d Reach

or Valor.

Hundreds

Will Soon Be Inade-

ing case is that of a Cossack

himself opposite a detach

horse was comparatively fresh ced that the other horses be

way. Suddenly digging his spurs ount he gave him his head and trusting to his horse's instinct im back to the lines.

wonderful agility innets of the even managed to pick up a ff the ground while going at full

fired a few shots at his pur-

ots took effect, striking him in left arm. He finally reached the dead from the loss of blood, and

ng aeronaut with three bullet his chest is one of the hos-

orites. On his breast glitters the

St. George, Russia's highest mili-

ation, conferred only for bravery eld of battle. He is only nineteen

ige, but has been a member of the

ps for more than two years. His told in the official records, is

sent to reconnoitre the enemy's fore dusk. It was in Galicia, erritory was unfavorable for a

any point. He flew a single ine and went up about 1,200 thich height, however, he could

out the exact positions. He

By zig-zagging with lightning

he aviator managed to stay at until he got the information

He had made his notes and was

return to his lines when an ex-

ullet struck one of the cylinders tor, chipping off a piece of the and a valve, and tearing away his jacket, inflicting to terrible

s thought the young officer uns scarf from his neck, stuffed it cap and continued his flight, but was ruined. He was forced to nd volplaned in curves until out of the enemy and effected a luckily, on the outskirts of a d. Making his way through the

went back to the place where he is aeroplane and succeeded in it back safely. He had himself wounds with the material he him, and only after his machine y stowed away did he put himthe hands of a surgeon. His were more serious than he and he had to be brought here now waiting for four weeks to sed he may return to the front.

n his chest.

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1914

SOME OF THE FINE OLD BUILDINGS OF YPRES AFTER THE BOMBARDMENT.

Capture of Belgium May be Imminent Following Allied Advance to Roulers-British Army Has Straightened Out Battle Line.

und indicate the beginning of the mpaign for the capture of Belgium. e occupation of this city would m an important step in any stratic plan to force the Germans to re-

Both the French and German officstatements tell of successes at vars points along the battle line in ince; in some cases at the same nt. Evidently the fighting has conted only of minor skirmishes. The tish success at Armentieres, close the Belgian border, will improve r position by tending to straight-

The further progress of the German sian supply service and greatly rees in Poland, south of Vistula, has ried them within fifteen miles of The immense numbers of the companion of the latter. arsaw. By this advance the army neral Mackensen is advanced 20 es, beyond the troops next to the

The Russians appear to making litcopposition to the move. For the
clience of Warsaw they have a circ of forts, which they may use as
c French used those of Paris. By
couraging the Germans to attack, to
cer-extend itself they gain an oportunity to strike a blow on the
crman flank by way of Novo Georgvsk that may have decisive effects.

The immense nu \*\* of the Rusgainst the Germans in the other

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—In his re-iew of the war situation the mili-der before losing the protection of ary expert of the New York Times

day says:

"If the reported capture of Roulers the Allies should be confirmed, it may be compared from the capture of Belgium. The occupation of this city would may an important step in any stranger of the strength of these Russian fortresses that the German army from Soldau seems to be breaking away from the railroad north of Novo Georgievsk. An advance to the fortress would mean large loss of life and even more important loss of life and even more important loss. portant loss of time.

The most important objective of this German army is not to capture forts or cities but to prevent the reinforcement of the Russian armies west of the Vistula.

By advancing on Pultusk and Rozjan, on the Narew River, the Germans avoid the Russian fortresses and strike directly for the railroads east of Warsaw. If they can carry their raid far enough to capture these railroads they will interrupt the Russian supply service and greatly weak-The immense numbers of the arm

ies of the present day make them peculiarly dependent upon an efficient supply service. All the resources of the country occupied by the enemy are soon exhausted. The line of communication to the rear forms the de-

the time a secondary importance. The armies on both sides seem to have slackened their efforts along this part of the line to devote greater energy The fortified district of Warsaw to the campaigns to the north and

The fortified district of Warsaw and Novo Georgieve on the Vistula interpretation of Warsaw, forms the central feature of the Russians such the north edefence of the Province of Poland. These cities with their circle of forts protect the principal military base for the supply of reinforcements of the Russian sin ammies. It seems unlikely that the supply of reinforcements of the Russians would make use of these supports and thus a start resort, a crushing defeat of the Russians would make use of these supports and the supply falling back so as to move them and thus gain their defensive line. As some the north and some and thus gain their the first of Forth facing the horse of Fife, immediately to the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of her allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the allies, as neither Austrian sare being of the weakness of the weakness of the all we a safe place, where they can a new advance to Cracow.



In the above picture is shown the destruction wrought on some of the fine old buildings of Ypres. The town is now in a most pitiable condition. It has for many weeks borne the brunt of the heaviest fighting yet experienced in the present war, with disastrous results. Formerly it was one of the most beautiful towns in Belgium, boasting of almost perfect architectural beauty.

# GERMANS IN EAST the Austro-German allies," says Lieut Col. Rousset, in The Liberte. "Germany has been compelled to support almost the entire weight of the war in order to make up for the weakness of her allies, as neither Austria nor Turkey amounts to much.

battle front the situation is critical for

FORCED TO FIGHT

The Daily Chronicle's correspondent the experiment, which already has cost him so dear."

The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Petrograd wries:

"The Daily Chronicle's correspondent the Experiment of the Germans are making a supreme effort to save Cracow. The fall of that city would allow the Russian for the Tsarizza and other members of fall of that city would allow the Russian floyal family."

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Bernhardi's Lat. est Book Shows German Ambitions.

#### His Comment in the Present Situation is Very Refreshing.

AGAINST THE END "The fierceness of the struggle in Poland is forcing Germany to withdraw troops from the west. When operations are a little further advan-

"Already, all along the line we are scoring. The Austrians are being beaten hands down by the Servians and Montenegrins. This is admitted

neves responsible for a "fancied" security. Without any particular reference to the United States, he says:

"From their first appearance in history the Germans have proved themselves to be a civilized nation of the first rank, and one may say, the civilized nation.

"World power or accline is Ger-many's motto by the will of history. We have no alternative."

GERMANY HEDGED IN

SETTLE WITH FRANCE

"In Europe we can acquire territories only by subjecting their population by force and arousing among the people an undying hostility.

"However, it seems necessary to arrive at a final settlement with France and it is quite possible to strengthen the triple alliance by enlarging it into a central European federation.

"The individual states of which such a federation would be composed might retain their independence. The creation of suc ha federation would greatly improve Germany's military position and would give a broader and stronger basis to our overseas policy.

"We must endeavor to acquire new territories throughout the world by all means on our power, because we must preserve to eGrmany the millions of Germans who will be born in the future, and we must provide for them food and employment. They ought to be enabled to live under a German sky and lead a German life.

"We must work in the German way for human progress. When the hour has come when a great German emi-

# SERVIANS MADE GREAT EFFORT

It Was Thought That Little

Army Was All but

Grouped with fittle optime enemy."

The Serbs report the capture of 25, 000 prisoners and 115 guns.

The reversal of form shown by the Servians is attributed to the fact that Shattered.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A cable to be Herald from London this morn-

By a mighty effort toward which



buted, the Servians have confirmed their victory over the Austrians by the occupation of Ushitza and Valiero. By these successes, King Peter's troops have regained most of their tritory towards the Bosnian frontier Austrians advancing frm the north.

From Vienna comes additional con-

practically every man under arms is now serving in his third war. He is a veteran, inured to the hardships of campaigning and the stings of de-feats. Neither is he able for long to corrupt his spirit. Rather reverses; tend to stiffen his martial back and make him a twice formidable enemy when the time comes for an about face and charge, or a smashing overwhelming rout. The Servians, retreating for six weeks before the advantage of the service of the se

**GERMANY IS SAD OVER NAVAL LOSS** 

BERLIN, via London, Dec 12—The armed and their crews imprisoned; From Vienna comes additional confirmation of the Servian victory in the official statement that the forces in the southern theare are being regrouped "with little opposition from the enemy."

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PIRST BAPTIST. 104 West St. Rev. Llewellyn Brown, pastor. Rev. Llewellyn Brown, pastor.

