

## DUTCH TO RESUME NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE ENTENTE

### The German Foreign Secretary Admits Allied Victory

#### GERMAN FOREIGN SECRETARY DECLARES PEACE READINESS

Allies at Present Suffering From the "Intoxication of Victory" He Says

Amsterdam, Sept. 25.—Germany maintains her readiness for peace, despite repeated rejections of peace offers from the Central Powers, declared Admiral von Hintze, the German foreign secretary in addressing the Reichstag main committee. Speaking on the recent Austrian peace proposal, Admiral von Hintze said that the German government's attitude toward peace had been manifested to the whole world in repeated appeals.

"We maintain this appeal for peace, our readiness for peace," he continued, "despite the partly jeering, partly sneering rejections which we have experienced from our enemies. In this we are in full accord with our Allies."

The foreign secretary said that after the previous failures, it had appeared to the German government that it should not take any further steps in this direction, and that a moment when the nation's enemies were "suffering from war psychosis and the intoxication of victory was not a suitable time for new appeals for peace."

"The appeal, however, was made," the secretary added.

**CHANCELLOR BLAMES KING EDWARD**  
Count von Hertling, the German imperial chancellor, in addressing the Reichstag main committee, complained of the lack of attention his acquiescence in the four points laid down by President Wilson as peace essentials had met from the American executive.

The chancellor asserted that on February 22 of this year he declared in the Reichstag his agreement in principle with the possibility of discussing a general peace on the basis of the four points of President Wilson's message of February 2, but that President Wilson neither at that time or since had taken any notice of the chancellor's declaration.

Count von Hertling continued by declaring that he favored the formation of a league of nations, the promotion of universal, successive disarmament in equal proportions, the establishment of obligatory courts of arbitration, the freedom of the seas and the protection of small nations.

"We have never concealed the fact," said Chancellor von Hertling in the course of his address, "that all thoughts of conquest were far from our minds. But how do things stand on the opposite side? If one credited the utterances of the enemy, official and unofficial, they only desire to repel a Germany, which in criminal arrogance is striving for world hegemony; to fight for freedom and justice against German imperialism and Prussian militarism."

"We know better. The world war was prepared years ago by the well known encircling policy of King Edward. In France there arose extensive war literature which referred to impending war with Germany. Austria-Hungary's influence in the Balkans was to be eliminated. The Russian expansion movement and the pan-Slavic idea demanded it."

"The match was not put to the powder by the Prussian military party, but while the German Emperor was, up to the last moment, endeavoring to preserve peace, the Russian military party put through the mobilization against the will of the weak Czar and thereby made

war unavoidable. The official account of the Sukhomlinoff trial made this clear to everyone who desired to see. We can look calmly forward to the judgment of posterity.

"The situation is serious, but it gives us no ground for deep depression. The iron wall of the Western front is not broken and the retreat is slow, but surely fulfilling its task of diminishing tonnage, thus above all increasingly menacing and restricting reinforcements of men and material from the United States.

"The hour will come because it must come when our enemies will see reason and be ready to make an end of the war before half the world is converted into a heap of ruins and the flowers of its manly strength lies dead on the battlefield."

Count von Hertling said it was the business of the Germans to stand together, cool, confident, united and resolute, with their eye on the protection of the Fatherland, its independence and its freedom of movement. There was no antagonism, he declared, between the Government and the people. The former only desired to work for and with the nation.

#### FRENCH HAVE A WONDERFUL CROP

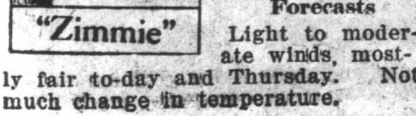
Yield Garnered by Old Men, Women and Children

With the Canadian Forces, Aug. 22. (By J. B. B. Livesey, correspondent of the Canadian Press, Limited).—The French people have a wonderful crop and they garner it in the same spirit of fine weather that has enabled us to reap the full

#### WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Sept. 25.—The barometer is high and winds light throughout the Dominion. Rain is falling this morning in the south-western Ontario and in parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Elsewhere the weather is fine.

Forecast: Light to moderate winds, mostly fair to-day and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.



#### FOCH GRANTS AN INTERVIEW

British Army Better Than Ever, Americans Also Splendid

As For the French They are the Same Good Old Army

By Courier Leased Wire.  
London, Sept. 25.—Marshal Foch, commander-in-chief of allied armies on the western front, who dislikes interviews and rarely grants one, received a few newspapermen at his headquarters on Tuesday. Among those received was the correspondent of The Telegraph, who thus records the Marshal's brief utterances, made in an ejaculatory manner with the use of hardly any verbs:

"The British army is better than ever. It fights better than ever. All of its losses have been made good and it is a more splendid army than it has been before."

"The Americans are splendid and are wooded in the field. Ten thousand fresh Americans arrive in France every day."

"The French army is the same good old army that it was in 1914. No more is to be said."

In discussing the general situation, the Marshal said: "The enemy is shaken up and shaken down, but is still holding out. You must not think that we shall get to the Rhine immediately. We have passed over the crest and are now going down hill. If we gather impetus as we go, like a rolling ball, so much the better."

With a few cordial words the Marshal then dismissed his interviewers and resumed his work on his maps.

#### CROWN PRINCE IS PUNISHED

Real Reason Said to be in Connection With Marriage

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Amsterdam, Sept. 25.—Crown Prince Charles of Roumania has been punished by his father, as commander-in-chief of the army, with close confinement for 75 days for "exaggeration of military regulations," according to an official telegram from Jassy by way of Berlin. The Crown Prince began his sentence yesterday.

"The validity of the actions which led to his arrest will be investigated and such measures as are required by the interest of the country and the dynasty will be taken," the despatch adds.

**Marriage the Cause.**  
London, Sept. 25.—Reports have been received here of the arrest of Crown Prince Charles of Roumania. It is believed here that the Crown Prince is being disciplined because, according to a report which reached London a few days ago, he went to Odessa about September 15, and without the sanction of the King, married Miss Zylis Lambrino, a Roumanian, who has no claims of royal blood.

lives of our men. "Ah," says the French officer smile "but is not sorrow a strength to the character, a completion of experience. Shall not we emerge a stronger nation for it all."

"We are in a trench examining a beyond. A beautifully riveted piece of polished steel. 'How much more artistic you are,' one cannot help saying. 'This weapon is equally effective as our own, but what a thing of beauty it is. On to the front!'"

"The cunning aspects of art and country, while ours is a monopoly of rule of thumb, which his or hers the mark indifferently as the case may be."

"That may be so," he replied, "but you have your admirable perseverance. To each nation its own qualities. To the Hun that of the bear. Of a sudden, countenance in the French soldier. The tragedy of war has transmuted the once merry fellow. They lack not the outward seriousness of our infantry. Put 'em here," he cried to a soldier in passing. He lights up at once. "That is the perfect word, monsieur," he says with a grin.

Second Lieut. James L. McKeever, of New York City, and John M. Widenham, of Los Angeles, Cal., both stationed at Love Field, Tex., were killed when their airplanes went into a slide slip and crashed to earth, twelve miles north of Fort Worth.



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#### DAMAGED BY FIRE.

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#### DUTCH GOVT. WILL RESUME ECONOMIC NEGOTIATIONS

This Decision Reached Regarding Entente Powers—German Papers Utter Warning

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Amsterdam, Sept. 24.—It is semi-officially announced that the Dutch government has decided to resume economic negotiations with the Entente governments.

German papers have seized upon this announcement as an occasion to warn the Dutch that they are in danger of losing the rest of the merchant tonnage to the Entente. The Cologne Gazette says: "The Netherlands government will not yield unless it obtains guarantees that its ships, if sent out, will not be seized in America, as were those taken there last March."

It is openly asserted by the Entente governments, and the newspaper speaks of those government's efforts to cause trouble between Holland and Germany over Dutch exports of food stuffs.

The American note to Holland, relative of the taking over of Dutch ships by the United States is called by the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette "a masterpiece of American perfidy."

#### GERMAN EFFORT TO REGAIN VALUABLE GROUND FAILS

By Courier Leased Wire.  
PARIS, Sept. 25.—German troops last night made an effort to regain some of the valuable ground recently won from them by the French near the western end of the Chemin des Dames. They attacked in the region of the Moissy Farm in this area, but according to today's War Office statement, the effort was an entire failure.

The text of the statement reads: "In the course of the night the artillery was active in the region of St. Quentin and between the Ailette and the Aisne."

"German attacks in the region of the Moissy Farm were completely checked. On the Vesle front a lively artillery fire was maintained.

"French troops repulsed German raiding parties in the Champagne and in Lorraine, and in the latter region carried out an incursion into the German lines."

#### Away Back in August

Preparations Were Made for the Macedonian Campaign

Bulgars Felt So Safe That They Did Not Interfere with Preliminary Work

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Paris, Sept. 25.—(Macedonia)—Preparations for the present great operations in Macedonia began in August, telegraphs the correspondent of the Petit Parisien on the Saloniki front. Various circumstances prevented General Franchet d'Espèrey, the Allied commander, from beginning his preparations earlier and quick work was imperative, for the summer heat lingers along the coast the winter is often early and severe in the high mountain zones.

The sector chosen for the attack lacked transportation except for goat paths. A road was laid out from Dolje to Pajar and Grevesta, and Serbian engineers set to work vigorously long before the French troops, to whom had been assigned the task of position. The Allied staff established headquarters on the ground and tackled the enormous task of preparation.

The mountainous region from Dobropolje to Coziak, the correspondent, interspersed with deep ravines, with low brush wood and dense forests, interspersed with deep ravines, chasms and precipices. The Bulgars thought themselves so safe from attack by reason of these natural difficulties that they did not attempt to interfere with the Allied preliminary work, and contented themselves merely with reinforcing their line, the more easily to hurl the Allies back. Little by little as the road was built, guns were pushed up toward the front, and huge ammunition dumps constructed. Heavy guns were hoisted into position at an altitude of 6,000 feet. They were brought up as far as possible by tractors, and then hauled by horses and mules, and finally dragged into place by men power.

Soldiers of the signal detachments had to become alpinists to lay their telephone and telegraph lines in this chaos of rocks and trees. The Bulgarians watched all these efforts and failed even to shell the Allies occasionally. It must be added, however, that everything that could be hit, was camouflaged admirably. It was only during the night preceding the attack that the assaulting troops were brought up. Promptly at five o'clock on the morning of September 14 the artillery opened with such vigor as to surprise the Bulgarians who were not aware that heavy guns were facing them. The brush wood was soon set afire and long columns of yellowish smoke began to ascend from the hillsides while the great valley resounded to the roar of the guns. The artillery preparation lasted all day. The Bulgarians tried to reply with 155s but did little harm.

On September 16 at five o'clock in the morning the Allied creeping barrage fire began, and the French colonials went over the top. They rushed the enemy trenches with bomb and bayonet. Senegalese troops captured the first line and 900 demoralized prisoners in a few minutes. They took the second line except for one trench, which was scrammed with machine guns, also. The Bulgarians began to pull themselves together and offered stubborn resistance, and even attempted to hurl the Allies back over their original line, but Allied reinforcements were thrown in quickly. The Bulgarian picked troops fought desperately, giving ground inch by inch.

The Krantza crest, the key of the Allied success in this sector, was taken and re-taken several times, but finally remained in the hands of the Allies. On the left a French division had taken Sokol and Dobropolje and a swamp, which was thick with machine guns. The Serbs on the right held Vetrenik and the "Elephant's Ear."

At five o'clock in the afternoon the Allied success was complete. The desperate resistance of the Bulgarians were high. The Allies captured more than 3,000 prisoners, inflicted severe losses on the enemy and took 50 guns, including a number of 155s. The Serbs immediately turned the heavier guns against the Bulgarians. Quantities of trench mortars, machine guns and rifles and a considerable stock of munitions also were taken from the enemy.

#### Hun Counter Attacks Failed

Haig Reports Heavy Losses Inflicted on Foe

By Courier Leased Wire.  
London, Sept. 25.—In Flanders last night a successful raid was carried out by the British in the neighborhood of Wulverghem. In this and in other encounters, prisoners were taken. Field Marshal Haig's official report to-day announces:

#### French and British Officers Take Refuge in American Consulate at Moscow

Bulletin, London, Sept. 25.—A number of French and British officers have taken refuge in the American consulate at Moscow, which is under the protection of Norway, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph Company. The Bolshevik Government has placed a guard around the building and has demanded the surrender of the officers and the consulate officials.

Boston, Mass., schools have been closed for a week because of the epidemic of influenza.



# NORFOLK NEWS

## KING'S GREETING TO U.S. SOLDIERS

### Provincial County Road System—More Casualties are Recorded

Simcoe, Sept. 25.—(From Our Own Correspondent).—Sergt. H. W. Butler of the American artillery, addressed and forwarded to his mother, Mrs. Elias Boughner, of Colborne street south, his envelope containing the personal greeting of King Edward as handed to each United States soldier on arrival in England. The salutation under the royal coat of arms and dated from Windsor Castle, was enclosed in a plain white envelope, with the following typed across the upper left hand corner, "A message to you from His Majesty George Vth."

The salutation is in a fac-simile of the King's handwriting and reads thus:

"Soldiers of the United States, the people of the British Isles welcome you on your way to take your stand beside the armies of many nations now fighting in the old world the great battle for human freedom. The Allies will gain new heart and spirit in your coming. I wish that I could shake the hand of each of you and bid you God speed on your mission."

George R. I. April, 1918. "His Father Was a Soldier, Too." Needless to say, Mrs. Boughner prizes very highly this souvenir received but a few days ago. And none the less because the father of the young man who received it, the late Thos. W. Butler of Simcoe, served nine and a half years in the Royal Artillery, E. Battalion, 4th Brigade. He served in Canada during the time of the Trent Trouble and through the Fenian raid, and came from New Brunswick to London, making the distance as far as Montreal on sleighs. His papers of honorable discharge are to be seen in the same dwelling where the King's greeting to his son is prized. Young Butler had gone over the border a few years ago and when Uncle Sam took up the cudgel, he at once went into training.

Provincial County Road System Complete. Guy R. Marston reached home last evening with the good news that Warden Duck's deposition to Toronto with regard to the re-entrance of the Simcoe-Port Dover road in the Provincial county system will be recognized by the department. This gives two cross country roads from Dover to the north through Watford and from Tilsonburg to the east through Simcoe. Other members of the deposition were Reeve O. H. Dunsmuir of Watford, Reeve H. A. Carter of Simcoe, Reeve Wm. Walker of Port Dover, Reeve Jos. Cridland of Walsingham, and John S. Martin, president of the Dover Board of Trade.

