

A CLEAN SWEEP AT ADMIRALTY --- FISHER AND CHURCHILL TO GO

Domestic Politics Absorb Attention in Britain and a Clean Sweep is Now Looked For.

London, May 25.—Active military and naval operations are now under way between Austria-Hungary and Italy...

AUSTRIAN CANNONADE SUNK A GERMAN SHIP IN AN ITALIAN PORT

Official Announcement Made of Austrian Bombardment of Ancona—Italian Destroyer Infllicted Some Damage at Buso.

Rome, May 25.—The following official statement was issued last night by the Italian general staff: An Italian destroyer entered the port of Buso, near the Austrian frontier...

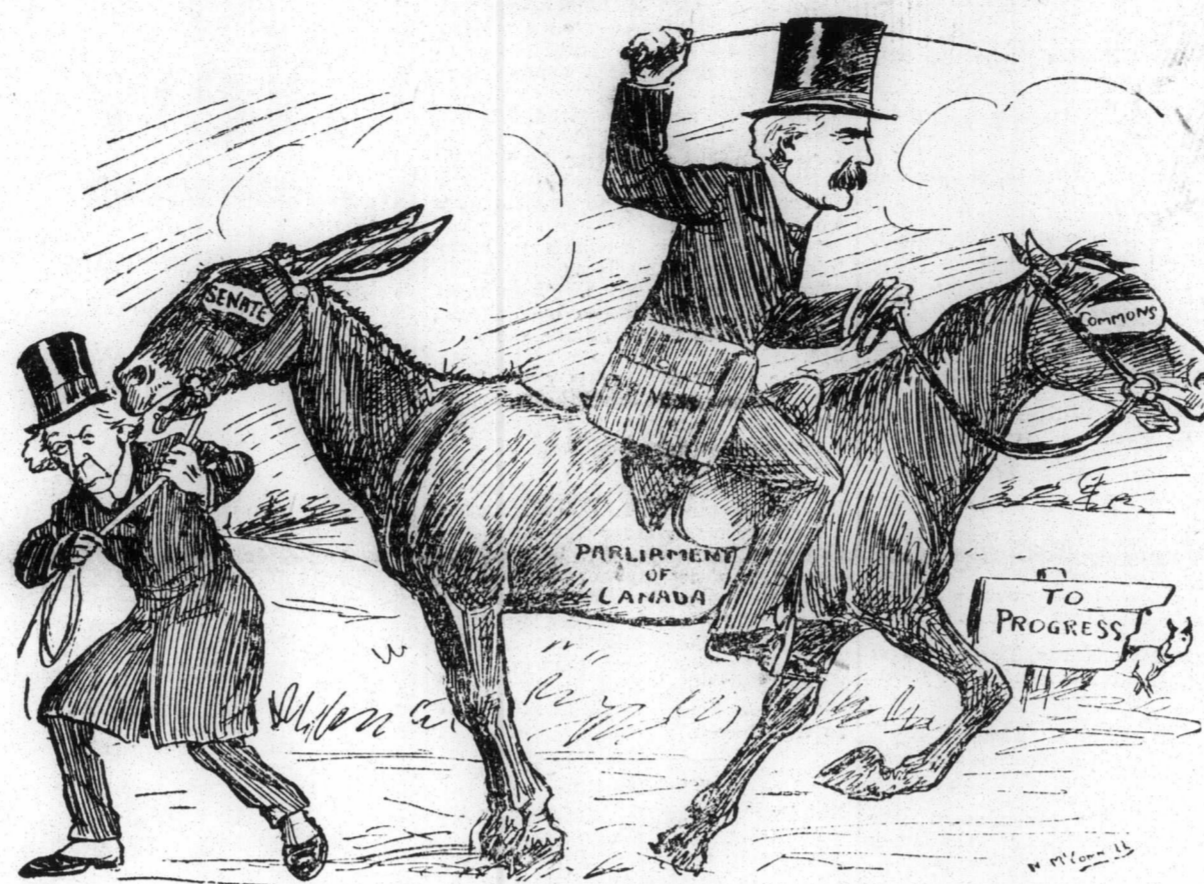
FOREIGN STAFFS LEAVE Rome, May 25.—Baron von Macchio, Austrian ambassador to Italy, and Prince von Schoenburg-Harten...

On the Italian Frontier, May 24, via Rome, May 25.—Deputy Barzilai, has been to the Rome Messaggero an account of a conversation he had with...

Roumania, Ready to Strike, is Negotiation With Allies

London, Tuesday, May 25 (2.44 a.m.)—A despatch to The Daily Chronicle from Bucharest says: The Roumanian Government is negotiating with the Allies...

A FREAK MOUNT



All right for a circus, but not to carry on business.

GALICIAN DRIVE COMES TO GRIEF

German Centre Stopped Short in a Bad Position on the San River.

London, May 24.—The German phalanx that was to have been driven like a battering ram through the whole of Galicia to Lemberg has come to a stop on the River San...

BASEBALL RETURNS

Owing to pressure on the Courier's leased wire in connection with the war, and the fact that the strain is likely to become still more intense during the ensuing months...

SIR ADAM BECK SEES BOYS AT WORK

New York, May 24.—Sir Adam Beck returned yesterday with Lady Beck from his official visit to Europe...

Example For the Americans

By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, May 25.—Italian intervention as an example for the United States is a suggestion raised by the Temps in a diplomatic editorial.

RUSSIAN SHIP SUNK

Amsterdam, Holland, May 25.—A telegram from Constantinople says it is announced officially there that a Turkish submarine sank a Russian warship in the Black Sea.

Late Wires

RESERVISTS NOTIFIED By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, May 25.—Instructions were received at the Italian embassy from Rome to-day that all Italian reservists in the United Kingdom should be notified to return at once.

SIGNED TO-DAY By Special Wire to the Courier.

Peking, China, May 25.—The new treaty between China and Japan was signed at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

HOLLAND PROTESTS By Special Wire to the Courier.

The Hague, Netherlands, May 25.—The Government of the Netherlands has sent a note to Germany protesting against the sinking on May 7 of the Cunard Line steamer Lusitania by a German submarine.

SWISS WILL BE BUSY By Special Wire to the Courier.

Berne, Switzerland, May 25.—The Swiss Government has announced that it will represent the interests at Rome of the German Empire and of Bavaria and that the interests of Austria-Hungary will be represented by Spain.

NO DECISION ANNOUNCED. By Special Wire to the Courier.

Brest, France, May 25.—The American steamer Dacia yesterday left here for Havre, where her cargo of cotton will be discharged by special dockers.

TEXT OF ITALY'S DECLARATION

Vienna, May 23, 1915: In conformity with the orders of his Majesty the King, his august sovereign, the undersigned Ambassador of Italy has the honor to deliver to his Excellency the Foreign Minister of Austria-Hungary the following communication:

Declaration has been made, as from the 4th of this month, to the Imperial and Royal Government of the grave motives for which Italy, confident in her good right, proclaimed annulled, and henceforth without effect, her treaty of alliance with Austria-Hungary, which was violated by the Imperial and Royal Government and resumed her liberty of action in this respect.

The Government of the King, firmly resolved to provide by all means at its disposal for safeguarding Italian rights and interests, cannot fail in its duty to take against every existing and future menace measures which events impose upon it for the fulfilment of national aspirations.

His Majesty the King declares that he considers himself from tomorrow in a state of war with Austria-Hungary.

The undersigned has the honor to make known at the same time to his Excellency the Foreign Minister that passports will be placed this very day at the disposal of the Imperial and Royal Ambassador at Rome, and he will be obliged to his Excellency if he will kindly have his passports handed to him.

"AVARNA"

SHORTAGE OF WOOD, PETROLEUM AND OF COAL IN STAMBOUL

Wounded are Pouring Into Constantinople From Dardanelles—Bakeries are Running Short.

Athens, Fay 25, via London 11.58 a.m.—Advices reaching here from Constantinople by mail describe the arrival in the Turkish capital of thousands of wounded from the Dardanelles, where the first Turkish army corps, composed of the best fighting elements of the country has been engaged.

CONGESTION AT THE PORT OF LONDON HAS BEEN RELIEVED BY NEW SYSTEM

Docks are Cleared up of Waiting Ships, Under the new System—Wool Shipments Will be Next Big Difficulty.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, May 14 (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—The congestion in the Port of London, which for a time threatened to tie up commerce indefinitely is being relieved gradually.

