

# Russia Is Credited With Momentous Success

## ALLIES REPULSE THE GERMAN ATTACKS ON EASTERN WING

### SURVIVORS OF DISASTER AT HARWICH PORT

One Hundred and Ten Off the Sunken Cruisers Brought Ashore at Night.

### CHEERS FOR THE RESCUED

Crews of Torpedo Boats In Harbor Welcome Their Comrades.

### CROWD WAITS AT HARBOR

But No One Is Allowed to Talk With the Arrivals.

Harwich, Eng., Sept. 23, via London, Sept. 23.—Survivors to the number of 110 from the British cruisers Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue, which were torpedoed and sunk by German submarines, arrived at Harwich and Parkstone, three miles west, last night. Of the survivors 20 were officers and the others seamen, and all bore evidence of the trial through which they had passed.

According to estimates obtained from the survivors, about 700 men in all, of crews approximating 2,000 men, were saved when disaster overtook their ships.

Crowds of townspeople silently watched the arrival of the cruiser and a flotilla of destroyers which carried the survivors and which reached the harbor at 8 o'clock.

Excitement Rife.

All during the latter part of the day the little town had been on a tip-toe of excitement, and hundreds of all kinds had seen a fleet of local destroyers leave at top speed early in the day and it was evident that this was the prelude to news of great importance.

As the rescuing boats came up the harbor, the sound of cheering aboard torpedo boats in the harbor was heard. The crews of the welcoming boats were cheering those who had been rescued from the sailors' bed of honor in the North Sea. Soon after 8 o'clock the first party of survivors were landed at Harwich pier. They appeared to be naval officers.

News Soon Spread.

The news of what happened spread like wildfire, although nobody had been allowed to talk directly with the survivors. In the crowd there were soon many tearful faces for most of those along the pier and beach had relatives or friends aboard the sunken cruisers.

Following the landing of the uninjured survivors, the hospital boat showed off from the pier and took off the injured from the cruiser and destroyers. These were transferred at once to the Shetley Naval Hospital, while the uninjured survivors went to the Great Eastern Hotel, which is now used as a military hospital, where they will be allowed to rest for several days.

They Still Smile.

Many of them had spent some time struggling in the water, but few showed any serious effects of their experiences. They walked through the line of questioning faces with firm step and smiling as if a submarine attack was no very unusual experience. Their clothing, however, was something to marvel at. Most of them wore blankets or even pieces of burlap sack, while others were protected from the chill night air by llama coats, such as seamen use on night watches.

The crowd of weeping women who besieged the hospitals for the names of those saved were informed as gently as possible that no information would be given out except through the official channels of the admiralty. Sentries guarded all entrances to the hospital and prevented anyone from reaching the survivors.

**PATHTIC MEETING.**

Harwich, Eng., Sept. 23.—(Later.)—The admiralty had informed as many as possible of the disaster.

### MAY PROVE DOOM OF GERMAN NAVY

Sinking of the Cruisers Will Rouse British Fleet To Action as Nothing Else Could.

London, Sept. 23.—The fleet's naval expert, dealing with the sinking of the three British cruisers by submarines, says: "Our fleet has to wait on the pleasure of the enemy. It does not wait too far away, because the North Sea is small and could be quickly traversed by hostile fleets. We need not fear that our men will shrink before them. Nevertheless, death dealt by an unseen foe is the most detestable of all."

"This disaster will rouse the British fleet to action as nothing else could have done, and the success of this submarine attack may yet prove the death knell of the German navy."

### Real Brothers In Arms.



Three London brothers now in Valcartier with their regiments. They are Edwin and William Chivas (standing) and Norman Chivas (seated). They are branches of the Canadian service and are represented by these brothers who are branches of the Canadian service (Toronto) having enlisted in that city, while Edwin is in the 48th Highlanders (Toronto) having enlisted in the 16th A. S. C. William is in the Army Service Corps, having enlisted in the 16th A. S. C. Norman is an artillery man and left London with the 56th Field Battery.

### BRAVE LITTLE MIDDY ON ALL OF CRUISERS SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Jumped Overboard on Each Being Struck and Was Eventually Saved by Steamer—Interesting Story by Eyewitness of Disaster.

London, Sept. 23.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Rotterdam sends this story of the sinking of the three British cruisers by German submarines: Capt. Berkhout, of the steamer Titan, who saved over one hundred of the British sailors, witnessed the disaster of the cruisers. Some of the rescued sailors claim that two out of three of the attacking submarines were sunk. Capt. Berkhout told me the following story: "The fight took place about 7 o'clock in the morning, at which time I saw a German submarine tearing away at great speed."

"Far away on the horizon I saw three cruisers, the Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue, and after a while I noticed that one of them was being attacked. I paid attention at the time, but when I next turned to look for them I noticed another had disappeared. I noticed a small smoke and I heard a slight explosion."

Dashed to Rescue.

"At once I dashed in their direction, and on arriving in the vicinity lowered

### AYLMER CHILD KILLED BY FALL INTO CISTERN

Little Girl Was Only Out of Mother's Sight a Few Minutes.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Aylmer, Sept. 23.—Of her mother's sight for a few minutes this morning, the little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Light, of this town, stepped into an open cistern in the woods and was drowned.

Light had been busy for about ten minutes, and at the end of this time noticed the child's absence. Thinking she had gone to her grandfather's, the mother went to inquire, but no one there had seen her. Friends began to search and soon Leonard Light, uncle of the little girl, grappling in the cistern with a rake, pulled the body to the surface.

Petrograd, Sept. 23.—An official communication from Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces in the field, after reciting the capture of the fortified position of Jaroslavl, says there is no change in the situation on the northwestern frontier.

Emperor Nicholas has conferred the decoration of the Order of St. Alexander Nevsky upon General Ivanoff for military valor.

### CANADA LIKELY TO GIVE BRITAIN NEW EXPLOSIVE

Experiments at Valcartier Show Terrific Force of Inventor's Shell.

### HILLSIDE IS TORN AWAY

Petrol Said To Be One of the Principal Ingredients of Discovery.

### TESTS HAVE BEEN MADE

Artillery Have Been Using Explosive on Mountains Near Training Camp.

In addition to contributing tens of thousands of men and millions in money to the cause of the Empire, Canada is likely to contribute a new high explosive for artillery that may startle the world.

On the most reliable of information The Advertiser has learned that for some time experiments have been conducted at Valcartier with this new destructive force, the invention of a Canadian chemist. One Londoner who was in Valcartier recently said that the artillery had been severely using the explosive, and that its force was so great that it places the whole side of one of the hills in the vicinity of the camp was torn away by a single shot.

It is said that petrol is one of the ingredients of the explosive, and that small charges of the new explosive are equal in force to several charges of dynamite.

The stories that came from Valcartier would almost lead one to believe that a mild form of the "atomic" bomb had been discovered. In his great book, "The World Set Free," the English writer describes how the same great war that is now raging was brought to an end by the use of atomic bombs, which burst the dykes of Holland as a great force was moving through that country and destroyed every castle in Europe. These Canadian bombs are said to have a double explosion. Wells' atomic bombs exploded indefinitely, lessening in fury by half every successive day. One was sufficient to devastate a large area.

A Surprise For Britain.

The new explosive was developed by an inventor of simple manufacture, and will be given to the British Government as a surprise if it possesses the qualities accorded to it in the secret and vague descriptions that have come from the camp.

### AUSTRIAN ARMY IN FULL RETREAT

Servians Pursuing Vigorously, After Beating Both Wings—Are Invading Bosnia.

[Canadian Press.]

Nish, Sept. 23.—The following official statement has been given out: "After a nine days' struggle, the Austrians, whose wings both have been beaten completely, are in full retreat to the south front from Livno to Lonsitz. The Servians are pursuing them vigorously. Servian columns from Visegrad and Baina Bashta continue their progress into the interior of Bosnia."

### BRITISH AVIATORS' SUCCESSFUL RAID

Set Fire To Hangars at the Zeppelin Air Craft Centre and Escaped Unhurt.

[Canadian Press.]

Antwerp, Sept. 23.—Via London, 11:10 a.m.—A successful raid by a squadron of five British aviators on the German aviation camp at Bieckendorf, near Cologne, is reported by the Handelsblad. Bieckendorf is the centre for the Zeppelin air craft, and according to the story, the Britishers, from a height of 1,500 feet, dropped bombs that set fire to the hangars. Four of the aviators returned to the point of their departure, while the fifth was obliged to descend, owing to engine trouble. He succeeded, however, in landing in Belgium.

### WILL SHIP HORSES FROM ST. JOHN, N. B.

General Benson Makes Arrangements for Sending Remounts to Britain.

[Canadian Press.]

St. John, N. B., Sept. 23.—General Sir Frederick Benson, R. C. R., head of the remount department of the imperial army was here yesterday arranging for shipment of horses to England.

General Benson left last evening for Toronto.

It is expected that at least four thousand horses a month will be sent from here beginning early in October.

### LITTLE INVASION OF RUSSIAN POLAND

Germans Evidently Never Got More Than 20 Miles Over Border.

London, Sept. 23.—The Daily Telegraph's Petrograd correspondent says: "The Novoe Vremya, for the first time, today gives information concerning the extent of the German invasion of Russian Poland by announcing that the Germans on September 17 evacuated the towns of Wladistawow, Wolkowyski, Mariampol, Kalwaria and Suwalki. These towns, none of which is more than 20 miles from the frontier, apparently define the high-water mark of the German invasion."

### COMMANDS MOUNTED MEN FOR BRITAIN



MAJOR-GEN. ALLENBY, commander of the cavalry branch of Gen. French's force. He has an international reputation as a bold and skilful cavalry leader.

### NO "WAR PRICES" IN PRODUCE LINE

Prices Now Being Quoted Are Lower Than Those of a Year Ago.

### POTATOES ARE CHEAPER

Apples, Majority of Other Fruits and Pork All "Down."

Comparison between the prices of produce foodstuffs of this month, and of September 1913, show that in many cases, the high cost of living is less than it was a year ago.

Potatoes, apples, dressed hogs and lamb are all selling at lower prices now than they were quoted a year ago. Wheat and oats are considerably higher. So is flour and sugar. This is directly caused by war conditions. Tea, coffee and spices are also slightly higher.

Following is a table showing some of the prices on September 22, 1914, and today's prices.

1913—Wheat, 35 cents bushel.  
Potatoes, 30 cents a bag.  
Sugar, \$7.25 a bag.  
Butter, 25 cents a pound.  
1914—Wheat, \$1.10 bushel.  
Potatoes, 75 cents a bag.  
Sugar, \$7.25 a bag.  
Apples, \$1.75 barrel.  
Dressed hogs, \$12.25 cwt.  
Butter, 25 cents a pound.

Vegetables and fruits, with the exception of apples sell for about the same prices as last year and in the majority of cases a little lower.

### RUSSIAN OCCUPATION OF JAROSLAV LIKELY TO PROVE MOST IMPORTANT

### FREE MASON SIGN SAVES FIFTY LIVES

Louvain Citizen Says His Membership Caused Release When Guns Were Pointed.

[Canadian Press.]

Ostend, Sept. 23.—Via London, 12:43 p.m.—The power of Free Masonry is illustrated by a story which has been related here by a citizen of Louvain, who, with the Masonic sign, says he saved 50 of his fellow citizens from being shot to death by German troops.

This group of citizens, according to the recital of the Belgian Mason, had been lined up for execution. The German "present arms" when the Free Mason gave a Masonic sign. The German officers commanding the firing squad happened to belong to the craft. He recognized a brother, and ordered the Louvain Free Mason to leave the ranks. This meant sparing his life. The Louvain citizen, however, refused, saying: "My fellow citizens are no more guilty than I am. If you are going to kill them, I shall be killed with them."

The German officer thereupon ordered the release of the entire party.

### VIRGINIA PLACED IN "DRY" COLUMN

Big Majority Assures State-Wide Prohibition After 1916—Returns Not Yet Complete.

[Canadian Press.]

Richmond, Va., Sept. 23.—While complete returns from the state-wide prohibition election still are lacking, figures received up to early today showed that the voters had placed Virginia in the "dry" column by a majority of more than 52,000.

The result of the election means that on and after November 1, 1916, Virginia will be "dry." The general assembly, which meets in regular session in January of that year, will enact laws to govern the state under prohibition.

### RUSSIANS FORGING GERMANS BACK

Enemy Gets Reinforcements for Fortified Positions on Vistula.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Sept. 23.—3:07 p.m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Petrograd says that German columns which in considerable strength crossed the Russian frontier at Mlawa on September 20, have retreated northwards.

It is reported, says the correspondent, that the German troops in the fortified positions on the left bank of the Vistula, between the frontier between Thorn and Kalisz, have received large reinforcements. The valley of the River San contains immense quantities of valuable booty taken by the Russians.

### GERMAN-AMERICANS ARE VERY INDIGNANT

Expected Free Passage Home From London With Luxuries.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Sept. 23.—Because they did not find special steamers chartered by the United States Government to carry them home, about 40 German-Americans held an informal indignation meeting in London today, and presented a protest to the American relief committee.

They showed printed statements from the United States consuls at Cobourg and Mannheim saying free hotel accommodations and transportation on chartered steamers would be provided by the London committee. These people protested heatedly when they found that those with money must pay their own passage, while the penniless would be provided with only third-class accommodations.

### BRITISH TRAWLER SUNK IN NORTH SEA

Only Three of Crew Saved When Kilmarnock Struck Mine.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Sept. 23.—1:56 p.m.—The Grimsby trawler Kilmarnock was sunk by a mine in the North Sea yesterday. Only three members of her crew were saved. The trawler was blown in two, and went down instantly.

### Most Decisive Stroke Announced From Theatre of War In Day May Influence Events In Western Arena—Austrians In Flight.

(Canadian Press.)

London, Sept. 23.—1:40 p.m.—The fall of Jaroslavl, the Austrian fortified position in Galicia, is regarded here as the most decisive stroke announced from the continental battlefields in the past 24 hours, and the Russian occupation of this important fortified railroad centre is considered in London as likely to have a greater effect on events in the western arena of the war than anything reported from France for several days past.

The Russian army which took Jaroslavl by storm is in hot pursuit of the Austrians, who are reported in London to be retreating on Cracow. As Przemyśl is now isolated, it seems probable that the Muscovites would attempt to march on Cracow, with the view of joining up their forces preparatory to a march in the direction of Breslau.

To Attack Koenigsberg.

Further north the Russians, according to information reaching London, have resumed the offensive against the Germans in East Prussia, and they are reported as again preparing to attack Koenigsberg, the home of the kings of Prussia.

The twelfth day of fighting finds the battle of the Aisne still swaying undecidedly. The Germans, according to British opinion, obviously hold the advantage in heavy artillery, and the formidable natural positions they occupy would render a frontal attempt to dislodge them, an almost superhuman task.

Is German Right Turned.

Hence importance is attached to the movement of the allied army working to the eastward, with the view of outflanking General Von Kluck's forces and threatening his communications. The German right already is reported in news dispatches to have been turned, but confirmation of this still is lacking. Reports received here declare that entrenched positions have been prepared by the Germans along the River Sambre for use in the event that they are compelled to retreat.

The loss of three British cruisers in the North Sea yesterday, the Aboukir, the Cressy and the Hogue, vessels of a type not used for several years, and brought out of reserve now to undertake special duty, is counted as a bagatelle by British naval men. The sad feature is the loss of 700 men in officers and men, who were engaged in efforts to rescue their comrades in disaster.

### GERMAN RIGHT REPORTED TURNED BY FRENCH FORCE

Caught Between Peronne and St. Quentin, Enemy Is Forced To Evacuate Latter After Savage Fighting in Suburbs of Town.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Sept. 23.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail, under date of Sunday and from an unnamed place, sends a report that the German right has been turned between Peronne and St. Quentin. He also tells of the arrival of wounded, who bring stories that there are nine miles of dead in the trenches between the two towns named, and continues: "Peronne was evacuated by the Germans four days ago. The Germans occupied a strong position with hills behind and marshes in front. The French received orders to take the position at all costs, the reason of this order being that the Germans were driven from here they would be enveloped by the outspreading French left wing."

At first the trenches were combed out by artillery fire but the Germans still held on and their guns on the heights behind were doing execution among the French. Then it was decided to storm the position.

Across the marsh, in the half light before dawn, the French troops advanced in a number of narrow columns. They suffered badly, but were overpowered. The Germans waited for them in the trenches and there was a fierce, deadly struggle, breast to breast. The French had the advantage of dash and vigor and they stabbed and stabbed until their arms ached. Their losses were heavy, but they gained their point and the Germans fell back to St. Quentin.

