

ALLIES HAMMER AT HINDENBURG LINE
Enemy Plans Smashing Offensive Against Petrograd

Battle of St. Quentin Still Rages Unabated; South of Oise French Forces Still Advance

Paris, March 26.—The battle of St. Quentin continues to rage with unabated fury. The honors of the last twenty-four hours fighting have been with the French who are pushing forward steadily, taking all the precautions that the nature of the operation call for and in the face of desperate resistance by the Germans. The advance is necessarily slow owing to the character of the ground.

The centre region is a wide hill-plain 360 feet high on which stands the village of Essigny. It is flanked on the southeast by a similar eminence near Biery and the difficulty of this strong position which military critics claim would force the whole German wing back on the Oise, expose St. Quentin to the south and imperil the rest of the line as far as Osmignon. It is considered, therefore, that the Germans will make determined efforts to retrieve their failure here.

The French also made an impression Sunday on the bulge in their line formed by the lower Coucy forest. Troops which crossed the Allette and attacked the salient at its apex, succeeded in establishing a

AMERICA PREPARES FOR WAR

Recruiting for U. S. Navy Is Continued With Increased Vigor
TROOPS RE-ASSEMBLE
New Military Departments on Atlantic Coast
WILSON MAKES HASTE
To Have the Nation in Readiness

Washington, March 26.—Naval recruiting officers throughout the country, under orders from President Wilson to-day redoubled their efforts to bring the navy up to its full authorized strength of 87,000 enlisted men.

Meantime about twenty regiments of national guard troops in various states were reassembling to act as national police in important districts. Arrangements also were being made to create on May 1, two new military departments on the Atlantic coast. All three steps were in accordance with orders issued yesterday by the President to put the nation on a war footing.

About 2,000 men will have to be enrolled at once in order to bring the navy up to the required strength. The men will be used to man the reserve ships.

The creation of the two new military departments was ordered as a means of dividing the immense responsibility now devolving on the commander and staff of the eastern department.

Major-General Leonard Wood, now in command of the department of the east, is transferred to the newly created southeastern department with headquarters at Charleston, S. C., and Major General J. Franklin Bell in command of the western department, is transferred to the eastern department with headquarters at Governor's Island, in command of the department of the Philippines, is transferred to the western department with headquarters at San Francisco, and Brigadier General Clarence R. Edwards, in command of the department of the Panama canal zone to the northeastern department with headquarters at Boston.

Major-Generals Berry and Pershing will retain command of the Central and Southern departments, respectively.

National guard organizations will be assigned to guard industrial plants and other property, public or private, in their respective states, in case of war.

Exhaustion Causes Retreat of the Teutons on West Front, Says Military Critic

Paris, March 26.—(New York Sun cable)—The military commander of the Tenth Army expresses the opinion that the operations developing from Soissons to Arras do not form a part of the genius inspired plan by which the Germans expect von Hindenburg to astound the world. He believes they are only preliminaries to it.

Hindenburg is mistaken, he says, if he believes the destruction he has wrought in the abandoned territory will present insuperable obstacles to the advance of the French with complete artillery and food supplies.

Lieut.-Col. Rousset says in The Petit Parisien:

"The manner in which the Germans are now acting on the ground shows they are preparing to accept battle, but why here rather than on the abandoned front, why along the Arras-St. Quentin-La Fere line when they hold a formidable and much better protected line at Bapaume-Peronne-Ham-Noyon?"

Col. Rousset finds evidence that the Germans are acting under compulsion. He dismisses as infantile the theory that the withdrawal is meant to draw the French into a trap or to place an impassable "glacis" before the new positions.

"The motives, he believes, are the same as those which compelled the abandonment of the attack on the Sereth in Roumania and prevented Mackensen from intervening as he would have liked in Macedonia, as well as reducing the Turks to difficulties in Mesopotamia. Moral and material exhaustion, according to this critic, is forcing the abandonment of the gigantic plans of the Teutons.

Passed Through Peril.

Here and there groups of the "poilus" gathered to listen to the graphic stories of the natives concerning their experiences under German rule. The villagers dwelt particularly on the time of terror which immediately preceded the departure of their enemies. All civilians were herded in certain buildings from which they heard explosions and saw the fires which testified that their little homes were being destroyed. The towns where the inhabitants of the region were concentrated by the Germans were only half razed, while the outlying villages were completely burned down.

In this way about half of a town was spared to about ten villages completely destroyed.

Enjoy New Liberty

Despite the devastation and ruin, many French peasants returned today to the sites of their former homes, seeking temporary shelters and bringing bits of furniture with which to begin life anew. They were most gay in the enjoyment of their new liberty. In Roye a triumphal arch was constructed of evergreens and lavishly decorated with tricolors as a welcome to the home-comers. In the distance could be heard the reverberating echoes of the big guns, but the ceaseless boom of the liberated zone, who seemed to think that the war must be over.

GERMANY IS IN FEAR OF REVOLUTION

Uprising in Russia Has Tremendous Effect Thru Teuton Empire

London, March 26.—(New York Times)—The Daily Express prints the following from its correspondent at The Hague:

"The stories circulated with such persistence, that revolution is out of the question, are untrue. This is proved by the statements made to me by two Dutchmen who arrived here today from Berlin.

"In order to prevent the establishment of a Russian Republic, it is possible, all German agents in neutral countries, especially Scandinavia, have been ordered to do their utmost to discredit the members of the Russian Government, who are believed to be Republican. The German papers with suspicious unanimity are starting a campaign against Kerenski, the Russian minister of justice, and his supporters.

"Many people in Germany believe that if Russia becomes a republic a revolution in Germany will almost certainly be the result. This opinion is shared by Maximilian Harden, who in today's Zukunft, warns his readers not to believe that the Russian revolution will only have an effect in Russia. The revolution, he says, is not necessarily directed against Imperial institutions, nor would a German republic be the aim of a revolution in Germany. It would simply be directed against Prussia and the Prussian military clique who are leading the German Empire to misery, starvation and disaster.

"Such a revolution would certainly be assigned to posterity, especially in Saxony and Wurttemberg where anti-Prussian runs high."

TOWNS OF FRANCE ARE FREE

Villages Evacuated by Huns Yesterday Celebrated Their Deliverance
ENJOY NEW LIBERTY
Freed After Thirty Months From Rule of the Teutons
PEASANTS PARADED
In the Spirit of Pathetic Joy

British Headquarters in France, March 25.—(via London, March 26, from a staff correspondent of the Associated Press)—The shattered French towns evacuated by the Germans celebrated to-day their first Sunday of liberty in two and a half years. It was a brave showing they made. Countless French flags fluttered in the sunshine from both ruined and half ruined homes and the women, old men and children, who had passed through such a long ordeal of captivity strolled through the uptown streets, dressed in the best clothes they could muster. The unconquerable French genius for dress revealed itself even in such pathetic bits of finery as the women could find.

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ADDITIONAL REGIMENTS ARE RAISED

U. S. Adds Large Number of Troops to Federal Service
FOR PROTECTIVE USE
In Case of Internal Disorder in Country

Washington, March 26.—Twenty additional complete infantry regiments and five additional separate battalions of National Guard troops have been ordered into the federal service for the protection of property in the event of possible internal disorders. The troops have been called out in eighteen western and middle western states, not included in the list of similar orders made public yesterday.

The new order, which makes a total of thirty-two National Guard infantry regiments called into the federal service for police purposes, supplemented by six separate battalions and several detached companies. They will be assigned to cooperation with their police work by the commanders of the military departments acting under instructions from the war department.

Russia in Silence Prepares For Teuton Onslaught; New Ministry Confident of Army

Petrograd, March 25, via London, March 26.—The news that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg was planning a campaign against Petrograd, was received at the capital with surprisingly little consternation, evoking rather a spirit of calm and unshakable confidence in the loyalty of the troops and the ability of the army to protect the city from the new and suddenly arising source of danger. If German calculations are based upon the supposed demoralization of the soldiery or more than a transient defection of the troops at the front from their usual discipline and loyalty to their commander, these calculations are plainly in error. It is undeniable that during the first days following the revolution, the extreme radical and socialist element aimed at taking advantage of the overthrow of the old authority by sowing further discontent among the workingmen and soldiers. The cloudy state of mind of the peasant population which, bewildered by the new vista of freedom and equality, and having had little experience with liberty of any sort, imagined that it means relaxation of every kind of authority and discipline, made the propaganda of the agitators easy at first. But the prompt measures taken by the Government and Duma delegations removed whatever danger lay in that direction.

Telegrams have been received from every portion of the front affirming that the army can be relied upon to do its utmost to defend the country.

M. Rodzianko, president of the Duma, received a delegation from the army which declared:

"All officers and soldiers will defend the Duma to the last drop of their blood. They will faithfully obey the provisional government and will strike the Germans to the last man."

Freedom from the censorship has already had a salutary effect in permitting the truth to be published about the new danger from a German attack without the usual accompaniment of extravagant rumors, which in the past made news more alarming than the truth itself. The result is that without minimizing the danger to the contrary, the press has accepted the declaration of the minister of war quietly and without alarm. The Reich says editorially;

"It is the people who are fighting the enemy and not the government, therefore hiding nothing from our readers, we say definitely and clearly that danger is threatening our northern frontier. The enemy is preparing to crush our valiant army, which for two years defended the roads to Petrograd. The Russian soldier understands better than ever before the importance of still resisting."

The Russia Volla says:

"Russia is on trial. Von Hindenburg will try to realize his old dream of a move upon Petrograd. The army and people are facing a test which will become historical. Results can only come from an honest desire in the hearts of the Russian people for victory."

MILITARY SITUATION GOOD, SAYS PRUSSIAN WAR MINISTER

London, March 26.—The possibility of American participation in the war on the side of the Allies was dismissed as a minor matter by General von Stein, Prussian minister of war, in an interview with the Berlin correspondent of the Budapest newspaper, A Zest, according to a Berlin despatch, to Reuter's by way of Amsterdam. General von Stein said that he did not know whether the American fleet would support the British fleet, but that there could be no question of an American continental army in the near future. He added:

"Our military situation on all fronts is good and justifies our best hopes. It appears that the enemy is preparing an offensive, but we shall resist even a stronger attack, not only at the front, but also at home. What may happen then we do not know, but come what may, we shall confront everything imperturbably. Our sufferings are great and our sacrifices gigantic, but it is just in these things that the greatness of a nation finds its expression."

In discussing the battle of the Somme, the minister said that the Germans had no lack of supplies, but that their guns, as compared with those of the enemy, were insufficient.

Must Take Complete Rest or Undergo Operation

SERIOUS UPRISINGS Take Place Throughout German Empire

London, March 26.—(New York World cable)—A despatch from Geneva, Switzerland, reports:

Several Swiss papers, including The Gazette of Lausanne, state that the revolutionary character of the events in Berlin and also in other towns. There is no doubt that the Russian revolution has begun a great percussion in Germany, which many German papers admit.

Cannot Rest Indifferent

The Leipzig Volks Zeitung says, "It is impossible that we should remain indifferent to the lesson which events in Russia give us. Germany cannot remain in a reactionary state, isolated from the democratic world."

Must Change Conditions

The Munich Post says: "We must and will change present existing conditions."

Kaiser III

According to news which has arrived here from Munich, the Kaiser's old throat troubles have returned to a dangerous and over-work. His doctors advise complete rest. His doctors and Marienbad are mentioned, but it is doubtful under the present circumstances whether the Kaiser will agree. Otherwise an operation on the larynx will be necessary.

It is reported that the Kaiser is seriously ill.

CLEARING STREETS.

The board of works have men engaged with sweepers cleaning up the main thoroughfares of the city, removing the winter's collection of mud and other debris. As a result the streets present a greatly improved appearance.

Plane Wrecked

"Northwest of Smernon our artillery hit a German airplane, which fell into the enemy's lines."

HUN ATTACK CHECKED BY RUSS FIRE

Germans Launched Offensive After Gas Attacks, But Failed

FOE PLANE WRECKED

By Fire of the Russian Artillery

Petrograd, March 26, via London.

After the discharge of four gas waves, the Germans yesterday attempted to make an advance near Postavy on the northern part of the Homburg front below Dvinsk. The war office announces that the Germans were repelled.

Thrown Back

"In the region of Postavy, the Germans having discharged four gas waves, attempted an advance," the statement says. "They were thrown back by our fire. In the region of Odochawski, east of Baranvichy, about two companies of Germans in white overalls launched an attack against our trenches. They were dispersed by our artillery fire."

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MOTIVE ASSIGNED FOR THE TEUTON RETIREMENT IN FRANCE

WAR PRISONERS ILL TREATED BY THE TEUTONS

Declaration Made by a Besancon Escaped From Captivity

INSUFFICIENTLY FED

And Compelled to Sleep in the Mud

By Courier Leased Wire.

Paris, March 26.—R. Ducret, president of the Besancon prisoners of war association, has forwarded to the foreign office a declaration made by A Besancon, a prisoner, who was forced by the Germans to work within the zone of fire, and who escaped. The man alleges that he and his companions were badly and insufficiently fed, that they slept in hastily constructed sheds which were so small that each of the 600 occupants had to lie in a space 14 inches wide, that the majority had no bedding and were obliged to sleep in the mud, and that all were forbidden to write to their families or receive any letters, money or parcels.

The prisoners' cantonments were 6 miles from the front, and the fugitives say they were made to work on trenches or railways 1,400 yards from the French lines. When he escaped, one of his comrades had been killed and several wounded by French shell fire. The refugee estimated that 200,000 Frenchmen were being forced to work on different sections of the front under similar conditions.

Promises to Lithuanians

Amsterdam, via London, March 26.—A deputation of Lithuanians, who waited on Foreign Secretary Zimmerman a few days ago, were assured that the German government desired to grant Lithuania self-government at the conclusion of peace, according to a Berlin despatch to Reuters. The delegation outlined the reforms desired by the Lithuanian people.

ICE CAME DOWN.

The Galt ice came down the river yesterday afternoon, and as the river was clear no inconvenience was occasioned by the visit. The water reached a high level, but at no time since the break-up commenced has there been the least danger.

Weather Bulletin Toronto, Mar. 26.—The weather is fair and mild from Ontario to the Maritime provinces, and fair and moderately cold in the west. A shallow depression is approaching the Great Lakes from the southwest States. Forecasts: Fresh east to south winds, fair and mild to-day, showers by Tuesday.

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## Wilson Places U. S. Navy on War Footing

Two Military Departments Established on Atlantic Seaboard; Extensive Precautions Being Taken Against Outbreaks by Teutons

Washington March 25—The Eastern Seaboard has been divided into three military departments as a war measure. Gen. Wood has been transferred from the entire present department to one of the new divisions with headquarters at Charleston. Major-Gen. J. Franklin Bell is to command the new Eastern department, with headquarters at Governor's Island.

