

FRENCH AGAIN VICTORIOUS AT VERDUN

Blame For War Fixed by Robert Cecil on Germany

Bulgaria is Anxious For Peace, Says Radoslavoff

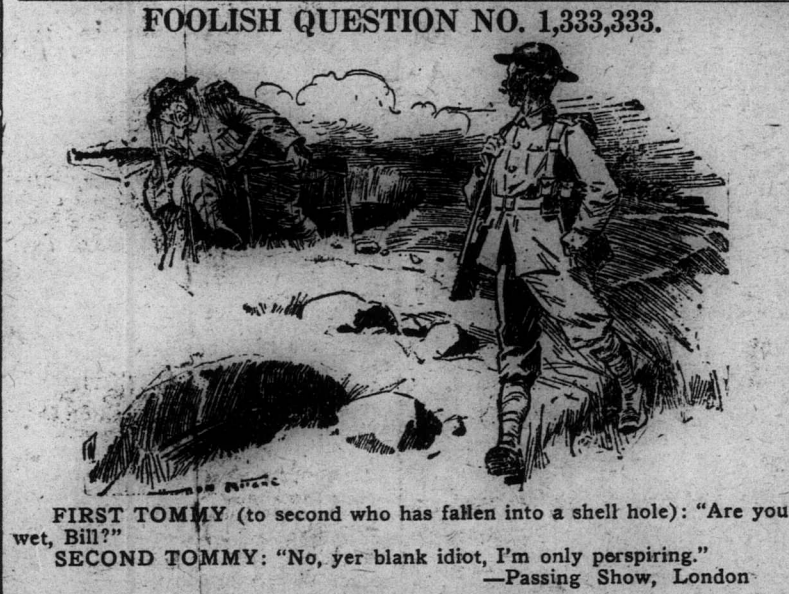
French Again Successful Upon the Verdun Front

Fortified Works in Bethincourt Region Taken

New Successes Scored by Nivelle's Men Last Night; Large Number of German Officers Among Prisoners Taken--British Also Successful at Lens

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Aug. 25.--The French scored a new victory on the Verdun front last night north of Hill 304. Three fortified works near Bethincourt were captured. The statement follows: "In Belgium there were rather violent artillery engagements in the region of Bixchoote. "South of St. Quentin our detachments penetrated a German trench yesterday evening and brought back 31 prisoners. Another raid west of Pantheon also resulted in the taking of prisoners. "Enemy surprise attacks near Vauquois and northeast of Avocourt were repulsed. On the left bank of the Meuse our troops made new progress north of Hill 304. In a brilliant action last night they carried three fortified works in the vicinity of Bethincourt. The number of un-wounded prisoners taken on the left bank of the River yesterday was 450. This brings up the total to 6,101. On the French Front, Aug. 25.--(By the Associated Press)--Men from the German Emperor's favorite units from Brandenburg were captured in the latest French attack at Verdun. The prisoners taken in the preceding days comprise 1,145 men and thirty officers of the Twentieth regiment; 1,089 men and two officers of the Twenty-fourth regiment; 556 men and seventeen officers from the Thirty-fifth regiment. The number of officers taken was surprisingly high, showing the morale in the higher ranks also is diminishing. The attack began early in the morning eastward from Avocourt Wood to the west of Lafayette Creek, but the enemy thought the assault would occupy a larger front, the artillery was busy on both sides. When General Petain's Saint Morals Decision went over to storm Hill 304 the Germans were taken completely by surprise and lost ground immediately. Before time was given them to recover the position was won although the Frenchmen had to wade through water waist high. The prisoners rounded up were calculated at 700, while the main body of Frenchmen dashed onward through Death Ravine and attained the objects set by them after two hours. In some places the advance reached a depth of 2,000 yards. Paris, Aug. 25.--One of the striking phases of the Verdun fighting on Monday was the large proportion of German officers captured, 201 being taken with 6,700 men. This is in sharp contrast with the number of officers taken in the French attack last December. At that time 208 officers and 11,000 men were captured. Three regiments forming the German Sixth Reserve Division were annihilated as fighting units, losing 69 officers and about 2,800 men as prisoners. This was a Brandenburg division. The newspapers recall that at the time of the great German attack last year several weeks elapsed before the Germans were masters of strong points west of the Meuse, which the French took in a few days this week.

PROOF OF GERMAN RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE WAR REITERATED BY LORD ROBERT CECIL



FOOLISH QUESTION NO. 1,333,333. FIRST TOMMY (to second who has fallen into a shell hole): "Are you wet, Bill?" SECOND TOMMY: "No, yer blank idiot, I'm only perspiring." -Passing Show, London

England Had Nothing Farther From Her Thoughts in 1914; Her Very Unpreparedness an Exonerating Factor in Responsibility for the War

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 25.--"I see they again are talking in Germany about how England started the war," remarked Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, in an interview with the Associated Press. "It is an old song, but I think the time has come, particularly in the United States, when it is well to re-state briefly, the bald facts regarding the beginning of this great conflict. Frankly I do not think anyone anywhere can honestly believe that England began the war. If any person had arisen in a public assemblage in this country two weeks before the war began and asserted that in a fortnight we would be plunged into the greatest international conflict that the world has ever seen, the speaker would have been regarded by everybody as a dangerous lunatic. Our peoples thoughts were the furthest possible from war and our statesmen were overwhelmingly occupied with domestic affairs, particularly the Irish question, to the almost complete exclusion of international politics. "It is true that some of our people had been saying for a year or more before that time that Germany intended to attack us, but their warnings fell on deaf ears so much so that no preparations were made. "Certainly we did not start the war. Who did? I think the answer is unquestionable. For at least a year before the war began, Germany had definitely made up her mind to fight. "An Italian writer has told us how, in 1913, Germany approached the Italian Government with a view to taking action in the Balkans, but Italy said she would regard such a war as offensive and not defensive, and would not lend her support. Germany withdrew her proposals, as she did not think she was then strong enough to go it alone. "American Ambassador Gerard has told us that the German crown prince made no secret of his desire for war, that he even expressed the hope that it would come before his father died, and he added that if it did not come before his father died, it would come as soon as he, namely the crown prince, ascended the throne. "Balfour's secretary, Ian Malcolm, has also quoted his conversation with the crown prince, in which the prince suggested that England and Germany should combine to destroy France. "There is no question but that Germany had made up her mind that somewhere about the summer of 1914 would be the best time for war, this, because the new French military service act would not have become effective, and the Russian strategic railways would not yet be ready. Moreover, they knew thoroughly the conditions of corruption in Russian official life, and they hoped our domestic preoccupations would keep us out, although they were determined to go on with their plans whether we stayed out or not. "In every country there are men of many different opinions. The extreme war party in Germany actually welcomed and desired our entrance, as it gave them an opportunity to kill two birds with one stone. The wiser ones, no doubt, hoped we would stay out, as they could take us singly, followed still later, as Ambassador Gerard has pointed out, by the United States. "This was the situation in Germany when the Sarajevo murders came, and gave the war party the eagerly awaited opportunity. The Austrians delivered their ultimatum to Serbia. There is no reasonable doubt that the ultimatums were submitted to Germany and approved, and there is no doubt it was then and there decided that whatever was

BULGARIA ANXIOUS FOR PEACE, SAYS RADOSLAVOFF

Desire to End Bloodshed as Have Already Emphasized; Central Powers Soon to Make Concrete Proposals

By Courier Leased Wire. Sofia, Thursday, via Berlin and London, Aug. 24.--"We want peace and desire to end this terrible bloodshed," said Premier Radoslavoff in an interview on the paper peace note. "We have been emphasizing this attitude for more than a year," he continued. "Last December we offered peace to the Entente, but it preferred to seek its fortunes in a continuance of the war. In the nine months intervening our military situation has become nine times more favorable and every day proves it is becoming still stronger. "I do not believe that the Pope sought to get in contact with the different government heads before transmitting the note for the purpose of discovering if they desired peace. The Entente appears to make every effort to prepare public opinion for a brusque refusal of papal mediation whereas the Central Powers welcome it with sincere sympathy. "The Central Powers will make concrete proposals in keeping with the papal note and will answer it individually. "Whether peace will come soon who can say? We want peace, but are calmer than ever nor are we asking for peace for the benefit of mankind. We desire peace to come soon and unless this occurs before long the Entente alone will have occasion to regret it."

MICHAELIS ON FENCE STILL

Chancellor Will Not Give Clear Definition Of His Attitude on Peace Programme

By Courier Leased Wire. Copenhagen, Aug. 25.--Yesterday's session of the main committee of the reichstag was productive of further declarations and discussions regarding Chancellor Michaelis' attitude on peace, which the latest German papers construe variously. A careful perusal of the mass of reports and comments on the committee meetings yesterday and Wednesday show that Dr. Michaelis throughout conferences with party leaders, did not change his attitude regarding the wording of his ambiguous speech, July 10 and the situation as far as pinning him down to any definite peace programme remains exactly where it was when he assumed office. It was brought out in the report of yesterday's proceedings that the majority party representatives endeavored before the reichstag meeting, July 19, to secure from him definite assurances, but failed. A REPORT TO KAISER. Amsterdam, Aug. 24.--A Berlin official despatch received here says Chancellor Michaelis visited headquarters and presented Emperor William with a report. Some newspapers say the visit is connected with Alsace-Lorraine. The Berlin National Zeitung says that Chancellor Michaelis received Thursday eleven members of the reichstag from Alsace-Lorraine. It is believed, the newspaper adds, that it is the intention of the delegation to submit to the German Government the desire of Alsace-Lorraine for transformation from a reichland into a federal state. By Courier Leased Wire. Copenhagen, Aug. 25.--Herr Erzhberger, the Central leader, alone declared in yesterday's committee sitting that doubt as to the chancellor's acceptance of the principle of peace without annexations and indemnities

MONTE SANTO IS IN HANDS OF ITALIANS

Tricolor Floats over Former Austrian Stronghold on Isonzo Foe Lines Pierced Second Italian Army Pursues Fleeing Forces of Austro-Hungarians

By Courier Leased Wire. Rome, Aug. 25.--The Tricolor of Italy has been flying since yesterday on the summit of Monte Santo, which was an Austrian stronghold on the Isonzo front, according to the official statement issued to-day by the Italian war department. The Italian second army, General Cadorna reports, has broken through the Austro-Hungarian line of defense at several points and is closely pursuing the Austro-Hungarians who are retiring and defending the difficult ground yard by yard. position as soon as possible. He is expected here in the early part of September to assume the position of assistant general secretary with special supervision of boys' work.

NEW BOYS' SECRETARY

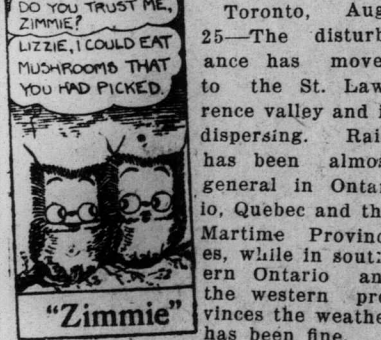
The appointment to fill the vacancy on the local Y. M. C. A. staff was made yesterday afternoon at a special meeting of the board of directors, when A. W. Geddes, a returned soldier, was selected. Serjt. Geddes is admirably adapted for the work. He is a graduate of Wycliffe College, Toronto, and prior to the war, was engaged in Y. M. C. A. community work with headquarters at Eximloops, B. C. Shortly after the outbreak of war he enlisted with the Princess Pals. While overseas, he went through some exciting experiences at Sanctuary Woods, where he was blown out of the trench into a pool of water in No Man's Land, and suffered a broken leg, a broken jaw and shrapnel wounds in the face. Since his return, Serjt. Geddes has been a "zone secretary," supervising work among the boys who left school to work on the farms. News of the appointment was wired this morning to Serjt. Geddes, and an acceptance is expected. A letter has been addressed to the National Council requesting that Serjt. Geddes be released from his present

AVIATORS ACTIVE

Paris, Aug. 25.--The brilliant work of French aviators was a factor of decisive importance in the battle of Verdun, according to Georges Prade, an aviation authority who witnessed the French attack this week as a representative of The Journal. He says that General Guillaumat cut all red tape and did away with discouraging delays as regards recognition of valor and for the aviators placed at the disposal of their commander a number of crosses of the Legion of Honor for the purpose of decorating any pilot who performed a remarkable feat, as soon as he landed. Extraordinary results were obtained. Pursuit planes gave such thorough protection that not a single service plane was lost. The only losses were among the pursuit planes. The aviators flew so low, in accompanying the advance of the infantry, that three of them were cut in two by French shells. Although the telephone lines had been cut and messengers were stopped by gas barrages, the

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Aug. 25.--The disturbance has moved to the St. Lawrence valley and is dispersing. Rain has been almost general in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, while in southern Ontario and the western provinces the weather has been fine. Forecasts. Fresh west and northwest winds, cloudy and cool; Sunday--Moderate winds, fine and a little warmer.



