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Ariators Shower German Stations With Bombs

MANY NEW PAVEMENTS WILL BE LAID IN LONDON IN 1915

CITY TO EXPEND \$200,000 IN 1915 PAVING MANY STREETS OF LONDON

About Five Miles of Permanent Surfacing Will Be Laid This Year, Which Will Bring Total Mileage of Paved Streets to At Least Eighteen Miles.

LONDON SPENT \$126,168.35 ON PAVING WORK IN 1914

London last year spent \$126,168.35 in paving. Such an expenditure was regarded as remarkable. It set a new figure for future records. It meant the permanent surfacing of more than three and a half miles of streets—3.65 miles, to be exact—or a little better than one-third as much permanent pavement as had previously been laid in this city.

This year the city will expend somewhere in the neighborhood of \$200,000 in paving, will lay about five miles more of permanent surfacing, and will bring the total mileage of paved streets to at least 18 miles.

In his initial paving program for the year, City Engineer H. A. Brazier makes provision for an estimated expenditure of \$156,937.29 in pavements. Practically all of this is for asphaltic concrete work with a few short sections of vitrified brick and concrete.

Totals Up To \$184,909.79.

In addition, there is work "hung over" from last year to a total of \$37,972.79, which brings the total to \$184,909.79. Considerable amounts of money will have to be expended in curbs and gutters for the streets that are to be paved, and this, it is believed, with the addition of other sections that will be authorized later in the year, will bring the total to well over \$200,000.

It will be noted that in the following tables, which were compiled by The Advertiser from the reports of the city engineer, and which will come before the board of works, the board of control and the council at an early date, that alternative estimates have been submitted for the Hamilton road section. This is because of the double-tracking proposal on this street. Engineers Brazier has estimated on both double and single track.

Study of the estimates will show that the difference to the ratepayers in the double-tracking is almost infinitesimal, and means, at the outside, less than a dollar or two a year to the ratepayer, based on an estimate of 40-foot lots, along this street.

Figures On Single Track Basis.

The figures of \$156,937.29 are made on the single-track basis for the Hamilton road. On this basis the relative cost to the city and ratepayers would be:

Ratepayers	\$115,228.10
City's share	41,711.19
With the addition of the hung-over work, the city's share is swelled to \$47,560.01, and the portion to be paid by the property-owners whose property abuts on the streets to be paved goes up to \$137,938.73.	

It will be noted that in the pavement for the south side of South street.

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WESTERN MAN WHOLE ARMY IN HIMSELF



SERGEANT MICHAEL O'LEARY, V. C., the former member of the Royal North-West Mounted Police, at Regina, who was promoted on the field from lance-corporal, and awarded the Victoria Cross for conspicuous bravery at Culmick, on February 1, 1915, is shown in the photograph. He is a member of the 1st Battalion of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, and is currently serving in the trenches in France.

BRITAIN HOLDS OFF BLOCKADE

No Decision As To Retaliatory Measures Against Germany Yet Announced.

INTERFERENCE RESENTED

Average Britisher Objects To Others Trying To Prevent This Policy.

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—The proposals of Washington to Great Britain and Germany, which are in London, assumed to embrace the abandonment of Germany's self-declared war zone and the adoption by the belligerents of some definite policy regarding foodstuffs to the civilian populations, have noticeably quickened the public interest both in this country and in Germany in this delicate diplomatic situation.

The British press, as a general thing, is restrained in tone, but the average Britisher plainly resents what he considers a hint at an attempt to interfere with the absolute blockade of Germany should Great Britain care to enforce this with her sea power.

Britain Holds Off. In the meanwhile, and in spite of the sinking of four more British merchantmen, involving the loss of four lives, Great Britain still holds off from declaring food destined to Germany to be contraband. It is believed, if this step is taken, it will be postponed until the American proposal has been discussed at length.

Just what this proposal is, the public neither here nor in Berlin is aware, its only information has been gleaned from a report in the press.

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CALM ANXIETY IS FEELT HERE

Londoners Who Have Loved Ones at Front Show No Cowardly Spirit.

AWAIT CASUALTY LISTS

Knowledge That Forest City Men in Trenches in France Enhances Patriotism.

London is taking calmly, although anxious, the news that the Canadian Expeditionary Force is in the trenches in France. In scores of London homes where there is a vacancy felt, and all the more now that news of the Canadian Expeditionary Force is reported, there is a thrill of anxiety and expectancy to learn further details which must supplement the meagre news given out yesterday, that the Canadian troops were under fire.

London mothers and wives refuse to get excited, or hurried, or hysterical. Women who have sons and brothers and husbands and sweethearts on the battle lines are quite well aware that dead-end news may be flashed to them at any time, so they are simply waiting, and hoping for the best.

Anxious Inquiry. "Yes, I fear that the men are at the front. I suppose you have heard no further news, have you—no casualty list yet?" said a mother who has an only son with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in action. A trace of anxiety was revealed in her voice. That was all.

Mrs. Beecher, mother of Lieut.-Col. H. C. Beecher, who is second in command of the 1st Battalion as major, received a regulation postcard yesterday from "I am well." It was posted shortly after the Canadians arrived in France, but before they had been into action.

Capt. Hunt in England. Capt. Gordon Hunt, who left London with the first contingent, and is still in England, having been transferred recently to the mechanical transport corps of his battalion, which is stationed at Tidworth Barracks. He does not expect to see his family until he returns to England, according to a letter received by Mrs. C. B. Hunt recently.

Officers from London, who are present in the trenches, and who were in action, are: Lieut.-Col. H. C. Lecher, Capt. G. B. Watson, Capt. Frank B. Ware, Lieut. Chester Buller, Capt. J. Taylor, and Lieut. Campbell Galbraith.

The Western Ontario regiments who went with the first contingent, and are in the trenches, are: The Buffs, London; 7th, London; Grey's Horse, Oxford; 21st, Essex; 22nd, London.

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ALLIED ARMEN EFFECTIVELY BOMBARD ENEMY'S POSITIONS

Sixty Bombs Dropped On the Railway Stations, Trains and Concentrations.

BLOCKHOUSE DESTROYED

Successful Movements Are Described in French Official Statement.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, Feb. 25.—A summary of this morning issued for Mayor Mederic Martin, M. P., at the request of Samuel Thompson, president of the Hackensack Protective Association, on a charge that his worship violated a city by-law by driving in an automobile on Mount Royal. No automobiles are allowed by law on this section of the city.

Mayor Martin has stated in explanation that as he had given permission to the chauffeur of the Duke of Connaught to drive on the mountain he did not see why he could not grant the same permission to his own driver.

Mayor Martin appeared in the recorder's court this afternoon and pleaded not guilty to the charge of breaking the by-law.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, Feb. 25.—Via London, 2:45 p.m.—The war office this afternoon the following statement was given out: "Near Lombardlyde our artillery demolished a blockhouse and some of the enemy's lookouts."

"In Champagne we have installed the new positions which we won yesterday. All of the enemy's counter-attacks were repulsed. Our aviators threw sixty bombs on railway stations, trains and concentrations of the enemy. This bombardment was very effective."

"In the Argonne at Marie Therese, the enemy made an attack, which was checked. "Between the Argonne and the Meuse, in the Cheppy Wood, we made further progress. Our heavy artillery destroyed armored shelters. The enemy was unable to relate trenches captured by us. "In Lorraine, near Forrey, there was a skirmish between patrols, the Germans being put to flight."

GERMAN REPORT. [Canadian Press.] Berlin, Feb. 25.—Via London, 3:06 p.m.—The town of Przasnysz, in Russian Poland, was yesterday taken by storm by German forces, according to the official announcement given out in Berlin today. The Germans captured 1,000 Russian prisoners. The report is dated February 25, and reads as follows: "In the western arena of the war, in Champagne, the enemy, mostly, continued his desperate efforts which, in spite of the strong forces engaged, were again absolutely without success. Otherwise there has been nothing of importance on the western front."

Claims 10,000 Prisoners. "In the eastern arena, the engagements on the Meuse, Ebro and Narva rivers continue. The town of Przasnysz, in Russian Poland, which had been extensively fortified, was stormed yesterday by the German forces. After a stubborn fight, we were victorious, capturing more than 10,000 prisoners, over twenty cannon, a large number of machine guns, and a very large amount of war material."

"In other engagements fought north of the River Vistula during the past few days we have taken 2,000 Russian prisoners."

Russians Advance. "In Poland, south of the Vistula, the Russians advanced, capturing the town of Bolkow, and occupied this position. Their forces in this movement outnumbered ours five to one. Otherwise there has been nothing of importance to report in this region."

"It is characteristic that the commander of the 57th Russian Reserve Division, taken prisoner at Augustow, asked German officers whether it was true that Antwerp was being besieged by the Germans, and soon would fall. When the situation of the western front was explained to this Russian officer, he returned to his army on French soil."

KEEPING 18TH UP TO WAR STRENGTH

33rd Lost 30 of Its Best Men Today as Result of This.

A rumor was in circulation today at the air grounds that the 33rd Battalion, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Wigton, of Seaforth, will be ordered to Egypt as soon as it can be gotten into shape. At headquarters it was stated that no instructions have been received from Ottawa regarding the matter.

The 33rd lost thirty of its best men today as a result of an order from Ottawa that the 18th Battalion is to be kept up to war strength as it is ready for departure at any time. The men were at once picked out and inspected by Major Milligan, who is in command of the 18th during Col. Wigton's absence in Hamilton, and taken on the strength.

The men of the 33rd held a most successful concert last evening at which they were assisted by the 7th Regiment band. There was a large attendance and a fine program introduced by Lieut.-Col. Wigton, who was highly applauded. Col. Wilson stated today that the concert this week and last have been so successful that it has been decided to hold them regularly.

PRIVATE COUNCIL ASKS GOV'N TO INTERVENE

Quebec Premier Invited to Take Hand in Famous Marriage Case.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 25.—Sir Lomer Gouin, premier and attorney-general of Quebec, has been advised that the private council has invited the Government in the Tremblay-Despatie fourth-cousins marriage case, appeal, when it comes up for reargument, to take the case.

Sir Lomer states that he will not take the matter up till after the session of the Legislature now being held.

EXCHANGE PRISONERS

French and Germans Will Trade Those Captured for War.

[Canadian Press.] Bern, Switzerland, Feb. 25.—Via Paris.—France and Germany have concluded arrangements for the exchange of prisoners of war totally incapacitated for any future military activity, and in a few days the repatriation of these men will begin. Swiss hospital trains like fate but that it happened to have his hat on while he was adding the clerk in closing the window.

THOROUGH SOLDIER IS THIS C. M. R. MEMBER

GREY INDORSES RUSSIAN POLICY

Says Britain Is In Accord With Desire For Access To Sea.

IMPORTANT STATEMENT

Probably Means Russia Will Get One of Turkish Black Sea Ports.

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—3:12 p.m.—Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, announced in the House of Commons today that Great Britain was in entire accord with Russia's desire for access to the sea.

"We have no objection to the Russian Secretary said, in response to a question from Frederick Jowett, whether Britain knew of and approved the statement of the Russian Foreign Minister, M. Sazonoff, in the Duma, that 'Russia intended permanently to occupy Constantinople.'"

The foreign secretary responded that he was unaware that M. Sazonoff had made any such statement, but, he added, "the statement I have seen was that M. Sazonoff had said that the events on the Russo-Turkish front would bring Russia nearer realization of the political economic problem bound up with Russia's access to the sea."

"The Russian Secretary continued, 'Britain is in sympathy. What form their realization will take will not be settled in the terms of peace.'"

Important Development. The announcement of Sir Edward Grey marks one of the important developments in the European political situation since the beginning of the war. Russia's desire for a warm water port on the Black Sea, has long been one of the most cherished national aspirations.

