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NO LOOTING ALLOWED Even amid the grim horrors of war there is occasionally to be found a humorous element. In an amusing caustic, entitled "Week-Ends at the War" in the "Outlook," Mr. Charles C. Harper presents some quaint pen pictures of British soldiers.

MARY PICKFORD in "A GIRL OF YESTERDAY" AT THE BRANT THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, THIS WEEK.

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THE COURIER

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The Situation.

The expected has happened with regard to Montenegro, although in this case the aged King (he is in his 75th year) as he wept, signed a capitulation. He and his little army stood no chance, and the move was made to stave off the horrors perpetrated in Belgium and Serbia.

Woman's Hospital Aid.

The annual meeting of the Women's Hospital Aid served to fully demonstrate that this excellent institution, still continues with marked success the notable work in which it is engaged.

Postal Returns.

Post Office returns in the matter of the sale of stamps constitute first-class evidence of the business and general prosperity of a place.

Table with 4 columns: Location, Postal Revenue, Money Orders Issued, Money Orders Paid. Rows include Brantford, Kingston, Guelph, Woodstock, Belleville, Berlin, Chatham, Galt, St. Catharines, Paris, Burford, Cainsville, Cathcart, Echo Place, Harley, Kelvin, Mohawk, Mt. Pleasant, Norwich, Oakland.

orders paid \$348.33. Salary and allowances \$151.46. Onondaga. Postal revenue \$239.46. Money orders issued \$2,012. Money orders paid \$766. Salary and allowances \$145.61.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The Expositor denies that it has made "venomous" attacks on Ald. Pitcher. As a matter of fact, it has singled out this gentleman in a most vicious manner and its own columns furnish the proof.

To The Editor

Worth Their Full Value. Brantford P.O. Ont. Jan. 14, '16. Sir.—Will you please find room in your paper for the following:

MEN NEEDED

As Constables and Watchmen—Opportunity for Returned Soldiers.

The following letter is self-explanatory: Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Ont. January 13th, 1916. Alderman Dowling, Chairman Soldiers' Aid Commission, Brantford, Ontario.

AN OLD TIMER

London, Jan. 15.—A Danish sailing vessel that is 129 years old, but is still in sound condition put into West Hartlepool this week to discharge cargo.

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RUSSIAN OFFICERS AT WORK IN A TRENCH

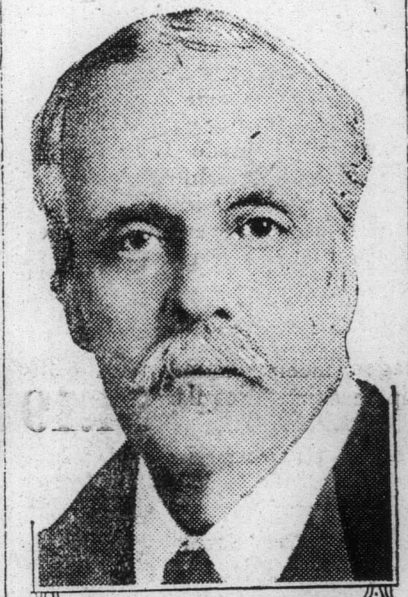


The Russian artillery, handicapped as it has been in many ways, is now said to be gradually proving its worth in battle, especially the work of the observer. This picture, which describes the observer at work, shows an officer using a range finder in the trenches.

INSTALLATION

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 12th, Lodge Wolf, 105 S.O.E.B.S. held their regular meeting and annual installation of officers and past officers.

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New York Shoes—Canadian Wheat. How Various Parts of the World are Answering the Appeal for Destitute Belgium.

Brussels, Jan. 15.—J. Ingenbeck, secretary to his Majesty, King Albert of Belgium, has just sent a cablegram to Mr. Clews of New York expressing the gratitude of the Belgian sovereigns and their subjects for the work of the Dollar Christmas Fund of New York.

JARVIS' DEPENDABLE EYE EXAMINATIONS. Notice that the word DEPENDABLE is underscored! I KNOW that Jarvis' Eye Examinations are Dependable, yet the best proof of this is the fact that day by day folks come to me who say, "Mr. or Mrs. told me to come here and have my eyes examined."

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# REVIEW OF THE ATTRACTIONS AT OUR LOCAL THEATRES THIS COMING WEEK

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## ANNOUNCEMENT!

Owing to the length of our program, we have decided to discontinue the two performances on Saturday night. Instead we will run continuous from 1 to 5.30 in the afternoon, trusting that this will take care of our regular Saturday overflow. The same program will be given at the matinee as in the evening.

