

BRITISH TAKE THOUSANDS OF CAPTIVES

Germany Feels Spirit of Unrest; Resignation of Chancellor Asked || Franco-British Forces Continue Advance on Western Front || Spain, Faced by Crisis, May Enter War on Side of Allies

Offensive of Gen. Haig's Forces Sweep on Unchecked

PATIENCE OF SPAIN NEAR END

Text of Note to Germany Conveys Grave Warning For Future BREAK IS INEVITABLE Unless Germany Joins in Suitable Negotiations

Amsterdam, via London, April 25.—The text of Spain's note to Germany is given in Berlin despatches, while conveying a grave warning that the end of Spanish patience is in sight also contains a suggestion that a crisis may be avoided through negotiation. The note says in part: "All the repeated attempts of the Spanish Government, undertaken with the intention of safeguarding its trade and the lives of its subjects have failed in the face of the imperious resolution of the imperial government to employ unusual and violent war measures. It is asserted that these measures render impossible the economic existence of Spain, and that its people are exposed to great dangers the existence of friendly neutral powers."

The note then complains of the series of restrictions Germany has imposed on Spanish shipping and of the sinking of Spanish ships without warning. It declares that these methods render the economic existence of Spain almost impossible. The note continues: "All these prove that German intentions neither aim at acknowledging our rights as we have demanded repeatedly and with justice, nor take into account, as they should, the request of a country whose friendship until today was unabated and whose neutrality was preserved without wavering."

"If the imperial government persists in declaring that it adheres to its determination in order to defend its life, it must not be astonished if Spain, for the same reason, must emphasize her right to defend her life. In this connection, the Spanish Government still trusts that the German Government will earnestly appreciate the sense and significance of this note and that in future its measures will be guided by regard to the lives of our seamen and the safety of our ships."

"The Spanish Government also hopes that the imperial government, fully appreciating the difficult economic situation in Spain, will enter into a discussion with the Spanish Government regarding measures which may be taken within the limits of military necessities, for the mitigation of the difficulties which have arisen in Spain."

TOMORROW EVENING. Come to the Auction Sale of fine securities, No. 212 Brant Avenue tomorrow, Thursday evening at eight o'clock at the Exchange of S. G. Read and Son, Limited, 129 Colborne Street, S. G. Read, Auctioneer.

Weather Bulletin

Toronto, April 25.—The high area which was north of Lake Superior yesterday is moving towards the St. Lawrence valley. While the southwestern low area is approaching the Great Lakes, Rain has fallen in parts of southern Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but over most of the Dominion the weather has been fine and cool. Forecast: Strong easterly winds, showers to-morrow. Thursday—Showers and high.

Wotan Line Assailed in Force by British Troops; War's Greatest Fight Enters on Third Day

One of the greatest and most bitterly contested battles of the entire war has entered its third day on the British front in France. Massed German reserves are being hurled forward in bloody counter attacks in a supreme effort to check the forward surge of General Haig's khaki clad troops. Some minor positions including trench lines and villages have been seized by the British, but the Wotan line, their main objective, is still intact.

While the mighty struggle in France rages, developments in other fields of the world upheaval are occurring with sensational rapidity. Spain has taken another step forward on the path along which she is apparently being pushed, slowly, but surely into the universal conflagration. The Madrid Government has addressed a note to Germany which, on its face must result in an abandonment by Berlin of its uncompromising attitude on ruthless submarine warfare, or its acceptance of a new and important fact. The situation is somewhat modified by the fact that Count Romanones, who, as premier, despatched the note, has since resigned. The growing tide of anti-Germanism in South America appears, however, to be having its effect in Spain, but a rigid censorship leave affairs in the peninsular kingdom obscure.

CONDOLENT OUTRAGE. Copenhagen, via London, Apr. 25.—German war correspondents on the western front are again excusing the bombardment of Theims Cathedral on the grounds that the venerable structure is being used for military purposes by the French. Despatches from German headquarters assert that artillery observers are posted on both the cathedral towers, who direct the operations of batteries stationed near the edifice. The correspondents protest that the French will be responsible for further damage to the cathedral.

PEASANTS OF RUSSIA ARE APPEALED TO

Grand Committee Urges on Its Members Need of Doing Duty

LAND DISTRIBUTION Not to be Made Without the Peasants' Vote

Petrograd, April 25, via London.—The grand committee of the Alliance of Peasants has addressed the following petition to the peasants at the front: "Do your duty. Do not fear that the lands will be divided without you. This division cannot be made by isolated villages, for that would invoke quarrels by which the enemy might profit. Only the constituent assembly, wherein you will be represented, will decide this important question."

Government Control. Petrograd, April 25, via London.—A conference held at the offices of the minister of commerce to discuss the question of a government coal monopoly, it was proposed to place all mineral combustibles at the disposal of the government and regularize their distribution. No objection was made by coal representatives at the conference, and it is believed that the scheme will be put into effect about the middle of May.

WELCOME TO THE FRENCH DELEGATES

Vice Premier Viviani, Gen. Joffre and Party Well Received

Washington, April 25.—The French war commission to the United States, headed by Rene Viviani, vice premier and minister of justice and General Joffre, was speeding up the Potomac early today aboard the presidential yacht Mayflower, bound for Washington. The party, which included American officials and others who extended a welcome to the visitors upon their arrival at Hampton Roads yesterday, was due to reach here shortly after noon today.

Foreign Minister Balfour, head of the British war commission was among those who arranged to greet the French party here. The arrival of the French leaders permits the beginning of formal conferences between the representatives of the allied nations and American officials over the part the United States may play in the war against Germany. Their arrival had been awaited by the British commissioners who planned to work in the closest harmony with them.

The French commissioners were vested with complete power by their government to discuss with the American government all subjects including military, naval and financial. They came prepared to answer many questions as the advisability of sending an expeditionary force to France, particularly for its moral effect and France's need of a monthly loan of \$100,000,000 to be spent in the United States.

The series of official entertainments by the American government in honor of the British commissioners ended last night with a reception given by Secretary Lansing and attended by President Wilson, cabinet members, senators and representatives and others.

"IN HANDING MY RESIGNATION TO KING, I VOTED FOR FRANCE"

Ex-Premier of Spain Declares Unqualifiedly That His Country Should Enter War on Side of Allies; No Longer a Question of Discussing Doctrines

Paris, April 25.—Count Romanones in an interview with the Madrid correspondent of The Petit Parisien declares unequivocally that his resignation as Spanish premier was due to his conviction that Spain should join the allies. The former premier is quoted as saying: "We are at an hour when every conscientious man must cast his vote and take up his position in the European conflict. In handing my resignation to the King, I voted for France. I weighed every word of my letter to the King and I maintain them more than ever. I maintain more than ever certain of being right."

"Moreover we are at an epoch when there can be no longer a question of discussing doctrines. One is only judged by events. It is only if events prove me right that I shall resume office. My whole political career is now at stake. If I am mistaken, if events do not fall out as I believe they fatally must, I will remain outside politics."

"I was convinced that the era of notes had passed. We are worse blockaded, we neutrals, than England. Ships staying in ports, business is paralyzed and exports impossible. It is ruin and, while they ruin us, the Germans are carrying on unbridled propaganda here. They are trying to frighten the people by emphasizing the horrors of war in their newspapers. They pose as the champions of world peace. It is absurd, but adroit. Nevertheless the South American nations, issued from our blood, eyes toward their mother with our Latin daughters, are preparing for the noble task. They raise their voice and say: 'Well—we shall see.'"

Over Three Thousand and Prisoners Fall to British in the Latest Drive, French Were Also Successful

London, April 25.—The British have taken 3,029 prisoners since Monday morning, including fifty six officers, according to an official statement issued by the war office today. British forces captured the hamlet of Billhem, east of Havrincourt wood last night. Fighting took place early this morning along our front between the Cojeul and Scarpe Rivers. Further progress has been made by us and the ground gained has been secured. The number of prisoners captured by us since Monday morning is 3,029, including 56 officers.

Paris, April 25.—Noon.—Ground was gained by the French last night in the Champagne, the war office announces. A German attack in the neighborhood of Hurlteise was repulsed. The Germans made several futile efforts to raid French trenches near Tabure and Milsons de Chazay, leaving many dead in the wire entanglements.

U. S. LOAN. Washington, April 25.—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo today handed the British Ambassador a treasury warrant for \$200,000,000, the first loan made to any belligerent Government by the United States under the \$7,000,000,000 war finance measure.

RUSSIA IS PREPARED IN BALTIC

Fleet and Army There Are Ready to Fight to the Last

London, April 25.—A Helsingfors despatch says that the council of Army and Navy delegates at Sveaborg has decided to send a wireless message to the allied fleets saying that the Baltic fleet and the army defending its base is in complete readiness to fight to the last in defense of free Russia. The message will add that the soldiers and sailors are in perfect union with their officers. This action was decided upon at a meeting attended by a delegate from the French navy and it is intended as a reply to reports circulated by German agents that the Baltic fleet was absolutely disorganized and incapable of fighting.

German Activity. Despatches from Petrograd during the last few days have reported great activity on the part of the German fleet in the Baltic. A Monday despatch said that German transports had left Libau for an unknown destination. Other reports declared that the Germans were planning a land and sea attack on the rear of the Russian line at Riga with the hope of isolating and capturing Petrograd. Sveaborg is the great Russian fortress defending the Gulf of Finland. Quitting Petrograd. London, April 25.—An exodus of civilians from Petrograd is reported in a despatch to The Express from the Russian capital. One permit office was besieged on Tuesday morning by eight hundred people. Inquiries among them were answered by a shrug of the shoulders and the favorite Russian reply "who knows?"

Petrograd is Disturbed Over Rumors of Impending Hun Drive; Unrest Through Europe Spreads

Next in importance to the news from the western front and the serious crisis between Spain and Germany, are the growing rumors to-day of a great German attempt to be made against Petrograd. The reports are taken seriously enough in the Russian capital to induce many hundreds of civilians to flee to the interior. According to rumor, the German plan is a combined assault by sea and land, and transports escorted by a powerful German fleet are said to have already sailed from Libau. The political situation in Russia remains confused, but there are uncomfortable reports of the activities of the radical Socialists, and of renewed outbreaks of agrarian troubles, some of a counter revolutionary character.

GERMANY IN FERMENT. The unrest in Germany is having a new manifestation in a fresh outburst against Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg by Conservatives and National Liberals. The Chancellor is being violently attacked for his alleged subservience to Socialist influences, and the opening of the Reichstag, which is scheduled for to-day, is expected to bring these attacks to a focus. DISCONTENT GROWS. In the meantime there are indications that the tremendous currents of discontent which are running through Europe are growing in strength. The visit of the King of Denmark to Stockholm is regarded as of particular significance in view of the recent demonstration of the Swedish workers against the government. May Day is expected to bring matters to a climax in Sweden, and Hjalmar Branting, the Swedish Socialist leader, has warned the government against undue interference with the great labor demonstration planned for that day.

Denmark and Sweden are friendly. Pledges of cordiality exchanged between the two rulers. Friendship precious. And of great importance at present.

DENMARK AND SWEDEN ARE FRIENDLY

Pledges of Cordiality Exchanged between the Two Rulers FRIENDSHIP PRECIOUS And of Great Importance at Present

London, Apr. 25.—A Stockholm despatch says that the kings of Denmark and Sweden exchanged pledges of friendship at a banquet Tuesday night. King Gustave said in proposing a toast to his brother monarch, their sincere friendship was increasingly precious in the serious times in which they lived.

In his reply, King Christian dwelt on the great importance to Denmark and Sweden of the personal friendship existing between the rulers.

London, April 25.—Hjalmar Branting, leader of the Swedish Socialist party, has telegraphed to The Daily Chronicle that the hostility of the workmen in Sweden against the government is growing more intense.

M. Branting says: "Among the workmen the hostile feeling against the ruling reactionist party is growing stronger. This party by their trade policy has caused the lack of bread from which we are now suffering." The Socialist leader expresses the belief that May Day will pass without trouble "unless the authorities are guilty of provocation."