Speaking in the Duma, on February 9, Premier Goremykin said: "Turkey has marched with our enemy, but her resistance already has been shattered by our glorious Caucasian troops, and the radiant future of the Russian Empire is being opened up to us. We are beginning to dawn near the outer walls of Constantinople."

The attitude of Great Britain in the events on the Black Sea, is a clear indication of her sympathy for Russia in the struggle with Turkey. It has been an open question.

First Case of Typhoid Appears Today in Local Camp—Private in Hospital.

The first case of typhoid fever to occur at the local training camp was discovered today when Pte. Hillard, of the 23rd Battalion, was removed to the hospital. His home is in Niagara Falls.

Pte. Sherman, of D Company, who is in hospital with typhoid pneumonia, is reported to be progressing nicely. A large number of cases of grippe and severe colds were reported today.

FOLLOW CLOSELY COURT OF INQUIRY

Local Officers Much Interested in Probe of Hamilton.

Local militia officers are following with the keenest interest the court of inquiry at Hamilton, which Lieut.-Col. Wigton is attending, and before which Lieut.-Col. Ross is charged with breaking the military law by criticizing his officers because none had volunteered for overseas service. Many of the officers in the Hamilton regiment are well known to local officers. Col. Wigton is not expected home until the end of the week.

JOHN MOULE HURT

Clerk of Police Court Cut When Glass Fell on Him.

Police Court Clerk John Moule received a number of nasty cuts on his head today when a tramway rod broke in the court room, causing the glass in the window to fall and strike the clerk on the head and face.

Medical assistance was summoned and the wounds, which were bleeding profusely, were dressed. Mr. Moule was taken to his home. Chief of Police W. T. Williams would have shared the same fate but that he happened to have his hat on while he was adding the clerk in closing the window.

STREET CAR QUESTION ON TAPIS TONIGHT

Manager King Will Meet Council and Board of Control Again.

The special committee from the council and board of control named recently to discuss with the street railway officials a number of important questions, will meet this evening, and Manager King is expected to be present and go through into such questions as track extension, Sunday fares, installation of air brakes, putting on of more cars, double tracking Hamilton road before pavement is put down, and many other matters.

Ald. Palmer stated to The Advertiser that he will bring up the question of over-crowding of cars. People, he states, are jammed in until the aisles and all other available space is filled, and the result is that the atmosphere becomes at times almost unbearable. Ald. Palmer contends that the street railway is not allowed to carry more passengers than there are seats for.

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HAD NO WARNING.

[Canadian Press.] New Haven, Eng., via London, Feb. 25.—Members of the crew of the Rto Paragon, a British fishing boat, which was taken to sea by a torpedo-boat after their ship was sunk, said they were uncertain whether the vessel was destroyed by a mine or a torpedo. They had no warning whatever of impending disaster.

SAW THE FLASH.

London, Feb. 25.—11:40 a.m.—One sailor lost his life when the small steamer Deptford, 230 feet long and 1,200 tons, was sent to the bottom in twenty minutes either by a German torpedo from a submarine or by coming in contact with a mine in the North Sea, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, at a point off Scarborough. The fifteen crew members of the crew were saved and were landed at South Shields at an early hour this morning.

The engineer of the Deptford says he was on duty in the stokehold at the time the explosive threw him down violently and stunned him. He managed to reach the deck, however, as the vessel was heeling, and just as the life-boat was being launched he was quickly called upon.

Mr. Casullo stated that no orders have been received here yet that men be sent home. He thought there were a number of Italian reservists in and around London who would go as quickly as called upon.

CHINESE LAUNDRYMAN AT VICTORIA HOSPITAL DROPPED DEAD TODAY

Succumbed in Laundry Shortly After Coming To Work—In Canada 20 Years.

Jung Wing, a Chinese employee in the Victoria Hospital laundry, dropped dead early this morning in the laundry, shortly after he had come down to work. Heart failure is thought to have been the cause.

Shortly after he had come to work at 7 o'clock he had one of his employees that he felt sick, and went into an adjoining room to sit down. He was found only a few minutes later, and Robert Ferguson will conduct a post-mortem examination today, and it is unlikely that an inquest will be held.

Wing had worked at the hospital for about a year, and lived at Charlie Fox's laundry, 24 Clarence street. He was a widower, and had been in Canada for nearly 20 years, being one of the first Chinese to settle in this part of the country. He is survived by no close relatives.

REPORT ON MAN'S CONDITION.

James Mitchell, of Dorchester, was brought into the county jail today by Constable George Hittick, a former Mitchell. Mitchell's mind is slightly unbalanced. Dr. MacArthur will make an examination as to the man's condition and report immediately to the authorities.

WORN FEW DAYS WHEN HOLE CAME

Specimen of "Shoddy" Shoes Issued to Soldiers Seen This Morning.

URGING AN INVESTIGATION

Men Who Supplied Such Shoes Should Be Shot, Declares Military Man.

A specimen of one of the "shoddy" shoes that has been issued to soldiers now training here was shown The Advertiser at headquarters this afternoon, and the leather in the sole appeared as strong as brown paper. There was a hole about as big as a 25-cent piece in it, after it had been worn only a short time, and a big crack in the side. Local officers are highly incensed over the matter, as a large number of such shoes have been issued to their men. They will urge that a thorough investigation be made into the fraud.

Should Be Shot. "If the militia department can find the firms that supplied such shoddy," said a medical officer this afternoon, "there is no punishment too severe. Any person who issues such shoes to our men for the sake of making a few dollars will take advantage of the Government during a war like this should be shot. Nothing is too good for the men who have to go through what the soldiers have been up against. It is a disgrace, there is no doubt that a large percentage of the pneumonia and similar troubles have developed due to the absolutely trashy boots supplied."

Trashy Quality. Another specimen has been investigated the class of shoes closely stated that he was amazed at the trashy quality of leather used.

"If any Canadian firms who have taken contracts to supply the British Government with shoes send out this sort of stuff," he said, "Canada will get a black eye that she will never get over. No one could blame the British authorities for refusing to buy another cent's worth of goods from this country."

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 43; lowest, 36.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 36; lowest, 31.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—8 a.m. Forecasts.

Today—Fresh to strong northerly winds, local snow flurries, but partly fair and cooler.

Friday—Fair and cold.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	42	32	Cloudy
Calgary	33	19	Cloudy
Winnipeg	24	12	Cloudy
Port Arthur	34	2	Cloudy
Perry Sound	49	24	Cloudy
Toronto	35	24	Cloudy
Ottawa	31	21	Cloudy
Montreal	36	24	Cloudy
Minus	—	—	—

Meaning below zero.

The centre of disturbance is now near the Middle Atlantic Coast, and rain has been fairly general from the Great Lakes eastward.

Fair weather prevails in the Western Provinces.

GERMANY TO START PEACE NEGOTIATIONS IN ABOUT 2 MONTHS

Information Said To Have Been Received From Source Connected With General Staff—Prussians Wroth at Alleged Austrian Weakness.

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Copenhagen says: "I learn from a source intimately connected with the German general staff that Germany intends to start peace negotiations in about two months."

According to a special telegram from Berlin, in the course of the discussion on the budget in the Prussian Diet, a member attacked Austria strongly, saying that Austria was unable to beat Serbia, and that dissatisfaction with Austria's weakness was general. All the members applauded, but the official report makes no reference to the incident.

JANUARY BANK STATEMENT

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, Feb. 25.—The Canadian bank statement for January, issued by the department of finance today, shows the following comparisons with the preceding month and January of last year:

	Jan., 1915.	Dec., 1914.	Jan., 1914.
Note circulation	\$7,132,699	\$6,969,755	\$6,611,909
Reserve fund	115,227,651	113,070,859	112,401,141
Demand deposits	229,915,730	249,809,523	225,311,329
Notice deposits	695,950,482	652,830,037	628,125,955
Deposits outside Canada	91,807,007	98,401,413	95,322,345
Current coin	68,067,376	62,569,538	44,775,499
Banknotes	138,255,951	123,958,329	102,307,511
Deposits in central (gold reserve)	6,530,000	9,700,000	3,500,000
Call loans in Canada	68,154,891	68,311,553	71,248,212
Call loans outside Canada	85,796,541	85,012,964	108,776,770
Current loans in Canada	778,118,911	768,934,273	811,582,139
Current loans outside Canada	49,857,270	43,413,750	56,051,465
Total liabilities	1,278,492,520	1,314,646,254	1,256,440,529
Total assets	1,521,319,169	1,555,556,815	1,499,392,966
Current loans outside	45,897,270	45,413,750	56,051,465

AGE LIMIT BARS MANY GOOD MEN

Recruits Not Wanted in Canada Over 45 Years of Age—50 Years in Britain.

Many men in London, and it is said all over Canada, mostly old British army men, are eager to enlist in the Canadian expeditionary forces, but are barred by the age limit of 45 years. In England the age limit is 50 years, and in Australia 50 years. Several old service men in this city, who are slightly over 45 years of age, are anxious to get on the firing line, and declare that they are in much better condition than the average recruit.

RETURN SONS AS CLEAN AND MANLY AS EVER

This Reply Received By Local W.C.T.U. From Premier—Committee Disagrees

The sub-committee of the W.C.T.U. has received a reply to the letter sent to Premier Borden respecting the wet canteen allowed Canadian troops in England, and has sent a reply to the Premier, stating that the minister of militia had promised to return to the mothers of Canada their sons as clean and manly as when they left. This sub-committee deemed impossible if a wet canteen was allowed, and stated that it was working for a speedy righting of the wrong from Ottawa.

LEARNS HOW TO DESTROY GERMAN SUBMARINES.

Lieut.-Col. McCrimmon, this afternoon received a lengthy communication from a wealthy Detroit manufacturer, a former Canadian, outlining a plan by which German torpedo boats may be destroyed. Col. McCrimmon thinks so well of the suggestion that he will at once forward it to headquarters, and it is likely that it will be sent on to England. The communication is being held closely guarded in order that the Germans may not learn of the plan, as it would not only put them on their guard but could also be used against British boats.

Board of Health Now Having Cards Printed.

It will be next week before the free vaccination of the board of health goes into effect in the city schools. The board is now having cards printed, which parents and guardians must sign if they wish to take advantage of the voluntary free vaccination offered by the health department. These will be distributed this week, and will start to be returned on Monday. Once the returns are in the work of the doctors will start. Announcement will be made

PASSING THE BUCK!



Advertiser Illustration. The Kaiser—"Why don't you take it away from him for me?"—From the New York World.

GERMANY IGNORANT OF FOOD SITUATION

Authorities Uncertain, and Irksome Regime Is Sure For People.

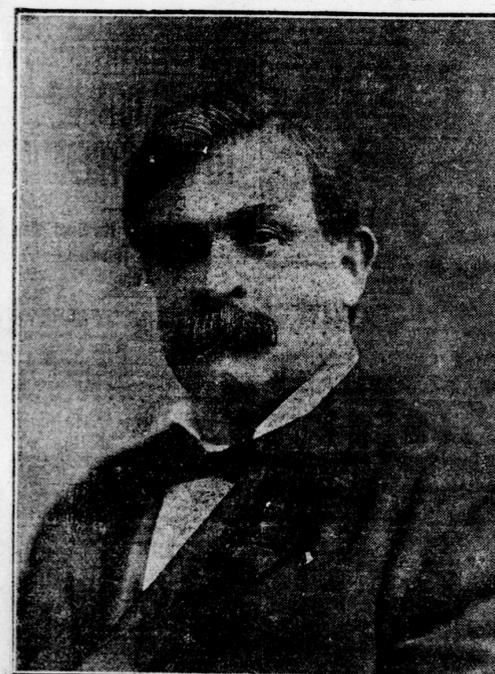
London, Feb. 25.—Lecturing here last night before the Royal Society of Arts on the economic position of Germany, Professor W. J. Ashley, dean of the faculty of commerce in the University of Birmingham, declared Germany was today in precisely the position economists pictured in 1906, when they urged the building of a big German navy to protect that country's food supplies brought in from abroad.