No. Group I Examination. At a joint meeting of the Norfolk County Boards of High School Entrance Examiners, it was decided to hold no written examination in the subjects of group I. Heretofore History and Nature Study papers were submitted, but the department has put History in group II and now requires an examination in all or some of the subjects of group one. Nature study is therefore getting back to its original place, as a method rather than a subject. This was Professor Milhrow's attitude towards it.

A Broken Week of School. With the county fair on the 7th, 8th and 9th of October and the Teachers' Convention on the 10th and 11th, there will not likely be much concentration of effort in Norfolk schools during the second week of October.

More Casualties. Harry Fisher, son of Alfred Fisher, now of Tilsonburg, formerly of Simcoe, has been killed in action. Following advice of one son killed in action, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammond have been advised that another son, Herbert, has been missing for some weeks.

Capt. Stanley H. Brockbank, of Arthur, who as a young lad lived in

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Simcoe, after being three times reported wounded, was on Monday reported "killed in Action in the Globe list and "wounded" in the Free Press list. It is considered here that the former is the correct report as the preceding one came through but a few days before. Brockbank was completing a course at the School of Practical Science when the call came. He got his promotion from Lieutenantancy on the field.

Levi William Ashford of Courtland, J. A. Currie, of Simcoe and C. Potts of Simcoe are other names appearing in recent casualty lists.

**Odd Ends of News.**  
L. Reardon of Hamilton, formerly of Simcoe, was taken suddenly ill of pneumonia on Saturday evening, while spending the week end at the residence of the keeper of the county home. Yesterday his condition was considered dangerous. His brother Terry Reardon of Toronto, also a freetime of Simcoe, reached here on Monday evening to visit his brother.

The physician in charge fears typhoid complication. There have developed since the Toronto exhibition several cases of typhoid in town. This is quite in line with conditions in past years.

Supt. Kitchin is making a splendid piece of road on the townline east towards Jarvis in the vicinity of the old cheese factory. Residents of the district claim that the town road roller should be taken out to make a complete job of it.

The gas company is evidently getting gas at Lyndoch, if one is to judge from the big pipe line being put down from the north ward controller to the central office.

On Monday night a diminutive thief crawled through the parcel hole in the steam laundry door and took from the office till the fewoppers which were left therein overnight.

Mr. Cantelon was judge of fine arts at the Norwich fair.

**FARMER'S ODD MISHAP**  
Brockville, Sept. 25.—While Norman Merriman Crosby was making some minor repairs to a corn binder on his farm recently the horses attached to the machine set it in operation, with the result that the needle was run through the palm of his hand. Merriman was alone at the time in the field, which is some two miles from the house, and was held prisoner for more than an hour before his son happened to arrive on the scene and rescued him. Mr. Merriman was removed to St. Vincent de Paul hospital here.

**TOPPLED OVER.**  
St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 25.—Five passenger cars of the Reid Newfoundland Railway westbound express toppled over near Mount Noriah last night. One passenger, Miss O'Neil, of Hollywood, was killed and 22 others slightly injured. Miss Harris, daughter of Governor Sir Charles Harris, was one of the passengers en route to New York. She escaped uninjured.

Owing to the great demand for tickets for the Prince O'Patters and to several other attractions who's advance sale is on at the same time, to avoid confusion, the plan for the Prince O'Patters will open Thursday morning at 9 a.m. at Boles' Drug Store, instead of Monday.



**LIEUT. BOB DIBBLE**  
The well-known Canadian champion orsman, who succeeds Capt. Lou F. Scheles as director of athletics in Military District No. 2. Dibble went overseas with the 180th Sportsman, was on the first draft of officers to France, and was twice wounded.

**SHORT SUGAR CROP.**  
San Juan, P.R., Sept. 24.—The Government to-day announced that the sugar crop for 1918 is 453,736 short tons, as compared with 503,081 tons in 1917, a decrease of slightly over ten per cent.

The prospects for the 1919 crop indicate that there will be a further reduction in the amount of sugar raised next year.

**FALLING BACK.**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
London, Sept. 25.—East of the

Vardar River in Macedonia, the Germans and Bulgarians are falling back on Veles, twenty-five miles southeast of Uebur, according to a Serbian official statement received here. Along the Frliep-Gradsko road the Serbians have captured 13 guns and a great number of ammunition wagons and other material.

Max Miller, carrying mail from Washington to Belmont Park, Long Island, beat the previous record by two minutes. His time was 2 hours and 10 minutes.

**AUSTRIAN OFFICIAL.**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
Vienna, Tuesday, Sept. 24.—(Via London), Sept. 25.—Austro-Hungarian general headquarters issued the following statement to-day on operations on the Italian front:

"On the plateau between Canove and Mont' di Valbella, the enemy yesterday (Monday) launched new attacks. At Monte Sisenoel, after intense artillery fire, French and Italian storming detachments penetrated our lines, but a counter-thrust drove them back."

**RESCUED CHILDREN.**  
Windsor, Sept. 24.—Left alone in their home on Tecumseh Road, just beyond the city limits, two young children of John Lane, a farmer, were found by the fire department yesterday but for the fortunate arrival of Craig Johnstone, a young Walkerville man, who was driving past the house and heard screams.

Johnstone threw his shoulder against the door and burst it. Clouds of smoke rushed into his face as he made his way inside and carried the

little ones to safety. The house was burned to the ground, entailing a loss estimated at \$2,000.

**FORTY-SEVEN RAIDS.**  
By Courier Leased Wire.  
Amsterdam, Sept. 24.—Forty-seven air raids were made on German towns during the month of August, according to an official statement issued at Berlin. This statement says that seventy-nine persons were killed and 113 injured during the raids.

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BY JANE PE

Ruth Convinces Brian CHAPTER XXXX

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# THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

### Ruth Convinces Brian That They Must Move.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Ruth had not given up the idea of living in better quarters. It would be more convenient for her to be nearer the shop, and just as much so for Brian. She grew to hate the little, dingy hallway and stairs, the ugly paper in the rooms. The commonness of it all had grown even more distasteful than at first, by contrast.

Each night as she left the artistic surroundings of the Fifth Avenue shop, and entered the door to the little flat, her revulsion grew greater, until finally she got up courage to hint something of her feelings to Brian.

At last, she made up her mind that she would speak to him. She could hardly wait to get home, now that she had decided, so anxious was she to speak to him about it. She had again taken to spending part of her noon hour looking for a place that suited her, and had found one she considered ideal. It was in the very building she had looked for one before she had her raise. But when she did reach home, and faced Brian, she couldn't say a word. Brian, however, sensed she had something on her mind, and asked:

"Well, what is it?"

"Oh, Brian, I saw the dearest little apartment to-day! Not much bigger than this, but so light and airy. It is in a building not so far up-town, with an elevator and everything. And dear, it isn't decorated, and the superintendent told me he would let me select all the decorations. Do let's take it, dear. It would be better all around. A lawyer needs to live in a nice place; it is such a nice profession. Then, too, he is apt to meet a different class of people and so get some business." Ruth had

grown tactful with Brian.

Ruth's mind was of the sort that goes straight at its object. She hated to beat about the bush, to weigh her words. Like most women, she was guided to a great extent by her emotions, intuitions, and instincts. She "felt things," and felt hurt when Brian did not also "feel" them. She waited for his answer.

"How much was the rent?" he asked. He spoke slowly, heavily.

"Only fifty dollars a month. Just fifteen more than we pay here, and it is worth twice as much."

"Well, there may be something in what you say about a lawyer's needing to live in a good locality. Perhaps we can arrange it. I expect to get some new clients soon; until then I guess I can stretch what I have, so that it will cover the extra rent."

He entirely ignored Ruth in the matter. He let her understand that if he consented to the change, it was because she had convinced him that it was good for a lawyer to live in a better apartment than the one they now occupied.

He knew as well as did Ruth, that he alone could not pay fifty dollars rent and have anything left to meet his share of the other expenses, as they had been doing. But it pleased him to ignore that side of it, and Ruth was too delighted at her success to cavil.

The next day she confided to La Monte that she hoped soon to be living nearer the shop. He in turn told Mandel.

"I hear you are going to move," her employer said to Ruth, a day or two later.

"Yes, I have found a small apartment, and it is not yet decorated. That, I think, decided me to take it. The one we have now is wretchedly ugly. It has got on my nerves."

"I think you are wise. One's surroundings affect a person more than

they are sometimes aware; especially an artistic person like yourself. You go straight at it, not decorated. If you will ask La Monte, he will show you a lot of stuffs we have had left from different jobs we have finished, some of them years ago. If there is anything in the lot you can use, take it and welcome."

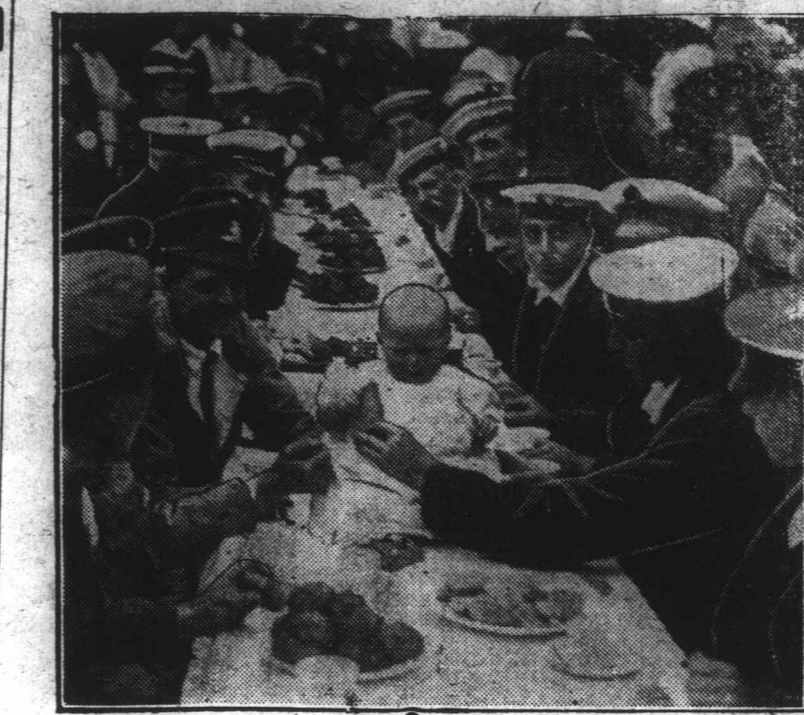
"Oh, thank you!" Ruth replied with fervor. She well knew that there would be some beautiful things in such a collection.

"Don't thank me. Just help yourself!" Ruth could scarcely wait to see La Monte and give him her employer's message. He looked surprised for a moment; then led the way to a small closet. He unlocked the door, and said:

"I'll turn you loose. If Mr. Mandel told you to take all you wanted, you will find much that will make your apartment very attractive. Some of the stuffs are exquisite, although there is no great quantity of any one thing."

Left alone, Ruth commenced to pull the things off the shelves. Her little exclamations of delight when she found a piece of brocade or tulle, a piece of fabric so lovely it was a joy to handle them, to one who realized their beauty; yet he would have not sold them, save for a round price. Ruth's measure in them, more than repaid him what he had lost by their sale to her. When he saw her folding them up and laying them back in orderly precision, he hurried away. He had no intention of allowing her to know she had been observed.

(To be continued to-morrow.)



THE DEAL BABY SHOW  
British Tommies and Sailors were entertained and in turn entertained the babies, whose show formed part of a recent celebration at Deal, England. The picture shows one of the infants at dinner with the boys.

## NEXT VICTORY LOAN DETAILS

### A Most Complete System Has Been Adopted

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The Minister of Finance states that the plan adopted for the campaign for the coming Victory Loan has been discussed in detail by representatives of the Victory Loan organization from all parts of Canada and settled upon as being the most efficient and economical method of handling the loan. A final analysis of the last Victory Loan shows that the actual cost of floating it, including payment of all organizing expenses, advertising, remuneration to bond and stock houses and commissions to canvassers, was not much over one-half of one per cent, or, to be exact, .54. The other expenses were for the services of the chartered banks in receiving subscriptions, keeping accounts, delivering securities at their branches, some 2,500 in number, through the agents, and paying interest upon coupons, free of exchange during the entire period of the life of the bonds, and for the additional cost of administration in the Department of Finance, where a temporary staff numbering over 600 was engaged for months in connection with the work of the loan.

Following the course adopted last year, the Minister of Finance has practically commandeered for the purposes of the loan the services of the bond and stock exchange houses of Canada. This ensures the active co-operation of a large body of experts, who, through their experience and the placing of the power which their organizations have developed, have rendered valuable assistance in the floating of the loan.

Experts from these investment houses have already been engaged for several weeks in the extensive preliminary work of publicizing the loan through the publication of propaganda. From September 7 until early in December all investment houses are precluded from handling new issues or carrying on their usual business in order that their full energies may be devoted to the work of the loan.

To reimburse bond dealers and stock brokers as may be employed on the loan under authority of the Dominion executive committee will be reimbursed on the basis of their operating expenses for the time and extent that they are actually engaged in the work. The amounts of such payments will be wholly in the discretion of the Minister of Finance, whose decision in each case will be final and conclusive.

The several provincial Victory Loan executive committees they are to be paid a commission at the same rate as in the last victory loan. This commission does not apply to subscriptions exempted by the special subscriptions committee, comprising amounts of \$25,000 and over, in respect of which no commission is to be paid.

The Minister recognizes that there was a great deal of voluntary effort on the part of leading citizens throughout the country connected with the last loan, and he feels that such effort will be available also for the present.

All evidence up to the present indicates a most widespread desire to co-operate in making the loan a complete success.

Fifty Against Two. It is not reasonable to expect two weeks of outing to overcome the effects of fifty weeks of confinement. Take Host's Sarsaparilla, along with you. It refreshes the blood, improves the appetite, makes sleep easy and restful.

British posts in the region to the east of Arras, in the Somme country, were also attacked and here likewise the enemy was driven off.

