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CENTRE OF INTEREST IS SHIFTED--ARMY OF PRINCE IS IN PERIL

Recapture of Rheims by the French is of Moral but Not Strategic Value--General Review of the War Outlook To-day-

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

LONDON, Sept. 16, 10.20 a.m.—The centre of interest in the western theatre of war, has shifted from the right wing of the German army under General Von Kluck to the left wing, where the relief of Troyon by the French is regarded in London as leading the army of the German crown prince, Frederick William, in what would appear to be a dangerous situation.

As had been predicted in England, the French have retaken Rheims, but this step is of greater moral than strategical value, for the line to the northeast of this town provides a better defensive position for the German forces than does the front marked by Rheims itself.

According to advices received here from Berlin, the demand for news in Germany, where the people would appear to be growing impatient, has been soothed to a certain extent by the reassuring statement from the general staff with the exception, however, of the German left wing. This part of the line, judging from despatches made public in London, would appear not only to have withdrawn from the investment of Verdun, but by permitting the relief of Troyon, which is 12 miles

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SURRENDER OF AUSTRIANS CAUGHT IN BOG, REPORTED IMMINENT--A HEAVY LOSS

Flanking Army of 100,000 Cossacks Ready to Effect Execution—Russia Proposes to Withdraw From East Prussia for Strategy

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Telegraphing from Rome, the correspondent of The Daily Express says: "The surrender of the Austrian army led by Generals Dankl and Von Auffenburg, is imminent. The heir to the Austrian throne, Archduke Charles Francis, is with General Dankl's army, which is entirely cut off from communication.

"Five German army corps marching to the relief of the Austrians, have been checked at Grodek by the third Russian corps. General Dankl's army is caught on the morass west of the River San. Further west a flanking army of 100,000 Cossacks is awaiting it. Its artillery has been lost and its cavalry is in the bog. "The last hope of the Austrians is to concentrate between the triangular fortress works of Przemysl, Cracow and Jaroslaw. They can accomplish this, if at all, only by tremendous losses."

RUSSIAN STRATEGY

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A Petrograd despatch to The Post says: "It is only now that the opportunity presents itself to exhibit in due proportions the self-sacrificing strategy of Russia at the very opening of the war for the purpose of lightening the task of her allies.

"The immediate necessity was to prevent the destruction of the French armies by rapid diversion. This Russia accomplished magnificently. Her raid in East Prussia right up to Koenigsberg, the ancient coronation city of Prussian royalty, at once relieved the pressure upon France by compelling Germany to withdraw her best troops from France and replace them with reserves. This movement is still in progress. The service Russia performed

were costly to herself, but priceless to her allies.

"The orders given to General Rennenkampf, the dashing cavalry leader, who commanded the raid into East Prussia, were such as to prove conclusively Russia's loyal self-sacrifice in the common cause. There were but scanty chances that Russia could succeed in reaching suitable territory for a decisive battle. Nevertheless, Russia nearly accomplished this, for she got within one of Eylau and Friedland. Rennenkampf's first orders were to take his forces as far as possible into Prussia without regard to losses. "It should be put on record now when changed circumstances are compelling Russia to return to a strategic scheme more advantageous to the development of her resources, that she has already withdrawn a considerable force from East Prussia, and no surprise will be felt here if Russia withdraws entirely within her own frontiers."

SERVIANS SUCCESSFUL

ROME, via Paris, Sept. 16.—The Corriere D'Italia's Rieka, Montenegro, correspondent, sends a description to his paper of the Austrian invasions of the Sanjak of Novi-baraz the occupation of Tashijia, 57 miles northeast of Novi-baraz, whence, he says, a sudden Serbian and Montenegrin offensive caused the Austrians to retreat after sanguinary encounters, pursued by Slavs, who attacked with extraordinary violence. "The Montenegrins, in a bayonet charge," the correspondent says, "captured an Austrian battery, and pursued the Austrians to the River Drina, where many Austrians were drowned. Meanwhile Serbians from Bosnia attacked the Austrians in the rear, causing enormous casualties."

WORK IS NOT DONE UNTIL GERMANY IS BROUGHT TO KNEES

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Tribune publishes the following cable from Petrograd:

"The Bourse Gazette says: "In this conflict of nations is plainly seen the hand of an historical nemesis. That awful hand has not yet accomplished the work begun, not by us, but by the blinded ambitions of the Hohenzollerns. Until this work has been done, the restoration of peace is impossible."

A Moscow newspaper says: "To speak of peace is very premature. The present government of Germany with William II at its head captivated by the idea of

military pan-Germanism, offers little for a lasting peace on any terms. We do not expect to find any guarantee for an enduring peace in Germany until the nation has marked out a line of severance between itself and those who violated the tranquility of the world." "These press utterances are mild reproductions of what the public expressions of the news of Germany seeking by roundabout means to start suggestions of peace floating in the air. Russia at least, has entered on this war as the ancient Romans entered upon their long strife with Carthage—delendaest.

BELGIAN COMMISSION WHO ACCUSE GERMANS OF ATROCITIES.



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: COUNT DE LICHELVELDE, PAUL HYMANS, HENRY CARTON DE WIART, LOUIS DE SADELEER AND EMUL VAN DER WELLE. Above is a group photograph, taken on board the steamship Cedric, of the Belgian Commission sent by King Albert to protest to President Wilson against alleged German atrocities in Belgium. The commission is made up of Henry Carton de Wiart, Minister of Justice of Belgium, who is its chief; Louis de Sadeleer, a Minister of State and leader of the government party; Paul Hymans, leader of the liberal (opposition) party, and also a Minister of State; Emile Vandervelde, a Minister of State and the leader of the socialist party, and the Count de Lichtevelde, who besides being a member of the commission is secretary to the Belgian Prime Minister. He is a son of the late Count Lichtevelde, who was Belgian Minister to the United States from 1897 to 1901.

Second Great Battle in Northern Part of France is Now Raging Fiercely

(BY SPECIAL WIRE TO THE COURIER)

LONDON, Sept. 16, 1.55 p.m.—The second great battle in northern France since the southward army of the German invaders met its check is now apparently in progress to the northward of the River Aisne. The opposing lines are arrayed from the Argonne Hills through Rehel to Chateau-Porcien and near the practice camp of Sissonne, where the program of the French summer manoeuvres contemplated cavalry training on a large scale for this very date.

Whether the Germans propose a fight to a finish at this position or a merely to cover their retreat to the River Meuse is not yet clear, but the German commanders are showing the same skill in retreat and the same skill in keeping their forces intact as the Allies showed a fortnight ago. The German rush into and out of France thus far has brought no decisive result, and until a pitched battle on a huge scale is fought and won neither side is in a position to claim that it has secured more than the opening move in the war game.

The Allies for the moment have retrieved their perilous position and have turned the tables on the invaders, but the next move is with the Germans, whose armies are still in being and in great force on a ground more or less selected by themselves.

The debacle—for it seems nothing less—in the Austrian armies means that Germany will have more and more to rely mainly upon herself; hence there will be a greater interdependence of events in the eastern and western field of operations.

What new forces Germany can put into the campaign in the western area must henceforth depend in a great measure upon how far she can neglect the Russian movement on Breslau, the capital of the Prussian province of Silesia, 100 miles southwest of Berlin.

Reports to-day say that Emperor William himself has gone to East Prussia to take chief command of the German armies opposing the Russian invaders. He may have gone there, but little credence is attached to the assertion that he proposes to take the active command out of the hands of a fighting general of the calibre of Von Hindenburg.

There is the usual diversity of stories to-day regarding the Austro-Serbian operations. The Austrian general staff claims to have driven the Serbs out of the province of Banat and from the eastern district of Slavonia.

The Servians, however, heretofore have shown a marked capacity for reappearing in the same or better positions after these defeats. They now claim they are bombarding the Hungarian town of Orsova.

