





# What Society is doing

Miss Elspeth Duncan, Dufferin Avenue, has returned to Moulton College, Toronto.

Miss Nora Hanna has returned for her holidays from St. Luke's hospital, New York.

Messrs. Lyman Gould and Howard Meyers returned to Ridley College, St. Catharines on Tuesday.

Miss Winnifred Watts, William St., returned on Tuesday to St. Hilda's, Trinity University, Toronto.

Major Brooks of the C. M. R. was a week end visitor from Hamilton, with his family in Brantford.

Mrs. Courtland Fairchild and family, formerly of Alberta, have recently taken up residence on Brant Avenue.

Miss Margaret Bishop and Miss Phyllis Cockshutt, return to the Bishop Strachan School Toronto on Monday.

Miss Enid Hatley of the Bishop Strachan staff, leaves on Monday for Toronto, to resume her duties at the College.

Miss Marion Watts, William St., has returned from a short visit to Toronto, where she was the guest of Mrs. G. Northway.

Miss Grace Adams, Northumberland street, has returned to Queen's Hall, Toronto, where she is attending Toronto University.

The Messrs. Ken and Tom Ruddy, Morton Robertson, Jim Matthews and Russell Sweet, have returned to the Woodstock College.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gordon, Church street, left for Cocoa, Florida, early in the week, where they will spend the next few months.

The Messrs. Helen Ballantyne, Grace Verity, Sibyl Duncan, Florence Verity, Constance Heyd, Millicent Verity and Frances Leeming, returned to Toronto this week to resume their studies at "Branksome Hall."

Captain and Mrs. A. H. Boddy are spending the week-end in Dunnville, the guests of Mrs. Boddy's mother, Mrs. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harris were up from Toronto, spending the week-end in Brantford, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ellis, Chestnut Avenue.

Captain W. N. Andrews was in London last Saturday, attending a meeting of the Western University Board.

Mrs. J. B. Boyce (nee Miss Jennie Sloan) of Belleville, spent the past week with friends in Brantford and Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Duncan, Brant Avenue, were week end guests in Hamilton, with Mrs. John Knox.

Captain and Mrs. W. N. Andrews entertained the Choral class of the O.B. students on Thursday evening at an informal little dance in the Conservatory Hall.

Miss Ruth Hart, William St., is spending the week-end in Princeton, with relatives.

A marriage has been arranged and will shortly take place between Rowland Noel Barron, eldest son of Mr. Barron, M.P., Leathley Hall, Otley, Yorkshire, and Aurlife Hay, only child of the Hon. Alistair Hay and the Comtesse de Bernes, and niece of Lord Greville, 27 Belgrave Square. Mrs. Rowland Barron of Leathley Hall is a niece of the Misses Phillip, Darling Street, and will be remembered by many friends in town.

No one has found more pleasure in the recent nippy weather than the five daughters of the Vice-Regal household and the youngest son, Lord Charles Cavendish, who have been skating and tobogganing to their hearts' content. The Duke of Devonshire has also been skating with his family.

Miss Fraser, in regard to the needs of the Parcel Department of the Canadian Red Cross, makes the following suggestions—that smaller size shirts should be sent. The demand is for shirts with collar size 15 1/2 to 16. We rarely have a request for larger ones. We are having great difficulty in obtaining razors, so any number of both safety and plain razors will be welcome.

Princess Patricia opened a club at Uxbridge this week for the benefit of Canadian wounded at Hillingdon House Hospital. She declared it doubly pleasing to perform the ceremony, being so interested in all that concerned Canadian soldiers at the hospital, where she conversed freely with the patients. The guard of honor was composed of patients from her regiment.

Mrs. Dave Adams, Northumberland St., left for Vancouver, B.C., where she was called quite suddenly by the serious illness of her father, who resides in that city.

A cable received in the city this week by Mr. E. N. Roberts, states that his daughter, Miss "Dot" Roberts arrived safely in England with the nursing sisters from the Toronto base hospital, of which unit she is a lieutenant.

A letter received in the city a day or so ago, by Sergeant and Mrs. Wallace, states that their son, Lieut. W. J. Wallace of the 55th Battalion is recovering from his various injuries, but will be on the invalid list for some time, owing to a recently discovered compound fracture.

Lieut. W. J. Wallace is at No. 1 London General Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S. E.

The Military Hospitals Commission for the Dominion is doing splendid work in looking after returned disabled soldiers. The Commissioners, who were appointed by order in council, comprise some of the leading men of the Dominion, with the Hon. Sir James A. Loughheed as President. Mr. Lloyd Harris, of Brantford, is one of the Commissioners.

The Women's Auxiliary of the 215th Battalion are putting on a series of six informal concerts in aid of their knitting fund. Five or six of the leading organists in the city have kindly consented to arrange a programme each, and the first concert will take place next Monday evening in the Conservatory Hall, under the direction of Mr. Thomas. They will be very informal and no tickets will be sold, but a very nominal admission fee of 25c will be charged in aid of this worthy cause.

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Mrs. Robert Henry, of Windsor, arrived in the city on Thursday and is the guest of her sisters, the Misses Phillip, Darling St.

The many friends of Mr. Paul Dowling, of the Toronto Globe, and formerly of The Courier, will regret to learn that he has been ill at his home here during the past few days.

The Misses Evelyn and Kathleen Buck, have returned from a short visit to Montreal, where they were the guests of Miss Kathleen Drummond.

Mrs. Michael Mackenzie, of Toronto, is spending the week-end in the city, the guest of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Mackenzie, 41 William St.

Mr. E. L. Cockshutt, Charlotte St. was the host on Tuesday evening at a small dinner. Covers were laid for eight, the guests of honor being Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casparz of Bombay, India.

The 4th Saturday market under the auspices of the Brant Chapter, L.O.B.E. was held this morning at The Tea Pot Inn, Mrs. E. J. Mabon and Mrs. N. D. Neill convenors.

Mrs. George Watt and Miss Margaret Watt, returned home on Friday from Toronto, where they have been spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jennings.

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Dr. Hanna's brother, Mr. Hanna, M.P.

Louis F. Heyd, K.C., and Mrs. Heyd, leave Toronto Wednesday for Florida where they will spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. D. J. Lewis returned from Toronto Friday evening accompanied by Miss Gretchen Heyd.

Mayor Bowly was in Kitchener on Thursday attending the funeral of his brother, the late Mr. Ward H. Bowly, M.A., K.C., Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace, who died in Toronto on Wednesday.

The induction of the Reverend J. B. Fotheringham, M.A., as Rector of Grace Church, will take place on Friday evening, Jan. 19th, at 7.30 p.m. The retiring Rector, the Rev. G. C. Mackenzie, D.C., Archdeacon, will be mandated by the Lord Bishop, officiate.

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Among the many needs of our men overseas, says the Canadian Red Cross Society pamphlet, is that of good reading matter. This need has been met to some extent by the "War Library," which is now recognized by the Joint War Committee of the Red Cross and Order of St. John as the channel through which literature should be sent to the hospitals and prisoners under their care. It is recommended that the work be taken up by the Red Cross Branches throughout Canada, but it is work which will need the most careful handling and regulating in order to avoid being inundated with loads of out-of-date and unsuitable books, "dumped on the Society for the benefit of the senders rather than the recipients."

Any Branch or Auxiliary, which undertakes this work should carefully observe the following regulations and Rules.

1. Only clean books should be received for overseas.

2. Only books suitable for men's reading are required. This cuts out all ladies' magazines, fashion papers, and cookery books.

3. Out of date books of all kinds—religious, scientific, historical—should be refused or accepted only for sale locally.

4. Soiled and unsuitable books should be sold as waste paper locally.

ally and the funds devoted to the Society's needs.

5. Loose numbers of magazines of reasonably recent date, might be relieved of their advertisements and covered in brown paper.

6. In some cases, complete stories might be taken out of magazines and stitched up to form little pamphlets (or use in cases where men cannot hold many books, or in infectious wards).

7. Scrap books are also welcome. Rudyard Kipling asks for these made of 4 sheets (8 pages) of brown paper. Outside paste a bright picture. Fill both sides of each sheet with pictures, very short stories, jokes and anecdotes. Little poems, text or verse of a hymn. Signs to fit Red Cross regulation cases.

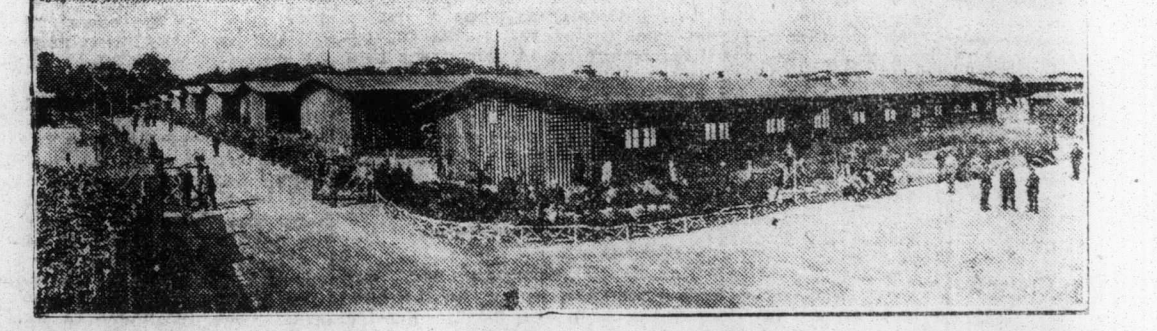
8. Ship just as other Red Cross goods, but in separate packages.

9. Gifts of new books from publishers and booksellers will be specially welcome.

On Friday, September 29th a concert given at the Duchess of Connaught's Red Cross Hospital, Taplow, under the auspices of the Canadian Red Cross, was very much appreciated by the audience of over five hundred wounded soldiers. The performers, two in number only, were Pte. William Brown, of the 13th Battalion, and Pte. Carleton, a professional monologist, now a munition worker at Woodliff, a position he now fills after having been four times rejected by the Medical Board.

The program lasted a little over the hour, and was enthusiastically received, both singer and the story teller provoking roars of laughter, and before leaving received a hearty invitation for a return visit.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**



WHERE MANY CANADIAN BOYS ARE CONFINED—THE PRISON CAMP AT GIESSEN, GERMANY. This photograph gives a good idea of the fairly comfortable quarters which have been prepared for the Canadian prisoners at Giessen, Germany. Note the flower beds surrounding these buildings, which are the main buildings of the Giessen prison camp as photographed by a Canadian prisoner.

MAIL CONTRACT  
Postmaster General, Ottawa, until noon on Friday of February 1917 for the day of His Majesty's Majesty's contract for four years, six weeks over Standard No. 27 from the 1st of April 1917.

SEALING CONTRACT  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE  
THE next examination for the Naval Cadets will be held at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, London, in May, 1917, successful candidates will be appointed to the rank of Midshipman. Applications for entry should be sent to the 15th of April 1917.

WEST LAND REGULATIONS  
THE sale land of a family of over 18 years of age may be quarter-section of available land in Manitoba, Ontario, etc. Applicant must appear in the Dominion Lands Agency for the District, etc. may be made at any Dominion Agency (but not Sub-Agency) conditions.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Brantford, Eagle's Nest, Brantford and Newport, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

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Candidates for the examination in May next must be between the ages of fourteen and sixteen on the 1st July, 1917. Further details can be obtained on application to the undersigned.

G. J. DESBARATS, C. M. G. Deputy Minister of the Naval Service Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa, November 28, 1916.

Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family or any male over 18 years of age, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District, where a form may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years, after gaining certain patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as usual homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchase homestead in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson II.—First Quarter, For Jan. 14, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, John i, 19-34 Memory Verses, 32, 33—Golden Text John i, 29—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

When John the Baptist was questioned as to who he was he said that he was not the Christ, nor Elijah, nor the expected prophet, but simply a voice crying in the wilderness, "Make straight the way of the Lord" (verses 19-23). His commission is found in Isa. xl, 3-8, where it is said that he was to prepare the way of the Lord and make straight in the desert a highway for our God and to cry, "All flesh is grass, and all the goodness thereof is as the flower of the field; but the grass withereth, the flower fadeth, but the Word of our God shall stand forever." The Spirit through Malachi said of him, as well as of the real Elijah, yet to come, "Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord" (Mal. iv, 5, 6). The angel Gabriel said of him to his father Zacharias, "He shall be great in the sight of the Lord, and he shall be filled with the Holy Ghost even from his mother's womb; he shall go before the Lord in the spirit and power of Elijah, to make ready a people prepared for the Lord." His father Zacharias, being filled with the Holy Spirit, said of him, "And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest, for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare His ways" (Luke i, 13-17, 67-79). The Lord Jesus said of him, "Among them that are born of women there hath not risen a greater than John the Baptist" (Matt. xi, 11).

When questioned further by the Pharisees as to why he baptized if he was not some great one, he said that there was one standing among them whom they knew not, the latchet of whose shoes he was not worthy to unloose, and that while he (John) baptized with water the unknown one would baptize with the Holy Ghost (verses 24-27, 35). He is ever the same Jesus. Trust Him to baptize you with the Holy Spirit now and here Him say, "Be it unto thee, even as thou wilt."

"Whoever things ye desire when ye pray, believe that ye receive them and ye shall have them" (Mark xi, 24). The cry of John the next day he saw Jesus coming unto him, "Behold the Lamb of God, who taketh away the sin of the world," was one of the greatest cries that one mortal could make to another.

