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## BRITISH TIGRIS FORCE ADVANCES TO KUT-EL-AMARA

### FRENCH RECAPTURE PART OF FORT DOUAUMONT—ITALIAN FRONT UNBROKEN BY AUSTRIANS

#### Favorable Ross Rifle Reports Suppressed, Hughes Charges

### FOOD SUPPLIES IN BRITAIN ARE RUNNING LOW

#### Recruiting Has Resulted in Serious Lack of Farm Laborers.

### VESSELS HARD TO GET

#### Island Makes Disturbing Statement in House of Commons.

LONDON, May 22.—Francis Dyke, financial secretary of the treasury, speaking in the house of commons on the agricultural situation today, made a somewhat disturbing statement. It was imperative, Mr. Dyke said, that farmers should drop their prejudice against the employment of female labor. A breakdown in home supplies was only avoidable if the labor situation did not grow worse. The danger point of greatly decreased production already had been reached, and even as things were going, it was now feared that England could not hope to maintain her production on last year's level. If more men were swept into the army from the farms, she could not escape famine by diverting to importation of foodstuffs ships, which are so urgently needed for the transport of munitions. "And," Mr. Dyke continued, "we are unable to say whether there will be ships to divert that way."

During the course of the debate following Mr. Dyke's speech, Rowland Edmund Prothero, Oxford University, expressed the opinion that sooner or later the government will be compelled to put the country rations in order to economize the food supplies. He urged the government to grasp the serious situation forthwith.

### PAT O'KEEFE DEFEATED.

LONDON, May 22.—1.28 a.m.—The British middleweight champion pugilist, Pat O'Keefe, lost his match with Bandaman Blake at the National Sporting Club last night. Had O'Keefe won he would have gained thereby a pension of £1 a week for life.

## WAR SUMMARY

### THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

TURNING the current of the offensive against the crown prince, who has been hammering away at the French defensive positions before Verdun with true Hohenzollern denseness after all hope of success has been destroyed, the French made several successful attacks yesterday, and gained ground near Hill 287, west of Le Mort Homme on the western bank of the Meuse, and on a mile and a quarter front, extending from the Thiaumont farm to east of Fort Douaumont. In this offensive they took German trenches at every part of the line of advance, and they regained the most of Fort Douaumont. Numerous prisoners, the official statement asserts, were taken in this brilliant stroke. They also surprised and captured 300 yards of German trenches in the Bouchet Wood on the heights of the Meuse.

Altho the French offensive of yesterday does not necessarily imply that the big offensive of the allies will be launched from this Verdun vantage point, it proves pretty clearly the weakness of the Germans. Unless they keep constantly on the offensive they lose ground to attacks, and thus display a marked deterioration from their striking powers of a year ago. That is the underlying notion that has governed the allied tactical policy for some considerable time past, and in reality, except where they are on the offensive, the Germans are steadily, tho slowly, retreating.

In connection with the great Austrian offensive against Italy, Rome asserts that despite terrific onslaughts of the enemy, the Italian front remains unbroken. As this movement has been under way for about a week, and enough time has elapsed to show the Italian high command its serious import, doubtless sufficient troops are on the way, and enough guns have been forwarded to handle the situation. The Austrians have amassed a great number of their 12-inch guns for their attempt to burst thru the fortified barriers of Italy.

The official communique issued at Rome yesterday reports only one violent infantry action, all the rest being minor. This heavy fighting took the form of a heavy attack on the Italian positions on the left bank of the Adige and its repulse with enormous losses to the enemy. The hostile Adige, artillery actions were fought, and skirmishes with Austrian detachments ended in their being driven back.

If the Italians, anyhow, should get into difficulty, the allies could assist them by launching a big offensive somewhere else. As the armies

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### CYMRIC'S LOSS NOT DUE TO BOILER'S EXPLOSION

#### British Admiralty Replies to Story That Came From Berlin.

LONDON, May 22.—The British admiralty, referring to a report sent out from Berlin to the effect that survivors of the British steamship Cymric, which sank May 9, had asserted the sinking of the vessel was due to the explosion of her boiler, declares the statement to be entirely unfounded. On the contrary, says the admiralty, the Cymric was torpedoed without warning.