Thence French were reinforced and pursued the Germans hotly into the suburbs of the town. There was savage fighting in the streets, but yard by yard they were driven back until they resolved orders to abandon the town. I hear that they are now making an effort to retake Peronne."

**TRAIN BLOWN UP.**

London, Sept. 23.—The Mail's war correspondent states that he hears two trains of badly-needed German reinforcements were blown up between Peronne and St. Quentin through the feat of a French gunner, who managed to tap a telephone wire connecting two German stations. By this means he gained the information that the trains were coming, and was able to place guns to command the line. By a quick attack he was able to ambush the trains.

The Mail's correspondent also says that on Sunday the entire general staff of one German division were brought prisoners to Amiens.

### THE DIARY OF MARS

Momentous events that may be the decisive factor in the battle of the Aisne, are transpiring in the vicinity of St. Quentin, where the allies are making a furious attempt to turn the German right wing.

Vague but persistent reports, wholly unofficial but coming from various points, suggest that the Franco-British turning movement is slowly developing.

However, in the absence of official word regarding this tremendously important action, little is definitely known. Such official references as are made to the extreme western battlefield are very guarded. An English correspondent declares that the Franco-British line has turned between Peronne and St. Quentin.

The German casualties so far as reported number 63,467 according to an announcement at Berlin. The latest casualties list issued last night bore 5,895 names. The deaths of General Von Wroblem and General Von Arbois are chronicled.

An official statement issued at Paris at three o'clock this afternoon says that the allies have advanced their western wing after severe fighting. It is also declared that German attacks on the east wing of the allies have been repulsed.

Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, in reporting the capture of Jaroslavl, says there is no change in the situation on the northwestern frontier.

It is announced officially at Nish that after a nine-days' struggle, the Austrians are in full retreat along the front from Lubovla to Lonsitz.

### CANADIAN ON BOARD THE SUNKEN CRUISER

[Canadian Press.]

St. John, N. B., Sept. 23.—Captain Bernard Harvey, who four years ago married Hester Wood, daughter of Governor Wood, of Saskatchewan, was on board the cruiser Cressy which was sunk in the North Sea. Captain Harvey had one child, a boy of three years.

### ITALIAN DEPUTY COMMITS SUICIDE

[Canadian Press.]

Venice, Sept. 23.—By way of Paris 12:20 p.m.—Gulio Fusiato, a member of the Italian Chamber of Deputies and formerly under secretary for foreign affairs, committing suicide here today.

While visiting friends he shot himself in the heart with a revolver, and died soon afterwards. Illness is ascribed as the reason for his act.

Signor Fusiato represented Italy at the last peace conference.



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## CRUISERS CAPTURE SERBIANS CAPTURE 3 GERMAN VESSELS BOSNIAN CAPITAL

One an Armed Cruiser, and Sarajevo Abandoned by the  
Two Colliers—Three Hun- Enemy After Overwhelm-  
dred Reservists Among ing Defeat.  
Prisoners.

AUSTRIANS LOSE ON DRINA

[Canadian Press.]  
LONDON, Sept. 22.—(2:41 p.m.)—The Hamburg-American line steamer Spreewald has been captured by the British cruiser Berwick in the north Atlantic Ocean, according to an announcement by the Admiralty tonight.

It was stated also that two colliers had been captured. The German steamer Professor Woermann, of the Woermann Line, with 200 German reservists on board, has been taken captive and brought into Sierra Leone, on the west coast of Africa, according to information which has reached London.

The Spreewald was fitted as an armed cruiser. She is a steamer of 2,214 tons. She was last reported as having sailed from Antwerp on July 12 for the West Indies, and to have arrived at St. Thomas, D.W.I., on August 4.

Two colliers carried 3,800 tons of coal and 180 tons of provisions for the German cruisers in Atlantic waters.

The Berwick was commanded by Captain Louis C. Baker.

The total number of German vessels which, according to latest reports have been captured by British vessels at sea or by British port authorities, is 92. Ninety-five German vessels were detained in British ports at the outbreak of the war.

Seventy British vessels were held in German ports at the commencement of hostilities, and since then twelve British sea-going vessels out of upwards of 4,000 carrying on over-sea trade have been captured and sunk at sea.

## CANADIAN TROOPS TO WAIT CONVOY

About Thirty Liners Required For Transportation, But Will Not Sail Until Safe.

[Canadian Press.]  
VALCARTIER CAMP, Sept. 22.—Col. Sam Hughes stated tonight that between 25 and 30 liners will be used to transport the first contingent of Canada's expeditionary force to England. These liners will not leave Quebec until it is absolutely certain there will be a fleet of British cruisers ready to convoy them across the Atlantic. Every precaution will be taken to insure safe voyage for the Canadian troops.

Many companies have been received at camp headquarters. The Canadian expeditionary force that they have not received any money from their husbands. Commanding officers of battalions were given instructions tonight to bring to the attention of the men that the pay has been regularly issued in full up to Sept. 21, and consequently there is no reason why money orders should not be purchased in the camp post office and sent to those awaiting them. "It is earnestly hoped," says tonight's camp orders, "that the men will send their money to their families before embarking for active service, thereby relieving those dependent on them from as much anxiety as possible."

It is also pointed out that steps have been taken to issue the separation allowance to families directly from Ottawa and every married man has been asked to sign cards giving full particulars as to his family.

### IS AUSTRIA PREPARING TO INVADE ITALY?

ROME, via Paris, Sept. 22.—(10:38 p.m.)—In spite of denials to the contrary made by the Italian Government, the newspapers here publish detailed descriptions purporting to show that Austrian armaments are being placed on the Italian frontier and declare that preparations are being made by Austria to invade Italy.

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Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It is the nature of the individual. It isn't Nature's fault at all.

This folks eat thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. They absorb just enough of the food they eat to maintain life, but they have no power to build up strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them eat. A diet of fat-producing elements of their food just stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste. What such people need is something that will prepare these fatty food elements so that their blood can absorb them and deposit them all about the body—something, too, that will multiply their red blood corpuscles and increase their blood's carrying power.

For such a condition I always recommend eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is not an ordinary laxative, but a scientific combination of six of the most effective and powerful flesh-building elements known to chemistry. It is absolutely harmless, yet wonderfully effective and a single tablet eaten with each meal often has the effect of increasing the weight of a thin man or woman from three to five pounds a week. Sargol is sold by good druggists everywhere on a positive guarantee of weight increase or money back.

### QUEEN ASKS ALL WOMEN TO KNIT FOR SOLDIERS

LONDON, Sept. 22.—(4:50 p.m.)—Belts and socks are the prime need of the British expeditionary army and every woman in the Empire was asked today to do her share to supply this demand.

With the approach of winter, 300,000 pairs of socks and an equal number of belts, knitted or woven, according to the war office estimate, should be supplied to supplement the regular provisions of the Government. Queen Mary was notified of this situation and promised to do her part. She then appealed to British women to aid her.

## Army Worm Ravages Cost Oxford Farmers \$250,000

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
INGERSOLL, Sept. 22.—According to the statements of farmers in surrounding districts, threatening operations have revealed a tremendous shrinkage in the oat crop as compared with former years.

While backward spring weather may have had something to do with the general shortage, army worm was the principal reason. An estimate of the shortage has been made at half a million bushels, which in dollars and cents probably means a financial loss of a quarter of a million to the farmers of South Oxford.

There is no gainsaying the destructiveness of the army worm in its onslaught on the crops of neighboring sections, which is the greatest ever reported here.

## FRENCH DESCRIBES DESPERATE BATTLE

Four Days' Fight May Not Be Main Stand, But Like It.

### MANY PRISONERS TAKEN

#### Casualties On Both Sides Severe, With the Enemy Suffering Most.

[Canadian Press.]  
LONDON, Sept. 22.—(9:35 p.m.)—The following descriptive account from Field Marshal Sir John French's headquarters of the British army's operations up to Sept. 18, was issued tonight.

"General Headquarters, Sept. 18, 1914.—At the date of the last narrative, Sept. 14, the Germans were making a determined resistance along the river Aisne. Opposition, which it was at first thought might possibly be of a rear-guard nature, not entailing material delay to our progress, has developed and has proved to be more serious than was anticipated.

"The action now being fought by the Germans along their line may, it is true, have been undertaken in order to gain time for some strategic operation or move, and may not be their main stand. But if this is so, the fighting is naturally on a scale which, as to extent of ground covered and duration of resistance, makes it undistinguishable in its progress from what is known as a 'pitched battle,' though the enemy certainly showed signs of considerable disorganization during the earlier days of their retirement phase.

"Whether it was originally intended by them to defend the position they took up as strenuously as they have done, or whether the delay was for them during the twelfth and thirteenth by their artillery, has enabled them to develop their resistance and force their line to an extent which was originally contemplated, cannot yet be said.

"Not Confined to Valley.

"So far as we are concerned, the action still being contested is the battle of the Aisne. The foe we are fighting is just across that river along the front of our position, and west of the river. The struggle is not confined to the valley of that river, though it will probably bear its name, and our progress of our operations and the French armies nearest us for the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth will now be described.

"On Monday, the fourteenth, those of our troops which had on the previous day crossed the Aisne, after driving the German rear guards on that evening, found portions of the enemy's forces in prepared defensive positions on the right bank, and could do little more than secure a footing north of the river. This, however, they maintained in spite of two counter-attacks delivered at 10 p.m. in which the fighting was severe.

"During the fourteenth strong reinforcements of our troops were sent to the north bank, the troops crossing by ferry, by pontoon bridges and by the remains of permanent bridges. Close co-operation with the French forces was maintained and the general progress made was good, although the opposition was heavy and the state of the roads, after the heavy rain, made movements slow.

"Took Many Prisoners.

"One division alone failed to secure the ground it expected.

"The First Army Corps, after repulsing repeated attacks, captured 600 prisoners and twelve guns. The cavalry also took a number of prisoners. Many of the Germans taken belong to the reserve and landwehr formations, which fact appears to indicate that the enemy is compelled to draw on other classes of soldiers to fill the gaps in his ranks.

"There was a heavy rain throughout the night of Sept. 14-15, and during the 15th. The situation of the British forces underwent no essential change. But it became more evident that the defensive preparations made by the enemy were more extensive than was at first apparent.

"Measures to Economize.

"In order to counter-balance these measures were taken by us to economize our troops and to secure protection from the hostile artillery fire. The German heavy artillery fire was very fierce, and our men continued to improve their own entrenchments. The Germans bombarded our lines nightly all day, using heavy guns, brought no doubt, from before Maubeuge as well as those with the corps.

"All their counter-attacks, however, failed although in some places they were repeated six times. One made on the Fourth Guards Brigade was repulsed with heavy slaughter, made by a part of our line, was unsuccessful, as regards gain of ground, but led to the withdrawal of part of the enemy's infantry and artillery.

"Attack Broken Off.

"Further counter-attacks made during the night were beaten off. Rain came on towards evening and continued until 11 p.m. Besides adding to the discomfort of the soldiers holding the line, the wet weather to some extent hampered the motor transport service, which was also hindered by broken bridges.

"On Wednesday, the 16th, there was little change in the situation opposite the British. The efforts made by the enemy were less active than on the previous day, though their bombardment continued throughout the morning. Our artillery fire drove the defenders off one of the salients of their position, but they returned in the evening. Forty prisoners were taken by the third division.

"Heavy Loss to Enemy.

"On Thursday, the 17th, the situation still remained unchanged in its essentials. The German heavy artillery fire was more active than on the previous day. The only infantry attacks made by the enemy were on the extreme right of our position and as had happened

before, were repulsed with heavy loss, chiefly on this occasion, by our field artillery.

"In order to convey some idea of the nature of the fighting, it may be said that along the greater part of our front the Germans have been driven back from the forward slopes on the north of the river. Their infantry are holding strong lines of trenches amongst and along the edges of the numerous woods which crown the slopes. These trenches are elaborately constructed and cleverly concealed. In many places there are wire entanglements and lengths of rabbit fencing. The ground in front of the infantry trenches is also, as a rule, under cross-fire from the field artillery placed on the neighboring features and under high angle fire from pieces placed well back behind the woods on top of the plateau.

"Heavy Howitzers Used.

"A feature of this action, as of the previous fighting, is the use by the enemy of their numerous heavy howitzers, with which they are able to range fire all over the valley and right across it. Upon these they evidently place great reliance.

"Where our men are holding the forward edges of the high ground on the north side, they are now strongly entrenched. They are well fed, and in spite of the wet weather of the past week are cheerful and confident. The bombardment by both sides has been very heavy and on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday was practically continuous. Nevertheless, in spite of the general din caused by the reports of the immense number of heavy guns in action along our front on Wednesday, the arrival of the French force acting against the German right flank was once announced on the east of our front some miles away by the continuous roar of their quick-firing artillery, with which their attack was opened.

"Casualties.

"So far as the British are concerned, the greater part of this week has been passed in bombardment, in gaining ground by degrees and in beating back severe counter attacks which have been very serious. Our casualties have been severe, but it is probable that those of the enemy have been heavier.

"The rain has caused a great drop in the temperature, and there is more than a distinct feeling of autumn in the air, especially in the early mornings.

"On our right and left the French have been fighting with increasing vigor. On the right, the battle has been already during this battle been captured and re-captured twice by each side, and at the time writing remains in the hands of the Germans.

"Streets Filled With Dead.

"The fighting has been at close quarters and of the most desperate nature, and the streets of the village are filled with the dead of both sides.

"As an example of the spirit which is inspiring our allies, the following translation of an Ordre du Jour issued on September 9, after the battle of Montmirail, by the commander of the French Fifth Army is given:

"Soldiers: Upon the memorable fields of Montmirail, our champions of Champagne, with a century ago confirmed the victories of our ancestors over Blucher's Prussians, your vigorous offensive has triumphed over the resistance of the Germans. Held on his own by the German centre, the enemy is now retreating towards the east and north by forced marches. The most renowned army corps in old Prussia, contingents of Westphalia, of Hanover, of Brandenburg, have retired in haste before you.

"This success is no more than the prelude. The enemy is shaken but will not be decisively beaten. You have still to undergo severe hardships, to make long marches, to fight hard battles. May the image of our country, soiled by barbarians, always remain before your eyes! Never was it more necessary to sacrifice all for her.

"Saluting the heroes who have fallen in the fighting of the last few days, I thank you for the part you have taken in the next battle. Forward, soldiers, for France!

"Montmirail, Sept. 9, 1914.—General commanding the Fifth Army.

"Franchet D'Espèrey."

Germans Are Formidable.

"The Germans are a formidable enemy. They are well trained, long prepared, and brave. And their soldiers are carrying on the contest with skill and valor. Anyhow, the Germans are determined to win, and there is evidence that they do not hesitate at anything in order to gain victory.

"A large number of the tales of their misbehavior, are exaggerations, and some of the stringent precautions they have taken to guard themselves against the inhabitants of the areas traversed are possibly justifiable measures of war. But at the same time it has been definitely established that they have committed atrocities on many occasions and they have been guilty of brutal conduct.

German Treachery.

"Amongst the happenings of interest is the following: During a counter-attack by the German Fifth Army on portions of the Northampton and Queen's Regiments on Thursday, the 7th, a force of some 400 of the enemy were allowed to approach right up to the trench occupied by a platoon of the 7th, and they held owing to the fact that they had held up their hands and made gestures that were interpreted as signs that they wished to surrender. When they were actually on the parapet of the trench held by the Northampton they opened fire on our men at point blank range.

"Unluckily for the enemy, however, they were not only some 400 yards away, there happened to be a machine gun manned by a detachment of the Queen's. This at once opened fire, and a lane through their trench with the machine gun was opened. I had taken a lot of medicine of one kind and another, I could not get anything to help me until I used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

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### 28 MORE OFFICERS ADDED TO DEATH LIST

[Canadian Press.]  
LONDON, Sept. 22.—(10:50 p.m.)—The official press bureau tonight issued a casualty list which shows 28 officers killed, 46 wounded and 14 missing.

Three officers previously reported missing having reported to their commands.

The ranks, 150 wounded and 10 missing are reported.

The list contains the names of no prominent men, but shows that the Ninth Lancashire, the Northampton, the Eighteenth Hussars and the Royal Engineers have been in the thick of the fighting, for the list of men missing and wounded is made up almost entirely of members of these regiments.

The Royal Irish Rifles lost two officers killed and eight wounded. Lieut. C. G. Bayley and Second Lieut. V. W. Bayley, of the Royal Flying Corps, are unofficially reported dead.