Prof. Ashley cited many reasons for stating that the German authorities have not known with accuracy since the war began how much food really was available, and have been throughout in a state of painful uncertainty, very different from the unsuspecting confidence of the German people.

No Dramatic Breakdown. In Professor Ashley's opinion, under the best of conditions and assuming all imaginable dexterity on the part of the German nation, the people will be subjected to an irksome and disturbing regime, if foreign supplies continue to be cut off.

MINE LAYERS SIGHTED. London, Feb. 25.—A large number of German trawlers loaded with mines passed Skaw last night, moving westward, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Daily Mail.

DR. GORDON The Famous Winnipeg Orator OPENS HIS CITIZENSHIP CAMPAIGN



On Sunday, February 28 In the First Methodist Church AT 4:00 P.M. SUBJECT: "The War--The Man--The Hour" AT 8:30. SUBJECT: "The Greatest Mistake in the Life of a Young Man"

NO AMBULATION OF RUSSIAN CORPS

Official Denial Given German Claims of Sweeping Victory In Poland.

POSITIONS HELD SAFELY Troops Along Whole Front Fulfilling Duties Assigned To Them.

[Canadian Press.] Petrograd, Feb. 25.—The general staff of the Russian army has issued a statement concerning the recent occurrences in Russian Poland and the German claims to a sweeping victory, which reads as follows: "Official announcements given out in Berlin to the effect that the 10th Russian army suffered a severe reverse in its retreat to the River Niemen and Bobr are absolutely not correct. The German declarations that the 10th army has been completely annihilated can be categorically denied."

"As a matter of fact, the component parts of two of our corps, the 20th and another, finding themselves in an untenable and dangerous situation, as we already have announced, withdrew from their positions at Wirballen, Russian Poland, with heavy losses. "As to our other corps, these troops, after having foiled an attempt of the enemy to surround them, are holding today the positions allotted to them, and for several days past they have been engaging the enemy. "Along this entire front our armies are fulfilling successfully the duties assigned them. During the past few days two regiments of the 24th Division, belonging to the 20th Corps, advanced from the Augustow front and rallied our men."

SCANDINAVIA MAY NOT GIVE CONVOYS

Conference Reconsiders Its Decision, As Britain Does Not Favor It.

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—Before adjourning temporarily, the conference of representatives of the Scandinavian countries reconsidered its decision to recommend warship convoys for merchant vessels through the neutral zone, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen. This action is said to have been taken because the British Government did not encourage the convoy proposal.

DOLLAR DAY DREW CROWDS TO WINGHAM

Some Drove Twenty Miles To Town—Some Fine Horses Shown.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, Feb. 25.—Yesterday was the annual dollar day, which was arranged by the Businessmen's Association here, and it proved a great success. In spite of the bad roads it was far ahead of last year. All the forenoon a steady stream of horses and vehicles came to town from all directions, some of the people driving a distance of more than twenty miles. At hotel sheds, church sheds and other shelters for horses were filled to capacity, which proved that more accommodation is needed. The businessmen state that they all did good business, far better than they expected, considering the tightness of money. Some fine horses were brought in here, and it was stated that some better ones could be brought, only the farmers were afraid to bring them over the bad roads. Col. McEwen and Dr. Tamiya, of London, saw a fine lot of horses in the yards of A. H. Wilford, from which they purchased several for army purposes at prices ranging from \$150 up. All was quiet and no accidents or rowdiness occurred. The committee in charge was: A. H. Wilford, president; Abner Cosens, secretary; W. J. Greer, treasurer. About \$5,000 was left in the town altogether.

GAVE HIM A ROCKER

Wingham Men Honor George Jacques on Eve of His Wedding.

Wingham, Feb. 25.—On Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, Mr. Jacques was honored by the young men of the town assembled at Miller's cafe, and, after a dainty supper, Ald. Binkley, acting as chairman for the evening, presented George Jacques with a solid-oak rocker. Mr. Jacques was married to one of Wingham's daughters on Wednesday evening, Miss Mamie Cartwright. Several speeches were made, and Mr. Jacques suitably replied. His friends wish him good luck and prosperity. Rev. W. J. Hibbard, one of the leading workers for the patriotic fund, states that all unemployed here are being cared for. Dr. W. W. Tamiya is attending the annual meeting of Royal Arch Masons in London.

WEDDING BELLS

DARLING-JOHN. [Special to The Advertiser.] Aissa Craig, Feb. 24.—On Wednesday, at 3 p.m., a quiet wedding was solemnized at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. Mr. Fanloy when Miss Esther Johns, a prominent girl of the village, became the wife of Mr. Levi Darling, of the 16th concession McGillivray town.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. McGeary, with whom the bride had lived since a child, where a wedding dinner was served. Later the young couple left for their future home. The bride will be missed in Baptist Church circles, as she was a member of the choir, president of Mission Band and teacher of the Primary Class in the Sunday school. On Friday evening, previous to her marriage, the members of the church met at her home, where a verbal address was given by Rev. Fanloy, on behalf of the congregation, presented her with a beautiful case of silverware.

INTRODUCTORY SALE OF ALUMINUM WARE TOMORROW

275 Pieces At About Half Price

That a sample piece of this splendid line of kitchen utensil may be placed in every home, and that every household may become familiar with the sterling qualities of "Wear-Ever" Aluminum, we offer for sale tomorrow two hundred and seventy-five pieces at about and below half-price in some cases. The manufacturer of "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Ware has supplied us with a number of lines, in quantities given below, at about half regular prices, and we have marked same at a very close margin for this introductory sale. The makers of this ware realize that the initial cost of same has curtailed the sale, but are satisfied that where once used will be always used after given a fair trial. They heat quicker, saving gas; cannot crack or scale, and are practically indestructible.

THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES WILL BE SACRIFICED TOMORROW IN THIS INTRODUCTORY SALE—BASEMENT. 50 only. Regular 45c Quart Saucepans. Sale 25c. 50 only. Regular 60c Quart Stewpans. Sale 25c. 50 only. Regular 25c Pieplates. Sale 15c. 50 only. Regular 95c Preserving Kettles. Sale 59c. 50 only. Regular 35c Quart Pudding Dishes. Sale 15c. All are First Quality Best Aluminum Ware. Sale at 8:30 Friday morning. Come early. No phone or mail orders at these sale prices.



Last Days of February Furniture Sale

The selling during this month has left us with sets that are not complete, a Chair or Settee left out of a parlor suite; odd pieces of Bedroom Suites and Dining-Room Suites. All these we have marked at prices that are irresistible in order to clear them before March 1st.

Parlor and Living-Room Furniture Half Price

1 only Settee—Mahogany finish, seat upholstered with good tapestry. Regular \$14.50. Friday sale price \$7.25. 1 only Settee—Mahogany finish, spring seat covered with good quality tapestry. Regular \$15.00. Friday only \$7.50. Solid Mahogany Chairs, Half Price—These chairs are upholstered in green denim, the frames are solid mahogany, the upholstery is slightly soiled. 2 only Chairs, Regular \$27.00. Friday \$13.50. 1 only Chair, Regular \$20.00. Friday \$10.00. 1 only Chair, Regular \$18.00. Friday \$9.00. 1 only Sewing Table, Circassian walnut. Regular \$25.00. Friday sale price only \$12.50. 1 only Hall Table, Jacobean. Regular \$15.00. Friday only \$7.50.

Dining-Room Furniture

6 only Fumed Oak Dining Chairs, with leather seats. Regular \$25. Friday, set of 6 for only \$12.50. 1 only Quarter Cut Oak Dining-Room Suite, consisting of buffet, round-top extension table and set of chairs. Friday, suite for \$38.25. 1 only Solid Mahogany China Cabinet. Friday, special \$19.50.

BEDROOM FURNITURE

Genuine Mahogany Bedroom Pieces Greatly Underpriced

THE BED—Adams design, 4 feet 6 inches wide, with solid wood panels. Regular \$35.00. February Furniture Sale, Friday \$22.25. THE CHIFFONIER—A neat design, with best quality British plate mirror. Regular \$45.00. February Furniture Sale Friday \$31.50. THE DRESSING TABLE—Has neat triple mirror. Regular \$27.50. February Furniture Sale Friday \$19.75. THE SOMNOE—With one drawer and one door. Regular \$15.00. February Furniture Sale Friday \$9.75. 1 only White Enamel Dressing Table, with triple mirror. Regular \$14.00. Friday only \$10.75. 1 only Quarter Cut Oak Dresser, 2 long drawers and two short ones, shaped British beveled mirror. Regular \$18.50. Friday only \$13.95. 1 only Kyonyx Bedroom Suite, consisting of bed, dresser and dressing table. Regular \$68.50. Friday only \$44.75.

Friday and Saturday Last Days of Free Demonstration I.X.L. Coffee and Jellies

Stop and have a cup of coffee and sample the delicious Jellies prepared from the I. X. L. products. Main Floor.

NOTICE—LAST WEEK OF FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE. Every Piece of Furniture Specially Priced This Week. Third Floor.



ENAMELWARE SECONDS

One table of the following lines to clear Friday: Large \$1.00 Dishpans 69c. \$1.25 Milk and Rich Boilers 89c. \$1.25 Enamel Pails 39c. Also Teapots, Pitchers, Pudding Dishes, etc., at about HALF-PRICE.

NICKEL TEA KETTLES

A few of these will be on Sale Table tomorrow. \$2.25 kettles, to clear at \$1.49 Basement.

TABLE LINENS FROM IRELAND

20 Per Cent Off Regular Prices

Damask Sets Specially Priced.—We have added to our stock of Table Damasks a few specials, which should prove worthy of your attention. Beautiful Double Damask Sets, Cloths and One Dozen Napkins to match, at a saving of about 20 per cent. 20 Sets Only—Cloths, size 2 x 2. Napkins, 22 inches. Special, \$5.75, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00. 25 Sets Only—Cloths, size 2 x 2 1/2. Napkins, 22 1/2 inches. Special, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$11.00. 15 Sets Only—Cloths, size 2 x 3. Napkins, 22 1/2 inches. Special, \$6.50, \$8.00, \$8.75, \$9.75, \$12.00. About 100 Odd Cloths in beautiful double Damask, in splendid range of new designs, stripes, floral, spot and conventional patterns, all at special prices. Cloths, 2 x 2—Prices \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50. Cloths, 2 x 2 1/2. Prices \$3.25, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.25. Cloths 2 x 3. Prices \$3.50, \$4.25, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00.



Last List of February Cotton Sale Specials

Get your supply from the special numbers listed here for the last two days of February Cotton Sale. Sheetings, Bridal Cloths, Factory Cotton, Pillow Cotton and Queen's Cotton. All at the lowest prices that have been known in years for such qualities. Bleached Twill Sheetting—Superior quality, 72 inches wide, even fine twill weave, free from any dressing. 40c yard. Unbleached Twill Sheetting—From the best British mills, clean and free from specks, fine twill, will soon bleach out, full 80 inches wide, for large beds. Price \$1.00 yard. Horrockses' Superior Bleached Sheetting—This is one of the best sheetings made. We can strongly recommend it. A great wearer; white as snow; two widths, 72 inches wide at 50c yard; 81 inches wide at 55c yard. BRIDAL CLOTH—A very fine cotton, specially adapted for making up into fine underwear, 36 inches wide. Special at 15c yard, or 40-Yard Bolts for \$5.50. BRITISH QUEEN'S CLOTH—A superior longcloth, made from the finest yarns, closely woven, linen finish, very durable, 36 inches wide. Price 18c yard. CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON—Just the thing for hard use, made from firm stout yarns, British make. Sizes 40, 42 and 44 inches wide, at 22c, 24c and 26c yard. FACTORY COTTON—20 bolts only, exceptionally clean finish, close weave, good weight. Special 40-Yard Bolts for \$3.50 each.