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Rye, bushel	.....1 50 1 60
Straw, baled, ton	.....7 00 8 00
Wheat	.....0 00 2 10
Barley, bushel	.....1 00 1 05
Vegetables.	
Beans, quart	.....0 25 0 30
Cabbage, dozen	.....0 50 0 60
Watermelons	.....0 10 0 30
Carrots, basket	.....0 30 0 50
Onions, basket	.....0 00 1 40
Green tomatoes, basket	.....0 00 0 25
Cucumbers, basket	.....0 35 0 65
Cabbage, head	.....0 05 0 10
Celery, large	.....0 00 0 10
Potatoes, bushel	.....0 90 1 50
Potatoes, basket	.....0 40 0 50
Tomatoes, basket	.....0 30 0 40
Beets, bunch	.....0 05 0 10
Pumpkins	.....0 10 0 20
Corn, dozen	.....0 20 0 25
Green peppers, basket	.....0 50 0 60
Cauliflower, each	.....0 10 0 25
Squash	.....0 20 0 35
Fruit.	
Apples, basket	.....0 25 0 35
Plums, basket	.....0 00 1 00
Pears	.....0 15 0 25
Grapes, basket	.....0 00 0 50
Grapes, box	.....0 00 0 15
Meats.	
Dry salt, pork, lb.	.....0 30 0 35
Fresh pork, carcass	.....2 20 2 40
Bacon, back trim	.....0 35 0 50
Bacon, back	.....0 45 0 45
Beef, boiling, lb.	.....0 20 0 25
Beef, roast, lb.	.....0 25 0 30
Beef, steak, lb.	.....0 30 0 40
Pork chops, dressed	.....1 00 1 25
Chicken, per lb.	.....0 00 0 35

## TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Toronto, Sept. 25.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards this morning were 1,155 cattle, 192 calves, 1,048 hogs and 1,260 sheep and lambs. The market was about steady in all lines, although trade was inclined to be rather slow. Hogs unchanged, best bringing \$19.75. Calves firmer. Good demand for heavy sheep. Export cattle, choice, \$14.60 to \$16; medium, \$13.25 to \$14; export bulls, \$9.75 to \$10.50; butcher cattle, choice, \$11 to \$12; medium, \$9.50 to \$10.50; common, \$7 to \$7.75; butcher cows, choice, \$9.50 to \$10.50; medium, \$7.25 to \$8.25; canners, \$5.25 to \$6; bulls, \$7.75 to \$8.50; feeding steers, \$8.75 to \$10.50; stockers, choice, \$8.25 to \$8.75; stockers, light, \$6.50 to \$7; milkers, choice \$7 to \$12; springers, choice, \$5 to \$13; sheep, ewes, \$3.25 to \$15.25; bucks and wethers, \$1.50 to \$2.75; lambs, \$1.75 to \$17.50; hogs, red and watered, \$19.50 to \$19.75; hogs f.o.b., \$18.75; calves, \$17 to \$18.25.

## SHOOTING CASE IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 25.—Jealousy over a woman, is said by the police to have led to the shooting of Giovanni d'Allesandro, an Italian living on Elm street here, at six o'clock this morning. The man wanted by the police on suspicion of having committed the deed is Leonard Demeo, d'Allesandro is in the general hospital in a very critical condition with three bullet wounds in his head. Little hope is held out for his recovery. According to testimony in the position of the police, Demeo is alleged to have fired upon d'Allesandro without warning, then to have turned and fled along the street and escaped. The police are hot on the trail of the alleged gunman, and it is believed it is only a matter of hours before he will be captured.

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## GOOD PRICES ARE PAID

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New York, Sept. 24.—Close to \$700,000 worth of raw furs were sold here to-day at the opening of the annual fall auction. German-owned furs, totalling in value about \$30,000, were also sold for the account of Allen Property Custodian A. Mitchell Palmer.

The collections offered during the day were smaller than at the spring sales, but, in spite of this, most of the varieties sold brought higher totals than at that time. Cross fox and fisher were most actively bid for, with red fox also wanted. The fisher pelts brought \$80, while the best cross fox sold for \$127 and the best red fox for \$47.50.

The top price paid for Russian sable was \$150, and for blue fox \$113. Compared with the average prices at the April sale, wolverines and red foxes showed no change, but these percentage advances were recorded by the other furs sold: Fisher, \$20; blue fox, \$15; cross fox, \$25; and Australian fox, \$10.

Heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans who delivered the several articles.

## Railway Strike in South Wales

### Is Taking Place Despite the Leaders and Agreement

London, Sept. 25.—A strike of railroad men in South Wales, who are dissatisfied with the settlement of the dispute arrived at last Thursday, began Sunday in defiance of union leaders, and spread to a serious extent on Monday, dislocating traffic over a large area and compelling the idleness of thousands of miners and metal workers, and seriously delaying the output and distribution of coal. The trouble occurred farther Monday night, and threatens the complete disorganization of the South Wales industries. James Henry Thomas, General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, has gone to Wales to try to effect a settlement of the strike. He told the newspapermen that the situation was very serious, and that the leaders of the National Union, whose authority was doubted, were gravely concerned.

Challenge to Government. The Board of Trade issued a statement at midnight describing the action of the strikers as a direct challenge to all ordered government, and saying that the strike "not only will endanger the essen-

tial needs of the civilian population by interfering with the transportation of foodstuffs and fuel, but must seriously prejudice the successful conduct of the war by interfering with the essential supplies of men and munitions to the allied armies and navies, and also interfering with the transport arrangements for the comfort and safety of the wounded."

The statement concludes by thanking the large body of railwaymen who are abiding by last Thursday's agreement.

One thousand prisoners were captured in yesterday's operation particularly around St. Quentin.

## SECOND GRANDCHILD.

### By Courier Leased Wire

Montreal, Sept. 25.—The second grandchild of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire was born yesterday at Pinewood, Cavendish, when a daughter was born to Captain and Lady Maud Mackintosh. Both mother and daughter are reported to be doing well.

## GIVEN TO THE NATION.

### By Courier Leased Wire

London, Sept. 25.—Stonehenge, the world famous Druid monument, which has always been in the hands of private owners, has been presented to the British nation by C. H. Chubb, who purchased it on September 21, 1915. The Government has accepted the gift and henceforth will be responsible for its preservation.

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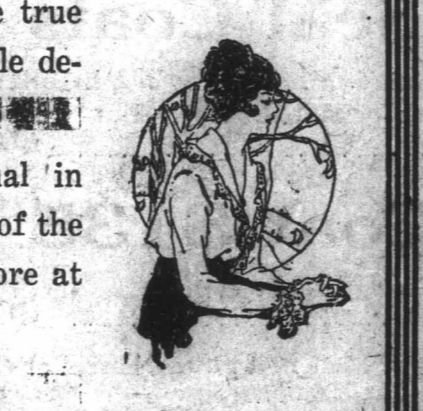
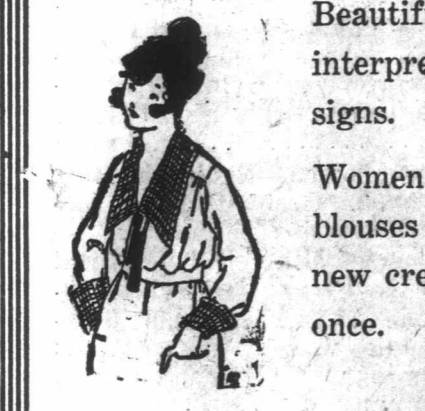
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## AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture

W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, will offer for sale by public auction on THURSDAY next, Sept. 26th, at 90 Huron St., Eagle Place, commencing at 1:30 p.m. sharp the following goods: Settee; 2 rockers; pair chenille curtains; new parlor table; new Brussels rug \$12; sideboard; dining suite; chairs; table, extension; 16 yards linoleum; round coal heater; pictures; curtains; dishes; brass parlor table, china top; good vacuum cleaner; 2 brass pictures; 3-way screen, all-hand painted; 2 large stoves; walnut whatnot; paper rack, sealers; dishes; kitchen table; four holes, closed top, gas range; washing machine; clothes horse; garden tools; couch; wringer; 2 iron beds; springs; mattress; dressers; commodes; toilet sets; 2 brasses; rug; new; good baby buggy; also other articles. On Thursday next, Sept. 26th, at 90 Huron St., Eagle Place, at 1:30 p.m. No reserve. Terms, spot cash.

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Charles M. Schwab, in charge of shipbuilding operations in the United States, has asked for deferred classification under the draft of men who are engaged in the shipbuilding industry.

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THE COURIER

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 1918

THE SITUATION

The German Foreign Secretary has been again declaring the desire of Germany for peace, but he knows right well that none...

From Macedonia the news continues to be of a most encouraging nature and the retreat of the Bulgarian forces becomes more accentuated each day.

The British are sticking doggedly to the task of enveloping St. Quentin and the French also are doing most notable work in connection with the same operation.

News from Palestine still further confirms the utter rout of the Turks, many of whom are stated to be making free use of the white flag.

THE CASE FOR THRIFT

The case for thrift in Canada at the present time may be briefly summed up. The country has been in a state of unexampled prosperity for the past two or three years, owing, it is quite clear, to unusual war conditions.

The appeal now is to the people of Canada to immediately undertake a vigorous campaign of personal thrift, to abstain from the purchase of all luxuries and non-essentials, and to endeavor to accumulate as great a saving as possible.

The practice of thrift by the Canadian people now will bring a large accumulation of national savings to secure us individually and collectively against any trying change that might occur in the economic situation.

The examples of other countries should inspire Canadians to much greater effort in thrift. France has been able to face her four years of terrible trial by reason of her background of personal thrift.

Every honorably discharged soldier will be entitled to a grant of farm land. In order that the men may have good soil, and that their farms may be conveniently situated, owners of large estates have already given broad tracts from their holdings to the newly-created Ministry of Reparation.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

who can till the soil. In addition the plans authorized by statute and now under consideration, call for sanitariums in which the totally incapacitated may find refuge, permanent military hospitals where relief may be obtained without expense, factories where artificial limbs will be made and repaired, and trade schools and shops in which crippled soldiers can work.

THE SUBMARINE MENACE. To a very large extent the submarine would seem to have disappeared. This of course is one of the essentials in the make-up of that craft but the disappearance in this instance has reference to the "U" boat as a seriously active menace to the Allies.

The process of closing in on St. Quentin was continued by the British who made progress in the Gricourt neighborhood and also in the Selency region, west of St. Quentin.

On and on top of the throttling of the danger to a main degree, there is the undoubted fact that it was the submarine program which ultimately brought the United States into the war. When the All Highest and his associates attempted to tell Uncle Sam that he should only use such and such sea channels or else have his shipping destroyed, the final incentive was provided which led the American Eagle to poise itself for a death dealing swoop.

NOTES AND COMMENTS. The Kaiser is still busily engaged distributing iron crosses. They form an exceedingly poor offset to the cross which he has laid on the shoulders of his people.

Just about all of the stuffing has been knocked out of Turkey. Might as well expect fair sport treatment in Hamilton as dodo eggs for breakfast.

It is almost like going back to Sunday school again to read the war reports from Palestine. Certain it is that the Egyptians at the Red Sea didn't have any worse shut out than that administered by Allenby to the Turks.

Stonehenge, which has just been given to the British nation by the owner, consists of a very remarkable structure of large artificially raised monoliths on Salisbury Plain, Wiltshire, England.

C.P.R. CONDUCTOR HURT. Ingersoll, Sept. 24.—Charles Cline, a C.P.R. conductor of West Toronto, was the victim of a serious accident at Port Burwell, early this morning.

AUSTRALIA AND THE RETURNED SOLDIER. In view of the importance of the problem of satisfactorily dealing with the returned soldier it is of interest to know what the Commonwealth of Australia is doing.

Your Problems Solved

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D. (All rights reserved.)

Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious care that perplexes you. A personal answer is required, enclose a five cent stamp. No names will be published; if you prefer, sign your initials only, or use a pseudonym.

The Elixir of Life—"A widow" wants to know, "What is the chief joy in life?" Contrary to general opinion, the purest joys never come to those whose chief joy is to seek joy. Those whose thoughts are chiefly occupied about themselves, who live to have a good time and only do those things which gratify their own desires always miss what they are seeking.

TELL THEM I HAVE DONE MY DUTY. Montreal, Sept. 22.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, formerly Postmaster-General in the Laurier Government, whose son, "Roddy," was killed in action on the 29th of August last, has received from the chaplain of the regiment, Capt. J. J. Desjardins, a letter describing his son's last moments.



The shaded area represents the Allied gains in Serbia territory as reported up to Tuesday.

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By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, Sept. 25. At the police commissioners inquiry this morning into the conduct of the police on the occasion of the rioting in August last, one of the witnesses, Patrol Sergeant Egan, when questioned about the failure of the police to prevent thefts from the cash register of a Greek restaurant on Queen St., said: "The men were returned soldiers and while they were away fighting at \$1.10 a day, the foreigners here were making lots of money."

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Sept. 25.—To-day's casualty list: Mounted Rifles: Wounded: E. H. Potter, London; G. E. Gobie, Teeswater; P. Patrick, Stratford. Railway Troops: Killed in action: H. E. Brain, Burlington. Machine Gun Company: Wounded: H. Wythe, not stated. Ill: W. McBeath, Hamilton. Engineers: Killed in action: F. B. Robertson, Hagersville; H. D. McNaughton, Tiverton. Died of wounds: N. A. Henry, Colingwood. Wounded: R. Jamieson, Hamilton; A. Lacroix, Penetang; W. Cook, Barrie; R. A. Shapcott, Elmville.

T. G. Elvin, Pualinch; W. H. Barrett, London. Artillery: Wounded: R. Somerville, Hamilton. Gassed: M. Wankel, Seaford; Infantry: Prisoner of war: B. Rolfe, Hamilton. Missing: J. Woods, Chesley. Wounded and missing: J. Duchoven, Wharton. Ill: J. WHYTE, 293 Dalhousie St., Brantford. Gassed: D. McGregor, Wallaceburg. France, in a communication transmitted by Ambassador Jusserand, through the State Department to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, joined Italy, Spain and Portugal in protesting against the provision in the War prohibition Bill to forbid the importation of wines.