### PETROLEA LADY GETS \$25,000 FROM UNCLE

Mrs. Harry Harmon Receives Word of Handsome Bequest.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
PETROLEA, Sept. 22.—Mrs. Harry Harmon, of Petrolea, has just received word that she has been bequeathed \$25,000. Mrs. Harmon, who formerly lived in Toronto, was the wife of the late Harry Harmon, of Ottawa, from whom the bequest comes. Mr. Borsuet was a prominent and well-known citizen of Ottawa.

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NO chiming of victory rung out in old England last night. Hundreds of her sailor sons have perished in an attack upon her battleships by that sinister creature of the deep—the submarine. The safely-harbored enemy sends out these invisible rovers, great tiger sharks that attack royal, brave ships that float fearlessly to meet the mightiest foe at fair odds. Humanity has torn itself with keen steel, has slaughtered itself with the explosive forces of its own discovery, has launched its hatreds in veritable thunderbolts. Then it welcomed this insidious invention—the mechanical sting-ray of the deep. Sailors stand ready at their guns scanning the horizon; a commander lays plans for square, stand-up fighting; ahead lie deeds for men; down below decks the stokers work, hidden heroes whose weapon is the greatest of all weapons. A silent death comes upon them. Without a fight for life they are blown to atoms. The submarine has spat its dreadful spite.

A fight for life!—that is what all men want before they die in battle. The submarine disarms its foe. It is like tying the arms of men and shooting them. Twentieth century warfare? Yes. Adopted by all the great nations? True. But who will say it is not knavish work? It will be just as painful to many British subjects to hear of German sailors being slaughtered by submarines as to read of the horror that yesterday brought home. Before this war has ended there will be horrors worse than that of those 12,000-ton cruisers. The sea will be reddened as the plains of France have been made a red morass. Many great British ships will have been destroyed. Men enough to make a great city will have perished; a clash stupendous beyond all conception will have occurred.

Submarine attacks will continue by the waiting German navy. The Zeppelin may become a factor. Gradual elimination of British ships may make the walled-in sea "fighters" bold, and this skulking warfare will come to an end. Then for "the day." German officers have boasted it. British officers now await it, grim, ready to avenge to the final breath the mine and torpedo-slain.

## THE RHEIMS OUTRAGE.

IT DOESN'T seem possible for the Germans to justify the destruction of the magnificent Rheims cathedral. It is written in the code of warfare that museums, churches, hospitals and the abodes of children, shall be exempt from bombardment unless it is absolutely impossible to avoid it in the shelling of fortifications. This does not seem to have been the case in regard to Rheims, as the cathedral stands some distance from any fortifications, and from its size was so conspicuous that it would have been an easy matter to have kept it out of the line of fire. This is not the first time Rheims has suffered from vandalism. In Caesar's time it was partially sacked by Germanic tribes.

Whatever the reason for its destruction it is an irretrievable loss to the world. It has been called the most beautiful cathedral in Europe and it was rich in historic interest, for within its walls were crowned the kings of France. For 600 years a splendid shrine of the Christian faith, it has gone down as an incident in the onslaught of one Christian nation upon another. The destruction of Rheims cathedral is a vivid illustration that war never builds or beautifies but seizes and destroys.

## MAY SUE FOR PEACE.

THE world would not be surprised if within a very few days Austria gives up the struggle and sues for peace. The defeats at the hands of Russia have been the most crushing in the records of modern campaigns, and with that there is the menace of a conflict with Italy. But even had the Russian successes been less pronounced the internal conditions of the dual monarchy are such as to prove a great handicap to a warring people. The country was close to bankruptcy before war was declared, and trade has been practically wiped out. Financially Vienna is the worst prepared of all the contestants in the present war. The two Balkan campaigns disorganized the commercial life of Austria-Hungary, and at the opening of the present war there were many thousands of unemployed. Politically too, there is a lack of unity that is a source of great weakness. For years the parliament at Buda-Pesth has been one long riot, on the one hand Czechs, Croats and Slavs and on the other the German and the Magyar. The latter two have managed to shape and control the affairs of the empire, but yearly the animosity between the

two factions has been growing more fierce. The common danger of a Russian invasion united all factions for a time, but the collapse of Francis Joseph's armies have set the various political parties to warring one on another and wild scenes of a semi-revolutionary character are reported from the various cities.

## A DIFFERENT WAR.

THE war is, as Harold Begbie and many others have declared, different in character from all previous wars. Mr. Masterman said recently, in one of his brilliant speeches, that "its effect would be something utterly different from every war of which we read in history. It would be a new element in human life, and its result might be something which would mean a new story for better or worse in the history of civilization. The results would be universal, and catastrophe with these two new factors which have never been in war before—the system of international credit on which trade lives, which has never been developed as it is today, and the industrial development of the great cities, which must cease like the closing of a door directly Christendom indulges in the madness of an appeal to arms, and result, hundreds of miles from the scene of battle, in starvation, in riot and revolution, and in the great accumulation of persons whose means of livelihood are suddenly taken from them."

In the Book of Revelation, Armageddon is the supreme war of the world, in which the Beast and his devils shall be beaten down. This blaspheming Kaiser is near enough to a copy of the hour. Many vials have been poured out already, and there falls upon men a great hail out of heaven. Robert Bridges, the poet-laureate, says: "It is manifestly a war declared between Christ and the devil. I hope that our people will see it is primarily a holy war."

All these empires that have ruled by the sword and sneered at men of shops and peace have perished by the sword. Assyria and Tyre, Alexander and Napoleon, preceded this German thing. But there was never such an organized and monstrous force as that of Germany, evil perfected into order. Nebuchadnezzar was an amateur compared with Bismarck.

The only race conflicts at all comparable to that in Europe today were those of Tartar and Slav in medieval times, of almost unnamed peoples battling into annihilation in the misty "backward and abyss" of prehistoric Asia. But those things lacked both the intensity and the extension of the colossal collision between the Teutons and the array of Latin, Slav, Saxon and Japanese.

The world will be profoundly changed by this conflict. All will suffer, as we all hang to the rope of international business. Never has humanity known the exhaustion that will succeed. We cannot measure it yet. Nothing since the ravages of the Black Death has so swiftly caused such economic and vital loss. Capital will be wiped out wholesale, national debts will topple to repudiation. Taxation, in many countries, will be a fearful grind. Unemployment and misery will be a widespread plague in Europe. Will men flee all the more to fill up happier spaces overseas? As Kipling says: "Our world has passed away." Let us hope at last that a better day may dawn "at last far off, at last at all."

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

The present war is the most senseless disaster of all time.

Its a nice little trimming John Bull is giving the German Bully.

Seven weeks of war sees the German headquarters at Metz, not Paris. In Caesar's time it was partially sacked by Germanic tribes.

No doubt when the Kaiser stated he would reach Paris in September he meant next September.

The Germans think to bring "the day" closer by submarine attacks. It will be a sorry day for Germany.

The Kaiser says his heart bled for Louvain. If it does the same for Rheims and the other occasions of German savagery, the world may be rid of him sooner than it expects.

Good-bye and God bless you. The Advertiser feels that from the hearts of all its readers goes this message to the boys at Valenciennes as their departure becomes imminent.

It is altogether unlikely that Canadian newspapers will publish articles on the departure of the troops from Valenciennes. But there will be a sensing of the leaving in many a mother's heart.

One of our most esteemed contemporaries had just called a New York gentleman "an imminent architect." Is it a cropping out of the brogue or an indication that the architect has not yet received his diploma?

With his famous bolt shot, the bolt that was forged to go through everything in a given time and failed, with his one ally in the dust and the enemy closing in on all sides, the German Emperor's reflections at this time must be of the darkest hue.

Bismarck had the deepest respect for the power of the other nations, while the Kaiser had, until this war, nothing but contempt for the power of other nations. He has been possessed with the mad-cap idea that Germany

could whip the world. This has never been true of any people, not even of Rome.

A reader sent in a remarkable editorial clipping the other day. It had been printed in 1889 and was a striking prediction of the present war. We should like to have the name of this subscriber in order that we might thank him for his kindness.

## CHARGE OF THE NINTH LANCERS.

[William Watson.]  
Melinite, lyddite, darkened heaven,  
But straight at the guns the Lancers rode  
By the light of the rage that within them glowed—  
Straight at the guns, the deadly Eleven,  
That had raked and shelled them seven times seven.  
With their halt or a needless word,  
At the cannon in ambush our horsemen spurred,  
Knights of liberty, glory's sons,  
And slew the gunners beside their guns.  
And captured the cannon, the roaring Eleven.  
That deafened the earth and darkened the heaven.  
Then their dauntless remnant came  
Out of the hurricane, out of the flame,  
Covered with smoke and dust and fame.  
Shout, you shires, with a chorus sent  
Ringing from Cathness right to Kent,  
From far Northumberland down past Devon.  
Shout for your heroes, Britain's sons,  
Who quenched in silence the thundering guns.  
That darkened like doom the golden heaven.  
The courage that lifted their hearts shall leave  
All who in England's name go forth  
From east and west, from south and north.  
Under the great Goodspeed of heaven.

## NEVER FAILS.

[Kansas City Journal.]  
Life's grim perversity appalls,  
And makes one frown.  
The darn fly paper always falls  
Sticky side down.

## UNYIELDING GROUCH.

[Washington Star.]  
"Blighins is a modest man."  
"I don't think so."  
"But he doesn't seem to think particularly well of himself."  
"That isn't modesty; that's good judgment."

## SECOND THOUGHTS.

[Winnipeg Free Press.]  
It has probably occurred several times lately to the war chiefs in Vienna that it might have been a good thing to refer the trouble with Serbia to a concert of the powers, as Sir Edward Grey suggested.

## WITHOUT ENCUMBRANCES.

[Ottawa Citizen.]  
A Scotch regiment chased a German regiment into the fish ponds near Emenoville and jumped in and fought them in the water. Now we know why Scotch soldiers don't wear pants.

## PROGRESS.

[Christian Herald.]  
The cave men fought with their knotty fists,  
And clubs that were tipped with stone;  
With heads held high, and with fear-  
less eyes,  
They guarded their rights alone.  
They lacked at beasts that were huge and fierce,  
That battled where their stores were piled,  
And they died at last, and their spirits passed.

While the War God looked — and smiled.  
Long ages passed, and the archers came,  
With bows and plant bows;  
They crouched in lines 'neath the mountain pines,  
And slew as the reaper mows;  
And all the spears of the armored knights  
Flashed bright as a shining sea;  
And people died and their spirits cried,  
While the War God laughed in glee.

They fight today, and the bullets new  
Are shaped like a needle fine;  
And cannons roar on the ocean shore,  
While blood flows red like wine.  
The airships flutter against the sky,  
To shoot at the frightened earth.  
And birdmen die in the heavy sky,  
While the War God shouts in his mirth.

—Margaret E. Sangster Jun.

## EUROPE.

[Laurana Sheldon in New York Times.]  
Where now, O Europe, is thy boast—  
Where thine asserted bold and claim  
On that which wears the noble name  
Of human progress? Now the host  
That throngs thy strongholds, coast to coast,  
Yields to the call of savagery.

Again do thy dominions see,  
That picture with war-lovest best—  
Strife, famine, horror, wasted lands;  
The blood of youth and manhood spilled;  
So hast thou turned thy mighty hands—  
The hands but lately promise-filled—  
From noble labor and once more  
To the hygienic weapons of thine old distress!

## ONE BAD TURN.

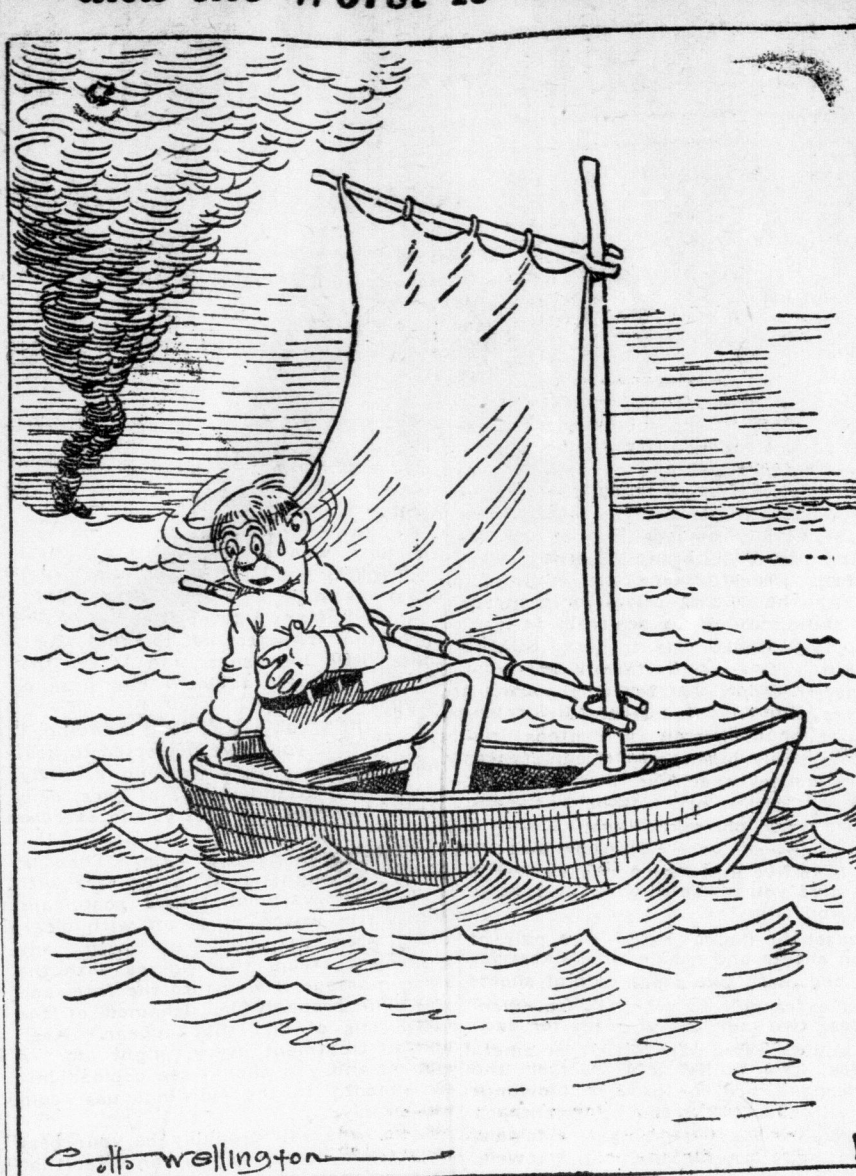
[London Sketch.]  
Brown (whose new cook is worse than the last)—It was you who recommended that new cook to my wife, wasn't it?

Jones (with diffidence)—Yes, old man. Brown (vengefully)—Then, I must ask you to come home to dinner with me tonight.

## NO MYTHOLOGICAL FIGURE.

[Washington Star.]  
"Did you say that man looked like a Greek god?" asked Miss Cayenne.  
"Yes," replied the romantic girl. "I read that phrase in a book. Doesn't it impress you that way?"  
"No, I saw him in his riding trousers trying to catch a horse."

## ---and the Worst Is Yet to Come



## PRESS COMMENT ON THE WAR

## THE TREASON OF BOURASSA.

[La Patrie.]  
Mr. Bourassa continues to pose before the public in his attitude of a traitor. In that he is faithful to the line of conduct which he has followed in his whole career, Mr. Bourassa has betrayed his political leaders; he has betrayed his friends. Now he marks his progress along the shameful path when he is engaged in betraying his country.

## ROOSEVELT AND THE KAISER.

[New York World.]  
Among other things, superlatives, Mr. Theodore Roosevelt's coy admission that he "would accept a nomination for the presidency" ranks high. This is a mere re-statement of the chronic Rooseveltian condition.

Among other things illuminating—things that may have a decided influence with the American people when

the time comes for them to choose a president for the term beginning March 4, 1917—is the condition revealed by Dr. Robert E. Moore, of this city, who returned a few days ago from Germany. Dr. Moore said:  
"The Germans look upon Col. Roosevelt as a man of the same type as their Kaiser. I have heard German say that Col. Roosevelt and the Kaiser are almost as much alike as if they were brothers."

"Many of them, on the other hand, think that President Wilson is not as sympathetic as he might be, this opinion being due perhaps to the fact that the President is of Scotch origin."  
"We think it safe to say that even Mr. Herman Ridder wants nothing resembling 'Kaiserism' in this country, and we are mighty certain that nobody else wants it here."

