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LONDON ARTILLERY LOOK BIG PART IN VICTORY BRITAIN AWAITS TITANIC BATTLE IN THE NORTH SEA

Great Naval Battle In North Sea Expected

London In Fever of Excitement, Expecting Clash of Grand Fleets—Britain Has Made Every Preparation To Strike Fatal Blow.

INDICATIONS SAY THAT "THE DAY" IS AT HAND

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, April 23.—Via London, 5:30 p.m.—The German admiralty today gave out a statement reading as follows:
"The German high sea fleet has recently cruised repeatedly in the North Sea, advancing into English water without meeting the sea forces of Great Britain."

[Canadian Press.]
New York, April 23.—A cable to the Herald from London this morning says: "A great battle in the North Sea—the most titanic engagement in the history of naval warfare—may be a question of hours. All commercial shipping has been cleared from the old German Ocean, and all preparations are complete for a trial of strength between the British fleet and the German grand fleet, supported by the Heligoland fortress."

London last night was in a fever of excitement in anticipation of the battle. Rumor after rumor spread through the streets, restaurants and clubs, each fed by some line from the telegraph or cable that told of activities of the Empire's forces afloat.

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BELGIANS BEAT BACK GERMANS

Inflict Heavy Loss On Troops
Attacking Chateau of
Vicoque.

FRENCH TAKE TRENCHES

Enemy Used Asphyxiating
Shells On Allies North
of Ypres.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, April 23.—Via London, 3:35 p.m.—The French war office this afternoon issued the following statement:

"Yesterday evening there were fairly lively engagements in Belgium. In the bend of the Yser, to the north of Dixmude, Belgian troops repulsed an attack against the Chateau of Vicoque and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy. To the north of Ypres, the Germans, by employing large quantities of asphyxiating bombs, the effect of which was felt for a distance of two kilometers behind our lines, forced us to retire in the direction of the Yser Canal. Towards the west, and in the direction of Ypres towards the south, the enemy's attack was checked. Vigorous counter-attacks enabled us to regain ground and make many prisoners."

[Canadian Press.]
In the wooded valley near St. Mihiel, by an attack to the east and west of the positions previously captured, we took 700 meters of trenches and made about 100 prisoners, including three officers."

STEAMERS ARRIVED.
New York, April 23.—Arrived: Steamer La Touraine, from Bordeaux.

Londoners Invalided From France



Advertiser Illustration.
Peter Randall, sergeant in Mechanical Transport, and C. L. Wood, corporal in 78th Nova Scotia Highlanders. They arrived in the city today.

DIRECTED BATTERY THAT ROUTED ENEMY



Advertiser Illustration.
LIEUT.-COL. WOODMAN LEONARD, who commands 6th Field Battery in London and who is now an officer with 3rd Artillery Brigade.

RUSSIAN SQUADRON FIRES ON STRIP OF THE TURKISH COAST

Barracks and Stores Set On
Fire and Destroyed and
Many Vessels Are Sunk—
Enemy Land Forces Are
Thrown in Panic—Aviators
Effective.

[Canadian Press.]
Petrograd, April 23.—The Russian Black Sea torpedo boat squadron bombarded the Turkish coast between Archava and Artachin on April 19. This fifteen mile strip of coast, in which was located the quarters of the Turkish army operating in this region, was swept with shell and the barracks and provision stores were ignited and destroyed. A large number of Turkish coastwise vessels, laden with ammunition and supplies were sunk.

Turkish land forces were initiating a sortie under cover of their artillery at the time. They were thrown into a panic by the unexpected bombardment of the sea, and their supporting guns were immediately silenced. On April 20 all the Turkish efforts to start an offensive in this region ceased.

Only minor engagements are reported to exist on the Prussian front. Near Memel, the seaport at the northern end of the East Prussian province, a Russian mounted force clashed with a German patrol and the Germans were driven back.

The greatest activity appears among the aircraft service. A Russian airplane of the Ilya Mouronetz type, driven by four separate motors and capable of carrying the weight of sixteen men, has raided the Polish town of Mlawka, near the East Prussian frontier and Plock on the Vistula. German troops are reported to have been about the Ossowetz fortress though they are kept at a distance by the Russian guns.

One Russian aviator dropped a bomb on a German army transport near Kopezka, to the northeast of Ossowetz, and an observation point at Lopatuvatz, in the same vicinity, on which the Germans had mounted a powerful electric reflector, also was destroyed by a bomb.

A number of skirmishes are reported to have taken place at various points on the right bank of the Vistula River. The result of the fighting was not decisive.

WAR WILL STIMULATE METAL MINING HERE

Development of Mineral Beds This
Summer, Says Dr. Woolverton.

That the development of metal mines in this country will take place this summer, to place metals on the market, is the opinion of Dr. Woolverton, an authority on metallurgy and meteorology.

One of the chief metals which is likely to be sought after, is molybdenite, used extensively by the Germans in the hardening process in steel manufacturing. The metal is also used in coloring glass and in clarifying medicines, for which use Dr. Woolverton has been offered 25 cents a pound for the metal. Its greatest use would be in steel manufacturing. In this country, tungsten takes the place in the process of molybdenite as used in Germany.

There are no molybdenite mines being worked in Canada, and only a few of them in the United States.

Potash is another metal, most of which has come from Germany, and is used extensively by the Germans in the process of molybdenite as used in Germany. It is almost certain that the development of metal mines in this country will take place this summer, to place metals on the market, is the opinion of Dr. Woolverton, an authority on metallurgy and meteorology.

SEND PAPERS TO OTTAWA.
Toronto, April 23.—The Irish Press has been waiting upon Hon. Sam Hughes today and presented him with their service rolls. They were told to send all their papers to Ottawa.

LONDON BOYS ACTED WELL UNDER FIRE

Two Local Lads Invalided
Home From France Owing
To Injuries Received.

CHASED BY A SUBMARINE

Reports Brought Back of Way
Forest City Men Stand
Fire.

After an exciting trip during which the Misanab, which boat they were aboard, eluded a German submarine after she had been chased for some hours, Peter Randall, a sergeant of the Mechanical Transport, who left here on his way to Salisbury Plain, today, being invalided from France as the result of injuries received while en route to the front.

"We were a day and a half out of Liverpool," said Sergt. Randall, "when one of the watches aboard the Misanab noticed the presence of a German submarine headed toward us. The captain ordered all passengers below, and we were especially told to keep out of sight. Our boat was sent in a zig-zag course with all possible speed. Once or twice it looked as if we were going to be caught, but we outdistanced the German raider, and after some hours we learned from sailors that the submarine had evidently given up chasing us. There was some excitement on board, but none to speak of. All the passengers, however, seemed glad when we touched the port of Halifax on April 19."

Leg and Foot Injured.
Sergt. Randall was invalided home on account of injuries he received to his right leg and foot. This morning he was crushed as the result of a team running away, the wagon crushing the foot and leg. He was discharged from Shortcliffe Hospital on April 8, and when he arrived at the local Grand Trunk depot he could only walk with the aid of a stick.

Corp. Wood, while in France, and on his way to the firing line, took seriously ill from injuries he received during his stay at Salisbury Plain, and on account of not being physically fit, was invalided home.

In speaking of the military boots, Sergt. Randall said that the boots were fine for drilling around the barracks they would last no length of time at the front.

"The English shoes, despite the fact that they raise large blisters on one's feet, are made to last, and stand the wear and tear."

"We Canadians were royally treated wherever we went," stated both the soldiers.

"In London, in the hospitals in France, and in fact everywhere we went, the civilians did everything possible for us in the way of comfort and cheerfulness."

Sour Taste in Mouth.
Mentioning Salisbury Plain, the soldiers said that whenever the name of that place was mentioned, a Russian soldier who spent last winter there a sour taste in the mouth.

"All you heard and read about water on the plain was that it was so bad that a good many deaths were caused by it. English troops are now quartered there, and a number of Canadian troops are also quartered there. A large number of young farmers from all parts of Western Ontario have been coming in. There have also been a number of Americans until today. 34 young men of a fine type have enlisted."

Officers stated to The Advertiser this afternoon that more than half of the men required for the new Base Company have been secured. It is planned to have no commander for this company or special quarters.

The battalion spent the morning on Carling's Heights practicing skirmishing manoeuvres. Musketry instruction at the miniature ranges is also proceeding. The instruction in the rudiments of signalling is expected to be given shortly also.

GERMANY CLAIMS CAPTURE OF VILLAGES

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, April 23.—Via London, 5:10 p.m.—There was given out in Berlin today an official report on the progress of hostilities, reading as follows:

"In the western arena of the fighting, during the evening of yesterday we advanced from our front at Steenstraete, east of Langemark, against the positions of the enemy north and northeast of Ypres. With a rush our troops moved forward along a line extending as far as the hills south of Pilleken and east of Dugout. The German forces fled before their way, after a stubborn fight, across the Ypres Canal at Steenstraete and Hetas, where they established themselves in the village of Langemark. The villages of Langemark, Steenstraete, Hetas and Pilleken were taken. At least 1,600 French and British soldiers were taken prisoners, 30 cannons, including four heavy British guns, fell into our hands."

"Between the Meuse and the Moselle the active fighting yesterday again became more lively. The artillery battles were especially fierce at Combes, St. Mihiel and Apremont, as well as at the northern end of the canal. Infantry attacks on the part of the enemy followed only in the wooded country between Alilly and Apremont. The French penetrated this region into certain sections of our foremost trenches, but they were partly driven out again. The fighting at close quarters still continues."

LONDON ARTILLERYMEN IN GREAT ACTION THAT WON IMPORTANT BELGIAN POINTS

Sixth Battery In Training



Advertiser Illustration.
A picture taken of a section of the battery shortly before departure. The battery is using larger guns at present than those with which it trained in London.

ROOSEVELT POSES AS A MISSIONARY

Political Evangelist Trying To
Lead All To Do the
Right.

HOW HE REGARDS BARNES

"Sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr.
Hyde," With Two
Sides.

[Canadian Press.]
SYRACUSE, N.Y., April 23.—During the second day of his cross-examination in the supreme court here today Theodore Roosevelt said that he had regarded William Barnes as a "sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, who, like other politicians, had his good sides and his bad sides." The colored glasser himself a missionary in politics, trying to make them do what he considered was right. He said he did not, as suggested by William Barnes, his cross-examiner, try to sever the link between "these Siamese twins of politics." Quite on the contrary, he declared, he endeavored to have the "Dr. Jekyll" in the man absorb the "Mr. Hyde."

Still Fresh.
It was the colonel's fourth day upon the witness stand, and he seemed to be as fresh as he was on the first day. More letters, tending to show the friendly relations between himself and Barnes, were introduced into the record.

The colonel admitted that he had complied with many of the suggestions made to him by Barnes in regard to the filling of offices in the state government during the two years he was governor.

Justice Andrews, presiding at the trial of the suit for alleged libel brought by William Barnes against the colonel, is disinclined to hold court tomorrow. Continued on Page Eleven.

1,348 MEN RECRUITED FOR 33RD BATTALION

Seventy of These Transferred and 160
Discharged.

Up to noon today, 1,348 men had been recruited for the 33rd Battalion. Of these 70 were transferred to the 15th Battalion, and 160 discharged for various reasons. A large number of young farmers from all parts of Western Ontario have been coming in. There have also been a number of Americans until today. 34 young men of a fine type have enlisted.

Officers stated to The Advertiser this afternoon that more than half of the men required for the new Base Company have been secured. It is planned to have no commander for this company or special quarters.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 69; lowest, 41.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 55; lowest, 53.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND VERY MILD.
Forecast: 25—55 a.m.

Today—Generally fair and very mild. Partly fair and very mild, but some local showers of thunderstorms.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 55; lowest, 53.

TWO MEN HURT IN G. T. R. ACCIDENT

Engineer Hay and William
Munro Injured at Hyde
Park.

FLAT CARS ARE BURNED

Fog Responsible For Rear End
Collision at 6:10 o'clock
This Morning.

Way freight No. 471, G. T. R., London to Sarnia, ran into the rear end of a mixed freight, 473, London to St. Thomas, via Glencoe, at 6:10 o'clock this morning just about 100 yards west of Hyde Park station. Engineer Hay, of 498 Hamilton road, was injured when he jumped immediately preceding the smash, and William Munro, his fireman, of 555 Adelaide street, had one finger of his right hand broken when he also leaped from the cabin of the engine. There were no other injuries. The big mogul which crashed into the van of 475 was partially wrecked, and although enabled to return to London under its own steam made the journey enveloped in flames. When the engine hit, oil was scattered over the boiler other parts of it, and this ignited. As the engine went through the yards on its way to the shops for repairs flames were belching from the tunnel and through the cab window openings and the whole boiler covering was ablaze.

Two of the trucks, one carrying cement, the other oil, became afire immediately after the smash, and this led to the burning of the flat cars. The trucks cleared that several trains out of London and three into the city were kept anywhere from one and a half hours late to thirty minutes.

Freight No. 475 left the city about 5:30 o'clock this morning in charge of Conductor Dan Connolly, brakeman Frank Marshall, Engineer Bennett and Fireman Jones. Arrived at Hyde Park the freight was obliged to remain longer than expected, and in the ensuing time way freight No. 471 had left London. The rear-end brakeman of 475 went back to flag the oncoming train, but owing to the fog Engineer Hay did not see him. Although Hay applied the emergency brakes when he saw the van of the stalled freight loomed up before him, and jumped to the emergency safety himself, the momentum carried the cars along and they struck the van of the other train with some force. Luckily Conductor Connolly was out of the van at the time.

Officials Leave for Scene.
When word of the accident was sent to London Dr. F. P. Drake, G. T. R. medical man; Superintendent Davidson, Trainmaster Durkin, and other officials of the road here, immediately left for Hyde Park in a special engine. Dr. Drake, after careful examination, found that Engineer Hay's injuries consisted merely of a badly sprained left ankle, which, although causing severe pain, was not likely to prove very serious. Munro's hand was wrenched and one finger broken.

The blazing trucks soon had twisted the rails they were resting upon into all kinds of imaginable shape. The east bound track was not cleared until about 10 o'clock, and only after an auxiliary crew and wrecking apparatus had arrived from London. New rails were laid and passenger No. 4 from Port Huron, which had been held up for three hours, was enabled to proceed. The west bound track was not cleared until about 1 o'clock, and the Bruce train due in this city at 10:10, was held at Hyde Park Junction, while No. 113, London to Windsor, due out of London at 6:35 a.m., No. 109, London to Port Huron, due to leave London at 7:40 a.m., and a special engine, out of London at 8:30 a.m., passed through on the east bound track. The Bruce train arrived at 11 o'clock about one hour late.

Passengers Get Trains.
Many passengers coming from Bruce points for Port Huron, Windsor, and Sarnia, caught their trains at Hyde Park. The men had a hard fight to put out the flames on the burning trucks, and even when this had been done the hot metal kept them from getting the tracks cleared immediately. One car of cement was destroyed and one of oil, two trucks or flat cars, and the engine hauling freight 471 was badly damaged. Trainmaster Durkin reckoned the company's loss to be fully \$5,000. Superintendent Davidson said the wreck was due to the fog. No one trainman was directly responsible.

Sixth Field Battery and Others of Third and First Brigades Showed Shrapnel On German Trenches and Then the Infantry Attacked, Capturing What Are Described by General French as Large Sections of New Territory.

The following special cable dispatch, which reached The Advertiser this afternoon from London, England, shows that the 6th Field Battery of this city, in command of Lieut.-Col. Woodman Leonard, son of F. E. Leonard, took a most important part in the recent engagements in Belgium, in which the British captured valuable heights (one of the engagements being the capture of Hill 60). The guns manned by London men have been in almost constant action since the front was reached, and among their achievements was the hitting of a German observation post early in the game.

(Special Cable to The Advertiser.)
London, April 23.—Ontario's artillerymen and infantrymen from Western Canadian provinces took a prominent part in the assaults by shrapnel and cold steel which captured the new positions in Belgium for British arms, during the last few days, and brought about General French's official statement: "We have taken and will hold important crests in Belgium, and now command large sections of new territory."

WOUNDED ARRIVING.
Participation by Canadians in this costly but valuable victory for the Allies' cause is emphasized both by dispatches reaching here today and wounded arriving at Canadian hospitals.

From what can be gleaned and pieced together of various reports, it was the 1st and 3rd Canadian artillery brigades which rained the storm of shrapnel on German entrenchments with fearful accuracy and devastation, and when "cease fire" was ordered for the Canadian artillery, the 2nd Infantry Brigade, including well-known Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia units, assisted the British regiments in the assault which gained the position.

ONTARIO BRIGADE THERE.
Casualties so far are not officially announced, but it is evident that some units are not heavily hit, though others suffered severely. Canadians in London are elated at the news that the first contingent has again struck a decisive blow for the empire.

The 1st Artillery Brigade mentioned above has had headquarters at Ottawa and is commanded by Lieut.-Col. E. W. B. Morrison, former director of Canadian artillery, who gained his D. S. O. in South Africa. The 3rd Artillery Brigade is from Toronto and Western Ontario, and is commanded by Lieut.-Col. J. H. Mitchell; the 2nd Infantry Brigade also mentioned above is commanded by Brig.-Gen. Currie, of British Columbia.

HEAVY CASUALTIES DENIED

[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, April 23.—The militia department today denies any knowledge of a rumor current here this morning that the Canadian expeditionary force had recently sustained severe losses in France, and that there were in the neighborhood of 4,000 casualties.

Stories of a similarly startling nature are frequently heard in Ottawa, usually credited to a person in close touch with one of the military ministers. That the Canadians have been in some heavy fighting is indicated by the casualty lists of the River Somme and the mouth of the River Cameroen, but as far as is known, no ground for the report of wholesale losses.

APPEAL ALLOWED

Mrs. Grills Loses Suit Against City of
Ottawa and Church Trustees.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, April 23.—The appellate division has given judgment dismissing the action of Mrs. Grills against the city of Ottawa and the trustees of the regular Baptist Church. The appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Middleton was allowed with costs. The suit was for damages for injuries received when Mrs. Grills fell on the icy sidewalk outside the church property on Laurier avenue. The action against the city was dismissed because Mrs. Grills had omitted to give notice within the statutory time.

TO POSTPONE STRIKE

Montreal, April 23.—The announced strike of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees on the Intercolonial Railway, which was scheduled for today to secure the release of the shipmen from the judgment of Mr. Justice Middleton was allowed with costs. The action against the city was dismissed because Mrs. Grills had omitted to give notice within the statutory time.

FIRST CONTINGENT MAN HAS ARRIVED HOME

Sergt. George Bushy, who left London with the first contingent, arrived home today, having been incapacitated through illness. He says that he still hopes to be able to serve his country, having gone through the South African campaign. He would have been in France at present but for the fact that he contracted a serious illness at Salisbury Plain.

HURONIC IS FIRST.

Port Arthur, April 23.—The Huronic, is the first passenger steamship to arrive here this season. She docked at 8 o'clock this morning with a few passengers and a full cargo.

THE DIARY OF MARS

The assault on the Dardanelles has been renewed, although it is not apparent whether the allied forces are ready to begin the expected general attack. Four British warships entered the straits yesterday and bombarded the Turkish forts, which were subjected also to indirect fire across the peninsula from the Gulf of Saros. The result of this fighting has not been disclosed.

Bombardment of the Turkish forts at Smyrna, Asia-Minor, also is believed to have been resumed. There is nothing to indicate, however, that any move has been made toward an attack by the forces landed from the Gulf of Saros, such as is expected to accompany the next effort on a large scale to win the Dardanelles.

A long conference between the Italian foreign minister and the Aus-

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SEVEN MILLION POLES IN DIRE NEED OF FOOD

Among These Are Two Million Jews—Little Aid Is Available.

LONDON, April 22.—6:30 p.m.—Seven million Poles, of whom two million are Jews, are in dire need of food. This statement was made today by Herman Landau, a prominent Jewish philanthropist associated with various Jewish charities in London.

"Of these sufferers 5,500,000 are east of the Vistula River and 1,500,000 west of the river," Mr. Landau said. "The Jews are even poorer than the Gentiles, because of the boycott against the Jews in parts of Poland before the beginning of the war, which impoverished thousands who otherwise would have been able to provide for their families."

"Political and race prejudice against the Jews also renders their condition worse than that of the Catholics. In parts of Poland evacuated by the Germans many Jews are living on potato peels and garbage left by the army. The Catholic population has been able to flee beyond Warsaw in much larger numbers than the Jews."

"Where relief is provided for the Poles the daily allowance to each person is only an amount equivalent to four cents, which is barely enough to keep the people alive in a country where prices are high. It is difficult to obtain food at any price."

"The Russian Government has been considerate in its treatment of Jews in the portions of Poland occupied by Russian troops, but the Jews are suffering greatly from persecution in the portion of Galicia which Austria still holds, as Austria suspects all Poles of disloyalty."

"Baroness Benckendorff, wife of the Russian Ambassador at London, and Baron DeHeysing, Russian Consul-General at London, have given liberally to aid the Polish sufferers. The Poles in London are chiefly poor Jews, but they are giving freely from their small means. In one night I received 2500 in pennies from Polish Jews in London."