AFTERNOON TEA. Cold Roast Turkey, Bread and Butter, and a Cup of Tea or Coffee, 3 to 5:30. Special, 20c.

MISS JOHNS MADE A VERY SUITABLE

The best wishes of the people of the village go with the young couple.

JACQUES-CARTWRIGHT

Wingham, Feb. 25.—A pleasant event took place here last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cartwright, when their daughter Mamie was united in marriage to George Jacques, a prosperous young businessman of the town, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. D. Perrie, of the Presbyterian Church.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO FLIGHT LIEUTENANT

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—3:29 p.m.—Flight Lieutenant Dawson C. Downing, of the Royal Navy Flying Corps, was killed today in a fall from a biplane during a flight at the central flying school.

ANOTHER ARREST IN PASSPORT CHARGES

Teamster Alleged to Have Conspired to Get One for German. [Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 25.—Richard Madden, a teamster, alleged to be involved with Richard Peter Stegler, a German naval reservist, in a conspiracy to obtain Stegler an American passport, was arrested today by an agent of the Department of Justice, and arraigned before a United States commissioner. Stegler, who was arrested yesterday, is accused of having used Madden's name to obtain the passport. Madden is alleged to have permitted the use of his name for a consideration. Madden was held in \$15,000 bail for his arrest he had in his possession one of Stegler's cards. He tried to turn up, but was prevented from doing so.

ASKS NEW BECKER TRIAL

Counsel Makes Motion on Account of Marshall's Statement. [Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 25.—A motion for a new trial for Charles Becker, the former police lieutenant, convicted for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was made in the supreme court today. Martin T. Manton, Becker's counsel, told the court he based his motion on newly-discovered evidence to the effect that one of the state's witnesses to a material fact had testified falsely at Becker's second trial. Attached to the papers was the affidavit of James Marshall made in Philadelphia recently, in which Marshall repudiated a part of his testimony at the second trial.

ANTI-RUSSIANS IN PERSIA'S CABINET

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 25.—A Central News dispatch from Constantinople by way of Amsterdam says it is learned from Telegrams that the positions of ministers of the interior and minister of justice in the cabinet have been filled by Persians of anti-Russian sentiment, and that another anti-Russian will become minister of foreign affairs.

HELPING RED CROSS

Aissa Craig Young People Held Successful Bazaar, Realizing \$50. [Special to The Advertiser.] Aissa Craig, Feb. 24.—The Young People's Club held a successful Red Cross bazaar on Tuesday evening, February 23, from 8 to 10 o'clock, in the Y. M. A. rooms, Aissa Craig. Home baking and useful articles sold well. The fish pond attracted the young people and "Queen of Hearts" (Miss Aissa Robinson) did her part selling tarts. The following gave a patriotic program: Songs by Dr. Gunn, John McIntyre, B. McCall, and Misses Gladys Topping and Edna Bee; duet by Alma Robinson and Edith Gillies; piano duets by Misses Thompson and J. Chapman, and Misses Edna Bee and Thompson. Accompanists, Miss Ada Munro and L. H. Thompson. Proceeds amounted to \$50.

LAMBETH

LAMBETH, Feb. 25.—Miss Fletcher, of Talbotville, spent the week-end with Miss Lucille Holmes. Mr. Gordon, of Bothwell, who recently underwent an operation in Victoria Hospital, is able to be with his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Bourne. Miss Anford, of Talbotville, was a visitor with her aunt, Mrs. J. Bogue, for the week-end. Evan James was a visitor with L. Coppeland over Sunday. Horace Light, of Windsor, is visiting friends here. Miss Alice Mills, who has been ill for the past week, is much improved.

WORK OF MISSIONARIES IN THE CHINESE FIELD

Vivid Picture Drawn by Lecturer to Hyde Park Audience. HYDE PARK, Feb. 24.—The weekly meeting of the young people's union, held in the Methodist Church, was largely attended. Paul Elson gave a talk on mission work in China. He drew a vivid picture of China as a country of the people and the work of the missionary. Mr. Elson is a brother of Rev. Albert Elson, who has been laboring in China as a missionary for several years. The next meeting will be held in the Presbyterian schoolroom February 25. The subject will be "Patriotic." A splendid open meeting of the Woman's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. MacLachlan, and the double parlor was filled to its utmost with members and visitors. The program included a paper by Bessie Jaques, on "Desirable Ideas in Life," and an address on patriotism by Mrs. (Rev.) Bowen, of London.

POLICEMAN KILLED; COMRADE ARRESTED

[Canadian Press.] Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 25.—Charles Hill, a policeman, was shot and killed on post here today, and Victor Cash, another policeman of the same precinct, was arrested to await the outcome of an investigation into the murder. Detectives assert that Hill and Cash had been enemies for some time. Hill's body was found lying in the street with five bullet wounds in it.

CONSIDERING REPORT

Ingersoll Committee to Deal With Underwriters' Association Statement. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Feb. 25.—A report from the Underwriters' Association on the inspection of the Ingersoll fire fighting appliances has been referred to the fire, water and light committee of the council for thorough consideration. The report is one that calls for careful attention, and it would seem that the committee will go into the matter carefully. Many additions and improvements are suggested in the report. Mrs. Davidson Buried. The funeral was held here yesterday of Mrs. Davidson, whose death occurred at London on Monday. Interment was made in the Ingersoll Rural Cemetery. She formerly resided here, and was remembered by many of the older residents.

CATARH LEADS TO CONSUMPTION

Catarh is as much a blood disease as scrofula or rheumatism. It may be relieved, but it cannot be removed by simply local treatment. It breaks down the general health, weakens the lung tissues, and leads to consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla is so successful in the treatment of catarrh that it is known as the best remedy for this disease. It purifies the blood. Ask your druggist for it.

Are your Communications Threatened?

Build up the defences of your body with Bovril—the unique food which has been proved to possess body-building powers of from 10 to 20 times the amount taken.

Build up the defensive forces of your body

Bovril is an essential "munition of war" for those at home. In addition to its own fortifying powers (it takes a joint of beef to make a bottle of Bovril), Bovril has the unique property of making the other foods you eat nourishing. It has been well said that "Bovril makes just the difference between your being nourished and your not being nourished by your food."

It must be BOVRIL

BRITISH TO THE BACKBONE

Of all Stores, etc., at 1-oz. 25c.; 2-oz. 40c.; 4-oz. 70c.; 8-oz. \$1.30 16-oz. \$2.25. Bovril Cordial, large, \$1.25; 5-oz. 40c. 16-oz. Johnston's Fluid Beef (Vimbo), \$1.20.

GERMANY CLAIMS JUSTIFIES BRITAIN

Former Imperial Chancellor Justified Starving of Enemy.

MADE PARIS EAT RATS

Definite Statement of British Policy Is Eagerly Awaited.

[Canadian Press.] LONDON, Feb. 24.—The foreign office is extremely reticent in discussing the American proposal made to London and Berlin, outlining a plan for the feeding of the civil population of Germany under certain regulations. Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, and other members of the cabinet, still lay emphasis on the fact that Great Britain has not yet made food destined for Germany absolute contraband. While Sir Edward Grey's reply to the United States Government's note, concerning the food steamer Wilhelmina intimated that such a step probably would be necessary, the absolute prohibition of food shipments to Germany has not actually been announced. In fact, the decision of the Wilhelmina case by the prize court is being looked forward to, as it is considered that this will amount to a definite statement of the British position.

Violates All Codes.
British officials are said to be firmly convinced that the neutral powers will offer little objection if food supplies are cut off from Germany, in retaliation for the German submarine activities, which they allege is in violation of all international law. A prominent British official, discussing today the probability of making foodstuffs absolute contraband, mentioned the position taken by Count Caprivi, once German imperial chancellor, on this subject. The chancellor, in a speech in the Reichstag, March 4, 1882, was declared by this official to have said: "A country may be dependent for her food or for raw products upon her trade. In fact, it may be absolutely necessary to destroy the enemy's trade. The private introduction of provisions into the country during the siege, and in the same way a nation would be justified in preventing the import of food and raw products."

SUBMITS TEXT TO ALLIES.
[Canadian Press.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Great Britain has submitted to the allies, France and Russia, the proposals made by the United States Government designed to end the menace to neutral commerce from the retaliatory measures of the European belligerents toward each other.

Briefly, the American proposals, which have been submitted to both England and Germany, seek the elimination of Germany of the recently prescribed war zone around Great Britain and Ireland, with its dangers to neutral shipping through mines and submarine torpedoes, and the adoption by all the belligerents of a definite policy with regard to the shipment of foodstuffs destined for the civilian population of their enemies. It is not expected that a reply to the informal communication from the American government will be received here for at least two days. From such preliminary observations as American diplomatic officers abroad already have made, there is said to be some encouragement in the manner of the reception of the proposals at London. Germany is inclined toward an acceptance of the suggestions, it is understood, but upon the attitude of Great Britain depends the next move in the situation. The strong opposition which the Scandinavian countries, Italy, Holland and other neutrals have assumed toward the retaliatory measures adopted by the belligerents is playing a considerable part in the situation. Although the American proposals have not been communicated to other neutrals, it may be stated that practically all the neutral governments of Europe are in accord with the Washington Convention.

GERMANS CLAIM TO HOLD MILLION CAPTIVES
Of These Only 19,000 Are From British Army.

[Canadian Press.] FRANKFURT ON THE MAIN, Germany (via London), Feb. 24.—9:10 p.m.—The Frankfurter Zeitung estimates that the prisoners of war in Germany and Austria now number 1,623,000. This number, it says, is divided as follows: Russians, 652,000; French, 237,000; Servians, 50,000; Belgians, 37,000; British, 19,000. About 75 per cent of the total is held by Germany.

AUSTRIANS ADMIT RUSSIAN SUCCESS

[Canadian Press.] VENICE (via London), Feb. 24.—6:50 p.m.—Dispatches from the headquarters of the Austrian forces in the Carpathians, published in Vienna newspapers, and telegraphed to Venice, state that furious fighting has been renewed at several points in the Carpathians. The Russians made particularly violent attacks on the Austrians in the vicinity of the Uzok Pass, with a considerable measure of success. To the east of the Uzok Pass the Russian forces are making the most vigorous defence. The Austrian troops there are facing a particularly difficult task, as the Russians last fall constructed an elaborate network of cement and earthworks trenches. The Austrian authorities have issued emphatic warnings against the return of fugitives to those portions of Bukovina from which the Russians have been expelled, on account of the shortage of provisions.

FORMER KENT WARDEN DIES IN EAST TILBURY

Was Prominent in County Affairs—Short Illness.

CHATHEAM, Feb. 24.—John Irwin, of Tilbury East, died at 1 o'clock today. Four days ago he was taken ill with a severe cold and developed pneumonia. He was a well-known Kent resident, and for many years was the reeve of Tilbury East. In 1913 he was the warden of the county of Kent.

CREW OF AMERICAN SHIP DECLARED TO BE SAFE

[Canadian Press.] BERLIN, Feb. 24.—Via London, 5:20 p.m.—A report received in Berlin from the American vice-consul at Bremen declares that all the members of the American steamer Carib, which was reported yesterday as having sunk in the North Sea, have been saved. It was understood, the vice-consul continues, that the Carib struck a mine in the Eight of Holland on the afternoon of February 22.

IN TROPICAL COUNTRIES LIVER CHILL VERY COMMON

In northern latitudes also the liver is a very unreluctant organ and requires careful watching. The concentrated vegetable juices in Dr. Hamilton's Pills act directly upon the liver and stimulate its action to a normal basis. The blood is purified, the skin grows clear, headaches disappear and robust health is firmly established. No medicine for the stomach, liver or kidneys can compare with Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. box, at all dealers.

