

Enemy Meets Disaster in Cambrai
Bolsheviki Through, Trotzky Threaten Break With Allies
Hun Coup d' Etat Has Failed With Heavy Losses

Extent of Formidable Teuton Reverse Not Yet Realized--Attempt to Split in Two British Salient Above Cambrai a Decisive Failure

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Dec. 3.—The New York Herald this morning publishes the following cable from Paris, dated Sunday: "The disaster, which is overtaking the formidable German effort to regain the lost ground before Cambrai, is depicted in graphic despatches from French correspondents on the British front.

LOSSES DISPROPORTIONATELY HEAVY

Mr. De Feuquieres, of The Petit Parisien, telegraphs: "If the German coup de force against our new lines south of Cambrai has gained a few transitory advantages, it has also inflicted a toll of losses singularly disproportionate to the success which the enemy is certain to attribute to himself.

BRITISH PROFITED FROM THE OPPORTUNITY.

"Attacking in serried masses according to their old method, with effectives estimated at no less than ten divisions they offered our batteries unhopd for targets and the good-eye British gunners were fully exercised against them. It was the best opportunity I have had during the war," said an artillery group commander. "The mounds of bodies which strew the approaches to the British lines between Moeuvres and Bourlon wood prove that full profit was drawn from the opportunity.

PROGRAM OF ENEMY FAILED

"The adversaries' scheme was sufficiently bold and ingenious, consisting of an attempt to split in two the salient in the British positions captured before Cambrai. Two attacks of equal strength in serried ranks were launched on Monday morning at an hour's interval along the front from Masnieres to Vandhulle on the one hand and between Moeuvres and Bourlon Wood on the other. The two attacks were intended to meet in a pincer grip and rend the salient asunder. Short but diabolical bombardments supported with copious emissions of gas preceded each attack.

RECORDED BUT SLIGHT GAINS

"To the north the enemy, despite repeated efforts was unable to take a single inch of ground and not a single assaulting wave reached the British trenches. The dead of battalions decimated by the machine guns and barrage now cover the scene of their terrible march.

"To the south the enemy, more favored, succeeded in installing himself in Villiers-Guislain and Gouzeaucourt. Two hours later tanks, coming to the rescue, dislodged the foe from the latter village and British infantry, frenziedly counter-attacking, drove the enemy over the ridge and recovered batteries captured for an instant by the enemy.

"Our British friends have taken all steps to thwart the ambitious aims of the adversary, who is in a bad position and whose desperate efforts to retake the lost ground reveal his uneasiness."

"Such a debacle of German gas shells never was seen and the enemy thought the terrifying effects of this deluge would permit him to revert to his former massed attacks which only swelled the carnage in his ranks."

"The correspondent says the machiavelian scheme was carried out with vigor and the disposition of the forces was worthy of a better fate."

"Hindenburg has his own particular coquetry. He does not like his line to be touched and Prince Rupprecht sleeps badly since he has been dreaming nightly of the military dictators' frown."

"I was taken by surprise," says Rupprecht to which the nocturnal shade of Hindenburg replies: "You must do the surprising."

"Thus it was that yesterday morning without drums or fanfare, a deluge of gas fell from a barrage of almost mute shells on the Tommies who strutted in their new lines, hardly yet fortified. In less time than it takes to write it masks

were donned and the Tommies bore the shock of the masses thrown against them without turning a hair. Slowly they fell back, letting the enemy establish himself pompously on Gouzeaucourt ridge.

"The morning went on. At 3 o'clock a brief order came from the British command, rifles barked, machine guns drummed out their lines of fire and a tempestuous assault was loosed.

"Soon grenade and bayonet were at work on the ridge, which was transformed into a death trap and the enemy had won Gouzeaucourt with corpses only. Between Bourlon wood and Moeuvres the British artillery made a memorable butchery of the German divisions."

With the British army in France, Saturday, Dec. 1.—(By the Associated Press)—The correspondent can recall no previous time when army engineers have undergone such varied and thrilling experiences as yesterday. The latest reports say that several Americans who were actually captured by the Germans escaped after a few hours and made their way back to the British lines.

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W. F. COCKSHUTT REAFFIRMS SUPPORT TO UNION GOVT.

LUDEENDORFF CAN SEE VICTORY FOR GERMANY

War Will Not Result in Draw, But Will be Decided in Favor of Central Powers, Says Hindenburg's Right Hand Man—Wants Armistice, if Any, Brief.

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, Dec. 3.—General von Ludendorff, right hand man of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, is quoted by a correspondent of The Vienna Neue Freie Presse as making the prediction recently at German headquarters that the war will not end in a draw but be decided in favor of the Central Powers.

"It appears the Russians are the first to be inclined for peace," said General von Ludendorff. "I will not say that I regard the Bolshevik manifesto as a peace offer," he continued. "There must be a secure government for this purpose. Of course we can conclude an armistice with Russia at any time as soon as we have the assurance that it will be maintained."

General von Ludendorff expressed belief that a general armistice would interrupt submarine supply, and the sentence to change his position while on the other hand no supplies would reach the Central Powers. Therefore, he thought such an armistice should be a brief one, as otherwise the

military situation would suffer.

Look Here, Lady

British Army Headquarters in France, Dec. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—British troops last night re-occupied a section of a trench on the high ground southwest of Bourlon village, on the Cambrai front, which was lost on Friday. The town of Masnieres, which was evacuated by the British was shelled last night by British artillery.

General Byng's troops last night pressed near to the village of Villiers-Guislain and along the ridge southwest of that place and their line now is fairly near the town.

It is estimated that the Germans had about 20 divisions for their assault on Friday which, except for the first Ypres battle, is regarded as having been their heaviest attack on the British.

The Germans attacked the British positions at La Vacquerie, southwest of Cambrai, at 8.45 o'clock this morning, and an hour later it was reported that they had been successfully beaten off. To-day's attack followed three futile attempts made by the enemy to take this village yesterday afternoon.

HANDS OFF, SAYS TROTSKY; A THREAT TO BREAK WITH ALLIES

Cannot Permit Agents of Entente to Interfere With Internal Affairs of Russia, Says Bolsheviki Demagogue—Provisional Government Re-appeared on Scene

By Courier Leased Wire

Amsterdam, Dec. 3.—Bulgaria has decided to open negotiations with Russia, in accordance with her allies, and had sent a reply to this effect to the Russian Government, a Sofia dispatch says. This announcement was made in the Bulgarian parliament by Premier Radoslavoff.

PLOT TO SMUGGLE GOLD TO TURKEY. Amsterdam, Dec. 3.—According to The Lokal Anzeiger's Budapest correspondent the authorities of the Hungarian capital have discovered a conspiracy to smuggle gold to Turkey via the Balkan train. Several million crowns are reported to have been found on their way from Hungary to Ottoman territory.

Several arrests were made, the prisoners including a high Turkish official, the manager of a sleeping car company and Herr Martin, secretary of the Austro-Hungarian embassy at Constantinople, the dispatch adds.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Dec. 3.—Leon Trotzky, Bolsheviki commissary of foreign affairs, according to a despatch to The Daily Mail from Petrograd, has issued a warning with reference to the French and American communications sent to General Dukhomin, who has refused to resign as commander-in-chief regarding the armistice and peace move, in which he says:

"Nobody demands from the present allied diplomats recognition of the commissaries' government, which is responsible for the fate of the country. The government cannot permit allied diplomatic and military agents to interfere with the internal affairs of our country, and to attempt to incite civil war. Further steps in this direction will bring the gravest complications, the responsibility for which the government now disclaims."

A despatch to The Mail, dated Saturday, quotes Trotzky, as saying General Dukhomin's headquarters had been surrounded and his staff would surrender within forty-eight hours. Trotzky said that the demobilization of the army had begun, but that its development further would depend on the peace negotiations. Every honest soldier, he added, would turn to his village with his arms and form a part of the local red guard,

which would be established to safeguard the revolution liberty.

Send Reserves London, Dec. 3.—The reserves of several guard regiments and machine gun detachments comprise the forces sent against general staff headquarters, which has refused to recognize the authority of Bolsheviki according to a Reuter's despatch from Petrograd.

The council of commissaries has instructed the commissary of the state bank, it is added, to hand over to the Bolsheviks a sum of money not exceeding a total of 25,000,000 rubles.

Provisional Government London, Dec. 3.—The Russian provisional government, thrown out of power last month by the Bolsheviks, re-appeared on the scene Friday, according to special despatches from Petrograd and issued a manifesto claiming to be the only authority in Russia and urging the people not to obey the decrees of the Bolsheviki.

All the measures taken by the provisional government, the manifesto says, were with the view of assembling the Constituent Assembly and to side over the crisis until the Assembly would be able to declare the will of the people, but this hope was swept away by the revolt of the

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Endorsed Government Candidate Took up Challenge of His Opponents on Saturday Night—Has Been Strong in Support of Conscription From the Outset

There was a large and enthusiastic gathering of win the war workers in the hall at headquarters on Saturday night when Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, gave a stirring and notable address, and other speakers were also heard from. Mr. W. S. Brewster occupied the chair and the audience included returned soldiers and many fathers of sons in khaki, who gave a rousing reception to the Union Government candidate as he rose to speak.

The rally was an omen of good success in the campaign; Are Canadians going to continue the fight for the Dominion, for the Empire and for human liberty, or are they going to quit. All should be men enough to look matters in the face. The war was not yet, by any means finished and if the sons and daughters of this Dominion turned back now not only would the honor and credit of this Dominion be seriously damaged, the brave boys at the front be abandoned and all their noble sacrifices spat upon, but in addition there would be the greatest kind of satisfaction among the Hohenzollern crew. Were the people of Canada going to be the first to desert the grand old mother land and her Allies? Most assuredly no. The speaker went on to deal in scathing terms with the campaign of vilification and falsehood which had been launched against Mr. Cockshutt. Among other things, he demonstrated that the assertion that Mr. Cockshutt was in Muskoka at the time the Conscription bill was before the House, was an absolute lie. He not only had made one of the most notable speeches in the Commons on behalf of that measure but Hansard officially recorded his name in connection with division after division on that measure. A man of the proved probity and reputation of Mr. Cockshutt could never be injured by such tactics. He had lived all his life in the community and all knew of his upright character, his fealty to the interests of his constituents, his unswerving zeal on behalf of Canada and the Empire and his record as a clean man and loyal citizen. He felt confident that the people of this Riding would honor the speaker by honoring him with a renewal of their confidence.

The Union Government candidate was received with loud cheers. He dwelt on the fact that the compiling of the lists through enumerators was a first experience, and that many might be inadvertently left off. For this reason the moment the lists were posted, each man and woman entitled to the ballot, should personally examine them.

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specious positions in the different sub-divisions and in the local post office. An appeal board with His Honor Judge Hardy, has been appointed to deal with appeals and the speaker urged that thorough steps be taken to ensure the name of every bona fide elector appearing on the rolls.

There may be 10,000 electors this time and 2,000 soldiers, a much larger number of voters than ever before in this constituency," continued Mr. Cockshutt. "Many ladies will have a vote. I hope that some of our lady friends will volunteer to help soldiers' wives and dependents who have the vote, to come out and poll it. Many women, through family and house duties would otherwise be unable to come out to cast their ballots.

Campaign of Falsehood "Don't lose your tempers over the slanderous remarks that are being circulated. While I am willing to take any knock as a public man, I do not propose to have my name multiplied. The allegation has been made that I was not in the House on the conscription issue and that I did not support it. I was the first member to name this law in the House two years ago, and last June I made as strong a speech in its favor as was possible to make. It is an absolute falsehood to say that I was absent during the progress of the measure."

"Another falsehood on a par with this, was the statement made in a letter to the press by a man named Gould, who said 'a man named Cockshutt, at a meeting in the Y.M.C.A., opposed the soldiers' home. I was not at the meeting in the Y.M.C.A., nor was I in the city at that time, for the House was in session. The first time I spoke in this connection was at a public meeting, and I spoke especially from Ottawa, spoke heartily in favor of the home, and subscribed toward it.

"It is not likely that these slanderous statements will be retracted even now that they have been proved untrue."

"German Kultur" was the manner in which a member of the audience characterized the campaign of slander.

"Personally, I am not going to indulge in a campaign of slander," said Mr. Cockshutt. "Everyone has a perfect right to come out into the field and I wouldn't pay ten cents to have anyone retire. I have treated my opponents with respect, but I am not going to lie down forever under slanderous and false vilifications."

