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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age...

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO FOMENT REBELLION IN BRITISH W. AFRICA

Told Prominent Boers That Rifles Were Available

Cape Town, via London, Sept. 9.—Details of an attempt to foment another rebellion against the British in South Africa were disclosed at the trial yesterday at Bloemfontein...

RUSSIAN GENERAL Succeeds in Escaping from Prison Camp.

Petrograd, via London, Sept. 9.—General Korniloff, formerly commander of the 48th Russian division, who was captured by the Austro-Germans in Galicia in May 1915...

MR. J. F. SCHULTZ Becomes the New Y.M.C.A. General Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y.M.C.A. held last evening, it was unanimously decided to ask Mr. John F. Schultz to accept the post of General Secretary...

CAPT. SCHRAMM. OLD COUNTRY PAPERS

Capt. Schramm, Denmark, Sept. 9.—The courier of Hannover, Germany, says the commander of the airship which was brought down in England during the raid...

Crisis Expected To-day in New York Railway Strike

New York, Sept. 9.—Both sides in the street railway strike expected a crisis to-day when the traction company tried to re-establish normal service on the surface lines...

STUBBORN FIGHTING

Petrograd, via London, Sept. 9.—German and Turkish troops are engaged in a stubborn fight with Russian forces in Galicia on the River Naraiuvka...

PRESIDENT WILSON Believed By Suffragettes to Be With Their Cause.

Atlantic City, N.J., Sept. 9.—Delegates to the Women's Suffrage convention, apparently highly pleased with the address of President Wilson last night, to-day began their final session of the convention...



The most successful picture of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia ever produced—Taken during their Toronto Farewell visit this week.

BRITISH CAPTURED A GERMAN TRENCH IN SOMME LAST NIGHT

where we captured a German trench, taking two officers and 19 Bavarians. In this operation, heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy.

Germans Regard Themselves as Instruments of Almighty in Air Raids

London, Sept. 9.—(New York Times cable)—A Berne despatch to The London Morning Post says: "The German newspapers are again discussing Zeppelin raids."



Photo shows the intricate tackle necessary to lift a big shell, such as is being used on the Western Front in the big British offensive.

CONFLAGRATION KINDLED BY CROWN PRINCE AT VERDUN BLAZING THE REVERSE WAY

TOOK OFFENSIVE

Paris, Sept. 9, noon.—The Serbians on the Macedonian front took the offensive last night in the region of Lake Ostrovo. The War Office announced to-day that after a violent engagement they captured a height west of the lake.

TRIS SPEAKER Draws Away from Cobb in Race for Premier Honors.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Speaker drew away slightly from Cobb this week in the race for premier batting honors in the American League...

FOE IS ON THE RUN

That is the feeling in the British Ranks. Fighting with a sense of victory which is half the battle.

MEN OF THE FRENCH FOREIGN LEGION DO NOT FEAR ANYTHING

French, but the rank and file were drawn from every part of the globe. A Turk would be standing shoulder to shoulder with an Armenian.

Testimony of a Colonel Restored to Rank

New York, Sept. 9.—A London cable to The New York Times says: Lieut.-Col. Elkington, whom the king has retired to his rank in the army for gallant service in the French foreign legion...

Teutons Claim an Advance of Fifty Miles in Roumania

Berlin, Sept. 9. (by wireless)—Correspondents say, and this destroys the legend that the Bulgarians will not fight Russians.

FURTHER GAIN.

Paris, Sept. 9, noon.—Renewing their assaults on the Somme front the French made a further gain. The capture of a small wooded area is reported to-day by the War Office.

And Now Driving Back the Germans in Marked Style

New York, Sept. 9.—A New York World correspondent cables the following from Paris: Although the French Somme battles have been lulled during the past 24 hours, the fierce conflagration kindled by the Crown Prince at Verdun continues to blaze fiercely...

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\$2

Auto Rugs
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\$1.95
Good going, Aug. 26 to Sept. 9, inclusive,
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Dungannon Oct. 5, 6

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FRUIT
Gooseberries, box 0.10 to 0.60
Apples, basket 0.25 to 0.35

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WAY.
MAIN LINE—EAST.
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6.50 a.m.—For Dundas, Hamilton
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Tomatoes, basket 0.15 to 0.20

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Butter, sections, lb. 0.15 to 0.60
Eggs, dozen 0.34 to 0.37

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Chickens, pair 1.25 to 1.50

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Leave Brantford—6.35 a.m.; 8.00 a.m.

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40,000 Farm
Laborers Wanted
\$12.00 TO WINNIPEG
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Leave Toronto Union Station 11 p.m. Aug. 31st and Sept. 2nd.

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For Hamilton, etc.—7.32 a.m., 11.32 a.m.,
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

COMMERCIAL COMMITTEE
The commercial committee of the Board of Education meets Monday evening.

TO WORK ON NEW FACTORY
Hamilton Spectator—F. J. Williams, a well-known local athlete, who is now employed as foreman to the Samuel Austin Construction Company, at Cleveland was in the city to-day renewing old acquaintances.