The war indemnities claimed by the German troops in towns traversed in Belgium and France reaches a total of \$144,300,000. Only a very small percentage of this sum, however, has been paid.

EXPERT OPINION IS THAT BRITAIN MUST KEEP ON RE-INFORCING HER ARMY

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A cable to The Tribune from London says: Spencer Wilkinson, noted military expert and historian, writes in The Morning Post as follows:

"Up to the moment of writing the signs are not those of a decisive victory. The German army has retired, keeping a broad front. The French army in its pursuit has to spread itself rather than concentrate. The effort to pursue is considerable and cannot be indefinitely prolonged. The Germans may shortly be able to make a stand, and, if that should happen there will be a fresh wrestle. Not until one side or the other is thrown back in disorder will the word 'victory' be quite in place. Yet until that foment comes neither side can relax its exertions."

"The British Government, therefore must not for a moment suspend its efforts to strengthen and reinforce Sir John French. There are enough regulars and special reserves at home to keep the expeditionary forces at full strength till Christmas. The Indian troops must shortly be expected. Then there is the territorial force, which, if it has been practicing with bullets and targets, individually and in field firing since it was mobilized ought to shoot better than the German troops. A large part of it has volunteered for service abroad. "If the government counts the territorial after instead of before the new regulars, it will be making two terrible mistakes—that of not appreciating its best men and that of not understanding the value of time in war."

FORTIFYING BRUSSELS.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—An Amsterdam despatch to The Reuter Telegram Company says that a local paper learns from Ghent that the Germans are further strengthening and fortifying Brussels. They have placed

ed mitrailleuses on the boulevard Du Jardine Botanique and in front of the north and south stations. At Etterbeek, near Brussels, it is reported that fighting took place between Prussian and Bavarian soldiers, thirty of whom were killed.

Big Battle Of Defence By Germans

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

PARIS, Sept. 16.—3.18 p. m.—According to official announcement made this afternoon, the German army is fighting a defensive battle along its front from Noyon to a point north of Verdun.

Noyon is 55 miles northeast of Paris, and 14 miles from Compeigne. The battle line as given in the foregoing despatch lies in a straight line running almost due east and west. From Noyon to a point north of Verdun is about 110 miles.

ANNOUNCED AT EMBASSY WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—An official despatch to-day to the French embassy from Bordeaux, says:

"On our left wing yesterday the Germans resisted north of the River Aisne on a line formed by the forests of Laigne and Craonne."

"At the centre their line of resistance yesterday was north of Rheims and the camp of Chaons towards Vienne (town at western border of Argonne). The hostile force south of the Argonne have accentuated their movement, retreating between the Argonne and the River Meuse."

CANNON ROAR. SOISSONS, France, Tuesday, Sept. 15 by way of Paris, Sept.

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ROUT OF AUSTRANS COMPLETE--COLOSSAL LOSS IS SUSTAINED

Report Issued at Petrograd Tells of Overwhelming Nature of the Russian Victory--Miles of Transports Are Taken.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

PETROGRAD, Sept. 16.—The following summary of the recent fighting in Galicia from the Russian point of view, has been made public in Petrograd through semi-official channels:

"Russian troops are pursuing the Austrians with energy, and the defeat of the enemy continues. Certain Austrian army corps have been virtually annihilated. Russian forces have passed the River San."

The eastern Russian advance guard is approaching Przemysl. The rapidity with which military operations are being conducted makes it impossible to determine accurately the losses of the enemy, but it may be said that they are becoming colossal. According to such information, has come to hand the Austrians have lost in the neighborhood of 250,000 men in killed and wounded, this in addition to 100,000 prisoners; 400 pieces of ordnance, and a number of standards. In all directions the roads are crowded with artillery transport wagons and arms and ammunition, which have been abandoned in

mass during the precipitate retreat of the enemy.

On the River Vistula Russian troops have taken possession of an accumulation of material for bridge building and they destroyed several steamers, one of which was armoured.

The desperate efforts of German troops to save the Austrian army from utter rout should be recorded. The active participation of German army corps in the fighting has been revealed at several different places along the Austrian front as far as Turubine. The Russians captured 93 pieces of long range German artillery, in addition to some 5,000 German prisoners at this point. At other places on the front several dozen large German guns, many of which had been prevented by lack of time from taking part in the fighting, fell into their hands.

In conclusion this announcement of Russian successes declares that the success seen by Germany did not save the Austrians and that the heavy defeat inflicted upon the Germans has contributed to the brilliancy of the Russian victories.

SWISS REJOICING AT ONWARD MARCH OF THE ALLIED FORCES

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A London Standard despatch from Basel, Switzerland published in The Tribune says:

"The Swiss press comments very freely on the defeat of the German army in France and displays very conspicuously its profound sympathy for Great Britain and France. The Gazette de Lucerne, states that the German army lost all the fruits of its

German aviators, it says, instead of indulging in spectacular bomb throwing over Paris should have examined the lines of the French British arm, full of fresh forces and burning with zeal to attack the invaders. Warm tributes are paid to the part taken by the British in defeating the Germans. Germany in the future is on the defensive everywhere, says another Swiss newspaper.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT IS ISSUED AT PARIS

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

PARIS, Sept. 16.—The following official communication was made public here to-day:

"During the days of the 14th and the 15th of September, the rear guards of the enemy, with which our pursuit forces were in contact, were reinforced from the main body of the German army. The enemy is again engaging in a defensive battle along their entire front, on which certain of their positions show strong organization. This front is bounded by the region of Noyon, the plains to the north of Vic-sur-Aisne and Soissons, Laon, the heights to the north and to the west of Rheims, and a line which runs thence to the north of Villesur-Tourbe, to the west of the Argonne region, and which is continued thence beyond the Argonne by another line which passes north of Varennes, a point that has been evacuated by the enemy and reaches the River Meuse in the neighborhood of the forest of Forges, which is north of Verdun.

"During the pursuit of the enemy executed by our troops after the battle of the Argonne, the Germans abandoned numerous prisoners to our hands. To these men there has been added a large multitude of stragglers who had hidden in the forests.

"No exact accounting of these prisoners, or of the war material captured by us so far has been possible. It is for this reason that the Minister of War, who does not want to give out figures, which might be considered fantastic, refrains from announcing the details of these captures."

GREAT WORK BY AUSTRALIAN FLEET REPORTED

One Cruiser Covered Over 11,000 Miles Chiefly in the Tropics.

[By Special Wire to the Courier]

LONDON, Sept. 16.—8.34 a. m.—A despatch to The Times from Sydney, dated Tuesday, says that Rear Admiral Sir George Patey, commander of the Australian fleet reports that the German losses at Herberhshe, in the Bismarck archipelago, were 20 to 30 killed and 17 German officers and non-commissioned officers made prisoners.

Considering the dense bush, the trenches and the marked ranges, says the report, our casualties were slight. The Australian fleet left Sydney immediately following the outbreak of war, ac-

According to the despatch and co-operated with the China squadron.

It searched for the enemy's cruisers, put out of action the enemy's wireless stations in the Pacific, covered the New Zealand expeditionary force to Samoa and the Australian expedition to Herberhshe and patrolled the trade route. The cruiser Melbourne, it is stated covered over 11,000 miles mostly in the tropics.

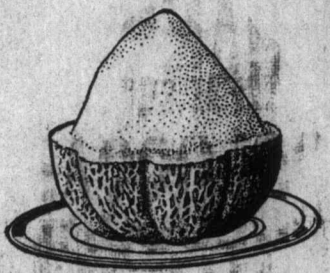
TIN CANS IN DEMAND.

TORONTO, Sept. 16.—One of the local effects of the war has been to enormously increase the demand for tin cans. Local can factories are working night and day to meet the demand for cans for fruit, beef, etc. It is said one firm had to refuse an order for one million corn beef tins to complete a contract for the British government which a beef canner held. There is a heavy duty on cans from the United States.