Win-the-War Liberals "Parties have been split up on this issue, and many good Liberals are now heartily supporting the Union Government. I welcome them to the win-the-war platform. If anyone can point out to me one instance during the past three years,

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ON BEHALF OF UNION and WIN-THE-WAR GOVERNMENT

Meetings Will Be Held as Follows: Scotland, Vandusen's Hall, Monday, Dec. 3rd, at 8 p.m. Mt. Pleasant School House, Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 8 p.m.

SPEAKERS:— W. F. Cockshutt, the Union Government Candidate and Others.

Ladies Cordially Invited. GOD SAVE THE KING.

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WEATHER BULLETIN Toronto, Dec. 3.—The disturbance, which was developing on the Connecticut coast on Saturday, is now passing over the Nova Scotia coast, after causing very stormy weather in the Maritime Provinces. In the West cold, wintry conditions prevail, with lower temperatures in most places.

Moderate to fresh variable winds, some light falls of snow or sleet to day and on Tuesday.

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DESPAIRING WOMAN NOW HAPPY MOTHER

Mrs. Stephens Did Not Need The Surgical Operation.

Patoka, Ill.—"I had been married five years and my greatest desire was to become a mother. The doctor said I never would have a child unless I was operated on for female troubles and I had given up all hopes when a friend told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it regularly for some time, and I am in better health than ever, and have a healthy baby girl. I praise your Vegetable Compound for my baby and my better health. I want all suffering women to know that it is the sure road to health and happiness."—Mrs. GEORGE STEPHENS, R. F. D. No. 3, Patoka, Ill.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is so successful in overcoming the woman's ills because it contains the old-fashioned roots and herbs, which act on the female organism. Women from all parts of the country are continually testifying to its strengthening, curative influence.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration.



MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 4th January 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years as required, between Brantford Post Office and Parcel Post Delivery from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and obtained at the Post Office of Brantford.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, 21st November, 1917.

NOTICE!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Brantford intends to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass a by-law for stopping up that portion of Read Street, east of that line parallel to and one hundred and twenty-six feet beyond the western boundary of Leonard street, and extending therefrom to the westerly boundary of Leonard street, according to the plan of Dufferin Park in the City of Brantford registered as Number 322, registered in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Brant and for conveying same to the Dominion Steel Products Company, Limited.

Such by-law will be considered at a meeting of the Council, which will be held at the City Hall in the City of Brantford on the 17th day of December, 1917, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock in the evening, at which time the Council will hear in person or by his agent or counsel any person whose lands will be prejudicially affected by the by-law and who applies to be heard.

Dated this 19th day of November, A.D., 1917.

WILKES AND HENDERSON, Solicitors for the City of Brantford.

AUCTION SALE

W. Almas has received instructions from Graham Vanderlip to sell by public auction at his farm, situated 1 1/2 miles east of Orondaga, 1 mile west and 1 mile north of Middleport, better known as the Marshall Dairy Farm, on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, commencing at 1 o'clock.

Horses—Sorel horse, 1600 lbs.; Clyde mare, rising 2 years; which is a beauty (black).

Cattle—Four milch cows, 1 fresh and others to calve later on; 6 yearlings, grade Durhams; 6 spring calves, grade Durhams; 1 veal calf.

Hogs—One brood sow, due Feb. 20th; 8 fat pigs.

Fodder—Twenty ton of good hay; 2 or 3 hundred bushels of mixed grain.

Implement—Set lawn truck; spring tooth cultivator; 2000 capacity; Oliver plow.

Poultry—A number of good chickens; 20 ducks.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; that amount 10 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved security, or 5 per cent per annum off cash on credit amounts. Fat hogs cash.

No reserve. Take 10 o'clock train to Onondaga.

Graham Vanderlip, Welby Almas, Proprietor.

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F. COCKSHUTT YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

(Continued from page one) When I have not backed a win-the-war policy, I would like to have him do so. I have supported every issue for greater taxation on the wealthy, and as far as I am concerned, I do not want to avoid paying my fair share of taxes. "Constipation of wealth is a term that has been thrown around glibly, but few of those who refer to the description is applied to wealth as it is to men, it means that every dollar a man has shall be taken. When a man is taken, the Government does not take a part of him and leave a man or a leg behind. It would be impossible to apply a similar system to a state confiscation of wealth. Our industries, commerce and agriculture could be irretrievably crippled. I am as ready to give in money in proportion as anyone else."

A Comparison. The speaker compared the present Military Service Act now in force with the Militia Act, passed in 1904 by the Laurier Government. The latter contained much more drastic terms, providing for the drafting of all men between the ages of eighteen and sixty years. The draftees under this act would be called to the colors when their names were taken blindly from a ballot box. Such military service law as this had been placed on the statute books of the country by Laurier, the man who was now opposing the Military Service Act, that allowed young men two years more to which to devote their lives to the old set, and that embodied the selective system. This was something of which the farmers and their sons had not remembered. Had Laurier's Act been utilized for procuring reinforcements for farmers' sons would be exempted. Ample provision had been made by Premier Borden for fairness in administering the Act. Exemption tribunals had been appointed and granted all reasonable claims for exemption from service, and if the tribunals adhered to instructions the much needed reinforcements could and would be sent to the boys at the front. Assistance was greatly needed overseas as was shown when some of the men after being wounded two and three times, each time after convalescence were rushed again to the firing line.

Is It Fair. "Is it fair," demanded Mr. Cockshutt, "that men, shot to pieces in a long war like this, should be sent back to the front time after time, while those at home escape entirely? When these men went overseas they only expected to be there for two years at the most. The war is now going into the fourth year and the wastage is ten times the recruiting. Is this any time to squabble about ways and means?"

Divine Right. Referring to the unfounded claim that had been made in a local paper that he assumed a "divine right" to the candidacy in this constituency, Mr. Cockshutt said: "It has been charged against me that I have claimed the divine right of kings. That is not true. Since I first received a nomination in this riding, I have never solicited a delegate for support. The same size hat fit me now as when I was sent to the House for the first time. As I said, I have never canvassed a convention, and at this time I resigned the nomination in order that a Union candidate might be selected and the strife avoided that has now resulted.

For the sovereign people to decide whom they want. Three of us in this contest are going to the polls, and I have no right to be considered above the others except as my record warrants.

The Ladies. "We recognize the ladies as an important factor in this election," continued the speaker. "While a man will hesitate and take up much time in selecting the candidate for whom he will vote, the lady, by her natural intuition, immediately selects the cause that is right and I am pleased and proud that many are selecting the Union Government. Many ladies will, in this election, cast their first ballot, and we want to see them start right."

In speaking of the women whose fathers, brothers, husbands and sons are at the front, Mr. Cockshutt said: "I would like to see the long period they had been away and the great necessity for reinforcements being sent them."

"At times I think that it would be well that some of us should make our last call on the battlefield. I myself have wanted to go over there, but through lack of military training, and on account of the age limit I have been prevented. I cannot think of better cause in which I would be prepared to lay down my life, than that for which our boys are fighting in France and Flanders. The Huns have done to mankind, what mankind, as a whole would hesitate to do to beasts."

A Great Issue. "There is a great issue to be settled in this election. We will decide whether Canada is to go on fighting or to quit. Laurier has told us that he would suspend the Military Service Act and take a referendum. During the delay, recruiting would stagnate, and the men at the front would hear the brunt."

"Here's a chance. Something to which you can rally. For the next two weeks I ask you to go into the fight, take no chances, and roll up such a majority for the Union Government and the boys at the front that when the ballots are counted up on the night of December 17th, Brantford and the County of Brant will be on the honor roll as they are to-night in the victory loan, and as they have been in the past in their contributions of men and money."

"Canada has made a grand record. Are you going to abandon our 400,000 brothers, and by slacking now belittle their achievements? I cannot believe that Canada will leave them to face it out alone. Although it is late, we will carry through this great issue to victory and send them support."

Concluding with this magnificent and forceful appeal, Mr. Cockshutt said down amid such applause as has seldom been heard for any candidate in this or any preceding election. W. S. Brewster announced that Brantford and Brant County had surpassed over \$3,000,000. It was also probable that through the Dominion the returns would reach \$350,000,000. "What is the use of raising all this money," continued Mr. Brewster, "to carry on the war, if we don't send men overseas to use it? Who would you like have spend that money? Over \$300,000,000 has been raised, would you like Laurier to spend it?" "Never," replied the crowd. "The only ones to spend this loan are those in sympathy with the cause. Finance minister White has raised that money and he is the one to spend it. If we have Laurier, it will not be spent in the prosecution of the war and any man who will retire from the war and leave our boys to face it out alone. "In this issue the biblical quotation, 'His that is with me is against me, and he that is against me is for me,' is very applicable. If men are not supporters of Union Government they are against it. How many 'independents' are there who would be 'independent' when the war-candidates going to win the war? Certainly not with Laurier. But there is only one way, with the Union government in power. "Mr. Cockshutt is no sudden convert. He has always supported a win the war policy and will continue to do so. "We had no referendum to go into the war. Borden, in the early stages pledged Canada to contribute men and money and Laurier backed up the pledge. He has now changed however, and wants a referendum."

Criticism of Tribunals. Mr. Brewster had a word regarding the criticism of tribunals of the exemption tribunals that was abroad in certain quarters. The Union Government had not been responsible solely for their appointments. One hundred members had been selected by the county judge. The others were chosen by a board of selectors at Ottawa consisting of Laurier and the others by Borden. There was no object in criticizing the tribunals because a man was of the opinion he had not been selected by a court, but there was a court, an appeal consisting of His Honor Judge Hardy, and above this a still higher court so that ample remedy had been made to insure justice for every man. "Shall we go on with the war or shall we drop out and leave our boys overseas unsupported?" asked the speaker. "We have lost 32,000 men. Shall we forget their sacrifices, turn around and allow them to make them in vain. There are at the present time only 35,000 Canadian reserves in England and if reinforcements are not immediately called up, by April there will not be a single man left in England to send to the Canadian boys in France. The result will be that with all our troops in the front line trenches and no reserves they will be forced to retire. An army cannot fight without reserves. "Did you ever receive a letter from the front wherein a soldier expressed a desire to quit? They never grumble and although they would all like to come home after an absence of nearly four years, they are going to see it through. We would be cowards indeed to leave them to finish it out. The war is not finished yet, but we have plenty of men and resources and we can fight it out to a victorious and successful conclusion."

W. G. Strong. "This is a time when all parties should get together—time when all should show their colors," declared W. G. Strong. "There was never a time in the history of the country that required so much as the present. "We have in Mr. Cockshutt one of the best candidates of which the Union Government can boast in the Dominion of Canada. There is no



ARCHBISHOP OF YORK TO COME TO AMERICA

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The singing of the national anthem, and full-throated cheers for W. F. Cockshutt, the Union Government candidate, brought to a conclusion one of the most successful rallies yet held.

MARKETS

VEGETABLES Pumpkins... 0.05 to 0.25 Cauliflower... 5 to 15 Green beans... 0.25 to 0.35 Green peas... 0.10 to 0.15 Carrots... 0.15 to 0.25 Parsnips, basket... 0.20 to 0.25 Potatoes, bag... 0.00 to 1.75 Celery... 0.05 to 0.25 Turnips, bushel... 0.00 to 0.30 Cabbage, each... 0.05 to 0.15 Onions, basket... 0.50

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By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Dec. 3.—The cattle trade at the Union Stock Yards was much firmer this morning. Hogs medium. Sheep steady. Receipts—4428 cattle, 610 hogs, 1,176 sheep and 146 calves.

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Toronto, Dec. 3.—Export cattle, choice \$11.00 to \$12.00; bulls, \$9 to \$9.75; butcher cattle, choice \$10.50 to \$11.35; medium \$9.50 to \$10.35; common \$8.00 to \$8.50; butchers cows, choice \$8.50 to \$9.50; medium \$7.50 to \$8.00; canners \$6.25 to \$6.75; bulls \$7.50 to \$8.25; Feeding steers \$6.50 to \$9.50; Stockers, choice \$7.50 to \$8.50; light \$6.50 to \$6.75; Milkers, choice, each \$100.00 to \$150.00; Springers \$90 to \$120; Sheep, ewes \$12.00 to \$15.00; Bucks and culls \$7.50 to \$9.50; Lambs \$16.75 to \$17.75; Hogs, fed and watered \$17.00 Calves \$14.50 to \$16.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Cattle, receipts, 29,000; market, weak; beefs, \$7 to \$14.70; western steers, \$6.10 to \$13.40; stockers and feeders, \$6 to \$10.80; cows and heifers, \$5 to \$11.30; calves, \$7 to \$13.20. Hogs, receipts, 47,000; market, slow; light, \$16.25 to \$17; mixed, \$17.20 to \$17.20; rough, \$16.50 to \$16.70; pigs, \$12.20 to \$15; bulk sales, \$16.75 to \$17.10. Sheep, receipts, 22,000; market, weak; wethers, \$8.70 to \$12.80; lambs, native, \$12.40 to \$16.80.

