

MILITARY NEWS AND GOSSIP OF CORPS, UNITS AND BATTALIONS OF NO. 1 MILITARY DISTRICT AND OF LONDON'S MOBILIZATION CAMPS AT CARLING HEIGHTS, ADJACENT TERRITORY AND COVE RANGES.

- 91ST BATTALION. 101ST BATTALION. 111TH BATTALION. 118TH BATTALION. 135TH BATTALION. 142ND BATTALION. 149TH BATTALION. 153RD BATTALION. 160TH BATTALION. 161ST BATTALION. 168TH BATTALION. 186TH BATTALION. 241ST BATTALION.

7TH FIELD CO., C. E. 7TH DETACHED GUARD. CANADIAN DENTAL CORPS. 16TH A. S. C. NO. 1 A. M. C. DEPOT. PERMANENT CORPS. HEADQUARTERS STAFF. C. O. C. OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS. NO. 10 HOSPITAL. BAYONET SCHOOL.

HANGS TO STRAP IN 700-FOOT DROP OF NAVAL WAR PLANE

London Aviator With Flying Corps Has Thrillers.

UNCOMFORTABLE DESCENT

Lieut. Howard Yeates Describes Some Training Experiences of Aviating.

In a letter to relatives Flight Sub-Lieut. Howard Yeates, son of William Yeates, the veteran London manufacturer, tells of a thrilling descent while training with the Royal Naval Flying Corps in England. Mr. Yeates has been in England for some time having transferred from the Osceola Hall Battery to the naval air service. For some time he has been engaged with instructors, and only recently made his first flight alone in a biplane. During his training he contracted pneumonia, but his relatives here were unaware of his illness until he had recovered. Recently he was 700 feet up in the air for instruction, and was perched over the forward end of the plane. Suddenly something occurred, which necessitated a speedy descent, and as he had not been strapped in, Mr. Yeates was forced to cling to a strap to save himself from falling as the machine gyrated in its return to earth. Hereafter, he assures his relatives, he will not make an ascent unless he is securely strapped in.

BIG GARRISON PARADE POSTPONED ONCE MORE

Weather Again Interferes With Plans for Military Spectacle.

For the second time weather has interfered with the big military spectacle, scheduled for this afternoon, when close to 10,000 men, in training here for overseas service, would have paraded downtown in a garrison route march. Because of the condition of the roads and the rain, officers of the headquarters staff called off the garrison parade and announced that it would be held, weather permitting, on Friday afternoon at the same hour—2 o'clock—and over the same route as announced yesterday. The parade was originally to have been held last week. Weather held up work on the camp, and as a result the men of the overseas battalions were compelled to work on their lines and quarters instead of parading. The postponement of the parade was a disappointment to thousands of Londoners, who were awaiting the biggest military parade ever seen in this city. The announcement of its being held on Friday was received with general approbation.

TAG DAY ON JUNE 17 FOR MOTOR AMBULANCE

7th Regiment Chapter to Campaign for Further Funds.

In order to secure the funds for the purchase of a motor ambulance for the use of the mobilization camp here as speedily as possible the 7th Regiment Chapter, I. O. D. E., will have a "tag day" on June 17. Full details of the tag day have not yet been completed, but they will be announced as soon as possible. The cause is being given a most hearty response in London and throughout the district. The comfort of sick and injured members of the C. B. F. who are quartered here, is something that appeals to all who have friends and relatives in khaki. A motor ambulance is considered an absolute necessity for the camp, and as none are provided by the Government, the 7th Regiment Chapter decided to fill the gap by presenting one raised by public subscription.

LONDON'S OWN LEARN HOW TO PITCH OWN TENTS

Battalion Has Big Camp on Merwin Heights Now.

The 142nd Battalion instituted a new idea in pitching its tents at Merwin camp. The advance parties of all other units have pitched the tents and otherwise prepared the camps for their respective units. The men of the 142nd were paraded to Merwin Heights, were allotted their location, and at a given signal fell to see which party would get its tent up first. Sergeant Johnson claims to be the originator of the idea. Parties working Tuesday almost completed the men's mess tents. They are constructed of wooden frames, covered with tarpaulins, and will house the whole battalion at one sitting. The officers' tents are ready and cook-houses, shower-baths, etc., will be ready for use tomorrow.

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65 Returned Soldiers Pay a Silent Tribute to Their Great Leader

At a meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Association held last evening, 65 veterans of the fierce fights in Flanders stood bareheaded and gave silent tribute in honor of Earl Kitchener. Many of the soldiers had served with the great leader through South Africa and in other campaigns and to every man his death appeared as a personal loss. During the evening a resolution of sympathy was passed and will be sent to the British authorities. Many of the men who were present have returned suffering from severe wounds but not a few hope to be able to pass medical boards and go overseas again and take their part in the great conflict.

REMINISCENCES OF KITCHENER

Men Back From the Front Add Their Tributes and Stories to Those Already Told of Great 'K. of K.'

[By Lance-Corp. Donald Campbell, late of the 16th Battalion.] Shortly before the second division of the Canadians left for France in August, 1915, the troops were reviewed by the King, who was, of course, accompanied by Kitchener and their respective staffs. The review took place in a large field on the Brockman estate, about three miles from Shorncliffe, and just across the road from Sir Arthur Markham's country seat, Beachborough Park. This latter place has been used as a hospital since the outbreak of war, and is known as the Queen's Canadian Military Hospital. The Canadian artillery was drawn up in a field immediately in front of the hospital. After inspecting the artillery, the King and Kitchener rode out of the grounds by way of the hospital driveway. On either side of the driveway some fifty or sixty wounded British and Canadian Tommies were drawn up, standing as usual at attention as their various disabilities would permit. Both the King and his minister of war stopped and spoke kindly with the wounded men. Kitchener was very amiable, laughing and chatting with the men, and just before he left he said: "Why don't you men come and see me some time? My place is only a few miles from here."

Of course, the men enthusiastically agreed to come at the first opportunity. A short time later some of them had the opportunity, and in the course of an automobile drive, went in to see the great place. Kitchener, unfortunately, was not at home when we arrived, but his steward, an old army man, took charge of the party and showed us around. He explained that Kitchener was always delighted to have wounded men visit him, and when he was at home always showed them over the place personally. However, the men were undergoing alterations. The former is an immense place, built of red brick and rectangular in shape. It is situated in a little valley, a local store, presumably for the use of the men, and in front the valley opens out, affording a beautiful view of rolling Kentish hills.

Was Lord's Touch Everywhere. Inside the furniture was swathed in soaking. Fires burned brightly in two huge fireplaces in the great hall. Kitchener's touch was in everything. Old solid-oak tables stood about the floor. The furniture was swathed in soaking. Fires burned brightly in two huge fireplaces in the great hall. Kitchener's touch was in everything. Old solid-oak tables stood about the floor.

MEMBER OF 91ST TAKES OWN LIFE

Melancholy Private Shoots Self With a Revolver.

ST. THOMAS, June 6.—Pte. Albert C. Gee, a member of "B" company of the 91st Overseas Battalion, committed suicide at his residence, 17 West avenue, about 5 o'clock tonight. He was found dead in a room with a bullet hole in his head by members of the household. A revolver was lying at his side. The dead soldier had been melancholy for some few days back and on Monday purchased a revolver at a local store, presumably for the purpose of making away with himself. Besides his wife he leaves four young children. Pte. Gee was 40 years of age and enlisted a few months ago.

SOLDIERS WARNED

Must Not Interfere With Military Pickets or Arrests.

Any person subject to military law, who in any way interferes with the military police or garrison pickets in the execution of their duty, will be immediately placed under arrest, and severely dealt with. Camp orders warn all soldiers not to congregate in the vicinity of where an arrest is being made. This order is to be read to the men of the overseas forces on three successive occasions.

CAMP TIME ADVANCES

Col. Shannon Orders It Put Ahead One Hour at Midnight Saturday.

CAMP TIME—MILITARY PACE ago! Camp time advances one hour at midnight Saturday in order to conform to the city time under the "daylight saving" measure adopted by the city council at its meeting on Monday night last. In order today, Col. L. W. Shannon makes the following announcement: "Camp time will be advanced one hour at midnight on Saturday next, the 11th inst., so as to conform with city time."

ANOTHER OFFER

Famous Leamington "Recruiter" Ready to Aid 213th Band.

W. T. Gregory, the famous Leamington "recruiter," has made another patriotic offer. He has declared his willingness to pay one-tenth of 1% of cost of providing band instruments for the 213th (American Legion) Battalion if nine other Americans, resident in Chatham, will join with him. The amount required for the purpose is about \$1,500.

PERTH COUNTY COUNCIL IS ASKED FOR \$8,000.

[Special to The Advertiser.] STAFFORD, June 6.—At the opening session of the county council today Capt. H. B. Kinnon, adjutant, and Capt. F. J. Bloxam, of the 110th Battalion, urged upon the members of the council the need of a new hospital, and the sum of \$1,000 was suggested. Flooring for the tents was one of the items mentioned. The request was sent to the finance committee.

ST. MARYS LOOKS FOR VISIT FROM 110TH.

[Special to The Advertiser.] ST. MARYS, June 6.—Major Weir and Councillors Bartlett and Matheson have been appointed a committee to entertain the 110th Battalion, who are expected to be here on either June 30 or July 1.

COMMANDER HUTCHINGS WHO MAY HAVE BEEN IN THE BIG NAVAL FIGHT



He is the father of Lieut. Hutchings of this city who is instructor at the Collegiate Institute. Commander Hutchings was a wonderful soldier and his son is anxiously awaiting word regarding him.

CONCERT NETTED \$50 FOR NEW AMBULANCE

Band of 111th Gives Good Program in Victoria Park.

Although last night was rather chilly, a large number of citizens attended the band concert in Victoria Park, given by the 111th Battalion Band, under the auspices of the 7th Regiment Chapter of the I. O. D. E. In aid of their motor ambulance fund. The silver collection at the gates last night amounted to \$50.

WAS THROUGH S. AFRICA WITH EARL KITCHENER

Serjt. J. Roland, who was the first man to enlist in the 32nd Battalion, but later transferred to the 1st Canadians, and went to the front with the Pioneer Battalion in South Africa with Lord Kitchener. "Right after the battle of Paardeberg," he said, "Lord Kitchener and Lord Roberts were pressing forward with the 5th Division in pursuit of the Boers. Kruger and President Steyn, Gen. Kikenny, with the 7th Division, was supposed to cut in ahead of them, and stop them from getting away from the Boers. We were in the rear, and suddenly at a place called Poplar Grove, we saw Kruger and Steyn rush out of a farmhouse and hold a rifle. Lord Kitchener said: 'Oh, hell, what is Kikenny?' and was very impatient over his spooling the arrangements. He and Lord Roberts rode to the farmhouse and drank coffee and ate a breakfast that had been prepared for Kruger and Steyn."

SUPPOSED SUICIDE LANDS IN CHATHAM

[Special to The Advertiser.] CHATHAM, June 6.—Thomas Codyre, the Chatham man supposed by the Windsor authorities to have ended his life by jumping in the Detroit River early Sunday morning, and for whose body dragging operations were continued all day, arrived in Chatham last night.