TO COURT MARTIAL HIM

PARIS, Sept. 16.—11.15 a.m.—In a despatch from Petrograd, the correspondent of the Havas Agency says that Lieutenant Preisker, the former German commander at Kalisz, Russian Poland, who recently was taken prisoner, has been brought before a court martial to answer for the atrocities alleged to have been committed when 11 German troops entered that town.

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Nuptial Notes

MATTICE—TOWNSEND

From a cloudless sky the Autumn sun smiled upon the Indian Summer bluish upon the hymenial altar erected in the beautiful summer home at Mt Pleasant of Mr and Mrs. A. E. Townsend. The occasion was the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Ruby, to Mr. George Thomas Mattice, one of Brantford's popular tonsorial artists. The bride, who was unattended, entered leaning upon the arm of her father, her little brother Harry acting as page, while Miss Birdsall of Brantford played the wedding march. The bridal pair immediately took their place in front of a cope of ferns bordered with red and white and blue, bloom, and under a pair of entwined hearts of green and white. The beautiful Presbyterian service was impressively rendered by Rev. Whitelaw of Balfour street church. Choosing in

ferns. Guests were present from Brantford, Mycombe, Simcoe, Waterford, Oakland, Detroit, Niagara Falls, and Brantford. Many and costly were the gifts, speaking eloquently of popularity. After a delightful dinner the young couple left for a two weeks honeymoon trip to Detroit and other western cities under the Stars and stripes. They will reside in Brantford upon their return.

Laid at Rest

The Late Annie Walsh.

The funeral of the late Annie Walsh took place from her father's residence, 62 Dundas street, to St. Basil's church, where requiem high mass was solemnized by Rev. Father Doyle, thence to St. Joseph's cemetery, where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dean Brady. The pallbearers were: Tim Walsh,

Waddington, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Thomas and Mary Keenan, a Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keenan, Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. Pratt, Clarence Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. Smithson, Mrs. Smith, Mass Cards—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. T. Walsh and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. D. Johnson, Children Fourth Form St. Basil's, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keenan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keenan, Misses Olina and Eva Lanthier, Mr. Thomas O'Connell, Mr. James O'Connell, Miss Nellie O'Donoghue, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hamel, Mr. H. J. Burns.

PRISONERS AT PARIS
PARIS, Sept. 15.—Thousands of persons gathered at the eastern and northern stations and along the Rue Lafayette last night in the hope of seeing the convoy of 300 German prisoners brought from Noisy-Le Sec. As has been done heretofore, however, the prisoners were sent around Paris by the belt railroad in order to avoid demonstrations in the streets, and the crowds were disappointed after hours of waiting. Nine hundred wounded German prisoners en route from western points passed through St. Germain in the evening.

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SOLDIERS OFF DUTY

Battle of Marne Has Resulted in Many Getting Back to Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 16, 4.23 a.m.—Since the big battle of the Marne a great many more soldiers have been seen off duty on the streets of Paris than at any time since hostilities commenced. Among them are many with arms in slings or heads bandaged. As soon as they appear they are quickly surrounded by sympathetic crowds eager to praise and feast them and get stories from the front. The British soldiers and the Turcos are particularly popular.

The War Office has decided that all soldiers on leave more than 48 hours must submit their permission to visit to a local commander. An order has also been issued that any soldier speaking of the military operations in a way that causes discontent must join his company immediately.

LACK OF CAVALRY

Daily News Laments That British Are Not in Stronger Position.

LONDON Force.—The Daily News writes following following special wire to the Courier: LONDON, Sept. 16.—The Daily News correspondent following pursuit with the allies, laments the lack of sufficient cavalry, he says.

The French cavalry has not been fortunate in this division. Too often it timed its brilliant charges too late and only swept over the crest when the German guns had secured the range to mow them down. Hence their support has not always been available at the right moment and their courage and dash have been characteristic.

MT. VERNON

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A pretty home wedding took place at "Pleasant Retreat" farm on Wednesday, September 9th, at 12.30. Miss Lillian Mae, youngest daughter of Mrs. Wm Mott, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Russell Herbert Hellyer of Waterford, by the Rev. Wray Davidson, cousin of the bride.

The bride looked charming in her wedding gown of silk crepe trimmed with real Swiss lace and pearls, and conducted by Rev. Dean Brady. She entered the drawing room on the arm of Mr. Mott.

or Langford, played menestrous wedding march and Miss Daniel of Paris sang the wedding song "Because." A splendid wedding repast was served by a well-known Brantford caterer. The groom's gift to the bride was a lovely wrist watch; to the soloist, a handsome barn pin; and to the page, a signet ring. The happy couple left by auto for Brantford and will spend their honeymoon at Eastern points. The bride travelled in a suit of navy blue ladies' cloth with hat to match. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Hellyer will reside near Waterford.

There was a well filled church last Sabbath afternoon and evening when Rev. Mr. Cole preached the Harvest Home services. In the afternoon he took his text from Psalm 24: 1. "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof; in the evening he preached from Galatians 6: 7. "Be not deceived, God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." Both sermons were strong and impressive. The choir rendered special music for the day. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers, fruits and vegetables, which made a fine appearance. The supper and programme which was given on Monday evening was a great success, the proceeds amounting to about 45.00. The programme was quite lengthy and all the performers were thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. and Mrs. David Cleveland are visiting with the latter's sister Miss Judson.

It was officially announced that Rheims had been occupied by the Anglo-French troops.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Charles Fink is a visitor in the city from Baltimore.

J. C. Burge, of Sarnia, is here for a short sojourn.

Professor Burger of Boston, was in the city yesterday.

Welby Almas is at present on a visit to Buffalo.

Arthur Buerbeaux of New York is a visitor here to-day.

Mr. Elmer Baker left this morning for a short visit to London.

Willoughby Almas, of Buffalo, is the guest of friends on Murray street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kitchen have returned from their honeymoon.

Mrs. Garrett will leave the city tonight on a visit to Hartford, Mich.

T. A. Griffen of Stratford, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

W. R. Bovey of New York, is a visitor in the city for a few days.

C. J. Rogers, of London, was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

L. A. Willard, of Orange, Mass., is an American visitor to the city.

Lloyd Sherwin of Goderich, was yesterday the guest of city friends.

C. J. Duke of Toronto, left the city this morning on his way to London.

The Misses Ruth and Florence Walker, left the city last night for Toronto.

C. T. Wilson of London, England, was a guest at the Kerby House yesterday.

Charles Jackson of Toronto, was visiting friends upon William street yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Harvey of Hamilton, and little son, are the guests of Mrs. W. F. Paterson.

Mrs. Charles Greiner is paying a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Moore of Palmerston.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Elliott and Mr. Albert Bartlett of Detroit, motored to the city yesterday.

R. C. Corson of Woodstock, who has been visiting the city, left this morning for her home.

Mrs. (Capt.) Ward will hold her post-nuptial reception to-morrow afternoon.

George Miller and Will Patterson, Ontario, were visiting Brantford yesterday.

Coppin of Stratford, paid a visit to his friends to the city yesterday and left this morning.

Miss Mabel Saifen and Miss Grace Roles of Toronto, are paying a holiday visit to the city.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Rose will leave the city Thursday at 10.30 a.m. on the Grand Trunk via Buffalo and Boston for Amherst.

Detective Cameron and his wife, of Hamilton, are visitors in the city for a short holiday sojourn, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr, 19 Fuffalo street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Balfour street Presbyterian church was held on Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was large and enthusiastic and a large amount of business was dealt with. Plans for the winter's work were thoroughly discussed. A very interesting Bible reading was taken up being led by the president, Mrs. J. Book. It proved very instructive and helpful and these Bible readings will form a part of the programme at future meetings.