EAST BUFFALO

By Courier Leased Wire. East Buffalo, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 5,750; good strong; common slow. Prime steers, \$12.00 to \$15.00; shipping steers, \$11.50 to \$13.50; butchers, \$9.50 to \$12.00; yearlings, \$11.50 to \$13.00; heifers, \$7 to \$11.25; cows, \$4.00 to \$10.00; bulls, \$6.75 to \$9.75; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 to \$11.00; fresh cows and springers active and strong, \$50 to \$140. Veals—Receipts 1,000; strong, \$7 to \$14.00. Hogs—Receipts 13,200; strong. Heavy, \$17.50 to \$17.65; mixed, \$17.40 to \$17.50; yorkers, \$17.25 to \$17.40; light yorkers, \$16.00 to \$16.25; pigs, \$16.50 to \$16.00; rough, \$15.00 to \$16.25; sows, \$13.50 to \$14.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 8,000; active and strong; lambs, \$12.00 to \$17.75; yearlings, \$11.00 to \$16.00; wethers, \$11.50 to \$12.00; ewes, \$6 to \$11.25; mixed sheep, \$11.25 to \$11.60.



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BOARD OF APPEAL from ENUMERATORS' VOTERS' LIST

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal from Enumerators' Voters' Lists, under The Dominion Elections Act, for the City of Brantford, will sit

Friday, December 7, 1917,

at 10 o'clock, a.m., in the Court Room, at the Court House, in the City of Brantford and will continue its sittings on the 12th day of December, 1917, unless all appeals should have been previously disposed of.

The following provision relating to appeals in cases where the Dominion Elections Act, section 102, subsection 1, is applicable:

"If an enumerator refuses or omits to enter upon the list the name of any person, the applicant may, in person or in the case of a qualified person who may be absent from the Polling Division at the time of the enumeration, an Elector in the Polling Division acting on such absent person's behalf, may, within four days after the posting up by the Enumerator of such list, appeal to such Board of Appeal by notice in writing stating the facts and filed with the Enumerator and with the Clerk of the Board of Appeal. An Appeal shall also lie in like manner, and on the like and a further notice by register letter to the person entered on the list, from the entry by the Enumerator of the name of such person on such list. The registered letter shall be mailed to the address of the person as appearing on the list."

All such Notices of Appeal relating to persons omitted from the Enumerators' List, and to persons wrongly inserted on the said List must be given not later than the 6th day of December, 1917, as above directed.

F. G. HISCOPE, Clerk of the Board of Appeal Court House, Brantford. ALEXANDER D. HARDY, Chairman of the Board of Appeal.

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THE SITUATION.
There has been very desperate fighting on the part of the Germans in their attempts to wrest from the British the ground gained in the Cambrai region.

In Palestine, reinforced Turkish troops have been attacking the British lines near Jerusalem. They have been repulsed, and it is believed that Gen. Allenby is now only awaiting supplies in order to make the final dash.

A VIGOROUS PROTEST.
The Fergus News-Record is a staunch Liberal sheet, and has been ever since its establishment in 1857. The following editorial from that paper therefore gains all the greater significance:

"Former followers of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in this riding, received a shock this week when it was announced that the Liberal leader had his candidature at the coming election. The platform of Mr. Cunningham is practically the same as that of the Bolsheviks in Russia, and the results would be just as disastrous in this country. He says that King and Kaiser are all the same to him. He does not care who wins the war so long as he does not have to do it. Many of those who listened to his speech at the nomination meeting were of the opinion that it would have been reasonable, if it had not been utterly foolish.

THE VICTORY LOAN.
The loyal people of Canada have responded in grand fashion to the Victory Loan appeal. The answer has been \$350,000,000 with \$400,000,000 likely to be about reached in the final accounting. This is well but it is only part of the job.

No subscriber can afford to take that chance. No subscriber can afford to do less for the Canadian soldier than he has done with money to help him. No subscriber can afford to let the pledged word of Canada fail to let the jeopardizing of the credit of the Dominion and the money which has now so patriotically been given in that behalf.

IS ONE PROVINCE TO RULE EIGHT?
Quebec to rule Canada?
Is the one French-Canadian Province to lord it over the eight English-speaking Provinces?
Are the people of Quebec, in alliance with the anti-British and pro-German elements of the population in the other Provinces, to take the Dominion out of the war?

Are the French-Canadians, who have refused to fight for Canada's liberties, to prevent the reinforcement of the gallant troops which for over three years have upheld the national honor in countless bloody encounters?
Are the comfortable Defaulters beyond the Ottawa River to make this glorified Dominion look like a nation of deserters before the Allies and the whole world?
Are the Eight loyal Provinces to be conquered and dominated by the One disloyal Province?

Is the One Province, which has ever exercised a disproportionate influence in Canada's affairs, and which has shirked its obligations throughout the war—is this One Province to hold back the whole Dominion from the plain course of duty?

What do English-speaking Canadians think about it?
What are they going to do about it?
How are they going to vote about it on December 17th?

MR. COCKSHUTT AND CONSCRIPTION.

The Courier has already disposed of the clumsy falsehood that Mr. W. F. Cockshutt was absent from the House during the progress of the Conscription Bill in that chamber. Reference has also been made to his splendid speech delivered in the Commons on behalf of that measure. He spoke for upwards of an hour, and some extracts from that deliverance are in order, as follows:—

"I say this is a real war measure. And I think that the Government mean business in it. If not, they certainly will not get my support for long. If they pass a Conscription Bill, declaring that they want to put it in force, and then leave it idle on the statute book and do not push it, I shall certainly be dissatisfied and shall criticize any turning back in this measure or with regard to the control of food and fuel, or the grain commission. All these are thorough war measures, the kind of measures we have been calling for for some time. My hon. friend knows that we have been calling for them, and knows that now that we have got them we expect the Government will carry them out without fear or favor. If they do not live up to my expectations, all I can say is that I do not expect to follow a Government that makes fine professions but does not carry them into effect. I believe they are honest and that they intend to carry out this law.

"I am sorry that the right hon. gentleman who leads the Opposition (Sir Wilfrid Laurier) is not here, because I wanted to make a special appeal to him. I was going to propose one referendum that he should make. Although I disapprove of the spirit of the proposal I would give in to the extent of such a referendum as that which I propose. I would be willing and delighted to pay the expenses of this particular referendum if my right hon. friend would make it. What is it? It is that he immediately send a wireless message to Dr. Beland, the ex-Foreign Minister General in his own Government, telling him the situation in which we are placed in Canada to-day in regard to recruiting and conscription and asking him, on behalf of his own people here, to tell them truly what in his heart he thinks should be done. If such a message were sent to Dr. Beland, I can imagine that a reply would come back, written almost with his life blood, that must appeal to every Quebec citizen; recall your resolution, recant your opinions, repent of your mistake and come; stay not upon the order of your coming, but come. Let me appeal to the pity of my hon. friends from Quebec. Dr. Beland, visiting in the neutral country of Belgium, seized upon almost immediately after war broke out; his new bride came to death by the ruthless Hun, he himself while we are here debating and discussing ways and means, eating the bread and drinking the water of affliction in Germany, a man who cannot move hand or foot without permission, and who is in a time to say, here in idle debate? Is this a time to say that you cannot do any more than you have done? No, Sir, let that referendum be taken, and if my friend does not answer somewhat in the line I have indicated, then I think I might almost venture to oppose the Bill myself."

"I believe that the House should put this measure through as quickly as possible and that both sides of the House should get behind it and make it successful. We should present a united front in obtaining the 700,000 men, or whatever number is required, drilling them, equipping them and getting them to the firing line, thus saving many lives and perhaps, materially shortening the war. It is up to Canada to do as she has done in the past. She has done nobly, but let her now not spoil her splendid record of three years by faltering or giving evidences of decay. Let her be just as resolute, just as firm, as she was in August, 1914. Let us now be just as firmly resolved as we were at that time to carry the grand old flag to victory; to ensure the freedom and the liberty of the Nations of Europe, both small and great."

COURT HOUSE WRECKED.
Quebec, Dec. 2.—Fire, caused by the explosion of a gas retort at 10 o'clock yesterday destroyed the court house and four residences at St. Anne's de Monts, Quebec.

OLD RESIDENCE OF PARIS DEAD

Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Mother of Ex-Mayor, Passed Last Night

V. V. V. CLUB GAVE TEA Paris Outclassed 43-9, by Galt in Basketball Encounter

Paris, Dec. 3.—(From Our Own Correspondent.)—The death of Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Dumfries street, in the 84th year of her age, deceased was one of the oldest and most esteemed residents of Paris, and had lived here for upwards of half a century. She is the mother of ex-Mayor J. M. Patterson, Mr. W. W. Patterson and Mr. Frank Patterson, all of Paris. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

The V. V. V. Club gave their annual patriotic affair on Saturday afternoon in the Municipal Building, which took the form of a "San Toy Tea." The rooms and booths made a fine appearance with the decorations of Japanese fans, parasols, etc., while the young ladies were dressed in Japanese costumes to correspond with all the other surroundings. During the afternoon music was furnished by the Beattie Orchestras and Miss Hilda Hurley of Brantford favored with solos. The whole affair was an unqualified success in every particular and a good sum was realized, which will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

On Friday evening two interesting games of basketball were played in the Y.M.C.A. The first game was between the girls team known as Blacks and Reds, and the former won by 13 to 8. Following were the teams: Blacks—Alice Kay, K. Heard, Florence Inksater, D. Mitchell and L. Elliott. Reds were—M. Stickleland, Stella Sowell, E. Broughton, C. Miller, S. Stickleland.

The second game was between the boys of Galt and Paris, in which the latter led by a score of 43 to 9. The teams were—Paris—Hilbert, Snell, Knowles, Burgess and Garner. Paris—Barker, Nichol, Hillborn, Bryden, Flicker.

On Thursday and Friday evening St. James Parish Hall was crowded to its utmost and many were turned away who went to hear the program presented by the members of St. James' minstrel troupe. The capital entertainment was the entire entertainment was carried through, attention to a hitch from the raising of the curtain to the finish, reflects great credit on Manager Blackburn, as he had devoted much time and attention to the perfection of their various parts. At the close of proceedings on Friday evening the performers, some fifty in number, were entertained to a banquet by some of the lady friends of the church.

The other evening, a meeting of those interested in hockey was held, and it was decided to place a team in the Junior O. H. A. The following officers were elected: Hon. President, Senator Fisher; Hon. Vice-President, Dr. Sinclair; President, Dr. Lovett; Vice-President, S. Smoke; Secretary, Andy Sinclair; Manager, Charles Meigs.

Miss Hilda Hurley of Brantford, who sang at the Japanese tea which was held on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the V. V. V. Club, was the guest of Mayor C. B. and Mrs. Robinson, Riverside Terrace, over Sunday. At both services in the Presbyterian church yesterday Miss Hurley rendered songs very sweetly.

Mrs. Edgar T. Hicks has returned home after an extended visit spent with relatives at San Francisco, Cal. Mr. G. Buchanan of Hamilton, spent the week-end with his parents in town.

On Saturday evening a number of friends and relatives met at the home of Miss Mabel Drummond, Banfield street, where a miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Daisy Folseiter, a future bride-to-be. A very pleasant time was spent in games and music, and many beautiful and useful gifts received.

JEWISH RESTORATION.
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

HONORARY PRESIDENT.
J. H. Marshall on Saturday was elected honorary president of the Canadian Black Minors Association, at a meeting held in Guelph in connection with the annual poultry show there.

DRUNK ARRESTED.
One drunk, an Austrian, Mike Bologovics, 162 George St., was arrested over the week-end. He was arrested on Dalhousie street yesterday and will come up in the late afternoon police court.

STOLE AUTO.
Five men charged with the theft of an automobile, were arrested in Hamilton and brought back yesterday by Detective Schuler. Three of the lads were under sixteen years of age and will appear in the juvenile court, while the other two will have their offense tried in the police court.

WEDDING BELLS.
Mr. and Mrs. Joshua A. Lloyd announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Hazel Irene, to Mr. Frank G. Reid, both of this city. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. C. L. McEwing at the First Methodist Church, Parsonsburg, Hamilton, at 10 o'clock on Saturday, December 1st.

