine
Guns.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, July 6.—Last night was generally quiet north and south of the River Somme, says today's official statement of the war office.

There were a few local engagements north of the Somme during the night, in which the Germans captured two small woods a kilometre north of Hem. The French also captured a wood.

South of the Somme the night passed in quiet. A German counter-attack on Belloy was repulsed easily. The French have captured 76 cannon and several hundred machine guns.

There was no infantry fighting on the Verdun front. The war office says the Germans are attempting to bombard the cathedral at Verdun.

BUSINESS PART OF ASHCROFT DESTROYED BY GREAT FIRE; LONDON PEOPLE ALL SAFE

[Canadian Press.]
Ashcroft, B. C., July 6.—Fanned by a high wind fire last night swept through and destroyed the whole business section of Ashcroft, causing a loss of between \$200,000 and \$300,000, with small insurance. The blaze started in a bedroom in the Ashcroft Hotel about 7 o'clock, and three hours later the business district was a mass of ruins. Both hotels, the Dominion Government buildings, a dozen stores, bank buildings, and a mass of old wooden buildings composing Chinatown, were burned. Early this morning the flames were threatening the residential district.

The anxiety of relatives in this city in regard to the safety of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Huston of Ashcroft, B. C., almost totally destroyed by fire, was relieved this morning by the following telegram received by Mrs. Huston's father, James Gray, of Gray's, Limited: "Big fire. All business part gone, except store and house. All O. K. Telephone father, Grand Bend." "The usual luck. In the horse shoe business still," was the comment of Mr. Gray when he had read the little yellow slip which brought so much comfort, after the suspense endured from the time the first news of the fire was received.

SABRES AND RIFLE FOR THE STARVING OF THE FATHERLAND

Socialists Call on People to
Demand End of War.

ISSUE A MANIFESTO

Declare Govt., and Not Allies,
to Blame for Dreadful
Conditions.

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 6.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Bern says:

"Swiss Socialist newspapers reproduce the text of a manifesto which is being distributed throughout the German Empire, a spite of the authorities by a section of the Socialist party, led by Herr Haase and Herr Ledebour, is opposing the continuance of the war. The broad sheet bears the title 'Hunger,' and following are some of the chief paragraphs:

"In Leipzig, Charlottenburg, Brunswick, Magdeburg, Coblenz, Osnabruck and many other places, there are today gatherings of hungry people in front of the provision shops. The only reply the Government has to the hungry cry of the masses is martial law, the police sabre and military patrols.

"Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg accuses England of the crime of making Germany hungry, and those whose interest it is to continue war repeat it after him. The German Government must know, however, that this would necessarily happen; that a war against Russia, France and England must lead to the isolation of Germany, and that it has always been the objective of belligerents to cut off the enemy's supplies. It is the war that is the crime; the starvation plan is only a consequence of this crime."

The manifesto concludes with an appeal to the men and women of the working classes to raise their voices against the continuance of the war.

Londoners Should Aid City's Own Hospital Unit

The Western University Hospital, organized for overseas, will not be with us much longer.

As a unit composed entirely of London and Western Ontario doctors, nurses and men, it has a distinct identity, and the city should take much pride in its welfare.

Without constituting a campaign the university authorities are accepting subscriptions for the emergency and incidental expenditures of the hospital, and at the present time the sum of \$744.18 has been subscribed.

It will be necessary for the hospital to have at least \$3,000 in order that adequate provision is made for extra meals and equipment which is not issued by the government.

The amount is not a large one, and it is desired that it be strictly voluntary. The city has not been asked to add anything to the tax rate, and the amount requested should be forthcoming in a few days. The response should be general and at once. Small subscriptions will be received as gratefully as large ones. Dr. E. E. Brathwaite, president of the university, will give all the information desired.

The subscription list up to date is as follows:

Previously acknowledged \$614.18
Dr. Hadley Williams 50.00
Mrs. Hadley Williams 50.00
Dr. W. H. Moorhouse 25.00
Mrs. Bray 5.00
Total \$744.18

FRACTIOUS HORSE CAUSES INJURIES TO TWO MEN

Wingham, July 6.—Leslie Boyce, a young farmer of Turnberry, was thrown from a horse Wednesday, fracturing his knee cap. A little later his father, George Boyce, while going for a doctor, was thrown from his buggy by the same animal, and broke two ribs.

BRITISH ADVANCE AT THIEPVAL; RAID TRENCHES AT MANY POINTS; CAPTURE GUNS AND PRISONERS

8 BATTALIONS FROM LONDON ORDERED AWAY

Two Full Brigades Go From
This City To Camp
Borden.

FOUR WILL GO NEXT WEEK

Carling Camp Brigade Will Be
Included in the Troops
Transferring.

OTHER ONES ARE NAMED

142nd, 149th, 153rd and
161st Will Form 2nd
Brigade From District.

BATTALIONS GOING.

110th (Perth) Battalion.
111th (South Waterloo) Battalion.
112th (North Waterloo) Battalion.
135th (Middlesex) Battalion.
142nd (London's Own) Battalion.
149th (Lambton) Battalion.
153rd (Wellington) Battalion.
161st (Huron) Battalion.

BATTALIONS TO REMAIN.

160th (Bruce) Battalion.
168th (Oxford) Battalion.
186th (Kent) Battalion.

Though on Sunday last Brig.-Gen. W. A. Leslie, general officer commanding No. 2 Military District and camp commander at Borden Camp, informed an Advertiser reporter that he had received no official advice of the transfer of any of the local troops, orders from Ottawa received at district headquarters here, provide for the immediate transfer of eight battalions from London to Camp Borden. One of these was to go this week, and the advance parties from the eight units were all to be in Camp Borden by the end of the week, according to the first orders calling for the transfer of at least four battalions to the west, and possibly more. Definite plans for the remaining four have yet to be completed, but it is expected that it will be two weeks before they leave. No advance parties are to be sent to the camp, according to the latest plans.

Carling Brigade Going.
The battalions going, according to Col. L. W. Shaw, D. O. C., will comprise the Carling Camp brigade—110th, 111th, 112th and 135th Battalions, and the 142nd, 149th, 153rd and 161st. The units are going in order of their numbers, measles in the 160th Battalion keeping the Bruce Battalion in London and sending the 161st Hurons in its place.

First orders called for the removal of the 110th on Saturday of this week. In view of the movements of the 111th, 112th and 135th, it was impossible to handle them, and as was announced on Monday in The Advertiser, no troops from here will leave before July 15.

On that day the 110th and the 111th will leave for Camp Borden. The following day the 112th and the 135th will be sent off. The battalions will go in full strength, advance parties being sent ahead. The movement from London will be at night, and the troop trains are scheduled to arrive at Camp Borden early the following morning. (Continued on Page 4, Column 4.)

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 86; lowest, 55.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 76; lowest, 52.

TOMORROW—FINE AND WARM.

Toronto, July 6.—8 a.m.
Forecast.
Light to moderate winds; fine and warm today and on Friday.

Haig Feeling Out Enemy, Preparatory to Fresh Onslaught— Successful Dashes Made Into Enemy's Trenches at Several Points—More Ground Gained in the Fighting Around Thiepval.

(Canadian Press.)

London, July 6, 2:05 p.m.—"Near Thiepval (on the Somme front) we made a further slight advance and captured a number of prisoners," the war office announced today.

"South of La Bassée Canal, after the discharge of gas and smoke, we made some successful raids into the enemy's front line. In one of these the Royal Welsh Fusiliers especially distinguished themselves, capturing forty prisoners, a trench mortar and a machine gun.

"In another raid the Highland Light Infantry successfully entered the enemy's trenches west of Hulluch. A machine gun emplacement was destroyed, many Germans killed, and some prisoners were taken.

"There was no change of importance on the rest of our front."

ARE HEAVILY ENGAGED ALONG ENTIRE FRONT

[Canadian Press.]
London, July 6.—12:35 p.m.—Having captured the whole German second line south of the Somme from the Somme to Belloy, the French have resumed operations north of the river, and have cleared the bank almost to Clerly. The French have established themselves at Sornmont Farm also threatened Clerly.

The British are still heavily engaged all along their front from Hardecourt to Commequert. Notwithstanding heavy German counter-attacks, they have been able to maintain all the ground gained, and extended it at some points.

Deadly Artillery.
As the German trenches are occupied evidence accumulates of the deadly execution of artillery. In some cases 80 per cent of the defenders were killed by the terrific shelling to which they were subjected. British losses vary.

Certain formations, being called on to attack defences where machine guns remained undamaged, suffered heavily. Others captured the positions, which had been their objective, with very little loss. Instead of compelling the Germans to lessen their efforts at Verdun the Anglo-French offensive seems to have increased their determination, possibly in the hope of preventing the French from sending reinforcements to the Somme. British observers express satisfaction with the progress which has been made. With the heavy casualties caused by the bombardment, and the taking of 15,000 prisoners and a great quantity of war material together with the subsequent losses inflicted in court attacks, it is believed here that the German power of resistance must have been weakened.

FOCH SLACKENS ATTACK UNTIL FRENCH BATTERIES SMASH A NEW PATCH

New York, July 6.—A cable to the Tribune from Paris says:

The armies of Gen. Foch, operating south of the Somme, have arrived at a point where there must be a brief let-up in the advance in order not to make the mistake of wasting infantry in artillery preparation. Three prominent elements enter into the situation.

From the Somme south to Hill 63, about two-thirds of the distance between Assailiers and Barleux, the French have taken both the first and second German lines. They also hold all the plateau sections dominating the valley in which lies Peronne. East of Peronne, however, there is another advance position. The French advance in this region has been such that they must pause to bring up guns of all calibres before attempting a further advance.

Hampered By Rains.
Thorough artillery preparation has been delayed by heavy rains during the last two days. These rains at times have reached proportions of cloudbursts and greatly hindered movements of artillery.

The third point is the extensions of Continued on Page 11, Col. 2.

Russians Overwhelm Huns On Right of the Dniester; Teutons Reported Fleeing

Massive Attack by the Germans—Austrian Armies Broken by
the Muscovites—Petrograd Reports Teutons in Flight
at One Point.

[Canadian Press.]
Petrograd, July 5.—Via London, July 6.—11:05 a.m.—An official communication issued from general headquarters last night says: "On the western front in the region of Vukagolovskai, a massive enemy formation delivered counter-attacks, but was repulsed."

"During a hostile counter-attack against the village of Kostukovka one of our regiments, having allowed the enemy to approach within a hundred yards, the advance guards were annihilated. We took 2 officers and 257 men prisoner."

"According to a report just received, the enemy operating in the region on the right bank of the Dniester was overwhelmed and put to flight. In this action we seized part of the enemy's organized position west of the line Essakof-Idistcheff. We made some hundred prisoners."

"Half-way on the railway line from Delatyn to Korosnevo we captured the village of Mikoukhine."

"In several sectors of the left wing of the Riga front we captured prisoners and machine guns."

"The Germans made further attacks, but were repulsed by our artillery fire."

"In the region north and south-west of Baranovichi, the fighting continues. According to fresh information one of our divisions took 27 officers and 1,000 men prisoners."

"Yesterday a hostile aeroplane flew over Minsk and dropped 31 bombs, wounding three men, seven women and two children."

"Caucasus front: Our elements advanced in the Upper Tchouk region, took prisoners and captured a great quantity of rifles, cartridges, bombs and tents."

7TH FIELD CO., C. E.
7TH DETACHED GUARD.
CANADIAN DENTAL CORPS.
A. S. C. DETAILS.
NO. 1 A. M. C. DEPOT.
PERMANENT CORPS.
HEADQUARTERS STAFF.
C. O. C.
OFFICERS' TRAINING
CORPS.
NO. 10 HOSPITAL.
SIGNALLING SCHOOL.
NO. 1 POSTAL CORPS.

MILITARY NEWS AND GOSSIP

OF CORPS, UNITS AND BATTALIONS
OF NO. 1 MILITARY DISTRICT AND OF
LONDON'S MOBILIZATION CAMPS AT
CARLING HEIGHTS, ADJACENT TER-
RITORY AND COVE RANGES.

110TH BATTALION
111TH BATTALION
118TH BATTALION
135TH BATTALION
142ND BATTALION
149TH BATTALION
153RD BATTALION
160TH BATTALION
161ST BATTALION
168TH BATTALION
186TH BATTALION
241ST BATTALION

LONDON'S CAMPS SHOWING UP WELL WITH BIG CENTRE

Compare Most Favorably With
Facilities at Camp
Borden.

SAND VERY BAD THERE

Fine for Drainage, but Hard
on Trucking and for
Comfort.

PAVEMENTS A NECESSITY

Permanent Roads Have To Be
Built To Make Track
Passable.

By Staff Reporter.]
Military Headquarters, Camp Borden,
July 5.—How does Camp Borden com-
pare with the mobilization and concen-
tration camps at London? To anyone
from the Forest City that is but a
natural question that comes to mind
after an inspection of the big Ontario
training centre here. It might well be
answered by another question: How
does the harbor at Port Stanley, in view
of the money expended by the Govern-
ment, compare with that of the port of
Montreal? The same reasoning applies
to both. In one instance the Govern-
ment department has spent comparatively
little. In the other, the question of
money has been successfully re-
legated to the background, and dollars
have been as freely spent there as were
cents in the other case.

No City To Help Out.
No one seems to know just what the
cost of Camp Borden is to be. There
was no beneficent city government to
come along and buy the land for the
Government, neither was there any
kindly utilities board to provide free
water and light. Government gold, or
its equivalent, took the place of board
of trade and city appropriations. Natu-
rally the money was not as plentiful
in any event, but civic taxes and don-
ations are vastly different from Govern-
ment levies.

London Shows Up Well.
London camps have their disadvan-
tages, no one would attempt to deny
that, but at the same time the very
natural question arises whether they are
any greater than those at Camp Borden.
Even a prejudiced visitor would ad-
mit a long time before deciding that
they were even if he did, after mature
thought, believe such was true.
Money can create a camp out of a
wilderness. It has done it at Camp
Borden, and on the same basis it could
have done it at London if there had been
sufficient of the wherewithal with which
to do it. The condition of the ground
at Camp Borden may be ideal for camp-
ing purposes, so far as drainage is con-
cerned, but the London camps have it,
in the words of the soldiers, "on Borden
for forty ways." It has more than ex-
cellent drainage, but when there is sand,
sand, and nothing but sand, it is in-
cluded to be a little too much of a
good thing.

Nothing But Sand For 200 Feet.
According to the engineers, there is
nothing but sand for at least 200 feet
below the surface of the pine plains.
The grass that covers it is but sparse,
and is known as "brown moss." Accord-
ing to engineers, it would require at
least two months to put a holding sod
on the land. In the meantime some
fear is expressed that the grass now on
the sand may be worn out by the con-
tinual tramping of soldiers' feet, and
the sand allowed to blow.

Sand Blown Away.
Along the tops of the rifle range
butts more than eight inches of sand
have already been blown away. Every-
where that the big ditching machines,
stump pullers, steam shovels, and so
on, have been at work breaking the
soil and throwing up piles of fresh
sand, the same is true.