THE FOOD GOOD The food supplied to the Canadian troops was very good and superior to that issued by the French government.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES. Ottawa, Ont., May 25.—The latest figures received at the Militia Department on the Canadian casualties in last Thursday's engagement are: 132 killed.

FRENCH OFFICIAL NOTICE By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, May 25.—2.40 p.m.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities which reads as follows: "It was a night of considerable activity between the sea and Arras."

Fleet Hammering Away at the Dardanelles Forts

Athens, May 25.—A despatch from Mitylene states that the allied fleet resumed the bombardment of the Dardanelles forts on Sunday, and inflicted further damage.

News received here from the Dardanelles is to the effect that the recent Turkish attack against the British troops near Kaleb Tepe by two Turkish divisions was carefully prepared by General Liman von Sanders, the German commander, and his staff, not only with the object of inflicting a check on the allies, but with raising the spirits of the Turkish troops and reassuring public opinion, which is said to have been profoundly impressed by the heavy Turkish losses at the beginning of May.

General von Sanders brought up the first army corps, a crack organization which had been reserved for the defense of Constantinople. Their landing was greatly hampered by the bombardment from the allies' aeroplanes. Two divisions of this corps which had been put ashore the night before at Masos immediately marched to Kaleb Tepe and attacked the Australians and New Zealanders the night of May 18-19. They were completely beaten, however, losing 2,000 men killed and 5,000 wounded, the report says.

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Laid at Rest

Impressive indeed were the ceremonies which marked the funeral of the late Norman W. Creech...

The house services over a vast procession moved to the new cemetery, and here the funeral was conducted under Masonic auspices...

The floral tributes were as follows: Pillow from family; Doric Lodge A. F. and A.M.; basket from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Creech...

Deceased, who was a native of Exeter, had been a highly esteemed resident of this city for eighteen years. He was for long time with Verity Plow Company...

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Obituary

WALTER KERR. The many friends of Walter Kerr will regret to learn of his death which took place at his home on the Mount Pleasant road yesterday...

DR. MACARTHUR. Dr. James MacArthur, of London, Ont., president of the Ontario Medical Council, and one of the city's most eminent physicians, died unexpectedly of heart trouble, at his home 484 Dundas street, at 2 o'clock Sunday morning...

DEATH OF MR. CREECH. It is with much regret that the Courier records the death in his 36th year of Mr. Norman Wellington Creech...

Deceased, who was a native of Exeter, had been a highly esteemed resident of this city for eighteen years. He was for long time with Verity Plow Company and left their employ much to the regret of the firm in order to become Secretary Treasurer of the Brandon Shoe Company...

Social and Personal

Miss Stephanie Jones left last evening for Berlin.

Mr. John Sanderson left to-day on a trip west.

Miss Olive Smoke spent the holiday at Plattsville.

Sergeant-Major Oxtoby spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Graham of Ottawa, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. D. T. Murray spent the holiday the guest of London friends.

Mrs. Kate Watt is visiting Mrs. Mary and Ella Watt, Toronto.

Miss Kersall of the Y. W. C. A., spent the holiday in Brantford.

Miss Mildred Wilson holidayed at Marshville over the week-end.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. H. McCauley are spending the week-end in Toronto.

Mr. Lloyd Scruton, Toronto, spent the week-end with friends in the city.

Miss Jennie Walters was a holiday visitor at the parental home in Elora.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Young.

Mr. T. Emerson of Grimsby, was a well known visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. George Henderson spent the holiday as the guest of Woodstock friends.

Miss E. Mathieson, formerly Deaconess at Wellington St church, is visiting in the city.

Miss Clara Miller and Miss M. Enright of Toronto were guests in the city for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Munthron of Toronto, spent a very enjoyable holiday in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Colling of St. Thomas is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Howarth, Dalhousie St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richards, who spent the holiday in the city returned to Simcoe yesterday.

Lieut. Harris L. Walsh was a visitor in the city yesterday from military headquarters in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkinson of Simcoe were the guests of local friends for the week-end.

Mrs. Dunstan and Miss Gretchen Dunstan have returned from an extended visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. A. Isaac and little daughter of Galt, were guests at the parental home over Empire day.

Mr. Rehder of Toronto University, was a guest at the Wellington Street parsonage over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Smith and daughter of Toronto were the guests of friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Passmore spent the week-end visiting friends in Windsor, Detroit and Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Mrs. Benning and her daughters, Lula and Winnifred were the guests of Mrs. Buck, William Street, over the holiday.

Mr. and Miss Everson of Oshawa, Ont., spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vanstone, Nelson Street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Milne of Toronto, spent the week-end and holiday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Milne of Egerton street.

Messrs. Logan Sutherland, Dean Andrews, J. and their parental homes, the holiday at their parental homes. They returned to College to-day.

Messrs. T. Brown, W. G. Ranton, W. P. Mihel, Mrs. Mihel and Miss Carling, motored to Grimsby Beach and returned yesterday afternoon.

Miss Maud Cosshutt, of Bishop Strachan School, and Eric of Upper Canada College, returned this morning. The latter had a friend with him, Mr. Walker of Bermuda.

Miss Lola and Merel Madgwick have returned home after spending the holiday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cudmore, Bright, Ont.

Mr. Charles H. Madgwick has accepted a responsible position in Utica, N.Y., to which place he starts on Tuesday, 25th. His many friends will wish him every success.

Music and Drama

AT THE BRANT. Two record holiday houses filled the Brant Theatre yesterday when the fare served up was every bit as good as the attendance. For both afternoon and evening performance every seat was sold out before the show began...

The Length of Wars. Following is a table showing the time occupied in deciding some of the big struggles of the past fifty or sixty years:

Table with 2 columns: Wars, Years in Days. Includes entries for Crimean (1854-65), United States Civil (1861-65), Franco-German (1870-71), Russo-Turkish (1877-78), Spanish-American (1898), Boer (1899-1902), Russo-Japanese (1904-05), Balkan (1912).

Judge Tuttle of Detroit ordered the sale by public auction of the Perc Marquette Railroad.

KITCHENER THE GRIM

Stories of Kitchener's bluntness are legion.

"Sorry to report the loss of five men through explosion of dynamite," was the gist of a telegram he received one day during the Boer War from a captain at the front.

"Do you want any more dynamite?" was the immediate answer. His grim, laconic humor was well illustrated by his reply on one occasion to the War Office authorities who were pressing a certain weapon upon him.

"Keep the gun," he wrore. "I can throw stones myself." No man has a greater faculty for estimating a man's capabilities at a glance. Men do the impossible at a word from him.

"Twelve hours in which to carry this despatch?" he remarked to an officer on one occasion. "You must do it in six." And the officer, who had asked for twelve hours, did it in five.

Time to Kitchener is everything. While engaged in building a bridge for the advance upon Pretoria, the engineering officer, apprehensive of danger to his workmen, hinted his fears to Lord Kitchener, explaining that a different mode of construction would be much safer than the one employed, which might, in a cost of the lives of thirty men, Kitchener listened patiently, and then asked, "How much longer would it take to do the work by this safer method?" "Not more than an hour longer, sir." "Very well, do not change the plans. You will continue the work as it is begun."

The Tribune. Not by the valor of Belgium, nor the lightning sabre of France, Not by the thunder of Britain's fleet, and the Bear's unchecked advance, Not by those fears, Lord Kaiser, cost thy shatter a tyrant's lust, Is your heart most darkly troubled, and your soul brought down to the dust.

But by the great affirming of the lands we have knit as one; By the love, by the passionate loyal love, of each separate free-born son, Canada cries "We are coming!" and Australasia "We come!" And you scowl that no Boer is rising at the beat of your German drum.

And the sons of Ind bear witness— We have grumbled, but now no more; We have shared your plentiful righteous Peace, we will share your righteous War. Trust us to guard your honor, one with yours is our breath; You have dealt us an even justice, we are yours to the gates of Death.

Here in these rain-swept islands where we fought for the things of peace Where we quarrelled and stormed in factions, at a stroke all factions cease. And there in the vast dominions, more free than your Prussian lords, The women are shouting for England and the men are drawing their swords.