A CORRECTION.
Through a misunderstanding, reference was made on Saturday to Lieut. W. G. Flowerday's having been upon the west front. This Lieut. Flowerday is desirous of correcting, as physical unfitness prevented his going farther than England. He said on Friday night at Brantford, "I wish Sir Wilfrid Laurier could have stood with me in the streets of an English town devastated by a Zeppelin raid."

CALL TO COME SOON.
Major-General Mewburn, Minister of Militia, stated Saturday that the new army would be called out as quickly as possible, as there was an urgent need of reinforcements. December 28 had been announced as the date for calling the men to the colors; but General Mewburn said every effort would be made to get the men into uniform as quickly as possible. He threw no light upon how the men would be selected, remarking that the responsibility rested upon the minister of Justice. Gen. Mewburn also stated that the men required for the first 25,000 would be selected from all the provinces, according to population.

VALIANT VETERAN HOME.
By Courier Leased Wire.
St. John, N.B., Dec. 3.—A recent arrival from England was Sergeant J. Higgins, of Montreal, of the first Canadian contingent. He won the Military Medal for shooting single-handed 29 Germans who attacked his trench in the fighting that led to the capture of Les Bouffes. He also secured the D.C.M. for conspicuous gallantry on many occasions.

BOWELL SERIOUSLY ILL.
By Courier Leased Wire.
Vancouver, Dec. 3.—Word of the very serious illness of Sir Mackenzie Bowell at his home was received yesterday by his son, J. M. Bowell, collector of customs, who left immediately for the east to be at the bedside of his father.

DUTCH COMMISSION TO U. S.
By Courier Leased Wire.
Helder, Holland, Dec. 2.—Joost van Vollenhoven, head of the Dutch Commission to America, arrived here to-day aboard a Dutch warship from the United States. He refused to make a statement on his mission before reporting to the Foreign Office at The Hague, whether he proceeded immediately.

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For a long time you have been urging Father, Brother or Friend, Husband to get a pair of new glasses—a new pair in place of those old styled, out of date, inefficient ones he's been trying to make do. Christmas is your chance. Give him a new pair. Consult us.

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NEILL SHOE COMPANY. Some of Our SATURDAY BARGAINS. Women's laced boots, Empress make, size 2 1-2 to 4 1-2, regular \$6.00, Saturday \$3.48. Child's calf laced and button boots, size 5 to 7 1-2, regular \$1.75, Saturday \$1.38. Men's box kip blucher cut boots, size 6 to 10, Saturday \$2.98. Youths heavy laced boot, size 11 to 13, regular \$1.75, Saturday \$1.38. We sell Life Buoy rubbers. They are the best. Neill Shoe Co.

WHO ARE EXEMPTED. Attention, Young Men, Who Have Secured Exemption from Military Service! Owing to the M. S. A. being enforced I find myself overstocked and regardless of present cost of materials am forced to make a special sale in order to reduce my stock. AS SOON AS YOU ARE ASSURED THAT YOUR COUNTRY DOES NOT REQUIRE YOUR SERVICES CALL AND BE MEASURED FOR A SUIT OR OVERCOAT. A word about our clothes. Every garment is tailored on the premises by experienced tailors and made to your individual measure and style; the linings and cloths are of the best which assures you of perfect satisfaction. Special Sale For One Month Only! Do not overlook this great money saving event. Suits, Regular \$27.50 to \$45 Special \$20 to \$35 Overcoats, Regular \$25 to \$35 Special \$18 to \$30 Guaranteed All Wool Indigo Blue Serge, \$25 Market Street Tailor M. FOSTER, Manager 124 MARKET STREET. PHONE 1892.

LOCAL NEWS

RELIEF REPORT.
Twenty-four families left from the city relief during the past month, the report of Relief Officer Glover. Four and a half, one and a half cord of wood, were supplied at a cost of \$64.70.

ON THE JOB.
George Bloomfield, of the 59th, who was last pointed plumbing inspector in the office of the city engineer, commences his night.

GARBAGE COLLECTION.
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NO PARCELS FOR CIVILIAN.
The British Government declined to permit entry into the United Kingdom of parcels for civilian use. The War Office has asked whether parcels containing food, clothing, sugar, tea, etc., boots, wearing apparel, articles would be permitted into the United Kingdom the general public, and Canadian soldiers in Canadian High Command: "Department permit entry of Christmas parcels for civilians. Will allow parcels strictly limited in size for Canadian Forces."

RETURNED HOME.
Four veterans returned home in the city on Saturday from the battle of H. Blanchard, 53 Oxford Churchward, 105 Cayuga Hardy, 29 Spring street, Lamb, 90 Oxford street men who returned. They were met at the T. H. tion by representatives of the Soldiers' Aid Society at V. while the other by radial. Seven more are expected home to-day H. W. Parks, 79 Palace Ramsey, 6 Spring street, 59 Strathcona Avenue, 74 Spring Street, G. S. street, A. Waterhouse, G. W. Woolley, General D.

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The house committee of the Soldiers' Aid Society are grateful to the following who so generously helped us ago with funds for clothing children. The subscribers by a friend who has in his heart for all child following gentlemen: Dr. F. J. G. Goodwin, \$25; Jno. D. Wilbur Thompson, \$10; \$10; C. J. Mitchell, \$5; \$5; \$5. Collected by dry: Jno. Hendry \$12; \$5; Jno. Miller, \$5; Ewen, \$5; W. C. Bod Reid, \$2; Duff Wil Frank Kitchen \$2. A Hawke, for decorating established bill, Ham and window screen, re

MAKE FUEL FROM.
An investigation has been made by the local city council in relation to Pueblo, Colorado, a new process of igniting fuel from city waste. Montreal and other are sending delegates to the manufacture of this which is called "Oak" made from all debris the garbage, including bottles and all other excitation of ashes, stone, etc. One ton of in every process to be 1000 citizens, who the waste is not greater price of coal.

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Word was received by the Secretary George the Soldiers' Aid Society home had left Halifax bound for Toronto. Ed here in the course

Hard to Drop.
All depends on what as a substitute. time to study "fo You may be wrong foods, the cost most and give nutriment. S. Wheat Biscuits more real, bod nutriment, pound than meat, eggs and costs much of these Biscuits and a little fruit nourishing meal a few cents. Make Wheat your "meat" fying breakfast start the day's ready-cooked meat. Made in C.

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George Broomfield, a veteran of the 59th, who was last week appointed plumbing inspector and assistant in the office of the city engineer, commences his duties to-night.

GARBAGE COLLECTION.
Unless the citizens of Brantford alter their methods of preparing their garbage for the collectors, the only remedy left for the present system will be an amendment to the present by-law, according to Sanitary Inspector Glover. In many cases, where the refuse is carried a long distance to the street by the collectors, improper receptacles are provided that are too bulky and heavy to be carried such long distances by the men. The only remedy for this situation, unless better holders are provided, would be a by-law having the citizens leave their garbage on the street for the collectors.

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Four veterans returned to their homes in the city on Saturday afternoon from the battlefield. Messrs. H. Blanchard, 53 Oxford street, N. Churchward, 105 Cayuga street, J. Hardy, 29 Rawdon street, and A. Lamb, 40 Oxford street, were the men who returned. Two of the men were met at the T. H. and B. station by representatives of the Soldiers' Aid Commission and the G. W. V. A. while the other two returned by rail. Seven more returned men are expected home to-day. They are H. W. Parks, 79 Palace street; G. B. Ramsay, 6 Spring street; J. Rumble, 59 Strathcona Avenue; A. H. Selmes, 74 Spring Street; G. Sowers, Ruth street; A. Waterhouse, Oakland P.O.; W. Woolley, General Delivery.

ACKNOWLEDGE DONATIONS.
The house committee of the Children's Aid Society are deeply grateful to the following gentlemen who so generously helped a short time ago with funds for clothing for the children. The subscription was started by a friend who has a warm spot in his heart for all children and the following gentlemen associated: Friend, \$100; Dr. Marquis, \$25; A. Goodwin, \$25; Jno. Dowling, \$25; Wilbur Thompson, \$10; Mr. Munroe, \$10; C. J. Mitchell, \$5; Logan Waterous, \$5. Collected by Mr. T. Hendry; T. Hendry \$12; S. P. Pitcher, \$5; Jno. Miller, \$5; M. W. McEwen, \$5; W. C. Boddy, \$5; F. Reid, \$2; Duff Williams, \$2; Frank Kitchen, \$2. Also to M. B. Hawke, for donating one ward. Receipted bill, Ham and Nott, doors and window screen, receipted bill.

MAKE FUEL FROM REFUSE.
An invitation has been extended to the local city council to send a delegation to Pueblo, Colorado, to investigate a new process of manufacturing fuel from city waste and refuse. Montreal and other Canadian cities are sending delegations to witness the manufacture of this new product, which is called "Oakol," and is made from all debris collected in bottles and other refuse, with the exception of ashes, plaster, bricks, stone, etc. One ton of fuel, superior in every purpose to coal can be secured from the refuse collected from 1000 citizens, while the cost of manufacture is not greater than half the price of coal.

HAVE LEFT HALIFAX.
Words were received this morning by Secretary George Macdonald of the Soldiers' Aid Commission that five Brantford soldiers, invalided home, had left Halifax yesterday bound for Toronto. They are expected here in the course of a day or two.

Hard to Drop Meat?
All depends on what you eat as a substitute. It is a good time to study "food value." You may be eating the wrong foods, the foods that cost most and give the least nutriment. **Shredded Wheat Biscuit** contains more real, body-building nutriment, pound for pound, than meat, eggs or potatoes and costs much less. Two of these Biscuits with milk and a little fruit make a nourishing meal at a cost of a few cents. Make **Shredded Wheat** your "meat." A satisfying breakfast on which to start the day's work. It is ready-cooked and ready-to-eat. Made in Canada.

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two. The men are: W. M. Abbott 103 Sydenham Street; E. G. Hall, 284 St Paul Avenue; G. D. McCormack, 146 Sheridan Street; J. A. Pennell, 41 Spring Street; and C. E. Warner, 17 BaFour street.

BUILDING PERMITS.
Twenty-two building permits were issued at the office of the city engineer during the month of November. The total value involved was \$25,335, an increase over the corresponding month of 1916, of \$15,390.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Sergt. Jos. McLaren, son of Mrs. Wm. McLaren, 185 Marlborough St., arrived in the city yesterday morning. He left as a private with the first contingent and was promoted on the field and received the silver medal for bravery. He was twice wounded and has been allowed home for a short furlough. A warm welcome was tendered him at Marlboro street Methodist Sunday school in the afternoon. The superintendent invited him to the platform, and all in the school rose and sang the National Anthem. The pastor explained to the school the meaning of the stripes and ribbon which Sergt. McLaren wore, and showed the medal the latter had so honorably won.

SNOW IN EAST.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, Dec. 3.—Heavy snow storms in Nova Scotia between Moncton and Amherst, ruptured telegraph connection between Montreal and Atlantic points to-day. Reports from St. John said that all wires, telegraph and telephone, were down. The Maritime provinces, telegraphically speaking, have suffered this year the worst winter in twenty five years.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Paris, Dec. 3.—Somewhat violent artillery activity on the Alsine front and in the Verdun region is announced in today's war office report. Otherwise there were only intermittent cannonading and raiding operations. The text reads: "In the region of St. Quentin and northwest of Fosse wood, enemy raids upon our small posts were successfully repelled.

"Between the Amiette and the Alsine, in the region east of Rheims and on the right bank of the Meuse, there was somewhat artillery activity in the course of the night. The cannonading was intermittent on the remainder of the front."

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

By Courier Leased Wire.
London, Dec. 3.—"Hostile attacks delivered yesterday evening against our positions in the neighborhood of Moesvires (Cambrai sector) were repulsed after sharp fighting," says to-day's official report. "Successful minor encounters during the night in the neighborhood of Bourlon resulted in the capture by London troops of twelve German machine guns and a number of prisoners. "Beyond considerable artillery activity by both sides on the southern battle front, there is nothing further to report."

BORDEN ON TOUR

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Special Sale of Linens Now On. **OGILVIE, LOCHHEAD & CO.** Toys and Xmas Gifts Here Galore.

Christmas Displays at Brantford's Best Xmas Store!