Autos, trucks and wagons are fre-
quently stuck and stalled on the sand
trails of the camp. Half-companies
were required to shove the big military
department trucks from the sand back
of Borden station after leaving. It is
because of this condition of affairs
that the roads will have to be paved
in some places plank roads have been
constructed to provide against stalling
cars or wagons.

They Are "Big as Bats."
Then there are the "skitters." In
the words of one of the brawny team-
sters, who has been working at Camp
Borden for almost two months, "they
are as big as bats, and can climb
trees and bark." London camps have

BUILDING CAMP'S SEWAGE SYSTEM



Portable steam digger working on septic tank that will treat all sewage at Camp Borden.

A few varieties of mosquitoes, particu-
larly at the Cove and ranges, but they
are mere pignies compared to the
Borden variety.
Engineers say that the "skitters"
can be eliminated, but the elimination
process will be an expensive one. The
whole underbrush of the valleys will
have to be cut down and the swampy
ground it covers drained in some man-
ner. Far be it from any soldier who
has enlisted for King and country and
who is prepared to meet gas attacks
or bayonet charges to flee from the
lances of an army of mosquitoes, but
at the same time the men are seri-
ously considering petitioning the Gov-
ernment to issue mosquito masks as the
gas variety.

Much Waste Land.
Lack of training facilities for the
troops was the reason Sir Sam Hughes
ascribed when he announced that
troops from London would be brought
here.

Press dispatches heralded the
fact that the camp would have 20,000
acres to provide this training, as
against 2,000 odd that are available
in London. There are 20,000 acres all
right, but a goodly portion of these
will be closed to the soldiers for some
training. No butts to stop the over-
head bullets have been provided at the
rear of the rifle ranges. This means
that during musketry practice, and
will will unduly expose the troops
all day and every day in the week, no
troops will be allowed to manoeuvre
in the rear of the ranges. This fact
automatically closes many thousands
of acres for manoeuvring.

Many Deductions Necessary.
The additional number of troops in
Camp Borden means many more camp-
ing areas than in London. No space is
necessary there for septic tanks, power-
houses, water tanks, and so on, but here
it has to be deducted from the 20,000
acres. It may be said that much of
these will take up very much room, but
to reverse the words of the song
"Every Little Bit Taken From What
You've Got Makes a Little Bit Less,"
and every square foot deducted for util-
ities, sewage-disposal plant, and so on,
means just that much of the 20,000-
acre training ground. The swampy
condition of not a small portion of the
new military preserve here means an
other big reduction from the 20,000.
Then again, the railway lines, depots,
switching spurs, and so on, take up
their portions of grounds.

Comparing the locations of the two
camps it might be pointed out that in
London the soldiers are located in a
wilderness. In another they are close
to a city.

Brig-Gen. Logie, camp commandant,
declares that the wilderness is best.
Favors "Wilderness" Site.
"We want to get the men where they
can be trained. We want to have them
where there will be no dis-
tractions to interfere with prop-
erly equipping them for the
task they will have to face when
they get to the front. Camp Borden
is therefore an ideal location," is what
the commander told The Advertiser.

There are a number of military offi-
cers in London who subscribe to simi-
lar views, but at the same time they
point out that Camp Borden is a
mighty hard place to be got at from the
visitors' standpoint.
"I know that training is the para-
mount thing in the soldier's life, but
still it seems to be pretty hard to de-
rive a man of the company of his loved
ones at least occasionally when he may
never see them again," said one offi-
cer who is a visitor here. "Men who
have volunteered for overseas service
have voluntarily cut all family ties, but
there is no one who would not feel the
wrench a little less if his loved ones
could come up and see him occasionally."

Few Visitors Are Expected.
In spite of the good train service pro-
vided into this camp by both roads—C.
P. R. and G. T. R.—few visitors from
the outside are expected. Toronto, Al-
lendale, Alliston, Barrie, Orillia, Col-
linsville and so on, are comparatively
located towns are comparatively easy
of access to the camp, but it will be
a long trip for anyone from Western On-
tario to come for a few hours' visit.
Angus, three miles from the camp on
the Grand Trunk, will be too small to
provide accommodation for visitors, who
will be forced to return to Toronto or
Allendale for the night, for there will be
no facilities anywhere near the camp.
"We may be soldiers, but we would
like a little relaxation once in a while,"
declared one officer who has been in
the camp for a week or so.

MADE PRESENTATION.
A number of young people gathered
at the home of Mrs. Fonger, 38 York
street, Tuesday evening, and presented
Pte. W. H. Smallman of No. 10 Sta-
tionary Hospital with a wrist watch and
fitted address. Pte. Smallman thanked
the donors for their kind remembrance
and good wishes.
The remainder of the evening was
spent in games, music, etc., after which
a dainty lunch was served.

CITY SAYS FAREWELL TO ANOTHER DRAFT FROM A. M. C. DEPOT

Witnesses Departure of 75
Men and Officers.

LOOKED FIT AND READY

Most Excellent Type of Cana-
dian Soldiers Left London
Wednesday Afternoon.

Another draft of 75 men from No. 1
Training Depot, Army Medical Corps,
left on overseas service yesterday after-
noon, and the men were given a great
send-off at the G. T. R. station by a
number of their comrades and a large
crowd of citizens. They were escorted
to the depot by the A. M. C. band
and a Kiltie band. Captains T. Ram-
say, McCracken, Gullfoyle and Richar-
dson are in charge of the draft.

Capt. J. F. McCracken was the officer
in command.
The march of the draft through the
downtown streets was an inspiring one.
Every member looked fit and ready for
anything, and comments on the excel-
lent type of Canadian soldiery they re-
presented were common.
At the depot the final farewells were
said, and a dense crowd poured through
the crossing gates and onto the G. T.
R. tracks for a last handshake, for the
special coaches that conveyed the unit
to the east extended beyond the Rich-
mond street crossing.

These members of the unit remaining
at home under the command of the O.
C., Major David Smith, accompanied the
overseas boys to the train. The new
ambulance, presented earlier, in the
afternoon to No. 1 Military District by
the members of the 7th Regiment
Chapter, I. O. D. E., brought up the
rear.

Before moving off from the parade
grounds at Carling Heights the men
were briefly addressed by Col. L. W.
Shannon.

Those who left were:
Sergeants—McMillan, senior N.C.O.,
Thompson, Kirk, Newman.
Corporals—G. O. Steel, C. H. Cowley,
Pratt, Howie.
Lance Corporals—Bailey, Isaacs,
Hyatt, Wollett, T. S. Brown, Hollings-
worth, Johnston, Laurie, Puhek.
Privates—Aikhurst, W. D. Baker, J.
C. Beaton.

TWO MONTHS' SENTENCE FOR DESERTER OF 110TH

Magistrate Imposes Light Sentence in
View of Previous Good Record.

Alfred Scammell, a Stratford man,
convicted of desertion from the 110th
Battalion, was sentenced to two months
in the county jail today by Magistrate
J. C. Judd, in the police court. Scam-
mell had produced at a previous hear-
ing some excellent discharge papers
from the imperial service, but despite
these, the officers of the 110th Bat-
talion refused to take him back into the
battalion. The magistrate, who has
been looking into the case, stated that
he believed Scammell had enlisted when
drunk, and later, when he sobered up,
had regretted his act, and left the bat-
talion.

In passing sentence, Magistrate Judd
said that this was an exceptional case,
and in view of Scammell's previous good
record, he was imposing a light sen-
tence. Scammell's troubles were due to
intemperance, he said, and at the end
of his term, his worship believed, that
the prisoner would have an opportunity
to brace up with the prohibition act
coming into force.

100 OVERSEAS RECRUITS REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY

Engineers Called on for Big Draft at
Once.

At least 100 men for overseas ser-
vice at once, is the slogan of the No.
1 Detached Service Company, Cana-
dian Engineers. Lieut. Roy Garratt
has been made chief recruiting officer,
and is out on the job in full strength.
Orders received from Ottawa last
night urge the necessity of providing
the largest number of men possible
at once. The great British drive is
thought to be responsible for the call.
Casualties are considered bound to be
numerous, and men enlisting now
should stand a good chance of a quick
trip overseas.

168TH LATEST RECRUIT MOST VALUABLE ONE

"Kitchenner," Secured on Recent Route
March, Already on Guard Mount.

Several new recruits were secured
by the 168th (Oxford) Battalion on its
route march to Woodstock, but one was
brought right into camp with it on its
return march. He was secured at
Woodstock, and his name is Kitchenner.
Kitchenner is a year old Newfoundland
puppy. He was presented to the bat-
talion at Woodstock by "the Toronto
friends of the battalion."

Even though Kitchenner is only twelve
months old he is quite up to the meas-
urements called for by the authorities
for Canadian recruits. He is cool
black, and has a head like a young
lion. His value is placed at \$300, as
he is a pure bred, and there are few
of his species to be seen here.

During the day he sleeps in the or-
derly room and occupies a kennel at
night. He has proved his use-
fulness. When set to watch some
stores shortly after the arrival of the
battalion on Tuesday he remained
faithfully on duty until the arrival of
the relieving sentry. No one was al-
lowed to approach the stores except
the person in charge.

In grateful recognition of this ser-
vice the battalion intends to tender him
a hair cut. This he is sadly in need
of, for though three-inch-long hair may
be all right on a polar bear hunt it is
not exactly the apparel for Francis
Camp.

HERE AND THERE ABOUT THE CAMPS

OUTPOST ADDRESS.
Lieut.-Col. Cohoe of the headquar-
ters staff addressed the men of the
161st Battalion on outpost duty, this
morning.

GOOD GAME PROMISED.
One of the fastest football matches
of the season is promised when the
153rd (Wellington) Battalion meets
the 16th (Lancashire) Battalion.

The line-up for the Wellingtons will
in all probability be: Corp. Flannigan,
goal; Pte. Pugh (team captain), right
back; Pte. Bamsey, left back; Sergt.
Gardner, full back.

COMPANY BASEBALL.
No inter-battalion league baseball
matches were played at the East Camp
last night, but a baseball game be-
tween B and C Companies of the 153rd
supplied the excitement for the even-
ing. B Company emerged from the
fray victors by a score of 16 to 10.

FIVE BROTHERS SERVING IN "A" COMPANY, 161ST

Turnberry Township Family Well Re-
presented in Huron Battalion.

The 161st (Huron) Battalion boasts
five brothers in its ranks. Fred, Will,
Robert, Harry and Frank Westlake are
all in "A" Co. of the battalion. More-
over they are all in the same platoon
and have several times turned down
promotions so that they might remain
together.
They are natives of Turnberry
Township, and come of fighting stock,
as their father belonged for many
years to the British Government and
the Canadian militia. The Westlakes
all enlisted within the month of March,
soon after the commencement of re-
cruiting for the battalion. Three
others of the family who are not yet
eligible for military service remain at home.

STATUS OF RESERVISTS IS UNDER DISCUSSION

Controversy Over Removal of Germans
at a Standstill.

LONDON, July 5.—The controversy
between the British Government and
the neutral countries from whose ships
Germans have been removed, has come
to a standstill over the question wheth-
er reservists are to be considered as
incorporated in the armed forces of a
hostile power.

When the case of the removal of
Teutonic subjects from the steamship
China was decided in favor of the
United States, diplomatic representa-
tives of other neutral nations began
to press for the release of subjects of
the central powers taken from vari-
ous ships bound for European ports
while the Washington Government con-
tinued to press for the release of Ger-
mans interned here and in the Orient
who had been seized from American
vessels.

TWO SMALL FIRES.

SARNIA, July 5.—A grass fire at
the cemetery on Nelson street this
noon gave the fire teams a run. The
blaze was soon put out. A pot of tar
boiling over back of the Mackenzie
electric shop yesterday afternoon
caused a small fire, which was soon
extinguished.

Priestley's Black Residas and Mohairs for Summer Wear ::



What have you in black for summer wear? That is a question frequently asked at the dress goods counter and a question we are pleased to be prepared to answer.
We have recently passed into stock a splendid shipment of above summer black dress fabrics from Priestley's, including a full range of black lustrous and all numbers in the popular "Resida" dress goods.

This is one of the most serviceable dress fabrics and is specially adapted for summer wear, being bright, light and resilient. It is impossible to crease this material, having a sufficient percentage of pure mohair, which will not crush; it is very bright and beautiful in finish, closely resembling a heavy grain black silk. We recommend this black dress goods especially for summer wear for travelling particularly, as it does not hold the dust, always clean, bright and dressy. We have black Residas now in a variety of plain and corded weaves suitable for suits, skirts and dresses; 42 and 44 inches

"PRIESTLEY'S" BLACK MOHAIRS—We also have now a full assortment of plain black mohairs so serviceable for summer wear; bright silky finish. Prices

SAMPLES MAILED ON REQUEST.

Friday Specials in July Cotton Sale

These specials should go quickly Friday morning, particularly the ready-to-use sheets and slips at a time when extra supplies are needed for summer use at the country home or cottage at the lakeside, besides many are wisely laying in supplies of cottons at July sale prices for future use in anticipation of prices advancing much higher in the near future.

600 yards English longcloth, beautiful soft finish, a useful cotton for all purposes; regular 12½¢ quality. July Sale 10¢; or 11 yards for \$1.00

"HORROCKSES" MERCERIZED MADAPOLLAM.

Special quality fine Madapolam for summer use, absolutely pure, shrunk, finish has no equal for high-grade underwear for ladies or children; 40-inch width. July Sale 30¢ yard; or 12 yards for \$3.25

SINGLE BED SHEETING, 23¢ YARD.—1,000 yards single bed bleached sheeting; just the weight for summer use; 62-inch width. July Sale 23¢ yard

"HORROCKSES" HEMSTITCHED SLIPS—\$3.00 DOZEN.

50 dozen hemstitched slips, made and finished by Horrockses; reliable in every way; sizes 42 and 45-inch. July Sale 29¢ each; or \$3.00 Dozen

MADE-UP SHEETS, 1.29 PAIR.—Buy your sheets all ready for use; full size sheets at a special price; a limited quantity; while they last, July Sale \$1.29 pair

Out-of-Town Customers Should Write for Samples of the Special Yard-Wide Chiffon Taffeta Silks at \$1.50 Yd.

You are particularly invited to inspect these values, which are the same as sold by this store a year ago. This shipment is of all-silk make, very rich in finish, retaining all the original strength of pure silk yarn. The assortment comprises colors in navy, royal blue, old blue, copenhagen, forest green and mid brown, nigger brown, grey, sky, pink and ivory. These should have been received three months ago, the delay is fortunate, as taffeta silks in any quality are scarce to-day and an offer such as this coming at a time when values of like quality are fifty cents a yard higher and difficult to secure deliveries at that, you'll be all the more pleased and satisfied with the saving you make in buying now at \$1.50 yard

Write for samples today while the assortment is complete.



Special 3 to 5:30—Assorted Cold Meats with
Sweet Pickles, Buttered Rolls, Cup of Tea
or Coffee, 20c.

WALTON'S

Afternoon Tea, Special 10c—Cucumber
and Lettuce Sandwich, Cup of Tea or
Coffee, 10c.