HOLLWEG OPPOSED BY HUNS

Strong Movement Manifested for Resignation of German Chancellor

AGITATION GENERAL Caused by Food Crisis and Need of Internal Reforms

Copenhagen, via London, April 25.—The movement for the overthrow of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, halted for a time by the adoption of ruthless submarine warfare, is again becoming evident in Germany. The agitation is encouraged by dissensions over internal reforms, possible peace terms and food troubles.

The pan-German, Conservative and National Liberal organs are to-day sharply campaigning against the Socialist peace program and take the chancellor severely to task for not disassociating himself and his administration from Schiedemann and his propaganda. The Conservative Deutsche Tages-Zeitung demands a strong hand at the helm which alone, it says, can save the country from the breakers to which it is heading on the dangerous Schiedemann course. The Liberal organs speak of the hopes and fears that ruthless submarine warfare has introduced and declare that a strong and positive policy at home and abroad is much needed.

Other papers accuse the chancellor of staking and losing the imperial prestige of the Emperor's Easter manifesto which failed to satisfy any party. Von Bethmann-Hollweg's strength lies in the fact that his enemies have no points of unity in their general discontent.

Reports from the Berlin Socialist conference, indicate that there is trouble too in the ranks of the Socialist majority and that Schiedemann is having increasing difficulty in keeping in line, what has virtually been the principal government party. A decided drift toward the policies of the secessionists of the radical wing was noticeable and Schiedemann and other speakers intimated that unless the government speedily and unequivocally pronounced itself on peace terms and made a satisfactory beginning toward the reform of the Prussian franchise, without waiting for the end of the war, a break in the ranks in the direction of radicalism was highly probable.

The Pan-German annexationists have turned a trick against the Socialists by exploiting an apocryphal peace program, which they claim the German Socialists will put forward at the Stockholm conference. This program, which specifies in detail, the disposition of all occupied territories, is indignantly repudiated by The Vorwarts. The Socialist organ says that no program exists beyond a general declaration against annexations and indemnities.

The administration is evidently having no happy time in facing the utterly conflicting demands of its Socialist friends and Junker enemies, both clamoring for a definite statement as to war aims and internal reforms. The evident shakiness of Austria-Hungary is another source of concern and the encouraging assurances of confidence and support which the Chancellor has been accustomed to receive in such times of trouble from press and parliament are this time lacking.

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NEWS OF NORFOLK

Fire Inquest Hearing Continued at Simcoe Yesterday
NO BLAME IS LOCATED
All Parties Concerned Exonerated From Responsibility
OTHER SIMCOE NEWS
Two More Casualties Reported To-day

Simcoe, April 25.—From Our Own Correspondent—The fire inquest held here yesterday afternoon occupied two and a half hours in the forenoon and almost two hours in the afternoon. Sufficient witnesses were on hand to get testimony as to the origin of the fire, the nature of the compound used instead of solid in the making of the cans, the care taken in handling it, and the precautions to prevent just what happened; the efficiency and organization of the local fire brigade and the degree of adequacy of the town's pressure at the hydrants.

Those Who Gave Evidence
 Mr. W. L. Innes and the following foremen and operators were called for the plant: Chas. Withers, A. V. G. Dutton, E. E. Hawke, E. Slater, A. Anderson, Hal Culver, all adults and the following minors: who were occupied in watching the machinery for putting on and dry the cans on the can ends: Benrice Diver, Katie Mitchell, Hannah McCarthy, Alex. Morrison, Geo. Beveridge, Gilbert Howarth. For the Fire Brigade, Geo. Luscombe, T. E. Collins, W. G. Jackson and the utilities commission, Chairman R. E. Gunton. Mayor Williamson also testified.

No Blame Placed Anywhere
 The evidence disclosed the fact that the utmost care was exercised in handling the "dope." It was made in a separate building, brought in carefully as required and stored in a safe. Sand was kept on hand to extinguish a possible fire should it occur and hose was attached within the building for any emergency. A dense black smoke drove everyone out of the building almost immediately. Anderson who stood by the can of material when the fire caught, evidently from vapor escaping as he opened the can, has a badly blistered face.

There is no blame to attach for carelessness leading up to the accident, nor for lack of endeavor to extinguish it on the part of the employees.

Neither is there evidence of any delay on the part of the fire brigade. It was shown that the brigade lacks organization, but this lack was not detrimental to efficiency in fighting the fire to a fairly successful conclusion.

Fire Chief Required
 Those present, however, were pretty well convinced that it would be a good investment for the town to have a real fire chief under contract at least part time pay, giving a considerable part of his time to the inspection of buildings to prevent conditions arising favorable to rapid advance and spread of a fire. A man who would study every building in the business centre and know them like a book, and who would not require time to stand, would or from what point to attack a fire anywhere.

Mr. Luscombe Not Informed
 Mr. Luscombe, in his evidence was clearly not aware that the present Fire and Light Committee, have placed a telephone in the Scales office and that by day, when the teamster is out, calls are answered by the weigh clerk, that provision is made for some one available at all times to receive an alarm.

The investigation will doubtless result in action with a view to getting to a fire sooner and aiming to do more than confine the fire to the building in which it originates. Doubtless chemical extinguishers will be more in evidence, the ladders will come up and the brigade may be supplied with a paid or part time paid chief. Mr. F. G. Lewis, who personally conducted the investigation, has evidently preference for aerial ladders. In this respect on the stand did not concur.

It is quite likely too, that the pressure will be better in future. It has come to this, that more and more evident, that Simcoe is outgrowing the distribution system, though not the supply of good water.

The fire warden summed up by saying that increased efficiency would lower insurance rates and lessen fire losses all of which would be paid in the end either directly or indirectly. Many in Simcoe are suffering from recent fires here.

Two More Casualties.
 Yesterday the deaths were announced in service of two more Simcoe men.

Pte. Robert L. Scott, of the 133rd, killed in action on April 9th, only home in at 161 Agricultural street.

Pte. Ben. Howarth, of the 20th Batt., was today reported killed in action on April 9th also. The family home is at 161 Agricultural street.

The father, Pte. Harry Howarth went over with the 58th and the bereaved mother has a large family of small children to care for in her bereavement. Harry was the eldest son. He was 21 years of age and had been almost two years in the trenches.

Wm. Alfred Harvey is also reported wounded. His people live on Queen street. We have not had opportunity to verify the statement.

Capt. A. A. Winter Promoted
 Word has reached here that Capt. A. A. Winter, who, after service in

SIMCOE SOLDIER SONS



SERGEANT W. G. EATWELL, with Frontier Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Eatwell, Norfolk St., Simcoe.

France, has for some time been in West Sandling as Q. M. and Transport Officer, has received another promotion which will keep him in France "till the end of the war" as they are beginning to say in England.

Norfolk Milling Co. Wins.
 Judgment has been handed out in the case of Jones vs Norfolk Milling Co. Case dismissed with costs.

Geo. A. Lyons a flour and feed dealer of Toronto, through his agent James Wilson, of Hagersburg, purchased after inspection baled straw from the above named local company. The straw was shipped according to instructions and paid therefor \$129.00. The plaintiff sold the straw at a loss of \$19, plus freight and handling and sued for \$200.00.

The case was argued at the York County Court sittings on April 10th and several witnesses from the county went down on the case which lasted the greater part of the day. The defendant firm, denied all the allegations of the plaintiff or any acquaintance with him except as to the party to whom the straw was to be shipped. They had loaded the straw on board the steamer at Vanessa, in accordance with agreement with Wilson, who inspected the straw before purchasing. And to Wilson they claimed the sale was made. Reserved judgment as stated above was handed out yesterday. H. P. Innes, K.C., of Simcoe, defended the Norfolk Milling Co.

Mrs. A. C. Burt came over from Brantford yesterday to visit Dr. and Mrs. Burt.

Tenders for the purchase of the A. A. Culver Genies' Furnishing business will be opened on Saturday.

No Need of Talking Pictures Here
 By the introduction of incidental music cleverly timed by the orchestra to the run of the film of "The Price She Paid." Mr. Purcell of the Lyric Theatre, pulled off Monday night, Tuesday evening at the Lyric Theatre, deceived many of his delighted patrons. A splendid Victoria loaned from Martin Bros., cleverly concealed in the orchestra pit and timed exactly assisted in the clever performance. Mr. Purcell has been receiving congratulations.

Odds and Ends
 Three local high school girls will appear in the summer garden with Ryerse Bros. We will endeavor to get a snapshot some day after the girls get the seasoned complexion on their faces. It is a new departure for the school, but the girls highly commended and congratulated in the matter and will no doubt be physically stronger and intellectually brighter than if the summer were spent in idleness by the lake shore.

Mr. Geo. McLachlan is endeavoring to revive the boy scout work in Simcoe and had a patrol out on Saturday for meeting in the woods. A very pleasant time was spent. A strong development of the scout system here would materially assist in the matter of preventing irregularities and intoxicating beverages among the young—would prevent destruction of park property and tampering with the public drinking fountains, both of which were effected last year and can be brought into service till repairs are procured.

No Lime Work on School halted.
 Since the middle of last week, workmen on the south ward school have been marking time for want of lime. There is none to be had and none yet in sight. One laborer on the work, Harry Mussel, who had much sickness in his family last Autumn, and who was a member of the 133rd, rejected as overage at the last moment, feels keenly the loss of time, more especially as he has a large family.

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REICHSTAG ADJOURNS.
 By Courier Leased Wire.

London, April 25.—Adjournment of the Reichstag until May 2, after a brief session yesterday, is reported in a Central News despatch from Amsterdam. Philipp Schiedemann, Socialist leader, expressed regret that the Reichstag should be adjourned and then adjourned almost immediately. George Ledebour, leader of the Social Democrats, said that regret was not enough. He demanded that the Reichstag should meet to-day for discussion of the food problem. "Thousands of workmen," he said, "have been forced to abandon work owing to their distress." Herr Ledebour's words caused an uproar. Permission to continue his speech was refused.

JAPAN, EASTERN ALLY OF ENTENTE

Enjoyable Lecture by Noted Speaker at Colborne St. Church

An interesting, and enlightening address, of a very comprehensive nature was delivered in Colborne St. Church last night, by the Rev. D. Norman, on "Japan, our ally, the island empire of the East." For the past twenty years, Dr. Norman has been engaged in missionary work in Japan, working under the direction of the Methodist Church, and since his arrival there has seen many changes and witnessed the establishment of a solid, and lasting organization, which he expects will ultimately Christianize the entire island. His lecture, as given last night, provided a close insight into every near the Japanese life, while the lantern slides accompanying were of a most instructive character, and were well adapted to the subject. The Rev. W. E. Baker asked as a question, and in introducing Dr. Norman, stated that he was an old friend, and one who had accomplished wonderful work, during his stay in the Empire of the East.

It was forty four years ago, stated Dr. Norman, since missions had been first introduced into Japan, the commencement in this work being made in the central part of the island, near the capital, Tokio. Progress in the work was greatly hindered, for various reasons. The geographical structure of the country prevented ready access to the interior, while the various heathen religions had also to be combated. It was a country of many religions, declared the speaker, Shintuism, Confucianism and Buddhism flourishing together, and the people, showing elements of all three sects. Pictures were shown of shrines erected throughout the country in prominent places to the different heathen gods, and of the temples, where, there were of an elaborate and magnificent character. The industries of the island, were outlined, the speaker showing views which contrasted with those of the western world. Natives of the island were depicted in their occupation of silk weaving, the manufacture of pottery, the making of shoes, and in farming. Education there is on a comparatively high plane and every child is requested by the government to receive at least six years schooling. The domestic conditions, peculiar to the people, were described, and pictures were shown of the home life of the people. The military phase of the nation's life was dealt with at some length by the speaker. He stated that when the boys enter the higher grades of schools, military training is compulsory, and a separate instructor is attached to each school for this purpose. The western world did not fully comprehend the advantages that had accrued to the entente allies through the entrance into the war of Japan. The German stronghold of Tsing Tau, in China, had been well fortified, and it was to have been used as a base of operations by the Huns in the present war, and would have undoubtedly been the source of great inconvenience to the Allies, but for timely and energetic assistance of the Japanese. Just prior to the declaration of war, preparations had been made in Tsing Tau, where the German vessels would have been outfitted as auxiliary cruisers, in case of emergency, and all ships of this kind leaving the port had been given sealed orders to be opened on receipt of a wireless message in code. This message instructed all vessels within a certain territory to return at once to Tsing Tau. This plan was frustrated by the declaration of war by Japan, and the action on the part of the Island of Flowers, had enabled Britain to withdraw her North China squadron and concentrate her navy in the North Sea, to meet with the German naval strength. When the Russian advance in Galicia had been halted, and when more losses were sustained by Russia than, the speaker stated, the army of modern times, that had continued to remain in the field. It had been at this crisis, when munitions had been at a low ebb, that Japan had come to the rescue, and taking arms from her own soldiers, had transported them across a continent to the Russian troops.