The pastor, Rev. Llewellyn Brown will preach at both services to-mortow, morning subject "Be filled with the Spirit", evening "Breaking Home Ties" or when the children leave us. Ties" or when the children leave us. There will be paptism during the evening service. The usual Sunday School service at 3 p.m. to which all are invited. The music of the day will be extra good and will be as follows: Organ "Reverie (Jackson) "A Shepherds Tale" (Mansfield) Offertory "Pastorale Fantastique" (Nevin) Anthem "Hymn of Peace" (Callcott), Mrs. Secord, soloist; Postlude "Offertory "Pastorale "P

Mrs Arthur Secord, Postlude "Marcia Fantastica" G Bargiel).

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH-Dalhousie St., opp. Alexandra Park.

Rev. W. E. Bowyer. Pastor. Rev. N. St Clair McKecnRev. N. St Clair McKecnRev. N. St Clair McKecnRev. H. G. Kent, Pastor.

Sunday school and adult classes a Evening, the pastor, subject "The ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Old Home." Music by choir, also so ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Cor. James and Brant Ave.

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DARK BAPTIST CHURCH. Cor. Darling and Darling Sts., opp Victoria Park.

Rev. Dr. Hooper, supply pastor; residence M.M.C.A., will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "A New Name for God." Ev. ening: "Why this is a grand and aw ful time." J. R. Cornelius, organist Bible school and Bible classes at 3 p.m. Visitors and strangers in the city most cordially welcome to all Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school and Bible classes, 3 p.m. Mr. Woodside, the minister will preach. Soloist, Mrs. Leeming and Mr. Maudsley. The public invited.

SHENSTONE MEMORIAL BAP TIST CHURCH. Cor. St. George and Grand. Rev. James Chapman, Pastor.

RIVERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH West Mill St. Rev. T. C. Richards, Pastor.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE. Rev. G. H. North, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Cor. George and Wellington Sts.

Pastor, Rev. M. Kelly The pastor will take charge of bot

Public worship 11.00 a.m. and 7.00 a.m. The evening subject will be The Scriptural Basis of the Christian Sabbath."

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3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible classes; rector's adult bible class.
7 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. "War, and the Second Coming of Jesus Christ."

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Public services, morning sermon, "Our Text Book"; evening talks to the young people. Brotherhood, (speaker, Mr George Chrysler); class and junior league meetings at 10 a.m.
Sunday school at 2.45 p.m. A có lial welcome is extended to all, especially strangers. Free seats Music. Morning, anthem, "I heard the voice of Jesus say" (Minshall). Solo, "Come unto Me" (Coenen). Mr Chas. Durwen, of St. Andrew's church, Toronto. Evening, anthem, "Pilgrims of the Night," (Nichol), soloist, Miss Corinne Chave; anthem, "The Wilderness" (Sir John Goss), soloists, Miss Bloxham, Miss Limburg, Messrs J. W. Subbins and C. Dawning from "Heart Songs" even might—the nation is certainly expected with a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied with a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied with a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied with a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied with a million throad satisfied with a million throad satisfied. With a million throad satisfied with To-morrow The Rev Frederick E Malott B.A. B.D., of St. Marys, will preach morning and evening.

Music: Morning: Opening voluntary, Adagio, (David Clegg; anthem, Send Out Thy Light (Gounod); offertory, Sursum Corda (Elgar); solo, Dare to do Right; concluding voluntary, Bridal March. (Lohengrin) (Wagner), soloist Mr. Stewart Sanderson. Evening: Opening voluntary Cavatina (Raff); anthem, Saviour Thy Children Keep (Sullivan); offertory, Salut d'Amour, (Elgar); duet, "Forever with the Lord" (Gounod); concluding voluntary, Impromptu (Clifford Higgin); vocalists Messrs. Halrod and Houghton.

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COLBORNE ST. METHODIST.

Rev. T. E. Holling, Pastor.

10 a.m.—Brotherhood. Mr. John
Mann's Class. Young Ladies' Class.

11 a.m.—Divine service. Subject of
pastor's sermon, "Desire and Decis-We have already laid away a great many articles for 2.45 p.m.—Sabbath School and Adult Bible Classes.
67 p.m.—Public worship. Subject—
"Bringing back the Banished."
The music for the day is as follows:

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Morning Anthem, 'Come, let us join
our cheerful songs," (Churchill), solo
"The Good Shepherd" (Van der
Water), Mr. G. N. Crooker. Evening,
Anthem (selected); solo "There's a
beautiful land on high" (Taylor) Mr.
Walter Carpenter. G. C. White, Or-

ganist and Choirmaster.
All are cordially invited to the services and meetings of this church.

Rev. D. E. Martin B.A. pastor.

preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sab-bath school at 2.45 p.m. Sabbath about anniversary, Sunday, Decem-ceth. Good music and a cordial

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#### Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased use items of personal interest.

Mr. Stanley Buck was a visitor i Miss Edith Buck returned yesterday

Mrs E. L. Goold is spending a few Mrs. W. F. Paterson was visiting ther sister, Mrs. Harvey, in Hamilton this week.

Mrs. Harry Cockshutt gave a small tea yesterday afternoon for Mrs Hale of London.

to the city. Mr. and Mrs. Day, Peel street are the hosts of Mr and Mrs Fred Lundy of Regina.

Mr. Charles Darwen of the Bank of Hamilton, Toronto, is spending the week end at 140 George St. Miss Leita Paterson, has returned rom a pleasant sojurn with Hamil-on friends, on Dundurn Road.

Mr. Stanley Buck returned on Wed-esday from a pleasant trip with Ot-awa friends to New York.

Mr. Redferne Hollinshead of Tor-nto, is the guest of Mr. Jonathan urbank, Brant Avenue, over Sunday. Lieut Bishop of the 25th Brant Dra-goons was a visitor in the city dur-ng the week and combined business

Mrs. Arthur Roberts and her children have returned to the city after a visit to friends in Waterford and Windham Centre.

The many friends of J. P. Browning will be pleased to learn that he is gradually resuming his duties as magistrate's clerk.

It is interesting to note that Christmas gifts from the boys at Sal-isbury Plains to friends in the Dom-inion will be declared duty free.

A pleasant custom was observed by the police authorities during the wek when they sent Christmas presents to the late officers now at Salisbury Plains.

Brantford friends will be interested to know that Dr. Geo. Hale of London is going to the front with the medical section of the second contin-

Rev. T. E. Holling and Mr. E. Sweet have returned from a visit to Toronto where they attended a committee meeting deailing with the new Methodist Hymn Book.

Journal, Fort William.

Mrs. Digby was the hostess on Thursday afternoon at a most de lightfuit tea in honor of Mrs. Jefrey Hale of London who is such a popular visitor in town. The tea tables were most artistically decorated with flowers. Mrs. Creighton and Mrs. C. H. Waterous poured tea and coffee, whilst a bevy of fair assistants were: Misses Doly Digby, Kathleen Digby, Doris Hardy Marjorie Wiles, Emily Bunnell and Dorothy Wilkes.

Mrs. H. Mck. Wilson, Dufferin avenue, gave a small bridge on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. B. Forsayeth, who is shortly leaving town for Hamilton.

The "Y" girls met at the home of Mrs. Patterson, 143 William street on

The "Y" girls met at the home of Mrs. Patterson, 143 William street on Thursday evening, when an excellent program was given which included a bible reading by the president, a piano solo by Miss Zella Perry, a recitation by Miss Annabel Ryerson, and an address by Mrs Lavell. A number of "Y" and soldier songs were sung by the girls after which refreshments were served. A vote of thanks was heartily given to the hostess of the evening, after which the girls dispersed. The next meeting will be persed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hurley, Lorne Crescent, on the second Thurs-

He was not very sober and had ridden for an hour or two in the taxicab, when the chaufeur stop-the passenger. "Eighteen shillings and sixpence, sir," was the reply There was a pause; then: "Well, look here, driver," said the passenger; "just back up and keep going backward till you come to two shillings—it's all I've got."

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The members of the Nomenkum Club held a very enjoyable party on Wednesday evening when they were entertained at the home of Miss Josephine Waldron, Marlboro street.