### SIX MORE SHIPS HAVE BEEN SUNK

#### Italian, French, Greek, Swedish and Danish Craft Fall Victims.

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### FEW DETAILS GIVEN

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Copenhagen reports that the Danish steamer Carla, 316 tons, has been sunk by a mine outside of Sandhammar Point, on the southern coast of Sweden, according to a Stockholm despatch. The crew was saved.

SIR WILFRID IN TORONTO.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived in Toronto from Ottawa last night, 877 tons, and was met by the Ontario Liberal, Fred Pardee, M.P., and other Liberals. He was taken to the Ontario Club. He is arranging to hold a meeting at Mary Hall, where he will speak on bilingualism.

### ALDERSON GAVE UNFAIR REPORT ON ROSS RIFLE

#### Real Test Ignored and Misleading One Basis of Charges.

### HUGHES MAKES REPLY

#### Col. Gwatkin Overlooked Statements of Gen. Carson and Col. Aitken.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, May 22.—The militia department hands out the following memorandum on the Ross rifle to the press: Major-Gen. Carson, on May 19, 1916, cabled the minister of militia and defence, submitting the following rather startling facts in relation to Gen. Alderson and the Ross rifle: "It appears that the so-called test referred to by Gen. Alderson was no test of the rifles whatever, but was merely designed to try out bad ammunition. From other reliable sources it also appears that the soldier handling the Ross rifle was a mere novice while the one with the Lee-Enfield was an expert. Later an officer who understood the Ross, clearly proved its superiority. A startling feature of the case is that each Gen. Carson and Col. Sir Max Aitken received Gen. Alderson's letter of Feb. 7, on Feb. 11. Each immediately notified Gen. Alderson in the following letters, and Sir Max Aitken, in the very same day, observing that Gen. Alderson's letter was addressed to Gen. Gwatkin; also notified Gen. Gwatkin in the letter which follows that Gen. Alderson's statements and inferences were incorrect. Both letters to Gen. Gwatkin must have reached Canada at the same time. Letter to Alderson. The following letter to Gen. Alderson, signed by Gen. Carson and endorsed by Col. Sir Max Aitken, is dated London, Feb. 11, 1916. "I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 6th instant with enclosure of copy of letter dated 6th inst. on the subject of the Ross rifle, and which I have noted with a great deal of interest. I have no comments to make on this beyond the statement that the test which Sir Max Aitken prepared for the counter-attack which France, some months ago, was, we thoroughly understood, a test of the effect bad ammunition, which had been withdrawn from service, would have on the firing from the Lee-Enfield and Ross rifles. I understood that "All the reports coming from the fighting zone agree that the number of Austrian troops now in action has been more than doubled, and that the Austrians are especially heavy; long-range guns, is daily increasing and unmasking the imposing offensive prepared for the rest of the front as far as reaching the Alps before Vienna, from which the Austrians would be able to dominate the entire Venetian region in the mountain passes and rear of the main Italian army occupying the provinces of Udine and Belluno. "The Austrian official report claims that 23,888 prisoners have been taken in the offensive against Italy. It says that the Italian defeat on the southern Tyrol front is certainly becoming more serious. Austrians have taken the Lavarone plateau, Pima, Madriolo, and the height immediately west of the frontier from the summit as far as the Asteach valley. The troops of the Crown Prince Charles Francis Joseph have reached the Monte Tormino-Majo line. "The Italian official report of today says that a violent attack of the Austrians against the Italian positions on the left bank of the Adige was repulsed with serious losses to the enemy, and that the Austrians are now preparing to reach the Adige Valley no events of importance have occurred. The Austrians have continued to attack at intervals the Italian line between the Asiago and the Sugana Valley. Skirmishes with Austrian detachments between Adige and Trento led to the driving back of the enemy everywhere.