BANTAM BATTALION
About 16 Brantford members of the 216th Bantam Battalion arrived in the city last night. The men are well pleased with Camp Borden, the organization of which is rapidly nearing perfection.

INDUCTION SERVICE.
Before a very large and representative gathering of all denominations, the formal induction of the Rev. W. J. Thompson, late of Niagara Falls, N.Y., as pastor of the Congregational church took place last night, solemnized by the usual ceremonies of induction.

FAMILY REUNION.
The Mordue family, their relations and descendants held their annual picnic when they assembled at Mohawk Park on Labor Day.

NAVY RECRUITS.
It is expected that Canada will have contributed two thousand recruits at least for the royal navy.

THE MARKET.
The fruit season is now only commencing to gain its own, and this morning fruit was predominant everywhere.

SOLDIER RETURNING.
Among a party of wounded soldiers which reached Toronto yesterday was Pte. Isaac McKinnon, of this city.

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TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
The monthly meeting of the township council will be held on Monday next, at 10 a.m.

TO GALT
Six rinks of bowlers from the Pastime Green journeyed to Galt this afternoon, for a friendly game there.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN
Under the supervision of Boys' Work Director Mosley, a big campaign to obtain new members for the boys' department of the Y.M.C.A. is to be commenced very soon.

BUILDING PERMITS
Two building permits were issued yesterday, one to the board of water commissioners for a \$750 addition to the screen house at Morrell street.

OFFICERS OF 77th
The City Clerk received this morning a communication from Major J. E. Orr, Officer Commanding the 77th Regiment, of Wentworth County, asking particulars concerning the death of Lt. B. J. H. Carnegie, of that unit, who he states passed away here on Sept. 3rd last and was interred in Paris on Sept. 5th.

REGRET EXPRESSED
City Clerk H. F. Leonard has received a communication from Lieut. Geo. Walsh, of the 16th Bantam Battalion, expressing regret at his inability to be present at the last meeting of the city council, and asking for the date of the next two meetings of that body.

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THE RESIGNATION OF MRS. DAVID TAYLOR, collector for Scotland district was reported, and a vote of thanks and appreciation was passed.

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BLANCHE SWEET
At The Brant Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

A HOSPITAL WARD
To be Furnished By Institute Women of Brant County.
Successful Meeting of Women's Hospital Aid.

The Women's Hospital Aid assumed activities after two months of vacation, on Friday morning, the meeting, which was well attended by many members from both city and county, was held in the board room of the Public Library.

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DEPUTATION IS HIGHLY PLEASED
With the Brant Sanatorium and Its Surroundings.
Comments of Appreciation with Regard Thereto.

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Embroidered Organdy Collars in new long back effects with Gimpure lace edging. Price 75c to 1.00.

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Smart Collar of Crepe-de-Chene with hemstitched trim, finished with pretty lace frill-edge front, comes in white or flesh. Price 1.25.

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other days should be supplied with the proper work easier.
The necessary articles at reasonable prices.

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resident A. M. HUNT, Secretary

Table with 12 columns and multiple rows of numbers, likely a railway or bus schedule.

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Men's Light Working Shoes, regular \$2.00, Saturday \$1.68
Women's Tan Calf Button, regular \$4.00, Saturday \$1.98
Boys' Solid School Shoes, extra value \$2.00
Little Lads' Tan and Black Calf Shoe, size 8 to 10, Saturday \$1.38
Neill Shoe Co.

Music and Drama

NEW WAR LOAN.
By Courier Lensed Wire.
Ottawa, Sept. 9.—The details of Canada's new war loan were made public to-day. This issue is for \$100,000,000 at 98 1-2; bearing interest at five per cent, and running for fifteen years.

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Apply to Foreman

NEWS FROM OVERSEAS
Items of More or Less Interest From Great Britain

TOOK EFFECT
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London, Sept. 9.—Three British aeroplanes, says a British official statement, reporting military operations in Egypt, "again bombed El Mazar" yesterday.

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HYDRO NOTICE!
Power will be off Sunday Morning from 7:30 to 8 A.M.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.
WANTED—Girls for various departments in knitting mill. Clean and light work and good wages. Watson Mig. Co., Holmdale. 122

FOR SALE—Ford one-ton truck, new frame, hard rubber rear tires; also Gent's "Scout" Bicycle. Brant Motor Co., Bell Phone 370; Auto. 270. 116
FOR SALE—By auction, Market Square, Saturday, Sept. 16th, piano in first-class condition. J. M. Dyckman. S. P. Pitcher, auctioneer. 116
Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA





THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1916.

ROYAL PARTY INSPECT MILITARY CONVALESCENT HOME.