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REDUCING HEEL. The gore north orial when for busy to-day red preparing it for WORK STARTED. Work was continuing on the excavation to the Nurse tion will be built of the present but ONE FIRM. One Brantford seated at the match held this Good, Shapley and of their tractor HEAVY MAIL. The postoffice to-day with the by the separation which are now by the month of Sep COMPLETED. The work on Dalhousie street and will now ell with water run yards. HOLD INDUSTRY. It has been de Industrial night in the local Y.M.C employees of the city offices of the city MADE RAID. The special com on violators of the Act last evening, surely after the endangering the have to walk. GOOD SEASON. At a closing me ford City Baseball evening reports a successful season: T be a balance on the ledger and a check be sent to the Votes of thanks y people of Brantford and the newspaer support. AFTER DRIVERS. The local police of cars in the ct license. Yesterd were stopped and not the required allowed to go with and if again gulle fence drastic meas In Addition a Most Complete for Eye Ex We have a Lens Me Plant—on ises—when every kind tacle or eye ses from t terial. No need to town, we and quick COME IN Lenses ar JARVIS OP CONSULTING 128 Colb Phone 1285 Tru Special ON Trav Go On Trunk Suit Cas Travell NE SHOE 158 Colb



# Local News

### REDUCING HEIGHT.

The core north of the Bell Memorial when the curb was laid was too high for the curb. Men are busy today reducing this height and preparing it for the seeding down.

### WORK STARTED.

Work was commenced this morning on the excavation for the addition to the Nurse's Home. The addition will be built on the north side of the present building.

### ONE FIRM.

One Brantford firm was represented at the Provincial plowing match held this year at Cobourg. Good, Shapley and Muir entered one of their tractors in the event.

### HEAVY MAIL.

The postoffice authorities are busy today with the heavy mail caused by the separation allowance cheques, which are now being distributed for the month of September.

### COMPLETED.

The work on the water table on Dalhousie street has been completed and will now eliminate all trouble with water running into people's yards.

### HOLD INDUSTRIAL NIGHT.

It has been decided that the first Industrial Night to be held this year in the local Y.M.C.A. shall be for the employees of the stores and business offices of the city.

### MADE RAID.

The special constable made a raid on violators of the Motor Vehicles Act last evening. The speed cop is sure after the motorists that are endangering the safety of those that have to walk.

### GOOD SEASON.

At a closing meeting of the Brantford City Baseball League held last evening reports showed a very successful season. There was found to be a balance on the right side of the ledger and a cheque for \$33.68 will be sent to the Brantford Sanitarium. Votes of thanks were passed to the people of Brantford, the Y.M.C.A., and the newspapers for their generous support.

### AFTER DRIVERS.

The local police are after drivers of cars in the city that have not licenses. Yesterday numerous cars were stopped and many drivers had not the required license. They were allowed to go with a severe warning and if again guilty of the same offence drastic measures will be taken.

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### FIRE AND LIGHT.

A meeting of the Fire and Light Committee will be held next Thursday evening in the City Hall to discuss the purchase of a new truck for the East End hall and other minor changes.

### ACTING CHIEF.

In the absence of Chief Slein on his holidays Detective Chapman is performing the duties of acting chief.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

The treasurer's report for the month of August submitted this morning is as follows: Total receipts \$67,277.97, total expenditures \$63,625.87, leaving a balance on hand of \$4,652.10.

### SOCIAL SEASON.

The Social Committee of the Y.M.C.A. met last night in the Y to discuss a program for the coming season. A program was prepared in which all the usual divisions of the Y have their place. Sub-committees were appointed to supervise the different events planned.

### HAD FINE TIME.

The members of the First Baptist choir and friends held a most enjoyable outing last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McIntyre, Tulea Heights. A corn roast was the feature of the evening, and games also helped to while away a very pleasant evening. Dainty refreshments were served, and a hearty vote of thanks passed to the genial host and hostess.

### RE-OPENING.

The re-opening ceremonies of the Boys' Department of the Y.M.C.A. that will be held on Friday evening will be divided into three parts. Forty minutes will be spent on the gymnasium, after which a like period will be spent in the swimming pool, followed by forty minutes of a program which will be held in the boys' newly decorated rooms.

### A DENIAL.

Secretary Scruton of the Brantford branch of the O.B.B.A. absolutely denies most of the remarks attributed to him by President Waite of the Hamilton Association. Mr. Scruton shook hands at the end of the game in a true sporting way but never asserted that the Beavers were the better team or anything of that sort. Brantford will be duly represented at the protest hearing in Toronto on Friday night.

### BUILDING PERMITS.

Permits were issued at the city engineer's office this morning as follows: Thos. Sims was given permission to build an addition to a building at 117 William St., to cost \$200. Jas. Cooper, 19 Read St., for the erection of a garage estimated to cost \$200. A permit was also issued to John Doan for the erection of a garage at 288 Park Ave. to cost \$50. Besides this there are several other permits ready for issuing.

### ACTIVE SCENE.

The home of Mrs. N. Kelly, 34 Arthur St. was the scene of much activity on Monday evening, when a large number of the employees of the Niagara Silk Co. gathered to fill Christmas socks for the soldiers. Their efforts were rewarded by seeing fifty well-filled socks at the close of the evening, practically every employee having a share in the good work. After the socks were filled, a social hour was spent the guests having a very enjoyable evening. This is their first effort along these lines, but will not be their last.

### COLLEGIATE REPRESENTATIVES GO TO GALT.

At a meeting of the Interscholastic Rugby League in Galt, Saturday, September 21st, Brantford was represented by Cecil Chapman and Lloyd Smith. The representatives from Guelph, Galt and Brantford agreed to allow Woodstock to enter the league. This will round out the league and promises to make it faster than ever. The election of officers for 1918 are as follows: Pres., Mr. Hamilton, Galt; Vice-Pres., Mr. Overholt, Brantford; Secretary, Mr. Hooper, Guelph; Treasurer, Mr. Hooper, Guelph.

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CANADIANS WHO WERE IN THE BATTLE OF AMIENS. The picture, just received from England, shows some of the Canadians who were in the recent big advance, and were in a war hospital at Chester when the photograph was taken. All of them seem to be in excellent spirits, and the tonic of victory is helping them to recover.

### POLICE COURT.

There was a short list at the Police Court this morning, the only delinquent being a drunk who was fined \$10 and costs.

### NEW POLICE CONSTABLE.

A new police constable has been added to the force. P.C. Bass is now on probation as a plain clothes man.

### B.C.I. RUGBY.

Captain Smith of the B.C.I. team has received a letter from the Hamilton club challenging them for a game to be played on Thanksgiving in Hamilton.

### ADDITION TO LAUNDRY.

The Brantford laundry has applied for permission to build an addition to their present laundry on Clarence St.

### IN TOWN YESTERDAY.

Mr. E. R. Garvin, president of the Fort William Board of Trade, was in town yesterday on business. While in the city he was the guest of Mr. G. H. Williamson, Park avenue.

### FOR CITY OVERSEER.

An effort will be made to get Mr. McLaren, former assistant engineer, to take the place of city overseer rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. Unter. He is at present serving in France.

### OLD VS. NEW.

On Saturday afternoon at the Agricultural Park a rugby game was staged between the old Collegiate boys and the present team. Both teams are in splendid condition and the game will be a very good one.

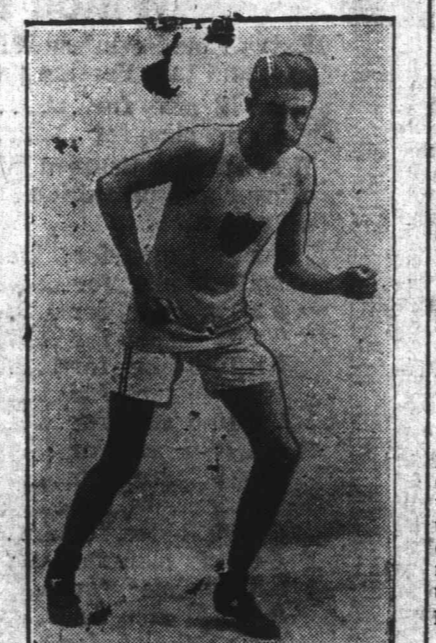
### IS WOUNDED.

Word has been received by Mrs. C. Hunsley, 6 Spring St., that her brother, Sgt. T. W. Ross was wounded on the 8th of Aug. with injuries inflicted on the left arm and shoulder. He left with a draft of the 5th. Batt., three years ago. He has served 2 1/2 years in France with the 14th. Battalion. Before enlisting he was employed in the Slingby Mills.

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Charged with violation of the espionage act, Lee Kreuzinger, a brother of Wanda Kreuzinger, and telegrapher arrested last week in New York, is held under \$10,000 bond in Chicago.



BILLY W. QUEAL. The old cross-country coach at Yale, who went to France as a Y.M.C.A. athletic director some time ago, has returned to his home at Lake George. He will soon leave for Cuba, where he will continue his Y.M.C.A. work. Queal is well-known in Canada, having run here half a dozen times against Tom Longboat, Alf Shrubb, Percy Seller and those long distance kings.

## SAYS POLICE LOOKED ON

While a Cash Register Was Looted

Toronto, Sept. 25.—Evidence that a staff of police approximately 25 strong was on hand at the Sunnyside Dairy Lunch on the night of Friday, August 2, during the last few minutes of the looting, that the time the crowd of citizens and soldiers did not amount to more than a hundred, and that this staff of police took no action while two returned to the scene after the most of the money out of the cash register into their pockets, was given at yesterday's session of the riot enquiry which resumed at the city hall. This statement was made by Police Constable William Parker of No. 6 station, who was part of a patrol-wagon load of police to arrive at the scene after the most of the damage had been done, and to this Parker added the statement that the two soldiers who had looted the till in plain sight of the police who were standing in front of the restaurant were allowed to walk out past the officers without any attempt being made by anybody to place them under arrest. Of the 25 police Constable Parker gave only the names of the higher officers, the men he mentioned as being on the scene being Inspector John Mulholland, Sgt. Inspector Crowe, of No. 3 division; Sgt. Donald McDonald, of No. 9 division; Sgt. McNeil, Patrol-Ser. Riley and Patrol-Sergeant Egan. Inspector Crowe he added, was in an automobile about 50 or 70 feet distant across the road, while the rest, he believed, were grouped about the front of the cafe.

## TO BOYCOTT GERMAN GOODS

Toronto, Sept. 25.—That this women's party shall appeal to the Mayor to declare a pause at midday of all activities for the space of two minutes, in which all members of the community shall have the opportunity to lift up their hearts in prayer to Almighty God for guidance and victory for the Allies, was the first resolution passed last night by the newly organized Women's party, at a very largely attended meeting in the Central Y. M. C. A., College street.

## THE PAPER ENQUIRY CONTINUES

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Argument by counsel representing the manufacturers of newsprint, in reply to the first of the continued sitting of the newspaper enquiry today. George H. Montgomery, counsel for the newspaper section of the nation, argued that the price fixed here had established the basis for the export trade. With an excess production of newsprint in Canada of 600,000 tons, five-sixths of which is sold in the United States. Had that price been ten dollars per ton higher, the cost to Canada would have been at least \$5,000,000 annually. Urging the desirability of allowance being made in connection with the fixing of costs for the exhaustion of the timber limits, Mr. Montgomery said that it had been established that an American newspaper alone is stripping fifteen square miles of Canadian territory annually without profit to the country because of the low price received. The Canadian publishers in claiming that there should be no allowance for anything but stumpage dues were not serving their own interests. The public, he said, had willingly borne the increased costs passed along by the newspapers; and they should recognize that for every dollar paid by them the country is getting ten dollars back in the form of export trade.

## FARMER CONFESSES FORGERY—IS FINED

St. Thomas, Sept. 24.—Peter Johnson, a well-known farmer of West Lorne, appeared before Judge O'Brien this morning and changing his former plea of "not guilty" to one of "guilty" on the charge of forging the name of Dr. Webster, the village weigh clerk, to weight certificates, was fined \$300 and all the costs involved in the case, which had been pending since last December, when the offense occurred. His Honor granted leniency to the prisoner on the application of barrister C. St. Clair Leitch counsel for the accused, who drew attention to the fact that his client had suffered a severe accident some years ago when struck by a train, which was believed to have affected him mentally.

## TANK BATTALION NEARLY READY

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The second Canadian Tank Battalion, which for some time has been quietly organizing at Petawawa camp, is now nearly ready to embark for overseas. The formation of this battalion is another step toward the establishment of a Canadian Tank brigade.

## BERLIN OFFICIAL

Berlin, Sept. 25.—Via London—After fighting in the region west of St. Quentin in the town of Francilly-Selency remained in the hands of the enemy today's army headquarters report. The repulse of renewed attacks in the region of Mouvres, west of Cambrai, is claimed.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## DEATH OF ARCHBISHOP

Noted Prelate of the Roman Catholic Church Passes Away in His Eightieth Year

By Courier Leased Wire. St. Paul, Sept. 25.—Archbishop John Ireland of the St. Paul diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, died at 3:55 o'clock this morning after a long illness of heart disease and stomach trouble. He was 80 years old. The archbishop was in frail health for a year. Last winter he went to Florida. When he returned early in the spring he suffered a breakdown, and for several days was at the point of death. After his physicians had practically abandoned hope for his recovery, he improved rapidly and almost immediately after he was able to leave his bed he celebrated solemn high mass at the cathedral. Until fall, he took a prominent part in patriotic activities, and his physicians attributed his breakdown to overwork. John Ireland, archbishop of St. Paul, was born in Ireland in 1838, and came with his parents to America, where he was a child. He became bishop in 1875 and archbishop in 1886. He received support from many of his admirers for appointment as the fourth American cardinal. Celebrating his golden jubilee a few years ago, the priests of his diocese presented him with a purse of \$100,000.

## OBITUARY

The death occurred at the sanitarium yesterday of George Gotton. The deceased had lived in the city for some time and was well known here. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of H. S. Pierce and Co. to Mount Hope Cemetery. The deceased leaves in this city, a sister, Mrs. Judge of William St.

## 25,600 CASUALTIES SINCE 8th AUGUST

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—The total of Canadian casualties reported to the Records Branch here since the Canadians entered the big offensive on August 8 is 25,600. No analysis has yet been prepared of the casualties by classes, but it is estimated that approximately one-quarter of the total were killed or died of wounds. Compared with the results achieved and the magnitude of the offensive, the total of casualties is the lightest since the Canadians got into the heavy fighting in April of 1915. The retreating enemy is fighting rearward actions and is falling back toward Ypres. On the other side of the Ypres-Priple-Grausko road we have taken war material. On the Priple-Grausko road we counted 70 guns, a great number of ammunition wagons, field kitchens and other material and many head of cattle. The Bulgarians have abandoned a hospital with 120 wounded. Several Roumanian soldiers have been set free from Bulgarian captivity.