### ENEMY CAPTURES BRITISH TRENCHES

### GERMANS PENETRATE LINE ON FIFTEEN HUNDRED YARD FRONT.

### FOE HEAVILY SHELLED

### Much Artillery Work and Mining Operations Conducted at Artois.

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### HOME RULE SOON WITH EXCLUSION OF ULSSTER

#### Powerful Influences Reported at Work to Effect Quick Settlement.

LONDON, May 22.—According to The Evening Standard, influences are working for a settlement of the Irish question by granting home rule at the earliest possible moment, with clean-cut exclusion of Ulster from the operations of home rule. In the interim, a newspaper says, the premier may propose temporary government of Ireland by an advisory board, consisting of Irishmen belonging to both parties.

### DEWART AUTHORIZED TO ACT AS ENQUIRY

#### Laurier's Letter Removes Misunderstanding as to His Legal Status.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, May 22.—A letter from Sir Wilfrid Laurier formally appointing H. E. Dewar, K.C., to represent the Liberal party at the enquiry by the Davidson commission into the sale of small arms ammunition was received by the government this afternoon. This gives Dewar a definite standing and recognition which it was found at this afternoon's preliminary session he lacked. The commission meets tomorrow morning to take evidence. Mr. Orr Lewis of the Canadian Victoria Company, and Col. Harston of Quebec, chief inspector of the militia, will be present. Dewar is expected to attend as well as other witnesses.

### ITALIANS PRESENT UNBROKEN FRONT

#### Stem Austrian Offensive and Hold Main Positions Solidly

### FOE MAKES CLAIMS

#### Crown Prince of Austria Boasts of Taking Many Prisoners.

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### FRENCH REGAIN PART OF FORT FROM ENEMY

#### Capture Portion of Old Fortresses of Douaumont.

### TAKE MANY TRENCHES

#### Attacks Progress East and West of Meuse Before Verdun.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. LONDON, May 22.—Beginning an offensive of their own on both banks of the Meuse and before Verdun, the French made considerable progress today and not only restored their own lines to the positions which they occupied before the last fighting for Le Mort Homme and Hill 287, but stormed German positions along a front of about a mile and a quarter between a point east of the Thiaumont farm and a point west of Fort Douaumont. The French troops captured German trenches on the entire front and they penetrated fort Douaumont. The Germans are still in the northern part of this fort. The French official statement says that numerous prisoners were taken in this action. The French also won German trenches along a front of 830 yards by a successful surprise attack in the Bouchet wood on the heights of the Meuse. Prisoners also were taken there.

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### ASQUITH WILL EXPLAIN SERIES OF EXECUTIONS

#### Statement Will Be Made in House of Commons on Thursday.

### BRITISH REACH OUTSKIRTS OF KUT-EL-AMARA

#### Gen. Goringe Makes Successful Advance South of Tigris.

### FOE HOLDS SANNAIYAT

#### Only Small Turk Rearguards Cover Shatt-el-Hai Bridge.

LONDON, May 22.—A despatch received from Lieut-Gen. Sir Percy Lake, commander of the British forces in Mesopotamia, shows that the forces of Lieut-Gen. Sir George Goringe, operating on the south bank of the Tigris, have now virtually reached Kut-el-Amara, this region now being clear of Turks up to the junction of the Shatt-el-Hai River with the Tigris at Kut. On the north bank of the Tigris to the east of Kut-el-Amara, however, the Turks still occupy Sannaibat. An official communication issued tonight concerning the operations in this region says: "Gen. Lake reports on May 20 that the right or south bank of the Tigris is clear of the enemy as far as the Shatt-el-Hai, except for small rear guards covering the bridge over the Hai some 600 yards below the junction with the Tigris. Our main force on this bank has reached the line of Magais-dujailan. "On the left, or north bank, the enemy is reported still occupying the Sannaibat position. The weather is intensely hot and trying. The temperature during the last few days was over 100 degrees in the shade."