### MUSIC AND DRAMA

"Cora" the splendid Metro Star-film which is booked at the Colonial Theatre, on January 20, 21, 22, is one of the most notable film successes of the year. It has as its star, Miss Emily Stevens, who has in it established herself in the permanent affections of the picture loving public as every place where it has been seen in Canada "Cora" scores a real triumph and has shown her splendid emotional powers to great advantage. Miss Stevens comes by her distinctive dramatic talents naturally however, for she is a niece of Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske and kin to half a score of other famous artists of the American stage. Before joining the Metro forces for screen work, she created the stellar roles in several Broadway successes, the most notable of which was "To-day" which had a long run at William A. Brady's Playhouse in New York and on the road. Now she is starring in one of the biggest triumphs of the New York season, "The Unchastened Woman."

In "Cora" Miss Stevens portrays the part of a young girl left destitute when her mother, a former operatic star dies. It is one of those heart-touching series of instances that are so true to life and yet have in them so much of real dramatic intensity that those who see the picture are instantly gripped with spellbinding interest. After Cora's mother dies she tries to get employment at a musical agency, as she has her mother's voice, but the grief which overcomes her, makes her show it to poor advantage. The girl then tries to earn her living as an artist model and from that point on through 200 scenes of ever increasing thrills Miss Stevens creates a part which will live long in the annals of truly great pictures, beautifully photographed and superbly directed "Cora" comes up to every ideal of Metro production.

### THE CHERNIAVSKYS RETURN

Leo, Jan, and Mischel Cherniavsky have created an impression in Canada that will undoubtedly leave its effects for many years to come. It has been said by the critics, that no artists in the history of Canada have ever created such enthusiasm and such interest in music. They have probably done more to stimulate music in Canada than any twelve great artists that have visited the Dominion.

The Melbourne "Age", of June 22, speaking of the Cherniavskys, says: "The clever Cherniavsky trio, Leo, the violinist, Jan the pianist and Mischel the cellist, all gave convincing proof of their musicianship. A few years ago they were regarded as wonder children, but now they have entered the ranks of mature artists, and must be regarded as such. To an audience that comprised a large section of the 'popular element' the chamber music of Tschaiikowsky and concertos for violin by Paganini and Liszt must have come as an unexpected experience. Jan Cherniavsky made a great impression. His interpretation was marked by an ed-

mirable grasp of the essential spirit of the rhapsodic music and also by the brilliance of his technique. He was recalled several times and added Paderewski's minuet and a Toccata by Leschetskiy as encores. Michael Cherniavsky chose for his 'cello solos a beautiful Cantabile by Cui, Paganini's 'Arlequin' and as the extra numbers the latter composer's Papillon and the Broken Melody (Van Bione). The early promise of Michael Cherniavsky is being amply fulfilled, and the future will hear more of him. Leo Cherniavsky gave a spirited performance of Paganini's violin concerto No. 2 in D Major--the well written cadenza being from the artist's own pen. In the early portion of the programme the Cherniavskys gave an enjoyable rendering of Tschaiikowsky's A minor trio which collectively and individually they were heard to advantage, the sensitive and delicate work of Leo Cherniavsky being particularly noticeable.

These young geniuses will give a return concert here on Feb. 3.

### A GREAT COMEDY.

"A Pair of Sixes" to be presented at the Grand Opera House on Tuesday night has proved one of the most notable of modern comedy successes. It has had long runs in London, New York and Chicago, and will be presented here by a first class English company.

### "QUINNEYS" FROM THE HAYMARKET THEATRE, LONDON.

Friday night next, Mr. Frederick Harrison will present "Quinneys" from the Haymarket Theatre, London with his English company, at the Grand "Quinneys" which has been running forty weeks, was the success of the London season. This play is a comedy in four acts by the well-known novelist, Horace Annesley Vachell. "Quinneys" was characterized by a London reviewer as being: "All about old chairs and young hearts, an old fusspot and a young girl." It ran eight weeks in New York at the Maxine Elliott Theatre.

### NEW CHIEF AT GALLIPOLI



SIR ARCHIBALD MURRAY  
Sir Archibald Murray has been appointed to succeed Sir Charles Monro as British commander at the Dardanelles.

### A MOVEMENT

#### Started in the Old Land for the Home Growing of Timber.

London, Jan. 2 (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—A movement for the home growing of timber has been initiated here by Lord Selbourne in order to revive a steadily declining industry. Foreign competition, has within the past twenty years, driven all enterprise out of the British timber trade and frightened away capital. But Lord Selbourne hopes to take advantage of a temporary revival due to the war and put the industry on a permanent footing.

Forestry, he declared in an address before the English Forestry Association quite recently has never received proper attention in England. English woods should be organized, new trees properly guarded and destructive animals, such as rabbits, exterminated. The speaker concluded with an appeal to coalmen to make their pit proprietors with British landowners.

