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Glencoe, May 3rd, 1916.

### Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for hearing and determining appeals against the assessment roll of the village of Glencoe for 1916 will be held in the town hall, Glencoe, on Monday, the 15th day of May, 1916, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., of which all persons interested are required to take notice and be governed accordingly.

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### Notice to Creditors.

In the Estate of Robert William Huston, late of the Township of Eklrid in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chap. 121, Sec. 96, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of Robert William Huston, who died on or about the sixteenth day of March, A. D. 1916, are required, on or before the fifteenth day of May, 1916, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Messrs. Elliott & Moss, of the Village of Glencoe, solicitors for Edmund Thomas Huston, administrator of the estate of the said deceased, their claims, and the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution. Dated the 24th day of April, A. D. 1916.

ELLIOTT & MOSS,  
Solicitors for Edmund Thomas Huston, Administrator of the Estate of the said deceased.

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### District and General.

West Lorne will celebrate Victoria Day.

The acreage in crop in Alberta this year will not be much less than last year.

Alex. Graham, a Lobo township farmer, was terribly gored by a bull and may not survive.

M. Walton, village constable of Wardsville, has been appointed a county constable for Middlesex.

Miss Sarah McDonald, sister of Mrs. A. P. Campbell, of Dunwich, died Sunday evening, April 30th, at the age of 61 years.

Only three horses were shown at the Mount Brydges station show on Friday, and the attendance of farmers was small.

Australia has prohibited the importation of belts alleged to produce a therapeutic effect by electric or magnetic influences.

Twenty thousand people turned out in London to see the 7th Battalion depart from the Grand Trunk station for overseas.

The woman custom officer on duty at Windsor relieved the ladies of that district of about \$400 duty on their Easter shoes.

The agents of the Ontario Government who have been on the look-out for farm help on the American side, have secured between 400 and 500 farm hands.

Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, of the 14th concession, Aldborough, died suddenly on Tuesday of last week. Her husband died three years ago and a daughter died a year ago.

In the recent report of the government on the field crop competition in corn last year, T. H. Lovell and son Fred, of Brooke, are given the highest points of any field competitors in Ontario.

Their fields were planted with Wisconsin No. 7 corn and they received 90 and 90 points respectively.

Writs for damages in the sum of \$16,000 have been served by William St. Louis, treasurer of Sandwich East, against Oscar Sisson and Joseph A. Herbert, members of the Sandwich council. The action is the result of a resolution presented to the council by the two defendant councillors, asking for St. Louis' dismissal as treasurer on the ground that he had improperly used the funds of the municipality.

### Cook-Campbell.

A quiet home wedding took place on Easter Monday, April 24th, when Mrs. Margaret Irene Campbell, of Glencoe, and Albert J. Cook, of Harrowsmith, were united in marriage. Rev. Mr. Calder, Anglican minister, of Wallaceburg, officiating. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Wallaceburg.

### Hartshorne-McRae.

On Wednesday, April 26th, at high noon, a quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hughes, Ilderton, when Miss Maud Hartshorne was united in marriage to Mr. Daniel McRae, salesman of the firm of Langford & Edwards, London.

The wedding ceremony was performed under an arch of evergreens, Rev. Mr. Sawyer, of Ilderton, officiating.

The bride looked charming in a handsome gown of silk nixon over net, trimmed with satin ribbon and Irish lace, and carried a bouquet of carnations interspersed with maidenhair fern. Little Miss Hazel Hughes made an attractive flower girl.

After the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served, and later the happy couple left for western points. Upon their return they will reside in London.

### Stricken on Street—Dies.

Miss Mary Ellen Munroe, only daughter of Neil Munroe, Kilmartin, died yesterday morning at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Sullivan, Victoria street, north, under peculiar and sad circumstances.

Miss Munroe had gone to the dentist's during Tuesday afternoon to have her teeth attended to. Afterward, about half-past five o'clock, she was on her way to her aunt's, when she collapsed on the sidewalk near Dr. McIntyre's, on McKellar street.

She was taken to her aunt's house, where she passed away between eight and nine o'clock next morning. Miss Munroe was in her 20th year. The funeral takes place from the home of her parents at two o'clock on Friday. Services in Burns' church, Moss; interment in Kilmartin cemetery.

### In Good Homes.

The London Advertiser says:—The young girls of the McIntyre family, whose father, John McIntyre, a rural mail driver living near Glencoe, has been committed for trial at the fall assizes, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of his daughter, Mary Irene, have been placed in the most desirable homes by the foster home committee of the Children's Aid Society, the interest of the foster parents being excited by the unfortunate stories developed at the coroner's inquest, and subsequent magisterial proceedings.

The feeble-minded girl has been placed temporarily in the Home for Incapables, until admitted to the asylum at Orillia. Application for her admission was made some time ago by Inspector Sanders, but as the institution has a waiting list of three hundred or more, she will have to wait her turn.

### MISSION WORK IN CHINA

Some Interesting Experiences Related by Miss Lethbridge.

Miss Sadie Lethbridge, of Tait's Corners, who was designated a missionary to China by London Presbytery in the fall of 1914, writes the following letter home from Hwai King under date of January 1st:

It is some time since I received your most welcome letter, but now that I am not studying for a week, I shall have time to write a few letters. Since coming here in the first of September, I have been continually busy studying this difficult language, but I hope this year's work will not be so far behind, as I am not starting over a month late with it.

Hwai King is 40 li from the nearest railway station and situated in a very beautiful, densely populated country. In these 15 miles we pass through the outskirts of two large cities, each with a population of about 10,000. One city has never had a permanent evangelist, and the other just at our door seems almost practically untouched as yet, while there are thousands in the surrounding villages.

At present there are twelve foreign workers here, but until now six of us were language students but 2 have just completed their 3rd year exams, and 2 others go home on furlough in June. Hence the workers are very few, considering there is a Girls' School, a Boys' School, a Hospital and an Industrial School in the Compound, but we have some splendid Chinese helpers.

Several things of late have brought very vividly to me that we are surrounded with heathen darkness and superstition. One morning I went for a short walk into the country. Here we have such a grand view of the mountains about 10 miles away, and just now the country is especially beautiful with bright green wheat fields, and the dark evergreens usually dotted here and there in pretty groups or clumps over some graves. Yet in spite of the beauty of the scene it is marred by the presence of thousands of graves everywhere one looks. It is difficult to find an acre around here that has not several graves, often mere tiny mounds, and cultivated to the very edge.

It was the 15th of the Chinese 10th month, so the day for Ancestral Worship. I met many men and women carrying small red baskets in which was incense paper purchased from the priests, and sometimes food. They visited the graves of their relatives and there burned the incense.

Several men went from grave to grave, bowing low two or three times at each, then place the tiny piece of paper on the top of each grave, held by a tiny stone or piece of earth. I was told that the paper was to supply their relatives with food, clothes, etc., in the other world. Some say there is little worship about it, more of a remembrance day, but I doubt that.

A few weeks ago I attended a most helpful Women's prayer meeting conducted by one of our Christians. She gave us a most eloquent discourse on the S. S. lessons—Genesis, the Temple. She said many hard things about worshipping idols, burning incense, etc., but in such a tactful manner that she held their attention for 45 minutes. I do not know how she talked and kept them interested. They even answered her questions and spoke to her, they were so interested, but it disconcerted her not the least.

As a result of that one refined heathen lady from the city who has been coming regularly to church, Sunday School and Prayer meeting for some weeks, and is so anxious to learn, came to church the following Sunday, and placed four silver dollars on the collection plate, a large sum for her. The fellow who took up the collection was so astonished at the sum that he turned his head and looked at her all the way as he walked to the front of the chapel, in a ludicrous manner, just as though he thought there was something the matter with her.

We had special meetings here for the city students of the Government Schools the latter part of October for two days conducted by Dr. McGillivray, of Shanghai. Extensive preparations were made at Kaifeng, Weiwei and Changde for these meetings, but the Chinese speaker who was to have conducted them was prevented from fulfilling his engagement, owing to diphtheria, so they telegraphed for Dr. McGillivray at the last minute. He came and his meetings were greatly blessed to all. After he decided to come he sent word that he would hold meetings at each of our stations so they had only a week here for preparation, in contrast with a year's preparation at the 3 larger centres.

The officials of Hwai King responded most surprisingly when approached on the subject and even announced them, and afterwards attended the opening address which gave a most favorable impression. The meetings on Saturday were held in the city, and on Sunday they were held in the Boys' School yard for both men and women. As a result of these few meetings 20 students signed cards expressing a desire to study the Bible. The following week a reception was held for them, to organize classes, and to everyone's delight 40 attended, so far beyond anyone's expectations. Each thought it would be a splendid opportunity if the 40 continued to come regularly—as there is usually a falling off after a week or two, but here again our faith had shown itself rather weak, for the classes have increased till now over 60 are enrolled. The 6 classes are held on Sunday.

Dec. 20 was not only our Christmas service but also Communion and many of the students requested to attend and heard a very enlightening address (Continued on page four)

### Public Health Methods.

Public health regulations are made for the good of the public. They are as lenient as possible, consistent with the prevention of disease. They are not made to interfere with the individual's freedom, except as it may be dangerous to others.

Among other things it is required that whenever any householder knows or has reason to suspect that any member of the household has any communicable disease, he shall within twelve hours notify the Health Department.

The Medical Officer of Health has the right to enter any house, etc., in which he knows or has reason to suspect the presence of any communicable disease.

It is required that whenever any physician knows or has reason to suspect that anyone whom he is called upon to visit is infected with any communicable disease, he shall within twelve hours notify the Health Department.

Any person (householder or physician) whose responsibility it is, by the Statutes of Ontario, to report a case of any communicable disease, and who neglects to do so, may incur a penalty not less than \$25.00 nor exceeding \$100.00.

### Death of Mrs. Bechill.

Mrs. Eliza Ann Bechill passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry McCaffery, in Glencoe, on Saturday, April 25th, in her 80th year.

Mrs. Bechill was a daughter of the late John James, of Raleigh township. She was born in Bradford, England, and came to Canada in 1856 on the sailing vessel "Henry Duncan," being six weeks on the water. The family settled in Raleigh township. Shortly afterwards she was married to the late John Bechill, of Tilbury township, and lived at various points, and for six weeks on the water. The family settled in Raleigh township. Shortly afterwards she was married to the late John Bechill, of Tilbury township, and lived at various points, and for six weeks on the water. The family settled in Raleigh township. Shortly afterwards she was married to the late John Bechill, of Tilbury township, and lived at various points, and for six weeks on the water. The family settled in Raleigh township.

Mrs. Bechill is survived by seven sons and two daughters, as follows:—George J., Glencoe; Edwin R., Detroit; Thomas H., Portland, Oregon; John J., Windsor; Isaac M., at the front; William A., Marmot, Oregon; Fred J., Brightwood, Oregon; Mrs. Wm. Penhale, St. Thomas and Mrs. H. M. Caffery, Glencoe. She also leaves 33 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The funeral service was held at the home of Mrs. McCaffery on Monday evening, conducted by Rev. Mr. Howson, pastor of the Methodist church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Ford, and the remains were taken to the Presbyterian church, where they were interred in the Stuart cemetery in Tilbury township.

### E. Monaghan Dead.

The death occurred at his home in Glencoe on Tuesday, after a few days' illness, of E. Monaghan, in his 96th year. Mr. Monaghan was probably the oldest citizen of Glencoe, and up to just recently was quite active, seldom missing attendance at the Presbyterian church, a daily walk to the post office, or a few hours' work in the garden in summer. He was a well-informed man, affable with friends and neighbors. Being moderate in his habits of living he accounted his secret of a well-preserved old age.

Mr. Monaghan was born near St. Thomas on Sept. 8, 1820. When he was a child his parents moved to the township of London. His wife, who survives him, was Miss Janet McIntyre, a sister of the late John and Archibald McIntyre, who were well known and prominent citizens of Eklrid township residing near Appin. For several years Mr. Monaghan was foreman of the woodworking department at E. Leonard & Sons, foundry in London. He moved to Glencoe about 17 years ago on retiring from active life. The sons and daughters are as follows:—Mrs. Sarah McRoberts, of Manitoba; Edward, New Liskeard; James, Toronto; Mrs. Robert Torrie, Saskatchewan; Minnie, at home; Mrs. James Taylor, McKellar, Pary Sound; John H., London.

The funeral takes place Thursday afternoon from his late residence on Simpson street. Service will be at two o'clock, after which the remains will be taken to London on the G. T. R. train leaving at three o'clock for interment in Woodland cemetery.

### Methodist Church.

REV. W. G. HOWSON, MINISTER.  
Subjects for next Sunday are—11 a. m., "A declaration of love"; 7 p. m., "A study of hands." Both these subjects will prove to be strong in human interest. The quarterly lovefeast will be held at close of general service in the morning. Everybody welcome.

### Cats Church Roll in Two.

New York, April 25.—Declaring he would not be pastor of a "paper church," Rev. Dr. Joseph W. Kemp announced at a meeting of the Calvary Baptist Church last night that he had resigned from the membership roll 1,331 names out of a total of about 2,300. He had taken this action, he said, because the members dropped were not sufficiently active in the church and did not attend regularly. Dr. Kemp asserted that to keep on the rolls as members persons who are not interested in the church was "ecclesiastical hypocrisy." Dr. Kemp recently came from Scotland to Calvary church, one of the oldest and most prominent in the city of the Baptist faith.



## MILITARY RULE DECLARED THROUGHOUT IRELAND

Major-General Sir John Maxwell Sent from London  
To Take Charge.

A despatch from London says: Martial law has been declared throughout Ireland, and Major-General Sir John Maxwell, who until recently commanded the troops in Egypt, has gone over to take charge, the Irish executive officials having placed themselves under his instructions. He has been given full disciplinary powers for the extension of the operations and the suppression of the rebellion. The revolt which broke out in Dublin has spread to other parts of Ireland, chiefly to the west and south. This information, together with the fact that the rebels are still in possession of parts of the city of Dublin, was given to the nation by the Ministers in Parliament on Thursday.

There had been a small rising at Ardee and Louth and a rather more serious one in Swords and Lusk, close to Dublin.