To Chief Groves today, Codyre stated that he was carrying a heavy load, and that he was hampered by two coats he was wearing. He parted with the one containing his discharge papers, and stepped into the water, a friend of whom he subsequently lost track. The friend apparently left it lying on the dock and, when found by the Windsor authorities it created the impression that he had jumped into the river.

OXFORD COUNTY COUNCIL ASKED TO AID 168TH.

WOODSTOCK, June 6.—Lieut.-Col. McMullen of the 168th Battalion, is asking the county of Oxford and this city for a further grant of \$2,200 for the provision of the two mess tents, cooking ranges, and other camp utensils not provided by the Government, and also for recruiting purposes. This afternoon the county council heard the request of Lieut.-Col. McMullen and afterwards referred the question to the finance committee.

HURON COUNCIL MAY MAKE GRANT TO 161ST.

[Special to The Advertiser.] CLINTON, June 6.—Warden Livingston and County Clerk Lane met the finance committee in Clinton this morning and made an inspection of the county buildings here. He found all in good condition and carefully attended to by the manager, J. Brown. One of the principal items of business that will come before the county council will be grants to the county battalion and patriotic funds. Huron is paying this year \$65,000 to the patriotic funds, and will likely increase the grant of \$2,000 given to the 161st for recruiting purposes, as Huron is proud of its battalion, and will likely meet all required expense besides donating a tidy sum for extra comforts.

UNSIGHTLY PIMPLES COVERED HIS FACE.

All diseases and blemishes of the skin are caused by the blood being in an impure condition. You cannot make a good complexion from the outside; you must get to the seat of the trouble. You must make the blood pure and rich by taking a medicine that will drive out all the impurities and poisons from the blood; one that drives out everything from the system that is the cause of these unsightly skin eruptions. The best blood-cleansing medicine on the market today is Burdock Blood Bitters; a medicine that has been used with the greatest success for the past forty years; a medicine you don't experiment with when you buy it. Mr. Lennox D. Cooke, Indian Path, N. S., writes: "I am writing you a few lines to tell you that Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. Last winter my face was covered with pimples. I tried different kinds of medicine, and all seemed to fail. I was one day to a friend's house, and there they advised me to use B.B.B. so I purchased two bottles, and before I had them taken I found I was getting better. I got two more, and when they were finished I was completely cured. I find it is a great blood purifier, and I recommend it to all."

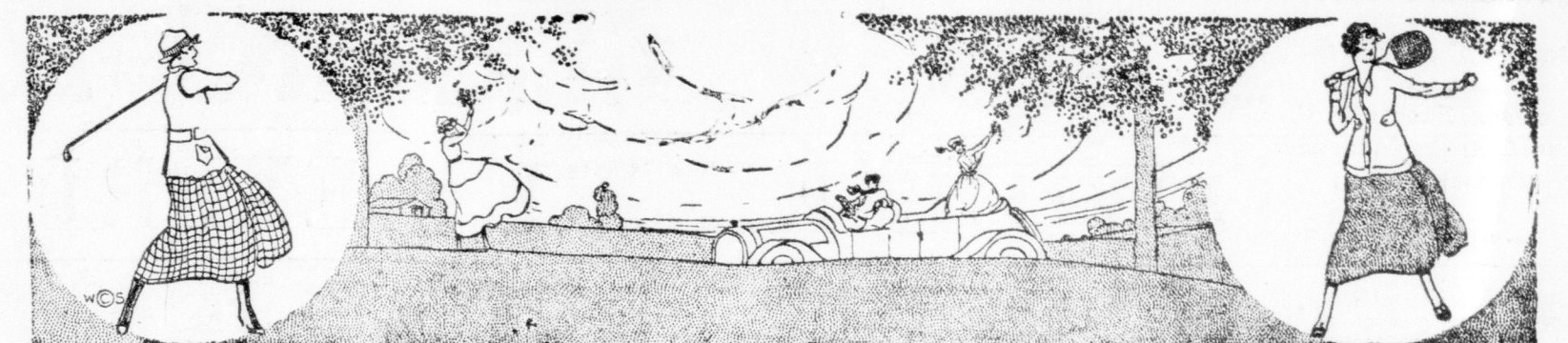
GETS MAJORITY. Capt. Norman Day MacKenzie, 111th Battalion, has been gazetted a major in the same unit. His promotion is dated back to March 4.

JOIN 168TH BATTALION. Lieuts. Walter Cody Rice, 22nd Regiment, and Lieut. William Charles King, 22nd Regiment, have been officially gazetted provisional lieutenants of the 168th (Oxford County) Battalion. Lieut. Killing was chief of police at Woodstock before his appointment.

MORE GUARDS ON. A guard of one sergeant, one corporal and twelve men will be added to the guards provided by the duty battalions in future. This latest guard is for the ordnance stores in Queen's Park.

WATER CUT OFF. The water supply will be cut off from 1 to 4 p.m. Thursday afternoon for further additions to the supply mains. The officers of the different battalions have been ordered to make provision accordingly.

Summer Sport Styles Assured



Emphatically this is an outdoor summer. The open air has attracted the women of this country as being the one great beautifier and the enjoyments of wholesome sports has settled for this season at least, the question of fashions of which we have gathered a most complete assortment. Garments of every type and style are now on display and we invite you to inspect. The fullest enjoyment of summer will be had by those women who follow the dictates of fashion and adopt sport apparel.

Suits For Summer Wear Specially Priced

The season for summer suits has arrived and the styles have been permanently established in our suit section for some time. The smartest fashions are comprehensively introduced in these distinctively styled models in fascinating modes and of supreme values. Suits have never been so graceful in line and made of such beautiful materials. Palm beach cloth, taffeta silk and awning stripes. We mention a few briefly; all are specially priced. See them early.

- Silk Suits at \$25.00 Taffeta Suits in black, navy, grey, open and brown; smart styles; all coats silk lined; a special grouping at \$25.00. Palm Beach Suits, \$12.50 and \$13.50 Palm Beach Cloth with hairline stripe of blue; coats in belted styles unlined; very smart models for summer wear. Prices \$12.50 and \$13.50. Palm Beach Crash Suits, \$8.50 to \$8.75 Palm Beach Crash Suits with Norfolk style coats; making a very smart and nobby sport style for outing wear. Prices \$8.50 and \$8.75. Fast Washing Galatea, 15c For House Dresses, Aprons, Rompers, Etc. BRITISH GALATEA—In a lovely range of patterns, stripes, spots, figures, light or dark colors; this cloth is the weave of a galatea finished like a print, and the designs are printed, will wear and wash nicely and is light in weight, having the nice appearance of a good print, with more durability. It is quite an ideal fabric for summer house dresses, bungalow aprons, girls' dresses and children's rompers. This line is one of the greatest values we can offer you; today's quotation makes it worth 22c yard; 28 inches wide. Our price 15c yard. Aftersnoon Tea, 3 to 5:30—Fruit Salad with Ice Cream, Assorted Cake and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 25c; or Cold Roast Beef, Bread and Butter or Rolls and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 25c.

Ladies' Summer Combination Underwear Just In. We have just received a special shipment of fine combination underwear; wanted lines at the popular price 75c a suit. Fine ribbed Cotton Combinations; low neck, sleeveless or short sleeves; "New Mode" closed drawers; umbrella style; sizes 36 to 44. Special 75c suit. Also fine ribbed Cotton Combinations; low neck, sleeveless, umbrella or tight knee drawers; open style; extra odd-sizes. Price 75c suit. SECOND FLOOR. AFTERNOON TEA, 3 TO 5:30—Fruit Salad with Ice Cream, Assorted Cake and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 25c; or Cold Roast Beef, Bread and Butter or Rolls and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 25c.

HERE AND THERE ABOUT THE CAMPS

WAS FORMERLY HERE. Lieut. S. A. Beadle of the 97th (American Legion) Battalion, who appeared in police court in Toronto yesterday morning with assaulting Capt. F. M. Bollemitt, chaplain of the 294th Battalion, enlisted in this city. Beadle, who claimed that he had been engaged in manufacturing munitions in the States, joined the machine gun section of the 70th Battalion here. He transferred to the machine gun section of the 23rd, and later to the 97th, where he was given a commission.

ORDERLY-ROOM HOURS. Orderly-rooms office hours in the camp have been fixed by camp orders as follows: All offices and orderly-rooms in camps will be open from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., during which time one officer and one clerk at least must be present. One orderly must remain on duty from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. to take urgent calls.

HAVE FREEDOM OF CAMP. Returned convalescent soldiers in uniform are to be allowed the freedom of the camp grounds at all times, and are not to be interfered with in any way by police pickets or guards as long as they conduct themselves in an orderly and soldier-like manner.

TRANSFERRED TO HOSPITAL. The following have been transferred to the No. 10 (Western University) Stationary Hospital: Pte. J. Tanton, 142nd Battalion; Ptes. A. J. Warner and J. T. Purdon from A. M. C. Training Depot No. 1.

MEDICAL BOARD CALLED. A medical board, consisting of Major David Smith, No. 1 A. M. C. Training Depot, and Lieut. A. E. Fraleigh has been called to meet at St. Marys to inquire into the present condition of Gunner Albert Corbett of the 25th Overseas Battery.

WRONG OFFICER NAMED. Lieut. J. D. Stone of the 24th Regiment, who was named as the assistant signaling officer of the camp, is not the Lieut. Stone who will act. Lieut. R. S. Stone, Canadian Engineers, has been selected for the position.

MUST KEEP IN TOUCH. In order that commanding officers can be kept in touch with district headquarters the following order has been promulgated: A commanding officer when leaving camp (not on duty) will leave at the orderly room an address where he can be located. He will also notify the next senior officer who will remain in camp during the absence of the commanding officer.

UP TO 9,785 NOW. The strength of the London mobilization camp is steadily increasing. The official records for June show that the total number of all ranks in camp last night was 9,785.

CHAPLAINS MUST REPORT. Because some of the overseas chaplains are remiss in sending in the statutory weekly reports, orders have been issued that the reports made by the chaplains to officers commanding units must be delivered to the office of the assistant adjutant-general.

CARE FOR OWN ROADS. While the care and maintenance of all roads in the camp is under the direction of Major R. W. Bishop, camp engineer, all units have been notified that they are responsible for the maintenance and cleanliness of the main roads through their lines. In addition they are equally responsible for the half of the roads that divide them from any adjoining units.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT POSTPONED. Philadelphia, June 7.—Because of a heavy rainstorm today, play in the women's national lawn tennis tournament was postponed until tomorrow.

RETURNED SOLDIER DROWNS AT CHATHAM. George Bell Victim of Accident While Sounding River.