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By Courier Leased Wire. Copenhagen, Sept. 25.—The Swedish gunboat, Geimild, has been sunk by striking a German mine in the Skagerrak, with the loss of the chief officer and 18 men, reports the correspondent of The Politiken at the Skaw.

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**COMING EVENTS**  
**IMPORTANT MEETING WOMEN'S**  
 Patriotic League Thursday, 4.15 p.m. sharp. Y.M.C.A. representatives from all organizations urged to attend.

**BRANT CHAPTER CHRISTMAS**  
 Stockings will be filled Thursday afternoon. Any member wishing to help is asked to come to Y.M.C.A. that day.

**ROLLER SKATING CARNIVAL**, Alfred Street Rink, Brantford, Thursday night, Sept. 26. Fancy Dress and Racing. Prizes will be given. Admission, ladies 20c, gentlemen 25c.

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**CARD OF THANKS.**  
 Mrs. Emma R. Barber desires to express her sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jacques and others, for the floral offerings and other expressions and acts of sympathy extended to her in her recent bereavement through the death of Christopher C. Brown, the last surviving son, after the loss of Pte. Clement James Brown who died of wounds in France.

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. John J. Powers and family wish to thank those who sent letters and sympathized with them in their recent sad bereavement through the death of their dearly beloved only son and brother, Pte. John P. Powers, who paid the supreme sacrifice somewhere in France, Aug. 30, 1918.

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**ONTARIO FARM CONDITIONS**

**Report Issued by Ontario Department of Agriculture**

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The following is a summary of reports made by Agricultural Representatives to the Ontario Department of Agriculture: Kent reports that farmers are busy husking corn, and that some claim they have each secured fully 2000 bushels of seed corn, mostly White Cap, while others have a considerable quantity of Wisconsin Norfolk describes some varieties of southern corn as standing fourteen feet high. The corn is now being cut in many counties both east and west, the yield per acre is better than was expected early in the season, and most soils will be fairly filled.

Potatoes are being dug, and odd complaints of rot among late varieties are coming in, as the ground has been very wet for some time. The Brant representative says that early turnips are being shipped from that county at from 30c to 35c a bushel, and that prices will likely remain high this year, owing to the smaller general acreage. Both turnip and mangolds are still growing vigorously.

Brant also reports a big increase in the acreage of red clover retained for seed this season, as, wherever possible, most farmers have saved the crop for that purpose.

Fall wheat has been much delayed in sowing by the wet condition of the ground. If the weather clears soon a considerable acreage may yet be added to that already in, some of which is now showing above ground, and looks promising. There has been an increased demand for seed lately.

Cattle are looking well, as September pastures have been lush. Oxford reports some grass-fed cattle to-day, and after having been categorized in A2 by the mobilization centre medical board he was sent to the ranks of the Western Ontario Battalion. Mr. Kersey had been in charge of Howard Avenue Methodist church, Windsor, as its acting pastor, when the military police took action. Rev. J. E. Holmes, president of the Methodist Conference, stated to-day that no action would be taken in Mr. Kersey's behalf by the church as matters have been explained to general satisfaction, and Mr. Kersey will remain in the army. It is stated that he misunderstood the provisions of the law, and that as a consequence he unwittingly violated its requirements, but had become a defaulter. He was a probationer, but had never been ordained in the ministry. He was engaged in "M. C. A." work in Toronto before he took charge of the Windsor congregation.

Major Hirsch, provost marshal of M.D. No. 4, stated to-day that the case is in the hands of the local police with which the military police have dealt.

Will Take Up Kersey Case  
 In making public last night a report defending Rev. Mr. Kersey, the Windsor Methodist minister who was arrested for a breach of the Military Service Act, Rev. Dr. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist Church, stated that he would ask the military authorities for a further telephone report from the chairman of that district, said Dr. Chown. He tells me that Mr. Kersey registered within the proper time under the Military Service Act. He didn't try to escape in any way. He was told at the time he registered that he would receive further notice, but without getting further notice, but was arrested and taken to London.

Dr. Chown has received no particulars of the complaint of the authorities against the Windsor minister.

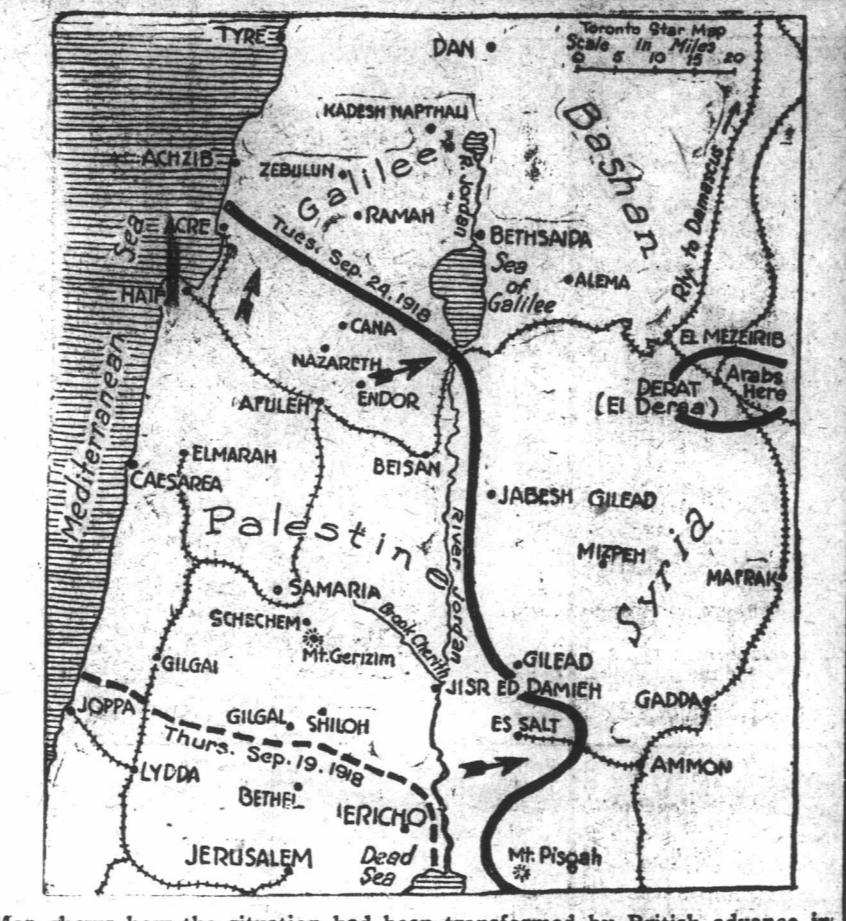
**AIRMEN ACTIVE**  
 By Courier Leased Wire  
 With the American Army in Lorraine, Sept. 25.—(U. A. M.)—German flyers extended their operations in some cases many miles behind the lines, but sharp countering by the Americans gave them little opportunity for close observation or photographic work. Infantry patrols, as well as aviation groups, were active between the lines. The artillery on both sides bombarded objectives behind the front lines, the gunners seeking the cross roads and troop formations far and near.

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Map shows how the situation had been transformed by British advance in Palestine up to Tuesday. The Arabs still hold Derat.

**SUPERINTENDENT NIGHT PHONE METHODIST CHURCH SERVICE PERIOD**

Has Asked Further Enquiry in Case of Rev. Kersey Is to be Made More Limited by the Bell Company

London, Ont., Sept. 25.—Rev. George Kersey, who was apprehended by the military police at Windsor yesterday, was brought to London to-day, and after having been categorized in A2 by the mobilization centre medical board he was sent to the ranks of the Western Ontario Battalion. Mr. Kersey had been in charge of Howard Avenue Methodist church, Windsor, as its acting pastor, when the military police took action. Rev. J. E. Holmes, president of the Methodist Conference, stated to-day that no action would be taken in Mr. Kersey's behalf by the church as matters have been explained to general satisfaction, and Mr. Kersey will remain in the army. It is stated that he misunderstood the provisions of the law, and that as a consequence he unwittingly violated its requirements, but had become a defaulter. He was a probationer, but had never been ordained in the ministry. He was engaged in "M. C. A." work in Toronto before he took charge of the Windsor congregation.

Toronto, Sept. 25.—Formal notice has been served on the city by the Bell Telephone Company that it had filed an application with the Dominion Railway Board for permission to increase its rates on and after October 1 next. The company proposes to change the hours for night rates from 6 to 8.30 o'clock and to charge 60 per cent. of the day rate for all calls. The present rate is half the day rates. To offset the increase a new concession has been made for calls after 11.30 p.m. and before 6 a.m., when the charge will be 40 per cent. of the day rates. The company desired to put the rates into operation on October 1 by simply giving notice of the change, but the Railway Board declined to approve the increase until all parties affected had been given an opportunity of being heard in connection therewith. Mayor Church announced that the city would oppose the application and the Board of Control will probably direct the City Solicitor to take action forthwith.

Manager Dixon of the Brantford exchange when questioned by The Courier stated that the local office had also received a notice with the rest.

**The Sale of Street Wheat Board of Grain Supervisors Issues Orders**

Winnipeg, Sept. 25.—The Board of Grain Supervisors yesterday issued its orders, numbers 72, 73 and 74 dealing with the sale of street wheat.

Order 72 says: "The price to be paid for street wheat in the Province of Ontario shall not be less than the price fixed by the board in order No. 51, basis in Montreal, after correction of (a) one cent per bushel, cost of putting the wheat in store at Montreal; (b) local freight charges based on the shortest through mileage to Montreal, whether the wheat passes over one or more railroads in transit, plus whatever fraction of a cent per bushel may arise from the price when deducting the local freight rate per bushel from the fixed price 4 p.c. per bushel and (c) the sum not to exceed five cents per bushel.

Order 73 rules that: "All persons, firms or corporations purchasing street wheat in the Province of Ontario shall file with D.O. Elliot, Toronto, a street price list for approval by the board, which price list shall be strictly adhered to until a new price is filed with and approved by the board.

"No carrying charges shall be paid to any person, firm or corporation deviating from their filed and approved list.

"The street price list shall be filed immediately and in no case later than October 10, 1918."



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 9 x 12 size, for ..... 16.50  
 Have our man come and measure your floor. Estimates cheerfully given. Our laying done by an expert.

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 3 3/4 x 4 yards, for ..... 32.50  
 4 x 5 yards, for ..... 50.00

**Brussell's Rugs**

Splendid Qualities in Floral and Oriental Designs.  
 4-6 x 7-6 size, for ..... \$11.75  
 4-6 x 7-6 size, for ..... 15.75  
 6-9 x 9 size, for ..... 20.00  
 6-9 x 9 size, for ..... 25.00  
 6-9 x 9 size, for ..... 28.50  
 6-9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 28.75  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 24.50  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 27.50  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 30.00  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 27.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 32.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 36.00  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 42.00  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 35.00  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 40.00  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 48.50  
 9 x 13-6 size, for ..... 38.50  
 11-3 x 13-6 size, for ..... 62.50  
 11-3 x 13-6 size, for ..... 70.00

**Axminster Rugs**

Oriental Pattern, reproduced from real Persian Carpets.  
 4-6 x 7-6 size, for ..... \$17.00  
 6-9 x 9 size, for ..... 28.50  
 6-9 x 9 size, for ..... 31.00  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 35.00  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 41.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 45.00  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 47.50  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 48.50  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 51.00  
 11-3 x 12 size, for ..... 65.00

Small Rugs and Runners to match above Rugs.  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... \$3.75  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 4.25  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 5.25  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... 8.00  
 27" x 7-6 size, for ..... 10.00  
 27" x 9' size, for ..... 12.75  
 27" x 10-6 size, for ..... 15.00  
 27" x 12' size, for ..... 18.00

**Wilton Rugs**

Extra Fine Seamless Wilton Rugs, in soft rose and tan, Persian patterns.  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... \$125.00  
 6 x 9 size, for ..... 68.50  
 Best Quality Seamed Wilton Rugs, small all-over and medallion Persian designs, in all colors.  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... \$65.00  
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**Tapestry Squares**

In Floral and Oriental Patterns, in all colors in Seamless Rugs.  
 2 1/2 x 3 yards, for ..... \$16.50  
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 3 x 4 yards, for ..... 27.50  
 3 1/2 x 4 yards, for ..... 35.00  
 3 3/4 x 4 yards, for ..... 42.50  
 3 1/2 x 4 1/2 yards, for ..... 50.00  
 4 x 4 yards, for ..... 50.00  
 4 1/2 x 4 yards, for ..... 62.50  
 3 3/4 x 5 yards, for ..... 65.00

**Small Hearth Rugs**

27" x 54" size, for ..... \$7.50  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 9.50  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... 10.50  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... 14.50



**All Wool Rugs**

All-wool Rugs, a few of old stock in a splendid selection, in all colors for bedroom, sitting room, etc.  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... \$28.50  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 21.50  
 9 x 12 size, for ..... 18.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 23.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 18.50  
 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 14.50  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 18.50  
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 9 x 9 size, for ..... 12.75

**Union Rugs**

Union Rugs—About twenty Rugs of last year's stock.  
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 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 12.75  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 9.00  
 Jute Rugs, in blue, brown and green.  
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 9 x 10-6 size, for ..... 9.50  
 9 x 9 size, for ..... 8.50

**Rag Rugs**

Rag Rugs for Bedroom, Bathroom and Children's Rooms; washable, in plain colors with chintz borders.  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... \$6.75  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... 5.50  
 36" x 63" size, for ..... 4.50  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 5.25  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 3.25  
 27" x 54" size, for ..... 2.50  
 27" x 36" size, for ..... 2.50

**Linoleums**

Inlaid Linoleum, in 2 yards wide, in block, tile and floral designs; canvas back; well seasoned stock. None better \$1.95 for hardwear, at per yd.  
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**WORLD SERIES BASEBALL**

Announcement of Distribution

New York, Sept. 24.—Commission has cut Series melon and distributed among the teams in the first division. This new system four circuit share in the melon of the pennant-winning club, which finished in the major league with \$6,961.58, after the 4 for war charities had been taken out. As there were about 70 on each club, they received \$300 each.

The Cincinnati and clubs received \$4,176.90 in third place, and leaders and Pittsburgh \$2,785.53 for finishing place.

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**MORE AND MORE CRI**

Is the Condition of Bulgaria

British Cavalry He the Pursuit

London, Sept. 24.—British troops advancing along the shores of Lake Dufuran and are pursuing the retreating Bulgarians along the road to Miskin. This latest advance of communication remains enemy, according to advice here.

Further west and north situation of the front is daily more difficult. The are retreating along the Veleto to Izbith. There is rumour as far as Izbith that point they will depend roads, against which they are advancing.