Turning from this part of his subject, the speaker related some of his experiences in the missionary field. He told of the advancement of the Christian religion, and of how, by Japan, and the churches self supporting, but others were being constructed by the people themselves. While a great work had already been accomplished, there was a splendid opening for more work.

Since the speaker thought that the church would never be fully capable of dealing with the questions that would arise at home until it had expanded and widened its interests to any of the young people who might as yet be undecided as to their life's work, and thought that no career could be planned that would be preferable to that of a missionary in a foreign field. He thought that the effect of the lecture and the influence that would be exerted by the speaker of the evening would be many to estimate, but that there was little doubt that a wide-spread and beneficial effect would result from his visit to Brantford.

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A Glance Through The SUITS
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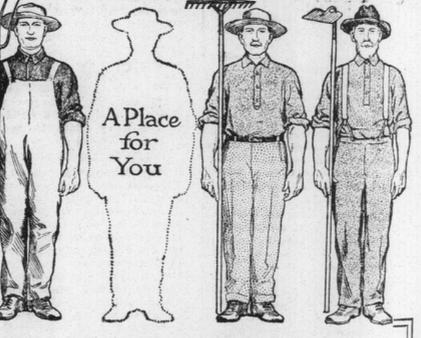
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 \$2.50 quality, full 36 inches wide, extra weight, best of dye, recommended for wear, special white and black, for \$2.00

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 Whether they are straw alone or delightfully combined with Georgette, they are designed according to the models for spring. They come in such straws as taigle, milan, and fancy straw braids, in shapes of tricorons, turbans, sailors and matrons and are fashionably trimmed with fancy ornaments, ribbon, fruit or flowers, colors are green, rose, blue, navy and black, all specially priced.

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 Says a glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast keeps illness away.
 This excellent, common-sense health measure, being adopted by millions.



Physicians the world over recommend the inside bath, claiming this is of vastly more importance than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing ill-health, while the pores in the ten yards of bowels do. Men and women are urged to drink each morning, before breakfast a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of helping to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. Just as soap and hot water cleanse and freshen the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the eliminative organs. Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, aching head, sallow complexion, acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation, should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pronounced results, both in regard to health and appearance.

Recruits Wanted for Production
 Just as surely as lack of food is strangling Germany day by day, so plenty of food is winning the victory for the allies. The French armies, for instance, were never better fed than now, for France cannot forget the awful lesson of 1870—the failure of her food supply. To this she attributed the loss of that war.

The Farmers of Ontario Urgently Need Help
 The Department of Agriculture appeals to men and boys to enlist in the farm help campaign. The Department appeals to men unfit for military service, or who find it impossible to enlist in the army. Do your "bit" by helping to increase production of foodstuffs. This is your hour of opportunity.

Ontario Department of Agriculture
 W. H. Hearst, Minister of Agriculture
 Parliament Buildings Toronto

Notice to Creditors
 In the matter of the Estate of O. nes Manogian, Deceased; Notice is hereby given that persons having claims of any nature against the Estate of O. nes Manogian, late of the City of Brantford, in the County of Brant, Laborer, ceased, are required to send together with proof thereof to the undersigned solicitors for the administrator of the said estate later than the Thirtieth day of April, 1917, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, and regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice. Dated at Brantford this 7th day of April, A.D., 1917. The Brantford Trust Company, Limited, Administrators.

AUCTION SALE
 S. P. Pitcher, auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. B. to sell by public auction at 122 Main street, the entire stock of hairdressing parlors, consisting of:—Talcum powder, face creams, cologne, hair oil, brushes of all kinds, combs and brushes, military sets, fancy and plain corsets, one barber chair, one man's display cases, perfumes, one oak chair, 3 ft. wall shelving, large glass case, oak table, one glass partition, large clock. Sale will commence Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. and evening 7:30. One of the largest stocks in hairdressing parlors in Western Ontario. Everything will be sold without reserve. Terms cash. MRS. BUSH, Proprietress, S. P. PITCHER, Auctioneer.

DR. DEVAN'S FEMALE PILLS
 Restores health for all Female Complaints. 25c per box. Three for \$1.00. Drug stores. Mailed on receipt of price. The Scott's Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

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Notice to Creditors
 IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of Daniel Ramsey, late of the County of Brant, Gentleman, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 516 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O., 1914, Chapter 121, that creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of said Daniel Ramsey, who died on about the Second day of April, A.D., 1917, at the City of Brantford, Ontario, are required, on or before the second day of May, A.D., 1917, to send in proof of their claims, in writing, post, prepared, or delivered to the executor of the last will and testament with codicil, of the said deceased, their Christian names, surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars, in writing of their claims, a statement of the accounts and the nature of the claims, if any, held by them. AND TAKE NOTICE that at such last mentioned date, the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which he shall then have notice of and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or for part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution. ALBERT H. BODDY, 12 Market St., Brantford, Ontario, Solicitor for the said Executor. Dated at Brantford, this 17th day of April, A.D., 1917.

FOR SALE
 House on Grey Street all conveniences, practically new—\$3,300.
 Bungalow on Colborne St., with all conveniences—\$3,300.
 House on William St., one and a half story, white brick, price \$2,000.
 Red Brick on Huron St., with large lot—\$2,500.
 One and a half story white brick, just outside city limits, with one acre of land—\$3,000.
 Three new brick cottages on Wellington St.
 Apply—
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In the matter of the Estate of Ohannes Manogian, Deceased; Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims of any nature against the Estate of Ohannes Manogian, late of the City of Brantford, in the County of Brant, Laborer, deceased, are required to send same together with proof thereof to the undersigned solicitors for the administrator of the said estate not later than the Thirtieth day of April, 1917, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.

Dated at Brantford this 7th day of April, A.D., 1917. The Brantford Trust Company, Limited, (Incl. Administrator), Brantford, Ont. Solicitors for Administrator.

AUCTION SALE

S. P. Pitcher, auctioneer has received instructions from Mrs. Bush, widow of public auction at 122 Dundas street, the entire stock of her household parlor, consisting in part as follows:—Talcum powders, face creams, cologne, hair tonics of all kinds, combs and brushes, military sets, fancy and plain combs, carnets, one barber chair, one massage chair, one writing desk, two display cases, perfumes, one oak arm chair, 3 ft. wall shelving, large glass wall case, oak table, one glass paragon large clock. Sale will commence Thursday evening at 7.30, Friday evening 7.30 and Saturday 2 p.m. and evening 7.30. One of the largest stocks in household parlor in western Ontario. Everything will be sold without reserve. Terms: cash.

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Notice to Creditors

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AND TAKE NOTICE that after such date mentioned, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

ALBERT H. BODDY, 12 Market St., Brantford. Solicitor for the said Executor. Dated at Brantford, this 17th day of April, A.D., 1917.

Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of James Ennis, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R.S.O. 1914, Chapter 121, and amendments thereto that all Creditors and others having any claims or demands against the Estate of the James Ennis, late of the City of Brantford, laborer, who died on or about the 22nd day of January, 1917, are hereby required on or before the 10th day of May 1917, to send by post, or deliver to the undersigned, the Executor of the said deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and a statement of their account and the nature of the Securities (if any) held by them duly verified by affidavit.

And take further Notice, that after the said 10th day of May, 1917, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he then shall have notice and will not be liable for the said Assets to any person or persons of whose Claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Brantford this 10th day of April, A. D., 1917. Herbert Allan Robbins, Executor of James Ennis, deceased, 121 E. B. St., North, Hamilton.

AUCTION SALE

S. G. Read, Auctioneer, has received instructions from the owner to sell by Public Auction, subject to reserve bid, on Thursday, April 26th at 8 o'clock in the evening, at the Exchange of S. G. Read, 129 Colborne St., Brantford, the following mentioned properties: Residence—212 Brant Avenue 2 story white brick residence, containing large parlor, with mahogany gas mantle, dining room, kitchen, pantry, summer kitchen, 4 bedrooms, complete bathroom, front and back stairs, 2 toilets, furnace, very handsome and expensive electric fixtures in parlor; bathroom fixtures are also very handsome and costly. Washbowl is white porcelain, cost \$70. Electric attachments in every room for vacuum cleaner, gas, slate roof, verandah; house newly and nicely decorated; Lot 42x104 feet.

Terms—10 per cent down at time of sale; sufficient purchase money within thirty days from date of sale. Further particulars to be made known at time of sale, or on application to the undersigned auctioneer.

Remember the date of sale, Thursday, April 26th, at 8 o'clock in the evening, at the Exchange of S. G. Read and Son, Limited.

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DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, dairy, per lb. .044 to 0.44 Bacon, back0.34 to 0.36 Honey, section0.25 to 0.25 Eggs, doz0.33 to 0.35 Maple Syrup, per gallon2.00

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Apples, basket, small, \$0.40 to 0.50 Apples, basket, large, 0.50 to 0.60 MEATS.

Bacon, side0.32 to 0.34 Beef, per lb.0.18 to 0.22 Beef, hinds0.14 to 0.15 Chickens, each0.90 to 1.25 Ducks0.16 to 0.17 Dry salt pork0.20 to 0.25 Dressed pork0.22 to 0.25 Kidneys0.10 to 0.12 Lamb0.25 to 0.30 Live Hogs18.00 to 0.00 Smoked shoulder0.18 to 0.18

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, April 25.—Cattle receipts, 8,000; market firm; native beef cattle, \$9.00 to \$13.40; stockers and feeders \$7.15 to \$10.00; cows and heifers \$5.75 to \$11.10; calves \$5.00 to \$12.00; hogs, receipts 29,000; market slow; light, \$14.00 to \$15.65; mixed, \$15.10 to \$15.80; heavy, \$15.30 to \$15.85; rough \$15.10 to \$15.30; pigs, \$9.75 to \$13.40; bulk of sales \$15.40 to \$15.75; sheep receipts 12,000; market strong; wethers \$10.75 to \$13.00; lambs, native \$12.25 to \$16.30.

TORONTO MARKETS

Toronto, April 25.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards this morning were 478 cattle, 1674 hogs, 27 sheep. Cattle were ten to fifteen cents higher and hogs a little firmer. Export cattle, choice, \$10.50 to \$12; butcher cattle, choice, \$11.25 to \$11.50; medium \$9.45 to \$10.00; common \$8.75 to \$9; butcher cows, choice \$9.75 to \$10; medium \$8 to \$9.50; canners \$5.25 to \$5.75; bulls \$6.50 to \$10.50; feeding steers \$9.50 to \$10.25; stockers, \$18.25 to \$19; light \$7.50 to \$8; milkers, choice, each \$40.00 to \$110; springers, \$40 to \$110; sheep, ewes, \$12 to \$15; bucks and culls \$9 to \$10; lambs \$10.50 to \$16.00; hogs, fed and watered, \$16.50 to \$16.60; calves \$9 to \$12.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, April 25.—Cattle, receipts, 400; fair, active and steady. Veals, receipts 400; strong \$4.00 to \$12.50.

HARLEY

From our own correspondent Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marshall left on Thursday last to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Mr. John Underhill, and also paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Apps, in Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Ryder entertained a number of friends to dinner on Wednesday last, in honor of their daughters, Mrs. Nyberg and Mrs. R. Smith.