SHELLS NOT "SOLELY" TO SPREAD GASES

Weird Reply of Germans To Accusations By Britain—Counter-Charge.

[Canadian Press.]

LONDON, April 22.—Replying to British complaints that the Germans are using shells, the gases from which asphyxiate their antagonists, a wireless dispatch from Berlin says:

"The German troops do not fire any shells the sole purpose of which is to spread asphyxiating or poisonous gases. Such gases as develop incidentally upon the explosion of German shells are less dangerous than those emanating from ordinary British, French and Russian shells."

"Smoke-developing contrivances used by the Germans in hand-to-hand combats are in no manner contrary to the laws of warfare. On the other hand, it appears from official communications that our opponents have been using illegal poisonous gas shells for months."

GERMANS CAPTURE NORWEGIAN STEAMER AND BRITISH TRAWLER

LONDON, April 22.—2:45 a.m.—The Germans have captured and taken into Hamburg the Norwegian steamer Brilliant, which left Frederikstad, Norway, April 15, for London, says the Morning Post's Christiania correspondent. The steamer was loaded with a cargo of granite, dead planks and paper, according to Berlin evening newspapers, says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent, telegraphing Thursday, "a German submarine stopped the British steam trawler Glancourt, of Aberdeen, and took it into a German port on the North Sea."

Aberdeen, Scotland, is some 450 miles across the North Sea from the nearest point on the German coastline.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, April 22.—The following casualties among members of the Canadian expeditionary force were announced by the Militia Department this morning:

PRINCESS PATRICIAS.

Wounded—Sergeant Ernest John Bevington, April 15. Next of kin, Lieut.-Col. Bevington, No. 14 Allens road, Southsea, Eng.

Private John Archibald McLeod, April 10. Next of kin, Mrs. A. B. McLeod, Briarcrest, Sask.

Private William Young, April 16, (formerly 12th Battalion). Next of kin, Wm. S. Young, (father), Dunnville, Ont.

SEVENTH BATTALION.

Killed in action—Lance-Sergeant Arthur Sparrow, April 15. Next of kin, Mrs. S. Sparrow, No. 31 Craigdale road, Romford, Essex, Eng.

Private Harry Edward Lloyd, April 15. Next of kin, Mrs. F. J. Lloyd, Irvinghoe, Church Lane, Aldershot, Eng.

Private Zariga Nikitovitch, April 15. Next of kin, Radovan Nikitovitch, (father), Savnik, Montenegro.

Private William James Bowser, April 15. Next of kin, Frank Bowser (father), Kerrisdale, Port Grey, Vancouver, B. C.

Wounded—Pte. Ernest George Bosley, April 15. Next of kin, Mr. Bosley (mother), No. 6 City Cottage, Ditchling Common, Sussex, Eng.

Private Alfred Hodge, April 17. Next of kin, W. Hodge, care Sir John Jackson, Limited, Westminster, London, Eng.

Private Butler Cumine, April 17. Next of kin, Canon G. G. P. Cumine (father), Newtownbutler, Fermanagh, Ireland.

Private Harry Silas Ems, April 16. Next of kin, Madge H. Ems, No. 1314 Kenyon street, Washington, D. C.

Private Roy Hartley Spicer, April 17. Next of kin, R. W. Keegan (mother), East Burnaby, B.C.

Bugler Andrew Young Paris, April 15. Next of kin, E. W. Paris, 327 17th avenue, W., Calgary, Alta.

Lance-Corporal Bertram Cave, April 15. Next of kin, Mrs. Allison Cave (mother), No. 35 Riffel road, Criklewood, London, N.W., Eng.

Private Arthur Leacock, April 15. Next of kin, Mrs. S. Bullen, No. 149 Brownhill road, Catford, London, Eng.

Private John Keith, April 15. Next of kin, John Keith, No. 81 High street, Lanark, Scotland.

Private Alfred Edward Doyle, April 15. Next of kin, Mrs. K. Doyle (mother), No. 27 Ambleside Drive, Southend-on-Sea, London, Eng.

EIGHTH BATTALION.

Killed in action—Private William Curley, April 15. Next of kin, Miss Blanche Shaw (cousin), No. 16 A. Honoria street, Farnworth, Huddersfield, Eng.

Private Donald Gordon, April 15. Next of kin, C. Gordon, No. 260 Royal avenue, W., Kilbarnock, Man.

Wounded—Private George Eddy, April 17. Next of kin, Mrs. G. Eddy, No. 10 Fonthill Terrace, Aberdeen, Scotland.

TENTH BATTALION.

Wounded—Private James Deally, April 17. Next of kin, Mrs. C. Deally, No. 83 Harrison road, Edinburgh, Scotland.

FOURTEENTH BATTALION.

Wounded—Private Alfred V. Flynn, April 13. Next of kin, George Flynn, No. 19 Poplar Grove, Seaford, Liverpool, Eng.

Private C. S. Riley, April 18. Next of kin, C. H. Riley (father), No. 289 Third avenue, Valhalla, Montreal, Que.

Private William E. Evans, April 19. Next of kin, Harry Evans, Amherst, N. S.

FIFTEENTH BATTALION.

Death—Private Andrew Kirk, April 15, pneumonia. Next of kin, F. Kirk (mother), No. 35 Woodbine Beach, Toronto, Ont.

BRITISH EFFICIENTLY REPULSE GERMANS

Every Counter-Attack On Hill 60 Results In Failure.

PARIS (via London), April 22.—The following official statement was issued by the war office tonight:

"Near Langemark, to the north of Ypres, the British have repulsed two attacks. At Hill 60, near Zwieltene, German counter-attacks whose violence seems explicable by the desire to repair the defeat that has been denied by the official communications of the Imperial general staff, have definitely failed. The losses of the enemy are higher than the figures indicated yesterday."

"In the sector of Rameles there has been an artillery duel. 'In the Aronne, at Bagatelle, a German attack of no great importance, was repulsed. Near St. Mihiel, in the forest of Apremont, we carried by assault two successive lines of trenches at a place called 'The Cow's Head,' which formed in our positions a salient that seriously embarrassed us. A very large number of German dead were left on the ground; we took fifty prisoners."

"In Alsace we have continued to make progress on both banks of the Fecht. To the north we hold the confluence of the Fecht and its left bank affluent the Wurmsa; to the south we have reached Schillesloch, thus gaining ground towards the east in the direction of Metzeral."

GERMAN REPORT.
BERLIN (via London), April 22.—2:45 p.m.—German army headquarters today gave out a report on the progress of hostilities, reading as follows:

"In the western area, south of La Basse Canal, and to the northwest of Arras, we undertook several successful mining operations."

"In the Aronne and in the region between the Meuse and the Moselle, yesterday saw fierce artillery engagements. After a surprise artillery attack, French forces last night advanced in the western part of the wood of Le Prete, but they were repulsed with heavy losses."

"On the northern border of Hartmanns-Werkelhof we destroyed a point of support of the enemy, and in the evening we drove back a French attack."

RUSSIAN BAYONETS REPULSE AUSTRIANS

Enemy Attacks on Bukovina Front End In Heavy Losses.

[Canadian Press.]

PETROGRAD, April 22 (via London).—7:40 p.m.—The Russian War Department today issued the following statement:

"In the Carpathians, during the day of April 20 and the night of April 21, the Austrians attempted to make attacks on our positions on Teleotch."

"In the Bukovina front, the enemy's offensive was repulsed by our counter-attacks at the point of the bayonet. The enemy, after suffering heavy losses, fell back on his positions."

"In the other sectors of our front there has been nothing in general except the customary rifle and artillery firing at various places."

AUSTRIAN STATEMENT.

VIENNA (via London), April 22.—10:10 p.m.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"In Russian Poland and western Galicia, isolated artillery engagements are reported."

"On the Carpathian front, fresh attacks against our positions on both sides of the Uzok Pass were repulsed. In these violent attacks, which were stopped partly by our artillery and partly by counter-attacks by our infantry, the enemy suffered heavy losses before our positions at the top of the pass, which was attacked several times. Four hundred Russian dead were left, while 1,200 Russians were captured."

"On the other sectors of the Carpathian front and in southeast Galicia and Bukovina, only local artillery engagements and skirmishes are reported."

GUELPH ANXIOUS TO RETAIN 34TH

Will Fight To Keep Third Contingent Men There—German Recruits Fined.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

GUELPH, April 22.—There has been considerable street talk lately of the possibility of the 34th Battalion leaving Guelph, as the winter fair buildings was not a suitable place for the men with the warm weather coming on. The idea was that the men should either go to Niagara, or Carling's Heights, London, where they would be under canvas.

Lieut.-Col. Smith, of London headquarters, and Major Butcher, of the general headquarters staff, Toronto, were here today looking over the situation. Previous to their visit, Col. Oliver and Major Mahoney had spent some time looking over various sites on the outskirts of the city. The place most favored is at the northwest boundary of the city, near Wellington Place. Here the battalion has been drilling for some days, as they have plenty of room for manoeuvres. The land available there is about 90 acres, and the officers here today will report to Col. Shannon on their findings. A final decision is expected in a day or so.

Guelph is anxious to retain the 34th here, and the finance committee of the city council passed a resolution to that effect at its last meeting.

Two privates who enlisted in Berlin were discharged from the ranks today. They were of German extraction, and it is understood that their views were of such a nature that they were objectionable to the officers and men in the ranks. Their uniforms were taken from them, and they were advised to make themselves scarce.

WELL-KNOWN SURGEON DIES IN CLINTON

Dr. George Jerald Potts Was British and American War Veteran.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CLINTON, April 22.—The death occurred today of George Jerald Potts, M.D., M.R.C.S., formerly of Toronto and Belleville, in his 80th year.

Dr. Potts was for some time editor of the Leader, the organ of the Conservative party in Ontario in the days of Sandfield Macdonald ministry. A young man he saw considerable active service, acting as a surgeon in the Anglo-French expedition against China, when the Taku forts were taken, and as surgeon-major of the Federal troops in the American civil war.

He is survived by three sons and two daughters: MacDonald T. Potts, secretary of the Journal, Portland, Ore.; Murray C. Potts, of Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Charles Clarke, of Victoria, B.C.; Miss Jessie Potts and Rev. Jerald Potts, of St. Paul's rectory, Clinton, where his death occurred.

Funeral services will be conducted at St. Paul's Church, Clinton, on Sunday, at 4 p.m.; interment at St. James Cemetery, Toronto, the following day.

Saturday In London, Tomorrow At SMALLMAN & INGRAM'S

Many get a half-holiday Saturday—both men and women—a good opportunity to take advantage of the great sales prepared each week for the week-end outfitting. Men will find it profitable to take advantage of the \$13.95 Suit Sale, which begins tomorrow (see samples in window), and mothers will find

Snappy Style Outing Coats and Skirts---Out Tomorrow



Just the snappy, free-and-easy, practical coats that are the exactly correct thing for summer outdoor wear this year. And the prices tomorrow (as below) surely call for your prompt attention.

SNAPPY NEW COATS

Miss' Coat in fawn covert, pleated back and front from yoke, wide belt; sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. Price...\$11.75
Lady's Coat of Donegal tweed, coat collar, set-in sleeve with cuff, patch pockets, sleeves lined. Price...\$12.50
Lady's Coat of black serge, half lined; collar, cuffs and belt finished with braid binding. Price...\$15.00
Lady's Coat of polo cloth, collar of embroidered silk, edges of coat, pockets and cuffs braid bound; colors, tan, grey and white. Price...\$8.95

SMART STYLES IN SKIRTS

New models shown in taffetas, messaline, covert, moires, silk poplins and serges; colors, black, navy, sand and grey. Prices from...\$6.50 to \$15.00
Showing shirring, pleatings and circular, with yoke.
New model, accordion pleated, with deep-shirred yoke, shown in taffeta silk. Price...\$10.00
Smart style in messaline, full skirt, shirred at waist and hips. Price \$10.00
Skirt of taffeta silk, full skirt, shirred over hips, pointed yoke in front. Price...\$10.00
Skirt of grey worsted for large hands, panel back with two side pleats, front closing under panel; band sizes 30 to 34 inches. Price...\$6.50

SECOND FLOOR.

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Special Saturday--\$1.00 Outfit for 59c 60 Only, Floor Shine Cedar Oil Mop and Polish

Will make your daily dusting and cleaning a pleasure. Mop is pointed to get in corners. Saturday special \$1 outfit—medium-size mop and bottle of polish, for .59c BASEMENT.



Sale of Boys' and Men's Suits Saturday, \$4.95 and \$13.95



The announcement of such prices as are on view today, and all who get a glimpse of these fine suits will be eager to get here first Saturday morning in order to get their size in the material they most fancy. Sale at 8:30.

100 Men's Suits Saturday \$13.95

These are not samples, nor leftovers, but a collection taken from this season's stocks, new models in the new two and three button single-breasted styles, showing young men's models in the broad lapel, close-fitting, soft-roll front, and every new feature in tailoring. 100 suits, including greys and browns, mixed patterns, also a few blues; no need to pay more. Suits up to \$22, Saturday...\$13.95

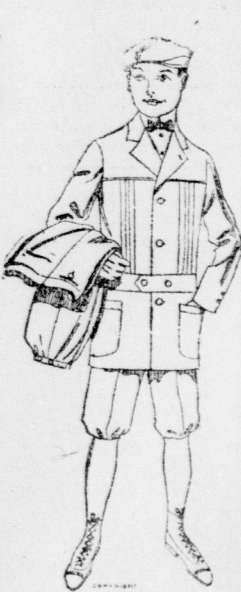
Boys' Cotton Jerseys, 25c

Cotton Jerseys, in all the assorted colors and color combinations, long or short sleeves; sizes 22 to 32; best quality; fast-washing colors; all sizes...25c each

FORTY BOYS' SUITS : : : \$4.95

Mothers, do not pay \$10 for your boy's suit before seeing these on Saturday morning. The styles are smart, newly-cut models, in a variety of shades of brown, grey and fawn, with full bloomer knickers; also a few navy blue straight knickers. There will be some advantage in bringing the boys early Saturday, as some \$10 models are in this lot; sizes for ages 8 to 14 years. Your choice of forty suits Saturday at...\$4.95

BOYS' BLOOMERS.—Ask to see the Boys' School Bloomer Knickers, sizes 6 to 16 years. Clearing at 98c pair



BOYS' BLOUSES, 50c

A splendid variety, with collars attached, in neat striped designs, good-fitting and well-made blouses, for ages 14 years...50c each

BOYS' SHIRTS, 75c

The popular coat style, in blue, mauve and black stripes, with soft collar to match and soft rolled cuffs; sizes 12½ to 14. Price...75c

CORTESE ORCHESTRA, Saturday Afternoon, Balcony 3:30, Restaurant 4:30. Fresh Strawberries and Ice Cream, 15c.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

STOLE MONEY TO ENLIST ROBBERS CONTINUE TO AFFLICT WINGHAM

BERLIN, April 22.—Givini as his excuse that he wanted the money to go to London to join the Mounted Rifles, Howard Swartz pleaded guilty today to the theft of \$80 from his father's trousers pocket. He was committed for trial.

Mrs. Myrtle Cudney, of Galt, confessed to the theft of women's clothes from three Elmira girls to the value of about \$100, and pleaded guilty before Judge Henning today. She was sentenced to nine months in Mercer Reformatory.

Hardware Store Scene of Latest, and Some Loot Recovered.

Wingham, April 22.—One more robbery has been brought to light, the victim being Mr. Ross, who conducts a hardware store on Josephine street. The police on investigation found in a nearby alleyway some razors, car-triggers and files, which had been taken, and some cans of syrup which

evidently had been taken from some of the other stores recently broken into.

The Citizens' Band here has now a new bandmaster, W. T. Willis, of Gananoque, who at different times played in Ringling Bros' circus and other travelling troupes. He succeeds Bandmaster Hinkley, who went to the Northwest last fall.

Auto agents are having a harvest here this spring, recent buyers locally being: Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Dr. Mann, being: Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Dr. Mann, vice-president, R. E. Scott, secretary, J. Harris and T. R. Holmes, of Ripley; W. J. F. Ross, managing

foreman, Dr. A. W. Hamby, Dr. R. C. Redmond and W. McKibbin, Wingham; S. Bell and L. Ferguson, Teeswater; E. A. Sparling, E. Hunter, E. Fisher, and Dr. Bruce, Kincardine; J. Gibbons, of Lucknow; W. Renwick and R. Ashton, Gorrie; Dr. McLeod, Wroster; J. Patterson, Tiverton.

FOREST BOWLING CLUB.

The Forest Bowling Club has been organized for the season with the following officers—President, Tom Maylor; vice-president, R. E. Scott; secretary, J. Harris and T. R. Holmes; treasurer, W. J. F. Ross; managing

committee, Rev. D. J. Cornish, C. W. Stuart, W. Benjamin, Geo. W. Beatty.
200 AT PAISLEY "AT HOME".
PAISLEY, April 22.—Ahlram Lodge held a very enjoyable "At Home" in its lodge rooms last evening. There were over two hundred present. The excellent program was rendered by the following: Solos by the Misses Annette Johnson and May Warren; duet by Messrs. I. McKenzie and S. R. Putnam; a humorous reading by Dr. Black. Light refreshments were served.

\$102,000.00 SHOE STOCK

NO MIDDLEMEN'S PROFITS

JOHNSTON & MURRAY

TWO STORES—LONDON AND ST. THOMAS.

(REG. JOHNSTON)

198 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON.

EASTERN BUYING OFFICE—MONTREAL.

(KEN. MURRAY)

JUNE PUMPS ARRIVE

Canadian and American Models.

Johnston & Murray footwear proclaims its wearer a woman of taste and refinement.

Widths A to E
Expert fitting.

There's no mistaking the style and elegance of the new June Pumps which arrived yesterday. The variety of models will meet every requirement and fancy of the well-dressed woman.

"Trooper" Pumps Are Good Style

Combinations of black and white, black and fawn, black and grey. Bronze and Grey Pumps are all the rage, too. We are showing them in our latest shipment. Prices for the new styles range all the way up to \$7.00.

COLLEGE PUMPS (With Ankle Strap.)

The illustration to the left shows the College Pump with ankle strap.

Women's, Dull and Patents, widths A to E. Prices.....\$1.45 to \$7.00
Misses', C to E widths. Prices.....98c to \$3.00
Child's, C to E widths. Prices.....75c to \$2.00

Roman Sandals

Same as illustrated. High and low heels.

Women's Roman Sandals.....\$3.00 to \$6.00
Misses' Roman Sandals.....\$1.50 to \$3.00
Children's Roman Sandals.....50c to \$2.00Special
Just Arrived

Spring Styles in Sorosis, Hanan (men's) and Bell Shoes.

HANAN SHOES for MEN

Widths A to E. The name Hanan, stamped on men's shoes, means standard of merit.

Sale Continues With Unabating Interest

Are you getting a share of the bargains? We haven't offered such bargains since our Fire Sale in 1913. Is it any wonder that crowds are attending this Spring Shoe Sale? It's the Goods you want at remarkable saving prices. Again Saturday, and continuing next week, fresh lots will be added to make good choosing for everybody.

NO TWO PAIRS ALIKE
High Shoes & Pumps 95c

By long odds the most remarkable shoe bargain ever offered in London.

704 Pairs Women's High Boots, just as good, if not better, than those on sale last week. Choice....95c

801 Pairs Women's PUMPS to go in the final rush at, per pair.....95c

2,407 Pairs Women's Tan and Black Oxfords to go at, per pair.....95c

CHILDREN'S PUMPS

Come and see them for yourself. Such bargains are worth coming for.

We just quote the sale prices:

69c, 89c, 98c

CHILDREN'S SHOES, tan and black, at.....49c, 69c, 98c
\$3.50 and \$4.50 Shoes at.....\$1.95

WOMEN'S HIGH SHOES.

This is an important bargain, but we'll not take space to describe it. The only way is to come and get a pair. There's a pair for every one.

ANOTHER BARGAIN FOR WOMEN.

These High Shoes for women are worth up to \$4.00 and \$5.00.

SALE PRICE. \$1.45

Colored
Top Boots \$2.69

Women's Cloth Top Shoes, all black, black with grey, black with brown. Fashionable cloth toppings, which every woman wants for smart street wear. Button or lace effects.

Since this sale started this bargain has been the greatest attraction of the sale.

SALE OF
Men's Shoes

Patent, dull and tan leathers. Every pair with welted soles. Positively \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. All styles. You never saw the like of this bargain. Ask the men who bought last week.

Sale
Price \$2.89

IN BOTH FINE AND HEAVY MAKES.

Buttoned or laced. 500 pairs on sale.

\$1.89

FOR MEN.

Men's Elephant Tan Leather Boots. Sale price.....\$1.45

\$4.00 Elk Boots for men at \$2.43, \$2.69

Also Men's Heavy Boots. Sale price.....\$1.45

Trunks and
SuitcasesSteamer Trunks. Sale prices, \$2.89 to \$40
Sample Trunks from a large manufacturer, at Half Price.Leather Suitcases. Another lot secured. Sale price.....\$3.08
Imitation Leather Suitcases at.....75c to \$2.90House of a Thousand
Styles

If it's new in footwear, it's at Johnston & Murray's.