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CONDENSED TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway

MAIN LINE EAST
Eastern Standard Time.
2.01 a.m.—For Hamilton, St. Catharines, Niagara Falls and New York.
4.53 a.m.—For Dundas, Hamilton, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.
7.45 a.m.—For Toronto and Montreal.
9.50 a.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto and intermediate stations.
10.29 a.m.—For Hamilton and Toronto.
11.53 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
1.05 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
3.00 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and East.
5.37 p.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto and East.

MAIN LINE WEST
Detroit Standard Time.
3.40 a.m.—For Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
10.02 a.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
9.29 a.m.—For London, Detroit and intermediate stations.
3.52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
6.52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
7.52 p.m.—For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.
8.25 p.m.—For London and intermediate stations.

BUFFALO AND GODERICH LINE
East.
Leave Brantford 10.45 a.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.
Leave Brantford 6.00 p.m.—For Buffalo and intermediate stations.
West.
Leave Brantford 10.10 a.m.—For Goderich and intermediate stations.
Leave Brantford 8.15 p.m.—For Goderich and intermediate stations.

GALT, GUELPH AND NORTH
Leave Brantford 6.55 a.m.—For Galt, Guelph, Palmerston and all points north.
Leave Brantford 8.55 a.m.—For Galt and Guelph.
Leave Brantford 5.55 p.m.—For Galt, Guelph, Palmerston and all points north.

BRANTFORD-TILSONBURG LINE
Leave Brantford 10.35 a.m.—For Tilsonburg, Port Dover and St. Thomas.
Leave Brantford 5.15 p.m.—For Tilsonburg, Port Dover and St. Thomas.
From South—Arrive Brantford 3.45 a.m.; 5.00 p.m.

G. T. R. ARRIVALS
From West—Arrive Brantford 2.01 a.m.; 4.53 a.m.; 7.45 a.m.; 9.50 a.m.; 10.29 a.m.; 11.53 p.m.; 1.05 p.m.; 3.00 p.m.; 5.37 p.m.
From East—Arrive Brantford 3.45 a.m.; 5.00 p.m.; 6.00 p.m.; 6.52 p.m.; 7.52 p.m.; 8.25 p.m.
From West—Arrive Brantford 10.45 a.m.; 10.10 a.m.; 11.53 p.m.; 1.05 p.m.; 3.00 p.m.; 5.37 p.m.
From East—Arrive Brantford 6.55 a.m.; 8.55 a.m.; 5.55 p.m.

Brantford and Hamilton Electric Railway

Leave Brantford—6.35 a.m.; 8.00 a.m.; 9.00 a.m.; 10.00 a.m.; 11.00 a.m.; 12.00 p.m.; 1.00 p.m.; 2.00 p.m.; 3.00 p.m.; 4.00 p.m.; 5.00 p.m.; 6.00 p.m.; 7.00 p.m.; 8.00 p.m.; 9.00 p.m.; 10.00 p.m.; 11.00 p.m.; 12.00 a.m.

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Table with columns for routes (e.g., South Bound, North Bound) and times for various stations like Kuer, Healy, Milton, etc.

T. H. & B. Railway

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 14TH, 1917
Eastbound
7.30 a.m. except Sunday—For Hamilton and intermediate points, Welland, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and New York.
2.47 p.m.—For Hamilton and intermediate points, Toronto, Peterboro, Winnipeg and Buffalo.
Westbound
9.47 a.m. except Sunday—For Waterloo and intermediate points, St. Thomas, Detroit and Chicago.
4.30 p.m. Daily—For Waterloo and intermediate points, St. Thomas, Chicago and Cincinnati.

Brantford Municipal Ry.

For Paris—Five minutes after the hour.

NAME VANDICATED

By Courier Leased Wire.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 25.—Canadian and American government officials have formally denied that Alfred Benninghaus, a prominent local merchant, was involved in any way in the incident of August 20, which caused American soldiers to fire on a launch in St. Mary's River. It is claimed that one of the soldiers who reported this incident, informed newspapermen that Benninghaus was in the launch. It developed later, according to the authorities, that the man's name was Benoit. Mr. Benninghaus, a native of Canada, has on more than one occasion, proved his loyalty to the Canadian and American military forces, local officials said to-day. He is the owner of a launch which is quite well known on the river, but the boat was not in use at the time of the shooting.

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Ban on Canned Goods In Simcoe; Use Fresh Vegetables

VOTERS' LIST POSTED

Official List of Dates For Holding of Township School Fairs

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS

Town Park Presents Fine Appearance at Present Time; Keep It So.

Write Simcoe Agency Box 311 or 'phone 356-3 all matters regarding delivery or subscriptions; News Items or advertisements.
(From our own Correspondent)
Do It Now
The 1917 voters' list for Simcoe was posted yesterday. Since the assessors were around there have been many changes. It may be there have been errors or omissions in the making of the list. It is the duty of every citizen who values his franchise to examine the list and give notice to the clerk in writing of any alterations that should be made. Now's the time to act. The morning of election is too late. Lists may be seen at the post office lobby; the court house or the clerk's office. If you do not think it worth while to do now, do not threaten to upset the half of a continent later in case you are deprived of the ballot. If you can't get out, ask some one to see the list for you.
There is a departure in the new lists in that the street address is given, and the distinctions north and south, east and west, are also indicated, even where there was formerly no ambiguity. Typographically, the volume is a credit to the office of publication, the British-Canadian Job Shop, and the stock and binding in keeping with the press work.
School Fairs
Mr. Neff has issued the following list of dates and places for the holding of township school fairs:
Charlotteville, Sept. 13th, at S. S. No. 11.
Houghton, Sept. 11th, at Fairground.
Mildilton, Oct. 4th, at Courtland.
Trensend, Sept. 7th, at S. S. No. 14.
Windham, Oct. 2nd, at Windham Centre.
Woodhouse, Sept. 27th, at Port Dover.
Prize Oats in Norfolk—Townsend Leads.
The winners of the standing crop competition for oats, in Norfolk county, with one exception are Townsend farmers. There were eleven competitors for seven prizes. The list follows:
1. W. M. Mason, Townsend, (O. A. C. 72) 90 1/2 pts. \$20.00.
2. W. M. Woodley, Townsend, (O. A. C. 72) 89 1/2 pts. \$15.00.
3. Geo. Erwin, Townsend, (Banner), 88 pts. \$12.00.
4. E. W. Hyde, Townsend, (Banner), 84 pts. \$10.00.
5. Bruce Wilson, Townsend, (O. A. C. 72) 83 1/2 pts. \$8.00.
6. Earl Mott, Townsend, (O. A. C. 72) 83 pts. \$6.00.
7. Benson Hall Ch'ville, (Banner) 80 1/2 pts. \$4.00.
Clover Seed Brings Big Money.
But oats are not the only crop in Norfolk. The Norfolk Milling Company has developed a big seed business and has just completed the complete re-modelling of their seed cleaning list. Blue grass seed, delivered cleaned the day received. Geo. O. Boughner, of Woodhouse brought in 65 bushels of clover seed threshed off 16 acres. The best two acres gave 14 bushels. His cheque was for \$629. Like the ancient new wine, this seed is marketed usually in New bags.
Fred Misner came in last evening with 48 bushels which brought \$508.86 yesterday evening.
The Park Polley?
The town park presents at present the best appearance for years. Presently seem to have taken a liking for tidy surroundings and are desisting from scattering lunch boxes and refuse about the place. The parks committee have attended to the grass cutting, but seems to have determined that if those who frequent the park would enjoy themselves better among the refuse, they may do so. It is therefore quite in order for lunch parties to leave all manner of refuse, orange and banana skins, and general picnic refuse around about the benches they expect to sit upon during the next visit to Lynnwood. It will be there no doubt on their return. And why not? Anything to please.
Press Photographs.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Collier, of Comber have been visiting and camping at Normandale with the latter's brother Mr. R. Cropp and their mother. At the same time Miss Elizabeth Cropp of Winnipeg and Miss Mary Cropp of Moose Jaw have joined the family re-union. The sojourn east will wind-up with a week-end trip to the falls and the ladies from the west will leave for home on Tuesday.
Mrs. Fedgewick, of William street, Brantford, and Mrs. Miller and daughter, Miss Jean, also of Brantford were visitors at the home of Mrs. Gunton, Talbot street on Wednesday day.
Mr. Guy Marston was in Toronto yesterday.
Lloyd I. McNally is on an official trip to Hamilton to-day.
Lloyd Cattel returns to Toronto after two weeks' holidays at home. He will begin at the Harris Litho

MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various commodities including corn, peas, beans, cabbage, and other vegetables. Includes sub-sections for 'MARKETS', 'VEGETABLES', and 'FRUITS'.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson IX.—Third Quarter, For Aug. 26, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings xxv, 1-21.
Memory Verses, 10, 11—Golden Text, Ezek. xxxiii, 11—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.
The topic of this lesson is the captivity of Judah, for although such men as Hezekiah and Josiah did what they could to turn the people from their sins to the Lord, the results were only partial and temporary, and their sins increased. The Lord God had compassion on them, notwithstanding their rebellion against Him, and sent them His messengers, His servants the prophets, to tell them of His love and His readiness to forgive them and bless them if only they would turn to Him with the whole heart, but they mocked the messengers of God and despised His words and misused His prophets until the wrath of the Lord arose against His people, till there was no remedy (II Chron. xxxvi, 15, 16). Many times He had told them in the beginning of their national history how He would bless them in the land He had given them if only they would obey Him and honor Him and keep themselves from the idolatries of other nations. See for example Lev. xxvi, 1-33. He told them just as plainly what He would do to them and how He would punish them if they would not hearken to Him and keep His commandments (Lev. xxvi, 14-39). Three times in that chapter He told them that if they persisted in disobedience He would punish or chastise them seven times for their sins, an expression which we should consider later in our lesson (Lev. xxvi, 15, 24, 28). Not only during their wilderness journey, but also while the judges ruled, and afterward when He gave them kings, He many a time forgave their iniquity and delivered them and saved them for His name's sake (Ps. lxxvii, 28; cvi, 8, 49), but the time had come when there was no remedy but the captivity.
Josiah was succeeded by four kings, three sons and a grandson, each of whom did evil in the sight of the Lord, and during the twenty-two years of their reigns Judah was carried into captivity in three different companies until all but the very poorest were carried away. The fourth year of Jehoiakim was the first year of Nebuchadnezzar, and in that year, which was about 606 B. C., some of the princes, including Daniel and others, and part of the household of the house of God were carried to Babylon (Jer. xxv, 1; Dan. i, 1-3). About seven years later Jehoiakim, who reigned only three months, was taken to Babylon, with his mother and servants and princes and officers and 10,000 others (perhaps 18,000) in Kings xxi, 8, 10, and this year later, in the nineteenth year of Nebuchadnezzar, the captivity of Judah was completed by the carrying away of Zedekiah and the rest of the people, except the poor, who were left to be vinedressers and husbandmen.
The necessary number of captives was fulfilled, the straggling remnant and the remaining vessels destroyed or carried away (II Kings xxv, 1-17). Then was fulfilled the strange prediction through Ezekiel concerning Zedekiah, "I will bring him to Babylon, yet shall he not see it," for after his sons were slain before his eyes they put out his eyes and bound him and carried him to Babylon (Ezek. lii, 13; Kings xxv, 7).
However seemingly impossible any prediction of the Lord may appear, it will surely be literally fulfilled in His time, either by a near or a far distant fulfillment, or oftentimes by both, for as one of the prophecies of the Lord says, "I will fulfill my promise, while the full accomplishment may be still in the future. The Lord had said through Jeremiah that this punishment of Judah would continue seven years and that then they would return, and so it came to pass, as we shall see on our next lessons (Jer. xii, 12; II Chron. xxxvi, 20-23). Because Israel rejected their Messiah, when in the fullness of time He came to them, they have ever since been scattered among all nations, and He said that Jerusalem would be trampled down by the gentiles until the times of the gentiles be fulfilled (Luke xxi, 24).
The times of the gentiles began with Nebuchadnezzar, 606 B. C., and correspond with the seven times already referred to in this lesson, during which God said that He would punish Israel for their sins. According to Dan. xi, 13, margin, times are years, and in Num. iv, 34, there is a way of the Lord revealed, wherein He used years for days. Seven times 360, the days in a Scriptural year, equals 2,520, which seems to cover the seven times of Israel's punishment. Now, 606 B. C., added to 1914, the year in which the present European war began, gives 2,520, and there seems therefore to be good reason for believing that the times of the gentiles began to run out in 1914. As they began gradually with the three deportations of Judah, referred to in this lesson, so it may require eighteen years, more to Jesus, to end them. Since, then, we are already in the beginning of the end of these times, how fully occupied we should be in giving the gospel to help complete the church, the body of Christ, and hasten the coming of the kingdom of righteousness and peace, always expecting to be caught up any day and yet ready to continue here in His service or be absent from the body and present with the Lord.