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BRITISH BOMBED CITY OF GAZA

Fire From Sky Rained Up On Turkish Post in Palestine

London, April 24.—The Turkish forces in Southern Palestine, who have been reinforced, held a strongly entrenched position extending from Gaza in the direction of Beersheba, according to an official statement from the commander-in-chief of the British forces in Egypt made public here this evening. The organization of positions gained on the front of the Turkish main line is proceeding satisfactorily, says the statement, which says in conclusion that "our artillery, assisted by aircraft, exploded a munitions dump in Gaza."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A special medical course of instruction is to be held at Queen's University for the evening six months or who have returned from Queen's General Hospital in France.

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

LANGFORD.

(From our own Correspondent) Rev. Mr. Ellis preached on Sunday morning. Miss Ellen Laing, Toronto, is spending part of this week with Mrs. A. Ramsay and Miss Bessie Dowling. The Misses Hawley, Niagara Falls, were week end guests at Mrs. Geo. Lang's.

SCOTLAND

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We will present a New Raymond Sewing Machine valued at \$40 to one of the first ten real estate purchasers buying a property from us after May 1st. It does not matter whether you buy farm, city home or vacant lot, you have an equal chance of securing the machine. Selection of prize winners will be made as follows: When the tenth sale has been effected, we will ascertain the total amount of these ten sales, and to the person whose purchase approximates one-tenth of the total, we will present the sewing machine.

S. G. Read & Son Limited

Bell phone 75. 129 Colborne St. Automatic 65.

KELVIN NEWS

LANGFORD.

(From our own Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. Peel Watson have moved from their farm to this village. Dr. N. Chamberlain has purchased a new car. Mr. Walter Potts of Detroit was calling on number of his friends here a few days ago.

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THE SITUATION.

The Germans are fighting more and more bitterly, and more and more stubbornly against the British in the Western arena, but Haig is able to report an advance at three points. The St. Quentin canal—one of the chief arteries of supplies for the foe—has also been cut off. On the other hand, at two or three points the reinforced enemy gained lost positions. On the French front yesterday, artillery duels prevailed. Over The Courier's leased wire yesterday afternoon there came the story of the British success over the Turks at Samara and the capture of much railway rolling stock, together with two barges loaded with munitions. Both losses will be severely felt by the sons of Islam.

In the biggest air fight of the war the British aeroplanes brought down forty Teuton planes, while only two of their machines are reported as missing. The conflict took place nearly three miles above French territory.

It is announced that the food conditions of several of the Allies have been reported to Washington as critical. In this regard President Wilson and his Cabinet held a meeting yesterday in order to see what could be done to increase the supply from the States. It was felt that the best method was to urge systemization and the prevention of waste, and these two things will be strongly brought to the attention of the people.

The rumor of a German attempt against Petrograd has been revived, while the unrest in Germany is stated to be centering around the Chancellor.

THE BUDGET SPEECH.

The annual pronouncement of Sir Thomas White, Finance Minister, was characterized by the business-like lucidity which has always characterized the presentation of his budgets.

He was able to show that under the wise legislative measures of the government, Canada had met war demands quite buoyantly. Receipts for the fiscal year have totalled \$232,000,000 with an outlay of \$173,000,000 thus leaving a balance of \$60,000,000 for reducing war expenditure account. Daily expenses and future obligations are still piling up, while the national debt is naturally growing apace. It is now \$30,000,000 and may reach \$1,300,000,000 before the end of the year. In this regard it is proposed to make a further levy on war profits as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Profits, Company, Govt. Per Cent., Per Cent., Per Cent.

There can be no legitimate objection to such taxation as the above. Those who make money out of war needs should be prepared to share up for war purposes.

No changes are proposed in the tariff and there will be no advance of income tax. Sir Thomas very properly holding that generous responses for patriotic purposes are tantamount to that.

Speaking generally domestic affairs are shown to be in excellent shape but Sir Thomas urgently advises more thrift and more economy to meet the reaction when hostilities cease.

A GOOD CASE MADE OUT.

To anyone who studies the map there would certainly seem to be no other logical way for the proposed provincial road except the old time central route which embraces this district. However, our northern friends who want the straighter line deflected for their benefit; managed to put up some very plausible arguments when they waited on Premier Hearst and his cabinet a short while ago, and it was to offset this that

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The "central" deputation took their turn yesterday.

The main case was presented by Mr. W. S. Brewster, K. C., of the city, and he was afterwards most deservedly and warmly congratulated by those who heard his splendid effort. Of course, he had the facts with him but they were marshalled and presented in such a complete and convincing manner that the outstanding claims of the central route were driven home with cogent force. In the course of his remarks Mr. Brewster was able to show that from the standpoint of population and material interests, the Central's had it all over their northern friends, while the length of construction would be much less and the physical conditions much more favorable for road construction purposes.

As in the case of the other deputation, due consideration was promised. The rival claims will now come under careful review and there should be little doubt as to the outcome.

THE DUTY OF PARLIAMENT.

"Germany is not yet beaten. She is going back in the hope of becoming stronger, and numerically, she is stronger now than at any time during the war. She has now many more divisions in the field than last year and has increased the number of her soldiers by about one million."

This is not the pessimistic wail of an ignorant croaker: it is the grave warning of Sir William Robertson, Chief of the Imperial Staff at Army Headquarters, appealing for half a million more men before July.

Speaking in the Canadian House of Commons on August 19th, 1914, Sir Wilfrid Laurier declared: "Speaking for those who sit around me, speaking for the wide constituencies which we represent in this House, I hasten to say that to all these measures we are prepared to give immediate assent. If in what has been done, or in what remains to be done, there may be anything which in our judgment should not be done or done differently, we raise no question, we take no exception, we offer no criticism, and we shall offer no criticism so long as there is danger at the front."

In the summer of 1915 Sir Wilfrid emphasized his position in an address delivered in Toronto before the Ontario Federation of Liberal Clubs, as follows: "I have this to say to the Prime Minister and his colleagues: I do not care for an election. Let the Prime Minister and his colleagues say there shall be no election as long as the war shall go on, and I will pledge myself and the party that we shall stop all preparations and think of nothing but the war."

A few months later, addressing the Montreal Reform Club, Sir Wilfrid declared that: "At the present time the only thing we have to think of is to finish the war, and to adjourn to a future date those domestic problems which will have to be taken up later on."

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It's a run old world. We all kick about too much Tilbury gas and then kick when we don't get enough of it.

A New York girl is suing a dentist there for \$50,000 for breach of promise. If she gets it the extraction will be the most painful at which that molar artist ever attended.

Thank Providence for such a Finance Minister as Sir Thomas White during these war times.

The Germans are now after Holweg's wig.

Taxis are all the thing just now, and so are war taxes.

It is a case of how to the line with the Canadian boys at the front. It should equally be a case of how to the line with Canadians at home.

It is announced that the Province will levy a 25 per cent. war tax on dog receipts at race track meets. That's all right. The gee sees in this connection come under the head of movies.

The individual who left 'em off finds these days that he has a heavy cold—at issue.

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GREAT BRITAIN ARMED

(By a Finnish Lady.)

It is my first visit to England since the war began. Entering, it was not like England. Before it was so free. Everybody was willing to help and direct any person who was foreign. Now it is strict, severe scrutiny and carefulness. All my papers in order and the letters of officials in Hel-singfors hardly served to obtain me entrance. The careless English have learned a hard lesson from spies who pretended to be of all neutral and friendly nationalities.

At last I was permitted to leave with my English hosts. We went through dark London streets that I remembered blaz with light. Inside the house all was changed too. The furniture was the same, the welcome was even warmer, for the English esteem above all friends those who stand by them in trouble. The elder sons of the family were absent. Two were dead—both officers, one in the army and one in the navy. Their parents, brothers and sisters wrote and spoke of them with loving pride, and as if their lot were happy and to be envied. Every comfort and luxury were given and offered me, but the household had settled itself down to simplicity and economy. Luxuries are for the wounded, the fighters on leave and the children of the poor. How strange it is to see these changes. The England I knew was given up to games, pleasure and making itself comfortable. This England is thinking of the other countries that make it an Empire; of its Allies; of all who in some manner are helping against its foes.

England is armed. I have been in a motor across many miles of England to visit some soldiers in a camp and again I do not know this England. Each pretty village has soldiers walking, drilling, passing with goods or on sentry outside the building. The roads are dusty with big wagons, with lines of singing, marching, red-checked young men, with covered trolleys, with horses. On lovely commons and stretches of ground one sees suddenly a massed town of solid huts, built with roofs, doors, and windows, drainage, social halls, as if this war were going on for 50 years, the little homes of the millions in city and hamlet, all have tales to tell of fathers and sons on the sea or in France, or in what the English call 'overseas,' the countries the British own across the oceans.

There must be millions of women engaged in war tasks. Whole towns have sprung up, built especially for the women munition workers, equipped on the American plan with a staff aside to look solely after their health and welfare, and buildings of most modern improvements. It is sad to see this England, but England does not seem sad. It gives the fighters on leave the gayest, most luxurious holidays. It—denies them nothing, it grumbles at no money spent or to be spent. All I have heard is, "never mind the expense; save the men all you can; save the lives you can; we will look after the widows and children; we can all go short for them and the wounded; nothing matters except winning this war that has been forced upon us; nothing matters as long as the world does not have all this bloodshed and waste of men and things again." I think every fresh incident of the war like the deportations from Belgium, acts of harshness to prisoners or civilians, children or old people, makes the English sterner and harder. They say not much; but they mean much, for they at once began preparations as if for a longer, stronger fight. I did not think the English could alter so greatly. They are stubborn. "We are not conquered till we are all dead." I have heard none say this in words, but it is in all their works and looks.

Miss Gladys Teed, of New York, prices her lacerated affections at \$50,000 in a suit for breach of promise against Dr. Francis D. Griffin, a dentist.

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APRIL EVENING.

Now fades the quiet April day, by the neighbor's hens—he'll show and dusk enshrouds the scene; I hear the children laugh and play up on the village green. The early bull-frog clears his throat, and strikes a note that's flat, and by my gate Bill Johnson's goat is eating some one's hat. It is a sweet and restful eve; the world should be at peace; it seems a shame that men should grieve, or send for the police. It seems a shame that wrath and fear should mar this life, yet all around me I can hear the sounds of war and strife. Jim Wiggins yells that things indeed have reached an evil pass; since Samkin's cow with glutton greed, devoured his garden sassa, Si Harris says that tongues and pens his woe cannot describe; he's ruined

German officers are in command of Carranza troops moving northward in Mexico toward the United States border, according to a despatch from El Paso, Texas. Villa has gained three victories over Carranza troops in as many days.

LOCAL NEWS

EXECUTIVE MEETING The regular meeting of the executive of the Patriotic League was held in their chambers in the Commercial Building last night at eight o'clock. The usual routine business was transacted.

UNPAID TAXES City ratepayers are reminded that further statutory penalties will be added after May 1st, to all 1916 and previous years' taxes remaining unpaid.

S. S. ORCHESTRA An enthusiastic and well attended meeting of members of the Sydney street Methodist Sunday school was held last evening when steps were taken toward the formation of a Sunday school orchestra, a large number of able musicians volunteered their services. Officers were elected as follows:—President, Joe Laing; secretary, Miss Batty; conductor, Mr. L. Davidson.

WRIST CRUSHED A nasty accident sustained yesterday afternoon by Mr. Garnet Bonn assistant pressman at The Courier might have had much more serious results, but for prompt aid. Mr. Bonn was engaged in threading the press, and believing himself to be clear of danger, signalled for the press to start, whereupon his wrist was caught between the rollers and painfully crushed. Only the prompt stopping of the press availed to save the young man's arm, and hopes are entertained for his speedy recovery from his injury.

COURT HOUSE REPAIRED. About two weeks ago improvements on the coal cellar at the Court House, authorized by the court council at its last meeting, were completed. A cement floor replaced the wooden flooring, at the bottom of the cellar has been lowered about two feet, thus allowing for the storing of almost an extra car load of coal. Last winter 140 tons of soft coal were purchased by the county, and there is about two tons of this left at the present time. Tenders have been called for for the next season's supply, which will be about one hundred and six tons.

REPAINTING LIBRARY. The work of repainting the exterior for woodwork on the Public Library is progressing as rapidly as could be expected, and the building is now assuming a much improved appearance.

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The new steel smoke stack at the pumping station at the waterworks, was erected yesterday afternoon.