At the monthly meeting of the Contained at: Toronto 3, Ottawa 2, Guelph 1, Onondaga 1 and Caledonia 1. The barley was grown on his own farm and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, a goodly number gathered to hear Rev. G. A. Woodstellar and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, a goodly number gathered to hear Rev. G. A. Woodstellar and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, a goodly number gathered to hear Rev. G. A. Woodstellar and I. The barley was grown on his own farm and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, a goodly number gathered to hear Rev. G. A. Woodstellar and I. The barley was grown on his own farm and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, a goodly number gathered to hear Rev. G. A. Woodstellar and I. The barley was grown on his own farm and is the O.A.C. variety, being selected the Pope's party of Music, on Thursday evening when they were entertained at the home of Miss Josephine Waldron, Marlboro street.

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Mrs. Arthur Kohl was in town for a few days this week arranging for improvements in the Bank of Montreal house, Dufferin Avenue. She will not leave Brockville until after Christmas. Mr. Kohl in the meantime is a guest at the Kerby House.

An excellent and successful talent tea was held by Mrs Shultis' Sunday school class at her home, 60 William street yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of raising funds for the purpose of raising funds for the purpose of raising funds for the splendid efforts.

Mrs. F. Luck, 212 North Marks street, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Catharine Cameron (Daisy) to Mr. Alva F, Pitcher, son of the late J. P. and Mrs. Pitcher, Brantford, the marriage to take place in St. Paul's Church, Fort William, on Dec. 16th.—Daily Times-Journal, Fort William, on Dec. 16th.—Daily Times-Journal, Fort William.

Mrs. Digby was the hostess on Thursday afternoon at a most de

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Has Played Like Sports-Men and Given Liberally to Charity.

The Tutela Football Club has added to its already long list of successes. Its success on the field is rivalled by its success as a social entertainer. Last night the officers and players of the club, headed by the President of the worthy brigade, along with a few officials of the League, gathered at the welcoming parlors of Mine Host Crumback, to do justice to a goodly display of that, which is material to the welfare of the inner man. A splendid congenial spirit reigned throughout the evening, and was ably upheld by the programme provided.

what date line, or whose name, it may reappear.

One of the few graphic and authenic surface in afternoon paper here on a recent Sunday. It was cabled to New York the same evening. The next day a Paris newspaper picked up the story and that afternoon another paper did the same thing. Other papers, morning and afternoon, ran the story on Tuesday. And then on Wednesday morning, an English newspaper printed the item as a "special despatch from the north of France," over the signature of an authentic war correspondent. phelodid congenial spirit reigned proughout the evening, and was ably pheld by the programme provided. President Ward, in a brief opening

president elect Leischman responded to the toast and advocated the patronage of the cup games. The officers for 1915 would give it their hearty support. Robt. Blues also replied and dilated upon the clubs who fought through the past season.

"Our Officers," were toasted at the instance of Secretary F. Clarke, and he spoke of the great benefits conferred upon the club by the excellnce of its officers. President Ward replied suitably and commenting upon the remarks of John Hill, said that football was doing something to perpetuate its memory in supporting the charitable institutions of the city. Vice-President, Lloyd Miller of the club, responded also putting, in a word for the good sportmanship of the Tutela brigade.

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The presentation of the lockets presented by the league took place, and the following members received tokens: F. Clark, E. Hamilton, E. Collin, Joe. Hingley, C. Gore, H. Stanley, T. Mason, Hubert Hingley, F. Burns, G. Barley (on active service) C. McLeod, W. Bowden, J. Tigwell, R. Vining, E. Fisher, G. Adkins, manager.

From a referee's point of view, given by Percy Farnsworth, Tutela was always known as a gentlemanly club and are always obedient to the dictates of the referee,

A number of two minute speeches
were given and helpful hints for

smooth run; handed out. The toasts of the evening had been The toasts of the evening had been pleasantly interspersed by songs given by various members and among the songsters were Messrs. McLeod and Roberts, in a duet, E. Roberts and N. McLeod. J. R. Cornelius accompanied in excellent style. With the National Anthem, a rousing wind up to the season was closed and Tutela are to be congratulated not only on are to be congratulated, not only on the playing prowess, but also upon their fine management in festive

CANADIAN LIKELY THERE. CANADIAN LIKELY THERE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12—At least one Canadian took part in the engagement between the British and German fleets off the Falkland Islands, if it is true that the Indefatigable was one of the British vessels. He is Engineer-Lieutenant Stanley N. De Quetteville of Montreal, who joined the Indefatigable in May 1912, though he is still an officer in the Canadian navy, which he joined in 1910 as an officer on the Niobe. Lieut. De Quetteville was loaned to the British navy by the Canadian Naval Department.

The Christmas mail for the Old Country beat the record.

#### Newspapers at Paris Having Rough Time

=\$ Financial, Commercial and Real Estate \$

PARIS, November— (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Peculiar things happen to news in these days when it is so scarce and censors are so strict. Much news is "lifted" from one newspaper into another, and when a writer gets a story into print there is no telling under what date line, or whose name, it may reappear.

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The temporary disappearance of the illustrated journals was a severe blow to those who gather around the kiosks and get cheap information and diversion from the dozens of periodicals displayed.

#### Reaction Now-Germans | Wake Up to Facts

running next year, were

BERLIN, November. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)
—Evidences of the reaction of German officers and soldiers fighting at the front against the tendency to belittle the fighting qualities of the enemy continue to accumulate.

Soldiers' letters and returning soldiers speak in terms of high appreciation of the military prowess and soldierly qualities of their opponents, and among several hundred wounded, with whom the correspondent of The Associated Press has talked in his visits to hospitals the last fortnight, no one sociated Press has talked in his visits to hospitals the last fortnight, no one was found who refused to credit the enemy in general, Russian, French and Belgian and English with bravery and military skill.

Distinctions are drawn, it is true, the British being generally reckoned as the toughest opponents on the west front.

west front.

The Germans had a high opinion of the fighting qualities of the French soldier before this war began. The fighting which occurred on the march from the Belgian frontier to the Marne and Paris, tended to lessen their respect for toughness of French

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"What! A big, hulking fellow like

you and you say your mother wouldn't let you?"

"Yes," said the recruit, "so I volunteered for mine sweeping."

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#### THE COURLEH



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THE SITUATION.

There seems to have been renewed ties. Did Strathcona fulfil them? activity in Flanders recently, where the enemy launched a vigorous offensive. From other sources it is reported that the Germans are carrying out a slow retreat. It is difficult to secure anywhere near an accurate review of the situation, because the cen sor still persists in letting things trickle through which may mean much and may mean little.

In Poland the Germans have again found that it is a long, long way to v. This is the third attempt as if the third attempt were 1 to failure like its predeces-

tack of the Russians on Cracow and the campaign in Galicia and East The war has got nearly to that Prussia may be interfered with. There stage where it is known who will pay the indemnity. It is just a case of plans materializing, for, as Paris crit- how much. ics point out to-day, the resource of A correspondent of the New York now. This critic looks for startling paper as "an intellectual ass." The events as the campaign becomes sometruth will out.

This critic looks for startling paper as "an intellectual ass." The should be given the man who holes out in Berlin in a drive, a long brassie what more prolonged. In the mean-time the Russians are applying the perssure needed to make the final President he would have interfered in what more prolonged. In the meanmoving backward, but forward, in right here. France and Belgium. Germany has The foreign vote can swing thirty

the Canadian Engineers are to go to France very soon. It will not be long before the entire Canadian troops are It is pleasing to know that not one there as well. In spite of the tremen- man from Brantford was sent back which chills one to read about it, City wasn't looking for. there has been but a small amount of ing warfare is no half-baked proposition, but the hardships the men suffer will tell with good effect in the long sickness. The Kitchener idea of learnrun. We want the Canadians to give paigning in Western Canada for some

Preston will create, or has already eight years ago. But, this time, Great created, a sensation in Canada, for its Britain was jealous of them. plain, outspoken criticism of the devious ways in which titles and fortunes of Mr. Preston's book.

ranged that the reversion would pass of ammunition and other huge exto the Hon. Mrs. Howard and her penses in war. And yet the pacificists heirs. Mr. Preston represents himself as having taken steps in the matter, interviewing members of the Canamen of the world would never stand dian Government whose concurrence for a European conflict. was necessary. When he got back to was necessary. When he got back to London, he congratulated Lord Strathcona on the change in the char-with it heavy responsibilities, and the acter of his title.

great men of the Empire were present, members of the Cabinet, field-marshals, admirals and Government

On India, whom the markets were

have heard of his resignation any time within the last six or seven years of his life. In fact, it was confidently looked for. Both sides knew that any suggestion from one would mean an open purse for election purposes at the disposal of the other. Neither party wanted him in Canada, each being fearful of his possible support of the other."