## Flight of the Epicures From the Cafes of Paris

[London Daily News.]

Paris, Sept. 6.—Paris is bearing up. Most of the shops and very many of the houses are closed and shuttered. The rich man has packed up his trunks, and with his hussies and his asses, the wife of his bosom and the children that are his, has slipped away either southward, whither the Government has sped, or to the more pacific watering places on the south coast of England. The siege of Paris is bound to continue, and it will not be a starvation business, like the historic one of 1870. It will be speedy and astonishing, and no doubt, at the end of the day, Paris will surrender herself—but she will do it under the mask of her great guns, Paris may surrender herself—but she will do it under the mask of her great guns, Paris may surrender herself—but she will do it under the mask of her great guns.

Meanwhile it is a dreadfully upsetting fact that you can't get a good dinner now at the Café—world-famous for its choice fare. Many Parisians famous in the world for the gods they make of their stomachs have been staying in the world so completely, so sumptuously satisfying as the Café—world-famous for its choice fare. Many Parisians famous in the world for the gods they make of their stomachs have been staying in the world so completely, so sumptuously satisfying as the Café—world-famous for its choice fare.

Today some of it was really true. The panic of the gourmands began, it spread along the Avenue de l'Opera, it clattered across the broad boulevards, and it died away in the looking hall of the gloomy station of St. Lazare, where many fat gentlemen with hand-bags were bidding good-bye to the gay city for ever, with first-class tickets for London.

We laughed at them as they waddled off. There is still some comedy left in this gigantic drama. If there were not, 'twould be unbearable. So we go back to the Café—after seeing our gloomy-voiced Fabiaffs away—and proceed to drown their sorrows and float ours in beakers of cafe au lait. "I am indeed sorry, messieurs," says the tall garçon, as he bows before us; "but there is no more milk today. Even the cows are fighting for us. If messieurs will be content with thinned milk."

The comedy carries on most engagingly, and the second act opens with Alphonse producing from under his apron a case of Monsieur Nestle, which he brandishes triumphantly with one hand. With the other he flourishes a sardine-tin opener.

"Did you say that man looked like a Greek god?" asked Miss Cayenne. "Yes," replied the romantic girl. "I read that phrase in a book. Doesn't it impress you that way?"

"No, I saw him in his riding trousers trying to catch a horse."

## "THE DAY"

[From the New York Herald.]

Henry Chappell is a railway porter in the city of Bath. He sprang suddenly into fame by his verses printed in the Daily Express. They follow:

You boasted the Day and you toasted the Day:  
And now the Day has come.  
Blasphemer, braggart and coward all,  
Little you reck of the numbing ball.  
The blasting shell of the "Great Gun's" fall.  
As they speed our humans home.

You spied for the Day, you lied for the Day,  
And woke the Day's red spleen.  
Monster who asked God's aid Divine,  
Then strewed His seas with the ghastly mine;  
Not all the waters of the Rhine  
Can wash thy foul hands clean.

You dreamed for the Day, you schemed for the Day;  
Watch how the Day will go.  
Slayer of age and youth and prime  
(Defenceless slain for never a crime),  
Thou art steeped in blood as a hog in slime.  
False friend and cowardly foe.

You have sown for the Day, you have sown for the Day;  
Yours is the harvest red.  
Can you hear the groans and the awful cries?  
Can you see the heap of slain that lies.  
And, sightless turned to the flame split skies,  
The glassy eyes of the dead?

You have wronged for the Day, you have longed for the Day;  
That lit the awful flame.  
'Tis nothing to you that hill and plain  
Yield such a heap of slain that grain;  
That widows mourn for their loved ones slain,  
And mothers curse thy name.

But after the Day there's a price to pay  
For the sleepers under the sod.  
And He you have mocked for many a day—  
Listen and hear what He has to say—  
"Vengeance is Mine, I will repay."  
What can you say to God?

## ONE ON SIR ADAM BECK.

[Forest Free Press.]  
When Sir Adam Beck was buying military horses in Petrolia last week, a typical Irish farmer with a good brogue offered a fairly acceptable horse for sale. There was a debate regarding the price. Sir Adam moved to get a back view of the horse, and his quick eye detected an argument.  
Sir Adam: "How did he get this scar on his hind foot?"  
Farmer: "For the life of me, I can't tell, Sir Adam, unless he got it foolishly kicking again reciprocity widd the rest of us."  
Sir Adam: "I'll take him."

## THE ILLUSION OF WAR.

War I abhor,  
And yet how sweet  
The sound along the marching street  
Of drum and fife, and I forget  
Wet eyes of widows, and forget  
Broken old mothers, and the whole  
Dark butchery without a soul.  
Without a soul, save this bright drink  
Of heady music, sweet as hell;  
And even my ardent desire to meet  
Go marching with the marching street  
For yonder goes the fife,  
And what care I for human life!

The tears fill my astonished eyes,  
And my full heart is like to break;  
And yet 'tis all embannered lies,  
A dream those little drummers make.

O, it is wickedness to clothe  
Yon hideous grinning thing that stalks,  
Hidden in music, like a queen  
That in a garden of glory walks,  
Till good men love the thing they loathe.

Art, thou has many infamies,  
But not an infamy like this—  
O, snap the fife, and still the drum,  
And show the monster as he is.  
—Richard Le Gallienne.

## INTERNATIONAL REGRETS.

[Harpers Weekly.]  
Greatly to my regret . . . —Francis Joseph.  
In spite of our intense desire for friendly relations . . . —Peter.  
In the midst of perfect peace, the enemy surprises us . . . Forward with God . . . —William.  
Little as we incline to do so, we are forced . . . —George.

Strong in our ardent desire of arriving at a peaceful solution . . . —Poincare.

Our menaced nation shudders and its children have bounded to the frontier . . . —Albert.

It is with profound regret that we in spite of our ardent desire for the cause of peace, are thus compelled . . . —Emperor of Japan.

## YOU KNOW THEM.

[Cincinnati Inquirer.]  
The world contains some gabby men. We wonder why they're hired; They certainly are useless when They're making others tired.

## LURID STUFF.

[Kansas City Journal.]  
"They say that truth is stranger than fiction."  
"Bosh!"  
"I don't know. This war beats any dime novel I ever read."

## WASTED OPPORTUNITIES.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]  
"Saw a very painful sight this morning," remarked the athletic boarder.  
"What was that?"  
"An old man trying to teach his beautiful young wife to read a book of instruction to her from the shore."

## ENCOURAGING.

[Washington Star.]  
"Did you catch any fish," asked the woman who is always encouraging.  
"Saw a very painful sight this morning," remarked the athletic boarder.  
"What was that?"  
"An old man trying to teach his beautiful young wife to read a book of instruction to her from the shore."

## JUSTIFIABLE.

[Houston Post.]  
"What caused you to strike him?"  
"You see, judge, it was like this: I remarked to him that the Japs were bombarding the Germans at Tsing-Tau and he replied that the Japs wouldn't do a 'Tain-Tau' em."

## DISCHARGED.

"Discharged."

## The Best Defensive Is An Ardent Attack

IN chess, in play, in war, and in business the best defensive is an ardent attack.

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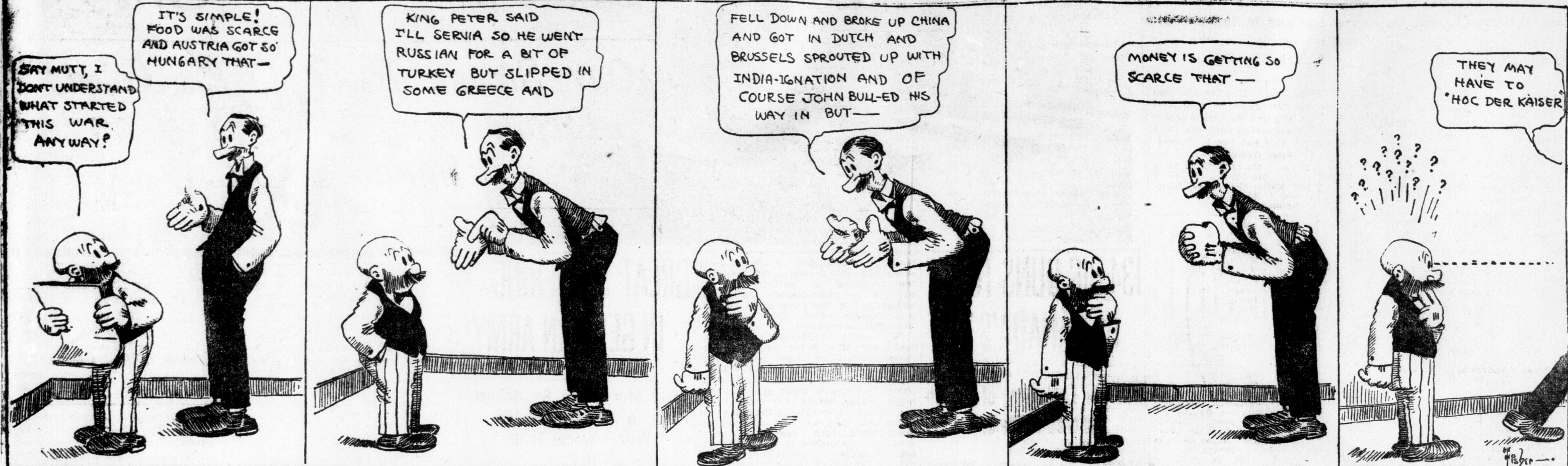




# : ABOUT ALL THE CRACKING THE BRAVES ARE DOING IS CRACKING SMILES WHENEVER NEW YORK LOSES :

They Are Also Cracking the Giants Pennant Chances, If You'll Notice.

## This Is How Mutt Explained It To Jeff :-: :-: :-: By "Bud" Fisher



**Proverbs**  
"A fee in the hand is worth two in the book."  
The little fee to the barber figures out a small farm in a few years. Shave yourself—a good "safety" and Seely's After-Shave—you will be a hundred a year.

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**Those Lucky Athletics**

If, as now seems probable, the Boston Braves win the pennant in the National League, the fact will mean about \$1,000 or \$1,500 per man to the Mackmen.  
With New York as an opponent the world's series bonus would not have netted \$2,000 per man to the winners. Absolutely no interest could be manifested in a clash between the oft-beaten Giants and the team that has outclassed them in the past.  
On the other hand, Boston is wild over the Braves, and in a new element of uncertainty and strength, will have been introduced into the world's championship series, if the Braves win.  
Boston appears to be out of its class, against Mack's men, but unless it is proven that it must get the benefit of any lingering doubt.  
The team has shown that it outclasses the Athletics by running through the entire gamut of teams and shooting to the front in two months. This means applying percentage for this period of about 700. It is doubtful if the Athletics could be figured to do much better.  
This line of dope will be used on the world's series, however fallacious, and there will be a lot of watering, at odds, that the Braves will beat the Athletics.  
Thus the Mackmen instead of \$2,000 a man, would have \$2,000 a man, would draw down about \$2,500.  
Pretty lucky, Connie!

### FAVORITES WON ALL EVENTS AT AYLMER

Major Kelly Carried Off the 2:50 Pace.  
FRANK R. WON THE TROT  
Defeated Woodpoints in Five Heats—Baronwood Won 2:13 Pace.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
AYLMER, Sept. 22.—The fall race meeting opened at Aylmer today with fine weather, a fast track and a good attendance. Favorites won all the events. The trot was a feature of the day, Frank R. winning after losing the first and third heats to Woodpoint.  
Major Kelly, a London entry, won the 2:50 pace easily.  
The results are as follows:  
2:13 Pace, Purse \$200.  
Baronwood, b.f., ST. Outburt, Port Arthur (Feather), 1 1 1  
Greatest Heart, b.m., Edmunds, 2 2 4  
Blenheim (Peter), b.m., 2 2 4  
Indian, b.g., Noble, Toronto, 3 4 3  
(Noble) b.m., Black, Fergus (Bison), 2 2 4  
Time—2:13 1/4, 2:15 1/4, 2:16 1/4.  
2:24 Trot, Purse \$300.  
Frank R., b.f., Gilbert, 1 1 1  
Woodpoint, b.h., Don, London, 1 2 1 2  
King Brino, b.h., Moulton, 3 3 2 4 3  
Sunder (Buck), b.m., 4 4 4 4 4  
Orangeville (Riddle), b.m., 4 4 4 4 4  
Time—2:24 1/4, 2:25 1/4, 2:26 1/4, 2:27 1/4, 2:28 1/4.  
2:50 Pace, Purse \$300.  
Major Kelly, b.f., by Abolition, 1 1 1  
Collier, London (Collins), 1 1 1  
Billy Brino, b.g., Crow (Fleming), 2 2 2  
Blanche, b.m., Cotes (Collier), 4 4 2  
Hal T., b.m., (Long), 2 2 4  
Billie Billigan, b.g., Martin (Moulton), 5 4  
Time—2:51 1/4, 2:52 1/4, 2:53 1/4.  
Half-Mile Run, Purse \$100.  
Sat, b.f., Victoria, 2 Lady Roseberry, 3.  
Time—34, 35 1/2.

### "RABBIT" MARANVILLE IS SOON TO BE MARRIED

Boston, Sept. 22.—The engagement of Walter E. Maranville, shortstop on the Boston Nationals, and Miss Elizabeth R. Shea, of Springfield, his home city, has been announced. The marriage will take place in the fall.  
Evidently the way the national commission tosses the coin for place of opening the world's series is: Heads we don't open in Philadelphia; tails we open in the National League town.  
Billy Sunday is to umpire the deciding series in the Western League next week. He ought to preach to the players before the game instead of afterward.  
Jack Hendricks is not rushing in where good managers fear to tread.  
A veteran of the war of 1812 died in California at the age of 118. Joe Cantillon ought to preach to the players before him that long.  
Babe Borton won't jump the Venice team. He has found someone on the can lick.

## LONDON WON A LACROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP 40 YEARS AGO; AFTER ANOTHER NOW

Local Team Will Meet Weston in Semi-Finals at Tecumseh Park on Saturday in What Should Be the Best Game Ever Seen in This City—Club Deserves Support of Local Fans.

Arrangements have been completed by the London baseball club and the London lacrosse club for the use of Tecumseh park for Saturday's lacrosse game between London and Weston. Manager Mike Collins, of the lacrosse club, stated last evening that playing in Tecumseh park will give the London team a better chance to win against the visiting aggregation, as the ground is much harder there than on the Queen's park oval, where the soil is very sandy, and consequently slower and much harder to play on. The players held a practice in the West London ball yard last week, and the difference in the two grounds was noted immediately. Besides, Tecumseh park is more level and more suitable in the matter of accommodation. With fine weather one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a lacrosse game in this city should turn out. The London team is the best that Western Ontario has turned out in recent years, and it is deserving of all the support London fans can give it. This city has been a back number in lacrosse circles for some years, but the efforts of E. H. Johnston, Mike Collins and others have been instrumental in bringing about a revival. This is the second season the London Lacrosse club has been in operation, but despite the fact that a winning aggregation has been put in the field, it has been a losing season financially. The men behind the club are in it for the sport there is in the game. They are all old lacrosse players themselves and they are digging down into their pockets to put the game on a firm footing here. A winner was needed to do this, and they went and got a winner. Now it is up to the fans to show a little appreciation. The Weston club, which plays here Saturday is one of the strongest intermediate aggregations that has been turned out in or around Toronto, and Saturday's game should be well worth seeing. The local players have been practicing every night this week in preparation, and they are out to land the silverware. Hanover, Fergus and other papers have commented favorably on the London team and these towns that have been playing the game for years are in a position to judge. Weston is bringing a number of rooters down Saturday, and a big effort will be made to win this game. If the locals can run up a three or four goal lead on the Weston team here, they are confident of holding this lead when the return game is played the following Saturday. The game here will start sharp at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

It is forty years since London won a lacrosse championship. In those days, way back in 1874, lacrosse was played a little differently from the present day manner of playing it, but it was just as strenuous and the rules have not changed much. In this year London had a particularly strong team. There were a number of good lacrosse teams in Canada in those days, and there were a few good teams in the States also. One of these was the Onondaga club, of Cleveland, which was largely made up of Canadian players. This team and the London Victorias, the name of the local team, played off for the championship, after beating all the other clubs, and a battle royal ensued. The Victorias won but the score has been forgotten. It was close at any rate. Among the players who played on the winning aggregation were H. Salter, James Hines, Thomas Hopper, John Conroy, Angus McKay, Alf. Holman, ex-Ald. James Vining, James MacGuire, M. Hunt, and Dr. Springer. Many old residents of this city will remember this team and the men who played on it.