TURKS EVACUATE ENOS;
BRITISH LAND ON SEA COAST

Bombardment By Allies Effects Landing For Expeditionary Force Near the Turkish-Roumanian Boundary.

LONDON, April 23.—2:59 a.m.—The Daily Mail's Sofia correspondent, in a dispatch dated Tuesday, says:

"Fugitives from Enos say that, following a bombardment by the Allies, the British landed a force at Enos, and the Turkish commandant ordered an evacuation of the port."

Enos is Turkey's most southerly port on the Aegean Sea. It lies just east of the new boundary line between Turkey and Bulgaria, and is twelve miles southeast of Dedagatch, Bulgaria.

CHURCHILL ATTENDS
CONFERENCE IN FRANCE.

PARIS, April 22.—11:10 p.m.—The best means for hastening the passage of the Dardanelles by the Allies' warships was one of the principal subjects of a conference today between Minister of Marine Augagneur and Winston Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty. The conference was held in the north of France.

On his return to Paris, M. Augagneur told a representative of the Havas Agency that the public would be wrong in thinking that the operations in the Dardanelles had been suspended.

"The French navy," M. Augagneur added, "never has thought that the straits could be forced without long preparation, but it has always believed, and is more than ever convinced, that the undertaking is perfectly feasible, and before long the object so ardently desired will be attained."

M. Augagneur said the general naval situation of Great Britain and France

COULD HARDLY STRAIGHTEN
UP FOR THE PAIN IN
HER BACK.

Many women suffer from an excruciating pain in the back. They are not even able to look after the common duties of their household, and cannot even walk at times.

The whole trouble is that the kidneys have become affected, and when the kidneys get "out of kilter" the whole system becomes deranged. On the first sign of a weak, lame, aching back you should not neglect it, for if you do, you may be sure that some serious kidney trouble will follow.

What you want is a kidney medicine, for kidneys only. This you will find in Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's Kidney Pills know nothing but kidney disorders, because they're made for kidneys only.

Mrs. George Craigie, Rose Valley, N. E. I., writes: "I am writing to tell you what a wonderful cure Doan's Kidney Pills did for me. I was suffering with a lame back, and for several days I could hardly straighten up, for the pain. I had used quite a lot of other kinds of pills, but received no relief. Just then my sister told me about what 'Doan's' had done for her, so I decided to try them. I used three boxes and I am completely cured. I do not hesitate to recommend them to all."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents a box, 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

When ordering direct, specify "Doan's."

ENEMY HAS NEVER
RETAKEN HILL 60

Lie Given German Report By British Semi-Weekly Statement.

IMMENSE SHELLS USED

British Airman Damages the Airship Shed Near Ghent In Bold Attack.

[Canadian Press.]

London, April 22.—11:30 a.m.—There was given out in London this morning the regular semi-weekly report on conditions at the front. It is dated April 22, and reads as follows:

"The German attacks on Hill No. 60, which had stopped at the time of issuing the report of last Monday, have been renewed several times. These attacks all failed, and for the time being they have ceased. We hold the entire crest of the hill, and so deny its use to the enemy, who have attached great importance to it."

Just Another Lie. "There is not and there never has been any truth in the German official communication that the enemy had recaptured this position. During the course of the operations around Hill No. 60 the enemy fired shells seventeen inches in diameter into the town of Ypres."

On April 21, in the neighborhood of La Bassee, the enemy exploded first no longer opposite the front line, but in the rear of our trenches. Having discovered German mining operations in the neighborhood of Le Touquet, near Arras, we forestalled their effort this morning by exploding a mine which we had prepared there."

On April 19 one of our airmen carried out a very bold and successful single-handed attack on an airship shed near Ghent. He had to run a gauntlet of fire from the ground, directed by a captive balloon, in order to attack his objective. In spite of this, he came down to within 200 feet of the ground and effected his object, causing a serious explosion in the shed."

CANADIAN WOMEN SEND
MESSAGE TO THE HAGUE

TORONTO, April 22.—"When Germany has learned that right is stronger than might, when the mailed fist no longer threatens Europe, then we may hope for peace which our children may inherit. With such a peace we may hand on unbroken the great traditions of our Empire—honour, unstained, liberty safeguarded, justice vindicated."

This, inclosed in a letter, is the concluding paragraph of a message from Canada to the international congress of women at The Hague, addressed to Miss Jane Addams, of Amsterdam. It bore the signature of Mrs. Adelaide M. Plumptre, signing on behalf of the Canadian national committee of women for patriotic service.

FACTORY WILL NOT OPEN.

GLENCOE, April 22.—Owing to the small demand for canned tomatoes the past season, the canning factory here will not open for business as was expected.

A French "75" Gun Mounted On Concrete Platform



This picture, taken near the Belgian border, shows one of the famous French 75's, which are the pride of the French army. An expert crew can fire 20 shots per minute with one of them, the shells being approximately three inches in diameter. Note the brushwood screen built up to conceal the weapon.

Russian Order in Canada
Amounts to \$83,000,000

OTTAWA, April 22.—The contract awarded by the Russian Government to the Canadian Car & Foundry Company for the supply of five million shrapnel and howitzer shells amounts to \$83,000,000, and advances amounting in some cases to \$10,000,000 are to be made for plant extensions.

Sub-contracts for \$21,724,000 of the huge order have been made to thirty-seven American firms in a position to handle shell orders.

The company is also understood to have secured an option on all future Russian orders on the American continent.

TELEPHONE PURCHASE
IS HELD TO BE LEGAL

Status of Blyth Company Settled by Ontario Commission—Auburn Merchant Injured.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

BLYTH, April 22.—W. T. Riddle, merchant of Auburn, was severely injured on Wednesday by being pinned beneath his auto when the machine overturned after striking a stone. The car was also badly damaged.

Considerable satisfaction is being felt here at the decision handed down by the Ontario Railway Board in the Blyth Telephone purchase case growing out of the assumption of the Bell Company's local interests by the Blyth Rural Company. At the special hearing on Monday at Goderich, a decision was handed down declaring the deal to be legal and equitable.

The annual meeting of the subscribers of the Public Library was held this week and the following officers elected: President, Dr. G. E. McTaggart; secretary, D. D. Pualtenden; book commit-

GERMANY SCORES
WILSON'S PROMISE

Does Not Want His Help After the War Has Ended.

[Canadian Press.]

AMSTERDAM, Holland, April 22.—Commenting on the address of President Wilson at the luncheon of the Associated Press in New York, April 20, the Vossische Zeitung speaks of follows:

"We could believe in the inclination of the United States after the war to play the role to which President Wilson refers, namely, to prepare assistance for both belligerent parties, if Americans during the war had acted in accordance with the principles of assistance to neither side. The purveyors of arms and ammunition to adversaries cannot, all of a sudden, pretend to be the impartial friend of all belligerents in the negotiations at the conclusion of the war."

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The Cologne Gazette says: "As a philosophical and academic thesis, President Wilson's war aims have value, but in the light of the sanguinary experience through which Europe is passing, they sound almost like mockery. At least in Germany this is the recognition that will be given the promise, that after the war America will lend her support to both belligerents, after supporting Great Britain and her allies during the war itself, with cannon and rifles, and this so effectively that public opinion in Germany is accustomed to see in America an ally of our enemies."

BARN DESTROYED
IN \$4,000 BLAZE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

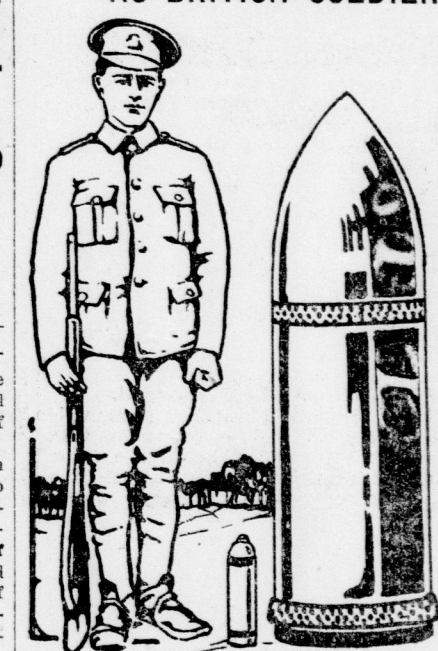
ST. THOMAS, April 22.—The barns on the farm of Samuel Hathaway, near Union, occupied by William and Herbert Clarke, with contents, were totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The loss is estimated at \$4,000, the building being valued at about \$3,000 and the contents at \$1,000, the latter being covered by insurance.

The origin of the blaze, which started in a nearby haystack, is presumed to have a spark from a chimney fire in the vicinity earlier in the evening.

TELLS OF MOTOR LEAGUE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

BERLIN, April 22.—A largely attended dinner was held tonight of the North Waterloo Automobile Club, when W. Digby, president of the Ontario Motor League, delivered an instructive address on "Objects and Advantages of the League." He told of the efforts being made to secure reciprocity in licenses, and the efforts being made for the securing of good roads, as well as the other work of the league.

GERMAN SHELL IS
NEARLY AS HIGH
AS BRITISH SOLDIER

An unexploded shell from the German 42-centimetre gun was found near Verdun, having been fired from a point seven miles distant. It was five feet high and weighed 2,100 pounds. This drawing shows how it compares in size with a British soldier 5 feet 6 inches in height. Between the two is a 3-inch shrapnel shell.

DR. NEELY REVOLTS
AT SCOTT PROPOSALS

SASKATOON, Sask., April 22.—Dr. Neely, M. P., has revolted against the Scott Government liquor proposals. Dr. Neely, Senator T. O. Davis, of Prince Albert, and Mr. A. Champagne, M. P., North Battle-

FOR CATARRHAL DEAFNESS
AND HEAD NOISES

Here in Canada there is much suffering from catarrh and head noises. Canadian people would do well to consider the method employed by the English to combat this insidious disease. Everyone knows how damp the English climate is, and how dampness affects those suffering from catarrh. In England they treat catarrhal deafness and head noises by a constitutional disease, and use an internal remedy for it that is really very efficacious.

Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick tell how they had their hearing restored by this English treatment to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven and eight inches away from their ear.

Therefore, if you know someone who is troubled with catarrh, catarrhal deafness, or takes this home, and add to it a pinch of salt and a pinch of soda, and have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps four times a day. The prescription can be easily prepared at home for about 75 cents, and is made as follows:

From your druggist obtain 1 oz. of Pains Expeller (Double Strength), about 50 cents. Take this home, and add to it 1/4 pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. Pains Expeller is used in this way not only to reduce by action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are usually remarkably quick and effective. Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial and free themselves from this destructive disease.

DANDRUFF SOON
RUINS THE HAIR

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash the scalp, the only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store, and it is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

SALTS IS FINE FOR
KIDNEYS, QUIT MEAT

Flush the Kidneys at Once When Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid, which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter, and it is this part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you take a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Doan's Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used by generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Doan's Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effort, and then by keeping the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.



Saturday and Clean-Up Week Savings at Purdom's Hardware

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN EACH DEPARTMENT

SEE LADY DEMONSTRATING USE OF CHI-NAMEL PRODUCTS.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

QUICK AUTO DELIVERY TO ANY PART OF CITY.

HOOVER SUCTION SWEEPERS.**THE CHI-NAMEL STORE.****LOWE BROS.' PAINTS.**

ALUMINUM SAUCE PANS
500 Aluminum Saucepans. Regular 40c.
At **19c** each

GLASS SHELVES FOR BATHROOM.
with nickelplated brackets. Regular
\$1.50. At **98c**

GARDEN TOOLS OF ALL KINDS
Rakes **20c** up to **85c**
Spading Forks **\$1.00** up to **\$1.50**
Trowels **10c** up to **35c**
Spades **75c** up to **\$1.10**
Hoes **25c** up to **60c**

HOOVER SUCTION SWEEPERS
The only cleaner with an electrically controlled brush. Demonstration on request.
The Baby Hoover at **\$53.50**
The Hoover Special at **\$66.50**
The Hoover Junior at **\$100.00**
The Hoover at **\$140.00**

BREAD MIXERS
The genuine universal bread mixer, guaranteed to mix thoroughly in three minutes.
4 to 6-loaf size **\$2.00**
6 to 8-loaf size **\$2.50**
Money refunded if not perfectly satisfactory.

O'CEDAR MOPS AND POLISH
Useful in Every Home.
Price **75c** up
Polish **25c** up to **\$3.00**

WHEELBARROWS
With and without loose sides, all painted red.
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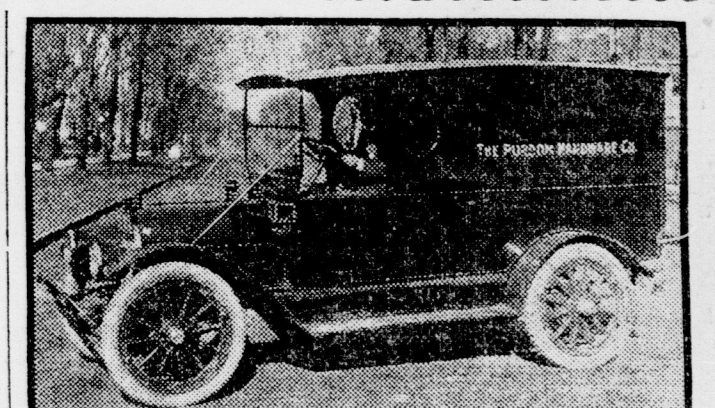
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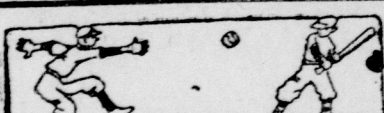
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All the News That Is News

George Dunlap Here Seeking Former Job

Ex-London Shortstop Arrives in City Last Night—Wants To Sign Up With Some Canadian League Club This Season.

(By Bert Perry.) George Dunlap, shortstop of the London baseball team during the season, has just arrived in the city. Dunlap, who was a member of the Cleveland American League club, and who was in London last night from Springfield, Mass., in search of a berth in the "Canadian League" this season, appears to be in fine shape. He was given his release by Omaha this spring without even being asked to report, and he is anxious to get back into the circuit from which the Cleveland club yanked him two seasons ago.

Hard to Beat Whitecraft. It is hardly likely that Dunlap will get a chance with the London team. Ray Whitecraft has first call on the local shortstop position, and the Cambridge, Ohio, lad is just as good an infielder and a better hitter than Dunlap proved to be when he was with London. Dunlap should have little trouble getting on with one of the other clubs in the league. Brantford could use him, and no doubt Dunlap will make his bid for his services. Hamilton could also use him, and he would look well with the St. Thomas team. Dunlap is a clever fielder, and has a throwing arm that was the marvel of the Canadian League the season he played with London. His failure to hit him his job.

with Cleveland and Omaha. In Omaha he was hurt shortly after reporting, and only took part in a few games in the Western League. Says Loney Should Make Good. Dunlap says that while Whitecraft should make good with Lincoln, he doubts if the ex-London first-sacker will land the first base job. Williams, the regular Lincoln first baseman, is a good one, and is popular with the fans. However, Whitecraft's hitting should land him a job with the Western League club.

Dunlap will remain in the city for a couple of days and renew old acquaintanceships, and incidentally make an effort to land up with some of the Canadian League clubs. Directors Met. The directors of the London baseball club held a meeting last night and discussed several matters pertaining to the coming season. Reggie Grice was again been appointed business manager of the team. Work on Tecumseh Park will begin in a few days. It is not unlikely any more players will be disposed of or signed up before the season opens here the second week in May.

Oskee Neale was handed his release by the Detroit club Tuesday night. Central League season opening on Wednesday. Bobby Heck and Eddie Lindorff have not yet reported to the Erie Central League club.

TRYING TO GET HIS OLD POSITION BACK AGAIN



GEORGE DUNLAP, ex-shortstop of the London team, who arrived in this city last night to renew old acquaintances, and also land a job with one of the Canadian League clubs.

WHITE SOX PULLED THRILLING FINISH

Were Four Runs Behind in Ninth, But Scored Five.

TIGERS STILL WINNING

Inexcusable Muff Robs Athletics of Game in Ninth Inning.

CHICAGO, April 22.—A thrilling ninth inning battle produced five Chicago runs and brought a 5 to 4 victory over St. Louis after six straight defeats in the opening game of the American League season. In the ninth inning five hits off Weiland, including triples by Roth and John Collins, and a passed ball tied the score at four. Loudermilk took up the burden and the second ball he pitched to Weaver was a wild pitch, on which J. Collins dashed home with the winning run. Williams' home run in the third followed by two balls and caused Jasper's retirement.

R.H.E. Score: Chicago ... 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 4 8 0 St. Louis ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 6 0 Batteries—Weiland, Lundermilk, and Agnew; Jasper, Faber and Schalk.

TIGERS HAD A GOOD INNING.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 22.—Cleveland lost its opening game to Detroit, 3 to 3, a bad loss for the Tigers. The game started in the ninth inning with the pitcher's own errors, producing four runs for the Tigers. Detroit scored another in the ninth on Cobb's single and Veatch's double. The game started in the ninth, which ended with three innings were played.

R.H.E. Score: Cleveland ... 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 Detroit ... 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 1 5 3 0 Batteries—Hagerman and O'Neil; Dubuc and Baker.

MACK MUST MISS BAKER.

BOSTON, April 22.—The Sox won in unexpected fashion from the Athletics today in the ninth inning with two men out, two runs needed to win, and Boston runners on second and third. Wagner popped an easy fly to Murphy, leaving third base for Philadelphia. The ball dropped plumb into his hands and out again. With it went the game, as the two runners scored.

R.H.E. Score: Philadelphia ... 0 0 4 0 1 1 0 0 8 2 Boston ... 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 2 7 2 0 Batteries—Wickoff, Shawkey and McAvoy; Shore, Comstock and Cady.

YANKEES LOST OPENER.

NEW YORK, April 22.—The New York Yankees opened their home season here today by losing to Washington by a score of 5 to 1. Shaw, the visiting pitcher, was wild, but the Yankees could not hit him with men on the bases, their only tally being a home run. The Senators made their hits count against McFalls and Brown and took advantage of the latter's errors. Mayor Mitchell started the game by throwing out the first ball.

R.H.E. Score: Washington ... 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 5 1 0 New York ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 4 3 Batteries—Shaw and Henry; McFalls, Brown and Sweeney.

AYR BOWLING CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

AYR, April 22.—The annual meeting of the Ayr Bowling Club was held last night and was well attended. Minutes of last meeting, the financial standing and prospects were all discussed. It was decided that the club would play Central Bowling Association this year as usual. The skips to play in this association are as follows: J. Q. Reid, A. Brothman, J. Urquhart, and J. McFalls. It was also determined to purchase more equipment, including a new mower. Members of the committee were also instructed to obtain prices on a motor pump and pump to furnish water for the sprinkling of the green.

The officers are—President, J. Q. Reid; vice-president, J. H. Anderson; secretary-treasurer, E. M. Leckie; Committee—J. Watson, J. Urquhart and A. Melvin.

WALKERTON BASEBALL TEAM HAS REORGANIZED

(Special to The Advertiser.) WALKERTON, April 22.—The baseball team was reorganized for the season tonight at an enthusiastic meeting in the council chambers. A league is being formed in the northwestern part of the county. The following officers will be taking in the northern towns will be: Honorary president, H. E. Truax, M.P.; president, L. Anderson; secretary-treasurer, M. Lafrance; Managing committee, G. Henderson, Herman Runstadler and John Richardson.

CHESLEY WILL ALSO HAVE TEAM IN SOCCER LEAGUE

(Special to The Advertiser.) CHESLEY, April 22.—With plenty of good material available, Chesley is planning this season to put a fast aggregation of soccer players in the field to contest the surrounding clubs. A meeting of enthusiasts held tonight the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Honorary President, H. S. Sanderson; president, E. B. Caldwell; vice-president, S. R. Davery; secretary, R. E. Wilson; captain, C. Phillips.

PAISLEY WILL PUT TEAM IN INTERMEDIATE O.A.L.A.

PAISLEY, April 22.—At a meeting held on Monday evening the Paisley Lacrosse Club reorganized with the following officers: President, J. R. Laidlaw; vice-president, A. Archer; secretary-treasurer, Fred Blue; manager, Dewar; captain, W. J. Ellis; coach, Dr. A. H. Allen. Executive committee, J. Ellis, J. Forrester, L. Rankin and Guy Purdy.

LUCKNOW BOWLERS HOLD ORGANIZATION MEETING

LUCKNOW, April 22.—The Lucknow Bowling Club held its annual meeting last night and elected the following officers: President—Dr. A. M. Spence; Secretary—Robert Johnston; Secretary-treasurer—Robert Brown; Grounds committee—T. S. Reid; J. Glennie, Dr. Spence. Tournament committee—R. Johnston, W. Horne, J. Glennie. The club intends holding a tournament commencing on May 24. The members are looking forward to a most successful season.

EVILYN.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartlett, of Baron, spent Sunday with Fred Quait. Miss Edith McKay, of Thamesford, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Douglas, recently. Mr. and Mrs. John Keys, of Dorchester, visited Thomas Walter over Sunday.

CANADIAN LEAGUE NOTES

The Ottawa club is figuring on making a trade with the London club, whereby Eddie Lamy goes to the Senators. The deal will leave, he said, through Lamy will play for London this season, or he will not play in the Canadian League.