Finally he died in office, and was buried in Westminster Abbey as one of the Empire's great men.

Whether one will agree or not that rathcona was an Empire-builder, what lends greater force than ordinary to Mr. Preston's work is the fact that Lord Strathcona died with a fortune of over one hundred millions i his sole possession. This money carried with it tremendous respons

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Help the Kiddies enjoy their Yule

citement, why don't they invite Bour-

assa to Toronto for a speech? In decorating a captain who broke his parole, the Kaiser has crucified v. This is the third attempt o capture that big city, and it Bryan would say.

This much must be said of the Ger-The operations in Poland are man war machine. It is able yet to a critical nature. Their im- do the fighting on the other fellow's ce lies in the fact that the at- territory, and this means a lot.

the Kaiser's army is not inexhaustible, Times called Bernard Shaw an "inteland it is being tried to the limit just lectual asset," and it appeared in the

issue sure. The high seas are free of the European war long ago. The Amthe enemy's ships, the Allies are not erican people heave a sigh of relief,

lost already more than can ever be ridings, says a heading in the Toronto News to-day is to the effect that Globe. Not only can they swing elec-

dously hard training the Canadians from Salisbury Plains as a misfit. It have been put through, in weather is a distinction that the Telephone

When granting medals for overseas tions

book on the life of the late Lord by the Germans to influence American Strathcona let the dead rest, by any opinion, says the German people means. The book written by Mr. wanted war three years ago and also

Only one shot, it is said, reached were accumulated by Donald Smith, the British ships in the recent naval who afterwards became Lord Strath- encounter. When the advantage was cona. The Toronto Saturday Night of such a nature as that, it would this week carries an unbiased review seem that naval tradition never to surrender should be broken.

Mr. Prestons tells of the various manœuvres to which Lard Strathcona had recourse to have his title so arranged that the reversion would be a soldier is \$40,000, because of the waste

acter of his title.

"He replied before I could say any more: 'I do not know how these things are done. The Queen has been over one hundred millions may be presented this upon ma for some time.

things are done. The Queen has been pressing this upon me for some time, but I did not feel justified in accepting until now.' I was silenced, but enjoyed a good laugh with Sir John McNeil over it later."

The German Foreign Office has issued official notice that the Germans have no intention of invading Ireland. They will get a hearty reception if the title made.

Another entertaining, and equally spiteful, story is that of the great banquet given by Lord Strathcona to the Strathcona Horse in London at the conclusion of the Boer War. All the great men of the Empire were pressible to the Cabinet field.

They will get a hearty reception if they do. The Irish would show them that although they do not know what "raus mit dem" means, they are experts in the game of chucking out. The Germans, in fact, would learn who put the "riot" into Pat-riotism.

The Germans haven't made good. To his eternal credit, it is said, that he killed that cow near Antwerp.

Notes On the War

By An Unmilitary Critic

Here's an easy one: Does Przemysl hyme with "pertinacity or "per-

If the German navy doesn't come out and make good pretty soon the crowd will either be demanding rain checks or their money back.

"Italians excited" says a heading. All except Caruso, who pursues the even "tenor of his ways.

They have made von Hindenburg a Doctor of Divinity, Doctor of Laws. Doctor of Medicine, and Doctor of Philosophy. That's all. And now let them explain the deadly result to the Horse Doctors.

KITCHENER

"The Kaiser looks splendid," says Copenhagen paper. Which recalls hakespeare's observation in Hamle.

pleasing shape"
England has 116 famous golf play-

THE RHINE. (Samuel Coleridge—Written in 1796) The River Rhine, it is well known, Doth wash the City of Cologne, But tell me, nymphs- what power di-

Shall henceforth wash the River

Just the chance for Italy to slip on the ice and sprain its neutrality. If Count Zeppelin doesn't put off any better stuff than he has been giving them lately, the Kaiser will be under the painful necessity of asking him to hand back his Iron Cross. "Tipperary" is the name of one of our new warships. Musical as they are, the Germans never named a warship after one of Wagner's composi-

Lives of Germans all remind us, We must hit out with a thud,
And, departing, leave behind us,
Footprints smeared with Belgian
blood.

him the moving picture rights and a life membership in the Kulture Union. It looks at this distance as if the Zeppelin Airship Co. will have to pass its preferred dividend.

# SIR JOHN FRENCH CAPTURED BY

on India, whom the markets were contained and Government officials. There was a great deal to eat, and even more to drink. As a result, when an officer of the Strathcona Horse responded to the toast to the regiment, he made a violent speech, in which he stated that the noble corps in question could "lick anything in sight."

"One of us," he said, "is worth any five Frenchmen, and we can lick hout of the Germans."

One can easily imagine the consternation that ensued, and can sympathize with the great diplomat present, who, after dinner, said frankly, "D— the Strathcona Horse!"

Mr. Preston's explanation for Lord Strathcona's long tenure of office as High Commissioner is naturally the most unflattering possible.

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"Date of the Cabinet, As a result when any the markets were lately discussing as the absorbent of all the world's surplus of gold, one London writer now remarks that "the ability of India to import large avenue, of the Reservist, Mr. Dick Carey, 151 Eric avenue, of the Royal Berkshire regiment. Dick had a very bad time of it in England, being laid up with rheumatic fever shortly after his arrival at the depot. After being confined to Netley hospital for five weeks, he was let out and issued a medically unfit discharge, also a very good character. He is very grateful to the many Brantord friends who have cared for his wife and children during his absence, and wishes to thank them. Mr. Carey, who is very much shaken up and weak, will be unfit for work for some time to come. He also wishes to deny writing a letter published under his name some time ago.

Patriotic Speechest and Concert Made Night

A Success

Last night the Borden club journeyed to Paris with the addition of the Park Church quartette and J. R. Cornelius as accompanist. Representing the city were W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., Mayor Spence, R. T. Hall and Secretary Sam Seago. The visit wis evidently much amticipated in the "Underwear Metropolis," for the hall was crammed from the front seat and standing room to hall way entrance, and down on to the street.

CHAIRMAN R. THOMPSON

The visit was followed by Mr John fisher. He was followed by Mr John fisher, M.P., the veteran member for North Brant, who made one of his usual happy and direct speeches, emphasizing all the previous speakers' had said, and thanking the visit-ors for the risitor's car, several numbers were dropped, not before, however, "Tipperary" had been sung, and with cheers for each club, the hall emptied and one of the most enjoyable concerts of the season was brought to a close.

DEGADENT

CHAIRMAN R. THOMPSON

part well.

Master Lloyd Co'quhoun delighted the audience with a cornet solo, "Land of Hope and Glory," and was encored. Other numbers were excellently rendered, and all had a distinct patriotic flavor, and Mr F. Grobb made quite a hit in his effort "Glorious England."

England, Germany will once more occupy that position of utter insignificance which she occupied before 1866.

JUSTIFIES WAR.

There is scarcely a viewpoint from which Von Bernhardi does not justify war. Some of his principal utterances are:

MR. W. F. COCKSHUTT, M.P. The speaker of the evening was Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., who was received with many rounds of applause on his rising to speak. With characteristic ease he opened his address, and refraining from political bias, he gave a stirring and splendid summary of Britain's colonial expansion and the care of the Motherland for the Lion's Cubs, who had grown up far over the seas from her shores. They had returned her care with careless thanks in the past, and of-tentimes grown indifferent to their best welfare, which, as they had seen run. We want the Canadians to give us that valor and cool courage shown at Mons, but they can only do it with a physical training which hardens them for any task.

LORD STRATHCONA.

William T. R. Preston, formerly Canadian Emigration Commissioner in London, England, has not in his book on the life of the late I was the Canada for some time.