The local rugby situation has not improved any this past week. No effort has been made to re-organize the London club and nothing has been heard as to the intentions of the University. "Cap" Stevens is still in Port Arthur, but he is expected home in a few days and, no doubt, after he arrives, things will begin to hum. In the meantime, the London team is busy at practice, and in a week or two the teams in these towns will be ready to play the district games. It is not likely the schedule for this district will open until the middle of October. It has been late in opening in the past, and the delay in getting the local clubs together will prevent an earlier opening. Last year the final game in the district was played here with Petrolia on November 8.

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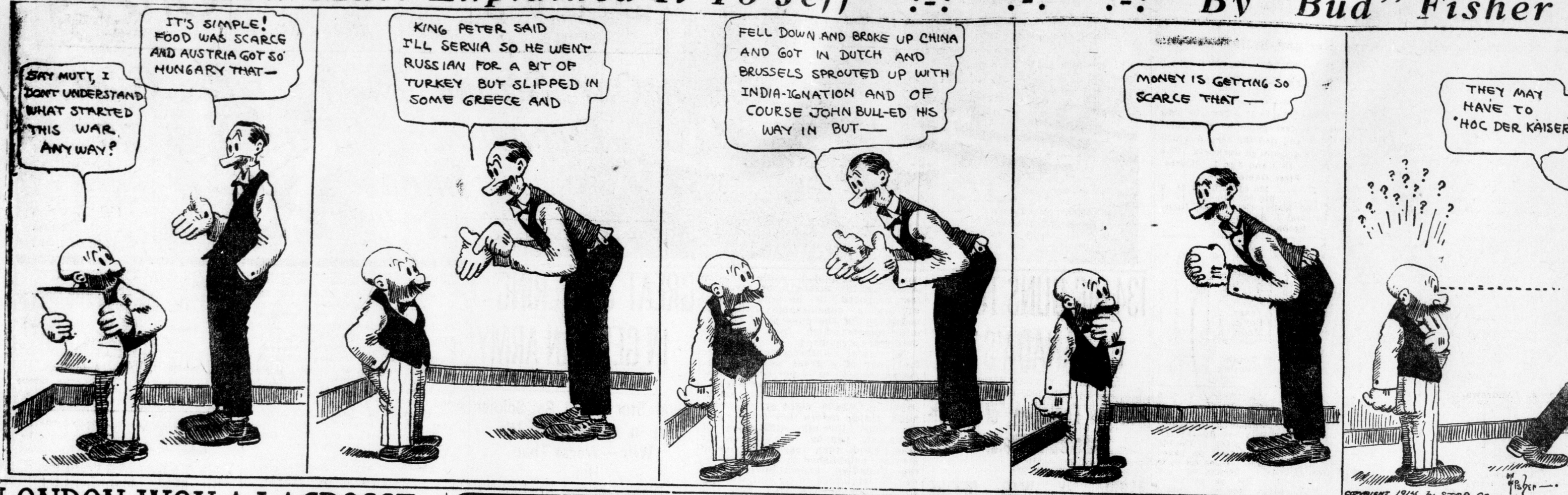


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(BY BERT PERRY.)

Arrangements have been completed by the London baseball club and the London lacrosse club for the use of Tecumseh park for Saturday's lacrosse game between London and Weston. Manager Mike Collins of the lacrosse club, stated last evening that playing in Tecumseh park will give the London team a better chance to win against the visiting aggregation, as the ground is much harder there than on the Queen's park oval, where the soil is very sandy, and the West London ball yard last week. The players held a practice in the afternoon and much harder to play on. The difference in the two grounds was noted immediately. Besides, Tecumseh park is more level and more suitable in the matter of accommodation. With fine weather one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a lacrosse game in this city should turn out. The London team is the best that Western Ontario has turned out in recent years, and it is deserving of all the support London fans can give it. This city has been a back number in lacrosse circles for some years, but the efforts of E. H. Johnston, Mike Collins and others have been instrumental in bringing about a revival. This is the second season the London Lacrosse club has been in operation, but despite the fact that a winning aggregation has been put in the field, it has been a losing season financially. The men behind the club are in it for the sport there is in the game. They are all old lacrosse players themselves and they are signing up their pockets to put the game on a firm footing. A winner was needed to do this, and they went and got a winner. Now it is up to the fans to show a little appreciation. The Weston team, which plays here Saturday is one of the strongest intermediate aggregations that has been turned out in or around Toronto, and Saturday's game should be well worth seeing. The local players have been practicing every night this week in preparation, and they are out to land the silverware. However, Ferguson and other papers have commented most favorably on the London team and these towns that have been playing the game for years are in a position to judge. The Weston is bringing a number of rooters down Saturday, and a big effort will be made to win this game. If the locals can run up a three or four goal lead on the Weston team here, they are confident of holding this when the return game is played the following Saturday. The game here will start sharp at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

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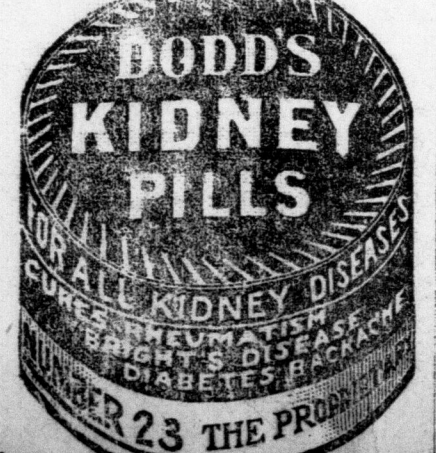
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|------------------|------|-------|
|                  | Won. | Lost. |
| Boston           | 30   | 25    |
| New York         | 26   | 29    |
| Chicago          | 24   | 31    |
| Philadelphia     | 23   | 32    |
| St. Louis        | 22   | 33    |
| Baltimore        | 21   | 34    |
| Brooklyn         | 20   | 35    |
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| Cincinnati       | 18   | 37    |

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Brooklyn 5, Cincinnati 4.  
St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 1.

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|-----------------------|------|-------|
|                       | Won. | Lost. |
| Providence            | 29   | 28    |
| Rochester             | 28   | 29    |
| Buffalo               | 27   | 30    |
| Toronto               | 26   | 31    |
| Baltimore             | 25   | 32    |
| Newark                | 24   | 33    |
| Montreal              | 23   | 34    |
| Jersey City           | 22   | 35    |

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Providence 3, Jersey City 3.  
Newark 3, Baltimore 3—Game called, darkness.  
Toronto 15-2, Montreal 6-2—Second game called, darkness.  
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|-----------------|------|-------|
|                 | Won. | Lost. |
| Indianapolis    | 29   | 28    |
| Chicago         | 28   | 29    |
| Baltimore       | 27   | 30    |
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Buffalo 4, Indianapolis 1.

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CATARRH of the BLADDER  
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[Special to The Advertiser.]  
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The results are as follows:  
2:13 Pace, Purse \$200.  
Baronwood, b.k., Woodpoint, 1.  
Port Arthur (Feather), 2.  
Greatest Heart, b.m., Edmunds, 3.  
Hendrix (Peters), 4.  
Indian, b.k., Noble, Toronto, 5.  
Noble, b.k., Noble, Toronto, 6.  
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Noble, b.k., Noble, Toronto, 10.

**"RABBIT" MARANVILLE IS SOON TO BE MARRIED**  
Boston, Sept. 22.—The engagement of Walter E. Maranville, shortstop of the Boston Braves, and Miss Elizabeth Shea, of Springfield, his home city, has been announced. The marriage will take place in the fall.

Evidently the way the national commission treats the coin for placing the world's series is: Here we don't open in Philadelphia; tails we open in the National League town.

Billy Sunday is to umpire the deciding series in the Western League next week. He ought to preach to the players before the game instead of afterward.

Jack Hendricks is not rushing where good managers fear to tread.

A veteran of the war of 1812 died in California at the age of 113. Joe Cantlon ought to fire his scouts for overlooking him that long.

Babe Borton won't jump the Venice team. He has found someone on it can lick.



FRENCH AVIATION SPEED  
CONTEST IS CALLED OFF

Aero Club of America. Notified That International Event Is Postponed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The Aero Club of America, in an announcement made public today, gives out a notice received from the Aero Club of France that the contest of 1914 for the Coupe de l'Aviation Internationale has been indefinitely postponed.

The international contest was to have been held this month in France, and was of unusual interest because of new conditions established by the International Aeronautic Federation, which will make it in the future something more than a speed event, open only to flying machines built solely for the purpose. The action of the French Club in postponing the contest was expected because of the war. Abandonment of the race follows a similar decision on the contest of balloons for the Coupe Internationale des Aeronautes, which was to have been held at Kansas City.

RASH COVERED  
CHEST AND BACK

Itching and Burning Pimples Spread. Clothing Irritated. Used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Well in Three Weeks.

High River, Alta.—"My baby was a sufferer from an itching and a burr on the chest and back. The trouble began with a fine small rash and pimples about a size of a pin's head. It spread until his whole chest and back were covered. Some of them festered and on some the top festered clear. He was fretful and cross and was always rubbing his chest and back. The trouble caused itching, burning and loss of sleep. His chest and back grew worse and worse. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. The trouble cleared up in three weeks. He was well again. He owes it to Cuticura Soap and Ointment."

(Signed) Mrs. Alice Wilson, 1114 1/2 St. For red, rough, chapped and itching hands, itching, burning, and painful finger-ends with shapless nails, a one-night Cuticura treatment works wonders. Soak hands, on retiring, in hot water and Cuticura Soap. Dry, anoint with Cuticura Ointment and wear soft bandages or old, loose gloves during the night. Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. For a liberal free sample of each, with 32-p. book, send post-card to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. D, Boston, U. S. A.

## Cut This Out

Famous Specialist's Recipe for Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises.

If you know someone who is troubled with head noises, or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand to them, and you will have been doing them a great service. The formula is a pure, gentle, saving some poor sufferers perhaps from total deafness. It is a simple, effective remedy, conclusively that catarrhal deafness, head noises, etc., were the direct cause of constipation, indigestion, and salivary, sprays, inhalers, etc., merely temporize with the complaint, and seldom, if ever, effect a permanent cure. This being so, much time and money has been spent of late by a noted specialist in perfecting a pure, gentle, effective tonic that would quickly dispel all traces of the catarrhal poison from the system. The effective prescription which has eventually formulated and which has aroused the belief that deafness will soon be extinct, is given below in understandable form, so that anyone can treat themselves in their own home at little expense.

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parment (double strength), about 75c. Wash this home, and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of moist or granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful for three days.

The first dose promptly ends the most distressing head noises, headaches, dizziness, cloudy thinking, etc., while the hearing rapidly returns as the system is invigorated by the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of sleep and nervousness in the back of the throat are other symptoms that show the presence of catarrhal poison and which are quickly overcome by this efficacious treatment. Nearly ninety per cent. of all ear troubles are directly caused by catarrh, therefore there are but few people whose hearing cannot be restored by this simple home treatment. Every person who is troubled with head noises, catarrhal deafness, or catarrh in any form, should give this prescription a trial. There is nothing better.

Important—in ordering Parment always specify that you want Double Strength; your druggist has it or he can get it for you. If you do not see the International Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine St., Montreal, P. Q., who make a specialty of H.-ad. \$2.15.

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ANNA BRADFORD SET  
NEW WORLD'S RECORD

Lowered Her Own Record for Three-Year-Old Pacers.

MARGARET DRIEVEN WON

Hoster - Columbus Stake, Worth \$10,000, Went to Cox—Etawah Won.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 22.—At the Columbus Grand Circuit races this afternoon, a time averaging better than any ever known was made by four sets of trotters and pacers. Thirteen heats were raced to an average of 2:05 1-5. The principal trotters to this exhibition were champions Anna Bradford and Etawah.

Anna Bradford lowered her own world's record of 2:04 3/4 for three-year-old pacers to 2:03 1/4, and took away from William the record of 2:05 1/4, and 2:05 for a two-year-old, three-year-old performance.

Margaret Drieven won the card's richest stake, the \$10,000 Hoster-Columbus Trotting stake, in straight heats.

Summary: Capital City Stake: 2:08 Trot; 3 in 5; 3:00 Pace.

Etawah, b. h., by Al Stan- (Geers) 6 1 1 1  
Omar, b. s., by 1 3 2 2  
Newell, b. g. (Andrews) 3 4 6 2  
Peter McCormick, b. h. (Shuler) 5 2 3 5  
Dago, b. g. (Grady) 8 2 7 4  
Oakdale, b. g. (McDonald) 4 5 6 6  
Tommy Horn, b. s. (Owens) 8 8 4 4  
Judson Girl, b. m. (Cox) 8 8 4 4  
Time—2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:04 3/4.

Horse Review Futurity: Three-Year-Olds: 2 in 3; \$5,000.

Anna Bradford, b. h., by Todd Lac (Murphy) 1 1 1 1  
Quantum, b. g. (McDonald) 2 2 2 2  
Prince Jolla, b. h. (Hedrick) 2 2 2 2  
The Whip, b. c. (McMahon) 4 4 4 4  
Time—2:03 1/4, 2:01 1/4; 2:14 Trot; 3 in 5; \$10,000.

Margaret Drieven, b. m., by Peter McCormick (Shank) 1 1 1 1  
Rhythm, b. m. (Shank) 8 2 2 2  
McCloskey, b. g. (McDonald) 2 5 3 3  
King, b. s. (Cushman) 3 3 3 3

The Guide, b. h. (Geers) 7 4 5 5  
Mirthful, b. m. (Murphy) 6 7 4 4  
Tommy Horn, b. s. (Owens) 8 8 4 4  
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Hazel Laid, b. h. (Andrews) 4 dis

2:08 Class Pace: Purse \$1,500.  
Carna, b. g., by Alleton (Shank) 1 1 1 1  
Little Alfred, b. g., by Red Elk (Ray) 1 3 7 3  
Dora, b. m. (Gardner) 5 2 2 2  
Ella Mackay, b. m. (Cox) 2 1 6 6  
Merry Direct, b. h. (Childs) 7 4 3 3  
Tillie Tifton, b. m. (Murphy) 4 4 4 4  
Time—2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4.

RAY COLLINS BEAT  
THE TIGERS TWICE

Boston Southpaw Pitched Both Games of Double Bill.

MACKMEN BEAT THE NAPS

Chicago Won Two Games From Washington, Driving Bentley From Box.

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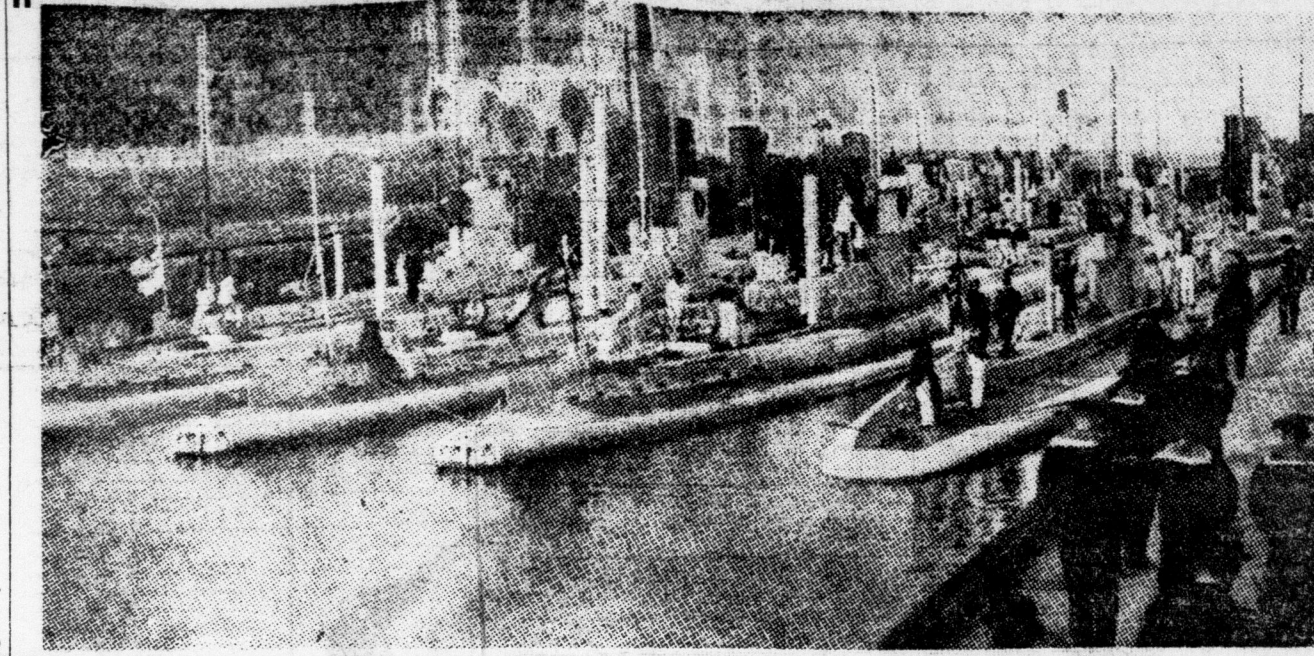
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## Types of German Submarines

This picture was taken at Wilhelmshaven, the German Naval Base on the North Sea.