**MILITARY MED FOR BR**

Is Awarded to Six Madian Nurses

London, Sept. 24.—Six nurses were tonight given the Military Medal for bringing enemy air raids. The Matron Edith Campbell, Cleary, who attended wounded, regardless of personal danger; Leonarda Herrington, who remained on duty night, and by her personal courage was largely responsible for the maintenance and efficiency; Lottie Urquhart, Glasgow, Nova Scotia, who four bombs fell on her tented to the wounded with and devotion, being an inspiration to the other nurses; and Jean Mary, Grenville, Quebec, who displayed exceptional coolness in a dark ward, sustaining the and ensuring their presence. Hodges of Hamilton, and Jean Thompson of Valley, who, although both injured by a falling beam, with great presence of mind turned off stoves, later remove the patients.

**RING RECEIVES**

London, Sept. 23.—King and day received Samuel President of the American of Labor, and the others of the American Labor Mrs. Gompers, who was ed alone, had a chat with on the subject of labor and the mission of the labor leader to England. Subsequently the King saw all bers of the mission together. Mary joined them later.



WORLD SERIES BASEBALL RECEIPTS

Announcement of the Distribution Made

New York, Sept. 24.—The National Commission has out the World's Series moneys and distributed the spoils among the teams which finished in the first division in the National and American Leagues.

The Giants and the Cleveland club, which finished in second place in the major league races, received \$6,961.58, after the ten per cent. for war charities had been deducted.

The Cincinnati and Washington clubs received \$4,176.95 for finishing in third place, and the Highlanders and Pittsburgh clubs got \$2,785.53 for finishing in fourth place.

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SIXTY-FIVE HUNS WAS THE HAUL

Of Two British Aviators on the Western Front

London, Sept. 24.—Two British aviators, flying low in one machine, brought about the surrender of 65 Germans, and without leaving their plane shepherded the enemy across No Man's Land to the British lines, according to a story from the battlefield made public today.

The pilot and his observer had been attacked from trench and machine gun fire, and the pilot dived and replied to the enemy fire with his machine gun, killing one and wounding three. The Germans, in a panic, ceased firing and hoisted a white handkerchief.

As there were no British infantry in that neighborhood the pilot descended to within 50 feet of the ground and ordered the Germans out of the trenches, circling around them to insure that none escaped.

All were safely brought in and handed over to the nearest British troops. The aviators then resumed their patrol.

INCESSANT RAINS

Are Not to the Liking of the Farmers

Toronto, Sept. 25.—The incessant rains of the last three weeks are not to the liking of the farmers of the Province, any more than they are welcomed by city folks. But the farmers are becoming alarmed for fear the root crops are affected.

Mr. Henry Morel, M.P.P. for Nipissing, who was at the Parliament Buildings yesterday, said that while there were unusually heavy crops in that part of the Province, the abnormal rainfall of the last three weeks has made it impossible to get them in.

"This wet weather certainly will not help the potato crop any," an official of the Department of Agriculture said yesterday. Thus far no reports of rot in the potatoes from the heavy rainfall have been reported, but unless there is a change in the weather soon it is feared that this crop will be affected.

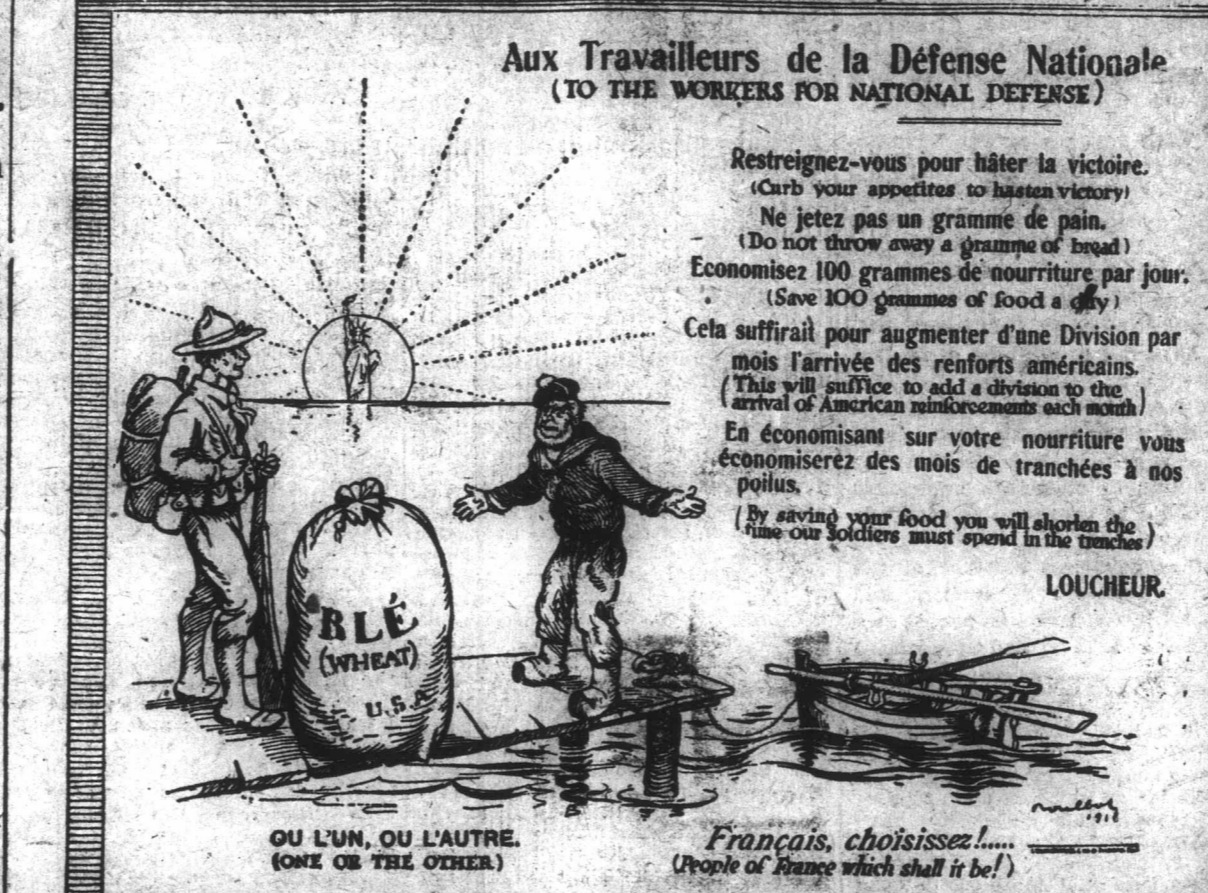
In this part of the Province, too, the heavy rains have made it impossible to go ahead with plowing. After the first few rains the soil was in splendid shape for this work, but not so now. The department, for this reason, has found it impossible to go ahead and plow its flax farm at Willowdale.

PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS

As to What the Union Government Has Accomplished

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—With no likelihood of a session of Parliament till after New Year's—perhaps not till considerably later—members of the cabinet, it is understood, will meanwhile devote some time to a public discussion of what the Union Government has accomplished. The Union Ministry was returned to power by a great majority last December, but since then, outside of Parliament, public speaking by Ministers has been rare. Mr. Rowell is an exception.

SOLDIERS OR WHEAT? french Poster demands food economy to save ship-room



HAMILTON BALL PRESIDENT

Tries to Explain Away Rank Treatment of Locals

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BEATEN TURKS AWAIT CAPTURE

Debris of Retreating Army Covers the Ground

Nablus, Palestine, Sept. 23.—The Turkish Seventh and Eighth Armies have practically been wiped out. The very small number who succeeded in getting across the Jordan in isolated batches is but a mere fragment of the force that opposed us on the morning of the 19th. They are almost entirely without war material, and it is extremely doubtful whether they have any arms left.

Today the cavalry captured the important port of Haifa, the historic Acre, and Es-Salt, and the result will be far-reaching in its effect. Our Arab allies have captured Na'ar.

The enemy are leaving strong positions east of the Jordan, and particularly about Es-Salt and Amman, and it is clear the Turks are willing to sacrifice their troops at Haifa and leave the Turkish army in Yemen to its own devices.

Today I saw one of the most remarkable sights a soldier ever gazed upon. From Balata, where the road to Nablus falls through the craggy hills and narrow passes, there is a stretch of six miles covered with the debris of the retreating army.

No section of Napoleon's retreat from Moscow could have been a more terrible picture of hopeless, irremediable defeat. In this area alone there were 87 guns of various calibres. Fully a thousand horse and oxen drawn vehicles, nearly a hundred motor lorries, cars, field kitchens, water carts and a mass of other impediments, block the road with the carcasses of thousands of animals and the bodies of dead Turks and Germans.

Irish, Welsh and Indians. This was the work of the Irish, Welsh and Indian infantry with pressure behind an enemy that was indomitable. The British and Australian armies in front of the infantry had forced the enemy into the road just as the guns began to shell the retreating transport. The enemy swarmed to 200 feet and bombed the head of the column. Once that was accomplished at the front, time only was required to finish the job. It was done with sur-

prising thoroughness. One fight after another took up the work until the whole column was a vast broken mass. The enemy troops seeing the escape of the vehicles impossible, fled to the hills and fell into the hands of the cavalry or sought refuge in our lines.

The Irish and Indian troops in thirty-six hours marched 21 miles in the cross files over a succession of mountains and rocky valleys, fighting incessantly.

To-day the airman have been busy in the Es-Salt and Amman areas bombing the enemy. They also attacked the station of the Mafraq airdrome. Direct hits were obtained, and one hangar was burned.

BELGIAN RELIEF WORK SAVES CHILD LIVES

Fights Starvation and Disease in the Stricken Country

What the Red Cross means to a soldier struck down on the field of battle, the Belgian Relief means today to the children of Belgium, ground down under the iron heel of a ruthless invader. When famine and tuberculosis were exacting a terrible toll of death among the children of the invaded country, many notable victories were attained. The two deadly enemies of childhood—malnutrition and disease. An efficient means of combating these enemies was found in the removal of the greatest possible number of unfortunate little ones to Holland, where they were given a full measure of hospitality. Before this work reached its present magnitude it was able, through the generosity of the Dutch public, to carry on without making an appeal to America, but to-day its field of endeavor has outstripped its resources and it, too, like so many other charities, has become largely dependent upon the Belgian Relief Commission, which in turn largely dependent upon the generosity of the public of this country.

Numerous Belgian orphans were adopted by Dutch families, but the economic situation in Holland has been completely altered of late, a great many adopted children again have been thrown upon the mercy of the charities. In this extremity a system of homes was established throughout Belgium and Holland. It has been extremely successful in this endeavor, although again badly handicapped by want of funds. It is on behalf of the children of Belgium that the Belgian Relief Commission is today appealing to the people of Canada for financial support. Contributions should be addressed to the local branch of the Belgian Relief Fund or to the General Committee at 53 St. Peter street, Montreal, Que.



Advertisement for 'The Perfect Plug Smoking Tobacco'. It says: 'Slice a pipeful, fresh from the plug, just when you want it, fill your pipe not too tight, light up and you will enjoy a smoke of real satisfaction. Try it. The Red City Tobacco Co., Limited, Quebec, Can.'

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Advertisement for 'MILITARY MEDAL FOR BRAVERY'. It says: 'Is Awarded to Six More Canadian Nurses'.

Advertisement for 'KING RECEIVES GOMPERTS MISSION'. It says: 'London, Sept. 23.—King George 6-day received Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, and the other members of the American Labor Mission. Mrs. Gompers, who was first received alone, had a chat with the King on the subject of labor problems and the mission of the American labor leader to England. Subsequently the King saw all the members of the mission together. Queen Mary joined them later. Their Majesties engaged in conversation with the members of the mission for more than an hour, both expressing high appreciation of the attitude of labor towards the war, and wishing the visitors a safe return home.'

WOODEN STEAMER LAUNCHED

Quebec, Sept. 23.—The War Matane, the fourth standard wooden steamer built by Quinlan & Robertson, at their yards on the St. Charles River, was launched at 8.20 o'clock to-night. The War Matane, which was christened by Mrs. W. J. Morton, wife of the chief engineer of the Marine Engineers' Department of the Imperial Munitions Board, is 3,000 ton steamer, measuring 261 feet. Her keel was laid on May 15 last.

SHOT HIS WIFE DEAD

By Courier Local Wire. Regina, Sept. 24.—Christian Dresler shot his wife dead in the garden of their farm at Bequia on September 3, while his young children watched from a clump of bushes, and then killed himself, falling beside the dead body of his wife. It was not until 16 days after the couple were buried that the provincial police were notified of the crime and then they discovered it by accident.

THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

(By Wellington.) A cartoon strip showing a man and a woman in a domestic scene. The man is talking to the woman, and she is responding. The dialogue is humorous and satirical.

Advertisement for 'Why Should Cedric Travel When He can Borrow a Zoo?'. It says: 'Borrow the different animals from the zoo and bring them here, where he could study them at his leisure.'



ITEMS FROM THE OLD COUNTRY

A Grist of Incidents Gleaned From British Papers

The Lewisham Borough Council proposes to establish a municipal pigery. Mushrooms are from three shillings to four shillings per pound at Covent Gardens. The anglers on the Thames are making big catches of chub by using cherries as bait. Windsor Market is to have a special stall for the sale of produce grown on allotments. The Wheat Commission is releasing low-grade wheat and maize for the purpose of the dog feed. At the northeastern district collieries there is a marked shortage of coal and the outlook is serious. G. R. Holmore has been appointed Assistant Director of National Service for the South London area. John Mackenzie, secretary and treasurer of companies, was fined £100 at Marylebone for hoarding. Two pilots and two aeroplanes were killed when two aeroplanes collided on the southeast coast of England. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thornley, of Belmar Road, Nottingham, recently celebrated their diamond wedding. A little boy fell into a bed of pitch at Middlesborough, and died shortly afterwards as a result of the burns. Joseph Porter, an ex-mayor of Dorchester, was fined £12 for selling whiskey above the maximum price. In view of the expected shortage of coal several of the Derbyshire moorlands are being developed for peat. Edward Parker, vicar of St. Lawrence Jewry Church, Greenwich, has just celebrated his nineteenth birthday. One thousand five hundred North-umbrian miners have resumed work after a strike which lasted one week. During one week recently there were one hundred and twenty-six deaths from influenza in Birmingham.