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The British naval victory causes rejoicing purely because German ships have been destroyed, and not because German ships have been destroyed and not because German ships have been destroyed, and not because German ships have been destroyed and not be

The chairman, R. Thompson, who was supported by Dr. Praser, save the Brantford visitors a hearty well-come, and the program was openal with a pianoforte solo, followed by the Trumpeter, by Mr. E. Roberts, and the quartette singing "Allan Water." R. T. Hall addressed the gathering in his usual energetic style and conveyed the greetings from the Brantford Bordens to the Paris Bordens. Both Bordens gave him a hearty vote of thanks for his effort.

J. H. Fisher, M.P., made a suitable reply, which was heartily aplauded.
Two selections from the program foilowed.

The "Recessional" (Kipling), Character Drama (Shakespeare) Mr. N. D. Neill; and "Mary" by Mr. Southworth was much enjoyed.

MAYOR SPENCE

His Worship, Mayor Spence, then addressed some short pithy sentences to the meeting. He was pleased to be present and glad to have the opportunity of addressing their club zt such a time as this. It was an unprecedented one, but every one was rising to the occasion and doing their part well.

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# to their own best interests had remained loyal, and the overseas army drawn from many lands now in England and soon to be in France, would ably give an account of itself. (Cheers). The quartette then obliged with The Dear Little Shamrock, and a life membership in the Kulture Indian life membershi Every employee here is a Canadian!

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# LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1914

SQUARING UP.

The Township Tax Collectors were busy squaring up this year's taxes at the clerk's ofice this morning.

PERMITS ISSUED.

Seventeen electrical permits to install wiring and light were issued during the past week by the electrical inspector, Mr. Mowat. HAVE OBLIGED.

The Public School Board has re-plied to the authorities at Chatham, who were enquiring re the appoint-ment of a school nurse and her duties

HOMEWARD BOUND

Two Italian Reservists left Brantford for service with their country's flag yesterday. This is only a little addition to the many who have already left the city for service. NO ENGLISH MAIL.

No British mail of any importance has yet arrived in the city this week, in spite of the fact that a local paper stated that a large British mail arrived yesterday.

CLOSING DANCE

The Conservatory of Music was the scene of a merry dance last night, when the closing dance of the advance class for the present year took place. A large number of young folks tripped the light fantastic to the splendid music provided by Messrs R Beattie and E. Barton.

Has been isolated and quarantined. He is now guarded closely. A number of cases have been suspected on the Indian Reserve and a number of dwellings have been quarantined in case of it spreading.

A HIGH PRICE FOR CHICKEN Mr. Wm. Ferguson, having just returned from the Winter Pair

HAVE SONS ON SERVICE.

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Apropos the concert held in Paris by the Borden Club, it is interesting to note that both the chairman, Mr. R. Thompson, and the speaker of the evening, Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, have three members of their families now on active service. Both spoke feelingly and appealed for the contingents to be raised in future.

LEFT BIG ESTATE.

The late president, D. R. Wilkie, of the Imperial Bank, left an estate of \$50,000. There being no will, his daughter, Mrs. M. A. H. Kerr, is applying for administration. The estate will be equally divided between two sons, Arthur, in the Royal Surrey Regiment, now in France, and Stewart, in the Royal Artillery, and Mrs. Kerr, giving each about \$160,000. Included in the inventory of the estate are 500 shares of Imperial Bank stock valued at \$105,000.

RETURNED TO COLORS

It is noted that in an English paper just to hand, that some thirty Camparts have rejoined the ranks, after having been missing from the strength after active engagement with the Germans in Belgium. This regiment was with the Coldstream Guards with whom P. C. Blanchard and Cobden were serving and whom Cobden worte of and said that they were totally wiped out, only nineteen remaining of the erfire Cameron regiment. This proves that a number supposedly killed, escaped after being cut off and it is possible that Blanchard ment. This proves that a number sup-posedly killed, escaped after being cut off and it is possible that Blanchard was cut off also, only to escape and

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PARKS' DRIVE PAY.

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Yesterday the mariage of John Lyman Smith and Ada Jones was celebrated by the Rev. A. E. Lavell, and a local police court case has a

COST OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Although the pay sheet of the Street Railway improvements is quite small, it does not represent the great strides made in the work of bringing the line up to scratch. Last week it

LIGHTS BROKEN. During the week ending December 5th the following street lights were found broken: Grant street, first pole west of T., H. & B. tracks, one lamp broken: Eagle avenue, second pole from Greenwich street, one lamp stolen; Peel street, corner Victoria, one lamp stolen

CASE OF SMALLPOX.

A case of smallpox has been re-ported at Harley, where John Hill has been isolated and quarantined.

Beattie and E. Barton.

FARMER'S MEET.

The Farringdon Farmers' Club which has been recently formed will hold regular fortnightly meetings on the first and third Thursday every month the first being held on Thursday, ec. 17th.

HAVE SONS ON SERVICE.

A HIGH PRICE FOR CHICKEN

Mr. Wm. Ferguson, having just returned from the Winter Fair at Guelph, won the silver cup for best collection of single comb white leg-horns in a class of one hundred and fifty birds. He sold his second cockered to Mr. W. Disney of Whitby, Ontario, for \$100.00. This is the largest price paid for any one bird at the Guelph show.

battery headquarters will be open off and it is possible that Blanchard was cut off also, only to escape and rejoin.

battery headquarters will be open these nights to receive recruits. The battery officers and their wives, are assisting in the military Christmas tree and any names of children, either of the men at the front or in the battery, should be handed in immediately.

ARE FINE PICTURES.

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The pictures shown at the Grand are the subject of much comment throughout the city. Everybody who has been to see them is talking of the splendid series that depict so vividily Britain's army and navy and it was stated by one visitor that any man who so far has never see the navy man or the soldier in real life, ought to see him in the pictures especially at this present juncture. They convey a very real idea of these dare-devil fellows, who many of them now dead, were taken especially engaged at peace manoeuvres for this production and the right of their athletic movements and workmanlike demeanor never fails to impress the patron of the movies. The pictures finish to-night and will never again be seen locally. Patrons of the Grand would do well to call there to-night.

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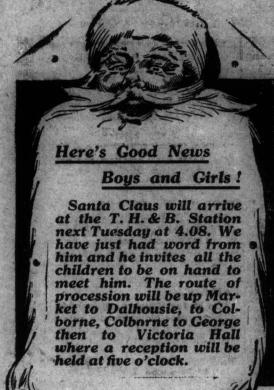
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cfficial statement was given out here yesterday regarding the naval battle off the Falkland Islands on December Remember the Auction Sale of Bremner Bros., carriage supplies, etc., on Thursday, the 17th. December, at 1.30 p.m., on the premises, 196 Dalhousie street, corner of Clarence St. S. G. READ, Auctioneer.

PERSONAL

Off the Falkland Islands on December 8, when the German cruiser squadron, commanded by Admiral Count Von. Spee, was defeated by a British squadron, under Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick Doveton Sturdee. The loss of the cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig is conceded by the Germans and little hope was held out that the cruisers Dresden and Nurnberg could long evade canture. The statement long evade capture. The statemen

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enemy's fleet, which consists particularly of big, fast, well-armed ships, there seems little chance that our two cruisers can long evade pursuit. nust, therefore, also reckon with the

"It is hardly to be expected from British sources that accurate information will be given of the course of the anflict or of the composition of the

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154 COLBORNE ST.

Herbert Adams of Paris, Sent Back Because of

sunk, were numerous, but there was but one official announcement, that to the effect that the losses to the British fleet under Admiral Sturdee were seven men killed and four wounded.

The announcement was given out by the secretary of the admiralty following the receipt of a brief cable dispatch from Admiral Sturdee, who added that all the casualties were among the men, not an officer being killed or wounded.

The dispatches regarding the engagement came from various parts of the globe. One from Buenos Ayres declares that the Dresden, the fifth and last of the German cruisers, was sunk eight hours after the Nurnberg was destroyed. This report is not credited here, though it is expected.