134 BIG GUNS TO  
BE CANADA'S GIFT

Will Aid Equipment of British Force in Field.

ASKED BY WAR OFFICE

Announcement Made by Sir Robert Borden.

[Special to The Advertiser.] OTTAWA, Sept. 22.—In a statement issued today Sir Robert Borden announced that the Canadian Government, at the request of the British War Office, would undertake to pay for 134 heavy machine guns to add to the fighting forces.

These will consist of ninety-eight 18-pounders of most modern type, six 60-pounders, and 30 machine guns.

Men Have Improved. The following announcement was made by the Prime Minister today: "In company with Sir George Foster and Mr. Rogers, I have spent three days at Valcartier camp, where we met Col. Hughes and had the opportunity for seeing nearly 25,000 men under review. During the past fortnight the men have improved wonderfully in appearance, and I have no doubt in efficiency. The organization of the camp seems excellent in every way. Everywhere I found most intense anxiety and even impatience to get to the front as soon as possible."

All Will Go Together. "After careful consideration, it was determined yesterday to send forward the 134 heavy machine guns, which are all those who have passed the necessary medical examination. The expeditionary force, including the 134 heavy machine guns, will number approximately 31,200 and 7,600 horses. It will comprise eleven batteries of horse and field artillery, and 134 heavy machine guns of the most modern type and are as used in the British army. In addition, four heavy guns, known as the 6-inch 26-pounders, will be sent, as well as a number of machine guns, many of which have been generously donated by patriotic citizens, and to whom the very sincere thanks of the Government and the people of Canada are due."

Men Pleased With News. "The news that the entire force assembled would go forward was received with great enthusiasm and satisfaction. Yesterday I visited every brigade, shook hands with every officer of the force who was available, and addressed the assembled officers of each brigade. In speaking to the officers I said that Canada was proud to be a part of the expeditionary force, and that the Canadian people were proud to be a part of the expeditionary force. I also said that the Canadian people were proud to be a part of the expeditionary force, and that the Canadian people were proud to be a part of the expeditionary force."

Disappointment to Labor Men. Not Represented on Workmen's Compensation Board. [Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Sept. 22.—Political truce, which is still being maintained in all matters affecting the war and the defense of the country, does not make the Ontario Government secure from serious criticism for its choice of the workmen's compensation board. Praise even from Government supporters is noticeable by its absence, and censure is prevalent.

The grounds for criticism are the appointment of a representative of labor. Labor men themselves are not silent. J. Gibbons, the well-known union leader, points out that the Government, while it has appointed a representative of the manufacturers and the employers, "has ignored the request of the working people by not appointing Fred Bancroft." H. B. Withrow says: "Labor interests are responsible for this act, and yet they are not represented on the board that has to administer it." Other labor leaders refer to Mr. Wright, vice-chairman, as "a politician, nothing more or less."

Responsible Duties. The administration of the workmen's compensation act will be one of the most responsible duties of public life in Ontario, and a task that would demand the ability of the ablest and most outstanding men in the province. Not one of the three appointees could be put in this category even by their own friends. It seems almost incredible that the Government should have filled three high-salaried and important offices by the men they have chosen.

Connection with the appointment of a man who is not a labor man, it is worthy of mention that Mr. Wright, in addition to having been organizer for the Conservative party in the general elections, has also been closely connected for years with the liquor interests. He has done much organizing for them, and for example, was one of those in charge of their campaign against the reduction of licenses in Toronto in 1906.

PITTSBURG LOSES AGAIN. PITTSBURG, Sept. 22.—Pitching three Pittsburgh pitchers for seventeen hits, St. Louis today defeated the locals 10 to 4. Score: St. Louis 10, Pittsburgh 4. R.H.E. St. Louis 3 0 1 0 4 0 2 1—10 8 2. Pittsburgh 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 8 2. Batteries—Baltimore and Chapman; Camnitz, Walker, Adams and Berry.

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DON'T BE WITHOUT IT

INSTANTLY KILLED BY TOUCHING WATER TAP

Chas. Grobe, of Preston, Victim of Peculiar Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.] PRESTON, Sept. 22.—Charles Grobe was instantly killed at his home on William street this evening when the water tap at his home became charged with electricity. He went to the cellar to investigate, and received a shock which resulted in instant death. The pulmotor was brought from the hydro station, but nothing could be done. Four doctors were in attendance also. Deceased has been employed at the Pattinson Woolen Mills the past 33 years, and was a member of the local fire association. He leaves, besides a wife, two daughters and one son, all of Preston.

[Special to The Advertiser.] CHATHAM, Sept. 22.—The eighteen-year-old son of Leon Dulong, of the tenth concession Raleigh, was struck by lightning and instantly killed about 3:30 this afternoon. The young man was working in the field on his father's farm when a rain storm came up, and he sought shelter under a tree. A bolt of lightning struck the tree, and the young man received the full force of the shock. There were no serious marks on his body, but the heart again, although I am still terribly unimpaired. God grant that I may soon see you again and that this horror may soon be over."

Human Strength at End. "None of us can do any more; human strength is at an end. I will try to tell you about it. On the fifth of September the enemy was reported to be taking a position near St. Prix, southeast of Paris. The Tenth Corps, which had made an astonishingly rapid advance of course, was attacked on Sunday. Steep slopes led up to the heights, which were held in considerable force. With our weak detachments of the Sixty-Fourth and Ninety-First Regiments we reached the crest and came under a terrible artillery fire that moved us down. However, we entered St. Prix. Hardly had we done so that we were met with shell fire and a violent fusillade from the enemy's infantry."

Lost Three Colonels. "Our colonel was badly wounded—he is the third we have had. Fourteen men were killed around him. We got away in a hull, without being hit."

"The seventh, eighth and ninth of September we were constantly under shell and shrapnel fire, and suffered terrible losses. It was a house which was hit seven times. The fear of death, of agony, which is in every man's heart, and naturally so, is a terrible feeling. How often I have thought of you, my darling, and what I suffered in that terrifying battle, which extended along a front of many miles near Montmirail you cannot possibly imagine."

"Worse Than Hell." "Our heavy artillery was being used for the siege of Montmirail. I wanted it badly as the enemy had their in force, and kept up a furious bombardment. For four days, I was under artillery fire. It was like Hell, but a thousand times worse."

"On the night of the ninth, the order was given to retreat, as it would have been impossible to attempt to hold our position with our few men, and we should have risked a terrible defeat the next day. The first and third armies had not been able to unite with us, as we had been advanced too rapidly. Our morale was absolutely broken; in spite of unheard sacrifices, we had achieved nothing."

Does Not Understand It. "I cannot understand how our men, after fighting three great battles, before next month this number are wanted to step up and have their arms renewed with Putnam's Sage and Sulphur Compound—it's the best. Use only 'Putnam's' it's the best. 30c at all dealers."

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COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Keep Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Thick.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur, for darkening grey, streaked and faded hair, is grandmother's treatment, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Naturally, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" for about 30 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the grey hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Putnam's Sage and Sulphur is that it besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft, lustrous and appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

Botha Will Take Supreme Command in South Africa

[Canadian Press.] LONDON, Sept. 22.—12:43 a.m. Gen. Louis Botha, premier and minister of agriculture of the Union of South Africa, will take supreme command of the British operations against German Southwest Africa.

SKIRMISH NEAR GHENT. LONDON, Sept. 22.—A Reuter dispatch from Brussels says: "There was a lively engagement this afternoon (Tuesday), near Audenard, 15 miles southwest of Ghent, between German troops and Belgian civil guards. The Belgians captured an automobile and five prisoners, and suffered no losses. The Germans had three men killed and two wounded."

GEN. BRIDOUX KILLED IN CAVALRY ACTION PARIS, via London, Sept. 22.—11:30 p.m.—The brilliant French cavalry leader, Gen. Bridoux, was killed in action yesterday.

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## AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

### ILDERTON FAIR

Friday, Sept. 25, 1914  
Special train leaves London at 1 p.m.; returning, leaves Ilderton 7.30. A good program of sports will be run off. Everyone welcome.  
E. DOUGLAS, Secretary-Treasurer.  
R. S. DOUGLAS, President.

## THE LONDON ASYLUM SPORTS

have been postponed to Friday, 25th, 4th.

## DANCING—BEGINNERS' CLASSES

—Opening nights; Gentlemen, Tuesday, 24th; Ladies, Thursday, 26th; 8 o'clock. Start in first night. Private lessons any time. Phone. Dayton & McCormick.

## C. P. R.

New steamship Mississipi, one-class cabin, sails, Montreal to Liverpool, Oct. 22. Five steamers weekly. New York to Liverpool, via all ports.

## F. B. Clarke

416 Richmond Street—Next Bank of Commerce.

## FLOYD McPHAIL, SINGING COMEDIAN

character impersonator, 9 Gladstone street, London. Phone 467.

## MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES

balls, banquets. Phone 1265. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

## SWIMMING PLUNGE AND MINERAL BATHS

open every day (Sunday included). Dundas street west. Phone 2198. George Haylock, proprietor.

## LONDON LADY HARPERS—ENTANGLEMENTS

accepted for concert and social events. Address Miss Ella Topping, Topping's Corners. Phone 91, King 3, Byron.

## LOST AND FOUND.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

LOST—SILVER CASE, INITIALS "F. F." good reward, no questions asked. F. Hutchinson, 578 Adelaide street.

LOST—SILK SHAWL, ON CRAIG or Ridout street south. Reward. At Shaw's meat market, 142 Wortley road.

LOST—BLACK LEATHER BILLI-BLASE, containing \$40, between Hamilton road and Fair grounds. Reward for return to this office. 42c

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN to care for sick person. Apply housework. Apply 179 1/2 Dundas.

WANTED AT ONCE—GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN for light housework; family of two. Apply 13 Bellevue avenue.

GIRL WANTED, WITH EXPERIENCE on banking statement. Apply Northville Paper Box Company. 410.

THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED AND capable cook-general. Apply after 7 p.m., St. Paul's Cathedral Rectory. 41c

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL housework. References. Apply 218 Oxford street.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING OR plain needlework, at ladies' homes; good needlewoman. Box 60, Advertiser Office. 44c

MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; no washing or ironing. Apply 116 Mill street, corner of Talbot. 41c

WANTED—COOK-GENERAL, NO laundry, but references. Apply Mrs. John W. Reid, 142 Wortley road. 42c

WANTED—LADY BOOKKEEPER To take charge of books in meat market. See ad, Advertiser office. 41c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, at once; small family; no washing. Apply 81 Byron avenue. 430u

MAID WANTED—APPLY 566 WELLINGTON street. 43n

WANTED BY EXPERIENCED dressmaker, sewing to be by the day. Apply at 88 Horton street. 43c

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR small family; easy work. Apply 24 Advertiser office. 42c

COOK WANTED. APPLY AT ONCE, Hotel Harrison. 42n

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER—SMALL family, liberal wages; permanent position. References required. Mrs. Ed Squire, R. R. 3, Glenora, Ont. 42c

WOMEN TO KNOW HUNT'S DIAMOND Flour makes perfect biscuits.

## DENTAL CARDS.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

NO DISCRIMINATION IN PRICE. For the best plate material and perfect fit guaranteed. DR. FRED L. WOOD 201 Dundas street. 23v

DR. J. M. FREZELL, DENTIST—Above 390 Richmond, opposite old city hall.

## DENTIST

Open evenings, 7-8.30, by appointment only.

DR. R. D. JARVIS Corner Dundas and Clarence Streets.

## BOARD AND ROOMS.

SOLDIER'S WIFE WILL RENT room to one or two girls. Board given if desired. Terms moderate. Apply 81 Wellington street. 43n

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE CONVENTION, Nov. 4-5. State accommodation available and terms for billeting delegates. One night, with supper and breakfast. Write Industrial Commissioner, City Hall.

## HELP WANTED.

WE WILL PAY YOU \$120 TO DIS-tribute religious literature in your community. Six days work. Experience not required. Man or woman. Opportunity for promotion. Spare time may be used. International Bible Press, 182 Spadina avenue, Toronto. At Oct. 17

## BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

### MARRIED.

SIEBER—IRWIN—On September 22, 1914, at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. George Andrews, 800 Main street, London, by the Rev. Mr. McCamus, Evelyn V. Irwin to Walter E. Sieber, both of Birkdale. Musika papers please copy. b

### DIED.

HICKS—In this city, on September 23, 1914, at the residence of the deceased, Mrs. George Andrews, 800 Main street, London, by the Rev. Mr. McCamus, Evelyn V. Irwin to Walter E. Sieber, both of Birkdale. Musika papers please copy. b

MASON—At Victoria Hospital, on Tuesday, September 22, 1914, James Mason, dearly-beloved husband of Mary A. Mason, in his 90th year.

Funeral private, from his late residence, 754 Maitland street, on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

MCGUGAN—At Lobo village, on Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1914, Archie McGugan (Vancouver), this intimate friend of Mrs. Newton, in his 85th year.

Funeral private, from his late residence, 54 St. George street, on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

PRITCHARD—At his late residence, 2599 Mission avenue, Spokane, Wash., on Thursday, September 17, 1914, George Pritchard, aged 77 years.

Interred at Lake View Cemetery, Sarina, on Monday, Sept. 21.

## MEETINGS.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

PRELIMINARY MEETING OF THE Women's Christian Association, 170 Wellington, Thursday, Sept. 24, at 3 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER—Regular convocation this evening, Sept. 23, 1914, at 8 o'clock. Come, Charles Gilbert, Z. C. E. Ellwood, S. E.

Meets tonight, Oddfellows' Hall, Initiatory. Members are requested to present and assist. Visitors welcome. G. RICHMAN, N. G.

LOCAL 120, REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT. WILSON, J. TIERNEY, Secretary-Treasurer.

Chorazin Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Meets tonight, Oddfellows' Hall, Initiatory. Members are requested to present and assist. Visitors welcome. G. RICHMAN, N. G.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE RETAIL dairymen will be held Wednesday evening, in St. George's Hall, 486 1/2 Richmond street, at 8 o'clock.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

TEAMSTER WANTED. APPLY 33 York street.

BUTCHER WANTED, WITH SOME experience in shop work. Apply F. Hamlyn, 147 Hill street.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ALSO BOY to drive delivery wagon. Apply Jackson Bros., 87 Wellington. 41c

BLACKSMITH WANTED—MUST be good horse-shoer. State experience and wages expected. Apply Box 13, Advertiser. 41c

WANTED—BOY TO DRIVE DELIVERY wagon on Saturdays. Apply Cash Bargain Grocery Store, 123 King street. 42c

CYCLINDER PRESSMAN WANTED—Must be first-class, and strictly temperate. Apply Southville Paper Box Company, Limited. 43c

MESSANGER BOY WANTED—APPLY at Rapid Messenger Service, 241 Horton street. 42c

UNION MEN—TRY MERRILL BROS. for that next hair-cut or shave. Rev. McKenna's Cigar Store.

RAILROAD FIRMEN, BRAKEMEN—\$120. Experience unnecessary. Send resume, postage paid. Apply 24, York street. Sept. 23, 23v

CANVASSERS WANTED—SALARY or commission. Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street.

## NURSES.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

PRACTICAL NURSES—MATERNITY cases a specialty. 423 Pall Mall street. Phone 4204.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS—NURSE Bedworth, maternity nurse, graduate. Queen Charlotte Hospital, London, England. 251 Dundas. Phone 387.

MRS. ROBINSON—MASSAGE, SWEDISH movement, hydrotherapy treatment. Specialty, nervous cases. Phone 1425.

## DERMATOLOGY.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

MISS CLARA KILBOURNE, A. B. Kilbourne, University College of Chiropractic graduates. Office, 321 Queen's avenue. Telephone 2325.

W. E. DEMPTER, D. C. Graduate of the Ross College of Chiropractic, Spine and nerves. Let me prove to you the cause of your illness. Office hours, 10 to 12, 2 to 5, and 7 to 8, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. 4 London Lane Block, Phone 4526.