GERMANY IS TOLD SUCCESS OF ALLIES IS A SMALL MATTER

Moraht Refers to French Win
As "Very Scanty."

SAYS LINES WILL STAND

Other Papers Tell Fatherland
That Allies Are Not
Gaining.

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, July 5.—Via London, July 6.
—In view of the fact that the initial
attack of every offensive is hardest to
withstand, equivalent to the unavoidable
effect of surprise with superior masses
of troops and accumulated ammunition,
the military critics here are unani-
mous in considering that the great of-
fensive in the west has made a show-
ing which cannot encourage Germany's
opponents.

Scanty, Says Moraht.

Major Moraht, in the Tagblatt
calls the Anglo-French successes
"very scanty." He writes:
"The critical moment for the suc-
cess of a great attempt to breach a
line is the time between the begin-
ning of the enemy infantry attacks and
of the counter-attacks which the de-
fenders are able to make after con-
centrating their forces. The enemy's
success in the four days' offensive,
from this viewpoint, is very small.
The enemy succeeded in occupying
the demolished German first trenches
in several places with heavy forces.
The resistance could not be great,
because little except dead remained in
the plowed-up trenches. Where the
Germans stood on the defensive stub-
born fighting occurred, and as the
enemy reports, the Germans fought
obstinately to the last man."

At other points the German leaders
with cool deliberation and with troops
well in hand, bent back elastically.
The reports of the offensive must
prove directly discouraging to the at-
tacking forces.

Declares Allies Embarrassed.
"This counter-tactics involved the
enemy in embarrassment. As he was
unable to impart the finishing stroke
to the defenders with the first drum
fire, he had to begin anew with arti-
lery preparation, or attack the weak-
ened defenders as an alternative.
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prove directly discouraging to the at-
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break all our rows of lines, which
have been most thoroughly construct-
ed, and expel us from France and
Belgium."

[Canadian Press.]

The Morgenpost critic says the
latest reports show the British and
French are gaining no ground, but
that the Teutons are gaining in Vol-
hynia and south of the Dniester.

Other comments follow the same
lines, absolute confidence being ex-
pressed that the Eutene Allies are
unable to menace the German lines
anywhere.

Berlin, July 5.—Via London, July 6.
The following description of the Allied
offensive is sent to the Lokal An-
zeiger by its correspondent at the Ger-
man field headquarters, dated Tues-
day:

"It is already clear on the third day
of the great offensive that the first
and strongest thrust of the Allies can
only succeed in pushing the Germans
from their first positions into the in-
termediate and second positions. There
has been a quieting down of the fight-
ing on the various sectors of the front,
particularly north of the Ancre River."

British Reattacked.
"South of the Ancre, where the Ger-
man line incloses Thiépval, La Boi-
selle and Mametz Woods, the British
re-attacked yesterday in heavy force.
Northward some individual engage-
ments with detachments of the at-
tackers took place southwest of Lan-
greville and in that vicinity. There
was a hotly contested fight around
Hardeville which, however, remained in
German hands. The enemy in this
section is attempting to organize the
first trenches, which he captured for
defence, in the meantime feeling out
the German position with reconnoiter-
ing forces."

"South of the Somme, the French
occupied with patrols the village of
Flaucourt, and repeatedly launched
violent attacks against the German
second position. The enemy's success
here consists only in the occupation of
Flaucourt. Further violent fighting,
however, may be expected in this sec-
tor."

SOLDIER GIVES BLOOD
TO SAVE MOTHER'S LIFE

Sergt-Instructor Poole of 120th Bat-
talion Gave One Pint.

TORONTO, July 5.—Sergt-In-
structor Wm. Poole, of the 120th Bat-
talion, today, in Grace Hospital, gave
one pint of his blood for transfusion
in the body of his mother, who has
been seriously ill for some time. The
mother was taken ill some time ago
at her home, and despite the efforts of
the doctors her condition grew worse.
In a very weak condition she was taken
to the hospital, and there her physi-
cians were confronted by the task of
finding some person willing to give up
a pint of blood.

PORT ELGIN ACCIDENT

Driver of Team Jerked Off Wagon and
Cut.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

PORT ELGIN, July 4.—While draw-
ing gravel to do his roadwork, Robert
Caldwell of the 6th concession of Bruce
made a rather nasty accident. A dog
jumped at his team, which made a
leap to run. Mr. Caldwell was sitting
at the front of the wagon and was
jerked off and dragged several rods,
the wagon passing over him. His knee
was badly cut, and other injuries were
received.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

If Cross, Bilious, Sick, Fever-
ish, or Full of Cold, Take
No Chances.

"California Syrup of Figs"
Can't Harm Tender
Stomach, Liver, Bow

THOUSANDS WENT TO SPRINGBANK ON THE HALF-HOLIDAY

Many Church Picnics Were
Held at the Park.

BALL GAMES WERE FAST

Young People Took Keenest
Interest in the Sports
Programs.

Ideal weather on the half-holiday resulted in one of the largest crowds of the season going to Springbank. Every car during the early part of the afternoon carried a capacity crowd. Many citizens just went down for the ride, but several thousand took tables along the bank and remained until late in the evening.

Several of the local churches held picnics, and large crowds attended. The members of Knox Church went down in special cars and held a regular program of sports, which resulted as follows:

The Results.
Boys' race, 100 yds.—Murray Levens, 3 John Haylock, 3 Russell Stevenson, 4 Ralph Murray, 4 Arthur Knight, 6 Kenneth Knight.
Girls' race, 100 yds.—Jean Buchanan, 2 Ruth Blakely, 3 Marjorie Colbert, 4 Violet Morrell, 5 Audrey McLennan, 6 Rita Burroll.
Boys' race, 8 to 10—Willie Haylock, 2 Bruce Levens, 3 John McLaughlin.
Girls' race, 8 to 10—Arnie Spencer, 2 Elinor Monahan, 3 Elsie Jefferies.
Boys' race, 100 yds.—Bob Gordon, 2 L. Clarke, 3 Jack Gordon, 4 Edith Willocks, 2 Marjorie Monahan, 3 Evelyn Haylock.
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Opening Day Bargains, Friday and Saturday, At All Four Standard Drug Stores

25c Nervine.	\$1.00 STANOL.	25c Bromo Seltzer.	25c Abbey's Salts.	60c Abbey's Salts.	Odo-Ro-No.	50c Kosmo.	50c Keating's Insect Powder.	50c Zonox Anti-Acid Tooth Paste.	Danderine.	75c Mary Garden Talcum.	25c Beecham's Pills.
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VOGUE ROYALE (Trade Mark.) TOILET ARTICLES Made in Canada

are toilet articles of high qual- ity. On sale at all Standard Drug Stores every day at the following cut prices:

35c Talcum Powders, all odors24c

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DAYLIGHT SAVING BYLAW REPEAL NOW SEEMS PROBABLE

New Scheme Not Working Out
Well Is Claim.

MUCH OPPOSITION HEARD

Dominion-Wide Act Favored,
But Not Disconnected
Municipal Attempts.

There is every indication that strong opposition will be brought to bear against the daylight-saving bylaw.

It is known that a number of the members of the council have experienced a change of heart, and will vote for a repeal. Whether or not this will succeed is not known definitely, although there is that possibility.

The opposition that has developed in Hamilton and other cities is finding its echo here, just as did the agitation for the change. London followed these cities in passing it, and now it is following them in repealing it. The majority are favorable to a Dominion-wide act, but feel that there is too much friction in the operation of the scheme in disconnected municipalities.

No Special Meeting.
The possibility of a special meeting to deal with the question is somewhat remote. It will be dealt with at the meeting of the legislation committee on Thursday afternoon next.

There has been a petition against the bylaw, signed by about 35 names. This in itself is not so formidable. The signing it is, for the most part, laborers and women. These two classes are perhaps the most keenly alive to the evils of the system.

If a poll of the members of the city were taken, it is said to be a safe gamble that 90 per cent of them would sign against daylight saving. Many persons keep for the change have had a change of heart, after Friend Wills has expressed his opinions on the question.

Labor Unions Opposed.
The labor unions of the city will take a poll of their members, and are enthusiastic, but now they are opposed almost to a man.

"I saw the Vulcan Iron Company's message to B. S. Murray, 250 Oxford street, today confirms the previous report from unofficial sources that his son, Pte. A. R. Murray, late of No. 3 company, was left behind in Alexandria, Egypt, when the London unit was transferred to France. He was ill then, and his condition afterwards became grave."

Conversations with a score of women on the market today, they were unanimous in condemning the scheme.

Can't Get 'Em Up.
"The children stay up later, and as a result, we cannot get them up in the morning," said one woman. "I have to get up an hour earlier, although I do not get to bed any earlier than I did before. As a result I am tired, and the children seem so much harder to handle. My husband favored the scheme, but he will not stand for it any longer."

"Give us back the old time," said a shop girl. "I have not done a thing but yawn since it went into effect. Me for a change."

And so they went on. The laborers on the street are against it. The men in factories are opposed. The railwaymen do not like it, that is sure.

"If the working people should want it, the bylaw will be repealed," said Mayor Stevenson.

It would seem that the opposition is becoming vocal, and increasingly so. The council will meet on July 17, when a resolution to repeal the bylaw will be considered.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

A Staggerer for "Sunrise."

To the Editor of the Advertiser:
Working at night certainly has not enlarged the vision of "Sunrise," who wrote yesterday in his editorial on the operation of the daylight saving law in this city, and I would counsel him to change his job, else he certainly will get into a rut deeper than ever. As a workman's basis, the hours, he endorses the new law, because it gives me another hour of daylight in which to work among my flowers and chickens and vegetables. Thousands of other workers in London are just as me in supporting this new law.

"Sunrise" complains about having to get up an hour earlier in order to have dinner with the children who come home from school when he is so out of date that he does not know the schools are all closed, and have been closed for some time. This man is able to back in the sunshine from noon till 10 o'clock, then he is in mills, stores, and factories are slaving away, and only have the daylight to enjoy ourselves from 5 till 9 a.m. Let him ask his wife to defer the dinner till 10 o'clock, then he can get his full complement of sleep, and if he asks his spouse in the right way, no doubt she will be pleased to meet his wishes. Surely a law good enough to let the children sleep should be workable here, and among thousands of others I am unable to find any but words of praise to speak in favor of the enactment of this law, and the "Sunrise" article should be highly commended for the way in which they took the matter up. What arguments Andy Robson, clever, progressive carpenter that he is, could adduce in opposition to the law I am curious to learn. Surely his men can saw many boards and drive as many nails now as they could before the clock was moved. The gardeners, the boys who play ball, the horticulists, the bicycle riders and the man who drives an auto, all bless the adoption of the new time, and hope to see it a permanent feature of the summer months in Canada.

Let "Sunrise" remain home on Sunday and get acquainted with his family, then he will not miss the cars so keenly on Sabbath.

LONDON, July 6, 1916.

GUNS NOT TURNED OVER TO THE UNITED STATES

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, July 6.—There is a denial of the report that Canada has turned over to the United States a quantity of machine guns which were in process of manufacture there when the Mexican trouble became acute. However, it is pointed out that the American Government has authority to seize and pay for any munitions ordered in that country by any government.

CITY BREVITIES

TRAIN HELD UP.—G. T. R. train No. 6, from Chicago, due in London at 12:20 p.m., was one hour and thirty minutes late today. The delay was due to engine trouble.

SOME GOOD ADVICE.—Two drunks, one from Sarnia, and the other from Toronto, were allowed to go in the police court today, and advised to take the first train home.

NOT TAKEN UP.—It was announced yesterday that the award in the Foster arbitration case would be taken up today. Another hitch has developed, and the award is still to be taken up.

MEETS ON FRIDAY.—The utilities commission will meet on Friday afternoon, the most important matter for consideration will be the construction of the new hydro shop. It is probable that it will be built.

BUYS PORT STANLEY LOT.—J. C. Duffin, of this city, has purchased a lot at Port Stanley, 200x100 feet east of the village. The deal was closed this week. He will erect a modern bungalow on the property at once, plans for the work having been prepared.

SHORTAGE OF CALVES.—Farmers of London district report an unprecedented shortage in calves. Annually thousands of young calves are purchased by stock raisers for fattening. This year, in the case of the high price of beef, they are very scarce. Young calves bring \$10, and often more, from butchers.

SUIT OVER DRAFT.—Meredith & Meredith, representing D. H. Howden & Co., plaintiffs, issued a writ today against Blake L. Borden, receiver of Cook's Church, Toronto, now of Denver, Col., as the speaker. The meetings will continue for the week, and everyone in the city is invited to attend.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DEATH OF JOHN EGGETT.

The death of John Eggett, in his 75th year, occurred at the residence of his granddaughter, Mrs. J. Cannon, Grand avenue, corner Gerrard. He is survived by his widow, also of this city.

The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 (standard time) to Woodland Cemetery.

FUNERAL OF JAMES TOOLE.

The funeral of James Toole, whose death occurred suddenly on Tuesday, was held this afternoon from the family residence, 15 Robinson street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

OLD TOWNSHIP RESIDENT.

John H. Shook, for many years a resident of London Township, passed away early this morning at the family residence, lot 8, concession 7, London Township.

He was in his 68th year, and is survived by his widow.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. John's Cemetery.

MRS. NANCY KILBOURNE.

The death of Mrs. Nancy Kilbourne, in her 75th year, occurred at the family residence, 351 Queen's avenue, last night. She had been a resident of London for the past five years.

Mrs. Kilbourne is survived by three daughters—Julia and Clara and Mrs. (Dr.) Reynolds, all of this city, and Anson Kilbourne, Stratford.

Dr. Flanders of the First Methodist Church will conduct the funeral services at the house tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

MRS. MALCOLM J. KENT.

A well-known resident of this city passed away last night in the person of Mrs. Malcolm J. Kent, of 270 Central avenue. She had been ill only a short time, and was in her 56th year at the time of her death.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. J. H. Harrison of this city, and Major V. J. Kent of the 55th Battalion, Peterborough.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the family residence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Canon Tucker will conduct the funeral services.

SISTER OF MRS. (DR.) McCRAE.
Mrs. (Dr.) D. L. McCrae was called to Guelph on Wednesday by the sudden death of her youngest sister, Mrs. K. McKenzie of that city. Mrs. McKenzie, who was in her 44th year, died in the General Hospital following an operation. She had been a resident of the Royal City practically all her life. The funeral will take place on Friday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED.—GENERAL SERVANT, small family, 421 Appleton st. H. Smith, 422 Dalhousie. Phone 5550. J. K.

OPEN-AR MEETINGS IN VICTORIA PARK START MONDAY NEXT

Ministerial Alliance Will Conduct Series There.

JOHN MacNEILL COMING

Famous Divine Will Be Speaker at Novel London Revival.

The London Ministerial Alliance on Monday next will open a series of open air meetings at Victoria Park with "Scottish John" MacNeill, formerly of Cook's Church, Toronto, now of Denver, Col., as the speaker. The meetings will continue for the week, and everyone in the city is invited to attend.

The meetings are the outgrowth of the agitation to bring "Billy" Sunday to the city. It was at first intended to secure the old McCormick property on the Federal Square, but this idea was given up in favor of having the meetings held at different points.