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Of Machinery, Tools, Etc. S. G. Read. auctioneer, has receive S. G. Read. auctioneer, has received instructions from John G. D. Cook, Assignee, to the Estate of Bremner Bros., Carriagemakers, to sell by public auction, of their premises, 196 Dalhousie street, corner Clarence St., on Thursday, the 17th of December, at 1.30 o'clock, the whole of the machinery tool and plant contained in chinery, tool and plant contained in said premises, consisting in part as

day, Dec. 17th, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, 196 Da housie street. Terms—Cash before

Sarnia City Hall was practically destroyed by fire early yesterday morning, supposedly caused by a cigarette dropped at a dance late the

# AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock and Implements Welby Almas has received instruc-tions from Mr. Frank Ryder to sell by public auction at the farm, 1-2 mile west of Harley on the Norwich Road on ThURSDAY, DEC. 17., com-

neiter, March 4th; 1 thoroughbres noistein cow, due Feb 15th, 3 spring aives (2 buils, one heiter), 1 bul

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Also one grocery wagon, 3 let light bobsleighs, 1 light sleigh body, 1 pair shafts, 6 heavy springs, 2 1-2 bunches buggy top bows, 37 bunches wheel rims, 4 lumber wagon poles, 12 rough lumber wagon poles, 1 lumber ragon axles, and a very large num

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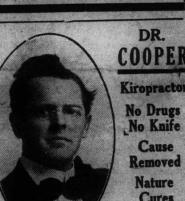
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said, "and though I have no pilot's certificate, I managed to pass the test, and was put in the flying corps with the grade of chief airman mechanic. I did not know where I was goings. I simply wanted to strike a blow at the Germans, I just wrote to my wife to say that I had joined, and as she is a soldier's daughter, I knew she would understand. In less than a week I was driving an armored motor car in France and Belgium and have driven over 2000 miles in a fortnight.

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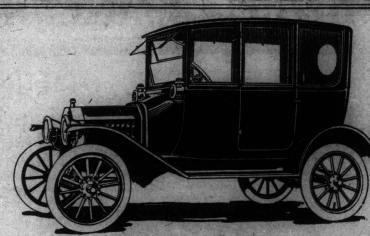
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the local House and make it of none effect.

The only body in Ontario that should have the right, or, as we maintain, has the right to exercise such power, is the representatives of the people who enacted and are directly responsible for the passage of the Workmen's Compensation act, and they alone, being directly responsible for the passage of the Workmen's Compensation act, and they alone, being directly responsible for the passage of the Workmen's Compensation act, and they alone, being directly responsible to the electorate, have the prerogative of making such drastic changes as it has been stated the Compensation Board has decided to put into effect.

Such action, it may, be confidently predicted, does not redound to the credit of the new administration, and looks as though the reorganied cabinet has made a surender to the manufacturing interests. It is well to remember that Labor, the most interested party in the administration of the act, is entirely ignored in its composition. While the manufacturers have a direct representative on the board, the workers of the province are entirely unrepresented, a manifest injustice on the face of it.

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It is just as necessary that the workers whom it is now claimed are to be placed outside the scope of the act should have their rights safe-guarded as when the government is on the eve of a general election passed it and appealed directly to the working class voters for support largely on its record in having kept faith with them in placing on the statute books a measure along the lines pledged by the late Premier, Sir James Whitney. If the Workmen's Compensation act is to be mutilated it should be done on the floor of Legislature itself by the men who voted for its passage, and they should take the full responsibility for such action, which is clearly a violation of the pledges given by the government to the workers and the people of Ontario.

What Organized Labor has advocated is not a harrowing but a broadening in the scope of the act. It is well-known that in order to appease the manufacturing interests, certain classes in the community at first embodied among those who would receive compensation under the act were finally placed outside of its provisions. This was strenuously opposed by the Labor representatives, who were acting in the interests of the workers; now this is to be followed up, apparently, by another surrender to the corporations, and that under cover of a board that as appointed, not to change but administer the law.

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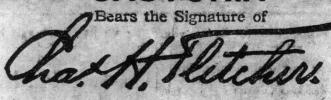
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No Divine Authority For **Ecclesiastical Titles.** 

A POINT NOT GENERALLY KNOWN

Christian People Humbugged—Dig-nified False Pretense—Christ's Kingdom Thereby Injured—Shackles of Ignorance and Superstition Forged—The Start of the Error—Its Motive—Its Bad Effects—The Proper Remedy.



New York City, Dec. 6. — Pastor Russell, speaking to-day at New York City Tem-ple, W. 63rd Street and Broad-way, took for his text, "Cry aloud spare not; show My people their My people their transgression." (Isaiah 58:1.) He prefaced his address with some remarks respect ing the unpleas-

ant duty implied in his text, declaring that he would far rather speak only smooth, pleasant things to everybody and concerning everybody. The Pastor certainly has the happy family of stating numerat truths in faculty of stating pungent truths in sympathetic language well supported by kindly tones. He speaks from the heart and carries conviction as respects his sincerity. He said in

Every unbiased student of the Bible surely will agree that our Re-deemer and His disciples manifested great humility, in contrast with the clergy of our day and of centuries past. None of our Lord's disciple were Reverends, Right Reverends, the Protestant denominations of to-Most Reverends—none of them were clergymen. They knew nothing whatever about the distinction between clergy and laity which subsequently developed. They indeed did the protestant denominations of to-day were born. It was but natural that the Protestants should more or less copy the practices and many of the doctrines with which they had considered to the continuous cont quently developed. Jesus indeed did receive the title of Lord, or Master, reacher; but with great humility He pointed out that His teaching was not His own, that He spoke the Message of the Father. Similarly the Apostles glorified God, and declared themselves "men of like passions with yourselves." Jesus taught His disciples that they should not be self-seeking, that they should not seek the honor which cometh from men, but only that which cometh down from Above. "One is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren."
was His way of forewarning us against the error which afterward divided the Lord's people into clergy and letter than the control of the control of

our sympathy should not hinder us from freeing our minds of the shackles of ignorance and superstition, nor hinder us from helping others to the liberty wherewith Christ makes

The persecutions of the Second and Third Centuries undoubtedly tended to keep the Church humble and free from hypocrites, but the prosperity dating from the beginning of the Fourth Century had a bad effect. Many of the hishops, according to Church history, neglected to follow the example of Jesus and the Apostles, and became lords, dignitaries in the Church, seeking to impress the worldly, especially the rul-

ers, with their importance. In the year 330 A.D., under the patronage of the Emperor Constantine, all Christians who acknowledged the Nicene Creed were not only protected but honored, the Emperor seeking to strengthen his political power thereby. By him the Bishop of Rome was granted special onor as a chief amongst the Bishops, this also suiting the Emperor's plans of making Rome the centre of both political and religious influ-ence. In the century following, the power of the Bishops was greatly increased by various false doctrines which gradually crept in. The doctrine of a fiery Hell of torture was one of these, followed later by a which would furnish them a second chance for purification and preparation for Heaven.

The clergy gradually grasped more and more of power and money for services in this world and beyond. Every marriage not performed by them would not be valid. Those married otherwise would be living in sin. The theory of infant damnation made the ministers additionally necessary to sprinkle the babes, to preserve them from eternal torture. Then followed classification of sins and the fixing of penalties and arranging for masses for the sooner deliverance of the culprit from Purgatory. Rites and ceremonies connected with the dead were also declared necessary. All of these served to bind the people to the clergy, and more and more separated them from the simplicity of the Gospel and the example of Jesus and the Apostles, to which we are seeking to return, but are fought at every step by ignorance and superstition within deliverance of the culprit from Pur-

ous dignitary," a title which previously had been held by the Caesars. Another step in the wrong direction which thoroughly separated the clergy from the laity, was the doctrine still held by the Church of Rome; namely, that the clergy alone constitute the Church, and that the common people are the "children of the Church." Many Catholics are not aware of this fact, but think that they are members of the Catholic Church. They forget that while they are privileged to call the unordained students by the title Brother, all the ordained number must be recognized as Father.

The year 800 found Pope Leo III. in great honor, and the Church flourishing and making higher claims than ever before; namely, that the Church became at that time the Kingdom of God. Catholics still hold that the Millennium, or Christ's thousand-year Reign, began that year. They claim that the Popes, each in turn, represent Christ in His Throne; hence the declaration that the Popes are Christ's Vicegerent—reigning instead of Him.