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THE SITUATION

British advanced troops have been driven from positions which they won last Wednesday on the Ypres-Memlin road. Massed assaults by fresh German troops served to accomplish this, but the foe sustained very heavy losses in the undertaking. The incident is one of the ebb and flow vicissitudes bound to occur with regard to a foe still very strong both in men and material.

Hill 204, the last remaining stronghold of the Hun, fronting Verdun, has fallen to the French. They had encircled it by previous attacks, and then by a brilliant dash achieved their objective. To make matters more sure, they also went two thousand yards beyond the Hill, and they now command all the ravines and approaches, together with observatories, as far as Douaumont. Stewart Lyon, special correspondent of the Canadian Press at the front, reports that siege conditions practically prevail at Lens. The Teutons are at present holding the place with their heavy guns, but the Canadians are holding their own and hedging closer.

On the Italian front, Gen. Cardona has scored some more notable gains, including many important positions. The prisoners taken now exceed twenty thousand.

The reported evacuation of Riga by the Russians has not been confirmed. There is stated to be disagreement between Kerensky and General Korniloff with regard to the treatment of mutinous soldiers. The last named desires the extreme penalty, and the Premier thinks that less harsh measures could be effectively introduced. The United States has further shown its faith in the new republic by loaning another \$100,000,000, and Mr. Root, who recently returned from a mission there, expresses himself as very confident that the Muscovites will soon find themselves once more.

WHAT LAURIER'S PAPER SAYS.

Le Canada, the official Liberal organ in Montreal, and generally known as the personal organ of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, contained the following significant article a few days ago:—

"The political situation is beginning to clear up and the questions which will be submitted to the people at the next electoral campaign are better defined since the Winnipeg convention.

"The next election, our Jingo contemporaries are now admitting, will be held on the question of conscription. 'Win-the-war' has no place now on the hustings; the two parties are equally determined to go with the war until the end. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's repeated statements in the matter and the resolution adopted by the Winnipeg convention are the clearest proofs of that fact.

"But if it is clear that the two parties are determined to continue the war up to victory, it is also very clear that they are divided as to the means to be adopted for that purpose.

"The Tories want the conscription of fit men, compulsion, forced enlistment, whilst leaving to the chances of economical conditions the production of such essentials as munitions and farm products.

"The Liberal party rejects conscription and wishes to stand by voluntary enlistment, which it will help with all the necessary energy, and it wishes especially to organize for the war such of the country's industries as will increase agricultural production. It wishes as much as possible to nationalize the manufacture of munitions and war material and to intensify the production of foodstuffs.

"The Tory programme deals with the conscription of blood only; the Liberal programme comprises voluntary enlistment, munitions, food.

"We are bound to repeat that conscription is completely banished, under any form, under any pretext, from the Liberal programme.

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier has formally stated and repeated in the House that he is irrevocably opposed to compulsory service. At the Winnipeg convention Mr. Tupper has thrown the brightest light possible on the question by moving to add to the Neely motion an amendment admitting the possibility, if necessity arose, of a recourse to conscription."

"By voting down the Tupper amendment by a crushing majority the Winnipeg convention has therefore declared that on no condition would the Liberal party try compulsory service.

"Should the war last indefinitely and voluntary enlistment become inadequate to fill the ranks of our army which is not yet the case, Canada, under a Liberal government, will rather endeavour to intensify, to multiply its co-operation in food-

stuffs and munitions.

"Such is the Liberal programme pronounced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and accepted by a crushing majority at the Winnipeg convention."

The trouble with Le Canada is that it started to shout before Laurier was out of the woods, as far as the Western Liberals are concerned. The machine dominated convention has since been groggy and knocked out of time by another influential gathering at which a decision was unanimously reached, that Sir Wilfrid's war leadership could not be followed. Moreover the Liberal Premier of Manitoba took the lead in the enunciation of that decision.

Note well the declaration of the paper that should voluntary enlistment prove inadequate, then Laurier would offer foodstuffs and munition in lieu of the necessary men.

This means, what is now generally recognized, that under no circumstances would Laurier consent to enforced and necessary backing for the brave boys at the front—that he would instead let Canada be the first nation to sink away from the fray.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The flowing bowl has been much curtailed, but the lawn bowl still continues to intoxicate its devotees.

The news from Verdun constitutes one more evidence that the Crown Prince cannot plier French initiative and courage.

Just a touch of Fall to indicate the gladsome summer time will also soon take a tumble.

Brantfordites can have a municipal coal yard if they say so. In the matter of chestnut, the old city hall would do for a starter.

There is talk by the German authorities of prohibiting bathing at home in order to save fuel and soap. What's the odds. Their dirty conduct of the war will continue, no matter whether they abstinence or go without.

The Kaiser is still telling his troops that it is the hated English upon whom they must vent their spleen the hardest. He has evidently thoroughly changed his mind as to them proving a "contemptible" factor.

Rippling Rhymes

In the Evening,
 The evening comes, the sun is setting, there's quiet everywhere; and after long, long hours of sweating, I take my easy chair. I watch the tidlers homeward going, from the deserted mart; the breeze is through my sideboards blowing, and peace is in my heart. For I have wrought all day like thunder, I tolled with vim and zest; and though I earned but little plunder, I surely did my best. There is no finer, sweeter feeling than that you've fairly won, when, sending smoke wreaths to the ceiling, you view the day's work done, and know you put in all your ardor, your energy and skill, that you could not have labored harder, if bossed by Kaiser Bill. When I have worked till I am reeling the sweetest rest I know; I would not trade that comfy feeling for fifty kinds of dough. I pity fellows who are loaded with stacks of unearned mon, their souls by idleness corroded and nothing worth while done. There is no pleasure like achieving like seeing work put through; and all the world would hear me grieving, if I had naught to do.

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Methodist
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 Union services of Wellington st. and Zion Presbyterian churches. Minister in charge, Rev. Dr. George W. Henderson.
 11 a.m.—Service in Wellington Street.
 7 p.m.—Service in Zion Church. Mrs. Frank Leeming will sing at the morning service. In the evening Mr. Walter Carpenter will sing a solo and Mrs. Leeming and Mr. J. W. Stubbs will sing a duet. Organist and Choirmaster, Mr. Thomas Darwin.
 Wellington Street Class Meeting and Sunday School at 10 a.m., and 2:45 p.m. respectively.

Presbyterian
ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.
 Brant Avenue.
 Union vacation services of Brant Avenue Methodist Church and St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday next.
 Rev. James W. Gordon, B. A. in charge.
 11 a.m.—Service in Wellington Street Church.
 7 p.m.—Service in Zion Church. Morning soloist Mrs. Frank Leeming. Evening soloists Mrs. Leeming Messrs. Walter Carpenter and J. W. Stubbs. Thomas Darwin, organist and choirmaster.

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GARRISON OF LENS IS DWINDLING DAILY
 German Losses In Recent Close Fighting Especially Heavy; Stubbun Defence of Enemy Avails Him Nothing

Paris, Aug. 24.—The newspapers of the French capital all pay glowing tributes to the splendid work of the Canadian troops. Le Petit Parisien says: "If it were known what human misery, abnegation and self-sacrifice were involved in those 13,000 metres of trenches recently captured by the Canadians in this corner of hell, in which every German soldier fought like a wild beast, the people would be touched and thrilled. An enemy officer remarked of the Canadians, 'Only once have I known a class of soldiers as brave and thoroughly trained, namely, von Kluck's men in 1914.'"

St. Louis is to be held. Throughout yesterday, in pursuance of this imperative order, the enemy attempted to recover Fosse Four and the grass-covered mound of pit refuge beside it, known as Green Crasser. The Manitobans who had taken their positions before daybreak fought until far into the night to

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make good their footing. Hour after hour they resisted bombing attacks by an endless succession of German assault ing waves. At three o'clock our men were drawn back to the western side of Crasser, and our guns were turned upon the enemy, who were unable to recapture the summit. Three
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NO COURT.
 The law breakers of the apparently followed the Chief Slemin, and taken for there was no court this.

FIREMEN'S HOLIDAYS.
 Capt. Kingswell of the Department has returned for a week's vacation. Fire O'Hanley leaves to-day for days.

BACK ON DUTY.
 Superintendent Wm. Suter Sewers Department has resumed his duties after spending vacation in a motor tour in the States.

BUILDING PERMIT
 A building permit was issued by the office of the city engineer to John A. Sprague, Erie Ave., for the erect frame verandah, to cost \$

ON HOLIDAYS.
 Chief of Police Slemin is a much needed rest, and night for a week's vacation. During the absence Chief. Detective Chapman is visiting the administration of

BICYCLE FOUND.
 A bicycle valued at \$30.00 in the rear of the Imperial night by Constable Pickell taken to police headquarters claimed this morning by R. S. Superior street.

HONEY GOES UP.
 An advance of 5 cents has been made in the sale of honey since last year. Incent Brant county beekeepers authority for the statement price for extra that he wears and winter will be from cents a pound. Last year vailing prices were from cents.

HIS WORSHIP, GARDEN
 Brantfordites from afar cognize Mayor Bowly from his flower garden. The garden of his coat, but it is many of his friends know successful horticulturist he admiring some flowers in engineer's office this morning declared:
 "I have flowers enough ship. I have the best flower ever grew out of the garden contains all the old varieties. My hollyhocks are 2 inches in length," concluded his worship, proudly.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

NO COURT.

The law breakers of the city have apparently followed the example of Chief Slemin, and taken a vacation for there was no court this morning.

FIREMEN'S HOLIDAYS.

Capt. Kingswell of the Central Fire Department has returned to duty after a week's vacation. Fireman Dan O'Hanley leaves to-day for his holidays.

BACK ON DUTY.

Superintendent Wm. Sutch of the Sewers Department has returned to his duties after spending a pleasant vacation in a motor tour in the United States.

BUILDING PERMIT.

A building permit was issued at the office of the city engineer this morning to John A. Springstead, 114 Erie Ave., for the erection of a frame verandah, to cost \$115.

ON HOLIDAYS.

Chief of Police Slemin is enjoying a much needed rest, and left last night for a week's vacation in Toronto. During the absence of the Chief, Detective Chapman is supervising the administration of justice.

BIKE FOUND.

A bicycle valued at \$30 was found in the rear of the Imperial Bank last night by Constable Pickell and was taken to police headquarters. It was claimed this morning by Roy Smith, 18 Superior street.

HONEY GOES UP.

An advance of 5 cents a pound has been made in the selling price of honey since last year. A prominent Brant county beekeeper is the authority for the statement that the price for extracted honey this fall and winter will be from 17 to 19 cents a pound. Last year the prevailing prices were from 12 to 14 cents.