Come down and see the splendid displays of Gift Merchandise ready in every detail. On the second floor is Toyland, where Children's dreams come true. All through the store are Xmas displays---you see them everywhere

Time to Start Making Gifts
And those who make their Christmas Gifts—and want them unusual—will like this showing of art goods.
38c Stamped Pillow Cases for baby, several pretty designs, stamped on good quality cotton. **25c**
Thursday
85c Corset Covers, in easily worked designs, good quality material. **60c**
Sale Price
Children's Rompers, stamped in blue and linen. Very Special for this Sale. **50c**
Stamped Pillow Cases 69c a pair also day slips, stamped on a good quality circular cotton, all very new designs, **69c**
Thursday, \$1.00, 85c and

Large Size Turkish Towels
Stamped in several dainty designs excellent value at a pair **\$1.00**
Smaller size Turkish Towels to match at a pair **70c**
Stamped pieces on pure linen, in pretty designs with new scalloped edge, all at special prices for this sale.

Handkerchiefs
Finest Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, dainty embroidered corners. Very Special at **25c**
Lace and embroidered Handkerchiefs. The designs of which are wonderful in their delicacy, and perfection. Some are **\$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00** and

An Umbrella
Always an Appreciated Gift
A new assortment of umbrellas for men and women close rolling steel frame, fine silk and wool covering. Straight or crooked handles, \$3.00, \$2.50 **\$2.00**

Haven't Bought Your Winter Coat Yet
Stylish Winter COATS
At Unusual Savings **\$13.50**
In this collection you will find just the coat you want for street, for motoring for general utility wear. There are plenty of sizes for women and misses. These coats are made from Chinchilla, Zebeline and tweeds, in navy, brown grey and black, with large collars, belted and buckle trimmed, body and sleeves lined. Values up to \$16.00. Sale Price **\$13.50**

New Winter Coats \$16.50
A great saving when you consider that the price of these coats has already advanced many Dollars over our regular price. The coats themselves are made from all wool fancy tweeds and chinchilla cloths, in several shades large cape collars; with band of mole plush, pockets trimmed and belted, with fancy buttons. These are excellent styles and values up to **\$21.00 Sale Price \$16.50**

Bath Robes Are Such Snugly Things
Soft and warm even to the colorings are these comfortable Bath Robes for women. They are in very pretty designs grey, copenhagen, blue red and rose with square or round collars, trimmed with self colored ribbons, finished with cord at the waist. Special Sale Price **\$4.75**

Special Values in Dress Goods
Fine Wool Plaids, 42 inches wide, in clan, Tartans and mixed plaids. Very special value at per yard **\$1.25**
Fine Soft finished all wool Serge that cannot be replaced to sell for \$2.75. Black and navy only. 50 inches wide, extra good value at a yard **\$1.95**

Pretty Ribbons
Fancy Dresden and Roman stripe ribbons six inches wide, suitable for fancy work bags, camisoles, Children's Hair bows and many fancy things for Christmas Gifts, regular 50c value **35c**
Thursday
A beautiful assortment of plaid, Dresden and Roman stripe Ribbons, 7-inches wide, regular 75c value, Special Sale Price **48c**
Moire Silk Ribbons and Taffeta Ribbons, seven inches wide full range of colors this line comes in a good stiff quality and makes splendid Hair bows. Special prices 35c and **25c**

White Ivory Sets Make Real Xmas Gifts
A wonderful range of Toilet Sets in French Ivory, containing from three to fifteen pieces. Prices ranging from \$14.95 to **\$3.25**
Beautiful Ivory Mirrors, with round and straight handles. Price from **\$1.50**
\$4.95 to
French Ivory Novelty pieces, Hair receivers, Powder Boxes, Talcum Holders and shakers, Jewel Boxes, Tooth paste holders, Tooth Brush holders, Bonnet Brushes, Perfumes. Bottles all at Special prices.

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TERRACE HILL
The Union Evangelistic Services were continued on Sunday evening last when the Rev. Mr. Slemin preached in Sydenham Street Church. There was a large congregation. His text was taken from St. Luke 23:33. "And when they were come to the place which is called Calvary, there they crucified Him. There we see the scene of the world's greatest tragedy, the scene of love's mightiest triumph and the place where Christ opened the door into the Christian life." The sermon was a strong presentation of the value of a sacrifice that is being made to-day—the sacrifice of life's blood—only in this case it was the blood of the Highest shed for the salvation of the world. In St. James' Church yesterday Prof. Andrews preached a powerful sermon, taking for his text, "Be ye not afraid of them: remember the Lord which is great and terrible and fight for your brethren, your sons and daughters." This command Borden obeyed his season tour of the Maritime Provinces to-day. He addressed a meeting of ladies here this afternoon, and to-night will speak at a mass union meeting. Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works, will support the prime minister. The week opens with one change in the election fight in New Brunswick. A. C. Chapman, one of the two Unionist candidates in Westmoreland county, has retired, leaving the contest between Dr. C. E. Price, Unionist, and A. B. Copp, Laurier Liberal.

Men from all classes, rich and poor alike, donned the kiki and drilled side by side, for the defence of our rights and those of the civilized world. They went to the front, inspired with the true spirit of British citizenship, and those that survive and are still in the trenches, appeal to us for help, for more men. The question as to whether we shall listen to that appeal, and more men has become a national crisis in our political life. Impossible as it may seem, inhuman as it may appear, there are some people who deliberately turn a deaf ear to our duty. There can be no mistake. The issue is so momentous that we as a Christian people should make every effort to secure as large a vote for the Union Government as possible. May God grant that we may prove equal to our trust. It was an inspiring address and deserves the serious consideration of every thoughtful and patriotic citizen. A fighting force of 100,000 men, comprising priests and peasants of the Tibetan plateau, has been offered to the British Government for service with the allies, by Dalai, the great lama and E-Hassa, according to Edmund Heller, naturalist, who after several months exploring in the wilds of Tibet, has returned to civilization. Mr. Heller was here to-day on his way to New York with 300 specimens of mammals for the American Museum. Derry, Pa., Dec. 3.—Twenty-seven persons, including a number of passengers, were injured here to-day when Pennsylvania railroad train No. 213, bound to New York, struck a freight car in the yards. The car, which had been put on a side track for repairs, was so close to the main track that it was sideswiped by the fast passenger train.

The Royal Loan & Savings Co.
Dividend No. 106
NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND OF TWO PER CENT, on the paid up Capital Stock of the Company being at the rate of eight per cent per annum) has been declared for the three months ending December 31st, 1917 and that the same will be payable at the office of the Company on and after January 2nd, next. The transfer books will be closed from December 20th to December 31st, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board of Directors.
W. G. HELLIKER,
Manager.
Brantford, Nov. 30th, 1917.
Honolulu, Dec. 2.—After fourteen fishing sumpen and the men were brought here. All of the refugees had suffered severely from exposure and exhaustion. They had plenty of food but their water supply was insufficient. The little craft sailed 850 miles by chart toward Honolulu when it was picked up. The crew left the sinking ship in two boats. One was picked off the island of Oahu by a Japanese up November 21, by a Japanese boat.

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COMING EVENTS
RED CROSS ENVELOPES for December, are now due.
MISS CLAYTON, one of the foremost speakers of Canada, will address a mass meeting of women electors in the Conservatory Hall, on Monday, December 3rd, at 8 p.m. Gentlemen cordially invited.

ALL SUPPORTERS, both men and women, of the Union Government, resident in Sub-Divisions 7 and 8, Brantford are requested to attend an organization meeting on Tuesday, 4th Dec. at 8 p.m. at 38 Dundas street.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
WANTED—Boy to drive delivery wagon. Apply 180 Nelson. W. T. Pearce. M]8

WANTED—A thoroughly competent maid. Good cook, wages \$30 per month. Apply 266 Park Ave. F]14

FOR SALE—30 White Leghorn Pullets. May hatch, also pen Buff Leghorns \$15 125 Oxford St. L]8

LOST—Between 324 Dalhousie and Crompton's store, a small purse Reward. Return to Andrew L. Baird Temple Building. L]8

WANTED—Experienced chocolate dipper steady work, good wages. Apply Tremaine, Market St. F]8

LOST—Saturday night purse containing Gold Watch initialed (J. C.) and sum of money between Barton's and Bank of Hamilton. Liberal Reward. L]14

TO RENT—Barn. Apply 37 Colborne St. T]8

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Electoral District of Brantford.
 NOTICE is hereby given that Harry F. Harrup of Brantford, Machinist, is the duly appointed Official Agent of Morrison M. MacBride, a Candidate in this election.
 Thos. S. Wade,
 Returning Officer.

Come in and see our line of Christmas gifts. You are sure to find something suitable. Be sure to get your Victory Loan Bond coupon.

T. J. MINNES
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 Phone 301. 9 King St.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The final meeting of the 1917 Brantford township council was held to-day at the Court House. All the councillors were present.

Medical Health Officer Dr. Chappin's report for the year was submitted, showing the health conditions of the township to be most admirable. During the year there have been comparatively few cases of contagious diseases. There were five cases of typhoid, three of diphtheria, and one each of scarlet fever, tuberculosis and whooping cough. The typhoid fever cases were located for the most part, in the Parkdale district, where there are no sewer connections, no system of garbage collection, and where well water is generally in use.

A number of deputations waited upon the council requesting that, where the roads were bad in the township, that snow fences be erected. While nothing definite was done, the councillors favored the suggestions, feeling it cheaper to build the fences than to pay for having snow removed.

The usual grant of \$500 to the Brantford General Hospital for maintenance was passed.

Acting on behalf of Mr. S. S. Noble, Brower and Heyd wrote the Council stating the property of their client had been flooded and consequently damaged through the township drain running through his property. The solicitors requested remedial action be taken to avoid legal action. The letter was referred to the township solicitor.

Township Assessor G. T. Wood wrote the Council placing a valuation of \$50 per acre on that portion of the New England property used as a driveway by Mr. Morrison.

THIRTEEN CONVICTS ESCAPED

Baker's Dozen Broke Through Steel Doors and Stunned Two Guards

By Courier Leased Wire

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 3.—Thirteen convicts escaped from the State Penitentiary here early to-day by breaking through steel doors and beating two guards into unconsciousness. The guards on the penitentiary walls fired many shots at the fleeing convicts, but owing to darkness it is not believed any were hit. A posse of sixty started in pursuit of the prisoners who took a southerly direction.

The thirteen men were in solitary confinement. For having caused disturbances last week in the cell houses. To escape they had to break through a heavy steel door which leads into the "solitary" from the prison corridor.

Warden Murphy stated that the men could not have escaped without the assistance or connivance of somebody about the prison. Three of the men were serving life sentences.

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 tish officers sized up the situation and, before starting to shoot, signalled to their allies to lie flat on the ground.

The engineers dropped where they stood and in another instant a steady stream of rifle and machine gun bullets was whining over them.

The British pushed forward far enough to enable the engineers to join their rifles and thus saved them.

But these engineers and others repaid the score for they took their places in the fighting line and battled like tigers.

The fame of the exploit of the engineers spread rapidly through the army and the correspondent has heard them talked about on every side, their magnificent service having been received with the deepest appreciation everywhere.

U. S. Engineers to Fore.

With the British Army in France, Saturday, Dec. 1.—(By The Associated Press).—American army engineers working in the region of Gouzeaucourt joined the fighting ranks of their British allies yesterday and helped them stop the onslaught which resulted in Gouzeaucourt being enveloped for a time.

Many of the Americans were caught in the German turning movement on Gouzeaucourt and only escaped by capture by being concealed for hours in shell holes until the British had succeeded in pushing the invaders back. Hundreds of other men from overseas were subjected to tremendous shell fire from enemy artillery and great quantities of gas shells were thrown in the territory where they were working.

The German attack was made with greatly superior numbers and every available man was needed on the British side to answer its onward sweep. The Americans sent every ounce of their strength to this task, both as fighting men and as workers, and the important part which they played has drawn the highest praise from the British authorities.

Many of the engineers seized rifles and fought side by side with the Tommies throughout the bitter day, and many scores of them last night were armed and sent forward as volunteers to do patrol duty in the inhospitable zone before which a large army of Germans was encamped. One British general in conversation with the correspondent to-night spoke in the most glowing terms of the invaluable services rendered by the engineers.

"One cannot bestow any praise that is too high," he remarked emphatically.

Several trains operated by Americans were in the Gouzeaucourt sector, and hundreds of other Americans were in this territory when the Germans without warning swept forward in masses towards the town. Many of them working in the rear areas immediately provided themselves with rifles and joined the hard-pressed British or turned their hands to other important work. The experiences of these men and volunteers of those who were caught behind the German advance, probably surpasses anything which the expeditionary forces on the American front yet has encountered in the way of actual fighting.

One of the trains run by an American crew was west of Villers-Guislain, which was the first place through which the Germans charged on the southern flank of the offensive. Shells suddenly began to fall about the engineers and almost immediately they saw a horde of grey coats charging toward them. The driver of the engine saw there was no time to lose an d ran for a nearby shell hole. His four helpers sought similar shelter and they reached cover before they were seen by the Germans, although one of the crew was wounded slightly by a shell splinter. The five Americans lay in the shell hole for hours, with the Germans all about and only escaped after the British had counter-attacked and driven the enemy back.