An appreciative audience enjoyed a delightful program at the musicale held last evening at the home of Mrs. Edwin Wilson, Sarah street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Alexandra Church. Vocal solos were sung by Mrs. Butler and Mr. Gilbert Scott, a "Lullaby Song" by Miss Dorothy Baird; instrumental solos by Miss McFarland, Doris Cooper and Lillian Wilson; instrumental duets by Mrs. Cromar and Mrs. Barton, the Misses Lois Wiley and Lona Baltzer; a reading by Miss Kathleen Moyer. Three splendid selections were sung by the ladies' quartet, comprising Mrs. Barton, the Misses Marlette,

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SIDLIGHTS ON DRAMA OF WAR

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In this month of September glory has come to British arms, and it is the belief of the Empire's people that the end of the month will probably see greater triumphs for these of justice and right. Britain's record on Five Continents and the Seven Seas in the month of September is: 1. Relief of Kandahar by Lord Roberts, 1880. 2. Earl Kitchener's victory at battle of Omdurman, 1898. 3. Russian fleet surrendered in the Pan Tromp, 1902. 4. The Earl of Sandwich captured 12 men-o-war and two India ships, 1665. 5. Queen Elizabeth born, 1533. 6. Malta taken, 1800. 7. Heligoland taken from the Danes, 1807. 8. Fall of Sebastopol, 1855. 9. Marlborough's victory at battle of Malplaquet, 1709. 10. Plains of Abraham, Wolfe and

Montcalm fell. Canada gained for Britain, 1759. French and Spaniards totally defeated in naval engagements in Bay of Gibraltar, 1782. Egyptians conquered at Tel-el-Kebir, Arab Pasha crushed, 1882. 14. Nelson left Portsmouth for Trafalgar, 1805. 15. Storming of Delhi (Nicholson died 23rd), 1857. 16. General Pollock entered Cabul, 1842. 17. Quebec surrendered to General Townsend, 1759. 18. Delhi relieved after fourteen weeks' siege, 1857. 19. English and Dutch defeated Spaniards at Zuphen. Death of Sir Philip Sidney, 1586. 20. Malaitas conquered by Sir Arthur Wellesley at Assaye, 1803. 21. Havelock relieved Lucknow, 1857. 22. Blake defeated the Dutch under Pan Tromp, 1662. 23. Nelson born, 1758. 24. 904,559,000 People at War.

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Montenegro	500,000
Japan	67,142,000
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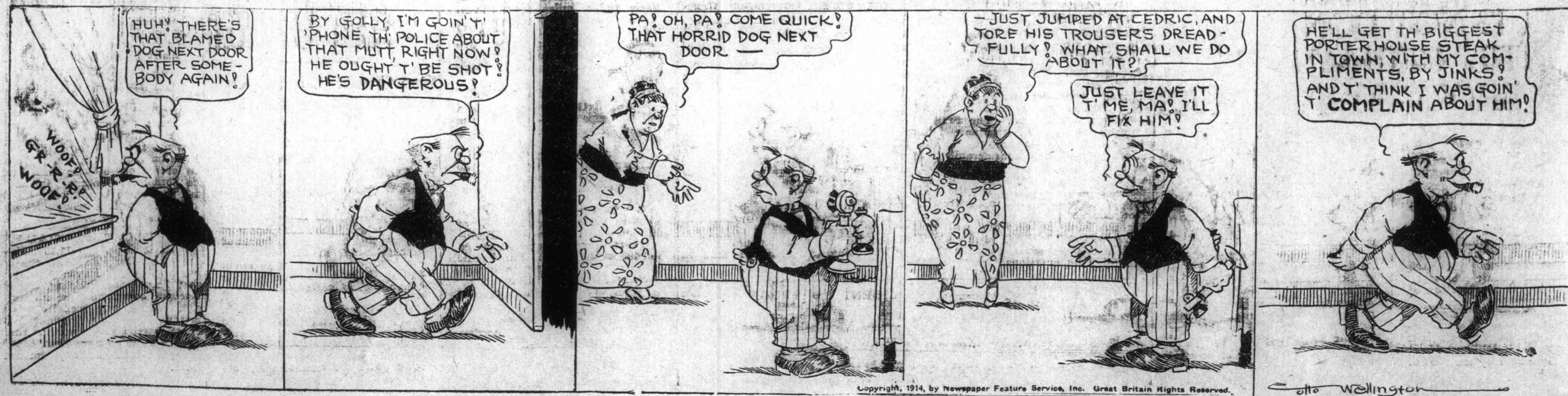
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PARIS, Sept. 16.—It has been learned here that General Lutaud, commander-general of Algeria, and commander-in-chief of the North African provinces, sent a message to his local officials reminding them of the attitude of France in the matter of treatment of prisoners of war with special reference to the conveyance of German prisoners soon to arrive in Algeria, and who says should be treated humanely and kindly. "You should not forget the general reminds his subordinates, that they are a conquered people deprived of arms, even though other nations have violated human rights, nevertheless France, in accordance with her old traditions, should give an example to the world of the exemplary treatment of a vanquished foe, showing in its superiority in arms, elevation of conscience and respect for human liberties."

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THE SITUATION

Again there must be a period of waiting with regard to anything of an at all decisive nature in connection with the war. That there will be days of fighting in and adjacent to the valley of the Aisne river would seem to be certain. This is in the north of France, not a great many miles from Metz, which is just across the German border. That the carnage will be even more terrible than any which has yet taken place is certain.

Meanwhile the Russians, after some very slight fighting, are again on the way to their objective. It is officially announced that the part assigned to them by the Allies was that of making their way to Berlin, and they will go at the task with grim determination. The Russian soldier is described as biddable and fearless, with the characteristic of doing what he is told in that quiet, submissive manner born of long years of serfdom.

CANNING FACTORIES WILL EMPLOY MORE CANADIAN HELP

Industrial conditions in Canada at this time will result in the employment of many more Canadians than usual in the canning factories of the Dominion. In previous seasons many canning factories, finding difficulty in obtaining sufficient local help, secured assistance from the larger labor market of the United States. It is estimated that several thousand employees of Canadian canning factories during previous seasons were not permanent residents of this country. In view of the unemployment in some industries at this time the canning factories will be able to secure in Canada most, if not all, the help they require this season. Thus many Canadians who would otherwise be out of employment will have the work in the "canning factories" that in previous years was given to parties who were resident in Canada only during the canning season. The policy of the leading canning companies has been to employ local help as far as possible. Another condition that will tend to increase the number of Canadians employed in the canning industry in this country is the curtailment of imports of canned vegetables from France and Belgium. The imports of canned vegetables from these countries into Canada during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1914, amounted to \$164,151 and \$124,463, respectively—a total of almost \$300,000. The curtailment of these imports will increase the demand for the products of Canadian canning factories.

GERMAN LAUDATION OF WAR

One of the prime causes of this world-shaking war is the acceptance by much too large a section of the German people of the doctrine that periodical war is in itself desirable. Von Moltke's famous reply to Prof. Bluntschli is well known. "Perpetual peace," said the great tactician, "is a dream, and it is not even a beautiful dream. War is an element in the order of the world ordained by God. Without war the world would stagnate and lose itself in materialism."

The most noted exponent in Germany of the view that war is a good thing and necessary to national salvation was Nietzsche, whose convictions on this point found expression in his "The Will to Power."