An immense amount of timber has been imported here since the outbreak of war, particularly for the construction of temporary barracks, the army training camps. Yet the freight rates have been so heavy that the resulting higher price of imported timber has given the British an unexpected opportunity. The freight cost has had the effect of a bonus for home products. Owing to the shortage of props from Norway, English props have been considerably used in the mines this year. English timber of the rougher sort for scantling and rough work has supplanted the usual Canadian supply as well.

The Forestry Association passed resolutions asking the government to retain at home experienced timbermen offering themselves as Derby recruits and also to recall them from the army.

Convalescence after pneumonia, typhoid fever and the grip, is sometimes more abrupt, too real, to make it real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands testify. Take Hood's.

timed around the neck of each. They were able to swim however, and managed to reach the opposite bank. Soissons has been the scene of many victories and defeats, has been sacked times without number, and enjoys an unenviable notoriety for the great number of sieges it has undergone. In 1870 the Germans entered it after a bombardment of four days.

AN UNFORTUNATE TOWN  
In the history of warfare conducted in France there is no town which bears such an unenviable record as that of Soissons, which, in times of peace, has a pleasant location on one bank of the River Aisne, surrounded by wooded hills. At one time there was no more popular place of pilgrimage, when its abbeys were the richest in the land with the best abbots of St. Medard, the most important of all French abbeys during the first two dynasties, coined money, and were lords of almost innumerable villages, farms, and manors.

Soissons was the field of the missionary labours of St. Crispin and St. Christopher, patrons of the shoemaking craft, who brought Christianity to the town in the third century. They suffered severely at the hands of Riccio-vans, the Governor, under whose orders they were stretched on the rack and after the application of several other tortures were thrown into the Aisne, a millstone having first been

### "THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY."

The New \$800,000 "Flying A" Photoplay Produced by The American Film Mfg. Co. All Star Cast.

Lottie Pickford ... Esther  
Irving Cummings Arthur Stanley and  
William Russell ... Blair Stanley  
Charlotte Burton ... Vivian Marston  
Eugenie Forde ... Hagai  
Geo. Periolat ... Luke Lovell  
W. J. Tedmarsh ... Quabba the hunch  
Orral Humphreys ... Marmaduke Smythe

Synopsis of Chapter One  
Prologue: In 1885, Sir Arthur Stanley is banished from England. He comes to Virginia to live, where his gallantries to an Indian maid place him in great peril. He flees for his life. The Indians capture and tie him to a stake. The torture fires are lit, when a blazing meteor streaks across the sky and falls a few yards distant. The savages are terrified. They believe the meteor to be an omen of displeasure from the "Great Spirit." Stanley takes advantage of their panic. He frees himself from the stake and declares himself to be a supernatural being. A huge diamond is found in the heart of the meteor. "The Diamond from the Sky," as it is known, becomes a Stanley heirloom.

Chapter One—Two hundred years later, a feud exists between Colonel Arthur Stanley and his cousin Judge Lamar Stanley, Virginia aristocrats. Bitter jealousy over the possession of "The Diamond from the Sky" is intensified by the fact that the death of a noble kinsman in England makes the first born male child of the elder branch of the Virginia Stanleys heir to the Stanley Earldom in Warwickshire, as well as possessor of "The Diamond from the Sky." Judge Lamar Stanley has a son, Blair, heir presumptive to both these coveted honors. When a child is born to the young wife of Colonel Arthur Stanley it proves to be a girl. The mother dies. Col. Stanley, chagrined and disappointed, determines to rob his hated cousin's child, Blair, of the noble heritage. Aided by the doctor and colored nurse, Col. Stanley buys a new born male gypsy child from its unnatural and money-greedy father. In so doing, Col. Stanley believes he has the gypsy's mother's consent. But Hagar, weak and sick, manages to crawl to Stanley Hall to denounce her greedy and brutal husband and regain her first born child. She arrives just as the birth of the changeling heir is being verified by an English lawyer, representing Earl Stanley, and Judge Lamar Stanley. The Colonel stands facing the outer door when the gypsy woman Hagar starts into the room. Col. Stanley's terror affects his heart and he falls unconscious across the library table.

\$10,000 in Cash will be given to the person who submits the most acceptable suggestion for a sequel to "The Diamond from the Sky" now showing at Apollo Theatre.

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Frederick Ross and Margaret Watson in Quinneys or The Old Antique Shop. Grand Opera House, Friday, January 21st, 1916.

### Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of Eliza Vince Duncan, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims of any nature against the estate of Eliza Vince Duncan late of the Township of Brantford, in the County of Brant, spinster, deceased, are required to send same together with proof thereof to the undersigned solicitors for Matthew Melvin Marshall, the executor named in the will of the deceased not later than the first day of

February, 1916, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall have received notice.  
Dated at Brantford this thirtieth day of December A.D., 1915.  
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