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CAINSVILLE

(From our own Correspondent)
 Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams spent the week-end in London and vicinity spending a day at Rev. Mr. Pleyley's of Hickson, on the road home. They report the roads for motoring in A1 condition.

Mrs. F. Adams is spending one week in Toronto.

Mr. Walter Charlton and family of Hagersville, were the guests of Mr. F. Adams over Sunday.

Mr. T. Adams, has been selected as a jurymen on the grand jury for the Fall Assizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Islett celebrated their fifteenth anniversary on November 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Briton spent the week-end in Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Book of Weirville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Book.

Miss Evelyn Bradd spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. MacMillan.

Mr. Batchelor is visiting his family in Cainsville.

Miss Olive Turvey spent Saturday in Hamilton.

The Misses Brooks spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ross.

Prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Islett on Wednesday evening.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the Cainsville Women's Institute, it was decided to hold a Red Cross bazaar on Tuesday next, Dec. 4th, in the Orange Hall, afternoon and evening. Capt. Cornelius has kindly consented to give his address on the war.

Miss G. Campbell spent Tuesday in Hamilton.

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GREAT SUCCESS OF VICTORY LOAN

Total for Brantford and Brant County Nearly Three and Half Million

It was hoped when the Victory Loan campaign started, that Brantford and Brant County would achieve a total of \$2,000,000.

They have done much better than that, in fact one and a half million dollars better.

Offerings on Saturday totalled no less a sum than \$42,000, making a grand total of \$3,547,500.

The complete details will be issued later.

At twelve o'clock on Saturday night, the three weeks' campaign in connection with the Canadian Victory Loan came to a conclusion in the city and county and the returns compiled to date show that \$3,547,500 was subscribed in the city of Brantford, the town of Paris and the county of Brant, and it is confidently expected that when the results are complete the amount will exceed \$3,600,000, or a per capita subscription of \$72.

No further canvassing will be done, but the committee in charge in this county will be allowed to complete any subscriptions initiated last week. The banks have received instructions from their various head offices to receive cash subscriptions, and complete other subscriptions up until the 10th of the month.

The full figures as to division between the different provinces of the Dominion and the cities and counties therein will not be available for some days.

Chairman A. K. Bunnell of the Brant County Committee is greatly gratified over the results of the last three weeks of labor, and is especially enthusiastic with the work of the canvassers, the team captains and all connected with the local organization.

"They have every man," said Mr. Bunnell this morning, "done his duty to the full." There certainly was no better organization in any locality in the Dominion. Brantford should be proud of the response made by all classes of citizens especially the labor element. Not only the men but the women and girls vied with each other in subscribing not only their savings but pledging their earnings for the next year.

"The present victory loan is the first attempt to bring the saving and earning power of the masses behind the win-the-war movement. It just goes to show what the efforts of a free liberty-loving people can do, but the women and girls behind the first loan lit with fear and trembling, but the success of the present loan shows clearly that whenever further loans are required, the people will furnish the money as they are determined to make good the oft-reiterated assertion that Canada is in the war to the last man and the last dollar."

"Table of Payments"

First Payment	75c	10th p/m't	\$1.10	20th p/m't	\$1.40
2nd p/m't	75c	15th p/m't	\$1.10	25th p/m't	\$1.40
3rd p/m't	75c	20th p/m't	\$1.20	30th p/m't	\$1.40
4th p/m't	75c	25th p/m't	\$1.20	35th p/m't	\$1.50
5th p/m't	75c	30th p/m't	\$1.20	40th p/m't	\$1.50
6th p/m't	75c	35th p/m't	\$1.30	45th p/m't	\$1.50
7th p/m't	75c	40th p/m't	\$1.30	50th p/m't	\$1.50
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PLOT TO KILL FIVE

By Courier Leased Wire.
 Chicago, Dec. 3.—Evidence of a plot to poison Mrs. Bertha Hemple, a widow and her four children has been unearthed in Hanover township a pronounced German community, federal officials announced to-day. The Hemples incurred the enmity of some of their neighbors it was said, when one of the sons, a rural mail carrier, gave the federal government information which resulted in draft exemptions being refused several members of the community.

NEW SAILING FLEET.

By Courier Leased Wire.
 St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 3.—It is estimated that the fish exporters and other businessmen of Newfoundland have invested two million dollars this year in the purchase and building of wooden sailing vessels to carry island products abroad. The present fleet of 150 ships is almost entirely new, owing to losses of old vessels sustained since the beginning of the war through mines, submarine attacks and storms.

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CROWDS

Borden Club Overflow Hear W Issues of Support

Paris, Dec. 3.—(By reporter)—The enthusiastic marked every stage of Cocksbutt's campaign riding of Brant, reach the rousing reception endorsed candidate of Veterans and his work day night's meeting club rooms here. The to the utmost of its every seat taken, an eager listeners perch edge of the platform, of almost equal prop the hallway outside mitance, and a stretc down the stairs almos Vociferous applause speakers as they ente and a salvo of sponta which swayed the on greeted Col. Cocksbutt his feet, appealing in to his hearers for sup the war and redre pledges to the men of A feature of the p throughout the entir been the active intepation taken in the fly enfranchised woma try, and the fair sex ed in larger numbers than ever before in Brant County. At lea of those who through women, voters even and every one lined support of Col. Coc cause which he repr have from the outse note of Col. Cock and Saturday night's as thoroughly imb characteristic spirit gatherings of a like Loud applause re nouncement of Col. the close of the me had subscribed a to the Canadian Vic The chair was occ evening by Dr. Lov

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CROWDS TURNED AWAY FROM COL. COCKSHUTT'S RALLY

Borden Club Rooms at Paris Filled to Overflowing on Saturday Night, to Hear Win the War Candidate on Issues of the Day—Women Pledge Support to Col. Cockshutt

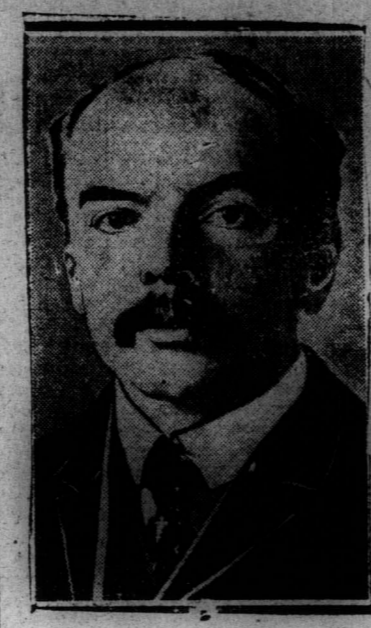
Paris, Dec. 3.—(By a Staff Reporter)—The enthusiasm which has marked every stage of Col. Harry Cockshutt's campaign through the riding of Brant, reached its apex in the rousing reception tendered the endorsed candidate of the Great War Veterans and his workers at Saturday night's meeting in the Borden club rooms here. The room was filled to the utmost of its capacity, with every seat taken and a number of eager listeners perching upon the edge of the platform, while a crowd of almost equal proportions thronged the hallway outside, seeking admittance, and stretched backward down the stairs almost to the street. Vociferous applause greeted the speakers as they entered the room and a salvo of spontaneous cheering which swayed the entire gathering greeted Col. Cockshutt as he rose to his feet, appealing in ringing words to his hearers for support in winning the war and redeeming Canada's pledges to the men overseas.

A feature of the present campaign throughout the entire Dominion has been the active interest and participation taken in the fight by the newly enfranchised women of the country, and the fair sex were represented in larger numbers Saturday night than ever before in the history of Brant County. At least fifty per cent of those who thronged the room were women, and every one lined up strongly in support of Col. Cockshutt and the cause which he represents.

Cleanliness, courtesy and civility have from the outset been the keynote of Col. Cockshutt's campaign, and Saturday night's meeting was as thoroughly imbued with this characteristic spirit as have previous gatherings of a like nature. Loud applause greeted the announcement of Col. Cockshutt, at the close of the meeting, that Paris had subscribed a total of \$225,000 to the Canadian Victory Loan.

The chair was occupied during the evening by Dr. Lovett, Mr. James Seace gave a favorable report upon the progress being made in canvassing the riding, support for Col. Cockshutt being pledged on all sides. The unanimous opinion was for a Union candidate, and an overwhelming majority were lining up behind Col. Cockshutt, within whose grasp would be found the substance of victory on December 17.

"In Grandview," he stated, "the division is about four to one for Col. Cockshutt, and I hope that this is an indication of the sentiment throughout the entire constituency. Lieut. W. G. Flowerday reminded his hearers of their promises to the men who had gone overseas. He painted a glowing word picture of the departure of Canada's heroes for the front, since which time many had died upon the altar of freedom. We at home had pledged our support to those heroes, and must keep our promises. Can-



DR. JAMESON. Man responsible for the daring South Africa raid has just died in England.

ada stood for all that was honorable, just and true, and the cords which bound her to the Motherland were drawn tighter by the crisis. "We must have courage and go forward," declared the speaker, "we must keep our solemn and sacred pledges to the men who have gone to the front, and we must back them up to the utmost of our ability. Will you follow the policy of Laurier, which is for joining the Russians and quitting the war?"

On the word of a British officer, the finest fighters of the world were found in the Canadian corps, and more of them were wanted. The speaker pointed out the long and honorable record of Col. Cockshutt and his family. The Bishop of Huron had declared Col. Cockshutt the greatest business man in Canada. Col. Cockshutt was asked by Gen. Logie and other military authorities to organize the 215th Battalion because they considered him the only man able to comb the remaining volunteers out of Brant county, which had already given heavily to the cause.

In the sacred precincts of a church, a speaker had denounced Col. Cockshutt as a traitor. "I ask you," exclaimed Lieut. Flowerday, "who is the traitor?" "Scott Davidson," declared a number of voices. "Quebec," declared others. "Aye, and Laurier," declared Lieut. Flowerday. "I have more respect for a man who will support Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the last, than for a hypocrite who will don the robes of Union Government and stamp as a traitor such a loyal Canadian as Col. Cockshutt. Who are the traitors? Treachery does not flow in the blood of such a man as Col. Harry Cockshutt."

Mrs. Mills at this juncture favored the gathering with a solo. Mr. John Day expressed the feeling of the farmers of Brantford township as growing daily stronger for Col. Cockshutt. The number of women present was an earnest of the part which women were to bear in the election and in the sacrifices necessary to the winning of the war. Brant riding was congratulated upon having a candidate of such calibre as Col. Cockshutt, and the speaker expressed confidence in his ultimate success. Mr. Day doubted the sincerity of eleventh hour converts to the Union cause. There was no doubt as to Col. Cockshutt's stand; his heart and hand had been in the struggle from the beginning and would be to the end.

After valued services for Brant riding, J. H. Fisher had been duly honored by elevation to the senate, and Mr. Day appealed to his hearers to make Col. Harry Cockshutt a worthy successor to such a worthy representative. Mrs. Benrose sang very pleasingly "Pay, Pay, Pay," and, as an encore, "We'll Be There."

Col. Cockshutt. "We'll be there, on Dec. 17," was the happy remark of Col. Harry Cockshutt, on rising to his feet. "I've got my back to the wall, and I am ready. I don't need to say anything about my opponents. It is not the individual it is the men you are choosing to represent your wishes and desires in parliament. Three of us are before the tribunal you are the judges, and you are going to conscript one of us. I want to be conscripted! I will give you service, I will do everything in my power for you, I will know no difference between those who helped me and those who opposed me. "Our politics have been lost, and the winning of the war is the one thing we pursue to-day. After the war is over we will do the very best for Canada and our constituents. "Had Russia but adhered to the allied cause, the war would have been practically won now, but she has fallen away, and put back the clock of victory for many months. I hope it will not be many years, wayside, undermined by treachery, but she is coming back now, and I hope that we may yet see the bat-

third. I know that I am going to be first. "We have two weeks from Monday to get in the final stroke of victory. To-night on the fields of France and Flanders they are casting their ballots. We are working for one great end, to win the war, and to win Brant, and I think we will win both. Don't forget that right must prevail, the Hun must be put down, and may God crown our efforts and may we live to see the day when peace will crown the world, and our children will rise up and call us blessed. This Canada of ours is still in its infancy, Canada is ours, Canada is British, and Laurier is not; I ask you to win this war for Canada, for the Allies and for world peace."