HIS WORSHIP, GARDENER.

Brantfordites from afar can recognize Mayor Bowly from the familiar flower that he wears in the lapel of his coat, but it is doubtful if many of his friends know what a successful horticulturist he is. While admiring some flowers in the city engineer's office this morning, he declared: "I have flowers enough to sink a ship. I have the best flowers that ever grew out of the ground. My garden contains all the old-fashioned varieties. My hollyhocks are 14 feet 2 inches in length," concluded His Worship, proudly.

A BUSY WEEK.

Mayor Bowly has mapped out a vigorous campaign for next week. On Monday he assists in the opening ceremonies at the Canadian National Exhibition Toronto. On Tuesday and Wednesday he expects to attend the convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities at London and will return to Toronto on Thursday and Friday to attend the meeting of the Ontario Municipal Association.

ARBITRATION BOARD.

The difficulties existing between the G. N. W. telegraph company and their employees which have threatened a strike for several months past are finally to be submitted to a conciliation board. H. Markey representing the company and Dave Campbell for the telegraphers have been conferring for several days in Montreal but have been unable to agree upon a third member of the arbitration committee. Judge Colin G. Snider of Hamilton father of Lt. Col. Hedley Snider of the 215th battalion has been requested by the Hon. Thos. Crothers, Minister of Labor to act as chairman of the committee, but has declined pleading stress of other duties that would prevent him giving the matter proper attention. Should the Minister of Labor insist however Judge Snider will act in the capacity requested.

A. R. CLUB.

There was an excellent turnout of the members of the "A. R." club, held at the Temple Building. Three members of the Toronto branch, Thos. N. Poole, recording secretary; D. P. Holmes, executive secretary; and C. W. Liddbetter, financial secretary, giving instructive and inspiring addresses.

Sergt. Macdonald, of the G.W.V.A. addressed the gathering and asked assistance in the Labor Day celebration. He was assured that the "A. R." men would co-operate in every way possible.

The executive conferred with the Toronto visitors in the Kerby House at the conclusion of the meeting, when the new constitution and other matters of interest were discussed.

WANT ACTION.

Another protest from the Trades and Labor Council against the inactivity of the city council in considering the report of the high cost of living committee, was received at the city hall this morning. The letter contains a copy of a resolution passed at the last meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, reading as follows: "Resolved, that the city council be respectfully urged to read the report and recommendations of its own committee on the high cost of living, and to take some concrete action on each and every recommendation in the interests of the citizens and out of courtesy to the committee."

After reading the letter, Mayor Bowly said: "The council upon receipt of the report from the committee on the high cost of living, properly referred it to the city solicitor for instructions, and as yet have received no reply. The only action that can be taken by the city council is to ask the city solicitor to make an answer to the original request. It was no discourtesy by the mayor and city council to the committee on the high cost of living, that action has been delayed. It is regrettable, but is no fault of the mayor or council."

The old stone wall which bounded the north end of the Royal Military College grounds, Kingston is being torn down and will be built to the end of the new bridge.

Owen Geiger, known locally as "the flax king," has a large force of Indians at work on the large acreage he has in the Hensall section and in Blyth, B. C. where he has flax interests.

The inquest at Fernie, B.C., over the victims of the Elk fire resulted in recommendation for stricter laws by forest authorities. The longshoremen at Vancouver demanded 50 cents an hour straight time and 75 cents an hour overtime.

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LITTLE FEAR OF COAL SHORTAGE Warning Of Sir George Foster Gives Rise To No Alarm MUCH BEING BOUGHT Very Little Possibility Of Reduction In Price of Fuel

The "meatless" days that have been inaugurated by the Food Controller may be followed by a similar restriction of the use of coal and other fuels, according to Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, who issued a warning in the House of Commons during the latter part of last week.

For its supply of anthracite coal, Canada is dependent upon the United States. In 1916, 4,500,000 tons were imported, of which over 2,000,000 came to Ontario, the balance being distributed in Quebec and the other provinces.

The anthracite stocks were lowered last year, and an extra million tons will probably have to be imported from the United States this year to repair the deficiency.

The situation across the border, which necessarily greatly affects Canada, has undergone considerable change since April of this year. During the first part of 1917, the stock supplies were low, but latterly production has been increased, and the quantities now on hand are greatly in excess of what had been mined in 1916.

The increased demand for industrial and war production has maintained high prices, in spite of the increased supply. The transportation question intimately affects the coal supply. There is a shortage of railway transport, and the vessels that had formerly carried coal by water have now secured more lucrative freight, while some have been transferred to war purposes.

It was possible in both Canada and the United States would be placed on "coal rations," if present activities did not change, declared the Minister of Trade and Commerce in conclusion.

The Local Situation "There is little cause for worry. The mining companies on the other side say that they will be able to give us a supply equal to that of last year. Coal is very scarce, and the demand is heavy, but the deliveries to date have been double those of last year," declared one local dealer when interviewed by the Courier.

The general public apprehension of a grave shortage had caused an unprecedented early demand that has left the dealers with but a meagre supply on hand.

SAMPLE PHOTO FRAMES AND WRITING CASES KARN'S Smallware Department Store. 156 Colborne St.

Nuptial Notes SMOKE-TAYLOR A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Henry S. Taylor Wyoming, Ont. on Wednesday afternoon, August 22nd, at two o'clock when her only daughter, Elizabeth Isabel was united in marriage to Sheldon La Pierre Smoke, Barrister only son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Smoke of Toronto. Rev. John McLeod of the Presbyterian church officiated. The bride looked lovely in a gown of radium lace over duchess satin with pearl trimming and wore the conventional veil with a bandeau of pearls, carried a bouquet of sweet-heart roses and orchids, and was given away by her brother, Mr. Henry Taylor of Toronto. Mrs. W. E. McKelvey of Sarina was matron of honor and the groom was unattended. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Ernest Westland of Wyoming. The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond and emerald ring, and to the pianist a cameo and pearl pendant. The bride's mother wore black duchess silk and the mother of the groom making many satin with hat to match. After a dainty buffet luncheon a toast was proposed to the bride by her uncle, Mr. W. E. McKelvey and responded to by the groom, after which congratulatory telegrams were read from many distant friends. The happy couple left on a trip through the Muskoka Lakes, and on their return will reside in Paris.

Other out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. Smoke, Mr. John Smoke, Mr. and Mrs. Sayles and Mrs. Theodore, Mrs. Gamble, Miss Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Smoke and Mr. Arthur Smoke of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. George Smoke of Bothwell, Mrs. A. A. Smith of Chicago, Miss Frances Leonard of Lowell, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Coghlin of Brantford and Mrs. W. D. Coghlin of Brantford.

AN EPITAPH. Horatio Herbert Kitchener—A soldier every inch of him; A man in all his parts—may more, A patriot, hero, master-mind; An ardent, true, model, type, He never said he was a god, Nor e'en infallible pretend, But when his country was hard-pressed And something like a panic knew Lord Kitchener stood out alone, The only man to fill the place, There were no jealous rivals then: No arm-chair critics to suggest, An ardent, true, model, type, A Hercules he was indeed Among mere men of normal strength, And so the nation judged, and flung G gigantic tasks upon his brain, More fit for half-a-dozen men, With sub-committees at their beck, His lion-heart that knew no fear, That won renown on battlefields Now rose supreme to mental tasks Enough to drive a man insane, The more the work piled up, the more He plied his mighty genius, Denying sleep he made a day, Take double toll upon his strength, And thus set England on her feet, Restored composure to her brow By raising up three million men, Whom rather coaxed, than faith in him Than forced by any press-gang plan? This but a fraction of his work, For much the people never knew He was a man of principle And shunned all show, or pomp, or pride Accounting to a higher judge Than varying whims of populace. At last surrendered up his life (It's strength well drained for England's sake.) In Mission to assist the Slavs To thwart the Prussian Cobra's sting, Will England censure such a man? Was Moses perfect—David, Paul? Was Wellesley, Nelson, Marlborough, Blake? Then hold your judgment of a man Whose place you never could have filled You nucleus of ingrates! hold Your tongues, and hide your brazen face, Say rather, at his grave, or where His grave most surely ought to be In hallowed Abbey with the brave Humbly bare your heads on bended knee "Well done, good and faithful servant!" A wreath of roses on his grave; A crown that fadeth, not away; A heart brimful of gratitude, From every Briton worth the name, M. Raymond, 28 Gibson Ave., Hamilton, Ont. 17th, August, 1917.

Reeve William Hunter has resigned as Reeve of Kincardine having been appointed provisionally superintendent of the Good Roads System of the county of Bruce.

"Studebaker" Salesroom 150 Dalhousie St. The undersigned have secured the Dealer Agency for the celebrated Studebaker Commercial and Touring Cars, and solicit an Opportunity of demonstrating this car to you. Learn all about the Studebaker before you decide on a car--You owe this to yourself We Solicit a Visit Carter & Lindsay Phone 2004 150 Dalhousie St. Real Estate Exchange We have severed our connection with the Realty Exchange, but will continue to handle real estate in connection with our Auto-Salesroom.

Bowling table with columns for names, scores, and skip status. Includes names like Dr. Landymore, T. S. Wade, R. Millard, C. Brown, etc.

THE CAR AHEAD Overland Model Eighty-Five. Here is the Overland Model Eighty-Five—the low priced quality car that has been the choice of thousands. Drive where you will, you are sure to see an "Eighty-Five" and more often than not it will be pointed out as the car ahead. For this Overland Eighty-Five has power and plenty of it. Moreover, it is a smooth-running, easy-riding family car, one that will accommodate five people comfortably without crowding. You can have your choice in this model of either a four cylinder engine or a six. The wheelbase of the Four is 112-inches—the Six 116-inches. Both are exceptional values. A demonstration will convince you. For those who like smaller cars there are—The Overland Light Four—Touring Roadster—Country Club. JOHN A. HOULDING 22 Dalhousie Street, Brantford. PHONE 1201

Investment of good assets of investments is Debentures Savings Commission to invest in the very best form issued for funds to any.

Cooling. Hour after hour attacks by an of German assault. o'clock our men to the western side our guns were turned, who were unable summit. Three on page six.

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COMING EVENTS

CHRISTADELPHIAN Lectures. See church notices.

LAST HOLIDAY EXCURSION to Port Dover Wednesday, Aug. 29th leaving L. E. and N. 2.30 return 9.15. Tickets at Brantford, Winter's Broadbents or train. Adults 95c. Children 50c. Boat trips arranged.

OPENING OF FALL TERM. Brantford Business College, Tuesday, September fourth. Demand for office help greater than ever. Rates comparatively low. Full information cheerfully given. Call for phone.

LODGE NOTICE. Members of Calanth Lodge, No. 26, Knights of Pythias, wishing to attend the funeral of our late brother F. Hubert, kindly arrange to go on the 12 o'clock B. and N. car to Hamilton to-morrow.

DIED

ALFRED—Martin Alfred, age 52. Funeral Sunday at 2.30 from the residence of Mr. Chas. Carter, 303 Darling street to Mt. Hope Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—To rent, by October or November 1st, farm of about 75 to 100 acres. Reply Box 279, Courier.

FOR SALE—Orders taken now for October delivery for first-class potatoes at \$2.25 a bag in not less than 5 bag lots. Phone 1102. N. J. Bailey, Oak Park Farm.

WANTED—Maid for general housework, no washing or ironing. Mrs. Ruddy, 40 Dufferin Ave. F45

Reid & Brown Undertakers 814-816 Colborne St. Phone 450 Residence 449

H. B. Beckett Funeral Director and Embalmer 168 DALHOUSIE STREET Both Phones 28.

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WE AGAIN call your attention to your fall changes and repairs to your plumbing and heating. It may save you some discomfort this winter if you have them attended to now. T. J. MINNES Phone 301. 9 King St.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that a list has been prepared of the lands for sale for arrears of taxes. A copy may be obtained on application at the office of the City Treasurer. Said list will be published in the Ontario Gazette on June 16th, 23rd, 30th and July 7th, 1917. The sale will take place on Wednesday, the nineteenth day of September, 1917 at 2 o'clock, at the City Hall. A. K. BUNNELL, City Treasurer Brantford, June 9, 1917. Prince Rupert men are objecting to special privileges being given to canners for the fish industry. Bush fires have been giving considerable trouble in the outlying sections of South Vancouver. Mr. John Weaver, who has farmed in East Delta for the past quarter of a century, died suddenly at his home there. The Newmarket Express-Herald tells of a man who was holding 400 bushels of last year's wheat for a price, having refused to take anything under the even \$3 a bushel. The other week the barn was struck by lightning and wheat and all burned. No insurance.