Some of the players well known to Canadian League fans, who will not be back this year are Ott, Nill, Blount, Schettler, Beebe, Linsbom, Bierbauer, Rogers, Corns, Cunningham, Dudley, Barrett, Mitchell, Shears, Dougherty, Craven, Kading, Heck, Gero, Bramble, Behan, Harris, most of the Peterboro players, Graham and others.

The number of dark horses being signed up by some of the Canadian League teams, notably Brantford and Hamilton, whose names cannot be "divulged" just yet, must worry managers like Reisdorf and Shaughnessy an awful lot.—Ottawa Free Press.

Brantford has nothing out a 300 out-felder need apply to the town. There are some semi-pros, and city leaguers who can apply with .400 records.—Ottawa Free Press.

Shag Shaughnessy and Frank Dolan were out at Lansdowne Park yesterday and got in some fine hitting practice through the aid of a youngster with control. Both men hit the straight pitch hard, Dolan dropping three over the right field fence on a line, while Shaughnessy was hitting three—Shawkey and Henry; McFalls, Brown and Sweeney.

Jimmy Gilhooly, the former London shortstop, wants to come to Hamilton again this season, but Cristall thinks he has enough good material without Jimmy. Too much temperament is Gilhooly's greatest fault.

Maybe the Messenger Boy Is Still on His Way To Deliver It

CHICAGO, April 22.—"Jack" Priestner, former pitcher for the Chicago Nationals, was given a verdict for \$2,000 against the Western Union Telegraph Company here today. Priestner claimed \$2,500, alleging that he was deprived of that sum by failure of the telegraph company to deliver to him a message from Hugh Duffy, manager of the Milwaukee club in 1912, in which Duffy said: "Will pay you \$300 a month."

EX-DETROIT RECRUIT WINS GAME IN FEDERAL LEAGUE

Southpaw Moran, of Newark, Holds Brooklyn to Two Hits—Buffalo Blanks Baltimore.

NEWARK, N.J., April 22.—Moran, the young southpaw, who jumped to the Detroit Americans last year, twirled a two-hit game against Lee Magee's Brooklyn team today and won by a shut-out score of 3 to 0. Score: R.H.E. Brooklyn ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 New York ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Wilson, Land and Wilson; Moran and Radford.

BUFFALO, April 22.—The first shut-out of the season on the home grounds was a victory for Buffalo over Baltimore today by 2 to 0. The seven hits off Bedient were spread over six innings and he received the best of support at all times. Score: R.H.E. Buffalo ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Baltimore ... 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 3 6 0 F. Smith, Conley and Owens; Bedient and Blair.

Joe Jackson fell down in the phones yesterday, as did Jack Graney. Both players came up with men on bases and any kind of a hit needed to score a run or two, but Dubuc easily disposed of them.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Yesterday at Cleveland, and both were doubles. Cobb had two singles, and Veach had a double. All of them counted in the run getting. Marty Kavanaugh also got a couple of safe blows.

GLEANINGS FROM THE BOX SCORES

ALL THE HOME TEAMS won in the National League yesterday. They were the opening games of the season in four of the cities.

TWO AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES were won yesterday in the ninth inning, just when all hope had been given up. The White Sox were four runs behind and needed five to win when they came to bat in the final spasm. They got the five. At Boston, Eddie Murphy, playing third base for the Athletics, dropped an easy fly with two out and two on bases. The Red Sox needed two runs to win, and the two runs came in on Murphy's muff.

THE ATHLETICS MADE 18 HITS against Boston's 9 yesterday, and then were beaten out. Pretty tough to lose games like that.

GEORGE GIBSON HAD TWO HITS out of three times yesterday. One of them was a two-cushion drive.

TWO HOME RUNS WERE MADE in the American League yesterday. Boone, of the Yankees, and Williams, of the Browns, getting them, in the National League, home runs were made by Hinchman, of the Pirates, and Schulte, of the Cubs.

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TY. COBB WAS PRESENTED with a loving cup by Cleveland admirers in the game at the Forest City yesterday.

THE FEWEST HITS IN THE major leagues yesterday were made by the Yankees, who only got four off Pitcher Shaw, of Washington. The Athletics had the largest number, getting 18 off Pitchers Shore and Comstock, of Boston.

ALL TEAMS LOOK ALIKE to the Phillies. They have seven straight wins to their credit now, and have yet to be defeated. The Braves are liable to put a crimp in their streak, however.

THE LONGEST GAME IN THE big leagues yesterday was the Athletics-Red Sox affair at Boston, which went nine innings, in 2 hours and 35 minutes. The shortest game was the Phillies-Braves contest at Boston, which lasted 1 hour and 40 minutes.

PORT ELGIN WILL HAVE TEAM IN O.A.L.A. GROUP is to enter a team in the intermediate series of the O.A.L.A. There were 22 young men present at a meeting held to organize a lacrosse club last evening.

The affair of last year showed a small balance to the good, with a splendid equipment of sticks, etc. The following are the officers: President, E. Nelson; vice-president, Verne McLean; secretary-treasurer, Edgar Martin; management, Stanley Morton, R. Bruce Munro, George Kuhl, E. R. Sayles.

BASEBALL MOGULS HELD PEACE CONFAB

Ban Johnson and Robert Hedges Talk With Federal Leaguers at Chicago.

Chicago, April 22.—Conferences seeking to establish peace between the Federal League and organized baseball were to be continued here today, according to published reports, although parties to the conferences declined to say whether a meeting had been held or what progress towards peace had been made. Negotiations for peace were begun at a meeting yesterday, according to the Chicago Herald, which says that B. B. Johnson, president of the American League; Phil Ball, owner of the St. Louis Federals; Robert L. Hedges, owner of the St. Louis Americans; and Judge George H. Williams, of St. Louis, one of the attorneys for organized baseball, met and discussed peace proposals. The report also says that James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal League, was in long-distance conference with President W. E. Robertson, of the Buffalo Federals, and Robert B. Ward, of the Brooklyn club, both members of the Federal League executive committee. It was said that certain club owners in the Federal League had been offered clubs in the National League, and that there would be amalgamations in at least five cities which now have Federal and National League baseball.

CHESLEY WILL PUT TEAM IN SAUGEEN BALL LEAGUE

(Special to The Advertiser.) CHESLEY, April 22.—Chesley is again in the baseball world. A meeting was held tonight and it is thought that team would be entered in the Saugeen League. The fans have again decided to push things along. They will start and get into good condition. The following officers were elected: Secretary-treasurer, W. J. Stewart; executive committee, which was to consist of one member from each of the following: Chesley High School, Town and Factory, member from each of the following: Chesley High School, Town and Factory. Member elected from High School was Ed. Smith; from Town, D. McDonald; from Factory, C. Cairns.

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PIRATES TRIMMED REDS

Brooklyn Knocked Rube Marquard Out of Box and Beat Giants.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 22.—Philadelphia defeated Boston in the opening game of the National League season here today by a score of 8 to 4. Alexander and Hess battled for seven innings with the score even. A muff by Cravath enabled Moran to score in the eighth. Then the home team rushed five runs over the plate on five hits, two stolen bases, a pass and errors by Gowdy and Hess.

R.H.E. Score: Philadelphia ... 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 8 2 Boston ... 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 5 3 8 10 3 Batteries—Hess and Gowdy; Alexander and Killefer.

MARQUARD BATTED OUT.

BROOKLYN, April 22.—Brooklyn opened its home season today with an 8 to 2 victory over Cincinnati. Tim Lincecum, hitting for the Pirates, made a team rushed five runs over the plate on five hits, two stolen bases, a pass and errors by Gowdy and Hess.

R.H.E. Score: Brooklyn ... 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 8 11 0 Cincinnati ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 9 2 0 Batteries—Marquard, Ritter and Meyers; Bell and Miller.

PIRATES WIN AT HOME

PITTSBURGH, April 22.—Pittsburgh opened its home schedule today with an 8 to 2 victory over Cincinnati. Tim Lincecum, hitting for the Pirates, made a team rushed five runs over the plate on five hits, two stolen bases, a pass and errors by Gowdy and Hess.

R.H.E. Score: Pittsburgh ... 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 8 11 0 Cincinnati ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 9 2 0 Batteries—Marquard, Ritter and Meyers; Bell and Miller.

ERRORS HELPED CARDS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 22.—Errors by the visitors and bunched hits off opposing pitchers helped St. Louis win the opening game of the local National League season from Chicago this afternoon, 5 to 2.

R.H.E. Score: St. Louis ... 1 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 5 3 3 Chicago ... 0 0 1 0 2 0 2 3 9 9 1 Batteries—Vaughn, Standridge and Bresnahan; Meadows, Doak and Snyder.

PRUDENTIALS LOST TWO GAMES TO BRUNSWICKS

The Brunswick Bables took two out of three games from the Prudentials in last night's Federal League bowling match. Only four strikes were made. Smith, of Bables rolled the best individual mark when he made 202 in his third game. The highest aggregate score was 471 made by Lashbrook.

The teams and scores were:

Prudential	Brunswick Bables
Parson	142 144 151—438
Davis	127 133 123—483
Heal	127 83 141—351
Smith	149 128 154—431
Fowler	172 179 95—446
	744 710 684—2138

761 702 813—2274

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM MAKES A RECORD SCORE

The girls' basketball team of St. George's School piled up a record score in the girls' team of Princess Avenue School in an exhibition game yesterday afternoon. "The score was 40 to 6, the game being one continual round of scoring on the part of the North End ladies. At half time they led by the score of 24 to 6. Miss Walde scored sixteen points for the winners and played a strong game.

The teams lined up as follows:

St. George's	Princess Avenue
M. Walde, r.f.	W. Forsyth, l.f.
W. Walde, l.f.	S. Kingston, l.f.
M. Walker, c.	S. Vava, m.p.
D. Molise, l.g.	G. C. West, l.g.
Hazel Stone, r.g.	M. Fenderson, r.g.
	60 Total
	6 Total
	66 Total

YOUNG AHEARN EARNED VERDICT OVER LEO HOUCK

NEW YORK, April 22.—Young Ahearn, of Brooklyn, outpointed Leo Houck, of Lancaster, Penn., in a ten-round bout in Brooklyn tonight. Ahearn fought cleverly, earning the honors in seven rounds. Houck weighed 170 pounds and Ahearn 155.

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Men's and Young Men's Trousers at \$1.00 to \$6.00
Dress Suits at - \$15.95 to \$25.00
Prince Albert Frocks Coats and Vests at - \$18.00 to \$25.00
Raincoats for Men and Boys at - \$3.75 to \$16.00
Boys' Norfolk Suits, \$2.95 to \$12.00 | Children's Fancy Suits, \$2.50 to \$6.50
Boys' Spring Reefers, \$2.75 to \$6.50 | Children's Wash Suits, 50c to \$2.95
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Our entire \$30,000 stock will be slaughtered at the most suicidal reductions that ever dazzled the buying public of the City of London and vicinity. From a thousand different directions there will come eager buyers, yes, miles and miles distant, voicing their approval of this gigantic price-wrecking, purse-pulling shoe sale. The entire stock will be ablaze with exceptional bargains, bargains that will fairly shout their money-saving power to you at prices that are an insult to the quality of the high-grade shoes, when you consider that the prices of leather are soaring higher and higher every day. This **BIG PRICE-WRECKING SHOE SALE** will break the record of any ever held in Western Ontario. Prices are riddled, crushed, and hopelessly cut down; in fact, almost unrecognizable until seen. You can't afford to stay away. Come, bring your friends; call them on the 'phone tonight, and tell them what's going to happen. You will certainly do them a kindness. **NOW! RIGHT NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO BUY REAL BARGAINS. GRASP IT!** Quick action will mean big savings FOR YOU. Plenty of salesmen to serve you properly. Low prices talk. Ours will fairly shout.

The Following Prices Will Give You Just a Faint Idea of Actually What is in Store for You:--

MEN'S

Men's White Canvas Laced. Buy them for summer wear. Regular \$1.25, for **48c**

Men's Kid Plain Toe Gaiters, easy fitters. Regular \$2.50. They're yours for **\$1.23**

Men's Tan Calf Blucher, Goodyear welt, choice quality. Regular \$4.00 and \$5.00. Sale price **\$2.73**

Men's Patent Leather Blucher. A large assortment of styles and sizes. Regular \$4.00 and \$5.00, for **\$2.23**

Men's Box Calf and Kid Blucher, Goodyear welt, splendid styles. Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50. To go at **\$2.48**

Men's Gunmetal Blucher; best to be had. A large assortment. Regular \$5.00. To go at **\$3.98**

Men's Box Calf and Kid Blucher. Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50. The wrecked price is **\$2.98**

Men's Gunmetal Blucher, Goodyear welt. Regular \$4.50. Clearing at **\$3.23**

Men's Box Calf Blucher, leather lined, heavy soles. Regular \$4.50. Out they go at **\$3.73**

Men's Tanned Rough Skinned Work Shoes. Regular \$2.50. They're yours for **\$1.48**

Men's Tan Calf Blucher, regular \$5.00 and \$5.50. It's too bad, but they're yours at **\$3.98**

Men's Tan Calf Blucher, regular \$4.00 and \$4.50. To clear at **\$2.98**

Men's Patent Blucher, choice styles. Regular \$5.00. Wrecked price is **\$3.48**

Men's Tan Oxfords, regular \$4.00. Out they go at **\$2.73**

Men's Work Shoes, a large range. Regular \$2.00. Take 'em away at **\$1.23**

Men's Work Shoes, a higher grade stock. Regular \$3.00. To clear at **\$1.98**

Another lot, regular \$3.50. Clearing at **\$2.48**

Men's Tan and Black Regulation Military Shoes, regular \$5.50. While they last **\$4.73**

Men's Gunmetal Blucher. Choice styles, best quality. Regular \$4.00 and \$5.00. Have an eye for these at **\$2.48**

LADIES'

Ladies' Chocolate Kid Blucher, brown suede tops. Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50. These are a snap at **\$1.73**

Ladies' Battleship Grey and Fawn Top Lace Shoes. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00. To clear at **\$2.68**

Ladies' Kid Lace and Button Shoes, patent tip. Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price **\$2.18**

Ladies' Patent Button Cloth Top, regular \$5.00. The wrecked price **\$3.23**

Elderly Ladies' Soft Kid Lace Shoes, plain toes. Regular \$2.25. A snap at **\$1.48**

Another lot of these at **\$1.43**

Ladies' Tan Calf Blucher. Regular \$3.50, to clear at **\$2.48**

Ladies' Patent Leather and Gunmetal Pumps. Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50. Have an eye for these, at **\$2.38**

Ladies' Patent Leather Pumps. See these sure. Regular \$2.25, for **\$1.38**

Ladies' Patent Leather Button, kid and cloth tops. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00. While they last **\$2.38**

Ladies' Heavy Lace Shoes, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75. A genuine snap **98c**

Ladies' White Canvas Lace, regular \$1.00. To clear at **63c**

Ladies' Kid Button, patent tip. A real snap. Regular \$2.00, clearing at **\$1.38**

Ladies' Kid Buskins. Splendid house slippers. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Out they go at **73c**

Ladies' Kid Oxfords, regular \$2.50. They're yours at **\$1.98**

Ladies' Patent Leather Lace Shoes, assorted styles and sizes. Regular \$4.00 to \$5.00. To clear at **\$1.48**

GIRLS AND BOYS

Misses' Patent Pumps—and right now the time is ripe for these—regular \$1.50, for **98c**

Misses' Patent Pumps, "Classic Brand." Regular \$2.50. Going at **\$1.83**

Misses' Gunmetal Oxfords and Patent Pumps. Regular \$2.00, \$2.25. While they last **\$1.43**

Child's Patent Strap Slippers. Regular \$1.25, for **83c**

Child's Patent Leather Roman Sandals, sizes 8 to 10. Regular \$1.75. Sale price **\$1.23**

Child's Brown Canvas Oxfords, Regular 60c. Take 'em away at **33c**

Infants' Chocolate Slippers. Regular 75c to 90c. Going at **48c**

Boys' School Shoes—"Mothers, be sure and see these"—regular \$1.75. They're yours for **93c**

Boys' White Canvas Bluchers, regular \$1.25. To go at **73c**

Youths' School Shoes, elk soles—Step lively for these. Regular \$2.00, for **\$1.23**

Little Gents' Gunmetal Bluchers. Choice styles, good fitters. Regular \$1.75. Clearing at **98c**

We were fortunate in securing one of the finest sets of travelers' samples, about 1,500 pairs, at a very low price, including all styles for men, women and children. All to be cleared at wrecked prices.

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LONDON, ONT

Look for the Big Red Sign! Be Sure You Are Right

CHAIRMAN C. R. SOMERVILLE ASKS PEOPLE TO HELP MAKE LONDON A SPOTLESS TOWN CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP IS THE SLOGAN

Head of Health Board Anxious To Have Everyone Co-operate In Campaign For General Health and Comfort of Citizens.

Clean up! Paint up!

This is the slogan which the board of health will launch in London very shortly, the annual watchword for every citizen—man, woman and child—to get on the job with clean-up materials and make London a clean, spotless, prettier city and a healthful place in which to live.

The paint brush and the broom will be London's symbol of real industry if the wishes of the board of health, and also hundreds of merchants and private citizens are to be carried out.

"A clean-up campaign is the best thing that can happen to a city in the early spring," declared C. R. Somerville, chairman of the board of health, to The Advertiser. "It wards off possible disease, and rids the alleys, the corners, and the unsightly lodging places for dirt of all the filth they have collected since the preceding summer. Last year's campaign was a great success. This one which the city will conduct this year will be a most successful one. I am sure."

On Hunt for Dirt.

A meeting of the health board will be held sometime next week, when final plans for the campaign will be made, and inspectors will be chosen. The city will be divided into subdivisions and inspectors appointed by the city health department will stroll along

lanes and look into backyards, side paths, and cellars. No nook or cranny will be able to escape their eye; and if the demon dirt lurks in these recesses after the campaign days are past the inspector gets in his authoritative work.

"London is in splendid conditions of health just at present, and cases of severe sickness are very few. The garbage system is, I believe, responsible to a great extent for this state. A clean-up campaign, however, will discover more dirt in the little-known places about the city than anyone ever thought," said Mr. Somerville. "This must be cleaned out before the sweltering days of summer come."

Since the garbage system has left somewhat less for the citizens to do in the way of removing rubbish from their own property, the paint brush, it is hoped, will be wielded with a will this spring.

With muck and rubbish and waste material removed from the yards and cellars, with woodwork of verandas and store fronts grimy, and musty, and dilapidated looking, the clean-up campaign is only a half-attempt at a real campaign. Paint is the magic coating that will change the most disreputable-looking shack in a back street to a nifty little cosy dwelling. Applied in a pleasing color to the ugly, big, grimy store, which has caught the soot and smoke of the city for several years, and presto, the store becomes a clean, good-to-look-at place, which will attract more patrons and customers than it ever did before.

Can We Disregard It?

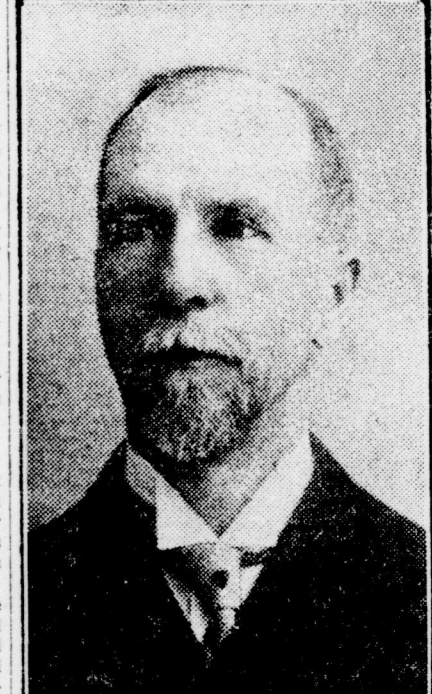
The Grand Trunk station will be painted. Can the example be disregarded by merchants and residents? As a matter of plain patriotism, they are asked to keep their homes and their stores clean and fresh-looking. Paint is able to make, or the lack of it to mar, a city. How many of the big cities across the border, that are always grimy and gloomy because of the nature of their big industries, are asked to keep their homes and their stores clean and fresh-looking? It is as clear as Pittsburgh, or a London (England) fog. Here in London (Canada), where hard-core smoke has really only a slight effect on the buildings, the cleanliness of the air should be taken as a great advantage to make cleanliness a habit.

A characteristic of London, "It's a clean town" would be a byword worth millions of dollars to Londoners and much pleasant satisfaction to all who live here.

Everyone Get Busy.

Philadelphia last year spent a large sum of money in a great organized clean-up campaign. School children were lectured before the auspicious day, and when the campaign day came they were given a holiday, and they took a prominent part in the city's house, walk, alley and street cleaning. Every patriotic and social club and organization and society took up the work as a patriotic duty. Philadelphia, after the day's work, was as clean as the buttons on a soldier boy's coat on inspection day. A scrap of paper or a stray stick was a suspicious object. It was a wonderful success. It made Phil-

URGES CITIZENS TO START SPRING CLEAN-UP



Advertiser Illustration

C. R. SOMERVILLE, chairman of board of health, who asks citizens to co-operate for city's annual "house-cleaning."

adelphia a better place to live in, and reduced the mortality rate, and put a smile on its million and three-quarters population.