Washington, March 25—President Wilson took steps today to place the nation on a war footing. By executive order he directed that the navy be recruited without delay to full authorized war strength of 87,000 enlisted men. Taken in connection with emergency naval construction already ordered, this means that the President has exercised the full limit of his legal powers as Commander-in-Chief to prepare the navy for war.

For the army, the President directed that two new military departments be created in the Atlantic coast region. The order means that the task of organizing whatever army Congress may authorize will be divided among six departmental commanders instead of four in the interests of speed and efficiency in mobilization.

**Protect U. S. Industries**  
The third step was to assume as a national duty the task of protecting American industries from domestic disorders in the event of hostilities. For this purpose eleven full infantry regiments, two separate battalions and one separate company of National Guards were called back into the Federal Service to act as national police in important districts. Supplementing these troops, a regiment of Pennsylvania guards and two companies of Georgia infantry, en route home from the border for muster out, were ordered retained in the Federal service.

The President's orders were made known in terse official statements issued by both departments. No explanation accompanied them except the statement that reorganization of the military departments, effective May 1, was designed to fac-

### Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast, and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a tablespoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with a feeling to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

### ASK FOR A QUARTER OUNCE OF FREEZONE

Any Corn Will Dry Up and Lift Out Says a Cincinnati Authority

Let folks step on your feet hereafter: wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is said to simply shrivel up the corn without irritating or irritating the surrounding tissue.

It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce obtained at any drug store will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callous from one's feet. Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

### SUPERFLUITY SALE A SUCCESS

Over \$200 Raised by House Committee of Children's Shelter

MANY CONTRIBUTIONS Added to the Success of the Event

Proceeds amounting to \$210 were realized from the superfluity sale conducted in the Tea Pot Inn on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the house committee of the children's shelter. The results of the event fully compensated the ladies who had labored so earnestly to make a success of the undertaking, the sale being generously patronized by the citizens in general. The tea room in charge of the ransy Club did an excellent business and the energetic workers of the organization were kept busy during the whole time of the sale. The Cainsville Women's Institute supervised the home-made cooking booth, which was also well patronized. The other articles for sale found ready buyers and were soon disposed of to the throngs of purchasers who attended the sale.

Mr. C. Cook was the lucky winner of a cake that was raffled, the holding No. 58. The committee are indebted to Mr. E. P. Picheur for loaning his auctioneering abilities, and to Messrs. S. and A. Burnley for their assistance. Mr. D. D. Taylor and the Montreal Mineral Water Co. also rendered valuable assistance.

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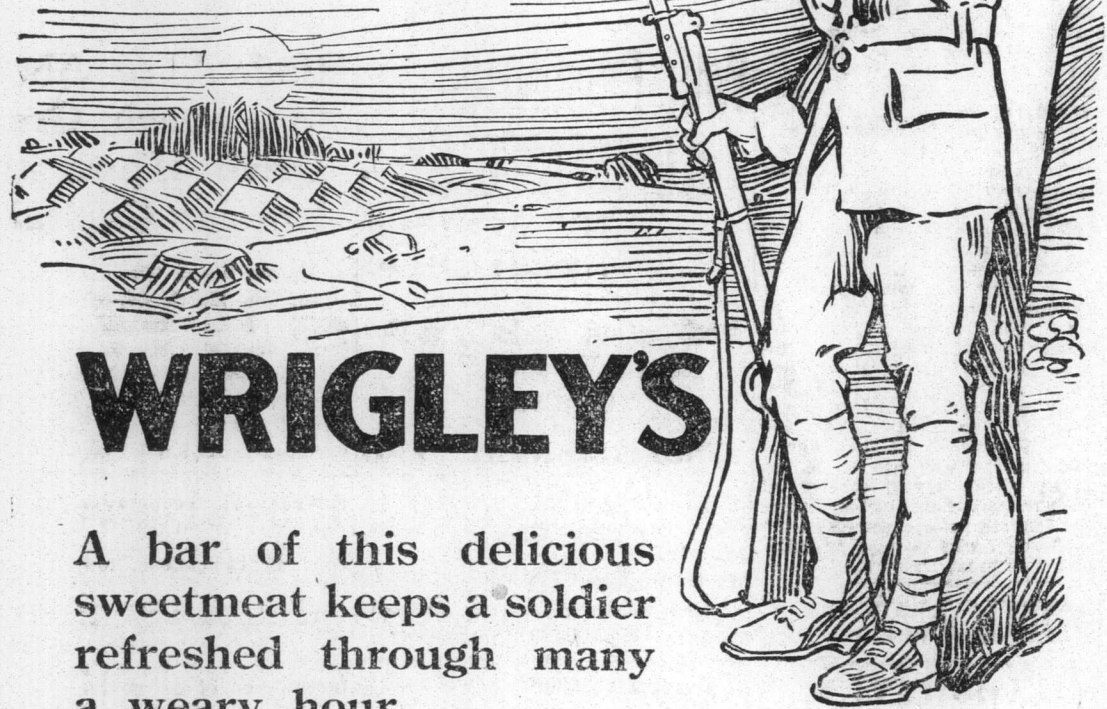
A special meeting of the Township Council was held in their chambers at the court house on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, when all the councillors were present. A by-law was passed authorizing the ratepayers of Parkdale to issue debentures for the amount of \$10,000 to provide for the erection of an addition to the Bellview school and for equipment for same. The township engineers were instructed to purchase sufficient steel for the flooring of the Whitting bridge over Fairchild's Creek, and to accept the tender of Clarence W. Noble for \$80, covering the cost of the necessary material.

Second Deputy Reeve Jas. A. Seace was appointed to act with the engineer concerning the placing of a drain in Echo Place, on the Hamilton Road.

**POLICE COURT**  
Although several co-patriots and fellow Armenian boarders were present, sufficient evidence could not be produced in the police court this morning to convict Sarkis Onisian of the theft of \$38. The charge was therefore dismissed. Some two weeks ago Nellis Smith was allowed fourteen days in which to rustle up six dollars with which to pay his board bill, his landlady meantime keeping his violin as a security. In the police court this morning he paid over the six dollars, together with \$2.85 costs and received back his beloved Stradivarius.

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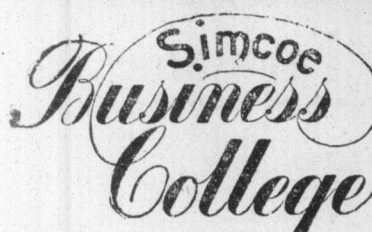
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# \$\$\$ Dollar Day Offerings of Simcoe Merchants \$\$\$



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J. H. Bowden, Principal.

You can save your car fare over and over again by trading at Falls' Store, Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKnight, of Waterloo, were in town yesterday visiting relatives here.

Falls' Store, Simcoe—one of Ontario's best stores—three stories up and one down—the finest basement and china store within 50 miles of Simcoe.

## NEWS OF NORFOLK

**Award of Arbitrators in Formation of Union S. S. No. 3**

### OTHER SIMCOE NEWS

**Several Casualties Are Reported Today**

(From our own Correspondent) Simcoe, March 26.—The arbitrators completed their labors and arrived at an award in the matter of a new school section to the southwest of the town, on Saturday morning. The award proper is as follows in substance:

"We award and adjudge that a new union school section shall be formed, to be designated Union S. S. No. 3, Charlotteville and No. 14 Woodhouse, comprising the following lots and parcels of land, namely: The north half of Lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 in Concession VII in the Township of Charlotteville; the south half of Lot 21 and the whole of Lots 22, 23 and 24 in Concession VIII of the said Township of Charlotteville; the south half of Lots 22, 23 and 24 and the southeast part of the north half of Lot 24, containing 22 acres, more or less, in Concession IX in the Township of Charlotteville; and in the gore of the Township of Woodhouse, all of Lots 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 and 13, the part of Lot 12 situate and lying west of the Grand Trunk Railway, the part of Lot 11, situate and lying west of the Grand Trunk railway, and the north 25 acres of that part of Lot 10 in the gore of Woodhouse at present owned by one John Chadwick.

No Drawback to New Section The affected sections retain all their property and chattels, but a division of all surplus funds on hand on Dec. 25th, 1917, after allowance is made for all indebtedness, shall be

shared with the new section on the following basis: Union section, Charlotteville No. 13 and Woodhouse No. 6, shall pay over 25 per cent. of surplus; Union section, Charlotteville, No. 20, Woodhouse No. 14 and Windham No. 5, shall pay over 32 per cent. of surplus, and Woodhouse No. 3, 10 per cent. of surplus to the new section.

An Inexpensive Arbitration The expenses of the arbitration are divided equally between the three municipalities, Charlotteville, Windham and Woodhouse, and are as follows:

A. Smith, 2 days, \$8 and expenses \$4; total \$12; John Campbell—2 days and expenses \$8; total \$8.80; Thos. Vail, do. do., \$8.80; F. H. Cook, Inspector, no allowance; A. T. Boles, 2 days, \$8. Total \$27.60.

No Objections to Movement Though a fortnight had been given for those who desired to make objections, there was not a single protest and the boundaries as first agreed upon remain unchanged.

A month must now be allowed for appeals to be lodged against the award, and then the Inspector will call a meeting for the purpose of selecting trustees.

As no representations were made before the arbitration board, it is quite probable that no action will be taken to upset the award, and in all Continued on page four

## Lyric Theatre, Simcoe

PROGRAM FOR MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT  
Fox Film Co. Presents June Caprice in

**"The Mischief Maker"**

A Rollicking 5-Act Comedy  
Travel Picture:  
"Seeing America First"  
Comic:  
"Jealous Jolts"

# FALLS' DOLLAR DAY

Wednesday, Mar. 28th

FALLS' DOLLAR DAY

A Day For Which Not Only You--But Hundreds of Others Have Waited

We believe you will agree with us that our \$ Day Bargains are worthy of the day. If you do not buy a \$'s worth, you are welcome at Falls' store \$ day. Come and see the splendid displays and the busy-ness of this big store. Below we list some of the best bargains of the year. WEDNESDAY NEXT WE SHALL FULFIL THAT PROMISE.

FALLS' DOLLAR DAY

### A Big Fat Dollar's Worth of Useful Notions:

- 1 Box hair pins, 125 in a box... .10
- 1 Skein black mending... .05
- 2 Cards black or tan mending... .05
- 2 Sheets pins... .10
- 1 Dozen pearl buttons... .05
- 1 Card assorted safety pins... .05
- 1 Card bone hair pins... .05
- 1 Tin black shoe polish... .10
- 1 Clothes whisk... .10
- 1 Dozen Domes, black or white... .10
- 5 Pieces of blocked tape, ass... .25
- 1 Suit case to carry this big lot away... .35

\$1.35

### A Bumper for Dollar Day, all for a \$

- From the Bedding Dept.**
- 1 Full size white enamel bed, value... \$3.50
  - 1 Guaranteed Mattress... 4.50
  - 1 Solid wire spring... 2.75

\$10.75

### Extra Dollar Day... 9 \$'s

### Mothers, Attention

25 Only boys' tweed and navy blue union serge suits, that will wear like leather; all are made pleated back, patch pockets, belted and bloomer style pants; fit boys up to 14 years. Wednesday, March 28th, when Falls' Store opens, any suit 2 Dollars. Not more than one suit to a customer.

### At the Fancy Goods Counter

- 1 Stamped corset cover... .75
- 1 Stamped knitted bag... .25
- 6 Crystal rope... .30

\$1.30

### Dollar Day, all for... a \$

### Special in Crochet and Knitting Cottons

- 12 Balls Clark's crochet Cotton .96
- 4 Balls Knitting cotton, any number... .36

\$1.32

### Just for the day... 1 Dollar

D.M.C. crochet Cotton, Nos. 60, 100, and 150 only; regular 25c ball; to clean out, Dollar Day, 6 balls for... \$1.00

### A Royal \$ Day Bargain

Three-ply silver grey Wheeling Yarn, full value at 85 cents pound. Falls' Dollar Day, 2 lbs for One \$ Limit, 2 lbs. to a customer. No mail or phone orders filled; this item will not be delivered, must be taken by the purchaser.

### A Good \$ Day Item

An extraordinary value, ladies' gowns, worth 75c each. 2 of them for a \$.



### In the China Department

- 1 Oval serving tray, these are patterns of cretonne centres, value... \$1.75
- 1 Caserole... \$1.75

\$3.50

### For Dollar Day... 3 \$

### We Will Sell

- A Big Dollar's Worth of Glassware**
- 1 Fruit Dish... .20
  - 6 Fruit Nappies... .30
  - 6 Custard Cups... .20
  - 1 Milk Pitcher... .20
  - 1 Cream pitcher... .20
  - 1 Preserve Dish... .20

\$1.40

### All For... 1 \$ Bill

### We Will Sell

- 1 Ladies' Dressing Jacket... \$1.29
- 1 Pair drawers, either style... .75
- 1 Corset cover... .39

\$2.43

### Extra for Dollar Day... Two \$

### A Kimona Special

Only for the day; all the newest colorings, worth \$2.50. 2 One \$ Bills.

- 1 Ladies' print or moirette undershirt... \$ .89
- 1 House dress... 1.50

\$2.39

### The 2 pieces Dollar Day for... 2 \$

### Women's Rain Coats

Come in grey or sand, made of a nice quality Pamaretta, raglan style, with or without belt; our regular leader at \$5.00; all sizes; extra for Dollar Day, 4 Dollars.

### Extra in a Man's Raincoat

Colors of grey or fawn; worth \$3.00 and \$3.50. Dollar Day to clear at 2 \$.

### From the Furniture Dept.

Special offering of couches, covered in tapestry cloths, various designs, strongly built. Regular at \$10.50. Special Dollar Day, 8 \$.

Kitchen chairs, elm, golden oak finish; our special 75c value. A pair of them for Dollar Day, 1 \$.

### A Few Rules For Dollar Day

No mail, phone or memo orders filled on any \$ Day Bargains. All \$ Day items are for cash or its equivalent. Purchases made Dollar Day cannot be reserved for a future day.

### Delivery For Dollar Day

We will do our best to deliver all purchases made \$ Day the same day. Do not be disappointed, however, if purchases made late \$ Day are not delivered until the following morning.



# MURDOCK'S Dollar Day Specials

People of Simcoe and surrounding territory—this list of bargains cannot be duplicated. Every offering is a genuine bargain. Save this list and bring it to the store. We intend this to be a record day at this store and ask you all to shop early.