### Troops are Adequate.

Premier Asquith, who on Wednesday had given reassuring news respecting the situation in Ireland, caused something of a flutter of anxiety by his statement on Thursday in the House of Commons when he announced a spread of the movement to other parts of Ireland, the retention by the revolutionists of certain parts of Dublin and the fact that fighting was still going on in the streets. The government, the Prime Minister further announced, was convinced that the forces now in Ireland and those proceeding there were adequate to deal with the situation.

### Restore Order First.

Replying to a question whether the Government had been warned of a dangerous growth of sedition, Premier Asquith said:

"The first and paramount duty of the Government is to restore order and to stamp out rebellion with all possible vigor and promptitude. That we are doing."

"Behind that there is undoubtedly an obligation which rests upon the Government of making a searching investigation into the causes of and the responsibility for these events. That obligation we fully recognize and intend to discharge."

"Our allies already have been made aware by Sir Edward Carson and Mr. Redmond," the Premier added, "that the movement is sectional only, and has no sympathy from the representatives of the Irish leaders."

Mr. Asquith said that for obvious reasons he did not like to name the other places to which the trouble had spread, but there had been in the west and south, but particularly in the west, places where there was a development of the movement. Very stringent precautions were being taken by the military authorities to deal with these places.

### Official Report.

"The military operations for the suppression of the rebellion in Dublin are proceeding satisfactorily," says a communication issued by Field Marshal French, commanding the home forces, late Friday night.

"What may be described as the organized forces of the rebels," the communication adds, "are confined to a few localities, the principal one being the Sackville Street district, in which the rebel headquarters appear to be the General Post-office. The

cordons of troops around this district have been drawn closer, and the rebels in this locality are now confined behind their line of barricades. "Sniping from houses in which small parties of the rebels have established themselves in various parts of the city still continues. The district where this is most prevalent is that north-west of the Four Courts, which are still in the possession of the rebels. The clearance of these snipers is a matter of time."

"In other parts of Ireland the principal centres of disturbance are in County Galway and in Enniscorthy. Disturbances are also reported at Killarney, Clonmel and Gorey. The other parts of Ireland appear normal. "The general trend of the reports indicate that the disturbances are local in character."

### Rebellion's Back Broken.

A despatch from London says: An official statement issued on Saturday night by the Official Press Bureau regarding the situation in Ireland says: "The general officer commanding-in-chief, the Irish command, has reported the situation in Dublin much more satisfactory. Throughout the country there was still much more to be done, which would take time, but he hoped that the back of the rebellion had been broken."

"Saturday night messengers were sent out from the rebel leaders in Dublin to the rebel bodies in Galway, Clare, Wexford, Louth and Dublin Counties, ordering them to surrender, and priests and the Royal Irish Constabulary are doing their utmost to disseminate this information."

"As regards the situation in Dublin, rebels from the areas of Sackville Street, the post-office and the Four Courts are surrendering freely. More incendiary fires took place in Sackville Street on Saturday night, but the fire brigade is now able to resume work."

"It is further reported that up to the present 707 prisoners have been taken. Included among these is the Countess Markievicz."

"The rebels at Enniscorthy are reported to be still in possession of this place, and a mixed column of cavalry, infantry, and artillery, including 47 guns, has been sent from Wexford with a view to engaging the rebels. The latest information from Enniscorthy shows that the rebel leader at this place does not believe the rebel leaders' message from Dublin, and has proceeded to that city in a motor car under escort to verify the information."

"A deputation for a similar purpose from the rebels at Ashbourne (County Meath) has also been sent to Dublin. At Galway the rebels are believed to be disbanding, and few arrests have been made."

"At New Ross, Gorey, Wicklow, Bagenalstown and Arklow the situation is reported normal. Carlow and Dungarvey are believed to be quiet."

### Officers Hit Hard.

An official list of casualties taken on Saturday contains twenty-seven names. Of this total five were killed, twenty-one wounded and one missing. This list is additional to the one announced Friday giving the names of two officers killed and five wounded.

2,970 British troops and 6,000 Indian troops. To prevent the Turkish forces from capturing them all the British guns and ammunition were destroyed before General Townshend surrendered. The surrender of a British army is an event of very rare occurrence, and much sorrow was caused in London by the announcement.

### BRITISH CASUALTIES DURING APRIL.

Total From All Fields of Operation in Excess of Those of March.

A despatch from London says: British casualties for April, as compiled from published lists, are slightly in excess of those in March. The total from all fields of operation is 1,255 officers and 19,256 men, compared with 1,107 officers and 19,317 men in March.

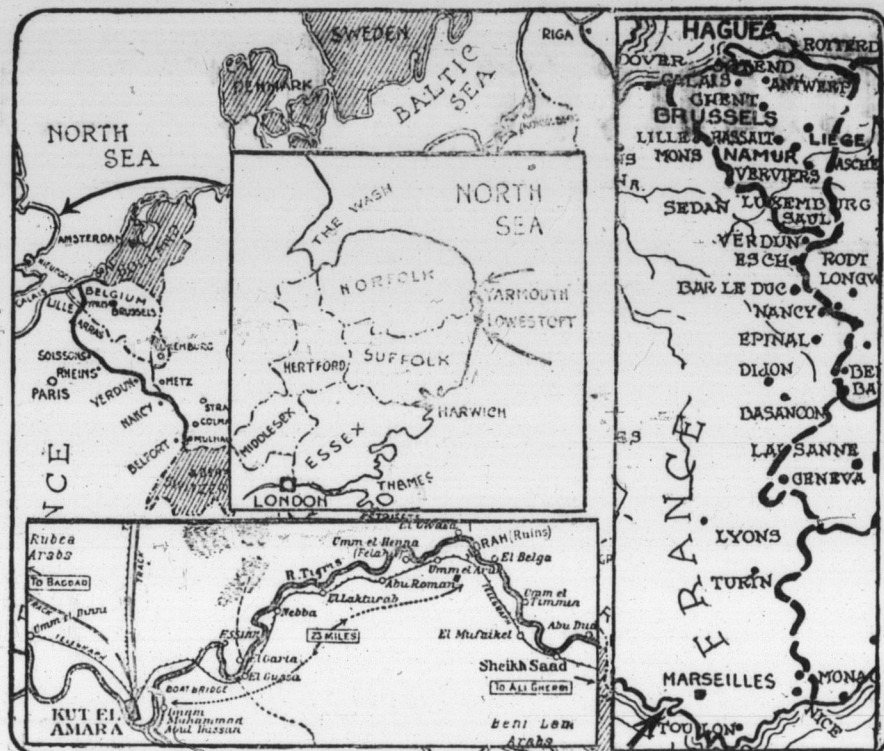
## GERMANS FELL VICTIMS TO THEIR OWN FRIGHFULNESS

Gas Directed Against British Front Broke Back  
Over Enemy Trenches With Satisfactory Results.

A despatch from London says: The Germans have made several attacks against the British lines during the past 48 hours, but have everywhere been repulsed. Under cover of gas an assault was attempted opposite Hulluch, but the gas broke back over the enemy trenches, and the Germans were seen leaving their trenches and running to the rear on a front of about seven hundred yards. Judging by the number of ambulances seen coming up to Hulluch, declares Sir

Douglas Haig's report, the enemy must have suffered considerable casualties from our artillery and his gas. The ground behind the enemy lines was colored by gas on a front of about a thousand yards to a depth of three thousand yards.

Gas was also liberated north of the Messines road on a 2,000-yard front, but the infantry attack which followed was broken down by the British fire. An attack with bombers at another point was equally unsuccessful.



WEEK'S NEWS OF THE WAR.

The English coast was again visited by German warships on Tuesday morning. They were sighted off Lowestoft by the British local naval forces and were engaged. They fought for twenty minutes and then fled. Before fleeing one of the vessels fired into Lowestoft, but little damage was done. Two men, a woman and a child were killed. At the same time fire was opened on Yarmouth, and one or two buildings were slightly damaged.

About the same time a fleet of Zeppelins made a raid over the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. This is the region in which are situated Yarmouth and Lowestoft. Some bombs were dropped, but a fog made it impossible for the enemy to get any accuracy of aim.

The British fleet shelled the sea coast in the neighborhood of Zeebrugge on the 24th. It is reported that three German destroyers, after being hit, were forced to withdraw into the harbor. Little opportunity is being given the enemy forces to concentrate in Egypt. Aeroplane reconnaissance keeps the authorities advised of any hostile movement. During the week an attack was made on Quatia, but the force used was not sufficiently strong, and a withdrawal was necessary. But this was only for a day. Stronger forces were brought up and the enemy had to flee.

Canadian troops have been in action almost continuously during the week. In the neighborhood of St. Eloi the Germans have been making frequent attempts to recapture the crater positions taken from them on March 27, but the men from the Dominion have repelled every attack and caused much loss to the Germans. In the neighborhood of Verdun the French are taking the offensive more and more. They are also proving the superiority of their artillery fire over that of the Germans. There has been considerable fighting during the week, especially in the neighborhood of Dead Man's Hill, but the French not only successfully defended that position, but even retook some trenches on the northern slope which had been captured from them some time before.

The campaign in Mesopotamia gives ground for anxiety. The Tigris is still in flood, and the advance of the British force to the relief of Kul-el-Amara is delayed. There has been some fighting with the relieving force, and the enemy have made great claims which have been discounted by the despatches of Sir Percy Lake. The Russians, since they captured Trebizond, have kept up their advance westward along the shore of the Black Sea.

No sooner had the first Russians who landed at Marseilles got half-way toward the battle front than another force equally big was reported as having landed there, too. There is now no doubt of any intention of Russia to make any peace before the Allies do.

## BELGIAN COAST AGAIN SHELLED

BRITISH EMPLOY 3 BATTLE-  
SHIPS, 18 DESTROYERS AND  
40 MINESWEEPERS.

The Rotterdam correspondent of the London Daily Mail, telegraphing Thursday, says:

"A British squadron resumed the bombardment of the Belgian coast at 4 o'clock on Thursday morning. Mine-sweepers have cleared the coast waters of mines, and nets have been laid to guard against submarines. The Germans anticipate a severe attack."

"In Thursday's bombardment the British force consisted of three battleships, 18 destroyers and between 30 and 40 mine-sweepers and mine-layers. Two of the battleships bombarded the coast between Zeebrugge and Knokke, including Heyst and Blankenburg. The fire was answered by the German batteries. The third battleship concentrated its fire on three German torpedo boats which left the harbor immediately after the attack began. One of these was hit several times, and returned to the harbor seriously damaged, supported by consorts."

"Thorough preparations were made by the British before the bombardment, Dutch territorial waters being marked by colored buoys."

### NO MORE FARM HANDS FROM UNITED STATES.

Only Poor Class of Men Can Be Secured Now.

A despatch from Toronto says: The Ontario Department of Colonization and Immigration has recalled its special officers from Michigan, where they have been drumming up farm hands to relieve the scarcity of help in Ontario. The venture proved a success, close to five hundred men having been secured, but the floating supply of good men has been exhausted, and those available now are not considered of proper quality. There are lots of good farm hands in the State, but the special officers when they went after them found that the farmers had most of them tied up under contract. The scheme to get farm hands has helped more than the farmers. Some of the men secured, after landing in Ontario and getting within the sound of the bugles, have promptly enlisted for overseas service. The Department of Agriculture is now satisfied that with the men secured and the help of retired farmers and High school boys released for farm work the situation this summer will be well met.

## GERMAN OFFICER MUST STAND TRIAL.

Petition for a Writ of Habeas Corpus Was Denied.

Boston, April 27.—Werner Horn, who attempted to destroy the International Bridge at Veneboro, Maine, on February 2, 1915, must stand trial on a charge of illegal transportation of dynamite, the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals ordered on Thursday.

## SWISS FRONTIER CLOSED BY GERMANY.

A despatch from Paris says: The German-Swiss frontier has been closed since Monday afternoon even to mails, says a despatch to the Matin, from Berne. Foreigners now in Germany have been informed that none will be allowed to leave the country before twenty days have elapsed, the despatch adds.

## NAVAL BATTLE DESCRIBED BY MEN WHO WITNESSED IT

Message Brought By Seaplane Sent Germans  
Scurrying Homeward.

The Lowestoft correspondent of The London Daily Mail says:

"The scream of shells and their detonation as they burst inland was the first intimation the people of Lowestoft had that for the second time German Dreadnoughts were off their shores. The people sprang from their beds, peering toward the sea, where, looming through the mist, could be seen great gray shapes here and there picked out with flashes of flame as another shell came ashore."

"The inhabitants scrambled into their little ones, hurried out, not in panic, but out of curiosity, to the shore to watch and count the German shells. Seaplanes Chased Back."

"The enemy did not have his own way for long. The watchers saw German seaplanes, which a few minutes before had left the vessels, come hurtling back. The reason was soon apparent. From the south came little clouds of smoke, drawing nearer every moment. A rousing cheer was given as it was seen that the smoke was coming from British cruisers and destroyers."

"The big German ships loosed a stream of shells at the approaching ships and then swung to the east, but the German Admiral again changed his course when he found that the British force was not nearly equal to

## BRITISH BATTLESHIP SUNK BY MINE

Russell is Destroyed in the Mediterranean—702 Men Rescued.

A despatch from London says: The sinking of the battleship Russell was announced in the following official statement:

"H.M.S. Russell, Captain William Bowden Smith, R.N., flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Fremantle, struck a mine in the Mediterranean on Thursday and was sunk. The Admiral, Captain, 24 officers and 676 men were saved. There are about 124 officers and men missing." Under ordinary conditions the Russell carried between 750 and 800 men.

## The Leading Markets

London, May 2.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.25; No. 2 do., \$1.23; No. 3 do., \$1.18; track, Bay ports.

Manitoba wheat—No. 2 C.W., \$1.23; No. 3 do., \$1.18; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.10; No. 1 feed, \$1.00; on track Bay ports, \$1.00; track Toronto.

Canadian corn—Feed, 74 to 76c, nominal, track Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 45 to 46c; commercial, 44 to 45c, according to freightage outside.

