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GREAT VICTORY FOR BRITISH

LATEST ESTIMATE OF B. C. ELECTIONS GIVES LIBS. 43---CONS. 4
ALLIES SMASHING BULGAR LINES IN MACEDONIA

LIBERALS WIN AT B. C. POLLS OVERWHELMING

Vancouver Sun Claims Conservatives Will Have But Four Seats.

SAY LIBERALS HAVE 43

Many Returns Still Incomplete But Indications Are That Defeat Is Sweeping.

(Special to The Advertiser.)
Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 15.—The Sun (Liberal), claims 43 seats have been won by Liberals out of 47.

(Canadian Press.)
Vancouver, Sept. 15.—The result of the provincial elections came as a distinct surprise to the Conservatives. The Liberals accept the result as the natural conclusion to the alleged conditions in the province and as a revolt against the long-continued rule of a single party. Although returns received up to an early hour this morning were far from complete there is no doubt but that these first indications will be sustained, perhaps emphasized by the remaining polls and the Bowser Government overturned by a large majority. To show the incomplete returns: In Chilliwack only 3 of 18 polls were in; in Columbia, 6 of 17; in Chilliwack, 1 out of 2; in Dewdney, 6 out of 27; in Esquimalt, 5 out of 31; in Fernie, 13 out of 23; in Fort George, 9 out of 22. In some of these constituencies voting is close.

Women Were Active.
Women followed the approaches of all polling booths all day long, carrying literature, some for suffrage and others for both. Prohibition returns received are far from complete. The impression among both the prohibition and liquor sides is that the vote in the country would be favorable to the "drys," but there was a good deal of uncertainty regarding the probable decision of the vote in Vancouver. The liquor party felt sanguine of a win there, in fact, hoped it would be sufficient to offset any majority in the country. When Vancouver, however, decided in favor of prohibition by a majority of roughly 3,500, there was rejoicing in the ranks of the "drys," and considerable disappointment in liquor circles. It is possible the soldier vote may mean the defeat of prohibition, and the rival parties will, therefore, be kept in suspense until the result of the voting (Continued on Page 13, Column 2).

ANOTHER HEAVY DEFEAT FOR AUSTRIANS, SAY SWISS

(Canadian Press.)
London, Sept. 15.—3:40 p.m.—According to advices from a Swiss source, the Austrians have suffered another sanguinary defeat west of Kapul Mountain, in the Carpathians, says a wireless dispatch from Rome today.

UNCHANGED CONDITIONS ON GALICIAN FRONTS

(Canadian Press.)
Petrograd, Sept. 15.—Via London.—Unchanged conditions along the front in Russia and Galicia are reported in today's war office bulletin. In parts of Turkish Armenia, where isolated engagements with Kurdish forces have occurred.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 74; lowest, 61. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 67; lowest, 54.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Forecast.
Toronto, Sept. 16, 8 a.m.
Today—Fresh to strong west to northwest winds, a few local showers, but partly fair and cooler.
Saturday—Fresh to northwest to west winds, fair and cool.

Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Victoria 78 54 Clear
Calgary 68 24 Clear
Winnipeg 48 28 Cloudy
Port Arthur 48 28 Rain
Perry Sound 72 56 Rain
Port Stanley 72 54 Cloudy
Buffalo 76 62 Cloudy
Toronto 76 61 Cloudy
Kingston 76 64 Rain
Ottawa 62 74 Rain
Montreal 74 64 Cloudy
Quebec 72 58 Cloudy
Father Point 62 46 Cloudy

Weather Notes.
The depression which was over Lake Superior yesterday now covers the Ottawa Valley, while pressure is highest in the Western States.
Showers have been general in Ontario and Western Quebec, but only heavy locally.
Severe frosts are reported from Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

British Return to Attack, the Entire Line Advancing Along Somme 3,000 Yards

Haig's Gallant Troops Last Night Charged Over a Sector Six Miles Long, and Are Still Going—Armored Cars and Airmen Play Big Part in Dashing Engagement—Many Prisoners Taken, Says British Official Report.

(Canadian Press.)
London, Sept. 15.—5:11 p.m.—The British in their offensive along the Somme have broken the German third line of defence and have taken the village of Flers, two miles north of Ginchy, according to reports received by Reuters Telegram Company today. British forces are also reported to have gained the outskirts of Martinpuich, a mile and a half east of Pozieres, the report adds.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

London, Sept. 16.—British advance north of the Somme River announced this morning, means that the Germans have been swept back, and their positions taken on six-mile front to a penetration at most points of nearly a mile and a half. This is regarded as a tremendous victory, and although not reported, it is believed large numbers of prisoners and guns were taken. It is evident the British swept forward in a smashing advance from the top of the ridge, which they captured during the offensive a few days ago. A number of important positions within the German lines are now under fire by British guns, and their capture is imminent.

A BRILLIANT OPERATION. (Canadian Press.)

London, Sept. 15.—The British returned to the attack on the Somme front last night, charging over a sector about six miles long. The war office announced today that they had advanced from 2,000 to 3,000 yards, and were continuing to progress.

The attack was made along the whole British front, over which the heaviest fighting has been in progress recently. The British advanced on the line from Bouleaux Wood, between Comblès and Ginchy, to a point north of the Albert-Bapaume highway.

CARRIED STRONG POSITION. (Canadian Press.)

Proceeding this morning's extensive offensive movement, the British last night drove forward southeast of Thiepval and captured about 1,000 yards of German trenches, including a strongly-fortified position.

The text of the statement follows:
"Last night enemy trenches southeast of Thiepval, on a front of about 1,000 yards, including the strongly-defended locality known as the 'Wunder Werk,' were captured by our troops.

"This morning we attacked the enemy on a front extending from Bouleaux Wood to north of Albert-Bapaume road, a distance of about six miles. Considerable successes already have been obtained. Our troops have advanced some 2,000 to 3,000 yards at various places, and the attack is progressing satisfactorily.

"A large number of prisoners have been taken."

USED NEW MOTOR CAR.

"In this attack we employed for the first time a new type of heavy armored car, which proved to be of considerable utility. Much aerial fighting has taken place. Four hostile machines were brought down in flames and at least four others were driven down damaged. One hostile kite balloon was brought down last night.

"Our aeroplanes, co-operating with the advance of our infantry, from a low altitude fired in the enemy on the ground.

"Bombs were successfully dropped on three headquarters of the enemy. The railway station at Bapaume was also successfully bombed, much railway stock being damaged and one train destroyed."

SHIP IN BREAKERS OFF PACIFIC COAST; 200 SOULS ABOARD

(Canadian Press.)
San Francisco, Sept. 15.—The Alaska Packers' bark Star of Chile, en route from Bristol Bay, Alaska, with the season's catch of salmon for San Francisco, was reported last night to be in the breakers off Point Pedro, 25 miles south of the Golden Gate. On board the vessel, over 200 cannery hands are thought to be returning to this port.
News of the bark's danger was brought here by fishermen, who said that the vessel appeared to be in great danger of being swept on the rocks, but that a dense fog closed in and hid her from view.
Deep-sea-going tugs were sent from San Francisco to the vessel's assistance. When last seen the Star of Chile was three-quarters of a mile off shore and her crew was signalling for help.

MONTREAL BANKER MADE A BARONET



MR. VINCENT MEREDITH.

CANADIANS RECEIVE HONORS ON CONNAUGHT'S DEPARTURE

(Canadian Press.)
Ottawa, Sept. 15.—The following honors to Canadians are announced today in connection with the approaching departure of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught:
Vincent Meredith, president of the Bank of Montreal, baronet, C. M. G., Col. A. H. Sherwood, chief commissioner of Dominion police, K. C. M. G., Lieut.-Col. E. A. Stanton, military secretary to his royal highness, C. M. G., Lord Richard Nevill, C. M. G., comptroller to his royal highness, and Arthur F. Sladen, private secretary, C. V. O., James P. Crowley, chief clerk of the governor-general's office, M. V. O.

Heavy Losses For the British In Mesopotamia

On Offensive, London Hears, Losing 2,000 In One Engagement.

(Canadian Press.)
London, Sept. 15.—Renewal of heavy fighting in Mesopotamia with the British on the offensive is reported in a delayed official statement issued at Constantinople on September 9. The British are said to have lost 2,000 men in one engagement.

Following is the statement as received here by way of Berlin:

"On the Euphrates sector the enemy attempted a surprise attack. His effort was frustrated and he was forced to flee.

"In the Tigris sector we carried out heavy attacks successfully. The enemy attempted surprise attacks in the night and were repulsed by our counter-movement, sustaining heavy losses.

"While storming a height the enemy lost 2,000 men."

FEDERATION OF LABOR ELECTS AN EXECUTIVE

(Canadian Press.)
Quebec, Sept. 15.—The eighth annual congress of the Canadian Federation of Labor was closed yesterday evening, and the following officers were elected:
President, Charles Pepper, re-elected; vice-president, M. P. Timpone, re-elected; secretary-treasurer, G. C. Mercur, re-elected; executive, George Maros and F. P. Latman; vice-president for Province of Quebec, Ed. Pepin, President for Ontario, Thomas Morton; vice-president for British Columbia, Ed. Prendergast, President for Nova Scotia, U. S. B. McNeil.
The executive will decide later on the city where the next convention will be held.

BOMB SOFIA ON THE WAY TO BUCHAREST

(Canadian Press.)
London, Sept. 15.—11:21 a.m.—Five bombs have been dropped on Sofia by two French aviators, Noel and Lesueur, according to a dispatch to Reuters' from French chrest. The two airmen were bound to Bucharest, passing over Sofia on their way. The voyage lasted five hours. The distance traversed was about 400 miles.

"KIDDIES" OWN WESTERN FAIR; IT'S THEIR DAY

They Flock to Grounds and Swarm in Buildings and Stand.

9,000 REPORTED BEFORE

Despite This, Today's Attendance Greater Than Ever, Say Directors.

RECORD YEAR CLOSING

Applications for Space Next Year Already Being Made by Exhibitors.

The children own the Western Fair today and have made the most of their prerogative to enter the grounds on payment of five cents. Since early this morning they have been thronging the street cars and crowding eagerly about the ticket offices. They have the distinction of being the only people this year to whom admission tickets are sold. More grown-ups must be satisfied with dropping a quarter in the box.

As early as they could get away was the right time for the majority of the boys and girls for the Fair, many of them with lunch boxes tucked under their arms. Some, indeed, were of the opinion that morning was never going to dawn on "Children's Day," such a happy hour had the hours of the night all of a sudden taken of dragging.

Weather Causes Fears.
The clouds and the threat of rain next threatened to interfere with their pleasure and there were certain doleful young people who were obliged to carry along umbrellas. Others who waited a little longer were free of any such luggage and free to enjoy themselves to their heart's content without hugging along anything they were likely to lose.

There were certain "little-mother" girls, who, while they took in the exhibition themselves, kept a watchful eye on the younger members of the family whom they had brought along.

Parents Go Along.

Then there were also parents and other grown-up relatives who thought it necessary to tag along. Jimmy boy in the midway that there was a big daddy with a far-angled searching eye to discover a small lad in a red sweater who had just wandered a little bit away.

Here and there raced the kiddies, the "palace" naturally attracting their first attention, owing to its possibilities in the way of souvenirs.

Even the most aesthetic hadn't very long to wait.

DIES OF INJURIES WHEN RUN OVER BY PORT STANLEY CARS

Earle Oliver of St. Thomas Terribly Mangled Near White's Station.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

St. Thomas, Sept. 15.—As a result of being run over by an L. and E. P. S. train from Port Stanley to London, near White's Station, about midnight Thursday, Earle Oliver, a young boy about 19 years of age, lost both of his arms, dying in the hospital this morning. Oliver was seen by the motor-man lying on the tracks too late to stop the train. One arm was severed completely, while the other was so badly mangled that it was amputated at the hospital. The train which ran over the lad was No. 35 from Port Stanley to London.

Oliver had spent the day at the London Fair, and it is presumed that when his train reached St. Thomas he was asleep and failed to get off, probably awakening when the train was between here and Port Stanley, and jumped off, rendering himself unconscious. Otherwise he must have been waiting for the car and fell asleep on the rails.

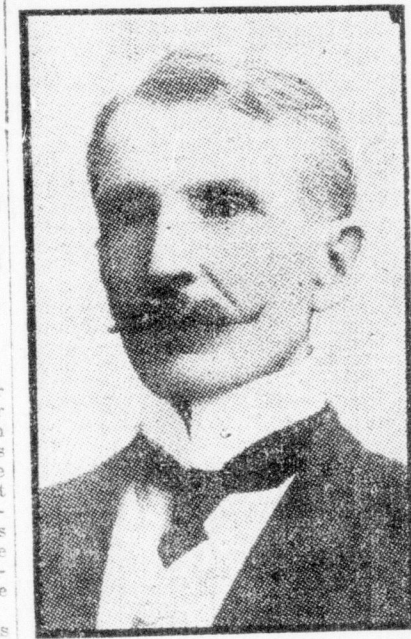
Earle, who was known to his intimate friends as (Red) Oliver, was a driver for the Dominion Express Company, and resided at 85 Manitoba street, with his grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Oliver.

COURT DISMISSES CHARGE AGAINST N. Y. PRIESTS

(Canadian Press.)
New York, Sept. 15.—The charges made by Mayor John P. Mitchell against a number of Catholic priests, together with their counter-accusations against Police Commissioner Arthur Woods, arising out of disclosures last summer of telephone wire tapping by the police, were dismissed today by Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum.

BULGARIAN FRONT IN MACEDONIA BROKEN BY BRITISH, SERBS, FRENCH ENEMY FALLS BACK TWELVE MILES

EX-LONDON LAWYER
WHO TOOK PROMINENT
PART IN ELECTIONS



CHARLES MACDONALD, whose work as a campaign speaker and worker for the Liberal party in B. C. was so strikingly reflected in the results of yesterday's poll that sent the Liberals into power with an overwhelming majority in the Provincial Legislature.

BULGARIA AND TURKEY IN FIX; HOWL FOR HELP

Want Ottoman Troops Brought Back From the Galician Front.

ENVER FEARS ISOLATION

Grand Council Said To Have Decided on New Balkan Offensive.

(Canadian Press.)
New York, Sept. 15.—A London news agency dispatch to the New York Sun says:

Bulgaria and Turkey are badly in need of help from Germany and Austria because of the entry of Rumania into the war. That is why Enver Pasha, the Turkish minister of war, and King Ferdinand of Bulgaria are conferring with the Kaiser and Von Hindenburg at headquarters on the eastern front, according to a dispatch from the correspondent of the Daily Express at Geneva, who buses his message upon Budapest dispatches.

The dispatches say that Enver and King Ferdinand pointed out to the German and Austrian leaders that if Bulgaria were attacked on the north by a large enemy army she would be forced to evacuate Greek Macedonia and the whole Saloniki front before Gen. Serrail's Allied army. Enver suggested to the Kaiser that the Turkish forces sent recently to aid the Bulgarians, for if the Bulgars were defeated Turkey would be isolated and surrounded. This correspondent says Austria has promised guns but no men to aid her southern allies, but the answer of Germany is unknown. A wireless press dispatch from Rome says, however, that the general council mapped out an offensive campaign in the Balkans to which Germany is to contribute 200,000 and Austria 100,000 men.

KAISER WILL OPEN THE REICHSTAG IN PERSON

London, Sept. 15.—5 p.m.—A Geneva dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says it is reported unofficially from Germany that Emperor William attended by Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, chief of staff, will open in person the session of the Reichstag which convenes on September 28.

PRINCE OF HESSE KILLED IN A BALKAN BATTLE

Berlin, Sept. 15.—Via London, 4:48 p.m.—Prince Frederick William of Hesse has been killed at Cara Orman, it was officially announced by the war office today in its report on operations on the Balkan front.

Series of Important Successes in Balkans for Entente Forces

—French Take Positions Half Mile Deep on Mile Front—
Serbs Score Brilliant Victory at Lake Ostrovo—British Advance West of the Harard—25 Guns and Many Prisoners Taken

(Canadian Press.)

Paris, Sept. 15, 12:10 p.m.—The Entente Allies have won a series of successes on the Macedonian front, the war office announced today. French, British and Serbian forces, operating at different points, have broken through the Bulgarian defences. The French have captured positions half a mile deep over a front of a mile.