Richard Thompson "The best people in Canada, to my mind," declared Mr. Richard Thompson, "are you women, and the women of Paris are the best among their sex. The best men of Canada have gone to England, you women are their kin, and you are going to do the voting. You know who is the best of the three candidates in this riding. I believe in Harry Cockshutt. Sir Robert Borden has made mistakes, but his policy has been right, and he has always stood for the winning of the war. It is not worth while listening to the charges made by the opposition against Harry Cockshutt. He, we know, will stay where he has always stayed. Senator J. H. Fisher, in characteristically happy mingling of humor and gravity, deplored the villification necessarily attaching to any political campaign.

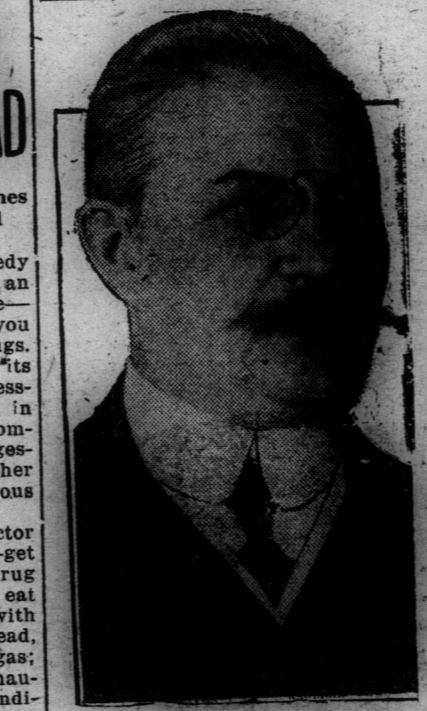
Applause greeted his announcement that Harry Cockshutt had the endorsement of the Great War Veterans, of both Brantford and Brant County, and of the women of Brant riding.

"I have not the slightest doubt of Col. Cockshutt's election," declared the speaker. "For every supported we are losing, we are gaining three from the other side. The vote is larger in other parts of the county, than in Paris, and I believe seventy-five per cent of that vote will be for Col. Cockshutt. We ask only fair play, we don't want to get down to personalities, we want to win on the broad principles of winning the war, and believe Col. Cockshutt the logical candidate. He is talented in no way whatever with Laurierism, and that is something to remember; he is a man who will be true to our principles, and is a man whom you can trust in every respect."

"Figures just placed in my hands," announced Col. Cockshutt, "show that the town of Paris has subscribed a total of \$225,000 to the Victory Loan. His announcement was greeted with tumultuous applause, and the meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem and cheers for Col. Cockshutt.

Rippling Rhymes

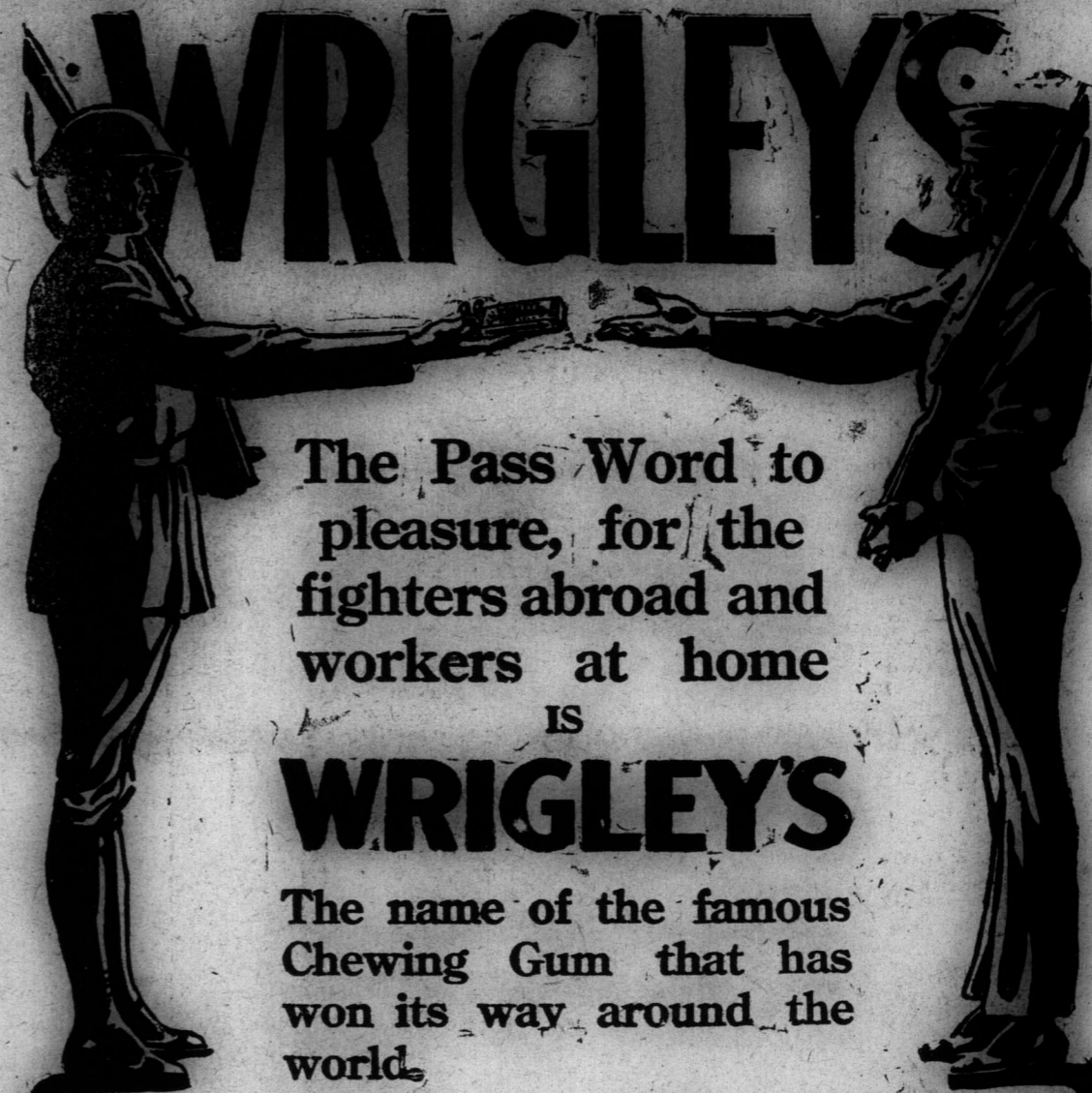
NOVEMBER WINDS,
November winds are sad and bleak,
November winds are cold; they make our knees and shoulders creak,
when we are waxing old. I hate the wind's forbidding tune, I hate the bleak November day; I wish the year could be all June, the month that's safe and sane. When winter's



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RUTH LAW The flyer, whom the United States army officers will not have as an aviator on account of her sex.

Cedric is one dandy little arranger

THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S ---By Wellington

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THERE WIL BE NOBODY AT THE RINK T LAUGH.

DEAR CEDRIC THOUGHT OF ALL THAT, AND HE'S ARRANGED FOR YOU TO RENT THE ENTIRE RINK FOR FOUR AFTERNOONS EACH WEEK UNTIL I LEARN.

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MAIN LINE WEST Standard Time. 3:46 a.m.—For Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.

BUFFALO AND GODERICH LINE. Leave Brantford 10:10 a.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.

GALT, GUELPH AND NORTH. Leave Brantford 6:30 a.m.—For Galt, Guelph, Palmerston and all points north.

BRANTFORD-TILSONBURG LINE. Leave Brantford 10:35 a.m.—For Tilsonburg, Port Dover and St. Thomas.

G. T. R. ARRIVALS. From West—Arrive Brantford 2:01 a.m., 6:38 a.m., 9:47 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 1:57 p.m., 3:50 p.m., 6:00 p.m., 8:37 p.m.

From East—Arrive Brantford 3:46 a.m., 9:05 a.m., 10:02 a.m., 1:52 p.m., 3:32 p.m., 7:32 p.m., 8:10 p.m.

From West—Arrive Brantford—10:00 a.m., 6:45 p.m. From East—Arrive Brantford—9:52 a.m., 6:05 p.m.

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LOAN REACHES \$350,000,000

Finance Minister Says That Subscriptions Will Aggregate This Amount 500,000 TOOK BONDS Overwhelming Success is Great National Triumph for Canada

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—Hon. Thomas White, Minister of Finance, in a statement issued last night thanking the Canadian people for their splendid efforts in connection with the Victory Loan makes the prediction that, with all returns in, the subscription will aggregate \$350,000,000 and the number of subscribers will number approximately 500,000.

St. Thomas says: "The overwhelming success of the Victory Loan is a great national triumph for the Canadian people. While it will be a week or more before final returns come to hand, we should not be surprised if the aggregate of cash subscriptions would amount to \$350,000,000 or more, from four hundred and fifty or even five hundred thousand subscribers. The result can only be regarded as a stupendous achievement for Canadian patriotism and for the high efficiency and zealous enthusiasm of the Victory Loan committees and workers throughout the Dominion which called it into play in this great and vitally important national undertaking. I do not think that any of us adequately realize the magnitude of the result which has been accomplished. Before the war the largest loan ever issued by the Dominion of Canada in London, the great market of the world, was six million pounds, or thirty million dollars. I recall that in 1911 when a Dominion guaranteed issue of seven million pounds, or thirty-five million dollars, was offered in London, something like a temporary panic was caused in government securities. Yet, now we have Canada itself, which was a borrowing country before the war, subscribing ten times the amount of that loan out of accumulated savings. In this Victory Loan Canada has certainly 'gone over the top.' Having regard to population and the number of our subscribers, it would appear that this loan has been the most popular and successful launched by any of the allies since the outbreak of the war, with the possible exception of the second American Liberty loan. On the average, one in every three or four families throughout Canada have subscribed for Victory Loan bonds."

Spirit of Patriotism. "The credit for this wonderful achievement is due, of course, primarily to the splendid spirit of patriotism pervading the great Canadian people—never so great as during the struggle and sacrifice of this war. One of the most remarkable features of the loan is the more unmistakably than ever they have proclaimed to the world through the Victory Loan their essential unity of purpose and determination to persevere until final and conclusive victory is attained. The outstanding feature of the loan is the splendid response of the great masses of the people. Industrial workers, operatives, artisans, farmers, business and professional men, great manufacturing and commercial and financial institutions all have contributed, patriotically and magnificently, to a result which will surprise the world. As for myself, I have not words to express my deep appreciation of the wonderful response of our wonderful Canadian people."

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AT THE GRAND



GRACE DUFFIELD, IN "PRINCESS PAT" AT GRAND TO-NIGHT

SIDE TALKS WITH RUTH CAMERON

HAVE YOU READ YOUR INSURANCE PAPERS?

What do you know about your insurance? Did you ever read the papers over and find out exactly against what and under what conditions you are insured?

I should think (though I have no statistics) that ninety-five adults out of a hundred must be insured in one way or another, against accident, fire, death or any of the innumerable things one can be insured against.

And I don't believe fifty out of those ninety-five have ever thoroughly read their insurance papers through.

What if an Invading Army Entered? Did you ever read the papers over and find out exactly against what and under what conditions you are insured?

Then someone asked the rules about lightning and no one knew that. Yet these things are taken up in my life insurance policy (I looked it up after the conversation), and I imagine in other people's.

Would you know the answer to these questions in regard to insurance? And would you know other things which enter into insurance risks, as, for instance: How about Gasoline? Are you allowed to have gasoline in your house? Can you have kerosene lamps? If you were filling a lamp by lamplight and had an explosion would you get your insurance? Do the relatives of a suicide get his insurance? Can You Carry Two Insurances? Are you allowed to have more than one insurance on a house? Of course it isn't absolutely necessary that you know all these things, but they are all interesting and some are rather important.

I'd like a dime for every reader-friend carrying insurance who couldn't answer them. I think I could buy the house of my dreams with those dimes.

Those Who Assisted. "I have to express my most grateful thanks to all those persons and agencies whose splendid and untiring work has done so much for Canada in making this loan so successful. It is impossible to particularize, but I must specially mention the press, the clergy, the Boy Scouts, the Victory Loan Executive, publicists, provincial and local committees throughout Canada and the splendid organizers at their head who have given their time day and night unsparringly to the great work. It has been a great triumph not only for Great Britain, but also for Canadian patriotism, but also for Canadian organization, ability which is, I believe, second to none in the world. The fine organization of the banks in their three thousand and more branches throughout Canada has greatly assisted, in promoting the success of the loan and facilitating its handling. I feel I should speak a word for the staff of the Finance Department and the generous assistance rendered by members of the civil service in other departments in coping with the tide of subscriptions pouring into Ottawa by every mail.