It would be worth while to go into all lands with that one cry and its associated truths. It takes us not only to the foundation of the world, but before that (Rev. xiii, 8; I Pet. i, 19, 20), for as the Lamb of God He was foregrounded before the foundation of the world. It takes us to Gen. iii, 21, where we see Him with His own hand, by the shedding of blood, providing redemption clothing for Adam and Eve. It takes us to Gen. xxii, where we see the lamb dying in the stead of Isaac. It takes us to Ex. xii and all that is therein, through the Passover Lamb; also to the lambs of the daily morning and evening sacrifice; to Isa. lxi and to passages without number concerning His being a sacrifice for our sins; then on to the Revelation, where He is called the Lamb just twenty-eight times, redeeming by His precious blood, enabling us to overcome by the same, conquering all His enemies and ours and finally associated with the Father on the throne (Rev. v, 9, 10; vii, 14; xii, 11; xvii, 14; xxii, 1, 3).

As His redeemed ones we are lambs in the stead of wolves, and when we think of all He has borne for us as the Lamb of God and all the glory that awaits us as His associates we might well be willing to be killed all the day long for His sake, if only He can be glorified in us. John says that it was his commission to manifest Christ Israel, and it is our commission to manifest Him to the world, that the world may know Him through us. Always delivered unto death for Jesus' sake, that the life of Jesus may be made manifest in our mortal flesh (John xvii, 21, 23; I Cor. iv, 10, 11). It would seem that John did not know Him personally until the day of the baptism at Jordan, but he had been told, "Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending and remaining on Him the same is He who baptizeth with the Holy Ghost." John here records saying, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon Him, and I saw and bare record that this is the Son of God" (verses 31-34).

There must have been a knowing of Him in some sense before the baptism, for when He came to John to be baptized that day John said to Him, "I have need to be baptized of thee, and comest thou to me." So there must have been some increased revelation of Him to John after the baptism, when the heavens were opened, the Spirit descended like a dove and lighted upon Him, and the Father said from heaven, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased" (Matt. iii, 13-17). What a contrast between John who bare record "This is the Son of God" and the devil who said so soon afterward "If thou be the Son of God" (Matt. iii, 17; iv, 3). When we are well pleased with Him in whom the Father is well pleased then the Father is pleased with us, but if we do not receive Him as Son of God we cannot be saved.

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215th Fell Before Rowing Club, 12-2, Owing to Lack of Team Work

Lack of practice together caused the defeat of the 215th Intermediate Hockey team that journeyed to Hamilton last night for their first game of the season with the Rowing Club of that city. The locals were completely outclassed in the early stages of the game, but as the play progressed they rapidly began to take the measure of their opponents, and in the final period, the play was fairly even, the final score being, 12-2, and while losing by a margin of 10 goals, this was no indication of the brilliant combination work of the civilian team told against the individual efforts of the boys in khaki, so much so, that in the opening period, the puck was placed between the posts seven times by the Hamilton men. The game was refereed by Lieut. Bert Mackenzie of the 205th Tigers Battalion, who, although he kept the play comparatively clean, allowed many off-side, this style of play resulting in about five of the seven goals scored in the first period. In the second and third stages of the contest, the play was situated for the most part on the ice of the home team, only inaccurate shooting preventing the soldiers from piling up a heavier score. From the defeat there has, however, accrued this advantage, that some idea had been gained as to the respective merits of the players and changes will be made this week that will strengthen the team, so that there is no doubt but that on their return to this city the Hamilton Rowing Club will find the hardest opposition it has encountered in some time, and a victory is confidently anticipated by the boys in khaki. The teams lined-up as follows:— 215th Battalion Ham. R. Club Leask.....Goal..... Sloan Wooden.....Defence..... Eric Riech H. K. Wood.....Defence..... Leo Reize Stipe.....Right W. Boyd (C.) T. A. Cassidy Left W. Alex Murray Andrews.....Center..... G. McEwen Lloyd.....Rover..... H. Parker

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Effective Sunday, January 14th, 1917, reductions will be made in T. H. & B. train service of two trains in each direction between Hamilton and Buffalo.

Train No. 72 now leaving Hamilton at 10:35 a.m. for Welland, Niagara Falls and Buffalo, will be taken off as well also No. 78 leaving Hamilton at 6:05 p.m. for Welland, Buffalo and New York.

The West Bound trains Nos. 77 and 81 leaving Buffalo for Hamilton at 8:40 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. are cancelled.

No reductions are being made on the Hamilton, Brantford, Waterford division but the morning train due here under present schedule from Hamilton at 9:45 is set back to 9:59. Number 5 due now at 4:36 p.m. under new time will arrive 5:12. Number 9, now set here at 2:12 p.m., will pass through at 9:36 p.m.

The eastbound trains remain the same as at present with the exception of No. 2 leaving here now at 7:37 a.m. Under the new time card this train will leave for Hamilton and the east at 7:52 a.m.

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CHICAGO MARKETS— By Courier Leased Wire. Chicago, Jan. 13.—Cattle, receipts 500; market steady; native beef cattle \$7.75 to \$11.80; western steers, \$7.50 to \$10; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 to \$8.85; cows and heifers, \$4.40 to \$10; calves 9.75 to \$14.25; hogs, receipts 17,000; market strong, 10c higher; light \$10.10 to \$10.75; mixed \$10.40 to \$10.70; heavy \$10.50 to \$10.95; rough \$10.50 to \$10.60; pigs \$7.85 to \$9.80; bulk of sales \$10.55 to \$10.85; sheep, receipts 6,000; market weak; wethers \$9.50 to \$10.65; lambs, native \$11.50 to \$14.

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS. East Buffalo, Jan. 13.—Cattle.—receipts 200; active and firm. Veals—Receipts 250; active, \$5.00 to \$15.50.

Hogs—Receipts 650; active; heavy and mixed, \$11.35 to \$11.40; yorkers, \$11.30 to \$11.35; light yorkers, \$10.25 to \$10.75; pigs, \$10.00 to \$10.25; roughs, \$9.90 to \$10.10; stages, \$7.50 to \$8.50.

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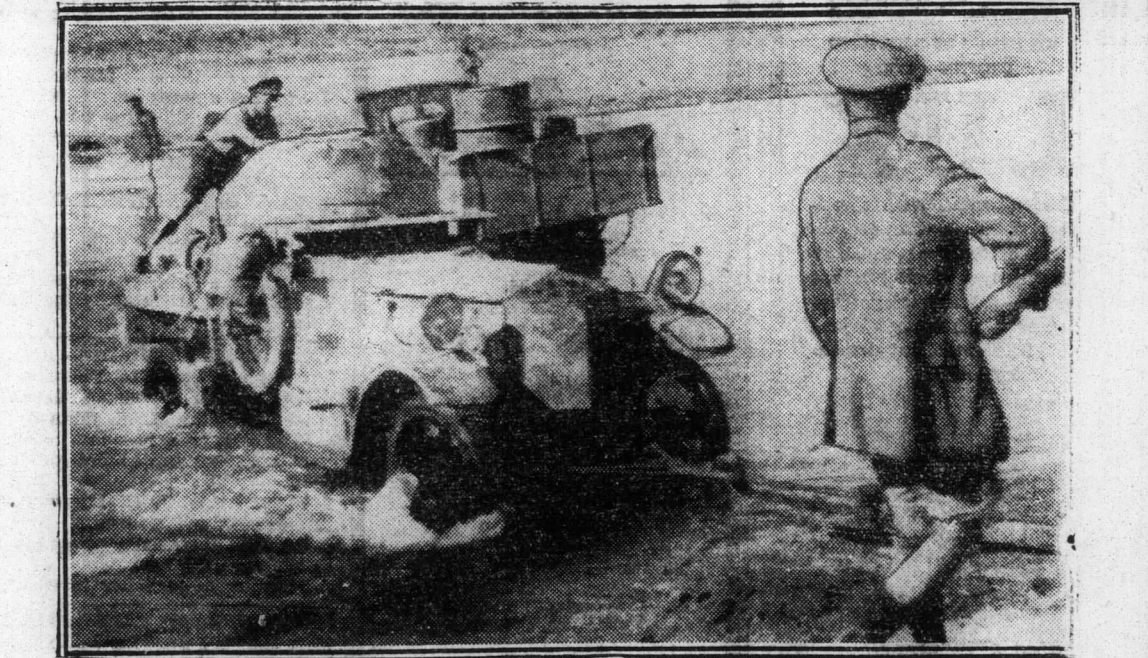
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Saturday, January 13th, 1917.

THE SITUATION

The re-organized Russo-Roumanian forces took the offensive along the Kasino river line, and in a brilliant assault succeeded in driving the enemy back for the distance of a mile and a third.

As a result of the recent conferences in Rome, Italy has called more troops to her colors. It is generally believed that she will lend valuable aid in the Balkans.

Announcement comes from Washington that it is believed by many there that Berlin is so desirous for a peace conference that she may accept the Allied terms as a basis of discussion.

Millions are pouring in for the new British "Victory loan," and the huge success of the offering is already assured.

THE BANK OF COMMERCE STATEMENT

The fiftieth annual statement of the Bank of Commerce contained in this issue makes interesting reading not only for those allied to this great institution but also for the general public.

As far as the bank itself is concerned, the figures tell of substantial progress under splendid and broad minded supervision.

When a general contest does take place there need be no doubt as to the fact that the Borden administration will be well sustained, for it has richly earned such a recognition.

The "slate" adopted by the city council is an eminently fair one and shows a splendid spirit on the part of the Conservative majority.

Strange that Simcoe should be short of gas with so much of it on tap in the Simcoe bye-election.

The Mayor seems to be anxious this year to add to his title of the great Nizam.

It is satisfactory to know that the branch in Brantford continues to maintain its present high place under the efficient management of Mr. H. W. Filton.

It is the practice of a majority of Liberal speakers and papers to sneer at the two Conservative Governments at Ottawa and Toronto.

As a matter of undoubted and unquestioned fact, the Province of Ontario has never enjoyed such excellent and progressive administration as that which has existed ever since Rossism was overthrown.

Those who can recall those days will readily remember the rank dishonor of them, a dishonor so great that even the Toronto Globe was forced to protest, declaring that the "bar-nacles" must be removed with "an iron hand."

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one charge of graft or of public money dishonestly spent. It is true that the last two bye-elections have gone against the Administration, and the Toronto Globe has tried to make it appear that the electors are warming towards Rowell in a most remarkable way.

Rowellites professed to desire more than anything else—found the liquor interests fighting on the side of the Liberal candidates and the combination succeeded, as the full effect of the measure was not then realized.

The Dominion Government under Sir Robert Borden, has equally made good. Added to the already onerous duties involved in connection with home affairs, there have been the tremendous responsibilities arising out of the war and that these have been well met, no sane man can deny.

There has been some talk of the necessity of a coalition ministry, but it has never once been needed. Even so pronounced a Liberal paper as the Winnipeg Free Press said in a recent issue on this subject:—

"When the true spirit of coalescence to a great end permeates the country, then coalition and unity of government comes about naturally and without mechanical device. An artificial coalition merely accentuates a thousand times the evils in which the absence of such a spirit involves the state.

And if a poll of Canada were taken to-day, it would be discovered that, while many people dislike the present Government because it is Conservative, nine out of ten trust it because it is Canadian."

An exceedingly frank and valuable tribute that, coming from a political critic.

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The public would still have been groaning under monopolistic charges but for this great enterprise. The establishment of prison reform has proved another great achievement, and so the list might be extended. Through all these beneficent years, there has not been

News of the Churches

Anglican
GRACE CHURCH.
14th January, 1917. 8 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11 a.m.—Matins. Preacher Archdeacon Mackenzie on "My Happy Reminiscences and Thanksgiving for a Ministry in Grace Parish for 37 Years."

ANGELICAN ST. JUDES.
Dalhousie and Peel, Rev. C. E. Jenkins, rector. Jan. 14th, 2nd Sunday after Epiphany. 11 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon. 3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes. 7 p.m.—Evening prayer and sermon "The Stars in their Courses Fought Against Sissera"—Judges V. 20. A message on the war. The rector will preach at all services. Strangers made welcome.

Congregational
A helpful message for you! To-morrow at the Congregational Church, corner of George and Wellington streets. Rev. W. J. Thompson, Minister Church services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning sermon: "The Enlightenment of Life." Evening sermon: "The Encouragement of Life."

BRANT AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
10 a.m.—Brotherhoods. 11 a.m.—Rev. A. A. Bowers. 2.45 p.m.—Sunday School. 7 p.m.—Rev. A. A. Bowers. 8 p.m.—Organ Recital.

Methodist
MARBOROUGH ST. CHURCH.
Rev. John E. Peters, M.A., minister. 11 a.m.—"The man with Another Spirit in Him" 2.45 p.m.—Sunday school. 7 p.m.—Amen. Cordial welcome. Free seats. The church

WELLINGTON ST. METHODIST.
Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Henderson, pastor. 10 a.m.—The Brotherhood will be addressed by Mr. B. W. Thompson on "Billy Sunday's Mission to Detroit." Class and Junior League Meetings at the same hour. 11 a.m.—Public service. Sermon by the pastor. "How we Grow." 2.45 p.m.—Sunday School in charge of Messrs Ranton and Standing. 7 p.m.—Public service. Sermon by the pastor. "What the Pulpit has a right to Expect from the Pew." Music—morning—Anthem, "O, for a closer walk with God." (Myles B. Foster). Mrs. Frank Leeming will sing. Evening—Anthem, "Surely He hath borne our Griefs." (Handel's Messiah). Hymn—Anthem, "The Old, Old Story." Solo, "The Model Church." Mrs. Leeming, Thomas Darwin, organist and choir-master. Everybody welcome.