A brilliant victory for the Serbians over the Bulgarians was scored after a battle lasting several days west of Lake Ostrovo, near the western end of the fighting front.

The British success was effected west of the Vardar, near the centre of the Entente front, where they captured important positions. The lines forced by the French were to the east of the Vardar.

The Serbians captured 25 cannon and a large number of prisoners, as yet uncounted.

The Bulgarians, after their defeat, says the statement, retired for a distance of twelve miles.

A BRILLIANT VICTORY. (Canadian Press.)

London, Sept. 15.—2:09 p.m.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Saloniki says the victory won by the Serbians has compelled the Bulgarians to retreat. The Serbians are reported to have captured more than 20 field guns. They took the Bulgarians' positions at Malkandze, northwest of Lake Ostrovo, the dispatch says, whereupon the Bulgarians retired in the direction of Florina. The Bulgarians also are said to be retreating from positions further south.

FRENCH TAKE TRENCHES NORTH OF THE SOMME; REPEL HUNS AT VERDUN

(Canadian Press.)

Paris, Sept. 15.—North of the Somme the French last night captured a series of German trenches and advanced as far as the village of Rancourt, the war office announced today. On the Verdun front two German attacks were repulsed.

The statement follows:
"North of the Somme at the close of yesterday evening our troops in an attack carried out with dash took by assault a group of German trenches south of Rancourt and pushed forward parties to the edge of the village. In the night the Germans renewed their attacks in the region east of Clercy. All their efforts were defeated with sanguinary losses. Especially in an attack made near the southern extremity of Hill 75 the enemy sustained heavy losses."
"South of the Somme we easily repulsed a grenade attack north-east of Berry-on-Santerre."
"Between the Oise and the Aisne a surprise attack was delivered against the enemy's trenches in the region of Autrech, enabling us to inflict losses on the Germans and take some prisoners."

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE OF EIGHTY-THOUSAND MENACES THE AMERICAN METROPOLIS

(Canadian Press.)
New York, Sept. 15.—Plans were discussed today by the leaders of the street railway strike for a sympathetic walkout of 60,000 to 80,000 workers here in trades allied with the operation of the street car system. James P. Holland, president of the State Federation of Labor, has threatened to call out the workers in these trades if the present deadlock is not broken before tomorrow night.

The Central Labor Union of Brooklyn has endorsed the principle of a sympathetic strike. This union controls ninety-five local organizations. The New York Central Federated Union is to consider the question tonight.

The determination of the strike leaders to call a sympathetic strike was interpreted to mean that they have abandoned hope of reaching a favorable settlement through the efforts of the mayor and the public service commission.

Bombarded With Bricks.
During the night violence broke out

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choice of this wonder-
ful bargain.

Gammage

14 MEMBERS FROM
OVERSEAS FORCES
ARRIVE TUESDAY

Invalided and Returned Men
Coming.

TWO FROM THIS CITY

Remainder Come From Dis-
trict Cities and Towns--
Many From Windsor.

Announcement has been made by the
local branch of the Soldiers Aid Com-
mission that fourteen more invalided
and returned soldiers will arrive here
via C. P. R. on Tuesday morning next.
The train is scheduled to arrive at 11:15
a.m.

Two of the men are from London,
and are F. W. Gorman, general delivery,
and C. M. McCarthy, 351 Front street,
etc.

Windsor men bulk large in the party,
the following being from there:
H. Tilley,
A. Grier,
J. Watson,
A. Pellatt,
G. Murchison,
S. S. Cowen.

The others are:
Sarna--W. Mayes and S. Davidson,
Amherstburg--H. Denan,
"Northam--J. Feverson,
Walkerville--T. Kellon,
Walkerton--W. Westly.

HERE AND THERE ABOUT THE CAMPS

MADE STAFF SERGEANT.
Sergeant P. H. Leah of the headquar-
ters sub-staff has been promoted to be
staff sergeant.

ANOTHER GREEK SIGNS ON.
James Mikros, a Greek, and W. J.
Walsh of Montreal, signed on with the
engineers yesterday.

MASSED CHURCH PARADE.
Next Sunday's church parade will be a
massed parade embracing all the bat-
talions in camp. As the majority
of the 11th are away on their last
furlough prior to going overseas the rep-
resentation from that unit will be small,
but the other two units will be out in
full strength.

The service will be conducted by Capt.
W. E. Hindson, chaplain of the 132nd
Battalion.

Roman Catholic soldiers will be paraded
to St. Michael's Church as usual.
The duty band will provide the music
for the church parade, and the duty
bugle band will accompany the party to
St. Michael's.

153RD DUTY BATTALION.
The 153rd will be duty battalion for
the week commencing September 17.

BOMBING COURSE.
A course of bombing instruction has
been arranged to take place under the
supervision of Lieut. W. N. Cooke,
bombing officer, the course to com-
mence September 18.

ON VISIT HERE.
Pte. W. J. Lutman of the 144th Bat-
talion, Winnipeg, is in the city visiting
his parents, Inspector and Mrs. James
Lutman. He is on his way overseas,
and will join his battalion on Monday.
Pte. Lutman was born in London, but
has been in the West some time.

PRESTON MAN STRICKEN.
PRESTON, Sept. 14--Harry Erb,
who ten days ago suffered paralysis
while at Crystal Beach, was removed
to his home here today.



At All Grocers 45c

Fine Camp of Scottish Borderers



The 241st Canadian Scottish Borderers is the only kilted battalion now re-
cruiting in Canada, and a particularly fine type of men are being attracted to
the unit. The camp site near Windsor is a fine one.

OFFICERS OF 91ST IN VARIOUS UNITS; THREE ARE AVIATORS

Lieuts. French, Wickett and
Johnson to Fly.

COL. GREEN WITH 12TH
Capt. McGillivray, Chaplain,
Is Still Unattached.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 13--Capt. Geo.
M. Baldwin, who left St. Thomas on
the 25th day of June with the 91st Bat-
talion, is back from the training camp
in England on furlough.

The captain states that all the 91st
men have crossed over to France as
portions of other units.

Lieutenant Parsons has been attached
to the 18th Battalion and has gone to
the front. The other officers are at-
tached as follows: Lieut. Mart, Mc-
Lachlin, Stevenson and Yeddes, lieut.
serve Battalion, to leave for France at
once; Lieut. Col. W. J. Greer, Majors
Stanbury, Medicine and Slacey and
Captains Gervais and Madden, with the
12th Battalion, awaiting orders; Capt.
Edwards, the adjutant, is now the
conducting officer of the 3rd Brigade
between Edmonstone and Havre, France.
Lieut. Andrews is completing the high-
est munitory course. Capt. Cash is
the quartermaster of the 3rd Brigade;
Capt. R. A. Gilbert is assistant pay-
master for the Canadian hospitals in
England. Lieut. Allison Horton is tak-
ing an Imperial training course. Capt.
McGillivray, the chaplain, is unattach-
ed. Lieut. Edwards is in charge of the
company of the 39th. Lieut. Kirkland
has a similar appointment with the
35th. Lieut. Atkinson is in the hospi-
tal at Margate suffering from lumbago.
Lieut. Jones is confined in
Folkestone hospital, where he under-
went an operation. Lieut. Cottam is
military instructor with the 39th.
Lieut. Walters is bombing officer with
the same corps. Lieut. Marks is at-
tending the Canadian military school.
Lieuts. Kennedy and Cameron are al-
so with the 39th. Lieuts. French,
Kirkland and Johnson have joined the
aviation corps.

CIVIC WELCOME WAITS 111TH BATTALION

[Special to The Advertiser.]
GALT, Sept. 14--When the men of
the 111th South Waterloo Battalion
reach Galt tomorrow morning to spend
their last leave, returning to camp on
Friday, they will receive a civic wel-
come from Mayor A. M. Edwards, the
city council and citizens and a band
will be on hand to assist in the wel-
come back home.

SCOTTISH BORDERERS RECRUIT FASTER THAN ANY OTHER BATTALION

Squads Will Be Sent to Stratford and
Strathroy Falls.

The 241st Canadian Scottish Borderers
Battalion has the distinction of be-
ing the fastest recruiting unit in Can-
ada at the present time. The recruit-
ing party sent to London Fair has done
excellent work, and besides securing
men has pledged from a number of
others. The recruits are all men of
the fine type, anxious to go with one
of the finest units being recruited in
this district.

A delegation from Stratford attend-
ing London Fair urged the men here
to send a party to Stratford. This
will be done and a recruiting squad
will also visit the Stratford fair.
The recruiting party now here will
be from St. Andrew's Church. Sun-
day with its pipe band, and a special
sermon will be preached in the morn-
ing by Rev. Dr. MacGregor.

At the fair grounds yesterday hun-
dreds listened with intense interest to
the appeals made, and many young
men asked for information.

On Wednesday evening a handsome
wrist watch was presented to Capt.
Reid, the battalion quartermaster, by
Dr. Roy Routhledge of Lambeth and
George H. Belton. The presentation
was made on behalf of a number of
friends.

SPENDING FURLOUGH HERE AFTER SERVICE OF YEAR IN FLANDERS



Advertiser Illustration.

CAPT. THORNLEY BOWMAN, R. A.
M. C., son of Prof. J. H. Bowman and
a London doctor, who for the past year
has been in the service of the Royal
Army Medical Corps as medical officer
of an imperial battery brigade. He is
at present home on furlough.

VOLUNTEERS SLOW TO ANSWER CALL OF RECRUITING AGENTS

Officers Hopeful Results Will
Show Later.

CAMPAIGNS VERY QUIET
No Objectionable Features But
Soldiers Are Sometimes
Insulted.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stirring recruiting appeals, lively
band music and the individual efforts
of a large staff of recruiters are hav-
ing no startling effects on recruiting
at the Western Fair. The officers,
however, are still hopeful that results
will be produced later when many of
the prospects will have had time to
think over the arguments advanced
during fair week.

"We are having our chief difficulty
with men from outside the city,"
states the recruiting officer for one
of the corps. "Some of them seem to
think that because they are working
fifty acres of land they are doing more
for their country than the men who
are fighting in France. The chaps
overseas are risking their lives, while
those back here are following quite a
safe employment and making money
from it."

Some Insulted.
All the recruiting campaigns are
quiet ones and contain none of the
objectionable features which marked
some earlier in the year. Many of
the recruiters, however, meet with
personal insults when they attempt to
carry out the duties to which they are
assigned.

Although men are urgently needed,
the physical standard is being strictly
maintained and only those recruits
measuring up to all requirements
are being accepted.

Highlanders Popular.
The campaign which is attracting
the most attention is undoubtedly that
of the 241st Scottish Borderers. The
party is composed of over twenty of
the battalion, including the pipe band.
Through the impromptu concerts
which are held throughout the day,
nearly every person in the grounds
is appealed to.

The latest to sign on at the park are:
J. M. Delaney, Canadian Mounted
Rifles; C. Phoenix, No. 2 Construction
Battalion; R. L. Belcher, 53rd Battery;
P. A. Groom, 216th Trench Battalion;
R. J. Bell, 21st Trench Battalion; and
Scottish Borderers.

CALL MADE IN ONTARIO FOR NEW FORESTRY UNIT

250 Men Asked From This Province for
242nd Battalion.

Ontario has been asked to assist
in supplying men for yet another unit.
The latest call is from the newly au-
thorized 242nd Forestry Battalion. This
battalion is authorized to recruit all
over the Dominion, and is asking for
only 250 recruits from Ontario. Seventy
of these have already been secured,
fifty of them being a nucleus which
was supplied by the 238th Forestry
Battalion, which was recruited above
strength. The same phenomenal suc-
cess which marked the recruiting for
that unit will, it is expected, continue
with the 242nd.

The work of the battalion does not
carry with it any of the regular haz-
ards of war, the men being recruited
for the purpose of working in the for-
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NUMEROUS APPLICANTS FOR RAILWAY BATTALION

Unit Will Be Sent Overseas at Early
Date.

The word that the 239th Overseas
Railway Construction Corps is billed
for overseas at an early date has
aroused in numerous applicants to the
local recruiting office at 237 Dundas
street. This corps is not to be kept
in Canada until fully up to strength,
but is to be sent over by companies,
two leaving at end of month or early
in October, and the remainder as filled.
This is because each company is a
complete unit, capable of undertaking
a whole contract by itself, from sur-
veying and instrument work, plotting
and grading, and constructing, running
the trains and supplying its own mechanics
and fitters. The stay in England will
be short, as no additional training is
required of it. All the military train-
ing that is given this battalion is given
in Canada, at Valcartier Camp, and
consists merely of squad, platoon and
company drill. Men who can do a
day's work, and especially teamsters
are particularly needed. The experi-
ence gained in serving in the 238th
Battalion will be invaluable in after
life.

CLERGY WILL ASSIST IN RECRUITING CALL FOR FALL CAMPAIGN

Special Sermons Will Open
Campaign.

CANVAS FALL FAIRS

Speakers Will Make Direct
Appeals to the
Visitors.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CAMP BORDEN, Sept. 14--Repre-
sentatives of the Clerical Patriotic As-
sociation and the recruiting staff wait-
ed on Col. G. H. Williams, chief re-
cruiting officer, today. They wish to
co-operate with the recruiting staff in
an appeal this fall to secure men for
the colors.

At the commencement of the cam-
paign all the pulpits will be devoted
to recruiting sermons, and it is hoped
thus to reach members of the church
and others who have not as yet offered
themselves for service.

The big feature of the campaign,
however, will be the canvassing of all
the fall fairs in Ontario. Arrangements
will be made with the speakers who
will make direct appeals to the visitors
there, and it is hoped to secure a
large number of men before the winter
prevents active outdoor work in this
line.

Twelve Bands in Competition.
Twelve bands from Camp Borden
have entered in the Battle fair com-
petition on Tuesday. Six bands have
been entered in each of the two classes.
In Class A, Bandmaster G. W. Wilson,
of the 112nd London's Own Battalion
has a fine field of musicians to com-
pete against, as there are four Tor-
onto bands entered and the 157th
Simcoe also.

In Class B there are four Western
Ontario bands. The 118th Kitchener
Band is favorite, but Bandmaster F.
Hodder of the 14th Lambtons, Band-
master E. Milne of the 10th Perth,
and Bandmaster W. Pearson of the
18th Kent, will also be strong con-
tenders.

The non-commissioned officers of
the 118th Kitchener Battalion will be
examined next Monday by a board of
fifteen officers, of which Major H. H.
Madill, I. C. M. D. No. 2, will be pres-
ident, and Major R. E. McNeil and
Capt. H. A. Fraser, of the 118th, mem-
bers.

New Bombing Instructors.

The following officers and non-com-
missioned officers of Western Ontario
battalions at the camp have qualified
as instructors in bombing:
Lieut. E. Grey, A. E. Dyke, Sergt.
A. L. Stringer, F. J. Todd, Corp. L.
Maxwell, 110th Perth; Sergt. H. B.
Tobias, 110th Haldimand; Sergt. W. S.
Garton, Corp. M. Clarke, Pte. J.
Thompson, 118th North Waterloo;
Sergt. H. W. Smith, C. M. Bowyer,
Corp. W. Hester, 121st Norfolk; Lieut.
C. R. Rawling, Corp. A. Renton, 142nd
London; Sergt. M. Hancock, L. Cor.
R. O. Alexander, 147th Kent; Lieut. B.
Johnston, Sergt. R. W. Rigby, Corp.
W. M. Bruce, Lance-Corp. W. L.
Henry, Sergt. R. J. Mealand, Corp. C.
E. Sisson, 149th Lambton; Sergt. B.
H. Bell, R. E. Ashworth, 160th
Lincoln and Wolland; Lieut. W. W.
Taylor, 158th Kent.

MANY ABSENTEES FROM CAMP BORDEN

1,525 Away Without Leave--Greys Beat
Oxfords Bayonetting.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

CAMP BORDEN, Sept. 14--In the
semi-finals of the camp bayonet light-
ing tonight, the 147th Greys outpointed
the 188th Oxfords by 2 to 1, and the 157th
Niagara Rangers just doubled the score
on the 132nd Norfolks, the results being
6 to 2.

There were 1,525 men absent without
leave today, while only 1,301 were priv-
ileged to remain away.

The 114th Haldimand Battalion has
343 Indians on their nominal roll, and
there are only 299 in camp.

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CAPT. T. L. SWIFT.

WATFORD, Sept. 14--After fifteen
months of waiting word has been re-
ceived from the adjutant-general at
Ottawa that Capt. T. L. Swift, who
has been missing since June 15, is pro-
claimed dead.