RECORD OF SIXTY FOURTH CONGRESS JUST CLOSED

Main Items Were With Regard to National Defense-Total Appropriations For All Purposes Reached a Tremendous Figure

Washington, Sept. 9.—(Congress Review)—The first session of the Sixty-fourth Congress which adjourned yesterday, was concerned chiefly with national defense. When the gavel fell Congress had directed reorganization and reequipping of the Army and Navy for defense of the country at the unprecedented cost of \$655,000,000 with authorizations that will increase the total in three years to nearly \$800,000,000. With all other expenditures, appropriations were brought to the grand total of \$1,637,583,682, the greatest aggregate in the country's history and exceeding that for the last fiscal year by more than half a billion dollars. Expenditures, necessitated by preparedness and the calling into action of military forces to meet the emergency legislation in the closing days of the session. Congress responded by doubling the normal tax on incomes, creating an inheritance tax, mutual savings tax and miscellaneous excise taxes to raise \$205,000,000 and by directing sale of \$130,000,000 Panama Canal bonds. Congress established a Tariff Commission; a Government Shipping Board to rehabilitate the American merchant marine; a Workmen's Compensation Commission to administer a new uniform compensation law; a Farm Loan banking system; a Child Labor Law; enlarged the system of self-government in the Philippines and enacted many other important laws which had been contemplated by the administration throughout the session. The session was disturbed throughout by frequently recurring threats of foreign complications from the European war and imminence at one time of a diplomatic break with Germany; interference with American mails and commerce, invasion of American soil and killing of Americans by Mexican bandits, and danger of actual war with Mexico. Later in the session trouble arose in the Senate over the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis, of Boston, to succeed the late Justice Lamar as a member of the Supreme Court. Weeks of investigation and deliberation by the Judiciary committee ended in confirmation of Mr. Brandeis by a large majority. Most important legislative enactments of the session, inclusive of the following: Government Ship Law—Appropriating \$50,000,000 to operate ships in foreign and coastwise trade when unable to lease them to individuals or private corporations. Child Labor Law—Denying interstate commerce to products of mines and quarries, employing children under 14 years of age and factories, mills, canneries and other establishments employing children under 14 years. Rural Credits Law—Establishing a Farm Loan Board in control of a system of Farm Loan Mortgage Banks. Workmen's Compensation Law—Providing uniform sick and accident benefits for employees of the Federal Government, and benefits in dependents in case of death. Emergency Revenue Law—Providing for doubling the normal income tax on lowest class; making an additional surtax ranging from one per cent. on that portion of incomes exceeding \$20,000 to 13 per cent. on amount of incomes in excess of \$2,000,000; levying a graduated tax of one to ten per cent. on inheritances ranging from \$50,000 to \$5,000,000; a ten per cent net profit tax on manufacturers of munitions, five per cent net profit tax on manufacturers of materials entering into munitions; a license tax on actually invested capital stock of corporations capitalized at more than \$99,000; wine, beer and liquor excise taxes and miscellaneous stamp taxes. Good Roads Law—Providing for

co-operative Federal aid to the States for construction of highways, and appropriating \$75,000,000 to be spent in five years. Postal Savings Law—Amendment increasing the amount which individuals may deposit from \$500 to 1,000 with interest and an additional \$1,000 without interest. Federal Reserve—Amendments, including amendment to the Clayton anti-trust law permitting officers and directors of member banks to become officers and directors of not more than two other non-competing banks, amendments permitting national banks to establish foreign branches, liberalizing regulations for discounting commercial paper and permitting members of banks in towns of 5,000 or less population to act as agents for insurance companies. Railroad Legislation: Creation Joint sub-committee of Senate and House Interstate Commerce committees to investigate necessity for further legislation for railroads and the Interstate Commerce Commission, question of government ownership of public utilities and comparative worth of government ownership as against government regulation. Tariff: Creation of a non-partisan Tariff Commission of five members to investigate and advise Congress on tariff revision; repeal of the free sugar provision of existing tariff law, amendments increasing duties on dyestuffs in the United States; enactment of an anti-dumping provision to prevent dumping of foreign-made goods at less than foreign market prices; authorization for the President to retaliate against foreign nations prohibiting importation of goods from the United States by laying an embargo against imports from offending nations. Cotton Futures Act: Providing a prohibitive tax on cotton sold for future delivery in fictitious or wash sales. Philippines: Law to provide for a more autonomous government of the islands, enlarging the franchise, reorganizing election laws, establishing an elective senate and promising independence whenever, in the judgment of the United States, the Philippine people demonstrate capability for it. Appropriations for all purposes were: Agriculture, \$24,948,852; army, \$267,596,530; diplomatic and consular, \$5,355,096; district of Columbia, \$12,841,907; fortifications, \$25,748,050; Indian affairs, \$10,967,844; legislative and executive, \$37,925,690; military academy, \$1,225,043; navy, \$313,300,095; pensions, \$158,065,000; post-office, \$322,937,679; river and harbor, \$40,598,135; sundry civil, \$128,239,285; permanent appropriations \$131,074,673; shipping bill, \$50,100,000; deficiencies, \$72,500,000; rural credits, \$6,100,000; good roads \$6,000,000; floods, \$2,000,000. Grand total, \$1,637,583,682. In addition to the total there were authorizations for expenditures in future years including naval, good roads, tariff commission and other expenditures to bring the total to approximately two billion dollars, but these amounts do not properly apply to the appropriations for the fiscal year. In addition Congress enacted an unusually large amount of miscellaneous legislation.

TRACTION OFFICIALS Insist that the Strike is Broken.