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LEAGUE PICNIC

Empress Avenue Members Have Enjoyable Time at Springbank.

About fifty young people of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church went down to Springbank at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening for the Epworth League picnic.

Just after the arrival at the park, a beautiful tea was spread near the pavilion. Following this, races and other sports were enjoyed, winding up with a hotly contested baseball match.

The picnic was a most enjoyable one, and the girls swarming the spheroid with as much damage and making as many home runs as the men.

According to the players, both sides won.

BATTERIES NOT LEAVING THOUGH HORSES SENT ON

Call for Artillery Mounts Robbed Depot Units Here.

The fact of the removal of 70 battery horses yesterday to Petawawa does not, in the opinion of the military authorities, necessarily mean that the two depot batteries now in London are to leave.

The horses have been quarantined for some months past at Queen's Park owing to inadequate stabling facilities at the Richmond street camp.

The stabling arrangements had just been completed at the camp when the order came by wire to Sir Adam Beck to ship 70 horses or more at once to Petawawa. The only available artillery horses at Queen's Park, consequently these were shipped yesterday.

82-YEAR-OLD MAN CONVICTED OF ASSAULT

Aged Inmate of House of Refuge Sent Down for 30 Days.

William Atkinson, 82 years of age, feeble and bent, weighing about 120 pounds, was committed to the county jail by Police Magistrate Noble of Stratford, who found him guilty of committing an assault on J. R. McMillan, keeper of the house of refuge.

Atkinson was brought in by Chief Wilson of Stratford, and the aged man required assistance down the steps at the jail.

He was sentenced to serve 30 days.

JOINT COMMITTEE TO PROTEST AGAINST REMOVAL OF TROOPS

Meets Tonight to Discuss Action.

HEAVY LOSS TO CITY

Much of Expenditure on Camp Rendered Useless by the Ordered Transfers.

There will be a meeting of the joint committee of the board of trade and city council, which had in hand the negotiations to bring the militia camp to London, tonight, to discuss a course of action. Official information has been received here that the most of the camp is being moved away, and the committee are not at all pleased.

Efforts are being made to get in touch with William Gray, M. P., who is out of the city for a few days, and he will be asked to attend the session this evening.

A strong protest will be made against the action of the militia authorities. The city has expended many thousands of dollars for the camp, much of it rendered useless by the transfer. The city went into the project in good faith, relying on promises and written agreements, and the committee cannot understand why these agreements have been overlooked.

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EIGHT BATTALIONS

Taking All Equipment.

All camp equipment used by the units is to be taken with them, including tents, stores and so on. The question of transporting the equipment and other fixtures, said for from battalion funds, has yet to be arranged. Some of the units have expended no inconsiderable sums on adding to the comfort of their officers and men, and it is believed that the Government will sanction the transportation of wooden tent floors and so on.

Heavy marching order is to be used by all units. The men will have to carry kit bags and will travel with rolled great coats. As they are leaving camp, they may also have to carry their blankets.

More Go Next Week.
If it can be arranged, the four battalions chosen for the move, in addition to the Carling Camp brigade, will leave on Friday and Saturday of next week, but this seems hardly possible now. It takes a week to get the railway equipment, and it is believed at headquarters that the 142nd, 149th, 153rd and 161st will be held here for another week.

The draft plans, as arranged by the railways, called for a movement of two battalions weekly, but this has been seen, has been considerably altered.

Abandon Outside Camps.
Merwin, Francis, Hillcrest and Grosvenor, which all have been abandoned as soon as the present occupants entrain for Borden. The battalions occupying these camps and still left in London will be moved to the Carling Heights. This movement means that the 160th will move from Grosvenor to the senior position on Carling Heights.

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How They Go.
Francis camp units—160th and 161st remain in London, as does the 160th. The Bruce camp mates—members of the 149th—leave, as do the present occupants of Hillcrest, the 161st and 163rd. The 160th will move from Grosvenor to the senior position on Carling Heights.

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DEMENTED GIRL SAYS SHE WAS MURDERER

Writes Montreal Police That She Slew Marlon Lambert.

MONTRÉAL, July 5.—"I killed Marlon Lambert," she wrote, "and I am a murderer. I am innocent. I am a murderer, and I will not let Orpet suffer for me. I love Orpet. I defy the police to get me. If you have any more news, I will tell you. I have been in Montreal for some time reading about the case, and also talking with people about it. For the present I will sign myself, Deva Lambert."

The foregoing was received at police headquarters in this city today addressed to the "Chief of Detectives," and evidently was written by some girl who has become mentally unbalanced from the tragedy in a wood near Waukegan, Ill.

Location Problematic.
Just where the eight battalions from this city are to be located in the Borden Camp seems a problem to those who have been in the city since the 16th. The original schedule, as prepared by Major Milson, director of transport and supply of No. 1 District, called for 25 battalions to be under canvas by July 10. Since that was issued, orders were given to the 201st (Toronto Light Infantry) Battalion to go under canvas early next week. This will bring the total to 26 battalions without the local eight which mean that at least 24 battalions will be at Camp Borden.

May Be Here Till August.
In the second district, orders call for the immediate transfer to Camp Borden of all battalions as soon as they reach the 600 mark. But the units now recruiting there are already under the figure, it is figured locally that the last of the eight battalions from this city will not leave London before the end of the month of August.

The latest orders from Ottawa concerning the transfer of troops mean that, but three battalions are to be kept in London for the summer unless a further change is made, and the 201st Battalion, now recruiting in Essex County and throughout the whole district area, is brought in from Windsor.

The transfer means that two of the three battalions with the largest numerical strength in camp here will go.

The 160th, remaining here, tops the list, with the 153th in second place, and the 149th, a close third, according to the latest parade states. Conversely some battalions with the smallest strength, including the 151st, will also go, so it is regarded as a pretty fair division.

LABOR BODY MAY MOVE FROM BERLIN TO NEUTRAL CITY

International Organization Considers Change.

SWITZERLAND FAVORED

English Representatives Take Strong Stand on Freedom of the Seas.

LEEDS, July 5, via London.—The conference of the trades unionists of the allied countries arranged by the French Labor Confederation after the recent economic conference of the allied national leaders in Paris, was held here today. The session was private and was presided over by James O'Grady, labor member of Parliament.

A communication issued to the press after the adjournment of the conference stated that plans had been considered to neutralize the personnel and location of the international union by removing its headquarters from Berlin to Switzerland.

A proposal by an American Federation of labor representative that a meeting of organized labor should be held at the same time and place as the peace conference was opposed by the English delegates as impracticable and liable to lay the labor movement open to ridicule. The proposal was rejected after a discussion in which it was supported by the French delegates.

The question of the freedom of the seas was discussed on the French proposal that freedom should be maintained after the war. The English delegates stoutly opposed this, saying that they would not tolerate anything which would jeopardize England's food supply by interfering with the power of the British fleet. They maintained that, as far as England was concerned, the seas were free before the war and would continue free thereafter. The resolution was withdrawn.

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KINCARDINE, July 4.—On Tuesday morning an explosion occurred at the Hunter Bridge and Boiler Company here, whereby the water front in oil furnace, used for heating the nose of shells, blew up, destroying the entire structure.</

Confidence Built Up Taylor's Business

No matter what it may be, when you buy it from "SQUARE DEAL" TAYLOR you are sure that the price is the lowest in Canada. This is a result of Taylor's heavy cash buying. He buys everything from the manufacturer. This eliminates the jobber's profits and saves you from 20 to 40 per cent. He pays spot cash for everything, and it is the firm with the ready money to "plank down" that gets the best prices.

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Are You Afraid to Smile?

Keep your teeth clean and white with Dr. Morin's Listerated Dental Cream and you won't be ashamed to smile. It's the anti-septic tooth paste that cleans, whitens and polishes the enamel, hardens the gums and keeps the mouth beautifully clean and fresh. Taylor sells the 35c tubes for 24c. Try it today.

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Thousands of Samples Free At the East Store.

50c Dr. Chase's Nerve Food 27c
\$1.00 Nuxated Iron 57c
40c Limestone Phosphate... 24c
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\$1.50 Syrup of Hypophosphites 79c
50c Fruit-a-tives 27c
35c Wild Strawberry 19c
\$1.00 Burdock Blood Bitters 59c
25c Mennen's Talcum, 2 for 25c
\$1.00 Pinkham's Compound, 68c
25c Linen Writing Pads... 9c
50c Emulsified Coconut Oil 28c
\$2.00 Ebony Hairbrushes... 98c
25c Wiltshire Oils 18c
25c White Hazel Cream... 16c
75c Mary Garden Talcum... 48c
25c Lila de France Talcum... 9c
25c Williams' Talcum 19c
25c Colgate's Talcum 20c

25c Assorted Talcum 11c
15c Palmolive Soap... 3 for 25c
25c Palmolive Talcum 19c
25c Ingram's Talcum 16c
25c Djer-Kiss Talcum 19c
50c Gin Pills 35c, 3 for \$1.00
25c Toothbrushes 12c
35c Castoria 22c
25c Mentholatum 14c
50c Peroxide Vanishing Cream 24c
25c Charcoal Tooth Paste... 19c
\$3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk \$2.79
50c Dodd's Kidney Pills... 29c
\$1.00 D. D. D. Eczema Cure 57c
25c Nerviline 19c
25c Shaving Sticks 15c
25c Foot Elm 17c
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35c Syrup of Figs 18c

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50c Red Wing Grape Juice... 38c
25c Abbey's Effervescent Salt 17c
60c Abbey's Effervescent Salt 39c
60c Chase's Ointment 37c
25c Chase's Pills 15c
75c Jad's Salts 48c
\$1.00 Best Beef, Iron and Wine 49c
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50c Honey and Almond Cream 32c
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25c Electric Oil 14c
50c Household Ointment... 28c
25c Carter's Pills 13c
25c Tar Shampoo 19c
25c Mecca Ointment 13c
75c Bisurated Magnesia... 48c
50c Canthrox 38c
25c Carbolic Tooth Powder... 9c
10c Old Dutch Cleanser 2 for 15c
50c No-Mo-Odo, for excessive perspiration 33c
25c Hamilton's Pills 16c
25c one-pound Talcum, 2 for 25c
25c Danderine 15c
10c Styptic Pencils 5c
25c Beecham's Pills 17c
\$1.00 St. Francis Invalid Port 59c
50c Morin's Eczema Ointment 39c

15c Keating Powder 8c
25c Keating Powder 14c
100 A. B. S. and C. Tablets... 14c
\$1.00 Morina Face Powder, all shades 49c
\$5.00 Dr. Morin's Guaranteed Whirlsyringe Syringe... \$2.49
Champion Bedbug Killer, large syringe-topped can 25c
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Since 1868 Taylor's Stomach and Liver Cure has been curing constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, nervousness, headache, backache, sour stomach, gas and all impurities of the blood. It is composed entirely of roots and herbs and does not contain one particle of mineral poison. Stomach and Liver Cure is a laxative, but unlike pills, it does not weaken the system, but acts as a powerful system tonic. Sold at 25c a bottle, and your money back if it fails to cure.

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All styles, all colors. Greatly reduced in prices.

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Disappear immediately when you use Dr. Morin's Kidney Tonic. The best remedy for kidney and bladder affections and all diseases arising from disorders of the urinary organs, such as gravel, catarrh and congestion of the kidneys and bladder, incipient Bright's Disease, incontinence or frequency of urination, acidity or cystitis. Kidney tonic is a liquid medicine. It does not contain any saltpetre, the cause of the irritating action of all kidney pills. It is a real kidney tonic. Taylor will sell you a \$1 bottle for 49c.

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10c Jap, Rex, Santa Clara, Mi Linda, Baled Havanas, Old Abes, Humps, Havana Perfectos, etc., 5 for 25c.
5c Panatelas, 10 for 25c.

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TO TRANSFER 78 IRISHMEN FROM ENGLISH HOUSE

Have Irish House of Commons Under Home Rule.

CARSON WILL BE ONE

Two Unionists Agree to Sit in the New Parliament.

[Canadian Press Cable.]

LONDON, July 6.—2:44 a.m.—The complete details of Lloyd George's scheme for provisional home rule for Ireland was published in the morning papers. The following are the principal features:
First—An Irish House of Commons will be constituted by the transference to the Irish Parliament of 78 members now sitting in the English Commons for the 26 home rule counties. (The total Irish representation in the Imperial House of Commons is 105, of which 25 members sit for the six Ulster counties provisionally excluded from home rule.)
Transfer 78 Members.
Second—Of the 78 members to be transferred to the Irish House 76 are Nationalists or Independents, while two are Unionists, namely, Sir Edward Carson and J. H. M. Campbell, attorney-general for Ireland. These two members represent Trinity College, Dublin. They have both consented to sit in the home rule parliament, and on this fact some hopes are based for future amity.
Third—Members of the Irish Com-

mons will retain their seats in the English House and will often be seen there as the Irish body is not expected to have much business to transact at first.

Fourth—Considerable representation of the Unionist interests in the south and west of Ireland will be provided through the nomination of their representatives to the Irish Senate. It is proposed that the Senate sit and act with the Irish Commons during the temporary settlement, thus safeguarding the interests of the Unionists.

Adjustment After War.
Fifth—The temporary settlement is to continue until one year after the termination of the war. At that time the whole arrangement will come under the review of the great imperial conference, which is to be held to adjust the government of the Empire.

Sixth—The framework of Irish finance in the home rule act will not be altered, but some increases will be made in the sum to be transferred to Irish revenues from the imperial treasury.
Seventh—A new lord-lieutenant will shortly be appointed as a preliminary to the adoption of the new arrangement.

LONDON, July 5.—The outlook for a compromise settlement of the Irish question has improved. It was announced today that Walter Hume Long, president of the local government board, had received assurances to this effect, of such a nature as to justify him in withdrawing his resignation.
A meeting of Unionists to consider the matter will be held at the Carlton Club on Friday.

NO CORRUPTION FOUND.
ST. HYACINTHE, July 5.—Alderman Alphonse Gervais, on trial in the present session of the assizes, charged with employing corrupt methods in municipal affairs, has been acquitted by the jury before which his case was tried.

ENEMY PLANNING COUNTER-ATTACKS AGAINST BRITISH

Expected Offensive May Extend on Entire Front.

BRITISH STILL PROGRESS

No Let-up to the Russian Aggressiveness in the East.

LONDON, July 5.—10:17 p.m.—The French continue to make more progress than the British on the western front, owing partly to the more difficult ground facing the British, and also to the fact that stronger forces are opposing the French. The main attack in the present operations will be on the British front.

But despite their slower progress, the British are successfully beating back heavy German counter-attacks, which have been delivered both day and night in the regions of La Boisselle and Thiepval, and generally between the Ancre and the Somme, where they are making steady progress.

It is estimated that the German losses in the battle of the Somme thus far are approximately 60,000. The capture of guns has been comparatively small, because the Germans, in anticipation of the offensive, withdrew their big artillery to longer ranges before the battle began.