[Special to The Advertiser.] CHATHAM, June 6.—George Bell, a war veteran, was drowned in the River Thames late this afternoon, when he and two other men, engaged in making soundings for the Dominion Sugar Company, were thrown into the water, their rowboat having capsized. William Griesbach of Windsor, an engineer for the public works department, and Frank Newton, another veteran, were saved, the former swimming to shore and the latter clinging to the boat until rescued. The body of the victim was recovered by means of grappling irons less than an hour after the occurrence. The pulmotor was resorted to, but it failed to kindle the vital spark. Coroner Bray was called, and after investigating the drowning decided that death was accidental. An inquest will be held. Mr. Bell saw service with the British forces at the front, and he was wounded some time ago. A few weeks ago he came back to Chatham and today started at work at the sugar beet site. As far as can be learned he has no relatives living in this country. He was well known amongst English people in the city. The victim evidently was able to swim, and succeeded in covering part

Clearing of Parasols \$1.50 Values for 95c Each. Thursday morning we will offer a group of excellent values at above price. Splendid quality tops in blue, white or tuscany and tan with red striped cluster borders; the value of these parasols is regular \$1.50, and there is only a limited quantity of each style; so we advise you to see them early and secure the color you prefer. Special 95c each. AFTERNOON TEA—Fresh Strawberries with Ice Cream, Alpine Wafers and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 20c; or Ham and Lettuce Sandwich, Cup of Tea or Coffee, 10c.

LINCOLN ARRANGED. [Canadian Press.] New York, June 7.—A news agency dispatch from London says: "Ignatius T. Lincoln, arraigned before Sir John Dickinson in the Bow street police court on four charges of forgery and uttering checks, has been remanded for a week. "Crown Counsel Muir contended that Lincoln was guilty of an offence for which he was liable to fourteen years' penal servitude. He said that when the forgery was discovered Lincoln begged that it not be taken into court for the sake of the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. "Little public interest was taken in the proceedings."

INSTALLED BISHOP. [Special to The Advertiser.] Buffalo, N. Y., June 7.—The Right Rev. Dennis Dougherty was installed 5th bishop of the Buffalo Diocese with ceremonies at the recently-completed Saint Joseph's Cathedral in Delaware avenue today.

DYSPEPTICS SHOULD AVOID DRUGS AND MEDICINES. Try a Little Magnesia Instead. Some people instinctively shut their eyes to danger, and it may be that instinct, or custom or habit causes dyspepsia to take drugs, patent foods and medicines, artificial digestants, etc. But closing the eyes does not banish the danger, and it is certain that neither drugs nor medicines possess the power to destroy the harmful excessive acid in the stomach, which is the underlying cause of most forms of indigestion and dyspepsia. They may give temporary relief, but ever-increasing quantities must be taken, and all the time the acid remains in the stomach as dangerous as ever. Physicians know this, and that is why their advice so often to sufferers from digestive and stomach trouble is "Just get about an ounce of pure bicarbonate of magnesia from your druggist and take a teaspoonful in a little water immediately after every meal. This will instantly neutralize all the harmful acid in the stomach and stop all food fermentation, thus enabling you to enjoy hearty meals without experiencing the least pain or unpleasantness afterward.—Adv.

JOHN S. BARNARD IS NAMED TRUSTEE BY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Takes Place Made Vacant by Dr. Teasdale's Death. COMMITTEE CHANGES

Ray Lawson Succeeds F. E. Leonard on the Industrial Advisory Board.

At the meeting of the board of education yesterday afternoon, John S. Barnard was selected as trustee to fill out the unexpired term of Dr. W. J. Teasdale.

Ray Lawson was chosen as member of the industrial advisory committee to succeed F. E. Leonard, who resigned as his firm wished to tender for holders for the Technical School.

The board will close the daylight saving idea on Monday morning next. There was some discussion as to the legality of the change, but the board thought it advisable and decided to move the clocks on an hour.

W. W. Nobbs was given a membership in the advisory committee of the Industrial School, to succeed the late Dr. Teasdale.

Inspector Edwards reported that the enrollment of the public schools was 7,588, an increase of 119 for the year. The average attendance was 6,760, an increase of 192. There were 761 boys enrolled in manual training, and 807 girls in household sciences.

The school nurses discovered 75 pupils with defective breathing, 47 with defective vision, 28 with carious teeth. Two had glasses fitted, and one had a glass-eye fitted, while 15 had teeth filled, 14 had tonsils and adenoids removed, and 2 were sent to the Hygienic Dispensary.

The boundaries of the Lorne avenue, Rectory, Pottersburg and Boyle schools will be settled by the board. There are 71 full-time students enrolled in the day Technical and Art School, with an average attendance of 60, and 44 on the average attending the special afternoon classes.

DISTRICT BAPTISTS TO CONVENE NEXT WEEK

Will Hold Annual Meeting at Poplar Hill.

The annual meeting of the Middlesex and Lambton Baptist Association, of which Rev. H. H. Kingsley of Talbot is moderator, will be held next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Poplar Hill. The outstanding feature of the gathering will be a series of addresses by Rev. Jos. Kemp of New York, successor there to Rev. Dr. Stuart McArthur, president of the World's Baptist Congress.

MORE DISCUSSION OF THE STREET RAILWAY MUDDLE

Board of Control and Finance Committee Holding Private Session.

The board of control and the finance committee will meet this afternoon to discuss street railway matters. City Solicitor Meredith will be in attendance, and will give whatever advice is thought necessary.

HAMILTON GAULT CHAPTER REGRETS MAJOR'S DEATH

Daughters of the Empire Will Retain His Name Always.

The regret and members of the Hamilton Gault Chapter, I. O. O. E., named in honor of the late Major Gault, desire to express their regret on the occasion of his death by serving with his glorious Patricia. The chapter will retain his name, in order to perpetuate for all time his memory in this city.

LOOKING FOR PASTOR

Egerton Street Church May Call Rev. A. C. Bingham.

The congregation of Egerton Street Baptist Church, which is looking for a pastor to succeed Capt. W. C. Riddford, who has resigned for overseas service as a chaplain, has invited Rev. A. C. Bingham of Petrolia to occupy the pulpit on Sunday next.

WEDDING BELLS

Moir-Delaney.

The marriage of Miss Madge Delaney to Victor Moir was solemnized at St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father Tobin on Tuesday. The young couple were attended by C. Killigian as groomsmen and Miss Mabel Delaney, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid.

SHOWER FOR MUNCEY GIRL.

MUNCEY, June 6.—The many friends of Miss Mabel Giles, gathered at her home on Monday afternoon and "showed her" with many beautiful and costly gifts. A pleasant social evening and dainty lunch followed.

CITY SEES RELIEF IN STATUTES FROM HOTEL "LEASES"

Counsel For Liquor Men Says It's There.

LONDONERS INTERESTED

In Common With All Other Hotelkeepers the Inter-pretation Affects Them.

Hotelkeepers of London and, in fact, the whole province, are naturally interested in the declaration of James P. Haverson, K.C., the legal adviser of the Licensed Victuallers' Association of the province, that the Ontario prohibition act provides a way of escaping their present leases of hotel property.

Naturally in view of the value of the bar business to the hotelkeepers, the fact that the act provides a way of escaping their present leases of hotel property, is of great interest to them.

A diamond theft was presented to Mrs. Squires and a diamond brooch to Mrs. Squires by Gladys McLellan, a great-granddaughter. An address, signed on behalf of the family by William Squires, John Squires, Richard Squires, Mrs. E. Brooks and Mrs. T. G. Gibson, was also presented to the "wedding party."

It was in 1852 that Mr. Squires came to this country from his birthplace, Bedford, England, and for ten years he worked on the Great Western Rail-

LOBO COUPLE CELEBRATES DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING SOLEMNIZED HERE

Richard Squires and Bride He Took in St. Paul's Cathedral Sixty Years Ago, Given Diamond Tiepin and Brooch by Family.



MRS. SQUIRES.

Sixty years ago Richard Squires and Mary Ann Waters were married in St. Paul's Cathedral, this city, by the late Bishop Cronyn. Still hale and hearty, they celebrated the diamond anniversary of that event at their home in Lobo Township, when their children, their grandchildren and their great-grandchildren gathered to honor them.

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EYEWITNESS STORIES OF WAR IN BIG DEMAND

Library Reports Heavy Circulation of This Type of Book.

The circulation of books of the public library dealing with the war and the experiences of the men there is showing an increase all the time, the chief demand just at present being for the narratives of eyewitnesses of the great events of the last two years.

WANT TWO WOMEN GIVEN POWERS OF POLICE FOR LONDON

Petition Prepared by Members of Organizations. READY FOR SIGNATURES

Committee Will Interview Commission in Behalf of the Scheme.

The petition for two women social service workers with full police powers, which will be presented at an early date to the police commission, is now ready for signatures at the Young Women's Christian Association central rooms, 472 Park avenue.

REPORT 53 MORE CASES OF MEASLES LAST WEEK

Board of Health Statement Shows 73 Isolated on June 3.

Measles, while naturally not to be classed as "popular," is, at all events, the leading disease in London at the present. The weekly report of the communicable diseases, compiled by the board of health department for the week ending June 3, shows that there were 73 cases of it isolated at the end of the week. Of these four were in the hospital, while 69 cases in all were in quarantine. During the week 53 new cases had been reported.

SOLDIERS WILL BENEFIT BY TAVISTOCK CONCERT

French Lecturer Speaks to Good Audience—\$30 Realized.

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Petition Prepared by Members of Organizations. READY FOR SIGNATURES

Committee Will Interview Commission in Behalf of the Scheme.

The petition for two women social service workers with full police powers, which will be presented at an early date to the police commission, is now ready for signatures at the Young Women's Christian Association central rooms, 472 Park avenue.

SIX NEW PASTORS FOR METHODISTS IN LONDON ARE CHOSEN

Stationing Committee Makes Many Changes Here. ONE LEAVES CONFERENCE

No less than six London Methodist churches are to have new pastors following the changes made by the stationing committee at the meeting of the London conference just brought to a close.

REPORT 53 MORE CASES OF MEASLES LAST WEEK

Board of Health Statement Shows 73 Isolated on June 3.

Measles, while naturally not to be classed as "popular," is, at all events, the leading disease in London at the present. The weekly report of the communicable diseases, compiled by the board of health department for the week ending June 3, shows that there were 73 cases of it isolated at the end of the week. Of these four were in the hospital, while 69 cases in all were in quarantine. During the week 53 new cases had been reported.

SUSPECTED THIEF IS ARRESTED IN NAPANEE

Thomas Lannin Had Quantity of Jewelry Stolen in London.

Advice was received by the local police last night that Julius Siskind, the Richmond street pawnbroker, who had about \$200 worth of jewelry stolen from the window of his store on the night of May 29, had identified his property in Napanee. Mr. Siskind went to Napanee yesterday morning, after being informed that the police had arrested Thomas Lannin and found upon him a quantity of jewelry which they believed he had stolen from Siskind's store.

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Fox's Puttees. Another big lot of the best quality and light weight puttees opened today. GRAHAM BROS. Choice Fruit at \$1.50 dozen PHONE 3950. Wyckoff & Gafney Dundas Street, at Ridout.

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LARGEST STOCK OF OFFICIAL MILITARY TEXT BOOKS IN WESTERN ONTARIO AT Peel's Military Store RICHMOND STREET.

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CAMPAIGN IS WELL BEGUN Condition of Roads Perfect For the Muscovite Offensive.

[Canadian Press Cable.] PETROGRAD, June 6.—Via London. The sudden blow struck by the Russians along the entire Galician front...