Ontario wheat—No. 1 commercial, \$1.01 to \$1.02; No. 2 do., 95c to \$1.01; No. 3 do., 90c to 95c; feed wheat, 85c to 88c, according to freightage outside.

Feas—No. 2, \$1.45, according to sample, \$1.20 to \$1.50, according to freightage outside.

Barley—Malting, 62 to 64c; feed, 59 to 62c, according to freightage outside.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in 48-lb. bags, \$5.50; second patents, in 48-lb. bags, \$5.40; strong bakers', in 48-lb. bags, \$5.30; Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, according to sample, \$4.20 to \$4.30, track Toronto. In bags, \$4.25 to \$4.35, bulk seaboard.

Milled—Car lots, 48-lb. bags, \$4.20 to \$4.30, bulk seaboard.

Freights—Bran, per ton, \$2.40; shorts, per ton, \$2.60; middlings, per ton, \$2.60 to \$2.70; good feed flour, per bag, \$1.00 to \$1.10.

Country Produce.

Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 28 to 30c; inferior, 24 to 25c; creamery prints, 33 to 35c; inferior, 31 to 32c.

Eggs—New-laid, 23 to 24c; do., in cartons, 24 to 25c.

Honey—Prices, in 10 to 60-lb. tins, 125 to 135c. Combs—No. 1, \$2.75 to \$3; No. 2, \$2.25 to \$2.40; the latter for hand-picked.

Cheese—Large, 19c; twins, 19c.

Maple syrup—\$1.50 per Imperial gallon.

Poultry—Chickens, 21 to 22c; fowls, 18 to 20c; ducks, 24 to 25c; turkeys, 25c to 30c; inferior, 21 to 22c.

Potatoes—Car lots of Ontario, \$1.65 to \$1.70; and New Brunswick at \$1.80 to \$1.85 per bag, on track.

Provisions.

Bacon—Long clear, 16 1/2 to 17c; per lb., in case lots. Hams—Medium, 21 to 22c; do., heavy, 17 to 20c; rolls, 17 1/2 to 18c; breakfast bacon, 21 1/2 to 22c; hocks, 25 to 26c; boneless hams, 28 to 29c.

Lard—Pure lard, tins, 15 1/2 to 16c; and lard, 15 1/2 to 16c; compound, 13 1/2 to 14c.

Winnipeg Grain.

Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.18; No. 2 do., \$1.13; No. 3 do., \$1.08; No. 4 do., \$1.04; No. 5, 98c; No. 6, 94c; feed, \$1.04; No. 1 C.W., \$1.45; No. 2 do., \$1.40; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.40; No. 1 feed, \$1.35; No. 2 do., \$1.30; No. 3 do., \$1.25; No. 4 do., \$1.20; No. 5 do., \$1.15; No. 6 do., \$1.10; No. 7 do., \$1.05; No. 8 do., \$1.00; No. 9 do., \$0.95; No. 10 do., \$0.90; No. 11 do., \$0.85; No. 12 do., \$0.80; No. 13 do., \$0.75; No. 14 do., \$0.70; No. 15 do., \$0.65; No. 16 do., \$0.60; No. 17 do., \$0.55; No. 18 do., \$0.50; No. 19 do., \$0.45; No. 20 do., \$0.40; No. 21 do., \$0.35; No. 22 do., \$0.30; No. 23 do., \$0.25; No. 24 do., \$0.20; No. 25 do., \$0.15; No. 26 do., \$0.10; No. 27 do., \$0.05; No. 28 do., \$0.00.

Montreal Markets.

Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.18; No. 2 do., \$1.13; No. 3 do., \$1.08; No. 4 do., \$1.04; No. 5, 98c; No. 6, 94c; feed, \$1.04; No. 1 C.W., \$1.45; No. 2 do., \$1.40; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.40; No. 1 feed, \$1.35; No. 2 do., \$1.30; No. 3 do., \$1.25; No. 4 do., \$1.20; No. 5 do., \$1.15; No. 6 do., \$1.10; No. 7 do., \$1.05; No. 8 do., \$1.00; No. 9 do., \$0.95; No. 10 do., \$0.90; No. 11 do., \$0.85; No. 12 do., \$0.80; No. 13 do., \$0.75; No. 14 do., \$0.70; No. 15 do., \$0.65; No. 16 do., \$0.60; No. 17 do., \$0.55; No. 18 do., \$0.50; No. 19 do., \$0.45; No. 20 do., \$0.40; No. 21 do., \$0.35; No. 22 do., \$0.30; No. 23 do., \$0.25; No. 24 do., \$0.20; No. 25 do., \$0.15; No. 26 do., \$0.10; No. 27 do., \$0.05; No. 28 do., \$0.00.

Live Stock Markets.

Toronto, May 2.—Choice heavy steers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; butchers' cattle, choice, \$4.50 to \$4.75; do., good, \$4.25 to \$4.50; do., medium, \$3.75 to \$4.25; do., common, \$3.25 to \$3.75; butchers' bulls, choice, \$2.25 to \$2.50; do., good, \$2.00 to \$2.25; do., medium, \$1.75 to \$2.00; do., common, \$1.50 to \$1.75; rough bulls, \$1.25 to \$1.50; butchers' cows, choice, \$2.75 to \$3.00; do., good, \$2.50 to \$2.75; do., medium, \$2.25 to \$2.50; do., common, \$2.00 to \$2.25; stockers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; light ewes, \$1.50 to \$2.00; sheep, heavy, \$1.00 to \$1.50; yearlings, \$1.00 to \$1.50; calves, \$1.00 to \$1.50; hogs, \$1.00 to \$1.50; pigs, \$1.00 to \$1.50; chickens, \$1.00 to \$1.50; ducks, \$1.00 to \$1.50; turkeys, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Minneapolis, May 2.—Wheat, May, \$1.19; July, \$1.19 to \$1.19; No. 1 hard, \$1.19; No. 2 Northern, \$1.17; No. 3 do., \$1.14; No. 4 do., \$1.11; No. 5, 98c; No. 6, 94c; feed, \$1.04; No. 1 C.W., \$1.45; No. 2 do., \$1.40; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.40; No. 1 feed, \$1.35; No. 2 do., \$1.30; No. 3 do., \$1.25; No. 4 do., \$1.20; No. 5 do., \$1.15; No. 6 do., \$1.10; No. 7 do., \$1.05; No. 8 do., \$1.00; No. 9 do., \$0.95; No. 10 do., \$0.90; No. 11 do., \$0.85; No. 12 do., \$0.80; No. 13 do., \$0.75; No. 14 do., \$0.70; No. 15 do., \$0.65; No. 16 do., \$0.60; No. 17 do., \$0.55; No. 18 do., \$0.50; No. 19 do., \$0.45; No. 20 do., \$0.40; No. 21 do., \$0.35; No. 22 do., \$0.30; No. 23 do., \$0.25; No. 24 do., \$0.20; No. 25 do., \$0.15; No. 26 do., \$0.10; No. 27 do., \$0.05; No. 28 do., \$0.00.

United States Markets.

Minneapolis, May 2.—Wheat, May, \$1.19; July, \$1.19 to \$1.19; No. 1 hard, \$1.19; No. 2 Northern, \$1.17; No. 3 do., \$1.14; No. 4 do., \$1.11; No. 5, 98c; No. 6, 94c; feed, \$1.04; No. 1 C.W., \$1.45; No. 2 do., \$1.40; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.40; No. 1 feed, \$1.35; No. 2 do., \$1.30; No. 3 do., \$1.25; No. 4 do., \$1.20; No. 5 do., \$1.15; No. 6 do., \$1.10; No. 7 do., \$1.05; No. 8 do., \$1.00; No. 9 do., \$0.95; No. 10 do., \$0.90; No. 11 do., \$0.85; No. 12 do., \$0.80; No. 13 do., \$0.75; No. 14 do., \$0.70; No. 15 do., \$0.65; No. 16 do., \$0.60; No. 17 do., \$0.55; No. 18 do., \$0.50; No. 19 do., \$0.45; No. 20 do., \$0.40; No. 21 do., \$0.35; No. 22 do., \$0.30; No. 23 do., \$0.25; No. 24 do., \$0.20; No. 25 do., \$0.15; No. 26 do., \$0.10; No. 27 do., \$0.05; No. 28 do., \$0.00.

## TWO PLOTTERS HAVE CONFESSED

Germans in Custody in New York to  
Testify Against Others.

A despatch from New York says: Complete confessions given in return for immunity have been made by two of the eight Germans recently arrested in the alleged conspiracy to place fire bombs aboard munitions ships, and they were on Wednesday afternoon telling their story to the Federal grand jury. This was made known by Assistant United States District Attorney Wood, in charge of the investigation of alleged German plots. The two men are Capt. Chas. von Kleist and Ernest Becker, an electrician aboard the interned German steamship Friedrich der Grosse, where the bombs alleged to have been placed on various ships were partly manufactured. The others arrested in the case include Capt. Eno Bode, Capt. Otto Wolpert and Frederick Garbode, employees of the Hamburg-American Line. A ninth alleged conspirator, Dr. Walter T. Scheele, is yet to be apprehended.

## CHINESE REBELS PLAN ADVANCE ON PEKIN.

An Army Several Hundred Thousand  
Has Been Organized.

A despatch from San Francisco says: A rebel advance on Peking, the capital of China, has been ordered by the Chinese revolutionists, according to a Shanghai despatch to the Chinese Republic Association here on Wednesday. An army of several hundred thousand under Luy Ung-Ting, formerly commander of Yunnan Shi-Kai forces, in Kwang Si Province, and Gen. Lung Chi Kwang, formerly with the Government troops in Kwang Tung, will begin the march upon Peking soon, it was stated.

## RUSS TROOPS REVIEWED IN MARSEILLES STREETS.

A despatch from Marseilles says: The Russian troops which arrived here on Tuesday held a dress parade on Wednesday morning in the presence of a vast crowd which cheered them wildly. The troops were reviewed by Col. Verastakosky, their commander; General Menassier, Governor of Marseilles, and M. Schramme, Prefect of Marseilles. While the review was in progress bands on French warships played the Russian and French National Anthems. The Russian troops then paraded through the city, preceded by little girls who strewn flowers in their paths.

## KUT RELIEF SHIP AGROUND IN TIGRIS

Attempt to Send Supplies to Be-  
leaguered Troops Failed.

A despatch from London says: A relief ship sent by the British with supplies for the garrison at Kut-el-Amara grounded in the Tigris four miles to the east of Kut, it was announced in an official statement on Friday evening. "An attempt made on the night of April 24 to send a ship with supplies for the Anglo-Indian forces shut up in Kut, though carried out with the utmost gallantry, unfortunately failed," says the official announcement. "Our aeroplanes discovered the ship aground near Magdis, about four miles east of Kut."

## BRITISH TRAWLER SINKS Foe SUB.

A despatch from London says: The destruction of a German submarine by a British trawler off the north coast of Scotland is described by Dutch newspapers received here. According to the accounts, the submarine had halted two Dutch steamers, when a trawler appeared and killed with its first shot four men who were standing on the deck of the submarine. The trawler then sank the submarine with a second shot. The entire action lasted less than ten minutes. The papers say the submarine was of the latest and largest type and carried a crew of sixty, all of whom were lost.

## BRITISH THROW BACK ENEMY AT ARRAS.

A despatch from London says: The report from British headquarters in France issued by the Official Press Bureau on Friday night says that in the morning an attempt by the Germans to enter British trenches north of Reincourt, just north of Arras, was repulsed. The artillery bombardment has been violent both east and west of the Meuse in the Verdun region. East of the Meuse the Germans shelled the French positions between the Cote du Poivre and Douaumont.

## NO NEGOTIATIONS WITH BULGARIA.

A despatch from London says: Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade, declared in the House of Commons on Thursday afternoon that Great Britain was carrying on semi-official negotiations with Bulgaria. He reminded his questioner that Great Britain was precluded by the spirit of the agreement with her allies from entertaining any peace negotiations without the knowledge and consent of the other parties to the agreement.

## ON THE VERGE OF AN UPRISING

All of Mexico to Take the Field  
Against Carranza.

A despatch from Washington says: Reports received within the past 24 hours at several of the European Embassies here have aroused grave apprehension in regard to the Mexican situation. These reports were to the effect that the Carranza Government is on the eve of a complete collapse, and that conditions in and around Mexico City are more threatening than they have been at any time since the overthrow of Porfirio Diaz.

## GEN. SMUTS CAPTURES ENEMY SUPPLIES.

A despatch from London says: A British official communication concerning the operations against the Germans in East Africa says: "Lieut. Gen. Jan Christian Smuts, commander of the expeditionary forces, telegraphs under date of April 29 that his mounted troops captured in the vicinity of Kondowirangi various convoys of munitions, including 200 slaughtered oxen, 80 rifles, a large amount of ammunition, a herd of 600 mixed cattle and 200 donkeys, with saddlery and supplies."



## About the House

Useful Hints and General Information for the Busy Housewife

### Selected Recipes.

**Fruit Salad.**—Beat two eggs slightly, add a quarter of a cupful of fruit juice, a quarter of a cupful of sugar and the same amount of lemon juice. Stir over the boiling water in the double boiler until it begins to thicken. Let it be thoroughly chilled before pouring over the fruit.

**Fancy Nut Bread.**—Use four cupfuls of flour, a half-cupful of sugar, two cupfuls of milk, two eggs, four even tablespoonsful of baking powder, a teaspoonful of salt, a cupful of chopped nuts. Beat the mixture well and allow it to rise for 20 minutes. Bake three-quarters of an hour in a slow oven.

**Ragout of Tripe.**—One pound tripe cut into small pieces, one-half onion sliced and cooked in one tablespoon butter, one cup strained tomato, one-half teaspoon salt, dash cayenne pepper and one cup celery cut into small pieces. Add tripe to onion and cook ten minutes. Add other ingredients and simmer one-half hour. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese just before serving.

**Pictorial Salad.**—Scoop out the inside of a good-sized cucumber. Mix the pulp thus extracted with an equal quantity of chopped onion. Young onions are best, as they do not taste too strong. Now cover the pulp with French dressing, and return to the inside of the vegetable. A pretty way to serve these is fashioned after a small boat. The cucumber is left unpeeled with a toothpick sticking up in the rind, to which a card is attached, representing a miniature sail.