### NEXT BRITISH MAILS.

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### GOUIN'S MAJORITY IN QUEBEC LARGER

#### Only Seven Conservatives Elected to Seats in New Legislature.

### COUSINEAU DEFEATED

#### Liberals Expect to Have Seventy-Four Representatives on Final Returns.

MONTREAL, May 22.—Sir Lomer Gouin returns to power in the provincial legislature with an increased majority. Not only has the Conservative opposition dwindled from 17, as in the last house, to seven in the new house, but the leader, Philomen Cousineau, has gone down to personal defeat in his constituency, Jacques Cartier, as a result of the Quebec elections today. J. S. A. Ashby is the Liberal leader who ousted Mr. Cousineau, and his majority is 1560. Mr. Cousineau said tonight, after the result was known, that he would not seek election in another riding, but was thru with the party leadership. The standing of the two parties at present is: Liberals, 73; Conservatives, 7. There are two deferred elections, however, in Gagne and Madeleine Islands, and there is little doubt these will add to Sir Lomer Gouin's majority, making it a grand total of 74 against 7. Today's voting was in 58 ridings, where 49 Liberals and four Conservatives were elected. Twenty-three Liberals were returned by acclamation, while three Conservatives got in by acclamation. Conservatives elected are: Tansey, St. Ann's division, Montreal; by 101; C. E. Gaul, St. George's division, Montreal (acclamation); Col. C. A. Smart, Westmount (acclamation); A. A. Snyde, Two Mountains (acclamation); G. B. Campbell, Pontiac; by 100; P. D. Auteuil, Charlevoix Saguenay; by 85; N. E. Tuvellie, Lake St. John, by 212.

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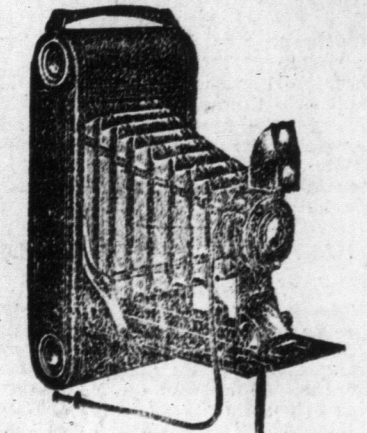
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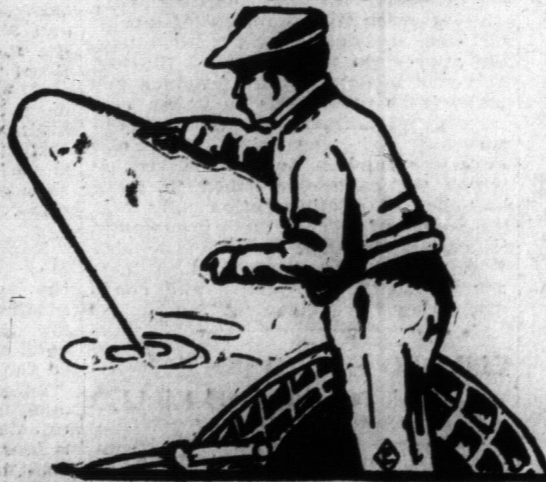
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Reels, 40-yard single click . . . . . 40

Reels, 40-yard click and drag . . . . . 65

Reels, 60-yard click and drag . . . . . 1.00

Lines, Irish linen cuttyhunk . . . . . 10

Silk, 35c, 50c, 75c to . . . . . 1.00

Sinkers, per doz. 5c, 10c and . . . . . 15

Floating Bait Pails, each . . . . . 1.25

Tackle Boxes, each \$1.00 and . . . . . 3.00

Artificial bait, including the "Wobler," "Tango," "Minnow," "Dowdiagac" and "Senate." Each, 75c to . . . . . 1.25

—Fifth Floor.