The movement derives significance from the fact that it is not an isolated attack against any one portion of the Austrian lines...

Helping Italy. Aside from its military and strategic importance for this front, the Russian movement undoubtedly will have a powerful effect upon the military situation elsewhere...

ALBION IS BEATEN, SAYS KAISER BILL, "STUFFING" HIS TARS

Fleet Which Ran Away Wrested Sea's Supremacy From British.

PREDICTS SURE VICTORY Declares "Tyrannical Ruling of the Seas" Has Been Shattered.

Beclin, Via London, June 7.—In the complete account of the emperor's speech to the sailors of the fleet at Wilhelmshaven yesterday...

VERY LITTING BETTING OVER THE NOMINATION

New York, June 7.—Bettors in the Wall street district decided yesterday to await developments at Chicago before making wagers...

TWENTY SCOTCH LASSIES FOLLOW THEIR LADDIES

Quebec, June 7.—Twenty Scottish lassies, who are to be the brides of young men from the old country...

ATTACKED TREASURY.

Manila, June 7.—Governor Ortiz of Union Province has been arrested charged with instigating an attempted robbery of the provincial treasury.

AFFLICTED WITH LAME BACK THREE YEARS AGO. Could Not Sweep the Floor.

Women are coming to understand that weak, lame and aching backs from which they suffer so much excruciating pain and agony are due to wrong action of the kidneys.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LOST SAILORS

London, June 7.—The Times says that a memorial service for the officers and men killed in the naval battle off the coast of Jutland will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral on June 13.

ENEMY DESTROYER STRUCK A MINE

Amsterdam, via London, June 7, 10:50 a.m.—The Telegraf says that a German destroyer struck a mine and went down off Zebrugge on May 31.

POLICE CHIEFS MEET.

Newark, N. J., June 7.—The 23rd annual meeting of the International Association of Chiefs of Police opened here yesterday. More than 400 chiefs from all parts of the United States and Canada are in attendance.

SHUKRI PASHA DEAD.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 6.—Via Amsterdam to London, June 7.—12:35 a.m.—Shukri Pasha, who as commander-in-chief at Adrianople, held that fortress against the Bulgarians from the fall of 1912 to March, 1913, when he surrendered it to Gen. Ivanoff, is dead.

ITALIANS REPULSE REPEATED ATTACKS ALONG FRONTIER

Gain Ground at One Point by Counter-Attack.

REPORT HEAVY LOSSES Complete Repulse of Masses of Infantry on Posina-Astico Front.

ROME, via London, June 6.—3:35 p.m.—The following official communication was issued today: "Enemy attacks along the Posina-Astico front were repulsed with a surprise attack, during a snowstorm, on our positions in the Upper Vallarsa and Pasubio sections. Yesterday after intense artillery preparations enemy columns advanced to attacks Cons Sugna, but were thrown back in disorder under our effective fire."

"On the front of Posina-Astico Sunday night during a storm the enemy again launched great masses of infantry, supported by violent fire from batteries of all calibers, against our positions between Monte Giove and Monte Brazzo. The swift intervention of our artillery and the steadiness of our infantry succeeded in completely repulsing the attack with heavy enemy losses. The same night, by a fortunate counter-attack, we succeeded in gaining ground on the western slopes of Monte Cencillo."

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ASQUITH'S NOTABLE SPEECH IN DEFENSE OF KITCHENER WHEN CRITICS WERE RAVING

"The Army, the Country and the Empire Are Under a Debt Which Cannot Be Measured in Words for the Service Lord Kitchener Has Rendered."

LONDON, June 6.—Premier Asquith's speech defending Earl Kitchener from criticisms reflecting unfavorably on the conduct of the war was made last evening. Sir Ivor Herbert had introduced in the House of Commons a motion for the reduction of the pay and salary of the secretary of the war office...

"I come to the motion which has been made to reduce the salary of the secretary for war. I think the whole of this discussion might have taken place with as much freedom if such a motion had not been made, but every member of the House of Commons must exercise his own discretion in that matter; and since it has been made I am bound to say—and I say it with the utmost sincerity and earnestness that I think the army, the country and the Empire are under a debt which cannot be measured in words for the service Lord Kitchener has rendered since the beginning of the war."

Never Sought the Task. "This was not, heaven knows, a task which was sought by Lord Kitchener for himself. He was on his way back to Egypt to resume the functions which he has discharged there with such conspicuous value to the Empire during so many years. My telegram to him asking him to stay and to come to the call of duty, to undertake the task which I proposed with the consent of the sovereign, to lay upon him."

"Like every good soldier, duty came first with him. He subordinated everything to that. From that moment to this there has not been one single day which Lord Kitchener has not labored with an assiduity, zeal and patriotic self-devotion, and I think they will not be indisposed, I will not say to be indulgent and generous, but fair in their appreciation of the service which he has rendered."

BARN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING. KINCARDINE, June 5.—Late on Sunday evening a severe electrical storm passed over this section of the country, causing some damage. The barn of Rev. Mr. McFarlane of Kincardine was struck, causing considerable damage.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Montreal, June 7.—Arrived: Sicilian, from Liverpool; Cassandra, from Glasgow.

DIES IN CEMETERY. [Canadian Press.] Montreal, June 7.—Heart failure, caused by emotion attendant upon viewing the grave of her mother, caused the death yesterday at Cote Des Neiges Cemetery of Mrs. A. Valliquette, 70 years of age.

SCENES OF DESTRUCTION CAUSED BY PERTH CYCLONE



Photo by Elmer Ager.

Scenes 1 and 4 show what is left of the barn and house on John Shean's farm after the tornado on Friday. It was on this farm that Philip Shean was killed by being struck on the head by a piece of flying timber. Mrs. Shean, his mother, who was at the barn at the time, was caught by the wind and rolled over and over for a long distance, until she came in contact with a wooden fence...

No. 2 shows the fragments of John Banner's barn. Large timbers from this building are to be seen strewn in fields. Every tree in the Banner orchard was uprooted. The house was also demolished.

No. 3 shows the destruction done to the barn on the D. Banner farm. The house, a log one, clapboarded over, was also badly wrecked. There was a kitchen attached to it, and a little boy becoming afraid crawled under a bed. After the storm the kitchen was found some distance away from the house, with the boy in it, but unhurt. The people in the main part of the house also escaped injury.

In all there were four houses and six barns destroyed in this region. A house and barn belonging to Mr. R. Raycraft, on the boundary between Logan and Elma, on the Elma side, were torn to shreds. The people were away from home at the time the cyclone visited their farm.

Most of the trees, maple trees, etc., were torn up by the roots and piled up 25 feet high. A henhouse belonging to one of the Bannermans was blown a long distance from the barnyard, and on Saturday morning a number of the hens were found in a bush half a mile away wandering around without a feather on them.

PROF. ZAVITZ TELLS OF SOME CROPS THAT MAY YET MAKE GOOD

Chance Yet for Oats, Barley and One Kind of Wheat.

DISCUSSES LATE SEASON Corn, Beans, Potatoes, Hungarian Grass, Millet and Turnips May Be Put In.

[Special to The Advertiser.] GUELPH, June 6.—Your correspondent today inquired of Dr. C. A. Zavitz of the O. A. C., whether, in view of the wet season, there was any chance that could be made in the matter of crops that had not yet been seeded.

"As the average result of six years at the college, barley which was sown on the 18th of April gave a yield of 46 bushels, and that which was sown as late as May 19 gave a yield of 18 bushels per acre. The same results were produced in fairly normal years. Early sowing of barley, however, has given a larger yield than late sowing in every instance. Barley sown in June would require exceptionally favorable conditions to produce even a fair crop."

"In our experience oats will stand rather later seeding than barley. In an average of six years we obtained 37 bushels of oats per acre when sown as late as May 23. If oats are sown in June I would favor sowing an early ripening as compared with a late ripening variety. There would be better results would be obtained from the Daubeny, O. A. C. No. 3 or Alaska than from Banner or O. A. C. No. 72 when sown so late."

One Chance For Wheat. Referring to spring wheat, Dr. Zavitz said: "I would not under any circumstances advise sowing wheat in Ontario after the 1st of June unless it is Emmer which can be sown even a month later than the ordinary varieties of spring wheat. Emmer is grown principally to supply feed for farm stock, and is fed in much the same way as barley."

"Wheat can be sown rather late and still give fairly good yields. They will stand later seeding than any of the grains previously referred to. Beans may be planted during the first ten days of June to excellent advantage. Buckwheat, which is sown even in the latter part of June, frequently gives satisfactory results. These three crops, peas, beans and buckwheat, may yet be sown to good advantage, and it is quite probable that the areas of these crops will be considerably increased this year."

"Corn and potatoes might be planted during the first half of June with fairly good prospects of good crops. In the experiments at the college Hungarian grass and millet sown on June 1 give better results than the seedlings of earlier or later dates. Hungarian grass gave good results when sown in the middle, and failed to give results when sown even in the latter part of June. "Such crops as turnips and rape are usually sown for the best results about the third week in June. In a late, abnormal season such as the one at present care should be exercised in regard to the kind of crops which are sown or planted if the best results are to be secured."

HAIL DOES DAMAGE.

HYDE PARK, June 6.—The worst electrical and rainstorm passed over here Sunday evening about 6 o'clock. The lightning was terrific, and the rain which fell at intervals approached almost a deluge. There was some hail, but not enough to do serious damage here, while on the 5th concession, about a mile north of the village, the hail laid in heaps on lawns, and flowers and plants were destroyed.

MAN WHO ORDERED SKEFFINGTON SHOT TRIED FOR MURDER

Quoted as Saying He Thought It the Right Thing.

ASSUMED ALL AUTHORITY Chief Witness for Defense Testifies as to Officers' Incapacity.

DUBLIN, June 6, via London.—The prosecution today began the presentation of its case at the court-martial of Capt. Bowen-Colthurst, charged with the shooting of F. Sheehy Skeffington, editor of the Irish Citizen, Thomas Dixon and Fred McIntyre, during the recent Irish rebellion. The defendant is accused of murder.

The prosecuting officer said the defendant took the three men from the guardroom with the remark, "I am going to shoot them, as I think it the right thing to do." The defendant ordered a report regarding this to the adjutant-general, who sent a message to the accused, but it is not known whether it reached him. At all events, declared the prosecutor, the men were taken to the yard and shot by a firing party of seven men.

Two Volleys Fired. Officers testified that they had been on duty 72 hours at this time, and that the accused was extremely excited and did not act in his usual manner. One officer said that after the shooting he noticed a movement in Skeffington's body and told the captain of it, the latter then ordering that the squad shoot again. Another volley was fired into the body.

It was testified that the accused told Major Roxburgh, who was in command of the Portobello barracks, that he had shot the men and that he was responsible and probably would hang for it.

Gen. Bird, the chief witness for the defence, related how Capt. Bowen-Colthurst had disobeyed orders during the Mons retreat and was suspended. Bowen-Colthurst's company was ordered to retire, but Bowen-Colthurst gave the command to advance. This, said the witness, showed his incapacity.