New York, Sept. 5.—With subway and elevated trains being operated apparently on normal schedule, traction officials insisted to-day that New York's strike has been broken. Fifty per cent. of the "green cars" of the New York railways company's surface system were running, the company announced and police department reports indicated that the walkout of employees was not having a widespread effect. Union leaders claimed at noon that 3,500 men were on strike on the subway and elevated roads of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company and 4,000 men on the "green car" system. The correctness of these figures was denied by the company's representatives and Theodore P. Shontz, president of the Interborough, conceding that he proposed to fight the union, announced that all of the men who struck on the New York Railways' lines owned by the Interborough, could have their positions back, with their former places of seniority restored to them, if they resigned from the union by 1 p.m. to-morrow. The union is seeking to have the transit companies annual contracts individually binding the men not to seek wage increases for two years.

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LETTER OF THANKS From the Secretary of the Belgian Relief Fund.

The following letter of thanks was received this week from the secretary to the administrators of Belgian Relief by the house committee of the Children's Aid Society. The committee are to be congratulated on the success of the party. Montreal, August 24, 1916. Mrs. John Ker, House Committee of Children's Shelter, Colborne Street, Brantford, Ont. Madam.—In pursuance of your letter of the 10th inst., we beg to acknowledge receipt on the 15th inst. via Canadian Pacific Railway, of 53 bags of flour, and 15 boxes and 1 carton of groceries and different canned goods, which you kindly forwarded to our work, as a result of a pound party organized by your committee. We have also received the barrel of flour donated by Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook, your contributors. We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 21st inst., enclosing a draft for \$80.15, amount realized when you gave the above mentioned pound party. We enclose herewith our official receipt. We cannot sufficiently thank you for these splendid contributions to our relief work. In the name of suffering Belgians, we beg to convey to you, as well as to each member of your committee, and every contributor, the expression of our deepest gratitude. Yours respectfully, The Secretary to the Administrators.

TO SET ASIDE WRIT. By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 8.—The attorney-general of Ontario and the Hydro-Electric Commission moved before the Master-in-Chambers at Osgoode Hall this morning to set aside the writ brought by the Electrical Development company to restrain the hydro commission from developing power on the Niagara of Welland Rivers. They claimed that the writ was irregular because issued without consent of the attorney-general. At the request of counsel for the Electrical Development Company the case was enlarged till Sept. 12. DOMINION REVENUE By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Sept. 8.—Dominion revenue figures for the first five months of the fiscal year show a comparative increase of \$20,000,000. The chief advance was in customs returns, which advanced from \$35,220,000 to \$53,029,000. Excise returns were \$9,770,000 as against \$8,417,000. Railway and canal returns increased by \$4,000,000, but there was a twenty per cent. decline in postal revenue.

Germany Gets None of Belgian Relief

Conditions of Agreement with Neutral Relief Commission respected by Germany. When the Belgian Relief Commission was organized, Britain insisted that Germany guarantee not to touch a particle of the food imported by the Commission for the Belgians. This guarantee, given to the American business men who are the executive heads of the Commission, has been respected—probably because its violation would be reported at once and would rouse the whole neutral world. So each contributor to the Belgian Relief Fund may feel perfectly sure that every pound of food which his money has helped to purchase, has gone directly to the Belgians. No Dollars in the world are needed more—will be handled better—or will do more vital good—than the dollars which it is your privilege to give to the Belgian Relief Fund. Whatever you feel you can give, send your subscription weekly, monthly, or in one lump sum, to Local or Provincial Committees, or



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# SISTERS THREE

Chapter I.

"Mary's girls!" spoke a faint voice. "Mary's girls!"

The bed upon which the speaker lay faced the sunset. In the west the fires of day were dying. The flush of rose was slowly merging into saffron and pale green of an infinite purity. Gold in the sky, silver on the sea, and here and there a sail, white or fawn, as the case might be, of some small fishing craft putting forth across that luminous space of boundless shining water—a fitting emblem for so the silent watcher thought, of that other launching forth upon eternity's wide sea which his old friend, lying half-conscious upon his pillows, was so soon to experience.

"Did you speak, Richard?"

"I was dreaming, I think of the things which will be here after I am gone. Tom, am I dying—to-night?"

"My friend, I think so."

"I think so too. I am not sorry to go. Since I was stricken and my strength fading from me my life has not held me in close bonds. I am only sorry for one omission. I ought to have had Mary's girls here before, and I have not done so."

"Tell me of Mary's girls," said the Rector.

"Tom, you never reproached me about Mary and my treatment of her, but you did not approve."

"I must always regret family differences and estrangements. And I was very fond of Mary. I and my wife missed her sadly when she went. But to be sure, she was hot-headed. In the matter of her marriage, there are always two sides to the shield. A little more patience on both sides—"

"I see that now very clearly that I was selfish towards Mary. I looked upon her presence here as something fixed, something I had a right to. You know that when very young she had had an affair of the heart which went amiss, and she thought hers was broken, poor child, and that she would never marry. And I came to think so too—rule that idea out of our pleasant peaceful life here. And then when that occurred, which now I see was purely natural and to be expected, I was utterly dumfounded! And there were contributory circumstances also—"

"You mean that Aubrey Vere—that was his name, was it not?—was a guest at Gaston Keep?"