AFTER A LAPSE OF THIRTY YEARS, BRANTFORD ONCE MORE WELCOMES THE HIGH COURT OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, IN SESSION HERE.

When the High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters opens its sessions here on Tuesday, Aug. 28th, it will be the first time in thirty years that Brantford has been thus honored by the Order, which met here last in 1887, when the late Dr. Levi Secord was elected High Chief Ranger. A prelude to the convention proper will be a church parade of the Order which will take place to-morrow evening to the Congregational church, on George street, where special services will be conducted. The convention opens on Tuesday, and will continue during the remainder of the week, the annual banquet being held in the Kerby House, Wednesday night. It is expected that over 200 delegates will be in attendance at the convention, from every province in the Dominion, except British Columbia. The following list gives the present officers and executive of the order: High Chief Ranger, A. Martin, Hamilton; High Sub Chief Ranger, A. Webber, Winnipeg; High Court Treasurer, H. C. Wilson, Toronto; High Court Senior Woodward, H. McPherson, London; High Court Junior Woodward, R. J. McWilliams, Peterborough; High Court Senior Beadle, A. R. Wickett, Toronto; High Court Junior Beadle, H. Smith, Ottawa; Permanent Secretary, W. Williams, Toronto; High Court Medical Examiner, Dr. E. R. Secord, Brantford. The Ancient Order of Foresters in

Foresters in the war period is a proud one; the members of the Order who have enlisted for active service overseas total over 2,500, and of these approximately 200 have since made the supreme sacrifice upon the field of battle, yielding up their lives in defence of the principles instilled in their breasts by the Order. From the various Brantford branches of the society, no less than 115 have donned the khaki, and up to the present time eight of these have given their lives for the cause. All members enlisted for overseas are kept in good standing in the Order by a special fund subscribed to by the brethren at home. The Reception and Entertainment Committee of the local A. O. F. Courts for the convention, is as follows: Wm. Harris, D. C. R. chairman; Percy L. W. Farnsworth, secretary; Alfred Dowling, Treasurer; A. Pichman, H. Ince, J. Horning, Wm. Hall, J. Bond, J. Thompson, W. Cooper, W. Carter, J. Lilley, E. S. Hicks. Thirty years of membership in an order is a long period over which to look back, and are fraught with countless changes and vicissitudes. A more than unusual coincidence is noted, however, in the appointment of delegates from Court Success here to the High Court meeting. In 1877, when the court held its session here last, George Crooks was delegate from Court Success, with Alfred Pinkham alternate delegate, while this year Alfred Pinkham is delegate and George Crooks alternate. Thirty years is indeed a long stretch over which to look back, but the latter retains vivid recollections of the previous High Court meeting here, and favored The Courier with the following list of officers elected there: Chief Ranger—Levi Secord. Sub. Chief Ranger—R. T. Whitlock. Secretary—Chas. Newall. Treasurer—John Snow. Senior Woodward—Alfred Pinkham. Junior Woodward—Thos. Awer. Senior Beadle—Wm. Batters. Junior Beadle—P. Secord. Of this list, but three survive, Messrs. Whitlock, Pinkham and P. Secord; the other five having since answered the call of death.



EXECUTIVE OF THE HIGH COURT, A. O. F.

SISLER LEADS TRIS SPEAKER St. Louis Star Now Second in American League Batting Averages COBB STILL LEADING Falls Off Four Points, and Is Now Hitting .381 By Courier Leased Wire. Chicago, Aug. 25.—Driving out ten hits in his last six games has given George Sisler of St. Louis, second place among the American League batters, according to averages released to-day. The St. Louis star who forced Speaker, the 1916 batting champion, into third place, has an average of .352. Speaker is trailing a point behind him. Cobb fell off four points within the last week, but is safely out in front with .381. The averages include games of Wednesday. Neither Chicago nor Boston, which are making a desperate bid for the pennant, has a player among the 300

hitters, with the exception of pitcher Ruth. The star Boston hurler, is batting .348 for 37 games and Russel of Chicago is batting .327. Felsch, of Chicago leads the regulars in batting with .297. Pipp, of New York, and Veach, of Detroit, remain tied for home run honors with seven each. Chapman, of Cleveland, increased his total in sacrifice hitting to 57, and his stolen base record to 38. Detroit continues to lead in team batting with an average of .257. Leading batters for half their club's games: Cobb, Detroit, .381; Sisler, St. Louis, .352; Speaker, Cleveland .351; Harris, Cleveland, .313; Chapman, Cleveland, .307; Bodie, Philadelphia, .305; McInnes, Philadelphia, .300; Veach, Detroit, .299; Felsch, Chicago, .297; Rice, Washington, .295. To show the way in the National League with an average of .350. Cravath of Philadelphia broke the triple tie for home run hitting by boosting his total to nine. Doyle and Williams of Chicago continue to fight it out for honors in sacrifice hitting each having 24. Carey, of Pittsburgh added five more stolen bases to his total, bringing it up to thirty-seven. Cincinnati with an average of .265 is leading New York by one point in team batting. Leading batters for half their club's games: Roush, Cincinnati, .350; Cruise,

ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE Captured Crew of German Steamer Make Second Attempt at Flight By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 25.—The crew of the German steamship Renate Leonhardt, which was torpedoed and sunk off the Dutch coast, while on the way from Rotterdam for a German port, have been rescued and landed at Ymuden. This was the second attempt of the Renate Leonhardt to return to Germany. She was one of the fleet of seventeen German ships which put out from Rotterdam last month for Germany, of which four were captured by British destroyers and several others were wrecked or sunk. At that time she was hit and ran ashore.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE (Written especially for Brantford Courier.) News of the Exchanges. Average Prices—The average price of 20 industrials was 89.16, up .69; of 20 rails 96.20, off .76. Southern Pacific—Southern Pacific's July gross increased \$1,830,618; net after tax increase, \$767,465; seven months' gross increase \$20,492,740; net after tax increase \$9,193,872. Copper Stocks in Demand—The demand for Anaconda and American Southern Copper—The financing of the Bethlehem Steel—The financing of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation will probably call for an issue, copper.



HERE'S a luxury within the reach of everyone—a hair-bath in the whipped-cream-like lather that LUX makes in hot water. Your hair takes on a soft, luminous silken quality that makes it a crown of beauty indeed. The scalp is stimulated, your head refreshed. LUX makes water soft as summer rain. These wet satin-smooth flakes of the purest essence of soap dissolve absolutely in hot water so that not the tiniest particle of soap can remain to clog the pores. Try it to-night. LUX Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto.

Western Fair LONDON, CANADA. September 7th to 15th, 1917. 1867—"A Half Century of Success"—1917 THE GREAT AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION OF WESTERN ONTARIO \$32,000.00 in Prizes and Attractions. A very interesting programme, including Military and other features—Twice Daily FIREWORKS EACH NIGHT TWO SPEED EVENTS DAILY REDUCED RAILWAY RATES. Prize Lists, Entry Forms and all information from the Secretary. LIEUT.-COL. W. M. GARTHORE, President. A. M. HUNT, Secretary.

Hot Weather Comforts Moffat Gas Ranges \$12.50 to \$75.00 HotPlates - - - \$2.00 up Ovens - - - \$1.25 up Coal Oil Stoves - \$1.25 to \$21 Refrigerators - - \$9.50 up Screen Doors and Windows W. S. STERNE 120 MARKET STREET

are deeply interested. Accumulation of American Smelting is understood to be taking place for Guggenheim followers again. New Curtiss Directors—At a meeting of the directors of the Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation, George C. Taylor Rodman Wanamaker and J. Kearsley Mitchell were elected to the board. Miami Copper Company—Miami Copper Company will resume operation of its mines in a few days under protection of U. S. troops, according to despatches from Miami Ariz. Bethlehem Steel—The financing of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation will probably call for an issue, copper.

LEAF'S SOUTHPAW PITCH FROM TIGERS TO TORONTO VETERAN IN BEATING GIANT PENNAR Manager Larry Lajo announced last night purchased Harry Covaleski southpaw pitcher, from club, and that the head here against the Exhibition game would morning. The securing puts the local club in tion for the final dash in three games and the caused a neck-and-neck between the Cubs and which the failure of Me second base made the play off for the penn winning. The next season the mered him out of the following year Cind him up, but returned. Southern League. Des him from Chattanooga couple of years he pitching bet of the Tis wise an iron man. Harry Covaleski also t'e linelight last spring refused to pitch against Stanley, who is on the club. Stanley was just for Cleveland, and the been billed as the pit game between the Indi ers, but Harry balked. It was the first major brother he did not want heart by beating him, cause of his return to LUMBER MILLS By Courier Leased Wire Seattle, Wash., Au nouncement was made the organized lumber of a continued and pra imous shut down of all Northwest lumber mill camps for at least fou until after the beginn The lumber operators the shutdown was not a strike which has serious lumber output for sev but rather was the resu in the market. The st out that it is not the close down the shingle WHEAT CRO Winnipeg, Aug. 25. per cent. of the whea era Manitoba has been other districts the aver ten to eighty per cent, a crop report issued by Department of Agricult

LEAF'S SIGN COVALESKI

Southpaw Pitcher Bought From Tigers To Report To Toronto Today

VETERAN IN MAJORS Was Credited In 1908 With Beating Giants Out of Pennant

Manager Larry Lajoie of the Leafs announced last night that he had purchased Harry Covalleski, the big southpaw pitcher, from the Detroit club, and that the heaver who worked here against the Cubs in the exhibition game would report this morning.

LUMBER MILLS CLOSE. By Courier Leased Wire. Seattle, Wash., Aug. 24.—Announcement was made yesterday by the organized lumber manufacturers of a continued and practically unanimous shut down of all the Pacific Northwest lumber mills and logging camps for at least four months.

WHEAT CROP. Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—Eighty-five per cent of the wheat crop of Southern Manitoba has been cut, while in other districts the average runs from ten to eighty per cent, according to a crop report issued by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture.

TORONTO NOSED FROM FIRST PLACE

Leafs No Longer Lead League; Fell Before the Grays Yesterday

Toronto, Aug. 25.—Gone are the days when the Leafs proudly reposed in first place. Behind lie the halcyon days which brought fond memories to the fans of the Queen City and fonder hopes for a pennant, but most of these came tumbling down yesterday when the Grays captured the first game of the series by 4 to 1 and ousted Toronto from the top of the heap.

"Bunny" Hearne, who this season has been a host of strength and delivers all the praise that has been coming his way for his past performances, has not of late been operating as effectively, and yesterday he was only about as good as the worst pitcher the Leafs have. During the opening sessions he was generous to a fault and dispensed during that time more bases on balls than is his wont in two or three games.

BASEBALL RECORD

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C. Rows include Providence, Toronto, Baltimore, Newark, Rochester, Buffalo, Richmond, Montreal.

Friday's Scores: Providence 4, Toronto 1; Baltimore 8, Rochester 1.

To-day's Games: Providence at Toronto—two games; Newark at Buffalo.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C. Rows include New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Brooklyn, Boston, Pittsburgh.

Friday's Scores: New York 3-2, Chicago 1-12; Philadelphia 6-7, Cincinnati 5-6.

To-day's Games: Pittsburgh at Boston; St. Louis at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C. Rows include Chicago, Boston, Cleveland, Detroit, New York, Washington, St. Louis, Philadelphia.

Friday's Scores: Philadelphia 8, Detroit 4; Washington at Chicago; Boston at St. Louis.

To-day's Games: Philadelphia at Detroit; New York at Cleveland.

begin to regard the golden manacle as a mascot.

Of course, under present conditions they are likely to do anything in Cincinnati, so that the wrist watch movement is nothing to be alarmed at.