WITH SCOTCH CANUCKS NOW IN THE TRENCHES



PTE. NORMAN WILLIAMS, enlisted with the 15th Battalion (48th Highlanders, of Toronto) and a resident of Liderton, is now in France with his corps, which has, according to late reports, been in action. Mr. Williams is the second son of the late David Williams, of Liderton.

The bill did not propose to affect interest payments but thought the phraseology was somewhat cumbersome. He pointed out complications that might arise, and thought better results would be obtained if the onus of proof was placed upon the mortgagor rather than the mortgagee, that it is not possible to pay the principal money. Mr. Rowell advised a change in the name of the bill to save the good name of the province. It would not do to put a bill in danger of being defeated. The bill was limited in its nature and the right to apply for relief was limited to those who were unable to pay. He thought as well that there might be a clause inserted that would limit the danger of the mortgagee involving the mortgage debtor in heavier payments. The attorney-general thought that might be done.

BLOCKADE EAST AFRICA

[Canadian Press.] PARIS, Feb. 24.—The Governments of France and Great Britain have caused notice to be served on the governor of German East Africa of a naval blockade, beginning February 25. The four days' notice will be allowed to neutral ships in which to quit the blockade zone.

Had Heart Trouble FOR YEARS

Weighted 87 lbs. Now Weighs 137. lbs

Miss Beatrice Loughhead, Staples, Ont., writes: "I feel it my duty to tell you what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have done for me. I had heart trouble for over a year. I doctor for me, and altogether my bill amounted to \$400, and still no cure. One day when very sick I was lying on a couch close to where some ambulances were hanging. I took one down, and was reading about what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cured, and thought I would try them. I got six boxes to start with, have only taken three boxes and I never felt so well in my life as I do now. I only weighed 87 pounds when I started to take them, and now I weigh 137 pounds. I hope all poor sufferers will be benefited by them as I have been."

WAR TAX DOES NOT HIT TROOPS' FAMILIES

Treasurer Makes This Clear—Moratorium Discussed in Provincial House.

[Special to The Advertiser.] TORONTO, Feb. 24.—The sacrifices which families of men who are in the front to fight the enemy's battles are making, will be regarded by the Ontario Government as sufficient to exempt them from the war tax which is to be imposed. This was the statement made to the legislature this afternoon by Hon. T. W. McGarry, when he introduced the bill to raise money to assist "Great Britain and her allies in the present war."

Household Economy.

How To Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making it at Home.

Cough medicines, as a rule, contain a large quantity of plain syrup. Two cups of granulated sugar with one cup of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes gives you as good syrup as money can buy. Then get from your druggist 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a 16-ounce bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 54 cents, 16 ounces of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.50, a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good. It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once, conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs. It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough. Pinex is a highly-concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with gaultheria, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with the preparation. The Pinex Company, Toronto, Ont.

EMIL NERLICH IS FOUND GUILTY

Conspiracy Charge Proven, Says Jury—Case Goes To Appeal Court.

[Canadian Press.] TORONTO, Feb. 24.—After deliberation lasting an hour and a half this afternoon the jury in the criminal assizes brought in a verdict of guilty against Emil Nerlich, the well-known Toronto merchant charged with conspiracy to commit an indictable offence, namely assisting alien enemies to leave Canada. The case will be carried to the court of appeal, and pending the decision of the higher court, Chief Justice Mulock suspended sentence and the accused was liberated on \$100,000 bonds to appear for judgment when called on. In his address to the jury his lordship informed them that there was no evidence on the second and third counts of the indictment, namely of trading with the enemy and of giving information to the enemy.

SUBMARINES LENT TO AUSTRIA BY GERMANY

Three Arrive For Operations in Adriatic and Mediterranean—More To Come.

[Canadian Press.] Geneva, via Paris, Feb. 25.—Three new German submarines arrived by rail yesterday at Pola (the chief naval station of Austria-Hungary), according to a telegram to the Tribune, and will soon begin operations, not only in the Adriatic, but in the Mediterranean. A dispatch from Munich says that Germany is arranging to send several other submarines to Austria.

MEDERICK GETS 'HUFFED'

[Canadian Press.] MONTREAL, Feb. 24.—"Mr. Mederick Martin, mayor of Montreal: "Because you are a dirty French-Canadian liar, just the same as all French-Canadians, and because you are a grater thief and a coward, just the same as all French-Canadians, you are going to suffer. Be prepared for a sudden death." (Signed) "ENGLISH-CANADIAN." Mayor Martin was exceedingly wrath today upon receipt of the threatening letter quoted. "I have stood a lot," said he, "but there is a limit to my patience, and I tell you that after this letter an English-Canadian will never get a chance to be mayor of Montreal." In some quarters the letter to the mayor is regarded as a clumsy joke at his worship's expense.

GERMANY WILL NOT REMOVE ITS MINES

America's Requests For Removal of British "Blockade" Unacceptable.

[Canadian Press.] BERLIN, Feb. 24.—(Via London, 10 p.m.)—The American identical note on marine warfare, sent by the United States Government to Great Britain and Germany, is now in the hands of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, imperial German chancellor, and Gottlieb Von Jagow, the German foreign minister, who are examining carefully the various proposals contained in it. "Won't Remove Mines." The German Government is not yet ready to make a statement regarding the contents of the note, but it is said that they may be regarded as the basis for further negotiations. Certain of the proposals, as an example, the removal of the mine fields around England, would probably be acceptable to Germany, but it is thought that Germany possibly may make concessions on other points. Not Counting On It. It cannot be said, however, that there is any great optimism in either German or diplomatic quarters that Great Britain will accept any of the proposals permitting the importation of foodstuffs into Germany. The German Government, it is said, is not counting on such concessions.

MAITLAND IS RISING BUT FLOOD UNLIKELY

Reassurance Appears in Grondul Water. Waters Are Swollen. [Special to The Advertiser.] WINGHAM, Feb. 24.—The mild weather here has given a few of the unemployed some days' work, watching the lower dam, pushing away large pieces of ice and driftwood, which have recently come down the Maitland River. As the water is gradually rising, there seems to be no danger of a flood. Miss Marjorie Wells, a little girl of 10 years, met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon. While out for a walk she fell on the icy sidewalk, badly injuring her left knee and hip, which are very painful. Trophies are piling up on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sneath. Last week their infant child fell against the stove, badly burning her fingers, and now

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH POWDER 25c.

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the inflamed, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. A box of Blower free. Accept no substitutes. All dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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CLEANS AND DISINFECTS 100% PURE

she is lying very ill with pneumonia, rose to 106 degrees. Mrs. Sneath is also down with a severe cold, and it is hoped she will soon be out of worn out with attending to her little danger. The little one's temperature one.

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Tells How She Was Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

New Orleans, La.—"I take pleasure in writing these lines to express my gratitude to you. I am only 16 years old and work in a tobacco factory. I have been a very sick girl, but I have improved wonderfully since taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and am now looking fine and feeling better. Miss Amelia Jaquillard, 3961 Theopontoulas street, New Orleans, La. My mother was alarmed because I was troubled with suppression and had pains in my back and side, and severe headaches. I had pimples on my face, my complexion was sallow, my sleep was disturbed, I had nervous spells, was very tired and had no ambition. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has worked like a charm in my case and has regulated me. I worked in a mill among hundreds of girls and have recommended your medicine to many of them."—Miss Estelle Maguire, 110 Thwing street, St. Clair, Pa.

There is nothing that teaches more than experience. Therefore, such letters from girls who have suffered and were restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound should be a lesson to others. The same remedy is within reach of all. If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Action of Single Spoonful Surprises Many

London people who bought the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glysterin, etc., known as Adler-Ika, are surprised at the INSTANT effect of a SINGLE SPOONFUL. This remedy is so complete a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-Ika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, and ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. ONE MINUTE after you take it the gases rumble and pass out. W. T. Strong, druggist.

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LOOK TO OTTAWA TO ASSIST RADIALS

Hydro-Electric Railway Association Is Organizing at Toronto.

C. M. R. GRAHAM, OFFICER Province To Be Organized in District—Sir Adam Urges Fight for Subsidy.

(Special to the Advertiser.) TORONTO, Feb. 24.—As a result of the convention of representatives of municipalities in Ontario, interested in the hydro-radial system held in the city hall today, the Hydro-Electric Railway Association was organized.

The Radial Platform. The objects of the association are set out in the constitution to be developed and plan a system of railways in the province, owned by the municipalities, constructed and operated for them by the hydro-electric power commission.

Divided Into Zones. An important feature of the organization is the dividing of the province into electric railway zones with a vice-president in charge of each.

Circularize Members. A resolution passed calling for an immediate answer from the Dominion Government to the request for a federal subsidy and it was ordered that all members of Parliament be circularized in the interests of the scheme.

Not a Debt. Instead of the \$15,000,000 it is estimated it would cost to build the hydro-radial system in five different systems at a cost of \$2,500,000.

Guarantee Own Bonds. "Assert yourselves, and declare that medicine to prevent epidemics must cease. We have sufficient transcontinental railways. Let us be earnest. Tell those men you have sent to Ottawa and Toronto that they have been elected to serve you and not private interests. Call a halt to subsidies. Call a halt to land grants. Call a halt to all bonuses. If we must guarantee bonds, let us guarantee our own. As soon as the frost is out of the ground we will proceed with the construction of 50 miles of radial lines to the north-east of Toronto. The whole of Canada is interested in this scheme, because it means so much, then let us get some assistance from Canada."

The Vice-Presidents. The district vice-presidents for Western Ontario are: Guelph, T. R. Ryan; Erie East, W. B. Johnston, St. Thomas; Erie West, Haverly, Windsor; London and Huron, Peter Rao, East Lambton; Stratford and Huron, D. A. McLaughlin.

LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON (Canadian Press.) LONDON, Feb. 25.—4:47 a.m.—Prince Leopold, eldest son of King Albert of Belgium, has joined the Belgian troops at the front. He is only 14 years old.

Comfort and Prosperity depend to a large degree upon every-day health. And there's a great health advantage in eating the right kind of food.

Grape-Nuts FOOD is made of choice wheat and malted barley and contains all the nutriment of the grains, including their mineral elements which are vitally necessary for the healthy balance of body, nerves and brain.

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GENERAL HUGHES HAS WHIP HAND

Minister Will Go to France and Take Portfolio With Him.

OBJECTS TO ELECTION Once Removed, Hon. Robert Rogers Will Start to Wave Flag.

(BY ARTHUR HANNAY.) OTTAWA, Feb. 24.—That Major General Hughes in crossing the Atlantic to join the Canadians on active service will go not only as a member of the Canadian Parliament but as minister of militia is the most recent report in the lobby of the House.

Takes It With Him. He has shown no disposition to part with his portfolio under pressure. The proposal that he take it with him across the Atlantic to active service, while not altogether pleasing to Hon. Robert Rogers and others who have been urging General Hughes for some months, is said to be entirely satisfactory to the minister of militia.

Premier to Take Post. In his absence in Europe the affairs of the militia department will be looked after by the premier, Sir Robert Borden.

Opposes Election. General Hughes is opposed to any election being held until after the war ends on the ground that it would interfere with recruiting and with the training of forces now gathered in Canada and under training for service at the front.

HOLLAND WANTS MORE SOLDIERS Still Waiting Germany's Reply, Her Preparedness Is Extended.

(Canadian Press.) THE HAGUE, Feb. 24.—(Via London, Feb. 25.)—2:30 a.m.—The Netherlands Government is watching closely the outcome of the exchange of notes between Germany and the United States regarding Germany's proclamation of a sea war zone. The Government is still awaiting an answer to its own protest to Germany.