Medical testimony was then taken for the purpose of indicating the unbalanced state of Bowen-Colthurst's mind.

SALTS-JOHNSTONE. FOREST, June 6.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnstone, on the town line, Moore and Enniskillen, was the scene of a pretty wedding, when their eldest daughter, Mabel, was united to Jesse Salts, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Salts. In the presence of about forty guests, after a short honeymoon the couple will reside on the 4th concession, Enniskillen Township.

Advertisement for Mennen's Shaving Cream. Features a man shaving and a product tube. Text includes: "Well—that was 'some' shave!", "I would never have believed it", "I was told that it would pay me to throw away my old shaving powder and stick and the rest of them and try this new Mennen's Shaving Cream. It seemed to me that all shaving soaps were pretty much alike, but, after this, Mennen's is my one best bet.", "I am converted—I am a 'Mennen booster' from now on. I did everything I could to make Mennen's Shaving Cream fail—using cold water and a dull razor blade. I thought it couldn't soften the beard without rubbing in—it did. I didn't think it would make a lather that wouldn't dry. The lather stayed fresh, and my face stayed moist. It was the easiest, quickest and most satisfactory shave I ever had.", "Mennen's Differs from Others", "1—Absorbs an unusual amount of water, thus you need only 1/4 inch for every shave.", "2—Lather remains moist for at least ten minutes, therefore no retathering.", "3—The creamy lather will soften the beard itself. No rubbing in.", "4—An indifferent razor makes good with Mennen's.", "5—No 'free' caustic, but ingredients soothing to the skin.", "Canadian Factory—MONTREAL. Canadian Selling Agents HAROLD F. RITCHIE & CO., LTD., 100-102, St. James Street, Toronto. Send 10c for Trial Tube and Free Can of 'Talcum for Men.' Mail 10c with your name and address and we will send you a medium sized trial tube of Shaving Cream also a free trial can of Mennen's Talcum for Men. Address: Harold F. Ritchie & Co., Ltd., 100-102, St. James Street, Toronto.

Advertisement for Dr. Cassell's Tablets. Features a woman's face and text: "Are you an Anaemic Girl? Vitality is what You Need. That is the real remedy, want of it the real cause behind all your trouble. You have only white blood in circulation because the batteries of vitality are running down, and the organs they control cannot properly draw nourishment from what you eat.", "Re-charge those batteries, get life-force, vital strength, and all that will be changed. In your case a specialist would prescribe just such vital restoratives as are contained in Dr. Cassell's Tablets. Take those Tablets (the most popular remedy in the world) and your food will yield its nourishment, red corpuscles will crowd your circulation, and keen, bright health again glow on your cheek and sparkle in your eye.", "Madame Clara Novello-Davies, the well-known singer and conductor of the Welsh Ladies' Choir, writes: 'I have great pleasure in recommending Dr. Cassell's Tablets as a safe and effective remedy. Having obtained almost immediate relief and final restoration to normal health from their use, I have no hesitation in speaking most highly of them.'", "Dr. Cassell's Tablets are Nutritive, Restorative, Alternative, and Anti-sporadic, and of proved therapeutic value in derangements of the nerve or functional systems of old or young. They are the recognized remedy for:", "Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Indigestion, Nervous Breakdown, Anemia, Palpitation, Neurasthenia, Malnutrition, Kidney Trouble, Specially valuable to Nursing Mothers and Workers of fatigued life.", "Sold by Druggists and Storekeepers throughout Canada. Price: one tube, 50 cents; six tubes for the price of five. War Tax 2 cents per tube extra.", "Sole Proprietors: Dr. Cassell's Co., Ltd., Manchester, England.", "VALUE OF PROPERTY IN HENSALL SHOWS INCREASE. Houses in Demand—G. T. R. Refused Lower Assessment. HENSALL, June 6.—Property is steadily increasing in value in Hensall, and houses to rent and purchase are in brisk demand. The grain sown only a few days ago is up and growing splendidly. Hensall public library is patronized by nearly 500 readers. The council met on Monday night as a court of revision. There was only one appeal, that of the G. T. R. Company against the assessment on its station property. The court refused to lower the assessment. The funeral of Mrs. James Workman of Stanley Township, who died on Saturday, took place today to Hensall Union Cemetery. The funeral of Miss Margaret Strurgeon took place from the Methodist Church on Monday to Fansville Cemetery. Duncan Taylor of the 7th concession, Hay, died this morning. He had been a sufferer from nerve trouble for some time. FLOODS AT FORT FRANCIS. FORT FRANCIS, June 6.—The floods here, while still serious, are not immediately dangerous. The upper river and lake above the powerhouses of the paper mills have risen slightly, but the lower river is at about the same level as the last few days. HIS SON ON INVINCIBLE. TORONTO, June 6.—Rev. John R. McMullen of St. John's Church, Dixie, Ont., has been notified that his son, Lieut. Percy McMullen, went down on H.M.S. Invincible in the recent naval battle. DESPERATE FIGHTING IS STILL CONTINUED ON BRITISH FRONT. German Infantry Attacks Against Canadians Repulsed. London, June 7, 1:40 a.m.—The British official communication issued this morning says: "There was very heavy fighting during the afternoon (Tuesday), east of Ypres. Shortly after midday the enemy commenced a heavy bombardment of our position about Hooge, and also some distance north, and at the same time bombarded to the south of Hooge and in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Comines railway and the Ypres-Comines canal. Late in the afternoon the enemy exploded a series of mines at various points on a 2,000 yard front north of Hooge. This was followed by unsuccessful infantry attacks between Hooge and the Ypres-Comines canal. At Hooge and immediately north of it the enemy penetrated our front trenches after the explosion of mines. Fighting continues in this area, but our general line is still intact. Attacks were also made further north, but did not succeed. On the remainder of the front the situation is comparatively quiet. Damage to Galleries. "The North of Hooge front exploded a defensive mine, doing material damage to the enemy's galleries. Last night some bodies of our troops entered German trenches at three points near La Boisselle, Authuille and Hamel respectively. At each place casualties were inflicted on the German garrisons, and their shelters were bombed and trenches damaged. In the Authuille raid a border regiment captured 15 prisoners, in addition to inflicting other damage. "Yesterday (Monday), owing mainly to the inclement weather, there was no air operations.", "OKUMA 'HALE AND HEARTY.' TOKIO, June 7, 10:10 a.m.—The report circulated in the United States yesterday that Count Shigenobu Okuma, the Japanese prime minister, had been assassinated, was without foundation. The secretary of Count Okuma said this morning that the premier was hale and hearty, and that he was then in conference with the emperor.", "Absorption Process Makes Faces Young. Success has at last come to scientists who for years have sought some method of removing the wrinkles, blotches and signs of age from the human face. In cases of unyielding complexion, which would be both painful and harmless, the new process is so simple to describe, the wonder is no one had discovered it long ago. It has been simply demonstrated that common over-boiled wax (sold by druggists in ounce packages) entirely removes, by gentle absorption, the wrinkles, blotches, and signs of age from the skin. The wax is applied at night, like cold cream, and washed off in the morning. The absorption also cleanses clogged pores, increasing the skin's breathing capacity and preserving tone, color and natural beauty of the new skin. A simple and harmless wrinkle-remover which has also proved quite successful in what is usually made a home in a jiffy. All one need do is to dissolve an ounce of powdered salicylic acid in a pint of water, and bathe the face in the solution once a day. After the very first application the skin's breathing capacity and preserving tone, color and natural beauty of the new skin.—Adv't.

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Watch the British people take a hitch in their belt and buckle down to the most determined effort yet made to accomplish the victory to which they are pledged. Greater responsibility falls upon every man in the service and it is through such a crisis that the Wellington of the great war will be revealed.

BRITAIN MOURNS HER HERO.

LORD KITCHENER is gone and a pall of misery and sorrow has settled over the whole British Empire. On Monday he stood for all that was strong, capable and virile, and was at once the hope of his millions of admirers and the despair of the few whose aim in life was to drag him down from the responsible position he occupied.

Born in Ireland, with the blood of England and France in his veins, Kitchener could hardly be called a true product of any of these; rather, he was suggestive of the "dour" Scotsman, who only smiled and relaxed with real warmth of nature on very special occasions or in the midst of a few friends.

His military career may be said to have started with his enlistment in the French army in 1876, to help the weaker people against the invading Prussian, and the same cause brought about his death. Throughout his life the weak had his support and this fact had much to do with his tremendous success in Egypt. He was a friend and counsellor to the poor.

Glorious as was Kitchener's career in Egypt, in India and in South Africa, the achievement which stands out in front of all others combined is the recruiting and organizing of a volunteer army of 5,000,000 men to fight for the cause of justice and against the oppression of small peoples. By this he earned the admiration, awe, almost the worship, of the nation, and it is largely due to him that Britain is now in a position to fight Germany to a finish and beat her on land as she can on the sea.

Without in any way minimizing the loss to Britain and her allies by the tragedy of the Orkney Islands, it may be said that Kitchener's work was almost, if not quite, finished, and that, therefore, the organization of the forces is complete and the days of recruiting are over; all who enlist now do so without power to refuse. Only his influence on policy and tactics is missing, and to what extent that has been a governing force is not known, although we may safely accept it as a fact that his voice never failed to carry weight, and that his advice was frequently sought by those in active command of the forces.

Among neutral nations, most notably in America and in the Balkan States, Kitchener stood for Britain, and his presence at the head of the army added prestige to her prestige. It might almost be said that he was more idolized in the United States than in Britain, his business ability and contempt for "red tape" appealing to the Americans most forcibly. To Kitchener they looked to win the war for the Allies, and the importance of his sudden death, so far as it affects the result of the struggle, is apt to be exaggerated.

Word of the sinking of the Hampshire would have been hailed with delight by Germany and her allies under any circumstances, but the fact that the dreaded secretary of war sank with her will increase this tenfold. The Kaiser feared and respected him, and it is possible that in his heart he is now paying tribute to a brave and honorable foe, if he has not sunk so low as to have ceased to admire in others the quality he so sadly lacks. As for the masses of the Huns, they will rejoice that Britain's hero has come from their path.

But while we mourn his untimely end and deplore the tragedy which removed him from the war office, it must not be imagined that on this account the nation is crippled. The need brings the man, and it may be that in Sir William Robertson, or whoever is chosen as secretary of war, a greater even than Kitchener will be found. This is neither impossible nor improbable. It would be but a poor return for all Kitchener's efforts on behalf of the Empire if his death were allowed to create despair; that is the last thing he would desire or expect. The war will go on and the sword will not be sheathed until Prussianism is curbed and the peace of Europe assured. The voice of Kitchener calls upon Britain to act as he

would have acted in the loss of his most trusted subordinate; regret the misfortune, but search out an even abler man. Never cruel, never careless of the lives of those under his command, it may be believed that in his last moments Kitchener only grieved for those who were dying with him and for the loss to the cause which was so near his heart. No one who has read his life's history can doubt that he met death with one of his rare smiles, though struggling against it to the last breath, regretting only that he could not serve his country longer. Britain's hero has gone, a sacrifice to his country's cause, but his influence and the memory of his clean, true, steadfast life and singleness of purpose will live long. Requiescat in pace.