Bringing Men From Verdun.
According to aerial observations on the French front in the direction of Verdun there are now only three more trench systems between the French and the open country, and if a break can be made in the German lines here it would be extremely serious for the Germans, who are doubtless hurrying up reinforcements to make sure their threatened point. The Germans are sending reinforcements to the battlefield from as far as Verdun and Lens, and it is thought that the continued heavy German attacks on the Meuse may be intended to hide important transfers of troops behind the German lines.

A report from Holland indicates that the Germans have prepared a counter-offensive between the Belgian frontier and Arras, which is rumored a formidable concentration of artillery is being made.

No Let-Up in East.
The operations on the Russian front show not the slightest diminution in their intensity. Both Russian and German official communications testify to the desperate nature of the battles. The Germans are offering stubborn resistance to the Russian offensive in the Baranovichi region, but on the whole the Russians appear to have the advantage, and also in the Lutsik region.

In the Caucasus, however, the Turks seem to be more successful in holding up the Russian advance. According to

a report from Constantinople by way of Vienna the Turks have driven the Russians out of Kermanshah.

The Italians are keeping up their strong fight, and, altogether, the view of the whole military field continues promising from the standpoint of the Entente Allies.

Rumania May Join.
Meanwhile the political field has almost as absorbing an interest. The Rumanian Government is said to be greatly impressed by the recent military successes of the Entente Allies, and today's news is that the two opposing political parties in Rumania have already joined forces in favor of a pro-Entente policy. Hence, therefore, there is reason to believe that, although the British Government and its allies disavow any real change in policy as a result of the abandonment of the declaration of London, steps have been taken in the neutral countries of Europe which will have the effect of increasing the economic pressure on Germany.

CAR KILLS CHILD.
MONTREAL, July 5.—Run down by an automobile on Aqueduct street opposite his home, 228 Aqueduct, a little boy, 3 years old, was instantly killed this afternoon. The driver speeded up and got away without his identity being ascertained.

Do Long Breaths Hurt?

Dangerous Pleurisy Always Begins This Way.

Speediest Cure Is Nerviline

Ouch, that stablike pain in the side is like a hot knifeblade in the ribs! Probably got overheated—cooled too fast—now there is congestion, tightness, such soreness you can't draw a long breath.

This is the beginning of Pleurisy. Pleurisy is far too serious to neglect a single instant. Quick relief will come from a vigorous rubbing with Nerviline. This trusty old pain reliever will fix you up in no time—will take away the congestion—make you well, just as it did Mr. Samuel J. Johns of Stamford, who says: "In running to catch a train last week, I became much overheated. I put up the train window and rode that way in order to get cooled off. In an hour my side was so full of pain and my breathing hurt so much that I thought I had pneumonia. I rubbed Nerviline in my side and at destination I rubbed my side thoroughly three times. The warm, penetrating effect was soon noticeable, and I quickly got relief. Nerviline, I consider, saved me from a serious illness."

Any sort of a cold can be quickly broken up with Nerviline, which is a marvel for reducing inflammation, for relieving congestion in the throat and chest, for curing stitch in the side, lumbago, neuralgia, sciatica or rheumatism. Nothing more soothing or powerful. The 50-cent, large, family-size is the most economical. Small, trial size, 25 cents, at all dealers everywhere.

KILT COMES BACK AND IS TO STAY; BAN NOW LIFTED

Argument of Highlanders Prevails at Ottawa.

A HEALTHFUL COSTUME

Wears Longer Than Trousers and the Wearer Wears Longer.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, July 5.—The kilt has come back and is here to stay. Two weeks ago the Canadian military authorities came to a decision to allow the wearing of kilts by the Canadian Highland regiments.

Why kilts were banned has never been explained, however reasons are given for the restoration. In the first place they are more convenient than trousers. The first cost of kilts is greater than that of trousers, but the kilts are more durable. They are made of heavy material, and the soldier gets pneumonia and rheumatism. The kilt, rising superior to underfoot moisture, keeps itself and its wearer in good war-like condition. So the kilts have promptly won back and consolidated their lost position.

SOUTHERN TOWNS CUT OFF BY TROPICAL HURRICANE

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 5.—Mobile and Pensacola, cut off from communication early today by the tropical hurricane, had not been heard from at midnight tonight.

The last report from Pensacola, received shortly after 9 o'clock this morning, said the wind was blowing 80 miles an hour, and apparently increasing. At about 11 a.m. it was reported that several ships in Mobile harbor were dragging anchors, and were in danger of being beached. Efforts to reach the isolated cities by wireless were unavailing.

MONTREAL MAN DIES

MONTREAL, July 5.—Joseph Villeneuve, manager of the east end branch of the Montreal Abattoirs, Limited, and former alderman for St. Henry, died today at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Tourangeau, 535 Orchard avenue, Notre Dame de Grace. He was 68 years of age.

Sir Edward Grey May Join Peers

Foreign Secretary Said To Be Scheduled for Upper House.

LONDON, July 6.—3:28 a.m.—The King has decided to confer a peerage upon Sir Edward Grey, secretary of foreign affairs, according to the Daily Chronicle.

KERMANSHAH IS AGAIN IN HANDS OF TURK TROOPS

Lost by Russians After Two Days' Battle.

CONSTANTINOPLE REPORT

Attempt Stand West of Town, But Are Overwhelmed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, via London, July 6.—12:34 a.m.—The Russians have lost Kermanshah after a fierce battle which lasted for two days, according to an official statement issued by the Turkish war office. The text of the statement follows:

"After the Russians had been beaten in a battle west of Kermanshah, which lasted all day and night, our troops entered the town.
"The day before the battle it was established that the Russians had determined to defend themselves in the village of Mahdesht, and owing to the swift and encircling movement of our forces the enemy could not hold the place, and under the protection of his rear guard began a retreat to prepared positions west of Kermanshah.
"The next day the Russian rear guard was withdrawn from Mahdesht and our troops entered the village and started in pursuit of the enemy.
"By nightfall he was obliged to evacuate his positions and withdrew to the town of Kermanshah. In the morning, without giving the enemy time to organize a retreat, our troops in three detachments penetrated the town, forcing the enemy to flee.
"Caucasian front:
"There has been local artillery fighting in the Tchoruk sector. North of Tchoruk we successfully carried out a surprise attack on the enemy, pushed him back from his positions, and captured six guns and two machine guns."

ITALIANS CAPTURE TWO MORE HILLS AND MAKE ADVANCE

Gain the Summits of Mounts Corno and Sellugio.

ACTIVITY ON ISONZO

Austrian Prisoners and Guns Taken in Monfalcone Sector.

ROME, July 5.—Via London.—New successes have been won by the Italians in their offensive in the Trentino, the war office announced today. They have occupied the summit of Monte Corno, northwest of the Pasubio, and captured the crest of Monte Sellugio.

The official statement follows: "Between the Adige and the Brenta the enemy is making every effort to contest our advance, and has attempted to counter-attack at various points. In the Adige valley during the night of July 3 we repulsed an attack on the Monte Zugna trenches.
"Yesterday, after several attempts, our Alpine troops reached the summit of Monte Corno, northeast of the Pasubio.
"In the Upper Adige basin, in spite of difficulties, and the enemy's resistance, we captured the crest of Monte Sellugio, and advanced toward Rio Forno and the Artico.
"On the Sette Comuni plateau nothing of importance occurred.
"In the Campiella valley, near Maso Beram, after intense artillery preparation, the enemy attacked our positions on Prima Lunet, but was driven off with heavy loss, leaving some prisoners and three machine guns in our hands.
"Along the Isonzo front, the artillery activity has increased. Fighting in the Monfalcone sector has continued. We took some prisoners, two machine guns and a trench mortar."

JAMES G. CANNON DEAD, PROMINENT FINANCIER

Until Recently President of Fourth National Bank, New York.

NEW YORK, July 5.—James G. Cannon, for many years one of New York's leading bankers, and widely known for his constructive work in financial circles, died today at his country home at Golden Bridge, N.Y. He had been ill several weeks. He was 58 years of age.
Mr. Cannon until recently was president of the Fourth National Bank, one of the largest mercantile banks in this city, and was widely known as an authority on the administration of clearing houses.

STEAMER WILHELMINA SUNK IN COLLISION

Crashes Into Naval Transport in Rio Janeiro Harbor.

RIO JANEIRO, July 5.—The American loan steamer Wilhelmina, from New York, for this port, via Barbados, was sunk this morning in a collision with the Brazilian naval transport Sargento Albuquerque. It is not believed that any lives were lost.

The Sargento Albuquerque was en route to Rio Janeiro harbor when she collided with the Wilhelmina.

The Wilhelmina, a steamer of 1,599 tons gross, was built at West Hartlepool, in 1888, and was owned by the Southern Products Trading Company. She left New York on June 6 for Rio Janeiro.

GREAT BRITAIN BEST CUSTOMER OF STATES

Trade Grown More Rapidly Than That of Any Other Nation.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Figures made public tonight by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show that the war has enabled Great Britain greatly to increase her trade with all other nations in commerce with the United States. During the year 1915, trade with Great Britain and her colonies reached a total of more than two billion dollars. More than one-third of the imports for the calendar year came from the United Kingdom and nearly one-half of the total exports went to British ports. British goods sold to the United States increased from \$572,000,000 in 1913 to \$624,000,000 in 1915, and exports to Great Britain rose from \$1,120, 000,000 to \$1,587,000,000.

Sleepless Nights

You can't sleep because of nervous headaches, irritability, etc., by restoring the run-down and exhausted nervous system. The benefits obtained are both thorough and lasting. 50 cents a box. 6 for \$2.50. All dealers, or Edman, son, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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Double	3.00 to 4.00
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Double	4.00 to 7.00
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Let Canadians Be Able to Say, "My Country Did the Right Thing By a Poor American Mother Who Gave Her Only Son to the Cause!"

"AUNT NANNIE," who lives near

Chicago, and who gave and lost her only son to the Canadian forces, is in need of food, while the Pensions and Claims Board persists in the position that as his mother cannot prove that he was "her sole support," this country cannot give her a pension.

Some time ago The Advertiser touched upon the case of "Aunt Nannie," who has become a fast friend of Advertiser readers through her contributions to the "Cynthia Grey" column, the readers of which are now sending in squares to make a quilt that in every respect is as much a "loving cup" as was ever given. She has been the "aunt" of all that vast family of splendid women and girls and in a burst of spontaneous affection for her they are showing that she has many friends in Canada, though her road in life has been hard.

"Aunt Nannie" and her husband are American citizens of good old British stock. When war was declared their son, who was not "too proud to fight" for a good cause, wanted to come to Canada and enlist. Finally his old parents gave their consent, and he joined the famous 18th Battalion. He was shot through the head by a German sniper and buried in the fields of Flanders. He was beloved of his comrades, and they did what they could to let the world know how an American brave boy died.

During his service he had sent his mother money in various amounts, and this went far to sustain her. Her husband, so she tells us—none but the pensions board seems to disbelieve her—is incapable of supporting her, and is almost a helpless invalid. He has been injured, and is barely able to get around because of chronic illness. "Aunt Nannie," herself about as ill, is unable to do anything except look after her small herd of goats and use her needles. At the present, she is unable to purchase food sufficient to give her and her husband proper nourishment. She tells that to Miss Grey, and Miss Grey believes her. She would not accept charity, but she has been urged and assisted by Canadians and by The Advertiser to bring her claim before the pensions board. She has written the board several letters since the time when her boy died many, many months ago. Always she has been told to keep on writing to the board and to send more facts, more proof, more affidavits. This strictly impartial tribunal is bound by certain rules, but may pass on certain cases at its discretion to the governor-general in council; yet it cannot believe "Aunt Nannie," and requires proof, proof, proof. It is appointed not to assuage the grief and relieve the sufferings of those afflicted by death in the war, but in this case, to count over and over the possibilities of the Government at Ottawa being swindled by a designing American woman who lives near Chicago, and whose sacrifice is a secondary consideration.

The circumlocution of courts appears to take a second place to the pensions and claims board. For instance here is the latest letter which "Aunt Nannie" has received in answer to one of the numerous communications which she has laboriously penned to them:

Ottawa, June 10, 1916. Madam—With reference to your application for a pension in consideration of your son's death, I have the honor to inform you that it is noted that he only contributed the sum of \$5 to your support. Therefore it is not apparent how he could have been your sole support, and, as previously explained to you, unless it can be conclusively shown that he was your sole support, it would be useless to submit your case for the special consideration of the governor-general in council. With a view to the matter receiving further consideration, it will be necessary for you to send in affidavits from persons of standing and disinterested persons getting forth the amounts your son was in the habit of contributing to your support, where he was employed when he enlisted for overseas service; and the amount of his wages. The letters you sent in from Mr. Boardman of Auburn, N. Y., in support of your statement that your son was a material contributor to your support, are dated May 11, 1906, and December 8, 1909. This board requires proof of

a more recent date than that of your son's contributions. I have the honor to be, madam, your obedient servant, J. S. DUNBAR, Claimant, President, Pensions and Claims Board.

"Obedient servant!" What a mockery! While this mourning mother is unable to support herself, and lives only with the memory of her only son, the Government tells her to get affidavits! She must produce these from persons who knew how many cents came to her from her son each week. Thus does a beneficent country dispose of the claim of a poor old woman, for, on the very face of the stupid suggestion, how would it be possible for anyone to secure such affidavits? Who knows but the mother what the son has done for her? Perhaps she does not remember herself, and it is unlikely that any "responsible and disinterested person" could state on oath what the amount was. How would a "disinterested person" know, and what should the country care if he did?

The Advertiser believes that if the people of Canada who contribute this pension money could vote on the question, they would quickly tear away the red tape and refined, if unintended, cruelties of the pensions board, and give to this woman what is her moral right—a fair competence such as Canadian mothers and wives are given when their sons and husbands die in the cause.

"Aunt Nannie" has about given up hope. Her reply to her "obedient servant" at Ottawa, shows how utterly hopeless the outlook seems to her:

June 14, 1916. — Illinois. Dear Sir—Your letter of June 10 received. I am more than surprised at the contents of the same.

I am wondering if it is from the heart throbs of the Canadian or British Government to the afflicted parents of an only son, killed in action while serving in the British army—or just an individual in its employ. I never claimed our son was our "sole support." He had sent me more money after the dates mentioned than before. He had no proofs in writing of what he sent or gave me personally, nor of the money he sent me while in Sand-lan Camp. I never thought of such a thing as ever having to prove it.

I did and do say he was our "sole support," the only one we had to depend on or could depend on—an unmarried and only son. Will you kindly return to me by return mail, the letters, proofs of marriage, son's birth papers, and the affidavits I sent you? Respectfully,

So you will see that "Aunt Nannie" does not intend any longer to drag her son's memory and her own heart through the pension machine at Ottawa. She is loth to blame the Government; she would rather believe that such an attitude of mistrust and positive heartlessness is the work of an individual, and while she does not condemn anyone she is through with the Government that took her son and handed her only words that hurt, words that seared because they were the words of a cold system or person that cared nothing about the PRINCIPLE of the sacrifice of the son and the mother, but cared all for the PRICE that such a thing might cost. For shame, you plotting "Aunt Nannie!" To think that you, who sent your flesh and blood from a strange land to fight for a cause that stirred his manhood, should dare to expect more than stiff, formal words from Ottawa. Get the affidavits or be quiet! Get the impossible affidavits or starve! We can't offer you even the job of a scrub-woman!