COLBORNE ST. METHODIST.
Rev. W. E. Baker, pastor. 10 a.m.—Brotherhood and Class meeting. 11 a.m.—Rev. W. E. Baker. Five minute sermon for boys and girls. Second answer to question, "What is your life?" Morning subject, "Mountain Top or Valley." 2.45 p.m.—Sabbath School. 7 p.m.—Rev. W. E. Baker. Subject, "Why some people do not attend church." Morning music—Anthem, Great and marvellous (Turner), solo, "I do not ask, O Lord, (Spross) Miss Laura Anguish. Evening Music—Anthem "What are these," Stainer; solo, Mr. Stuart Sanderson. G. C. White, Organist and Choirmaster.

The Home For The Stranger AT Park Baptist Church 11 A.M. The Allies' Terrible Prophecy. A discussion of the Entente reply to President Wilson in the light of Scripture. 7 P.M. The Greatest Sin in Canada To-day

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A FEAST OF GOOD THINGS TOMORROW
REV. H. H. BINGHAM of the Talbot St. Baptist Church, London will conduct Evangelistic Services at the

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Monday and Tuesday REV. P. W. PHILPOTT, of Hamilton will preach at 8 p.m. MRS. LEEMING will sing at both of these services. Mr. Philpott is certainly one of the greatest gospel preachers in Canada. Don't miss this opportunity. Come!

Wednesday Next Our 83rd Annual Meeting and burning of our church mortgage. A jubilee night with us. Every member is expected and urged to attend. "O Come Let us Worship"

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BETHEL HALL Sunday 11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread. 3 p.m.—Bible Class, Sunday School. 7 p.m.—Gospel Service. Mr. Jno. Harwood will speak. A hearty invitation to all. Non-Denominational

CHRISTADELPHIAN. Sunday School and Bible Class 3 p.m. Lecture 7 p.m., subject, "The Things Concerning the Kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ." speaker, Mr. Geo. Denton, in C. O. F. Hall, 136 Dalhousie St., Opp. the Market. All welcome. Seats free. No collection.

News Notes of 215th Battalion The divine service of the battalion will be held in Grace Church to-morrow morning, the sermon being delivered by the Rev. A. B. Farney, of Simcoe, who will be replaced by Capt. the Rev. S. E. McKegney for the day.

The concert that is to be given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the battalion in the Conservatory of Music on Monday night, to be open to the public, will be repeated free on Saturday night for the men of the battalion and their friends.

One base and several side drummers are required for the bugle band of the battalion, and anyone in the unit having a knowledge of either of these instruments, is requested to report to Sergeant Dickson before noon on Sunday.

Private J. Betty has been detailed to attend the Military Cooking Course at the Jesse Ketchum Barracks, North Yonge Street, Toronto, commencing on January 15th and concluding on February 8th. During this time, Pte. Betty will be attached to the 216th battalion for rations and quarters.

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BOYS' SUPPER
The best group supper ever held in the history Y. M. C. A. took place last the boys' department. A programme had been secured feature of which was the election of Mr. Robert Kerr, who a splendid solo, and later boys in singing popular and sumptuous supper was served by the ladies. Messrs. F. W. Beckett, R. L. Beckett and Teach acting as hostesses.

BIBLE CLASS MEETINGS.
The annual meeting of the andra Intermediate Bible Class held Friday evening at the O's class held at the armory November. Infantry, grade ant: C.S.M. J. Borthwick, C. M. Nelson, A. Sigs, A. C. R. W. J. Vair, W. Rowe, E. A. V. H. Corpis, J. B. Anderson, P. W. P. Bender, A. Sert, G. Infantry, grade Corporal: A. J. C. Whittington, G. H. C. den, J. M. Campbell, R. Burd G. M. Brown, W. Willie, Brown, J. M. Peters; L. Corp Norrie.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

EVER-READY CLASS. The "Ever-Ready" Class of Alexandra S. S. met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. D. T. McClintock, on Wednesday evening for the purpose of electing officers and discussing of plans for 1917.

BOYS' SUPPER. The best group supper that has ever been held in the history of the Y. M. C. A. took place last night in the boys' department. A splendid programme had been secured, the feature of which was the contribution of Mr. Robert Kerr, who gave a splendid solo, and later led the boys in singing popular songs.

RECEIVE CERTIFICATES. Certificates have been awarded the following members of the 215th battalion, who attended the N. C. O's class held at the armories in November: Infantry, grade Sergeant: C.S.M. J. Bortwick; C.S.M. R. M. Nelson; A. Sigs. A. C. R. Jones, W. J. Class, V. McIntyre, Corpls. J. Vair, W. Rowe, E. A. V. Rice; A. Corpls. J. D. Anderson, P. Loube, W. P. Bender; A. Sergt. C. M. Lee, Infantry, grade Corporal: A. Corpls. J. G. Whittington, G. H. C. Brunson, J. M. Campbell, R. Buckholder, G. M. Brown, W. Willey, P. J. Brown, J. M. Peters; L. Corpl. J. L. Norrie.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS. The annual meeting of the Alexandra Intermediate Bible Class was held Friday evening at the home of the class teacher, A. E. Cooper. This popular boys' class of the teen age division is on its third year in an organized class and the meeting was for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year.

REVIVAL SERVICES. Last evening the attendance was excellent at the First Baptist church. The preacher, Rev. H. R. Bingham.



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of London, took for his subject the Water of Life, from which he preached a most helpful and inspiring gospel message. At the close of the sermon, several indicated a desire to follow Christ. The quartette sang in excellent harmony "Some Blessed Day" and "Child, Come Home."

MASQUERADE PARTY. The members of the choir of Wellington St. Church were entertained on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cutmore, Sheridan street, where a masquerade party was held. The prize for the best costume being carried off by Miss Bloxham. Games, music and contests were engaged in, the prize for the contest being won by Miss Plack. A dainty supper was served as a conclusion to a most enjoyable evening.

THE MARKET. The market this morning scarcely was an improvement over that of the past few weeks, meats comprising a bulk of the sales, while tobacs were fairly plentiful, and brought a good price. Dairy products were slightly more in abundance than on the previous week, and the price was also somewhat lower. Vegetables were exceedingly scarce as were apples, but the prices for these remained about stationary.

LETTER FROM SHORNCLIFFE. City Assessor, A. G. Ludlow, yesterday received a letter from Lieut. Hunt, who was prior to his enlistment prominent here in connection with Boy Knight work, stating that he is quite well, and that he is at present quartered at Shorncliffe. During the course of his remarks, he declares that never before has there been such an opportunity for doing effective work in connection with the Y. M. C. A. and other kindred institutions. In addition to his regular drill and army duties, Lieut. Hunt is working in the Y. M. C. A. at Shorncliffe, in an effort to make his cheerier for the Canadian soldiers quartered there.

GALT JUNIORS HERE. The long expected visit of the Galt juniors to this city took place this afternoon, the visitors invading the local institution, forty strong and indulged in games on the gymnasium floor with the Brantford juniors. This evening a supper will be served to the boys.

A return visit of a similar nature will be made by the Brantford boys within the course of the next two weeks. Preparations for which are now under way. Physical Director George Mosely being in charge of the undertaking.

MUSICAL CLUB. The Academy Musical Club held a social evening on Thursday Jan. 11th. The following interesting program was presented:

Oh, Canada, Piano, Peter Schmolli; Duet, (Weber), Mrs. E. Trumper; and Mr. Wright; Vocal, Haymaking, (Alice Needham); Miss M. Campion; Piano, Beethoven, Miss Randall; Vocal, When the Dew is Falling, (Edwin Spitzer); Miss Eileen Hart; Reading, Miss Young; Vocal, The Sweetest Flower, (Van der Stucken); Miss Kathleen Keen; Piano, Atlas, (Asher); Miss Zella Perry; "God Save the King."

POULTRY ASSOCIATION. The annual meeting of the Brant County Poultry and Pet Stock Association was held on Thursday at Preece's parlors. The Auditors report respecting show held recently, was very satisfactory, and reflected great credit upon the officers in charge. A unanimous vote of thanks was accorded Lt. Col. H. Cockshutt, Lt. Col. W. F. Cockshutt, J. H. Fisher, M.P., J. Ham, M.P., C. H. Waterous, F. Bishop and other donors to the prize list. Officers for the ensuing year were elected: Hon. President, Lt. Col. H. Cockshutt; President, T. M. Raines; Vice-Pres., H. L. Harding; Secretary, E. J. Chevins; Treas., B. Collins; Supt. Norton Buck; Directors, R. Middlemiss, R. Bannister and T. Shellard. The association intend to include cats in their show list this year and hope to receive the patronage of cat lovers and of pet stock in general.



LADY BEATTY. wife of Sir David Beatty, K.C.B., M.C., D.S.O., Admiral of the Fleet.

EQUAL FRANCHISE CLUB MEETING

Campaign Committee at Work on Petition for Women's Suffrage in Ontario

The meeting at the home of Mrs. S. W. Secord, President of the Equal Franchise Club, on Thursday evening was a joint meeting of the Club and the Campaign Committee who are working so hard in connection with the Campaign now in full swing to get a monster petition signed to present to the Ontario Legislature at its next session, asking them to grant the franchise to the women of the Province. All reported large numbers of names added to the petition and a hearty reception from all, also many encouraging reports were heard from outside places.

Since the last meeting several representatives of the Club and Campaign Committee have spoken in connection therewith at many meetings. Mrs. S. G. Read addressed the W. C. T. U. of Paris, Mrs. S. W. Secord, the Conservative Club; Messdames McWebb, Alf. Jones, and Secord, the Trades and Labour Council, and Miss Garvin, the Trades and Labour Council, who passed a strong resolution, endorsing the campaign; Mrs. Shults, W. C. T. U. at Oakland; Mrs. Secord spoke at Brant Avenue Ladies Aid Society and St. George Institute, also Wesley Young People's Society, which was also addressed by Miss Marian Mitchell. Invitations have also been received from Echo Place Institute and other places.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and the prospects are splendid for the completion of the campaign at an early date. Plans were discussed at some length and arrangements will be made shortly for copies of the petitions to be at certain public places down town so that who may be missed in the canvass will have an opportunity to "do their bit."

POLICE COURT. Armenians were in trouble in the police court again this morning. David Matorian, Sarkis Apogian, Sarkis Jarian, Simek Baxoin and Erazal being charged by Artin Torosian with the theft of \$1250. In his statement of his case, he declared that he had the sum in question in his clothes, when he met the defendants who enticed him into a house and then urged him to play cards. He refused to play, stating that he was ignorant of the game. However, they persuaded him to take several drinks of liquor, after which he soon fell asleep, and upon awakening the following morning, discovered the loss of the \$1250. The police were informed and raided the house, taking the five men into custody, and recovering practically the sum claimed to have been stolen. The foreigners entered a plea of not guilty and were remanded until Wednesday. Mr. M. E. McEwen will appear for the Crown, and Mr. W. S. Brewster will represent the defendants. A fine of \$200 and costs was imposed on James Smith for selling liquor without a license.

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WANTED—An engineer with certificate to take charge of engine and boilers. Apply The Wm. Buck Stove Co.

FOUND—Saturday, purse containing small sum of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Courier Office.

DIED. NORRIS—In Brantford, Saturday, Jan. 13, Richard Norris, 80 Minster Ave. Funeral will be private, from his late residence, Tuesday, Jan. 16th at 2 p.m. to Mount Hope Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

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Charming Crepe De Chine Waists Values up to \$5.00 Sale Price \$3.29 These smart waists have just arrived in time for the January Sale. The value is such that you will recognize it instantly. The style is new and smart, made with full collar, trimmed with white, while cuffs are of white, pointed and folding back. The material is crepe with pretty little figures in colors— Second Floor

NEW WOOLLEN GLOVES For Women, Children and Men These new Woollen Gloves for women and children, have just come in. They are to be had in our Glove Section, as follows: Women's White Woollen Gloves, Scotch Knit, Angora finish, made with long gauntlet cuff, ideal for skating, and will wash well. Special per pair 75c and \$1.50 Women's Scotch Knit Wool Gloves, Angora finish, dark natural shade per pair... 75c Women's "Viyella" Wool Gloves, dark, natural, grey and brown, per pair... 75c Children's Wool Gloves, dark Oxford and heather mixture, leather bound, one dome fastener, sizes from 2 to 12 years per pair... 35c Main Floor, Glove Dept.

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Music and Drama The Tanks Filmed. The long expected motion pictures showing the Canadians in action during the recent advance, and the successful part played by the wonderful British "tanks" has been released for exhibition in Canada. This is an official picture issued by the Canadian War Records Office. It is described as one of the most successful pieces of work which the military camera has yet performed. Word has just been received that the Government has authorized the Canadian distribution of these pictures. The film concentrates upon the splendid part in the Somme operations played by the troops from Canada in the advance which initiated last summer's operations on the Somme. The Canadians were moved to this section of the Western front in September 1916, after a year or more in the famous Ypres Salient. They soon distinguished themselves in the "great push." The new film shows the Canadians "going over the top" and their victorious advance under the artillery barrage and the details of their fighting. In this picture will be shown in action, for the first time, the new "tanks," the latest development of modern war, introduced by the Bri-

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# Brantford Juniors Defeat Paris 7-5

**Fast and Interesting Game at Local Rink Went Two Periods Over Time**

A game featured by brilliant individual play and one that held the intense interest of the spectators throughout was the junior O. H. A. feature at the Alfred Street Rink last night, between Paris and Brantford.