This system of Philadelphia's, which is in use by scores of other Canadian and American cities with a progressive spirit, will be followed in a smaller way by London in a few weeks. Between a dozen and fifteen inspectors will be employed this year to make sure that Londoners are in the campaign in earnest.

POOR BOOTS SERIOUS

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CRINAN, April 21.—The first sad news to be received from any of the boys who were with those belonging to the second Canadian contingent was received from Allister Haig, who is a member of the cyclist corps now training in Toronto. In a letter received by his father, Rev. A. McEl Haig, pastor of Argyle Presbyterian Church here, he states that his son and cousin, David Haig, had been taken from camp to the hospital suffering from spinal meningitis. Mr. Haig was a student in his third year in arts and was always in the best of health, being of a good, rugged constitution.

The only reason that friends of Mr. Haig can give for his present serious condition is that of being exposed to the slush and mud of the camp.

Allister Haig writes that while he received a good pair of boots, his cousin was unfortunate enough to receive a defective pair and that he was troubled by damp feet.

GERMS ARE HARMFUL SAY MEDICAL MEN

Contradict Toronto Doctor Who Claims They Are Innocuous.

Some rather startling assertions concerning the questions of milk pasteurization and the harmfulness or otherwise of disease germs were made at a meeting of the Toronto board of health the other day by Dr. J. B. Fraser, C. M., who declared his willingness to swallow 100,000 living, active germs of diphtheria, typhoid, pneumonia or tuberculosis in milk and to him. His theory was that germs are the effect, not the cause, of disease, and harmless in themselves.

The members of the board were not inclined to place much faith in his contentions, and local doctors also generally are of the opinion that such a theory is untenable. One exception was Dr. W. J. Niven, who, while unwilling to be very definite, was inclined to the belief that perhaps the gastric juices of the stomach might render harmless disease germs taken into the system through the mouth. He did not believe in pasteurization, he declared.

Dr. W. J. Shaw declared that, while Dr. Fraser might swallow disease germs, he felt so inclined, for himself he preferred to be excused. Their effect on the human system, he said, might vary according to the general health of the person at the time of their assimilation, but he was convinced that anyone was better without than with them.

Dr. W. J. Stevenson expressed himself similarly. He declared, in fact, that such a statement as that made by the Toronto doctor was as absurd as a box of dynamite. It was not a matter of opinion at all, he pointed out, that germs were the cause of disease, since cultures had been made from them and animals and human beings infected by injection of the culture.

Same Opinion Voiced.

The same opinion in effect was voiced by Dr. W. S. Downham, the acting medical officer of health for the city. It had been proved conclusively, he said, that pasteurization killed the germs in milk and that it did not affect its character otherwise except, perhaps, to make the cream rise more slowly. There could be no doubt that pasteurization was a worth-while safeguard.

GOOD BLENHEIM CROPS

Present Conditions Indicate Another Record Year.

BLENHEIM, April 22.—Farmers are loud in their praise of the fine weather they are receiving for their spring seedling. The land never worked better. Early potato planting is in full swing with the early growers on the ridge. The acreage is said to be much larger than formerly. Improved farming is in evidence in many parts; more than ever is tilling being done. Tilling machines are making the work light and doing speedy work. The wheat and meadows are showing up splendidly and have not looked better for many years.

Despite all the tobacco troubles, the large white covered tobacco plant beds seen on many a farm, the indications are that much will be planted.

LACK OF ACTION PALLS ON CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Inactivity of Present Life in Trenches Grows Tiresome, Writes Ayr Officer, Who Describes Air Duel Between German Taube and Allies' Air Fleet.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

AYR, April 22.—Interesting sidelights on life in the trenches, and a new phase of the feeling of Canadians, their ennuil at inaction—are contained in a letter received by Mrs. I. M. Gold from her son, Capt. E. C. Gold, of the Ammunition Park, 1st C. E. F., now at the front. The following are extracts taken from the letter:

"Things at the front have been very quiet, and we have nothing to do all day long, except to be always ready to move out at a moment's notice."

Quiet Since Neuve Chapelle.

Since the last fight at Neuve Chapelle, things have been very quiet, and both sides have been resting, though occasionally the guns break out in a thunderous boom. Last Sunday, however, I went over to general headquarters (which is about 20 miles away), to get some spare parts. Just before we started, a German aeroplane came towards our lines, and immediately our entire aircraft guns opened out on them, and our aeroplanes rose in the air to chase the German machine back. It all seemed like a fairy tale, but nevertheless a hard fact, as there, straight in front of us—only three miles away, and about one mile high—circled a German Taube, suddenly small puffs of white smoke suddenly burst and floated in the air. This was the only way of gauging the shots. Notwithstanding this, the German machine dropped several bombs on the rear, acting about on guard. This time black puffs of smoke burst forth, showing that it was German guns that were firing, as their shells give out a black smoke.

Trenches Grow Tiresome.

Life in the trenches is very tiresome, and at the present time the only danger is in coming out and going into them. When there is not much firing, we have nothing to do, so the boys have organized baseball and football teams, and manage to put in fairly good times.

I think that I mentioned in one of my letters that some of our men had set to work to cut out a tombstone for the graves of four soldiers killed in action on Oct. 14, in this village. We found their names and regimental numbers very faintly written on wooden crosses. The stones, which the boys had made very nice, and interesting inscription, "Erected by Canadian Comrades." I managed to obtain the address of the officer's mother, and am writing to her while we have done. The old priest, from whom I obtained the address, seemed very much touched when I took him out to see the stone.

Long, Long Time Before End.

I am really beginning to be homesick, as I realize that it will be a long, long time before this war is over. Each day brings no change, except that the Russians are doing better. Our fellows are now out of the trenches, and are

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Alabastine, the only cold water wall color, is improved. Sets hard in a few minutes, ready for a second coat if desired. We have it in all shades. Ask for color card.

Murexco, the hot water wall coating, in all shades.

Garden Rakes, from 25c up Lawn Mowers, a large assortment.

Garden and Field Hoes, 25c up to 60c.

Lawn Rakes, double head, 50c.

Long and D-Handle Shovels, with square or round mouth.

Garden Spades, Spading Forks, Tile and Posthole Spades, Tile Cleaners.

Wheelbarrows, several kinds to choose from.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY.

Two gallons American Coal Oil for 25c. No delivery.

9 lbs. Board Nails, 25c.

6 rolls Toilet Paper, 25c.

75c Enamel Water Pails for 50c.

75c Enamel Tea Kettles, for 50c.

Teapots from 19c up to \$1.00.

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Whether your visit is one of business or pleasure, you will find the Marlborough the ideal place to stop at. The Rathskeller is one of the show-places of New York.

Rooms, \$1.00 Per Day Upwards.
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SITE FOR AUTO COMPANY

Stratford Votes \$2,500 to Secure Motor Industry.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

STRATFORD, April 22.—The city council, at an adjourned meeting tonight, gave a first reading to the Bartlett Automobile Company bylaw, which provides for an appropriation of \$2,500 towards a site, in consideration of its establishing a factory for the manufacture of automobiles.

A bylaw fixing the tax rate at 27 mills was passed.

The question of a civic reception to the delegates to Grand Lodge of Odd-fellows, which meets here in August, was referred to the finance committee.

KOMOKA.

Miss Regina Jones, of London, was a recent visitor here.

Mr. J. D. Campbell intends holding a sale of his household goods on Wednesday afternoon.

GENEROUS DONATIONS

Chesley Sends Another Big Red Cross Supply Bale.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CHESLEY, April 22.—The women of Chesley Red Cross shipped to the Red Cross headquarters at Toronto today the following: Twenty-five flannel shirts, 11 hospital shirts, two pairs of knee caps, 56 pairs socks, 40 surgical towels, 43 doctors' towels, 55 bandages. The total shipment amounted to about \$175.

This is the fourth shipment of about the same value sent by the Chesley Red Cross Society.

Was Troubled With Eczema

Would Nearly Yell With Pain

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS CURED HIM

Mr. R. J. Swales, Harriston, Ont., writes: "I have been a great sufferer with eczema. I tried all kinds of salves, but they did me no good. Sometimes I would nearly yell with the pain, and would pass little white worms. I was told to get at the blood, so I used four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters, and it has made a complete cure."

All skin diseases, such as eczema or psoriasis, itching or burning rashes, boils, pimples, urticaria, etc., are all caused by the blood becoming impoverished, and while not usually attended with any fatal results, may sooner or later develop into some serious blood trouble, and the entire system become affected.

Burdock Blood Bitters will cleanse the blood of all its impurities and by this means cure all skin and blood troubles. This valuable preparation has been on the market for the last forty years, so you do not make any experiment when you give it a trial.

B. B. B. is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

SOLICITOR-GENERAL MAKES A VIOLENT ATTACK ON STATES

[Canadian Press.]
OTTAWA, April 22.—Addressing the Legislative Council here, Hon. Arthur Meighen, solicitor-general for Canada, offered sharp criticism of the policy of President Woodrow Wilson toward the war, declaring that the United States appeared to care more for party politics and dollars and cents than for the prin-

ciples of justice and freedom and the cause of humanity.
Referring to President Wilson's New York speech, claiming glory for a position of magnificent neutrality, he said all the world knew Britain was fighting a battle to save humanity, fighting to save the United States as well as the rest of the world from a tyranny, which would have overwhelmed all. Instead of moral assistance the United States was continually nagging at Britain and showed a distinct inclination to hamper her in her efforts for civilization, altogether inglorious part, the speaker declared.

Totally Discouraged by Nervous Prostration

After Many Weeks of Doctoring a Friend Recommended Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and She Was Cured.

There is nothing more discouraging than Nervous Prostration. Because of the exhausted condition of the nervous system, weakness and helplessness take possession of the body. The faculties of the mind as well as those of the body are affected and hope and courage disappear.

The patient, often appearing well, gets little sympathy, and few doctors understand diseases of the nerves well enough to treat nervous prostration intelligently. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is founded on the prescription of a great nerve specialist, and hence its wonderful success in curing ailments of this nature.

Mrs. Edith May Williams, Tillsonburg, Ont., R. R. 3, writes: "I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I suffered for years with my nerves, and at one time I was confined to my bed with nervous prostration for several weeks. I cannot just explain my feelings, but I was

weak and helpless and so discouraged that I thought I would lose my mind. I doctored with several doctors and received but little benefit. At last I became very much discouraged and thought I would never get better. A friend advised me to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and before I had finished the first box I knew that it was helping me. It took several boxes of the Nerve Food to make me well and I can truly say that it is a wonderful build-up of the nervous system. It is only wise to prevent such dreaded diseases as Nervous Prostration, Paralysis and Locomotor Ataxia by keeping the nervous system in good condition at all times. When you cannot sleep well, have headaches and indigestion, be warned of approaching dangers and restore the nervous system by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. 50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Company, Limited, Toronto.

HAS ITALY NOW SENT ULTIMATUM?

Petrograd Reports That Final Terms Have Been Intimated In Note.

AIRMEN IN THE ADRIATIC

Austrian Aviators Believed To Be Scouting Along the Coast.

[Canadian Press.]
ROME, April 22.—Via Paris, 2:12 p.m.—A report reached Rome from Petrograd today to the effect that Italy had sent a note to Austria which virtually amounted to an ultimatum. The note is said to embody the minimum terms upon which Italy will consent to conclude an agreement with Austria. It is impossible to confirm this report here. General opinion in Rome is that an agreement may still be reached. Nevertheless, military preparations are being continued with the greatest energy along the frontier, where Austria is concentrating troops.

Word has been received from Ancona that an Austrian aeroplane was seen last night scouting the Italian coast, along the Adriatic Sea. The aeroplane was equipped with strong searchlight. The authorities are attempting to identify the aeroplane.

No Visit to Bulgaria.
In connection with the approaching departure of Michel De Giers, the newly appointed Russian ambassador to Italy, newspapers in Rome comment today on the fact that M. De Giers will make visits at Bucharest, Roumania and Nis, Serbia, on his way to this city, but will pass through Sofia, Bulgaria, without stopping. This is interpreted as a possible indication of a lack of good feeling between Russia and Bulgaria.

Petrograd advises indicates that M. De Giers is most cautious in his statements, virtually limiting them to formal expression of Russia's friendliness for Italy. He pointed out that close relations between these countries would be mutually advantageous, not only in the field of politics, but also commercially, since Italy would find in Russia a new and immense market.

ROUMANIA WITH ITALY.
COPENHAGEN, April 22.—Via London, April 22.—12:40 a.m.—An Italian correspondent of the National Times newspaper in an interview had at Port San Remo with a former Roumanian minister. The minister is quoted as having said that Roumania demanded certain concessions of territory from Austria in return for remaining neutral in the war, but that Austria refused to acquiesce.

The minister, according to the correspondent, added that there exists a defensive alliance between Roumania and Italy, and that Italy would not accept any offer from Austria without having received the sanction of Roumania.

ALISA CRAIG STOCK SALE.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
ALISA CRAIG, April 22.—The Alisa Craig spring stock show will be held here on Saturday afternoon, 24th inst.

The farmers of the surrounding country are busily engaged seeding, and from all reports, the land is in good shape. Unless rain, which is much needed, comes, the major part of the crop will be in next week.

DANDRUFF MAKES
HAIR FALL OUT

25c Bottle of "Danderine"
Keeps Hair Thick, Strong,
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Girls! Try This! Doubles
Beauty of Your Hair
in Few Moments.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair, and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you will see new hair, and one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—thats all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

COL. FARQUHAR DIED
BY SENTRY'S BULLET

Showed Himself To Enemy for Fatal Half Minute.

[Canadian Press.]
TORONTO, April 22.—How Col. Farquhar, commanding officer of the Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, met death, is told by one of the members of the regiment, George E. Pearson, in a letter to Mr. G. D. Davis, of this city.

The regiment had been relieved, but he stayed on as usual until all had gone, indefatigable in the pursuit of his duty. The letter says that he left the cellar 50 yards behind our advanced trenches that he used as a headquarters in the company of the commanding officer of the relieving regiment. He showed how to finish up a communication trench over a very nasty piece of ground, a regular death trap, leading from a line to a detached trench, 100 yards in front.

"We had been standing on the parapet of the trench when a German flare shot up. We lay down, as the enemy was only 75 yards away. Before the flare had died down the commanding officer rose to his knees, talking and pointing with his right hand. He remained so for about half a minute, motionless, and lay down, but it was long enough for him to be spotted by a German sentry. The next moment, several shots were fired directly at us. One of them got him. He died a couple of hours later."

BRITAIN EXPECTS MOVE TO START IN BOTH WAR ZONES

Signs of Activity In Aegean and North Seas the Cause.

POPULACE ENTHUSIASTIC

Frank Statement of Ministers Regarding Troops Helps Optimism.

[Canadian Press.]
LONDON, April 22.—3:45 p.m.—Glowing accounts of the strength and condition of the British army and of the ground forces in the theatre of operations, which it is expected, will next month amount to 25 times what it was last September, given by David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, and Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary secretary of the war office, in the House of Commons, have increased the confidence of the people of England in the war when they and their allies are waging on the continents of Europe, Asia and Africa.

Supplementing the statement of the Chancellor that Great Britain has 36 divisions of troops on the continent and that the output of munitions has been enormously increased, Mr. Tennant today, speaking on behalf of the Secretary for War, Lord Curzon, declared that recruiting had been most satisfactory and gratifying; that the health of the troops was splendid and that the wounded in the London hospitals 24 hours after they were struck in France. He wished to impress upon the country the necessity of increasing the supplies of artillery and ammunition, adding: "There is no limit to the amount required."

Big Effort to Commence.
The frankness of the cabinet ministers in making known the number of men at the front, and the reports that reach London from various sources have convinced the people that at last the big effort against Germany and Turkey is about to commence. Both in the Aegean and North Seas there are signs of increasing activity.

From today all sea-bound communication with Holland is stopped by order of the British Government. Taken in connection with the news from Berlin that British submarines have been in the night of Heligoland, where the German Admiralty lays claim to having sunk one and perhaps more, this is believed to be the first move in the North Sea; while there is no longer any endeavor to hide the fact that a big Anglo-French force is prepared to go, as Gen. D'Amade, the French commander, has said, "to any point where it is required."

Troops Land at Enos.

A German report says that part of this force, which is under command of Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, has been landed at Enos, a Turkish town near the northern side of the Gulf of Saros, under the support of the allied fleet. At the same time there is news of transports loaded with troops passing the island of Lemnos, not far from the entrance of the Dardanelles, and of the French being sighted off the port of Smyrna, on the coast of Asia Minor. This makes uncertain where the blow is to be struck. There are Anglo-French troops in the Aegean Sea, including Senegalese, who were transferred from France, and British "Tom-mies" from the outposts of the empire, which, with the disappearance of the last German raiders, are considered safe from attack.

Turks In Full Retreat.

Further east in Mesopotamia, the Turkish army, which was sent to bar the British advance from the head of the Persian Gulf after having suffered 6,000 casualties, is in full retreat, harassed not only by the British, but by Arab tribesmen, whom they had enlisted on their side, and who now that the Turks have been defeated, have turned against them.

Nearer home the British are holding which they captured from the Germans on Saturday, and which the Germans have ever since been trying to retake. The French are pressing hard on the two sides of the German triangle in the Woevre.

Russians Holding Positions.
The Russians, for their part, are, according to their accounts, repulsing repeated Austrian attacks on their positions to the southeast of Lwow Pass in the Carpathians, and are holding their own against the Austro-German efforts on their flanks near Gorlice, in Western Galicia, and, in the eastern part of the same province. These attacks, apparently, are being with the object of holding the Russians where they are, while the Germans are preparing to strike at the Russian lines at some other point, possibly from the direction of Cracow.

Although rumors are many and divergent, no definite news has been received of Italy's intentions. While dispatches indicate that the tension between Rome and Vienna has slackened, the belief is general that it will not be many weeks before Italy and the other Balkan states will assume a more definite attitude.

COL. FARQUHAR DIED
BY SENTRY'S BULLET

Showed Himself To Enemy for Fatal Half Minute.

[Canadian Press.]
TORONTO, April 22.—How Col. Farquhar, commanding officer of the Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, met death, is told by one of the members of the regiment, George E. Pearson, in a letter to Mr. G. D. Davis, of this city.

The regiment had been relieved, but he stayed on as usual until all had gone, indefatigable in the pursuit of his duty. The letter says that he left the cellar 50 yards behind our advanced trenches that he used as a headquarters in the company of the commanding officer of the relieving regiment. He showed how to finish up a communication trench over a very nasty piece of ground, a regular death trap, leading from a line to a detached trench, 100 yards in front.

"We had been standing on the parapet of the trench when a German flare shot up. We lay down, as the enemy was only 75 yards away. Before the flare had died down the commanding officer rose to his knees, talking and pointing with his right hand. He remained so for about half a minute, motionless, and lay down, but it was long enough for him to be spotted by a German sentry. The next moment, several shots were fired directly at us. One of them got him. He died a couple of hours later."

HILL BLOWN AWAY BY FRENCH SHELLS

Many Men Go Insane From the Terrific Fire In France.

AILLY WOODS CAPTURED

Allies Annihilate Six German Companies In Taking Position.

[Canadian Press.]
PARIS, April 22.—3:25 p.m.—An official "eyewitness" describing the operations by which the French are menacing the German positions in the wedge of St. Mihiel says: "All the Allied woods, which constituted a strong and well-fortified support for the Germans, are now entirely in French hands, conquered for the most part by troops from the centre of France, after several days of systematic preparations by a heavy fire from three-inch and big guns, and by aerial torpedoes.

"At certain points the Germans had constructed in front of moats twelve yards wide, spiked barriers extending about six feet above the level of the earth, surrounded by barbed-wire entanglements, which were so intricate as to make them impervious to any tools.

Artillery Opens Way.
"A concentration of artillery fire opened large breaches in this defence; parapets were sent crashing to the ground, and dismembered bodies were blown into the air above the clouds of smoke. The earth was strewn with overturned trees and branches.

"After five hours' intense fire, five mines, laid under a parapet adjacent to the principal fort holding the position, exploded, annihilating the garrison, and spreading panic in the trenches.

"An attack with fixed bayonets then began in three lines, preceded by a detachment with hand grenades. Engineers followed with little bridges, which had been prepared in advance to facilitate the passage of the network of trenches. The order has been given not to stop in any trench, but to pass over and take the enemy in the rear.

"The lines of trenches were thus cleared of the Germans. Those who sought refuge in the underground shelters perished from suffocation, through the collapse of the entire earthworks.

"Towards 3 o'clock, on April 5, the enemy attempted to counter-attack, supported by a heavy artillery fire, which was neutralized by our batteries. Our attack was renewed the following day, and developed into a furious hand-to-hand struggle with grenades and cold steel in the narrow line of trenches.

The enemy opposed with such resistance that the order was given to evacuate part of the ground that had been gained. This was then bombarded until the enemy was obliged to retire. We then held the three main line trenches of the Ailly woods.