—By Harold Begbie—In the London Daily Chronicle.

THE KAISER'S HENCHMAN

Von Bethmann-Holweg Usually Credited With Sincerity, Abandons It

Germany has had five Chancellors, Bismarck, the incomparable, was a statesman; Capri and Hohenzollern, respectively soldier and courtier; Bulow was a diplomat; Bethmann Holweg, since 1900 the steersman of the Empire's destinies, is a philosopher.

A few years hardly afford an adequate basis for historical judgment of a leader's capacity, but Dr. Theobald

von Bethmann-Holweg's Chancellorship has been uncommonly barren of promise.

It would be far beside the mark to charge the Sage of Hohen-Floow with utter lack of statesmanship qualities. Modest and retiring by nature, there is nothing of the flamboyant in his make-up.

He is generally credited with being sincere and honest, but his reputation suffered severely by his attitude at the beginning of hostilities with Belgium, it having been reported that he was both surprised and chagrined at Britain's regard for a "scrap of paper"—the solemn pledge that Belgium territory should not be violated, a pledge guaranteed by both Great Britain and Germany.

Duration of Wars in Days: Crimean 1854-65 734, United States Civil 1861-65 2,459, Franco-German 1870-71 495, Russo-Turkish 1877-78 324, Spanish-American 1898 107, Boer 1899-1902 923, Russo-Japanese 1904-05 673, Balkan 1912 815

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TORONTO CATTLE MARKET Toronto, May 25—Butcher cattle, choice, \$8.00 to \$8.35; do medium, \$7.50 to \$7.85; do common, \$6.00 to \$6.50; butcher cows, choice, \$7.00 to \$7.25; do medium, \$5.50 to \$6.25; do canners, \$3.75 to \$4.25; do bulis, \$7.00 to \$7.50; feeding steers, \$7.00 to \$7.50; stockers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.25; do light, \$6.00 to \$6.50; milkers, choice, each, \$65.00 to \$100.00; springers, \$50.00 to \$95.00; sheep, ewes, \$6.75 to \$7.25; bucks and culis, \$5.50 to \$6.00; lambs, \$9.00 to \$10.00; hogs, fed and watered, \$9.50 to \$9.60; hogs, f.o.b., \$9.15 to \$9.25; calves, \$8.00 to \$9.50.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE East Buffalo, May 25—Cattle—Receipts 60; active. Veals—Receipts 150; slow; \$4.50 to \$9.00. Hogs—Receipts 2,600; active; heavy, \$7.50 to \$8.00; mixed, \$8.00 to \$8.10; Yorkers, and pigs, \$8.05 to \$8.10; roughs, \$6.50 to \$6.75; stags, \$5.00 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 1,000; slow; lambs, \$6.00 to \$10.65; yearlings \$3.50 to \$9.25; wethers, 7.75 to \$2.25; ewes, 3.00 to 7.00; sheep mixed, 7.25 to 7.50.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK Chicago, May 25—Cattle, receipts, 2,000; market, steady. Texas, \$7.30 to \$7.60; heavy, \$7.05 to \$7.55; rough, \$7.05 to \$7.20; pigs, \$5.75 to \$7.25; bulk of sales, \$7.50 to \$7.75. Sheep, receipts 8,000; Market, unsettled; Native sheep, \$7.20 to \$8.25; lambs, native, \$7.75 to \$10.35.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS Liverpool, May 25—Holiday on the Corn Exchange to-day. Flour, winter patents, 60s.; hops in London (Pacific Coast) 2 3/4 5s.; 4 1/4 15s.; hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 67s.; bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 75s.; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 67s. 6d.; long, clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 62s. 6d.; long clear short clear backs, 15 to 20 lbs., 63s. 6d.; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 59s.; lard, prime western, in tierces, new, 51s. 3d.; lard, prime western, in tierces, old, 52s. 3d.; American, refined, 53s. 3d.; American, refined, 56 lb. boxes, 52s.; tallow, prime city, 35s.; Australian in London, 33s. 9d.; turpentine spirits, 37s. 6d.; rosin, common, 12s. 1/2d.; petroleum, refined, 9d.; linseed oil, 37s.; cotton seed oil, refined, spot, 32s. 4 1/2d.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY Under instructions from the Administratrix of the Estate of John Smiley, deceased, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the premises, 12 Mount Pleasant street, in the City of Brantford, at Two o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, the 28th day of May, 1915, the following described property, being Lot Number Three on the East side of Mount Pleasant street, in the City of Brantford, and also being composed of the northeasterly angle of said Lot, thence southerly along the easterly limit of said Lot thirty-three feet, thence westerly parallel to the northerly limit of Lot Number Three to the western limit of said Lot, Number Four, thence along said westerly limit to the place of beginning, the premises being known as Number 12, Mount Pleasant street.

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Church Notes

ALEXANDRA PRESBYTERIAN "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord; righteousness exalteth a nation." From the above texts, the Rev. D. T. McClintock at the evening service founded his splendid patriotic address: "Our duties to the Empire being the theme for consideration. Three characteristics were developed therefrom by the pastor, viz: Patriotism, obedience and service. God Save the King was sung as the concluding hymn. The pastor's evening subject was "Conviction of sin and its pardon." Thoughts in brief were: 1st, Where there is the greatest conviction of sin, there is the greatest conviction of sin. The command of God is to believe in the forgiveness of sin; 2nd remission of the penalty of sin. God came to bear the penalty. He gave Himself as a ransom. Where there is forgiveness there is the re-establishment of relationships, but remission of the penalty. During the service a solo entitled "Alone with God," was sung by Miss Josephine Waldron.

RESUMPTION CANADIAN PACIFIC GREAT LAKES SERVICE. Passenger service via the Great Lakes, Canadian Pacific route from Port McNicoll will be resumed, commencing Saturday, May 22nd, sailing Tuesdays, "Manitoba," Wednesdays, "Alberta" Thursdays and "Assiniboia," on Saturdays from Port McNicoll at 4.00 p.m. The "Manitoba" sailing Wednesdays will also call at Owen Sound each sailing date at 10.30 p.m. Special train will leave Union Station, Toronto at 12.45 p.m. arriving at Port McNicoll 4.00 p.m. daily except Friday. For reservations or other information regarding this service, contact any Canadian Pacific Agent or write M. G. Murphy, District Passenger agent, Toronto.

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THE SITUATION.

The long-deferred entrance of Italy into the war is, of course, the outstanding feature. One despatch says that she can have three million well-armed men in the field within a few weeks, but that would seem to be an exaggeration. There can be no doubt, however, that during the already long months of hostilities she has been preparing in every possible way, both with regard to men and munitions. Hitherto a million has been supposed to be about her limit. Her addition to the ranks of the Allies at this time is, of much importance, more especially when it is figured what such a step would have meant if taken in the other direction. Her navy will also be a welcome addition in connection with the Adriatic. Thus the modern Huns have to face one more foe, with others likely to be added in the near future.

The Russians have once more demonstrated their ability to come back. The on-marching Austro-German troops have again been checked as the result of heavy reinforcements for Grand Duke Nicholas. Even the official report from Berlin says with reference to this section of the fighting "the situation is unchanged," which means that there is nothing of a favorable nature to report on behalf of the Kaiserites.

Once more the devilish poison fumes have got in their work, with the result that the British were forced to evacuate some of their trenches east of Ypres. The story has been revived that the famous Cochrane left with the British war authorities a method for the annihilation of the forces of an enemy in this regard, and that the formula has since been kept a secret. It is quite likely that the thing is a myth, but the Allies should certainly bring any gases they have speedily into play. The Germans have invited the same, and they ought to get them.

The reported sinking of a Russian man-of-war with fourteen hundred men on board has not been confirmed, but such an incident would seem to be quite likely.

ROUMANIA.

It is stated that the Bulgarian Premier has announced that his country will not attack Roumania should the latter enter the war on the side of the Allies. This is an important announcement. This country used to be tributary to Turkey, but that yoke was thrown off under Charles I.

Charles was a man of firm character, and though his reign was marked by many internal dissensions, some of them bordering on revolt, the King usually emerged from his troubles successfully. During the more than forty years that he ruled the little kingdom of 6,000,000 people he showed himself to be a great soldier, a clever statesman and a popular sovereign.