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Pte. Wm. Foster Lickers Writes From Internment in Germany
A card has been received by Mrs. J. Y. Brown, from W. F. Lickers, a descendant of Joseph Brant, who was taken prisoner by the Germans at the Battle of Ypres, two years ago, on the same day that Lt. Cameron Brant was killed.

FAREWELL TO MR. A. E. FINNEMORE
Business Men of Paris Bid Adieu to Departing Bank Manager
PRESENTATION MADE
Mr. Finnemore Given Cabinet of Silver and Read Address

OTHER PARIS NEWS
Miss Mable Broomfield Becomes Bride of Albert Loveys
(From our own Correspondent)
Paris, April 25.—Last evening, the Y. M. C. A. reading room was filled to capacity by a representative gathering of the business men of Paris.

FALSE ALARM
An alarm was received at the fire hall last night at about ten o'clock from box 62, located at the corner of Colborne and King Streets.

BUILDING PERMITS
Two permits were this morning issued by the city engineer, one to John H. Hall, 175 William Street, for the erection of a frame garage.

Cat Serves as Foster Mother to Squirrel
An interesting exhibit is on view to visitors at the store of Mr. Alf Tremaine, Market street, who was the primer mover in introducing squirrels into the Brantford Parks.

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FAREWELL TO MR. A. E. FINNEMORE

Business Men of Paris Bid Adieu to Departing Bank Manager
PRESENTATION MADE
Mr. Finnemore Given Cabinet of Silver and Read Address

OTHER PARIS NEWS
Miss Mable Broomfield Becomes Bride of Albert Loveys
(From our own Correspondent)
Paris, April 25.—Last evening, the Y. M. C. A. reading room was filled to capacity by a representative gathering of the business men of Paris.

FALSE ALARM
An alarm was received at the fire hall last night at about ten o'clock from box 62, located at the corner of Colborne and King Streets.

BUILDING PERMITS
Two permits were this morning issued by the city engineer, one to John H. Hall, 175 William Street, for the erection of a frame garage.

Cat Serves as Foster Mother to Squirrel
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Trying To Do Things For You As Well As We Can
That means something, when the effort is real!
With upset markets and merchandise scarce, it's some contrast.

But it doesn't mean that we are providing you with unworthy goods—merely to make the prices look lower.

You wouldn't go to Market and buy slightly antique eggs or strong butter, because you could get them a couple of cents cheaper?

You can depend on what you get here and on getting full value for every dollar you spend.

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Children's Princess Slips, of white cotton the tucked flounce neck and arm holes edged in torchon lace, sizes 6 to 16, price. 75c

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COMING EVENTS

SPIRITUALIST—Meeting Thursday, 8 p.m. Subject, "Where are the Fallen Soldiers." Speaker, Mrs. Liff. Clairvoyant descriptions given. Temple Building, Dalhousie St. Collection. All welcome.

WANTED—A maid, Mrs. Palmer, 17 Church St. F.48

WANTED—Dining room attendant, best wages. Apply Matron Ontario School for the Blind. F.42,t.f.

WANTED—Good opening for two salesladies; experience unnecessary. Apply Woolworth's 5, 10 and 15 cent Store. F.46

FOR SALE—By auction on Market Saturday, 28th, at 11 o'clock, by W. Almas, good driving mare, 7 yrs. old; city broken; also single harness, buggy and cutter. Persons wishing to inspect apply to Streets Supt. Unger. A.46

MODERN SHOE REPAIRS—Boys shoes, hand made, machine finished. All solid leather. W. S. Pettit, 10 South Market street.

BIRTH NOTICES

MACPHERSON—On Wednesday, April 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch MacPherson, a daughter.

MARRIAGE NOTICE

BOYVAN—DAVIES—On April 21st, by the Rev. G. W. Henderson, D.D. Mary Isabelle, youngest daughter of Walter J. Davies, 58 Terrace Hill St., to Noel A. Boyvan, of the Office staff of the Canada Glue Co.

DEATH NOTICES

GAYNOR—In Brantford, on Monday April 23, 1917, Mary E. Gaynor, beloved wife of Barney Gaynor, aged 36 years. Funeral from her late residence, 17 Scarfe Ave., on Thursday 26th, at 9 o'clock to St. Basil's Church. Interment at Paris.

Reid & Brown Undertakers 514 & 516 Colborne St. Phone 450 Residence 443

H. B. Beckett Funeral Director and Embalmer 158 BALDWIN STREET Both Phones 23.

CARD OF THANKS. Mrs. Don McCain, desires to thank her many friends for kindness and sympathy shown to her in her recent sad bereavement.

WANTED Turn and McKay Lasters Steady work and good wages. Apply to the Nursery Shoe Co., Limited, St. Thomas, Ont.

Boy Wanted To Learn Printing Business. Apply—Foreman, Composing Room, Courier Office

THEY HAVE IMITATED The shape and the name of the SWEEPER-VAC But they can't imitate its efficiency or the satisfaction it gives. Insist on having one today.

F. L. HOWEY, 245 Brock St., City

The "1900" Electric Washer gives you more time for recreation, and does your washing more thoroughly. Ask for demonstration.

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

SUMMER IS COMING! Let us clean your old straw hat and save you the price of a new one. We clean and re-buck straw panama and felt hats to look like new. TRY US.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Holt

DEPUTATION OF FIVE HUNDRED ASKS CENTRAL HIGHWAY ROUTE

Line Through Brantford and Hamilton For Provincial Road Urged Yesterday Afternoon Upon Premier Hearst and Hon. Findlay McDiarmid; Assurance Given of Careful Consideration

Toronto, April 24.—(By a Staff Reporter.)—"Gentlemen, I congratulate you upon the able and successful manner in which you have stated your case, and assure you that it has impressed me deeply, and will receive the fullest consideration before a decision is reached as to the route of the provincial highway. Whatever the outcome, rest assured that your cause has suffered in no manner from your presentation of it here to-day."

Five hundred delegates here this afternoon urged upon Sir William Hearst, premier of Ontario, the adoption of the central route for the proposed provincial highway, voicing the natural facilities and advantages to be derived from such a line, and presenting their case to such good effect that with the above words the premier gave assurance of most careful consideration of the matter before a decision was reached as to the route of the highway.

Delegates from Niagara Falls, Welland, St. Catharines, Hamilton, Brantford, Woodstock, Ingersoll, Tillsonburg, Port Burwell, St. Thomas and London were included in the monster delegation, which in point of numbers and enthusiasm surpassed that from the northern cities of the province, which waited upon the premier here last week. A dramatic and impressive scene was witnessed in the corridor of the Parliament buildings when Premier Hearst together with Hon. Findlay McDiarmid, Minister of Highways, took their seats at the head of the main stairway, the delegates thronging the space below and a sea of faces looking down from the galleries above as speaker after speaker laid before Sir William the advantages of the central route, the natural and direct course for such a highway. The principal statement of the deputation was made by Mr. W. S. Brewster, K. C., acting city solicitor of Brantford, who masterfully presented the cause of the central route, to such good effect that at the close of the hearing the assurance of most careful consideration was given by the premier, while in the minds of any present there could remain but little doubt of the ultimate adoption by the government of the route urged.

The deputation was introduced briefly by John T. Allan, M. L. A., for Hamilton, who called upon Mayor Burgoyne of St. Catharines as the first speaker of the day. Mayor Burgoyne pronounced the decision of the government in the highway matter a step in the right direction and urged that no hesitation should be felt in taking the second step by selecting the central route for the road, the natural line for such a highway to follow. Mayor Burgoyne then called upon Mr. W. S. Brewster, K. C., with whom rested charge of the deputation case to which was done the fullest and most ample justice. Mr. Brewster emphasized the fact that the route known as the central was the most direct, the most central, the most natural; it was the route of a highway which had existed through the peninsula from time immemorial from the days of the stage coach lines, for the remains of antique hostleries of those days could still be found along the line of the route proposed. Over the route more than a thousand automobiles, by actual count, had passed in the past week from the United States to Toronto. The aim of the government in the matter had been summarized in the expression the greatest good to the greatest number, and the speaker refuted the claim of the northern cities to a greater population than the centre, pointing out that in their estimates they had included territory far to the north, which they claimed could be served by the northern route. If this were the case, if they were able to serve territory eighty miles north of their route, then the central cities might justly claim to be able to serve the whole of the district, no point in which would be more than twenty-five miles from the centre of the line proposed for the central route. The claim of the northern cities to an excess in population was refuted by actual figures. Mr. Brewster's statistics showed that the population of the central towns and cities to be 161,497, while the cities, towns and villages along the northern line totalled only 111,000, less than half the central district. The territory to be covered by the central route included the best agricultural counties in the province, the speaker pointed out, including five of the nine counties selected by the government as banner counties, only one of which was included in the northern route.

The central route was the direct route, being twenty two miles shorter than the northern, a total length of 108 miles contrasted to 130. In addition, to adopt the northern route, the full length of mileage must be constructed, while in the central route the line between Hamilton and Toronto was already in existence, leaving only seventy two miles to be constructed, at a saving of a million and a half of dollars to the government. The government aimed at achieving a road which serves the farmer, or in other words to unite the producer and consumer, which the central route would most adequately fill. Admitting that the northern counties held the superiority in the matter of cattle raising, the central district was the industrial centre, where dwelt the class to whom the farmer disposes of his produce, and the central route would supply the speedy means of transit required for this. The motorists were to be considered, as well as other classes; the road was designed not for one class, but to benefit all alike, and the motorists were unanimous in their approval of the central route, with its incomparable scenery. The northern cities had advanced as a plea for the adoption of their route the fact that they had no electric roads. Electric roads, the speaker pointed out, developed where the business is, and this section was a perfectly new work of electric lines, the one of the arguments of the north was thus turned against them. The Hydro system had its home in this district, and Mr. Brewster expressed his inability to speak too highly of the development of this important industry. He urged upon the government the necessity of looking to the future in the construction of the highway and of building it through the greatest industrial centre. The character of the road should also be considered, and the central route could be more easily constructed over much more even ground and promising less level railway crossings than the northern route. Mr. Brewster commended the action of the government in adopting the highway system, considering that the time has come when highways should be subsidized in place of railways, and that the people of the province would stand loyally behind the expense involved. The attitude of the northern cities, the speaker announced as an attempt to rob us of our birth-right; the delegation desired to convince the premier of the justice of their cause before having it granted; as the central route was the natural, logical route to be followed from all standpoints. Mr. Brewster voiced the confidence of all that a decision in favor of the central route would be reached by the premier and his government.

Mayor Booker Mayor Booker in opening his remarks ventured the prediction that two years from now good roads would be the order of the day because of the increase in the use of motor cars in the rural districts. The district including Hamilton and Brantford looked forward to a population in a few years. The cities advocating the Northern route were neither marine nor railway centres and had no outlet to the north, which was felt by the central localities, who would receive the highway if justice were done. Mayor Booker repeated the figures quoted by Mr. Brewster to show that the population of the central cities was more than twice that of the northern ones, declaring the central route the only sensible one from Detroit to Niagara Falls. He expressed certainty that the deputation would receive careful consideration at the hands of the Premier.

Controller Jutten Controller Jutten, of Hamilton advocated the adoption of the central route as a stroke of good business, it being that which had been used by U. S. motorists during the railway transportation era. He was certain that Hamilton was willing to bear her share of the expenditure involved, and that it was the wish of the Ambitious City to see the central route built and built first.

Warden Stenebaugh Warden Stenebaugh of Wentworth county believed that his county was a unit as regards the highway, hoping that the central route would be adopted.

Mayor Bowly "Brantford is a proud city," declared His Worship Mayor Bowly, in his opening remarks, going on to state that the patriotic record set by the city in war work of all kinds. He wished to see the central cities dealt with fairly and justly, pointing out that Hamilton and Brantford are respectively the third and fourth largest exporting manufacturing cities in the Dominion. The loss of the road he declared would mean the loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars yearly to Brantford alone. He pointed out the great industrial population of Hamilton and Brantford, and closed with a strong plea for the adoption of the central route.

Warden Rose A. B. Rose, Warden of Brant County, affirmed the remarks of the previous speakers, pointing out the great volume of motor traffic which passed directly through Brant and the other counties involved and urging the location of the highway accordingly.