MEMORY AND INSPIRATION

IF THE memory and inspiration of three great events do not carry the British Empire to the most supreme triumph of its history then the British nation is decadent and unable to sustain its place as mother of nations.

The memory and inspiration of the thousands of Canadians who recently have felt a smashing blow from the mailed fist of the Prussian is the first of these events.

The memory and inspiration of the heroes of the great sea fight who gave their lives for their faith in Britain is the second.

The memory and inspiration of Earl Kitchener, the man with a record of great, honest work and fair, fearless fighting for the Empire, is the third.

On land and sea the enemy has struck tremendous blows, and now he has robbed the race of its first war chief. The acknowledged military leader of the nation had died as the lowly, unassuming British sailor died a few days before. The war has robbed us of several great leaders and thousands of the men who made such leadership effective. Of each and all of these it may be said:

As you tear his body limb from limb; Bring cord, or axe, or flame— He only knows that not through him Shall Britain come to shame.

The Empire today knows every sensation, excepting that of certain defeat. It has suffered almost every reverse; it has known the worst sort of final disaster. In the stately crown of its Monks, its Lansemarck, its colonial achievements there are duller gems, the bloodstones, as it were, that are gems concentrated from lifeblood that was shed not for victory. The Empire has had its Gallipoli and its Serbian rout. Yet it has newborn among its sinister gleams, its Zillebeke, burning in the splendor of Canadian sacrifice, and saluting as a love token for humanity, for Belgium and for the doctrine that the Gallian has taught. Britain has been tested in the crucible of war, but her resolution has not faltered, her fortitude is not weakened, but made stronger.

Even confusion does not fall upon the British people. They are not made to give up the fight on the enemy. The mother lion fighting for her cubs sweeps the slag aside and whirls with more fury upon the jackal tribe. An old soldier heard the news of Kitchener's death and came to attention. A moment later he went away to tell the terrible thing, but the look of springing to arms did not leave him, and wherever he passed the fire of manhood burned higher. The news of loss comes heavily upon the country, but it does not quench the fighting spirit. The memory and inspiration of the deeds of these several days should set the patriotism of the race in flames.

THE REAL DISASTERS.

CONSIDERED in its proper perspective and from a national standpoint, Lord Kitchener's death is less of a disaster than the loss of thousands of Canadian lives in the battle which is now being fought for a few miles of rolling ground in Flanders.

The secretary of war was, after all, only one man, single and occupying a position of responsibility which another can and will be found to fill. Many of the Canadians are married men with families. Their places as husbands and fathers cannot be filled. Thousands of homes will mourn losses and thousands of hearts will ache to the point of breaking. These men are empire builders, each one filling his niche in the whole scheme, as Kitchener filled his, an these niches are now empty. Each man, as he plays his part, is as great as Kitchener.

To some extent the same facts hold good in the sinking of the Hampshire. Hundreds of fine men, shouldering their share of the nation's burdens, were plunged to death with the more noted men. They were just as dear to their own as any man could be and just as essential to victory. Let it be remembered that over six hundred men went down with the cruiser, among whom was Earl Kitchener. That he was included serves to make the loss more regrettable, but does not embody the disaster.

AN ACT OF WISDOM.

WORD HAS been received here that Premier Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier have given their warmest commendation and active assistance to the work of the Bureau of Commercial Economics at Washington.

The director of this bureau, Mr. Francis Holley, has given largely of his personal fortune in order to produce a record of the world's work through the medium of the moving picture. Natural history, science, agriculture, travel, manufacture and many other phases of human achievement are portrayed in films, and these films are distributed free of charge to schools, universities and any organizations which send in a request.

THE ADVERTISER HEARD OF THIS PRAISE-WORTHY WORK AND PRINTED SEVERAL EDITORIALS, SUGGESTING THAT THESE FILMS

should be made available for Canada and that they should come duty free into the country. So pleased was Mr. Holley with the suggestion that he had struck off 500 reprints of one editorial and sent these broadcast in Canada. He subsequently received an invitation to address the ministry of the Dominion and by all was assured of cordial and substantial support. He will introduce the bureau into Canada and for Canada's benefit at once, and wherever he may go will be armed with letters from the premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Baron Shaughnessy, President Chamberlain, Sir William Mackenzie.

THE "KICK" OF THE CRUISER.

THE BATTLE cruiser fleet is alive and has a big kick in her," writes Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty. That message is not in the classic English of the official admiralty reports, but it will stir the human feelings of the Empire more than anything which has been heard since the naval battle was reported.

It will also be bad news for those narrow-minded Canadian newspapers, which have sought to seize political advantage from the nation's sacrifices in the North Sea by howling about what the Borden dreadnoughts would have done to the Germans if it had not been for the "kicks." It may be well to recall the kick of the Australian-armed and manned Kangaroo cruiser, Sydney, whereby the disastrous course of the Emden was ended, and the captain and the boys he calls his "pals" of the cruiser fleet, will continue their gallant work of smashing German claims to sea power. They want another chance and "please God it will come soon." When they strike another blow it will be a grievous day for those who are trying to turn British sea victories into political account. It will be well enough to decide the merits of war craft when cruiser, dreadnought and destroyer all have accomplished victory.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is an hour earlier for lunch Sunday morning. That will be a severe test for the first day of light saving.

There's yet an opportunity to win that prize for a new name for the late Berlin, Ont. Come on in, the guessing game's fine.

Germans are not to be allowed to see that "victorious" fleet until the signs of defeat have been painted out as far as possible.

Some American Republicans are regretting the success of their efforts to boost Hughes for nomination. They may have to take him.

Yuan-Shi-Kai died, "surrounded by his wives." Which prompts the speculation that life insurance adjusting is a difficult business in China.

As an alternative to the proposed closing of pool-rooms as a recruiting measure, how would it be to close them to all men not in khaki?

It is at times like these one realizes that no one man is indispensable. Kitchener will be missed, but Britain will be victorious even without him.

Russia believes Greece is acting the part of a traitor, and it must be remembered the Russians have been spotting these very accurately of late.

Holland will ship no more meat to Germany, but that won't matter now that the British navy is beaten and Germany can send to America for supplies.

It is a cruel fate which condemned Lord Kitchener, who has faced every kind of danger safely and without fear, to be slain by an unseen mechanical weapon.

NOT BRITISH. [Montreal Star.] Under-Secretary Tennant does not need to assure the British House that German prisoners in England would not be starved in reprisal for German treatment of British prisoners. That sort of thing just "isn't done" in Britain.

DIME NOVELS, OLD AND NEW. [Christian Science Monitor.] There is something more than a mere flash of newspaper satire in the reply of a western contemporary to the question, "What has become of the oldtime dime novel?" "It is here," comes the answer, "but they are charging \$1.25 or \$1.50 for it." Not with the idea of taking the edge off this in the least degree, but in the interest of truth, it should be said, we believe, that the \$1.25 and \$1.50 dime novel of the present day is a very poor substitute for the \$1.25 and \$1.50 novel of a generation ago that sold for a dime.

COMPARATIVE THRIFT. [Buffalo Courier.] In an analysis of thrift among the sixty-two nationalities, represented in the 29,000 employees of the Ford Motor Company a statement of their average bank deposits is as follows: Americans, \$204 each; English, \$277; Scotch, \$275; Irish, \$349; Germans, \$348; Canadians, \$241; Hungarians, \$563; Polish, \$459; Italian, \$355; Austrians, \$697; Jewish, \$641; Armenians, \$796; Turks, \$821. Seventeen thousand of the 29,000 carry life insurance, the policies having a value of \$15,000,000.

A TIP TO VACATIONISTS. [Sketch.] When a rube fresh from Squashville with straw in his shoes You behold, do not try to be witty, You're as much of a sight to the folks on the farm As the rube seems to you in the city.

SOBEBODY HAD TO DO IT. [Cassell's Saturday Journal.] "Glo, mate, wot's up with yer and?" "Smaashed me thumb breakin' coal." "Breakin' coal! Wot was you breakin' coal for—war'n't the missus well?"

WAIT A MINUTE! —By J. H. F. Goller's foot is the latest disease. It generally develops at the 19th hole, and is accompanied by the musical click of glasses. We saw a candy window, with a fine lot of luscious stuff therein displayed, with a sign at the rear of the window—Corn salve. Pretty. He had come across the continent to see her, and as he stood in her sitting-room was fully alive to her comely form. Unlike her he did not notice its suggestion of shabbiness. He merely thought there had been few changes since last he had been in the room and he delighted in gazing at her. She lit a cigarette and he sat down. He had been in the country a week and had, as yet, found no opportunity for the question he had come to ask. As he waited for her to be restored, he thought of the shabbiness. He merely thought there had been few changes since last he had been in the room and he delighted in gazing at her. She lit a cigarette and he sat down. 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SINKING OF BOAT MAY HAVE BEEN WORK OF ENEMY

New Official Order Bears Out
Suggestion of Espionage.

THE POST IS SUSPICIOUS

Newspaper Says the Circumstances Point to Work of Spies or Treachery.

LONDON, June 7.—2:46 a.m.—In connection with the suggestion that information of Earl Kitchener's movements may have been communicated to the Germans by spies, it is interesting to note that the Official Gazette last night contained an order placing new restrictions on passengers landing at ports in the Orkney Islands. Henceforth no person may land at such ports without specific permission of the military authorities at Kirkwall.

The morning newspapers today all give up their editorial space to black-bordered eulogies of Earl Kitchener. Chief interest perhaps attaches to the tributes of the papers of Lord Northcliffe, which, after hailing Earl Kitchener in the early days of the war as the only man for the war office, turned on him a year ago with bitter denunciations as being an over-rated man who had had no experience except in little Asiatic border campaigns. The Times and the Daily Mail were both burned on the stock exchange after their first attacks on Earl Kitchener, and by resolution were barred from many public reading rooms.

Today, however, both these newspapers lay aside the old animus and sound no discordant note in the universal chorus of editorial praise of the fallen leader.

The Daily Mail says: "So ends, with distressing suddenness, a career of romantic distinction which had assumed extraordinary significance in the estimation of his countrymen."

The Daily Express says: "Without Earl Kitchener it is probable that we would have lost the war months ago."

The Morning Post, discussing the sinking of the Hampshire, says: "Circumstances point to espionage or treachery, and it is not surprising that the more owing to the singular freedom still allowed to enemy subjects in Great Britain."

Walter H. Miller, touching on the question of a successor to Earl Kitchener, the Morning Post thinks it would be a mistake to choose David Lloyd George and argues that Lord Milner is the only suitable man on the horizon.

"It was his doggedness in doing his work that won him popular trust, because it was akin to the people's own temperament," says the Times. "He had none of the gifts by which politicians win favor. He was no orator; he did not court the multitude, and he had few friends. It was in strong loneliness that he trod the path of duty with stern and unwavering purpose."

The Daily Mail gives prominence to the following statement: "Earl Kitchener's intention to go to Russia was known to a great many people in London on Thursday. It ought not to have been so known. The news of it may have reached the enemy. The public mind has been quick to associate his death with the work of spies. We have every sympathy with the demand which comes to us from many parts of the country that all alien enemies who are still at large, especially those in high places, be interned at once."