King Charles took a prominent part in the war between Russia and Turkey in 1877. He held the nominal command of the Army of the West, and he fought at Plevna, where the Roumanians behaved with great gallantry and suffered heavy losses. Charles received, in acknowledgment of his services, the Cross of St. George from Alexander II.

It was in deference to the demands of his subjects, who desired to emphasize their emancipation from every suspicion of their former vassalage to Turkey, that Charles, in 1881, assumed the title of King, in lieu of Prince, with which he had been content until then. But he declined to waste any money upon the acquisition of gold and jeweled insignia of his altered rank, and insisted that his crown should be made of steel from a Turkish gun captured by his troops at Plevna.

Princess Elizabeth von Neuwied, to whom Charles was married November 15, 1869, is known the world over by her pen name of "Carmen Sylva." The story of their courtship reads like a page out of a romance. His Majesty was calling at the castle of a German prince, when, on proceeding upstairs, a young girl who was coming down missed her footing and fell into his arms. The girl was the future Queen of Roumania. A marriage did not immediately result, however; in fact, although the King was immensely attracted by the charms of the princess, five years elapsed before he decided to ask her to be his consort. Then, with-

ous warning, he journeyed to the house where the princess was staying and astonished her by proposing forthwith.

The Roumanians are good fighters, and with them added to the list the record would stand:

- ALLIES
Britain
France
Russia
Italy
Belgium
Portugal
Serbia
Roumania
Montenegro
- THE ENEMY
Germany
Austria-Hungary
Turkey

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The amiable Kaiserites can now transfer some of their hate to Italy.

Evidences are multiplying that the German papers are commencing to realize that their country is up against it. One of them, The Tag, says: "At any cost the mind of the German people must not be poisoned by insidious whisperings of coming disaster and doom"; and the Berlin World rises to remark:

"The days for enthusiasm are now past. That sentiment must give place to a grim determination to hold out in spite of everything until our ends be gained.

"We have already since the war begun advanced so much in the world's respect and admiration that we can well afford to cast aside the glamor of enthusiasm and steel ourselves to endure and to resist any passing evil that may befall us."

"Respect and admiration," forsooth. Does the Hun who penned that believe that baby-killing, rape, cold-blooded murder, poisonous gases, mutilation, and all the rest of the diabolical list, are things which inspire either? He is the sort of gent who would toss a bomb at someone and call it a bouquet.

Prof. Leacock leads in a sense a dual life. He is a noted professor at McGill University and also ranks high through his books as one of the wittiest writers on this continent, or, for that matter, in the English-speaking world. His humor is delicious, and as a public speaker he is in a class by

himself. Since the outbreak of war he has delivered addresses of which the proceeds have been given to the Belgian Fund, in the leading United States and Canadian cities, and has met with the highest acclaim everywhere. The Women's Patriotic League of this city deserve to be heartily congratulated upon securing him for one of his delightful talks in Zion Church on the evening of Thursday, June 3rd. The Courier can unreservedly assure citizens that in this event they have a rich treat indeed in store.

Tally one more against the Kaiserites—Italy.

This summer won't see any Italian organ-grinders in the Fatherland. Instead they'll be helping to grind the pirates.

It is announced that the Germans have resumed their race meetings. Meanwhile their own entry in the race for world power and militarism is commencing to show symptoms of spavins and blind staggers.

The virtuous indignation which the Germans feel against Italy on the score of "breach of faith" is one of the most ludicrous spectacles the world has ever seen. Satan reproving sin is a feeble contradiction alongside of that.

LETTER FROM PTE. KENNETH MACDONALD

The Germans Claim Mercy and Get Bayonet.

The following letter was received by Mrs. MacDonald, 101 Spring street. It provides a little insight on the German method when cornered, claiming mercy because of relatives in Canada. However, that did not seem to work in this case, the inference being that the bayonets took a toll for all the atrocities committed.

Belgium, May 1st, 1915.

My Dear Sister—Just a few lines to say that I am well and safe. I guess you would have seen in the papers about the great battle we were in. Well, it was awful. Those sneaky Germans could not fight fair and had to use foul means of breaking the line. On our left, held by the French colonial troops, they made poisonous gas in their trenches and the wind blew it across to our side, so the poor

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souls couldn't stand it. Some were asphyxiated in the trenches; others were wandering about stupidly. Then the Germans saw their chance and broke through. It was then that the Canadians had to do their work. And they did it properly—they were pushed back at the point of the bayonet. That was a week last Thursday and the battle isn't finished yet, although it has quieted down a bit. They got their deserts alright. The beggars were going down on their knees asking for mercy and saying: "I have sister, Canada." But we must not listen to that stuff now, after the way they have treated our side. Well, I think this is all I have to say at present.

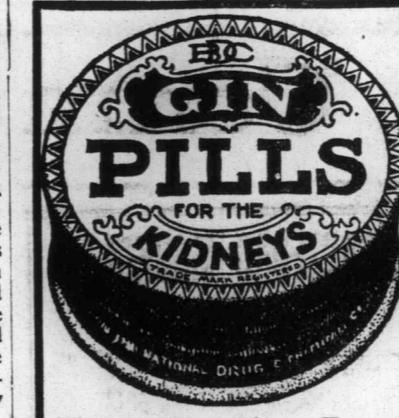
KENNEY. P.S.—Write soon. Tell D. Clark I had this letter and will write him first opportunity.

SAFELY CONVEYED By Special Wire to the Courier. On the Italian Frontier, May 25.—Prince Von Buelow and Baron Von Macchio, German and Austrian ambassadors to Italy, who left Rome last night, reached Chiasso, Switzerland at 9:30 o'clock this morning. They were received by the Swiss authorities.

SIGNED WITH AMITY By Special Wire to the Courier. Washington, May 25.—Tokio despatches to the Japanese embassy says that at 3 p.m., May 25, two treaties, covering the negotiations concerning the Shantung peninsula and Manchuria and Mongolia, were signed and exchanged between Japan and China, with a note concerning other questions. No intimation of the contents of the note was contained in the despatches.

BODIES WERE FOUND. By Special Wire to the Courier. Johnstown, Pa., May 25.—The bodies of eight men killed by an explosion in the Valley Mine of the Smokeless Coal Company yesterday were brought to the surface to-day and members of the rescue crew overcame while attempting to rescue them were so far recovered that they were discharged from the hospital. Engineers from the Pittsburg station of the Bureau of Mines arrive to-day to investigate the accident, for which no cause can be assigned by state mine inspectors and officials of the company.

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RULED FOR LAW.

Washington, May 25.—The interstate commerce commission ruled to-day that the Pere Marquette and Bessemer and Lake Erie roads, may keep their ferry boat lines on the lakes under the American canal law.

GREATER RUIN THAN EVER By Special Wire to the Courier. Redding, Cal., May 25.—Greater ruin was wrought by Saturday's eruption of Lassen Peak than first believed, according to stories brought here to-day by returning investigating parties, who travelled over almost impassable roads and through a raging storm to reach the edge of the danger zone.

Widespread damage to standing timber was the most evident of the newly discovered destruction done by the mountain's eruption. The mud torrents and showers of super-heated

rocks and boulders are reported to have ruined a million feet of timber. Trees were snapped off at their trunks and the hail of heavy stones swept through large areas of forest like a gigantic scythe. Limits of timber caught fire from the hot lava, but rain soon quenched the flames. The mud streams in Hat Creek Valley was still moving to-day, but it has cooled and flows sluggishly.

FOR A BAD COLD

The surest way to stop a cold is to liven the liver and cleanse the bowels, and the nicest cathartic to do this is a 10-cent box of Cascarets. Take one or two Cascarets to-night and your cold may be gone by morning.

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Ladies' long heavy Silk Gloves, in black or white, double tip fingers. 75c SPECIAL.....

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\$25 to \$30 Suits for - - - \$18.95
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LOCAL

TEMPERATURE. Record for the last 24 hours: est 42; highest 72. Same year: Highest 70; lowest 54.

19TH BATT ARRIVES SA. The Courier on Saturday learned the fact that the 19th Battalion had sailed from Plymouth. There were 10 of Brantfordites in the lot, Major Newman and Lieut. G. Shutt.

LARGER FIGURES. In connection with the recently given of the Brantford Methodist church, Copetown ship 227, and Onondaga 19th advertised not included. The total membership of the is \$3,065, and connexion is 835.