**Peanut Slaw.**—Shave one small head of cabbage fine and sprinkle with salt, pepper and sugar. Make cooked dressing of one egg well beaten, one cup cider vinegar, one-half teaspoon mustard, one-half teaspoon salt, and one tablespoon butter, boiling until it reaches creamy thickness. Pour over cabbage while hot, and add one-half cup rich, sweet cream and one-fourth cup ground peanuts. Toss thoroughly and serve at once.

**Apple Meringue.**—Core and peel six to eight sour cooking apples of even size, and cook until nearly tender in syrup flavored with lemon rind. Take up and place on sieve to cool. Whip stiffly four whites of eggs and add two ounces powdered sugar. Arrange apples in buttered tin, fill center of each with current jelly, mask with whipped whites and bake in slow oven until nicely browned. Have rice cooked in milk ready. Place some in individual service dish, put apple on top and serve hot with fruit syrup.

**Apple Marmalade.**—Wash and cut half a peck of tart apples into quarters. Boil in a kettle until they become quite loose. Now rub them through a sieve and return to the kettle. Boil in the uncovered pot for 20 minutes, having the fire underneath very low. The slowness of the boiling process has a decided effect on the flavor of the apples. Measure your liquid carefully, and to each pint of the apple juice add a pint of sugar and two tablespoonsful of lemon juice. Cook for 10 minutes more, cool and put into jars.

**Small Peach Pudding.**—Allow one-half cupful peach to each individual pudding dish. Make batter by pressing through colander two extra peach halves, adding one well-beaten egg yolk, one-fourth cup milk, two tablespoons melted butter, pinch of salt, three-fourths cup flour and one teaspoon baking powder. Beat well and fold in beaten white of egg. Put a little batter in bottom of buttered fire-proof molds, cover with two tablespoons of batter and sprinkle with granulated sugar. Bake twenty minutes in moderate oven. Serve in molds, with spoonful of had sauce on each, or turn out and serve with plain cream. Use fresh fruit in season.

**Cheese and Macaroni Loaf.**—One-half cup broken macaroni, one cup milk, one cup soft bread crumbs, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon chopped green pepper, one teaspoon each of chopped onion and parsley, three eggs, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup grated cheese. Cook macaroni in boiling salted water until tender and rinse in cold water. Cook parsley, onion and pepper in a little water with butter. Pour off water or allow it to boil away. Beat egg whites and yolks separately. Mix all ingredients, cutting and folding in stiffly beaten whites last. Turn mixture into buttered baking dish, set in pan of hot water, and bake in moderate oven from one-half to three-fourths of an hour. Serve with tomato sauce.

### Household Hints.

The ideal bedroom is always the simplest. Omelet mixed with water instead of milk will be more tender.

All garments will wash easier if they are soaked in cold water. If a cake cracks open while baking it is a sign there is too much flour in it.

Scissors are excellent to shred lettuce; they are much more convenient than a knife.

Tea leaves moistened with vinegar removes the discoloration in glass caused by flowers.

A cup of cold, boiled rice makes the griddle cakes or muffins lighter and more easily digested.

A raw potato cut in half and rubbed on the fingers stained with vegetable paring will remove the discolorations.

Dainty little cheese balls for luncheon may be made by pressing any soft cheese between the two halves of walnut shells.

To avoid the expense of having a feather recured sprinkle it with a fair amount of ordinary salt and shake before a fire until quite dry. The feather will be quite fresh again.

A black straw hat may be made to look quite new by the following treatment:—Rub some olive oil into the straw with a brush. Then dry, and you will be delighted with the result.

To whiten handkerchiefs which have become a bad color soak them for a night in a solution of pipeclay and warm water. Wash and boil them next day in the usual way, and they will be beautifully white.

To remove grease from a kitchen table, scrub well with hot water to which half a teaspoonful of whiting has been added, wipe and then dry thoroughly with a clean cloth. This will make the table look equal to new.

The difficulty in cleaning gas globes is largely due to the ornamental roughness of the glass and it is often hard to clean them with soap and water, even with the addition of soda. A little salts of lemon added to the soapsuds will make the task easy.

In cleaning upholstered furniture do not bear directly upon the covering, as this helps to wear it out and scatter the dust in clouds, but lay towels or thick cloths on top and then do the beating. These cloths should be carefully gathered up and shaken out every little while.

To clean white ostrich feathers put 4 ozs. of white soap, cut small, dissolved in four pints of water, rather hot, in a large basin. Make the solution into a lather by beating it with birch rod or wires. Introduce the feathers, and rub well with the hands for five or six minutes. After this scoping wash in clean water as hot as the hand can bear. Shake until dry.

Home-made yeast recipe: Boil two ounces of hops in four quarts of water for half an hour. Strain off the liquid, and when almost cold—say lukewarm—add a breakfastcupful each of sugar and flour, half a teaspoonful of salt and six large boiled potatoes, boiled and mashed smooth. Put all into a large stone jar or bottle. Cork securely, stand it by the fire at first for a little while, and then store in a cool place, and it will keep fresh for two months.

To clean light grey doeskin gloves let the gloves soak in a saucer with sufficient petrol to cover them; take out, do not squeeze, but let the dirty liquid drip off. Lay on a thick clean cloth, and with a dry piece of rag rub down, working from the wrist to the fingers. Constantly change the surface of the rag, for directly it gets dirty it is apt to smear them. After this, if the gloves are not quite clean, put them through the same process again, and hang in the air. This work must not be performed in a room with a fire or artificial light.

### KEPT IN IGNORANCE.

Swedish Professor Says Germans Are Not Told Truth About War.

The impression that the German people are living isolated from the rest of the world in dense ignorance of what is happening beyond their boundaries has been confirmed by the Swedish professor Patrik Haglund, who visited Germany recently on a tour of observation. "The people in the shops, in the streets, in the restaurants know nothing," says Professor Haglund. When he met old friends or made new ones they "thoroughly drained" him of news. He found that the censorship kept the people in ignorance of everything that might give rise to inconvenient reflections. The papers contained only official war news, and all of it favorable to German arms. Picking up a copy of the Frankfurter Neueste Nachrichten at a railway station, Professor Haglund was amazed to see spread all over the front page an article, entitled, "Assassination in War," which told its readers how the British Government had murdered ten or more Englishmen whose offense was that they had shown sympathy for Germany.

The newspapers were filled with propaganda articles, in which a specimen was a panegyric upon the new German army officers and their civilian aids, "which gave anybody with an ordinary sense of justice little more," says Professor Haglund, with reserve, "than a feeling of discomfort."

That the German people had no doubt of the satisfactory prosecution of the war by the Government and its successful issue was plain from a talk the professor had with a doctor about the value of the German mark in Sweden. It circulated there at a discount. The German doctor when so informed asked how the Swedes could be so mad as to depreciate the mark, and he was dumfounded when told that was not considered to be worth any more.

## TYPES OF RUSSIAN SOLDIERS



This group represents four different races, and is a typical picture of the men who compose the fighting forces of the Czar.

## The Fashions

### Simple Trim Street Suits.

Although the fashions are still undergoing changes—and before summer is fairly here, we shall probably find many novelties which have as yet not put in an appearance—for street wear, at least, styles are established. The puffers, bustles, ruffles, wired hip pockets, and other weird effects, are relegated to the house for evening and afternoons.

Styles Which Conceal Either Slenderness or Avowdupois.

The spring and summer styles, many of them, seem to be designed with the idea of concealing slenderness, but at the same time, fortunately, they serve equally well to conceal an overabundance of flesh. For instance, let us consider the fitted jacket, with waist raised slightly above the normal, and the full, fan-tail coat, pleated or flared; such a model, while

the bust and held in place with shoulder straps. There are any number of interesting sleeveless coats or three-piece dress effects which strongly appeal to many. These are of taffeta or satin, and are to a great extent replacing the short capes introduced a little earlier.

Belts and Girdles Again in Favor. One of the most interesting details of the smart little summer frocks, both of silk and wash fabrics, is the girdle. This is made of ribbon, one of the flowered or figured taffetas, an attractive Oriental silk, or a metal embroidered novelty; and for the serge frock suit, the various leathers, suede, patent leather, buckskin, or a novelty of novelties, antelope skin.

The ordinary silk girdle now measures at least four inches in width at its narrowest point, and at its widest, of ten from nine to twelve. The widest point is directly in front, this point as a rule coming down over the front of the skirt. In some instances the point extends both up on the corsage and down below; this of course is nothing more or less than the quaint, fascinating bodice of our grandmothers' days.

Others of the ribbon girdles are trimmed at the ends with wide sash ends, gathered straight to the belt, and forming a half tunic effect, with ribbon ruching at the bottom; or again, the sash ends are attached to the girdle at the sides, hang to the knees and are turned back on themselves, and caught at the back. Suspender trimmings, sash bows, rosettes, and all forms of ribbon trimmings are tremendously favored.

Narrow belts of leather, antelope, suede, buck and other soft-finished qualities, are used as a finish to serge frock or tailored suit. Wool embroidery plays an important part on girdles too, being deftly introduced to lend a note of sharp contrast to suit or frock.

A very popular Russian blouse dress is illustrated here, fashioned or crepe, Georgeanne and satin; it is sashed with the Georgeanne, in a graceful knotted girdle. The frock of serge and or-

softening to angles, also straightens out curves most effectively. These coats, originated by Mme. Paquin, will in all probability be the feature of the spring and summer tailored suits of serge, linen, or novelty sport materials.

The Charming Summer Silk Frocks. We have too thoroughly enjoyed the comfort and becomingness of the simple one-piece frock of silk to let it disappear from view even for a summer. They are being used for the street, for the house, and for evening wear this season, being even more popular than for the past season or two. Plain, crisp taffetas are used in their fashioning, soft crepes, and crepe de Chine, foulards and printed silks in checked and flowered effects.

Mme. Callot sends us a charming little model of plain navy blue taffeta, combined with Pompadour silk; it has a full, gathered skirt of the plain blue, and a quaint corsage and bustle effect of the Pompadour silk, in its soft, delicate colorings.

There is a quaint lace bodice which lends a dainty touch. The sleeves and body portion of the waist are of white lawn, and the belt-girdle is laced over,

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### LOCAL.

Well, let us keep the old town humming till the boys come home.

The spring stallion show at Glencoe yesterday was deficient in both horses and spectators.

Fred Squire has returned to Glencoe with his family after spending some years in Vancouver.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Chas. Stinson.

Mrs. Samuel Squire, of Ekfrid, who has been ill for some time with paralysis, is not likely to recover.

If you keep poultry the public warning notice published in another column by the council will interest you.

The Battle Hill Relief Society will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Fleming on Thursday afternoon, May 11th.

Attendance at both the high and public schools has fallen off considerably owing to the measles epidemic.

Rev. W. G. Charlton, of Aylmer, will preach at the Church of Christ, Mosa, on Sunday, May 7, at 11 a. m.

Sugar took another jump up in price of 10 cents per cwt. last week. This makes a total advance in price during April of \$1.36.

At the May meeting of London Presbytery on Tuesday Rev. A. C. Campbell tendered his resignation of the charge at Appin.

Thos. Stinson sold his heavy team of grey Percheron horses to Chas. Young for a fancy figure. They were shipped on Tuesday last week.

An auction sale of the farm stock of the late Robert W. Huston will be held on Tuesday afternoon next at the farm on the Longwoods Road.

The county auditors, C. W. Hawkshaw and A. P. McDougall, finished their quarterly audit of the county treasurer's books at London on Friday.

Rev. George Weir, pastor of Glencoe Presbyterian Church, will be a commissioner to the General Assembly, which meets in Winnipeg in June.

Fields Coad, of Carl, Mich., formerly of Glencoe, was married on April 29th, to Miss Josephine Leads, daughter of Forrest Leads, druggist, of Scotville, Mich.

W. H. Miller, general paymaster of the Wabash Railroad, died of appendicitis at a St. Louis hospital Monday. He was to wed Miss Mary E. Donnelly, of St. Thomas, that night.

Miss Winnie Huntley, of Court-right, who is the guest of Miss Jennie Finlayson, sang very acceptably the solo "Teach Me to Pray" in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

The picture show this week will be for the benefit of the Red Cross and will consist of eight reels of specially selected films. One show, commencing at 8 o'clock. Prices, 10c and 20c.

Col. Robson says that 1,181 men have enlisted in the 135th Battalion since Nov. 22, 1915, and after 60 had been transferred and several discharged, there was still a strength of 1,106 men.

Harry Vause, of Glencoe, bought at \$500 the house and bit of land formerly owned by the late Jacob Steinhoff, on the townline, near Strathroy, which was put up at auction a few days ago.

A subscriber asks: "When is St. Swithin's day?" July 15 is the date, and if it rains on that day there will be rain for forty days thereafter. But why borrow trouble? Surely there's been enough rain the last week or two to satisfy everyone.

Mrs. Jane Dodd, Kerwood, announces the marriage of her daughter, Florence May, graduate nurse, of St. Thomas, to Peter Hutton Moore, of Strathroy, Wednesday, April 19. Mr. and Mrs. Moore will be at home after June 1st, R. R. No. 1, Walkers.

A large crowd was at the railway station on Monday morning to see the soldiers off for London. The National Anthem was sung and cheers were given for the boys, who were all in a jolly mood and presented a fine soldierly appearance. Glencoe will miss them.

A proposition to make use of a part of the unexpended money raised for machine guns towards providing a mess tent for Glencoe company of the 135th Battalion was brought before a meeting of the Patriotic Association on Friday evening and laid over for further consideration.

The West Lorne Driving Park Association will open their new track on Victoria Day, May 21st, with a big celebration. There will be a 2.15 class, purse \$150; a 2.50 class, purse \$100, and a named race, purse \$50. Other features of the day will be a calisthenic parade, automobile races, games, etc.

Members and adherents of the Presbyterian Church who enlisted with Glencoe company of the 135th Battalion were entertained in the Sunday School hall on Saturday evening. An interesting program was given which included short addresses by the pastor and officers of the church and officers of the battalion. Presentation was made to the soldiers of suitable mementoes.