When the Pope represented Christ, the Cardinals as an order were brought in to represent the highest order of the Church in glory; then Archbishops, Bishops and the lower clergy—all separated from the people by a great gulf—the Clergy, the Elect of God, holding the power and the destinies of the laity in their control; the laity dependent upon the clergy for baptism, marriages, funerals, holy candles, holy water, consecrated burying-ground, and finally, an entrance into Purgatory instead of into eternal torment, with the ultimate hope of rescue to glory and with assistances by the way obtainable through the office of the Mass.

I am discussing the Church of

I am discussing the Church of Rome only, because for a time there was no other. Indeed, for a time it was dangerous to even suggest another. The Pope and the College of Cardinals, representing the Almighty, instructed the people who should be their kings and princes; and, as a matter of course, they were instructed to be obedient only to such as recognized the papal power, and they were absolved from obedience to others.

Thus the separation amongst Christ's followers of clergy and laity was established for centuries before the doctrines with which they had been familiar from childhood. The Greek, Armenian and Anglican Churches copied very closely the "Mother." They still preserve the

likeness in many respects, even though they came out of her as Protestants and have sought to return to the Bible teachings and methods. But power and ceremony are difficult matters to get rid of. In consequence we see everywhere forms of godli-ness without seeing much manifestation of its power. We see much lip reverence without much manifesta-

the civil power to suppress so-called to other matters. There are also, acheretics, refuse them license to preach, etc. Thus they follow closely in the footsteps of their Mother. Altogether these false doctrines are surely responsible, not only for many the surely responsible, not only for many the surely responsible, not only for many the surely responsible.

ers, politicians, etc.
But knowing these things, seeing the people in ignorance, what have the ministers of so-called "Christendom" done to open the eyes of the people to the truth on this subjectto tell them that these kingdoms are to tell them that these kingdoms are not Christ's kingdoms in any sense of the word? How few of them ever even refer to the Second Coming of the Redeemer! How few of them have ever pointed their people to St. Peter's words respecting the glorious Times of Restitution which Messiah's Kingdom will usher in: "Repent ve which gradually crept in. The doctrines which gradually crept in. The doctrine of a fiery Hell of torture was one of these, followed later by a theory that members of the true Church would never be sent to it, but instead to Purgatory, the tortures of the shall send Jesus Christ, which would furnish them a second before was preached unto you, whom the Heavens must retain until the Times of Restitution of all things,

Times of Restitution of all things, which God hath spoken by the mouth of all His holy Prophets since the world began."—Acts 3:19-21.

Policy, self-seeking, lack of candor, are certainly manifest in the course of the preachers of all denominations. Now as the hour of their judgment approaches they deserve our sympathy. They have held on so long to the errors of the past that they are ashamed now to turn that they are ashamed now to turn about and make confession. Many of them think that the safer course is to "bluff" the people. But it will not do. The light is shining too brightly for that. Knowledge is increasing every moment. Many in the pews are as well educated as the occupant of the pulpit, and decline to be any longer fed on chaff and wind. Hence the complained-of decline in church attendance.

In an endeavor to intimidate their by ignorance and superstition within and without.

Favored by conditions prevailing, the Bishop of Rome became more and more prominent, while the Roman Empire gradually went to pieces. The Bishop of Rome took to himself the title Pontifex Maximus, which signifies "highest religipeople, to hinder them from hearing

these ministers are counting on the ignorance of their people on the subject. Let me make the subject plain. The Church of Rome does not recognize the ordination of any Protestant minister. Until quite recently the Church of England recognized the ordination of the Church of Rome and the Greek Church, but did not recognize the ordination of Lutherans, Methodists, Presbyterians, etc.; nor do the others recognize each the Baptist ordination. If a preacher goes from one denomination to another, it is not requisite that he change his mind at all respecting the creeds, however different, but it is necessary that he be re-ordained by the denomination which he enters. As I refuse to be identified with any of these earthly churches, I, of course, do not wish an ordination or an authority to preach from any of them.

Nothing in the Bible gives authority for the organization of any of these churches. The Church which Jesus founded, and of which the Apostles were the inspired teachers, is Scripturally declaned to be "the Church of the First-borns, whose names are written in Heaven." This Church is joined only upon God's terms, and the names are written or blotted out only by the Redeemer Himself. On its roll-call we doubt not there are saintly persons who are members of all denominations; but their earthly membership, contrary to the Scriptures, does not promote them in the Lord's esteem; but, on the contrary, they are hindered

the contrary, they are hindered According to the Bible, whoever by joining Christ Himself—by sur-rendering his will to the Master—by becoming His pupil and follower— by exercising faith in Him—by being begotten of the Holy Spirit—by cul-tivating the fruits and graces of that Spirit—by thus being made ready for the inheritance of the saints—the

Millennial Kingdom. These, as the Apostle declares are children of God and, if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint-heirs with Jesus Christ their Lord, if so be that they suffer with Him, that they may be also glorified together—in His Kingdom, mans 8:17.

The Church of Christ, according to the Bible has an earthly association, but it is not a bondage. It has no creed but the Bible. All of its members are brethren. None of them are lords. None of them are of the clergy class. None lord it over God's heritage. In their voluntary association as brethren some are recognized even Christ; and all ye are brethren,"
was His way of forewarning us
against the error which afterward
divided the Lord's people into clergy
and laity.

It is but reasonable to assume that
many Christian ministers have neither studied deeply nor thought carefully on this subject, but have merely followed the beaten path of their
various denominations without inquiring for the Divine authority of
their ordination, titles, and honors
of men as titled ecclesiastics. But
our sympathy should not hinder us

surely responsible, not only for many of the wars of the past, but also for the present European war.

We may assume that some of the clergy, Catholic and Protestant, are thoroughly confused and honestly doing what they believe to be the Lord's will in these matters. But, on the other hand, we are bound to assume that in the light of our day there are thousands of ministers who are not deceived—who know full well that the world is ruled, not by Christ and His teachings, but by self-seeking kings, princes, nobles, financers, politicians, etc.

their souls, the Lord Jesus Christ.

So far from separating God's people into clergy and laity, the Scriptures insist that only One is the Master, that all others of the Lord's people are brethren. They are all ordained of God to be Divine ambassadors, to speak forth the Word of God as they have falent and opportunity. The qualifying ordination set forth in the Scriptures is that they shall have received the begetting of the Holy Spirit. This is said to be "an unction from the Holy One"—an anointing.

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This is typified in the holy anointing oil used by the Jewish high priest. As that anointing was poured upon the head of the priest and ran down to the skirts of his garment, so in antitype the anointing of all the members of the true Church took place in the person of the Lord Jesus Christ. He was anointed of the Father to be the Bishop of our souls, to be the Head over the Church which is the Royal Priest-hood. He is our great High Priest-His ordaining and anointing is the one which extends to all the memone which extends to all the mem-bers of His Church, giving the hum-blest of the Lord's people full ordin-ation of God to speak His Word in His name and to His name and to expound the same to the extent of his talents and opportunities.

This ordination came upon Jesus at the time of His baptism, and was recognized as coming to the Church at Pentecost and has been with the Church ever since. Whoever, therefore, comes into the true Church of Christ by union with the living Head Christ by union with the living Head comes under the Scriptural ordination. What was prophesied of the Head is applicable to all His members; namely, "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon Me; because He hath anointed Me to preach good tidings unto the meek; to bind up the broken-hearted; to declare the acceptable was of the Lord." year of the Lord."

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rext of the Lesson, Matt. xxviii, 16-20; Luke xxiv, 44-49—Memory Verses 19, 20—Golden Text, Matt. xxviii, 20

ible ascension from Olivet is not more easy than the sequence of some of the events in His sojourn in His mortal body, but the heart lessons are not difficult. The summary in Acts 1, 3, is clear and full, "He shewed Himself alive after His passion by many infallible proofs, being seen of them forty days and speaking of the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God." He always shewed Himself (John xxi, 1, 14), and this is our need—to see no man any more save Jesus only

He always spake of the Kingdom, both in His earthly life and until His ascension, and there is nothing so important as the coming of His Kingdom, which if we seek first He has assured us of all other things that we need. (Matt. vi, 33). This appearance of our the same as when He was seen by over 500 at once (I Cor. xv, 16). From the fact that some doubted it would seem to have included the latter, for surely the eleven had ceased doubting ere this. There was another most in teresting appearance in Galilee to seven of the disciples after their night of fruitless toil on the lake, when He provided breakfast for them, apart from their labors, and also filled their net with 153 great fishes. It was then that He asked Peter the thrice repeat-

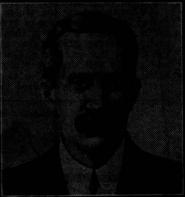
his martyrdom (John xxi, 1-24).