It is not the intention of the British Government to issue badges to civilians injured through enemy action. Major A. Purvove, M.P., has been appointed Controller of the Priority Branch in the Ministry of Munitions. The recorder of Tiverton states that he has had only two prisoners before him for trial since the beginning of the war. A fire at the Gale and Holden premises, Aldershot, destroyed all the machinery and did damage to the extent of £10,000. A Belgian soldier in trouble at Cobham told the court he "could not speak English at all." Colonel J. H. Wilkinson, of Ashbury Hall, has given Barr Beacon, comprising 150 acres of land, to the people of Birmingham. James Keeley, an American journalist, addressed a meeting at the Overseas Club, London, presided over by Lord Dunsley. At the annual meeting of the Football League, held in Manchester, it was decided to continue the games the same as last season. The Home Secretary states that the oath of allegiance on naturalization is prescribed by Statute, and he has no power to revise it. The Legislative Council of the Isle of Man has passed a Bill imposing a graduated income tax of from two to three shillings in the pound. Sir James Bruton was presented at Gloucester with the freedom of that city in recognition of his services while Mayor for eight years. Dr. Waldo, a coroner for the city of London, stated, at an inquest that all elevators should be under the authority of the Government. A man's temper was granted six months' exemption at the Southgate Tribunal, provided he turned the piano at the three hospitals free. Albert W. Humfrey, a manager of a canteen board, was sent to prison for eighteen months at Sussex Assizes for the theft of tobacco and cigarettes. "I have just discovered that I am an absentee," wrote Edgar Osborne Jones, a dental mechanic, before taking his seat at the hearing being arrested on the street. The Ashton-under-Lyne Town Council has granted the application of the Municipal Employees' Association for an advance of one pound per week over pre-war rates. Rev. George Hooper, president of the National Free Church Council, inspected the services among the Free Churches of the Navy during the first week in August. Nearly 20 shipyards for making concrete vessels are ready; about 200,000 tons of shipping will be constructed at an outlay of \$4,000,000, apart from the cost of land and plant. Benjamin Riley, aged 60, an accountant of Port House, Brinkley, Leicestershire, who was staying at Douglas, Isle of Man, with his son, collapsed while bathing, and died. Leaving estate valued at £133,917. Harris Mark Belmstein, of Redcliffe square, South Kensington, left £100 each to seven Jewish charities and £100 each to the Salvation Army and the Church Army. Lady Keyes, wife of Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, died at her home in the maid to one of her own maids at the latter's marriage to a local Jack Tar. Sir Roger gave the bride away and signed the register. Frederick Brock, private in the Motor Transport, was sentenced to



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21 days' imprisonment at Woburn for giving food to German prisoners. It was stated that he left a parcel in a wood near where the Germans were working, and a few minutes later one of them fetched it. John Smith was sentenced to six months' hard labor at the Thames police court for having a registration card belonging to another man. Under a plea in the West End of London of long-haired dogs. The loose hair can be sold for war charity purposes. The August bank holiday crush at Blackpool was so great that "trippers" slept on the seats along the promenade and in the police court. A national kitchen has been opened at Wandsworth Baths, and similar ones will be opened in Clapham, Balham, Streatham, Tooting and Putney. Mr. Balfour stated in the House of Commons that the establishment of degrees of commerce in the University of London was being considered. T. A. Dorrin-Smith, the "king of the Scilly Isles," of Treaso Abbey Scilly, and brother of Sir Horace Smith-Dorrin, died at the age of 72. Boxing with another called Gerald Yondall of the Royal Military College, Sandhurst, received a moderate blow in the mouth, became ill, and died. For saving the life of a wrecked seaman, Thomas Handley, a steward in the mercantile marine, has been granted the Bronze Medal for Gallantry. Reuben Constance, a Walworth printer, who was found guilty of murdering his wife, has been adjudged insane and ordered to be detained. The school teachers at Rowley Regis, Staffordshire, have agreed to return to their duties, the board of Education having appointed an arbitrator. Under the title "Four Years of War," the Ministry of Information has released a film which depicts the banding of the Old Contemptibles in France.

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Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason. CLOSER TOGETHER.

Since our dad died at Valley Forge, before they let us go, that old bonehead German George who then was ruling Britain, a sort of coldness has obtained between two mighty nations; our bonds of friendship all were strained, though we were blood relations. It took another German king (with soul for war expanding) between these mighty realms to bring the perfect understanding. Our banner floats over English domes, the common foe defying; and over countless Yankee homes the British flag is flying. The earnest that one time we knew the German Kultur smothered; our friendship's sealed with blood, and true, and we are close as brothers. We sing with them "God Save the King," and raise our glad hymn; and they will make the rafters ring with good old "Yankee Doodle." Britannia rules the waves, you bet, and o'er that heaving ocean, we stretch our hands, already yet, with brotherly emotion. When Kaiser Bill has quit the fray, brought down by stress of weather, he'll look at Brit and Yank and say, "I brought the two together!" And that will be the sourest pill, the sickest dose of bitterness that e'er went down old Kaiser Bill or other kingly critics!

ACQUIRES CONTROL

By Courier Leased Wire. Toledo, O., Sept. 24.—John N. Willys, president of the Willys-Overland Company, today announced the acquisition of control by his firm of the Moline Plow Company, with plants at Moline, Chicago, Rock Island and Freeport, Ills., Stoughton, Wis., Minneapolis and Poughkeepsie, N.Y. The transaction is considered one of the most important in recent years in business circles. No consideration was announced. Mr. Willys said the Moline organization is to remain intact. "In the purchase of the Moline company, I find not only an opportunity for the Willys-Overland to lead in the maximum manufacturing strength to war work, but the best and quietest way to obtain a lead in a field which offers the greatest possibilities for the future," Mr. Willys announced.

CAUSED MUCH DISCUSSION.

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Sept. 24.—Ernest Outrey, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, interpellated the government as to the existence of a concession covering 186,000 acres of petroleum in Algeria to Lord Murray and the Pearson group. This is a question which has caused a large amount of public discussion. Louis Loucheur, Minister of Munitions, said that the government was in no way under obligation to the group and that he had informed the secretary-general of Algeria that an arrangement which that official had made with the group was null and void. Canadians in hospitals in England and Scotland number 28,000. Major-General Lloyd Wheaton, U.S.A., killed a veteran of the civil war and the Spanish-American war, died in Chicago.

CANADA'S LANDMARKS

HISTORIC ASSOCIATION DOES VALUABLE WORK. Many Spots That the Citizens of Our Young Nation Should Remember Have Been Marked by Monuments and Plates—Finds of Interest Found in Every Province.

THE ravages of war have destroyed many of the relics of antiquity that marked northern France and Belgium as a Mecca for tourists. The wanton destruction has made an indelible imprint upon the minds of all civilized peoples; France and Belgium have not been alone in mourning their loss. Yet here, in Canada, the onrush of progress, the gigantic commercializing of a great growing nation, has hidden fair to obliterate landmarks that should be dearer to us than any in Belgium, any in France, any in the other countless sections of the old world—should be dearer, and would be, if the Canadian people as a whole knew of them and appreciated them. Do we? Assuredly, we do not. Shall we?

The Historic Landmarks Association of Canada is making a Dominion-wide effort to accomplish this. The association seems to have been launched in the reflected glory of the battlefields of the Plains of Abraham. Its aim is to spread the dauntless spirit there generated, across the continent, asking from the whole of Canada all that is worthy of it. Its aim is to spread the dauntless spirit there generated, across the continent, asking from the whole of Canada all that is worthy of it. Its aim is to spread the dauntless spirit there generated, across the continent, asking from the whole of Canada all that is worthy of it.

the old Sappers and Miners' bridge, over the Rideau Canal, on its demolition for "Comnaught Place," July 14th, 1912, and preserved by the Women's Canadian Historical Society. These bear respectively the "Coat of Arms" of the Royal Engineers, and "L'Ecole Militaire," the Royal Eng. A bronze tablet affixed bears the inscription: "To commemorate Lt.-Col. John Ey, R.E., founder of Bytown, Ottawa, the Federal Capital of the Dominion of Canada, Builder of the Rideau Canal, 1826-32, Comm. Royal Engineers. This tablet is erected on the site of his house on Major's Hill, by the Historic Landmarks Association of Canada, May, 1915."

BISHOP FALLON UTTERS WARNING

Any Peace at This Time Would Prove a German Victory

London, Sept. 24.—A warning to Canadians to beware of peace advocates at this critical time was the feature of a brilliant address by Bishop M. F. Fallon of the Roman Catholic Diocese of London at a crowded meeting of the Canadian Club here this evening. His Lordship who has recently returned from England told a thrilling story of the activities of the Canadian troops as he observed them both in England and in France, concluding he asserted that he is not aware whether or not there is a peace party in Canada, but he said there is one in England, a war-weary party, which is ready to listen to peace proposals. Against that party, whether in Canada or in any other allied country, it is the duty of every man to raise his voice in protest," declared the Bishop. "This is no time to talk peace. There can be no peace now. I want peace as much as anybody else. There is not an officer or man in the trenches but who is longing for the day when he may once more turn his face toward home, but he feels he must stay there until the task which he has undertaken has been done, and done so thoroughly that it shall never have to be done again. Any peace now is a German victory. Word must now go out from Canada, from the overseas Dominions, and from the Motherland itself that the war must go on until justice is positively triumphant, and until wickedness and wrong have been cast into the dust. It will cost us something more in lives and money but it will cost future generations of Canadians incalculably more if we do not continue it."

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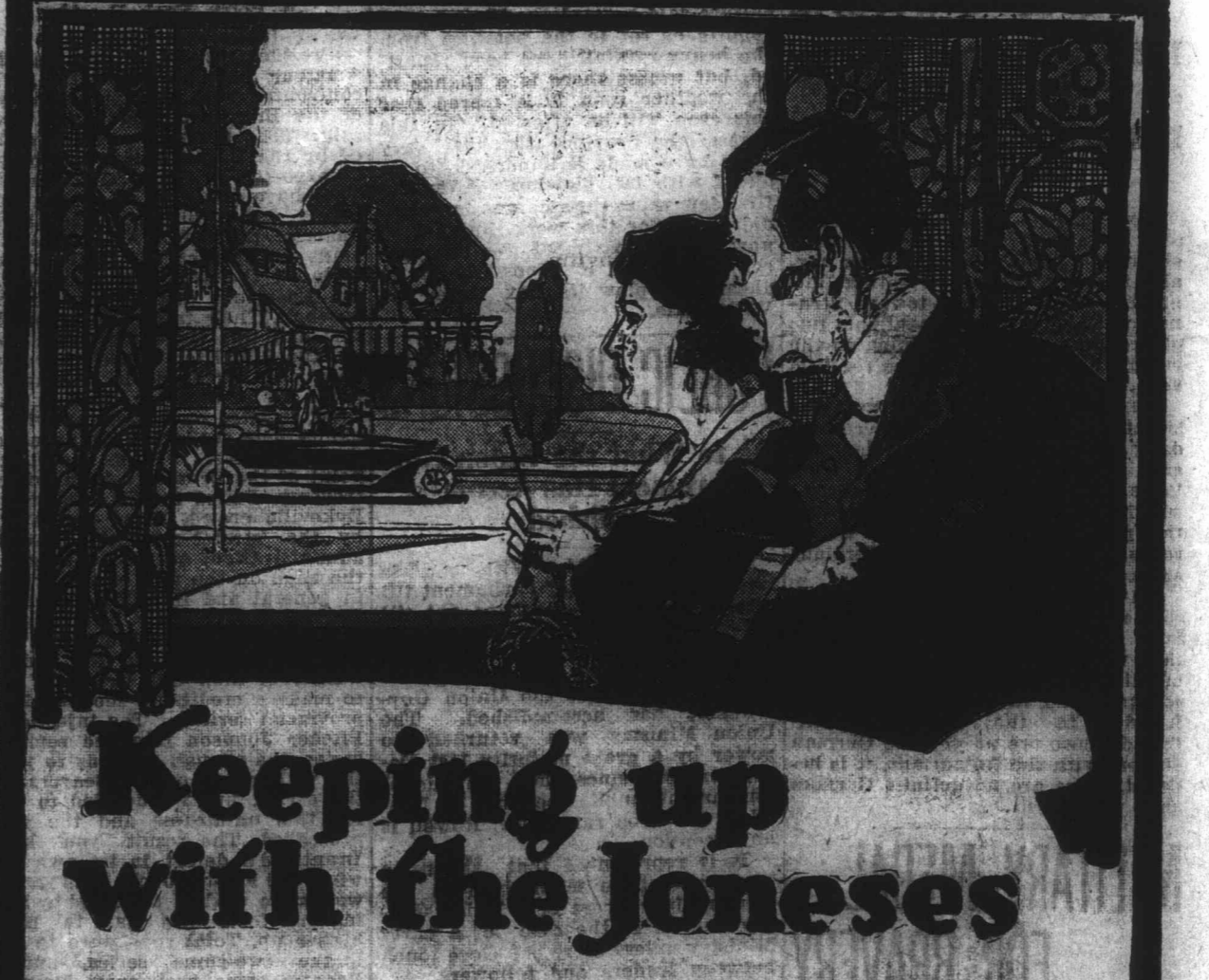
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SHOWS YOUTH OF GERMAN SOLDIERS

Three German soldiers, captured by Pte. G. W. McKean, 1978 St. Clarens Avenue, Toronto. The picture shows the extreme youth of the soldiers composing the German army, which, the war correspondents say, is made up of school boys.

Each borough in the city of New York is henceforth to have autonomy in regard to its own health matters.



Keeping up with the Joneses

One great bar to the practice of thrift to-day is the tendency to let others set for us our standards of living.

MRS. Jones appears on the street in a new gown and at once her neighbour vows she'll have one like it. Or if a new motor car is delivered to a certain home, a nearby family, not to be handicapped in the social race, plan to discard their old car for a new one. And so it goes from one thing to another—a ceaseless, senseless competition which often ends in debts, distress and disaster. Such silly rivalry is bad enough indeed in normal periods. It is positively unpatriotic in times like these when the country needs all available labor and material and every available dollar with which to carry on the war. It is perhaps difficult for us to appreciate that the purchase of things we do not really need may be the direct cause of loss of life on the firing lines. But you can't escape the fact, no matter how unpleasant the thought, that millions of individual selfish demands at home may prolong the war by causing a shortage of the very things essential to our success at the front. For the money we spend in satisfying these desires represents equipment, clothing, shot and shell that are so urgently needed for our boys in France.