"Yes, and Lebreton and I were never on friendly terms; and at that time there were many causes of friction. It was Mary's meeting him there—meeting him as she took the path through the plantation—which seemed a thing unbearable to me. Ah, Tom, how small and strange all these troubles of time seem with the great white light of eternity shining before us! And yet even now there are things which I would not have Mary's girls forget when they come here."

"Tell me of Mary's girls! After her marriage we lost sight of her. She ceased to write."

"I understand that. I had ceased to write to her. That being so, she would not write to any one else in Rockhaven. But from time to time she sent me a letter, an envelope, for me the main events of her year."

"You never told me this."

"No; I had resolved never to speak of Mary again—and I am an obstinate man. Also I thought that you were not quite in sympathy with me. Tom, I did not want any barrier raised between us by argument or difference of opinion."

"Was Mary's life with young Vere a happy one?"

"I believe so, in the main. Those handsome dashing men have their faults, but they are fascinating to women, and he was always adored by Mary. I think they were happy. But she died seven years ago, when her youngest child was about ten or eleven years old. After that things began to go amiss. He lost money."

I missed Mary's letters, and through our lawyers I made guarded inquiries from time to time. Then just before that illness of mine a year and a half ago I heard that he had died suddenly and that his affairs were in the greatest confusion."

"I thought he had a fine property?"

"I believe he had. He ought to have made settlements upon Mary; but her hasty run-away marriage stopped all chance of that point being assured. And just when the time came that I ought to have stepped into the breach and found out how things were really going I was laid low by that stroke and for six months I could neither write nor speak, and my brain even refused to act."

"But for a while you recovered?"

"I did; and I found out that the three girls with a faithful old servant had settled in London and that the lawyers were seeking to save something out of the property which had been almost ruined by Aubrey Vere's reckless extravagance. I wanted then to do something for the girls—to ask them here perhaps or make them some allowance—but I shrank from the effort of making up my mind; and then another stroke followed. It did not take my speech from me, but it deadened by enfeebling my mind, left me supine and indifferent to the things of life, fearful of exertion or excitement or change. And so things have drifted on. My will has been made. All I have will be theirs; but I could not make up my mind to see them, to change the quiet monotony of my life. And now it is too late!"

The Rector bowed his head in assent. He knew that for his old friend the sands of life were fast running out. He had been in a critical condition for long. Any sudden exertion or excitement might have proved fatal. Quite well he understood how difficult it would have been for a man in this condition of health to reconstruct his whole scheme of life or changes in his method of solitary existence in his sea-girt home facing the sunset. This momentary accession of strength, enabling him to tell this tale to his friend before passing into silence, did not deceive Doctor Kingscote.

He gave the patient a drink of the cordial which stood near at hand. The old servant who waited on him in lieu of a trained nurse came and went, made up the fire, and brought in a shaded lamp; but the blinds of the windows which faced the west were not drawn down. There was light yet in the west; the cloudless sky was of a serene purity exquisite to the eye, and already the light of a half-grown moon threw a track of burnished silver brightness across the smooth sea.

"Mary's girls will like my house," said the dying man.

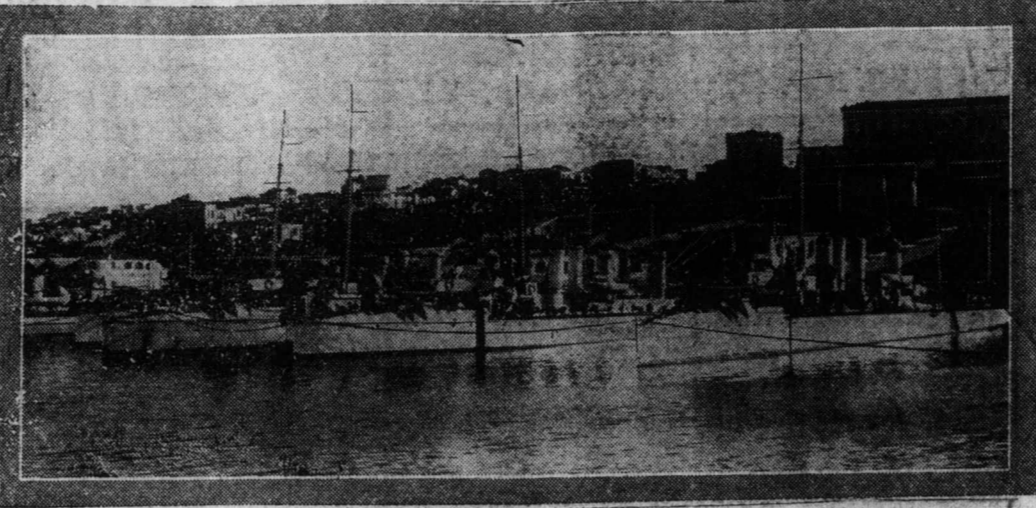
"There are three of them, I think you said. Any son?" asked Doctor Kingscote, the eldest child was a boy, but he died in early childhood. It was Mary's chief sorrow in her married life. The girls were two—and twenty, the youngest is called Allardycce, probably some name from the other side."