"The enemy's losses were heavy. We counted 200 dead on the evening of the 5th, and on the evening of the 6th we found the dead piled in three rows.

"During the 7th and 8th we repulsed eight counter-attacks. The enemy succeeded in entering one trench, but was unable to hold it. Of the Ailly woods there remained nothing but a few hacked trunks, and not an inch of ground in it that had not been turned up by explosives, and in the strange chaos, stones, corpses and a debris of limbs lay mingled.

"At 5:30 o'clock on April 8, an intense

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live bombardment by the enemy was begun. In 90 minutes, upon this corner of the woods, over a front of from 350 to 400 yards deep, 20,000 shells were fired; they included all calibres, from four to eight inch. The entire hill disappeared in a cloud of smoke; all communications were cut during this time, and when the fire ceased, many men were mentally deranged. They had to be removed and required several days for recovery.

"Again on April 10, and April 13, our attacks were renewed, resulting in the gain of the balance of the position in Ailly woods. Six German companies, besides the garrison in the fort, were annihilated in these engagements."

LOSES BARN-SAVES STOCK.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
CLINTON, April 22.—The large barns of D. Fotheringham, on the London road, Tuckerstown Township, were completely destroyed by fire today. The horses and cattle were saved, but a quantity of grain and implements were destroyed.

The fire originated in the loft of the driving shed, and its origin is a mystery.

TURK COMMANDER REPORTED SUICIDE

LONDON, April 22.—3:25 p.m.—The following official communication was issued this evening by the official information bureau:

"The latest telegrams from the Persian Gulf show that the defeat of the Turks at Shaiba was even more complete than had been hoped. Not only have they abandoned their motor cars and provision and ammunition wagons, but independent reports show that their retreat has been a rout, molested by turncoat Arab tribesmen. There are persistent rumors of the suicide of Suliman Askeri, the Turkish commander-in-chief.

"It is estimated that the enemy's casualties from the 12th to the 15th of April reached six thousand. The Turks in this direction are now all north of Khamish, which is more than ninety miles from Basra."

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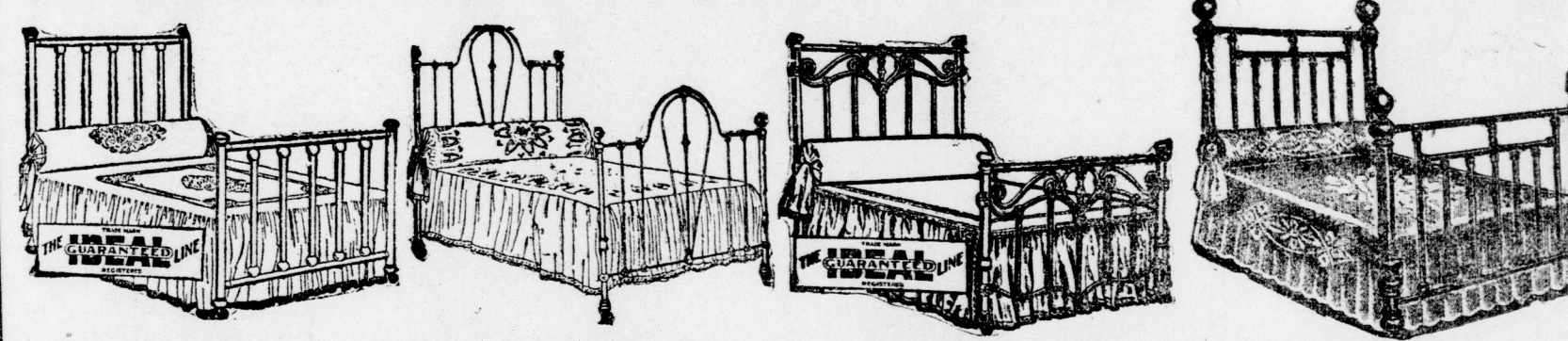
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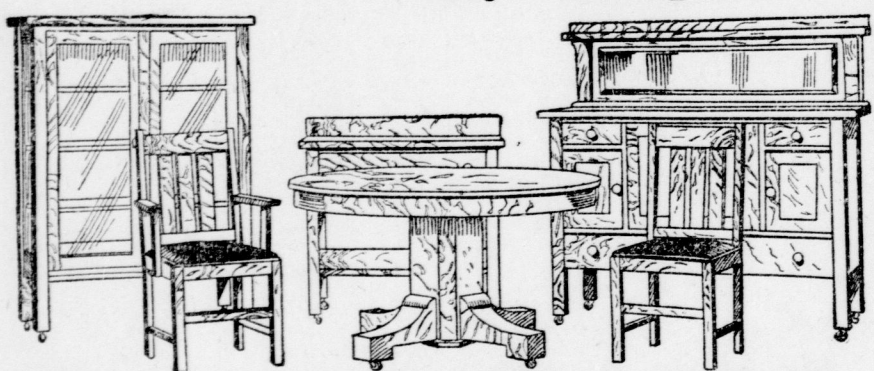
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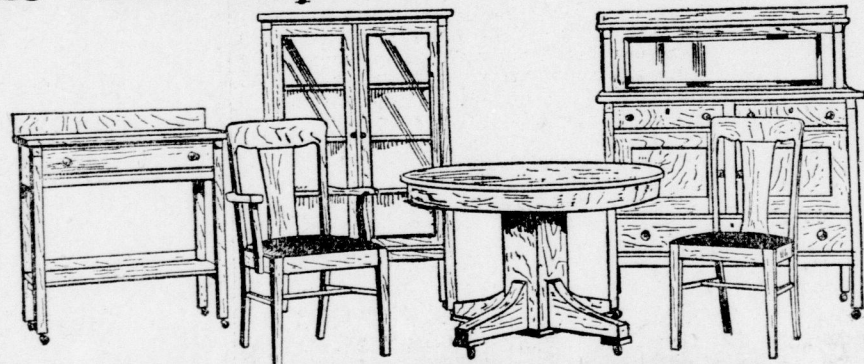
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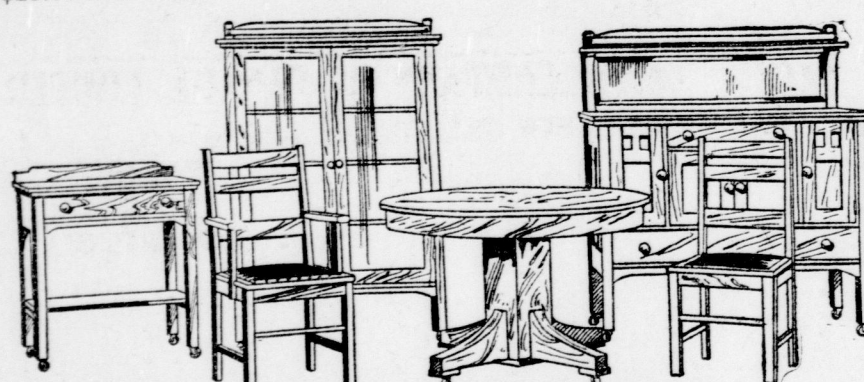
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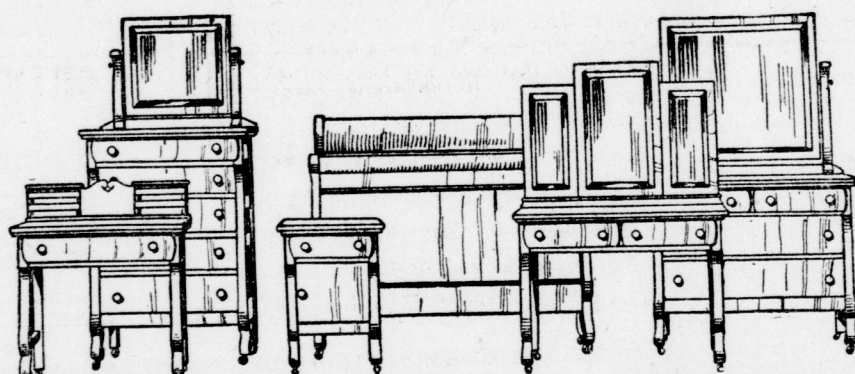
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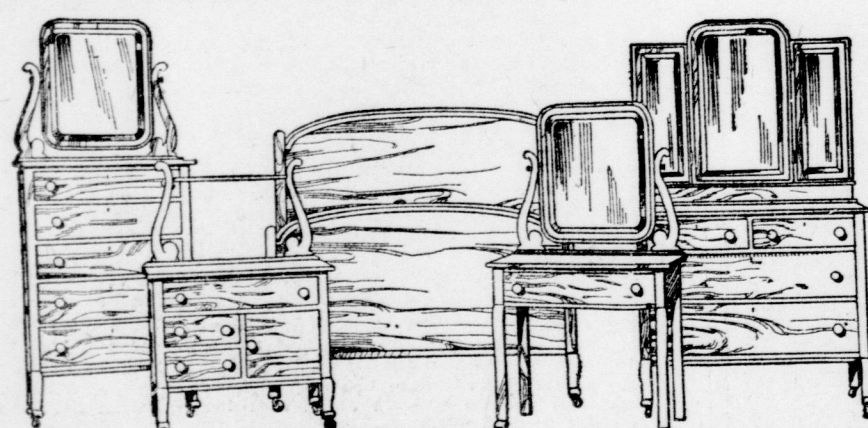
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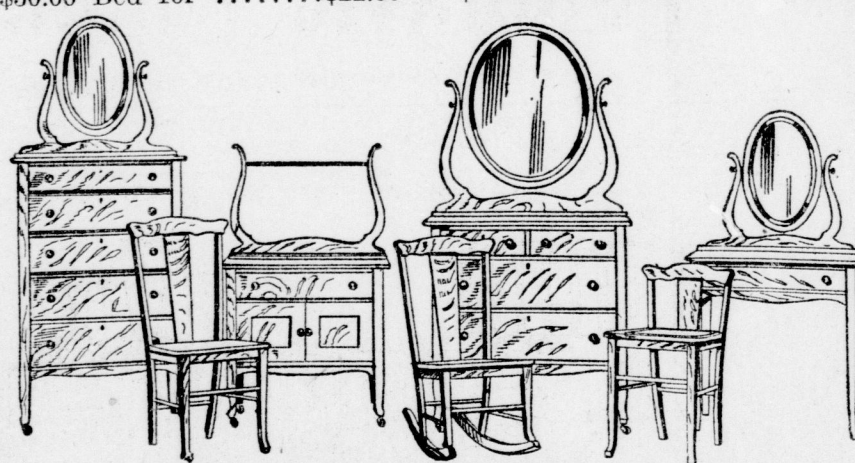
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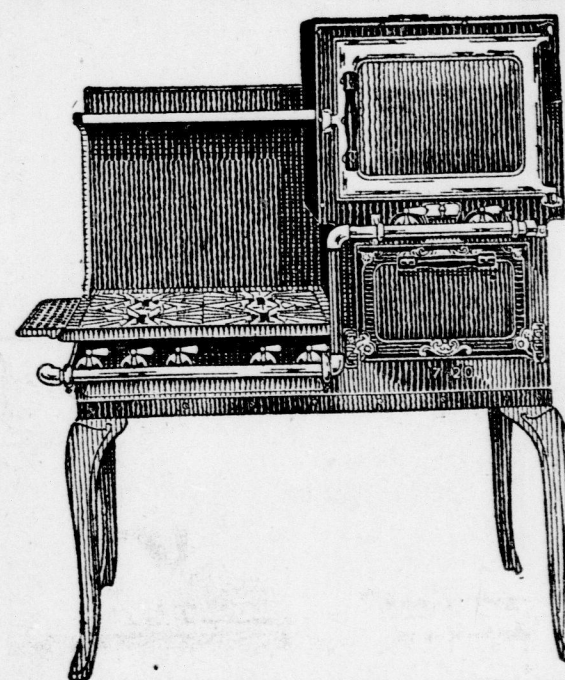
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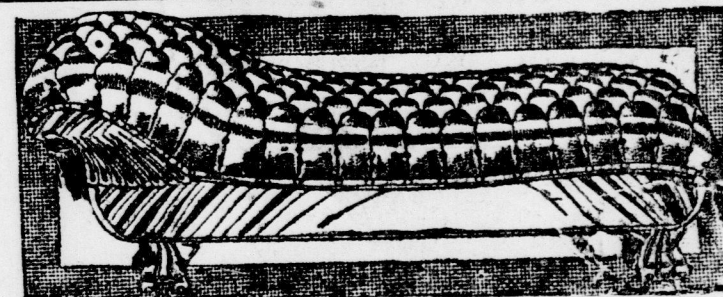
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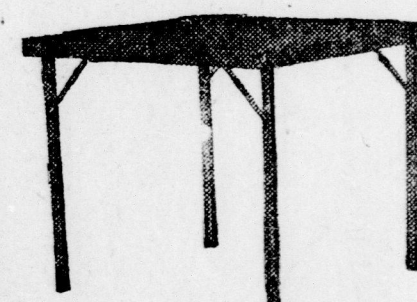
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ANOTHER AMERICAN STEAMSHIP SUNK

Crew of Greenbrier Landed In New York—Boat Hit Mine.

[Canadian Press.] New York, April 23.—Capt. J. Dalton and 25 members of the crew of the American steamer Greenbrier, sunk April 2 by a mine in the North Sea, reached New York today aboard the steamer Rotterdam from Rotterdam.

After discharging at Bremen her cargo of cotton from New Orleans, the Greenbrier sailed March 29 on the return trip. On April 2, members of the crew said today, an explosion, caused by a mine, occurred near the vessel's stern. The Greenbrier sank like a stone, giving the crew barely time to launch two boats and escape with only the clothes they wore. Fifteen hours were spent in the boats in the open sea before the crew reached the German coast. Upon landing, they were cared for by the authorities, and sent to Rotterdam by train. All hands were saved.

The Greenbrier was the first cotton ship to leave an American port for Germany after war was declared. She was taken into Kirkwall by a British warship and released after examination.

TROUBLE AT CLYDE MAY HOLD UP LINERS

Men Demand More Pay—Further Canadian Loans Are Rumored On 'Change.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.] London, April 23.—Trouble has again arisen on the Clyde over the question of pay, and unless the demand of the men for a monthly increase in wages from £6 to £7 10s. is conceded within the next few hours, three Atlantic liners, due to leave there tomorrow for Canada and the States, will be held up.

Shipowners were willing to consider the question of increase, provided the men for the time being signed on at the old rates, and that any advance be made retroactive. These proposals, however, the men's officials declined.

It was common talk on the Exchange yesterday, says a correspondent, that another million dollars worth of 4 per cent Canadian Government inscribed stock had been placed with J.P. Morgan, and official authorization for dealings in it may be looked for. There were rumors too of an important overseas government loan, which will in this case be offered publicly.

SUIT AGAINST CAILLAUX

[Canadian Press.] Paris, April 23.—Suit has been begun against Joseph Caillaux, former finance minister, by an expert gunsmith named Weiss, of Liege, who was engaged as a witness for the defence at the trial of Mme. Caillaux for the murder of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro. Weiss demands 15,000 francs (\$3,000), which M. Caillaux has refused to pay on the ground that it is exorbitant. The plaintiff had prepared a lengthy report, but the defence decided to dispense with his evidence.

EXETER.

Mrs. Dave Johns and daughter have returned home after visiting in Sarnia for the last few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ross, of Winnipeg, have arrived in town. Mr. Ross will work in town this summer. They are at present visiting the former's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Rivers.

Miss Annie Bisset is at present very ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bisset.

Rev. Mr. Baird, R.A., of Mitchell, will give a lecture in Main Street Methodist Church on April 20 on "Pictures That Talk; the Great War."

Mr. and Mrs. Stanbury have returned from their honeymoon trip. They were given a reception at the groom's home, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Graham, of Goderich, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Lindenfield.

Miss Ethel Bisset, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Irwin, of Norwich, are visiting at their parents', Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bisset.

Mrs. Gouling, of British Columbia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Zion.

Miss Lila Taylor has returned to her home at Zion after being in Toronto for the last few months.

C. Harner, after being confined to the house for the last three months, is able to take a short walk each day.

Farmers around Exeter are busy working on the land. Fall wheat has never looked so well for year as it does at present.

LAMBETH.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Keenleyside, of South London, spent the week end with Mrs. David Mann.

Captain Oliver Jewett, of the 33rd Battalion, was a recent visitor with Neil McAlpine.

Miss Edith House has returned from Toronto, where she has been visiting her sister for the past four weeks.

Mrs. Eva Davey, of London, is visiting friends here.

Miss Gertrude Jones, of Delaware, and Miss Duncan, of Byron, were the guests of their aunt, Mr. J. W. Woodhull, for the week end.

Rev. Mr. Creasy, of Delaware, and Rev. J. W. Garbutt exchanged pulpits on Sunday for the last three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bodkin, of Sharon, have moved to the village and have their new home under construction.

Mrs. McCloy, of Detroit, was a recent visitor with Mrs. G. Z. Walters.

The Epworth League visited the Brick Street League this week and had a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Henley, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Earl, left on Thursday to visit her brother, Mr. Yoe, at Big Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. A. E. Welch, of London, was a visitor with her mother, Mrs. George Westlake, on Wednesday.

Dr. C. F. McCaffin paid a flying visit with relatives here on Wednesday before leaving for England.

Joseph Bourne and Fred Boyse both got their new autos home on Thursday.

George Carley has been ill for a few days.

UNIT FROM PETERBOROUGH. PETERBOROUGH, April 22.—The physicians of the local medical society completed today the details of organizing a base hospital unit for the front in any part of Europe where needed, including Serbia, with nine physicians and one dentist. Fifteen trained nurses have offered their services.

THE NECESSITY BRINGS THE MAN

Sir Percy Girouard Power In Hastening Production of Munitions.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.] London, April 23.—One of the men with push and go, for whom the chancellor has been looking, has admitted to been found in the person of Sir Percy Girouard Power.

Until the beginning of the week Sir Percy was still director of Armstrong Whitworths, and in that capacity rendered immense services to the Government by organizing the output of munitions by his firm.

Under his direction enormous additions were made to personnel and plant of the firm, which is stated, is ready to employ ten thousand men at once.

By his promotion to temporary major-general, and his resignation for the time being from the board, the Government hopes to avail itself more directly of his technical and organizing abilities.

The chancellor, speaking in the Commons, said: "Arrangements have been made by which men are allowed to go from engineering works to armament works, and to remain there during a few weeks and acquire knowledge, experience and skill, so that they shall come back, say at the end of six weeks, many after war was declared. She was taken into Kirkwall by a British warship and released after examination."

BRITISH SHIPBUILDERS BUSY ON WAR VESSELS

Output of Mercantile Ships Decreasing Since Beginning of War.

[Canadian Press.] London, April 23.—Shipbuilding yards around the coast of Great Britain are more and more engaged on warship construction and the output of mercantile vessels is thereby decreasing. Last month only twelve vessels were launched on the Clyde against fifteen last year.

Ten new boats are fitting out in the Glasgow district, among them being the new Leyland liner Bostonian.

The east coast yards are engaged on a number of small coasting trade vessels, while the Irish yards are working overtime mostly on Government work.

At the Barrow works of Messrs. Wickers, Limited, an increasing number of girls have been employed in various departments recently. An army of them now pass in and out of the works daily.

STATE TO CARE FOR WAR-MADE ORPHANS

PARIS, April 22.—5:10 p.m.—It was decided today by the cabinet that children made orphans by the death in the war of their fathers should be cared for by the state.

The cabinet considered this matter at length today and determined in principle that these orphans should be made public wards, to be maintained and educated according to a plan to be decided upon later. A commission representing the several ministries concerned will be appointed to study this complicated question and examine bills already introduced in Parliament, partly fair and very mild, but one local showers or thunderstorms.

FOREST.

Mrs. John Scouler is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Miss Dor Hotham, of Shallow Lake, is spending a few weeks here with her aunt, Mrs. John Landy.

Roy Patterson, of Detroit, is spending the week here with his brother, Dr. C. A. Patterson.

Two sisters from London are in town fixing the roof on the Presbyterian Church, high school, and several residences.

Fred Shaw Jun., of Toronto, is here on a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. John Shaw, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis and two children, of Detroit, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Thomas Shaw.

A. R. Fauquier, of Windsor, is now employed at the A. A. Rawlings garage here.

Bert Houser, brother-in-law of Mrs. C. A. Decker, who spent the winter here, returned to his home in Bay City last week.

C. A. Decker has sold one of his lots on Prince street to W. Begins and A. Matthews, who will erect a dwelling-house thereon this summer.

Miss Elizabeth Kerr, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Miss Isabella Kerr.

Fred W. Hall spent a week in Detroit with friends.

Sam L. Shepherd, Plymouth, moved to Forest last Thursday, and is occupying C. Wall's house on James street.

Frank Jennings, of Petrolia, has been spending a few days with Forest relatives.

George W. Beatty has exchanged his house and lot on John street for Avram Flagg's house and lot on McDonald street, Mr. Flagg paying \$250 to boot.

Miss Sara Pettipiece is spending a few weeks in Amherstburg, a Forest visitor Tuesday.

The Greenlee headings and stove mill is running full blast with a staff of ten men. They look for a busy season.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Isbister and children, of Amherstburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Leslie, of Sarnia, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. McKellar recently.