Remember that when you are tempted to spend foolishly in an effort to "keep up with the Joneses."

Published under the authority of the Minister of Finance of Canada. Many New York churches have decided to serve 1000 Sunday morning breakfasts to men in uniform.

OUR N.W.M. TRAIL

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### OUR N.W.M.P. ON TRAIL OF KAISER

#### Canada's Scarlet Riders Will Do Their Part

#### "They Always Get Their Man" Deserved Tribute

#### Some Incidents in History of Famous Corps

(From the New York Sun.)  
The Royal Northwest Mounted Police have been permitted to enlist as a body to "get the Kaiser" and it is unlikely that the organization will be revived after the war. For "the old order changeth, giving place to new," and there is no longer the old imperative need for the services of this wonderfully capable body of men. The Canadian west has grown up.  
"They always get their man." For more than forty years this has been said in the Canadian west of the Canadian "Mounties." Not by the men themselves, for they have the proverbial modesty of the really brave. Not in the dry and laconic official reports which give scarcely a hint of the stirring romantic storied of which they are the unimpeachable element among the whites. If not literally true, it has for so long been so nearly true that the saying many years ago became a proverb among Canadians. "They always get their man." Therefore, if there be any truth in proverbs, let the Kaiser beware! The "Mounties" are on his trail!  
It was not until the spring of this year that permission was given the "Mounties" to enlist for service. The Canadian government was loath to lose their services at home; and moreover, there was little demand for cavalry in France. But many a scarlet rider deserted that he might join an infantry battalion, and in many instances the authorities winked at the offense.  
Officers and men felt that the historic force had passed its years of usefulness in Canada, that nothing more than the provincial police was needed now, and constant pressure was exerted at Ottawa to secure permission for the riders of the plains to enlist as a body for service in the

east adventures overseas. In April that permission was given.  
As there were less than six hundred men on the roll of the force, permission was also given to recruit to the full strength of a battalion. So the call went forth for men who could shoot and ride, and within a few days applications had to be refused. Such is the glamor of connection with this famous force that a cavalry brigade of "Mounties" could be recruited in the Canadian West in a month. And this may yet be done.  
No adequate history of this famous force will ever be written. The material for such history has passed away with the men who won for the mounted police their merited fame thirty to forty years ago. But some day will surely arise a writer who will give the dry bones of the annual official reports, and will find there the romantic material for stories whose life and popularity will not be fleeting.  
In the early seventies the newly-formed Canadian confederation became ambitious to surpass in area its big and expanding neighbor to the south. The Northwestern prairies and British Columbia were added to the new Dominion. A new territory of nearly 2,000,000 square miles had to be governed and policed.  
It was at that time that Uncle Sam was engaged in a prolonged and wretched acrimonious dispute with a citizen rejoicing in the picturesque name of Sitting Bull. That gentleman's Sioux relatives and retainers knew little of international boundary lines and card laws. When things became too hot for them south of the forty-ninth parallel of latitude, they had an annoying habit of traveling north.  
Their visits were not welcome, but what could be done about them? The white settlers were alarmed and Ottawa feared that 70,000 well-behaved Indians might learn bad habits. There was also danger from the visits of enterprising American traders engaged in the smuggling of fire water.  
So it was that Sir John A. Macdonald, the founder of the Canadian Confederation, established the Northwest Mounted Police. That life and property were safe in the pioneer days of the Canadian West, that serious crime was of infrequent occurrence, that Canadian Indians made little trouble for the settlers, that law was respected in those early days of the country, was due to the work of the little band of redcoats.  
At first they were only 150 strong; for a short period they had slightly more than 1,000 men; but for the greater part of their history they numbered less than 600 men. The State of Montana is immeasurably smaller than the territory under the care of the "Mounties." It had about the same number of Indians, belonging to the same tribes, as in

the Canadian northwest. Yet, the smallest number of troops that the American Government thought it safe to keep in that State in those days was 3,500. Small wonder that the fame of the "Mounties" has gone round the world for men who could shoot and ride, and within a few days applications had to be refused. Such is the glamor of connection with this famous force that a cavalry brigade of "Mounties" could be recruited in the Canadian West in a month. And this may yet be done.  
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"About four months ago," he continued, "I lost my appetite, and my stomach got a case of indigestion. What little I did manage to eat would sour and form gas, which would cramp and pain me until I could hardly stand it. Then my kidneys went back on me, and my back hurt so bad I couldn't find a comfortable position. They said I had rheumatism or lumbago, then my right leg, below the knee, got to hurting me, and at times I couldn't stand on my feet or get up out of bed. I was constipated all the time and suffered a great deal with headache. Nobody knows how I really did suffer, because I just can't describe it, and as nothing seemed to do me any good I had become discouraged about my condition."  
"I finally sent down and got a bottle of Tanlac, as I had read so much about it, and it was about the best investment I ever made. My appetite came bounding back after my first few doses, and by the time my second bottle was gone, my stomach trouble was almost gone, too. I am now eating any and everything I want and it doesn't hurt me the least bit, and my kidneys and back are greatly improved. At the time I started on Tanlac I had to use crutches in order to get about, but I was able to walk in a few days and have thrown them aside. I have gained several pounds in weight, and can just feel myself getting stronger every day. I have gone back to work already, and I never lose an opportunity to speak a good word for Tanlac."  
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### SOME SAMPLE EXTRACTS

#### From a French Chateaucism of the War

Extracts of a Frenchman's Chateaucism of the War.  
Q—Could you bring an instance of a nation thus opposing an unjust attack and ready to lose all in order to save its honor?  
A—Without reverting to very distant times, there is under our eyes Belgium, which has fallen, but she has not been invaded, tortured, martyred, has lost almost all her territory, has gone through the worst sufferings, but has shown to all the people what their duty is, in the face of an unjust attack.  
Q—If Belgium had nothing to do with the conflict, why then has Germany invaded her?  
A—To crush France more quickly and more easily. Our east frontier admirably fortified by that great patriot General Sere de Riviere, was practically invincible. Indeed all the German attacks have failed, because it has been proved at the Forts of Troyon and at Verdun. Unfortunately, our Northern frontier was not so well guarded. Relying on the neutrality of Belgium, a neutrality guaranteed by all the great powers, particularly by the king of Prussia, we had not closed well enough that gap of river Oise, for centuries the gateway of all the invasions aimed at Paris.  
Germans did not hesitate to use this advantage. They cynically declared that the treaty on which they had put their signature was but a "scrap of paper" and they summoned Belgium to let them pass.  
It will be to the eternal honor of King Albert, unanimously supported by the Belgian Government and opinion, to have refused to let them pass in this foul treachery. And bravely despite the numerical inferiority of his army, which he knew would be unable to stop the numberless German hordes, he put himself at Dinant, killing, slaughtering, committing the worst excesses that Cardinal Mercier, that great patriot and Christian, has denounced and condemned.  
Q—Tell us the consequences of the violation of Belgium's neutrality by Germany.  
A—This violation has firstly stirred up the indignation of every honest man in the civilized world. But in this consideration did not matter much for the Germans intoxicated as they were with their military strength and looking at victory as a sure thing. Considered in a military point of view, the invasion of Belgium has certainly allowed the Germans to invade more quickly the North West departments of France, which they still keep under their domination.  
But it has caused the intervention of England. This great country, a loyal and a righteous one, has not been ready to admit that a treaty bearing its signature was a mere scrap of paper upon Germany's refusal to respect Belgium's neutrality. England has entered into the conflict heartily and confidently. She has brought to our assistance first by her army, then by her industries and lastly by her army the most precious assistance.  
OUT FOR MORE MONEY.  
Montreal, Sept. 24.—An effort to interest all the large public bodies in Montreal in their behalf in order to secure for themselves a living wage, was decided on this afternoon at a meeting attended by all the men and women teachers employed by the Protestant School Board. Considerable discussion occurred, and it was unanimously conceded that the present minimum salary of \$650 was not possibly be considered a living wage under present conditions in Montreal. From this amount two and a half per cent is deducted for pension fund, leaving only about \$54 per month for the teacher.  
Finding of the head of an unknown man in the ruins of the building destroyed by fire at Troyon Falls last week makes the sixth victim of the catastrophe.  
Manitoba's quota in the coming Victory Loan campaign is fixed at \$40,000,000, or a 25 per cent increase over the sale of \$32,000,000 during the last campaign.  
After an absence of two years from Regina, Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of Saskatchewan from 1901 to 1916, when he resigned owing to ill-health, has returned to the prairie.  
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**THE NEW REGENT**  
(Formerly the Appollo.)  
**Announcement**  
IT is with extreme regret that we announce that we have been unable to secure a competent operator for our projecting machines.  
Mr. Simenson, our manager, is in Toronto today to secure one. The Regent will be closed today, but tomorrow we hope to be able to continue our high-class photoplay performance.  
**THE REGENT.**

**Buck's Stoves Ranges and Furnaces**  
**"HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES"**  
In Cast Iron or in Steel  
**"RADIANT HOME HEATERS"**  
For Stove or Chestnut Coal  
**"BUCK'S OAK HEATERS"**  
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And many other styles of Stoves and Ranges, all at lowest possible prices, quality the highest. We also have a number of "Rebuilt Stoves and Ranges," good as new. See our splendid stock of Winter Comforts. Get our estimates for Buck Furnaces.  
**Turnbull & Cutcliffe Ltd.**  
"Hardware and Stove Merchants"  
CORNER KING AND COLBORNE STREETS.

Walter McDowell was found guilty of disorderly conduct in New York. It is alleged he called President Wilson a graffer.  
A committee representing the policemen in Boston waited on the Mayor and put before him a demand for \$100,000.  
Interest paid the American Government by the allied countries on war loans now amounts to about \$10,000,000 monthly and within a year is expected to reach \$40,000,000. This was disclosed by Treasury Department officials. Approximately \$170,000,000 in interest has been paid so far by the allies.

### LADY'S DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.



There is an individuality to this dress No. 8673, which attracts the attention at once. The waist is made in overblous effect, which laps at the front and fastens with one button. It is cut very low at the front to show an inset vest, which is trimmed with buttons. A long roll collar finishes the front. A narrow leather belt serves to cover the gathers, and it passes through slits and fastens underneath the blouse at the front. The long sleeves are finished with narrow cuffs to match the collar. The two gored skirt is fitted to with shallow side plaits.  
The lady's dress pattern No. 8673 is cut in four sizes, 36 to 42 inches bust measure. Width at lower edge of skirt is 2 1/2 yards. As on the figure, the 36 inch size requires 4 yards 20 inch or 4 yards of 54 inch material, with 3/4 yard 36 inch contrasting goods. Price, 10 cents.

To Obtain This Pattern Send 15c to The Courier Office, or two for 25c.

**Our Fall Lines of Wall Papers!**  
**Are Now Complete**  
The Patterns are beautiful. The colorings lovely, and the values are even better than previously, but this condition will not continue long, as prices will advance again very shortly.

**J. L. Sutherland**  
"Paper Hangings and Window Shades"

**HARVEST LEAVE UNTIL OCT. 31**

### Niagara Camp to Close on October 31 and Petawawa on October 12

Toronto, Sept. 25.—According to instructions received at military headquarters, all soldiers attached to the Depot Battalion who are in Category "A," "B," "C," "D," and "E," who were granted harvest leave until the end of October, provided they are in a position to show that they are still needed on the farm. At the same time the authorities still reserve the right to recall any man at any time.  
The date for the closing of Niagara Camp has been fixed at Oct. 31. A general court-martial will be held at Niagara on Thursday to try Pte. John A. Carter on a charge of refusing to obey the commands of his superiors.  
Lt.-Col. M. McCasland, M.C., a returned dispatch rider, is reporting to the rank of major to go to Russia with the Siberian Corps.  
Mayor Church has taken up the eagles of local officers who object to appointments in this district going to outside officers, and announces that he will take up the matter with the Ottawa officials.

Some lines of manufacture in Canada may be put on coal rations. Investigation of the Sandwich fire department is now under way so that it may be put on a more effective basis.  
Mapleton reports that women there canned 1,940 quarts, making a total output to date of 2,331 quarts for Red Cross.

**DOBBS' KIDNEY PILLS**  
23 THE PHARMACY

### Music and Drama

#### "Everywoman" Largest Dramatic Travelling Organization in the World

Theatregoers who have been misled by managerial pretensions of alleged New York productions which promise companies of actors which have never played the metropolis, with the scenery and costumes cut down to meet the "requirements" of the road, will surely appreciate the efforts of Henry W. Savage, the international producer and manager, who is sending the big dramatic spectacle, "Everywoman," to this city where it will be staged at the Grand Opera House on Saturday, Sept. 28, matinee and night.  
This is the only company presenting "Everywoman" just as it was the only company presenting "Everywoman" last season. The company is just as nearly the same as it was possible for the managerial staff to make it. The company is acquiring thirty-seven speaking characters. It is next to impossible to keep exactly the same cast from season to season. Only human beings die, change their professions, advance, retrograde, like other human beings. Yet as near as possible the cast of "Everywoman" is the same this year as it was last year, and the same last year as it was the year before. Some of the original creators of the various roles are still playing the characters, and have done so since the opening performance. The scenic equipment is just as elaborate and all new, and in every way exact duplicates of that used at the first performance. It is fresh and spick and span. The costumes are up to the minute. There has been no paring in any of the details of the production. Mr. Savage would permit nothing of the kind. You will not see a number two organization playing "Everywoman." It is always the only woman playing anywhere. The play-going public have learned that the name, Henry W. Savage as a sponsor of a theatrical or musical attraction is an absolute guarantee of its worth.

### FRUIT NOT HARMED BY PHENOL BANDS

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—After an investigation, the Canada Food Board has come to the conclusion that the rubber bands used in preserving jars, infected with phenol, do not harm the fruit, and that any fruit preserved in such jars must not be destroyed. The objectionable odor and taste will disappear after 24 hours' exposure to the air, leaving the preserves perfectly suitable for human consumption. There is no need to destroy any such fruit, as it has not been harmed.

Shopbreakers broke into the Billington station of the Interiors Oil Co. at Winnipeg and stole the safe, containing about \$500.  
Windsor Police Commission allowed a 10 per cent salary increase, making the maximum wages of first class patrolmen \$110 a month.

An epidemic of Baby Resection is prevailing in Winnipeg, similar to that which was rife there last spring, when child after child was deserted.  
On October 15th the electors of the town of Brantford will elect a branch there, and to purchase a factory site there at an initial expenditure of \$1,100.