Mayor West Mayor West of Woodstock recalled Oxford's reputation as the greatest agricultural county and district in the Dominion of Canada, and the desire of Oxford for the central route. He instanced the number of feeding highways in the form of county roads covering all the villages and municipalities in the district.

Mayor Buchanan Aggressive and characteristically forceful were the remarks of Mayor Buchanan of Ingersoll, who, backed



For Home Service "A splendid response for recruits is attally necessary in order that the full strength of our Dominion shall be thrown into the struggle with the least possible delay." SIR ROBERT BORDEN, Premier. CANADA "It is the desire of the men overseas as well as their British comrades in arms and of the Imperial Government that we should send overseas as once troops now in Canada enlisted for overseas service." SIR EDWARD KEMP, Minister of Militia and Defence.

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For full particulars enquire at Armories of the Regiments listed below. MEN STILL REQUIRED FOR OVERSEAS IN THE CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.

More men are required for reinforcements at the Front. Those who desire to volunteer for overseas service may enlist through one of the regiments ordered to mobilize for Home Defence.

Table listing military districts and regiments: Military District No. 2, Headquarters, Toronto, Ont. Brantford, 38th Regiment (Dufferin Rifles). Hamilton, 13th Royal Regiment. Toronto, 2nd Regiment (Queen's Own Rifles). 91st Regiment (Canadian Highlanders). 10th (Royal Grenadiers). 48th (Highlanders). 109th. 110th Irish Regiment. St. Catharines, 19th Lincoln Regiment. Sault Ste. Marie, 51st Regiment (Soo Rifles).

CHILD'S SEVERE STOMACH TROUBLE

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

ROYAL COMMISSIONERS are to be appointed in British Columbia to investigate the Prince George election, and J. S. Cowper's charge regarding a campaign contribution by the C. N. R. In all, 26,015 horses have been purchased in Canada for the Canadian army since the war began, according to a return tabled in the Commons the total cost of the animals was \$4,398,850.

SPORTS

BYGONE DAYS.

Bert Cunningham, one of the foot and craftiest of the old-time pitchers, now a resident of Cincinnati, kept a scrapbook as he wandered along the vale of time, and the yellowed clippings, some of them more than thirty years old, tell us many quaint things about the great game as it was played in our daddies' day. Some of the information which can be derived from Mr. Cunningham's scrapbook still has a fair and hazy place in the memories of modern fans; still more of it will seem as new and as curious as though invented and adjusted to the game today, instead of forgotten long ago. Some excerpts from the aged book:

Only two extra men were allowed to sit on the bench for each team instead of an army, as is the rule today. We find an instance where the umpire discovered five extra men roosting on the bench of one team and at once had three of them removed by the constabulary after the giants manager had given the umpire the merry wink which he had practiced in most of the jousts of the day, was referred to as "the striker," and he often "struck into left field," instead of the modern "singled to left."

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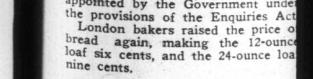
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A commission to investigate the relations between the Dominion Coal Company and its employees has been appointed by the Government under the provisions of the Enquiries Act.

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Home teams always took first bat, and there was great comment when "contrary to the usual custom, the Washingtons sent their opponents to the bat first."

BASEBALL SERMON.

Not long ago—so circulates the tale—a National League athlete, having a Sunday off in the East, dropped in at the little church where he used to attend Sabbath school, and the good pastor promptly asked him if he wouldn't preach "just a few words—a little baseball sermon"—to the boys and the young men of our congregation.

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ALLIES GREAT ADVANCE? GERMANS ON THE RUN



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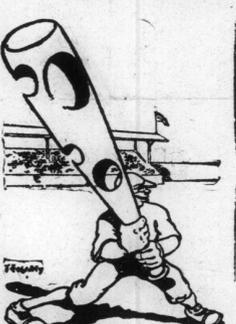
RED SOX HITLESS BEFORE MOGRIDGE

Yankee Star Twirler Held World's Champions Without a Bingle

CLEVELAND BEATEN

White Sox Had Luck, and Took the Game

Boston, April 24.—Mogridge turned the world-champion Red Sox without a hit today, and New York won, 2 to 1. Both teams erred frequently. The visitors scored in the sixth, when, with two out, Argon doubled and scored on Magee's single, which Lewis juggled. The Bostonians tied the score in the seventh on a run produced by a base on balls to Barry, Peckinpaugh's fumble at second.



The Red Sox had holes in their bats yesterday.

ond, a sacrifice hit Lewis, and Walsh's sacrifice fly. In the ninth, Peckinpaugh singled, stole second, took third on Cady's poor throw and scored with the winning run, when McNally threw low to first base. Score: New York 2, Boston 1.

Indians Outlacked. Chicago, April 24.—Chicago won the first game of the series today with Cleveland, 1 to 0, on Risburg's triple and Eddie Collins' sacrifice fly in the ninth inning. The game was a pitchers' duel between Scott and Coveleskie, the latter allowing the locals but two hits. Scott was touched for more, but did not allow a visitor to pass second base. The score: Cleveland 1, Chicago 0.

EAT LESS AND TAKE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Take a Glass of Salts Before Breakfast if your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You.

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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ed, gave the locals six runs in the second inning. The score: Philadelphia 100 100 300—5 7 2; Washington 160 000 10—8 9 2.

Poor Old "Ty"—ger. Detroit, April 24.—Eight hits, one of them a two-base hit, after two men were out in the eighth inning, netted St. Louis seven runs, and victory over Detroit today, 7 to 2. Up to the eighth inning, Coveleskie had held St. Louis to three hits and had allowed only five balls to be driven out of the infield. St. Louis pounded his delivery hard after a poor throw that would have retired the side in the eighth, however, and drove him from the box. The score: St. Louis 7, Detroit 2.

The objective of \$350,000 in the Patriotic and Red Cross campaign being waged in Windsor and vicinity, has been passed; the receipts last night being \$360,000. There are now 197 food inspectors employed by the Department of Agriculture, and 35 employed by the Department of Inland Revenue, an increase in the years of 26.

FARMER'S WANTS VERY URGENT

Food Production is Vital and Help is Needed

THROUGH DOMINION An Appeal for Volunteers to go on Farm Work

The snow is fast disappearing. Life on the farm is springing into activity. The world is beginning to think more of the large and indispensable part the farmer plays in promoting the welfare of the human race. This war has brought home to the nations of the earth the importance of being self-contained in the production of food-stuffs. The call has gone out from Britain for more food. Added to the anxieties of organizing and keeping in a high state of efficiency the war machine, British statesmen are confronted with a shortage of foodstuffs due in large measure to the failure of last year's crops. Britain is putting forth strenuous efforts to remedy this condition by increasing tillage. But here in Canada much may be done to help the Empire by increasing farm production.

The farmer is more than willing to do his part, but he cannot work miracles. Farming cannot be carried on without labor. The Provincial Government is showing a readiness to do all in its power to facilitate the work of the Organization of Resources Committee, which has been co-operating with the Boards of Trade with the object of recruiting and organizing labor for farms. For some reason or other, the project is not making the headway it ought, owing to the difficulties that have been placed in the way of high school boys who desire to help in this war by helping the farmer. Many of these lads are experienced in farm work, and could render good service at this critical stage of the war. Nothing should be permitted to stand in the way of any Canadian boy who is prepared to do his bit for the Empire on the farm. There are many girls also who are ready and willing to ease the labor of the farmer's wife in the kitchen and dairy if only the opportunity be afforded them by a modification of the school regulations.

Two things are immediately called for. Every farmer short of land should know at once whether and when labor is available. And the Department of Education should make public its intentions with regard to high school boys and girls who are willing to serve their country and the Empire by helping the farmer and his wife in times most momentous the world has yet witnessed, for the preservation of life, of liberty and civilization itself.

Sisters of the Immaculate Conception of Outremont, left Montreal last evening for the Province of Canton, China, to devote their lives to the welfare of the lepers there. Edward Brown, aged 23, shot and killed by a Detroit policeman, was a native of St. Thomas, and was the sole support of his mother. The policeman claims self defence. It is reported at Cobalt that the result of the balloting on the new wage schedule as put forth at the recent meeting of mine workers is largely in favor of the schedule.

BLACKEST DAY IN BRITISH HISTORY

When We Neglect Belgium, Says Mr. Walter Long

AN APPEAL FOR HELP In Supplying Food to Country in Distress

Mr. Walter Long, British Secretary of State for the Colonies has issued the following statement to the Belgian Relief Commission. "It is impossible to exaggerate the advantage which must accrue to the cause of the Allies by the work which is now being done by the relief of the unfortunate people who are bearing so courageously the bitter persecution of the German. There can be no doubt that this good work will bear fruit not only to-day but in the future, when we come to the resettlement of boundaries and the relations between the different countries.

"If we now left the people in Belgium to subsist on what they could get from Germany it would be the blackest page in our national history." There is no danger of the "blackest page" ever being written in British history, however, for the Relief Commission, in every one of their 8,000 committees are determined to "carry on" until the destitution and starvation have been swept out of Belgium with the German troops. Germany has renewed her pledges to give the Commission a free hand and immunity from attack or interference either on land or sea.

Those waiting women in the broad line, with children so frail and famished that they are but shadows of their former happy selves—will you help them a little longer, till the day of their liberation is at hand? Immediate supplies are urgently needed at Rotterdam. Send a contribution to the nearest Relief Committee, or direct to the Belgian Relief Fund, 69 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

The Aviation Department of the Imperial Munitions Board has five hundred men already employed on the construction of Camp Mohawk, near Deseronto.

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How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up. Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dizziness or headache; no struggling for breath at night. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Relief is sure.

VEGETABLE GROWING AS A SCHOOL LESSON

Allotments of ground have been rented by the English schools on which



both girl and boy pupils work three days a week. They are learning to cultivate vegetables and they now regard it as part of the ordinary curriculum. Our photo shows the girls receiving a lesson.

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LEAFS BLANKED RICHMOND CLUB

Thompson Held Virginians to Four Hits, Fanning Nine Men

Richmond, April 25.—After being knocked out of the box on Monday, Thompson came back strong yesterday and pitched Toronto to a 7 to 0 win over Richmond. He allowed only four hits and struck out nine. Rain ended the game in the eighth inning. Score: Toronto 7, Richmond 0.

PITCHER MCGRAW WINS. Newark, April 25.—Bob McGraw, sent here by the New York Americans, held Montreal to two runs. Newark profited by Major's four errors, and, hitting Spreeman freely, scored six hits. Aside from his seven passes, McGraw's work was excellent. Score: Newark 6, Montreal 2.

McGraw and Egan; Springman and Madden.

BUFFALO IS LUCKY. Providence, R. I., April 25.—Buffalo won the final game of the series yesterday afternoon by a 7 to 0 score in a game full of fine plays and poor pitching. Gaw went fine for six innings and then blew up. McCable, who replaced him, was lucky to get away whole. Schellenback was wild and was batted hard all the way. Score: Buffalo 7, Providence 0.

Gaw, McCable and J. Onslow; Schellenback and Mayer.

Walter Freeman, of Burlington, was killed near the mud dump of the dredging operations on the Massena power canal.

A combined committee of the Niagara Falls City Council, Board of Trade and Horticultural Society will commence work in a day or two on the municipal potato patch.

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DIED. Galt—Pte. J. F. Ward. Bothwell—Pte. S. Logan. BELIEVED KILLED. St. Thomas—Pte. Edwin Denton.

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BRITISH MARCH TO JERUSALEM. A map showing the route from Mesopotamia to Jerusalem, with various cities and geographical features labeled.

This map shows the relation of the Mesopotamian front to that in Palestine near Gaza, where the British have captured more than six miles of Turkish trenches in co-operation with British warships. A continuous railway runs from the Gaza front to the Baghdad front, but the superiority of the British on both sides make it necessary for any relief to come from some central reserve, possibly at Constantinople.