Capt. Swift was the first Boy Scout
officer in Watford. He served as a
non-com in the 27th and later ob-
tained his lieutenantancy. Then before
sailing in the 1st Battalion, he was
gazetted captain.

In the battle of Givenchy he was
reported missing, but it is thought he
was wounded there and perished in the
trenches after the Germans retook
them.

He was reported for bravery in this
action. His only brother, Lieut. R. D.
Swift of R. M. C. is now with the
149th Battalion.

THE CALL OF AUTUMN BECOMES MORE INSISTENT

Smallman & Ingram are splendidly ready now to satisfactorily meet every demand
for fall and winter merchandise. Every new dress fabric is here. Every approved
autumn fashion in ready-to-wear apparel is here. Every worthy new style and
novelty in dress accessories is here. Every new development in house furnishings
finds best expression here. New, new, new--the coming of winter puts into one's
very veins the wish for a change to warmer and more comfortable things. We are
ready, alert and completely equipped to serve you.



Cut Glass Tumblers, Special 25c Each

We have secured another twelve
dozen of those beautiful Cut
Glass Tumblers for Saturday
sale. Only twelve dozen. Get yours
early 25c each

LADIES' NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR

We have just passed into stock a large ship-
ment of Ladies' Natural Wool Underwear,
popular priced garments \$1.00 each or \$2.00
suit; prices that cannot be duplicated today.
Natural Wool Vests--High neck, long sleeves.
Sizes 34 to 40. Price.....\$1.00 each
Drawers--Ankle length, to match.....\$1.00 each
Natural Wool Combinations--High neck, long
sleeves, ankle length. Sizes 34 to 40. Price.....\$2.00 suit

SECOND FLOOR.

SATEEN PETTICOATS, \$1.49

10 dozen Sateen Petticoats--Excellent quality
sateen, made with elastic bands; all are fin-
ished at bottom with deep flounce of accordion
pleating and tucks. Colors navy, open and
purple, also black. Some novelty-colored de-
signs in the lot. Special\$1.49 each



Linen Dept. Specials Saturday

INITIAL EMBROIDERED PILLOW SLIPS, \$1.50 PAIR.

See these Saturday and make your selection while initials
are complete; every letter; in choice embroidered slips; linen-
finished cotton of exceptionally fine weave, resembling linen
in every particular, 22x36 inches. Special\$1.50 pair

\$2.00 VALUE, EMBROIDERED SLIPS, \$1.39 PAIR.

This special purchase in handsome embroidered slips will
save you at least one-third off present values; makes excel-
lent Christmas gifts, in choice designs; some with space for
initial. All one price\$1.39 pair

PURE LINEN TEA TOWELS, 6 FOR \$1.00.

Under present conditions this is exceptional, every thread
linen, tea towels 22x31 inches, red border only.....6 for \$1.00

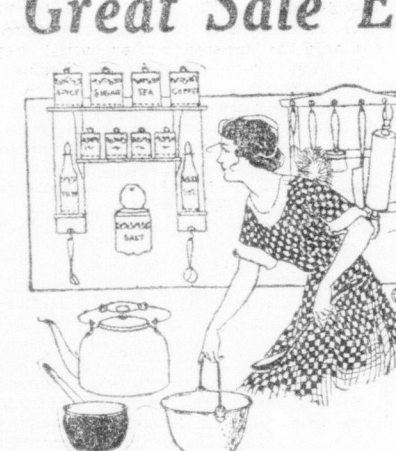
Special 15c Yard, 7 Yards for \$1.00

500 yards Bleached Longcloth, 40 inches, just the weight for
nightdresses or general use, excellent value; only 500 yards
.....15c yard, seven yards for \$1.00
Also a limited quantity of 31-inch White Flannelette, which
cannot be duplicated at the price.....15c yard
or seven yards for\$1.00

FACTORY COTTON, 11 YARDS FOR \$1.00.

One bale only yard-wide Factory Cotton, splendid sheeting
cotton. Special Saturday.....10c yard, or 11 yards for \$1.00

Great Sale Enamelware Saturday 2,000 McCLARY SECONDS AVERAGE BELOW HALF PRICE



Now is the time to
stock your kitchen with
good and useful uten-
sils. This is the kind
you favor, too--Mc-
Clary's Scotch Grey
enamel, known for its
quality and durability;
the best lot of seconds
we ever put on sale;
white, grey and blue
ware. We list only a
few of the lines on sale
tomorrow:

72 only 14-Quart Enamel Preserving Kettles, reg. 50c, for 29c
72 only 8-Quart Enamel Preserving Kettles, reg. 35c, for 19c
72 only 4-Quart Enamel Preserving Kettles, reg. 25c, for 14c
40 only Milk and Rice Boilers, 1-quart size, reg. 50c, for 29c

DISPLAY OF CORRECT FASHIONS FOR MEN

Men are not looking for startling color effects or such radical changes in style as women love,
but they do expect everything to be absolutely new and in some degree different from last
season, and that is just what you will find in this fall display. The news for today is that we
are completely ready for the fall season with a most attractive collection of new styles, and
the prices not a penny higher notwithstanding all you have heard about shortage of wool
stuff, etc. Settle the fall clothing question quickly and definitely here tomorrow.

Sale of Boys' School Knickers Saturday, 49c and \$1.25 Up to \$2.00 Pair for \$1.25

350 pairs of Boys' Bloomer Knickers, tweeds
and worsteds in many different shades and
qualities. In this grouping are knickers worth
up to \$2.00 a pair. A special purchase from
the factory of one of our best makers; a very
special lot of good quality school knickers;
sizes for ages 6 to 16 years. On sale Saturday
.....\$1.25 pair

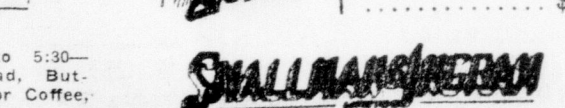
Navy Serge Knickers, 49c

100 pairs Navy Serge Knickers,
bloomer style, for ages 3 to 8
years; only 100 pairs, and they
will sell quick, at this price. Be
here early Saturday for your
sizes. Sale price49c pair

Cashmere Socks, 35c Pair 3 Pairs for \$1.00

50 dozen Men's Black Cashmere
Socks, a splendid line of good
quality cashmere; sizes 9 1/2
to 11 1/2. On sale Saturday at
.....35c pair
Three pairs for\$1.00

AFTERNOON LUNCH--3 to 5:30--
Cold Roast Beef, Potato Salad, But-
tered Rolls and Cup of Tea or Coffee,
25c.



SUNLIGHT SOAP--Saturday 6 for 25c

This excellent bath, toilet or laundry soap will be sold
Saturday6 for 25c

Men's New Fall Overcoats

New Fall Overcoats in plentiful assort-
ment, with especially great choosing in
mixed fabrics and tweeds, grey and black
vicunas and chevrons in the new slip-on
styles. Secure yours early while we can
give you a big selection and a full range of
sizes; models for every type of figure;
sizes 33 to 46. Prices\$11.95, \$15.00, \$18.00 to \$25.00

Men's New Fall Hats

The collection of Men's Hats
for fall is now ready in
greater variety than ever
before with correct shapes
for everybody. The new
Fedora Hats in greys,

LONDONERS WIN AND LOSE BOTH IN B. C. FIGHT

Hon. Thomas Taylor Goes Down to Defeat; M. A. MacDonald Wins.

LIBERAL IS VICTORIOUS

Former City Lawyer, Despite Premier's Attacks, Wins in Vancouver.

ANOTHER ONE ASSISTS

Charles MacDonald One of the Most Influential Liberal Campaigners.

British Columbia elections, the returns for which while not complete indicate a great Liberal sweep, have a considerable local interest in London. One of the leading Liberal members-elect for the city of Vancouver, M. A. MacDonald, is a London Old Boy, while one of the Conservative cabinet ministers who went down to defeat, Hon. Thomas Taylor, is another from London.

For years Hon. Thomas Taylor, sitting at the member for Revelstoke, has been a member of the British Columbia cabinet. He has been minister of public works since 1913, and minister of railways since 1911. Mr. Taylor was born in this city on February 4, 1867.

Mr. MacDonald, the successful Liberal candidate of Vancouver, was a member of the legal firm of Fraser & Moore in this city, and is slated to become lieutenant of the Liberal leader. He has been the storm centre of the political fight in Vancouver city, and the personal attacks made on him by Premier W. J. Bowser, Conservative leader, were a feature of the campaign there.

Changes of "plum" were made against Mr. MacDonald by the Tory chief, but they were absolutely discredited. The manner in which the electoral college regarded these charges is significant for its own sake, and also for the fact that Mr. MacDonald at the head of the polls, and the head of the Conservative party far from in the lead.

After leaving London, some ten years ago, Mr. MacDonald went to Cranbrook, B. C., and later to Vancouver, where he immediately became a figure in politics. He is a Bruce County Old Boy.

Another London lawyer who figured prominently in the B. C. elections, and another MacDonald, too, was Charles MacDonald, a brother of Mrs. W. J. Carson of 28 Prospect avenue. Mr. MacDonald was nominated for one of the Vancouver ridings, but did not enter the contest as a candidate. He took a prominent part in the campaign, however, and was one of the most effective speakers on the Liberal side.

Charles MacDonald was a law student in London, and afterwards practiced here at Hildesheim and in Toronto. Later still he held a judicial position in the Yukon, and came to Vancouver some years ago.

GARBAGE CAR BRINGS ON DAMAGE ACTIONS

Department Head and City Made Defendants in County Court Case.

Graydon & Graydon, acting for Alex. Gilmour and also William Brooks, issued writs today in the county court against the city of London and William Walker, superintendent of the city garbage department. The action is brought to recover damages for personal injuries and time lost claimed to have resulted by reason of the negligence of the defendants and their servants or agents in running down the plaintiff with a motor car upon a public highway.

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TODAY AND SATURDAY ARE SHOPPING DAYS FOR VISITORS--CHAPMAN'S

Visitors coming to the city with shopping in mind will spend today and Saturday getting fall wearables and supplies.

SPEND YOUR DOLLARS WHERE THEY GO THE FARTHEST.

FUR TRIMMED SUITS Immensely Popular \$20

Handsome suits for fall and winter wear, made of heavy weight Cheviot, with black fur trimming on collar and cuffs. Another Russian style is trimmed with braid, and has plush collar. Navy blue or black. Try on a few of the new suits.

CHILDREN'S COATS.

Blue Chinchilla, Grey Duveline and Novelty Zibelines. Nice warm coats, newly designed, with wide belt.

8 years \$6.75
10 years \$7.75
12 years \$8.75
14 years \$9.75

CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

Brown, Navy or Fancy Plaids in new fall dresses for school girls, 6 to 14 years at \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Children's Underwear.

Mothers know this good quality grey union ribbed underwear for children's wear. Long sleeve vests and ankle length drawers.

4-Year sizes 20c
6 to 10-year sizes 25c
12-Year sizes 28c
14-Year sizes 30c
Children's combinations, 50c
Misses' combinations 60c and 65c

Children's Flannelette Nightgowns, sizes 2 to 8 years. At 50c to 65c

CITY BREVITIES

JURY SELECTION.—Mayor Stevenson and City Treasurer Beck conducted this morning assisting in the selection of jurors for the coming assizes and December courts.

COMING TO LONDON.—Bruce Pauls, of Warwick Township, who has purchased a butcher business here, plans moving to London soon, having rented his farm for three years.

NEW PROFESSOR ARRIVES.—Professor Alfred Buckley, M.A., recently appointed to the arts faculty of the Western University, arrived in the city Thursday evening from Vancouver.

NOW AT HOME.—Mrs. A. Graham, wife of Rev. Capt. Graham of the 15th Battalion, has recovered sufficiently from her recent accident to return from Victoria Hospital, and is now at home in her apartments at 304 King street.

PREACHING TONIGHT.—Rev. Dr. Louis Barber will preach at the preparatory service to be conducted in First Presbyterian Church this evening. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the morning service on Sunday.

FOSTER HOME COMMITTEE.—The foster home committee, the children's aid society met in the office of Sheriff Cameron this morning. Reports of visits to wards of the society in the city were submitted. Conditions have been found satisfactory in every respect.

ACCOUNTS PASSED.—The legislative committee had a session yesterday afternoon, when some accounts were passed and some routine business disposed of. The committee had a wide time bylaw for the city was not finally dealt with as there are some difficulties in the way.

LOST PEARL SUNBURST.—Mrs. Pringle of Wallaceburg has written to Mrs. M. Graham, president of the Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, stating that while in the city on Wednesday, attending the conference of members of the order, she lost a pearl sunburst, which she values highly.

SPECIAL TRAIN CARRIES 111TH ON "LAST LEAVE"

Members of Waterloo Battalion Go Home Today.

Twelve coaches and a baggage car were necessary to carry the men of the 111th Battalion, with their effects, to Galt this morning, via the C. P. R. special train. The South Waterloo unit has been assigned for immediate service overseas, and this is the last opportunity of its members to see their friends and relatives at home.

Practically the whole unit, including Lieut. Col. J. D. Clark and his staff, of the leave, only a sufficient number of men being left to carry on the ordinary duties of the unit.

The men had a quick trip to Galt, arriving there at 9:30 a.m. They immediately dispersed to their homes. They are to report back to camp here on Monday morning, when they will settle down to the last part of their training in Canada.

No day has yet been set for the departure of the unit.

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DRUGGISTS REFUSE TO HANDLE LIQUOR SAVE AS MEDICINE

City Men Will Not Take Out Licenses.

FILL PRESCRIPTIONS ONLY

Advice of Prov. Secretary That Special Permit Unnecessary Accepted.

Every druggist in the city has taken a definite stand relative to the liquor question, and after 7 o'clock Saturday evening not a drop of liquor will be procurable in any drug store in the city, and the only liquor that the druggists will keep in stock will be the quantity required only for prescription purposes.

This decision on the part of the druggists has been made since the receipt of Hon. W. J. Hanna's reply to the letter from the Druggists' Association which was submitted to the provincial secretary ten days ago.

The question submitted to the provincial secretary was whether it would be necessary for a druggist to take out a license to handle liquor for medicinal or manufacturing purposes.

The reply to this question was received from Hon. W. J. Hanna on Tuesday, his decision on the matter being that it was not necessary for the druggist to secure a license to handle liquor, on condition that he did not have other liquors in stock to be sold for other purposes.

From the time copies of the Ontario liquor act were distributed the druggists here, they have been much opposed to the handling of liquors, and are only too well pleased at the decision given out by Hon. W. J. Hanna, which releases them from handling liquors or alcohol except for medicinal or manufacturing purposes.

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MISTAKE MEANT CHILDREN PAID REGULAR RATES

Some From St. Thomas Visited Fair Thursday Instead of Today.

There was a mistake somewhere about the day on which the school children from St. Thomas would visit the Western Fair and be admitted for 5 cents to the gates, for the same amount to the grandstand, and to each of the side-shows. The fair board announced there would be one children's day and one only. All other days, regular rates would be charged. It was understood that the half-holiday in St. Thomas schools was to be proclaimed on Friday, and it was anticipated some 5,000 school children from the neighboring city would come over today. The holiday was granted by the St. Thomas Board of Education Thursday, and as a result, a small army of St. Thomas school children and older people came along during the day, the youngsters cheerfully paying the regular rates. A number more have come today to take advantage of the special children's day rate.

HIGHLANDERS SWOOP DOWN ON PROSPECTS

24th Squad Changes Procedure of Recruiting Campaign.

Finding that the middle forms of recruiting campaigns carried on during the week at the fair grounds did not produce results, the recruiting party of the 24th Scottish Borderers this morning decided on more strenuous measures.

Transported by one of the huge Army Service Corps trucks, the recruiters toured the downtown streets in search of recruits. The pipe band of the battalion, which is included in the party, made every attempt to arouse military enthusiasm amongst numerous "dickers" by means of stirring Highland tunes.

At frequent intervals the vehicle was halted and while the drum band continued to play the other members of the party swooped down on all prospects in sight. Quite a number were garnered in this manner and transported to the recruiting office at Queen's Park. Whether the campaign has been successful or not will not be known until after the medical examination takes place.

Even if a large percentage prove ineligible, however, there should still be many accepted. One trip down town resulted in bringing in six prospects. Sergt. Knight, who has been making the majority of the recruiting appeals throughout the week, did not accompany the party on all its trips, but remained on duty at the Fair.