### Tents for Those Going Camping Over the Holiday



CAMPERS ARE NOT the only people who buy tents either, for many city people prefer to live in rural fashion all summer, and so pitch a tent in the back yard and sleep out of doors in comfort on the hot sultry nights of the warm season. Sleep your first night out of doors on the 24th.

Our leading value in tents is one made in our own factory. It's a 3-foot wall tent, 9 1/2 feet wide, 12 feet long and 7 1/2 feet high. It is made from durable 8-oz. duck, with double-sewn seams. The parts subject to strain are reinforced, and the guy ropes are made of heavy manilla rope. Exceptionally low in price, at . . . . . 10.95

All necessary poles and pegs are supplied extra, for . . . . . 1.25

A fly or extra roof to fit this tent can be had for . . . . . 7.80

—Fourth Floor.

### A Gala Day For Tennis Enthusiasts

WEDNESDAY will undoubtedly be the first occasion many have had to enjoy a good game of tennis. Many courts will be used for the first time this season—clubs will be formed, matches started and it will be a day when the tennis season will be duly inaugurated. Nets, racquets, balls, etc., will be required, too, and the occasion finds us prepared with a most complete variety of supplies. Note the low prices on the following tennis accessories:

Tennis Nets, regulation size, with tarred netting. Prices, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Those with copper cable are \$7.50.

Tennis Posts of hardwood, have steel spikes, guys and pegs. Price, per set, \$1.00.

Tennis Posts of 3" ash material. Price, per set, \$3.00.

The Newport Iron Posts, complete with spade, socket and ratchet. Per set, \$7.50.

The Bristol is a strong racquet, very low in price at \$1.25.

The "Cleveland" is a light weight racquet, designed for women. Price, \$2.00.

The "Model G" is a sturdy, well-balanced racket, weighing from 12 1/2 to 14 1/2 ounces. Price, \$2.50.

The "Claremont" Racquet is made with close centre stringing and is priced at \$3.00.

Regulation Tennis Balls

Ayres' Regulation. Each, 25c, or dozen, \$2.75.

Ayres' Varsity brand. Each, 35c, or dozen, \$4.00.

Ayres' Tournament brand. Each, 40c, or dozen, \$4.50.

Sporting Goods Dept., Fifth Floor.

### Men's Running Shoes

THIS list includes special running shoes for almost every kind of sport. Note that the prices are just the same as last year, despite increasing cost of rubber.

YACHTING OR TENNIS SHOES, made with white duck uppers, white rubber soles and heels and leather insoles. Sizes 6 to 11. Boots, \$1.25; Oxfords . . . . . 1.10

WHITE, BLACK OR BROWN CANVAS SHOES, with black corrugated rubber soles and heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Boots, 95c; Oxfords . . . . . 75

White Duck Boots with double thickness rubber soles and heels, in corrugated finish that gives extra long wear. Men's, \$1.60; boys', 1 to 5, \$1.35; Boys', 11 to 13 . . . . . 1.20

The Basket Ball Boot is made with white duck uppers and rubber soles with friction cups. Sizes 6 to 11. Per pair . . . . . 2.50

Bowling Shoes with white duck uppers and smooth finished rubber soles and heels. They have leather insoles and can be had with or without heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Boots, \$1.75; Oxfords, per pair . . . . . 1.65

Recreation Shoes, used for boating, bowling, etc. They are made of white buckskin with smooth finished rubber soles and flat heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Per pair . . . . . 2.50

The Regulation Golf Shoes for men are made of tan calf with rubber soles and heels. Oxfords, \$6.50; Boots . . . . . 7.00