UNION CANDIDATE. By Courier Leased Wire. Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—Definite steps have been taken by the Liberals and Conservatives of South Winnipeg with the avowed object of reaching an agreement as to the nomination of a candidate who will receive the united support of two parties on a Win-the-War and conscription platform.

SNYDER LEAVES GIANTS. The New York Giants have been forced to turn Jack Snyder, the former London catcher, back to the Brooklyn club.

World of Labor

The Social Democrats have nominated Ald. Queen, one of the labor representatives in the City Council to contest the constituency of North Winnipeg in the federal election.

Last month the International Brotherhood of Bookbinders had an increase in membership of 435, more than a third of which, or in round figures 163, were initiated in Canadian locals.

The city firemen's unions in Canada have joined with those in the United States and requested President Wilson to call on the Congress of the A. F. of L. to call a convention for the organization of a new international union.

The International Typographical Union up to June 30th paid the death benefits of 47 members who had fallen in action while serving with the Canadian overseas forces.

Ninety-five members of the Toronto Street Railway Union have fallen in action, and an additional 431 have figured in the casualty lists, nearly 900 have volunteered to serve the colors, a record that is not approached by any other labor or fraternal organization in all Canada.

The Journeymen Tailors' Union in Brantford has secured an increase in prices that will mean a substantial addition to the weekly stipend of its members.

Iron molders in Galt are still on strike in the plants of the Canada Machinery Corporation, and the McDougals firm, in order to enforce the nine hour work day, which has been conceded in all the other local establishments, and they propose to remain out until the shorter workday is secured.

Philadelphia plumbers are conducting an effective organizing campaign among non-union shops. The Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators of America during the first six months of 1917 expended the sum of \$11,046.98 in death and disability benefits.

In Cleveland, Ohio, organized sheet metal workers and their employers have perfected a joint committee to settle disputes that may arise under the new agreement between these parties.

It is reported in Dubuque, Iowa, that the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad has received so many applications from women for work in machine shops that it cannot supply them with positions.

Carpenters in Tulsa, Okla., have enforced a new wage scale, which provides for an increase of 13 1-2c an hour, bringing the minimum rate up to 75c. Nearly 1,000 craftsmen have been benefitted thereby.

Street car men employed by the Springfield Consolidated Railway Company are on strike to secure recognition of their newly-formed union and wage increases.

Butcher Women's Union No. 559, Bloomington, Ill., is being assisted by a committee from the Retail Grocers and Meat Dealers' Association, which is urging dealers to sign a joint contract regulating hours and wages.

Rabes has developed among a herd of cattle on a farm a little west of Port Hope and quarantine proclaimed.

FOOD SEIZED. Amsterdam, Aug. 24.—Police of Munich have made extensive seizures of food stuffs at a number of fashionable hotels and restaurants, according to The Leipzig Volkszeitung.

At one restaurant 9,000 eggs and several hundred weight of honey, flour and venison, which had been procured clandestinely were taken by the officials. A rigorous search is being made in all Bavarian health resorts. This information regarding the secretly hoarded food stores leaked out through gossip by wealthy visitors.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN! GOOD MUSIC at LABOR DAY TATTOO---Five Bands! HARMONIC MALE QUARTETTE OF LONDON, PIPERS AND HIGHLAND DANCES. WONDERFUL FIREWORKS Behind the Dyke, Labor Day THE BEST DISPLAY EVER SEEN IN BRANTFORD. VERY BEST ATHLETES in Ontario have entered in the Labor Day Sports SEE THE FIVE-MILE MOTORCYCLE RACE ATTRACTIVE BASEBALL GAME---Toronto vs Brantford

party and the union accepted the award handed down by the recent board of conciliation appointed under the Canadian Industrial Disputes Act.

Members should refuse to sign the routing schedule because it would be impossible if it was put in operation for many of the men to earn a living wage under it.

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GIRL SHOT; DIES. By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal, Aug. 24.—Annette Daoust, the sixteen year old girl, shot accidentally she claimed, by a friend, Rene Larocque, died in the Royal Victoria Hospital this morning.

RETURNED SOLDIERS. By Courier Leased Wire. Quebec, Aug. 23.—Close to one thousand invalided men from the trenches will arrive in Quebec this evening on a British ship.

FRUIT CAKE. Two eggs, 1 1-2 cups molasses, 1 cup butter, 1-2 pound currants, 1-2 pound raisins, 1-3 pound citron, 1 teaspoonful cloves, 1 teaspoonful cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoonful soda, 3 cups flour.

HARVESTERS LOOK. 36,000 farm laborers are wanted in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, for the harvesting of the crop.

The Canadian Northern Railway will operate the first excursion trains for the west, leaving Toronto Union Depot at 10 p.m. August 23rd and 30th, and running through solid to Winnipeg.

The equipment will consist of electric lighted colonist cars, lunch cars, and in addition the railway will continue their last year's innovation of keeping a special car for the accommodation of single women and families.

The territory served by the Canadian Northern lines offers the widest choice of employment with high wages, but regardless of where you locate, remember we give you the best service to Winnipeg where you will purchase to final destination, no matter on what line it may be.

For leaflet showing special train service with dates, number of men required at various points and other information, apply to Job A. Dowling and Son, Town Agent, or General Passenger Department, Canadian Northern Railway, Toronto.

Sporting Comment

In Cincinnati the idea seems to be to punish players for doing something to get the town back on the baseball map. Wrist watches are being purchased by the fans for three of the players who have had a lot to do with the recent spurt of the club, and it is threatened that the kidding provokers will be handed to every member of the team if it continues to go, and lands in second place.

White Shoe Dressing. For Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes. Looks Better, Lasts Longer, Easy to use, Best for Shoes. White Cake 10c, White Liquid 10c. WHITE SHOE DRESSING. FULLY CO. OF CANADA LTD. TORONTO, CAN.

A wrecked piano is a good muzzle for me THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S ---By Wellington

Cartoon strip by Wellington. Characters discuss a piano, a son-in-law, and a wrecked piano. Includes speech bubbles like 'I DO HOPE THEY GET IT UP-STAIRS SAFELY' and 'DEAR ME! I'LL JUST BET THOSE CARELESS MEN HAVE GONE AND DROPPED THAT PLANNER DOWN-STAIRS?'.

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Everyone—a hair-thinner that LUX is on a soft, lustrous beauty indeed. The hair is satin-smooth, pliantly in hot water, and to clog the pores. Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto. Fair. 5th, 1917. EXHIBITION. Attractions. Military and. NIGHT. DAILY. from the Secretary. A. M. HUNT, Secretary. Comforts. 00. \$2.00 up. \$1.25 up. 25 to \$21. \$9.50 up. Windows. RNE. ET. 0 8 per cent preferred. ble into "B" stock at. he present intention to. stock to present hold- "B" stock at par. ank Dividend—The di- g Molsons Bank have. regular dividend of 2%. ble October 1st to. of record Sept. 15. tors Officials—At the. meeting of the direc- rs. Motors Corporation, was elected preside nt; ont, chairman of the. terrill, secretary; H. H. r, and K. L. Pron-33.

SIDELIGHTS ON THE STAGE AND SCREEN

THE BRANT. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Brant The Argo Troupe offer 15 minutes of clever surprises in the acrobatic world.

THE REX. Byrne and Byrne, musical comedy company and their Giddy Girls in a repertoire of the most gripping and thrilling photodrama in which she has ever appeared.

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JACK PICKFORD and LOUISE HUFF SUPPORTED BY THEODORE ROBERTS IN "WHAT MONEY CAN'T BUY" LASKY-PARAMOUNT AT THE REX THEATRE MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

announced that I was the Princess Irenia and the two children, were my brothers. This was meant for the guide. We knew nothing about it, of course, and as we would stroll around the guide would whisper to each collection of tourists that there was the Princess Irenia and the two royal children.

FORBIDDEN PATHS. Directed by Robert Thornby from an original story by Eve Unsell. "Forbidden Paths" is one of the notable productions of the season.

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VIVIAN MARTIN. THE OLIVER MOROSCO PHOTOPLAY CO. FOR "IN FORBIDDEN PATHS" AT THE BRANT THEATRE THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Balboa's baby star, Gloria Joy, was walking with her assistant cameraman one day between "shots." The cameraman was blessed with one dollar and five cents when he started out and the "star" blew him six bits.

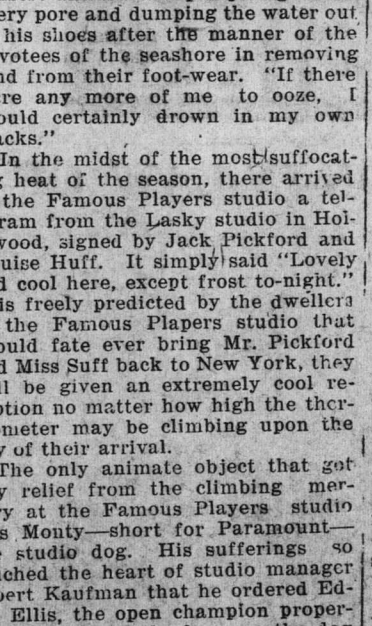
Who ever gets the goat of pretty little Marie Provost will also get her Liberty Bonds and her fortune.

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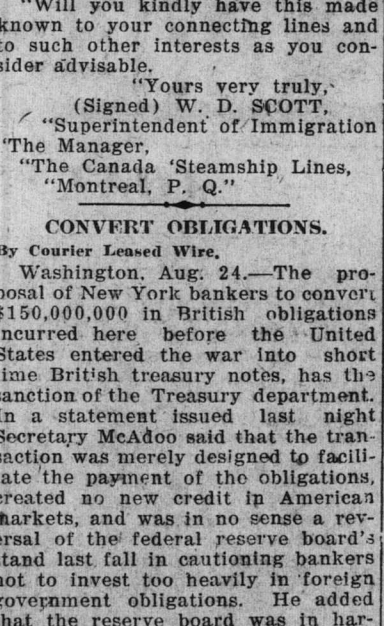
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NEWS FROM ST. GEORGE

(From our own correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis of Philadelphia, are the guests of the Misses Waite.

Miss Annie Capenerhurst has returned to her home in Toronto, after spending two weeks as the guest of Mildred Bonham.

Mrs. Gemmel of Ayr, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Waite.

Miss Grace Sullivan returned to her home in Brantford on Tuesday, after spending two weeks with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herbert, Mr. Jean Herbert, and Mr. Chas. Herbert Jr., motored to Milverton on Sunday.

Mr. McNeilly conducted the church services at Bethel and Harrisburg on Sunday.

Mr. S. S. Lawson, of Brantford, spent a day of last week in the village renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeilly and Miss Mabel McNeilly motored to Waterford and Port Dover on Monday.

Mr. Darcy Herbert returned home on Sunday last after spending two weeks with relatives in Milverton.

Miss Aletta Stiver has returned home after holidaying with relatives in Brantford.

Mr. George Newell returned home on Monday after holidaying with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. W. S. Green, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green of Toronto, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Green.

Mr. Morris and Misses Marculla and Lillian Morris, are spending a few weeks with relatives in Windsor.

Mr. J. H. Burke, Mr. A. E. Green, Mr. Benson and Mr. Merton Snyver, spent Sunday at Grimsby Park.

Miss Evelyn Moll of Niagara Falls is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Wainwright.

Mr. Wm. Keirle, Mr. and Mrs. Mewhinney and family, spent Sunday at Grimsby Park.

Mr. Fred Archibald of Hamilton, spent the evening of the 22nd with Miss J. Little.

Miss L. Kitcher and Miss Lizzie Moody are holidaying with relatives in St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally of Ingersoll, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walley and little son of Birtle, Man., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Firman Howell.

Mr. Tucker left for the west on Thursday morning.

Miss Beatrice Cornell of Hamilton is the guest of her aunt, Miss N. Cornell.

The last Union Church service for this summer, was held in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Mr. Clifford Higgin, organist of the Brant Ave. Methodist church, having charge of the organ for the evening, he gave a splendid recital from seven o'clock to seven-thirty to a very appreciative congregation.

His music during the recital after the service. The choir was ably assisted by Miss Gladys Garvin, Miss Wilson and Mr. Wm. Wood, all of Brantford.