- 7 yards 15c Flannelette for... \$1.00
- 6 yards 18c Flannelette for... \$1.00
- 7 yards 15c cotton for... \$1.00
- 9 yards 12 1-2c Cotton for... \$1.00
- 7 yards 15c Gingham for... \$1.00
- 7 yards 15c Print for... \$1.00
- 6 yards 18c print for... \$1.00
- 4 yards 28c Sheeting for... \$1.00
- 7 yards 15c Nurses' Cloth for... \$1.00
- 4 15c Towels for... \$1.00
- \$15.00 Men's Suits for... \$13.00
- \$16.50 Men's Suits for... \$14.00
- \$16.00 Blue Serge Suits for... \$13.00
- \$22.50 Blue Serge Suits for... \$20.00
- Reduced prices on Boys' School Suits.
- 2 75c Caps (Men's) for... \$1.00
- 2 \$2.50 Men's Hard Hats for... \$1.00
- \$2.50 New Spring Soft Hats for... \$2.00
- 3 Pairs 50c Silk Hose, (Men's)... \$1.00
- 2 Pairs 75c Silk Hose... \$1.00
- Men's \$1.15 Overalls for... \$1.00
- Men's 60c Cashmere Hose, 2 pairs \$1.00
- Knitting Bags, reg. 25c, for, each... 15c
- Kimona Special, 2 for... \$1.50
- 4 35c Men's Neck Ties for... \$1.00
- Men's \$1.25 Fine Shirts for... \$1.00
- 6 Pairs Working Men's Socks for... \$1.00
- Men's \$3.90 Rain Coats for... \$3.00
- \$5.00 Oxfords (Men's) for... \$4.00
- 15c Collars, 8, for... \$1.00

- Children's Trimmed Hats... \$1.00
- Ladies' \$5 Queen Quality Shoes... \$4.00
- Ladies' Oxfords for... \$3.00
- \$1.50 Corsets for... \$1.00
- Chenille Curtains, reg. \$3.90 for... \$3.00
- Corduroy Velvetine, reg. 45c yd., 3 yards for... \$1.25
- Ladies' House Dresses reg. \$1.25 for \$1.00
- Underwear Lace, 23 yards for... \$1.00
- Ladies' Suits, \$13.50 to \$22.50, for \$9.00
- 2 only Ladies' \$10.50 Rain Coats for \$5.00
- White Sport Coats for (garment)... \$6.00
- Children's Rain Capes, reg. \$3.50, for each... \$2.25
- Dress Voille, 6 yards for... \$1.00
- Khaki Cool (dress goods) in green shade, skirt length, 6 yards for... \$2.00
- 2 yards Raw Silk for... \$1.00
- Black Messaline Silk, \$1.25 for... \$1.00
- Black and White Check Dress Goods, reg. 50c., 3 yards for... \$1.00
- Black Satin Poplin Dress Goods, reg. \$1.00, 2 yards for... \$1.25
- Ladies' Hand Bags, 75c., 2 for... \$1.00
- Ladies' New Hand Bags, \$1.25, for \$1.00
- New Gabardine Dress Goods special \$1.00
- Umbrellas, reg. \$1.25 for... \$1.00
- Ladies' \$25.00 Suits for... \$20.00
- \$5.00 Ladies' Rain Coats for... \$3.95
- Children's Dresses, 3 for... \$1.00

No Mail or Phone Orders Filled  
Positively no Goods Charged at Sale Prices  
Store Hours:—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

# GROVER C. MURDOCK & CO.

"Simcoe's Favorite Shopping Place"

### A Large Sized Bouquet Comes From England.

Rev. Newcombe, who went overseas, chaplain for the 133rd, in a letter to his wife, Mrs. H. C. Newcombe, passes out the following bouquet: "Of course there are some stores here, but I am quite sure there is not one here—and this is a town of 30,000 people—not one as large or to be compared with the H. S. Falls Company's store, Simcoe."

### Brantford, and including Brantford, knew the great price advantages that await them at Falls' store, Simcoe, it would take a long train of cars on the L. E. & N. to draw them to Simcoe on Wednesday, March 28th—Dollar Day.

### Fishing Commences

The fishing fleets of Port Dover are prepared for a start out to set nets to-day. Messrs. A. B. Smale and W. F. Smith of Port Ryerse have

### gone over to Dover to resume their occupation in this industry. The bay is clear of ice.

### Granulated Sugar.

The twenty-fifth customer trading at Falls' Store Dollar Day will receive, gratis, 15 pounds of Redpath's best granulated sugar. The 75th customer will also receive 15 pounds, as well as the 150 and 200th customers. A correct tally will be kept at the office on all sales. When the

### gong sounds you will know that some person has been fortunate.

### DR. DEVAN'S FEMALE PILLS

Reliable medicine for all Female Complaints. \$3 a box, or three for \$10, at drug stores. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. THE SCARBOROUGH DRUG CO., St. Catharines, Ontario.

Restores Vitality and Strength. PHOSPHONOL FOR MEN. A tonic will build up. \$2 a box, or two for \$4, at drug stores, or mail on receipt of price. THE SCARBOROUGH DRUG CO., St. Catharines, Ontario.

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Monday, March 26th, 1917.

**THE SITUATION**

The French just now are figuring most prominently in the western operations. It is a class of fighting which suits their temperaments, much more than trench warfare, excellent though they have proved at that, and in addition the recent wanton devastation of French territory has imparted an added spur. They have recently occupied territory on a front extending over two and a half miles, and in addition have taken two of the important fortified defences on the Hindenburg line. The British also still continue to push forward, but to a less marked extent.

Stewart Lyon, the Canadian press representative now at the front, reports that the best of the German divisions are opposed to the men from the Dominion, a fact which serves to demonstrate that the enemy have learned to appreciate their fighting ability. He states that the boys of the maple leaf have come through the trying experience of a winter in the trenches remarkably well.

The position of affairs with regard to Russia cannot be said to be any too reassuring. The Germans are preparing for an attack on the eastern front, with Hindenburg's pet idea of getting to Petrograd as the undoubted objective. That the foe is quite evident, and it is just as clearly apparent that they hope to take advantage of the internal troubles which are sure to exist until matters settle down again. The difficulty seems to be that with the overthrow of the Czar a certain element of the population are prone to consider that all authority has ceased, and Hun emissaries will not be slow to fan the flame. The outlook does not yet present alarming characteristics, but it is safe to be prepared for overt incidents.

**MOTOR TRACTION FOR FIRE DEPARTMENTS**

The present marvelous development of motor traction is a matter of general comment, yet there is no reason to doubt that the thing is still only in its infancy, robust though that undoubtedly is. Reliability is becoming more and more assured, and in no quarter has a recognition of that fact become more marked than in connection with the fire departments of this continent. In this regard the "Fireman's Herald" of New York reports the result of a recent census of American and Canadian fire departments together with possible purchases during 1917.

This year's enumeration includes the cities of 5,000 population and over. Of these cities the fire chiefs of 890 have responded to requests for information.

The rapid elimination of the horse-drawn apparatus from the service is strikingly shown by a comparison between this year's census and that of 1914. In that year 315 cities were represented with 7,059 fire vehicles pulled by Dobbin. This year nearly three times that number of departments, including the original 315, are entered, and yet the number of horse-drawn pieces of apparatus in service and reserve is less than 1,725.

The fate that has befallen horse-drawn apparatus in the fire service is again shown by this year's census of possible purchasers. Of the automobiles, 1,045 are listed, while of the horse-drawn the total stands at 18, of which 8 are listed from Canadian cities. When it is considered that for obvious reasons the enumeration of possible purchasers is not so far as motor apparatus is concerned, while the departments that are condemned to horse-drawn vehicles are not likely to increase their purchases, it is plain that in a year or two future purchases will not mention the horse at all.

The additions to be made this year, chemical and hose cars are again to the fore with 245. Pumping engines and combination pumpers and hose carriers show a growing strength with a total of 202, triple combinations, 147; hose cars, 36; chemicals, 23; aerial and service trucks and water towers, 156; tractors, 150; other automobiles, 86.

**NOTES AND COMMENTS**

Spring has sprung. The Grand River has been making its annual run on the banks, but they stand the strain better than they used to do.

Pretty warm, but Miss Spring had better wait awhile before she attempts to go out arrayed in a few pale blossoms.

Brantford needs to look alive with reference to the attempt to divert the proposed Provincial main road from coming through its natural district, which would include this city. With the constantly increasing motor haulage, such a highway is of the greatest importance. It is understood to be the government idea to have plans proposed and route settled on that the men can be turned on the work during the falling off in labor after the war. Municipalities will also have to aid financially.

**AN ATTACK ON BLONDIN**

The Courier is puffed because the Expositor is not as enthusiastic as it appears to be over the action of Hon. Mr. Blondin, the Nationalist postmaster-general of Canada.—Expositor.

Now, don't misrepresent. The Courier did not expect its cotem to enthuse, or do justice with regard to a political opponent, because the organ has never yet manifested any symptoms of fair play in such regard.

What this paper did do was to administer a needed rebuke to the Expositor for making cheap sneers at Blondin for wanting to serve the Empire.

In this respect the organ took occasion to refer to some of his former utterances regarding British connection. As an answer The Courier quoted several instances in which Sir Wilfrid Laurier had used far more extreme language.

As an offset to that, The Expositor pleads among other things: "To Sir Wilfrid Laurier's credit stands the sending of no less than three Canadian contingents to South Africa during the rebellion there."

The indisputable fact is that he was forced into it by public opinion, led by the late Sir Charles Tupper.

All the other overseas Dominions had offered assistance—except Canada.

Laurier in attempted explanation gave an interview to the Toronto Globe in which he said:

"There is no menace to Canada, and although we may be willing to contribute troops, I do not see how we can do so. Then again, how could we do so without Canada granting us the money? We simply could not do anything. In other words we should have to summon parliament. The Government of Canada is restricted in its powers. It is responsible to Parliament and can do very little without the permission of Parliament. There is no doubt as to the attitude of the Government on all questions that mean menace to British interests, but in this case our limitations are very clearly defined. And so it is that we have not offered a Canadian contingent to the home authorities."

As before related it was only when public feeling over the apathy became overwhelmingly strong that he took any step.

It will thus be seen that The Expositor would have shown far greater wisdom if it had left Laurier's course regarding South Africa severely alone.

**ACTIVITIES OF THE 215th**

The 215th Battalion, under the supervision of Major Joyce, were this morning engaged in section, platoon and company drill in Agricultural Park. The fine Spring weather evidently stimulated the men to brisk action, for they carried out the manoeuvres in veteran style.

Pte. W. K. Spence, of the orderly room, has been transferred to "Casualties" with a month's furlough pending arrangements for a pension. Pte. Spence had the misfortune to break his leg while at camp last summer.

Another recruit was signed up on Saturday, Charles Abraham Lambert, of Wainfleet, Ontario. He is a farmer, aged twenty-three years of age. The members of the battalion attended divine service at St. John's Anglican Church on Sunday.

In the orders issued this morning, attention was brought to the fact that some men have been tampering with the band instruments. Notice was given that this practice must cease.

**STORY HOUR**

The story hour at the public library, tomorrow promises to be particularly attractive and interesting, especially to those children who are music lovers, for the story of Stradivarius, the whittler of Cremona, whose violins are today famous, will be related, from "Boyhood Stories of Famous Men," by Katherine Dunlap Gathers. On Thursday afternoon "The Eastern Wonderland," a story of Japan written by a Japanese educated in England, will be told.

**MARKETS**

**FRUITS.**  
Apples basket, small . . . 0.40 to 0.40  
Apples, basket, large . . . 0.75 to 0.75

**MEATS.**  
Bacon, side . . . 0.32 to 0.34  
Bacon, back . . . 0.34 to 0.36  
Beef, per lb. . . . 0.18 to 0.22  
Beef, hinds . . . . 0.14 to 0.15  
Chickens, each . . . 0.75 to 1.00  
Chickens, lb. . . . 0.16 to 0.17  
Ducks . . . . . 0.80 to 1.00  
Dry salt pork . . . 0.20 to 0.25  
Dressed pork . . . 0.22 to 0.25  
Kidneys . . . . . 0.10 to 0.12  
Lamb . . . . . 0.25 to 0.30  
Lard, Hoop . . . . . 8.00 to 0.00  
Smoked shoulder . . 0.18 to 0.18

**VEGETABLES.**  
Lettuce . . . . . 2 for 15c  
Beans, quart . . . . 0.15 to 0.25  
Potatoes, bag . . . . 3.25 to 3.25  
Potatoes, bushel . . . 2.30 to 2.30  
Celery . . . . . 0.08 to 0.10  
Turnips, basket . . . 0.30 to 0.30  
Honey, comb, clover . 0.25 to 0.25  
Horseradish, bottle . 0.15 to 0.15  
Cabbage, each . . . . 0.10 to 0.25  
Cabbage, doz . . . . 2.00 to 2.00  
Onions, pk. . . . . 0.75 to 0.80  
Potatoes, basket . . . 0.50 to 0.60  
Parsnips, basket . . . 0.25 to 0.50  
Turnips, basket . . . . 0.40 to 0.45

**FISH.**  
Halibut steak, lb. . . 0.20 to 0.20  
Kipperd Herring . . . 0.15 to 0.15  
Pickeral . . . . . 0.12 to 0.18  
Perch . . . . . 0.12 to 0.12  
Salmon trout, lb. . . 0.17 to 0.17  
Whitefish, lb. . . . . 0.18 to 0.18

**DAIRY PRODUCTS.**  
Butter, creamery, lb . . 0.45 to 0.45  
Butter, dairy, per lb . . 0.42 to 0.44  
Eggs, per doz . . . . 0.30 to 0.34  
Cheese . . . . . 0.50 to 0.50

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
Chicago, March 26.—Cattle—Receipts 18,000; market, weak; native beef, \$9.15 to \$12.55; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$10.60; calves, \$10.50 to \$14.00; hogs, receipts, 50,000; market, steady; light, \$10.10 to \$14.95; mixed, \$14.45 to \$15.10; heavy, \$14.40 to \$15.10; rough, \$14.40 to \$14.60; pigs, \$14.50 to \$14.00; sales, \$14.80 to \$15.05; sheep, receipts, 20,000; market, weak; wethers, \$11.15 to \$12.85; lambs, native, \$12.75 to \$15.20.

**TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
Toronto, March 26.—Receipts at Union Stock Yards today were 2445 calves, 608 calves, 1252 hogs, 43 sheep. Trade was active and prices were steady.

Export cattle, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.50; butcher cattle, choice \$10.25 to \$10.75; medium \$9.00 to \$10.00; common \$8.25 to \$8.75; butchers choice \$9.25 to \$10.00; medium \$7.50 to \$8.50; canners, \$5.00 to \$5.25; bulls, \$6.00 to \$10.50; feeding steers, \$8.50 to \$9.50; stockers, choice \$7.50 to \$8.75; light \$7.00 to \$7.50; milkers, choice, each \$50 to \$150; springers \$50 to \$115; sheep, ewes \$10.00 to \$11.00; bucks and culls \$8.50 to \$9.50; lambs \$10.00 to \$15.25; calves, \$9.00 to \$14.50.