"Have they relatives of their father's who may be looking after them now?"

"I have never heard of any. Mary never mentioned any such in her letters. I know that he was an only child. I do not know whether they have kindred of their father's to look to; but you will learn all that when they come. I know that the other took in a warm clasp."

"Tom, do not mistake me! Do not think that I pass away with thoughts of ransom or of enmity in my heart. That is not so. My spirit is at peace. Who am I that I should judge another? But I have Mary's girls to think of. If I meet Mary on the other side as I trust I may—it will rejoice me to know that I have done what I could for them. I have tried to smooth their path and keep them from peril. Mary always understood me. With all my weakness, with all my faults, she loved me. She will

## PIRAEUS AND ATHENS UNDER GUNS OF SIXTEEN BRITISH WARSHIPS.



The harbor of Piraeus showing Greek war vessels

have seen. Some of his wild blood runs in their veins; and they may be daring and impulsive too. And Gaston Lebreton reigns at the Keep. He is twenty-four, handsome, and unmarried." For a moment the speaker paused, and then, with a low-toned emphasis of manner which was full of pleading and significance, he added, "Let there be no mating betwixt Mary's girls and that son of John Lebreton. The father I do not never, never forgive for his treatment of young Kildare—"

"Dick, I feel over that matter as deeply as you can do. I spoke my mind to Lebreton at that time, and as much force as you would have used in my place, but, remember, young Gaston had nothing to do with it. He was not even in the country. I can be sure that had he been here as a prop to me that he would not have been so. His father being dead, he cannot blame him or speak evil things of him; but I am as certain as I can be that had he been here at that terrible time James Kildare would not be serving his time as a convict now."

"Convict—that brave, fine, noble lad! Tom, the same thought of Lebreton's comes! All for the sake of a few beggary haunts! And he a man rolling in wealth! No, Tom, that cannot be forgiven him."

"And he has gone to his account, taking his sins with him. But with that matter Gaston had no concern."

"His father's son, Tom—his father's son! And the Lebreton strain is very strong. See how it has kept his characteristics in regard to these matters! I would not have one of Mary's girls mate with a Lebreton. I am most anxious to safeguard them as far as it is possible, and so I have bidden them look east to the right of way which has always made bad blood between us and them. No count young Gaston will take advantage—or try to—when I am gone, and there are but girls to look to for their future. Let them guard their rights! That is what I have laid upon them as my dying charge. And incidentally it may lead to their safeguarding in that other matter. For Gaston Lebreton will show himself to them in his ugly colors, and Mary's girls should know how to fight!"

"For a short while there was silence in the room. The shadows grew thick in the corners. Upon the face of the dying man and his watcher the dim gray shadows seemed to gather and rest. The Rector's face was very grave and thoughtful; the one upon the pillow had relaxed and was wearing now an expression of singular tranquility and peace.

Suddenly his eyes opened and he slightly raised his hand, which the other took in a warm clasp.

"Tom, do not mistake me! Do not think that I pass away with thoughts of ransom or of enmity in my heart. That is not so. My spirit is at peace. Who am I that I should judge another? But I have Mary's girls to think of. If I meet Mary on the other side as I trust I may—it will rejoice me to know that I have done what I could for them. I have tried to smooth their path and keep them from peril. Mary always understood me. With all my weakness, with all my faults, she loved me. She will

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### OLD WORLD NOTES

Four women and a man were charged in the London police court lately with dealing illicitly in cocaine. The Crown prosecutor pointed out that while the previous prosecutions were instituted under an Army Council Order, the matter had since been before the King and it was now sufficient to prove that the drug was supplied to any unauthorized person, and it was no longer necessary to prove that it was supplied to soldiers. In passing sentences, the magistrate said that while he felt some sympathy for the wretched women who were led into this trade, there could be none for the men who brought them into it and made them their catspaws in supplying to other people the means of indulging in what they knew to be a beastly and dangerous practice. The man was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labor, and ordered to pay a fine of \$500. Three of the women were sent to prison for three months, and the other for two months.

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Mrs. David Chesney spent Wednesday very pleasantly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Sibbick, London.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elms, Governors Road, visited the Toronto Exhibition on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Ross has a number of men employed repairing a part of the dam which was damaged by the high water and ice last spring.

Mrs. Buckborough, of Brantford, is the guest of her mother-in-law here.

Quite a number from this village attended the funeral of the late Thomas Gaw, at Paris.

The public school opened on Tuesday after the summer holidays.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Mr. Reading, Drumbo, on Monday. Interment took place at Princeton.