DUTY HANDICAPS SHOEMEN.

MONTREAL, June 6.—George A. Slater, shoe manufacturer, was elected chairman of the Montreal branch of the Canadian "Manufacturers' Association" today. A committee was appointed to look into the question of the handicap to manufacturers in Canada, owing to the high excise on industrial alcohol, and the Government will be requested to take action in the matter.

CARSON TELLS ULSTERMEN ABOUT IRISH QUESTION

Addresses Secret Meeting of Five Hundred at Belfast.

BELFAST, via London, June 6.—Sir Edward Carson, the Unionist leader, addressed 500 representative Ulstermen here today on the proposed terms of the Irish settlement. Members of the press were not admitted to the meeting.

Sir Edward outlined the main proposals contained in the plan of David Lloyd George. The main proposal, he explained, was for the establishment of a parliament in Dublin, with the exclusion from its authority of the counties of Antrim, Armagh, Down, Londonderry, Tyrone and Fermanagh, including the cities of Belfast and Londonderry. Protests from delegates from the Counties Cavan, Donegal and Monaghan, were heard at the meeting. No decision was reached, however, and it was agreed that the Unionists in the three counties last named should be consulted during the next few days. The meeting then adjourned until Monday.

According to those present an earnest desire was shown at the conference to act with moderation. The opinion was expressed that if the three counties accept the proposal an agreement is still attainable.

TURKS STILL ATTEMPTING OFFENSIVE IN CAUCASUS

All Repulsed, Says Petrograd—Defeat of Northeast of Bagdad.

PETROGRAD, via London, June 6.—The Turks are still attempting to make progress against the right wing of Grand Duke Nicholas' army, according to the official statement issued tonight, which says: "In the Caucasus region in the direction of Baburt and Erzincan the Turks, supported by artillery, took the offensive on many sectors. All their attacks were repulsed. Near Khanikin, 130 versts northeast of Bagdad, we had a successful action against the Turks on Sunday."

NAME COMMISSION ON WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

J. B. Hugg, Barrister, Gets \$7,500 Annually From Norris Government.

[Special to The Advertiser.] WINNIPEG, June 6.—The biggest plum given out by the Norris Government since accepting office fell to J. B. Hugg, barrister, who will be a commissioner to administer workmen's compensation act, at a salary of \$7,500 annually.

MONTREAL POLICE FIND COUNTERFEITING PLANT

MONTREAL, June 6.—Police swooped down on a two-story house at 813 East Craig street this afternoon and found what they characterize as a fully equipped counterfeiting plant, with \$350 worth of alleged counterfeit quarter dollars and about \$500 worth of metals, including refined silver. Alfred Robitaille was arrested on the premises and later an alleged partner in the counterfeiting business, A. Raveau, was taken into custody.

WIRE FENCE CARRIES LIGHTNING CURRENT

[Special to The Advertiser.] CLINTON, June 6.—Percy Cole of Goderich Township lost two cows and a yearling in the electrical storm of Sunday night, which were lying under a tree beside a wire fence, and it is thought that the electricity was conducted along the fence, where there was no sign of the tree having been struck.

LIPSETT IS NAMED TO SUCCEED MERCER, HUGHES PROMOTED

Brother of Minister Takes
Place of Gen. Williams.

EMBURY MADE BRIGADIER

Colonel of 28th Battalion Is
Given Command of the
Fourth Division.

OTTAWA, June 6.—Brig.-Gen. Lipsett, of the first Canadian division, is to be appointed to succeed Major-Gen. Mercer in command of the third division, and will be given the rank of major-general. Gen. Lipsett, who comes from Winnipeg, was stationed there, attached to the permanent Canadian force. He is a British officer.

Brigadier W. St. Pierre Hughes, brother of Major-Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, the minister of militia, succeeds Brig.-Gen. Williams in command of the ninth brigade of the third division, and Lieut.-Col. Embury, of the 28th Battalion, goes to the fourth division, in place of Brig.-Gen. Hughes. Gen. Lipsett was commander of the 8th Battalion (90th Winnipeg Rifles—the Little Black Devils), and went through the heavy battles of 1915 at St. Julien, Festubert and Givenchy, with his regiment, and was given a brigade when the first division was organized.

ARTILLERY BATTLE SHOWS NO LET-UP ABOUT FORT VAUX

No Infantry Action Reported
During the Day.

PARIS, June 6.—11:40 p.m.—The official statement issued by the war office tonight reads: "On the front north of Verdun no infantry action was reported during the course of the day. The artillery struggle, however, continued with undiminished violence in the region of Vaux and Dambloup. Major Raynal, who defended Fort Vaux with indefatigable energy, has been made commander of the Legion of Honor."

A reciprocal bombardment occurred in the region east of Pervys and Hamecapelle. The French still hold the main fort and all approaches to Fort Vaux except the northern moat, in which the Germans gained lodgment several days ago.

Germans Use Ravines. The Germans are now directing their efforts toward bringing up masses of reinforcements through the ravines between Vaux and Dambloup for the purpose of gradually wearing down the determined resistance of the French. Although two infantry attacks were made yesterday, they lacked the intensity of the previous rushes. The conclusion is drawn by French commentators that the heavy recent losses of the Germans are compelling them to proceed less vigorously for the moment while they are reforming their scattered and decimated units.

The text of the statement this afternoon follows: "On the right bank of the River Meuse two German attacks last night against our positions between Vaux and Dambloup resulted in complete failure. No change has been recorded in the situation at Fort Vaux, which the enemy is bombarding with violence. There has been continued intermittent cannonading on the remainder of the front."

BISHOP ROPER SEES THE FOLLY OF DRINKING

Declares That Now He is an Advocate
of Prohibition.

OTTAWA, June 6.—In his annual charge to the synod of the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa, Bishop Roper today came out strongly for prohibition. Declaring that he had never been an advocate of prohibition, the bishop stated that since the war began he had changed his viewpoint, and now saw "the folly and the humiliation and the waste of the sin of excessive drinking."

DEATH OF PRESIDENT ENDS CHINA'S TROUBLE

Vice-President To Be Elevated, Meeting
Demands of Southern Provinces.

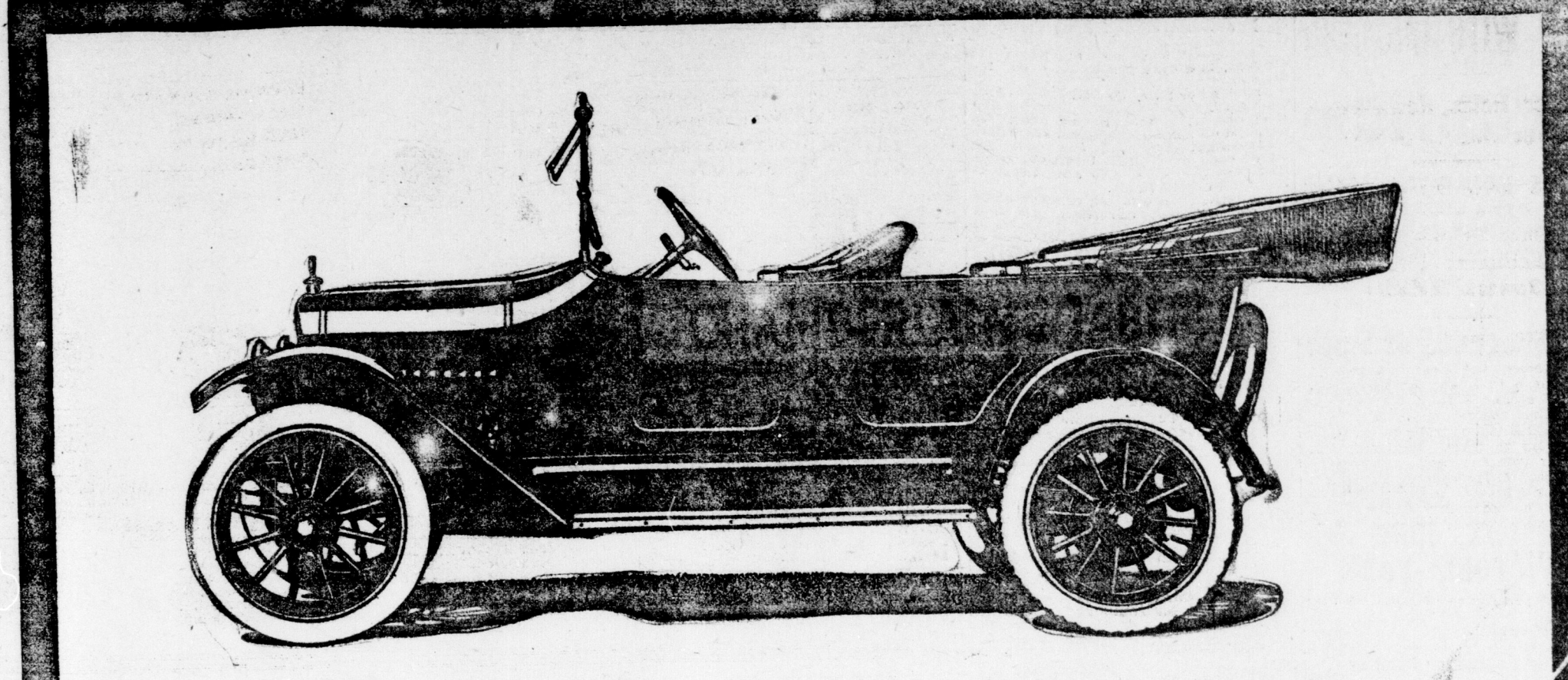
PEKING, June 6.—Yuan Shi-Kai, president of the Chinese Republic, died today. The French minister immediately advised Li-Yuan-Hung, the vice-president, of his succession to the presidency. Yuan Shi-Kai had been ill for several days with stomach trouble, which was followed by a nervous breakdown. Quits prevail today in the capital. The death of the president apparently solves the heated political crisis. Li-Yuan-Hung's succession to the presidency meets the demands of the leaders in the southern provinces. Yuan Shi-Kai died at 10 o'clock this morning at the palace, surrounded by his wives and older children. Rumors that he committed suicide are denied stoutly by high officials.

The commanders of the legation guards met today and discussed the situation here, coming to the decision that rioting was unlikely. Li-Yuan-Hung will take the presidential oath tomorrow. Chinese are rushing into the legation quarter, where valuable belongings and engaging hotel accommodations there.

Li-Yuan-Hung, who becomes president of China, in the regular course of events would remain in office until October of next year, when the term of five years, for which Shi-Kai was elected, will expire. Li-Yuan-Hung is reported to have been in sympathy with the rebel movement. He is 52 years of age.

MOTOR-TRUCK KILLS CHILD.

TORONTO, June 6.—Roy Burgess, 3 years of age, of 339 Arthur street, was instantly killed by a motor-truck this afternoon. He is the eighth victim of motor-car accidents in the last five weeks. The driver was taken into custody, but later released. The child, who had been playing on the sidewalk, ran into the roadway and fell directly in front of the rear wheel.