**EAST BUFFALO.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
East Buffalo, March 26.—Cattle, receipts 3,000; slow and lower. Ship cars \$8 to \$11; heifers \$6.50 to \$10.25; cows \$5.00 to \$9.50; bulls \$6.00 to \$9.50; stockers and feeders \$7.00 to \$8.25; fresh cows and springers, active, steady to strong, \$50.00 to \$110.00; veals, receipts, \$3.00, active and lower, \$4 to \$14.00; hogs receipts 1,000, slow 10 to 15 cents lower; heavy \$15.50 to \$15.80; few \$15.85; mixed \$15.10 to \$15.50; yorkers \$15.15 to \$15.25; light yorkers \$13.50 to \$15.00; pigs \$12.50 to \$13.00; roughs \$13.75 to \$14.00; stags \$11.00 to \$12.00; sheep \$12.00 to \$12.25; active; lambs \$12 to \$15.6; yearlings \$11.00 to \$14.00; wethers \$12.00 to \$12.75; ewes, \$6.00 to \$12.00; mixed sheep \$12.00 to \$12.25.

Mr. John Rumley, who is leaving this week for Port Huron, where he has secured a splendid position, was remembered by his old associates at the close of work by receiving a handsome club bag, and also one for Mrs. Rumley. Mr. Rumley has sold his house to Mr. J. Pryne, who will soon take possession, and on Saturday the household effects were sold.

Pte. Henry Clarke, West River, of the 215th Battalion, is home on his last leave before going overseas.

The death took place in Detroit on Friday of Margaret Maher, relict of the late Thomas Craig. He was 82 years of age. Her late husband was a member of the Paris Rifle Company, and was the first military funeral held in Paris, some forty years ago. The remains were brought to Paris and the funeral will take place this afternoon from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John Kempthorne, Walnut street.

Rev. Mr. Sotley of Terrace Hill church, Brantford, preached an eloquent sermon in St. James last evening, taking for his text Psalm 95, 1st verse: "O come, let us sing unto the Lord, let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation." The pastor, Rev. Mr. Adamson, was in Brantford.

The Methodist congregation met in their church yesterday, after having services for the past few months in the Sunday school, on account of the scarcity of coal. Rev. Mr. Wells conducted both services, and in the evening spoke on "Russia." Mrs. Volk rendered a solo very feelingly.

Miss Vera Ferguson's many friends will regret to hear that she is lying seriously from inflammatory rheumatism.

Press Paragraphs.  
W. A. Charlton, M.P., was in town on Saturday.  
Miss Clara Hoag spent the weekend in Brantford.  
J. H. McKnight, D.L.S., left Mon-

**PARIS LADIES GIVE TALENT TEA**

Woman's Guild of St. James' Church Held Successful Event

OTHER NEWS OF PARIS  
Mrs. Thos. Craig Passes Away in Detroit

From Our Own Correspondent  
Paris, March 26.  
On Saturday afternoon the Woman's Guild of St. James church held a very successful talent tea and home-made cooking sale at the residence of the president, Mrs. Charles Tate, William street. Little Miss Helen Thos. and Isabella Simard were two charming little girls at the door, while Mrs. Tate received the guests, assisted by Mrs. Fern. The guests were shown to the tea room by Mrs. Geo. Tate, which made a pretty appearance with daffodils and delicate decorations. Mrs. E. Pitta and Mrs. G. Featherstone poured the coffee. Mrs. J. H. Fisher, Mrs. Stewart Jones assisted in the tea room. The home-made cooking booth was ably looked after by Mrs. Arthur Clark and Mrs. Fisher. While Mrs. McComb had charge of the apron booth. Others assisting were Mrs. J. Kibble, Mrs. Ed. Hayden, Misses Pitts and Featherstone. Throughout the afternoon sweet music was given on the Edison disc by Mrs. Joe Bell. A good sum was realized and will be devoted to church expenses.

On Friday evening the 122nd Forestry Battalion of Muskoka, which have been at Galt during the winter months, held a recruiting meeting in the fire hall Mayor C. B. Robinson acted as chairman, and throughout the evening the 122nd band rendered excellent music. Addresses were given by Major Tisdale, Captain Marshall of the 122nd Battalion, Lieut.-Col. Gant, Magistrate Blake of Galt and Mr. J. H. Fisher, M. P. On account of the disagreeable weather that evening the attendance was not very good. However, on all questions that mean menace to British interests, but in this case our limitations are very clearly defined. And so it is that we have not offered a Canadian contingent to the home authorities."

As before related it was only when public feeling over the apathy became overwhelmingly strong that he took any step. It will thus be seen that The Expositor would have shown far greater wisdom if it had left Laurier's course regarding South Africa severely alone.

**MARKETS**

**FRUITS.**  
Apples basket, small . . . 0.40 to 0.40  
Apples, basket, large . . . 0.75 to 0.75

**MEATS.**  
Bacon, side . . . 0.32 to 0.34  
Bacon, back . . . 0.34 to 0.36  
Beef, per lb. . . . 0.18 to 0.22  
Beef, hinds . . . . 0.14 to 0.15  
Chickens, each . . . 0.75 to 1.00  
Chickens, lb. . . . 0.16 to 0.17  
Ducks . . . . . 0.80 to 1.00  
Dry salt pork . . . 0.20 to 0.25  
Dressed pork . . . 0.22 to 0.25  
Kidneys . . . . . 0.10 to 0.12  
Lamb . . . . . 0.25 to 0.30  
Lard, Hoop . . . . . 8.00 to 0.00  
Smoked shoulder . . 0.18 to 0.18

**VEGETABLES.**  
Lettuce . . . . . 2 for 15c  
Beans, quart . . . . 0.15 to 0.25  
Potatoes, bag . . . . 3.25 to 3.25  
Potatoes, bushel . . . 2.30 to 2.30  
Celery . . . . . 0.08 to 0.10  
Turnips, basket . . . 0.30 to 0.30  
Honey, comb, clover . 0.25 to 0.25  
Horseradish, bottle . 0.15 to 0.15  
Cabbage, each . . . . 0.10 to 0.25  
Cabbage, doz . . . . 2.00 to 2.00  
Onions, pk. . . . . 0.75 to 0.80  
Potatoes, basket . . . 0.50 to 0.60  
Parsnips, basket . . . 0.25 to 0.50  
Turnips, basket . . . . 0.40 to 0.45

**FISH.**  
Halibut steak, lb. . . 0.20 to 0.20  
Kipperd Herring . . . 0.15 to 0.15  
Pickeral . . . . . 0.12 to 0.18  
Perch . . . . . 0.12 to 0.12  
Salmon trout, lb. . . 0.17 to 0.17  
Whitefish, lb. . . . . 0.18 to 0.18

**DAIRY PRODUCTS.**  
Butter, creamery, lb . . 0.45 to 0.45  
Butter, dairy, per lb . . 0.42 to 0.44  
Eggs, per doz . . . . 0.30 to 0.34  
Cheese . . . . . 0.50 to 0.50

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
Chicago, March 26.—Cattle—Receipts 18,000; market, weak; native beef, \$9.15 to \$12.55; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$10.60; calves, \$10.50 to \$14.00; hogs, receipts, 50,000; market, steady; light, \$10.10 to \$14.95; mixed, \$14.45 to \$15.10; heavy, \$14.40 to \$15.10; rough, \$14.40 to \$14.60; pigs, \$14.50 to \$14.00; sales, \$14.80 to \$15.05; sheep, receipts, 20,000; market, weak; wethers, \$11.15 to \$12.85; lambs, native, \$12.75 to \$15.20.

**TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
Toronto, March 26.—Receipts at Union Stock Yards today were 2445 calves, 608 calves, 1252 hogs, 43 sheep. Trade was active and prices were steady.

Export cattle, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.50; butcher cattle, choice \$10.25 to \$10.75; medium \$9.00 to \$10.00; common \$8.25 to \$8.75; butchers choice \$9.25 to \$10.00; medium \$7.50 to \$8.50; canners, \$5.00 to \$5.25; bulls, \$6.00 to \$10.50; feeding steers, \$8.50 to \$9.50; stockers, choice \$7.50 to \$8.75; light \$7.00 to \$7.50; milkers, choice, each \$50 to \$150; springers \$50 to \$115; sheep, ewes \$10.00 to \$11.00; bucks and culls \$8.50 to \$9.50; lambs \$10.00 to \$15.25; calves, \$9.00 to \$14.50.

**EAST BUFFALO.**  
By Courier Lensed Wire.  
East Buffalo, March 26.—Cattle, receipts 3,000; slow and lower. Ship cars \$8 to \$11; heifers \$6.50 to \$10.25; cows \$5.00 to \$9.50; bulls \$6.00 to \$9.50; stockers and feeders \$7.00 to \$8.25; fresh cows and springers, active, steady to strong, \$50.00 to \$110.00; veals, receipts, \$3.00, active and lower, \$4 to \$14.00; hogs receipts 1,000, slow 10 to 15 cents lower; heavy \$15.50 to \$15.80; few \$15.85; mixed \$15.10 to \$15.50; yorkers \$15.15 to \$15.25; light yorkers \$13.50 to \$15.00; pigs \$12.50 to \$13.00; roughs \$13.75 to \$14.00; stags \$11.00 to \$12.00; sheep \$12.00 to \$12.25; active; lambs \$12 to \$15.6; yearlings \$11.00 to \$14.00; wethers \$12.00 to \$12.75; ewes, \$6.00 to \$12.00; mixed sheep \$12.00 to \$12.25.

Mr. John Rumley, who is leaving this week for Port Huron, where he has secured a splendid position, was remembered by his old associates at the close of work by receiving a handsome club bag, and also one for Mrs. Rumley. Mr. Rumley has sold his house to Mr. J. Pryne, who will soon take possession, and on Saturday the household effects were sold.

Pte. Henry Clarke, West River, of the 215th Battalion, is home on his last leave before going overseas.

The death took place in Detroit on Friday of Margaret Maher, relict of the late Thomas Craig. He was 82 years of age. Her late husband was a member of the Paris Rifle Company, and was the first military funeral held in Paris, some forty years ago. The remains were brought to Paris and the funeral will take place this afternoon from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John Kempthorne, Walnut street.

Rev. Mr. Sotley of Terrace Hill church, Brantford, preached an eloquent sermon in St. James last evening, taking for his text Psalm 95, 1st verse: "O come, let us sing unto the Lord, let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation." The pastor, Rev. Mr. Adamson, was in Brantford.

The Methodist congregation met in their church yesterday, after having services for the past few months in the Sunday school, on account of the scarcity of coal. Rev. Mr. Wells conducted both services, and in the evening spoke on "Russia." Mrs. Volk rendered a solo very feelingly.

Miss Vera Ferguson's many friends will regret to hear that she is lying seriously from inflammatory rheumatism.

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**NEWS OF NORFOLK**

Continued from page three  
probably a new school will be prepared for opening in January, 1918. Land Value Increased.

The movement has enhanced the value of two-thirds of the farm lands in the section by many times the cost of the new school, as so much of the district was so far from any school that only those with no children would desire to live there, and of recent years owners had difficulty in securing tenants or laborers for much of the land. The section includes an excellent area for small fruit farming, and a large proportion of young people who would encourage production.

Shelly Cook, keeper of the East End lighthouse at Long Point, was in town on Friday, and brought news that the West End light is to be discontinued. Talk of drilling on the island for gas and oil, is revived again, with prospects of something doing in the near future.

The Jas. Leisk farm in Windham, offered for sale by auction a few days ago and unsold with a reserve bid of \$8,000, has been purchased at that figure by Michael Hare.

Alternate trees in a row of maples on Agricultural street, in front of the property of Arthur Owen, have been severely damaged near the base by cutting. An investigation is under way.

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treat for the east recently, as a member of a battalion of engineers. Mrs. McKnight will return to Simcoe and remain here during his absence.

Mrs. John Pratt is again in the hospital at Toronto, Mrs. George Holden accompanied her there on Friday.

Mrs. Fred McKnight, and infant son, of Galt, arrived here yesterday to visit Mrs. John McKnight, College Crescent.

Rev. J. C. Fraser, M.A., of Uxbridge, will preach at St. Paul's next Sunday.

**Military Matters.**  
Pte. Fred. Price, son of Mr. Day-ton Price, of Port Rowan, and brother of Pte. Chas. Price of the former 133rd, enlisted at Windsor in January 1916. He went overseas in May, was in the trenches in two weeks and was slightly wounded in June, and again seriously, in the shoulder in September. He reached Toronto with the right arm hanging powerless, but has some hope of regaining muscular control. Pte. Price visited recently at the home of Mrs. Franklin, Lynnwood Ave., and is expected back to the county for Easter. He was an excellent penman and his friends will rejoice

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with him in the event of the ultimate recovery from his disability. Pte. Price suffered also from gas.

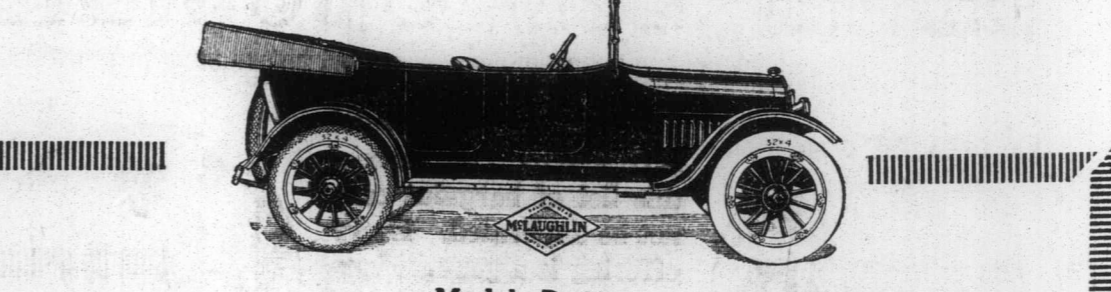
Pte. George Blake, formerly a corporal of the former 133rd, and son of Sergt. Shoemaker, Geo. Baker of the same unit, has been reported to his mother on West street, as wounded. Mrs. Blake received a trench letter from him shortly after the cable came to hand.

Pte. F. M. Ball, reported some weeks ago as "wounded," and now reported "died," did not enlist here. He was a son of Mrs. John Garland, of Simcoe, by her first husband. This name has been mistaken for that of formerly Corporal Gordon Stanley Ball, of the former 133rd, and son of Mr. Wm. Ball of Market street. He was working with

the M.C.R. out of St. Thomas when he enlisted, and had been ill for some time in England.

Mr. Bush, violinist, played at St. Paul's yesterday morning, and at Trinity in the evening. Miss Carr, as soloist at Trinity, sang in splendid voice. The "extras" were highly appreciated by both congregations.

**Tenders For Supplies**  
Tenders for bread and for beef of good quality, minus neck ends, for the House of Refuge for the coming year, will be received up to noon on Friday, March 30. Address tenders to John A. Houlding, 22 Dalhousie St., City, Secretary.



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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

HELD MEETING

The second meeting of the Township Board of Health for the year 1917 was held in the court house this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

LEFT CITY

Sergt. Harold Brooks, who has been recruiting here for some time for the Canadian Engineers and the Divisional Signallers has left for St. John's.

WAR CROSS.

The Government of France has bestowed the "Croix de Guerre" for bravery and distinguished services upon Leo. Bowly Reynolds of the Royal Engineers. This great honor is the first bestowed upon any British officer. The above named is the grandson of the late Dr. Bowly and the great nephew of Mayor Bowly.