On Friday evening a few of the neighbors and friends of Pte. Isaac Kuns met at his home and presented him with a military wrist watch and a silver match case. Miss Maud Goff read an address and John Strachan made the presentation. After lunch the meeting was brought to a close by singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "God Save the King." John B. McKellar was chairman of the evening.

Mrs. Jane Mellie, widow of the late Henry Lovell, died at her home in Alvinston on Wednesday last week, aged 64 years. She had been ill for some time, and her death was not unexpected. Her husband predeceased her some years ago. Before moving to town they lived on the farm now occupied by Sylvester Smith, just north of Alvinston. Two children survive—A. L. of Ekfrid, and Miss Mabel, at home.

The 135th (Middlesex) Battalion mobilized and went into camp at the Cove ranges, London, on Monday. The unit will remain at the Cove camp until its musketry training has been completed, when it is thought probable it will be moved to the Carling Heights camp, north of the city, and its place taken by some other battalion. One lieutenant of "A" "C" and "D" companies will remain respec-

tively at Strathroy, Parkhill and Glencoe to reissue uniforms to men remaining on furlough after they return from seeing and to continue recruiting for their companies until further orders.

At Alex. D. McKellar's clearing sale of farm stock and implements, held a few days ago, good prices were realized. Cows sold at \$75 to \$100; nice, thrifty yearlings at \$18 to \$30 each; sows and piglets for \$71; a heavy brood mare for \$212; a carriage gelding for \$100, and a heavy four-year-old gelding for \$183. It was one of the best attended sales ever held in Ekfrid. The stock was all in fine condition and bidding was keen. Auctioneer McTaggart wielded the hammer. Mr. McKellar and family, having sold the farm, purpose taking a trip to the West and prospecting before locating permanently.

A farewell entertainment was given to the officers and men of Glencoe company of the 135th Battalion at the opera house on Friday evening. The citizens turned out in force and in speech and song the boys were given to understand that Glencoe appreciated their heroism and loyalty in responding to the Empire's call, as also their creditable deportment while quartered in the town and the regret that was felt that they were about to leave. Reeve McLaughlin, president, and addresses were given by Revs. Weir, Ford and Owen; quartettes by members of the Methodist and English church choirs; solos by Miss Squire and Earl Wetherill; readings by Miss Elliott. A rousing chorus was contributed by the men in khaki, and Pte. Woodhead made a decided hit in some of Harry Lauder's comedies. Encore were the order of the evening. Major Tanton and Lieut. Crodon expressed their gratitude and that of the members of D company in general for the kind and generous treatment given them by the people of Glencoe during their stay here.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Thos. Stinson is on the sick list.

Misses Ethel Gardiner and Lena Craig were in Thamesville last week.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. J. Weekes, of London, spent Thursday the guest of Mrs. Fred Aldred.

Mrs. Richard Singleton has returned after a six weeks' visit in Brantford and Ingersoll.

Mrs. (Rev.) G. J. Kerr, of Dorchester, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Weekes, at "The Maples," Mosa.

Mrs. A. B. McKellar and Wm. Corbett, of Mosa, both of whom have been ill with pneumonia, are recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayter spent Sunday the guests of Mr. Hayter's aunt, Mrs. George Patterson, Alvinston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wright and daughter, Mabel, were in Toronto for Easter, visiting at the home of Mrs. Wright's brother.

J. Warner McAlpine left for Vegreville, Alberta, on Monday, near which place he will have charge of a mission station for the summer.

### The Late Mrs. Macdonald.

The Strathroy Age says:—Sarah Campbell, beloved wife of Angus Macdonald, a well-known and highly respected resident of Alvinston, who, years ago, passed peacefully to eternal rest on Tuesday at the family residence, lot 27, con. 3, N. E. R. Mrs. Macdonald spent her whole life in the neighborhood, where she was born eighty years ago and her upright walk of life was an inspiration to the wide circle of friends and acquaintances she leaves behind. She was one of those fine old Scotch people, who, in their indomitable courage, thrift and industry in the early days meant so much to the present welfare of our land. She was married in 1855 to Mr. Macdonald and for over forty years the couple lived happily and contentedly together, surrounded by a large family of sons and daughters, the majority of whom are now located in distant parts. In her early girlhood she united with the Presbyterian Church. She leaves her husband: one brother, Lochie Campbell, and one sister, Mrs. George Wixon, both of Jeddo, Mich., and the following children—Duncan and Charles, at home; Robert, of Lipton, Sask.; William, on active service and now lying wounded in Shorncliffe Hospital, England; Dan, in New Mexico; Mrs. S. J. Shaw, and Mrs. Alex. J. Stewart, of Glencoe; Mrs. B. J. Bedford, of Rouleau, Sask.; and Mrs. Christie Harris and Mrs. O. J. McPherson, of Armstrong, B. C. Deceased had been poorly for the past five years and her death was not unexpected.

### Field Crop Competitions.

The Mosa and Ekfrid Agricultural Society will hold a field crop competition in fall wheat. The amount of land must not be less than five acres. Seventy-five dollars will be given in prizes—the first \$30, the lowest \$1. Any person wishing to compete must send in their entry to R. W. McKellar, Glencoe, not later than May 25th, 1916.

### St. John's Honor Roll.

The following Honor Roll of members and adherents of St. John's (Anglican) Church, Glencoe, who have enlisted for overseas army service has been posted up in the church:

Biddies, Edwin ..... Pte. 33rd Batt.  
Biddies, Ralph ..... Pte. 18th Batt.  
Broadhead, E. S. .... Sergt. 5th Batt.  
Bulteel, R. M. P. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Cavallier, H. G. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Cottle, George ..... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Dorman, Wm. .... Pte. 142nd Batt.  
Golding, Mont. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Hallstone, Harry ..... Pte. 2nd Pioneer  
Hawes, Wm. de C. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Hopkins, A. W. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Hudson, Sidney ..... Gunner 16th Battery  
Johnson, Stephen ..... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Keating, Harry ..... Pte. 33rd Batt.  
Liddington, H. F. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Lovell, R. G. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Males, Chas. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Marshall, T. E. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
McCracken, George ..... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Siberi, Thomas ..... Pte. 34th Batt.  
Smith, G. W. .... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Spelling, John ..... Pte. 135th Batt.  
Sutton, Alfred ..... Corp. 135th Batt.  
Tait, John ..... Sergt. 135th Batt.  
Thorne, Thomas ..... Pte. 135th Batt.

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### AUCTION SALES

At Ranks' Hotel, Appin, on Saturday, May 6, at 2 o'clock—22 two-year-old steers; 3 two-year-old heifers; 5 cows, springers; 10 calves, S. P. Charlton, proprietor; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

On south half lot 17, L. W. R., Ekfrid, on Tuesday, May 9, at 2 o'clock—1 aged mare, in foal by Black Knight; 1 aged mare, Gray Prince; 1 seven-year-old mare, Nobility; 1 seven-year-old mare, Sir Arnold, in foal by Lord Harry; 1 three-year-old gelding, Lord Harry; 1 one-year-old filly, Statley Mack; 1 one-year-old filly, Blackband; 2 two-year-old heifers; 3 two-year-old steers; 9 yearling steers; 4 yearling heifers; 3 heifers, 8 months old; 1 steer, 8 months old; 1 Jersey milk cow, due to freshen in June; 1 Durham milk cow, due to freshen in May; 1 three-year-old milk cow, Jersey, due to freshen in October; 1 four-year-old cow, farrow; 1 Lincoln ram; 19 Lincoln ewes with lambs by side.—E. T. Huston, administrator; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

Dispensation sale of registered Short-horns (females and males) on lot 7, con. 12, South Dorchester, three-quarters of a mile north of Springfield, on Wednesday, May 10, at one o'clock. Write for catalogue. The farm will also be sold in block or in lots of 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 or 125 acres. I. R. Prichard, proprietor; Lindsay & Pound, auctioneers.

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Special picture show of eight reels Saturday night for the benefit of the Red Cross. One show, commencing at 8 sharp. Prices, 10c and 20c. 12

Fox terrier dog strayed into my place and may be sold by owner on proving property and paying for this notice.—J. M. Beckton, Glencoe. 12

Big sale starts on Saturday, May 6, in store formerly occupied by McLay & Munroe, opposite the two banks. Boots and shoes, dry goods and clothing at slaughter prices. Canada Sample House, Glencoe. 12

Large sale will start on Saturday, May 6, with 2,000 pairs of boots and shoes and rubbers of manufacturers' prices 60 per cent. less than the wholesale prices.—Canada Sample Co., McLay & Munroe's old stand, Glencoe. 12

Retiring from the shoe business. Now is the time to economize. Leather is going to be higher, and my entire stock will be sold cheap. Sale to continue till stock is sold. Terms strictly cash. All parties indebted to me kindly call and settle.—J. E. Roome. 10/1

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I have vacated the store next to John D. Smith and have taken the rooms formerly occupied by Mr. Geo. Wilson over P. Lumley's drug store, where I will be glad to look after your mail order needs in lace curtains and carpet squares. We also make men's suits to order from imported English suitings at close margin prices. A few old country raincoats for men on hand; call and see them.—Chas. Dean.

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## A Tenderfoot's Wooing

By CLIVE PHILLIPPS WOLLEY  
(Author of "Gold, Gold In Cariboo," Etc.)

CHAPTER XIII.—(Cont'd.)  
"Heave him up on to the pinto, Bill. He's dead to the world."  
"How is he going to stick on?"  
"You heave him up," insisted Combe from the other side of the stolen horse, "I'll fix that. He'll ride as well as the pinto's last passenger."  
"The old man in there," replied Bill, looking over his shoulder nervously, and speaking in a hushed voice.  
"Yes. Can you steady him like that whilst I throw a hitch around him. Don't let him roll."  
"I'll try, Jim, but his legs are like water. You can't hold them. They slip all ways at once."  
"They won't do that long. Now! How's that?"

Combe had taken the tie rope from the pinto's saddle, and with it had lashed the doctor's feet together under the belly of his horse, after which he had passed the bight of the rope around his victim's waist and secured him firmly by it to the horn of the saddle.  
"I guess he'll ride like 'that for a bit," he said, looking critically at his work. "Seems pretty well packed, doesn't he?" and taking the doctor by the shoulder he swayed him tentatively in the saddle.  
"Yes, he'll stay there till you untie him, but what are you going to tell the ferryman?"

"That's my trouble. I'm blanked if I know how I'm going to fix that, unless I gag him too. I wish the doctor was not too drunk to sit on by himself."  
"If he wasn't he wouldn't go."  
"Yes, he would, with this," and the light flickered on a barrel hardly harder than the speaker's face.

Bill looked at Combe, doubtfully. He had known Jim many years, but had never seen the man he saw now. The sight staggered him and made him doubtful of the share he had taken in the proceedings.  
"You don't mean no foul play by him, do you?"  
"No, of course not. A dead ass isn't no good. Hand me his bridle," and Combe reached from the saddle for it. But Bill held on to it.

"See here, Jim, this is a mighty ugly business. It is for a woman?"  
"For a woman, sure. Hand over, or they'll be after us."  
Still the man doubted, and Combe saw a bar of light in the front of the Ideal. Some one had opened the door to look out. The crowd was growing impatient for its drinks.  
There was no time to be lost. It was cruel, but he had to do it.

"Bill, he hissed, 'when he died, wouldn't you have done this or any other blanked thing to save her?'"  
"My God, yes," was the startled answer. Without further demur Bill handed over the bridle and Jim turning the horses sharply down hill, disappeared into the night, whilst the widower slunk through the back premises into the Ideal.

### CHAPTER XIV.

It seemed to the doctor that his pace was suddenly accelerated. In his dream flight he began to move with quite phenomenal rapidity. In all previous expeditions of the kind the motion had been a steady sailing, so steady that if he had not seen the steeples and towers going by below him, he would have considered himself absolutely stationary in space. But now he was going at a great speed and jerkily. Yes, certainly jerkily, and the atmosphere was becoming distinctly colder. He had entered a stratum of cold air. Ah, yes, that must be it. He was getting higher; he was in fact rocketing. That was it, he was rocketing. Quite natural, he reflected. You hit a bird in the head and it rockets. The whiskey had hit me in the head and it rockets. Certainly I am rocketing.

But as his thoughts grew less vague his body grew more and more

cold. The spirit was dying out in his blood, and his tightly bound extremities were beginning to freeze. He became conscious that he was no longer in the streets of Soda Creek. He could hear horses' feet and gravel which rattled and slid beneath them, and a jerk which threw him heavily upon his horse's neck woke him to the fact that he was riding down an extremely steep incline into a grey sea of icy vapor.

It has been said that Doctor Protheroe was one of those men who had the faculty of becoming drunk a dozen times in the twenty-four hours. His recovery from the effects of drink was as rapid as his lapse into drunkenness and now his brain began to work again almost normally.

He realized that he was riding tied in his saddle, his arms pinioned and his mouth gagged, and that someone, also riding, was leading his horse along the edge of a grey flood from which came a roar and an incessant grinding sound. Dr. Protheroe's earliest impression of a river was the union of a dozen tiny springs which well up from the earth's heart amongst meadow sweet and fritillaries, in his native Wiltshire, or at the wildest a junction of little brown rills which wind chattering to their meeting place through the purple heather of that which English folk call a mountain, and so gathered and united, wander on, picking up a little friend here and another more fully grown further on, until together they turn a miller's wheel or dream through lush hay fields to the sea.

But the Fraser, by which that silent figure led him, is not a river of this kind.

Born of the snows in that barren land where earth's ribs show above the last of the black pines, the Fraser is bitter and savage from its birth. There are no lush grass lands for it to flow through, no miller's wheels for it to turn.

Its course is through sand and gravel; that it is gold gravel makes it no more beautiful; past grey benches stained in leprous patches by vivid metallic colors. It has nothing to do with framing until, weary of life and retired from business, it reaches its muddy delta, where it farms because it is too feeble to do anything else.