A. W. MACFIE, CHIROPRACTOR, graduate Ross College of Chiropractic, 265 Piccadilly street. Lady attendant. Phone 4110.

## MONEY TO LOAN.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN—LOWEST rates. Apply to A. B. Buehner, corner Talbot and Carling.

MONEY TO LOAN AT LOWEST rates—Thomas C. Knott, real estate broker, 280 Richmond street.

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO loan on farm and city property; low interest; no commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 38 Dundas street.

## AGENTS WANTED.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

AGENTS WANTED TO SELL the largest and best book on the Great European War, profusely illustrated with authentic photographs. Special section on Canadian Contingent. Names of officers; price, \$1.50; liberal terms to agents. Write for prospectus to World Publishing Company, Guelph, Ont.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

NICE FRAME COTTAGE—PRICE \$1,100. Must be sold at once. Apply Currie & Co., 418 Talbot street. 41u

## COTTAGES

For sale in all parts of the city. Terms. Also houses to let from \$10 to \$50 per week. Apply Box 44. 41c

E. G. FITZGERALD & CO., 185 1/2 Dundas St.—Phone 3827.

## MARKET GARDEN OR SMALL acreage

wanted, near London or St. Thomas. Call or write John A. Moody, 179 Dundas, London. b

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—GOOD farm, for house in London. Currie, 418 Talbot street.

TWO-STORY AND ATTIC RED BRICK residence, convenient to Huron College, rooms, mantels and grates. Every modern convenience, large yard and large lot; bargain for quick sale. Box 42, Advertiser. 43n

## FOR SALE

1 1/2-story red pressed brick dwelling near St. Mary's Church, East End. Modern, eight rooms; worth \$3,000; will be sold for \$2,300. Apply JAMES CONNOR, 69 Dundas St. W. Waterloo St. 43t

Wanted—Your Contract. The London Contracting Company, 40 Richmond, will furnish free plans to bonafide customers. See us. 23t

## New Residence

Brick, 7 rooms and bath, gas, hydro, plumbing, furnace, etc. Call for price; \$500 cash down, balance on easy terms. Call for view. 41c

A. A. Campbell, 428 Richmond street. Alex Stewart, valuator. 41u 1x

FOR SALE—NUMBER OF FIRST-CLASS farms, large and small; also properties in all parts of city. Fifty acres near city. Apply Currie & Co., 418 Talbot street, London.

## South London

Close in, 1 1/2-story brick, 3 bedrooms, den, complete bathroom, furnace, electric light and gas. Call for price. J. F. SANGSTER & CO., 2 Royal Bank Building. Phone 3928.

WOMEN AND PROPERTY OWNERS, attention. I have a 60-acre farm for sale or exchange for 100 or for city property near London. Have several properties for sale on easy terms. List your properties. No sale, no charge. The Insurance Sales, Phone 2365, call 755 York street. 40t

## MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

DEIT WEIR, ORGANIST CENTENNIAL Methodist Church, teaches piano and organ. 498 Adelaide street.

MISS J. STEELE, PIANO, RESUMED September 1. 61 St. George. Any examination. Phone 4965.

## London Conservatory of Music and School of Elocution, Ltd.

JUVENILE SINGING CLASSES. Ask for Year Book and Curricula. Phone 411. 14 North Wilfrid Mus. Bldg., Principal. Lettie L. Armstrong, Registrar.

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## G. B. SIPP

VOICE, SPEECH IN SONG. Also instrumental instruction. COMMENCING TUESDAY, SEPT. 1. Pupils solicited in principal churches. 372 MAITLAND. 20bc-23v

J. L. McALPINE, CONCERT PIANIST—Late of Leipzig, Germany; elementary and advanced instruction. Studio 670 Wellington. Phone 2599. 23v

JAS. CRESSWELL, MUSICAL DIRECTOR, Grand Opera House, Vienna. Band and orchestral instruments. 438 King street.

GWENDOLYN ANTHISTLE, TEACHER of reading and dramatic art. Studio, 429 Waterloo street. Concerts accepted. Phone 695.

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SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

MELROD & GRAY, REAR ADVERTISER—First-class livery and boarding. Bus parties our specialty. Phone 410.

STOVES OF ALL KINDS NICKEL-PLATED. Best Piping Works, 34 Carling street.

ROBERT MOWAT, PRACTICAL horse-shoer. Special attention given to shoeing and repairing. Also repairs of leg and foot. 333 Talbot.

JOHN R. MUNRO & SON—WAGON and carriage painting, repairing, etc. all kinds. Auto painting a specialty. 555 Richmond street. Phone 4746. 23v

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A. GATECLIFFE, Phone 4206. 123 38 Charles St.

CONTRACTOR WILL BUILD SIX-ROOMED cottage for one thousand dollars. Box 26, Advertiser.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR SECOND-HAND clothing. Julius Skind, pawnbroker, 335 Richmond street.

HECLA FURNACES, TINSMITHING, plumbing, George E. Gilmour, 392 Simcoe street. Phone 2231.

CEMENT SIDEWALKS, STEPS, ETC., built right. A. J. Clark, 66 Walnut street.

NOTICE—HEADLEY & WEIR, PROFESSIONAL horse-shoers, have opened business at 70 Maple street. All work guaranteed.

S. LEWIS & SON, 47 TALBOT street, the well-known horse-shoers. Particular attention paid to lame and interfering horses. All work guaranteed.

## CHIROPRACTIC.

BRING YOUR COMBINGS AND HAVE a switch made for 95 cents while this offer lasts. Apply at 88 Horton street. 43c

MARINELLO SYSTEM FOR FACE, scalp, chiropody. Removal of superfluous hair permanently. Miss Beatrice, corner Talbot and Fullerton. Phone 3027.

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GREENWOOD PLACE—PRIVATE Hospital. Rice & Milford, Hair, Street, London. Phone 1705.

## WANTED.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

ROOMS AND BOARD FOR MEDICAL student; send details to John Nash, Waterloo and York. 41c

WANTED—ROOMER—YOUNG lady, will have tea and breakfast; in good locality. Apply Box 44. 41c

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GROCERY store, stock, and fixtures, or country. Apply Box 43, Advertiser. 43n

WANTED—C. P. R. OR OTHER good industrial stocks, in exchange for equity in new city houses and other city property. Well rented. Box 27, Advertiser. 43t

TWO GIRLS WANT ROOMS WITH Verifier. 43 Adelaide. Box 33, Advertiser. 43t

DR. MAHAN'S COMPOSS OIL SHOULD be in every home. It quickly cures all cuts, burns, sores, scalds, chapped hands, etc. x

RAPID MESSENGER—NIGHT and day services. Day for day. Phone 2845. R. Griffin, 24 Horton street.

WANTED—DEAD HORSES AND cattle; phone 638; will go twelve miles; no animal removed without his hide. London Fertilizer Company.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO KNOW THAT Ford's Diamond Flour makes a perfect bread.

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SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

U. A. BUCHNER, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, corner Talbot and Carling. Phone 99. Money to loan.

BLACKBURN & WEEKES, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., 124 Carling street. G. N. Weekes; H. S. Blackburn.

PURDON & PURDON, ADVERTISER BUILDING, DUNDAS STREET.

W. G. R. BARRMAN, BARRISTER, Notary, etc., 59 Dundas street.

J. H. A. BEATTIE, BARRISTER, ETC., 18 1/2 Dundas street. Money to loan on real estate.

CRONIN & BETTS & COLERIDGE—Frederick J. Betts, K.C.; Thomas Coleridge.

GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS, barristers, etc., corner Richmond and Carling. Sir George Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper; George S. Gibbons.

M. P. McDONAGH, BARRISTER, ETC., 123 Richmond street. Money to loan.

GRAYDON & GRAYDON, BARRISTERS, Specialists, natural gas, 412 Talbot street, N. Park Graydon; A. H. Marshall Graydon.

J. M. McVIOY, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, Robinson Hall Chambers, money to loan.

D. H. TENNENT, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, public money to loan. 78 Dundas.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas. C. G. Jarvis; Jared Vining, B.A.

T. W. SCANDRETT, BARRISTER, solicitor, money to loan. 88 Dundas street.

McKILLIP, MURPHY & GUNN—OAK HALL BUILDING.

## MEDICAL CARDS.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE ADVERTISER.

DR. G. L. CLARKE—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat. 341 Dundas street.

DR. D. H. ARNOTT, 226 QUEEN'S avenue, in addition to regular practice, will give special treatment for cure of leucorrhea and drug habits. Sept. 22.

DR. WEEKES, 438 WATERLOO street, has resumed practice. Hours, 1 to 3 and 7 to 8.

F. L. BURDON, M.D., L.R.C.P. and D. (Edinburgh)—Diseases of women, children, 461 Waterloo. Phone 258.

DR. GEORGE E. RAMSAY, 22 HAYMAN COURT, Queen's avenue (near Wellington). Telephone 4394. 42t

DR. HOLMES, 241 RICHMOND street—Specialty, medical electricity and diseases of skin and lungs.



## Slightly Used Seven Passenger Automobile For Sale

Seven-passenger Studebaker car, in perfect condition. Special fender, electric starter, electric lights and other modern equipment; four new large-sized Dominion tires (4 1/2 x 35 inch), best quality; and five reserve tires (4 1/2 x 35 inch). Price \$1,200 for quick sale. Owner leaving London shortly for the South.

Appointment by telephone 2024, or address Box No. 16, Advertiser.

### TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

#### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

##### SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the East—1:47 a.m., 10:56 a.m., 11:06 a.m., 11:22 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 7:56 p.m., 10:45 p.m.  
Arrive from the West—12:14 a.m., 3:43 a.m., 5:40 a.m., 8:50 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m., 8:48 a.m., 5:45 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 11:23 p.m., 12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:53 p.m.  
Depart for the West—4:52 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:13 a.m., 11:27 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:20 p.m.  
Arrive—10:23 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.  
Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:05 p.m.

#### STRAITFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—4:20 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:30 p.m.  
Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.  
LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.  
Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.  
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m., 11:23 p.m.  
Trains marked \* run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

#### CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive from the East—1:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 7:46 p.m., 8:25 p.m., 11:45 a.m., 7:55 p.m., 11:30 p.m.  
Depart for the East—4:40 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 11:35 p.m., 11:55 p.m.  
Depart for the West—8:10 a.m., 11:23 p.m., 7:55 p.m., 9:35 p.m.  
Trains marked \* run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

#### MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Arrive—7:05 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 4:50 p.m., 9:40 p.m.  
Depart—7:22 a.m., 2:22 p.m., 5:27 p.m., 10:15 p.m.

#### PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Trains leave London for St. Thomas and Port Stanley at 6:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 5:30 p.m.  
Arrive London at 8:45 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 5:52 p.m.  
Connect at St. Thomas at 8:10 a.m. and 5:10 p.m. for points west to Walker, and north to Chatham, Wallaceburg and Sarnia. No Sunday service.

#### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

### Colonist Fares

(ONE-WAY SECOND CLASS)

From all stations in Ontario to certain points in

ALBERTA BRITISH COLUMBIA  
ARIZONA CALIFORNIA  
COLORADO IDAHO  
MONTANA NEVADA  
OREGON TEXAS  
UTAH WASHINGTON, etc.

On sale Sept. 24 to Oct. 8, inclusive.

Full particulars from agents, or write C. E. MORRIS, district passenger agent, Union Station, Toronto, Ont.

R. E. RUSE, city ticket and passenger agent, London, Phone 80.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC COLONIST FARES

(One-Way Second-Class)

From Stations in Ontario to Certain Points in

Alberta, British Columbia, California, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Arizona, Idaho, etc.

Sept. 24 until Oct. 8.

Particulars from Canadian Pacific Ticket Agents, or write M. G. Murphy, D. P. A., Toronto.

### CUNARD LINE

#### CANADIAN SERVICE.

From Southampton. Montreal. Sept. 23. . . . . ASCANIA . . . . . Oct. 10. Steamers call Plymouth eastbound.

Rates: Ascania—Cabin (11), eastbound, \$57.50 up; westbound, \$47.50 up. Third-class, eastbound, \$32.50; westbound, \$35.

For particulars apply to W. Fulton, 161 Dundas street, E. R. E. Clarke, Corner E. De La Haye, 422 Park avenue, or The Robert Reford Company Limited, General Agents, Montreal, Quebec, Toronto, St. John, N. B., and Portland, Me.

### TRACTION COMPANY

#### WINTER TIME EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27.

SUNDAY SERVICE: 9:00, 11:00 a.m., 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00 p.m.

WEEK-DAY SERVICE: 6:45 a.m., 7:45, 9:00, 10:30, 12:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:00, 4:15, 5:15, 6:15, 7:15, 8:15, 9:45, 11:15 p.m.

### The Hunt Plumbing Co.

PHONE 1213.

Call our number when you need a plumber.

RICHMOND AND KENT STREETS.

### FRY'S COCOA

DRINK

ed, \$9.50 to \$9.55; yorkers, \$9.50 to \$9.60; pigs, \$9.25 to \$9.35; roughs, \$8.25 to \$8.50; stags, \$8.50 to \$8.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,400; slow and unchanged.

### WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Montreal, Sept. 22.—Wheat receipts, 145,796 bushels.

### BAR SILVER.

London, Sept. 22.—Bar silver, 24 1/2 p. ounce.

### PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Sept. 22.—Wheat—Spot was steady; No. 1 Manitoba, 3s 9d; No. 2 red winter, new, 8s 7d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 2s to 3s 10s; long clear middles, light, 2s to 3s 10s, 7s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, 5s 4d; Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 7s 6d; do. old, 7s 6d.

### STANDARD STOCKS.

Toronto, Sept. 22.—Standard quotations today were:

| Stocks                                 | Ask    | Bid    |
|----------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Cobalt                                 | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Bailey                                 | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Beaver Consolidated                    | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Buffalo                                | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Chambers-Perland                       | 15     | 11     |
| Front Reserve                          | 10     | 10     |
| Gould                                  | 1 1/2  | 1 1/2  |
| Great Northern                         | 4 1/2  | 4 1/2  |
| Hargrave                               | 5      | 5      |
| Kerr Lake                              | 5.00   | 4.25   |
| La Rose                                | 85     | 77     |
| McIntyre                               | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Pearl Lake                             | 2 1/2  | 2 1/2  |
| Port Hope                              | 1 1/2  | 1 1/2  |
| Preston                                | 1 1/2  | 1 1/2  |
| Reid                                   | 1 1/2  | 1 1/2  |
| Tech Hughes                            | 7 1/2  | 7 1/2  |
| Sales, Stocks, Open, High, Low, Close. |        |        |
| 100 Dime Ex.                           | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| 100 Dime                               | 29     | 29     |
| 100 Beaver                             | 20 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| 100 Buffalo                            | 108    | 108    |
| 100 C. Res.                            | 108    | 108    |
| 100 C. Res.                            | 108    | 108    |
| 100 C. Res.                            | 108    | 108    |
| Total sales—\$110.                     |        |        |

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Market this morning was practically deserted. A few scattered loads of hay were the only offerings. They sold for \$14 to \$15.50 per ton.

Although wheat has taken a slight drop in the last few days, it is the belief of the dealers now that the price will remain very firm for some time yet. The drop in price was occasioned by the large supply being put on the market recently.

Oats also remain high, at quoted prices. Meats are firm, and keep steady at a high price. There has been very little change in prices in any lines except grain in the last week.

Grain, Per Cwt.