CITY WATER.

The high level and muddy condition of the Grand River may affect the city water to some slight extent, stated Mr. John Fair of the water commission this morning, but as yet the water in the city mains has remained clear and no inconvenience has been experienced.

KNOTTY AT WORK

Knotty Lee, he of the freckle-visage, and Auburn thatch, well known to baseball fans of this city, from his connection with the Canadian League has written to the Hamilton Herald, stating that he is interested in organizing the New England League which will soon be in operation again. He has signed Tommy Grieve and Johnny Murphy, and hopes to land other former Canadian Leaguers. When it comes to organizing new Leagues, Knotty's friends in this section will wish him continued success.

ST. BASIL'S MISSION.

The women's mission at St. Basil's church was brought successfully to a close yesterday afternoon, and last evening the week's mission for the men was opened with a gratifyingly large attendance. Speaking from the text, "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his soul?" Rev. Father Mylet impressed upon his hearers the reality of man's soul, the certainty of the existence and the immortality of the soul, and its value above all things of this earth, citing the examples of the great saints of history, who gave up the pleasures of the world to follow Christ.

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TO CO-OPERATE

An enthusiastic meeting of the employees of the Canada Starch Co. Limited, was held at the office of the Company on Monday, March 26. D. T. Williamson, Chairman Garden Plot Committee, of Brantford Thrift League explained the aims and objects of the League. Mr. Ruddy, General Manager of the company also stated that the Starch Co. would prepare all the vacant land, about 5 acres free of charge, and allow employees the use of same during the season 1917, which they would divide equally among those who were willing to co-operate and cultivate their allotments. Nearly all the employees present decided to take a Garden Plot, the only exceptions being parties who have sufficient land to cultivate where they reside. Three cash prizes will be given for the best kept Garden Plot.

BUILDING PERMITS.

In accordance with the decision of the city council some time ago, to allow a roller rink to be installed at the Alfred street rink, a permit was issued this morning by the city engineer to Robert Trench to place a floor to cost \$1500 over the present floor for roller skating. Charles Lethaby, 27 Dundas street East, applied for a permit to erect a brick cottage to cost \$1,000. The permit was issued. Henry Beer was granted permission to erect a frame garage at 185 Wellington street, the structure to cost \$40. A brick dwelling to cost \$1,500 is to be erected by L. J. Parsons at 88 Ontario street, and the necessary permit was issued at the city hall this morning. A permit has also been issued to Fred Webster for the erection of a frame and glass verandah at 80 Erie Ave. to cost \$225.

SOCIAL HOUR.

On Friday afternoon the pupils in several of the classes of Grand View School spent a social hour in order to say good-bye to the family of the Rev. Jas. Chapman, who is moving to Burlington. Programmes were carried out in the various classes. The following was the program in the principal's room: Opening chorus by the class, Britannia, the pride of the ocean; speech by the chairman, Samuel Bloxham; toast, To King and Country, proposed by Geo. Lawton, responded to by Murray Scruton; song, Francis Hoover; toast, To Grand View Cadets, proposed by Lawrence Makey, responded to by Virgil Turnbull; piano solo, Vera Jackson; toast, Success to Harold Chapman, proposed by Harry Dixon, responded to by Clark Gilbert; vocal duet, Jessie Arnold and Ethel Hope; vocal duet, Madeline Smith and Geo. Lawton. Refreshments were also served. At the conclusion, Harold Chapman was presented with a fountain pen. Harold Eastcott read the address and Myrtle Mayled made the presentation. Reginald Chapman was presented with a watch, Carl with a jackknife, and Lillian with a ring.

Obituary

AUDREY SAGE.

The death occurred yesterday of Audrey Sage, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitford Sage, 91 Ontario street. The deceased, who was a member of Wesley Methodist church and Sunday school, was in her fourteenth year and had been ill for a year. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon to Mount Hope cemetery.

SEQUESTER SHIPS.

Paris, March 26.—The Spanish Government, says a Havas despatch from Madrid to-day, has ordered the sequestration of the ships of several owners because they have refused to pay the tax of three pesetas (about 58 cents) per ton imposed by the minister of finance.

ARRIVED SAFELY

Washington, March 26.—The American liner St. Louis, the first armed ship to cross the Atlantic, has arrived safely at her destination, Secretary Daniels announced to-day.

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  - Brass Extension Rods, will extend to 44 in., complete with screw brackets and silvered ball ends, each 10c., 3 for . . . . .25c
  - Brass Curtain Pole, will extend to 58 in., made of heavy polished tubing, 7-8 inches diameter, complete with brackets and ends, at, each . . . . .50c
  - Curved End Extension Rods, will extend to 50 in., made of 3-8 in. brass tubing, complete with brackets and screws, each. . . . .25c
  - Wood Curtain Poles, in oak or white, in lengths of 5, 7, 10 or 12 ft., size 1 3-8 in. diameter, per foot. . . . .6c
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**TO THE GRAVE.**  
The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Norris took place yesterday afternoon from her son's residence, Mr. Samuel Norris, Gordon street, to Mount Hope Cemetery, the Rev. G. H. North officiating. The pallbearers were her six nephews, Robert, Charles, John, Richard, Frank, D. Edwards, F. Rowley. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss, one son, Samuel Norris, one brother, James Ireland, and two sisters of this city and one who resides in Turner, Mich. The flower tokens were as follows: Pillow, son and wife; sprays, sisters, Mr. and Mrs. D. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. R. Silvertorn and Mrs. Creath, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sturgis, Mr. and Mrs. Symons, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pickering and Mrs. Hodge, Ladies' Aid Gospel Tabernacle.

BRITISH EAST AFRICAN TROOPS HALT BY WAYSIDE



This official picture of a body of British African Rifles, shows the men fallen out for a short rest during a strenuous march. Note the contented expressions upon the countenance of these negro troops, so different from the cowed expression the Kaiser's East African troops habitually wear. The enthusiasm of these negro troops contributed not a little to General Smut's success.

**ALLEGIANCE TO U. S.**  
Quincy, Mass., March 26.—Rev. Carl G. Horst, who was a schoolmate of Emperor William of Germany at the Academy in Cassel, led members of his congregation at the Wollaston Unitarian Church in pledging allegiance to the American flag at services last night. Col. Warren E. Sweetzer of the Eighth regiment, Massachusetts national guard commanded an escort which dedicated a flag raised in the church.

A conference to represent various interests in Western Ontario will be held at Kitchener on March 29 to decide on the route for the proposed provincial highway.

Thirteen locomotives which were used on the construction of the new Welland Ship Canal, have been secured by the provincial government for shipment to France.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor M. Wood and son, Robert, of Owen Sound, have been visiting relatives in the city.

S. HILL

The funeral of the late Samuel Hill took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence in Tuscarora township to the Sour Springs Anglican church. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. L. Strong. Interment took place in the cemetery adjacent to the church.

WM. RODDICK.

The remains of the late William Roddick were laid to rest Saturday afternoon, the funeral taking place from his late residence, Burford road, to Greenwood cemetery. Services were conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. G. H. Woodside. The pallbearers were Messrs. C. H. Waterous, T. L. Wood, S. McNaught, H. Cleator, D. Whiting and Thomas Clark. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

The funeral of the late Lee Jim, who passed away in the city last week, took place yesterday afternoon from the undertaking establishment of Reid & Brown to Mount Hope cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. G. A. Woodside.

Rev. T. J. Robinson has resigned as pastor of Lakeside Presbyterian church and goes to Vancouver where he will become provincial manager for the London Life Insurance Company.

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ELECTION COMING

Melbourne, March 26.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa agency)—This city is in the throes of a general election. Most of the members of the federal parliament have gone to their constituencies to open the campaign which will be bitterly fought between the supporters of the Hughes Government and the Labor party which broke away from Hughes on the conscription issue.

The Management Committee of the St. Catharines Patriotic Fund campaign has decided to postpone the campaign for \$150,000 on account of the City Council declining to make a grant out of the taxes.

The shingle and lath plant of the Pearce Company, Limited, in Farmosa village was totally destroyed by fire, caused when the workmen were burning a hole through a beam with a red hot iron. Loss \$25,000.

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week, over Mohawk No. 1 Rural Route, from the 1st of July, next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Mohawk, Brantford and Burckell and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

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Mrs. W. H. Wood is visiting her brother, Mr. Victor Wood in Owen Sound.

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COMING EVENTS

COURT TELEPHONE CITY, Canadian Order of Forresters special meeting Tuesday evening, March 27th. Discussion of new rates and nominations of delegates to High Court. Every member com...

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS, ATTENTION! Don't fail to hear Halpenny and Cunningham, special annual meeting City Union, First Baptist church, Tuesday, 27th, sessions 2 and 3 p.m. Public invited. Come.

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LOST—Colborne St., Saturday, between Market and George, small purse containing about six dollars and eighty cents. Reward, 286 1/2 Darling St.

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IN MEMORIAM In loving memory of Sapper William H. Betts, Fourth Battalion, First Canadian Contingent. Killed in action, March 25th, 1916, at Ploegsteert, Belgium, while serving with the Third Canadian Tunneling Co., Canadian Engineers, aged 27 years, 6 days. Dear Will, in God's care you lie sleeping. "Somewhere in Flanders," in a soldier's grave. Our hearts must ache, but pride has stilled our weeping; Your pure young life for Freedom's cause you gave. Mother, Father, Brothers and Sisters.

PERSONAL Mrs. Fred Smith, 125 George street, left on Saturday on a visit to New York.

MR. FRED FRANK MEETS WITH SERIOUS HURT WHILE EXTENDING AID TO ANOTHER

While proceeding on his way home on Saturday night at about twelve o'clock, Mr. Fred Frank, secretary of the water commission, as he was taking a short cut along the path beside Grace Church, heard some loud talking over at the adjacent corner, at the junction of Albion, Wellington and West streets. The controversy was waxing rather warm, but Mr. Frank, having no desire to interfere, did not stop, until he heard shouts for help a few moments later. He ran over to the place where the scuffle was taking place and found two men, both in uniform, struggling with another, who had been knocked down. He helped the latter up and as they were leaving, one soldier struck Mr. Frank over the left eye from behind, with a bayonet or some other like instrument. Some other pedestrians hurried up and took Mr. Frank to Doctor Palmer, where, for some time it was thought that he would lose his sight. Luckily however, the instrument used had inflicted a wound slightly below the eye, and the rush of blood out of the wound had helped considerably in lessening the danger.

The matter has been placed in the hands of Chief Sleinin, who is now working on the case, and it is thought that the identity of the assailants is known, and the matter will probably be cleared up within the near future. This morning Mr. Frank was able to be at his office and attend to his duties, with a badly swollen and bandaged eye.

Obituary

Charles White Charles Edward White, a pupil of the School for the Blind, and eight years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White, Blind River, Ontario, passed away this morning. The remains will be conveyed for interment to Blind River via C. T. R., leaving the city at 6 o'clock this evening.

PTE. JAMES BRUCE DEAD OF WOUNDS

125th Man Makes Supreme Sacrifice at the Front

The sad news of the death from gunshot wounds of her husband, Pte. James Robert Bruce, was received this morning by Mrs. Elizabeth Bruce, 139 Dalhousie street. Pte. Bruce, who went overseas with the 125th and crossed to France with the second division from the battalion, was reported wounded last week and died at No. 8 Red Cross Hospital, Letouquet. Besides his wife he leaves a family of four children: Helen, James, Daniel and Peter, all at home.

The fire which damaged the restaurant of P. G. Christopher, Hamilton, is being probed by Deputy Fire Marshal Lewis.

Three members of Sir Ernest Shackleton's exploring party are in Montreal on their way to join the British navy. Dr. Russell Reid, of Toronto, son of R. J. Reid, Kingston, has been given a commission as captain in the Queen's Field Ambulance. Pte. James Lupton, who enlisted at fourteen at Stratford two years ago, and was slightly wounded at Ypres is being sent home.

The Soc will undertake to see that all available land within its limits shall be cultivated, and is arranging to purchase seed for the citizens at cost.

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CANADIAN SOLDIER'S LETTER

Says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Have Kept Him Fit Through Two Wars

Sapper A. Hartley, of the A Company, Canadian Engineers, whose home address is 906 Trafalgar street, London, Ontario, is one of the many who have written in praise of Dr. Cassell's Tablets. He says, "As a constant user of Dr. Cassell's Tablets, I would like to add my testimony to their value. I used them when I was in the South Africa War and finding the benefit of them there, have taken them since whenever I felt run down. I always recommend them, for I know that they do all that is claimed for them. In my opinion they are the best tonic anyone can take for loss of appetite, poorness of the blood, or general weakness of the system."

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Immediate steps were urged to enlist the help of retired farmers and others. A meeting will be held early this week.

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In response to telegrams received by the two local papers and Mr. Harvey Watt from the "Ontario Organization of Resources Committee," an informal meeting of some members of the Board of Trade took place in their offices at the Temple Building on Saturday afternoon.

The message pointed out that "the call of the Empire for more food is urgent, but the Ontario farmer cannot respond unless labor is available for seeding, which commences in April."

John Atkinson, a switchman on the Grand Trunk at Niagara Falls, was crushed to death between two cars.

Adolphus Reame of Ford died in Hotel Dieu, Windsor, as a result of fracturing his skull in falling fifty feet to the concrete floor of a factory addition.

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THIS WOMAN TO THIS MAN

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From Saturday's Daily. "I've told you I would!" he reminded him. "I know. But things were different then—not so serious. I hadn't gone so far. I didn't suppose then that Fate would give you to me so soon. I didn't dare hope it. "Are you sure—sure you would?" Annesley faltered. "Sure that I've ever been of any thing in my life before, so long as I'm thinking. I wanted to attract my—my business matters so as to be fairer to you. But you'll find the best of things. "You are being noble to me," she the girl, "and I've been very foolish. I've complicated everything for you. First, by what I told Mr. Ruth Smith about—about us. And then—your name was Neil Smith." "You weren't foolish!" he contradicted her. "You were only being into Fate's hands. You could help yourself. It had to be tiny! And all's for the best. You were an angel to sacrifice yourself to save me, and your doing it the way you did has made me a happy man at one stroke. As for your name—what's in a name? We might as well be in reality what we play at being to-night—Mr. and Mrs. Neil Smith." There's good even in that, you see. I'm pleased that you name a present of the name. I thought you for it—and for the rest." "Oh, but if it isn't really your name, we shouldn't be married, shall we?" Annesley protested. "By Jove!" he exclaimed. "I hadn't thought of that. It's a duty. But we'll obviate it—somehow. Don't worry. I'll do it. I can't ask your friend the Archdeacon to marry us, as I meant suggest, because I was sure you'd like it." "I should. But it doesn't matter said the girl. "Besides, I feel to-morrow I shall find I've dreamt all this."