From the face-off until the final goal had been secured after fifteen minutes overtime, by Forrester, following on a brilliant rush up the length of the rink by "Scotty" Carruth, and an accurate pass from him to Forrester, there was not one dull moment.

The early stages of the game strongly resembled the opener at Paris on Monday night, which was marked by close checking but as the contest progressed, and the players warmed to their work, the play steadily grew faster and better until at full time after fighting an uphill battle all the way—Paris tied up the score, 5-5, necessitating fifteen minutes overtime play, in which the locals rushed their opponents, who had suffered from injuries to some extent, off their feet.

Hayes and Forrester for Brantford did splendid work, their play being of stellar calibre, while Carruth whose showing in Paris was not impressive, redeemed himself in the second and overtime periods. Urged on by Manager Gould, Carruth threw himself for the first time, wholeheartedly into the game and by hard checking and good work on the forward line contributed materially toward the securing of the victory. Tanner of Paris was a revelation to local fans, he playing a heady and excellent game throughout and was ably supported by McKay, in goal, who although playing under difficulties did considerable service. He was unfortunately struck by the puck below the eye during the practice before the game, the blow leaving a deep incision in the cheek bone, and no doubt hindered him to some extent.

As in the previous game the visitors displayed a superiority in combination play while the locals outclassed their opponents for staying qualities, skating them off their feet in the final overtime period.

The aggressive close checking tactics assumed by both teams at the outset of the game inevitably resulted in injuries to the players, which were for the most part of a minor nature. The speed that was maintained throughout also caused several injuries, Weber of Paris being struck by a stick and hurt rather badly in the third period, while Kelly and Hurley were also injured to the face; the latter losing some molars.

The respective managers were apparently satisfied with their line-ups of the previous game, the only change made being the substitution of Kelly for Adams, by Manager Gould.

**The Game in Detail**  
Both teams started away, going strong, Tanner and Kelly of the opposing aggregations, getting some wicked shots that, in each case was narrowly averted. After 11 minutes of play, Forrester slipped the rubber between the posts for the first goal of the game. Seven minutes later, Tanner, the brilliant wing man of

the green and black, evened the score by a beautiful shot from the boards. The players of both teams were striving hard to set the pace, and end the first third with the advantage with them, when "Mickey" Hurley, with less than 40 seconds to play, notched the second goal for Brantford, the period ended in the locals' favor 2-1.

### The Second Period

The second period witnessed much better hockey than its predecessors, neither team having any marked advantage. In the latter part of this third, Carruth scored from a mix-up in front of the Paris nets. Tanner nailed his second goal to the mass a few seconds after time was up, but as the time-keeper had no gong by which to notify the referee, the score was declared 3-2, in spite of the lengthy altercation that the fluke created.

### The Third Period

The green and black took the ice with an evident determination to do or die, and bid fair to do the former, when Irwin beat Stewart for another goal. The game was steadily improving, and both goal tenders were hard put to it to fend off the numerous shots aimed at the nets. In the last three minutes, preceding full time, successive hits by Forrester, Baker and Tanner put Paris in the lead, with the game evidently laid away in the ice box bound up with a green and black banner, but "Tommy" Hayes, the hero of the game, from the local standpoint, accomplished a desperate rush up the ice with the two defence men and the goal tender opposing him, and saved the contest by a shot clear through McKay's knees. Paris secured the puck at the face-off, and Stewart, by a great stop, again saved the game.

In the first overtime session, the terrific pace maintained throughout the game began to tell on the Paris boys, who however stuck gamely to their opponents, and at times threatened to score. This period was marked by good work by both Stewart and McKay, no goals being scored.

### The Victory

Six man hockey was the order of the second overtime session, Weber having been hurt a few minutes before, and Kelly going off to even up. The stamina of the whites and green then asserted itself, and the visitors were completely outskated, Hayes again running away from the forward line, breaking through the defence, and again scoring. Even at this advanced stage, the game was not securely tucked away, for Paris rushed down the ice with splendid combinations and a fusillade of shots were aimed at the Brantford posts. Carruth, who gradually improved as the contest progressed, obtained the rubber and with a good show of speed, rushed up the ice and passed to Forrester, who again tallied. The period ended without further scoring, 7 to 5, with Gould's boys on the log's end.

The victory was assuredly deserved by the Brantford boys, who fought hard throughout, but was a



Rev. Bingham, London, Preaches at 1st Baptist, Sunday.

hard game to lose by either team. The rivals lined up as follows:

Stewart	Goal	McKay
Gillen	defence	Irwin
Hayes	defence	Emmerson
Forrester	right wing	Tanner
Carruth	left wing	Baker
Kelly	rover	Weber
Hurley	centre	Hillborn

The game was kept clean by the efficient work of Referee Alan Klinger of Preston, who handled the opening game in Paris to the satisfaction of all. In summing up the game, there was an apparent improvement in the players of both aggregations, but there was still lacking in the play of the locals, that combination work in which their opponents are somewhat proficient. This style of play on several occasions enabled the green and black to rush on the ice and seriously threaten the Brantford goal, while the locals depended almost entirely on individual brilliance to win the game.

### BATTING TOURNAMENT

Five-Men Teams Will Compete.

At the Automatic Base Ball game circles will be received up till Tuesday evening next, for competing teams for a series of twenty games. Valuable prizes will be awarded. Get particulars at 78 Colborne Street. As many teams as wish may enter.

Mr. John A. Houlding, the new Overland and Cadillac Automobile dealer, has made a record in the sale of cars. Four Cadillacs are now on order, through him, for spring delivery.

### COMING EVENTS

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURES—See church notices.

HOME NURSING CLASSES now organizing. Send names to Women's Patriotic Rooms, Y.M.C.A. Phone 512, between the hours of ten and twelve or two and five.

BIBLE SOCIETY Annual Meeting, Wednesday, February 7th. Speaker, Ven. Archdeacon Cody. Further particulars in later announcement. Reserve this date.

THE FIRST OF A SERIES of fortnightly popular concerts to be given by the Women's Auxiliary of the 2nd Unit of the Conservatory of Music will be held Monday evening, Jan. 15, at 8.15. Admission 25c. Come and bring two.

HEAR REV. BINGHAM, of London, noted gospel preacher at First Baptist to-morrow. Extra music. Rev. Abbott of Hamilton Monday and Tuesday evenings. Don't miss these services.

REMEMBER WEEK OF PRAYER and Missionary Institute, Park Baptist Church, Jan. 15 to 19. Outstanding speakers. Auspices Ministerial Alliance. All Protestant churches uniting. Watch this space for detailed program.

WORKINGMEN ATTENTION! Trades and Labor Council will hold "Special Open Meeting," Wednesday, Jan. 17, 8 o'clock, to discuss resolution re the formation of new government.—Come.

BRANT CHAPTER, I.O.O.F. will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. F. Paterson, 85 Charlotte Street, Monday, January 15, at 3 o'clock. It is most important that all members be present as the nominations of officers will be held, preparatory for the annual meeting in February.

### BIRTHS

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### Obituary

Rev. T. S. Johnson  
The following extract from the Richmond Hill Record, New York, has reference to the death of Rev. Dr. T. S. Johnson, a former pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city.

Rev. Thos. S. Johnson, D.D., father of Mrs. L. Howard Moss of Brandon and Stothoff avenues, died suddenly on Wednesday morning, aged 75 years. Rev. and Mrs. Johnson came to Richmond Hill a month ago from their home in Canada, to spend the winter with their daughter. He had been in poor health for some time, and on Wednesday morning, after breakfast, Services were held on Thursday afternoon by Rev. Edwin P. Farham, of Richmond Hill, and Rev. Dr. Fowler of Orange, New Jersey. The latter was baptized by Dr. Johnson thirty three years ago. A few hours afterwards the body was taken to Aylmer, Ontario, for interment, being accompanied by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Moss.

Dr. Johnson was a Canadian by birth, a retiring Baptist minister, and well known in Baptist circles. He was to have preached at the Richmond Hill Baptist church last Sunday evening, but his health did not permit. Besides his wife and daughter, he leaves two sons, Wilfrid and Gordon, residing in Chicago.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### NEWS OF NORFOLK

Mayor Williamson of Simcoe Injured in Fall Through Trap Door

(From our own Correspondent) Simcoe, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Chas. Misner is recovering from serious injuries received in a fall at her home on Christmas morning. Her daughter, Mrs. McColl, of St. Williams, has been in attendance and the patient is now able to sit up. Four ribs were broken.

Mayor Williamson is confined to his couch through injuries received in falling through an open trap in the floor when calling on Councilor Crop at his shop. The mayor dropped to the basement and sustained a fractured rib and other bruises. Axemen felling timber along the E. & N. right of way near stop 37, broke the telephone and telegraph wires and tore four or five brackets from the feed wires. The utilities commission contemplates the installation of an electric motor at the pumping station as a precaution against a shortage of gas for the engines. Dominion Cannerys contemplate a similar installation, on, of course, a larger scale.

Liquor Cases Withdrawn. The cases against the proprietors of the Queens and Norfolk House for having over-strength beer on the premises were today withdrawn after hanging off for many weeks. The manufacturer had already paid one fine for the brew from which the Queen's sample was supplied and the accused in the other case and his bartender furnished affidavits to the effect that the sample taken was the last bottle of some L. O. goods purchased before the act went in force. The License Board, being satisfied that there was no intention to break the law requested that the actions be withdrawn.

Gas Pressure Low. The gas man was reported "out of town" to members of the industrial committee of the council who called to ascertain the why of the shortage of gas. The pressure at 11 a.m. was about 1 1/2 ounces and there was a deal of "doubling up" about town in order to keep warm. The High School and the Temporary Market School were closed all day, as was also the Public Library. There is at present no coal in town though the dealers expect a supply soon. An effort is being made to have manufacturing plants allow the gas to go to domestic consumers till the cold snap is over. Ryerse Bros. florists, had a difficult task last night to keep the temperature under the glass above the danger point. In private homes and places of business wraps and coats were worn throughout the day.

St. Paul's Heralds. At least three of the clergymen who have preached in St. Paul's since Dr. Dey vacated the pulpit, have been called elsewhere. Mr. McDonald, of Watford, goes to Dundas; Mr. Duncan, of Lucknow, to Sault Ste. Marie, and Mr. Hoag, of Southampton, to Lucknow. Beginning on Monday there will be a better train service to Toronto via Galt. One can leave Simcoe at 7.13 a.m., Galt 9.33, and reach Toronto about 11 o'clock. There is also a good afternoon connection at Galt. The Wash alterations and those of the Grand Trunk will be of no material concern on local branches.

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# FIREWORKS AT THE INAUGURAL SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

## Nominating Committee Carried Its Slate, Despite Opposition by the Mayor

### COMMITTEES APPOINTED

## Hot Debates Were Frequent—Appointment to Parks Board Not Yet Made

The city council of 1917 got away to a good start last evening when the midnight oil was consumed in a three hour session presided chiefly of discussion over the committee slate brought in by the striking committee. The latter was appointed to consist of Ald. Wiley, Jennings, Symons, Hollinrake and Dowling, and when it withdrew to form the slate the Mayor exercised the privilege vested in his office and accompanied the committee. The committee returned, and introduced a slate, which the Mayor immediately ruled out of order. He based his authority upon a by-law No. 857, which stipulates that upon each of the standing committees of the city council there shall be a representative of each ward of the city. The Mayor ruled the slate now proposed out of order because it did not comply with this by-law, regardless of the fact that the by-law had been repeatedly infringed in the past, even in the regime of Mayor Bowly last year.

The Mayor introduced a slate of his own, which he stated complied with the requirements of the by-law in question. Ald. Hollinrake then moved to amend the by-law, and a determined opposition was offered by the Mayor and the Liberal members of the council. The striking committee succeeded, however, in carrying their slate, and it was adopted as follows:

- Board of Works—English, MacBride, Secord, Tulloch, Jennings.
- Finance—Hollinrake, Dowling, Hess, MacBride, Wiley.
- Buildings and Grounds—Bragg, Secord, Kelly, Tulloch, Symons.
- Fire and Light—Wiley, Varcy, Hess, Hollinrake, Jennings, Jones, Kelly, Bragg, Mellen.
- Railways—Dowling, Jones, Kelly, Bragg, Mellen.
- Manufacturers—Mellen, Jones, Varcy, Dowling, Symons.
- House of Refuge—Jennings, Bragg.

The remainder of the business transacted by the council was largely of a routine nature, consisting of minor resolutions and the appointment of representatives to civic boards. A resolution of sympathy was passed to Mayor Bowly in the death of his brother, the late Ward Hamilton Bowly. Ald. Hollinrake suggested the opening up of the Grand River for navigation purposes. Ald. Dowling broached the question of public open air skating rinks in various parts of the city. The old, old debate over the appointment of a successor on the Parks Board to the late J. J. Hawkins was once more threshed out without any settlement being arrived at. The Mayor holding tight to his prerogative of naming the appointee, and the council equally firmly refusing to sanction Mr. Thos. Quinlan, the Mayor's choice.

The council will line up for the year as follows: Mayor Bowly, Ald. English, Kelly, Bragg, Hess, Secord, Symons, Jennings, Jones, Varcy, Wiley, Mellen, MacBride, Dowling, Tulloch, Hollinrake.