NOTABLE SERVICE. Some twenty-five members of the 19th Battalion, including a party of Paris S. O. E. took Sunday at a special military at the Anglican church. Six boys killed at the front and a memorial in every way. Farnley preached a fine sermon.

A MAY DAY. Traffic in and out of the terday was heavy and in all of recreation people enjoyed a peerless May day. Golf, tennis, bowling and canoeing well patronized, and automobile a decidedly good start, all in the city being emptied of cars.

FORMER BRANTFORDITE. A telegram received in the afternoon of the 24th, announced the death in War Daniel Wood, a former resident of Brantford, who used to be in the Grand Trunk rail of his sons were here not for the Old Boys' Reunion buried here on Thursday, family plot at Greenwood cemetery.

FLAGS A'FLYING. Many national and allied flying over the city over Hamilton's warehouse sian, British and Italian were evident, the fire hall wind-torn jack, and Andrie an immense Old Glory of while all the public and go buildings displayed their banners.

A HOLIDAY LIST. There was a long holiday before Magistrate Living morning at the police court Misener was fined \$25 for P. C. Roberts, beside the Trunk station, and Dominant was dismissed the bench because there was proof sufficient that bought a wheel, and did not as was suspected.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

TEMPERATURE. Record for the last 24 hours: Low: 42; highest 72. Same date last year: Highest 70; lowest 54.

15TH BATT ARRIVES SAFE. The Courier on Saturday night published the fact that the troops of the 15th Battalion had safely arrived at Plymouth. There were a number of hardships in the lot, including Major Newman and Lieut. Geo. Cockburn.

LARGER FIGURES. In connection with the figures recently given of the Brantford District Methodist church, Copetown membership, and Onondaga 190 were inadvertently not included. With these the total membership of the district is 1,200 and connexional funds \$16,810.

NOTABLE SERVICE. Some twenty-five members of Salvation Army, S. O. E. took part in a special military service at the Anglican church, Simcoe. The event was in memory of two Simcoe boys killed at the front and was most impressive in every way. Rev. Mr. Ramsey preached a fine sermon.

A MAY DAY. Traffic in and out of the city yesterday was heavy and in all branches of the city people enjoyably spent the day. Golf, baseball, tennis, bowling and canoeing were all arranged, and automobilists had a splendidly good start, all the garages in the city being emptied of their cars.

FORMER BRANTFORDITE. A program received in the city announced the death in Winnipeg of James Wood, a former resident of Brantford, who used to be in the employ of the Grand Trunk railway. Two of his sons were here not long ago at the Old Boys' Reunion. He will be buried here on Thursday in the family plot at Greenwood cemetery.

FLAGS ATFLYING. Many national and allied flags were flying over the city yesterday. Over Hamilton's warehouse the Russian, British and Italian standards were evident, the fire hall boasted a wood-torn Jack, and Andrich's store an immense Old Glory of Britain, while all the public and government buildings displayed their bunting generously.

A HOLIDAY LIST. There was a long holiday list of drinks and similar minor offences before Magistrate Livingston this morning at the police court. Oscar Misener was fined \$25 for assaulting P. C. Roberts, beside the Grand Trunk station, and Dominic Maestri was dismissed the bench because that there was no proof sufficient that he had bought a wheel, and did not steal it as was suspected.

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Advertisement for Chas. A. Jarvis Opt. D. featuring optometry services, contact lenses, and eye examinations. Located at 52 Market Street.

Advertisement for Neill Shoe Company featuring a 'Special for SATURDAY' with various shoe models and prices, including Little Lads' Tan Calf Blucher and Women's High Grade Lace Boots.

SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL. The Thew Automatic Shovel Co. of Lorain, Ohio, have sent plans and specifications of a device of theirs, putting it forward that as a new shovel proposition, it will interest the City Council.

WOULD LOOK BETTER. The environs of the post office are attracting attention by reason of the builders' debris left lying in the immediate vicinity. Citizens feel that the architectural glories of the new pile would be better emphasized by the removal of much that at present mars the site.

CHEQUE RECEIVED. The City Treasurer has received a cheque for \$18,54 from the Board of Licence Commissioners, being the first distribution of 1915-16. This is the city's share, according to Ontario law of the receipts from the liquor.

AN OFFICIAL TOUR. Mr. E. H. Scammell of the Canadian Peace Centenary Association of Ottawa, has submitted to the Council an official circular regarding a proposed official tour of the American and Canadian Peace Centenary Associations to the Exhibition at San Francisco during July.

MARKET OILED. The Market Square has been oiled and farmers will no longer be troubled with dust on the windy days. This morning the old square was given a coat of oil for the first time in its history. It was copiously applied and brushed over the surface, and it is doubtful whether it will be dry for the Saturday market. The innovation is not likely, at first, to prove popular with the farmers.

EMPIRE DAY. On Sunday, Wellington St. School room was appropriately decorated with flags. At the close of the lesson study, the exercises partook of a patriotic nature—a former member—now removed—through the Supt., presented the school with a large handsome Union Jack, which on its being displayed was greeted with a quick, hearty round of applause, the entire school rising and joining in the National Anthem. This was followed by the singing of The Maple Leaf, and a brief address by the pastor, Rev. R. Hamilton in keeping with Empire Day.

FINE EXHIBITION. There will be an interesting exhibition of public school work in the Conservatory on Thursday and Friday, both in the afternoon and evening. The work will be divided into three sections, domestic science, household science and art. The use of the Conservatory for the time has been kindly granted by Mr. and Mrs. N. Andrews.

A LITTLE SCRUM. On Saturday night about 6 o'clock there was a nice little scrum at the Grand Trunk depot. On a call being sent in to the police station, P. C. Roberts had responded with the patrol wagon and was assisting a drunk to be seated thereunto, when the tipsy one, Oscar Misener, sobered suddenly, and started a fight for liberty. A crowd quickly gathered and not by any means inclined to assist the law in its endeavor. Some acts of molestation brought the heavy hand of the law on Joe Atfield and Gordon O'Connor. Roberts had a tunic ripped, his baton and other insignia scattered, as well as a bad knock on the elbow which removed an easy square inch of skin. The drunk will thus find himself charged with assault, and the other worthies with molesting a constable in discharge of his duties. This is not the first time of late that the city police have been interfered with and the Chief Constable shows commendable zeal in quickly having such offenders placed under lock and key. They came up for trial to-day, and Misener was fined \$25 and costs, and O'Connor and Atfield were dismissed on a charge of obstruction.

COULD NOT PLAY. Owing to a left-handed baseman's glove not being available in Hamilton yesterday afternoon, Foran could not be played on first sack. In the morning game here he had to borrow a glove.

I. O. G. T. PICNIC. The Independent Order of Good Templars held a picnic yesterday to the O. I. B. grounds, and a splendid afternoon of outdoor recreation was enjoyed. After the games were over, 60 people adjourned to the home of Mrs. McWhirter, at 41 North Park street, where refreshments were served and the evening brought to a close with songs and music.

FIRST CONVENTION. The Optometrical Association of Ontario opened its first annual convention in the Foresters hall, Toronto. This is the first official convention held in the Province of Ontario, and was attended largely. Many lectures were delivered, and Mr. C. A. Jarvis, of this city, on "Eye Dissection," (150 eyes being dissected in the morning). Mr. Jarvis lectured on the "Evolution of the Eye."

REWARD OFFERED. The police have received a letter from the chief constable of Sault Ste. Marie, announcing a reward of \$150—\$100 family, and \$50 by the city—for the finding of the person of Mr. Bowker, on or before July 1st. He is a mining recorder who disappeared on May 6th, and it is feared that through lapse of memory he may be unable to identify himself, or has met with some accident.

LETTER FROM MAJOR COLQUHOUN. Mrs. Colquhoun yesterday received a letter from her husband. He stated that he was feeling well and that they had received orders to start to. From the sound of the big guns up the line, he thought there was something doing. He also enclosed the programme of a memorial service held in the Aviation Park, Dailieu, on a Sunday, as a tribute to the Canadians who had fallen in action.

A DECREASE. Comparison of Street Car earnings for the week ending May 22nd, 1915, city lines only: Monday \$109.91 Tuesday \$80.22 Wednesday \$84.77 Thursday \$87.65 Friday \$97.23 Saturday \$157.50 Showing a decrease of \$21.87. The falling off is largely accounted for by the cars on the Eagle Line, line not being able to go beyond the T. H. and B. station.