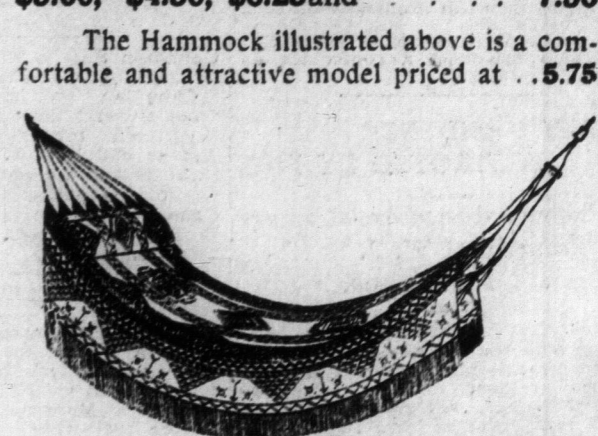
Hand Sewn Willow Calf Boots, for golfing; have rubber soles. Price, per pair . . . . . 6.00

—Second Floor, Queen St.

### For a Quiet, Restful Holiday the Hammock is Ideal

BRIGHTLY Colored Hammocks to swing in the corner of the verandah or among the trees, on the lawn, are to be seen in the Queen St. Section of the Fifth Floor. They are full size and have stuffed head rest and wood spreader at head and foot. Prices, \$1.25, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$4.50, \$6.25 and . . . . . 7.50

The Hammock illustrated above is a comfortable and attractive model priced at . . . . . 5.75



### A Couch Hammock at \$10.00

It is made of khaki colored duck with canopy top, magazine pocket at one end and high wind shield at back. The frame is made of steel with wire spring, and the mattress is well filled. Price for couch only . . . . . 10.00

Angle Iron Stand for couch, in black 3.25

Canopy for stand in khaki duck . . . . . 3.50

—Fifth Floor.

### Comfortable Furniture to Make the Verandah an Inviting Spot on the Holiday

THE LARGE ARM ROCKING CHAIR illustrated below on the left, is made with heavy slat back, wide arms and double woven cane seat. Finished in green or natural. Priced at . . . . . 2.10

The Big Arm Chair illustrated on the right is in natural or green finish with double woven cane seat and back. Price . . . . . 2.85

The small rocking chair illustrated below without arms, has green or natural finish and woven cane seat. Price . . . . . 1.70

Large Arm Rocking Chair of willow, with curved back, wide arms, large seat and heavy frame, is priced at . . . . . 5.00

Large Settee to match is priced at . . . . . 8.75

A Willow Arm Chair in brown finish, with high back, wing side, with wide arm, basket side, is priced at . . . . . 7.25

VERANDAH CHAIR, natural, red or green finished frame, with slat back, double woven cane seat. Price . . . . . 1.00

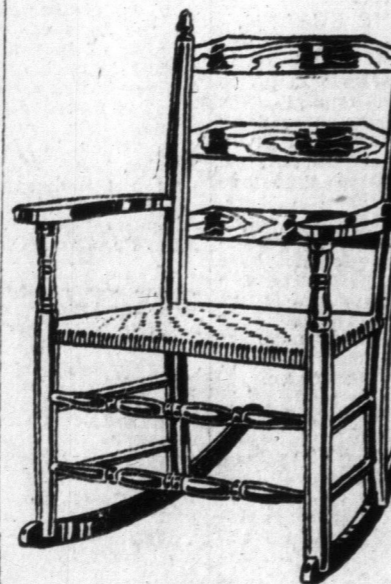
ROCKING CHAIR to match . . . . . 1.10

An Old Hickory Table, with octagon top, has round post legs, all well braced, and is priced at . . . . . 6.00

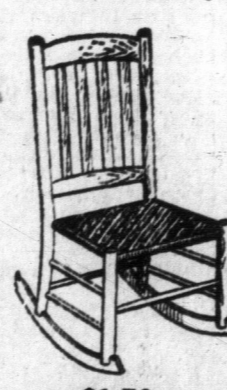
Old Hickory Arm Rocking Chair, with woven back, spindle sides, w/ren seat, large and comfortable, is priced at . . . . . 6.75