**Mayor Joins Committee**  
On the motion of Ald. Dowling, seconded by Ald. English, the striking committee to select the standing committees for the year, 1917, was appointed to consist of Ald. Jennings, Dowling, Wiley, Hollinrake and the Mayor. In dealing with the custom, the council then adjourned, and the striking committee proceeded with its work. Mayor Bowly, by virtue of his office, a member of the committee participated in the striking of committees, and after that an hour's session the striking committee re-entered the council room and submitted its nominations.

**Mayor Opposes Slate**  
Mayor Bowly promptly ruled the motion out of order.

"You cannot," declared Ald. Hollinrake.

"I can and do," retorted His Worship. "When I took the declaration of office as Mayor, I vowed to respect the laws of the municipality, and shall do so. Last year I violated the laws, by not attending the meeting of the striking committee. This year I resolved to be less delinquent in my duty, and attended the meeting and also formulated a slate which I considered equitable to the laws of the municipality. Municipal law insists that each committee comprise one member of each ward of the municipality and as the proposed slate does not do so, I rule it out of order. I shall read a slate which I have compiled."

"Would it not be in order to have it moved and seconded before reading," demanded Ald. Dowling.

"It would not," retorted Mayor Bowly. "Do you wish to challenge the order of my action?"

"No," returned Ald. Dowling. "But I am asking you to play the game."

"If you do not hold my action out of order then sit down and hold your tongue, as becomes a man in your position," commanded His Worship, who then proceeded to read his slate as follows:

- Mayor's Slate
- Finance—Ald. Hollinrake, Jones, Hess, MacBride, Wiley.
- Works—Secord, Kelly, Tulloch, Mellen, Jennings.
- Buildings and Grounds—Bragg, Varcy, English, Tulloch, Symons.
- Fire and Light—Wiley, Jones, Kelly, MacBride, Dowling.
- Railways—Hess, Varcy, Hollinrake, Bragg, Jennings.
- Manufacturers—Mellen, Secord,

Wiley still protested against the amendment of the by-law, and preferred to see the slate adopted, as introduced.

**Slate Carried.**  
The vote upon the slate submitted by the striking committee then followed, Mayor Bowly voicing his disapproval of the course of action adopted, stating it disgraced him. "I vote nay," he emphasized. Ald. Hess followed suit. Ald. Kelly did not vote and the remainder voted yeas, the slate being thus passed by 13 to 2.

**Paving Oxford Street.**  
On the motion of Ald. Jones, seconded by Ald. Secord, the city engineer was instructed to prepare a report upon the approximate cost of paving Oxford street from Burford street to Lorne Bridge.

**Want Estimates.**  
On motion of Ald. Hollinrake,

seconded by Ald. Tullock, the clerk was instructed to write the various civic boards financed by the city, requesting copies of their estimates for the coming year as soon as possible.

**Vote of Sympathy.**  
On motion of Ald. Dowling and Jennings, the council expressed its sincere sympathy to Mayor Bowly on the death of his last remaining brother, W. H. Bowly, M.A., L.L.D., K.C., County Crown Attorney of Waterloo, who passed away in Kitchener, Ont., on Jan. 7th last.

His Worship expressed to the council his thanks for their sympathy.

**Civic Appointments.**  
Messrs. D. Thorburn and F. Hutchings were by-law appointed auditors of the municipal books for the past year, and John Dowling, (not the alderman of that name) auditor of council accounts. Other appointments were made as follows:

- Board of Health, J. W. Patte.
- Thos. Money, F. C. Harp.
- Free Library Board, His Honor Judge A. D. Hardy.
- Parks Board—Franklin Grob.

**The Old Question.**  
A second vacancy was open on the Parks Board owing to the death of the late J. J. Hawkins, but a deadline was once more reached. Mayor Bowly nominating Thos. Quinlan and the proposal being re-

jected by the council. Ald. Hollinrake and others suggested the name of Dr. Stinson, the nomination resting with the Mayor.

"I'll not accept your suggestion," retorted Mayor Bowly. "I'll make my nomination myself, and the council will either sanction it or veto it."

Ald. Dowling supported the claims of Dr. Stinson, relating the claims that the council was opposed to Mr. Quinlan because of his religion. Dr. Stinson was a Roman Catholic, and acceptable to the council.

Ald. Bragg suggested the name of W. Lahey, Ald. MacBride and Hollinrake spoke against the delay encountered in this appointment, arguing that the Mayor should waive his privilege of appointment and bow to the rule of the majority.

The appointment was left in abeyance until the next meeting of the council.

**Gas Committee.**  
A special committee to deal with the gas question was appointed, comprising Ald. Dowling, Secord, Mellen, Jennings.

**Municipal Skating Rinks.**  
Municipal public skating rinks throughout the city was advocated by Ald. Dowling, who suggested that the Buildings and Grounds committee take the matter into consideration. Ald. Bragg stated that such a

question was already under consideration.

Ald. Jennings proposed "Tuloch Park as a site for one of the rinks."

Ald. Mellen suggested Recreation Park.

**Snow By-Law.**  
The case of the Colborne Street merchants who recently appeared in police court on a charge of allowing ice to form on their sidewalks was introduced by Ald. Hollinrake, who suggested that some steps be taken to remedy the present by-law governing the clearing of snow from the city streets.

Ald. Hollinrake also introduced the project of opening up the Grand River for navigation, making the following motions:

- That a committee be appointed, comprising of Ald. Bragg, MacBride, Secord and Symons with Wm. Sutcliff representing the labor union, with power to add to their number for the purpose of taking up with the Dominion Government the matter of developing electric power on the Grand River and of opening it up for navigation.

**H. C. of L. Committee.**  
The chairman of the standing committees of the council were appointed representatives of the council on the High Cost of Living committee.

**Thanks for Sympathy.**  
Ald. Dr. Wiley thanked the coun-

cil for its expression of sympathy to him in his untimely bereavement.

The next meeting of the council will be held on Monday evening, Jan. 22.

A full muster roll was in attendance for the first meeting of the year.



**WHERE BRITISH WON TRENCH.**  
The arrows indicate approximately where the British captured the three-quarters mile of German trench northeast of Beaumont-Ham, a "little west" section shown in this map.

# Give Now to the Patriotic Fund



If ever you would give—give now

## "BEAR YE ONE ANOTHER'S BURDENS"

'Tis an old saying—sometimes a hard one—but worthy of all acceptance.

Take a present-day illustration. British Columbia—out there under the setting sun—is helping to bear Ontario's burdens. She has sent to the front—that shell-torn front in France—a larger proportion of her manhood than has Ontario.

Therefore it comes to pass that we in Ontario are being asked to help in bearing British Columbia's burdens by helping its soldiers' families. It's a fair, a just, request. We all are in the same boat. We must bear one another's burdens. And if one Province, not rich in money, makes heavy calls on the Patriotic Fund, the richer Provinces must help out their poorer neighbor. Under a plan of each Province caring only for its own, the Province sending no men would spend no money. It would neither Fight nor Pay.

Ontario will need about six million dollars in 1917 for the families of its own soldiers. The Canadian Patriotic Fund is asking for that sum as a minimum below which the richest Province in the Dominion will not go. But, as a matter of fact, the Fund hopes Ontario will do still better—will bear another's burdens by helping out gallant British Columbia.

How stands the Western Province? It will require, in 1917, two million dollars for the families of its men at the front. That is one-third of Ontario's requirements. But Ontario has probably more than seven times the population. British Columbia asks no favors. With only about 350,000 people—not rich in this world's goods, but rich in pluck and good red blood—it is undertaking to raise One Million Dollars for the Canadian Patriotic Fund! That equals \$2.86 per head. Ontario, if it raise six million, will be giving about \$2.38 per head.

But the Western Province will still be short One Million Dollars. Where is this sum to come from? Eastern Canada, And Ontario, if it wishes to help, can do so only to the extent to which its gifts to the Fund exceed Six Million Dollars.

A lot of money, isn't it? Yet less than British Columbia is giving, if measured on a per capita basis, and far less if measured by ability to pay. (There will be no difficulty in securing the Six Millions if three plans are followed.)

### THREE PLANS FOR HELPING THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND:

1. If all County Councils make reasonably large grants to the national Fund.
2. If all towns, whether separated from their counties or not, will undertake campaigns.
3. If all citizens, in town or country, contribute fairly according to their means.

As to No. 1. The County Councils are beginning well. Simcoe has decided to largely increase its grant. For 1917 it will be the generous sum of \$120,000. Victoria, another county patriotic to the core, has doubled its grant, jumping it from \$2,500 a month in 1916 to \$5,000 in 1917. The majority of the County Councils will decide at the January sessions how large their grants will be. Public opinion will have great influence on the Councils. Every county taxpayer, sympathetic towards the Fund, should write or speak to his representative on the Council, endorsing a liberal grant.

As to No. 2. Many towns ignore the duty of holding campaigns. This applies particularly to towns which pay a county tax. Yet this tax never represents a fair or just contribution to the Fund from men of moderate or large means. Practically it is based on what the poorer men can afford. The richer should give much more, and they can be reached only through a popular campaign. To relieve anxiety these campaigns should be held in January or February.

As to No. 3. Patriotism of the individual is the basis of the Fund. Everything is built on it. If he will not make some sacrifice for the sake of the mothers, wives and children of the men at the front, the Fund suffers, and they suffer with it. The average family on the Fund requires \$200 a year from it. It is the duty—it should be considered the Privilege—of every Canadian stay-at-home to ask himself: For how many weeks, at \$4 a week, must I, in self-respect and in gratitude, take care of one of these families? If my county taxation for this purpose means that I am taking care of only one family for one week when I could do more, am I doing the right thing?

The answer to these questions will be found when he sits down and mails his extra gift to his local Branch.

Ontario is being asked to assure the Canadian Patriotic Fund that it can depend on having six million dollars in 1917 for the families of Ontario's soldiers.



Four million of these dollars must be secured from individual subscriptions. If there is no Branch of the Fund in your town or county send your subscription direct to the Head Office, Canadian Patriotic Fund, Victoria street, Ottawa.

### THIRD SECT

## Thrilling Gern

Fort William, Jan 11  
fifteen hundred people ere St. Paul's Presbyterian a welcome home Pte. Jerry first and only Canadian from a prison camp in Ge listeners who hung upon P the story of his escape, sin tatingly and modestly. Th was unique in the history Arthur, if not of Canada, that large audience stood had dared the duresse of prisons, worked underground mines, worked above grou fields, and finally made a getaway, his eleven days ings filled with hairbread and providential deliveranc  
"In one of the fierce eng returned soldier, "Lloyd C ed us if we should keep of in. We all answered, "G Hades." So we did give the until an English officer to had better hold up our han held them up, as high as heads as we could, at 11. We were all lined up and y back of the main line abo 18 miles down. Then y packed in box cars and to the camp. A big crowd of ed us who were the men  
Carpentry Work.  
Almost all of us had be so we lined up, and he to would be put to do rough work as he said the open be good for us. After that he at the camp, for two months, working their eight hours a day. Then again lined up and went into th After two or three months there was an accident in y and we were all brought b head into the camp. There ped down trees, etc.  
Looking for His Chu  
After a while I tried to some loophole of escape, an aged to get out of the cam chian. It was about 20 h head into a big town. My getting over the barbed wir glements, had got his har torn down to the bone, so bandages of our underwear, up his wounds. We made miles, and at dusk we hid erner of a big wood. We w ered constantly by German

**CAINSVILLE N**  
The annual supper the Court Cainsville, Cana der of Foresters on Wedn ening was very largely atte proved a grand success.  
A number of city breth present and added much to ial part of the evening. T were well laden with good supplied by the ladies and enjoyed a bountiful suppe evening was spent in carda and a short program. Sher brook very ably occupied t Addresses were given by A Treasurer, High Auditor of F. Brantford, Mr. Gay Treasurer of the C. O. F., S. Sterne, Chief Ranger of C phone City, Mr. Haskett, Ranger and Reeve A. J. Mrs. J. Barr, city gave tw excellent readings, Violin so given by Mr. and Miss Kic ter the program dancing

**EVERYBODY NEE**  
**PURE, RICH B**  
Pure blood enables the liver and other digestive org their work properly. With are sluggish, there is loss of sometimes faintness, a der of the intestines, and, in g the symptoms of dyspepsia.  
Pure blood is required organ of the body for the performance of its functions. Hood's Sarsaparilla ma blood, and this is why it is successful in the treatment of diseases and ailments. It is really on the blood, riddi serofulons and other hum a peculiar combination of b fying, nerve-toning, streu substances. Get it today.

**When Pa K**  
AM MADAME JOS IN ONE SMALL WH HOSBAN OF YOU IN ZE MANAIRE





THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1917

Thrilling Escape From German Prison Camp

Fort William, Jan. 12.—Nearly fifteen hundred people crowded into St. Paul's Presbyterian Church to welcome home Pte. Jerry Burk...

who was hunting partridge had a dog with him. We were hiding in the bush and the dog came within a yard or so, but he kept on going.

Carpentry Work. Almost all of us had been gassed, so we lined up, and he told us we would be put to do rough carpentry work as he said the open air would be good for us.

He had a dog with him which was sniffing around where we were and my chum reached out his hand and gave him an Oxo cube.

CAINSVILLE NEWS The annual oyster supper held by the Court Cainsville, Canadian Order of Foresters on Wednesday evening was very largely attended and proved a grand success.

much enjoyed by the young people, music being supplied by Mr. and Miss Kitchen.