The Advertiser is not a paper that is conscious of its "influence"—the only influence this newspaper has is the influence of its readers. It has more than 150,000 readers and if aroused to action they are a force which no government stupidity or system can withstand. They could get for "Aunt Nannie" her rightful recognition from the Government which was glad to "use" her son in Flanders. Whatever her rights may be, Canada is willing and anxious to square her account in so far as that is possible. Canada does not wish to see her denied the pension that would strengthen her old age and relieve her burden, and who will say that she must be made to produce "affidavits" which make a convenient chance for closing the gates in her

face. Advertiser readers by cutting out this article and sending it to Ottawa, to the premier, to their members of Parliament, to all those with big hearts and influence, can render a service which, in the opinion of those who have taken an interest in "Aunt Nannie," will wipe a blot from the name of this country, and prevent a monstrous injustice from being committed.

"Aunt Nannie" is a little, lone, helpless figure out on the prairies of Illinois. She would be without food today if a kind-hearted grocer were not trusting her. She doesn't attract the attention of the great and near-great. She has no honorary-colonels at hand to take up her just claim. But in her case is embodied the conflict between the cruelties of red tape and the moral obligation of a great nation. Shall we settle "Aunt Nannie's" case with consideration for a PRINCIPLE or with consideration for a PRICE? The only "influence" "Aunt Nannie" possesses is the influence of her friends of The Advertiser columns. Let them strike for her with the determination to be able to say, "My country did the right thing by her."

MORE CARE NEEDED.

ACCORDING to a dispatch from Windsor an old statute has been resurrected by the customs officials, and American motor cars flying the Star and Stripes are, under its provisions, forced to fly the Union Jack, along with their own national flag, or the drivers must remove the latter. On the first day only one man objected to flying the Union Jack and his "name gave evidence of Teutonic origin." He preferred to remove the Stars and Stripes.

If any visitor, especially one bearing a German name, showed such marked aversion to the British emblem, was it not sufficient grounds for refusal to admit him into Canada?

It sometimes appears as if officials at the border fail to realize the danger incurred in allowing people of German descent or nationality to come into the Dominion, motor around for a week or two, and then return. They, if they are so inclined, may take away with them a good deal of important information, either for publication in American papers, or for direct transmission to Germany. They are well worth watching every minute of their stay, but better worth keeping out of the country.

In these days, when Canadian newspapers are working under especially strict censorship rules, it seems ridiculous that German-Americans can openly enter the Dominion and carry away with them columns of news which may not be published here, because it would be of benefit to the enemy.

If it is necessary to restrict Canadian papers from announcing coming events, or, in some cases, past events, surely it is more vital to prevent the knowledge of these incidents becoming public property in a country so liberally populated by enemy subjects.

To be consistent, the authorities ought to be more careful about the admission of doubtful visitors, that is, if the report from Windsor is correct.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Kaiser's grandson, aged ten years, has become a lieutenant. Were there no generalships open?

British prisoners in Germany are eating dog meat. Bitter crows will be the diet of the Huns a little later.

German-Americans are reported with one of Carranza's armies in Mexico, proving the loyalty of hyphenates.

Where was the gun of that Fort Henry guard, who allowed three Germans to overpower him in a boat? The escape has a funny look.

Lemberg citizens are fleeing, in spite of the commander's assurance that "there is no danger yet." That "yet" came too quickly in other cities.

Forget all your hardships says the Frankfurter Zeitung to the Germans. Easy. They might also ignore their hunger and rejoice in their bereavements.

Great dye works may be established in Western Ontario, and London is the centre of that district. Let the city's claims be urged quickly in the right quarters.

If a large body of mounted foreign soldiers appears in Western Ontario, don't be uneasy. It's probably a Russian patrol on a little scouting expedition.

Humane instincts are getting the upper hand in the United States. Baseball magnates now see objections to pitchers trying to kill batters via the "bean ball."

A victory for the Opposition in North Perth will encourage the liquor interest to resist prohibition. This is a roundabout admission that Hearst is weak-kneed and likely to cave in if the liquor interests can beat him. Or does the News think for a moment that Newton Wesley Rowell is likely to open the bars when he comes to power.

CANTALOUPE FOLLOWS FLAG. (St. Louis Globe-Democrat.) One month has been added to the cantaloupe season at the far end of the continent, and open to horticulture, they may be made continuous. The cantaloupe follows the flag.

THRILLING NEW YORK. (Kansas City Star.) New York got a real thrill when the militia marched away. New York has not felt its patriotism so stirred since '98, when it buried its spoons in the back yard and pasted newspapers over its mirrors so the thunder of the Spanish guns wouldn't shatter them.

How It Seems When That Second Drop of Medicine Is About To Go In Your Eye.

BY FONTAINE FOX



The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

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Tardy, But True

By Elsie See.

It was well known in Plainville that Madge Ingram, who five years ago had refused to wed Jim Butler, the merchant prince of the town, was now getting a good salary as private secretary to a city lawyer. It was equally well known that the merchant's young wife of a year kept a servant and an automobile and had charge accounts at the city department stores. Every time Madge came home for vacation, Plainville weighed the respective merits of her independence and the merchant's wife's affluence, but the shrewdest of the gossips did not suspect that a memory ante-dating her affair with Jim Butler meant more to Madge than anything that had come into her life. One summer morning Madge alighted from the six o'clock train for her vacation without having told of her coming, as she preferred to surprise her parents by appearing unannounced for breakfast. She hurried up the quiet street and, slipping quietly through the yard gate, she picked a handful of daisy petals before stepping around the side porch and knocking at the kitchen door.

"My dear child! I just felt you'd come soon!" exclaimed her mother at sight of her. "The dear mother—can't be surprised!" laughed Madge, as they embraced. "But I can be glad, and I am, dearie," said the mother, with a catch in her voice. "And here's crisp bacon and fried apples and hot biscuits, just as if you'd ordered your favorite summer breakfast."

"And I'm ready for breakfast, too," said Madge, with a happy sigh. "But where's father?" "He's in the garden," said Mrs. Ingram, and she led her daughter to her father's arms. No sooner, though, had he begun to point out the excellence of his tomatoes and sweet corn than Mrs. Ingram summoned them to breakfast.

"What's doing today, mother? Is there a picnic?" asked Madge, after breakfast. "Now, how did you guess that?" "I saw Tom Jordan hauling some giant ice-cream freezers and a lot of fruit up to the Maplewood pasture, and oh, I saw a distinguished-looking man in a grey tweed overcoat near the hotel. He looked like a man of affairs and beyond Plainville picnic."

"That must have been Tom Whitlow. He's here for a visit, and he dresses like that, and is staying at the hotel." "Tom Whitlow who used to—" Madge hesitated, and her mother continued: "Used to drive Butler's delivery wagon. But they say he's a speculator of himself. He is manager of some mines out West somewhere, and I guess he deserves credit, for his folks were poor and he's made a fortune." "But Tom was bright and gentlemanly," said Madge quickly, "and he used to help me do my arithmetic problems, although he wouldn't talk to me outside."

"I guess he's still kind of quiet," said Mrs. Ingram, "for they wanted him to make a speech at the picnic, and he made excuses that he'd rather listen than be heard." That afternoon Madge went with her parents to the picnic, and although she felt certain pleasure in greeting her old friends and answering their unvarying questions about her health and her impressions of local improvements, she soon began to feel keenly that she was no longer in sympathy with their lives or they with hers. When people began to gather to listen to the speech of the county candidates for office and of the local politicians who introduced the speakers, Madge slipped away and went across the little stream and up the hill to the north where she had often gone for wild flowers.

A thick undergrowth had changed the appearance of the hillside, but she soon found what she was seeking—a big oak tree, with a gnarled limb near the ground that formed a rough seat on which she had sat many times watching the birds and squirrels. As she walked around a thick clump of hazel and bushes and saw to reach the grassy space underneath the tree, a tall man in blue serge who had been sitting on the grass with his broad shoulders against the tree, rose and removed his hat in respectful but embarrassed greeting.

"I hope I haven't startled you," he said, "and may I hope, also, that you would care to remember Tom Whitlow?" "Not at all," blurted Madge. Then, "Wait a minute!"

Basically speaking, the Allies are using the squeeze play to put over the winning counters. As to the discussion among golf and tennis players as to what does constitute an amateur, one might say off-hand that most players we have seen were certainly amateurish. If you play well, you must be a professional. It looks as if a prize fighter is killed in the ring occasionally to prove that the game is brutal. Otherwise it looks like a gentle pastime. A Rochester Plymouth Rock rooster can crow the Doolology. However, it does not make one over-religious to hear any rooster crow, even a Presbyterian one, at 2 a.m. The German press is doing quite a lot of whistling to keep their courage up. It looks as if they will soon be out of breath.

Two "rasslers" grappled for five hours without getting a fall, which is some folks' idea of fun. When J. Bull gets properly ready for a little job, he generally reaches the end of the road. There is going to be a dandy little march towards Berlin one of these days. A person is expected to eat a peck of dirt during his lifetime. If he wants to get it over with, he might drive or motor to Springfield. He can get enough at the Cove bridge to last him. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., says that miners dress better than he does. He can afford to look slovenly. The claim that the Russian soldiers won't fight seems to have been given a decided setback of late. The Germans are convinced now that they can fight, and that might well. It makes a lot of difference, one would gather from the German prints, whose soldiers are gassed. For a retired country gentleman, T. Roosevelt seems to have an overweening desire to keep in the political game, even if he has to play small parts. There is one thing about this summer—it is a regular summer. We have had several bright days. At the same time, it is not the summer of our discontent. The Big Squeeze is keeping our humor up. An expert says that short skirts kill off illusions. That is something in favor of short skirts.

Sir Douglas Haig is said to be a serene soldier, which is much better than a screen soldier. With stories about hoopskirts, and one-piece bathing suits at Port Stanley, it looks as if there is an attempt being made to popularize this summer resort. Castor oil is still going up in price. This paragraph is printed just to make the boys' holidays still more joyous. "We see through a dress darkly," says the wild boy of the office after going to a stenographers' picnic. Judge Hughes will make speeches in August. Now we know what he meant when he said it would be a hot campaign. We are much enamored of the recent eloquent outburst of silence on the part of Sir Sam Hughes. Carranza may not be the goat, but he has the whiskers at least. At the rate the Americans are capturing Villa, it would look as if his chances to die of old age are good. More than 50,000 women marched in a

prohibition parade at Glasgow, Scotland. It looks like universal drought.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians will fight to save the life of Casement, we read. They will do most of their fighting in New York cafes.

THE MILK QUESTION. Hot weather talk is what I call this splutter about milk. It's nothing but a little game to jump The price of a commodity we must use every day. And the half of which comes from a country pump.

Pasteurize nothing; my mother raised eight weans. The youngest of the lot's now past two score. And we've had no serious illnesses, we did not fuss too much. Over microbes in the good old days of yore.

The main thing was to get enough of good food to go round. For what we could get outside of was a lot. And if a brace of microbes got mixed up with the food, They never told us if they lived or not.

We worked and played and jumped about and never stopped to talk. Of what affect our meals would have on us; I guess the silly microbes must have died of pure ennui. When they found they could not mix us in a fuss.

Of the gent's who're always bothering, as to what we'll eat or drink, And who want to dictate how each one shall dine. Were "gathered to their fathers", laid under the sod. The writer, of regret, would pen no line.

—The Old 'Un.

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Who Has Them?

Dear Miss Grey,—Here comes another on to bother you. I saw in The Advertiser last November a piece of poetry written by Mrs. Nellie McClung, entitled, "Mrs. Brown's Change and Rest." You published it in two parts and I have the first part, but went away for a few days' holidays and missed the second. I should be most pleased to see any of the readers could supply me with it, and I should also like to get the words of an old piece of poetry entitled, "The Miner's Only Child" or "Little Jim." It is known by both titles. The first verse runs:

"The cottage was a thatched one, the outside old and mean,
Yet everything within that cot was wondrous neat and clean."

I am inclosing a stamped addressed envelope if anyone can supply me with it, and please, Miss Grey, will you tell me what day February 12, 1886, and also March 4, 1890, fell on? Please excuse writing and spelling; I know both are poor. Yours sincerely,

HEMBURY.

Ans.—I loaned my last copy of "Mrs. Brown's Change and Rest" and, unfortunately, it never came back. Has any reader got a copy she will loan? And who can supply words of the "Little Jim" piece?

February 12, 1886, came on a Friday; March 4, 1890, on a Tuesday. Don't apologise for writing or spelling. Why your letter is a "meat of perfection" compared to some, and that's no flattery, either.

All Work and No Play?

Dear Miss Grey,—As I have been a reader of your page for over two years and found it very interesting I always read, but when it comes to writing, I am at a loss. I have a few lines to write some other time, milk the cows or hoe in the garden for a little exercise, or run down the lane and help drive the pigs in where they get out. Well, that's all I have to write at the moment. I must see if I can catch him; he is a rascal. It keeps me jumping. I'm not a very good scholar as you can see, but I have an excuse. I left school very early. I am always reading in your page where these girls are always asking about their clothes, their hair, eyes, complexion and about the colors which look best. They live on no farm, I hope. I can hardly think of my dear. It's a good job he lives on a farm, where he keeps busy; if he had time to come and see me through the week he would be as busy as I am. I am no bird of fine feathers. Well, poor me, I look very queer at times, I'm sure, but if all these nice girls had their fingers would be as stubby as mine and they would have their complexion spoiled.

I will seal my letter without asking any questions, and if it should be that this doesn't reach the W. P. E., I will write again, if you will allow me to.

I am a DO ALL JOBS.

Ans.—You are a dear busy girl, and I am sure that you and hard work are not strangers. Am glad for you a bit "courting." Seems to me you're a bit hard on him, and "all work and no play, etc." you know. However, you're most welcome, stubby fingers and all. So call again, even though the "cows are in the clover."

Flowers for "Twenty-One."

Dear Miss Grey,—I am a constant reader of your page and like it best of all.

I saw in your column some time ago where "Twenty-One" had some songs, and if anyone wanted any he would copy them for them. So, Miss Grey, you ask "Twenty-One" for "A Starry Night for a Rambler," "Fifteen," "Good Luck to the Boys of the Allies," "I'm On My Way to Dublin Bay," and "My Poor Nellie Grey," and would like to get these old ones, as mother loves to hear the old songs. "Reginald B.," "Fair Fanny Moor," "Tis a Pic-

ture From Life's Other Side," and "Come to My Arms, Nora Darling." I would like to get one of "Twenty-One's" soldiers' buttons, as I just love all patriotic things. And Miss Grey, if you have any flags on hand, would you please send me a few, as I am making a cushion and have not enough? If anyone wants any of the following songs and will send stamp and address, I will be glad to copy them for anyone. I have "Strike Up the Band, Here Comes a Sailor," "She Deserted Those Who Loved Her Best of All," "The Letter That Came Too Late," "The Same Old Flags," "Marching Through Cuba," "The Rusty Blade," "The Songs the Boys Are Singing in Camp Tonight," "A Face Behind a Mask," "The Only Way," "Every Race Has a Flag But the Coon."