Mrs. P. Lindsay, Parkhill, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Steele.

Harry Rankin, of Vancouver, has been spending the past two weeks here with his sister, Mrs. F. A. Walters.

DENFIELD.

James Cleghorn, the G. T. R. section foreman here, spent the week end with his parents in Bluevale.

Mrs. J. T. Shipley was a London visitor on Friday and also her sister, Miss Rosser.

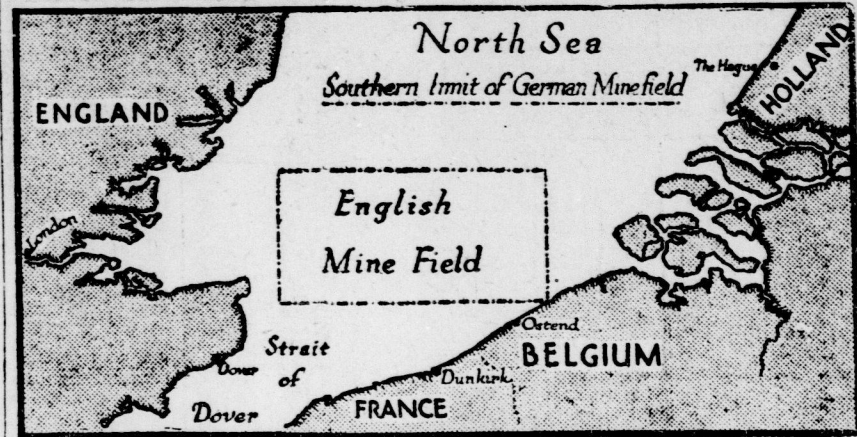
Seedling has started in this vicinity. Quite a number were plowing last week.

A. W. Tedder has engaged for the summer with Mr. J. T. Shipley.

S. Ross is busy now getting ready to raise his barn and put in a cement foundation.

Corns Instant Relief
Drop Out
Paint on Putnam's Corn Extractor to-night, and corns feel better in the morning. "Putnam's" cures the way. Medical. The roots, kills a corn for all time. No pain. Cure guaranteed. Get a 25 cent bottle of Putnam's

Important Events Expected Soon in the North Sea



GERMANY HAS NEW KIND OF MORATORIUM

Extends Protection of Debtors to Foreign Parties—Commanders Rice.

[Canadian Press.] Berlin, via London, April 23.—The federal council has extended until July 31 the operation of the order which provides that claims held by foreign persons or corporations which accrued before July 31, 1914, cannot be sued upon in German courts. This order is a counter-measure to the moratoria existing in most of the other countries at war. The chancellor is authorized to make exceptions to the rule in special cases.

The council also has ordered all holders of rice and rice flour in quantities exceeding 200 kilograms (440 pounds), to report to the so-called purchasing agency, which is authorized to buy any or all of these commodities reported.

The military commander of the province of Brandenburg has forbidden the sale of detail maps and of guide books or literature describing the northern, eastern or western boundary districts of Germany.

GREAT BRITAIN TO LIMIT FACILITIES FOR DRINKING

LONDON, April 22.—8 p.m.—That the British Government does not intend to have recourse to prohibition in dealing with the drink question was inferred from Premier Asquith's statement in the House of Commons this evening.

When he said that on Wednesday or Thursday next the Chancellor of the Exchequer, David Lloyd George, would bring forward his proposals for "dealing with the limiting of facilities for drinking."

The Premier's remark was generally interpreted as meaning that the hours during which drink would be obtainable in the public houses would be considerably curtailed throughout the country and not merely in the areas where munitions of war are manufactured.

BRANTFORD BOY PROMOTED.

[Special to The Advertiser.] BRANTFORD, April 22.—Private W. Hamilton, of the 38th Dufferin Rifles, who is now in France, has been promoted at the front to staff signaller to the 21st Montreal Highlanders. He was, while in Brantford, a machinist at the Massey-Harris works.

GRIMSBY TRAWLER SUNK BY GERMANS

Submarine Torpedoes the St. Lawrence—Two of Crew Killed.

[Canadian Press.] Grimsby, Eng., April 22.—1:40 p.m.—The Grimsby trawler St. Lawrence was torpedoed and sunk in the North Sea yesterday by a German submarine. Two members of the crew were killed. Seven survivors were brought here today by the trawler Queenstown, whose skipper reports that the submarine fired on his vessel while engaged in rescuing the crew of the St. Lawrence.

CAMLACHIE.

William McConnell, of Sarnia, is spending a few days with his brother John.

Mrs. William Lockyer is spending a few days with friends in Forest.

Mrs. Warner McRoberts went to Denfield Saturday to attend the funeral of her mother-in-law, Mrs. William McRoberts. Mr. McRoberts went Tuesday, his mother having taken a stroke, from which she did not rally.

Mrs. M. G. Cole, of Forest, is visiting among old friends here for a few days.

R. D. Delmage took a load of hogs and cattle to Toronto this week.

AULD-SMITH.

[Special to The Advertiser.] ESSEX, April 22.—John A. Auld, ex-M.P., of Amherstburg, proprietor of the Amherstburg Echo, was married here tonight at 8 p.m. to Miss Minnie Smith, of Essex. The wedding was very quiet, on account of Mr. Auld's mother, in Strathroy, being dangerously ill.

To add to the life and beauty of woollens, flannels, laces and all kinds of sensitive fabrics—use

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the incomparable cleanser. LUX is the pure essence of fine soap, in flakes. It dissolves readily in hot water—makes a cream-like lather which cannot injure fine fabrics or dainty hands. Just try LUX.

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65 SAMPLE HIGH-GRADE English Raincoats \$6.48

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Distinctly the smartest clothes offered to you today, these garments offer the extra inducement of economy, for they are from \$3 to \$5 per suit lower than equal cloth qualities cost you in any other high-grade line.

The new English models are selling like hot cakes, because they are authoritatively correct in every line. We show them in plain blues and greys and all the new check and over-all designs, pencil stripes, etc. \$18, \$20, \$22 and \$25.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

We now have the "Society" brand special order samples, an exclusive showing of smart and unusual patterns, from which you can have any model tailored to your order in ten days' time. \$20 to \$27.50.

Boys' Spring Hats at 50c and 75c

Cotton Hats in neat patterns and plain colors, all sizes. On sale 50c
Tweed Hats in plain blue and grey. Special price 75c
Velvet Corduroy and Shepherd Checks \$1.00
Boys' Caps, in all the new shapes 25c, 30c, 50c

95 Sample Spring Suits, Made to Sell from \$12 to \$15, for \$7.95

Another snap picked up by our buyer in the eastern market. Cleverly-tailored Spring Suits, in several smart three-button sack style, all with fine serge linings and trimmings to match in quality. Handsome greys in several shades, olive mixtures, tans, browns, etc., all in bright new patterns in neat checks and stripes. Sizes 33 to 40 only.

60 Fine English Worsted Suits, \$12.50 In Blues, Greys and Browns, Reg. \$16.50

An exceptionally lucky purchase, because these suits are worth practically our selling price at wholesale price. All are in a smart three-button sack style, with raised seams and three-eighth stitching. The first a splendid plain blue British serge, the second a handsome stone grey with a neat stripe, the third a handsome nut brown in a fancy honeycomb weave with just the faintest pattern in a contrasting shade. Sizes 35 to 44 in the lot. Come early for these.

A Wonderful Showing of Plain Grey Serge Suits, \$13.75 to \$23.50

Always good looking, these greys are singularly serviceable, because they refuse to show the ordinary dust and dirt of the summer months.

We show them in a dozen shades, from the dark Oxford grey to the lightest shades, and every line is of pure wool quality, that will retain both color and shape. Values are such that positively no repeat can be had at anything like present prices. \$13.75, \$15, \$18, \$20 to \$23.50.

Shirt Bargains That Are Timely Indeed!

NO. 1—New York Shirts, with silk and mercerized bosoms and French cuffs, with body of same pattern in fine madras; many smart and exclusive patterns; regular \$1.50, for... 98c

NO. 2—"Tooke Bros." Full-Sized Shirts in plain and corded percales and madras, starched cuffs, black and white and neat light patterns, absolutely fast in color; regular \$1.00, for... 75c

NO. 3—Black and white and neat light patterns in plain and corded cloths, absolutely fast in colors, and in qualities of cloth that usually are found in 75c shirts; all sizes to 16.... 48c

Special showing of fine White Soft Front Shirts, and splendid novelties in Silk Bosom Shirts, just arrived, at \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Saturday Bargains—Shop Early

Men's Silk Socks, in black and tan, lisle feet and tops, regular 35c, at 25c

Boys' W. G. R. Shirts, in neat, light patterns, worth 65c, for 45c

Penman's Merino Socks, in natural and grey shades, regular 20c, at 13c

Men's Plain Grey Tweed Pants, in all sizes, regular \$1.35, for 98c

Men's Fine Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, with tape or hemmed edge, 15c, for 10c

Men's "Airy Wear" Summer Combination Underwear, regular \$1. 65c

Men's Blue Chambray Shirts, full size, fast color, at old price 69c

Men's Duplex Braces, of best web, a 25c wonder, for 19c

Men's Blue Stripe Overalls and Smocks, regular 65c and 75c, for 42c

Men's Silk Cashmere Socks, in grey and tan, regular 50c pair, for 35c

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PRESS INDORSES BERNSTORFF, SNUB

Herald Says He Was Really
Called Ignorant and
Impudent.

MAY DRIVE TRUTH HOME

Shows Germans That Appeals
To Americans Have Proved
Boomerang.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, April 23.—The Herald this morning says editorially: "Instead of being given his 'walking papers'—a proceeding for which there would have been ample justification had he not hastened to make it clear that his Government, not he, was responsible for the offence—Count Von Bernstorff is told, very politely but very positively, that his 'memorandum' criticism of the American Government's neutrality was both ignorant and impudent."

May Be of Value.
"The American note is admirable in temper, tone and reasoning. While there was no real necessity for restating the attitude of the United States with regard to the sale of war munitions to belligerents, since the German Government well knows that this attitude is not only correct but compares exactly with that at Washington by Germany itself, the restatement may be of value in driving home the truth to the ignorant and the misguided on both sides of the Atlantic. If it does no good in that direction, at least it can do no harm."

Proper Rebuke.
"Germany now knows the truth that lies in the adage, that it takes two to make a quarrel. Its effort to impugn the good faith of the United States has been properly rebuked. Its appeal to the American people over the head of their Government has proved a boomerang."

The World says: "If Count Von Bernstorff or his superiors have entertained the thought that they might, by the misuse of the resources of diplomacy, promote the political ends of a German party in this country, it is probable that the latter being utterly imprudent, if not impudent, deliverance is in hand, that they have learned their mistake."

Treats Him as Bad Boy.
The Times says: "Mr. Bryan reproves Count Von Bernstorff as a wise and big-hearted teacher might reprove a very bad and very perverse small boy, who had been guilty of highly obnoxious behavior. The teacher elects to take the way of persuasive kindness with the boy. He does not thrash him—you can't thrash an ambassador, it isn't done—he seeks to bring him to sincere repentance by making him see for himself the very serious nature of his offence."

Canada Represented
At Officers' Funeral

Capt. Darling and Warren, of
Toronto, Buried in London,
England.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.]
London, April 23.—A representative company of Canadians and English sympathizers assembled in All Saints', Norfolk Square, today for memorial service to Capt. Darling and Capt. Warren, of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto. The former died of wounds here Monday, the latter being killed in action the day following. The widows of both officers have been here for some time, Mrs. Darling, in fact, having been in constant company with Mrs. Warren during the last few days. Sir George Perley attended on behalf of the Dominion Government, and Gen. Lawrence, on behalf of the War Office, being accompanied by Mrs. Alderson, wife of the commandant of the Canadians now in the field.

Those Attending.
Others attending were: Earl Grey, General and Mrs. McDougall, Col. Hendry, Mr. Marshall, Capt. Armstrong, Sir William Osler and Mrs. Peacock, Lady Drummond, Mrs. Guy Drummond, Mrs. Darling, Mrs. McLaren, of Hamilton, Miss Schreiber, Mrs. Barwick, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Stewart Houston, Mrs. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. McLaren Brown.

The Service.
The service was taken by Rev. W. Boyd, a full choir attending. Capt. Darling's coffin rested on a Catafalque in the centre of the chancel. The hymn "Sunset and Evening Star" was the opening hymn, a lesson and benediction, the burial service being included. The final hymn was "For All the Saints," followed by the National Anthem, sung by all present.

The officiating minister, Rev. W. Boyd, identified the composer of the famous hymn "Flight of the Good Shepherd."

PORT STANLEY HOTELS
GET 6-MONTH LICENSES

East Elgin Commissioners Grant Three
in Aylmer, One in Springfield.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Aylmer, April 23.—East Elgin license commissioners met today and granted licenses to Joseph Rawson, Brown House; George Sears, Mansion House; John Hanson, Central Hotel, Aylmer. Subject to the approval of the inspector on condition of replacing old furniture with new, Wm. Reichenbach, Commercial Hotel, Springfield, gets license. A. Saddler, Loney House, Port Stanley; H. B. Ardis, Franklin House, Port Stanley, and B. F. Honsinger, Port Stanley Invererie, get six months' license.

GOOD WORK GOES ON

Magistrate Judd Working Out Theory
of Reform in Police Court.

Working on his theory of reform rather than punish, Police Magistrate J. C. Judd, when a man pleaded guilty to the theft of two cases of eggs from the Canadian Pacific Railway, placed the prisoner on the prohibitive list and fined him \$20, instead of imposing a prison sentence on the man.

In this man's case it was the old story of committing the crime while under the influence of liquor. The man had never been in any kind of trouble before, and as the result of his good character and his having a wife and family, the magistrate, after giving the prisoner a severe lecture, imposed sentence on him.

GOOD-BYE, ABSINTHE

French Government Takes Preliminary
Steps for Purchasing Wormwood
Plants.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, April 23.—The Minister of Finance, Alexandre Ribot, appointed today a commission to assess the value of wormwood plants producing absinthe. This step is preliminary to the purchase by the Government of the plants under the act recently adopted by Parliament, which prohibits absolutely the manufacture of absinthe.

Tonight, sure! Take Cascarets and enjoy the most, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Cascarets will give you a clean, clear, bright, healthy, and happy life. Your head will be clear, breath right, appetite clear, stomach sweet. Get a box now at any drug store. Best cathartic for children.

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TAKE CASCARETS

Feel fine! Remove the winter's
liver and bowel poison
while you sleep.

Spend 10 cents! Don't stay
sick, bilious, headachy
and constipated.

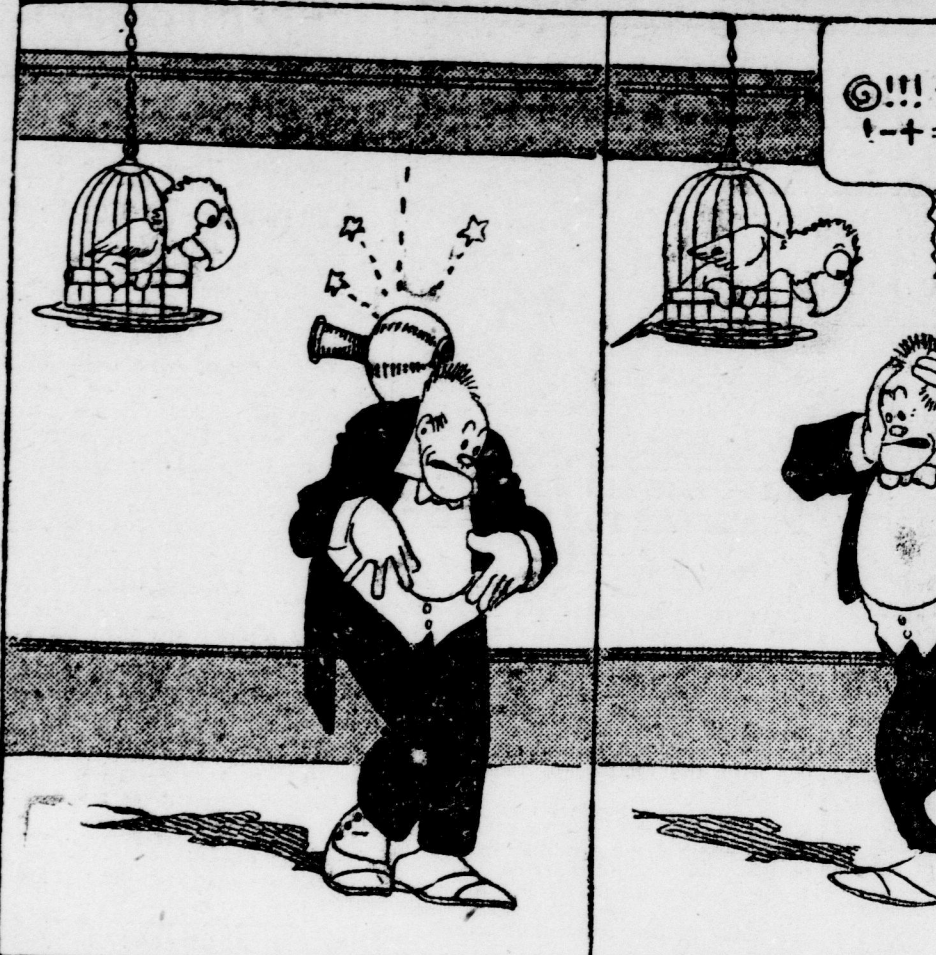
Bring Up Father

GERMANS STEALING
LUXEMBURG GIFTS

Grand Duchess Protests As
Her Subjects Are Nearly
Starving.

Luxemburg, April 23.—Via Paris.—11:25 a.m.—Grand Duchess Marie of Luxemburg has sent an official protest to Berlin against the methods of distribution of food supplies, which is said to have resulted in bringing nearly half of her subjects to the verge of starvation. She states that gifts of food, money and clothes have been sent to Luxemburg from all parts of the world, but that only a small part of these gifts reached the civilian population. She also says that the German army is requisitioning provisions in exchange for scrip.

Bringing Up Father



By George McManus



Warm Welcome to Czar at Lemberg



The Contest Bulletin

Work. There's a good trip coming.

Twenty-seven more week days to make the prize your own.

Steady, persistent effort will win the race. Make every day tell.

Announcement of greatest importance to candidates to be made Monday afternoon. Watch The Advertiser.

A miss is as good as a mile. Promises are good; votes are better. Less than five weeks until May 25. Convert your prospects into ballots.

Beautiful folders, containing colored views of scenes on "coming home" route, have reached The Advertiser office. One for each candidate. Ask for yours.

Standing of contestants will be announced on Saturday afternoon, April 24. Votes reaching The Advertiser later than twelve o'clock noon today will not be included in this count.

JURY TO DECIDE SANITY OF THAW

Harry K. Wins On Application
Made For Such a
Trial.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, April 23.—The question of the sanity of Harry K. Thaw will be determined by a jury. Supreme Court Justice Hendrick, in a decision handed down today, granted the application for a writ of habeas corpus.

Plot Unearthed.
New York, April 23.—Sheriff Griffiths today said that he had taken every precaution to frustrate an alleged plot to spirit Harry Thaw out of New York State, which came to light last night in Norfolk, Va. Without accusing Thaw or any of his intimates of participation in the plot, the local authorities said they had reason to believe that plans had been laid to take Thaw from his guard on the way to court here, place him in an automobile and hurry to the first train for Virginia.

According to the sheriff, the plan was first revealed by the following letter written to Assistant District Attorney Groehl, of New York, by Louis Weinrop, of Norfolk:

The Letter.
"A man comes over to me and he said I should go to New York when Harry Thaw's case comes up on the 22nd of April, and he will give me two more men, and they will have an automobile to take Harry Thaw away when he comes to the courtroom to another place, but I refused him the job, because he wanted me to go at once with him to New York, but I wanted him to give me \$500 before I go with him."

"He will not want to do that. He only wanted to pay me carfare to New York, and go there with him to his office in New York. This man is a detective, I know him, but I can't write you in this letter who he is. But if I could see you personally I tell you who he is. If you want me, you can wire me at once on your expense and I will come to New York."

EDUCATE CHILDREN
OF DEAD PATRIOTS

President of St. George's Society En-
deavoring to Secure Co-operation
In Idea.

President T. J. Holmes, of St. George's Society, who for twenty years was in the British naval service, has been endeavoring to secure co-operation in a scheme to provide for the education of London children whose fathers had been killed or incapacitated in the war.

Mr. Holmes believes that the societies organized under patriotic auspices should have in mind the welfare of the children of men who have fallen in the front. He believes that every child should have the advantage of the best education that can be secured and that if proper organization was effected the children could be cared for with little expense.

There are others who believe that the scheme of Government education for these children should be undertaken.

BORDEN IN RETREAT;
CAUSE IS DOUBTFUL

Some Say He Is Preparing Manifestos
Both For and Against Election.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, April 23.—Premier Borden is in retreat. It is officially announced that he is nursing himself through an attack of grip, but in some quarters it is understood that he is preparing two manifestos, one to be issued if the Cabinet decides that there is to be an election, the other to be issued if the decision is against an election.