EVERYBODY NEEDS PURE, RICH BLOOD Pure blood enables the stomach, liver and other digestive organs to do their work properly.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY Time Table Changes Effective Sunday, January 14th, the following alterations and reductions in Grand Trunk train service will be made in and out of Brantford:



Scene from "Aladdin Junior," Coming to Grand Opera House Tuesday.

WITH TOMMY ON THE TIGRIS Humor is Not Wanting Amid the Grim Scenes of War

(By Louis Edgar Browne.)

Headquarters Tigris Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, Turkish Arabia.—At 11 o'clock one morning the commandant of the advance base handed me these orders:

"stand by a bit, I have just had a bite." An instant later he lay back on his pole and began to reel in line. In ten minutes a ten-pound carp was flopping on the beach.

They brought us a jug of rum and two bowls. After we had finished it had a warm bath, a good meal, then we were handed over to the English consul and were taken over to England.

The battle of El Hannah on Jan. 21, when the Turks were found too strongly entrenched to be dislodged by an attack in the open, was the beginning of the trench warfare.

WATERFORD Miss Muriel Olmstead is visiting friends in Toronto. Mr. Virgil Trotter of Buffalo is spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Jas. Trotter.

Miss Marie Harspall had the misfortune to have the end of her finger taken off in a machine at Penman's last Thursday.

FEEL FINE! TAKE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS



Enjoy life! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive and stomach sour.

Faculty of Education, University of Toronto. Mrs. F. Gall has returned after spending a holiday at her home in Concession.

WHAT IS EARNING POWER OF A WIFE?

Jean Blewett, the Noted Author, Capably Answers the Question

Since women have entered munition factories, more than ever is the question of her importance as a wage-earner discussed.

First Glimpse of the Tanks Made Germans Think They Saw Satan

"The Devil is Coming" Exclaimed the Huns Who First Witnessed New British Armored Cars

The German story of the first appearance of the "tanks" on the battle line is given in the following article reproduced by The London Express from a German newspaper:

On Sept. 16 two of these armored cars took part in the English infantry attack at Flers. Our machine guns and hand grenades rattled ineffectively from off their iron hides.

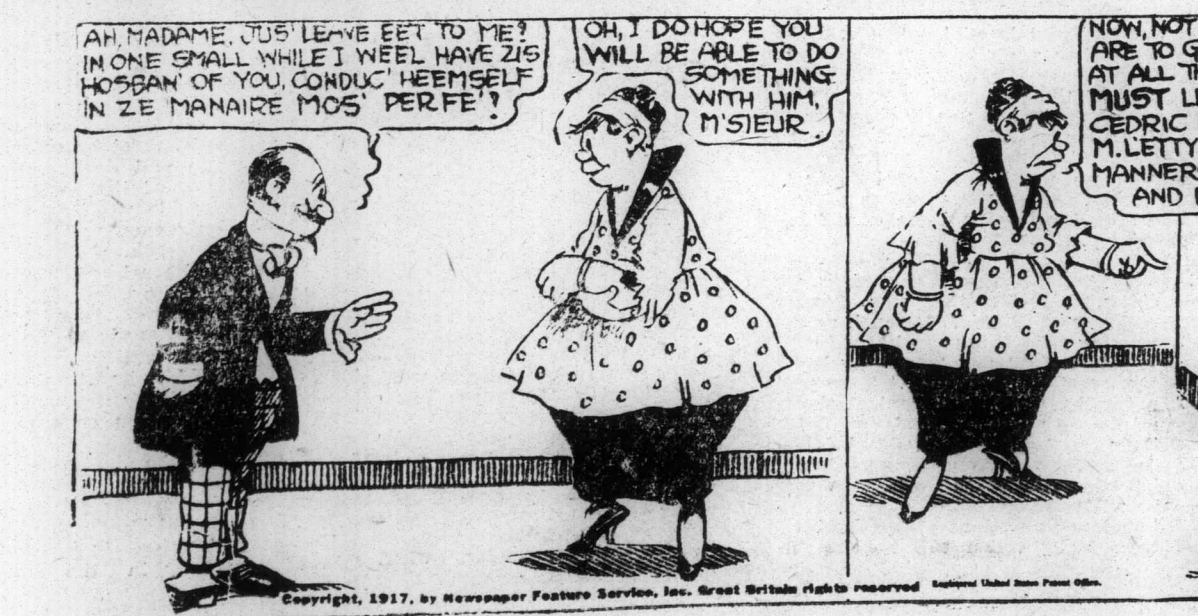
One stared and stared as if one had lost the power of one's limbs. The monsters approached slowly, wobbling, rolling, and rocking, but they approached. Nothing impeded them; a supernatural force seemed to impel them on.

The armored car with its crew of one officer and seven men, carries two six-pounder guns in turrets stacked on the sides like swallows' nests.

LUX For Washing Dainty Fabrics. LUX is a unique preparation made in the form of flakes or wafers, which excels in the washing of flannels, woollens and all loosely woven and dainty fabrics which are liable to shrink if washed by ordinary methods.

Advertisement for LUX washing powder. It includes a price list (10c for 10c Grocers), a small illustration of a woman washing clothes, and the slogan 'WON'T SHRINK WOOLLENS'.

When Pa Kisses, He's the Kisser Not the Kisses



That Son-in-law of Pa's



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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

TUESDAY, 9th JANUARY, 1917

The fiftieth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Canadian Bank of Commerce was held in the banking house at Toronto, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1917, at 12 o'clock.

The President Sir Edmund Walker, having taken the chair, Mr. H. V. P. Jones was appointed to act as Secretary, and Messrs Edward Cronyn and J. E. L. Pangman were appointed scrutineers.

The President called upon the Secretary to read the Annual Report to the Directors, as follows:

REPORT. The Directors have pleasure in submitting to the Shareholders the fiftieth Annual Report for the twelve months ending 30th November, 1916, together with the usual statement of Assets and Liabilities:

The balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account brought forward from last year, \$ 461,892.25

The net profits for the year ending 30th November, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts, amounted to 2,439,415.17

Subscriptions: 2,901,307.42

This has been appropriated as follows:

Dividends Nos. 116, 117, 118 and 119, at ten per cent. per annum 71,500,000.00

Bonus of one per cent. payable 1st June 150,000.00

Bonus of one per cent. payable 1st December 150,000.00

War tax on bank-note circulation to 30th November 147,288.33

Transferred to Pension Fund (annual contribution) 80,000.00

Canadian Patriotic Fund 50,000.00

British Red Cross Fund 5,000.00

British Sailors' Relief Fund 5,000.00

Sundry subscriptions, including Northern Ontario Fire Relief Fund and War Hospitals, etc. 11,700.00

Balance carried forward 802,319.09

\$2,901,307.42

The usual careful re-valuation of all the assets of the Bank has been made and every debt which may be considered as bad or doubtful has been fully provided for.

Although this is the fiftieth report presented to you, the first half-century of the Bank's operations will not be completed until next May, owing to the date of the Annual Meeting having twice been changed.

The bank commenced business in May, 1867, and the first Annual General Meeting of the shareholders was held on the 6th July, 1868. In 1887 the date of the Annual Meeting was changed by law from the second Tuesday in July to the third Tuesday in June, and again in 1901 to the second Tuesday in January, the day set by the present laws.

During the year the following branches have been opened: In British Columbia—Pouce Coupe; in Alberta—Manyberries; in Saskatchewan—Turtleford; in Ontario—Timmins and Thorold; in Quebec—Drummondville. The business of the branch at Gilroy, Sask., has been transferred to Riverhurst, Sask. Sub-agencies have been opened at Birch Hills and Speers in Saskatchewan, at Belgrave, Ont., and at Glen Sutton, Que. The agencies at Bishop's Crossing, Compton and Weedon, all in the Province of Quebec, are now being operated as branches, and the branch at Bic, Que., has been made a sub-agency of Rimouski. The following branches have been closed: In British Columbia—Rock Creek and Summerland; in Alberta—Monarch and Strathmore; in Saskatchewan—Laird and Outlook; in Ontario—Port Stanley, South Porcupine and Yonge and Eglington (Toronto); in Quebec—Chicoutimi, St. Denis and Duluth (Montreal) and St. Remi. Since the close of the Bank's year a branch has been opened at Willow Brook, Sask., and a sub-agency at Richard, Sask.

Your Directors have made subscriptions of \$50,000 to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, \$5,000 each to the British Red Cross Fund and the British Sailors' Relief Fund, \$3,000 to the Northern Ontario Fire Relief Fund and smaller sums, amounting in all to \$8,700, to various organizations, principally of a patriotic character, which are seeking to alleviate the suffering arising out of the great war. The call for such help is insistent and we assume our share of the burden in a spirit of gratefulness that Canada has been spared so much.

The auditors appointed by you at the last annual meeting have made the audit required by Section 56 of the Bank Act and their report is appended to the statement presented to you. The auditors are Messrs. J. E. L. Pangman, in the United States, Great Britain, Newfoundland, Mexico, and the departments of the Head Office have been inspected during the year by the staff of our Inspection Department.

It gives the Directors pleasure again to express their satisfaction at the zeal and ability with which the officers of the Bank have discharged their respective duties.

JOHN AIRD, General Manager. B. E. WALKER, President.

Toronto, 29th December, 1916.

GENERAL STATEMENT

30th NOVEMBER, 1916

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes LIABILITIES, Deposits, Balances due to other Banks, Dividends unpaid, Capital, and Account.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes ASSETS, Gold and Silver Coin Current, Dominion notes, Deposit in the Central Gold Reserve, Notes of other Banks, Cheques on other Banks, Balances due by other Banks, Call and Short Loans, Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, Call and Short Loans, Deposit with the Minister of Finance, Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada, Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere, Liabilities of Customers, Real Estate other than Bank Premises, Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank, Bank Premises at cost, Less mortgage assumed, Other Assets not included in the foregoing.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes S. WALKER, President, JOHN AIRD, General Manager, REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

In accordance with the provisions of sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, 1913, we report as follows: We have audited the above Balance Sheet and compared it with the

books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and are of the opinion that the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

We have checked the cash and verified the securities representing the investments of the Bank at its chief office and principal branches at a date other than and in addition to the verification at 30th November, 1916, and found that they were in agreement with the entries in the books of the Bank relating thereto.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

T. HARRY WEBB, C.A., of Webb, Read, Hegan, Callingham & Co., Auditors. JAMES MARWICK, C.A., of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Co., Auditors.

Before moving the adoption of the Report, the President called on the General Manager to address the shareholders:

General Manager's Address. The shadow of the great European war has been the dominating influence in business affairs during the year through which we have just passed. No important transactions, undertaken with a view to the future, were undertaken without considering the effect of the war, and in the conduct of the affairs of a great fiduciary institution such as a bank it has been necessary to give more consideration to the factors of the future than to the factors of the present.

Under these circumstances we feel that you will be well content with the results which we lay before you to-day.

The Bank's profits for the year under review were \$2,439,415, an increase of \$87,880 over the figures of the preceding year, a trifling sum when you consider the increased amount of business on which it has been conducted.

The activity which has prevailed throughout the year. We have left it our duty to render a large amount of assistance in their financing to both the Imperial Government and the Dominion Government, and as rates of interest on this class of business are naturally low, our profits have been reduced correspondingly.

Increased Turnover. Apart from this, however, there has been a great increase in turnover during the past year which is not reflected in an increase of the profits of the Bank, and this tendency towards a steady reduction in profits has been apparent for some years past. The ratio of our profits to total average assets during the five years ending 1915 ranged from 1.45 per cent. to 1.13 per cent., but in almost every year the tendency has been downwards.

As usual, dividends at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, with bonuses of one per cent. at the end of each half year; the war tax on our note circulation has called for \$147,288.

Our total assets at the end of the year were \$288,427,000, and our liabilities were \$288,427,000. It is interesting to note that this is about ten times the total assets in the balance sheet of twenty years ago, when they stood at \$28,596,000.

The increase alone in the writing of a part of the balance sheet has exceeded the total figures of the whole bank at that time by no less than the sum of ten million dollars.

Larger Note Circulation. The notes of the Bank in circulation show an increase of \$2,861,000 over the figures of the previous year. Throughout the year the note circulation of the chartered banks has been unprecedentedly high, and partly, no doubt, to the high prices prevailing for almost all commodities and partly to the activity in business arising from the large orders for merchandise and munitions placed in the allied countries.

In the general increase of note circulation this Bank has had its full share, and the demand upon our supply of notes has been much greater than in previous years. The note circulation has been in excess of paid up capital and beyond any figures heretofore reached in our history.

Growth in Deposits. Our deposits show a satisfactory growth, the increase being \$35,373,000, of which over \$25,000,000 is in deposits, bearing interest; these include the savings of the people and partly, no doubt, to the high prices prevailing for almost all commodities and partly to the activity in business arising from the large orders for merchandise and munitions placed in the allied countries.

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Conditions in Mexico. There has not been much change in the situation in Mexico during the year. Business has naturally been affected by the events of the past few years in that country, and one of the results is that the two chief arteries of commerce, namely, finance and transportation are blocked.

The number of our shareholders continues to increase in a gratifying manner. At the date of the closing of our books we had 6,648 as against 6,241 last year, an increase of about 306, principally in the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec and Nova Scotia.