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**COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE**

**CANNING**  
 Mrs. F. Anderson and son John,  
 Mrs. James Given and little daugh-  
 ter, left the village on Friday morn-  
 ing for Toronto, where she will visit  
 the Exhibition and be the guest of  
 her sister, Mrs. Reading.  
 Mrs. David Chesney spent Wednes-  
 day very pleasantly at the home of  
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Sibbick, L. Oona.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Elms, Govern-  
 ors Road, visited the Toronto Exhi-  
 bition on Friday and Saturday.  
 Mr. Ross has a number of men em-  
 ployed repairing a part of the dam,  
 which was damaged by the high  
 water and ice last spring.  
 Mr. Buckborough, of Brantford,  
 is the guest of her mother-in-law  
 here.  
 Quite a number from this village  
 attended the funeral of the late  
 Thomas Gaw, at Paris.  
 The public school opened on Tues-  
 day after the summer holidays.  
 A number from here attended the  
 funeral of the late Mr. Reading, of  
 Drumbo on Monday. Interment  
 took place at Princeton.  
 Master John Anderson went to  
 Paris on Tuesday to attend the high  
 school. His many friends wish him  
 good luck and all success.

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**ECHO PLACE NEWS**  
 (From Our Own Correspondent.)  
 Mrs. Scott and Miss Florence Day  
 spent two weeks among relatives in  
 Hagersville.  
 We are sorry to report little Wal-  
 ter Myers is the victim of typhoid  
 fever.  
 Mr. Gullen is in our midst again  
 after the summer spent at Grimsby  
 Beach.  
 Pte. Norris Roszell was the guest

**MOUNT VERNON.**  
 (From Our Own Correspondent.)  
 Miss Letta Newstead has returned  
 home to Brantford after visiting re-  
 latives here.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacDonald  
 spent Sunday with friends at New  
 Durham.  
 Mr. Marlatt is visiting at Toronto.  
 School re-opened here on Tuesday  
 morning with the same teacher, Miss  
 L. Palmer.  
 The Methodist S. S. picnic was  
 held last Wednesday afternoon at  
 Charlton Grove. The day was en-  
 joyably spent by all, there being  
 amusements of different kinds, run-  
 ning races, etc.  
 Miss Edythe MacDonald is visit-  
 ing with her cousin Miss Mona Day, at  
 Windham Centre.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bonney and  
 children spent Sunday with Mrs.  
 Simon Reid and son.  
 Relatives are, at the time of writ-  
 ing, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm.  
 Boughner.  
 Mrs. Fairchild has been visiting at  
 Port Dover.

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**AUTHOR'S WIFE SUICIDES AFTER HUSBAND HAD BEEN KILLED.**



E. A. Victor, English author and civil engineer, who was killed by a G.T.R. train near Toronto, as he was taking a short cut to the train. The other picture shows his wife, who committed suicide in the Credit river near their summer home when she became distracted at the awful tragedy. Victor had just published a work on "Canada's Future" with introduction by Premier Borden and other notables.

of his brother-in-law, Mr. Frank Smith on Sunday last.  
 We are glad to report Mrs. Muirhead is doing nicely, after her recent operation in the Brantford hospital.  
 Mrs. Williams, Miss Grace and Miss Alberta are at home again, after two months spent at the lakeside.  
 Mrs. B. Smith, who has been spending her vacation at the home of Mr. G. Smith, Lock Road, has returned to her home in Waterdown, N.Y.  
 Mr. W. Moyer and family attended the Huntsburger reunion in Vineland, N.J. Mr. Murray Smith and family were the guests of Mr. C. Graham, Eagle Place, last Sunday.  
 Mrs. Waring and Miss Nellie Waring spent the week-end with relatives in Toronto.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Smith and baby Olive of Burgessville, spent Labor Day with his brother, Mr. Murray Smith.  
 Mr. Theodore Hamilton has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hamilton.  
 Miss Jennie Smith is spending a week with her aunt in Ancaster.  
 Miss Flossie Hopkins of N. Y. visited her friend, Miss Nellie Waring, last week.  
 Miss Edna Smith is on the sick list.  
 Women's Institute meets third Thursday in September, in the Echo Place school.  
 Mr. Geo. Campbell and Mr. Elston Campbell spent Wednesday in Toronto.  
 The young people of Echo Place gave a shower to Miss Minnie Herman last Thursday evening. Miss Herman was married Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Pool and Mrs. E. Crowley and son spent Thursday with Mrs. S. Flick.

**Newport.**  
 (From our own correspondent.)  
 Miss Hislop has returned from Stratford and resumed her duties at the school, Tuesday.  
 Miss Carolyn Emmott left Monday to take charge of Tranquility school.  
 Miss Grace Cromar and Miss Hilda Wood, city, spent over the week-end with Miss Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wood.  
 Mrs. Fred Moss and little son returned home to Toronto, on Saturday, after having spent a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Smith.  
 The Misses Alice and Edna Emmott spent Saturday at the Toronto Exhibition.  
 Miss Hislop attended the Toronto Fair on Labor Day.  
 Miss Mabel Phillips spent a few days at the Grand River Parsonage, the guest of Miss Annie Drew.  
 Mrs. W. W. Smith is attending the Toronto Exhibition.  
 Miss Danby, of Hamilton, spent over the week-end at the Parsonage, the guest of Miss Drew.  
 Miss E. Brown, of Woodstock, was the guest of the Misses Atkinson.  
 Messrs. Ben Boughner and Fred Fawcett spent Tuesday at the Toronto Fair.  
 Miss Mary McLean, Anna Fitzgerald and Harold Rushton, are attending the Collegiate at Brantford.  
 Mrs. Woodley and Miss Florence James spent Wednesday with Mrs. T. Phillips.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Oberlin, city, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, on Sunday.  
 Mr. Will Franklin's many friends will be pleased to know that he is recovering from his recent illness.  
 A number of the people of this neighborhood attended the lawn social held at the Grand River Mission, on last Wednesday evening.  
 Miss Anna Fitzgerald was the guest of Miss Mary McLean on Wednesday.  
 Miss Maud Smith and Miss Mina Good spent Friday with the Misses Phillips.  
 Miss Ethel Good, city, spent over the week-end at the parental home.  
 Miss Drew left on Tuesday morning to attend the Toronto Fair.  
 Miss Myers, of Preston, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wood.