RETURNS AS ESCORT AFTER LONG SERVICE

Acting-Sergt. Harold Skinner, who left London fourteen months ago with the Army Medical Corps, returned last Wednesday night. He is home on escort duty, having accompanied a party of wounded men to Canada.

Although a private when he left London with the A. M. C., he is now practically a sergeant in the Army Medical Corps. It is not known exactly how long he can remain in London, but it is thought that it will be but a brief stay.

SECOURS NATIONAL PRESIDENT COMING

When in Toronto this week, Mrs. Ernest Smith, regent of the Lord Roberts' Chapter, I. O. O. E., met the president of Canada of the Secours National, Mrs. Sydney Small, and her assistant, Mrs. Beardmore, who expressed their gratification at the interest being taken in London in the French relief, and particularly over the fact that a French tag day has been arranged for September 20. They stated they would come up to London for tag day, and do everything in their power to assist and, if possible, increase the interest.

They also are donating a number of flags left over from the French tag day in Toronto as a nucleus of the London collection, to be sold September 20. Beautiful banners are also being donated, which were used in Toronto to decorate the automobiles on London's tag day in aid of the French war sufferers.

DEATH OF MRS. COLERICK.
The death of Mrs. Jane Colerick occurred early today at her residence, 57 St. George street. She was 83 years old and had been ill for some time. She is survived by her husband, Henry Colerick, Sr., eight sons and two daughters. She was born in Quebec, but had been a resident of London for fifty years.
The funeral will be private and will be held from the family residence, 57 George street.

LONDON NURSES ATTEND RECEPTION IN TORONTO

St. John A. B. Volunteers Entertained by Sir Henry and Lady Pellatt.

The deputy commissioners of St. John Ambulance Brigade overseas within the Dominion of Canada, Sir Henry Pellatt, and Lady Pellatt gave a reception on Thursday afternoon at their home, Casa Loma, Toronto, in honor of the volunteer probationer nurses who are going overseas for service in military hospitals. Prominent among the 30 young women from Western Canada and Western Ontario who were the three members of No. 4 Nursing Division, this city, who left for Toronto Tuesday evening, Miss Marjory Whitaker, Miss Lucy Thompson and Miss Florence Hughes. Others included among the honor guests were from Victoria, B. C., Regina, Saskatoon and Toronto.

The nurses had received their uniforms, and are described as "looking very demure in their Quaker-like uniform of grey, relieved with white collar, cuffs and belt." A black band with the emblem of the order embroidered in white was woven on the right arm. They also had the regulation army coat of dark grey, which, with a black belt with a band of grey and white, completed a smart uniform.

Sir Henry Pellatt addressed the young women, complimenting them on their devotion to duty and to their country in its time of need.

He told how the request had come for 60 additional nurses to go overseas, and how prompt the response had been. The brigade has now 400 men and 25 nurses overseas. Thirty more nurses of the eastern section are joining the contingent, making 60 in all, the party leaving Toronto today.

Among those in London honored with invitations to attend yesterday's reception were Lieut.-Col. Garthshore, president of the London Centre St. John Ambulance Association; Mrs. Swindall, superintendent of No. 4 Nursing Division.

IN POLICE COURT

Gets One Month.

John Collins, convicted on a charge of stealing four live ducks, the property of Maurice Gootson, was sent to jail for one month.

Collins stoutly denied that he had stolen the ducks, but claimed he had brought them from a huckster.

The evidence of Gootson, a neighbor, and Patrolman Coughlin was overwhelmingly against Collins, and he was given the sentence following his conviction.

Both Fined.

Thomas Shierlock and B. B. Smith appeared, both charged with being drunk and disorderly.

According to the evidence of the policeman on the beat near the G. T. R. freight sheds, both men engaged in a "cursing dialogue" that people in the vicinity took objection to, and called the police.

Each paid a fine of \$3 and costs, facing the alternative of ten days in jail.

From St. Thomas.
Thomas Miller from the Railway City to the south, said that London whisky must be a lot stronger than the brand they have in St. Thomas, because it put him "off his feet." He was allowed to go.

Indian Listers.

James Navin and Michael McCullough, both charter members of the "Indian Listers' Club," were presented with the usual "package," \$10 and costs or 21 days in jail.

Real Indians.

Frederick Duckert and Frederick Nichol, both from the Indian reservation at Onondaga, said that they could not remember where they got their "fire water." The magistrate said he guessed that perhaps a while in jail would help to refresh their memories, but decided to let both go as the time was short, he thought, when they wouldn't get any more.

All First-Timers.

A collection of about ten drunks from different parts of the country followed the first "tag" as a result of the fair. All were allowed to go and told to head for their respective homes.

ITALIAN AND FRENCH AIRMEN BOMB ENEMY

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, Sept. 14.—Via Paris, Sept. 15.—1:15 a.m.—Eleven Italian sea planes, accompanied by several French aeroplanes, bombarded batteries and sheds at Patrenzo, 30 miles southwest of Trieste, with good effect, according to an official statement issued today. The statement says the aircraft all returned intact to their bases.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, 16 Dominion Savings Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows: New York, Sept. 15.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—Open, High, Low, 1:30.
Louis & Nash, 129 1/2 130 1/2 129 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio, 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2
Erie, com., 37 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2
Erie, 1st pd., 52 1/2 52 1/2 52 1/2
Great Northern, 117 1/2 117 1/2 117 1/2
Great Western, 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2
Illinois Central, 102 1/2 102 1/2 102 1/2
New Haven, 59 1/2 59 1/2 59 1/2
N. Y. Central, 106 1/2 106 1/2 106 1/2
Rock Island, 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2
St. Paul, 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2
Wabash, com., 15 1/2 15 1/2 15 1/2
Wabash, 1st pd., 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2

Southern—
Atchafalaya, com., 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2
Canadian Pacific, 178 1/2 178 1/2 178 1/2
Louis & Nash, 129 1/2 130 1/2 129 1/2
Missouri Pacific, 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2
Northern Pacific, 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2
Southern Railway, 23 1/2 23 1/2 23 1/2
Union Pacific, 143 1/2 143 1/2 143 1/2

Ches. & Ohio, 62 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2
Lehigh Valley, 80 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2
Norfolk & West, 130 1/2 130 1/2 130 1/2
Pennsylvania, 55 1/2 55 1/2 55 1/2
Reading Railway, 113 1/2 113 1/2 113 1/2
Traction Shares—
Brooklyn Transit, 84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2
Third Avenue, 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2

Industrials—
Allis-Chalmers, 26 1/2 26 1/2 26 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar, 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2
American Can, 65 1/2 65 1/2 65 1/2
American Car, 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
Am. Locomotive, 80 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2
American Sugar, 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2
Am. Smelters, 108 1/2 108 1/2 108 1/2
Tel. & Tel., 132 1/2 132 1/2 132 1/2
American Wool, 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2
Bolin Loco, 80 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2
Central Leather, 62 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2
Corn Products, 16 1/2 16 1/2 16 1/2

Am. Lumber, 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2
Col. Fuel & Iron, 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2
Distillers, 48 1/2 48 1/2 48 1/2
Gen. Electric, 147 1/2 147 1/2 147 1/2
Goodrich Rubber, 72 1/2 72 1/2 72 1/2
G. Northern Ore, 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2
Inter. Nickel, 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2
Ice Securities, 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 83 1/2 83 1/2 83 1/2
Marine, com., 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2
Marine, pd., 122 1/2 122 1/2 122 1/2
People's Gas, 101 1/2 101 1/2 101 1/2
Pacific Mail, 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2
Studebaker, 59 1/2 59 1/2 59 1/2
U. S. Rubber, 59 1/2 59 1/2 59 1/2
Virginia Chemical, 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2
Western Union, 95 1/2 95 1/2 95 1/2
Westinghouse, 63 1/2 63 1/2 63 1/2

Copper Shares—
Anaconda Copper, 91 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2
Butte & Superior, 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
Chino Copper, 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2
Copper, 62 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2
Miami Copper, 37 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2
Nevada Con. Xd., 22 1/2 22 1/2 22 1/2
Ray Con., 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2
Tennessee Copper, 26 1/2 26 1/2 26 1/2
Utah Copper Xd., 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2

Oil Shares—
Am. Cotton Oil, 55 1/2 55 1/2 55 1/2
Cal. Petroleum, 124 1/2 124 1/2 124 1/2
New Mexican, 114 1/2 114 1/2 114 1/2
Texas Oil, 203 1/2 203 1/2 203 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
Wheat—Open, High, Low, 1:30.
Sept. \$1.49 1/2 \$1.49 1/2 \$1.47 1/2
Oct. 1.49 1/2 1.50 1/2 1.47 1/2
May 1.49 1/2 1.50 1/2 1.47 1/2

Corn—
Sept. 86 3/4 86 3/4 85 1/2
Oct. 72 1/2 72 1/2 71 1/2
May 75 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2

Oats—
Sept. 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2
Oct. 47 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2
May 50 1/2 50 1/2 49 1/2

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
Pork—Open, High, Low, 1:30.
Oct. 26 5/8 26 5/8 26 1/8
Lard—
Sept. 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2
Oct. 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2
Ribs—
Sept. 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2
Oct. 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.
(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
Wheat—Open, High, Low, 1:30.
Oct. \$1.53 1/2 \$1.53 1/2 \$1.50 1/2
Dec. 1.47 1/2 1.47 1/2 1.43 1/2
May 1.49 1/2 1.49 1/2 1.46 1/2

Oats—
Oct. 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/2
Dec. 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2
May 1.91 1/2 1.91 1/2 1.92 1/2

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
Wheat—Open, High, Low, 1:30.
Sept. \$1.61 1/2 \$1.61 1/2 \$1.57 1/2
Oct. 1.61 1/2 1.61 1/2 1.57 1/2
May 1.55 1/2 1.55 1/2 1.55 1/2

SENTENCE SUSPENDED

Frank Wilson, alias John Franklin, allowed to join 11th Battalion.

Frank Wilson, alias John Franklin, who was convicted in police court last Friday on a charge of desertion, appeared this morning for sentence. He expressed a willingness to soldier again, and as Major Osborne stated that he could transfer him to the 11th Battalion, he was allowed to go on suspended sentence on condition that he consent to join the 11th.

He was taken by military escort to the 11th camp to sign up there.

NO MORE BILLETING IN SMALL CENTRES FOR WINTER MONTHS

Large Places Only to Have Troops Quartered.

LONDON WELL PREPARED

Plenty of Buildings Ready for Reception of Any Sent Here.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Canadian soldiers will be quartered only in the larger centres this winter, as the method of billeting in small numbers has been abandoned. Last winter any community which enlisted five men or more was allowed to have them remain at home until spring mobilization for training camps began. The system was closely observed and has been abandoned because it costs the country too much and gave the recruits too little in the way of training. This winter overseas troops training in Canada will be in concentrated centres.

This confirms rumors which have been generally accepted in well-informed circles locally. Major R. W. Bishop, chief engineer officer of No. 1 Military District, is at present in Ottawa making arrangements for the winter housing of the troops. While nothing definite is known as to the exact nature of the recommendations which he has taken to Ottawa, it is generally believed that they are for the concentration, for better training facilities, of the troops in the larger towns.

Last year's method was recognized as a wasteful and inefficient one, and it is not thought it will be repeated.

London is well prepared to house a large number of men. The Western Fair buildings have already been spoken for and there is ample room there for an even larger number than were quartered there last year. In addition, the armories is available for use and the old Princess avenue school, being now vacated by the children, could be used.

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
New York, Sept. 15.
Open, High, Low, 1:30.
January 15.48 15.48 15.41 15.36
March 15.85 15.85 15.81 15.86
May 16.96 16.96 16.97 16.93
July 16.15 16.15 16.10 16.16
October 15.44 15.47 15.39 15.44
December 15.62 15.65 15.57 15.63

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.)
Kansas City, Sept. 15.—Wheat—1:30.
September, \$1.47 1/2; December, \$1.45 1/2; May, \$1.46 1/2.

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"KIDDIES" OWN

long to waste on vegetables and fruits, but they were all attention when it came to the school exhibit, and it was a proud boy or girl who could point out the things that he or she had done.

Praise for Toys.

The boy who was getting too much of a man for toys could withhold at least one tribute to this Canadian-made exhibit: "Some peach of a sailboat that. And look, there is a thing to steer it by down below." Even he, who was not against the allurements of an armored car that would actually shoot. Some of the tots wanted to step right in and ride away with a "kiddie car" while the heart of a many a small girl was lost to the "character dolls," especially one with the mauve hair and the one with the hat of burnt orange.

Animals, machinery, automobiles, all had their quota of juvenile visitors, but the place no one missed going was the midway. When admission to each show was five cents, it was a serious matter deciding just which show to enter, particularly when there was so much to see outside without paying a penny.

Then there were all the other "attractions" at which one might at least look. "Killing the Kaiser" was a sport that fired patriotic enthusiasm, while knocking the teeth out of the same gentleman was a sport not to be despised.

The "kitties" of the 24th Highlanders arrived at the grounds shortly before noon in a big city truck, with a banner advertising "Children's Day," a sure thing the members of this battalion were entirely in sympathy with the youngsters on their great occasion.

Grand Stand Attraction.
Before 1 o'clock the young people began to pile onto the grand stand, where they had the advantage of seeing first the parade of prize stock.

The music of the two bands, the Hussars and the 7th Regiment, added just the finishing touch of excitement, and then came the various events in turn, each a delight in itself. The platform performers had no reason to complain of any lack of enthusiasm on the part of their audience.

There was a feature, however, that captivated everyone, old and young, who was a witness and that was wee Robbie McRobie, the youngest drummer boy in the British Empire. The tiny lad, just four years old, accompanied by two buglers, stepped out in his khaki uniform and set to work in a most business-like fashion, doing everything that could be done in the way of scientific drum-playing.

More Than Expected.

The directors of the fair were pleased with the large attendance of children, many more than they had anticipated. The acting president, Col. Garthshore, stated to The Advertiser today, "We wondered where there would be any children to come. It was estimated about 5,000 children had visited the grounds earlier in the week, paying the regular admission."

A party of prominent C. P. R. officials arrived in the city early today to visit the Western Fair, and were guests at luncheon of the directors at the grounds. These included C. E. Tassier, passenger traffic manager; C. P. Foster, general passenger agent; W. B. Howard, district passenger agent; Wm. Fulton, assistant district passenger agent; W. Angus of the industry department; Mr. McMurchie of the legal department; W. Walsh and J. J. Murray of the Dominion Express, and A. L. Smith, local superintendent.

A start will be made at taking the stock away after 4 o'clock this afternoon, but all other exhibits will be in their places until 10 o'clock tonight.

This morning cheese and butter were sold at auction in the dairy building by Secretary A. M. Hunt to local dealers. Colored butter sold at 21 cents a pound, white cheese at 22 cents, and Stilton at 23 cents, while butter went all the way from 36 cents to 40 cents.

Beginning at 3 o'clock this afternoon prize money will be paid out at the office on the grounds.

Many Bitten by Dogs.
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AIREDALE TERRIERS ARE AN EXCELLENT EXHIBIT

Joseph Russell, M. P. P., Main Owner—Some Fine Scotch Terriers.

An excellent class of Airedale Terriers is being shown at the dog show at the Western Fair, Jos. Russell, M. P. P. of Toronto, is the leading exhibitor in point of number of dogs shown, having eight dogs, bitches and puppies to his credit.

Although Mr. Russell has been breeding Airedales only a comparatively short time, he has been able to gather some of the finest specimens in the country into his kennels. In all, twenty prizes have been awarded his dogs at the show. His bitch, Rhodora Victory, a reserve champion with 40 firsts to her credit in England, is probably the finest specimen shown by Mr. Russell. In the

Transportation Building. Some of them even want to pay money down to hold the space, but, of course, we can't do anything of the kind. They each have to take their turn each year.

puppy dog class, his Claycliffe Terrier took second prize, but it is confidently claimed for him that he is a future champion of exceptional qualities.

Polina Maxim, Norman McKenzie's \$3,000 beauty, is undoubtedly the best dog of any class in the show. He is a splendid animal, a wire-haired fox-terrier, a Scotch terrier and two pomeranians. The latter two dogs had no opposition, but the two former swept the boards in their classes.