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The changes in personnel indicated by the above figures are eloquent of the burden which has been laid upon the shoulders of the older members of the staff to maintain our organization at a satisfactory level of efficiency and at the same time to assist in the training of the younger ranks in order to meet with the large percentage of the staff which is without any previous experience. At the 30th of November, 1,207 of our officers had enlisted as against 748 a year ago, representing about sixty per cent. of the staff, and it is interesting to note that 284 of our officers have attained to commissioned and 163 to non-commissioned rank in the army.

Further Enlistments. Not only has it been necessary to cope with the immediate difficulties arising from a depleted staff, but provision has had to be made as well for the additional strengthening of our ranks in order to meet with some degree of preparedness for the problem of future enlistments. One expedient adopted to meet the exigencies of the case has been the employment of temporary men clerks, of whom we now have 187, and of women clerks, both permanent and temporary, the number of women on our staff having increased during the past year from 367 to 755.

We have a staff thus augmented to an unusual degree by untrained and inexperienced workers, many problems have arisen and the task of distributing the burden as equitably as possible has been by no means easy. Furthermore, an inexperienced and untried staff must mean a staff enlarged beyond normal requirements and a consequent addition to the cost of operation. These, however, are conditions inevitable in times such as we are passing through, and we can testify to the ready and cheerful manner in which they have been supported by the staff.

Our Last Annual Meeting. Since our last annual meeting an additional fifty-nine brave and promising young men of our staff have laid down their lives in the field of battle. Our complete casualty list, as at December 31st is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Count. Killed: 84. Wounded: 175. Missing: 8. Prisoners: 9. Ill: 20.

We have received many indications that our men are measuring up to the high standard of the world. Six of our officers have been awarded the Military Cross and twenty-five have been recommended for it.

Staff at Home. We do not think that it would be fair to express our pride in our banker soldiers without adding a word to the commendation of the staff at home. While we still have to expect that some of them will take up military duty, we are satisfied that those who have remained at home thus far have been activated by the highest motives; indeed, the work of the Bank could not be efficiently carried on without retaining the services of many men who in other respects would be available for military service.

Trade With Italy. A year ago you were advised that we had placed the facilities of this Bank at the disposal of our Italian allies for the purpose of receiving from their citizens in this country subscriptions to a war loan. The situation in Italy to-day is a very interesting one. The foreign trade of the country has grown very largely during recent years. The trade of Germany with Italy gradually overtook and then surpassed that of Great Britain, which was formerly Italy's largest customer.

Effective Economy. If we are really to exercise an effective economy we must be as jealous as to the nature of any imports not necessary for the production of war supplies or for our national existence. There is some improvement in this respect, but it is not pleasant to see about 10 millions sent abroad for motors and velvets. The chief increases are in iron and steel bars and goods and in iron ores, in machinery in wool, cotton and jute and goods made therefrom, in raw rubber, in various chemicals, oils, explosives, etc., needed for munitions.

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An Enlarged Market. The sales of Canadian bond issues for the eleven months of 1916 are of peculiar interest, showing how completely our reliance for the placing of our securities now transferred from Great Britain to the United States and to our own greatly enlarged market. The following statement has been prepared for us by the Dominion Securities Corporation:

Table with 3 columns: Category, Total, Sold in Canada. Includes Municipal, Railway, Government, Miscellaneous Corporations, Public Service Corporations, Canadian Co's., Foreign Countries.

Total: \$303,715,875. Sold in Canada: \$102,967,055. Sold in United States: \$190,748,820.

It will be seen that the actual sales in Canada of Government bonds are considerably less than the amounts offered to the public in Canada. To the extent thus shown buyers in the United States have absorbed the remainder of the issues.

The status of the United States are necessarily always of great interest to us but never more so than at the present time, and I hope that every shareholder will read attentively the carefully prepared report of our New York Agent. During the past year the United States has added to her gold stock, after deducting exports, about 400 millions in gold.

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SPORTOGRAPHY

There was once a dashing young broker who wed a rich widow named Coker. They're janting now— He couldn't learn how To win at the game of draw poker.

Once a sporting celebrity gets the title of "Boy Wizard" it sticks to him longer than his hair and teeth. Instead of wasting time talking about a third major league, the National League ought to try to be a second one.

Some boxers seem to be afraid of overworking if they fight once a year and others consider a couple of days between fights a long vacation. Christy Mathewson may not be wildly enthusiastic about Cincinnati ball players, but he says that Cincy could win a pennant every year in a checker league.

In some colleges the husky studs all try to make the eleven, and others, judging from results, the poor victims are sentenced for their sins to serve time on the football team.

Best fighters in the ring today seem to be Jimmy Wilde, the "Mighty Atom," of old England, who weighs less than a hundred, and Jess Willard, the "Man Mamma," who weighs less than a hundred. Grouchy Gus says: It took the Egyptians twenty-five years or more to make a mummy, but some managers can turn a previously good ball player into a mummy in a single season.

Accidental Champions. In nearly every period of pugilism there have been boxers as good or better than the title holders of their time, and yet who never achieved a championship of any kind. Packey McFarland affords a brilliant later day example. Charlie Mitchell was the greatest fighter of his weight, and yet the Englishman never held a bona fide title. Dozens of other cases could be cited.

On the other paw, the lists of champions in all divisions include names who were or are accidental champs. Johnny Ertle has never clearly demonstrated his right to the hantam honors, which he claimed after winning on a foul from Kid Williams. Al McCoy has the best technical claim to the middleweight championship, due to his knockout of George Chip, but few except his friends are inclined to accept his championship claim.

Going back a distance, John Morrissey, one of the early American heavyweight champs, won that honor on a technicality, after Heenan had had all the better of a battle fought in Canada in 1858. Mike McFadden was another heavyweight fighter who won on a questionable foul, the referee having been forced by a St. Louis mob to give the big Irishman the decision over Tom Allen, who had made a chopping block of Mike. Joe Goss also won

the title on a foul. Marvin Hart, who claimed to be heavyweight champ for a time after Jeff retired, was another "accidental champion."

In the middleweight division George La Blanche became an accidental champion in '89 by knocking Dempsey out with the pivot blow, after the "Nonpareil" had given him a thorough drubbing. Babe Ferns, who won the welterweight title from Matty Matthews in Toronto about sixteen years ago, was far from being the best man in the division, and soon lost the honor. Dixie Kid was another welter champ who was purely an accident, having won on a foul from Joe Walcott. Arthur Chambers won the lightweight title from Billy Edwards in a bout pulled off in Canada in '72 by having one of his seconds bite him on the shoulder, and then claiming that Edwards did it.

One of the oldest battles which made an accidental champ was that in San Francisco 27 years ago today, Jan. 13, 1890, when "Austrian Billy" Murphy took the featherweight crown from Ike Weir. Ike was so much better than Billy that he sought to show his derision for his foe by doing a back flip in the 14th round. The "Spider" had scarcely landed on his pins after this stunt when Murphy took advantage of an opening to land his celebrated "Mary Ann," and Ike took a nap that cost him the world's featherweight title. Billy was a good man, but not good enough to be a champ when the woods were full of great featherweights, and he soon lost his accidental honors to Young Griffo. Dave Sullivan was also an accidental featherweight champion for a brief time in '88, having won from Solly Smith because the latter broke his arm.

Harvard, Princeton, Yale and Penn— We don't want to rap 'er, but these were the "Big Four" when Bernhardt was a flapper. Today in Pugilistic Annals Jack McAuliffe defeated Jack Hopper in a six round bout in New York 21 years ago today, Jan. 13, 1886, and thus demonstrated his right to the lightweight championship, due to his knockout of George Chip, but few except his friends are inclined to accept his championship claim. Going back a distance, John Morrissey, one of the early American heavyweight champs, won that honor on a technicality, after Heenan had had all the better of a battle fought in Canada in 1858. Mike McFadden was another heavyweight fighter who won on a questionable foul, the referee having been forced by a St. Louis mob to give the big Irishman the decision over Tom Allen, who had made a chopping block of Mike. Joe Goss also won

Full of Years and Honors, Gen. Joffre Stands Aside

Commander-in-Chief of French Forces Yields His Place to Younger Blood

In school and college at Pertnigan he was not at all brilliant, but a steady dogged plodder like our own Ulysses S. Grant. He was slow in forming opinions and in grasping ideas but decidedly opinionated when he had once made up his mind. Joffre was but 18 years old when the Prussian army crossed the border of his country in 1870 and he was sent to Paris to take part in the defence of Mont Valerien, one of the strongest forts on the northward side of the city. He issued from the war with the rank of lieutenant and took up the study of engineering at Fontainebleau, thus fitting himself for the work of rehabilitating the defenses of France. When he had attained the rank of captain, his military career, like that of Grant, seemed to have come to a stop, for there he rested for many years.

At his own request he was sent to Indo-China in 1885, but after several years of service in the far east he returned to France to become an engineer at the engineering school of Fontainebleau. In 1892 he was sent to Africa to superintend the building of a railway in the Sudan country and later he participated in the capture of Timbuctoo after marching about 600 miles and fighting tribesmen all the way. This achievement earned him the rank of lieutenant-colonel, and a ribbon of the Legion of Honor. Again he returned to Paris but was soon sent to superintend the construction of defenses in the island of Madagascar.

The first year of the present war was a period of intense excitement. A man of Joffre's imperturbable temperament was of vital importance behind the French lines, for green troops, inexperienced in war, require a steady influence. When repetition and apparently overwhelming disasters came so thick and fast that resistance seemed useless the placid commander who could regard these as mere incidents to be expected to the natural course of events, had a powerful influence over the whole army. Gen. Grant was several times censured for riding in front of troops who were becoming nervous under fire, but when they saw that his clear puffs were coming with regularity, they took heart and held their ground.

A steady hand was needed when whole army corps would charge desperately after a furious cannonade, only to be thrown back, regularly, to offer to the enemy a target upon him and he smiled and answered: "We nibble them; they suffer as well as we. The best we can do for the present is to hold ground and wear them down." Joffre in the terrible days of the Marne battles exercised excellent judgment. When pressure became too severe in front he yielded ground there and at the same time maneuvered the force for a flanking movement when, in flush of victory, the invaders would relax some of their caution and spread themselves out too thinly. The moment came to strike and but for the warning of the German air scouts, who discovered the blow while it was still in the air, Gen. von Kluck and his entire corps would have been crumpled up. Only the most masterly strategy of retirement prevented the retreat from the Marne from becoming a rout at the western extremity of the line.

Following the battle of the Marne the opposing armies on the western front settled down to fighting like two pit bulldogs, each crouching again. This time McAuliffe stopped his man in a round and became the recognized leader of the lightweights. About a year after the Hopper fight Harry Gilmore gave Jack a mighty warm reception, but the Williamsburg hero finally won regularly, the Englishman, and Billy Meyer, the Illinois "Cyclone," also gave Jack some hard sledding, but he pulled through and finally retired undefeated.

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and cracking the bones of the other, but neither yielding an inch except when such yielding promised benefits or prevented annihilation of a section of his line. At length the French fell back slowly, making their opponents pay a terrible price for every inch of ground and then, when they were expected to yield again, they stood fast and nothing could make them give ground. At length the resistance in their front grew weaker. The crown prince's army fell back to prepare strong positions for defence and practically abandoned the offensive. The French moved forward and recovered some of the lost ground of little military value now, but of immense moral value.

In the vicinity of the Somme the same old dog practice has prevailed on both sides and the Allies have gained heart of hope by proving that they could crumple up supposedly impregnable defences and recover. But bull dog crouching and the practice of giving blood for blood is a very slow process in warfare. It means years of steady grind and bloodshed. Steady courage is not enough to win a victory. Genius and invention and manoeuvring is needed and Joffre, in spite of his fine qualities, lacks brilliancy. He is in his 64th year and was weary by 26 months of constant toil and vigilance. The human machine has its limits of endurance and eventually it breaks down. Napoleon Bonaparte was but 46 when he led his army in the field of Waterloo, but 20 years of almost superhuman effort had aged him far beyond his years on that day he was a very different commander from the hero of Austerlitz.

In the heart of every Frenchman the welfare of France stands high above ambition for personal glory, so, when the moment comes for a complete change in the ministries that direct the affairs of the nation and the lines of battle and the men who have given place to new blood and renewed enthusiasm, it is not natural there should be changes in the leadership at the front. The battlefield has placed its demands on Joffre and he has proved their quality. France has developed able commanders and the troops know their quality. The nation and the army do full honor to

confess their eternal debt of gratitude to him. Joffre stands aside, full of years and honors, yielding the supreme command to Gen. Nivelle, who has recently commanded at Verdun. Joffre retained as adjutant and in judgment as adjutant will serve his country as in the past. For more than a year he has held supreme command of all the French armies, his opponents have not only been withheld from conquest but actually forced back at several points, France and England are summoning all their powers for renewed effort. The thrilling strains of the Marseillaise with words that fire the hearts of the Frenchman with a frenzy of patriotism still echo unsubsided over the land.

"Ye sons of France awake to glory! Hark! Hark! what myriads bid you rise! Your children, wives and grandfathers hoary. Behold their tears and hear their cries! March on! March on! all hearts resolved On victory or death!"