"Then I've dreamed you, at same time, and I'm not going to you slip out of my dream, now I got you in it. I intend to go on dreaming you, for the rest of my life. And I shall take good care to don't wake up from your dream!" Afterwards there came a time when Annesley called back the words and wondered if they had a deeper meaning than she guessed. But, having uttered them, he seemed to put the thought out of his mind, and turn to the next. "About the Savoy," he went rather hastily. "I want to take there, because I know a woman sitting in the hotel—a woman—enough to be your mother—who look after you, to please me, we're married. Afterwards you'll be nice to her, and that you'll be doing her a good turn, because she's apt to be pretty lonesome of a Spanish Count, and has lived in the Argentine, but I met her in New York. She knows all about me—enough, anyhow—and if she'd been in the restaurant at dinner evening she could have done for what you did. I had reason to think she would be there, when I rushed in to get out of a rather bad fix. She was missing. Are you sorry if she'd been there, you would have gone to her table and down, and we—should never have met!" Annesley thought all thing—your friend being out of her—and our whole lives are to be changed. Oh, you must be sorry. I tell you, meeting you and knowing you in this way is worth the best ten years of my life. But I haven't answered my question, have I? "Then I'll answer it now!" she the girl. "Meeting you is worth the years of my life! I'm not worth of a princess, but you're like George rescuing me from the lion." "St. George!" he echoed, a ringing of bitterness under his lip. "That's the first time I've ever called a saint, and, I'm afraid, will be the last. I could live up to that height, but—if I can give you happy life, and a few of the beautiful things you deserve, why, something! And even I am better than the dragon. I don't believe that of myself. Besides, I'm glad to worship my princess. I feel

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coming on. I'd give anything to show you how I—but no. I was good before, when I was tempted to kiss you. You're at my mercy now, in a way, just as you were then, or all the more, because I'm taking you from your old existence to one you don't know.

"I shan't ask to kiss you—except maybe your little hand, if you don't mind—until the moment you're my wife. Meanwhile, I'll try to grow a bit more like what your lover ought to be, and later I shall kiss you enough to make up for lost time."

If, five hours ago, any one had told Annesley Grayle that she would wish, actually wish to have a strange man take her in his arms and kiss her—a man she had never seen or heard of until that night—she would have felt insulted. Yet so it was with her. She was sorry that he was so scrupulous. She longed to have him snatch her close against his heart, and press his lips on hers.

The very thought thrilled her, like an electric shock a thousand times more powerful than the delicate tingling which had flashed up her arm at the first touch of his hand, though even that had seemed wonderful and terrifying. But she sat quite still in the corner of the taxi and gave him no answer. Let she should betray herself.

Her silence, after the warmth of his low-spoken words, seemed cold. Perhaps he felt it so, he went on after a moment's pause, as if he had waited for something in vain. Annesley thought it, by contrast, almost businesslike.

"You mustn't be afraid," he said, "that I mean to stay at the Savoy myself. I don't, of course. Even if I'd been stopping there I should move away if I were to put you in the hotel. But I have my own fair place I always come to. I've been over a number of times. Indeed, I'm partly English, and a British subject, I suppose, for I was born in Canada, though I've spent most of my life in the United States. Nobody at the Savoy but the Countess de Santiago knows what I am, and she'll easily understand that it may be convenient for me to change my name. Nelson Smith is a most respectable one, and she'll respect it."

"Now, my plan is to ask for her when she's in (she'll be in by this time for certain), have a few words of explanation on the quiet, not to embarrass you; and the countess will do the rest. She'll engage a room for you next to her own suite, or as near as possible and then you'll be provided with a chaperon, so you'll be all right."

I'm not anxious about myself, but about you," Annesley said. "You haven't told me yet what happened after you went upstairs at Mrs. Ellsworth's, and how you knew for certain those men were gone. I suppose you did know, or did you just chance it?"

"I was as sure as I needed to be," Nelson Smith answered. "A moment after I switched on the electricity in the room up there—my namesake's room—I heard the taxi drive away. Then I turned off the light, so I could look out. By flattening my nose against the glass I could see that the place where those chaps had waited was empty; but just in case the taxi was only turning in, I lit up the room once more, for realism."

That's what kept me rather long—that and waiting for the dragon to go to her lair. Otherwise I should have been down before Ruthven Smith came back and trapped me."

"For a second or two it looked as if the game of life was up. And just then I found out just how much you meant to me already. It was you I thought of. It seemed such beastly hard luck to leave you as fast as ever—in that old woman's clutches!"

Annesley put out her hand to him in a warm impulse of gratitude, and in a moment more he was kissing it to his lips; and both were startled when the taxi stopped. They had arrived at the Savoy; and though Annesley seemed to have lived through half a lifetime of emotion, just one hour and thirty minutes had passed since she and her companion drove away from these bright-revolving doofs.

The foyer was as brilliant and as

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crowded as it had been when they left, at half-past ten. People were saying good-bye to each other after supper; or they were lingering in the restaurant beyond. Nobody paid the slightest attention to the newcomers, and Annesley settled down unobtrusively in a retired corner, while her companion went away to scribble a line to the Countess de Santiago.

When he had finished and sent up the letter he did not return, and again the girl had a few moments of suspense, thinking of the danger which, despite his protests, might not after all be over. Just as she had begun to be anxious, however, she saw him coming towards her with a wonderful looking woman.

Annesley could have laughed, remembering how he had said the Countess de Santiago would "mother" her. Another, however, than this Juno-like beauty in flame-colored chiffon over clinging gold tissue it would be hard to imagine.

The Spanish South American countess was of a camelia paleness, and had, innumerable, almond-shaped dark eyes with brooding lashes and slender black brows that met. In contrast her hair was of a flame color or almost as vivid as her draperies; and her lips were red as poppies.

At first glance Annesley thought that the dazzling creature could not be over thirty; but when she had come near enough to hold out her hand to the girl, without waiting for an introduction, a certain hardness about the handsome face, a few faint lines about the eyes and mouth, and a fullness of the chin showed that she was older—forty, perhaps.

Still Annesley hoped that her lover had not asked the Countess to "mother" his fiancée. She had not at all the air of one who would be complimented by such a request.

As Annesley put her hand into that of the Countess, she noticed that the latter was as wonderful as the rest of the woman's personality. It was a very long, very narrow hand, with curiously supple-looking fingers, exquisitely manicured and wearing many rings. Even the thumb was long, abnormally long, it seemed, and prevented the hand from being as beautiful as it was characteristic and—somehow unforgettable.

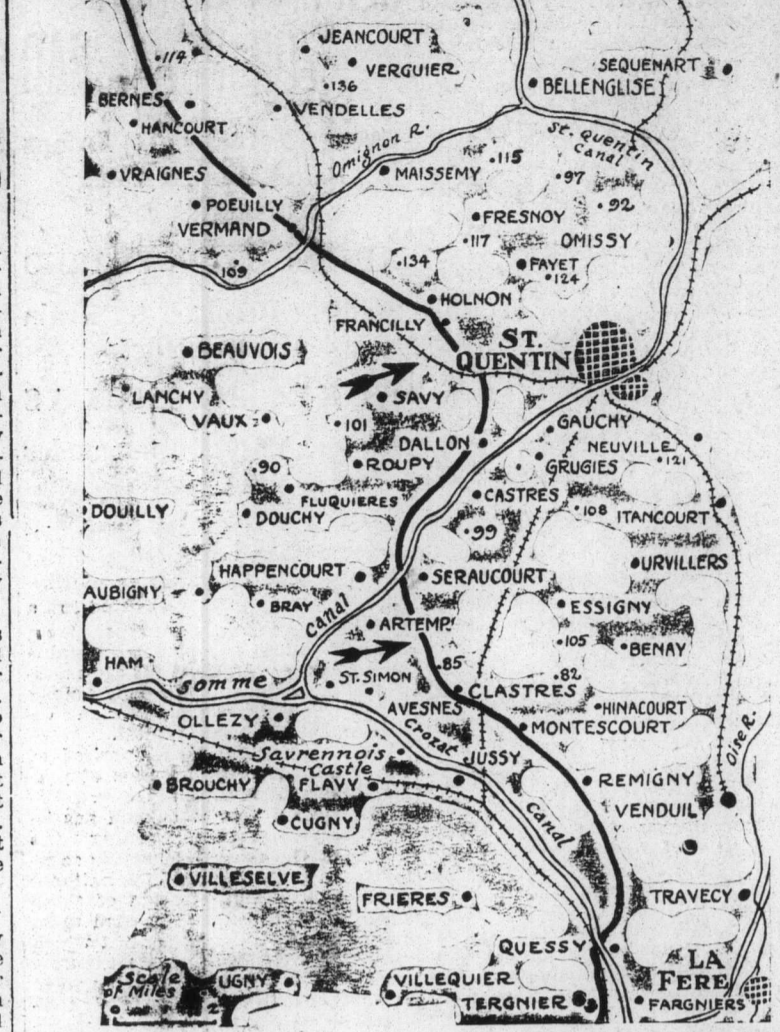
Continued in Tuesday's Daily.

The Emerald Isle has sent many beautiful things to us, but not the least beautiful is the Lemerick Tree on view at the Art Loan next week. Rumor has it that a rare and costly Indian shawl will be on exhibition at "Ye Old Curiosity Shop" on Tuesday, March 27 until Friday, March 30th. This one exhibit alone is worth the price of admission, which is 25 cents.

Come! Mr. Man, to the War Relic Exhibition and bring your family. This is an education in itself and the children should see it. It's up to you!

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WHERE THE WORLD'S GREATEST BATTLE WILL BE FOUGHT



This new map indicates the district where, according to the military experts, the world's greatest battle for the supremacy of the Western Front will be fought. The so-called "Hindenburg Line" stretches from La Fere to St. Quentin and north from there to Cambrai. The British and French lines join at St. Quentin, indicated by the arrow on the map. The biggest advances this week have been in the direction of the arrows. There is a good probability of the allies breaking through between La Fere and St. Quentin where the arrow is shown.

SIDELIGHTS ON THE STAGE AND SCREEN

IN WALKED JIMMY Founded on the old but healthy idea that "nothing succeeds like success," "In Walked Jimmy," which is described as "a comedy with a serious purpose," comes to the Grand Opera House Tuesday, March 27th with George Summers, a comedian of distinction in the principal role. The play reflects the efficiency of optimism and the utter futility of abandoning the ship when it's sinking simply because the rats are inclined that way. The author is obviously an exponent of that common sense cult known in psychic and philosophic circles as "New Thought," and to this fact most audiences attribute their two hours of wholesome and unalloyed delight while making the acquaintance of Jimmy. The thing into which Jimmy walked was a broken down shoe factory, when the clerks had all just been fired, when ejection was imminent, and when the proprietor had a pistol at his head in serious contemplation of suicide.

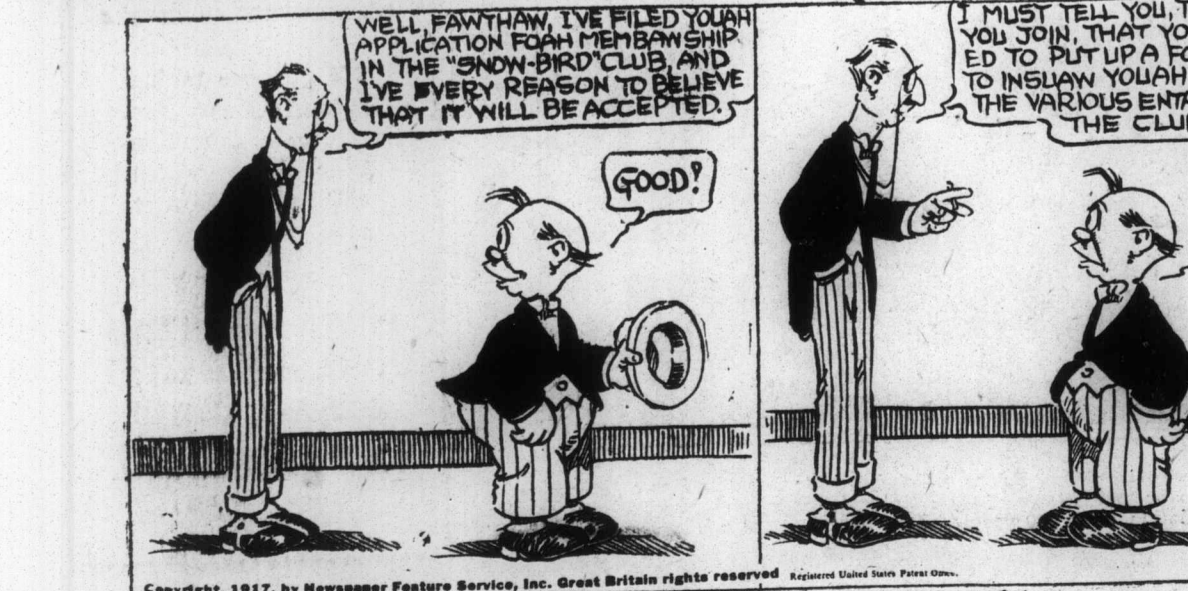
PEG O' MY HEART. When a real human interest, a play that appeals to the masses as well as the classes, is scheduled for presentation in this city, it is a pleasure to announce its coming and encourage our theatregoers to patronize it. In this instance the commendation goes for the engagement of Oliver Morosco's play of charm, "Peg O' My Heart," which comes to the Grand Opera House on Thursday March 29th, with Marion Dentler in her original role of Peg. Probably no play produced on the American stage in the past decade has created so much favorable discussion from people in all walks of life as J. Hartley Manners interesting comedy. This has been emphasized most conclusively by the large attendance accorded this attraction, when last presented, and by the flowing tributes in the press reviews. The action of the play, which takes place in England, tells of a little carelessly raised Irish girl, who, when she is transplanted into an aristocratic home of unknown relatives, meets with a chilly reception. She is unwelcome and tolerated simply for the income they derive through her, a legacy left her by the will of a wealthy uncle, she finally overcomes their dislike and wins for herself a titled husband.

RACETRACK GAMBLING At yesterday morning's meeting of the Brotherhood of Alexandra church, a discourse on "Racetrack Gambling," was given by Mr. E. Cooper, in which he pointed out the evils of this system, and the many ill-effects it exerted.

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FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, until Thursday noon, at the hour of 2 o'clock, March 29th, for the rough cast cottage, No. 130 St. Paul Avenue, same to be torn down within one month and everything removed. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. S. P. Pitcher and Son, 43 Market St.