Edward Ward, who is making his fourth annual visit to Canada, brought with him to London a wire-haired fox-terrier, a Scotch terrier and two pomeranians. The latter two dogs had no opposition, but the two former swept the boards in their classes.

Lapoid Result, the fox-terrier, is a dog of exceptional qualities. Well-boned, well-sized and coated, an excellent hand, he is a beauty. His kennel-mate, Rebel Leader, is the pick of the Scotch terriers. To sum him up, he is low and short all over. He is a keenly intelligent little chap, and a general favorite.

An Old English Handbill

advertised a public warning about coffee in its early days as a beverage in England. It said:

"You are not to drink it after supper, unless you intend to be watchful, for it will hinder sleep for three or four hours."

That was 250 years ago. Today it is a well-known fact that sleeplessness, brought on by coffee drinking, is due to the presence of the drug, caffeine, in coffee. It is also known that coffee drinking is a common cause of various other ills.

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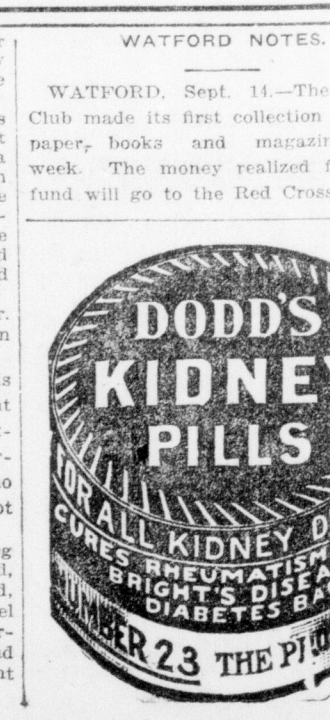
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SHIP AFIRE WINS
RACE WITH FLAMES
INTO OREGON PORT

[Canadian Press.]
Marsfield, Ore., Sept. 15.—The Pacific Coast Steamship Company's liner Congress, swung on her anchor chain at the entrance to Coos Bay today a black and burned-out hull as the result of the fire which caused her to race for this port last night. Every one of the 233 passengers on board, and the crew of 175, were landed safely last night by the dredge, Colonel P. S. Michie.

ported early today to be recovering. None of the passengers appeared to have suffered any ill effects whatever.

SENT TO THE BOTTOM
WHEN ON MAIDEN VOYAGE

[Canadian Press.]
London, Sept. 15.—The crew of the Dutch steamer Antwerpen, which was reported sunk on September 13 has been landed at Plymouth, according to a dispatch from Lloyds. The Antwerpen was a vessel of 11,300 tons, and belonged to the Standard Oil Company. She was built at Newport News and was on her maiden voyage to London from Bayonne, New Jersey.

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MAY HAVE 14 SEATS LEFT

Vancouver Returns Five Liberals—Premier
Bowser Has a Chance For Seat.

PROHIBITION WINS BY CLOSE VOTE

Woman Suffrage Has a Two to One Majority—Liberal
Leader Gets Enormous Vote in Victoria.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 14.—With returns still very incomplete it looks as if 23 Liberals will be elected and 14 Conservatives. All the ministers probably are defeated, suffrage is carried, apparently, by an overwhelming majority, and the indications are that prohibition also will be endorsed.

The returns, so far, are generally decisive, and it is not likely that the Socialists vote will materially affect the result, although Premier Bowser may save his seat, as he is close behind the Liberal candidate.

In Victoria, Hon. A. Stewart, new minister of finance, is defeated by 400 votes less than the lowest Liberal, the complete Liberal ticket being also elected in the capital. In Rossland, Hon. Lorne Campbell, minister of mines, is one hundred votes behind his opponent in Rossland City, with only two comparatively small polls to be heard from.

In Revelstoke, Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of public works since the Conservative Government came into power, has made a decisive defeat.

In Grand Forks, Hon. E. E. Miller, one of Premier Bowser's new ministers, has lost by a substantial majority.

Returns from Skeena, where Hon. W. Manson, the new minister of agriculture, is candidate, indicate that he, too, is among the fallen.

The turnover is the most striking in the history of the province.

The Vancouver count so far is:

McDonald (Liberal) 782

McIntosh (Liberal) 710
Farris (Liberal) 693
Smith (Liberal) 664
Cowan (Liberal) 647
Donnelly (Liberal) 622
Harrington (Socialist) 172
Appley (Independent) 58
Fawcett (Independent) 53
Bowser (Conservative) 504
Leek (Conservative) 506
Pruce (Conservative) 522
Tisdall 522
McGuire 507
Trotter (Labor) 486
MacGowan (Conservative) 479
Cassidy (Conservative) 479
White (Independent) 184

In Revelstoke Hon. Thos. Taylor (Con.) was defeated by Dr. Sutherland (Lab.), 395 to 125.

Big Vote for Brewster.

In Victoria, where the Liberal leader, Brewster, polled 1,260 votes, the standing so far is:

Bell, 322; Brewster, 1,260; Dilworthy, 625; E. A. Leach, 361; H. C. Hall, 870; Hart, 324; Hayward, 711; Morley, 329; Pomard, 143; Smith, 115; Stewart, 732; Tait, 650.

Other returns were:

Nanaimo (final)—Sloan (Lab.), 1,012; Plant (Con.), 500; Skinner (Lab.), 222.

New Westminster (final)—White, 1,132; Gifford (Con.), 514; prohibition, 1,172; 705; 745 may.

Richmond (final)—McGuire (Lab.), 1,361; Baird (Con.), 1,031.

South Vancouver (partial returns)—Wheat (Lab.), 1,174; Boulton (Con.), 917; Wilton (Labor), 410.

SIR HIBBERT TUPPER HELPS
LIBERALS IN VIGOROUS FIGHT;
PREMIER IS STORM CENTRE

The campaign in British Columbia has been one of the most vigorous fought in Canada. Apart from prohibition, the issue centred around the Conservative leader, who was attorney-general in the cabinet of Sir Richard McBride, and succeeded him as premier, thereafter holding both portfolios.

The Conservative campaign orators urged the record of their party, pointed to their leader, Mr. Bowser, as a capable and fair-minded public servant and pleaded that the low rate of interest at which the province was able to float its bond issues, was evidence of the care which was bestowed on the public finances.

On the other hand, sledge-hammer blows were delivered by the Liberals at Bowser as an individual and as a cabinet minister. The Dominion Trust Company failure, the loans to the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and other railway loans, loomed large in the campaign. Bowser, it was claimed, while acting as attorney-general, also continued his private law practice, in which he acted for the Dominion Trust and the railways concerned. He is senior member of the firm of Bowser, Reid & Wallbridge, legal adviser of the Dominion Trust during its three years of existence, and it was alleged that through his influence the inspection act designed to protect depositors of trust companies was not enforced against this company.

It was pointed out by Conservatives that the Dominion Trust enjoyed the same privileges in some other provinces that it did in British Columbia. Liberals charged that these privileges were secured through the influence of Mr. Bowser, acting as the servant of the company, instead of as servant of the people. It was also claimed that Bowser was responsible for permitting the trust company to make a loan of \$1,000,000 to Alvo Von Alvensleben, a German, representing a mining corporation, in which it was alleged the Kaiser and the families of Von Mackensen, Von Buelow and Von Reventlow have interests. The German was allowed to escape from the country after war was declared, while nothing has been done to confiscate the German investments or obtain in any way returns for the loan made.

Bowser's firm was legal adviser for the Pacific Great Eastern, to which it is alleged \$7,000,000 of public funds were loaned illegally, while the securities taken in return included town sites given by the province to the company. Furthermore, it is claimed that loans aggregating \$50,000,000 were made to other railway companies, represented by the Bowser legal firm, with the promise of Bowser as attorney-general that the people would not be placed under any obligation thereby. The people have already been called upon to pay the interest bills.

An interesting feature of the campaign was the part played by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, who, although a lifelong Conservative, and son of the former Conservative leader, threw all his influence and gave his services on the platform in the cause of the Liberal party.

KAVALA ONCE MORE
PASSES INTO HANDS
OF THE BULGARIANS

Greek Army Corps From There
Transported to Germany.

BERLIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Teutons Say Commander Gave
Up in Compliance With
King's Wish.

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Via London.—Today's official report says that the Greek port of Kavala, on the Aegean Sea, has been occupied by Bulgarian troops.

Official announcement is made that the fourth Greek army corps, with headquarters at the port of Kavala, has been placed in the hands of the Germans by its commander, and the troops will be transported to Germany. The Greek troops will be permitted to retain their arms and equipment, and will retain their standing as neutrals. They will enjoy German hospitality until Greek soil is freed of allied invaders.

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SAW ZEPPELIN AFLAME
SHOOTING TOWARDS EARTH

Maud Allan Describes Latest Zeppelin
Raid Over London.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Sept. 15.—Miss Maud Allan, celebrated dancer, who will soon tour the United States and Canada, who arrived yesterday on the Lapland, told of a narrow escape she had in the last zeppelin raid on London, September 3. When thirteen zeppelins bombarded the east coast of England, and three succeeded in dropping bombs on London itself.

Miss Allan said she was awakened at 2:30 o'clock in the morning by the heavy firing of the anti-aircraft artillery in a nearby arsenal.

"Shrapnel began falling all around, and Londoners had a taste of real warfare," she said. "We watched the tiny, cigar-shaped object, which was occa-

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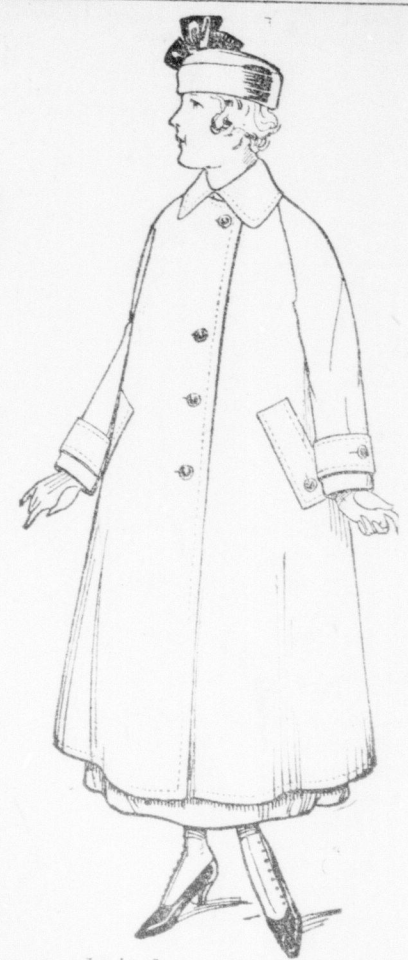
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A PAGE OF GENERAL INTEREST TO WOMEN READERS

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

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Styles for Autumn.
Dear Miss Grey,—Could you save me some Imperial Tobacco coupons? I am saving them, surely some of the Mail-Boxes have some for me.
I would like very much to correspond with "Just Eighteen," if she is willing. For a question or two:

1. What will take varnish stains off brass?
2. What are the popular shades for suits this fall and winter? Also the hats; are they going to be large or small?
3. Which is most fashionable, a silk waist to match the suit, or a white silk waist?
4. Do you receive many letters from this burg?
5. And last but not least, what do you think of my writing?

Hoping to see this in print soon,
BLUE-EYED BETTY.

Ans.—1. Have you tried alcohol or turpentine? An application of either might be effective. Then clean with patent brass polish, or lemon juice and salt.

2. You may have navy and be perfectly in style; or your suit may be seal brown or Russian green and be ditto. Mixtures known as heather, black, grey and an occasional plum shade, are being shown among the new autumn fabrics. Hats appear to be either large, flat sailors, or small, eddy-shaped and pointed turbans. For early autumn wear some of the odd shades in cerise, mustard, French blue and pastel green, are considered smart, with a black and white suite.

3. The newest call is for a colored silk to match the suit. Many of these are in changeable silk; others are fancifully striped.

4. You do not put an address line on your letter, so how am I to know?

5. It is very neat.

Misses Her Husband.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have not visited you for a long time, but that letter from "Farmer's Wife for Twenty Years" in-

terested me very much. It brought tears to my eyes. She seemed to picture the life of the soldier's wife to perfection. It is four weeks since I saw my husband, and I just feel I can't wait another day. He is in Camp Borden. I don't know what I will do if he goes overseas. Before my husband became a soldier I was nearly as big a critic as any of those farmers' wives, and since he is one, I have repented in sackcloth and ashes. You don't know what it is to be a soldier's wife until you're one yourself; then you get your eyes open. I have three boys, and I am beginning to see the task I'll have bringing them up without their father to help. I don't think the farmers' wives intend to be mean, but they don't understand.

A little hint about head vermin: Saturate the hair with vaseline at night, and in the morning comb with fine comb dipped in vinegar. This is supposed to remove all nits.

Now, will someone tell me how to grow house plants successfully? And can anyone tell me how to get a disagreeable odor out of my desk. Some sort of medicine was split in it.

YOUNG MOTHER.
Ans.—I think your letter will bring tears to some eyes, even as "Farmer's Wife" did to yours. The vacant chair in the home, the infrequent letters, and the constant suspense—who, indeed, can think the life of the soldier's wife enviable?

Religion of Russia.

Dear Miss Grey,—Could you tell me what religion the Russians and Germans hold to? Please answer to settle a dispute.
M. E. R.

Ans.—This is rather difficult to answer, in the case of Germany, because of the many religions held there. "Liberty of conscience" in religious matters prevails, one authority says. The greatest number adhere to what is known as the Evangelical Protestant Church, figures being given at 39,391,421; of Roman Catholics there are

Daily Bible Question Club

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.

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The six daily studies for this week constitute the International S. S. Lesson for next Sunday. Read the Bible Story on which this study is based, as you ponder the following questions:

"A Prisoner in the Castle," Acts, xxii.

Golden Text—"He is my refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust."

Psalm, xli, 2.

16. Verses 12-15—Why is it the duty of every Christian to be baptized?

17. Verses 17-21—What do you know either directly or indirectly about the Christian experience called here "a trance"?

18. Verses 22, 23—Upon what psychological, spiritual, or moral grounds can you explain this violent outburst against Paul after such a fair and straightforward talk? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

23,321,453; Jews number 615,021; other Christians, 238,946, and diverse religions, 214,152.

In Russia the established religion is the Russo-Greek Church, officially called the Orthodox Catholic faith, and which constitutes 69.9 per cent of the people; the percentage of Roman Catholics in Russia is given as less than 10 per cent.

Flags have been sent you; hope they suited.

To Help Others.

Dear Miss Grey,—Inclosed you will find direction for tumbler basket for "win."

I have made several like it. Am sending two Quaker Cats, officially to help someone else. I have Sunkist wrappers, and will send them for anyone. I have fifteen on hand.

Miss Grey, I have nice new patterns in tatting and crochet in fancy-work papers, if any of the Mail-Boxes would like the loan of them. I will send them if they send address and stamp, and return in four or five weeks. You may give them my address.

Do you get any letters from around here?

Ans.—You are certainly a "helpful" person. Shall be glad to send any names to you. The flags you ask for

have been forwarded. A few letters come from your postoffice.

"Pussy's" Friend.

Dear Miss Grey,—I see where someone is asking for Sunkist orange wrappers and Comfort soap wrappers, and I have a few Comfort wrappers and 50 Sunkist wrappers. Should I send them to you, or wait for the address of someone that wants them?

Could you please get me the words of the song, "We Will Never Let the Old Flag Fall"?

PUSSYCAT'S FRIEND.

Ans.—A copy of this song was on my desk, and has been sent you. You may send the soap coupons if you wish (just the trade mark), as I have plenty of applicants for them. Any friend of "Pussycat's" is always welcome.

Patches and Bread.

Dear Miss Grey,—Could any of your readers supply me with some print patches for a quilt; also an easy bread recipe? I have some good tested cake recipes and many others; if they would come in handy I will willingly copy them. I will sign myself, B.T.M.

A BRIDE OF TWO MONTHS.

P.S.—If anyone would like about 50 or 60 Sunkist wrappers, I will send them if they supply postage. B.O.T.M.

Ans.—Referred to our readers.

Soldier's Wife, Too.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am writing to inclose a few Sweetheart coupons (23 to be exact). I have been having a general clean-up and come across them, and thought someone might be glad of them.