Miss Garvin sang the alto solo in the anthem, "The Lord is God." A very sweet soprano solo. Rev. Mr. Haverstock had charge of the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins and family left for the west on Thursday morning, where they intend spending three months.

Mrs. David McNeilly and daughter Lottie, of Port Burgo and Mrs. E. Jamieson of Marburg and Mrs. E. Jamieson of this week with Mr. and Mrs. McNeilly.

CAINSVILLE NEWS (From our own correspondent) The Misses Sullivan, Hamilton, spent a few days with Mrs. D. Hanley.

Miss Laura Spearing, city, has been visiting Miss Violet Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Solomon motored from Honey River. They are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Yule have returned from a pleasant holiday at Pt. Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Woodstock, and Mrs. Pickering, Brantford, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Griswold.

A number from this village spent Sunday in Pt. Dover.

Master Dave Angus is visiting in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCann were visitors at J. McCann's, this week.

Miss Ruby Blunt, who has been spending her holidays here, has returned home to Hamilton.

FIGHT ON TRAIN. By Courier Leased Wire. San Francisco, Aug. 24.—One man was killed and three others were injured late last night in a fight between six passengers and a car crew of the United Railways, whose motor-men and conductors are on strike.

The conductor on the car, who, with a guard, was attempting to replace the trolley which had been pulled off, was attacked and shot through the heart. The six passengers disappeared and were being sought by the police to-day in connection with the shooting. The motorman was beaten to unconsciousness and the guard was injured in the attack. A third man was shot through the hand.

LIFE UNDERWRITERS. By Courier Leased Wire. Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 23.—J. T. Wilson, Halifax, was unanimously elected president of the Dominion Life Underwriters Association at the session of the convention held this afternoon. The report of the nominating committee, which was adopted, provided for four vice-presidents, who were elected as follows: J. T. Parkes, Sherbrooke, Que.; G. Wetmore Merritt, St. Johns; J. H. Life Underwriters Association, George, H. Hunt, Toronto, was re-elected honorary secretary and J. H. Castle Graham, of Toronto, re-elected general secretary and treasurer of the association.

Brant Theatre ATTRACTIONS EXTRAORDINARY MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY MARY PICKFORD IN "THE LITTLE AMERICAN" A tense Dramatic Story, Dealing with the Present War THE ARGO TROUPE In Fifteen Minutes of Novelty Surprises Bushman and Bayne in "The Great Secret" CHRISTIE COMEDY THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Vivian Martin and Sessue Hayakawa IN "FORBIDDEN PATHS" THE THREE CHUMS In a Few Moments at The Club A Classy Singing and Musical Hit Ruth Rowland in "The Neglected Wife" PATHE NEWS OF THE WORLD

REX Theatre SPECIAL SHOWING FOR NEXT WEEK Byrne and Byrne Musical Comedy Company and Their Giddy Girls Presents "THE KODAK GIRLS" A classy, up-to-date show combined with good vaudeville features, including THE CONCERTINA TRIO A novel singing and musical specialty with three English Concertinas BILLIE BYRNE America's best female impersonator CHARLIE BYRNE The Big Laugh Producer WALTER MARION High Class Baritone Vocalist ETHEL KING In Character Songs and Grottesque Dancing PAUL CLIFFORD The Big Time Character Comedian EXTRA ADDED ATTRACTION Jack Pickford, Louise Huff and Theodore Roberts in "WHAT MONEY CAN'T BUY" A strong gripping picture with an all star cast

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When MARY PICKFORD IN "THE LITTLE AMERICAN" At the BRANT Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

ODD W... An old-fashioned never sees her high draws the wedding face. One Turkish fat allowed his daughter husband from two a writer in the Wo she had chosen she him in person, seal the formal and religious cere bride is never pre her little sister, who sumed the charsha room and cereha open. The child forgot to leave the impatient bride eat him who after that husband. She did at the social cere he withdrew the ve ing face. But they both h love with each oth devoted ever sinc that the photogr Another of her f ed to receive a co husband between th and the social cer on her in the mon ed reading with her come acquainted w marriage turned ou never can tell. Wooded By Turkish girls se themselves for ma sense of lovers. T dreams and sweet faces become tend cooling during the heartless are making suitable husband f does seem a pity and charming girl experience in any deo lightful process of haps when they eme life that seemed pr until the war arrest will be one of thei parents are making Bulgarian youth meet frequently, ar customs are at the ern and primitive. Here is enacted in a Bul the spring, to which must send for wate the peasant girls times, with the p their shoulders on y the girls ro, tither stalwart fellows h embroidered jackets. Here is enacted the Jacob and Rebecca, ern youth has plent court a girl. He m her pails for her. Flower from her ha hind his ear or he meet him at the h night. The husking crings where boys o coned by an old w corn for some neig singing folksons d

ODD MARRIAGE CUSTOMS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

An old-fashioned Moslem bride never sees her husband until he withdraws the wedding veil from her face.

One Turkish father whom I knew allowed his daughter to choose her husband from two photographs, says a writer in the World Outlook. After she had chosen she was crazy to see him in person, so when he came to seal the formal betrothal (a civil and religious ceremony at which the bride is never present) she begged her little sister, who had not yet assumed the chadshaf, to go into the room and carelessly leave the door open. The child went in, but alas! forgot to leave the door open, and the impatient bride caught no glimpse of him who after that day was her legal husband. She did not see him until at the social ceremony weeks later she withdrew the veil from her blushing face.

But they both immediately fell in love with each other and have been devoted ever since. So it would seem that the photograph guided her well.

Another of her friends was allowed to receive a courtship from her husband between the legal marriage and the social ceremony. He called on her in the months that intervened reading with her and trying to become acquainted with her. But their marriage turned out sadly, so you never can tell.

Wooed By Dreams

Turkish girls seem to prepare themselves for marriage in the absence of lovers. They are wooed by dreams and sweet thoughts; their faces become tender and their voices cooing during the period when their parents are making inquiries for a suitable husband for them. But it does seem a pity that these pretty and charming girls should never experience in any degree that most delightful process of courtship. Perhaps when they emerge into the free life that seemed preparing for them until the war arrested progress, that will be one of their gains.

Bulgarian youth of the two sexes meet frequently, and their courtship customs are at the same time modern and primitive. The popular meeting place in a Bulgarian village is the spring, to which every household must send for water. Hither come the peasant girls in brilliant costumes, with the pails carried over their shoulders on yokes. And where the girls go, tither flock the youths—stalwart fellows in short breeches, embroidered jackets and round caps. Here is enacted the ancient story of Jacob and Rebecca, and here a modern youth has plenty of chance to court a girl. He may fill and carry her pails for her, he may beg the flower from her hair and put it behind his ear or he may invite her to meet him at the husking bee that night. The husking parties are gatherings where boys and girls, chaperoned by an old woman, husk the corn for some neighbor, then join in singing folksongs or dancing their

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Another Feast.

This is the manner of courtship in Mexico. A young man sees a young lady on the street whom he admires and follows her home. Having reached her casa, he begins to "play the bear" by walking back and forth in front of the house, or standing on the street with his eyes fixed on her windows for hours at a time, day and night alike.

Coy Mexican Girl.

The Mexican young woman is coy, and, even if greatly interested, she will remain back of the curtain. By the slightest movement of the curtains or blinds she gives sign that she is not entirely indifferent. After a day or two she may even show her face or wave her hands as a further mark of encouragement, and, after several days, she may appear on the balcony for a few moments.

If she goes to church the lover is probably not far behind, and an occasional smile or glance from her eyes of midnight is given him as a reward for his faithfulness. Next comes daily salutes and smiles when the lover appears. Flowers in which notes are concealed are sent by the

aid of the water-carriers or charcoal vendors.

When the courtship has so far advanced that the lovers may talk, the moonlight nights are devoted to the love-making and several pairs of lovers can be seen on almost any street—be on the sidewalk, you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn stops soreness at once and soon the corn loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

A quarter of an ounce of freezezone costs very little at any drug store, but is sufficient to take off every hard of soft corn or callus. This should be tried as it is inexpensive and is said not to inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue or skin.

GERARD NOT SIR JAMES

London, Aug. 24—Answering the question which apparently has arisen in the United States as to whether James W. Gerard, the former American ambassador to Germany, is entitled to the prefix "sir" before his name by reason of King George's conferment on him of Knight Grand Cross of the Bath, officials of the College of Arms, the official authority on matters of heraldry, to-day said:

"The former ambassador at present is Mr. J. W. Gerard, G. C. B. He will not be a sir unless he receives the accolade from the king."

All British subjects who receive this order of knighthood are styled "sir" in Debreets peerage, baronetage, knightage and companionship and in the official lists.

Foreigners receiving similar honors sometimes have assumed the title "sir" as in the case of Slatin Pasha, formerly British inspector of the Sudan, who is a baron of the Austrian empire, his native country. A majority of the foreigners who have been given the knight grand cross of the Bath, have been men who held a higher rank than knighthood in their own country.

According to unofficial announcements King George bestowed knighthood on Mr. Gerard in recognition of the ambassador's unceasing and courageous efforts to ameliorate the lot of the British prisoners in Germany.

ALL CREW SAVED.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Washington, Aug. 24—All members of the crew of the submarine steamer Devonian were saved, according to to-day's advices to the state department.

BOGUS BILL.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, Aug. 24—A number of bogus \$10 Imperial Bank bills are in circulation here, the police announce.

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RAILROAD WRECK

By Courier Leased Wire.
Mansfield, Ill., Aug. 25.—Two persons were killed and a dozen more or less injured early to-day when a freight train on the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis (Big Four) Railway, crashed into the rear sleeping car of an eastbound passenger train standing at the station here. The passenger train, which was due at 10.30 o'clock last night, was delayed on account of engine trouble and had stopped for repairs. The freight train, running on schedule time, had received no stop signal and ran into the rear sleeping car, telescoping it. The fireman of the freight engine and an unidentified passenger were killed.

E. N. R. EARNINGS.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Toronto, Aug. 24—The Canadian Northern Railway's earnings for the week ending 21st August were \$748,500. For the corresponding period last year \$846,300. Decrease of \$97,800.



When You Market Consider Your Less Fortunate Neighbor.

"Every citizen who uses more in his household than his household actually needs is increasing the cost of living for those less fortunate, and he is hindering the prosecution of the war."

Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance.

THE well-to-do woman who sits at her phone and orders provisions lavishly, regardless of price, is abusing the power of money as a bully abuses brute strength!

No longer can we help ourselves as we see fit from an unlimited food supply—we are either limiting our buying to our own real needs or "hogging" someone else's share.

Extravagant buying by those who can afford it, with waste in some kitchens, and excess at some tables, will inevitably bring still greater hardships to those who cannot afford the prices, and hunger to those who must live on less.

Buy for your household as careenly and economically as your husband buys for this factory, store or office. Study food values as well as prices—make it a point to know just what you are getting—eliminate waste—and you'll find that you can feed your family well on far less than you spend now.

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WILFUL MEN

PEN AND INK CHARACTER SKETCHES OF U. S. SENATORS WHO OBSTRUCTED WILSON'S DECLARATION OF WAR ON GERMANY.

One of the phrases coined by President Wilson that has stuck with his characterization of the Senate obstructionists is "a little group of wilful men."

It is not surprising that the Senate obstructionists are a "little group of wilful men." The little group of wilful men is a group of men who are not traitors, they are merely obstructionists.

An Ex-Popular Hero. Easily the most prominent of the group is Senator Bob LaFollette of Wisconsin. His latest performance was to propose that the United States should now declare what it is fighting for, and that all the Allies should chip in to a common fund to be given Germany in exchange for the evacuation of Belgium.

He on the Presidency. LaFollette represents a state where there is a very large German element and he calculates upon his obstructionist tactics being approved at home, but after all his eye is on the Presidency again.

Honest, but Ignorant. Senator Stone, though a strong pro-German and pacifist, and perhaps the most conspicuous opponent of the war in the early days, has not supported the obstructionists in the past couple of months.

world. France and Belgium might as well be in Mars for all the interest he has in them.

Gore, the blind Senator from Oklahoma, and Sherman, of Illinois, are both pro-Germans, because they believe that the majority of their supporters are pro-Germans. Gore is in the Senate largely because the people sympathized with him in his affliction and for the determination he showed in trying to surmount it.