Its life's work was mining. It is the great sluice box of northern British Columbia, the great water power which eats away the gold-bearing rocks, which builds the dams and feeds them year by year with much fine gold, which tempts the strongest of our men with the possibility of quickly earned wealth, and having sucked their lives out of them, leaves them stranded in such back waters as Soda Creek.

The banks of it under which Jim Combe led the doctor's stumbling horse, were sheer cliffs of gravel, the raw edges of a great earth wound, through which the river tore its course, and the brim of it was no place of primroses, but a fringe of great boulders, too heavy even for its strong waters to move, and here and there the bones of a stranded pine.

Far overhead the two could see a few tall conifers, towering in the night mist, and behind them, up stream, the dull red light which marked the centre of such life as there was in Soda Creek.

When a cable crossed the river they paused, and Jim dismounting went down to the water's edge. The ferry was there, moored to the bank the ice cakes gathering round it as it lay, but there was no boatman by it, and the little shack in which he sheltered was empty. Jim got into the ferry and tried to move it, but the chain of it was secured by a great padlock. It was kept for the public's convenience and the ferryman's profit, and the ferryman had gone.

"Curse it. That's what I might have expected," Jim muttered, "but I didn't see him in the saloon when we left."

For a time he wrestled with the lock and tried to break it with a boulder from the beach, but such attempts had been foreseen and the fastenings were so strong to yield to rude surgery.

"Doesn't matter much if they do come now," he said to himself, and began to hulloa on the off-chance that the ferryman might be within hearing. He even took out his revolver and fired a shot, but for awhile there was no response. The ferryman had concluded that his cowboy passenger of the morning was as other cowboys he had known, and would be as long over his half-hour's business as they had been, and Cariboo, being a free country, he had gone where he listed.

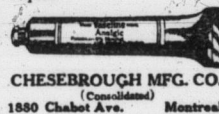
But the revolver shot had roused others if it had not called the ferryman. The red glow in the centre of the townlet was redder now and larger. The door of the Ideal was wide open, and there were voices on the night air, the voices of men which grew closer as he listened. Possibly Bill's suspicions had found voice at the last moment, the revolver shot having confirmed them, and now the whole drunken gang was out looking

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for the doctor and his abductor. It did not matter much. He could easily escape such a posse as they were likely to form, but he turned towards his captive. It was no use keeping him any longer.

"Hulloa, you are awake, are you? Want them wraps off your mouth?" he asked, cynically. "They'll keep the cold off your chest," but he moved towards him and released the doctor from his gag.

"You might as well untie my hands whilst you are about it. They are nearly frozen already," said Protheroe in a matter-of-fact tone.

"I'm looked at him in some surprise. The sobering effect of the ride had been even greater than he had anticipated.

"I guess you can sit on then by yourself," he remarked, unfastening the rope which bound his captive's legs, before freeing his hands.

"Steady! Don't fall off as you ride back, and don't try any monkey tricks with me. It ain't worth it," and then, reassured by the doctor's appearance, he let his hands go.

"Now you might as well ride back and finish the night with your pals. Sorry I troubled you."

But the doctor remained sitting where he was.

"You ain't afraid about finding your way, are you?" asked Combe. "They'll be here pretty soon now, if they don't fall in and get drowned. I'm not coming along. Soda Creek might not be healthy for me just now."

Still the doctor sat where he was, stretching his cramped legs, feeling the stiffened muscles of his arms, swaying a little in his saddle, and looking at Combe.

"You must have wanted me pretty badly," he said at length, and there was no trace of anger in his voice, no protest against his attempted abduction.

"Guess I did, or I shouldn't have took you."

"What is it? A woman? You aren't married?"

Jim laughed a hard laugh.

"What is it then? You aren't drunk or a fool?"

"Ain't I? That new tenderfoot, Anstruther, has bucked himself up pretty badly. Miss Clifford is nursing him and wants a doctor."

"Ah," grunted the doctor, and whistled a strange hollow whistle like that of a fog horn. It was a curious trick he had on occasions of insight.

He knew the Risky Ranch pretty well, though he was no favorite there, and he knew its internal history, and could have made shrewd guesses about Miss Clifford and Jim Combe and even about Mr. Anstruther.

The ways of the world are very much alike everywhere, and doctors know them better than most men.

"What is the matter with Anstruther?"

"Ribs broke, two or three, and may be something worse inside."

"Well he will get over that without my assistance or die. Does it matter?"

Jim looked at him stupidly.

"To you," the doctor added. (To be Continued.)

### LONGEST SIEGE OF WAR.

Mora, in the Cameroons, Defended For Eighteen Months.

What has been the longest siege of the war?

It is doubtful whether 1,000 Britons, outside of official life, could answer the question. This is not strange, because the story is told here for the first time. It comes from a young British officer who had the sanction of the War Office to tell the story of the most stubborn scrap of the war.

When the history of the war is written it may be known as the Siege of Mora—a siege which lasted for eighteen months. With Mora in the hands of the British and French, the allies came into possession of a country of 29,950 square miles in area, which is as large as the German Empire and Belgium and the part of France under German occupation at the present time. This is the Cameroons, or, as the Germans spell it, Kamerun.

### A Cruel Comeback.

"Sweet's to the sweet," said Mr. Sloppy gallantly, as he handed a plate of cakes to the landlady's daughter.

"Pass Mr. Sloppy, the bees," said the landlady significantly.

## The Farm

### A Stable Wall Decoration.

The dairy department of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture is urging that the following be put up in every dairy barn in the state:

"Practice the following advice and you will make more dollars in dairying. Others have done it. Why can't you?"

"Use pure-bred dairy sires from cows having large and profitable productions of milk and butter-fat."

"Do not turn cows out to remain and suffer in cold, stormy weather."

"Provide plenty of hay for cows which for one or more generations have made large and profitable productions of milk and butter-fat."

"Breed heifers at the age of sixteen to twenty months."

"Feed heifers liberally and milk regularly."

### In Summer Time.

"Do not try to save feed by turning to pasture too early."

"Provide plenty of pure, fresh water, shade, and protection against flies during hot weather."

"Supplement poor pastures with corn silage or green soiling crops like rye, peas, oats, green corn fodder, cabbage and other available feed."

### In Winter Time.

"Feed cows daily one pound of grain for every three pounds of milk produced, twenty-five to forty pounds of corn silage, and what clover or alfalfa they will eat."

"Allow them to have water which is not colder than that from a deep well twice or three times daily."

"Brush cows daily if you can possibly find the time, for it pays better than does grooming of horses, which as a rule is not neglected."

"Keep cows in clean, well-lighted, properly ventilated stables."

### At All Times.

"Treat cows gently and avoid excitement."

"Weigh the milk of each cow at milking time."

"Get your neighbors to share with you in owning a Babcock milk tester and test the milk of each cow."

"Discard the cow which has failed at the end of the year to pay market price for all the feed she has consumed."

"Give cows six to eight weeks' rest between lactation periods."

"Belong to a dairy cattle breeders' association, a cow-testing association and every organization that will help to keep you posted and in touch with the best up-to-date methods of managing your dairy herd."

### Improving Sandy Soils.

The addition of vegetable matter to sandy soils is very important. It is needed to increase their water-holding capacity, as well as to add to their fertility. Due to their coarse texture and lack of vegetable matter, water is often the limiting crop-producing factor of sandy soils.

To prevent winds from "blowing" sand the land may be laid out in long narrow fields with alternate grass and cultivated crops. For short distances protection wind-breaks of pines or other trees are effective.

Deep planting of seed, rolling and harrowing of soil are necessary to bring the moisture to the seed and yet prevent its loss by evaporation.

The fertility needs of sandy soils are nitrogen, phosphorus and potash. Phosphorus and potassium must be supplied either directly in commercial fertilizer or indirectly through the buying of feed to be fed to animals and the manure returned to the land. The average sandy soil contains but from one-third to one-half as much fertility as clay loams.

Legumes are beneficial to sandy soils because they supply the much-needed nitrogen, as well as humus. Where a supply of peas is readily available it can be used to advantage as a nitrogen fertilizer.

The use of lime on sandy soils, which are very commonly acid, will aid in securing stands of alfalfa, any of the clovers and soy beans. Cow peas, lupines and vetch usually do well on acid soil.

To grow good crops of legumes it is also necessary to inoculate the soils.

Rotations for sandy soils should be so chosen as to increase the amount of vegetable matter and provide a legume crop to cover the soil at least once every three years.—Canadian Farm.

### Sowing Oats.

The best way to sow oats is with the grain drill. Drilling gives a more even stand than broadcast seeding, for all the seed is covered to about the same depth. In sowing broadcast, some of the seed may not be covered at all and some may be covered too deeply. Germination is better from drilled seed and the growth is more uniform throughout the season.

In numerous tests at the experiment stations drilled oats have out-yielded oats sown broadcast by several bushels to the acre. Better stands of grass and clover can also be obtained in drilled than in broadcast oats.

The best depth to sow oats varies with the soil and the season. In any case they should be covered with half an inch to an inch of moist soil. They should be sown deeper in sandy soils than in loams or clays. Deeper seed-

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ing is also necessary when the ground is dry than when it is moist. On the average the best depth is from 1 to 1½ inches.

Oats should be sown as early in the spring as it is possible to make a good seed bed. The exact date, of course, varies with the season and with the locality. This does not mean that the preparation of the land should be neglected in order to sow early. Better yields will be produced from seed sown in a good seed bed than from that sown a few days earlier in ground too cold and wet for the seed to germinate.

In a good seed bed the best rate of seeding is about 2½ bushels to the acre. If the seed is sown broadcast, more is necessary. More seed is required in a poor seed bed than in a good one, as fewer seeds are likely to grow. A lower rate of seeding may be used for small-kerneled varieties than for large-kerneled ones for there are many more of the former in a bushel.—U. S. Department of Agriculture.

### GERMANS FEAR RUSSIA.

"The Russian is Terrible," Say Teuton Army Officers.

As to the qualities and characteristics of the various non-Teutonic soldiers of Europe, German army officers speak interestingly and not without generosity, says the New York Times. The French soldier is gallant, nervous and very brave, only it is difficult to make him return a second or third time into the same fire. The English fighter is dogged and individually resourceful. The Italian, though ferocious in assault, is discouraged by failure. He goes on one impulse and hates to repress his own dead for a second charge. That is how a German sees three of his adversaries. As to a fourth, he volunteers nothing, but if he is pressed, he will add: "The Russian is terrible."

The meaning of that assertion develops slowly, with many hesitations. It is not that the individual Russian soldier is particularly terrible. No, that is not what he means to say. The Russians cannot be singularized. You have to think of Russians, infinite in plurality, a slow-moving, continuous imposing mass. They come in lines and twelve deep, heedless, and heavy, so controlled by their own momentum that they cannot stop. They will go anywhere, into anything, again and again, as if they did not know how to be afraid. "The only thing you can do," says the German officer, "is to slaughter them and pray that you will have ammunition enough to keep it up."

### Preparedness.

"Goodness, Maria, why are you hiding all the music so carefully?"

"Well, John, the Puffers are calling on us to-night, and you know Mrs. Puffer never plays without music."

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### HUMORS OF VISITORS' BOOKS.

Amusing Effusions on Some Hotel Books.

The custom of keeping books in hotels and boarding-houses and asking visitors to leave behind them some written record of their stay has been productive of many witty effusions, the humor of which, however, could scarcely be appreciated in some cases by "mine host."

It was Quin, the actor, says London Tit-Bits, who many years ago wrote the following at the once-famed Pelican Inn near Newbury:

The famous inn at Speenhamland,  
That stands beneath the hill,  
May well be called the Pelican,  
From its enormous bill.

A hotel keeper in Argentina proudly points to the following recommendation written by an English visitor:

"If you have no objection to garlic in your food, treacle in your wine, mosquitoes in your bedroom, and dishonesty in your landlord; if you are content with a saucer for your bath, and if you like being hurled out of bed in the morning by an earthquake, I can, from experience, recommend this hotel."

Needless to say, the landlord could not read English.

At a pretentious suburban hotel, says London Truth, one may read: "I have pleasure in testifying to the bon ton of this hotel. Everyone dresses for dinner except the cook. The proprietors give the cook next to nothing to dress for dinner." And at an old-established posting house in Lancashire some ambiguous visitor entered this remark: "The food here is exceptional; I feel hungry every day."

HUNGARIANS WANT PEACE.

Afraid That Germany Will Swoop Them Up Some Day.

The London Telegraph's Milan correspondent says that a significant symptom regarding the Hapsburg monarchy is shown by an outburst of the Hungarian newspapers in favor of peace. Premier Asquith's recent speech regarding peace conditions, the despatch says, has been commented by Hungarians, who are anxious on account of German aggressiveness respecting small nationalities at the end of the war.

In connection with the visit to Berlin made by Baron Burian, Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, it is suggested that Germany proposed that the Hapsburg monarchy should be divided into small autonomous States, presumably in order that they may be more easily swallowed up by Germany. The Slav nationalities, it is hinted, are to be given the minimum of liberty, Galicia also receiving autonomy. The Hungarians have taken umbrage, feeling that their turn would come next, and that the Magyars would thus succumb to German predominance.

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## YOUNG FOLKS

### A Birthday Town.

One day, about three years ago, Dick and Dorothy paused at the railway crossing while on their way home from downtown. Old Uncle Hiram, the gatekeeper, whom everyone in Belmont knew and loved, was sitting at the door of his little house as they came along.

"My," said Uncle Hiram, "what big parcels for little folks to be carrying!"

"Well, you see," Dick explained, "we have been shopping for the birthday party."

"What birthday party?" asked Uncle Hiram as he looked up and down the track.

"The baby's," spoke up Dorothy. "Our little Billy, you know. He's three to-morrow, and we're going to give him the finest birthday party that ever was."

"Yes," said Dick, "we have a lot of toys, and there's going to be a big frosted cake with three candles."

"Think of that, now!" cried Uncle Hiram, slapping his knee. "It makes me wish I could have a birthday party myself."

"Why can't you have one?" asked Dorothy. "Everyone in town would love to come, I know."

"Yes," added Dick, "of course everyone would. Don't old folks—I mean, don't grown-up folks have birthdays?"