**Harrisburg.**  
 Pte. Lorne Braithwaite, formerly of this place, but now of 194th Highlanders, Camp Hughes, Manitoba, who has been visiting with friends and relatives here the last two weeks, left for Camp Hughes on Monday.  
 Mr. William Mack of the Dodge Automobile Works, of Detroit, was the guest of his mother and sister, here, on Sunday.  
 Mr. Harry Patton of the G. T. R. here, who has been on a two months holiday through the Canadian North-west and Vancouver, returned home on Friday, looking much improved after his holiday, and trip.  
 Mr. Percie McWaters and party,

**CHILDREN STARVING WHILE AT SCHOOL**

**Condition of Belgian Kiddies such that School Hours Have Been Shortened.**

London, Sept. 9.—The want of food in Antwerp is so great that the children can no longer stand the strain of a full day in school and class hours have been reduced on account of the pupils' debility.  
 The significance of this can hardly be appreciated where people are receiving plenty to eat and prosperity is prevalent. It is the state of the children the condition of their parents can only be imagined.  
 The Empire has promised to support these people, to guard their interests and care for them and their children in their helpless state, but this report from Antwerp is one which should set Britons and Canadians to thinking. To Canada, Belgium must look for most of her aid, for there are the life-saving fields of wheat that make the flour which is the one salvation of these people.  
 The Belgian Relief Committee has its branch at 59 St. Peter Street, Montreal, and also sub branches and local committees throughout the Dominion. These branches are exerting every effort to give these Belgian children—starving in their seats in school—the bare food that is justly theirs. The task is a big one and needs the co-operation of the father and mother of every Canadian school child. Two dollars and a half will save two of these children and their parents from starvation for a month. Why not do it now?

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notored to Scotland and Burtford, and several other points on Sunday.  
 Mrs. B. Vansickle, of Lynden, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Braithwaite for a few days last week.  
 Mrs. Baker of Burch is spending a few days with friends in the village.  
 Mr. Alex. Black, who has been living with his cousin, Mr. John Black of this place for the last year, left for his home in Durham on Friday.  
 Mr. John Berry of Rochester, N.Y. is spending a few days at his home here.  
 School re-opened here on Tuesday with the usual attendance.  
 Miss Josie Vrooman spent this week with friends in Toronto and attending the Fair.  
 Miss M. and E. Sussex, who have been visiting with friends in London, and St. Thomas for the last two weeks, arrived at their home here on Saturday.  
 Master Stanley and Lloyd Murray formerly of this place, but now of Port Dover, spent a week's holiday with friends here and in Brantford.  
 Mr. T. Wilson is spending a few weeks with friends in the village.  
 Mrs. James Dargie, after a lingering illness, passed peacefully away at her home here on Monday, Sept. 4th, at 10.15 a.m. The deceased underwent a serious operation about one year ago and for a few months seemed to grow better and stronger, but as time went along the old ailment seemed to return and gradually grew worse, until about five weeks ago, she was taken to her bed, from which she never recovered and the end came. The deceased had many friends, having spent her whole life here. The funeral took place on Thursday to the Methodist cemetery here, where a large concourse of friends and relatives gathered to pay their last respects to the departed one. The flowers and wreaths were many and costly. She leaves behind her to mourn her sad loss, a husband and two sons and a daughter. The bereaved family will have the sympathy of the whole community in the sad loss they have sustained.

**NEWS FROM OVERSEAS**  
 Items of More or Less Interest From Great Britain  
 The raven mascot at Cardiff barracks was in a dejected mood one Saturday recently in consequence of the clipping of one of his wings by the regimental barber. This punishment followed on his escape and recapture the previous day. The bird, which was a gift of the late commander of the regiment, who fell at Mons, had for years enjoyed all the discipline of barrack life, and although his accustomed cry of "Halt" was not always uttered at the most opportune moments, it unfailingly received recognition from somebody or other. He suddenly seemed to grow tired of military life and flew off. His departure occasioned great consternation and reconnoitering parties were sent out late at night to round him up. The mascot was discovered on a window-sill a mile away, his shrill cry of "Halt" having aroused the neighborhood, and somebody telephoned the sergeant as to his whereabouts. He was promptly placed in a sack and conveyed back home and his clipped wings are a sufficient guarantee against truancy for the future.

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