Hon. Frank Cochrane will be back in Ottawa on Monday, and he and Hon. Robert Rogers will make up the mind of the Government upon the question of an appeal to the people at once, or deferring the election until autumn.

TORONTO PHYSICIAN DEAD

Dr. W. W. Ogden Expires Suddenly at
Home.

TORONTO, April 23.—Dr. W. W. Ogden, for over half a century a leading physician, and for nearly the same period a prominent educationalist in Toronto, died suddenly at his residence, 550 Palmerston avenue, today.

Deceased was born in Peel county in 1827. He was a lecturer on medical jurisprudence and toxicology at the Toronto School of Medicine from 1869 to 1887; since that date he was a professor of forensic medicine at the University, until he retired some four years ago. For forty-five years he was a member of the board of education.

MRS. WALKER BURIED.

DRESDEN, April 23.—The funeral of Mrs. George Walker, who made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Christopher Robinson, of Chatham, took place yesterday at Dresden Cemetery. Rev. A. C. Tiffin conducted the service at the grave.

Besides her aged husband, she leaves one son, George Walker, of Port Lambton, and two daughters, Mrs. Robinson, of Chatham, and Mrs. M. Elsom, of Port Lambton.

PREPARING FOR PROBE.

WINNIPEG, April 23.—The Royal Commission to probe the Kelly contracts on the Parliament buildings was formally organized today. Preliminary issuance of subpoenas will be made tomorrow morning and it is expected that taking of evidence will commence on Monday or Tuesday.

GRANT LICENSE CUT OFF

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WALKERTON, April 23.—The license commissioners of South Bruce met today at the Queen's Hotel and renewed all the licenses in the riding for the Walkerton four licenses, the township of Brant three, Carleton six, and Cuthbert one, making fourteen in all. In Centre the old licenses and granted a license to the hotel at Pinkerton, which was cut off last year and over which there has been much litigation.

GOOD-BYE, ABSINTHE

French Government Takes Preliminary
Steps for Purchasing Wormwood
Plants.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, April 23.—The Minister of Finance, Alexandre Ribot, appointed today a commission to assess the value of wormwood plants producing absinthe. This step is preliminary to the purchase by the Government of the plants under the act recently adopted by Parliament, which prohibits absolutely the manufacture of absinthe.

Warm Welcome to Czar at Lemberg

People Cheer Until He Comes Out to
Address Them.

[Canadian Press.]
London, April 23.—3 p.m.—Emperor Nicholas arrived today at Lemberg, the Galician fortress which the Russians wrested from Austria early in the war.

A crowd gathered in front of the railroad station by Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief, with whom he held a conference concerning the military operations along the Carpathian front.

A crowd gathered in front of the palace of the governor-general, where Emperor Nicholas is staying, and appeared continuously until the ruler of the crowd, he said: "I thank you for this hearty welcome. Long live indivisible Russia! Hurrah!"

FLOODS IN TEXAS COST MANY LIVES

Nearly a Score Thought To
Have Perished in
Creeks.

[Canadian Press.]
Austin, Tex., April 23.—Floods that swept down Waller and Shoal Creeks here last night took a toll of fifteen or twenty lives, according to estimates today.

Houses were jammed in masses against the bridges, and the high water flooded many business houses. Heavy work was done by citizen rescue parties, and by the fire and police departments. Of eight persons in a house which was swept down Waller Creek, all but one are believed to have perished.

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These fixtures were bought at a price much lower than they could ever be made for, and tomorrow we are offering the entire stock at half the regular prices.

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This is the chance of a lifetime to get a handsome dome or a beautiful fixture for the parlor or any room, at a price never dreamed of before.

We were also successful in getting 2,000 Tungsten lamps, in 25, 40 and 60 watts, which we offer on sale tomorrow at 31c each. Get your supply now, as they won't last long.

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FOR THE BEDROOM—Dainty patterns, with cut-out borders to match, at 6c, 8c, 10c, 12½c and 15c.

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190 DUNDAS STREET.



"BACK TO LAND" PROVES SUCCESS

70 Men at Brantford Placed on Farms in Two Days' Campaign.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
BRANTFORD, April 22.—William Farrell, of the Dominion Immigration Department, has been successful in starting a "back to the land" movement in Brantford, and in his two days in the city has been able to place over 70 men upon farms in the district.
He is pleased with the class of men who have gone back to farming, and he finds some foreign families of Australian and Polish descent who are willing to take over farms, and work them in the West. There are numerous young men, who are to take up farming for a living, who have been started by the authorities, and only wanted such an opportunity.
Speaking upon the subject, Mr. Farrell said that the present movement was opportune for a back to the land movement, and he was very agreeably surprised at the way the scheme had been received and acted upon. At this time of national need, he observed, there is no finer thing than production.
Captain Osborne, D.A.D. and I.M.G., of Toronto, has inspected the stores and munitions of the 38th Pufferin Rifles, and has expressed himself as highly satisfied with the result of his investigations.

FIFTH DEATH IN YEAR

Lobo Family Falls Beneath Sickle of Grim Reaper.

STRATHROY, April 22.—The death of Wm. McCall, Sarnia road, Lobo, occurred this morning. Pneumonia was the cause of death. His death is the fifth at the residence, all within a year. His sister, Barbara, was only buried last week and another sister a few months ago. His mother and step-mother died last fall. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. to Ivan Cemetery.

The first of July committee will meet tomorrow evening to decide on the nature of a celebration this year. It is undecided whether to hold a celebration or not, owing to financial circumstances. It has a balance of \$170.77 on hand from last year.
The Progress Baseball Club held its first practice at Alexander Park tonight. The boys are working hard to get in shape for the opening of the season on May 12.

Everything Must Go!



At the Semi-ready Store, Dundas St.

I will sell en bloc or in detail, and am open to any offer for the lease and fixtures for May delivery.

Not a single article—no suit nor shirt, nor hat, nor hose—everything is marked down for the quick march—for I must soon march myself.

This is a commercial exigency—a genuine sale of genuinely good men's wear—which does not occur in normal times. Spring Suits and other Spring Wear—right in the heart of the season when you must buy, anyway. And I trust you have no prejudice against buying of me, when I must soon away.

Here are a few samples of what I can offer you—just a few:

Linen Collars
5c Each

Any Hat in Store
for \$1.45

Cravats at
29c

\$4 Silk Shirts
for \$2.75

Spring Und'wear
40c Garment

ALL SPRING SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICE.

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The Semi-ready Store
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SPECIAL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
KARRY-HOMA-BOX
TULIPS and DAFFODILLS
25c Dozen

CARNATIONS
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SWEET PEAS
2-doz. Bunch 35c.

The Quality
DICKS'
Flower Shop
PHONE 1297.

MITCHELL THESPIANS DELIGHT AUDIENCE

Put On Splendid Play For Patriotic Purposes, Netting \$250.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
MITCHELL, April 22.—The Mitchell Operatic Society, composed of 45 people, put on the operetta "Bubba" in the Opera House on Wednesday evening. The building was crowded to its utmost capacity and the proceeds, which amounted to about two hundred and fifty dollars, will go to aid the Patriotic Society, after all expenses are paid.

The players were all purely local and the undertaking demanded no small amount of ability, but great credit is due George Hemery, director and conductor.
The performance was spectacular and was presented in two acts, the chief members of the cast being Cameron Geddes, Miss Jean Campbell, J. Skinner, Miss G. McCulloch, Miss A. Rogers, Mr. I. Stuart, F. Sherwood and J. A. Macdonald. The stage settings were all pleasing, some being exceedingly pretty and some again charmingly effective.

Among the latter was the first love scene and duet, between the young prince, John Skinner, and the royal princess, Miss Jean Campbell.

All parts were enthusiastically received by the audience. Miss Bain, who acted as pianist for Mr. Hemery, deserves credit for her splendid investigations.

The stage managers were Dr. A. J. Brown and Gladstone Perry. W. A. Cameron acted as prompter.

ROAD HOUSES SECURE LICENSES IN N. ESSEX

Small Interior Hotels Held Up by Commissioners, However.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WINDSOR, April 22.—North Essex license commissioners held a special meeting at Tecumseh this afternoon, and after granting licenses to practically every road house on the river front, decided to hold up a number of small hotels in the interior of the county until charges that insufficient accommodations existed, had been looked into.

A license was also granted George M. Hendrie, of the Windsor Race Track. William H. Bousineau, of the Pike Creek Hotel, was denied a license, on the ground that by a restriction of that territory, there is a population of only 100 persons at Pike Creek.

THE BURNING RUINS OF NEUVE CHAPELLE



Every building in the little town that gave its name to the great struggle last month was reduced to ruins by shell fire or burned.

STRAFORD WOULD BURY ALL WIRES

Wants Telephone Cables in Underground Ducts.

GOING BACK TO ENGLAND
Departure of Patriotic Fund Beneficiaries Causes New Departure for Trustees.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
STRAFORD, April 22.—When the question of renewing the present agreement with the Bell Telephone Company is under consideration as it will be very soon, the city will endeavor to have a clause inserted providing that in future all lines of the company be placed underground. The existing agreement expires on May 1, and by the company has power to place poles on any of the city streets, the same being under the supervision of the city engineer. The city has already made a move in this direction of itself, and similar action on the part of the company would add greatly to the appearance of the streets.

One of the new problems which the local branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has to deal with, is provision for dependents of volunteers who desire to go home to the Old Country to live. Five applications for transportation have been received by Secretary M. A. Massie, but before any transportation is granted the head branch of the fund requires that the affairs of the party be completely settled, and that a letter be furnished showing that they will be welcome in the old land, and that they will not become a burden on the country.

Private Knott, who enlisted with the 15th Battalion of the second contingent of this city, but was discharged as medically unfit for service, and whose mother has written Col. Shannon, of London, as to his whereabouts, is now at Guelph with the 24th Battalion, having also enlisted from Stratford.

Tonight the G.T.R. employees had were hosts of an enjoyable informal dance at the assembly hall of the shops.

RAIN NEEDED BADLY

[Special to The Advertiser.]
SEAFORTH, April 22.—Midsummer drought has continued in this district during the month of April and rain is much needed now for the fall wheat and grass, both of which came through in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott, of Scott Bros., former residents of Seaforth, who returned from the Peace River Country last fall to spend the winter, leave again this week for the West and intend to settle permanently at Edmonton or Calgary.

Henry Edge, hardware merchant, has decided to vacate the premises now occupied by him and remove to the store in the Kidd Block now occupied by Beattie Bros., the latter going back to its own block.

Still No News of the Fate of Brantford Man

Former Constable, Fighting in Belgium, Disappears, and Cannot Be Traced.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
BRANTFORD, April 22.—Mystery surrounds the fate of Pte. Jack Blanchard, who has never been heard from since October 29, when he was fighting in Belgian trenches near Mons and got separated from his regiment, the Coldstream Guards. He has not been posted as a casualty and his wife, who resided in Brantford and has since gone to London, has never heard from him.

It was first thought and reported that he was killed. This was subsequently denied, but the facts of the case were never ascertained. The latest word received in the city, where he was a former police officer, came from the Red Cross headquarters, who noted that Col. Leonard that he was lost on October 29, but whether he is interned or dead is not definitely stated.

BRITISH CRUISER TIRES WAITING FOR REAL TARGET

HIGHLANDS, N. J., April 22.—One of the British cruiser doing patrol duty off the entrance of New York harbor alarmed residents in this vicinity shortly after noon today by opening fire with her heavy guns, causing detonations which shook windows along the coast. The cruiser was apparently engaged in target practice.

The firing was heavy, and in salvoes coming from the port batteries. The projectiles could be seen striking the water two or three miles distant from the ship. The cruiser was about 23 miles east of the Highlands, heading east. One other cruiser was in the vicinity.

CONTRACTOR IS KILLED

Meets Death When His Car Turns Turtle.
TORONTO, April 22.—Benj. F. Law, a good road's contractor, residing at 143 Kingston road, was instantly killed tonight when his car ran into the ditch on the Kingston road, turned turtle and pinned him beneath it breaking his neck. A companion in the car escaped unhurt.

New York Beauty and Heiress Won By Grandson of Famous Pork Packer



Young Philip Armour, the third of his name, the grandson of Philip H. Armour, who founded the Armour packing industries, has become a family man as well as a business man.
Armour was married recently in New York to Miss Gwendolin B. Congdon, a beauty and an heiress. Armour has been working nine hours a day in the Armour packing house since last October. The young people will make their home in Chicago.

LAST YEAR'S ACREAGE ALREADY SURPASSED

Farmers in Crinan District Have Doubled Out Sowing This Year.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
CRINAN, April 22.—Seeding is well under way in this part of the county of Elgin. The farmers were all on the land during the past week and many more acres of spring crop have been sown so far than the total acreage last year. The acreage of oats sown will be nearly double that of previous years. There will be little, if any, increase in the barley crop, partly on account of the difficulty to secure good seed and partly on account of the uncertainty of the crop during the last few seasons.

There will also be a small acreage of white pea beans this year, on account of the rust which has made the crop a failure in many cases during the past season. In some cases farmers who have good land for raising beans are intending planting Yellow Eye beans for the coming season. The acreage of corn will, by present indications, be about the same as usual.

Contrary to expectations of the first part of the year, the Dominion Canners, Limited, is going to operate the West Lorne Canning Factory, although it is only going to handle a very small quantity of material in comparison to other years. It has decided to use all the seed it has on hand and to distribute it among the farmers who have been raising peas, beans and corn for it for several years. It is a good thing for both the citizens of West Lorne and the surrounding country that this industry is not to be abandoned.

The Crinan Cheese Factory has opened for the season, with more milk than at the beginning of last season. While the number of patrons may not be increased during the season, the outlook for an increased output is bright, many of the farmers having increased their herds. The farmers here are beginning to realize the value of the factory and are giving more attention to the dairy herds.

In the grass-cattle situation, there seems to be a difficulty on the part of those who have wintered cattle to get rid of them at prices that will enable them to break even after buying at the high prices of last fall.

IS KINLOSS OLD BOY

Manitoba Special Commissioner Comes From Lucknow District—Tories to Nominate.

LUCKNOW, April 22.—Chief Justice Mathers, who has recently been appointed chairman of the special commission to investigate the Manitoba fraud cases, is a Kinloss old-boy and is a brother of Harry Mathers, ex-councillor.

Local bowlers are preparing for the coming season. A meeting of the enthusiasts in the council chambers last evening the following officers were appointed for the year.
President—Dr. M. Spence.
Vice-president—Robert Johnston.
Secretary—Robert Brown.
The club is looking forward to a big season, which will open with the annual big tournament on May 24.

Conservatives of South Bruce will hold their convention on Thursday, April 29, at Formosa, to select a candidate to contest the riding against R. E. Trux, present M.P.

John Purvis, auctioneer, is considered to be the likely nominee.
Judge Klein, of Walkerton, who held division court here on Tuesday, reserved judgment in the action brought by the Formosa Brewing Company against J. C. Clarke, late proprietor of the Royal Hotel. He was being sued for the non-return of barrels and cases.

INDUSTRIAL SARNIA IS SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Saw Mills Again Running Full Time—Sidewalks as Bike Speedways.

London Advertiser Branch Office, Sarnia, Charles A. Bird, Manager, Office in the Woods Block, 218 Front Street, Sarnia, 12 to 3 p.m. Phone 4/9A.

Cleveland-Sarnia Sawmills are improving, and at present the two mills are running full blast, cutting thousands of feet of lumber per day. Many men who worked in the mill during the winter were out of work when the plant was shut down, but these are all now back on the job.

The Sarnia Metal Products Company has received an order from the T. Eaton Company, of Toronto, for \$7,000 worth of the sheet metal goods turned out by the local concern.

Two citizens who persisted in riding their bicycles on the sidewalks were

fined \$2 and costs in the police court this morning.
Ed Hendricks, a garage owner of London, was fined \$10 and costs for speeding, on Saturday last. He paid.
Numerous complaints are being made to the police that owners of bicycles are riding them upon the walks, instead of the road. The police commission is the past has allowed them to use the walks in times of the year when they could not ride in the road, but they are not content with that, for many are speeding along the streets, even at night, and without a light or bell.

The police have made a number of arrests for this lately, and it is the intention to put a stop to the practice. Students from the Collegiate are making a practice of using the walks on College, Mitten, Vidal and other streets leading south, and several were caught by the officers this noon.

The steamer Harmonic, of the Northern Navigation fleet, is now at the company's freighted at Point Edward, where she is taking on a full cargo of freight, consigned to western points. This boat sailed on Saturday on her first trip of the season.

METROPOLITAN SKIRT AND SUIT COMPANY

WE WILL PLACE ON SALE TOMORROW MORNING

Women's Spring Suit Specials
\$8.95, \$10.75, \$15.75

Special plans have brought good results. They have brought this great assortment of NEW SPRING SUITS, which we can sell at a price to deliver unusual value.

They are all of good fabrics, good tailoring, good style.

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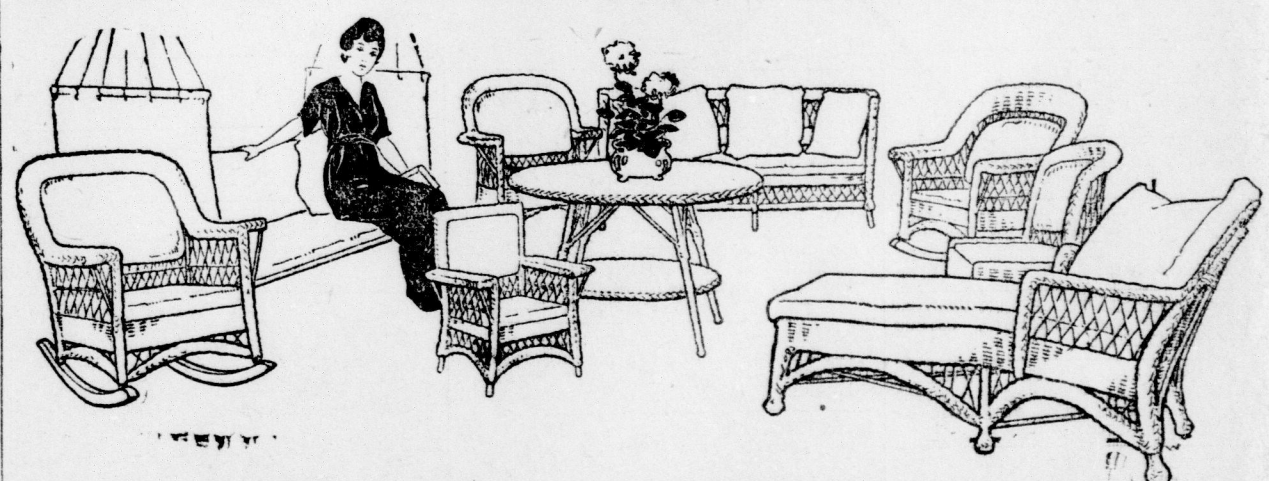
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\$10.00 Refrigerator, guaranteed.....	\$7.75
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\$13.00 Refrigerator, White Enamel lined.....	\$9.50
\$15.00 Refrigerator, White Enamel lined.....	\$11.75
\$20.00 Refrigerator, White Enamel lined.....	\$15.75

REAL ICE SAVERS.

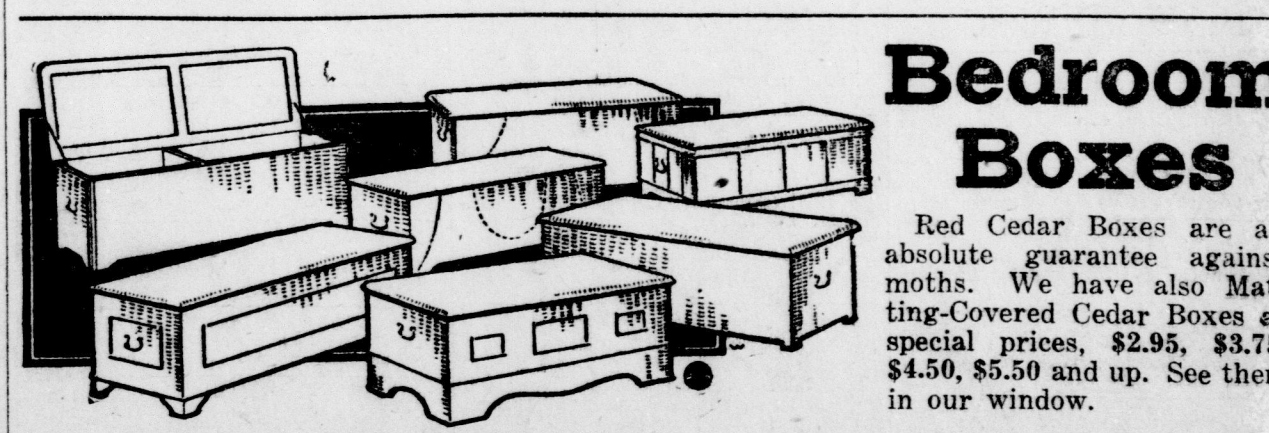
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Large Comfortable Chair.....	\$5.95	Waste Paper Baskets, only.....	\$2.75
Large Comfortable Rocker.....	\$6.45	Settee to match chairs.....	\$2.75
High-backed Chair.....	\$6.95	Large Settee, only.....	\$11.50
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