Call More Recruits. Despite the movement in certain quarters in Holland in favor of demobilization, because of the fact that industries are being dislocated by the absence of the men with the colors, and the added fact that the keeping of them and their families is thrown on the state, the Government is considering calling to the colors the recruits who are due in 1915, as well as further classes of the landsturm. At the same time the number of volunteers is increasing steadily.

BRUSSELS MILLINERS ARE LATEST VICTIMS OF GERMANS' WRATH Craze For Belgian Soldiers' Caps By Ladies Put Down.

(Canadian Press.) BERLIN, Feb. 24 (via London, 11:45 p.m.).—A special dispatch received by the Times from Brussels says: "The latest craze in millinery—Belgian soldiers' caps—attained such great popularity that the German authorities have had to contact the new style of headgear from hundreds of women and to forbid their further use for the time being. The soldiers' wives and sweethearts are disapproving the caps and other national color adornments they formerly wore and adopted the hats of cavaliers and carabineers, which they tilted at a rakish angle. The fact threatened to create a public nuisance, as the wearing of the hats by the women caused outbreaks of patriotic enthusiasm at every turn. The women took the confiscation good-naturedly, the milliners being the only ones to grive.

OXO CUBES

Take No Captives Said Order Found on German Leader

(Canadian Press.) LONDON, Feb. 24.—7:05 p.m.—The military observers attached to the British headquarters in the field states in a report given out by the official information bureau here, that a diary found on a German officer captured at Caluchy, France, contained an order stating that no prisoners were to be taken by the front line when making an attack.

TORPEDO KILLED THREE CHINAMEN ON SHIP (Canadian Press.) NEW HAVEN (via London), Feb. 25.—1:41 a.m.—The British steamer Harpallion, from London for Newport News, without cargo, has been torpedoed off Beachy Head. She was struck amidships. Three of the crew, Chinamen, were killed. Two others were severely wounded. Forty-one members of the crew were landed here.

GERMAN RESERVIST WITH PLANS IS APPREHENDED (MONCTON, N.B., Feb. 24.—Reinhold Reidel, who says he is a German naval reservist, was arrested today by Intercolonial Railway Special Agent A. J. Tingley, of this city, as an alien enemy. When arrested the German had on him a package of letters and plans of high-way bridges, railway tracks and bridges through the Matapedia Valley.

Have You That TICKLING IN THE THROAT SENSATION? This trouble is most distressing, and caused from a cold which has settled in the throat. How many people have lost a good night's sleep by that nasty, tickling, irritating sensation in the throat? The dry, hard cough keeps you awake, and when you get up in the morning you feel as if you had had no rest at all.

Thunder Bay Is Clear of Ice (Special to the Advertiser.) ALPENA, Mich., Feb. 24.—Thunder Bay appears to be entirely clear of ice today, a condition unusually favorable for this season of the year. From the watch tower on Thunder Bay Island, no ice is to be seen, and marine men predict a much earlier opening of navigation than usual.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED When cross, feverish and sick, give "California Syrup of Figs."

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED When cross, feverish and sick, give "California Syrup of Figs." Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels as nicely. A child simply will not stop playing, or be fretful, feverish, does not eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Liston's Mother See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

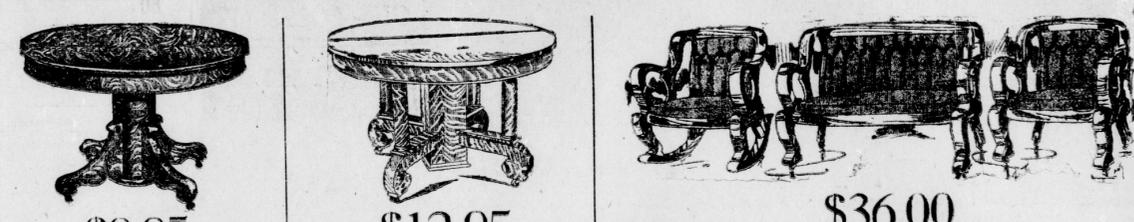
BRITISH BIRDMEN LOST IN RECENT ATTACKS (Canadian Press.) LONDON, Feb. 24.—8:10 p.m.—Three aviators who participated in a raid directed against German positions in Belgium, are missing. A statement to this effect was issued tonight by the official information bureau.

GERMANS TO RESPECT ITALY'S NAVAL FLAG (LONDON, Feb. 25.—5:59 a.m.—A Rome dispatch to the Morning Post says: "The German reply to Italy's memo on the blockade of the German coast has reached here. The note declares that in view of the friendly relations between Germany and Italy, Germany will respect the Italian flag."

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS OF THE FEBRUARY SALE

Next Saturday will be the last day of the big sale. February prices will be a thing of the past. Never in the history of our business have prices been so low and probably never will be again. If you need anything in Furniture, Rugs, Draperies or Stoves this spring, don't make the mistake of overlooking this sale, but come at once and make your selection and have us put it aside for you.

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Solid Oak Dining-Room Table, three leaves, polished, golden or fumed oak. Worth \$16.50. \$9.95. Solid Oak Dining-Room Table, three leaves, fumed or golden oak. Worth \$22.00. \$12.95.

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Baby Carriages. A carload of Carts, Cabs, Folders and Sulkies just opened up in the Basement. All at reduced prices. Room Rugs. All designs and qualities, from \$2.00 to \$100.00, on sale at one One-Third Off.

Hall Furniture. Just received and put on sale at one-third off. 20 Hall Racks \$6.00 up 24 Hall Seats \$7.50 up 30 Hall Mirrors \$4.00 up

China Cabinets. 50 new Cabinets, in golden oak or fumed oak; all new designs. At One-Third Off. Extra Special, 1,000 Mats on Sale Friday at 19c, 29c, 39c, 49c and 59c. These are Brussels and Wilton Carpets, fringed all around, beautiful patterns, and worth three times the price.

Drapery Dept. 500 pairs Lace Curtains, at exactly Half-Price. All our Scrims, Nets, Voiles, Marquisettes, etc., on sale at One-Third Off. Bedroom Furniture. A solid carload of Dressers, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables and Beds just unpacked and marked at One-Third Off.

The Ontario Furniture Co., Ltd. LONDON'S LARGEST HOME FURNISHERS. 226-228-230 DUNDAS STREET.

RUSSIA CHARGES ENEMY WITH CRUELTY. WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The Russian ambassador, George Baklanoff, sent to the state department today a memorandum from his Government, charging Germany and Austria with violations of the Geneva Red Cross convention, and of part of the Hague conventions with mutilation and killing of wounded Russians, with putting to death Russian prisoners, with attacks on the Russian civil population by German and Austrian armies, attacks against Russian troops by the civil population of German and Austrian territory, the use by Austrians of dum dum bullets, and with the desecration and pillaging of churches.

COAL STEAMER HITS MINE; CREW OF 30 MEN SAFE; "SUBS" ACTIVE IN CHANNEL. LONDON, Feb. 25.—1:10 a.m.—A dispatch to Lloyds Agency from New Haven says the steamer Rio Parana of London, laden with coal and bound from the Tyne to Portoferraio, Island of Elba, struck a mine five miles southeast of Beachy Head at 9 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The explosion tore a hole in the vessel's starboard side and she filled and sank. The crew of the Rio Parana were rescued by a torpedo boat and landed at New Haven.

NORWAY OUTRAGED OVER SINKING. COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Feb. 24.—Public opinion in Norway is greatly disturbed over the torpedoing in the English Channel off Dover of the Norwegian steamer Regin, presumably by a German submarine, according to an article appearing today in the newspaper Politiken, and as soon as a report covering the disaster is received it will demand that the Government send to Germany a communication, the meaning of which it will be impossible to mistake.

FIVE SOCIALISTS OF RUSSIA ARRESTED. A Charge of Treasonable Conspiracy Against Dumaites—They Opposed War. (Canadian Press.) Petrograd, via London, Feb. 24.—Trial of five Socialist deputies, charged with treasonable conspiracy, began yesterday with the doors of the courtroom open to the public. The Dumaites, with other Socialists, met on November 17 in a house on the Viborg road, eight miles from Petrograd, as delegates from a Socialist organization to oppose the war, because they feared a Russian victory would strengthen the Government and result in reactionary measures. This meeting and the discussion which took place resulted in the arrest of the men arranged today.

FOOD SOURING IN STOMACH CAUSES INDIGESTION, GAS. "Pape's Diapepsin" ends all stomach distress in five minutes. Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

BERLIN SHIPS GOLD. Four Million Being Sent to Amsterdam. (Canadian Press.) Amsterdam, via London, Feb. 25.—The Telegraf says it has learned that a special train is bringing \$4,000,000 in German gold from Berlin to this city.

CONDEMN PROPOSAL. British Papers Hope Government Will Not Permit Food to Germany. (Canadian Press.) London, Feb. 25.—Hope is expressed by the Standard, Express and Graphic, in their editorial columns, that Great Britain will not entertain the proposal said to be contained in the latest American note, that food supplies be admitted to Germany under certain conditions. A SURE WAY TO END DANDRUFF. Stop Falling Hair and Itching Scalp—At Once. There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it. The hair will fall out, but it will grow again, and it will be soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. If you value your hair, you should get rid of dandruff at once, for nothing destroys the hair so quickly. It not only starves the hair and makes it fall out, but it makes it stringy, straggly, dull, dry, brittle and lifeless, and everybody notices it. D-16-P-25.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, FEB. 25.

"THEY ARE IN THE TRENCHES."

MEN of the Forest City and Western Ontario are now believed to be in trenches at the battle-front. Never, perhaps, did the click-click of the Atlantic cable carry a message that struck home with a more anxious appeal, or deeper heart-interest to Londoners and Western Ontario folk, than the few words that yesterday indicated that Londoners are now in the brunt of old Europe's cataclysmic warring of human elements.

Last night, vacant places at London supper-tables riveted with strange hypnotic force the far-off glances of women's and children's eyes that looked at empty chairs and saw, 3,000 miles away, amid the smoke and fire and mud and cold of French and Belgian earthworks, the faces of men they love. Last night, ere lying to sleepless rest and broken dreams, voices of mothers, wives and sisters lingered yet longer over anxious prayers.

And over there in Europe, visions of home and hearth, faces of loved women and the glow of children's eyes came floating through the fog and smoke and damp, across the tense, but undaunted consciousness of London men embattled. Intermittent with the shriek of shells and whirr of bullets, piercing the air like ghostly cries of pain, came the far-distant, strangely subdued, strangely unreal voices of dear ones at home, whether from deep-engraved records of memory or in telepathic rapport, who shall say! Strange how, in moments of wistful reverie, or in times of stress and danger, familiar, oft-heard voices carry suddenly, seemingly out of space, into men's consciousness.

Fighting for empire, fighting for an empire's traditions, chivalry, history, literature, language and achievements, fighting for an empire's destiny yet unfulfilled; fighting, they believe, and those at home believe, for right and truth and ultimate peace, are noble, daring souls, brave representatives of London's and Western Ontario's youth and manhood.

They are daring death, terrible, agonizing death, gambling their lives, playing the game, offering freely their life blood, life itself, at Fate's behest, to wreak vengeance with Death's own weapons on Death's greatest henchman, War; to punish, but redeem with innocent blood the guilt of creeds which stand for and systems which enforce brute force and tyranny.

"Except there be shedding of blood," says Nature's jungle law, "we cannot rise to better things and purer heights," and fair or not, Nature herself is bound to a strange, seemingly unjust law, that to attain this progress, this redemption of evil or of good outlived, innocent blood must be shed along with guilty blood. And London men, and young men, fathers and sons, are now taking their turn to stand upon the altar where none knows what moment the dice of chance may claim him as the next sacrifice.

THE GROWING TAX BILL.