It is mere illusion and pretty sentiment to expect much (even anything at all) from mankind if it forgets how to make war. As yet no means are known which call so much into action as a great war that rough energy born of the camp, that deep personality born of hatred, that conscience born of hatred, and cold-bloodedness, that fervor born of effort in the annihilation of the enemy that proud indifference to loss, to one's own existence, to that of one's fellows, to that earthquake-like shaking which a people needs when it is losing its vitality.

death, thus describes Treitschke's viewpoint towards war: "No English historian or thinker has spoken of war quite as Treitschke has spoken of it. I do not recollect a single passage in his writings in which the conventional regrets are expressed, or where the conventional phrases such as 'the scourge of mankind,' the barrier to human progress, occur as descriptions of war. From an early period in his literary career on the other hand, phrases of a quite different order abound in his writings, phrases in which war appears, if not as 'the supreme felicity of mankind,' at least as a great factor in the onward stride towards perfection; whilst any attempt at its abolition is characterized as unwise and immoral." With such teaching and its admittance by the influential classes, Germany was bound, at the first convenient season, to draw the sword for the purpose of achieving the hegemony of the civilized world, which Germans have been taught to believe is nothing more than their right. This war, which is to determine whether the world is to remain free or is to take its orders from Prussian junkerdom by way of Berlin, is now in full career; and must continue until the victor has had occasion to revise their beliefs as to the utility of war and the manifest destiny of their race.

FALSE NEWS IN GERMANY
Proofs are constantly accumulating as to the absolute unreliability of the war news communicated to the press by the German Government either directly and officially or through the Wolff and Havas press agencies which are subsidized and directed by the German authorities. It is impossible to compare the reports emanating from these sources with facts as subsequently revealed to prove this. The paragraphs of alleged British news circulated by the official German news bureau and the Wolff and Havas news agencies are simply grotesque in their absolute untruthfulness. On August 23rd, for instance, the German Government announced an official authority: "The efforts of the British government to raise an emergency army of half a million men have failed completely; only two thousand reporting themselves for military service. In spite of this however, the War Office declare that 100,000 men have been enrolled in two weeks."

On the same date the people of Berlin were told by their papers on the same authority: "Abnormal conditions continue to reign in the English money market, notwithstanding the intervention of the government and of the Bank of England. Even the leading houses are refusing to meet bills of exchange in London, as well as bills of lading and confirmed credit."

The following veracious item of war news, issued officially at Berlin, August 22nd, was circulated through the German wireless stations and received by the Marconi company: "It is reported from Constantinople that Turkish students arriving there from England describe the situation in that country as bad. Opposition to the war is growing, and rebellion is feared among the working classes."

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The fighting referred to was described in the following brief report issued by the British Press Bureau early on the morning of August 19: "Some desultory fighting has taken place during the day between the British patrolling squadrons and flotillas and German reconnoitering cruisers. No losses were reported or claimed. A certain live-fire was reported in the southern area of the North Sea."

As a matter of fact, no British submarine was sunk and no destroyers were damaged. The Kolnische Zeitung of August 21 published an official list of the officers and men who lost their lives through the sinking of the German submarine U 15 by the British light Cruiser Birmingham on August 9, but the circumstances under which the submarine was sunk were carefully suppressed, the report merely stating: "Submarine U 15 did not return on August 12 from a submarine reconnaissance. The dead are twenty-three in number, and include Kapitän-Leutnant Zerrath, and Marine-Oberingenieur Grundler."

An outstanding illustration of the utter unreliability of the "officially" communicated news published in Germany and sent to neutral countries was the famous story that forty pounds sterling a month was being offered to sailors on board German fishing smacks to join the British navy. With this work apparently accomplished, it is being predicted in England to-day that the Russian forces investing Koenigsberg, together with General Rennenkampf's army, will be withdrawn within the Russian border. If it is a fact that Germany's ally in Galicia has retired within the fortified triangle dominated by Erozynsl, as despatches received here indicate, the inference drawn by British observers that the Russian right is now free to advance from the southeast, and that an aggressive movement from that quarter may be looked for.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

The temper and the self-confidence of the French troops in this struggle are both alike admirable.

Up to date, when you see anything in a German official report with reference to the war, it isn't so.

When it comes to keeping out of sight, that powerful fleet of the Kaiser has the average collar button beaten miles.

General Friez is among the Germans captured. As to that, general freeze will be the ultimate outcome of the hopes of all of them.

To the Montreal patriotic fund there has come the contribution of \$6,000 subscribed by three Germans, who describe themselves as that in name, but "British at heart."

An unusual event took place at the opening of the fall assizes in Sault Ste. Marie, when Chancellor Boyd, in addressing the grand jury, said that it was the first assize court held since the outbreak of war, and he thought he should not let the opportunity go by without referring to it. Notwithstanding the contention of the German Chancellor to the contrary, the Kaiser was at the root of the whole trouble. For the past forty years the German Government had been training its army for this occasion, and while many people on the street apparently took very little notice of what was going on, the Government of Great Britain had been carefully watching the whole proceedings. Germany had chosen the killing of the Austrian Emperor's son as an excuse for charging the Servians with being responsible for the crime. Such an excuse would not be upheld in any court of law. The war was the most appalling in the world's history. The Chancellor read Premier Asquith's statement justifying British action in defence of her word of honor. "So we all pray and ask God for victory for our arms and army," he added, "and hope for a speedy conclusion of the war."

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WAR STORIES BY TELEGRAPH

[By Special Wire to the Courier]
PARIS, Sept. 16.—The numerous arrests of spies continue. Yesterday a daring individual was taken near Sommeron on the line from Troyes to Chalons, where he had questioned the peasants of the locality concerning the movements of the French troops.

When arrested wire cutting implements were found in the man's pockets. He refused to indicate his identity, declaring he was a German and protesting against detention. It was finally discovered that he had for a long time inhabited a town in the north of France, where he directed a perfect system of wire-tapping for the Germans. He was taken to Orleans for execution.

At another small town in that vicinity an individual bearing on his arm a badge inscribed "English" and in his pockets other arm badges for special circumstances, was arrested while seeking information of the movement of troops.

PILLAGE IN POLAND
NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A London cable to the Tribune says: "The Daily News correspondent at Copenhagen, telegraphs as follows: 'The Germans appear to be pillaging Polish villages. A Warsaw despatch states that the Kaiser's army has taken a church at Mlawka and fired on the holy pictures. The despatch adds that they also destroyed statues in the streets.'"

"It is reported that a German officer, disguised as a Russian and with false papers, was shot by the British army on the eastern frontier through an accident, and was shot as a spy."

Big Battle

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16, 1.15 p.m.—The German right wing, in its retreat, abandoned Soissons yesterday (Monday) at the same time leaving also the southern bank of the Aisne. The German retirement northward continued during Monday and Tuesday. The French in their pursuit, crossed the river.

The French artillery is to-day heavily in action on the other bank of the Aisne. The only interruption of the almost Sabbath-like stillness of Soissons to-day is the crash of French artillery, concealed at night, which could be heard for it that they would fight they rather be under the British than under the German flag.

CANCEL GERMAN PATENTS
LONDON, Sept. 15.—A despatch from Paris gives the Figaro as authority for the statement that the British Government has decided to cancel all German patents within the empire.

WIRELESS CLOSED.
TUCKERTON, N. J., Sept. 16.—The big wireless station here, one of the two plants in this country in direct communication with Germany, was closed to-day. It was said that the generator had broken down, but information as to the exact nature of the breakdown was refused.

THE HINDUS AND THE EMPIRE
It is not this demonstration of loyalty by the princes and people of India, in the face of the whole world, a grand proof of the solidarity of the Empire in every part which threatens it; and if such proofs of devotion are produced amongst a people whose color, race, ideals and traditions are completely alien to those of England, why should anyone be astonished that the French-Canadians, to whom England has given complete autonomy, who are guaranteed respect for their language, their religion and their laws, should also be ready to defend it with their blood and their goods when the empire is in peril?

Thirty-five were killed in Missouri when an express train crashed through a trestle.

COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT
It's Grandmother's Recipe to Keep Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Thick.
The old-time mixture of Sage's Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's treatment, and folks are going to use it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.
Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. A drug store sells the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

Sir Ed. Grey Has Reply for German Talk

LONDON, Sept. 15, 8.45 p.m.—The official press bureau announces that the following statement is issued with the authority of Sir Edward Grey, secretary of state for foreign affairs, with regard to the communication made by Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial German Chancellor, to the press: "Does anyone believe," asked the chancellor, "that England would have interfered to protect Belgian freedom if she would unquestionably have done so, Sir Edward Grey, as represented in the White Paper, was prepared to engage to respect the neutrality of Belgium so long as no other power violated it."

"The French Government replied that they were resolved to respect it. The assurance, it was added, had been given several times and had formed the subject of a conversation between President Poincaré and the German Chancellor, who entirely ignored the fact that England took the same line about Belgian neutrality in 1870."

Bismarck Stood by Treaty.
"In 1870 Prince Bismarck, when approached by England on the subject, admitted and respected the treaty obligations in relation to Belgium. At this moment the English dreadnoughts are the protection which providence has given us against the German peril. The British navy projects us not only against invasion and its horrors, but it also protects our maritime commerce so well that the ships are arriving and departing as in times of peace."

Duty of German-Americans.
Louisville Courier-Journal.
The German in America has no more interest in the war of the Kaiser than the American in America. Those foreigners who cannot join with a single mind—who feel the slightest sense of divided duty—do not belong here. Their place is at the fighting front of their own country and nowhere else; he among them who would either confuse the issue, or exploit himself, is a self-confessed deserter and coward if he does not

Is Wrong About Boers.
The Imperial Chancellor refers to the dealings of Great Britain with the Boer republic, and suggests that the cause of freedom. Without going into controversies now happily past, we may recall what General Botha said in the South African parliament a few days ago, when expressing his conviction of the righteousness of Great Britain's cause and explaining the firm resolution of the British Government to aid her in every possible way: "Great Britain had given them a constitution under which they could create a great nationality, and had not feeling that there is a free people and a sister state. Although there might be many who in the past had been hostile to the British flag, could you wish for it that they would ten times rather be under the British than under the German flag."

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The German Chancellor is equally unfortunate in his reference to the colonial empire. So far from British policy having been "recklessly egotistic" it has resulted in a great rally of affection and common interest by all the British dominions and dependencies, among which there is not one which is not aiding Great Britain by soldiers or other contributions, or both in this war.

"To the matter of treaty obligations generally, the German Chancellor excuses the breach of Belgium's neutrality by military necessity, at the same time making a virtue of having respected the neutrality of Holland and Switzerland, and saying that it does not enter his head to touch the neutrality of the Scandinavian countries—a virtue which admittedly is only practiced in the absence of temptation from self-interest and military advantage does not seem worth vaunting."

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Press Comment

Hoot, Hoot 'Tis Not So. (Philadelphia Ledger). They are mounting machine guns on the steps of The Hague peace palace and an expectant world awaits words from Andrew Carnegie.

A Little Late. (La Presse). The Kaiser says his heart bleeds because of the Belgian acts which provoked the atrocities of Louvain. It would have been better if it had bled a little sooner.

Both Interesting and Useful. (Hamilton Herald). There's just as much fun to be got out of rifle practice as in many other pastimes that are popular. And for men, rifle practice at the ranges ought to be the most popular pastime at present.

No Cause for Worry. (L'Evenement, Montreal). Why should anyone worry about the proposed shipment of gold to Canada for London account? Gold is an American product as much as wheat. We produce nearly a hundred millions of it yearly, and have nearly two billions in the country. If high-priced wheat goes abroad at the present rate, with imports sharply cut, gold must return from Canada to pay for it.

Our Debt to the Navy. (New York World). The Canadian people may well say, "Thank God and the English fleet if the enemy is not now on our shores." At this moment the English dreadnoughts are the protection which providence has given us against the German peril. The British navy projects us not only against invasion and its horrors, but it also protects our maritime commerce so well that the ships are arriving and departing as in times of peace."

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LITTLE REST. (St. Thomas Journal). The Kaiser seems to have gone to a retreat. But judging from the way the British bulldog is hanging to his flank, he doesn't seem to be getting much of a rest cure.

ONLY UNDER THE BRITISH FLAG. (Calgary News-Telegram). Sergt. Vorster, who fought against Britain with the Boers in South Africa, goes as one of the volunteers from Port Arthur, this time to fight Great Britain. It is only under the British flag that such things happen.

A WELCOME STORY. (Macon Telegraph). That is a welcome story from German sources about the heroic defense of Longwy and the gallant recognition of the enemy's valor exhibited by the German Crown Prince. The story goes that after five days of battle every French gun but one was disabled and only 2,000 French soldiers survived, but that when Colonel D'Arche finally surrendered the utterly ruined fortress he was allowed to keep his sword by the admiring victor, the Crown Prince, Frederick William. Would that more such stories might come from the scene of this terrible war.

100,000 AT BRUSSELS. LONDON, Sept. 16.—The Daily Chronicle's Antwerp correspondent in a despatch dated Tuesday, says there are now 100,000 Germans ranged around Brussels, while a Belgian army of 80,000 men has taken shelter beneath the line of the Antwerp forts and will prove a constant menace to the Germans should they wish to move troops to France.

Wanted in St. Catharines. Chief of Police Green of St. Catharines was in the city to-day on business intent, for he came to Maurice Finkle back to St. Catharines. He is wanted on a theft charge having placed his property in a signment and which when examined was found, it is alleged, from the books, to have been the subject of fraud; several things, it is said, being stolen from the stock.

Children Brought Back. The police took two runaway boys from the children's home in Brantford into custody this morning. They are Elizabeth Leffer, eighteen years old, and Marjory Lawrence, sixteen years old. They ran away from the institution last week and came to this city. They were staying with their brother at the beach on the last morning—Hamilton Herald.

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LOCAL NEWS

To Deliver Address
Dr. C. A. Jarvis, optometrist, will deliver an address before the Ontario Optometrical Association in Toronto this evening.

Fine Class.
The Senior Class in gymnasium work at the Y.M.C.A. held their first work-out of the season last night when an excellent turnout was taken charge of by Instructor Roper.

More Unemployment.
A goodly number of out of work are still to be seen every morning at the City Engineer's office and the morning a further score were added to the list of applications for work.

Had to Shoot Horse.
One of a team of horses belonging to Kitchin Bros., Paris Road, slipped and fell on Brant Avenue this morning in front of the residence of Mr. Lloyd Harris. The horse broke its hip and had to be destroyed. The slippery pavement was responsible for the horse falling.

Shipment is Made.
There was a large gathering of ladies at the Children's Shelter yesterday when the shipment for the soldiers at Valenciennes was completed. It included 105 pneumonia jackets, cholera bands, 12 pairs of wristlets, handkerchiefs, 96 pairs of socks and housewives.

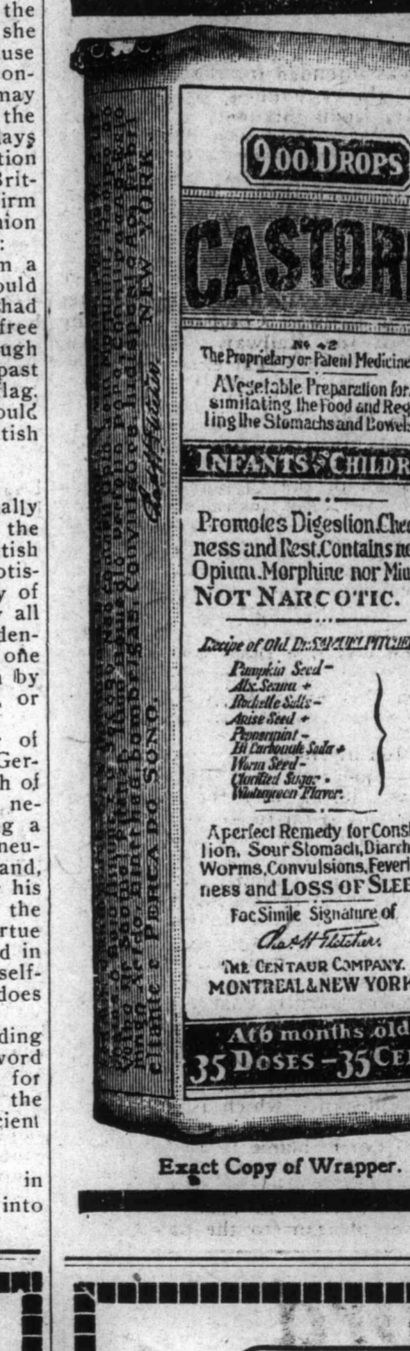
Want More Supplies.
The fire which occurred in the upper apartment of the Children's A. Society caused a considerable loss of winter supplies, which were stored thereabouts and the Shelter now especially for fresh supplies of clothing, such like things in view of our comparatively impoverished condition.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

To Deliver Address. Dr. C. A. Jarvis, optometrist, will deliver an address before the Ontario Optometrical Association...