THOUSANDS OF MEN REQUIRED ON LAKE ONTARIO SHORE LINE, AND FOR HARVESTING IN WESTERN CANADA. Thousands of men are required to help in the great work of harvesting the Western crop.

Excursions from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be run, and special trains operated, making the trip in about thirty-six hours, without change or transfer.

G. T. R. EARNINGS. By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal, Aug. 24—Grand Trunk earnings from August 15 to 21st, 1917, \$1,371,233, 1916, \$1,804,548; increase \$66,385.

PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE. Hood's Sarsaparilla removes scrofula sores, boils and other eruptions, because it drives out the blood the humors that cause them.

Gas School Where Soldiers Wearing Masks Are Tested



Photograph shows Portuguese soldiers waiting their turn at a gas school behind the British lines in France. The soldiers are put through a severe test to see if they can endure the poisoned gas. If they are found wanting, they are not employed in gas attacks.



REVIVING INTEREST IN ASIATIC CAMPAIGN. The accompanying map shows the location of the new Russian offensive in the Caucasus, which has been occupied by General Maude's Mesopotamian army and the Maan District in Arabia where Arabs under the King of the Hedjaz are harassing the Turks, capturing isolated camps and destroying the Medina railroad.

WILL RUSSIANS EVACUATE RIGA? Principal Key To Petrograd To Be Evacuated, Is News Heard By U. S. MAY MOVE CAPITAL. Transfer Seat of Russ Gov-ernment From Petrograd To Moscow.

Riga is one of the chief seaports of Russia, and lies 375 miles southwest of Petrograd. Its population is the fifth city of the Russian Empire while in foreign trade it ranks next to Petrograd and Odessa. It is the seat of the Governor Gen. of the Russian Baltic Provinces, and the capital of the Province of Livonia. The city is situated on the southern extremity of the Gulf of Riga, having direct railway communication with the fertile plains of southern and south-eastern Russia.

Washington, Aug. 23—Riga, one of the most important ports of Russia, seems to be lost to the Germans. All the facts in the matter are not known here, but enough has been received in the way of official advice to justify the statement that the Russians troops that have been defending the port and city are withdrawing, leaving the Germans an easy task.

May Move Capital. With Petrograd, threatened, the Provisional Government of which Kerensky is the head, will be obliged to move elsewhere, and it is supposed in Washington that should this course become necessary the seat of government will be established in Moscow the ancient capital which has a sentimental place in the hearts of the Russian people.

Hindenburg is There? Field Marshal von Hindenburg, Chief of the German General Staff, is supposed to be in personal command of the Kaiser's troops that are participating in the Riga campaign. It is expected here that within a short time, perhaps a matter of hours, an announcement will be made from Petrograd or Berlin that the German troops are entering Riga. The character of the advice received here would indicate that this has already been accomplished.

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ECHO PLACE. From our own Correspondent (Mrs. J. S. Barnes is holidaying in Pt. Dover). Mr. and Mrs. Symons and children are visiting in Brownsville. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Watson of St. Cloud, Florida, spent Tuesday in our village.

ESKIMOS ON TRIAL. By Courier Leased Wire. Calgary, Aug. 24—Evidence in the trial of the two Eskimos, accused of the murder of two priests in the Arctic region, was slow in coming out to-day, due to the complications of interpreting from Eskimo to the English tongue.

ASK FOR FARMS. By Courier Leased Wire. Quebec, Aug. 24—A delegation representing invalided soldiers called upon Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec to-day, asking that the government of Quebec grant five hundred farms to invalided soldiers.

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An Outsider

(By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE)

AUTHOR OF
"The Lone Wolf"
"Joan Thursday"
"The Brass Bow" etc.

(From Friday's Daily.)
The sky that now shone down upon the city was a fair shield of stars unblurred by cloud; the storm had passed without her knowledge. She closed the window, Sally delayed her last, rapturous survey of herself in the cheval-glass, then put out the lights and went to the door. She hardly knew why it was that she opened it so gently and waited so long upon the threshold, every nerve tensed to detect alien sound in the stillness of the empty house. But it was as if with darkness those vacant rooms and passages had become populous with strange, hostile spirits. She heard nothing whatever, yet it was with an effort she stole forth through the hallway and up the stairs to the topmost floor, where, perched precariously upon the iron ladder, she tried her patient patience, recalling the click that had accompanied its closing—the click of a spring-latch.

But this time her alarm had visible cause; that there was something wrong in that strange house, so strangely deserted, was evident beyond dispute. She stood facing the dining-room door, the door to the library on her left; if not in any way evident to her senses, she could fix its position only approximately by an effort of memory. But through the former opening her vision, ranging at random, instinctively seeking relief from the oppression of blank darkness, detected a slender beam of artificial light no thicker than a lead-pencil—a golden blade that lanced the obscurity, gleaming down upon a rug, more bright on naked parquetry, vivid athwart the dust-cloth shrouding the dining-table.

For a moment or two the girl lingered, unstriving, fascinated by that slender, swerveless ray; then, slowly, holding her breath, urged against her will by impulsive curiosity, she crossed the threshold of the dining-room, following the light back to its source—a narrow crack in the folding doors communicating with the library. Now Sally remembered clearly that the folding doors had been wide open at the time of her first tour of investigation; indeed, had the door between the library and hall—now tight shut, else this light would have been perceptible in the hall as well. It was undeniable, then, that since she had closed herself up—since another person had entered the house—some one who had shut himself up in the library for a purpose apparently as clandestine as her own. Or why such pains to mask the light, and why such care not to disturb the silence of the house?

To have gone on and made good an escape without trying to read this right would have been hardly human of the girl, for all her misgivings; she stole on to the folding doors with less noise than a mouse had made and put an eye to the crack, which, proving somewhat wider than she had anticipated, afforded a fair view of the best part of the other room. An electric chandelier was on full blaze above the broad and heavy center-table of mahogany, beyond which, against the farther wall, stood

her very narrow in the grasp of a great and enervating fear. If she could not have said what precisely it was that she feared, her fright was no less desperately real. She could see nothing; she had heard no sound; her hands had touched nothing more startling than the banister-rail, and yet— It was as if sensitive filaments of perceptions even finer than sight, touch, and hearing had found and recoiled from something strange and terrible skulking there, masked by the encompassing mark. Probably less than twenty seconds elapsed, but it seemed a long minute before her heart stirred anew, and she was able to reassert command of her reason and—reassured, persuaded her fright lacked any real foundation—move on. Five paces more brought her to the elbow of the rail; here, in the very act of turning to follow it down to the basement, she halted involuntarily, again transfixed with terror. But this time her alarm had visible cause; that there was something wrong in that strange house, so strangely deserted, was evident beyond dispute. She stood facing the dining-room door, the door to the library on her left; if not in any way evident to her senses, she could fix its position only approximately by an effort of memory. But through the former opening her vision, ranging at random, instinctively seeking relief from the oppression of blank darkness, detected a slender beam of artificial light no thicker than a lead-pencil—a golden blade that lanced the obscurity, gleaming down upon a rug, more bright on naked parquetry, vivid athwart the dust-cloth shrouding the dining-table.

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Accessory After the Fact.

At the foot of the stairs Sally paused in the entry-hall, thoughtfully considering the light door, the plate rectangle of whose plate-glass was stenciled black with the pattern of its lace panel. But she decided against risking that avenue of escape; it would be far less foolhardy to steal away via the basement, undoubtedly, that the always-possible passer-by might more readily take her for a servant. Turning back, then, toward the basement staircase, she began to grope her way through blinding darkness, but had taken only a few uncertain steps when, of a sudden, she stopped short and for a little stood like a stricken thing, quite motionless save that she quaked to

SIDE TALKS

By RUTH CAMERON

LET'S FIND IT.

Once upon a time we had two workmen in the house making some repairs for us. We had made certain plans, and something in the construction of the house suddenly loomed up in the way of these plans. "What shall we do?" I said to the carpenter. Said one carpenter, "I don't see anything we can do. That wall is in the way." There must be some way to get round that difficulty. Do you wonder? I don't. The other day I met that second carpenter on the street. He is a master builder now. He has five men working for him. The first carpenter is one of them. That little incident was so perfectly typical of two ways, the right and the wrong, the conquering and the lying down way, of meeting difficulties.

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in the eyes of an excited young woman. But a moment later, finding the case to be fast-locked, the burglar gave utterance to an exclamation that very nearly cost him his appeal to her admiration. She couldn't hear distinctly; for the impatient monosyllable was breathed rather than spoken, but at that distance it sounded remarkably like "Bahaw!" (Continued in Monday's Issue.)

Good Night Stories
By Blanche Selinger

MARY BROWN BAT
Mary Brown Bat lived alone under the eaves of the old barn. She was very lonesome and unhappy until one day Mamma Red Bat stopped to inquire if there was room on the eaves for her and the little ones. "That depends on how large your family is," replied Mary Brown Bat. "Here they are," answered Mamma Red Bat, and two little bats unrolled themselves from Mamma Bat's neck, where they had been hanging. "Oh! So that's the way you travel—with the children hanging to your neck. Surely there's room enough for us all, and most happy I am to share the barn with you," said Mary Brown Bat. The little ones settled themselves on the eaves, where they flattened themselves out and, clinging to the boards.

That night Mamma Bat with her babies clinging to her neck, played and chased bugs with Mary until they were tired, then they flew into a tree to rest. Mamma Red Bat set her little ones down on a branch and started over to join Mary, who sat on another limb when she saw something dark creeping along the limb back of her. Mamma Red Bat knew in a second it must be a wasp, and she screamed a warning just in time to save Mary's life, for the wasp was nearly on her. Mamma Red Bat gathered up her babies and they flew back to the barn. "You certainly saved my life. How can I ever repay you?" said Mary, and she was very happy to feel that Mamma Red Bat had come there to live. They were just about ready to take their daily nap when a sparrow circled around the corner of the barn chasing a bug. The bug flew over the place where Mamma Red Bat tucked her babies to bed, and when the sparrow landed, her wing brushed against the little bats and they tumbled from their resting places. They were too young to fly, but as they fell toward the ground they spread their wings, which broke their fall, and they hit the ground unhurt but badly frightened. Mamma Red Bat with a cry, flew to their rescue just as a big gray cat

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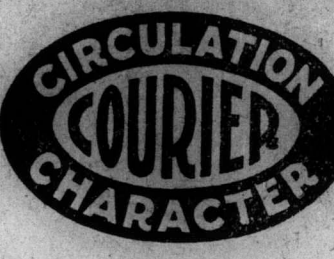
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SIZES UP THE KAISER
Dutch Artist Wants to Make the World Realize What This War Means



GENERAL FOYOLLE who, with General Guillaumat, is leading the successful French offensive on the Verdun front.

Louis Raemaekers now in America, says he is humiliated to think that Germany has set a mere 12,000 marks on his head. Raemaekers is the world's most famous cartoonist. His cartoons score and scourge the Hun blonde beast in unmerciful fashion. The Kaiser would like to get his hands on the clever Dutch artist whose drawings have stirred the world.

American interviewers regard Raemaekers not merely as a cartoonist, but as an apostle of the war to make the world safe from democracy. He appeared to a representative of the New York Tribune "not as a news-pape cartoonist, not entirely as a hard, vengeful fighter, but as prophet as well—a Peter the Hermit of crayon and drawing ink." Ever since the early months of the war we have been becoming more and more familiar and impressed with his drawings, and now he comes to America in person to draw pictures here as he frankly avows, to make us realize what it means to be at war. Personally he is described by the Tribune representative as a little man whose face is mild in repose with a red, mottled complexion, and dressed only when he speaks of Germany. This informant proceeds;

"He is not nervous, but his hands are never still—the slim, delicate hands of the artist. Always as he talks his hand moves. It is as if they were ever eager to continue the work to which he has given his life—as, if since they have begun striking at Germany with their terrible skill, they have no desire to rest until the job is done.

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The New York Globe quotes him as admitting that his mother was a German and as disavowing that he is an anti-German fanatic. He can understand the German who says "What have you to offer? J. Edward Murphy, Fairmount, Minn. SJ/30

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