"Oh, yes, we old folks have lots of birthdays," chuckled Uncle Hiram. "We have them much more often than you young folks, too; but somehow we get out of the habit of having parties."

"That's too bad," said Dorothy. "What fun you miss! Now, if you will just tell us when your next birthday comes, we'll plan a real party for you."

Uncle Hiram did not laugh this time, but looked down hard at the bright eyes raised to his.

"I can think of something better than that," he said at last. "Do you know Aunt Lizzie Wheeler, who lives almost out to the North Road schoolhouse, with only a housekeeper for company? Well, she will be eighty years old next Monday. She has been lame for years to get out of the house. If you want to make an old person happy with a birthday party, just take her up some flowers or a cake, or any little thing, to show her that some one remembers and cares."

"We'll do it!" cried Dorothy. "And I know that Bessie Fuller and her brother, Joe, and Madge Bowman, and Ted Rust and a lot of others will go with us."

Then she and Dick hurried home, so full of the idea of a birthday surprise for Aunt Lizzie Wheeler that they almost forgot the morning's party for little Billy.

That was how it began. Dick and Dorothy and a dozen of their young friends promptly formed a sort of birthday club, and their parents have gladly helped them in their plans. Uncle Hiram seems to know, or to have ways of finding out, every time any old person or sick person in the village is going to have a birthday, and no one can measure the happiness of the bright days that the birthday club has brought into the lives of such persons in the past three years. That is how Belmont came to be known as "a birthday town."

### NEW BURGLAR ALARM.

How You May Scare a Hold-up Man Out of His Wits.

"Hands up!"

"Bang!"

"Ding! Dong! Dong-ong-ong!"

"Bang!"

This is the principle of a new burglar alarm devised by an inventor to rout bank robbers and holdup men. It's all a little, inconspicuous box holding a small fire going and five 38-caliber cartridges.

Mr. Robber comes into the store or bank. Hands go up all around. Somebody leans against a desk or steps on a loose board and the noise bombardment lets loose. The cartridges are fired at intervals of ten seconds.

Any number of small wires lead from the burglar alarm with push buttons. The buttons are concealed beneath a rug under a window for the house thief or behind a panel or back of a drawer in a desk in a store or office.

The robber steps on the rug or the merchant leans against the false drawer. Noise is infinitely more annoying to him than bullets, so he may well wish himself in a Verdun trench when the alarm is released.

The principle of the alarm is psychological. It is a well-known scientific fact that a robber, keyed up to a high nerve tension, is thrown off his mental balance by any unusual happening. This is true of the house-hold robber and doubly true of the holdup man, who conducts his campaigns of crime face to face with his victim.

In your home the discharge of five shots and the ringing of an alarm bell would send the robber helter-skelter for cover. He would flee ignominiously—any place to get away from the dreadful noise.

Should he hold up a bank, however, and in the midst of his robbery hear the shots and the bell it is extremely likely that he would be paralyzed with fear and stand rooted to the spot, for a moment at least. That would be time enough for the bank officials, who habitually are armed, to draw their own weapons and make the robber surrender.

Luck must be feminine because it is so uncertain.

## A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRING

Do Not Use Harsh Purgatives—A Tonic Is All You Need.

Not exactly sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches, and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as so many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in spring is a tonic that will make new blood and build up the system. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this speedily, safely and surely. Every dose of this medicine makes new blood, which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed, men, women and children bright, active and strong.

L. R. Whitman, Harmony Mills, N.S., says: "As a tonic and strength builder, I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills wonderful. My whole system was badly run down, and although I faithfully took a tonic given me by my doctor I could note no improvement. Then I began Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and was soon restored to my old time health. I can most heartily endorse this medicine."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### LONDON PRICES SOARING.

Necessities Show Rise During War of 15 to 50 Per cent.

While a very great deal has been heard of the enormous rise in the price of food and other necessities that has taken place in Germany and other enemy countries little attention has been paid to the very great increase in the cost of living in London.

The following list of prices has been specially compiled in a locality where the population is thick and the competition especially keen. Even a cursory glance at them shows that every-day necessities like bread, onions, firewood, coal, cheese, milk, soda, soap, and matches all show an increase of from 15 to 50 per cent.

Article	Pre-war price	Pre-war price
Firewood, 6 bundles	06	09
Onions, 4 pounds	06	08
Ale, quart	08	14
Whiskey, bottle	84	120
Flour, 2 pounds	05	09
Bread, loaf	05	09
Coal, cwt.	28	44
Gas, 1,000 cubic feet	00	72
Gas mantles, each	04	08
Bacon, pound	16	28
Meat (lamb), pound	11	17
Cheese, pound	16	24
Butter, pound	26	38
Milk, quart	07	10
Tea, pound	36	56
Sugar (molasses), pound	04	09
Jam, 2 pounds	20	20
Currants, pound	08	12
Prunes, pound	08	12
Mineral water, bottle	02	03
Cotton, reel	05	06
Soda (washing), 4 pounds	04	08
Soap, pound	06	09
Matches, dozen boxes	03	07
Per pound		

### EXPERIMENTS.

Teach Things of Value.

Where one has never made the experiment of leaving off tea or coffee and drinking Postum, it is still easy to learn something about it by reading the experiences of others.

Drinking Postum is a pleasant way out of tea or coffee troubles. A man writes:

"My wife was a victim of nervousness, weak stomach and loss of appetite for years, and although we resorted to numerous methods for relief, one of which was a change from coffee to tea, it was all to no purpose." (Both tea and coffee are injurious to many persons, because they contain the subtle, poisonous drug, caffeine.)

"We knew coffee was causing the trouble, but could not find anything to take its place until we tried Postum. Within two weeks after she quit coffee and began using Postum almost all of her troubles had disappeared as if by magic. It was truly wonderful. Her nervousness was gone, stomach trouble relieved, appetite improved, and, above all, a night's rest was complete and refreshing."

"This sounds like an exaggeration, as it all happened so quickly. Each day there was improvement, for the Postum was undoubtedly strengthening her. Every particle of this good work was due to drinking Postum in place of coffee." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

## VERDUN FIREMEN ARE REAL HEROES

REMAINED IN TOWN TO SAVE IT FROM FLAMES.

They Worked Daily Under Fire and Hid in Cellar During Bombardment.

This is the story of the heroes of Verdun. It will not abound in detail. Little is known as yet. But France knows that some old men lived there—and died—ag bravely as any men in all the history of France.

Senator Humbert told the story when he returned to Paris from Verdun the other day. Because he is a Senator he had been enabled to visit the beleaguered city. What he told has been dovetailed in with what others have heard. Little news has leaked through the military lines in the many weeks of the battle. In the intense interest felt by all in the major event the old men who merely lived on there, doing their duty, were forgotten.

The heroes—the real heroes—of Verdun are the town firemen. Two civilians have figured in previous stories. It is not positively known how this pair managed to remain behind when every other man and woman and child was forced by the soldiers to flee from the rain of German shells. One of them has some ill-defined occupation which has been recognized by the soldiers. The other owned a home in Verdun. When visitors came to the city now he waits, smiling, as though in propitiation, until he can gain their attention. "Come with me," he begs.

So the visitors go with him. By-and-bye they come to the shattered wall, which is all that remains of what was once a handsome house. The man who once owned it stands on the pile of stone which mark what was once a doorway, and beckons to the visitors.

"Come in," he says. "I bid you welcome. This is my home."

But the civilians, however, have not the appeal to make that the old firemen have. When the war began the younger men of the Fire Department were mobilized. Some were not needed then, but as months passed by they found their way into the army. Manifestly the town could not be left without protection from fire. So men who had served in former years in the Fire Department and had been supernumerary volunteered their services. Little by little old men joined, until at last there were enough for a full company.

Then the Germans attacked Verdun. Old Firemen Remained.

The civilians—man, woman and child—were ordered out. The old firemen would not go. They were in the service of the State just as much as any man who festers in a trench or runs forward cheering against the white flashes of the mitrailleuse. Most of them had sons at the front. Some had lost sons in the war. Life was as sweet to these old men as it is to any man in the security of Paris. But they stayed. Their duty lay plain before them. It was to guard the town.

There are gendarmes there, it is true. They see to it that no one touches property in Verdun that belongs to another. Every window is closed and shuttered, and every door is locked. Now and then a 380 shell comes hurtling through the air with that gurgling scream it favors, sounds somehow like a locomotive being strangled to death in a tunnel, and falls upon a house. Then the gendarmes walk to the scene in their theatrical blue capes and caps, or bicycle to it if the street approach is sufficiently free of masses of stone and brick. They solemnly write out their report, that in some future time the city archives shall bear witness to the fact that on a day of February, 1916, Alphonse Picot's house was destroyed by a German shell.

Always they find the old firemen there. The gendarmes are not pressed for time, you comprehend. If they do not make their report to-day, then it may well be made to-morrow. But the old firemen must hurry. Fire is fire to them, an enemy to be fought whether it has its origin in a stuffed flue or is carried over fifteen kilometres by a German gun. The property of their townsmen must be saved. They fight the flames wherever they spring up and save what property they can, and in their turn make their report. Then they go back to the cellar that serves them for headquarters and wait for the next alarm.

Few Fires in Verdun.

Oddly enough, there have been very few fires in Verdun. A French town is solidly built, for one thing. The roofs are tile and the walls are stone and the floors are hardwood that would hardly burn until it had been split with an axe. Also a descending shell produces such a havoc of mortar that any incipient flame may be quenched in the stifling dust. But the old firemen do their duty as they see it. Sometimes they trundle an old hand apparatus through the choked streets. More often a bucket and a wet cloth will serve the moment's need.

Humbert found the old men crouching in their cellars. Perfectly cramped they were, as though they were

used to cities collapsing over them, and a crash came, and a cloud of mortar dust arose. They plodded out methodically to look at the damage—these old ones, as one says in the French way—and cautioned Humbert to keep under cover until they returned. By-and-bye they came back and threw off the shrapnel helmets that they wear in going about where the air may at a moment fill with cutting slivers of white-hot metal, and told Humbert what had happened, and settled down to wait for the next shell.

They need not have served, these men. Some of them, I am told, have been killed. One expects courage of a soldier and of young men. These men were old.

### BIRDS AND GLASS.

Sometimes Fly Through Windows of Country Houses.

It has been frequently noticed that no wild bird can understand the properties of glass, and great numbers, ranging in size from a pheasant to a titmouse, are killed by flying against the windows of country houses.

If a room possesses a large mirror reflecting the view seen through an open window birds are particularly liable to be deceived, and especially if frightened, into thinking that they can fly through it.

Sparrow hawks will sometimes chase their intended victims into strange places. Some years ago a member of this species pursued a small bird through the open window of a railway carriage in motion. In its blinded determination to secure the panting fugitive it entangled its claws in the meshes of the hat rack and was ignominiously slain by an astonished passenger with an umbrella.

## She Did Not Heed the Danger Signals

BUT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED HER DIABETES.

Mrs. McDonald Might Have Saved Herself Months of Pain, Sleeplessness and Anxiety by Using Dodd's Kidney Pills Earlier.

Grand Narrows, Victoria Co., N.S., May 1st.—(Special.)—That Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure kidney disease in its worst form is evidenced by the case of Mrs. Roderick McDonald, a estimable resident of this place. Mrs. McDonald suffered from diabetes for two years, and found her first relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I am sure I would be in my grave to-day but for Dodd's Kidney Pills," Mrs. McDonald states. "The doctor attended me for five months for diabetes, but I was worse when I started taking his medicine than when I started. I could not get a wink of sleep. As soon as I started taking Dodd's Kidney Pills I fell in a solid sleep for one hour, and soon I got so that I could sleep fine."

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have done so much for me that I feel like recommending them to everybody."

Mrs. McDonald states that her early symptoms were a shortness of breath, dizziness, backache and a bitter taste in her mouth in the morning. All these are symptoms of kidney trouble—danger signals that no one can afford to neglect. Had she heeded them and taken Dodd's Kidney Pills she would have saved herself months of pain and anxiety.

### PERMANENT BAN ON RUM.

Bill Has Been Introduced Into the Russian Duma.

A bill has been introduced into the Russian Duma to put into effect the government's promise that the war prohibition of alcoholic drinks shall continue in force after the war. The bill, as summarized by the Novoye Vremya, provides:

"It is forbidden to produce alcohol for the purposes of manufacture of vodka. Equally prohibited is the import of alcohol from foreign countries and from the Grand Duchy of Finland. The production of alcohol by private institutions and persons, either for sale or for their own consumption or for household purposes, is also prohibited."

"The production of alcohol for technical or medical purposes is to be carried on by the government directly or through contractors. The government has the sole right to sell spirits for these purposes."

"The sale of light wines is only allowed in towns. In provinces and districts which grow grapes the sale of wine—not on draught—is allowed. The limit of alcohol for different kinds of wines is to be fixed by the government."

"The sale of beer is allowed only in towns. The government is also to fix for beer the limit of alcohol. Town councils have the right to issue regulations limiting or prohibiting altogether the sale of beer or light wines."

The government's position in the matter was thus outlined by Mr. Bark, Minister of Finance, in his budget speech:—"Among the factors which have helped to keep our budget balance it is impossible to overestimate the new factor in the economic life of our country—the total abstinence from alcoholic drinks. The success of this measure, which cannot be completely realized, is such that I am bound to state most emphatically that the prohibition is not to be abolished after the war."

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## NEWS FROM ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

A film version of "Tom Brown's Schooldays" has been prepared and will shortly be presented in London. "Potato bread" is to be introduced in the local workhouse by the Crodon Board of Guardians as a war economy.

A motion in favor of disallowing Sunday cinematograph entertainments has been defeated by the London County Council.

Work on London's new reservoir near Staines, has been stopped by the Ministry of Munitions, which wants the plant and labor.

At the Parkhurst Convict Prison, Isle of Wight, convalescent convicts in the infirmary are knitting woolen scarves for soldiers.

The Northumberland coal owners have renewed their offer to give miners an advance in wages in lieu of free houses and coal.

The British Board of Agriculture has announced that 12,000 to 14,000 women have gone to work on the land since the outbreak of the war.