A. Y. P. A. PICNIC. A delightful picnic was held in the O. I. B. grounds yesterday afternoon by the young people of Grace church, under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A. There were about thirty or forty people present, and all enjoyed a real good time. Archdeacon Mackenzie and Rev. H. C. Light of St. Paul's church, Holmedale, were present. A splendid program of games and races, for which Miss Dora Ginn was responsible, was held, and it was through the efforts of Mrs. Hall that dainty refreshments were served to the picnickers after the program had been concluded.

DUFFS HELD SHAM BATTLE YESTERDAY. Mohawk Park Scene of Military Operations. About two hundred loyal soldiers of the Dufferin Rifles turned out for the sham battle yesterday morning. The first formed up at the Armouries, then proceeded to Mohawk Park, where the sham battle was waged.

Autos Haul Huge Guns. One of the most modern of the German guns is a howitzer which is hauled by motor cars. Its calibre is 11 inches and the piece is 11 feet long. Its shell weighs 130 pounds, which at an elevation of 4 1/2 degrees can be thrown about 6 miles. The charging of this weapon takes eight men. Naturally a piece like this is not easily transported about the country and is useful only against fortresses.

Yesterday Was Opening Day For Bowlers. PASTIME CLUB. President G. H. Sager officially announced the bowling season opened. A motion of condolence was moved to the bereaved relatives of the late Norman Creech, a number of the bowlers left to attend the funeral of their late friend. About forty-five attended, and were divided into two groups, under the President and Vice-President.

Italy and the United States have reached an agreement on the matter of contraband. The Italian government has agreed to allow the United States to search Italian ships for contraband goods.

MEREST TRIFLES HAVE CAUSED WAR. A King's Clean Shave Started One and an Old Bucket, Still in Existence, Another.

Opinions may differ as to whether the dispute which led to the present war should have been considered sufficient to justify the loss of blood and treasure, but it is certain that many great wars in history have resulted from much more trivial causes. A visit to the royal barber by Louis VII. of France plunged two nations—France and England—into intermittent warfare which lasted 300 years. According to the story, the Archbishop of Rouen persuaded the King to remove his beard, in common with his subjects. The act of so much friction with the Queen that at last Louis divorced her, to become a few months later the wife of Henry II. of England. From this marriage centuries of French may be said to have followed.

In an iron case in the tower of the cathedral in Modena, Italy, there is to this day a bucket which 900 years ago was the cause of a terrible war. The rulers of Modena in a mischievous mood stole the bucket from a public well in Bologna and refused to return it. The states were rivals and were jealous of each other, and fights between soldiers of the two followed. This spark kindled a fire of war which devastated a large part of Europe, and led to the imprisonment for life of the King of Sardinia, son of the German Emperor.

Broken Teapot Started War. A broken teapot started a war in China 250 years ago which cost half a million lives. The teapot was the cherished possession of a dignitary high in favor with the Emperor. When travelling through a lawless province in the northwest of China some of his retinue who had fallen behind the main body were intercepted by a band of robbers, and among the spoils the teapot was found and contemptuously thrown on the ground and broken. The mandarin reported his loss to the Emperor, a force of soldiers was sent out, and a long and terrible war ensued.

The manipulation by Count Bismarck, then prime minister of Prussia, of a telegram set Prussia and France flying at each other's throat in 1870. The French ambassador went to Ems, where Emperor William I. then was, to ask him not to approve the conference of Prince Leopold to become the King of Spain. The King refused to give definite answer, but Prince Anthony of Hohenzollern withdrew his candidacy. A report of the conference of Prince Leopold to become the King of Spain. The King refused to give definite answer, but Prince Anthony of Hohenzollern withdrew his candidacy.

Over a Glass of Water. The war of the Spanish succession, in which the great Duke of Marlborough played a brilliant part, was said to be the outcome of a glass of water at a ball at the Tuileries in Paris. One of the court ladies had expressed a wish for a drink of water. In the hearing of the British and Spanish Ambassadors, who hastened to get it for her. Returning each with a tumbler they found the fair bird had flown and was dancing with a French statesman. The English diplomat accidentally, it is presumed, brushed against the Spaniard and upset the glass he was carrying. This ridiculous incident inflamed the jealousies of the nations and turned the balance in favor of war.

The Seven Years War was largely due, according to his own confession, to the vanity of Frederick the Great in wanting to see his name figure largely in the gazettes. The Snyoys believed that cartridges served out to them were greased with the fat of animals unclean alike to Hindu and Mohammedan, and the Indian Mutiny was precipitated.

The Turkish-Russian War was said to have been started by the hammer with which a Herzegovian blacksmith killed a tax collector who had insulted his daughter. The stealing of a Castle lady's lace petticoat by a Moor led to many years of fierce warfare between the Spaniards and the Moors.

Borrowing a tobacco pipe and falling to return it kindled a civil war which lasted for years in the four rival races in Pamirs and Afghanistan. A dispute as to the relative attractions of snails and vipers as food started fifty years of fighting between Milan and Pisa.

Kitchener Fought Prussians. Few people are aware that the first man to fall in the Franco-German war of '70 was an English officer of aristocratic birth who was serving with the German Uhlans against France. Large numbers of English officers fought on both sides. Lord Kitchener fought for France in that war as a volunteer.

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Advertisement for E. B. Crompton & Co. Limited, featuring 'THE WHITEWEAR SECTION OFFERS FOR BRIDAL TROUSSEAU'. Includes illustrations of women in dresses and lists of clothing items like Petticoats, Princess Slips, Dainty Nightgowns, and Dainty Drawers with prices.

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Advertisement for BUTTER WRAPPERS, featuring 'THE COURIER' brand. Text: 'Since the war in Europe commenced, Butter Wrapper stock has almost doubled in price. Until our present stock is exhausted we will sell 1000 sheets, printed with your name and address, for \$2.75. When we have to buy again the price will be higher.'

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Advertisement for Beecham's Pills, featuring 'Time and Trial Prove'. Text: 'the unequalled value of Beecham's Pills as the best corrective of ailments of the digestive organs so common—and the best preventive of lasting and serious sickness so often resulting from defective or irregular action of the stomach, liver or bowels.'

That Son-in-Law of Pa's



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SPORT

Baseball—Football—Basketball—Bowling—Hockey—Curling—Boxing and Wrestling.

BRANTS LOST MORNING GAME, BUT WON IN THE AFTERNOON

Locals Failed to Come Across With the Necessary Bingle in the Seventh—Redeemed Themselves in the Afternoon.

Warner split the beans yesterday when he fled high in the seventh inning, he being the third man up with Foran and Lamond on the last two bases. Driving hard, he sent high for an easy catch, and from Woods' peg to plate Foran was caught sliding home. Matty Lamond failed to advance to third, and Green, the next man up, was an easy out. Be it understood that at this time the Indians were only a single tally behind Crisall's boys, and now presented with a lively chance to go to the front when

O'Keefe's Pilsener Lager advertisement with a list of features: the healthful drink, the wholesome drink, the cooling drink, the delicious drink, the satisfying drink.

Ford Touring Car advertisement featuring an image of the car and text: 'Your neighbor drives a Ford—why don't you? We are selling more Fords in Canada this year than ever before—because Canadians demand the best in motor car service at the lowest possible cost. The "Made in Canada" Ford is a necessity—not a luxury.'

they were retired in order. Returning in the fourth, Rube's aggression came back to the attack. Mullin made the second bag on a single and an overthrow. Fried walked and Foran whipped a three bagger to the fence. Two runs in. Lamond bunted, but Foran hesitated and was lost coming home. This ended the scoring of the Brants, and Dolan's path was easier.

Again the Hams got to Warner for four hits in the 5th when Linneborne singled and Harris and Crisall each knocked doubles with Tiffany tallying. Harris and Crisall crossed the plate, Linneborne being caught at second attempting to steal.

Thereafter Warner received good support, and there was nothing doing as far as runs were concerned. The Hams opened strongly in the ninth, when Pembroke and Broadbent got on, but a double play to Foran ended the rally and Dolan fanned.