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GUNS OF WARSPITE HAD DEADLY EFFECT FROM FIRST SHOT

Two Enemy Battle Cruisers
Quickly Riddled.

DEVONPORT, Eng., June 6.—A surviving officer of the British armored cruiser Warrior, sunk in the Jutland sea fight, tells an interesting story of the engagement of the British armored cruiser with the German battle cruisers and light cruisers, and a subsequent duel fought between the Warspite and big German ships. The first German ship sighted by the Warrior was a light cruiser with three funnels. The Warrior picked her up at a range of 1,585 yards.

"The first two shells having given the cruiser a fatal wound, she was quickly sunk," said the officer, "the Duke of Edinburgh were left to deal with two other German light cruisers that were sighted."

Defence Cut in Two. "All at once a fountain of water rose twenty yards ahead of us and we then knew that we had to deal with something bigger than light cruisers. Three shells of at least 12-inch calibre fell ahead of the Defence, and three seconds later a salvo cut her in two amidships, and she crumpled up and sank. The Black Prince was the next to go. The great shells carried away her funnels and fore turret. Thus a salvo hit her in the magazine and she blew up."

Frightful Loss at Verdun, Says German Prince

Writes to Wounded Officer
That Heavy Sacrifice
Is Necessary.

GENEVA, via Paris, June 6.—Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany, in a letter written to a wounded officer, formerly a member of his staff, who is convalescing at Lavos, says that though he has visited several battle fronts, the fight before Verdun is the most terrible of the war.

The losses, the crown prince is quoted as saying, are frightful, but, from the German point of view, heavy sacrifices must be made in order to obtain the military objective.

THREE RIVERS GIRL DROWNED. THREE RIVERS, P.Q., June 6.—Miss Rita Pronovost, the 14-year-old daughter of B. Pronovost, St. George street, this city, was drowned this afternoon in the river opposite Bureau wharf. Her coat and hat were found nearby. The body had not been recovered at a late hour tonight.

NEW B. C. CABINET. VICTORIA, B.C., June 6.—Premier Bowser has announced a reconstruction of his cabinet, taking as new members Ernest Miller of Grand Forks, William Manson, Prince Rupert, and Dr. A. G. McGuire, Vancouver.

URUGUAY TO RESCUE SHACKLETON'S MEN

Will Send a Relief Expedition to South
Shetland Islands.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, June 6.—The Uruguayan Government will dispatch the small steamship Institucion to the rescue of the Shackleton expedition. The steamship will leave on Thursday.

FOREST W. I. ELECTS ITS NEW OFFICERS. [Special to The Advertiser.] FOREST, June 6.—At the annual meeting of the Forest Women's Institute officers were re-elected as follows: President, Miss F. Rawlings; first vice-president, Mrs. H. Fraileich; second vice-president, Mrs. (Dr.) Patterson; secretary, Miss A. Dier; treasurer, Mrs. George Walters.

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LITTLE—WEDDED in Toronto, on Tuesday, June 6, 1916, at 7 o'clock, at the home of the Rev. J. D. Morrow, Annie M. Little of Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Little, of London, Ontario, to Dr. David Little of Toronto.

BROWN—On Tuesday, June 6, at the family residence, 516 King street, London, Ont., Elizabeth Brown, widow of the late Robert Brown, in her 75th year.

KILGALLIN—In this city, on Tuesday, June 6, Bridget Kilgallin, aged 31 years. Funeral from the residence of her son, Walter Kilgallin, 175 Mill street, Wednesday morning, at 11:30, thence to Mount Carmel, where high mass will be sung on the following morning at 8 a.m. in the church of St. Peter's. Friends and acquaintances please accept this notice.

MULLINS—at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Ralph McKay, 412 Grosvenor street, on Monday, June 5, Rachael Mullins, aged 73 years. Funeral from the above address on Thursday morning, at 8:45 o'clock. Requiem high mass at 8 o'clock in the church of St. Peter's. Friends and acquaintances please accept this notice.

WELSH—On June 7, 1916, Mrs. Anna Welsh, aged 58 years, survived by her husband, John Welsh, and three daughters, Mary, Katherine and Anna, also two sons, John and James. Funeral at Hastings, Ont.

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TRADE EXCURSIONS
PLANNED BY BOARD
FOR THIS SUMMER

"Expansion Tours" Discussed by Committee.

CLEVELAND OR THE BRUCE

Alternative Schemes Brought Up—Hopes for Week-End Rates.

E. C. Mitchell presided at a meeting of the trade expansion committee of the board of trade Monday, at which alternative plans for a businessmen's excursion were discussed. It is suggested that the board authorize an excursion to Cleveland during the latter part of June or early July to meet wholesalers, retailers and manufacturers of that city under the auspices of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce. It is intended to utilize the occasion to direct attention to the lake and rail route to London and Western Ontario by the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Company's steamers, and the city-owned railway. By giving prominence to the accessibility of London and Western Ontario by this route, it is believed traffic in this direction will be increased and manufacturers made aware of the fact that raw materials and fuel can be most economically assembled at London, to manufacture many articles to be marketed throughout the Dominion.

Another projected excursion discussed would visit points in Perth, Huron and Bruce, and care will be exercised in the preparation of an itinerary which will do justice to many cities and towns with London's merchants and manufacturers. The application of the board to secure week-end rates during the continuance of the military summer camp here was discussed and report was made to the effect that the board's application had been unfavorably received at a meeting of the Eastern Canadian Passenger Association on May 27, but that with the assistance of a large number of railway passenger agents throughout the 1st Division Military Area, the matter would be reopened at a meeting of the E. C. P. A., which will be held in Montreal almost immediately. There seems to be reason for hoping that the board's request will be granted.

New Auditorium Opens Thursday Evening, June 8.

What promises to be a most auspicious event will be the opening of the New Auditorium tomorrow (Thursday evening). Managing Director Brick reports many requests for the reservation of seats, and has decided that the original schedule of summer prices will be adhered to, namely, all seats at matinee, 10 cents; in the evenings, 15 cents; lower floor, 15c, with no action with the matter.

DIES BY ELECTROCUTION.
KINCARDINE, June 6.—The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, June 6, of William Perrin, son of Rev. Louis and Mrs. Fern of Hamilton, deceased, met his death by being electrocuted while at his duties. He leaves one brother and sister and his parents to mourn his loss.

ELEVEN JOIN CHURCH.
HYDE PARK, June 6.—An impressive sermon was given in the Presbyterian Church Sunday. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed when eleven new members were received into full membership. Among the number were Pte. George Winter and Pte. J. H. Smith of the 15th Battalion.

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PATRIOTIC ASSN.'S DOING GREAT WORK THROUGHOUT COUNTY

Reports of Secretary Stuart Approved by Councillors.

ALL WELL CARED FOR

Average Income of Dependents Is Greater Than Before the War.

The first report of the work of the Middlesex branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund was presented to the county council last evening by John Stuart, the secretary-treasurer. His report showed that 152 families are being cared for. The particulars of each case were explained to the council, which passed the report without raising any objection to the receiving of aid by any family on the list.

The council, which sat as a committee to discuss and approve the work of the special committee, which were appointed during a special session of the council last February, was delighted with the success which had followed the formation of the Middlesex branch, and the good work done by it.

Mr. Stuart's report was a long and detailed one. He explained at length the work of the branch. Each wife of a Middlesex man who has enlisted and who has assigned half of his pay to his wife, receives \$5 per month; if there are children, the amount is \$10 per month and \$2 for each child. The maximum amount any woman can receive is \$20 per month.

At a meeting of the children who are over 15 years of age, when the branch opened on March 1, there were 37 names on the roll, and \$507 was paid out during the month of April. The number of names rose to 53, and \$923 was paid out; for the past month \$1,991.50 was paid out to 134 families, and during the month of April, \$1,452.50 was added, making the total \$515.

HONOR EARL KITCHENER.
Councillor J. A. McIntyre moved that the flag on the county building and the flag on the half-mast in memory of Lord Kitchener. It was pointed out that the flag on the county building should not be flown at other than full mast while the court was in session.

There was an interesting discussion over an application for permission to place a gasoline pump at the roadside near the intersection of Dundas and Huron streets. Some of the members contending that if such permission was granted that the council would become responsible in case of an accident. The council, however, granted such permission. It was pointed out that the law requires that the road be 66 feet wide from the intersection of the roads. Many posts are placed near the road for hitching purposes but this is done without the consent of the council. No action was taken on the matter.

Tax Oil Companies.
Councillor J. Morgan from Lucan, moved that a tax be placed on all oil companies doing business in this county. Mr. Morgan stated that the county of York had secured a fee of \$500 from one company for permission to do business in that county. He moved that a bylaw be prepared to impose a similar tax on all companies wishing to do business in this county. The question was referred to the finance committee.

SYNOD OF HURON MEETS HERE TUESDAY

Voluntary Meetings Will Commence on Monday.

The Synod of Huron will meet on Tuesday next at the meeting of the synod there will be voluntary meetings, to which the clergy and laymen look forward each year. Among these gatherings are those of the Junior League union and the clerical breakfast. The program for these gatherings this year is as follows: Junior clergy union—The subject of "Three Monkeys." A cordial invitation is extended to every person. A special meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the rectory Monday afternoon. The fine weather made for a large attendance. The splendid talk by Miss H. H. Hunsford of Toronto on "Conditions as we find them and what we can do to improve them," was much enjoyed. A light luncheon was served by the hostess, which a quantity of Red Cross material was given to the members.

INJURED BY AUTO
Waterloo Street Boy Has Three Ribs Broken in Collision.
Gordon Boughtner, 16-year-old son of W. F. Boughtner, 24 Waterloo street, had three ribs broken and received several other minor injuries in an automobile accident Tuesday. The accident occurred about 3 o'clock, while the boy was riding a bicycle on Wellington street, near Queen's avenue. He turned out in the path of an approaching motor car. Mr. Boughtner stated that he did not blame the driver of the automobile in any way.

The lad's injuries are not regarded as serious, but he will be taken to Victoria Hospital.

LONDON CONFERENCE CRIES PEOPLE OF ENGLAND MUST CAST ASIDE DRINK TO WIN

Beginning to Doubt the National Conscience—Expect No Victory That Is Not of God—Strong Resolution For Circulation in Britain.

[By Staff Reporter.] KINGSVILLE, June 6.—One of the last things done by the London Methodist Conference before closing today was the passing of the following remarkable resolution, on motion of Rev. Dr. Manning, ex-president of the conference:

"Forasmuch as the British Empire is in a struggle of life and death, and our sons are giving their lives in its defence, we deem it our duty to say a word to the British people upon their part in the struggle. We boast to be a part of the Empire, we boast of the Magna Charta, of the mother of parliaments, of the deepening and widening liberties of the people of the Empire. Our love for Britain is a daughter's love for her mother. But the British people are not doing their part to win this war. We are disappointed that the national conscience is not of God, and we desire no victory that is not of God. We will freely give our lives for the freedom of the British nation fighting for the freedom of the world, and herself not free to fulfill the national ideals that are become pre-eminently the duty of a large portion of the civilized world. We therefore implore the people of England to strengthen our hands, to confirm our loyalty, and to let us know that God is with us. 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