I am a soldier's wife, too. My husband is not yet at the front, but expects to go next month, and my only brother is at present training in England. Of course, you guess I was an English lassie, and I am real proud to say I have seventeen soldier-cousins at present all "doing their bit" for king and country. Don't you think that's fine? I have one little girl of two, and after my husband goes I'll just be here all alone, as my mother and father are in England; so if some of your readers would write a line through your column I would enjoy it. Hoping this first missive is not too lengthy, I will conclude and sign myself, the day, B.T.

Ans.—You may well be proud of your family record, Bert. Good cheer to you. If some other lonely one writes, I shall gladly let you know.

Just As Nice.

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw where "Pussy" wanted to know how to make dill pickles. I have a recipe for them.

I am putting the pickles in the bottles I put a little bunch of the dill in each bottle, then put on your vinegar and whole pickling spice, and a little sugar over them, and seal. They will be good in a week. This is not the real dill pickle. (I don't know how to make them), but she will find those just as nice.

Dill can be used when in blossom or when the seeds are forming. If any reader wishes for the seed I can send you some for the price.

Would a blanket cloth in black and white check be a nice coat for a girl of 12 years, and what would be nice to line it with?

Ans.—The blanket cloth would be very warm and comfy for your girl. Usually these are lined only to the waist line. Any lining material in grey would be nice. The remainder of your queries, being legal, have been placed before the "Legal Editor." As soon as possible I shall publish his advice in this column.

How It's Done.

Dear Miss Grey,—Will you please tell me what days were September 15, 1901, and July 23, 1902?

Is it possible for you to tell me your method of finding out the days from the dates? I will sign myself,

AMBITION.

Ans.—Sunday, Wednesday. The days of the week upon which certain dates come are ascertained from a chart. If you send address and a stamp I'll give you the publisher's name.

Wants Two Songs.

Dear Miss Grey,—I would like to get the words of two songs. Part of one goes like this:

"Don't be angry with me, dad,
Don't turn me from your door;
I know that I've been wrong,
But I've repented of my sin,
Just give me another chance,
And put me to the test.
You'll find the black sheep loves his dad,
Far better than the rest."

And the other one:

"I am dying, mother, I am surely dying,
And I'll be in your arms again,
Oh, hold my hand and press it tighter,
For my heart is sad with gloom."

If anyone can send me the words of these two songs, I will send six gum flags or two crochet yoke patterns.

Ans.—Referred. Before that "The Black Sheep" has been published in our columns, but have no copy.

Who's Saving Them?

Within the past few weeks a variety of flags have accumulated in my desk. Anybody desirous of securing these may send address and stamp, but don't feel too badly if someone else "gets there first." Eight square white satin yachting club flags, 10 large white flags, each bearing a portrait of one of Europe's crowned heads, and the flag of that country; one-half dozen Canadian history flag-colored pictures on a white oblong flag; dozen and a half velvet mats.

Will Write "SUFFY SUE."

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw in your page the other day where "Suffragette Susan" had been looking for a letter

to her.

Our Daily Hint

If You Know of Some Household Economy, Improved Method, or Labor-Saving Hint, Tell Others About It.

(Sent by "Orange Blossom.")

A set of toy iron is very useful in removing stains, sleeves and other dainty baby clothes. I find.

When punching holes for eyelet work if the linen is laid on a cake of white soap, the eyelets will hold the shape better and not run.

Always rinse black stockings in blue water and they will keep a good color till worn out.

Vinegar added to black lead gives a more lasting polish to the grate.

When basket chairs require cleaning scrub well with a coarse brush and strongly salted water. Then dry with a soft cloth. Salt not only cleans it, but prevents it from turning yellow.

Ground clover sprinkled freely among woolen clothes or bedding which is stored away will prevent moths. Anywhere they are is to sprinkle with eucalyptus oil or cedar oil.

ADVERTISER PATTERNS



A Unique and Comfortable House Apron.

1395—The body and sleeve in one piece has been carried out in garments of every sort, hence the busy sewer and home dressmaker will welcome this mode in an apron that is not only simple but practical in that it covers most all of the dress worn underneath, and is easy to make because of few seams. The design is suitable for percale, alpaca, lawn, gingham, seersucker or chambray. The free edges could be scalloped and embroidered. Blue and white checked gingham, with bandings of white would be neat and would launder well. The pattern is cut in three sizes: Small, medium and large. It requires 3½ yards of 36-inch material for a medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

ADVERTISER PATTERN DEPT.

Please send above-mentioned pattern, as per directions given below, to:

Name

Town

Province

Age (if child's or misses' pattern)

Measurement: Bust..... Waist.....

Caution: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is past measure you need only mark 32, 34 or 36, as indicated on the pattern. In waist measure, 22, 24, 26 or whatever it may be, and give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from date of application.

from me. I haven't got her address. Have you? If so, would you mind sending it to me?

I also saw where "Twenty-One" received my box of candy. I sent him a box of candy, and I hope he likes it. I would send him a box of cigarettes. I suppose he will see this letter in the Mail Box. IN THE DUST.

Ans.—You must send postage for Susan's address, or why not inclose a stamped letter to me for her? I will be pleased to forward it.

For your kind thought for "Aunt Nannie," you might as well send it direct to her. I'll give you her address, when you wish. Hope you enjoy yourself at the Fair.

Thanks "W. A. R."

Dear Miss Grey,—Here I come to thank you very much for returning my Poland flag; also for the others you sent. Kindly thank "W. A. R." for giving me the flag and if I can help her in any way I hope she'll let me know. I inclose the stamp language someone asked for. I also inclose a few of the numbers of the animal series asked for by "Topsy." Sorry I have not got the rest of the numbers she wants.

I saw where "Edna" explained the breach to you. I don't believe I know "Edna," even though I spent a few years in Edinburgh, but I wonder if

V ERSE--New and Old

DADDY.

[Sent by "Amarilly"]

Take my hand on your shoulder, Daddy. It is just your hour when the sky turns gold.

The hour that mother loved best. The day has been long without you, Daddy.

You've been such a while away, and now you're as tired of your work. Daddy.

But I've got you, and you've got me. So everything seems right. I wonder if mother is thinking of us. Because it's my birthday night?

Why do your big tears fall, Daddy? Mother's not far away. I sometimes seem to hear her voice. Falling across my play. And it sometimes makes me cry, Daddy. To think there's none of it true. I fall asleep and dream, Daddy.

Of home and mother and you. But I've got you, and you've got me. So everything may go. We're all the world to each other, Daddy.

For mother, dear mother, once told me so.

I'm sometimes afraid to think, Daddy. When I am like you, Daddy. And you are old and grey, Daddy. What you and I will do. If when we get up to heaven, and mother is lying there. She shouldn't remember the two she left.

So sad and so lonely here. But year by year still goes on change. And so it will be all right. We shall always meet her in our dreams.

Daddy, good night! Daddy good night! Dear Daddy, good night, good night!

MIKE IN CORNER.

Ans.—Has anybody soap wrappers to offer "Mike"?

NOTES.

Strathroy Reader No. 2: The yoke sent by "Sour Pickles" had already been forwarded to "Merry Anna II." in return for flags, and I am forwarding you another design, which I hope you may like.

"Weary Invalid": I am trying to locate the address from one of the local women's patriotic organizations, and it will be sent to you. I hope you will write us again if we can ever help you in any way—or do it just to pass the time if you will.

"Old Lady": Your address has been sent to "Spiffledink."

"Young Mother," Petroler: You neglected to inclose the envelope with your address, so I cannot do as you wish. Send it and I shall be glad to make the purchase. Eighteen cents

GRAND SHOWING OF AUTUMN MILLINERY

Exclusive Millinery in original patterns and practical adaptations, the very spirit of the Paris and New York millinery world finds duplicate in a most brilliant collection of autumn hats.

Here you'll find hats for every occasion—the smart tailored hats for street wear in the large sailor and tam shapes, stunning dress hats in the large mushroom shape, in all the popular shades such as purple, prunelle, African brown, midnight and Hague blue, Russian green and taupe; all these colors in a goodly variety of shapes and styles, all moderately priced.

BE SURE AND VISIT OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT ON FOURTH FLOOR.



Special Saturday Values In All Departments

Low-Priced Dress Goods Two Smart Styles in Ladies' Wear
for Children's School New Serge Skirts at Moderate Prices

36-INCH WOOL PLAIDS in a good range of colors, a splendid wearing material, suited for school dresses. Special value at 35c yard

40-INCH GREY TWEED SUITINGS in two neat patterns, serviceable and practical for ladies' separate skirts and children's dresses. Very special value at 50c

TWEED SUITINGS in grey, green, black and brown mixtures for a smart, practical skirt and children's school dresses. Special at 75c yard

SPECIAL VALUE IN SILK CREPE DE CHINE.

Fine quality All-Silk Crepe de Chine in the following colors—pink, mauve, flesh, reseda, old rose, myrtle, navy, African brown, Belgian blue, sky, black and white, 40 to 44 inches wide. All selling at one special price \$1.50 yard

LINING SATINS.

We have just placed in stock a full range of fine quality lining satins for fall suits.

LADIES' KID GLOVES AT POPULAR PRICES.

A special Kid Glove in tan and white and black, with two domes. At \$1.00 pair

Fine quality French Kid Gloves, with self and black points, two domes, full range of colors. Special value at \$1.50

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STRAIGHT NEWS AND SIDE SLANTS ON SPORT

MUTT AND JEFF—Sometimes Somebody Owes More Than You Do

NOTICE!
IT MUST BE
REMEMBERED THAT
MUTT AND JEFF
OWE SLIGHTLY
OVER TWO WEEKS
RENT AND THAT
THE LANDLADY,
WHO HAPPENS TO
BE A "COLORED LADY"
HAS GIVEN THEM
UNTIL NOON TODAY
TO KICK IN OR TAKE
THE AIR, LEAVING
THEIR CHATELLETS
CONSISTING OF
ONE TRUNK AND
TWO BAGS OF
LAUNDRY, (DIRTY
LAUNDRY) AS
SECURITY.
B.F.

THE RENT IS \$12, AND WE HAVE
EXACTLY \$11.95. SHE WOULD NOT
SETTLE FOR 11.95—BUT—
EVEN SO, WE DON'T EAT IF WE PART
WITH OUR 11.95. SO WE MIGHT AS
WELL TURN ON THE GAS AND SLEEP
THROUGH IT, AS TO PART WITH
OUR \$11.95

LET'S SEE IF WE
CAN'T THINK OF
A SCHEME TO STAY
HERE OVER.

I HAVE IT!!! BILL BROCK, WHO
ROOMS DOWNSTAIRS IS A PAL OF OURS.
HE'S ROOMED HERE FOR 2 YEARS.
YOU GO TELL HER 'BILL OWES US
\$1/2 AND THAT HE SAID IT WAS
ALL RIGHT, HE'D PAY THE RENT
TOMORROW.

THAT'S A SWEET
IDEA! YOU'RE A
REGULAR
WALLFLOWER

BILL HAS LIVED
HERE EIGHT YEARS.
SHE'LL TRUST
BILL'S PALS

JEFF IS A NICE
LITTLE PAL AT
THAT. IT'S LUCKY
WE KNOW BILL
SO WELL. A GUY
WHO LIVED HERE
FOR EIGHT YEARS.

BILL GOT
PUT OUT YESTERDAY!
HE OWED HER
EIGHT YEARS
RENT

Directum I Breaks World's
Half-Mile Record Made
By Dan Patch in 1903

Famous Pacing Stallion Clips Quarter of Second Off Former
Mark—Roan Hal Wins C. of C. Stake in Fast
Time at Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Directum I, world's champion pacing stallion, added an important chapter to his harness history at the State Fair Grand Circuit meeting this afternoon when he broke all records for a half-mile by negotiating the distance in 55.5. The former record was held by Dan Patch, which, aided by a wind shield, made the mark of 56 seconds at Memphis, Tenn., in 1903.

Directum I was paced by a running horse, and covered the first quarter in 26.5 seconds, the fastest in pacing history. The second quarter was made in 29.5 seconds. Directum was driven by Thomas Murphy of Poughkeepsie.

Roan Hal showed a wonderful flight of speed in the Chamber of Commerce stake for 2:07 pacers, which it won in straight heats, defeating Miss Harris M. in thrilling stretch drives, and pacing the last mile in 2:04. Summary:

2:16 trot, two in three, trophy, League of Amateur Driving Clubs wagon race, two heats.
Eudora Spier, b.h.m., by Directum
Spier, Eudora (E. I. White) 1 1
Lucy Van, b.m. (McDonald) 2 2
Hawkins, b.k. (Furubush) 3 3
Ginger Boy, b.f. (Deveraux) 4 4
Time—2:15.5, 2:16.4.
2:12 trot, two in three, league cup, League Amateur Driving Clubs wagon race, three heats.

Bond Issue, b.g., by The Bondsman-Diligence (Mitchell) 2 1
Peter Mac, b.h. (Shaw) 3 4

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 14.—Announcement was made by a local fight promoter today that he had wired Harry Pollok at Chicago, manager of Freddie Welsh, champion lightweight pugilist, offering Welsh a guarantee of \$15,000 for a 20-round fight for the title here. A fight next, with Johnny Dundee of New York.

NORWEGIAN SHIP SUNK.
[Canadian Press.]
Sept. 15.—The Norwegian steamer Ethel, of 1,153 tons gross, has been sunk, a Lloyd's announcement today states.

Bronson, b.g. (Graves) 3 2 2
Ringola, b.m. (McDonald) 4 3 3
Holmes Constantine, b.m. (Harris) 5 4 4
Time—2:09.5, 2:11.4, 2:13.
The Governor's Stake, 2:20 trot, three heat plan, \$2,000.
The Busy Lassie, b.m., by Peter the American Girl, ch.m. (Murray) 1 1 1
Ed. Asworthy, b.g. (McDonald) 2 2 2
Alva D., b.m. (McMahon) 4 4 4
Time—2:15.4, 2:14.4, 2:13.4.
The Chamber of Commerce Stake, 2:07 pace, 3-heat plan, \$2,000, 3 heats.
Roan Hal, r.g., by Hal Defacto—
Maud C. (Murphy) 1 1 1
Miss Harris M., b.m. (McDonald) 2 2 2
Savoy, b.k. (Flynn) 3 3 3
Time—2:02.3, 2:07.3, 2:01.4.
2:22 trot, 3-heat plan, \$1,200, 3 heats.
Zouave, b.k.h., by Zombro-Lilly, S. (McDonald) 1 1 1
Dos Palos, b.h. (Cox) 2 2 2
Notice R., b.m. (Dickerson) 3 3 3
Nardica K., b.m. (Harris) 4 4 4
Judge Jones, b.g. (Jones) 5 5 5
Aquila, b.h. (Chandler) 6 6 6
Gambler, b.h. (Vincent) 7 7 7
Time—2:10.4, 2:09.4, 2:09.4.
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URBAN SHOCKER
SHOWS TIGERS HE
IS REAL TWIRLER

Former Ottawa Star Only
Allows Five Hits.

RED SOX BEATEN ALSO

White Sox Gain on Leaders
by Winning From
Washington.

DETROIT, Sept. 14.—It was "Shocker or Day" here, and the New York recruit, working in the presence of hundreds of amateur baseball followers who knew him before he joined the professional ranks, defeated Detroit, 4 to 2. He allowed only five hits and kept them scattered. New York won the game in the seventh on a double play. With men at second and third and one out, Walters bunted to Young. The latter had no chance for a play at the plate, and Heinman, who had been drawn in, was unable to cover first. Miller scored on the bunt, and Gedeon went home.

Score: R.H.E.
New York 10 0 0 0 0 3 1—4 8 1
Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2 5 0
Shocker and Walters; Mitchell, Boland and Baker, Stange.

CHICAGO GAINS A GAME.
CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Chicago gained a game on the American League leaders today by defeating Washington 7 to 3. While Detroit and Boston lost, Jackson's timely single in the sixth inning, which scored two men, coupled with Foster's wild throw of Weaver's single when the bases were filled, gave the White Sox the game.

Score: R.H.E.
Washington 0 0 0 0 0 3 1—5 10 1
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 5 0—7 13 1
Gallia, Ayers, Thomas and Henry; Faber and Lapp.

ST. LOUIS BEAT RED SOX.
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—Costly errors by Boston of which St. Louis took advantage, combined with timely hitting enabled the locals to win today's game, 5 to 1. Plank allowed only four hits. Three of these, a double by Walker and singles by Gainer and Lewis, netted Boston its lone tally. A rally by the Sox was ruined in the fourth, when McNally was called out for batting out of turn, after hitting a single which would have scored a runner.