Wheat, per cwt., 1.52 to 1.56

New oats, per cwt., 1.47 to 1.53

Old oats, per cwt., 1.47 to 1.53

Wheat, per bu., 1.10 to 1.10

New oats, per bu., .51 to .55

Potatoes, new, bu., .55 to .55

Potatoes, per bag, .75 to .80

Beets, per doz., 15 to 15

Pickling onions, quart 10 to 10

Onions, per doz., 20 to 20

 Cucumbers, each, 1 to 1 || Carrots, each, 1 to 1 |
| Turnips, new, doz., 25 to 25 |
| Carrots, 3 bunches, 5 to 5 |
| Coriander, per doz., 8 to 10 |
| Cauliflower, each, 10 to 10 |
| Muskmelons, each, 5 to 25 |
| Pumpkins, each, 6 to 6 |
| Squash, each, 15 to 15 |
| Celery, each, 5 to 10 |
| Fruits. |  |
| Peaches, per basket, 50 to 1.00 |
| Pears, per basket, 60 to 75 |
| Apples, per doz., 30 to 30 |
| Pickling pears, bu., 50 to 40 |
| Pears, each, 1.00 to 1.00 |
| Grapes, per basket, 25 to 25 |
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| Hay, per ton, 12.00 to 15.50 |
| Straw, per load, 6.00 to 6.00 |
| Straw, per load, 8.00 to 8.00 |
| Dairy Products. |  |
| Butter, rolls, lb., 27 to 28 |
| Butter, fancy, retail, 30 to 32 |
| Butter, creamery, lb., 29 to 30 |
| Butter, crocks, lb., 27 to 28 |
| Eggs, crate, wholesale, 25 to 25 |
| Eggs, crate, retail, 25 to 25 |
| Eggs, per basket, 25 to 25 |
| Honey, strained, 10 lbs, 1.40 to 1.40 |
| Hogs, per cwt., 9.50 to 9.50 |
| Fat hogs, per cwt., 7.00 to 7.00 |
| Young chickens, lb., 10 to 11 |
| Spring chickens, lb., 1.25 to 1.25 |
| Beef, per cwt., 13.00 to 13.50 |
| Beef, per cwt., 11.00 to 13.50 |
| Spring lamb, carcass, 16 to 17 |
| Mutton, per lb., 10 to 12 |
| Yearling lambs, cwt., 13.00 to 14.00 |

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Went Down With Guns Blazing at Submarines, Which She Sank.

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Dutch Boat, After Gallant Rescue, Takes Britishers To Ymuiden.

[Canadian Press.]

Ymuiden, Holland, via London, Sept. 23.—This little seaport town is all agog with excitement over the landing here of 287 survivors from the British cruiser submarine.

The men were brought here by the Dutch steamer Flora, which happened to be in the vicinity when disaster overtook the British Red Cross ship.

The streets are crowded in the vicinity of the hotels where the survivors are staying, and around the hospital where twenty wounded are being cared for by the Dutch Red Cross.

From the outside of one of the hotels the crowds could see a number of the British sailors enjoying a generous repast from a long table. They were dressed in all manner of clothing, brought from the little store of that possessed by the Dutch sailors of the rescuing boat. The Englishmen are evidently in the best of spirits.

The crews of all three sunken warships were composed largely of naval reservists. The Aboukir was the first ship struck. She was declared a total loss. The morning she received three torpedoes of terrific force which blew out the bottom at the bow, capsizing the craft. The crew had no time to launch boats, and tried to save themselves by jumping in the water. The boat was out of sight beneath the waves within three or four minutes after the explosion.

The cruiser Hogue, which was nearby, heard the explosion and realized the danger at once, although at first those aboard her believed their sister cruiser had struck a mine. The Hogue immediately launched lifeboats and began to save the swimming survivors, but while this was going on the Hogue was torpedoed, apparently in an exact spot, and the crew was saved.

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## GERMANS' LOSSES INCLUDE GENERALS

Two Killed, Along With Other Officers—Total Death List Given Out So Far as 10,086.

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, Sept. 23.—Via London.—The casualty list published today shows the death of two German generals in the western campaign, Generals Von Wrochem and Von August. Major General Von Thoma is also given as killed. His death having occurred on August 30. Among the lightly wounded are two lieutenant-generals, Von Wrochem and Von Thoma.

The list, containing 5,385 names, gives the name and date of the battle for the first time, and indicates that the casualties published so far covered as (rest of sentence apparently deleted by the censor). The total losses so far published aggregate 10,086 dead, 39,760 wounded, and 18,621 missing.

Reservists Decimated.

Today's list shows the heaviest losses sustained by the One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Infantry in the battles of St. Die and the Meuse heights, on August 22. This regiment lost its colonel, 17 officers and 195 men dead; 21 officers and 1,092 wounded and 59 men missing.

The suggestion for using part of the bountiful apple crop of Western Ontario for the use of the poor of this city, which was made in a story in The Advertiser yesterday afternoon, has been repeated by George Martin, 451 Horton street, who sends the following letter to The Advertiser.

—I was out in the country, west of London yesterday, and I see that Providence has given us a wonderful crop of apples. There are hardly any buyers and the few there are, are paying but ten cents a bushel on the trees. There is no sale this year in the west owing to the matter in hand and it is doubtful if we could get them to England.

I think it would be a good plan to store a few thousand bags in some public building, say the armories, for the benefit of the poor of our city. I feel certain that we can get volunteers to pick them up, and the city could haul them in a week or two and be a great saving to our glorious patriotic fund that has done everybody good.

Let some businessman take this matter in hand and probably a number of the farmers would be pleased to give their fruit and save the waste of it rotting on the ground. There are many apples on the trees that those grown around London.

### OFFICER WEDS LOBO GIRL

Miss Laura E. Quinn Becomes Bride of Acting Sgt. Wm. McCullough of City Police.

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, September 23, at St. Ignace's church, when Miss Laura E. Quinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quinn, became the bride of Mr. William J. McCullough, acting sergeant of the London police.

The wedding ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. McCullough, pastor of St. Ignace's church, in the presence of about 50 guests from Detroit, Toronto, London and Teeswater.

The bride was given away by her father and looked particularly handsome in her gown of ivory duchess satin with pearl and brilliant trimmings and French knots. She wore the customary bridal veil and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The ceremony took place on the lawn beneath an arch of evergreens and white carnations, the latter being tastefully decorated with ropes of evergreens and asters.

Their only attendant was little Doris Dine, of London, a cousin of the bride, who carried a charming daisy girl and looked very pretty in white embroidery over pink. She carried a basket of pink roses. The wedding march was played by Miss Alberta McIntyre, a cousin of the bride, who played a gold brooch set with pearls.

The many and costly gifts received by the couple showed the high esteem in which they are held in the community.

After the ceremony and congratulations a dainty wedding breakfast was served in a beautifully-decorated dining-room.

The happy couple left in a motor car for London, where they took the 1:30 train on the C.P.R. for Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo. The bride wore a beautiful suit of purple with hat to match.

After their return from the honeymoon they will reside at the newly-modelled home of the groom, Woodbine Villa, on Egmont street, where they will be at home to their many friends in October.

### AUSTRIAN CRUISERS REPORTED DAMAGED

[Canadian Press.]



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S. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.

**HUSSARS HOLD PARADE**

Hussars of "B" Squadron to the number of about forty paraded at the Armory last night, and were put through of the steepest workouts held by the unit for some time.

The interest which the men are showing in the drill is keen, and favorable progress is now being made. Marching, company drill, section drill and other forms of military evolutions were carried out by the soldiers with a sharpness and precision that did both officers and men credit.

"Flag waggings" was also carried on for several hours by the signal corps, the length of the armories being used as a "range."

**IN LONDON TP. 77 YEARS**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

**HYDE PARK, Sept. 22.**—The funeral of George Routledge, held this afternoon at St. John's Cemetery, was conducted by Rev. Mr. Durnford, and was very largely attended. Deceased was 77 years old and a life-long resident of the district. He was born on concession 7 of London Township and resided there until six years ago, when he came to Hyde Park and has been living retired.

Beside his wife he leaves two daughters and one son, Mrs. Player, of Byron; Jane, at home, and Frederick, on the farm. Mr. Routledge was a life-long member of the Church of England and in politics a Conservative.

The pallbearers were nephews of the deceased: Charles Routledge, Housman Routledge, Knowlan Routledge, Charles Routledge, George A. Routledge and John Norton.

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**GEORGE PRITCHARD DEAD**

AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Had Resided For Past Three Years in Spokane—Was Formerly Well-Known Insurance Man Here.

The Spokane Spokesman-Review of Sept. 18, chronicles the death in Spokane, Wash., on Sept. 17, of George Pritchard, aged 77, formerly of London. For the past three years Mr. Pritchard had resided in Spokane at West 350 Mission avenue. He had been ill for two weeks. In the home he had been in the family burying place at Sarnia, his son, C. R. Pritchard, of Spokane, accompanying the remains to Ontario. Other surviving members of his family are his wife, two other sons, J. W. of Houston, Texas, and G. G. of London, and two daughters, Misses P. H. and Lois Pritchard, of Spokane.

Mr. Pritchard was a brother of the late ex-Aldermen Robert and John Pritchard, and was himself at one time one of the best known insurance men in this city.

**Y. M. C. A. AT VALCARTIER**

Association Headquarters Proving Boon to Soldiers.

The Y. M. C. A. headquarters at Valcartier has been an exceptionally busy place for the past few weeks. Last Sunday twelve meetings were held, at which more than eight thousand were in attendance. Rev. W. A. Cameron, pastor of Bloor Street Baptist Church, Toronto, spoke to more than five thousand in the evening at the moving picture screen. The camp fire meetings are among the most interesting features. Here may be heard men from Vancouver mingling their voices in song with men from Nova Scotia.

Last week 45 baseball games and 45 football games were played, and more than two thousand engaged in sports. There are 21 football teams and 15 baseball teams lined up in tournament. Besides this, leagues are organized in individual regiments. Thousands of letters are written daily in the tents, writing material being supplied free by the association.

Six men will go with the first contingent—H. A. Pearson, of Toronto; H. Whitman, Quebec; A. Proulx, of Stratford; Chris Graham, of Amherst, and two others to be chosen later. This work is all supported by the Y. M. C. A. National Council.

**ROSS BIBLES MISSING**

Books of Scripture Readings Lost in Collegiate Alterations.

For a time at least an important part of the opening and closing exercises at the Collegiate Institute, consisting of Bible readings, will have to be suspended in some of the classes because the teachers can't find their Ross Bibles. Some of the books containing special scriptural excerpts to cover the Bible study, as provided by the laws of the province have been lost or misplaced in the changes that are being made at the Collegiate.

**SHOT UNCLE FOR DEER.**

ST. JOHN, N.B., Sept. 22.—Mistaking his uncle, James Herbert Goggin, for a deer, Henry Lockes today shot and killed him at Millstream, King's county.

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The matter was further communicated to the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which in turn informed the Ministerial Alliance. At a meeting of that body on Monday a committee was appointed to meet with a committee from the Men's Federation, to discuss the matter, but, not for a minute with the view of accepting the offer. The W. C. T. U. was also asked to appoint a committee to confer with the men. This was done at a meeting held in the N. C. T. U. rooms, Park avenue, on Tuesday afternoon. Messdames Aspland, Thornley, Paterson and Rae being appointed. The meeting will take place at 4:30 Friday afternoon in the W. C. T. U. rooms.

**Ministers Appoint Committee.**

The ministerial committee includes Rev. Dr. Flanders (chairman), Revs. F. J. Knox, J. H. Boyd, Canon Tucker and G. F. Aspland.

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**In the Spotlight**

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We are not informed as to whether the play was made for May Robson, but after seeing her in the part at the Grand Theatre night, we are quite sure she was made for the play. If you have not been so fortunate as to have read the book, know then that Martha is a great, great, great-muscled washer-woman, with a tongue so ready, so resourceful, that it would have routed the good St. Paul, and he was some debater. Martha, having a capacious heart, as above stated, proceeds to instruct herself in the affairs, love and otherwise, of others, and her nimble tongue rescues her from many a tight situation, brought about by her too impulsive head and heart. Those who have seen Miss Robson, and she has a large following here, will realize at once that Martha is a Robson part. We can't imagine the part being more happily and convincingly portrayed by any actress. Martha becomes such a lovable character, in her rough, crude way, that we would surely have hired her by the month. To have her about would be a pure pleasure.

The dramatization follows the story very sketchily. There is little to it save Martha. In fact, this is so noticeable at times that it is almost monologic. Everything goes to Martha, comes from her, or whirled around her. To speak of May Robson's art seems unnecessary to Londoners. She's just May Robson and that covers a multitude of sins, one of which is an irritating habit of occasionally stepping out of the part and burlesquing. However, these slips are readily overlooked.

Of the cast, it must be said that it was only fair. Edwin Brandt standing out from the others with a quietly intelligent portrayal of a part that gave him a grand opportunity to rant, but of which we are thankful to say he did not take advantage. But, anyway, anybody who goes to a May Robson play goes to see May. She is "it."

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## DRYS WON'T ACCEPT OFFER OF THE WETS

**Patriotic Donation Will Not "Buy Off" Temperance Agitation, They Say.**

**SIX HOTELS REFERRED TO**

**Committees to Meet Friday to Direct Campaign Against Houses on Market.**

According to reports made to the local temperance organization, it is alleged that the proprietors of the six hotels surrounding the Market Square promised the patriotic fund collectors that they would contribute \$2,000 towards the fund if they could get a guarantee from the temperance people that no attempt would be made at the January election to interfere with or close their houses. This, it is declared, was communicated to Professor Jas. H. Bowman, as head of the temperance committee of the Men's Federation, who at once declined it as a bribe.

The matter was further communicated to the Women's Christian Temperance Union, which in turn informed the Ministerial Alliance. At a meeting of that body on Monday a committee was appointed to meet with a committee from the Men's Federation, to discuss the matter, but, not for a minute with the view of accepting the offer. The W. C. T. U. was also asked to appoint a committee to confer with the men. This was done at a meeting held in the N. C. T. U. rooms, Park avenue, on Tuesday afternoon. Messdames Aspland, Thornley, Paterson and Rae being appointed. The meeting will take place at 4:30 Friday afternoon in the W. C. T. U. rooms.

**Ministers Appoint Committee.**

The ministerial committee includes Rev. Dr. Flanders (chairman), Revs. F. J. Knox, J. H. Boyd, Canon Tucker and G. F. Aspland.

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play based on a popular novel. There was a fair-sized audience made up mainly from the fact that the signing of the play in applause for a favorite player.

**Buffalo and London Prices.**

Dramatic Editor, Advertiser.—I am glad to notice that you pointed out the fact that Raymond Hitchcock was getting \$2 in this city when only \$1.50 was charged at Buffalo. If the managers cannot give us Hitchcock at regular prices they had better keep him on the other side of the line. Personally, I paid \$1 to see him and think I was cheated. He may have been a good actor, but at present he is trying to get by with what he thinks is original style, but really is silliness. The musical comedy has put the standard of humor a good many points below what it used to be.

**THEATREGOER.**

**NORDICA'S HUSBAND TO CONTEST WILL**

Adviser Illustrations.

New York, Sept. 22.—Because the late Mme. Nordica bequeathed the bulk of her million-dollar fortune to her three sisters, and made scant allowance for her husband, the late Mr. Nordica, the New York banker, banker Young is going to contest the will which was filed August 27 in New York.

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**INDIANS ARE EAGER TO JOIN REGIMENT**

**ONEIDA, Sept. 22.**—An order has been received here by Color-Sergeant H. N. Williams, of a Company, Twenty-Sixth Regiment, to recruit up to full peace strength, and his company is almost half completed already. The boys are very eager to get out, as they have missed their usual military camp.

The company's recruiting station here is on the point of closing down for the season. The men in charge of the picking department claim that they did not do as well as the year before.

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Four of the Oneida Wisconsin Indians have arrived here, and are visiting friends. They were warmly welcomed at a picnic held last night on Noah Holmer's lawn.

**RECEIVERS FOR COAL FIRM.**

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—Receivers were appointed by common pleas court here today for Irish Bros. Coal and Ice Co., Inc., of this city.

The assets are estimated to be in excess of \$1,000,000, and the indebtedness is said to approximate \$750,000.

**Settlers' Excursion to Points on T. & N. O. Railway.**

North, September 30.

The Grand Trunk Railway will sell round trip second class tickets at reduced fares from all stations in Canada to points on Timiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, Haliburton and North, good going Wednesday, September 30, 1914. Train leaves Toronto 8:30 p.m., daily, running through to Cochrane without change. This is an excellent opportunity to visit Northern Ontario and spend a few days in that picturesque country and select a home.

Full particulars and berth reservations at city ticket office, north-west corner King and Yonge streets, or write C. E. Horning, district passenger agent, Union Station, Toronto, Ont.

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**Bad Complexions Are Now Easily Discarded**

Every woman has it in her own hands to possess a beautiful and youthful complexion. No matter how soiled, faded or coarse the cuticle, ordinary mercurized soap will actually remove it, and clear and lovely as a child's, the action of the wax is not drastic, but gentle and agreeable. Minute particles of carbonaceous matter, which are discernible, other than the gradual complexional improvement. One ounce of mercurized wax, procurable at any drug store, suffices for most cases. It is put on at bedtime like cold cream and taken off in the morning with warm water. It is a certain method of discarding freckles, liver spots, moles, patches, blackheads and pimples, which can be treated with benefit by bathing the face in a lotion prepared by dissolving one ounce powdered salicylate in