Before His crucifixion His instructions to the disciples were to go neither to gentiles nor Samaritans, but rather to Israel, but now that Israel had de cidedly rejected Him and in cutt Him off had also cut themselves Him off had also cut themselves off from all privileges as a nation till He shall come again the instructions are different. The messengers are to go to all nations and gather to Him disciples. They are to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature; they are to preach repentance and remission of sins in His name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem, but they were to wait at Jerusalem (these first messengers) until they should receive the necessary power to do this in the form of a special enduement of power by the Holy Spirenduement of power by the Holy Spirit, for He would be sent to bear witness to a crucified, risen, rejected, ascended Christ, to gather unto Him a people for His name, who by a special training in this age would be fitted to reign with Him in the next age, His kingdom of righteousness and peace (verse 19; Mark xvi, 15; Luke xxiv, 46-49; Acts xv, 13-18; Isa. xxxii. 1, 17). There is nothing whatever in their commission about subduing the world

or winning the world to Christ or re-forming or uplifting the race, but sim-ply to do as Paul tells us he did—determine not to know anything but Jesus Christ and Him crucified; to preach the gospel that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that He was buried and that He rose again the third day according to the ures; to so preach as by all preach the gospel anywhere as debtor to all and never ashamed of it; to preach the kingdom of God and teach those things which concern the Lord Jesus Christ, knowing that some will believe and some believe not; to turn people from idels to God, to serve the living and true God and to are the first concern the Lord Jesus Christ, knowing that some will believe and some believe not; to turn people from idels to God, to serve the living and true God and to wait for His son from Heaven; to speak always not as pleasing men, but God, who trieth our hearts (I Cor. ii, 2; ix, 22; xv, 3, 4; Rom. i, 14-16; Acts xxviii, 23, 24, 31; I Thess. i, 9, 10; ii, 4; II Tim. ii, 15). Our responsibility is to be faithful witnesses, believing all things written in the law of Moses and in the prophets and the Psalms concerning Him, quite sure that His Word will not return to Him void, but always accomplish all His pleasure (verse 44; Isa. lv, 11).

not any present results of our sowing, we can leave that all to Him with whom we are fellow workers unto His kingdom, knowing that He shall not fail nor be discouraged (Isa. xiii, 4; I Cor. xv, 58). The devil sowed his tares and went his way quite sure that they would grow, and we must indeed be people of little faith if we cannot have as much confidence concerning the orruptible seed of the Word of God as the devil had concerning his tares. When we have delivered the Word of God lovingly in the power of the Holy Spirit we can safely say, Thank God,

If some one should ask, What will it work? we can with confidence reply that it will work all His good pleasure. A restless ambition to see great results does not indicate a mind in results does not indicate a mind in harmony with God or a Spirit filled messenger. The blessed assurance, "Lo, I am with you all the days until the end of the age" (Matt. xxviii, 20, R. V. margin), should be to us an unspeakable comfort and inspiration.



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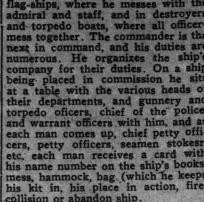
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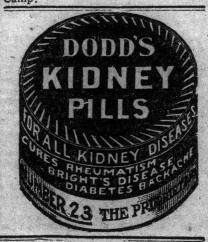
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# Sir Nigel

By A. Conan Doyle

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"A moi, Anglais, a moi por cried a voice, and Nigel saw the young rider stagger to his feet, strike round him with his sword, and then fall once more before the rush of his assailants.

There was a comradeship among men of gentle blood and bearing which banded them together against all ruffianly or unchivalrous attack. These rude fellows were no soldiers. Their dress and arms, their uncouth cries and wild assault, marked them as banditti—such men as had slain the Englishman upon the road. Waiting in narrow gorges with a hidden rope across the path, they watched for the lonely horseman as a fowler waits by his bird-trap, trusting that they could overthrow the steed and then slay the rider ere he had recovered from his fall.

Such would have been the fate of the stranger, as of so many cavaliers before him, had Nigel not chanced to be close upon his heels. In an instant Pommers had burst through the grdup who struck at the prostrate men, and in another two of the robbers had fallen before Nigel's sword. A spear rang on his breastplate, but one blow shore off its head, and a second that of him who held it. In vain they thrust at the steel-girt man. His sword played round them like lightning, and the fierce horse ramped and swooped above them with pawing iron-shod hoofs and eyes of fire. With cries and shrieks they flew off to right and left amidst the bushes, springing over bowlders and darting under branches where no horseman could follow them. The foul crew had gone as swiftly and suddenly as it had come, and save for four ragged figures littered amongst the trampled bushes, no sign remaining of their passing.

Nigel tethered Pommers to a thorn-bush and then turned his attention

la Roche Pierre de Bras, whose father writes himself Lord of Grosbois, a free vavasor of the noble Count of appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

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your name, is it not?—had I taken you, I would not have acted thus."
"How then would you have ordered things?" asked Nigel, much taken with the frank and debonair manner of his cantire.

with the frank and debonair manner of his captive.

"I would not have taken advantage of such a mischance as has befallen me which has put me in your power. I would give you a sword and beat you in fair fight, so that I might send you te give greeting to my dear lady and show her the deeds which I do for her fair sake."

"Indeed, your words are both good and fair." said Nigel. "By Saint Paul! I cannot call to mind that I have ever met a man who bore himtelf better. But since I am in my armer and you without, I see not how we can debate the matter."

Surely, gentle Nigel, you could doff your armor." "Then have I only my under-

"Nay, there shall be no unfairness there, for I also will very gladly strip to my underclothes."

Nigel looked wistfully at the Frenchman; but he shook his head. "Alas! it may not be," said he. "The tast words that Sir Bobert said to me were that I was to bring you to his side, for he would have speech with you. Would that I could do what you ask, for I also have a fair lady to whom I would fain send you. What use are you to me, Raoul, since I have gained no honor in the taking of you? How is it with you now?"

The young Frenchman had risen to his feet. "Do not take my sword," he said. "I am yours, rescue or necescue. I think now that I could mount my horse, though indeed my head still rings like a cracked bell."

Nigel had lost all traces of his comrades; but he remembered Sir Robert's words that he should ride upon the sun with the certainty that sooner or later he would strike upon the road. As they jogged along over undulating hills, the Frenchman shook off his hurt and the two chatted merrily together."

and then we mean to many. And this lady of thine, Nigel? I would that I could see her."

"Perchance you shall, fair sir," said Nigel, "for all that I have seen of you fills me with desire to go further with you. It is in my mind that we might turn this thing to profit and to honor, for when Sir Robert has spoken with you, I am free to do with you as I will."

"And what will you do, Nigel?"

"We shall surely try some small deed upon each other, so that either I shall see the Lady Beatrice, or you the Lady Mary. Nay, thank me not, for like yourself, I have come to this country in search of honor, and I know not where I may better find it than at the end of your sword-point. My good lord and master, Sir John Chandos, has told me many times that never yet did he meet French knight nor squire that he did not find great pleasure and profit from their company, and now I very clearly see that he has spoken the truth."

For an heur these two friends rode together, the Frenchman pouring forth the praises of his lady, whose glove he produced from one pocket, her garter from his vest, and her shoe from his saddle-bag. She was blonde, and when he heard that Mary was dark, he would fain stop then and there to fight the question of color. He talked too of his great chateau at Lauta, by the head water of the pleasant Garonne; of the hundred horses in the stables, the seventy hounds in the kennels, the fity hawks in the mews. His English friend should come there when the wars were over, and what golden days would be theirs! Nigel too, with his English coldness thawing before this young sunbeam of the South, found himself talking of the heather slopes of Surrey, of the forest of Woolmer, even of the sacred chambers of Coeford,

But as they rode onward towards the sinking sun, their thoughts far away in their distant homes, their

own hand, since his own device flies above it. Surely it is a head gules on an argent field."

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