Well, I will have to close, Miss Grey, or you will be giving me my walking ticket. I am inclosing stamped, addressed envelope for songs and flags. If envelope is some more, if not enough to mail them to me.

Here are some wild flowers for "Twenty-One," which if he happens to go to France, will remind him of dear old Canada. Will you please send them to him? They are from our own Ontario woods near London.

THE LOST HEIRESS.

Ans.—Requests for songs referred to readers. I fancy that "Twenty-One" is fearfully busy just now, but perhaps he may send you a copy of the song. Am forwarding the flowers to him very carefully.

Name for Cottage.

Dear Miss Grey,—It seems that whenever I write to you, I am always in a hurry. However, I hope it shall not always be so. Could you suggest any names for a cottage?

What do you think of my writing?

I am, your truly, BROWNIE.

Ans.—Honestly, I never was as good at thinking up names for cottages and things. If such titles as "Shady Nook," "The Sunset View" and "Daisy Cottage" are too plentifully bespoken in your vicinity, couldn't you select a title from some favorite book?

2. It is very neat and graceful. Why all the hustle, Brownie?

A Hardened Spinster.

Dear Miss Grey,—May venture in your corner, as I was surprised to notice a discussion on "Why Recruiting Was So Slow in the Country." I live in the country, and in our neighborhood sixteen young men have enlisted. Two will never return. Eleven are in the front line. We are certainly proud of them. Why not hunt up neighbors like this to tell about instead of so-called slackers? I think this would help recruiting more. I know I would not like offering my life for my country if I was called a slacker, whether from city or country. Of course, every country has its slackers, but this is not the case every man from 15 to 45 enlisted in the same amount of territory.

I was sorry for some of the married women who were not happy. That's the trouble I'm thinking of. "Old maid," and men who complain of the girls. Why do such superior men ever condescend to marry a mere woman who has not ability enough to manage a house?

And mothers wanting girls to marry men they do not like. Why do they want them to get married at all?

Yes, I'm an old maid, or nearly so. I'm quite aware of the fact that the good men, and just as well aware of their good imitations, and it's usually too late when you discover it's only a good imitation.

Do not pass your opinion on my writing. I have had it from others.

A SPINSTER OF 25.

Ans.—Your various comments passed along. But as to being an "old maid" at 25, child!

Sunshine Sends Help.

Dear Miss Grey,—This is the way to tell fortunes by tea or coffee grounds, for the three of the "Sunshine." Now, Miss Grey, I hope you will be able to read this terrible writing, and I'm so glad to be able to help some of the readers, and will do so whenever I can.

With all good wishes for the success of the Mail-Box. SUNSHINE E.

Ans.—"Just Nineteen" and others will be most grateful to you, I know, so please consider yourself thanked. Am using your hints under a separate head. Come again, "Sunshine," do.

Corrects "Jemima."

Dear Miss Grey,—In your column of The Advertiser I noticed a piece of "Jemima" in which she said the 18th went to France in November, and as it was a mistake, I thought I would write and let you know. The 18th Battalion went to France in September, and I think it was September 12 they went, as I know it was fair week. I am just writing this so that London's Fighting 15th will get their due. I certainly do not think any battalion has ever beat the 18th. Well, this is the first time I have ever written to you, but I always like reading your page. From FRIMROSE NO. 2.

Ans.—Welcome. "Frimrose No. 2" agree with you that the 18th is a fine battalion, and I have a warm spot in my heart for it, too. Hope you'll call again, little blossom.

Here's Mac Again.

Dear Miss Grey,—I hope I may have space in your overflowing page to answer the criticism that has been passed on me in the past few weeks.

I am not of the sterner sex, but a girl just old enough to vote if such cruelty do not unguish me. I am not German or pro-German. My ancestors were Irish-Canadian, but Canada is my native land. I am proud of the fact, but not of the condition of our fair land today.

It seems to me freedom of speech, one of our boasted liberties, has taken flight. If one can judge by the sentence that has been passed on me for expressing my opinion, Kingston is too good.

Do you believe in the punishment of nations as well as individuals? Have we forgotten the barbarous treatment of the natives of dark Congo by the Belgians? Would it be just to let such cruelty go unpunished? Since the beginning of time the innocent have suffered for the sins of others.

We hear much of the sufferings of the people of Belgium. But little is said of the suffering of other peoples, countries. Millions of our Lord's chosen people, the Jews, in the different wars, have been suffering and dying of starvation, and comparatively little

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Is done. Isn't starvation for the Jew equal to that of the Negro?

What now can be said of the murder of Edith Cavell when we think of the murders in Ireland in the past few weeks? The high-school-boy-help plan has more than one side. In some cases, it seems to be working admirably; depends something on both the boy and the farmer, I guess. Call again some time, as I am busy at the moment, which is really good.

No Slackers There.

Dear Miss Grey,—Isn't it a shame that there is such a thing as "slacking," especially at such a time as this, although it doesn't seem fair to judge by appearances. I have sixteen cousins, three uncles at present fighting for the maintenance of honor and freedom, and have had four cousins killed and two are missing, and our own people are busy at the cross work, so I don't think we possess any "slackers" in our family, do you?

At an announcement party should gentlemen and ladies be invited, or only ladies?

2. Could you please print a good recipe for potato salad, lettuce salad, cabbage salad.

3. You candid opinion on my writing and general composition. MIGNON.

Ans.—Indeed, but you fancy yourself "first place" in the roll of honor. It must be fine to feel they are answering yours call so well.

1. Generally the guests are ladies only—girl friends of the bride, or young matrons who are about the same age.

2. Please see Cook Book Column.

3. All are excellent.

A Lonely Mother.

"Lonely Mother"—Many thanks for your contribution towards "Aunt Nannie's" story, as especially thanked in the cards you sent me. How proud you must be of "W. A." He's a fine boy, indeed. Do you know I always think of you when there's a "casualty" listed from your town, and rejoice for you when "his" name isn't there. Am keeping the snaps among my treasures.

"Lonely Mother" offers coupons from cigarette boxes; they are the kind that requires 30 or so to obtain a handkerchief, and let's see, who's saving these. Please, send address and a stamp so I can forward to "Lonely Mother."

Letter for Pineapple.

"Pineapple"—Please send me your address. I have a couple of letters here for you.

Movies and Education.

Dear Miss Grey,—I, could you give me Mr. Holden's address, who was referred to in an editorial in connection with moving pictures and education.

MULTUM IN PARVO.

Ans.—The gentleman's name is Francis Holly, and a letter addressed in care of the Bureau of Commercial Economics will reach him.

Gives the Dates.

Dear Miss Grey,—In your page, I notice where "Jemima" writes in answer to "P. E. S." that the 18th Battalion was sent to France the first week in November. Now, as I have a brother who went over with that battalion, may I be allowed to say that they were sent over in September (Tuesday, the 14th, to be exact).

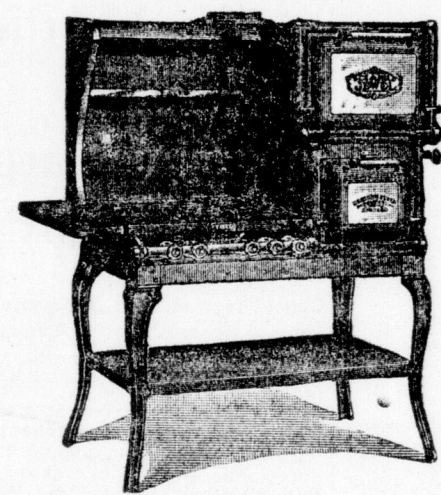
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Upon a snowy pillow lay a man with dimming eyes,

Waiting for the end to come, to bid his friends good-bye;

While others wept in sorrow, he smiled a peaceful smile,

And, thinking of his future, he, he murmured all the while:

"Nearer my God to thee, Thy will be done;

It is His will, not mine, that I go alone."

And as he closed his tired eyes, This brave and noble, he, he died.

He whispered to his loving friends, "Good-bye to all, good-bye."

Nearer my God to thee, he's gone beyond recall,

To serve him in the realms above As he once served us all.

A noble actor he has been, and well he played his part,

Ever like a father with the people in his heart.

This president has left us; his dying words remain;

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Farm Adjoining Suburbs of Railway Village Wrested From the Enemy.

10,000 PRISONERS CAPTURED BY FOCH

Allies Have Pushed Through Last Line of German Defenses.

PARIS, July 5.—The full force of the French offensive is again being exerted both north and south of the Somme, but particularly southward. In this direction the French are now in the outskirts of Peronne, the great railway centre, which is their objective in their effort to cut the German communications.

Somont farm, taken by the French, adjoins the suburban houses of Peronne. The importance which the Germans attach to this point is shown in their fierce counter-attacks last night, when they rushed the French lines back to the French village, Belloy-en-Santerre, where they momentarily held. This village lies between Assevillers and Estrees, both held by the French, so that the German rush temporarily made a dent in the French advance. This dent was quickly straightened out when fierce hand-to-hand fighting placed the town again in French hands.

Have 10,000 Prisoners. The number of German prisoners taken is now close to 10,000, while the extent of the munitions captured is shown by the fact that six guns were taken by a single army corps. Meanwhile the movement north of the Somme is necessarily retarded in order that the French left wing may act simultaneously with the British right wing. The British have been facing an extremely heavy resistance and large German reinforcements were hurried forward all day yesterday by the Cologne-Cambrai Railway.

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Get Into Khaki, Says Soldier's Wife to Crowd

BRANTFORD, July 5.—A soldier's wife, weeping at the station yesterday as the 15th Battalion left for Camp Borden, turned and appealed to the young men in civilian clothes to get into khaki, when a man like her husband, from whom she had not been separated for 30 years was going. One man responded.

which runs to the very centre of the German front attacked by the British. The stubborn resistance all along this front has prevented the British from keeping pace with the French advance to the south. British Chief Worry.

The tenacity with which the Germans are holding to their positions in the face of the British attack, particularly around La Boisselle, while the French menace of Peronne is comparatively neglected, leads to the belief of the military authorities that the Germans are chiefly concerned in breaking the British offensive, even at the sacrifice of some ground to the south. The French have now, in some places, pushed through the third and last line of the German defenses as they existed before the attack began. The Germans are hastily constructing a new line, but are manifestly unable to make it as strong as the three lines perfected after twenty months' labor. The text of the war office statement tonight follows:

Head Village Taken. "North of the Somme our troops continued their offensive during the day and captured the slopes south of Mamouth, to the north of Courcelette, and the village of the French left wing may act simultaneously with the British right wing. The British have been facing an extremely heavy resistance and large German reinforcements were hurried forward all day yesterday by the Cologne-Cambrai Railway.

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All German Second Positions Captured on Six-Mile Front

PARIS, July 5.—11:30 p.m.—The French have carried by assault the second German lines on a front of two kilometres from the Clercy-Maricourt road to the River Somme. They have also captured the village Hem, in the same district, according to the official statement issued by the French war office tonight.

The French have captured all the German second positions south of the Somme on a front of about ten kilometres. They have also completed the occupation of the village of Estrees where 200 Germans surrendered.

LAST OF HUMAN RESOURCES BEING BROUGHT BY ENEMY TO HOLD LINE IN THE WEST

Men Being Hastened From Every Front Except Where the British Are Engaged—Maximum Strength of Conflict to Come.

LONDON, July 5.—10:53 p.m.—The Reuter correspondent under date of July 4, sends the following from the Press Camp, British Army in France: "While the battle of the Somme has already assumed the proportions of the biggest battle on the western front, the maximum strength of the conflict has certainly not yet been reached. The Germans are throwing men into their reserves as fast as they can, and while many of these troops are reserves in the strict meaning of the term, the mass of them have been hurried from other theatres of the war, but not a single soldier from the 50-mile British front. Judging from the prisoners taken, the enemy seems to have arrived at the stage where he is obliged to build up his defenses with the very dregs of his human resources.

"An interesting feature of the battle is the partial return to conditions of field warfare. But it is only temporary. It is the era of the triumph of the machine over man, and although circumstances may occasionally bring the men face to face in the open, yet the scream of the high explosive and the crash of shrapnel form an imperative mandate to dig in or be wiped out."

ONLY BEGINNING OF BATTLE.

LONDON, July 5.—The Central News correspondent at Amsterdam says the French advance on Peronne as "remarkable," and continues: "We know we are only at the beginning of the battle. The first pushes usually are dangerous, but it stands to reason that the introduction of new reserves by the attacking armies which is to be expected to a certainty, will impose a very heavy task on the defenders. There is no question that the British will attempt to profit in their new offensive by the experience they gained through failure at the battle of Loos."

The Berliner Tageblatt's correspondent at the German headquarters says the fighting north of the Somme has lessened the prospects of the Entente for a quick and systematic advance. The Volks Zeitung of Cologne says that in the widest circles of the

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"In the region of Vukla-Golovizskai we broke through three lines of barbed wire entanglements fitted with land mines. In a very desperate fight on the Sty, west of Kolka we overthrew the enemy and took more than 1,000 prisoners, including 170 officers, together with 8 guns, 17 machine guns, 2 searchlights and several thousand rifles. "A bridging detachment lent the troops material assistance, in keeping pace with the fighting units and working close to the firing line."

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German people the feeling prevails that if the Allied offensive is laid up Germany will have accomplished a great deal.

BRITISH TAKE 6,000 PRISONERS.

LONDON, July 5.—11:20 p.m.—The British official statement issued at 10 o'clock tonight reads: "No special incident of importance occurred today. Fighting was continued all along the battle front, but has been mostly in the nature of local struggles for possession of certain strong points, the result of the day being that our troops advanced slightly in certain sectors and lost no ground gained."

"The German casualties during these ineffective attacks today were very heavy. Many more prisoners fell into our hands, and the total number of prisoners taken in the last five days now amounts to over 6,000. "On the rest of the front there was ordinary trench warfare."

LONDON, July 5.—1:51 p.m.—A Reuter dispatch from the western front says the Germans made a counter-attack on the new British positions at Thierval after a heavy bombardment, but were easily repulsed. Prisoners are quoted as having stated that German units are being rushed to the Somme front as far as Verdun to the east and Lens to the north.

According to this dispatch, a German officer who surrendered 150 men in a body, said he thought they would be of more use in Germany after the war than dead. Made Further Progress. "Heavy fighting continued throughout the night in the neighborhood of the Ancre and the Somme," says an official statement, timed 1 p.m., which was given out here today. "We further progress at certain important points."

"German artillery has been intensely active in certain sectors. The bombardment of Thierval two determined attacks on our new trenches were beaten off with loss to the enemy. "There were no important developments on the rest of the front."

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BLACK SILK POPLIN COATS—Three-quarter length, suitable for all occasions, shawl collar, silk braid trimmings, belt at the back, sizes 34 to 44; regular \$11.50. On Sale \$7.95
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INGERSOLL, July 5.—The rush which was so long delayed by wet weather, is now being experienced by the farmers. In the majority of cases they find the work piling up in a manner that is taxing their ingenuity as to which thing had better be tackled first. Many of them are busy with their hay, which is generally conceded to be one of the heaviest crops in years. There also are planting and hoeing to be done. The season was so backward that many of the farmers hesitated to plant their late potatoes and now they find the work is accumulating on all sides.