DOMINION TO PLACE HEAVY TAXES ON PROFITS OF WAR MUNITIONS AND DEALERS

Finance Minister Announces Proposal to Tax all Profits in Excess of Fifteen Per Cent; is Opposed to an Income Tax

Ottawa, April 24.—The most important budget speech in the history of the Dominion was only some 30 minutes long. It was a masterpiece of brevity, delivering an utterance which usually takes at least two hours. It was a brief business-like statement of the Dominion's financial position, and there was no oratorical display. It was the statement of the general manager of the company which made to his directors and shareholders around a board table.

Sir Thomas' Plan. The new taxation is simple but vital. It is an extension of the business profits war tax last year. Sir Thomas announced that he proposed to take from all persons, firms and companies liable under the present act 50 per cent of all profits in excess of 15 per cent, but not exceeding 20 per cent per annum, and 75 per cent of profits in excess of 20 per cent per annum on capital. The present tax is 25 per cent on profits above 7 1/2 per cent. Under the new legislation up to 15 per cent companies will be taxed at the present rate. Between 15 and 20 per cent the government will take one-half the profits and beyond 20 per cent three-fourths of the profits.

Affect Munitions Makers. "The increased tax," declared Sir Thomas, "will chiefly affect munitions and other war supplies. While the percentage of excess profits is broken down, sufficient is left to provide incentive to effort on the part of all subject to the tax." Sir Thomas announced that the new legislation will apply to the last accounting period of the three-year term provided for in the business profits war tax of 1916, viz. to all accounting periods ending after the date of the 31st of 1916. The government made no estimate of the amount of increased revenue which he expected to secure, but declared that it would be generally the result of a very substantial additional revenue.

Income Tax Not Favored. This was the only new taxation proposed by the minister. The minister said that there had been many proposals that there should be a Canadian income tax, following the example of Great Britain and the United States. He did not favor the method of taxation, Canada, he said, was not a country of large accumulations of wealth and Canadian incomes were generally derived from personal earnings.

Not Equitable. Sir Thomas did not think it was equitable to add to the taxation upon professional and salaried classes, already taxed upon their incomes by municipalities and provinces, when the cost of living had increased so greatly. He said the maximum amount which would be obtained from such a tax in Canada would be comparatively small and its burden would be exceedingly unequal. The cost of levy and collection in Canada would be much higher proportionately than in a country as small as Great Britain or as populous as the United States.

Public Paying Share. The minister also pointed out that the Canadian public was already voluntarily supporting the war effort. He said that the amount contributed annually to these funds," remarked Sir Thomas, "is not small. It is an income tax, especially with issues of Dominion bonds exempt from Dominion taxation."

No Tariff Changes. Sir Thomas announced that there would be no tariff changes. This announcement came as somewhat of a surprise. While no radical changes were anticipated, it was expected that there would be minor alterations in the tariff. The House was convinced that beans, for instance, were to be placed on the free list.

Equal Taxation. Sir Thomas said that the higher customs taxation upon luxuries had been frequently suggested, but such proposals overlooked the fact that the most articles of this character come from France, which are now fixed by treaty. Apart from this he hesitated at a time when France needed the advantage of all her sales on this side of the Atlantic to assist her exchange to place an increased duty against importation from her ally.

Business Taxation. "I do not see that it makes much difference," declared Sir Thomas, "whether the business in question is the making of munitions or of any other class. Munitions are needed, and no discredit is attached to the enterprise which provides them. The production of munitions could, in most cases, make as much, if not more money, by selling its steel products to world markets. Moreover, it would be inequitable to discriminate against the firm which makes a profit on the finished article, known as munitions, and leave untaxed the profits of those firms which manufacture and supply the raw material or partly manufactured products from which they are made or the businesses throughout the country which make abnormal profits from the distribution of money expended by the Government in payment of such munitions."

Look to Future. Discussing the taxation question, Sir Thomas said that he had always to keep in mind the fact that for the period following the war Canada would desire a flow into Canada of settlers and capital. Such a flow should not be retarded for fear of heavy federal taxation.

Financial Position. Sir Thomas discussed the present financial position of the Government. The last war loan, he said, would enable them to finance both Canada and the imperial treasury in respect to expenditure in this country until June. It was his intention then to arrange for the supply of munitions for the war.

Supplying Munitions for War. On the whole, notwithstanding the difficulty of organizing on short notice the industrial machinery necessary to cover so large a country as Canada, the tax has worked out much more satisfactorily than we expected and the total results will be much greater than we estimate.

Revenue \$130,000,000. "The financial position of the Dominion is in which I conceive the House to be chiefly interested at the present time are the relationship between national income and national expenditure," declared Sir Thomas. "The aggregate was \$130,000,000 in the first year of the war the revenue from all sources was about \$130,000,000. It rose during the second year to \$170,000,000. In round figures \$134,000,000 of the aggregate was derived from customs, \$24,000,000 from excise and \$12,500,000 from the business profits war tax.

Business Prosperity. "The increase will, of course, be due to the business prosperity which has prevailed in Canada during the past year and the profits made in

supplying munitions for war. On the whole, notwithstanding the difficulty of organizing on short notice the industrial machinery necessary to cover so large a country as Canada, the tax has worked out much more satisfactorily than we expected and the total results will be much greater than we estimate.

"I have said that the total income of the past fiscal year was \$230,000,000. Leaving aside for the moment our direct war expenditure, our outlay for the past year was upon ordinary account \$146,000,000 and \$27,000,000 upon capital and subsidy account, or a total of \$173,000,000. It is to be borne in mind that of our ordinary expenditure \$25,000,000 represents increased interest and pension charges due to the war. Taking our total revenue at \$232,000,000 and our total current and capital expenditure at \$172,000,000, we find that during the past fiscal year we are able to pay from our income all current direct war expenditure, all charges of interest upon our increased national debt, all pension outlays and in addition devote the sum of \$60,000,000 to payment of the principal of our war expenditure. For a country such as Canada, of sparse population and without the conditions of long-established and concentrated wealth prevailing in older and more settled communities, the result must be regarded as extremely satisfactory.

War Expenditure. "Coming next to the question of our direct war expenditure, we find that with our increasing military effort it also is continually increasing. Since the beginning of hostilities our total war outlay, including estimated but not included liability to Great Britain for the maintenance of our troops at the front and inclusive of withheld pay, totals, as far as we can calculate, about \$600,000,000. As the result of this large war expenditure the net national debt of Canada, which was \$336,000,000 before the outbreak of the war, has increased to over \$900,000,000, although this will not be shown by our official statements for some months to come. By the end of the present fiscal year it may reach \$1,300,000,000.

Paying the Cost. "From the beginning it has been clear that it would not be possible for the people of Canada to pay the war more than a part of the cost. The policy of the Government has therefore been directed along two main lines. First to fund upon its own resources so as to postpone the end of the war, and secondly by increased taxation on the one hand and the reduction of current expenditures on the other. Our expenditure on works on the other hand and the reduction of current expenditures on the other hand, including increased interest and pension charges and in addition substantial amount of war expenditure is still increasing.

Increase in Trade. Sir Thomas closed with a reference to the striking increase in Canadian trade, which last year totalled over two billion dollars, nearly double the volume before the war. Last year the balance of trade was over three hundred million dollars. This indicated a very prosperous condition in the Dominion. He said that the Government had been careful to husband their resources against any dislocation of that might follow the end of the war.

"The sources of danger to business in war time," added Sir Thomas, "are speculation in commodities and stock exploitation in the exchanges. These were avoided and national savings greatly increased we might look forward with confidence to whatever may occur in the reconstruction period after the war."

Opposition's Views. It took A. K. MacLean, chief financial critic of the Opposition, two hours to reply to Sir Thomas' half-hour speech. Paucity of argument was augmented by a labyrinth of phrases. Mr. MacLean's criticism might be summed up as follows: We have been borrowing too much and paying too little. The Government should further reduce departmental expenditure, but party politics have admitted there had been improvement during the past year. Strong objections to the Highways Act, which he declared was not founded upon public policy, but party politics. The seven and a half per cent increase in the tariff should be removed. Free wheat was tardy and should have been passed by parliament rather than order in Council. Now it would cease with the war. Reduction in duties of high priced necessities. As for the new taxation M. MacLean had no criticism to make except that it should have come last year instead of this.

Compliment Minister. Dr. Michel Clarke, in a moderate speech, complimented the minister on his new taxation. He laid down a number of principles which he considered should be followed by the Dominion. His first principle was that administrative extravagance must cease. Canada had 10 governments and 10 legislatures, all spending too much money. His second principle was that wealth must in the future contribute more largely to the expense of the Federal Government than in the past. The third principle was that in the next half generation Canada must take steps to maintain an extended foreign commerce, and fourth, that Canada should be made fiscally as good a country to live in as the United States.

Free Trade Doomed. Sir Herbert Ames, who followed, expressed the belief that Dr. Clarke had not been studying the signs of the times in England. The indications were, he said, that free trade was doomed in England, and that the time was not far distant when a policy of partial protection based on inter-imperial preferences would be adopted.

He was pleased that there had been no change in the tariff in the budget. He also contended that the Government's action in putting wheat on the free list made it possible for Canada to retain control of her fiscal policy, which would not have been possible under reciprocity. Under the action taken by the Government Canada could put back the duty on wheat and flour at any time she desired to do so.

PUSSY FOUND A CORNER. Alley cats apparently have the same system of marking back doors where a "handout" can be obtained as is utilized by "knights of the road." At least, Nell Craig, Essanay star, was attracted to the rear door of her apartment by piteous "meows" and "grunts" in succession, and was greeted by a hungry feline. Perhaps the fact that each cat was generously fed was sufficient to bring others. At any rate, Miss Craig has had to double her daily order for milk.

A PERILOUS PRECEDENT. The making of a Keystone the other day called for a pet goat to butt pretty Marie Prevost. But for a long time Billy would butt. He wanted to be petted and be friends. After an hour of coaxing and prodding he finally played his part according to script, but alas. Now Marie can't cross his range of vision without being chased all over the lot, much to her discomfiture and that of whatever director she happens to be working for.

UNDERESTIMATED. The Gaumont Company recently announced that it was photographing furs valued at \$50,000 for Reel Life, the Mutual magazine in film. When the furs were brought to the studios at Flushing, New York, it was found that one coat alone was valued at \$50,000 and in all the furs shown in the picture were valued from \$80,000 to \$90,000. When Harry King Tootle, Gaumont publicity man, found he had fallen short \$40,000, he immediately fainted.

The coat valued at \$50,000 is of Russian sable. It has 125 matched skins which it took several workmen three years to assemble. It was a long fall from this coat to the next—a cheap ermine affair valued at only \$1,500.

The dark blue scarab on her right hand Ruthven might have observed but she was hopeful that the sapphire might have escaped his notice. She took it off and laid it in her lap, ready.

Her dress of white charmeuse embroidered with violets, quickly fastened in front under a quaint tulle and crossed fichu of "shadow lace" and a bunch of real violets held on by an old-fashioned brooch. Ruthven, who played at cards and yellow at the sides. This ring was rather large for her, and as she wore it above the engagement ring the stones easily slipped round towards the pinkie. She was wearing her wedding ring, she wore her left hand a girdle star sapphire, of oval shape, curiously set with four small diamonds, which ones at top and bottom, pale of color and yellow at the sides. This ring was rather large for her, and as she wore it above the engagement ring the stones easily slipped round towards the pinkie. She was wearing her wedding ring, she wore her left hand a girdle star sapphire, of oval shape, curiously set with four small diamonds, which ones at top and bottom, pale of color and yellow at the sides. 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THIS WOMAN TO THIS MAN

C. N. and A. M. Williamson

From Tuesday's Daily. I presumed to the girl that the...

or he would score. Pinching the chain between thumb...

And that thing was to unfasten the clasp of the chain, slip off the...

More than one course had come and gone before her stealthy task...

But he had laughed when she said something like that to him...

It seemed that it would interest rather than frighten her friends...

Her dress of white charmeuse, embroidered with violets, luckily...

"Something nice, or horrid?" asked the Duchess, a tall, pretty woman...

SIDE TALKS

YOU CAN ALWAYS CHANGE IT.

"I had my bill from J's," I heard a woman say the other day, "and it was only forty dollars."

that thus removing the burden of making a definite decision from women's shoulders must weaken their characters.