OAK FURNITURE SALE

W. J. Bragg will sell by Public Auction, Thursday next, March 29, at 21 Edward street, Eagle Place, commencing at 1:00 p.m. sharp, the following: Grand oak straight pine 3-piece mahogany parlor suite, silk covered, parlor table, mahogany oak rocker, Morris chair, leather couch, 6 oak dining chairs, one oak buffet, round oak extension table, pedestal Grand Jewel coal range, Brussels rug, 3 by 4, 2 small rugs, 95 piece dinner and tea set, blue and gold trimmings; silver knives, forks, spoons, glassware, dishes, etc.; three kitchen chairs, table, couch, steel range, coal and gas; cupboard, Singer sewing machine, 19 yards initial linoleum, rocks, pots, pans, and all kitchen utensils, two good barrels, one double barrel shot gun, step ladder, garden tools, carpenter's stool, verandah chair, two oak dressers, iron and brass beds, mattresses, bedding, lace curtains and blinds and many other articles to be found in a choice home. This is a choice home and choice goods at 21 Edward Street, Eagle Place, on Thursday next, March 29, at one o'clock sharp. No reserve. Terms spot cash. Mrs. Benjamin Hopkins, Proprietress W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE

S. P. PITCHER & SON, Auctioneers, have received instructions from Mrs. Costin, to sell by public auction at her residence, 75 Nelson Street, on THURSDAY, MARCH 29th, at 1:30 sharp, the following goods:—One round fall-leaf table; 1 parlor table; 1 velvet couch; 1 lounge; 1 sewing machine; 1 rocker; 3 rockers; 4 walnut parlor chairs; 1 kitchen table; 3 small tables; 1 cupboard; 1 sideboard; quantity of jars; quantity of dishes; books; pictures; curtains and blinds; beds and springs; 2 mattresses; carpet and rugs; washing machine; wash-tub; one bed and spring; 1 feather bed; 1 gas heater and pipe; 1 wheelbarrow; two buggies; 1 buffalo robe; 1 cross-cut saw; 3 large bureaus; wash-stands; toilet set; coal oil lamps; 1 Radiant Home heater with oven; 1 small wood heater; 1 coal-oil stove; quantity of quilts; pillow cases; tea kettle and other articles. Everything will be sold. Terms cash. Mrs. COSTIN, Proprietress.

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Auction Sale

of Durham and Holstein Cattle. W. Almas has received instructions from Clarence McEwan to sell by Public Auction at his farm situated 2 1/2 miles south of the City of Brantford, known as the Tutela Heights Road, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28 at one o'clock sharp. One family driving mare, rising 4 years old, a beautiful bay color; a winner in the show ring and can step some. Double gaited. Come and have a chance to buy a beauty. Cattle—27—1 Holstein cow, due time of sale; 1 Holstein cow, due in July; 6 cows just fresh; 5 cows in just short time giving good flow of milk; 2 Durham heifers, 1 year old; 2 Holstein calves, 6 months old; 2 calves 4 months old, baby beef; 7 veal calves. Hogs—9 Pigs. Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount seven months credit on furnishing approved security, or 6 per cent per annum off for cash on credit amounts. Veal calves and baby beef, cash. Clarence McEwan, W. Almas, Proprietor Auctioneer.

SYNOPISES OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent, also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead tent on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 80 acres and erect a house worth \$300. W. W. COY, Deputy Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

FURNITURE AUCTION SALE

On Wednesday next March 28, at 37 Buffalo Street, opposite the Grand Trunk Station, at 1 p.m. sharp, the following: Organ, parlor table, jardineer stand, carpets, coal heater, extension table, chairs, 2 rockers, Turkish rug, 12 yards rug carpet, Singer sewing machine, Kitchen Witch coal range, green couch, clothes basket, screen doors, copper kettle, boiler, bed, iron, ironing board, linoleum, sealers, arch curtains, lace curtains, blinds chest drawers, dresser and commode rockers, knives, forks, bedding, glassware, dishes, pots, pans and numerous other articles not mentioned. On Wednesday, next March 28, at 37 Buffalo Street, near G. T. R. station at 1:30 sharp. All must be sold. Terms, spot cash. Mr. George Roberts, W. J. Bragg, Proprietor Auctioneer.

Tenders for Repairs to Police Station

Sealed tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, on Friday March 30th, 1917, for repairs to Police Station, viz., new maple floor, 7-8 by 3", in the Chief's office, 4-5 by 7-8 by 3", in the Chief's office, police cells, and 9 inch brick partition wall, and necessary doors, from garage into the cells. Also for papering the Chief's office. All information concerning the work to be obtained from Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee. Tenders to be addressed to Ald. Walter J. Bragg, Chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, in care of the City Clerk. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. F. LEONARD, City Clerk. Brantford, March 27, 1917.

AUCTION SALE

of Farm Stock and Implements. Welby Almas has received instructions from Mr. N. A. Lemon to sell by Public Auction at his farm, situated 1 mile north of the White School House, 1-2 mile east and 1 mile west of Alford Junction on FRIDAY, MARCH 30 Commencing at ten o'clock sharp and a big cut at noon. Horses—4—1 Black Brood Mare, weighing about 1,400 lbs., rising 14 years old, in foal by Percheron sire; 1 Brown Mare, 10 years old, good in all harness. 1 Bay Mare, rising 3 years old, a dandy. 1 Bay colt rising 2 years old. Cattle—24—17 First Class Dairy Cows, dates given time of sale. 7 Calves. Pigs—1 Sow and 11 pigs, 8 weeks old. Poultry—25 Hens. Implements—1 Massey Harris Binder, 6 foot cut; 1 Massey Harris Mower; 1 Deering Roller; 1 Spring Tooth Cultivator; 1 Corn Cultivator; 1 Noxon Drill; No. 14 Disc Harrow; 1 Set Iron Harrows, 3 sections; 1 Verity, 2-furrow plough with riding attachments; 2 Walking Plows; 1 Massey Harris Root Pulper; Grindstone; Panning Mill; Cutting Box; Bag Trucks, Platform Scales, 2,000 lb. capacity; 1 Set Bob Sleighs; 1 Woodstock Wagon; 2 Wagon Boxes; 1 Hay Rack; 1 Hay Rack; 1 Top Buggy; 2 open Buggies; 1 Buggy Pole; 1 Democrat. Harness—2 Sets Double Harness; 1 Half Set Harness; 1 Set Light Double Harness without Brides; 2 Sets Single Harness; number of sets, collars, etc.; 1 Set Wheel Clips. Hay and Grain—About 30 Tons Timothy Hay, a quantity of Oats. One DeLaval Cream Separator, 550 lb. capacity, Alreator and other milk utensils. One set Slings, car and rop. Whiffletrees, Chains, Forks, Shovel and other articles too numerous to mention. Furniture—One Sideboard, three Bedsteads, one wood Cook Stove, one Wood Heater, one White Mountain Ice Cream Freezer. Lunch at Noon. Unreserved. No Underbidding. Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash over that amount 7 months credit will be given, on furnishing approved security, or 5 per cent off for cash on credit amounts. N. A. LEMON, WELBY ALMAS, Proprietor Auctioneer.

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Electrical Contracting and Fixtures. Owing to the difficulty of securing help, and the consequent necessity of neglecting my store to give personal attention to my work, I have decided to close my store on March 31st. I will continue to supply Fixtures and accept contracts as usual, and would ask patrons to phone me when needed. CALL 1740 A. C. McLEAN Electrical Contractor

AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock and Implements. Mr. John Randall has instructed W. Almas to sell by public auction at his farm, situated on the Brantford and Paris Toll Road, 3 miles from Paris, 4 miles from Brantford, at Moyles School, better known as the Thos. Randall farm, on THURSDAY, MARCH 29th, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp. Lunch at noon. Grand Valley cars, fifteen minutes walk from farm. 6 Horses—Percheron gelding, rising 3 years; Percheron filly rising 3 years; Clyde gelding rising 2 years; Percheron gelding rising 2 years; Clyde colt, rising 1 year; 1 horse, chestnut, 11 years. 25 Cattle—4 fat steers; 3 fat heifers; 1 fat cow; 1 registered Durham bull, fat, 3 years old; 5 heifers, 1 year old; 4 steers, 1 year old; good calves; 1 milch cow. All are well bred DURLANDS. Pigs—1 sow with 7 pigs; 1 sow with 13 pigs; 13 sheep; 7 Shropshire ewes, supposed to be in lamb. Poultry—22 hens. Harness—Set carriage harness, set bridle harness, set odd harness, set heavy single harness, set harness and traces, 3 Scotch collies; 3 open collars. Implements—No. 5 Massey-Harris binder, 7 ft. cut; Massey-Harris harrow; Wisner drill, 10 spout; Wisner drill, 12 spout; Kemp manure spreader; Massey-Harris 4-horse cultivator; pair bobbsleighs; set 3-section iron harrows; gravel box; feed truck; platform wagon, 1 ton capacity, with top; Adams rack; Bain rack; 3 Bell plows; Cockshutt 2-furrow plow; Cockshutt junior plow, 1 under; I.H.C. gasoline engine, 1 H.P.; potato digger; surrey, good as new, pole and shafts; McLaughlin buggy, good as new; wagon; two buggies; 1 cutter; pump; jack; I.H.C. force pump, G.S.M.; springs for wagon; wheelbarrow; turnip pulper; ropes; chains; forks and other articles. One complete threshing outfit to be offered for sale subject to reserve bid. Terms to be made known at time of sale. Waterloo engine, 18 H.P., 20 boiler; John Goodison separator, 7 ft. cut; Massey-Harris blower and chaff blower; 1 Peoria grain elevator and weigher; Climax cutting box, complete; water tank; wagon pump and hose; portable saw engine, about 14 H.P.; about 40 tons mixed hay, baled, if not sold. Terms—Hay, fat cattle and all sums under \$10, cash; over that amount 6 months credit to be given on furnishing approved security, or six per cent off for cash on credit amounts. W. ALMAS, JOHN RANDALL, Auctioneers. MR. PERLEY, Clerk.

EXECUTORS AUCTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

S. G. Read, Auctioneer, has received instructions from the Executors to the will of Rebecca Stewart, to sell by public auction, at the Exchange of S. G. Read and Son, Limited, 129 Colborne St., on Thursday, the 5th of April at 3 o'clock in the evening, the following lands and premises belonging to the Estate, namely:—All and singular that certain parcel and tract of land and premises being composed of Part lot Letter "C" east of Wilkes Tract, City of Brantford, except therefrom the portion thereof heretofore sold by Rebecca Stewart to one Mollan. Upon said premises is erected house 328 Grey St. with 57 ft. of ground fronting on Grey St. and a depth of 212 ft. on Stanley St. House is frame, 1-2 stories, containing 7 or 8 rooms; small barn on premises. Property will be offered for sale, subject to reserve bid, in one block, and if a sufficient price is not obtained it will be offered in two parcels as follows:—Firstly—house and 107 ft. frontage on Grey St. Secondly—450 ft. of land fronting on Grey St. Terms—10 per cent down at time of sale and sufficient to make up one-third of purchase price within thirty days; remainder to be secured by mortgage for five years, bearing interest at 6 per cent, payable half yearly. For further particulars apply to the undersigned auctioneers. Remember the date of sale, Thursday, April 5th, at 3 o'clock in the evening. S. G. READ, Auctioneer

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Brantford & Tillsonburg Line. Leave Brantford 10:15 a.m.—For Tillsonburg and St. Thomas. Leave Brantford 5:15 p.m.—For Tillsonburg, Port Dover and St. Thomas. From South—Arrive Brantford, 8:45 a.m., 5:10 p.m. Buffalo & Goderich. From East—Arrive Brantford, 9:53 a.m., 8:05 p.m. From West—Arrive Brantford, 10:00 a.m., 5:43 p.m. G. T. R. Arrivals. From West—Arrive Brantford, 1:56 a.m., 6:47 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 1:57 p.m., 3:50 p.m., 6:00 p.m., 8:37 p.m. From East—Arrive Brantford, 3:21 a.m., 9:05 a.m., 10:02 a.m., 3:52 p.m., 6:32 p.m., 7:32 p.m., 3:10 p.m.

GERMAN SMASH FOR PETROGRAD

Great Forces of Troops Being Massed Along Northern Front RUSSIA IS PREPARED Soldiers Resolved to Strain Every Effort DUKE NICHOLAS Resigns Post of Commander in Chief

Petrograd, March 26.—From internal troubles and the problems of reconstruction the attention of Russia has suddenly been diverted to a new danger which threatens from without. There is now indisputable evidence that the Germans are massing great numbers of troops along the northern front ready for an effort against Russia's capital. The country has been apprised of the new menace by a series of proclamations from its ministers. Minister of War Guchkoff has issued a proclamation warning the people of the menace of spies seeking to uncover secrets of the national defence. The concentration of these spies in Petrograd was pointed to as one element of danger against which steps were immediately necessary, while the other menace was named as the concentration by the Germans of "great quantities of munitions, supplies and men," on the Russian northern front. A conference has been held between General Korniloff, the new commander of the troops in the Petrograd district, with the council of workmen's and soldier's delegates, concerning the German concentration along this front, and a great meeting of soldiers was held on the Riga front, attended by General Dimitrieff and delegates of the Duma, at which it was resolved unanimously to strain every effort for the defence of Russia. War Minister Guchkoff's statement that the foe is at the gate is no mere figure of speech. The slightest relaxation of vigilance and the enemy would be at Petrograd. The repercussive action on the troops of the consciousness that the army has been the arbiter of Russia's destiny has manifested itself in demands incompatible with military discipline, and already there is news from various fronts of the prevalence of "second thoughts." But where the men respect their chiefs and the army is fortunate in its commanders it is unlikely that persistence in untoward claims will be allowed to prejudice the Spring and Summer campaigns. Moreover, reassuring reports have been received from General Ruskay and General Judenich, who commands the Caucasian army. Grand Duke Nicholas Steps Down. The retirement of Grand Duke Nicholas as commander-in-chief was considered undesirable by the Russian minister of war because of the grand duke's connection with the Romanoff dynasty. General Leitchitsky, who had command of the southern wing of the Russian armies in General Brusiloff's offensive last summer, has been placed in command of the Russian armies on the central-front succeeding General Evert. Reason for Retreat? New York, March 25.—The Times military expert writes: Because of the fact that in the early days of the war von Hindenburg inflicted a severe defeat on the Russians as a result of a retrograde operation, the great German retreat in France is in some quarters confidently expected to be another strategic operation which is to have the same result in its climax on the armies of the western allies. This is an excellent argument with which to soothe the misgivings of the Germans at home, who must regard with amazement the retirement over a front of eighty miles and extending to a depth of many miles. But to assume that merely because such a movement produced truly great results on Russians under certain conditions by no means signifies that pro-German element in Russia, know the result produced on the French and British under entirely different conditions will be the same. The Germans, through the strong revolution was coming. They were able to foresee it many days.