Old Hickory Arm Chair, with spindle back, large even splint seat . . . . . 2.50

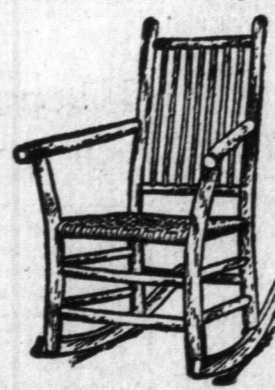
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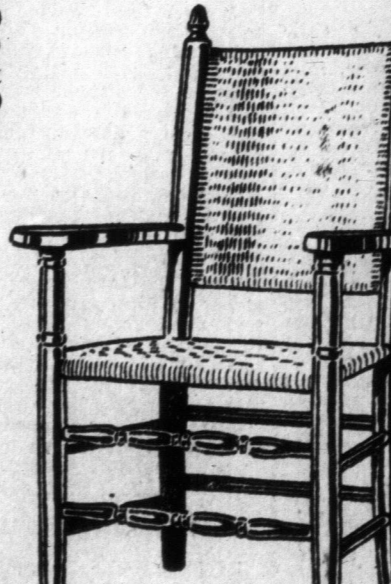
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Among the congratulatory messages received by the president of his club yesterday...

BALTIMORE PLAYS TODAY... Another Kritchell, who was appearing in Baltimore...

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Today's Entries

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AT LOUISVILLE, May 22.—Entries for Tuesday are as follows: FIRST RACE—\$1000 added, Rous Plate...

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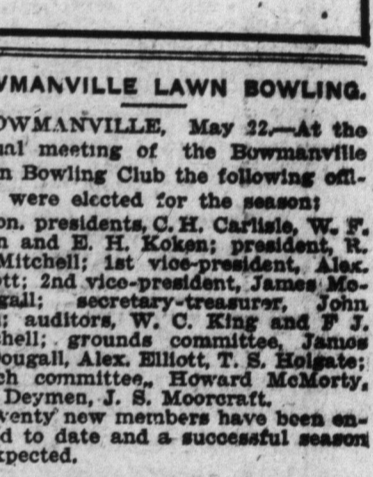
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DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Diary of a Well-Dressed Girl

By SYLVIA GERARD Solving the Problem of an Inexpensive and Easily-Made Graduation Frock.

HERE is certainly magic in May days. I went into the garden one day to pick some pansies and then sat down on the store bench to wait for the bus. I was looking at the hedge to watch the butterflies when I saw a girl in a white frock. It was not so long ago. May was a busy month for me, with tests, rehearsals, club meetings, and a visit to my grandmother. It was a wonderful month for me, and I was wishing I had a dress to wear when a voice called to me.

EYE TO EYE

By Will Nies



FROM the time "when the memory of man runneth not to the contrary" the moment of accounting—the instant when things are SETTLED—has been expressed, sometimes, as meeting "eye to eye." There can be no evasion when the owner of one pair of eyes is determined "to have it out" right then and there. All pretence, all

THE AMATEUR GARDENER

By RACHEL R. TODD, M.D.

Ribes—The Flowering Currants. Strange to say, the Flowering Currants have long since lost their popularity among most city gardeners. The reason for this is not to be found in all old-time gardens all thru the country great bushes flourish that are marvels of golden and rose beauty, loaded with clusters of dainty flowers, sweetly fragrant and therefore beloved of the bees, and regarded by their owners as the queen of all spring shrubs.