Applies Injured. Inquiries as to number of growers elicited the information that the apple crop in adjoining districts would doubtless be smaller than the average and that the whole lot was not so good. There was promise of a bountiful crop when the trees were in bloom, but the incessant wet weather made it impossible to spray effectively. The trees are showing the lack of spraying as certain conditions that militate against the fruit crop have lately imposed to spray effectively. Today ushered in the weekly half-holiday period. The season will be extended through July and August.

CHIEF JUSTICE REJECTS USE OF FRENCH LANGUAGE

Manitoba Test Case Now Goes to Court of Appeal.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 5.—Chief Justice Mathers today made a formal order refusing the application for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of the French language test case now going to the court of appeal. J. P. Dumas, M.P.P. for St. Boniface, is nominal plaintiff in subsequent proceedings. J. S. Ewart, K.C., will represent him.

LOVE BANDIT HOLDS UP FOUR STAGE COACHES

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Miller Roberts Saved Soldier's Child From Death by Drowning.

TORONTO, July 5.—It has just become known that the young man who rescued a child from drowning in the Niagara River on Thursday last and left the scene without giving his name, was Miller Roberts of Leamington, Ont. Mr. Roberts was standing on the dock waiting for the steamer to the city when he heard the wife of Pte. Blom of the 123rd Bn. scream. Rushing to the woman he found that her baby had fallen down a hole in the dock and was being carried away by the swift current. Without hesitation he leaped through the hole and swam out into the river to where he caught sight of the child. His condition on his arrival home caused questioning which revealed him as the modest and unknown hero.

BRITISH COLUMBIA TO VOTE ON SEPTEMBER 14

Six Weeks Between Nominations and Election Day.

VANCOUVER, July 5.—Premier Bowser announced today that the date of the provincial elections would be September 14, with nominations August 2. The new law provides that six weeks shall elapse between the nominations and the elections.

ANOTHER GERMAN LIE

LONDON, July 5.—11:55 p.m.—The press bureau, referring to a report published by the Allgemeine Handelsblad of Amsterdam, that the Belgian Government is encouraging a propaganda in favor of the annexation of Dutch territory to Belgium, says: "It is officially declared that neither the Belgian, British nor French Governments on their behalf ever countenanced or encouraged a propaganda or scheme for demanding or enforcing any renunciation of territory from Holland."

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ROUSOM—On Sunday, July 2, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rousom (formerly Florence Moll), 142 Dracena Avenue, a son.

DIED.

EGGETT—At the residence of his grand-daughter, Mrs. J. Cannon, Grand avenue, corner of Gerrard, London, Ontario, July 5, 1916, John Eggett, dearly beloved husband of Rebecca Eggett, aged 78 years and 9 months.

Funeral from the above address on Saturday, July 8, at 3 o'clock, to St. John's Church, London (standard time). Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

KENT—On July 5, 1916, Anne Louise Gibbons, beloved wife of Malcolm J. Kent, aged 56 years.

Funeral private. Services at residence at 3:30 p.m. Friday.

KILBOURNE—In this city, on Wednesday, July 5, 1916, Mary Kilbourne, formerly of Delaware Township, in her 78th year.

Funeral (private) from the residence of her daughter, Miss Clara Kilbourne, 821 Queen's Avenue, on Friday, July 7, at 2:30 p.m. (city time). Interment at Kilworth Cemetery.

LOCHRY—At Victoria Hospital, on Tuesday, July 4, 1916, Elizabeth, beloved wife of William Lochry, in her 79th year.

Funeral (strictly private) on Thursday, July 6, at 3 p.m. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

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WANTED—HOUSE, FOUR TO SIX rooms; location optional; rent \$100.00 per month for one or two years. Box 58, Advertiser. ywt

WANTED AT PORT STANLEY Beach, for two weeks in July or first two weeks in August, modern cottage. Apply Box 415, Ingersoll. 3c

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WILL PAY CASH FOR WHEELED, modern; must be modern, in good condition, 22-inch frame. Box 28, Advertiser. 3c

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Highest cash prices for hens, spring chickens and live or dressed turkeys. Write or call.

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NOTHING FINER IN WAR THAN BRITISH ADVANCE IS TRIBUTE OF PALMER

Describes Magnificent Dash of the Ulster Division in Face of German Machine Fire—Lancshires Held One Point Until Hardly a Man Was Left.

[By Frederick Palmer.]
Press Camp, British Army in France, July 5.—The story of the Ulster Division's share in the first day's battle of the Anglo-French offensive is now accessible. It had one of the most terrible parts of the difficult attack in the northern section of the offensive. Its trenches were disadvantageously located on ground facing a ridge where the German batteries had an enfilading fire.

"Remember the Boyne." "Through curtains of shrapnel fire, in the face of machine guns and under enfilading fire from machine guns in a village, the division captured the first German line, shouting 'No surrender,' and 'Remember the Boyne,' and started for the second line.

"Still under cross fire and every kind of shell fire, the troops of the Ulster division continued on until they gained a strong redbout on the summit of the ridge. There, those who had survived dug in. Again machine guns and rifle fire from two sides, they held on until they had no more bombs or cartridges.

"Had to Fall Back." "From further supplies by German curtains of shell fire, they had to fall back, bringing two hundred prisoners to the German first line trenches, passing through curtains of fire to do so. Here they

FRENCH DASHED A MILE INTO GERMAN SECOND LINE

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, July 6.—The Anglo-French offensive in Picardy has had another day's substantial progress, outstanding features being the resumption of the French advance north of the Somme, and the capture of German second positions there.

Complete preparations had been made quietly in this section virtually unhindered by the Germans, while the French forces south of the river pulled up level and got a thorough grip on the German's second position. This was accomplished by the ejection of the Germans from the part of Etrees they still held, and the capture of their communications between Etrees and Belloy. The northern troops then emerged from their trenches and dashed forward a good mile.

German Positions Demolished.
The German's second positions had been so demolished by artillery that they were unable to make any resistance except at the village of Hem, which had been strongly fortified. Here the attacking troops met

GERMANS ARE SHELLING THE CATHEDRAL AT VERDUN

Paris, July 6.—The text of the French statement follows:
"North of the River Somme there were last night a number of local engagements. A counter-attack by the Germans took from us two little woods situated one kilometre (two-thirds of a mile) north of Hem. An attack by our troops resulted in the capture of the western boundary of the same village.

Counter-Attack Repulsed.
"South of the River Somme the night passed quietly along the major part of the front. A counter-attack directed by the Germans upon Belloy was easily repulsed.

"The number of cannon captured by the French troops which it had been impossible to enumerate up to the present time reaches 76. We also have taken machine guns to the number of several hundred.

NOTHING LIKE LOOS, SAYS CANUCK DOCTOR OF SOMME FIGHTING

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 6.—A special cable to the World from London says: A Canadian medical officer, who was in charge of some wounded who arrived at Charing Cross yesterday, said: "We have had a comparatively slack time, thank goodness. By comparison with Loos, this has been child's play. At any rate, as far as the army medical department is concerned. We were spared for the heaviest week of our lives, and really it has been nothing out of the ordinary."

REPULSE FOR FRENCH AT VAUX, SAY GERMANS

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, July 6.—Via London, 4:45 p.m.—Attempts made by the French yesterday to advance in the wood southwest of Fort Vaux, in the Verdun sector, were repulsed, says the official statement issued today at the German army headquarters. Similar efforts made by the French to recapture the Damoupy Hill battery, the statement adds, were unsuccessful.

JOFFRE PAYS TRIBUTE TO VERDUN'S HEROES

(Canadian Press.)
Paris, July 6.—In announcing the Russian success in Galicia to the French troops at Verdun on June 12, Gen. Joffre issued the following order of the day:
"The plan ripened in the council of the coalition is now in full operation. Soldiers of Verdun, we owe it to your heroic resistance, which has been an indispensable condition of success, and the basis of our approaching victories; for it is that resistance which has created on the whole European war theatre a situation from which will emerge the final triumph of our cause."

BRITISH SHELL HIT A BASKET OF FRESH EGGS

An Unusual Luxury Had Just Arrived in German Dugout.

FOE HAD LOTS OF FOOD CONQUERING TOMMIES SERVED WITH GERMAN SODA WATER AND BISCUITS.

PRISONERS IN IGNORANCE HAD NOT HEARD A WORD OF THE GREAT NAVAL FIGHT IN THE NORTH SEA.

[By Frederick Palmer.]
Press Camp, British Army in France, July 5, 7 p.m.—Battalions which have been fighting since the battle began now have been relieved from the front line and are in billets in quiet villages or towns free from the sound of shell blasts or cracking bullets. Answering questions as to what they wanted most, the prisoners said they wanted to hear the news of the naval battle in three words: "Sleep, wash, shave."

New Army Made Good.
Every battalion is proud of keeping its formation until the first line of the German trenches was reached, and of the fact that the new army made good. One battalion with whose officers the correspondents talked had machine gun fire and lost half its officers and men before reaching the front line trench, but fought its way on another thousand yards to an objective point for the first time.

The French consider the capture of Hem as of considerable importance for it commands the passage of the river to Flesselles already in their hands. Its possession thus assures a direct bond between corps on either side of the stream.

Where Germans Will Stand.
The Germans are beginning to react more vigorously as reserves arrive. The village of 500 inhabitants, and the French advance there is hotly contested. French critics expect that the Germans will concentrate all their energies in defence of the Somme, and the French advance there is hotly contested.

Asked what he thought of the great naval battle, one prisoner said he never heard of it. Another said that fresh eggs had been a great luxury in the German army, and that a basket of them had just arrived. The sports in the trench were feasting their hungry eyes upon it, when a British howitzer made a direct hit. One British officer found his fortitude brand of cigars in a German officer's dugout.

Many of the prisoners asked the same question as to the British advance. "Has the British army enough shells to keep up such bombardments as that of last week?"

PRIVATE HEMSWORTH KILLED IN ACTION

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Stratford, July 6.—Pte. Jos. Spencer Hemsworth of Mitchell is officially reported killed in action.

SUFFERS SHELL SHOCK

Pte. Henry Wyse, 55 Tecumseh Avenue, Reported in Hospital.

Pte. Henry Wyse, infantry, a son of John Wyse, 55 Tecumseh avenue, has been officially reported admitted to Shorncliffe Hospital, suffering from shell shock.

Pte. Wyse is of a military family, and has two brothers in khaki.

FOCH SLACKENS

the advance to the south, which has been held up by the exceedingly strong German position at Etrees. This southern offensive is essential in order not to limit the advance to a dangerously narrow front. Etrees is a town of one street, with a double row of thick stone-walled houses extending two kilometres along the old French road from Etrees to St. Quentin. It lies in a position that it is pointed like an arrow toward the French advance.

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES CITY AUDITOR JEWELL MOVING FROM CITY HALL

Ottawa, July 6.—Thursday's casualties:
Infantry.
Died of Wounds—No. 437418 Pte. Horwath, Edmonton.
Died—No. 412738 Pte. L. D. McEachern, Cranbrook, B. C.
Seriously Ill—No. 432223 Pte. A. L. Whyte, Edmonton.
Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Prisoner of War at Dulmen—No. 73815 Pte. Alexander Strait, Lorne, Saskatchewan.
Died of Wounds—No. A20091 Pte. Robert McMillan, Ireland.
Missing—No. 113181 Pte. Jos. F. Dillon, kin not stated.
Medical Services.
Wounded—No. 33275 Pte. Henry L. S. Craft, England.
Engineers.
Wounded—No. 531 Sapper F. G. H. Greaves, England.
Artillery.
Died of Wounds—No. 82229 Gunner Thomas McKinnon, Scotland.
Wounded—No. 47418 Gunner A. J. Hudson, England.
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Wounded—Nos. 472484 Pte. S. E. Bowden, Elliot, England; 47106 Pte. David Hain, Scotland; 81145 Pte. Evan Hall, England; 473055 Pte. Hans Neilson, Denmark; 82023 Pte. C. Norman, England; 12827 Pte. J. Stowell, England.
Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Prisoner of War at Dulmen—37366 Pte. Donald Campbell, Scotland; 72828 Pte. R. W. Lewis, England.
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Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Prisoner of War at Dulmen—42403 Pte. J. B. Pickard, Scotland.
Correction—43915 Pte. Murdoch McKinnon, reported killed in action, should read "Died of Wounds, Scotland."
Killed in action—60298 Pte. John Sandfield, Freeborn, Ont.
Died of Wounds—32343 Pte. Herbert A. Barlow, Scotland; 436660 Pte. C. E. Gordon, Edmonton; 69434 Pte. A. S. McIntosh, New Glasgow, N. S.
Seriously Ill—101355 Pte. J. V. Malone, St. Albert, Alberta.
Wounded—A2063 Pte. D. G. Gibson, Galt; 424240 Pte. Andrew Lowe, Bearbrink, Ont.; 471413 Pte. V. D. Mealey, Anna, Ontario; 471413 Pte. E. Wheeler, Mrs. J. Gemmel, C. P. Pink, E. Crawford and W. A. McCutcheon. The choir also rendered a number of well-liked choruses.

ST. ANDREW'S CHOIR PICNICS AT CARLISLE

Has Enjoyable Time and Gives Red Cross Concert, Too.

The choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church held its annual outing yesterday afternoon at Carlisle. Twelve autos, kindly loaned by friends of the choir, conveyed the party to the farm of George L. Shipley. The afternoon was spent most pleasantly, and the choir enjoyed itself to the utmost. An amusing ball game, a struggle between the married and the single men, was featured. Thanks to the help of the umpire, Andrew Robison, the married men won the victory. Much admiration was the work of W. A. McCutcheon as pitcher, and Joe McGuffin at first base. The game was brought to a sudden close by E. Wheeler, who smashed the only hit on the premises by a stinging two-base hit.

Fritz Beck, who could not be enticed into the game, went fishing in the stream nearby. The choir also enjoyed a picnic at Carlisle, and gave a concert in aid of the Red Cross Society of the district. A large crowd was present and a good sum realized for this object.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

DEMAND INCREASES LOCAL PRICES FOR STRAWBERRIES

Puts Them Up to Highest Point of the Present Season.

A keen demand for strawberries on the local market today sent prices up to a point higher than they have been all summer. Prices were quoted at 12¢ per pint box and 11¢ and 12¢ per box in crate lots. Strawberries were scarce, the weather being too dry to aid their growth. The demand during the past week has been so dry and warm that the ripening has been hindered seriously until at the present time there is a decided scarcity for the fruit.

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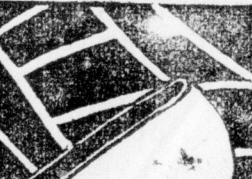
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A detailed black and white illustration of a high-heeled shoe, likely a pump or oxford style. The shoe is shown from a side profile, facing left. It features a pointed toe, a high, slender heel, and a decorative buckle on the strap across the vamp. The sole of the shoe is depicted with a stippled or dotted texture. The entire illustration is rendered in a classic, engraved style.