"I desire specially to pay my tribute to the work of the ladies throughout the Dominion, who, by their energy, zeal and enthusiasm have so greatly assisted in the great result. I cannot speak in too generous or appreciative terms of the untiring efforts they have put forth and of the splendid service they have rendered. I am inexhaustibly proud of the achievement of the Canadian people in the great and notable success of the Victory Loan."

The boys at the front are busy. Vote for Cockshutt and help keep the munition factories busy to help them.

Even the American fire ladders are knitting. Knitting for the soldiers is no longer solely confined to the ladies. The fire ladders with time to spare are able to make time to spare also of the job knitting all sorts of comfortable warm woolen clothing for the soldiers. These fire-ladders of Rome, New York have found quite a deal of time to spare while waiting for their orders to start. So all day and night the fire ladders on duty are at their knitting machines in the card room where cards are never played.

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Music and Drama

THE PRINCESS PAT

One of the most enjoyable things about the Henry Blossom-Victor Herbert musical play, "The Princess Pat," which comes to the Grand Opera House to-night, is the total absence of the usual invidious lot of chorus girls common to musical productions, nor is it weighted down with a collection of vaudeville players. Of course there is a chorus, both male and female, and the promise is made that it is comprised only of those not alone who are slightly but also singers. The nearest approach to vaudeville is the introduction of a pair of dancers of international repute. Of this latest work of the Messrs. Herbert and Blossom, it is said that it is a real musical comedy offering with an abundance of humor and a score that is truly a delight.

A CRY FROM FLANDERS

Come to our help, O Canada! Why do we wait so long For the rest of the boys to back us up. In the struggle with the wrong? I'm tired to-night, our work is hard, And our rest is only brief, Is it true that some of you do not care If we never get relief? There are lots of the boys we played with, Who haven't joined us yet; Won't you come and help us out Bill, Although you're "Mother's Pet?" There is many a mother's darling here, Above and below the sod, And whether we fight or whether we sleep, We're kept by the hand of God. O boys! if you will not come to us, The war will come to you, For you must surely bear its share, In "ringing in the true," Come to our help O Canada! We strive, we fall, we bleed! E. M. S. Terrace Hill Street, Brantford.

NEW WINNIPEG TRAINS

Travel between Eastern and Western Canada is always heavy in the winter months, particularly during December with its holiday season. To meet the requirements of the public, therefore, a special Daily Service between Toronto and Winnipeg is announced by the Canadian Northern Railway. West-bound, December 3rd to January 2nd, 1918, only; Eastbound, December 1st to January 5th, 1918, only. Thereafter, regular tri-weekly service will be resumed. A Through Tourist Sleeping Car will be operated between Toronto and Calgary as part of the above special service, and connection will be made with regular daily trains between Winnipeg and Edmonton. Service between Toronto and Vancouver remains tri-weekly, leaving Toronto Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, as at present. For further particulars apply to City Agent, or write to General Passenger Dept., Canadian Northern Railway, Toronto.

ECHO PLACE

Mrs. Blundal entertained the young friends of Master Harvey last Friday evening. Mrs. P. Smith and children visited Miss Hattie Rogell in Hamilton last week. Miss Hall of the Brantford General Hospital visited Miss Helen Smith last Sunday. Ladies' Aid have a bazaar next Thursday. Mrs. Styles entertained friends from Hamilton last Sunday. Miss Rose Trebble was married last Saturday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. D. Steed, Park road. Mrs. Phelps and Miss Reva spent the week-end with friends in the country. Mr. G. Hadaway visited friends in our village on Sunday.

FIVE CENTS STRAIGHT

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The Sealed Valley

By HULBERT FOOTNER

Author of "Jack Chaney" (Copyright)

(Continued from Saturday's Daily)
'I've been living in a dream the
last few days! All the time, he
teases me, and I love it, because I
know he is kind! All the time we
laugh, and the hours go by like
minutes!'
Once the opening was found Kitty
was not to be stopped from pouring
out the whole of her simple heart to
her friend. Nahnya held her close
and listened, and her dark head
dropped.
Kitty, raising her face at last, was
arrested by Nahnya's brooding look
upon her. Kitty had never seen eyes
so kind and so sad. Their look was
as deep as the sea.
'Annie!' she said sharply.
'What's the matter? Aren't you
glad?'
Nahnya pressed the girl convul-
sively. 'I am glad' she murmured,
bestirring herself. 'I love you. I
am glad if you are happy.'
'You were not looking glad,'
said Kitty.
'It is foolishness,' said Nahnya.
'Only—I think of my am young.
I want to be happy too!'
'You will be!' cried Kitty.
Nahnya smiled, with those eyes
that will never, never come to me!"
she murmured.
'Why not?' Kitty demanded to
know.
Nahnya laughed away the brood-
ing look. 'Foolish!' she cried. 'I
am just jealous! Tell me more!
How did he come here?'
Kitty, like every lover, was a little
selfish in her happiness. She allowed
herself to be reassured by Nahnya's
laughter.
'He was travelling down the river
all alone,' she went on eagerly, and
he lost his boat and everything he
had in the Stanley rapids, and dis-
located his shoulder besides. The
pain of it drove him out of his wits.
'For days he wandered in the
bush. Providence directed his foot-
steps to us, dad says. He pitched
headfirst through the doorway there
while I was working. Never in my
life was I so frightened!'
Nahnya had succeeded in putting
her own sadness out of mind. 'You
have not tell me what he look like,'
she said, warm with sympathy.
'He'll be here directly,' said
Kitty, blushing. 'You shall see for
yourself.'
Springing up, Kitty ran to the
door to look up the trail. He was
not yet in sight. As she turned back
into the room Nahnya asked:
'What is his name?'
'Ralph Cowdray,' said Kitty
shyly.
There was silence in the cabin.
The brook outside seemed suddenly
to increase its brawling.
Kitty, in her shyness, turned away
her head when she spoke the name;
therefore she did not see how Nah-
nya took it. Kitty waited for Nah-
nya to speak. The silence became
like a weight on them both.
'Don't you think it's a pretty
name?' murmured Kitty.
There was no answer.
Kitty looked at her friend in sur-
prise. Nahnya had not moved. She
still sat quiet in the chair, her hands
loose in her lap. But her head had
fallen forward on her breast.
The oblique glimpse that Kitty
caught of her cheeks caused her to
run to her friend and fling an arm
around her, and force her head up
with the other hand, that she might
see into her face. Nahnya kept her
eyes obstinately veiled, but she
could not disguise the snocking
graysness that had crept into her
curved cheeks.
'Annie! What's the matter?'
she cried in distress. 'You're sick!
Why didn't you tell me? Come lie
on my bed. Oh, how selfish I have
been!'
Nahnya got up, steadying herself
on the back of the chair. Her eyes
were blank and piteous. 'I am not
sick,' she said, measuring her words
syllable by syllable. 'I am all
right. I will go now.'
'You'll do nothing of the kind!'
cried Kitty indignantly. 'In such a
state! Come lie down, and let me
take care of you!'
Nahnya stolidly resisted Kitty's
effort to urge her toward the bed-
room. Her measured voice began to
shake in spite of her will. 'You
must let me go,' she cried.
'What nonsense!' cried Kitty,
clinging to her.
Nahnya's voice came sharp and
urgent. 'You must let me go or it
will be bad for all of us.'
Kitty fell back a step. 'Bad for
all of us!' She echoed in innocent
perplexity. 'What do you mean?'
Nahnya passed the limit of en-
durance. Her hands went suddenly
to her head. A low, wild cry broke
from her.
'I am a cursed woman!' she
cried. 'Always I know it. Where
I go I bring sorrow and evil. There
is no place for me! There is noth-
ing! All I ask for was a friend.'
Kitty thought she was out of her
senses.
'There, it's all right!' she said,
soothing her. 'You have me! You
will always have me! I'm so glad
you came here. I will take care of
you and make you well again!'
Nahnya made believe to submit to
her caresses. 'I am cold,' she mur-
mured with a sly glance. 'Get me
a coat, a shawl.'
Kitty flew into the bedroom. No
sooner had she passed the doorway
than Nahnya softly glided toward
the outer door. She was too late.
Before she reached it it was filled

The boys at the front are
busy. Vote for Cockshutt
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any skin. It is wonderful to smooth-
en rough, red hands.

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Our Fighters in the Lurch!

Hon. N. W. Rowell said in Toronto--"On Dec. 17th
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ments from CLASS ONE.

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tinker with a referendum. Modern warfare is a
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Government

Vote for the
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all else; who are resolved that no-
thing shall interfere with Canada's
participation and who realise that
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is now being shaped.

Vote for the Unionist Candidate and thereby
Defend the Men Who are Defending
YOU!

Unionist Party Publicity Committee

Good Night
Stories

YOUTH AND AGE
Once upon a time, long, long ago,
there lived an old woman who had
two sons, Dicky and Thomas. Now
every one loved Dicky because he
was good and kind to every one,
young or old. But Thomas was just
the opposite. He was cross and ugly.
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the roadside sat an ugly old woman
weeping.
'What is the trouble Mother?'
asked Dicky kindly.
The old woman told him she had
sprained her ankle and couldn't walk
home. After inquiring where she
lived, Dicky gathered her up in his
arms and carried her to a little hut
that stood in the centre of the
woods. Here waited her sister, who
was the very picture of youth. They
both thanked Dicky for his help and
begged him to remain and eat with
them. Night being near, Dicky ac-
cepted their hospitality, and sat and
chatted happily with the two sisters.
Just before the lights were turned
out the two sisters asked their guest
which he liked better, old age or
youth.
'Both,' exclaimed Dicky. 'Youth
for its joyous spirit and age for its
wisdom.'
The sisters looked at each other.
'That is what we love folks to say!
I am Youth and I bestow on you the
joyous happy nature of youth. It
shall remain with you till your dy-
ing day and all shall love you for
it,' said the young sister.
'And I give you long life and

wisdom,' whispered the old woman
for I am Age.
When morning came Dicky was
awakened by the gentle snowflakes
falling on his face as they silently
floated to the ground. He jumped up
and looked around. The hut and the
two sisters were gone, but by his side
there lay a bag of gold.
Dicky returned home and when
he told his mother and brother about
his wonderful experience, Thomas
became jealous and started that very
day to seek his fortune. He refused
to help the old woman, but never-
theless his feet seemed to lead him
to the hut of their own will. When
he arrived he was tired, and glad
to accept the sister's invitation to
dine and rest for the night. But
when they asked him the question
they asked Dicky, Thomas replied
that he loved neither.
'Youth is silly and Age is a nu-
isance and tiresome!' he growled. On
the instant there was a blinding
flash and Thomas knew nothing
more until he awakened to find that
his hair was whiter than the snow
that almost covered him, and by his
side lay a bag of stones.
Shivering in the cold, Thomas

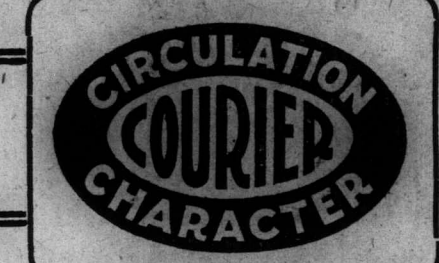
strove to draw his coat closer about
him, but it tore in his hands. He
took a step and his clothes fell away
in pieces. He had slept for years
in pieces. Youth was gone from his
heart, and Age was become for him
just what he had said about Age.
Shivering, stumbling, he fled into
the woods.
But all those years his little old
mother and Thomas had lived hap-
pily together, for Youth in their
heart made Age a happiness.

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ticæmia, 1; myocarditis, 2; pneu-
monia, 3; inanition, 1; cerebral
hemorrhage, 1; senility, 2; menin-
gitis, 1; hæmoptysis, 1; intestinal
obstruction, 1; premature birth, 2;
necrosis of foramen, 1; lymphatic
leukaemia, 1; heart failure, 3; tuber-
culosis, 2; carcinoma, 2; nephritis,
1; heart disease, 2; drowning, 1;
bronchitis, 1; morbus cereulius, 1.

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Paris, Dec. 4.-Dun front, west of the Germans last night led to apparent cessation of hostilities, but were there the War Office announced Champagne front. In the statement following the statement of the War Office, it was reported that the part of the attack on the Champagne front was quiet, and that the Germans were not attempting to approach our line. The War Office said that the firing on the Champagne front was quiet, and that the Germans were not attempting to approach our line. The War Office said that the firing on the Champagne front was quiet, and that the Germans were not attempting to approach our line.

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