IN ADDITION to the indirect tax placed upon the country by the Dominion Government, ostensibly to meet war expenses, but actually to meet the rapidly-increasing ordinary expenditures, the Ontario Government now proposes to levy a direct tax of one mill on the dollar on all assessed property in the province. This will augment our annual revenue, it is expected, by about \$1,800,000. So far as increased taxes are necessitated by the present war, everyone will pay the bill cheerfully, or at least, as cheerfully as taxes are paid under any circumstances. And a direct tax on property is probably as reasonable a method as could be devised, unless the British system of taxing land values were adopted. The property tax will bear as evenly on all people as a defective assessment system will permit, nor will the amount payable by any one person be so heavy as to be really burdensome, except in a very few cases.

But, while nobody objects to any additional taxation called for to meet the expenses of the war, criticism will justly arise over the course pursued by both Dominion and Provincial Governments during the last few years in taking advantage of a season of prosperity to increase so enormously the ordinary expenditure. This unjustifiable extravagance on the part of the Dominion was referred to a few days ago.

The Ontario Government has been guilty of the same sin. Coming into power with a full treasury, with a revenue equal to all expenditure, and with practically no debt, the present rulers of the province started on a career of extravagance which has doubled the expenses of the country during their administration. Instead of no debt, we now have, according to the public accounts, about \$40,000,000. Out of a total expenditure of some \$30,000,000 last year or four million more than the year before—the Government had to meet some eight million with borrowed money.

Had there been a reasonable economy practiced by the present Conservative Governments, there would not have been so much additional taxation required, and the people would have had more money in their pockets with which to pay it. The Dominion debt could have been largely reduced, and the yearly interest bill lessened. The province should have had a big surplus, instead of a big deficit. Last year the Provincial Treasurer put on some extra taxation so as to prevent a deficit. But though he raised more money, his expenditures were higher, and the financial conditions worse than he was.

The new treasurer, in his budget speech, admits a deficit of about seven million. But he only keeps it down to that figure by bookkeeping legerdemain. By classing certain receipts as ordinary, and the corresponding expense as extraordinary, he escapes showing a real deficit of something like a million and a quarter. Admitting that half of that was caused by unusual expenses, in the way of patriotic and charitable appropriations incident to the war, there still remains a deficit that would not have existed had our financial transactions been conducted as they would have been by a business corporation. Had our money been saved, instead of being scattered with a lavish hand; had our resources been properly conserved, instead of being wasted, we would not have needed so much additional taxation, and would

have been in better condition to raise all the funds required, and more than the Government proposes to devote to war expenditures.

MR. MACLEAN'S SPEECH.

WHEN is a truce not a truce? Those who read the smashing speech of A. K. MacLean, the Liberal member for Halifax, may be inclined to believe that he smashed the truce as well as the Tories. But when the subject matter and the spirit of the attack are examined, it is seen that it was a question of policy upon which the country must be informed that impelled Mr. MacLean to express his views.

Mr. MacLean and most other Liberals object to the Government's putting out its new tariff under the guise of a war tax. They believe and can prove that the revenue is needed almost entirely because of the heavy expenditures incurred before the war started. The same increase would have been necessary whether or not there had been a war. On at least, the same revenue would have been necessary, and the Government's natural feelings would have sought the increase through additional tariff, which while it does not always bring the revenue directly, does indirectly.

Mr. MacLean attacked the increase in the British preferential tariff, a boon to the mother country created by the Liberals. A ringing sentence of the Halifax member was "Is British connection worth nothing to us in the year 1915?" It was worth something during the Laurier Government's term, but now those who re-echo "so much the worse for British connection" are in power.

COMBATING THE SUBMARINE.

BY HIS action in restricting the navigation of the Irish Sea to certain well-defined narrow limits, the British Admiralty indicates one way by which it intends to combat Germany's "paper blockade." Instead of being able to attack merchantmen at widely-separated points as at present, and thus minimizing its chances of being caught by British destroyer or cruiser, the German submarine in future must seek its victims in waters which the British Admiralty will see to it are thoroughly patrolled. The more limited the area for its operations the less effective becomes the submarine. It is the unexpectedness of its attacks that makes it so difficult to cope with. Where it can reasonably be expected to appear a sharp lookout will in most cases insure escape. Unless it can come to the surface frequently, the submarine is absolutely helpless as an offensive instrument. To be compelled to do this in waters that are infested by the swift, sharp-sighted destroyers at once puts a handicap on the submarine. The Kaiser's torpedos will now have to hunt in an area where they are certain to receive the warmest kind of reception.

It is seven days since Germany declared a blockade of the British coasts, and the results show clearly the impossibility of Germany cutting off Britain's communications with the rest of the world. In seven days twelve boats of various nationalities have met with disaster, but in two instances, that of the Evelyn and Carib, both flying the American flag, the captains ran foul of mines, having ignored the warnings to keep to certain routes. The Regin, the Belgride and Norydka were Norwegian ships. It is not known whether the Regin was sunk by a mine or a submarine, while one re-

port says the Norydka sank following a collision. The Belgride was torpedoed by a German submarine in the English Channel, but in spite of it was able to reach port. The only two boats definitely known to have been sent to the bottom by German submarines since February 13 are the Cambank and Downshire, carrying the British flag, the latter a small coaster. Two ships have been reported wrecked off Hastings, but it is not yet known whether torpedoes or mines are responsible.

Balanced against that record, on every day of the seven since the blockade was declared hundreds of merchantmen of all kinds have entered or departed from ports of the British Isles. If the German submarines cannot do better than bring down two or three small craft in a week's time their blockade becomes farcical.

GERMAN-AMERICANS AND GERMAN-GERMANS.

IF the German-Americans want to do a real service to Germany and the world they will give the German-Germans the knowledge of the freedom they themselves enjoy in America.

It is useless for German-Americans like Barthold, of St. Louis, to defend the conduct of the Kaiser and Prussianism. The Germans in Germany were brought up to it. They may know better, many of them do, but the iron heel is on their necks. They must themselves be freed. It is all the more culpable when men like Barthold who do know better, who live in a clear atmosphere of freedom, where every man has a place in the sunshine of the truest liberty and the highest ideal of loyalty, to attempt to justify the Kaiser and Prussian murderer.

The meeting in the Continental Memorial Hall at Washington recently, at the celebration of the birth of George Washington, displayed the highest type of loyalty the world yet knows, reaching out for the time when "man to man the world o'er shall brothers be."

There was no jingoism. The spirit of the meeting was perfect. The best speech was made by the minister of the First Presbyterian Church. As he spoke, you could not help catching the spirit of it, the loyalty to the United States and the fairness and justice desired toward every other nation, great and small. After all, that is where Germany went wrong. Its spirit is contrary to every right feeling of man to man. There can be no doubt of the desire of all leading American statesmen, and all leading men, for peace and for a loyalty that is wider than the boundaries of the nation itself, that desires every good thing for the United States, and that would extend to all the world every blessing it desires for itself.

When the Bartholds and the Bernbergs catch themselves the true spirit of America and transfer it to the Germans in Germany, they will do Germany a service many times better than that which they are now laboring with little success to perform. Let us hope Germany will soon be freed, and its people find a place in the sunshine of true liberty, and that German-Germans may be as truly free as German-Americans.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

That tax on land will make all hands dig.

The cities say married women shall have votes; the Legislature cannot be moved.

The Ontario Government shows signs, at least of conversion. It is to be a tax on land.

Lloyd George says that its, the pounds that will win this war. The more pounds the more pounding.

These Turks seem to find it as trying crossing the sands of the desert as a band of prospective shrimpers.

A score or more of keen-eyed folk have seen the first robin, but it will be a robin that will see the first worm.

A McGill professor has been asking "Are the Tropics Unhealthy for the Germans?" Let him inquire of the Emden's captain.

It was a policy of Hon. A. G. MacKay to readjust the succession duties act as a revenue-producer for the province. It is being now made use of.

Is the great Jack Johnson crawling back towards the United States? His occupation seems to be gone in Europe. After all he is not half such a tough as the Kaiser.

Forty Europeans, who succeeded in leaving Bagdad, were not permitted to take their wives. What woman would want to go with that kind of a husband, anyway?

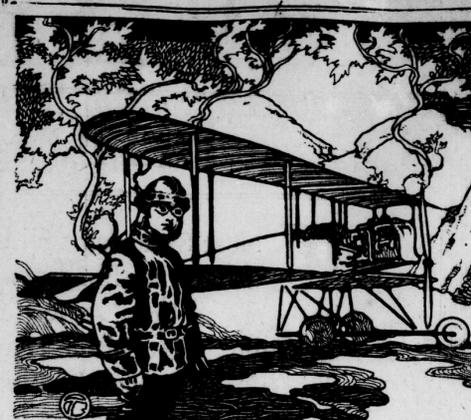
The menace of the German submarine has greatly narrowed the ship routes along the coasts of the British Isles, but this restricted area will be bristling with trouble for the submarine.

The difference between a war made by the British people and one made by the British aristocracy is manifested in the difference between the attitude of popular British authors a hundred years ago and today. Scott was writing old world romances. Byron his "Hours of Idleness." Coleridge, that rare absurdity, "The Ancient Mariner," while British guns were roaring in the Peninsula and at Waterloo. Today, poets and novelists alike are altogether taken up with the war.

ALL THE SYMPTOMS.

[Montreal Herald.] I wouldn't say that winter's gone. Or that we've seen the "it" of snow. I'll keep my heavy flannels on. At least another week or so. I don't expect just yet to see the leaves upon the maple bough, that But I do know what troubles me, I've got the lazy fever now. It's much too early, I'll agree, To let the furnace fire go out. Another blizzard there may be. The buds have not begun to sprout. By every calendar and sign, We still have March to face, I vow, Spring fever's six weeks down the line. But, by the powers, I've got it now!

DAILY WAR PUZZLE



A war bird. Find two more birdmen. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.—Right side down 1. trees. Lower right corner down in front of mill.

OUR POETS OF WESTERN ONTARIO

THE MOTHER.

[AMY CAMPBELL.]

How did she watch the troops go by? Breaking heart and tear-dimmed eye; Proud, with a beautiful saddened pride, Stepped for a little by his side!

Then with a gloom she could not know Would be given her, long ago— Wept in his empty room alone, Calling and longing for her own.

How did she write him day by day? Courage and cheer along the way, And reading her letters through and through, To see that the glad-note rang full true.

How did she wait for his return? With firm belief that she would not spurn; With prayer she had breathed in his busy days That he might be kept in all his ways!

PRESS COMMENT ON THE WAR

FOOD SUPPLY. [London News and Leader.] The Government, we are glad to see, have taken in hand the question of the food supply. They are not neglecting, also, we believe, important matters like that of providing for the return of labor to its tasks when the war is over and the soldier lays down his rifle, we hope for ever. In the meantime the men who have gone to fight look to the men at home to play their part in the great struggle. We do not think they will look in vain.

ASTOUNDED BY SAVAGERY. [London Express.] The world—before the war began unacquainted with the teachings of Germany's professors—has been astounded by the savagery and her indifference to the restrictions dictated by decency and honor. Herr Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German chancellor, is apparently surprised by the general acceptance of his description of the treaty guaranteeing Belgium's independence as "a scrap of paper," as indicative of his country's amazing un-morality, and he has endeavored to explain away the unlucky phrase in an interview with an American press representative.

LAST RESORT. [Springfield Republican.] It is conceivable that under certain circumstances Germany might desire to increase the number of its adversaries. If, for example, it were hard pressed and saw defeat to be inevitable, its Government might feel that it would lessen the humiliation of defeat and

draw the people more tightly together to pick a plausible dispute with all the neutral powers, and thus set up an undeniable "force majeure" to which even Hohenzollern might with good grace yield his sword.