Although Rube went in as pinch hitter in the ninth he did not come across, sending the ball to right field where Crisall was waiting. Foran was out to left and Green fanned. The game was over and the Brants had lost.

One of the features of the game was the fine work of Foran, a new first sacker who dropped in from Syracuse on Sunday night. Up to bat four times he came across with a triple and a two bagger and a single. He is quite capable and will relieve Rube from the inner pasture. Green did not register a single hit. So far this season he has been up seven times and has yet to get his first bingle.

Warner did not appear to get warmed up to his task until the end of the game and he was well hit, his opponents picking off nine lively swats. He did not exhibit the same speedy break as was evident in his first game, and sent them straight across. It was only later that he brought off some really classy twirling and then he got out of some tight corners in good style. Nothing got away from Matty Lamond, but this could not be applied to Pembroke, who was accountable for several bad breaks, one of which meant a run for Dunlop. The latter pulled a bonehead play when he did not catch Crisall sliding in on the sack. He seemed to be under a wrong impression of some kind. The men who tallied runs yesterday did not get the hits, for Mullins, Fried and Dunlop each tallied, but did not connect successfully, while Foran did the bulk of the swatting to be caught sliding home twice. Lamond and Burrill each landed heavily but did not count.

Dolan pitched a pretty good brand of ball, and mixed up speed and curve, but he did not puzzle Foran one bit. The contest was not one of the hair-raising kind, but it contained just a fair spice of excitement and the closeness of the issue gave it an additional thrill, although the fact that the winning run never came robbed the game of much of its interest as far as Brantfordites were concerned.

Philadelphia 11 21 344
Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 5, New York 4.
Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 4.
Detroit 4, Washington 0.
St. Louis 4, Boston 3.
To-day's Games.
New York at Chicago; Washington at Detroit, Boston at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Cleveland.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.
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Pittsburgh 20 12 .625
Chicago 20 14 .590
Kansas City 18 14 .562
Newark 19 16 .543
Brooklyn 15 15 .500
St. Louis 15 16 .484
Baltimore 13 21 .382
Buffalo 10 24 .294
Kansas City 2, Newark 1.
St. Louis 2, Baltimore 1.
Chicago 4, Buffalo 3.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, wet grounds.
14 innings.

To-days Games
Newark at Kansas City, Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, Baltimore at St. Louis, Buffalo at Chicago.

GUELPH LOSE TWO TO CHAMPIONS
The Morning Game at Ottawa Went Thirteen Innings.

Ottawa, May 25.—The champion Ottawa took two games from Guelph in the Canadian League here yesterday. Fine weather prevailed and big crowds turned out. In the morning, Powers scored the winning run in the thirteenth inning when Charlie Isaac made the mistake of catching a hard foul fly behind third base, Powers beating the throw home. Fisher came across the plate in the tenth with what should have been the decisive counter, but Umpire Bedford ruled that he had left third before the ball was caught. Knotty Lee was put out of the game and fined \$10 in the dispute which followed. Auld was knocked out of the box in the fourth. Powers also hit Dorbeck hard. Kubat went the entire route for the Ottawas. Powers had a home run in the second with the bases empty. It was the longest hit ever seen on these grounds.

In the afternoon Shocker bested Kirley after a pitching duel. Shocker practically won it when he doubled in the seventh and scored Cole from second. Both pitchers did good work. Carleton continued his slugging for the Ottawas, having four hits in as many times up. Shaughnessy was out of both games on account of his injured knee. The weather turned hot and several of the players were on the verge of collapse at the close of the second match.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Toronto 4-3, Newark 3-5.
Montreal 3-3, Jersey City 3-1.
Buffalo 4, Richmond 4.
Rochester 3, Providence 2.
TO-DAY'S GAMES
Newark at Toronto; Jersey City at Montreal, Providence at Rochester, Richmond at Buffalo.

order—that is for a city league. The battery selections by Manager Humble for the Macs was Lynn and Powell, while the Alerts depended upon Myers to send them over with McKay on the receiving end.

Terrace Hill started off well by getting to Lynn for three runs. In their half of the first inning, MacBride's came back with two counters, putting them one run behind the Alerts. After this inning, both the pitchers tightened up, with Lynn having the best of the argument, while the support of the Terrace Hill was wobbly, with the result that the MacBride's got four runs during the rest of the game, while the Alerts could do was to add a couple. Nip Wilkinson was the hitting star of the game, getting three healthy clouts, one going to the fence for a double.

The work of Outfielders Pierce and Lennington of the MacBride team was also a feature.
Batteries: MacBrides, Lynn and Powell; Alerts, Myers and McKay.
Umpire, Burnett.

LONDON WON IN MORNING.
Defeated St. Thomas by the Score of Seven to One.
St. Thomas May 24.—In a game featured by misplays and errors London defeated St. Thomas here in the morning game. Whotcraft and Vogt starred. Umpire Walsh was away oft and was in trouble all the time.

ST. THOMAS WON THE OTHER.
St. Thomas Reversed the Tables on London.
London, Ont., May 25.—After having defeated St. Thomas in the morning game, the Railers before the same crew by 2 to 2 at Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon.

Hughey was not sufficient with his twirling in the morning session, but Reilly graced the afternoon portion of the holiday bill most effectively. Doc Reising was in the game himself and shared the second sack with Leisted in turn. Bierbauer tried hard to score, while Howell in goal was always ready. The Sons assumed the upper hand again and played with much determination and after 15 minutes play were rewarded. Dixon cleverly beat three men and passed to Smith, who made no mistake with his shot and the Sons were one up. Paris now put Curl in the forward line and tried hard to even up, but the Sons never let up. The Sons played a safe game and nearly increased their lead when Johnson heaved over the bar from a corner, well placed by Baker, and Hamilton put in a shot which Brier pulled down as it was going under the bar. At the other end Curl shot past the post and from then till the end the Sons continued to have the best of the game. Dixon shot over the bar. Paris tried hard to even up but the Sons were still pressing when the game ended in favor of S.O.E., 1 to nothing.

SONS PRACTICE.
The Sons will practice this evening at the Tutela Park when all players are requested to put in an appearance (get to work at 6.30 p.m.) (Additional Sport on Page Eight)

GRAY HAIR
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CITY LEAGUE OFF TO A GOOD START
MacBride's Trim Alerts in Good Game on Saturday, 6-5.
The City Baseball League got away to a good start on Saturday, when the MacBride baseball team defeated the Terrace Hill Alerts by the score of 6 to 5.

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CHAPTER XIV.

L ODER entered Lady Bramfell's feeling far more like an actor in a drama than an ordinary man in a peculiar situation. It was the first time he had played Chilcote to a purely social audience and the first time for many years that he had rubbed shoulders with a well-dressed crowd ostensibly brought together for amusement. As he followed Eve along the corridor that led to the reception rooms he questioned the reality of the position again and again; then abruptly, at the moment when the sensation of familiarity was strongest, a cheery voice hailed him, and, turning, he saw the square shoulders, light eyes and pointed moustache of Lakey, the owner of the St. George's Gazette.

At the sight of the man and the sound of his greeting his doubts and speculations vanished. The essentials of life rose again to the position they had occupied three weeks ago, in the short, but strenuous period when his doctored activities had been stirred and he had recognized his true self. He lifted his head unconsciously, the shade of misgiving that had crossed his confidence passing from him as he smiled at Lakey with a keen, alert pleasure that altered his whole face.

Eve, looking back, saw the expression. It attracted and held her, like a sudden glimpse into a secret room. In all the years of her marriage, in the months of her courtship even, she had never surprised the look on Chilcote's face. The impression came quickly and with it a strange, warm rush of interest that receded slowly, leaving an odd sense of loneliness. But, at the moment that the feeling came, her attention was claimed in another direction. A slight, fair haired boy forced his way toward her through the press of people that filled the corridor.

"Mrs. Chilcote!" he exclaimed. "Can I believe my luck in finding you alone?"

Eve laughed. It seemed that there was relief in her laugh. "How absurd you are, Bobby!" she said kindly. "But you are wrong. My husband is here. I am waiting for him."

Blessington looked around. "Oh!" he said. "Indeed?" Then he relapsed into silence. He was the soul of good nature, but those who knew him best knew that Chilcote's summary change of secretaries had rankled. Eve, conscious of the little jar, made haste to smooth it away.

"Tell me about yourself," she said. "What have you been doing?"