Fire Class. The Senior Class in gymnasium work at the Y.M.C.A. held their first work-out of the season last night...

More Unemployment. A goodly number of out of works are still to be seen every morning at the City Engineer's office...

Had to Shoot Horse. One of a team of horses belonging to Kichen Bros., Paris Road, slipped and fell on the residence of Mr. Lloyd Harris...

Shipment is Made. There was a large gathering of ladies at the Children's Shelter yesterday when the shipment for the soldiers at Valcartier was completed...

Want More Supplies. The fire which occurred in the upper apartment of the Children's Aid society caused a considerable loss of winter supplies...

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Milk License. Messrs. Cox Bros. of Rural Route No. 2, have taken out a milk license from the city.

Are Employed. Some thirty-three men are at present employed upon the construction of the Park Avenue Pavement...

Work Inspected. The City Engineer yesterday paid a visit of inspection to the work now proceeding on Park Avenue...

Regimental Business. Officers of the 25th. Brant Dragoons meet this afternoon at the headquarters of the regiment to discuss business matters.

Winter Preparations. The stove pipes and the general heating apparatus of the police station has undergone overhauling by expert hands...

Jurors Returns. Clerk of the Peace, A. J. Wilkes, notified the City Clerk this morning that the number of city jurors had been selected...

Division Court. The Division Court was held this morning in the County Court House when there were 26 cases down for decision...

Location Settled. Inspector J. Jeffrey and W. McKenzie of the Hydro Power Commission paid a visit of inspection to the city yesterday when the final location of the line from Brantford to Waterford, Burford and Simcoe was decided upon.

Final Round Up. The City Assessors were to-day occupied, making their final round of the city in readiness for their concluding returns for the year...

Deduction Necessary. The postal authorities of the city correctly delivered a letter yesterday which was addressed "Large Judgment," City of Brantford, Canada...

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RIFLE CLUB

The Civilian Rifle Club gathered last night at the Collegiate Institute when the members were treated to the first of a series of lectures upon the art of rifle shooting...

In rifle shooting as in other things, he said, there were various ways of accomplishing the object in view. In shooting, there were five positions which could be comfortably adapted for the purpose...

The velocity of a rifle bullet was 2080 feet per second and the fluctuations from its target caused by wind and gravity were remarkable...

A hearty vote of thanks was passed by the gathering for the speaker.

CAPE TOWN, Unio nof South Africa, via London, Sept. 16.—General Jacobus Hendrick De La Rey, the well known Boer general, has been accidentally shot dead near Johannesburg.

General De La Rey was born in 1848. He was a member of the first Volksraad of the Transvaal and commanded the Lichtenburg burghers during the Boer war...

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HARTFORD [From Our Own Correspondent] Nelson Giles reports crops threshing out very good. Some oats are light and wheat turns out better. The apple crop will be a good one, especially where the trees have been sprayed.

The Medina church are holding a harvest home festival this Thursday night in October. The regular meeting was held last Thursday at Mrs. H. Bertrams.

The Baptist church are holding an entertainment Wednesday evening the 23rd. The program will be furnished by Mr. H. W. Piercy, entertainer, assisted by local talent.

The Sunday night service will be at 7.30 in the future.

The neighbors of John Hanna have been making bees to help him out with his work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Simington were at Toronto Fair.

W. H. Howarth was the guests of M. Robinson, Sunday.

Ross Kinner was at Cayuga Tuesday attending court.

C. A. Bennet and family were calling at G. Swifts, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Deterling were visiting at N. Giles, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruby Slaght of Brantford is spending a few days at H. Kenners.

Messrs. Ino, Bradshaw and George Gowlie of Thamesford were the guests of Fred Bradshaw over Sunday.

Mrs. Renner and Miss Emma Renner of Townsend Centre and Mr. and Mrs. M. VanLoon were at H. Renner's, Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Wilcox of Waterford has been the guest of Mrs. R. J. Sunday.

SCOTLAND [From our own Correspondent] Mrs. B. Smith, who has been spending a few days in Brantford, has returned to her home here.

A number from here attended Toronto fair.

A number of horses from here have been bought for war purposes.

We are glad to report that Mr. Lloyd Wilson is improving from scarlet fever.

Miss Lundy and Miss D. Sundry spent a few days visiting friends in Toronto last week.

BEALTON [From Our Own Correspondent] Mrs. Martin has returned to her home in Brantford after spending a few weeks with her sister, Miss L. Smith.

The Oakland, Wilsonville and Bealton Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. J. King on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Persall of Waterford visited at the home of Mr. A. Norrie one day last week.

Mrs. Barr and Miss A. Davis visited Mrs. C. Bauslaugh of Waterford on Thursday last.

Mrs. Wood and Doris of Brantford are visiting Miss R. Smith.

Miss Barlow of Hamilton and Miss P. Davis of Brantford are visiting at Mr. L. Davis'.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis and Alma visited at Mr. J. Poole's, Oakland, on Sunday.

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Carry on! Is Britain's Motto and Should be Canada's Also

(Montreal News.)
 "Carry on!" This is the motto adopted by the business men of Great Britain and Ireland in war time. The principles upon which it is based are excellently set forth in a pamphlet published in London with the title—"Carry on Your Duty in Wartime. What to do in Your Home and Your Business."

The object of the pamphlet is to show that he or she who stays at home may do as patriotic duty for the Empire as the man who shoulders his gun and goes off to fight, and it puts the case with a frankness which applies equally to Canadians, when it says:

"Whether you are in the fighting line or whether you are patiently and steadily continuing to do your share of the world's work, you are contributing towards the gaining of the final victory."

"Civilian England (and this means Canada also) should take as its motto in these days that legend familiar on boardings surrounding tradesmen's premises—"Business carried on as usual during re-building." We are in fact, politically re-building Europe.

"It is not alone from our boys at the front that pluck is expected. There must be pluck in the office, and

the shop, and the factory, and in the home.

"Carry on the business. Pay your way. Help to spread that cheerful confidence in the good times, which will follow the suppression of Kaiserism."

"The seas are open to our trade. The whole world is on our side, apart from Germany, the common enemy. It is now and not later that we should boldly plan to make this war turn to the commercial advantage of ourselves and our allies."

"Vigorous firms should devote their advertising campaign to this end. The names that are waved before the public in these stirring times will be remembered better than those that shrink into obscurity until the great revival."

"A particular appeal should be made to large firms and companies to promote circulation by paying their accounts promptly. The moratorium is not for them. It is intended to give time for self-protection to those concerns and individuals with international connections who are exceptionally affected by the war. Every solvent business that withholds or delays payments in playing the game of the enemy, is reducing employment, and its cramping trade."

Personal Duty for Everyone.
 "We are all in together, but we cannot pick up a rifle and march off to fight the Germans. Those who must remain behind should keep these points before them—"

"1—If you have any business you should go about it quietly and confidently."