Score: R.H.E.
Boston 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 4
St. Louis 1 0 0 0 3 0 2—5 5 0
Shore, Jones and Cady; Plank and Ruml.

EASY FOR INDIANS.
CLEVELAND, Sept. 14.—Cleveland secured another easy victory over Philadelphia today, winning 9 to 1. Going 9 to 1 was very effective. Score: R.H.E.
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 11 1
Cleveland 0 0 0 0 1 0 11—9 8 3
Gould and De Berry; Nabors, Sheehan and Pichler.

HUSTLERS TAKE TWO
MORE FROM TORONTO

Leafs Unable to Hit in the Pinches—
Bisons Also Drop a Pair.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 14.—The Hustlers made it four straight in two days by capturing both ends of a double today, 3 to 2, and 3 to 1, from the Leafs. Though outbattling their opponents in the first game, the Canadians could not connect with Hill at opportune times, while in the second game Hersche proved a puzzle. Scores:

First game—R.H.E.
Toronto 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 10 6
Rochester 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—3 7 2
Thompson and Kitchell; Hayden; Hill and Dooin.

Second game—R.H.E.
Toronto 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—5 9 4
Rochester 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—6 2 2
Brady and Hayden; Hersche and Dooin.

Called—Darkness.

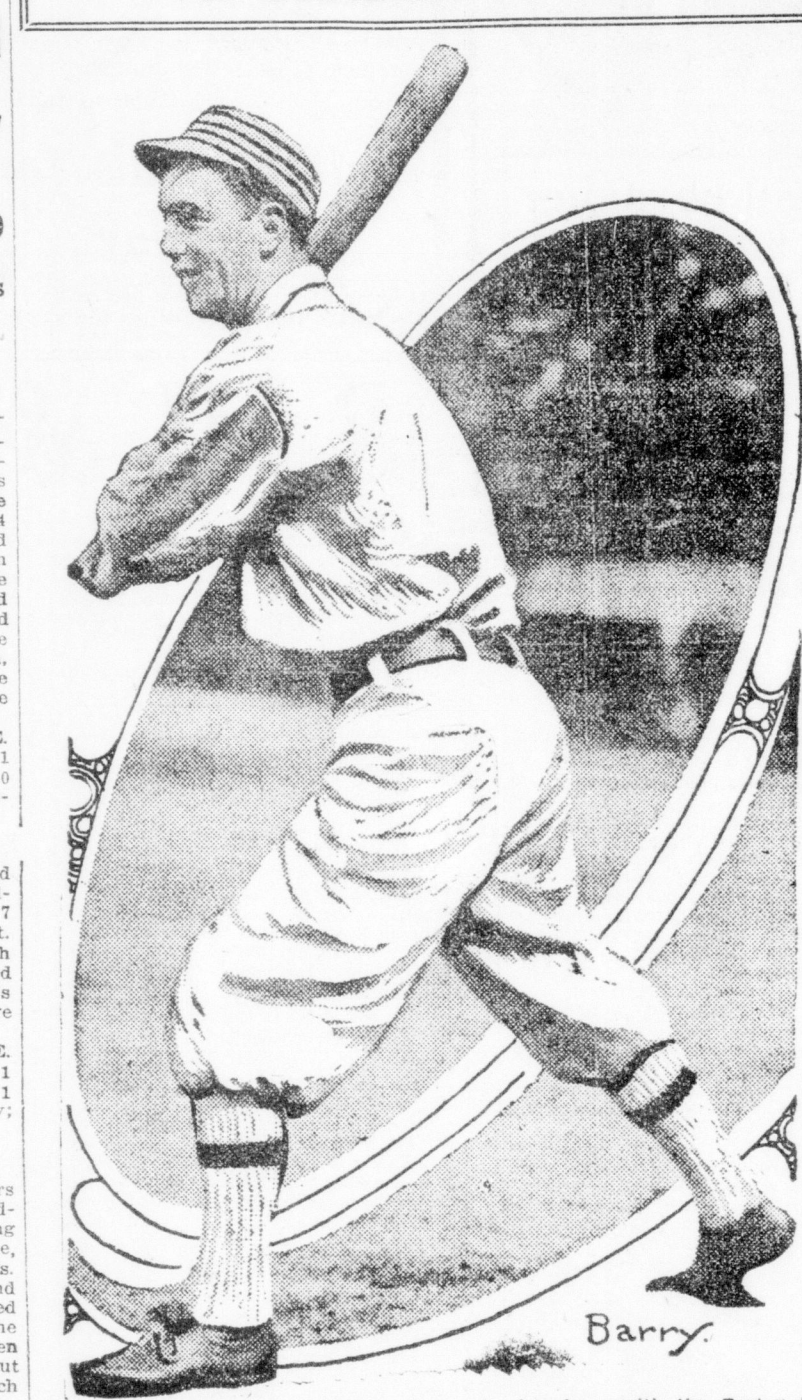
ORIOLES BEAT RICHMOND.
RICHMOND, Sept. 14.—The Orioles drove Crabble from the mound in the sixth inning today and scored enough runs in that inning to win from the Rebels.

Score: R.H.E.
Richmond 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—7 11 4
Richmond 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 4 8 1
Tippie and McAvoy; Crabble, McKenry and Reynolds.

ROYALS BEAT BISONS TWICE.
MONTREAL, Sept. 14.—The Royals today administered a double defeat to the Bisons by scores of 4 to 3 and 5 to 3. Both games were closely contested and always in doubt. Scores:

First game—R.H.E.
Buffalo 2 0 0 0 0 1 0—3 9 1
Montreal 0 2 0 0 2 0 0—4 9 2
Gaw and Onslow; Cadore and Howley.

Second game—R.H.E.
Buffalo 0 0 0 3 1 0 0—5 9 5
Montreal 0 0 0 3 0 0 2—4 10 1
Anderson, Tyle, Tyson and Colwell; Colwell, Goodbred and Madden.

WILL SUCCEED CARRIGAN
AS LEADER OF RED SOX

JACK BARRY, former Athletic star, who has been with the Boston Red Sox for the past two seasons. Barry is out of the game at present with a bad leg and the Red Sox miss him. It is reported in big league circles that Barry will be next year's manager of the Red Sox. He is one of the brainiest players in the game today.

FARMER BOY WINS
MICHIGAN FUTURITY

Popular Victory of Colt Bred
in Jackson.

BLACK BALL ALSO WINS

King McKerron Takes Down
2:23 Trot in Straight
Heats.

JACKSON, Mich., Sept. 14.—Nothing could have been more fitting than the winning of the trotting division of the Michigan Futurity horse club's futurity this afternoon by Farmer Boy at the second day of the Michigan Short Ship meeting.

This handsome chestnut colt is by Farmer Spears, and was bred and trained here, so his victory in the feature of the card was highly popular with the crowd of 40,000 who attended this afternoon. From the start, Farmer Boy showed the speed, although Eleanor H. stuck to him pretty well, coming fast in the end and breaking him at his wheel.

Baroness Rowena and J. I. S. fought it out for third money and divided third and fourth.

The 2:23 trot was won by King McKerron, the Northville stallion, in straight heats. Summary:

Free-for-all pace, purse \$400, 3 in 5—
Black Ball, b.k., by Patchen 1 1 1
Boy (McFarland) 1 1 1
Cleo B., ch.m. (Lariganett) 2 2 2
King R. Arlington, b.g. (Dupaul) 3 3 3
Time—2:19.4, 2:19.4, 2:19.4.

2:23 trot, purse \$300, 3 in 5—
King McKerron, b.g., by John A. McKerron 1 1 1
Loretta Woodcliffe, b.m. (Smith) 2 2 2
Harley W., s.g. (Wall) 2 2 2
Belmeier, b.g. (Clement) 3 3 3
Captain J., b.g. (Wiley) 4 4 4
Alta Mack, b.m. (Teachout) 5 5 5
Time—2:19.4, 2:19.4, 2:19.4.

Michigan Horse Breeders' Futurity, for foals of 1913, \$300 added, 2 in 3—
Farmer Boy, ch.c., by Farmer Spears (Clark) 1 1 1
Eleanor H. b.f. (Colby) 2 2 2
J. I. S., b.g. (Oille) 3 3 3
Baroness Rowena, b.f. (Hunt) 4 4 4
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POOR OUTLOOK FOR
RACES AT SYRACUSE

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Rain which fell last night and this morning made it seem unlikely at 10 o'clock that the grand circuit races would be held at the state fair track this afternoon. The track was muddy, and it is expected that at noon the two big line races and the three amateur wason races, which are carded for today, will be postponed until tomorrow.

Jennings Thinks Tigers
Have Best Chance To Win

Detroit Manager Is Making No Predictions, But on Dope His
Team Looks Like the One to Land American
League Race.

DETROIT, Sept. 14.—Seeing as how Hughie Jennings is the man most vitally interested in the winning of another American League pennant for Detroit, you may want to know how he feels about his chance this September day.

Listen here—
"It looks as though the Tigers should win. I think they have a better chance than Boston or Chicago; a better chance than Boston because they are at home for the games with the east, and a better chance than Chicago because they are ahead of the White Sox."

"Boston was hurt when Barry and Gardner were forced out of the game. Notwithstanding the strength of Boston's pitching staff, I do not believe it is heavy enough to overcome the handicap of the loss of two very capable men. Then, again, the Tigers are hitting. Cobb, Veach and Crawford are working together in slugging the ball and the Tigers, when hitting to their top strength, are very hard to beat."

Pitchers Look Good.
"Coveleskie, Daus, Mitchell, James, Ehmeke, Duber, Boland and Cunningham form a pitching staff that can be depended upon. I am minded to give Ehmeke a regular turn on the mound. He performed like a veteran in Cleveland, and I am pretty sure he can defeat the other clubs. Daus pitched a fine game against the Indians and is in shape again. They never was any worry over Coveleskie."

"I do not care to predict. So many things can happen in baseball that the only safe guess is one that is made after the mathematics prove you right."

What Donovan Says.
"Bill" Donovan expresses his opinion this way:
"It's a tough race to figure. The Tigers are going pretty good right now, and if they keep up the pace they will win. Personally, I would like to see Hughie grab the flag (if I can't), but my sentiments will not prevent me from using my strongest club in the three games here."

"I gave Detroit a battle at the finish of the 1915 season. They beat us on the merits of the game. They will have to beat us again now. I'm going to use Detroit, Chicago and Boston all alike."

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2:17 Pace: Mile Heats.
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tick, Teasater 1 1 1
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DISORDER, MISERY RULE AT KAVALA IN BULGARS' WAKE

Greek Refugees Arrive at Athens in a Pitiable Condition.

[Canadian Press.] Athens, Sept. 13.—Via London, Sept. 13.—Delayed.—The Margarete, the boat in which Baron Von Schenk, head of the German propaganda in Germany sailed, arrived this afternoon with 1,000 refugees who were in the most pitiable condition. They had been without food since Sunday, and were packed in the ship like sardines. The refugees said that a German aeroplane had dropped three bombs as the boat was leaving Kavala, which came within inches of striking the ship. An eyewitness who described the entry of the Bulgarians into Kavala on Monday, said that three Greek remnants which had remained in the town were given until 10 o'clock Tuesday morning to surrender as prisoners of war.

WHAT IS URIC ACID?

THE CAUSE OF BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL AND SUDDEN DEATH.

Ever since the discovery of uric acid in the blood by Scheele, in 1776, and the fact that it had upon the body, scientists and physicians have striven to rid the tissues and the blood of this poison. Because of its over-abundance in the system it causes backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" has proved to be 37 times more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body. Send to Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., for a pamphlet on "Anuric Tablets." If you feel that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, neuralgia, or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, go to your best drug store and ask for Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. They are put up in 50-cent packages. Doctor Pierce's reputation is back of this medicine and you know that his "Golden Medical Discovery" for the blood and his "Favorite Prescription" for the kidneys of women have had a splendid reputation for the past fifty years.

Doctor Pierce's Pellets are unequaled as a Liver Pill. One tiny sugar-coated Pellet a Day. Cures Headache, Bilious Headache, Dizziness, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, and all derangements of the Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

STOP DANDRUFF! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Girls! Draw a Cloth Through Your Hair and Double Its Beauty.

Spend 25 Cents! Dandruff Vanishes and Hair Stops Coming Out.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine. It is easy and inexpensive. It has a nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair, but your scalp surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes, but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp. Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to keep your hair soft and your hair really is, a pretty and draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

Children's Day, Friday AT The Western Fair

ALL CHILDREN ADMITTED TO THE GROUNDS FOR 5 CENTS. GRAND STAND, 5 CENTS, AND MIDWAY SHOWS, 5 CENTS.

This will be a great day for the kiddies. Master Ned McRobbie, 4-year-old Drummer, will appear before the Grand Stand, accompanied by his buglers.

Full Programme of Attractions Both Afternoon and Evening.

FIREWORKS AT NIGHT.

THE BEST DAY OF ALL TO SEE. COME AND HAVE A GOOD TIME WITH THE CHILDREN.

LIEUT.-COL. W. M. GARTSHORE, Vice-Pres. A. M. HUNT, Secretary.

SWEDEN PLANNED TO SWINDLE SEVENTEEN BANKS IN STATES

Conspiracy To Steal Half a Million Dollars by Means of Forged Checks.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Details of what is said to have been an elaborate plot to swindle seventeen banks in the United States out of an amount estimated at between \$200,000 and \$500,000 were made public here today. At the same time it was announced that a detective would leave Chicago for Stockholm, Sweden, armed with extradition papers for Karl Von Hardie, wanted in connection with the alleged swindle.

BRITISH HAVE TAKEN BULGARIAN SALIENT SOUTH OF DOIRAN

Maintain All Gains Despite Enemy Counter-Attack.

GERMANS ARE PRISONERS

Teutons Found Fighting On Lower Front In Macedonia.

[Canadian Press Cable.] LONDON, Sept. 14.—British troops fighting in Macedonia have captured a salient in the Bulgarian line north of Muekovo, says the official communication issued by the British war office this evening. The British gains were maintained against counter-attacks. Some Germans were taken prisoner. The statement follows: "Early this morning our troops moved forward after artillery preparation through Muekovo, eight miles southwest of Doiran, and in the face of stubborn opposition captured a salient in the enemy's line to the north of the village. Considerable ground was gained, and the enemy counter-attacks, our gains were fully maintained.

"We captured some German prisoners and a number of machine guns." The Bulgarian minister of the interior, Christo Popov, has resigned to rejoin the army, according to Central News agency from Sofia. Premier Radosavljev, who holds the post of foreign affairs, will last temporarily as minister of the interior.

YOUNG DUTTON AVIATOR FELL HALF A MILE

Escaped Practically Unhurt When His Engine Suddenly Stopped.

DUTTON, Sept. 14.—Lytle Kennedy, who is a member of the Royal Flying Corps, in writing from Croydon, England, on August 25 to Mr. Joseph Hockin, says in part:

"The last few days I have not been flying, as I had what is commonly called a 'crash' in the flying corps. I was sailing along about a half a mile from mother earth when the engine suddenly grew tired and refused to move. The great difficulty in the R. F. C. is that you cannot get out and leave your machine and go on, so I naturally started to come down. The flattest and softest looking field was a field of spuds, so I steered her to the field, and in a very few minutes I arrived there. Although the machine was splintered all around me, I was practically unhurt, which was more good luck than by good management. Had I been an experienced pilot I would have been all right, but an aeroplane is a tricky thing to handle. However, that is the way you get experience in this game, and, considering that I am a beginner, I escaped pretty well.

Croydon is a beautiful suburb of London and is a fine place to be. We have had zepp raids here for a week, but no one pays any more attention to them than they do a shower of rain, as they seem to be ineffective to a great extent.

DELMER AT THE FAIR.

DELMEYER, Sept. 14.—The Western fair at Ottawa has been the chief topic of conversation these days and quite a number of people are attending from here.



The Pinch-Back will be popular this fall. It is both dressy and serviceable.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH CLOSING ON COMBLES; NEW GAINS RECORDED

French Capture Farm and Other Positions.

HOLD ALL GROUND TAKEN

Haig Strengthens His Grip on the Village of Ginchy.

[Canadian Press Cable.] PARIS, Sept. 14.—10:30 p.m.—On the Somme front the French have captured the Le Prie Farm and enlarged other positions close to Combles, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight. There has been hard fighting north and south of the village of Bouchevaines. Elsewhere quiet prevailed.