Blessington looked at her, then smiled again, his buoyancy restored. "Doing?" he said. "Oh, calling every other afternoon at Grosvenor square, only to find that a certain lady is never at home."

At his tone Eve laughed again. "The boy, with his frank and ingenuous nature, had beguiled many a dull hour for her in past days, and she had missed him not a little when his face had been filled by Greening.

"But I mean seriously, Bobby. Has something good turned up?"

Blessington made a wry face. "Something is on its way. That's why I'm on duty tonight. Old Bramfell and the paper are working it between them, so if Lady Bramfell or Lady Astrupp happen to drop a fan or a handkerchief this evening I've got to be here to pick it up. See?"

"As you picked up my fans and handkerchiefs last year and the year before?" Eve smiled.

Blessington's face suddenly looked grave. "I wish you hadn't said that," he said. Then he paused abruptly. Out of the hum of talk behind them a man's laugh sounded. It was not loud, but it was a laugh that one seldom hears in a London drawing room. It expressed interest, amusement and in an inappreciable way it seemed also to express strength.

Eve and Blessington both turned involuntarily.

"By Jove!" said Blessington. "Eve said nothing."

Loder was parting with Lakey and his was the laugh that had attracted them both. The interest excited by his talk was still reflected in his face and bearing as he made his way toward them.

"By Jove!" said Blessington again. "I never realized that Chilcote was so tall."

Again Eve said nothing. But silently and with a more subtle meaning she found herself echoing the words.

Until he was quite close to her Loder did not seem to see her. Then he stopped quietly.

"I was speaking to Lakey," he said. "He wants me to dine with him one night at Cadogan Gardens."

But Eve was silent, waiting for him to address Blessington. She glanced at him quickly, but though their eyes met he did not catch the meaning that lay in hers. It was a difficult moment. She had known him incredibly, unparadoxically absentmindedly, but it had invariably been when he was suffering from nerves, as she phrased it to herself. But tonight he was obviously in the possession of unclouded faculties. She colored slightly and glanced under her lashes at Blessington. Had the same idea struck him, she wondered? But he was studiously studying a suit of Chinese armor that stood close by in a niche of the wall.

"Bobby has been keeping me amused

while you talked to Mr. Lakey," she said pointedly.

Directly addressed, Loder turned and looked at Blessington. "How do you do?" he said, with doubtful cordiality. The name of Bobby conveyed nothing to him.

To his surprise Eve looked annoyed and Blessington's fresh colored face deepened in tone. With a slow, uncomfortable sensation he was aware of having struck a wrong note.

There was a short, unpleasant pause. Then, more by intuition than actual sight, Blessington saw Eve's eyes turn from him to Loder, and with quick tact he saved the situation.

"How do you do, sir?" he responded, with a smile. "I congratulate you on looking so—so uncommon well. I was just telling Mrs. Chilcote that I hold a commission for Lady Astrupp tonight. I'm a sort of scout at present—reporting on the outposts." He spoke fast and without much meaning, but his boyish voice eased the strain.

"Eve thanked him with a smile. "How sweet of you to come!" she murmured. And it seemed to Loder that a more spontaneous smile lighted up her face. Then she extended her hand to him. "And you, too?" she added. "Though I fear we shall bore you dreadfully."

Watching her with interest, he saw the change of expression as her eyes turned from Eve to him and noticed a colder tone in her voice as she addressed him directly. The observation moved him to self assertion.

"That's a poor compliment to me," he said. "To be bored is surely only a polite way of being insane."

"What?" she exclaimed. "What?" she exclaimed. "You defending your social reputation?"

Loder laughed a little. "The smaller it is the more defending it needs," he replied.

Another stream of arrivals swept by them as he spoke. Eve smiled at their host and he perceived followed. As he gained her side the little court about Lady Bramfell was left well in the rear, the great throng at the farther end of the room was not yet reached, and for the moment they were practically alone.

There was a certain uneasiness in that moment of companionship. It seemed to him that Eve wished to speak, but hesitated. Once or twice she opened and closed the fan that she was carrying, then at last, as if by an effort, she turned and looked at him.

"Why were you so cold to Bobby Blessington?" she asked. "Doesn't it seem discourteous to ignore him as you did?"

Her manner was subdued. It was not the annoyed manner that one uses to a man when he has behaved ill; it was the explanatory tone one might adopt toward an incorrigible child. Loder felt this, but the gist of a remark always came to him first, its mode of expression later. The fact that it was Blessington whom he had encountered—Blessington to whom he had spoken with vague politeness—came to him with a sense of unpleasantness. He was not to blame in the matter, nevertheless he blamed himself. He was annoyed that he should have made the slip in Eve's presence.

They were moving forward, nearing the press of people in the second room, when Eve spoke and the fact filled him with an added sense of annoyance. People smiled and bowed to her from every side; one woman leaned forward as they passed and whispered something in her ear. Again the sensation of futility and vexation came to him; again he realized how palpable was the place she held in the world. Then, as his feelings reached their height and speech seemed forced upon him, a small man with a round face, catching a glimpse of Eve, darted from a circle of people gathered in one of the windows and came quickly toward them. With an unjust touch

of irritation he recognized Lord Bramfell. Again the sense of Eve's aloofness stung him as their host approached. In another moment she would be lost to him among this throng of strangers—claimed by them as by right.

"Eve," he said involuntarily and under his breath.

She had turned and turned toward him. "Yes?" she said, and he wondered if it was his imagination that made the word sound slightly eager.

"About that matter of Blessington," he began; then he stopped. Bramfell had reached them.

The little man came up smiling and with an outstretched hand. "There's no penalty for separating husband and wife, is there, Mrs. Chilcote? How are you, Chilcote?" He turned from one to the other with the quick, noiseless manner that always characterized him.

Loder turned aside to hide his vexation, but Eve greeted their host with her usual self possessed smile.

(To be continued.)

DISEASE DUE TO BAD BLOOD

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AMERICAN ITALIANS ITALIANS

New Line Has Catorello on South— Enthusiasm

By Special Wire to the Courier
Rome, May 25, via Paris.
The bulletin issued by the to-day announcing that he had entered upon Austrian territory, caused great enthusiasm. It showed that the Italians were all the mountains between Idria and Isonzo rivers, advancing, they had taken which commands the road Gorizia, an important Austrian frontier station from the north to the center Friuli, the report into the Italians also had occupied of the same name, and the Gradiška, Austria, and that in southern Friuli, Cervigo other important Austrian frontier leading to Monfalcone Trieste had been taken.

The Giornale Italia comes in the bulletin says: "The advance occupied a front of 10 kilometres (about 6 1/2 miles) has extreme points Caporetto, to the north, to the Gulf of Trieste to the south. The Italian aviators penetrated into Austrian distances ranging from 40 to 50 miles."

AUSTRIAN RETIRE
Rome, May 26.—Offensive operations resulting in the occupation of Austrian territory along the front Lombardy to the Adriatic claimed in an official statement last night by the war office troops have seized various points in the Trentino and forced through the mountain defiles lower Isonzo, attacks were to gain the line of the river. Austrians are reported to be destroying bridges behind them and aviators are reported to be near the Gulf of Trieste.

Rome, May 26.—Official Giornale D'Italia to-day conveys the calm attitude maintained by Italian people on the occasion of the departure from Rome last night of German diplomats. The paper says this is especially of notice because the peace incensed over the bombardment of Ancona and Venice, and the reports that Italian soldiers had been treated inhumanely while attempting to return to their homes.

The indignation of the people added to-day by the report that an Austrian torpedo boat had been struck by a shell pursuing Italian squadron in the Gulf of Trieste.

PEOPLE EXULT
Udine, Italy, May 25, via Rome.—From here to Montebelluna, the ancient capital of the province, the Italian troops have taken possession of the town. The first Brantford man this morning by a Courier's engagement at Ypres, when he was shot. He has also been in the trenches for some months there it was so hot and dry. Such was the heat that he had to wear his feet in footwear, he got his feet broken out.

He left Brantford to join the British troops. He stayed while there when not on duty during which time he was shot. Pte. Cunningham, during the German snipers. A part, some of them were with hand grenades. The young lad is looking and friends. He has secured

PTE. G. M. HAS TAKEN PART IN YPRES AND ARMED AND VICTORIOUS