"2—If your business must be suspended, look around for useful occupation. Better go as an amateur harvester than loaf about buying a newspaper every hour. Consider all the openings—special police work, guarding railways, voluntary service in administering relief funds."

"3—You should regard this as a time in which to avoid waste; but not necessarily to stop spending."

NEWS IN BERLIN

Absence of Great Success is Received in Stupefaction by the People.

(By Special Wire to the Courier)
 LONDON, Sept. 16.—8.45 a.m.—A Bordeaux despatch to the General News says:

"According to Berlin telegrams the newspapers there testify to the stupefaction of the German people on learning of the retreat of the armies which were believed to be under the walls of Paris. The papers endeavor to explain the retreat as strategic, adding that the final result must be awaited."

"The German public is also said to be impressed by the news of the disasters which have overtaken the Austrians in Galicia."

WERE SIGNIFICANT

Papers Found on a German General Captured by the French.

(By Special Wire to the Courier)
 PARIS, Sept. 16.—Announcement is made that significant papers were found in the possession of the German General, Friese, who was made a prisoner and brought to Paris on September 14. One was a letter, it is stated inflicting punishment for not replying immediately to mobilization order and was dated July 10.

Another paper was a despatch addressed to General Von Klunck during the retreat, advising him that General Friese's troops had no more ammunition and that if he did not receive some at once he would be lost.

The report persists that General Friese attempted to commit suicide before he was made a prisoner.

James Bailey, for 35 years marine superintendent of the Cunard and Thomson lines, and a former member of the Queen's Own, Toronto, died at Montreal.

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Rochester	86	57	.601
Buffalo	83	57	.593
Baltimore	78	57	.576
Toronto	68	66	.507
Newark	62	76	.449
Montreal	57	83	.407
Jessie City	56	84	.399

—Tuesday Scores—
 Montreal 7 Toronto 2
 Buffalo 8 Rochester 4
 Providence 4 Newark 2

—Wednesday Games—
 Montreal at Toronto
 Rochester at Buffalo

—Tuesday Scores—
 Boston 7 Brooklyn 5
 Philadelphia 4 New York 3
 Pittsburgh 3 Cincinnati 0

—Wednesday Games—
 Cincinnati at New York
 St. Louis at Boston
 Chicago at Brooklyn
 Pittsburgh at Philadelphia

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 Philadelphia 87 47 550
 Detroit 72 63 533
 Washington 63 69 477
 St. Louis 60 75 445
 Cleveland 43 91 321

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 Boston 2 Washington 1
 Philadelphia 3 New York 1
 Detroit 2 Cleveland 1

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 Indianapolis 9 Brooklyn 3
 Baltimore 11 Kansas City 5

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 Chicago at Pittsburgh

Smith-Dorrien the General Who Never Made a Mistake

General Sir Horace Lockwood Smith-Dorrien, G.C.B., D.S.O., is well known to Canadians by repute, and to those who served in South Africa by personal acquaintance, for he was in command of the 10th Brigade, and which included the first Canadian contingent, and which counted up Cronje and his men at Paardeburg.

He got his first command in 1876, when but 18 years old, and has gone steadily ahead, one of the most brilliant of the "kitchen" men. He is years old and has been in the army for 38 years.

He was described by the late Benet Burleigh as "a fine type of the 'hard as nails', well-trained, active dependable British officer," and is known in the army as "one of the generals who has never made a mistake." He comes of a patriotic family, having two brothers in the army and two in the navy.

At the disastrous battle of Isandulu, Zululand, in 1879, Smith-Dorrien was one of the few officers who, by his athletic powers as runner and swimmer, escaped the Zulu assassins and lived to take part in the battle of Ulundi, when Cetewayo was finally disposed of. He was mentioned in despatches, and since then honors have fallen fast upon him. He was in the Egyptian expedition of 1882 in which year he raised and commanded a corps of mounted infantry, and in 1885, with this mounted infantry, did good work at Saikin. In 1897-8 he served with the Frontier Field Force in India, and won his D. S. O. Returning to Egypt in 1898 he took part in the Nile expedition and was present at the battle of Khartoum, and in the subsequent operations in the Sudan.

One of the pluckiest actions performed in South Africa was his gallant to save the Gordon Highlanders at Doornkop when his brigade was moving to attack the main Boer position. The Highlanders dashed up the hill impetuously, and General Smith-Dorrien realizing their danger of being surrounded, galloped through a heavy fire across the enemy's front to turn them. He succeeded without injury and calmly returned to his position at the rear of the troops.

On November 6, 1901, he was appointed adjutant-general in India and during his six year service in the East, he added to his brilliant record by the invaluable services he rendered to the Indian Empire. He was appointed to the command of the Quetta Division in 1903, and vacated the post on Nov. 30, 1907, having received a six months extension of the usual tenure, and being promoted to lieutenant-general. Returning from India he took up the position of G. O. C. at Aldershot, which has rightly come to be regarded as the military red

ribbon. In this distinguished command he succeeded Sir John French. From Aldershot he was transferred to the southern command.

More details were published regarding the Karuk disaster in the Arctic.

Footbal

P. S. A. Meeting
 The P. S. A. football club will not hold their weekly meeting this week but will meet as usual during the following week in their club room.

The following will represent the Duff's against Tutela in the John Hill Charity Cup Final on Saturday, 19th Sept., at Agricultural Park: Goal, Abbott; backs, Holland and W. Holland; halves, Harris, Williamson, and other; forwards, Usher, Poynter, Alexander, and other, Mercer.

Reserves—Phillips, Hession. All players and reserves are requested to be at the Armouries on Thursday, 17, Sept., at 8 p.m. for a general meeting.

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NEW TRENCHING TOOL

Experiments have been carried out with a combined trenching tool and head cover, with which the Canadian soldiers going to the front may be equipped. The implement in question is a bullet-proof steel shovel, the blade of which is a hole through which the muzzle of the rifle may be placed. The idea is that when it is used to dig a trench the above

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Militia Council to Camp - Aviation

E. L. Janney of Airman, is in Ch

VALCARTIER CAMP, Que., Sept. 16.—The departure of the Canadian force for the fields of war seems close at hand. A meeting of the Militia Council has been called for Friday, presumably for the purpose of considering final arrangements for the movement of the troops. Col. Sir Hughes, Minister of Militia, announced last night that the meeting would be held at Valcartier.

Canadian Aviation Corps. Canada will have her own aviation corps at the front. This is now the corps of formation at Valcartier, M. E. L. Janney of Galt, Ont., being entrusted with the task of organization. It is understood that the aviation corps will go with the first contingent. How many aviators there will be and what type of machine will be adopted it is impossible to state at present. Mr. Janney has had considerable experience in the European countries in which the war is in progress, and is familiar with the Blériot, Latham and other types of machine.

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Militia Council to Camp - Aviation

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VALCARTIER CAMP, Que., Sept. 16.—The departure of the Canadian force for the fields of war seems close at hand. A meeting of the Militia Council has been called for Friday, presumably for the purpose of considering final arrangements for the movement of the troops. Col. Sir Hughes, Minister of Militia, announced last night that the meeting would be held at Valcartier.

Canadian Aviation Corps. Canada will have her own aviation corps at the front. This is now the corps of formation at Valcartier, M. E. L. Janney of Galt, Ont., being entrusted with the task of organization. It is understood that the aviation corps will go with the first contingent. How many aviators there will be and what type of machine will be adopted it is impossible to state at present. Mr. Janney has had considerable experience in the European countries in which the war is in progress, and is familiar with the Blériot, Latham and other types of machine.

New Trenching Tool. Experiments have been carried out with a combined trenching tool and head cover, with which the Canadian soldiers going to the front may be equipped. The implement in question is a bullet-proof steel shovel, the blade of which is a hole through which the muzzle of the rifle may be placed. The idea is that when it is used to dig a trench the above

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