There is an interesting essay in one of the current magazines on the propriety of buying with the feeling that you can always change it if you don't like it.

to the situation Knight had unfortunately created. In fact, she saw safety for him and herself, as well as a realistic surprise for Ruthven Smith in it.

For an instant the girl could not answer. If only he had hit upon something else. If only it had occurred to her to hide her left hand after taking off the ring!

It was Annesley's impulse to step back as, without waiting for permission, the narrow head, sleekly brushed and slightly bald at the top, bent over her.

For the first time she was inclined to believe in the Countess de Santiago's supernatural power.

He realized that Knight was trusting to the quickness of her wit; that not only had he overheard Ruthven Smith's talk about the Malinore diamond, but he credited her with having caught the drift of the words, and counted on her loyalty to help him.

Good Night Stories

FOUR O'CLOCK TEA

Norma folded the work she had just finished and watched the little pink and white petals of the apple tree as they floated to the grass.

"Every evening at 4 o'clock we gather here, and each fairy brings what she has made that day. We eat and have our frolic," said the queer little elf who appeared to be the head of the affair.

The Wind Imps blew on the reeds that grew in the brook to make music, while the little fairies danced on the green grass.

After the frolic Norma thanked the little Four O'Clocks, and the queer little elf took her back under the apple tree.

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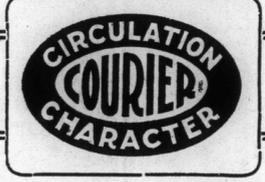
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WANTED—House painter, Noble & Son, 84 Colborne St. M/38

WANTED—Boy to run messages, etc. Box 53 Courier. M/30

WANTED—Boy about sixteen or seventeen. Misener Bros. M/44

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WANTED—Porter at L. E. and N. passenger station. Apply L. E. & N. freight office. M/44

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WANTED—First-class Chauffeur, to drive police auto patrol; duties to commence May 1st. Apply to Chief Slemin, Police Headquarters, Queen street. M/44

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WANTED—Several men accustomed to wood working department also handy men in other departments. Steady work. Apply Supt. Cockshutt Plow Co., Ltd. M/48

WANTED—Good smart boy for all day. Apply J. M. Young & Co. M/32

WANTED—Man for steady indoor work in fitting department; married man preferred; good wages. Apply Supt. Brantford Oven and Stack Co. M/38

MEN WANTED—Apply office Superintendent Brantford Carriage Co. M/12/14

WANTED—A few good laborers and handy men. Apply Supt. Cockshutt Plow Co. M/24

WANTED—Inspectors for 4.5 in. shells; good wages. Apply Motor Trucks, Limited. N/W/26

WANTED—Smart young man to work in billiard room. Apply Box 48 Courier. M/24

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WANTED—A dish washer at once. Apply 27 George. F/34

WANTED—Experienced chamber maid; highest wages. Apply Kerby House. F/42

WANTED—Pantry girl. Apply Housekeeper Bodega Tavern. F/32

WANTED—Good upstairs girl. Apply Beuwell Hotel, Market St. F/44

WANTED—A nurse maid; good wages; Mrs. Caudwell, 94 Lorne Crescent. F/38

WANTED—Maid for general house work. Apply 79 Brant Ave. F/30/14

WANTED—Waitress wanted, at once. E. B. Crompton & Co., Ltd. W/30

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Apply Prince Edward Hotel. F/32

WANTED—An experienced woman or working housekeeper; good wages; second maid kept. Apply Mrs. C. G. Ellis, 50 Chestnut Ave. F/40/14

WANTED—Bookkeeper, with some knowledge of stenography; experience necessary. Apply giving references, Box 63 Courier. F/42

WANTED—Waitresses at The Kerby House. \$25 per month. F/26

WANTED—Kitchen woman. Apply Housekeeper The Bodega Tavern. F/30

WANTED—Immediately, young girl for light housework. Mrs. M. H. Gandier, 111 Dufferin. F/36/14

WANTED—Girl for general office work, one with experience preferred, must be capable and quick on figures and with typewriter. Apply Ryerson Bros., Ltd. F/46

WANTED—Female sewing machine operators for canvas department. Clean steady work; good wages. Apply Slingsby Mfg. Co. F/40

WANTED—A housemaid by May 2nd, one willing to go away for the summer. Apply Mrs. Herbert R. Yates, 75 Sydenham St. F/40

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Apply 177 Chatham St. F/38

WANTED—Girl with experience in finishing photographs. Apply Box 46 Courier. W/26

WANTED—Good housekeeper, middle aged preferred; two in family. Apply Box 59 Courier. F/40

WANTED—Housekeeper, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., daily, except Sunday, from May 1st to September 1st; also to act as companion for invalid. Apply Box 57 Courier. F/38

WANTED—Several smart salesladies, those having one or two years experience preferred. E. B. Crompton and Co., Limited. F/34

WANTED—An experienced cook and housekeeper; highest wages for a competent person. Apply between 6.30 and 8.00 p.m. at 45 Brant Ave. F/26

WANTED—Stenographer with some experience to supply for one month. Apply Adams Wagon Co. F/34

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WANTED—Girls, over 16, experienced or unexperienced in the manufacturing of silk gloves. Apply in person, at Niagara Silk Co. F/26

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FOR EXCHANGE—Advertiser would exchange pair of ladies' Beaver ice skates for pair of roller skates. Box 42 Courier. F/26

For Exchange

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For smaller residence, large roomy residence in East Ward; good location; too large for present owner. Box 40A Courier. A/24

For Exchange

FOR EXCHANGE—Two hundred acres, Norfolk county; good buildings, for city property; immediate possession. Apply Box 50 Courier. N/W/36

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MRS. MABEL ANGLISH—Electrolysis, Shampooing, Hair Dressing, Facial and Scalp Massage, Manicuring; manufacturing of Hair Goods, 28 West St. Bell Phone 2048, Auto 822. F/18/14

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DR. C. B. ECKEL—Eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. Office 65 Brant Avenue. Bell Telephone 1012, Machine 101. F/18/14

Miscellaneous Wants

WANTED—Roomers. Apply 19 Chatham St. N/W/38

WANTED—Board, near G. T. R. station. Box 49 Courier. T/30/14

WANTED—Old horses, telephone 773-2 and 1. J. C. Cromwell for full information. N/W/36

WANTED—Young man. Young woman for office work. Drawer 430 City. M/30

WANTED TO BUY—Small barn, phone 1605. W/36

WANTED—The people of West Brantford to get their weekly papers at "Ocum Inn," 5 Colborne street. M.W.36/14

WANTED TO PURCHASE—House north ward, modern conveniences about \$3,500 to \$4,000. Phone 1938. T/34

WANTED—Position as gardener or management of small farm; good references. Apply Box M/24

WANTED—To rent shop, suitable for general repairing. Centrally located. Box 52 Courier. N/W/30

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Used Ford touring car; must be in good condition and price right. Box 43 Courier. N/W/30

WANTED—To purchase, a bedroom dresser, in first class condition. Apply Box 62 Courier. N/W/42

WANTED—Second hand electric fan for Hydro power. Phone 1946. N/W/32

WANTED—Board and room for business man; central; conveniences. Box 22, Courier. N/W/26

WANTED—Furnished house in East Ward or centrally located, for immediate possession. Mr. F. Sheere, Motor Trucks, Limited. N/W/26

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For Rent

TO LET—Store at 78 Colborne St. Apply Burnley Bros., 17 Marlboro street. Bell phone 1832. T/30/14

FOR RENT—Four acres good garden land, James St., Echo Place. Phone 689. T/44

TO LET—Premises suitable for store or dwelling, 389 Colborne street. Apply 45 Colborne St. T/6/14

TO LET—Three unfurnished rooms with all conveniences, use of phone. Apply 49 Terrace Hill St. T/26

TO RENT—House with two acres and some fruit; one mile from city limits. Apply R. Sheppard, Shellard Road. L-30

TO RENT—One of the best located stores on the north side of Colborne St., almost immediate possession. Apply F. J. Bullock & Co., 207 Colborne St. T/34

TO LET OR FOR SALE—On monthly payments, cottage and two good garden lots. Apply W. A. Hollinrake, Court House, Brantford. A/30

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LOST—Valuable ring. Reward, \$10. 413 Colborne St. L/30

LOST—Monday night, ladies gold wrist watch. Return to Mrs. Yates, 75 Sydenham St. L/34

LOST—Fox hound pup; black and white; covered with black spots. Phone 193. L/28

LOST—Fourteen carat gold cuff links, on Nelson St.; reward, \$30. Return to Courier. L/30

LOST—Thursday evening, between Grand Opera House and O. S. B., one stick pin, set in pearls, Swastika design. "Keep safe." Return to Courier. L/36

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WANTED—A wife; returned soldier; I have property and money but would like to get married before I leave; no flirts; mean business. Box 55 Courier. P/36

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FOR SALE—Good sideboard, cheap at 210 Park Avenue. A/24

FOR SALE—Black go-cart and cradle. Call mornings, 172 Sheridan St. A/24

FOR SALE—Farm, 50 acres; or exchange; good locality. Box 58 Courier. R/38

FOR SALE—Two lots, cheap; good locality; 194 Nelson St. A/24

FOR SALE—Walnut Centre Table- pedestal. Apply Box 44 Courier.

FOR SALE—A good driving or working horse, five years old. Apply 59 Erie Ave. A/42

FOR SALE—Good second hand Indian motor cycle. Apply F. H. Gott. A/42

WANTED—Farm with stock and implements, to work on shares. Box 56 Courier. N/W/46

Autos for Sale

FOR SALE—7 year old mare, good size, suitable for road or farm. Apply Simons & Wallace, Chevrolet Garage. A/3

FOR SALE—Horse. R. M. Copeland, 53 Port. Bell Phone 379. A/40

FOR SALE—Light oak bed and springs; in good condition; cheap. Box 45 Courier. A/40

FOR SALE—Combined bookcase and writing desk; oak; good condition. Box 40B Courier. A/24

FOR SALE—Organ in good condition and two iron beds, cheap. Apply 61 Dundas St. A/24

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, first-class condition, \$60.00. Apply Box 54 Courier. A/30

FOR SALE—Modern two storey brick house, 283 Darling. Apply Lundy's grocery. A/44

FOR SALE—Baby buggy; in good condition. 239 Park Ave. A/28

FOR SALE—2 1-2 h.p. gasoline or coal oil engine. Apply Chevrolet Garage, Dalhousie St. A/32

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FOR SALE—One bedroom suite, one dining room suite. Apply after eight p.m., 41 Lorne Crescent. A/38

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FOR SALE—Choice seed beans for quick sale \$7 per bushel. Phone 27 ring 2. W. H. Biggar, Mohawk P. O. A/38

FOR SALE—Property, east of garage, Darling St., 81 ft. frontage. Apply 100 Wellington St. A/42

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FOR SALE—One bed room set, solid springs, nearly new; one single iron bed, several small gas heaters, one gas range, first class condition; one refrigerator, one dining room set, one kitchen cupboard. Call at 48 Brant Avenue. A/34

FOR SALE—Used upright piano; nearly new; at a bargain. H. J. Smith & Co. A/36/14

FOR SALE—Property of Richard Lee, Mohawk St., stored and one half red brick with barn. Apply Chas. E. Bier, Executor, #68 Colborne. R/26

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Frontier Closed

Zurich, via Paris, April 25.—The German-Swiss frontier has been strictly closed to all travellers at postal services. No German newspapers have arrived since Wednesday. This is usually the prelude to an important military move.

Punish Desertions

Copenhagen, April 25.—The London "The Hejmdal" publishes an announcement of the Prussian military authorities that desertions from frontier districts will be punished the same way as desertions from the front. The penalties range from three years imprisonment to death.

German Loan

Amsterdam, via London, April 25.—Berlin advices received here say that Minister of Finance von Reuter, told the main committee of the Reichstag that the latest war loan to date has realized 12,978,700 marks. As the subscription was open to soldiers in the field until mid-day Friday, the minister said he hoped the total would reach thirty billion marks. The loan is composed of 11,617,562,000 marks, five per cent imperial loan, and 1,361,378,700 marks, 4 1-2 per cent treasury bills. In addition, 492,725,000 marks of older loans have been offered for conversion.

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