The ladies' committee of the Norfolk War Agriculture Committee have secured promise from 3,000 women to work on the land when called on.

The War Office has asked the Metropolitan Asylum Board to provide another hospital with 800 or more beds for wounded soldiers.

The death has taken place at Newmarket, Devon, of Lady Baker, widow of Sir Samuel White Baker, the Central African explorer who died in 1893.

During February the supplies of fish at Billingsgate market amounted to 9,516 tons. In the corresponding month last year 12,473 tons were received.

Official intimation has been received that Warwick Prison will shortly be closed owing to the large decrease of prisoners and the pressing need of economy.

Mrs. Pleasant Lowman, who has died at Eversley, Hants, aged 82, delivered letters daily in the scattered districts of Bramhill and Eversley for 42 years.

Hundreds of shopkeepers in Manchester and suburbs, owing to the lighting restrictions, are to close before it is necessary to light up, excepting on Fridays and Saturdays.

Erected at a cost of nearly \$250,000, delay is being experienced in starting a new spinning mill and a new weaving mill at Walkden, near Manchester, owing to the scarcity of labor.

The death has occurred of the Rev. T. Rustin, 50 years. Congregational minister at Long Buckley, Rugby, who had been congratulated by the King on having six soldier sons, one of whom was recently awarded a commission.

Mr. William E. Carr, chairman of the Mersey Brewery, Liverpool, has offered to the Government his residence, Wilton Grange, West Kirby, Cheshire, as a home for totally and permanently disabled soldiers. It was built only a few years ago at a cost of \$125,000.

Putting Him Wise.

Traveller—How's your train service here?

Small Town Native—Wal, they advertise one train a day, but you and me know them advertisements exaggerated!

Have You a Bad Sore?

If so, remember these facts—Zam-Buk by far the most widely used balm in Canada! Why has it become so popular? Because it heals sores, cures skin diseases, and does what is claimed for it. Why not let it heal your sore?

Remember that Zam-Buk is altogether different to the ordinary ointments. Most of these consist of animal fats. Zam-Buk contains no trace of any animal fat, or any mineral matter. It is absolutely herbar.

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### THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY.

We live merely on the crust or rind of things.—Froude.

Fellows who have no tongues are often all eyes and ears.—Haliburton.

All philosophy lies in two words—"sustain" and "abstain".—Epictetus.

Many delight more in giving of presents than in paying off debts.—Sir Philip Sydney.

Moderation is the silken string running through the pearl chain of all virtues.—Fuller.

People do not talk for the sake of expressing opinions, but to maintain an opinion for the sake of talking.—Hazlit.

Good intentions do not pave the road to hell; they are the stepping-stones that lift men every now and then out of the mire of common life, and there is hope for everyone save he who climbs on them no more.—J. E. Buckrose.

There are few of us that are not rather ashamed of our sins and follies as we look out on the blessed morning sunlight, which comes to us like a bright-winged angel beckoning us to quit the old path of vanity that stretches its dreary length behind us.—George Eliot.

### NOTHING TO EQUAL BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Lawrence M. Brown, Walton, N.S., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past ten years, and believe there is nothing to equal them for little ones. They instantly banish constipation and teething troubles, and unlike any other medicine I have used, they are pleasant to take and do not gripe the baby." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

One or the Other.

Pat—Yis, sorr, work is scarce, but Oi got a job last Sunday that brought me five dollars.

Mr. Smith—What? You broke the Sabbath?

Pat (apologetically)—Well, sorr, 'twas wan av us had 'u broke!

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Port Mulgrave.

So Silly of Them!

As a train was getting up steam to leave a certain station, it suddenly parted in the middle. Of course, the communication cord broke and one end of it struck an old lady, who was standing on the platform, in the face.

"Goodness me!" she gasped in astonishment. "What was that?"

"The train has broken in two, madam," said a gentleman who stood near by.

"And I should just think so!" said the old lady indignantly, as she eyed the broken cord. "Did they really think that a piece of string like that could hold a train together?"

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What Affected the Barber.

A man entered a barber shop for the purpose of being shaved. As he was somewhat hollow-cheeked, the barber, as is the custom in some country districts put his thumb in the customer's mouth, in order to press out the cheek.

Suddenly the razor slipped, making a great gash in the man's face, and he sprang to his feet with a yell of pain and anger.

"Shut up, man!" said the barber, holding up his hand. "I've cut my thumb!"

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

His Verdict.

"How did you come out with your lawsuit?"

"I won it."

"Get damages?"

"Sure! I got almost enough to pay my lawyer."

How Changed.

"Before we were married he bought me a box of candy every time he called."

"And now?"

"He gives me a call every time I buy a box of candy."

Minard's Liniment Used by Physicians.

Money is a man's best friend, yet it is always trying to get away from him.

## ROYAL YEAST CAKES



Visible and Strong.

"Goodness!" exclaimed a gentleman coming into a restaurant, and even then holding on to his hat from habit because of the gale blowing outside. "I never saw such a wind in my life."

"Never saw such a wind?" said another. "What a stupid remark! Who ever saw a wind? Pray what is it like?"

"Like," replied the first speaker, "like to have blown my hat off."

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## The Transcript.

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916.

## Appin

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Jones. The vice-president, Mrs. Jas. Allan, occupied the chair. The principal part of the business was the electing of officers for the ensuing year, which are as follows:—Mrs. Geo. Mills, president; Mrs. Jas. Lotan, vice-president; Miss Helen Macfie, treasurer; Mrs. J. S. Macrae, secretary; Mrs. Jas. Allan and Mrs. J. W. Macfie, auditors; Mesdames Bristol, Brownlee, Fletcher and Allan, directors; Mrs. Frank, accompanist. Mrs. John W. Macfie was appointed secretary and treasurer for the Red Cross work in connection with the Institute. Mrs. John Jones was re-elected librarian. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring officers. The next meeting will be on the 18th of May (Thursday) at Mrs. Jones.

Miss Mayne Rankin and Mrs. Silva Leith have returned home from London, after spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Geo. Sundgren. Miss Agnes Campbell, of London, is spending a few days at her home here.

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## Crinan

Miss Vera Dykes is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Dykes, on A. Married—in London on Wednesday, April 26th, Miss Maud Hartshorne and Donald MacRae, formerly of this place. Mr. and Mrs. MacRae spent their honeymoon with friends here, after which they will reside in London where Mr. MacRae is employed in the wholesale provision house of Langford & Edwards. We wish Mr. and Mrs. MacRae every happiness through life. Malcolm McIntyre is still on the sick list.

Mrs. Ben. Partridge, con. 1, spent Sunday at the home of her brother, J. D. McIntyre, con. 2.

Miss Euphemia McIntyre, of Detroit, is visiting at her home on con. A. Alex. Matheson was a business caller in St. Thomas on Saturday.

We are glad to learn that Miss Annie McIntyre has sufficiently recovered from the effects of her fall on the streets of Glencoe to get around again. Although Miss McIntyre has not altogether recovered as yet, she will soon be able to get around as well as ever.

School opened Monday with Miss M. Jamieson in charge and the usual attendance of pupils. Mrs. John Matheson and daughter, Miss Mary, spent the Easter holiday in Detroit.

## Newbury

J. J. Whittaker and wife, of London, and Donna and Gerald Stephenson, of Walkerville, spent Saturday with Miss Gay.

Miss Jean MacRae spent Easter week with Detroit friends.

Rev. Mr. Hinde, a former rector here, was in town last week calling on Mrs. Kraft and Miss Sheppard.

Miss Alice Kelly and George Babcock, of North Newbury, were married in Detroit on Thursday last.

Miss Sarah Fletcher was home from Galt for the Easter holidays.

Arthur McDonald arrived home from the West last week. He says they had fine weather all March and the seeding was nearly finished in Southern Alberta where his land is.

Miss Hazel Fennell was home from London Normal for Easter week. J. W. Merner is moving into the house vacated by Allan Merner.

Alex. Armstrong is moving back here from Windsor.

Miss Batsner is visiting Miss Graydon.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Thos. Dixon May 10th at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith have returned to their home here after spending the winter in London.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Watterworth spent the week-end in London.

Mrs. (Dr.) H. A. Wilson and daughter, Miss Elva Brinson, of London Normal, spent last week at her home here.

J. Humphrey, of Detroit, is visiting his grandparents here.

## Melbourne

The lawn mower is at work again. Motion and house cleaning is the order of the day.

John M. Cornell, Esq., is ill. Rev. Mr. Stewart, of Largie, preached in the Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Mc Kay, of Cowal, occupied the pulpit on Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that Rev. D. C. Stephens, who has been ill for some time, is not improving.

The Epworth League held their anniversary services on Sunday, April 30th. Mr. Jackson, of the Y. M. C. A., St. Thomas, preached morning and evening.

Mr. McArthur, of Middlemiss, will address the League.

Miss Jean Buchanan, of Campbellton, spent our week-end at the guest of her sister, Miss Kate Buchanan.

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## Kilmartin

Mrs. D. D. Campbell and daughters Marion and Lillian have returned home after spending a week with friends in Warwick.

Russell MacPine, of the Newmarket Boys' College, spent the holidays at his home here.

Jean Dewar, of St. Thomas, is visiting friends here.

M. J. Munroe spent a few days last week in London with his grandmother, Mrs. Wood.

Wm. Munroe sold a team of roadsters to D. McIntyre, of Williams township.

Miss Mary Campbell, Mrs. D. C. McTavish and Mrs. (Dr.) Smith are delegates to the W. M. S. convention in London this week.

Mrs. Neil McLachlan and daughter Sarah, of Sarnia, spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Donald Mitchell and children, of Bracke, spent Sunday at Alex. Dewar's.

Mrs. Wm. Munroe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Innes, in London.

Born—in Saskatchewan, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seal, a son.

Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents.

## KNAPDALE.

George Goldrick is, we are pleased to say, recovering after undergoing an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, London.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McNaughton and Duncan McNaughton attended the funeral of the late George Grey, in Detroit, last week.

Miss J. Beattie has returned to resume teaching after spending the holidays with her parents in London.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bassett, of St. Thomas, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Goldrick, last week.

Levi Carroll, of Cairo, paid a short visit to friends here recently.

The marriage of Wesley Babcock and Miss Kelley took place in Detroit last week. Their many Knapdale friends extend congratulations.

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## School Reports.

Report for Cashmere school, No. 5, Moss.

Fourth Class.—Honors.—Madeline Webster 657. Pass.—Jean Tunks 629, Leeta Saylor 560, Lenna Saylor 522, Hazel Bobier 511. Below 60.—Frazer Webster 501.

Third Class.—Honors.—Norman Saylor 524, George Hewitt 500. Pass.—Clifford Tunks 445, Roy Saylor 430, Basil Siler 429.

Second Class.—Honors.—Clara Tunks 395. Pass.—Charlotte Hewitt 345, Below 60.—John Tunks 272.

Part II.—Honors.—Cleda Dark 258. Pass.—Bessie Saylor 223, Percy Duckworth 204, Jean Taylor 194, Barbara Taylor 127.

Primer.—Pass.—Ida Duckworth, Dickie Hewitt, Garnet Tunks. RUTH M. HAMMETT, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 14, Metcalfe and Ekfrid, for Easter examinations in percent. A absent for some subjects: failed in one or more subjects:—I.—Lorne Towers 53, Jean McIntyre 87.

II.—Mysea Carruthers 73, Ruby Munson 61.

III.—Helen Carruthers 58, Sr. III.—Emerson Campbell 67, Tom Williams 96, Curtis Gough 65, Olive McIntyre 50.

IV.—Annie Carruthers 71, Alberta Munson 68.

Primer.—Melvin Moore: absent—Dorothy Aty, Nell Oide, Cecil Monroe, Marguerite Munroe.

Teacher.—WINNIFRED EDDIE.

Newbury school report for the term ending Easter, 1916.

IV. Class, Sr.—Total 800, pass 480, honors 641.—Helen Hillman 537, Mabel Connolly 514, Olivia Gillet 499.

IV. Class, Jr.—Total 730, pass 450.—Willie Hammett 679, Adair Bayne 617, Dorcas Glennie 591, John Moore 546, Alva Burr 505, Violet Woods 549.

II. Class, Sr.—Total 488, Pass 300, honors.—Henry Armstrong 495, Jimmie Armstrong 431.

III. Class, Jr.—Total 625, pass 373, honors 469.—Ethel Moore 481, Theresa Miller 496, Norma Smith 462, Olive Regis 455, Fanny Connolly 415, Gerrie Burr 423.

II. Class, Sr.—Total 450, pass 270, honors 338.—Arthur Leach 367, May Little 306, Flossie Stocking 334, Willie Connolly 281.

II. Class, Jr.—Total 425, pass 255, honors.—Annie Thomas 350, Ferna Moore 320, Howard Edwards 317, Clara Thomas 316, Edith Martin 258.

I. Class, Sr.—Total 275, pass 165, honors.—Irene Armstrong 250, Harry Armstrong 241, Jimmie Moore 231, Gerrie Babcock 212, Emily Jones 201, Ella May Miller 197, Marjorie Robinson 190, Willie Haskell 160.

Promoted to Sr. I. Class.—Total 275, pass 160.—Theodore Brown 241, John Burr 230, Isabel Armstrong 202, Duncan Armstrong 190, Maggie Stocking 190.

Promoted to Jr. I. Class.—Total 145, pass 87.—J. D. McNaughton 135, Albert Merner 132, Enslay Brown 128, J. D. McCallum 126, Fred Jones 90.

Promoted to A. Class.—Total 90.—Willie Armstrong 84, Frank Moore 82, Fred Haskell 77, Elliott Stocking 77.

Promoted to B. Class.—Total 55.—Rowland Bayley 50, Janet Stalker 47, Rosabel Guy 42, Garfield McNaughton 40.

Promoted to C. Class.—Total 50.—Harold Miller 46, May Bayley 41, Herbie Armstrong 38, Chester Thomas 29.

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## Twenty Years Ago.

Fruit buds damaged by frost. Dog tax bylaw in effect in Glencoe. Schools observe Arbor Day, May 1. Napanee man dies from bite of calf. Good butter sells at London for ten cents a pound.

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