Little Stories Told in Homely Rhyme

SILAS COMPLAINING AGAIN

SILAS McGuggin today, with a snort: "The women are wearin' their dresses too short. It's got to be stopped. Now, I favor a law—a strict one, by golly, with never a flaw, to regulate skirt lengths an' things such as that; to make ev'ry girl wear sensible hat." I tell you the women are goin' too far. Each one seems to think she's a burlesque show' star. My daughter come one just today with a gown that, honestly, made her resemble a clown. 'Twas 'most to her knees; she had seven-league shoes. I told her that make-up would drive me to booze. Her mother declared she looked stylish an' fine. She said that the dress was of Paris design. I ordered it out of the house, an' them two laughed right in my face, an' my daughter says 'Poo! I picked up my hat an' I left 'em at once. They both seem to think I'm a regular dunce. But I'm goin' back with a frown on my face an' show 'em exactly who's runnin' that place." Old Silas was talking in Peewee's store. Just then Miss McGuggin walked past the front door. Jed Peewee looked and he smiled a big smile. "You see," muttered Silas, "she calls that the style." Jed Peewee followed the girl with his eye for fully a minute and then heaved a sigh. "Listen, Silas! Yer showin' yer age." And Silas stalked out in a terrible rage.

PRESIDENT SEES "BRITAIN PREPARED"

British War Film Being Shown in States as an Object Lesson to Uncle Sam.

authorize the presentation in this country of a cinematograph record of the war activities. At the Lyceum Theatre, however, New York will see for the first time this remarkable series of moving pictures, entitled "How Britain Prepared."

Dutch and Scotch Roses

C. J. Townsend and Company of 72 Carlton street, have received their annual consignment of roses and rhododendrons from two of the best growers in Holland and Scotland, and now have them ready for delivery.

Answers to Correspondents

Hamilton, Smith—Many thanks for the corroboration of the dependability of the rose, Jeannette Heller. Are you quite sure the variety you name as "W. B. Smith" is exactly identical with Jeannette?

MOVIES—PROGRAMS FOR TODAY—SCREEN GOSSIP

CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S STORY

By ROSE WILDER LANE.

face growing sadder. Then I remember clearly the night when he and I went to the music hall in London and ran away with the clog-dancers. My mother took me with her because, when it was time for her to go to work, she could not find Sidney. He was a most 14 and was wearing a great deal in the streets, and used to go away for a whole day sometimes, which worried my mother and watching a troupe of clog-dancers who were working on the stage. Mother was wearing her stage dress, waiting to go on for her act, and she kept asking me where I had seen Sidney last, but I could not listen. I remember on this day standing beside my mother and watching a troupe of clog-dancers who were working on the stage. Mother was wearing her stage dress, waiting to go on for her act, and she kept asking me where I had seen Sidney last, but I could not listen. I remember on this day standing beside my mother and watching a troupe of clog-dancers who were working on the stage. Mother was wearing her stage dress, waiting to go on for her act, and she kept asking me where I had seen Sidney last, but I could not listen.

Questions and Answers

Lilly: Who is Gertrude McCoy and what company is she playing with? Ans: You ask who Gertrude McCoy is. Well, she is a native of Rome, Georgia, that is she is a southern belle, she is also quite well-known as a story-writer, and she is now playing with Gaumont-Mutual. She made her first stage appearance with "The Crucial Test," will be released about the middle of June. I can't tell when these pictures will be seen in Toronto as the Canadian World Film is going thru another reorganization period. She is said to be a great success on the screen.

MOVIE OPERATORS ENLISTING FAST

Theatre Proprietors Ask That Assistants Be Allowed to Serve Less Than Year. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The National Motion Picture Operators' Association has petitioned the War Relocation Administration to allow movie operators to enlist for a period of less than a year.

MOTION PICTURE THEATRE DIRECTORY

- Academy, Bloor and St. Clarens, Ve-laska Buratt in "Soul of Broadway." Aster, Dundas and Arthur, "Graft." Beaver, 1784 Dundas, "When the Light Came." Belmont, 1217 St. Clair, "Behind the Mask," with Gussard and Ford.

RECIPES FOR THE CARD INDEX COOK BOOK

Apple Charlotte. Peel, core and cut the apple into neat pieces; chop shagreen very finely; grate the lemon rind; mix the bread-crumbs and suet together and grease a pudding bowl or a deep pie dish. Sprinkle the sugar and grated lemon rind over the apples. Fill up the bowl with alternate layers of the crumbs and apple, beginning and ending always with the crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven for 1 hour or steam for 2 hours.