Financial and Commercial

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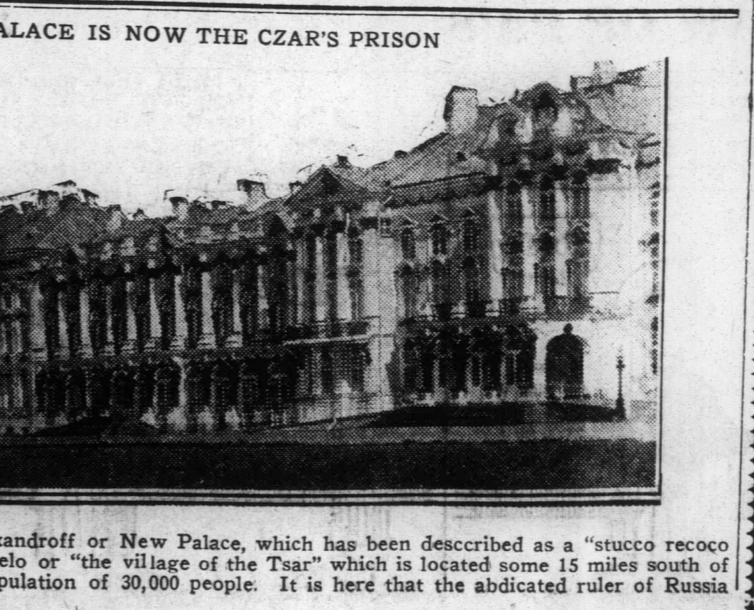
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FOR SALE

No. 15 Chatham street for sale at a bargain. Large lot. Two cottages on Clarence St.—\$1,250 and \$1,450. Would like an immediate sale. Two storey red brick house on the corner of Grey and Clarence Streets. All conveniences, for terms and particulars apply S. P. PITCHER & SON Auctioneer and Real Estate Broker—Issuer of Mortgage Licenses. 42 MARKET ST.

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DAYLIGHT SAVING IN GREAT BRITAIN Italy and France Advance Their Clocks London, March 25.—All clock in the United Kingdom, it is an ed officially will be moved forward one hour at 2 o'clock in the evening of April 8. The clocks moved back again on September 24.

LOSS OF APPETIT Most Successfully Treated by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Loss of appetite is accompanied by loss of vitality, which is especially common in the spring. It is common in the spring because at this time the blood purifies and impoverished and give the digestive organs absolutely necessary for the performance of their function. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most valuable all-the-year-round medicine from your druggist. By bringing and enriching the blood, vitality, vigor and tone wonderfully successful in the treatment of loss of appetite, other ailments that are so prevalent at this time. It is not a spring medicine—it is medicine that—but it is the best medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes rich red blood that the stomach other digestive organs need it today.



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Italy and France Also to Advance Their Clocks

London, March 25.—All clocks in the United Kingdom, it is announced officially will be moved forward one hour at 2 o'clock in the morning of April 8.

The Italian government has issued a decree that all clocks shall be moved forward one hour for the period between April 1 and September 30.

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MILITIA MEN TO BE CALLED FOR SOON

Four Brigadiers Appointed at Conference With Gen. Newburn

Toronto, March 26.—The attempt to mobilize 50,000 men in Canada under the scheme of the Canadian defence force, as outlined by the minister of militia nearly two weeks ago, is to commence within a few days. This is the outcome of the conference held at Exhibition camp on Saturday, when Major-General S. C. Newburn, who went to Ottawa some time ago to take charge of the militia organization, met the brigadiers and commanding officers of all the militia infantry units in this district, and went into the matter in detail, explaining what would be required of each regiment and outlining the general organization. The plan of enlistment is to be purely on the volunteer basis, and this system will have a fair tryout, to see just what the district can do in the way of furnishing its quotas of men to the infantry regiments in the cities in the district are to have the first trial before any of the rural regiments are called upon, and as there are eight such units, this means that approximately 8,000 city men are wanted to join the militia at once for the defence of Canada.

The broad scheme provides for subdividing the district into four sections, with a brigadier at the head of each, and while the units are not yet detailed to the various brigades, the brigadiers have already been appointed: They are: Lieut.-Col. P. L. Mason, Lieut.-Col. B. H. Belson, Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hendrie and Lieut.-Col. J. MacLaren, and it is significant that these officers are already the commanders of the brigades in the overseas forces, but who, owing to the general clearing out of the overseas forces, will be left free to devote their attention to the militia.

To Absorb Surplus Officers. Following the appointment of the brigadiers, instructions have been issued for each of the militia regiments to submit to headquarters by Tuesday the name of the commanding officer, as well as a list of their headquarters staff, which is to consist of a major, a captain, and two lieutenants, after which there will be another conference. An attempt is to be made to absorb the officers who will of necessity be cut off the strength of several battalions warned for overseas, and to use them for instructional purposes. Since many of the battalions warned have a strength of only a few hundred men, with the few establishments of officers, there will be a considerable surplus of trained infantry officers who will of necessity be left behind.

Toronto, March 26.—In language and in actions the meanings of which could not be misconstrued, over 200 South York conservatives on Saturday not only disassociated themselves from the views held by W. F. Maclean, the representative of the riding in the Dominion government, on the nickel question and his advocacy of the policy of a national government, but by a unanimous standing vote they strengthened their allegiance to the Borden government. Moreover the South York conservatives assembled in the County Orange hall joined as one man in severely criticizing the actions of the representative of the riding, J. H. MacNicol, the president, who vigorously led the denunciation of the political conduct of Mr. Maclean, announced that the most important step in the organization of the riding is the nickel question.

"We want a good organization, so that whosoever will have the honor of being the candidate for South York will be certain of his election, so that it will not be necessary for him to spend his time in the riding, but in those ridings close to, and help in maintaining the majority which the Right Hon. Sir Robert Borden now has in the Province of Ontario." With President MacNicol on the platform were Captain T. G. Waldor, M. P., Col. John Currie, M. P., Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M. P., P. S. Henry, M. P., J. L. Baker, viceregent; Ald. H. H. Ball, secretary; Controller Foster, Reeve; Pugsley, of Richmond; Dr. R. R. Hopkins, Messrs. William Robertson, Markham; Dinnett, Norway; J. Galbraith, Tomrorden; Dunlop, Clark, Sweeney; Garnet Duncan, John Duncan, Stewart Wilcox and Capt. Resoor, of Richmond Hill; J. E. Francis, Thornhill; Frank Horne, North Toronto; and John Harris, all presidents or representatives of their respective associations, and William Milliken, Markham, William Robertson, William Irvine and others.

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LADY'S FIVE GORED SKIRT.

By Anabel Worthington.

Many smart models in separate skirts for street wear have been brought out for spring, and because of the novel features embodied in those bearing the labels of some of the famous houses abroad the indications are that the separate skirt will be very successful. Yokes are cleverly introduced in some and the pleated effects in a skirt just out. The illustration shows a skirt just out, copied from an imported model with yoke and pleated effects combined. The woman who aims to appear well dressed in a skirt and blouse will do well to choose this design. From a raised waistline the back is laid in pleats in such way as to feature the panel in pleated effect. The front is plain, with a taitor stitched seam down the centre and with button decoration at top and bottom to emphasize the straightness of line. The separate front belt with yoke influence is the novel feature. At lower edge in belt size 24 the skirt measures exactly three yards.

Silk, satin, serge and pique, cordeligo, cotton gabardine, linen and novelty cotton weaves are included in the showings of spring and summer models. Keeping step with fashion is easy enough when the pattern of such garment is laid in pictures for your convenience in copying, the office of this publication.



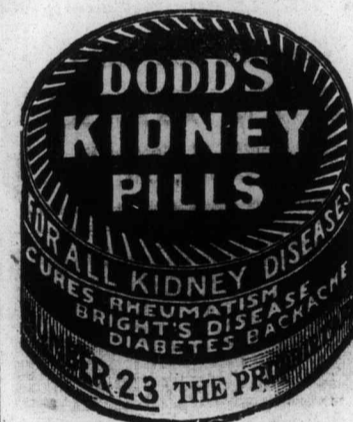
SIGNS OF SPRING. I saw a robin on the lawn, before the second month was gone, I said to Sarah Jane, my frau, "The winter's on its last legs now! Well may we chortle, Sarah Jane! The winter brought us dearth and pain; it taught you what privation is, and filled my bones with rheumatiz. But spring, dear wife, will shortly dawn—I saw a robin on the lawn. The birds are wise; the robins know just when the wintering will go. One robin knows more weather lore than human prophets five or four, so when such birds bid farewell, I know we'll bid farewell to cold, that winter is an also ran—and I secure a palm-leaf fan. Cheer up, cheer up! So help me John, I saw a robin on the lawn." But Sarah Jane, she said, said she, "This is the thing that puzzles me; You've seen, with tears and spirit aches, a thousand times, that signs are false. You've never seen a sign come true—that is, if you desire it; and yet one robin on the lawn convinces you that winter's gone! I won't believe that spring has come until the bees begin to hum, and the robin's no robin caged or free, can work that sort of bluff on me."

SIDE TALKS

BLANK WALL PEOPLE A Great Many of us are Foolish That Way. Perhaps she is foolish to mind, but I'm afraid a great many of us are foolish too. In a country town where I used to visit there was a woman whose sitting room window commanded a view of the main street. Everything that went on she saw. If you were talking with her when anyone passed down that street a blank look would come over her face and conversation would be suspended until she had mentally placed the passerby and decided what his or her errand was. Naturally people did not greatly enjoy these conversations. It Doesn't Seem Possible And Yet The "Goldfish" has also met this type of person. He concludes a protest against them with the following incident which seems a trifle exaggerated—but you never can tell. "I know a woman," he writes, "who never pays the slightest attention to anything that is being said to her, being engrossed in a torrent of explanations regarding her children's education and various diseases. Once a bored companion in a momentary pause fixed her stony eyes on the speaker and said distinctly, 'But I don't give a d— about your children.'" "At which the lady smiled brightly and replied, 'Yes, quite so. Exactly. As I was saying Johnny got some five weeks ago, fell and sprained her ankle, is still confined to the house with very little improvement."

News From Terrace Hill.

(From our own correspondent.) Mr. W. Alderson of Toronto, for many years car inspector on the Grand Trunk System, has returned home again after spending this week at the home of Mrs. and Miss Alderson, 28 St. George St. Mr. Friesse paid a brief visit to his Uncle, Mr. Kimble, 193 Terrace Hill St. Mr. Friesse has been for a number of years teaching in the West. Mrs. Jas. Braby, Grand St., is visiting friends in Hamilton. Mrs. Cooper and little daughter, of Hamilton, were the guests of Mrs. Ashton, Dublin St., for a few days. Mrs. Morrison spent the week-end with her sister in Caledonia. A meeting of the Kith and Kin was held in the Sydenham St. Methodist Church on Thursday evening for the purpose of organization for the Terrace district. Mrs. I. Hewitson was elected president, with Mrs. Withers as Secretary. The meetings will be held in the afternoon of every alternate Thursday. The 215th Bn. attended Divine service in St. James' Church yesterday at 11 a.m. Mrs. Gowman, Sydenham St., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Markie of Port Robinson, returning by way of the Falls, to visit her son, Harry. The Epworth League of Sydenham St. on the occasion of their old rubber night, had a very successful evening. A very interesting lecture on Pilgrims Progress was given by Mr. John Laing, illustrated by lantern slides. Mrs. Ernest Alderson is expected home this evening. Miss Turner of Dublin St., who



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LOST—Saturday, small satchel containing money between Market and 133 Darling. Return 133 Darling.

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## COSMOPOLITANS WERE METROPOLED

Hamilton Bowlers Went Down to Defeat at Local Hands

In a ten pin bowling match on Saturday night between the Cosmopolitans of Hamilton and the Metropoles of Brantford, the latter succeeded in winning two games. The former team's name is merely indicative of the players' clillings, shooting about as wide of the mark in regard to their good sportmanship as Frank Horns' efforts to hit the head pin the first game—as good sports they are as much alike as the proverbial Siamese twins. Murray McGraw was pin king of the night with 596, while Eddie Schatz performed best for the Hamiltonians. The scores:

Hamilton:					
Jamieson	135	157	132	404	
James	156	155	115	426	
Davis	161	129	142	432	
Jones	183	176	127	486	
Schatz	173	169	166	508	
	808	766	682	2259	
Brantford:					
Douglas	143	160	134	437	
Pittman	128	143	165	436	
McGraw	921	219	220	556	
Hearns	109	185	167	461	
Hope	179	199	177	555	
	680	902	863	2445	

**Splits and Strikes.**  
"Bill" Jamieson blames the start for his low score. "Bill" has consistency hallucinations. We might mention he carried off the honors in all athletic events after the game. It looked as if Hamilton was going to have a walkover. Dame Fortune, after smiling at them in the first game turned right around and grinned at the Metros. "Jonesy" started off with a perfect game, but "busted" in the last one. Jim Douglas: "Better late than never"

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1:56 a.m.—For Hamilton, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.  
4:05 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, and intermediate points.  
6:00 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.  
6:37 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and east.  
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3:21 a.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.  
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9:20 a.m.—For London and intermediate points.  
3:52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and intermediate stations.  
6:32 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.  
7:52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.  
8:25 p.m.—For London and intermediate points.  
Buffalo & Goderich Line.  
Leave Brantford 10:05 a.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.  
Leave Brantford 6:00 p.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.  
West  
Leave Brantford 10:10 a.m.—For Goderich and intermediate points.  
Leave Brantford 8:15 p.m.—For Goderich and intermediate stations.  
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# BRITISH

## Army

Heavy Fighting Expected by the Allied Leaders on the Italian Front

London, March 25.—(New York cable.)—The most interesting piece of news from the war theater is the announcement of the visit of the Italian front of Sir William Robertson and General Weygand, representing General Nivelle.

It can be assumed that the presence of the British chief of staff and the representative of the French headquarters staff at the post of the Italian supreme command that heavy fighting is expected that war zone. Whether or not allied chiefs expect Hindenburg launch an offensive against the guarded southeastern French border (Savoie) through Italy, with hope at the same time of eliminating a military factor, is a matter of great speculation here. This connection is interesting in that the German submarine force has been concentrating their efforts against shipping bound for Italian ports, with the possible hope of a German submarine force against shipping necessary and food supplies.

The Italian front has been mentioned in the news columns since the beginning of the war.

### ANOTHER RAIDER?

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Vancouver, B. C., March 25.—A despatch to the Canadian News from Tokio says that German raiding parties in the southern Pacific, the names of the vessels were not disclosed. The presence of a German raider in the southern sea and in the Indian Ocean has been reported several times lately, officers reports having been given on the effect that two British merchant ships had been sunk in that vicinity.

## RETURN OF ALL SPANISH VESSELS

From Allied Ports to Harbors Demanded by Government

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Madrid, March 25, via Paris.—official note made public to-day Premier Count De Romanones stated that the Spanish government entered into negotiations with German government to obtain return to Spanish ports of a risk Spanish vessels now in a position in a German bank of five dred marks per ton burden. It would not be used for traffic with Spain, according to the note. It gave a promise not to insure a government guarantee. The merchant ships voyaging in the zone. The Spanish government refused to accede to these conditions. Negotiations are continuing.

### Weather Bulletin

Toronto 29.—The direction which the weather took since morning and covers the valley. Light rain snow over night during night and giving snow. Quebec. Forecast: Strong wind from northwest a few local showers but generally fair and cool today and Friday.

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