Prisoner Captures Five Germans. An officer writes: A member of a field ambulance told me of one of his patients who, when the enemy rushed forward in overwhelming force, refused to leave his trench and kept on blazing away. Being a good shot, he did rare execution among them. The enemy, however, took his trench and captured him, but as our stragglers were bursting around the trench he had five prisoners dug-out, quite forgetting Tommy. He noticed this and picked up a rifle lying in his own having been taken from him. He looked round, saw our fellows were coming forward to reapture the trenches, so he fixed bayonet and called upon the Germans to surrender. When our fellows came up he had five prisoners for them. What about that for pluck?

Really Tommy's pluck is marvelous. I asked one wounded man what he thought of the fight. He said, "By Jove, it was fine. I never enjoyed myself so much."

Officer's Trench Mud-Bath. An officer writes to his mother: Have noted a few instructions to covering myself. A my men with fat from my soap. Answer: First, find your soap and then think of your fat. At present I prefer not taking my clothes off at all, even to insure subsequent warmth, seeing we have some 15-deg. or more of black frost now in place of the rain. Indeed, we are fast busy finding clothes to put on to think of taking any off! We do, however, contrive to rub the mud from our feet with whale oil, and this is reckoned to be an efficient precaution against frostbite.

The Boches gave us a few proper "Jack Johnsons" our last time in the trenches. They upset the whole of one company's tea over the men who were carrying it and grievously damaged the same company's store of fur coats. My own company's trench is now on the average three to four feet deep in water, and we have had to build a regular pier all the way along to be able to occupy it. The C. O. trod on a plank that was not there the last time we were in, and went in up to his waist. Later he fell full length into a foot of wet mud. He took it very well, merely remarking, "I don't like your trenches."

Nursed by an Empress. The happiest wounded soldier in the Siberian Caucasus named Pletsky, is nursed exclusively by the "Tsarina" Alexandra, and is known to various comrades as "Kapitan" Tsaritsin—the Captain of the Empire.

Pletsky is a private and a reservist. He fought against the Austrians in North Galicia, captured a flag, vanquished a gigantic hussar in single combat, and was given the St. George's Cross.

After being twice wounded in a later engagement he saved his post until a seven-inch howitzer shell burst among his company. The explosion broke his leg, stripped off all his clothes and knocked him into insensibility.

When Pletsky awoke he was in hospital. His nurse addressed him as "captain." Over his bed was the inscription, "Captain Piotr Kapitan." He had been mistaken for an officer. Pletsky was removed to Tsarkoe Selo

Unselfish Heroes. Professor Pores writes from Russia: "It is wonderful the self-denying patience of the Russian soldier. A doctor at work here tells me how constantly it is impressed upon him. A man whose chin he has had to remove simply says, 'Thank heaven, now you've tied me up, and I am all right.' Another, after his leg had been taken off, as soon as he is able to speak, says: 'Ah, but it was a fine fight at Krasny; to keep to our post, and we gave it to them, too.' And other, when he is brought in for operation, is only taken up with the thought that he meets in the operating-room an Austrian officer to whom he had attached himself as a guide and friend.

Age is no Bar to efficiency. To a man increasing years bring decreased energy and impaired faculties. A Life company, however, gains strength with experience, and should have increased success--if its management is alert and able and its organization efficient and aggressive. The Canada Life in its 68th year is more keenly alive to its opportunities than ever before. Its management is constantly studying to render increased service to the policyholders. As a result, the policies issued and paid for in 1914 were greater in number by several hundreds than those of 1913. The amount of surplus earned, over \$1,533,000., was exceeded only once in the company's history. Other features of the year were equally satisfactory. HERBERT C. COX, President and General Manager. The full detailed report will gladly be sent to those desiring it. H. E. Gates, Manager for Western Ontario, London

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DAILY PAGE FOR ADVERTISER WOMAN READERS

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.

Money and Men. Dear Miss Grey.—I. Which of the armies, British or German, has the most money and soldiers? 2. What do you think of my writing? 3. What is the flower for July and August? Yours truly, MOLLY.

Germany's total war strength estimated at 5,400,000 men, besides a great number of untrained; Britain's peace strength is 262,292; reserves 546,832, or a total war strength of 809,124; available for service (not organized) 3,738,795. These figures do not, of course, include any of the colonies. There are, you understand, figures given before the war commenced.

Dear Miss Grey.—Could you or any of your readers please tell me about the United States? We hear so much now about the States being two-thirds German, and their army being mostly German. I lived in the States for over twenty years, and I can't believe there are so many Germans there.

AMERICAN IN CANADA. Ans.—Probably most of us have wondered somewhat over the same question. The figures seem rather difficult to find, but the World's Almanac for 1915 quotes from the census of 1910, 2,591,181 foreign-born Germans in the United States, and 8,817,371 of foreign-born and American-born Germans in the United States, according to this 1910 census was 91,572,256, so, although the numbers will have altered since 1910, we see that a comparatively small proportion is of German descent.

Want To Sew. SELF-TAUGHT.—I was very much touched by your letter about sewing, and only wish I could help you really. Am sure if you could only find the right woman in your town, there would be at least one kind-hearted soul who would delight in teaching you to sew, and not dream of ridiculing you. But as this woman is not easy to find, I fancy you could learn something helpful from a good book on the subject. A volume that gives practical instructions for cutting and sewing, with very good illustrations, is called "Elements of Modern Dressmaking" by Jeanette E. Davis. It is published by Cassell & Co., Limited, New York City, and costs about 50 cents, I think. If there is a book store in your town, I am sure they would offer the volume for you. Sincerely trust if you decide to get it that you may find it helpful.

Wedding Preparations. MISS K.—1. No. 2. Bouillon. 3. Cold Boast Chicken. Currant Jelly. Potato Puffs or Escalloped Potatoes. Creamed Asparagus. Pickles. Tomato Celery and Lettuce Salad. Tea Cream. Cake. Coffee.

If desired, the bouillon may be omitted, and a fruit cup substituted; made of sliced oranges, bananas and pineapple, sweetened, and served in individual dishes with garnish of candied cherries.

LONDON ADVERTISER COUPON. I hereby subscribe the sum of for the work of the Red Cross Society for the work of the Canadian War Contingent Association. NAME ADDRESS

Subscribers are asked to indicate with an X the channel through which they wish their gifts to go. The Red Cross donations go towards providing comforts for the sick and wounded in the work of the C. W. C. A. is to send warm garments for the men in action. Will you not help!

Spring Style Calendar Indicates Radical Changes in Cut, Color and Arrangement of Women's Wear



No. 1.—New wash suit with Florentine embroidery. No. 2.—Reproduced from a Primet design—an afternoon suit in white gabardine, embroidered in white. No. 3.—Tailored street dress model; has plain, white satin vest. No. 4.—New model in serge street dress with applique embroidery and showing the new flare skirt.

PARASOLS.—Bright colors and brilliant designs will be in order. Corridors are in evidence. SKIRTS.—The fuller skirt has fairly swooped into popularity. In nearly all the high-class models the skirt is exceedingly full and wide. While the waisting is raised considerably, it is normal in many cases.

Local Items. War Relief Recital. On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock an oration recital, under the auspices of the Women's Music Club, will be given by Mr. A. D. Jordan, in the First Methodist Church, in aid of war relief work.

MANY VISITORS. Hundreds of London women have visited the I. X. L. Spice and Coffee Mills counter at Smallman & Ingram's during the past week. Samples of layer cake and biscuits, made with "Sweetheart" Baking Powder, the former loaded with icing made with "Honey Drip" Icing Flavor, and small dishes of "Sweetheart" Jellies, were given to each visitor.

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ACTIVITIES OF LOCAL CHAPTERS, I. O. D. E.

On behalf of the Lord Elgin Chapter, Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. Fred White has donated a piano to the 7th Mounted Rifles for use while in camp.

Donations of ten pairs of pajamas have been received by the I.O.D.E. from Mrs. Ironsides for men at the front, also a splendid commensurate consisting of 30 pairs socks, pyjamas, 1 coat, 1 shirt and pair boy's trousers, 11 girls' dresses, suit of girl's clothes, socks, and \$50 worth of blankets from the Ladies Aid Societies of Bethel and Brandon Churches.

The annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Monday afternoon next, when members of all the primary chapters are urged to be present.

Mrs. William Spittal, regent of the Seventh Regiment Chapter, is to place a wreath on the soldiers' monument in honor of the I.O.D.E. on Saturday next, Paardeburg Day.

Old Songs and Poems. My Bonnie Railroad Boy. [Sent by J. A. M.] One evening as I rambled— It was in the month of May— I overheard a damed!

Chorus. His cheeks are red as roses, He always wears good clothes, He is loved by all the ladies, No matter where he goes.

Our Mid-Winter Furniture Sale. IS NOW IN FULL SWING. Everything in Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Stoves and Dry Goods, reduced from 25 to 50 per cent. COME FOR BARGAINS.

To Remove Blackheads. Sprinkle a little Po Theoline (obtainable at any drug store), on a hot, wet sponge, and rub briskly over the affected parts. Then rinse and note how the blackheads have disappeared. Anyone troubled with these unsightly blemishes should certainly try this method.

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Left-Handers Thrive In Canadian League

Southpaw Gentlemen Are League's Best Pitchers and Batters, According to Figures of Past Season—London Will Have Three Southpaws on Pitching Staff.

[BY BERT PERRY.] Manager Reiding will devote most of his time between now and the Canadian League season's opening to plugging up London's weakness in pitchers and catchers.

Left-handers have always been good winners in the Canadian League. Nearly every club can boast of a southpaw who can be depended upon to win a greater number of the games.

A Few Fork-Holders. Left-handers have also been good winners in the Canadian League. Nearly every club can boast of a southpaw who can be depended upon to win a greater number of the games.

Johnson Will Give Up Efforts to Reach Mexico Has Decided to Remain in Havana and Bout May Be Held There.

HAVANA, Feb. 24.—It is stated here that there is a strong probability that a fight for the world's heavyweight pugilistic championship between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard will be arranged to take place in Havana early in April.

HAMILTON CLUB LOSES CLAIM TO PLAYER JONES National Board Awards Him to Saginaw Who Had a Counter Claim for His Services.

AUBURN, N. Y., Feb. 24.—The national board of arbitration of the National Association of Baseball Leagues today handed down its decision in the matter of the Hamilton club's claim to the services of Cy Young.

HARRISTON BEAT LISTOWEL IN SEMI-FINALS BY 6-3

Obtained a Three-Goal Lead on Visitors by Getting Goal Start in First Half.

HARRISTON, Feb. 24.—In one of the fastest games ever played on Hart House, the Harriston Bronchos outplayed the Listowel team.

JERSEY CITY FRANCHISE HAS BEEN FORFEITED

Failure of Management to Meet Obligations Results in League Taking it Over.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 24.—The Jersey City baseball franchise in the International League has been forfeited by President Barrow.

GANZEL SIGNS UP ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 24.—John H. Ganzel today came to terms with the owners of the Rochester International League and will manage the team for the coming season.

Hockey

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES. N. H. A. Canadiens 3, Ottawa 2, Quebec 5, Wanderers 4, Toronto 3, Ontario 1, O. H. A. Intermediate, Warton 6, Sarnia 3.

CUBS GRABBED TWO GAMES FROM ALLIES

Were Beaten Out on Total Pins, However. TOM CRAWFORD WAS HIGH ROLLED 523 IN THREE GAMES; 202 IN HIS FIRST GAME.

THE STANDING. Independents, Advertiser, Marconi, etc.

THE ALLIES DROPPED TWO GAMES OUT OF THREE TO THE CUBS IN A CITY BOWLING LEAGUE MATCH LAST EVENING.

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Eddie McGoorty working the pedal of the bicycle-like gymnasium apparatus preparing for his battle with Mike Gibbons, at Hudson, Wis., March 2.

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