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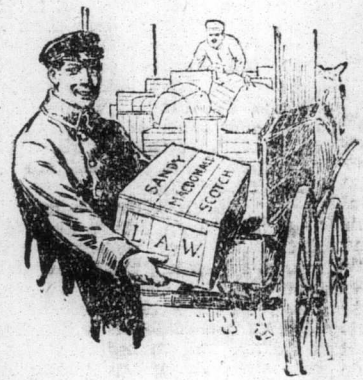
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# How British Achieved Supremacy in the Air

## Retreat From Mons Established the Value of Aviation in Modern Warfare, and Britain Has Built up a Wonderful System

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The year 1917 opens on the western front with the British armies maintaining that superiority over the enemy which has been a feature of their operations for months. Behind the simple fact of supremacy lies a story of organization as dramatic as anything in the history of the war. When the First British Expeditionary Force fought desperately against overwhelming odds in the great Mons retreat, the Royal Flying Corps was a small and untried factor in warfare. In London one or occasionally meets some airman who knows something of British flying history in that period. The stories he tells are disconnected and uncertain. The impression he leaves is one of heroic service under new and unparalleled conditions. The retreat from Mons established the value of flying men in modern war. From then on Britain was to challenge the world in airship construction.

For years Germany has boasted her airmanship. France was admittedly a formidable rival. England did not exist as far as an air factor in German opinion. But when the battle of the Marne opened the long months of trench warfare the allies succeeded rapidly in establishing air equality, if not supremacy. That is a fact and it is one of the astounding facts of the war. Germany realized it. She had thrown her greatest energies into the construction of Zeppelins and she was finding the Allies' eyesight equal to hers. The great trial of expansion and construction commenced. On the Western front the early equality of the British and French airmen disappeared. A new machine, the Fokker, came to challenge our domination of the "upper air." Those were hard days for the Allies' pilots and observers. Speed was against them and with speed a tremendous advantage in aerial warfare.

There was no shirking the unequal contest. Day after day our men flew over the lines to meet the enemy. They fought well and hard and often did not come back. Those who returned looked to Britain and the British workshops. Their faith was justified. For a period the Hun dominated the front, then new types of planes began to appear among the British machines. Our men were since the war, had shown a greater daring, a better fighting intelligence, and a persistent disposition to engage the enemy, began to win back their own. The Times and the

progressive press was hammering the government daily demanding faster construction and better machines. East Herts, in a dramatic political conflict, returned Pemberton Billing, an airman, as an independent member of the House of Commons. He spoke with authority, although with a suggestion of hysteria. The country and the government were roused to perfect the air service and, although much advocated by the supporters of the flying services had already been accomplished, the campaign assured government sympathy with development proposals.

### Enemy Avoids Conflict

The fruits of old and new efforts became daily more noticeable on the Western front. The enemy began to show his old disposition to avoid conflict save where the odds were two or three to one. He employed fleet tactics in reconnaissance and bunched his machines. It brought him little relief. With new planes better equipped and faster, British airmen fought him every day—fought him at his own odds, out-manoeuvred him, "licked" him. For six months our supremacy of the air has never been successfully challenged. The history of the great British struggle on the Western front is one of air-increasing domination of the air by our flying men. The Hun has literally been driven to the ground and the enemy command is suffering daily from inability to observe our movements.

### Valor and Workshops

So we end the year and close another chapter marked by German failure. All the vauntings and boasting of a decade have come to naught because of British valor and British workshops. The morale of enemy airmen has deteriorated, his machines are not as good as ours, he cannot match our constructive activity.

When the war broke out an aeroplane was an unusual sight and an aeroplane was a curiosity. To-day there are aeroplanes all over England, from small stations to great encampments—and flying machines scarcely call for comment. Squadrons have been created almost by magic. Single machines at the first of the war are represented now by squadrons and the squadrons of a year and a half ago would only form a portion of the air fleet of to-day. Expansion has been literally upon a colossal scale. Men who had never been in the air two years ago are now commanding flights, while lieutenants direct squadrons.



THE COBWEB SIGN.

Said Granny Grundle, the little old fairy in the fairy forest who mends and darns for the fairies: "Jack Spider, that's a wonderful parosol you wove for me of a cobweb. Dear me, I'm as proud as proud as a peacock. And it's strong, too. A gust of wind came along and it didn't even collapse and then after a while it rained pretty hard, but though the cobweb over my head sagged a little, it didn't come down."

"Be careful just the same," warned Jack Spider. "Every once in a while rain does manage to get the best of a cobweb. I've seen 'em collapse myself."

"Every fairy in the fairy forest," laughed Granny, "stares at my cobweb parosol. And they all ask me where I got it and what I paid for it."

Now Granny had promised to keep Jack Spider's web mended for a fairy year, and that was pay enough for the beautiful parosol, but when he heard that all the other fairies envied Granny Grundle her parosol, he grew thoughtful.

"Granny," he said, "I've a notion I'm going to make fairy parosols for a living. I'm busy by nature, and

# HUMILATED BY STAND OF U.S

## Thos. A. Edison is Strongly Pro-Ally and Anti-German FRANCE

### He Says, Has Proved Himself Banner Nation of the World

There is no private American citizen whom the people of the United States are prouder of than Thomas Alva Edison, the inventor. The fact that he has not up to the present time definitely declared himself upon the issues raised by the war, and that he and Henry Ford have been photographed together has conveyed the impression that he is a neutral or a pacifist, who believes one of the belligerents is as bad as another. A long interview with Mr. Edison which appears in the New York Sun, dissipates that idea. Mr. Edison is definitely pro-Ally and anti-German. "The French are proving themselves to be the real people of the world, the most splendid people, perhaps, that the world ever has known, for they are combining wonderful efficiency with an absolute devotion which rises to heights of almost fanatical self-sacrifice."

### Not Blind to British Faults

Edison is not so unreserved in his praise of the British people. He is not blind to their faults any more than the British people are blind to the faults of Americans, and "this means pretty good eyesight."

Praise for Navy.

Edison believes that the war has finally solved many problems for the British Empire. It has drawn her colonies and self-governing dominions together in indissoluble bonds. It solved the woman suffrage problem, for he assumes that women will be granted the vote in recognition of what they have done in the war. Never again will there be the old low wages, although there will undoubtedly be a decrease from the present war rates.

No more will there be a prejudice against labor-saving machinery, and great temperance reforms are to be exacted.

Of sea power he has this to say: "British sea power has been a good thing for the United States. It has been as valuable to us as it has to Britain. It has been valuable to all mankind, including the very nations which now are fighting against it. Americas Should Help Allies.

The great inventor said that as far as the future was concerned he did not believe any definite "understanding" would be necessary between Great Britain and the United States, because to all intents and purposes the people of the British Dominions are "Americans." In the sympathy and convictions of the two people there is already a treaty more binding than anything that could be put on paper. "I believe," he said "that every real good American realizes the fact that Britain and France are fighting our battles, and I think that those who do not believe this are not good Americans or are very ill-informed Americans. Personally, he expressed his humiliation that the American people have not been able to do more for the Allies. A powerful American navy, would he believes, have prevented most of Germany's naval outrages. While not wishing to violate Washington's injunction about "entangling alliances," he would have to take her stand with the Allies after this war in order to prevent future world conflagrations.

Temporary reduction, passenger train service to facilitate freight movements, effective Sunday, January 14th, 1917. Particulars from Ticket Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

# SIDE TALKS

By RUTH CAMERON

## ADVICE

I want to tilt at an accepted belief to-day,—that it is not wrong to give advice carelessly because people may never take the advice they ask for.

"Advice is the one thing which everybody likes to give and nobody likes to take" is a typical epigram,—that is "something that people accept as true because it is easy to remember."

But is it wholly true? Aren't we swayed by what other people think we ought to do more than that admits.

### Many Times I Was Bolstered Up By Good Advice.

As I look back I can see many a place where what people thought I ought to do upheld me.

To take a humble instance. Once upon a time when I was a newspaper reporter I lost my position just two or three weeks before Christmas. I had only had the position about two months and I had been saving hard for two things, to get myself a much needed winter outfit, and to buy some nice Christmas gifts. I had not saved enough to do both and I was in a quandry. Should I buy nearly Christmas presents and get the suit or should I wear my old clothes, buy the lovely Christmas presents I had planned and get a new suit when I landed the new position of which I had strong hopes.

I thought I'd advise me to do what I wanted. I met a friend on the street one day and I put it up to her. She was the kind of person whom I expected to advise me to do what I selfishly wanted to do—get the suit. Instead she gave me a surprise by saying, "Get the Christmas presents." And I did.

The sequel is rather interesting. I landed the new position and after Christmas, when prices were down, I ever owned or expect to own. Had I bought before Christmas I should, needless to say, have gotten something commonplace. Sometimes I get the Advice I Wickedly Want.

That is one of many times when I was helped up by good advice to do the unselfish thing. And then there were other occasions when I weakened by someone who deliberately chimed in with the advice my selfish self was giving me. It is always a temptation to do that when people ask advice. It gives one a temporary popularity. But it isn't real friendship. Refuse to advise at all if you wish but if you speak, don't be careless in your advice giving. Remember you may speak at just the moment of indecision when your word will tip the scales one way or the other.

# Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

### THE SLEEPING PORCH

There still are folks who sleep indoors, in closed up rooms they leave their snores, and breathe the stale and stagnant air which harbors germs and microbes there. And when the shades of night are sped, and they crawl stiffly out of bed, they say they're feeling worse, a heap, than ere they had their little sleep. I used to slumber in a room that was as airtight as a tomb, and I was always out of whack, with rheumatism in my back, and corns and bunions on my knees, and every other punk disease. But now a sleep-

ing porch is mine, and over me the night winds waive. I rise when comes a sunrise glow, and from my wish-pan brush the snow, and thaw the ice from nose and ears, and greet the day with hearty cheers. And I'm so hearty and so hale, the undertaker lifts a wail. He uses to think he'd get me soon, and plant me out beneath the moon, when I was croaking of my ills, and blowing coin for beeswax pills. But, seeing me on buoyant feet, go scooting up the village street, and prancing like an acrobat, he doesn't know where he is at.

### LADY'S FUR SET.

By Anabel Worthington.

In the history of women's clothes fur never reached such heights as it has this season, and the woman who has not a fur set or a set trimmed with fur for wear when the mercury drops will be cast out into utter darkness by Madame Mode. It is not necessary to have expensive furs; pieces from an old scarf that is not quite up to the mark for use this winter or parts of a discarded muff may be used effectively with plush, velvet or Angora cloth and give you use to feel on good terms with yourself, from the style standpoint.

No. 8,095 shows a very becoming set that is easy to make and that will be prized by the possessor for its artistic charm as well as for the joy of its comfort giving qualities. The scarf is distinctly pleasing in its cut and if made of velvet or plush may be interlined with wool or cotton wadding, and the hood shape muff may have a similar lining when a muff bed is not used. In mole-skin plush this set would be very effective—or in high pile velvet if rabbit or other fur contrasting in color. Angora cloth, Arabian lamb's-kin, or even corduroy, may also be used with satisfaction.

The pattern of No. 8,095 cuts in ONE size only. To make the scarf requires 1 1/2 yards 12 inch or wider fur for the outside and 1 1/2 yards 19 inch lining; for the office of this publication.

# LADY'S TUNIC SKIRT

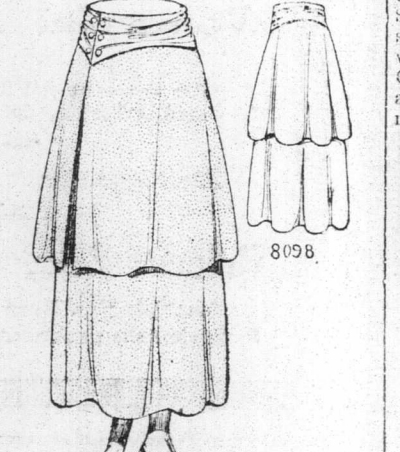
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Separate skirts for the winter season show a semi-fitness with individuality in the belt and the adjustment of a tunic or arrangement of pleats as fancy may direct. In the model illustrated, in addition to the deep tunic, there is an applied circle of yoke depth and button trimmed, to make the wearer look and feel modestly dressed.

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MORE MEN

Are Needed on the Western Front to Enforce Superiority

By Courier Leased Wire

London, Jan. 13.—The military correspondent maintains that the prolongation of the war "as the result of the foredoomed failure of the peace move" upon all the allies the duty of making greater efforts in order to secure victory. He says that German will not wait for a reply to her peace offer but initiated measures a month ago to expand her supply of munitions.

Referring to the impute "with a tendency to exaggerate that the British have 2,000,000 in France and the French have 2,000,000, he says:

"Statements of this nature rather to obscure the issues that illuminate them. It ought to be known and admitted that the aggregate national strengths do not press the real value of fighting units. We all ought to count in men and guns to ascertain chances of victory. British strength count in this manner the it dwindle to quite a different. The truth of the situation in west is that Germany has 128 divisions opposed to us and the number of French, British and gumb divisions is not yet such promise a decision in an offer war.

"The offensive devolves on order that we may exit the scene from the territory of our ally. Such an offensive against us means of defense, demands a superiority in strength, particularly in heavy guns, infantry and all modern military machinery. In the war, we supposed a two to three to one superiority not great for the attacker, and I repeat again and again we have nothing like this superiority, and that victory depends of training it. If in 1917 we only employ against the enemy a slight superiority of force, nothing more than a slight success can be anticipated."

The writer declares that there is a crying need for more men, that there has been a great loss in the creation of new divisions along the lines of Kitchener's final conception. He refers to military plan published in The Times in 1914, which he says Lord Esher himself revised and decided would ensure Britain being able to continue the war when other powers were exhausted, according to the correspondent, plan has gradually lapsed for reasons, chiefly the recruiting decline in the autumn of 1915, which says, even now is far from cleared up. "We need another divisions in the west," he concludes "the necessary men exist and is every probability that the performance in the field will defeat war."

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