The text reads: "North of the Somme we entrenched our positions on part of our front, which faces Comble, and carried by assault to the southeast of this locality the farm of Le Prie, which had been organized as a point of support by the enemy.

"Lately isolated fighting occurred to the north and south of Bouchevaines. We completely maintained all our gains. The French reported that they were bombing to the east of Belloy-en-Santerre. On the rest of the front nothing of importance occurred."

The French report issued this afternoon told of vigorous efforts of the Germans to drive the French from captured territory. The army announcement says: "North of the Somme during the night we repulsed several German attempts at the southern extremity of Hill 75. According to late reports, the violent and fruitless counter-attacks delivered by the Germans yesterday in this region were carried out by a division hastily brought from the Verdun front."

"South of the Somme the enemy made several unsuccessful attempts against various points on our new front. To the west of Caules during one of these attacks an enemy detachment about a company strong, was caught under our fire and almost completely destroyed. On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front), two German attacks against our new positions in Vaux-Chapelle wood, were repulsed easily.

"The night was calm on the remainder of the front."

FOUR IN CASUALTIES FROM NEAR ST. THOMAS

[Special to The Advertiser.] ST. THOMAS, Sept. 14.—Requiem mass will be sung in the Holy Angels Church here at 9 o'clock Friday morning in honor of Corporal Bertram Corbin, killed in action in France, Sept. 3.

Prior to enlisting Corp. Corbin was a member of St. John's Anglican Church, but since going to France has embraced the Roman Catholic faith.

Major Casey Killed. Major Wm. A. Casey, reported killed in action on Sept. 8, was the eldest son of the late Geo. E. Casey, M.P., for West Elgin. He was born near Pinal and was well known in Elgin county and St. Thomas. Major Casey enlisted as a sergeant at Vancouver, B. C.

Pte. Harrison Hurt. Word was received today from the war office at Ottawa that Pte. Richard A. Harrison, son of Mrs. G. Harrison, 16 Marion street, had been wounded in the leg by gun shot. Pte. Harrison was attending school when he enlisted, being only 16 years of age. He went overseas with a detachment of the 83rd Battalion.

Pte. Haggarty Wounded. Pte. David Haggarty, who appears in the Wednesday casualty list as wounded, enlisted at St. Thomas. He also went overseas with a detachment of the 83rd. He has no relatives in Canada.

Infantry. Wounded—12963 Clifford T. Welsh, 1557 11th avenue west, Vancouver.

Mounted Rifles. Wounded—14746 James Harrison, 74 Edwards street, Toronto; Major Harold Curran, Port Arthur.

Wounded—11754 William H. Norton, Bottrell, Alta.

Infantry. Wounded—4211 Bombardier Earl A. Slegstad, Flaxland, Alta.

Previously reported missing, now officially prisoner of war—10481 Arthur Moffat, 93 Medland Crescent, Toronto.

Missing—423046 Edward Campbell, Curran, Port Arthur.

Wounded—11754 William H. Norton, Bottrell, Alta.

Infantry. Wounded—4211 Bombardier Earl A. Slegstad, Flaxland, Alta.

Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed to have died—13102 James Ford, England; 1237 Fred

THE STORE WITH THE STOCK.

Our Great Exhibition Selling Values

WILL ALL BE CONTINUED SATURDAY

We have already cleared the air of any "Balloon Soaring Price" rumors for this season. We are giving full benefit (and the shrewd buyers of men's and boys' wearables are quickly taking advantage of it) of our early plunging in purchasing and piling up the biggest record of sales in our history.

Fall Overcoat Special

Silk-Lined Oxford Grey Cheviots, \$20.00 quality... \$14.00

20th Century Bench-Tailored Fall Overcoats; Canada's best tailoring... \$16.50, \$18.00, \$22.00 and \$25.00

\$12.50 Fall Overcoats, correctly tailored. Special... \$10.00

Winter Overcoats

The snappiest range we have ever shown for young men and men who remain young in such cloths as Whitney's, Crombie's, Martyn's, Carr's, etc., greys, browns, blacks, blues, olives, heathers, etc.

Over two thousand coats for your choice of selection all the way from \$8.50 to \$45.00

Suit Specials for Saturday

\$16.50 Pure Wool Blues for \$13.65

\$24.00 Pure Wool Blues for \$18.00

Our 20th Century Suits

Are building a wonderful reputation for last word in correct tailoring season after season. We have this make exclusively for London. We are showing a magnificent range in satin shield and sleeve-lined coats which will interest you. Come and see.

Underwear

103 doz. of Penmans 65c Fleece Underwear... 48c

125 doz. of Penmans Trunkit and Standfield Combination Underwear in autumn and winter weights... \$1.00 to \$5.00

15 Large Cases of Hose at Old Prices

Silks, lises, cashmeres, merinos, Scotch worsteds and fine and heavy wools.

Work Overalls and Work Mitts

at away less than present factory prices.

OUR BOYS' WINTER WEARABLES

Are piling in; everything in suits from the wee chaps' Russian Blouse to the Big Bloomer Pinch-Back Suits for the High School student. Boys' \$1.00 and \$1.25 Tweed Bloomers... 75c

Boys' 50c and 65c Blouses... 25c

Men's Raincoats... \$8.90

Good strong double-texture British Coats, suitable for motoring or driving.

ANOTHER BIG TROUSER SALE

Shrewd buyers are purchasing for many months ahead. Long men's trousers up to 36-in. legs. Stout men's trousers up to 50-in. waist.

\$2.75 Trousers... \$1.98

\$3.50 Trousers... \$2.50

\$5.00 Trousers... \$4.00

Peabody \$1.75 Overalls, union-made, blue, stripe and black... \$1.25

Dowler Special Overalls... \$1.00

LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS HEAVY IN GUELPH

[Special to The Advertiser.] GUELPH, Sept. 14.—There is a large loan subscription being made to the Canadian war loan. Bankers admit, while refusing to announce individual subscriptions that there is a keen demand for it, and that the participants are of all classes from the small depositors to those with large accounts.

The Guelph and Ontario Society has taken \$100,000. One broker received an application accompanied by a certified check from a standard Oil man for a \$50,000 allotment.

ONE GALT DRUGGIST TO HANDLE LIQUOR

Four Have Refused, Another Hasn't Yet Decided.

[Special to The Advertiser.] GALT, Sept. 14.—Only one Galt druggist will carry liquor in stock after Saturday next to fill prescriptions, four will not go into the liquor business, and another is waiting to have the new act interpreted before he makes any decision one way or the other.

MINISTER'S SON IS KILLED IN ACTION

[Special to The Advertiser.] CLINTON, Sept. 14.—Rev. A. MacFarlane, of Bayfield, received the sad news yesterday that his son William had been killed in action somewhere in France.

Word has also been received that Jack Hall, a former Clinton boy, and now with the Canadian Engineers, had been wounded, and is now in the hospital.

STEAMER COUNSELLOR FOUNDERED IN ATLANTIC

London, Sept. 15.—11:50 a.m.—The captain and crew of the British steamer Councillor have been landed here. They say the steamer foundered. One member of the crew is an American. The Councillor was a vessel of 3,170 tons. She sailed from Colon for Liverpool on August 27 on her way home now with the Canadian Engineers, had been from Vancouver, via San Francisco.

SON OF FORMER WARDEN OF OXFORD WOUNDED

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 14.—Former Warden G. J. Cooke, of Beachville, has received a telegram from Ottawa informing him that his son, Lieut. Leslie Cooke, of the Royal Montreal Regiment, was wounded September 8.

A cablegram from Lieut. Cooke himself stated that his wound was a slight one. He left here with the 71st Battalion.

Wounded in Abdomen. Mrs. Gourdie, 34 Chapel street, was officially notified today that her husband, Pte. Richard Gourdie, had been admitted to hospital at France, suffering from gunshot wounds in the face and abdomen. Pte. Gourdie enlisted in Montreal in the 73rd Highlanders, but was transferred to the 1st Battalion at the front. His wife came to Woodstock relatives shortly after he went overseas. She has four young children.

BUYS FARM AT DELMER. DELMEYER, Sept. 14.—Robert McGeahy has sold his 60-acre farm in the tenth concession to Mr. Woolley for a good price.

Lifebuoy Soap, 5c

A CLEANER AND A DISINFECTANT.

HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop—How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here is a letter from a woman who has worked, but was too weak and suffered too much to continue. How she regained health:

"Frankfort, Ky.—I suffered so much with female weakness that I could not do my own work, had to hire it done. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I tried it. I took three bottles and found it to be all I needed. Now I feel as well as ever I did and am able to do all my own work again. I recommend it to any woman suffering from female weakness. You may publish my letter if you wish."—Mrs. James Conley, 518 St. Clair street, Frankfort, Ky.

No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it will be confidential.

Try It Before You Buy It!

Offer No. 1. In order to give you an opportunity of examining our famous "Special Selected" Rye Whisky free of charge, we will send on all introductory orders, express charges prepaid, a large bottle as well as a trial bottle. The latter is 2 ounce capacity, the same size as shown in this advertisement, containing exactly the same quality of whisky. When you get these two bottles, try the smaller one first. If you don't find it the smoothest, mellowest and finest whisky you ever drank, or if for any reason you are not satisfied with it, send the large bottle back, charges collect, and we will ask no questions whatever. We will send these bottles to you upon receipt of \$1.50 and return the money if you return the large bottle. This is the fairest way we know of giving you a chance to try this—The Quality Whisky of Canada—free of charge.

Offer No. 2. For \$5.00 we will send you four large bottles of our "Special Selected" Rye Whisky, express charges prepaid. This whisky is our most popular brand on account of its popular price and high quality. It is five years old, distilled, aged and bottled in bond under government supervision.

Offer No. 3. For \$1.25 we will send you a large bottle of our "Major's" Rye Whisky, express charges prepaid, a pure mellow whisky of excellent quality.

Offer No. 4. For \$4.00 we will send you four large bottles of our "Major's" Rye Whisky, express charges prepaid. This whisky is our most popular brand on account of its popular price and high quality. It is five years old, distilled, aged and bottled in bond under government supervision.

These whiskies have been examined by Dr. Milton Hersey, consulting chemist to the Quebec Government, and found to be pure and of excellent flavor. They are highly recommended for MEDICINAL PURPOSES.

Instructions. Send us Express or Post Office Money Order; write your name and address clearly and state which of the above offers you want. The above offers apply only to the Province of Ontario, points East of Detroit River and North Bay, and are for personal or family use. All shipments under these offers will be made from Montreal only. Address orders to H. Corby Distillery Co. Limited, Montreal, Que., Dept.

Corby's of Corbyville for Over Half a Century

most interesting presentation by George A. Babcock, head of the association's work in Mexico, Brownsville, and Miss Anna, Secretary to Sir Adam Beck, London, and A. W. Year, they returned and since lived in Union Cemetery.

WAR LOAN

DOMINION OF CANADA

Issue of \$100,000,000 5% Bonds Maturing 1st October, 1931.

PAYABLE AT PAR AT
OTTAWA, HALIFAX, ST. JOHN, CHARLOTTETOWN, MONTREAL, TORONTO, WINNIPEG,
REGINA, CALGARY, VICTORIA.

INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY, 1st APRIL, 1st OCTOBER.
PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

ISSUE PRICE 97½

A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st APRIL, 1917.
THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above named Bonds for subscription at 97½, payable as follows:—

10 per cent on application;
30 " " 16th October, 1916;
30 " " 15th November, 1916;
27½ " " 15th December, 1916.

The total allotment of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred million dollars exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of October, 1916, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the October instalment.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as

to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of scrip certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, or Victoria.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

Subscription Lists will close on or before 23rd September, 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, September 12th, 1916.

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SECOND DEATH IN DAY IN DEREHAM TP. FAMILY

INGERSOLL, Sept. 14.—In Dereham Township the death occurred today of William Magill, aged 76 years. An unusual circumstance in connection with Mr. Magill's death was that it was the second in the family of John Robert, near Peables, in less than 24 hours.

Early Wednesday morning Mr. Robert's father died at Peables, in his 80th year, and Mr. Magill, father of Mrs. Robert, died early this morning. The funeral of Mr. Magill will be held Sunday afternoon at the Harris Street Cemetery, West Oxford.

Funeral of J. Ellery.
The funeral of John Ellery, which was held from the home of his son-in-

law, Thomas Brunsell, North Oxford, to the Ingersoll Rural Cemetery, was largely attended. Rev. L. W. Hill of the Methodist Church conducted the services and the pallbearers were Wm. J. Ellery, George Ellery, Edward Ellery, sons; George Harrison, Wesley Rowson and Thomas Brunsell, sons-in-law.

HAS THE BREMEN COME?

Submarine Reported Spoken by Wireless Off Nantucket.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—It was reported tonight that a submarine was spoken by wireless off Nantucket. The conclusion was at once reached that the German merchant ship Bremen had reached American waters.

WANT HYDRO RADIAL KIRKTON-KINGARDINE

[Special to The Advertiser.]
KINGARDINE, Sept. 14.—The Huron Township Council has decided to make the request to the hydro-electric power commission of Ontario and Sir Adam Beck, to complete the estimates on the cost of constructing the hydro-electric radial from Kirkton to Kirkton, via Goderich, and that these estimates be submitted to the interested municipalities at the earliest possible date. Bylaw No. 531 was passed to authorize the borrowing of \$1,000 from the Royal Bank of Canada, to meet the current expenditure of the corporation of the township of Huron, for the year 1915.

MAJOR WM. CASEY KILLED IN ACTION

Four From District Make
Supreme Sacrifice for
the Empire.

KILLED IN ACTION
GODERICH.
Lieut. John Ure Garrow,
BAYFIELD.
Pte. Wm. MacFarlane,
ST. THOMAS.
Corp. Bertram Corbin,
FINGAL.
Major Wm. A. Casey (enlisted in Vancouver).

DIED OF WOUNDS.
GODERICH.
Pte. Arthur W. McMath.
SERIOUSLY ILL.
CHATHAM.
Pte. Hartley Mea.
COPESTOWN.
Pte. David Sanderson.

WOUNDED
STRATFORD.
Pte. Lorne Wilton.
BRANTFORD.
Major A. N. Ashton.
GALT.
Pte. Herbert E. Davidson.
Pte. Herbert Everson.
WALLACEBURG.
Pte. John A. Gordon.
PARIS.
Pte. Alfred Hanlon.
ST. THOMAS.
Pte. Richard A. Harrison.
ST. PAULS.
Pte. Louis G. T. Reaves, R. R. No. 4.
CHESLEY.
Pte. David D. Ross.
WOODSTOCK.
Pte. Victor Waring.
INGERSOLL.
Pte. Frank Westerman.
BEACHVILLE.
Lieut. Leslie Cook.
Pte. Richard Gourdie.
CLINTON.
Pte. Jack Hall.

KINCARDINE FALL FAIR OPENS THURSDAY NIGHT

[Special to The Advertiser.]
KINCARDINE, Sept. 14.—The Kincardine fall fair will be held on Thursday and Friday, September 21-22. The show will open Thursday night, when the pavilion with the displays will be in shape for the reception of the public.
The 16th Bruce Battalion Band will be present, together with a machine gun and operators. This will include Sergt. Kenneth Matheson's boys.
There will be two horse races, a free-for-all and a 2:30 trot or pace.

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WHEAT YIELD WILL BE ONLY 168,811,000 BUSHELS THIS YEAR

Rust and Hot Winds Affect
Crops in the West.

AVERAGE IS REDUCED

Yield Per Acre Is Estimated
Now at 16 3-4
Bushels.

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—In a bulletin issued today the census and statistics office of the department of agriculture publishes the first or preliminary estimate of the yield of the wheat crop.

Correspondents report that grain crops in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, which were highly promising at the end of July, have been so seriously affected by rust and hot winds during August that large areas even will either fail to produce any crop at all, or have been cut green whilst the yield of grain from producing areas will be very low, both in quantity and grade. Whilst the whole of Manitoba and Saskatchewan is badly affected by rust, as the conditions are distinctly worse in the southern than they are in the northern parts of these provinces.

In Alberta, rust, though present to a certain extent, has not proved destructive, and the grain crops continue promising. Frosts, however, of August 11, and again later in the month, did considerable damage. In Ontario and Quebec, grain yields have been greatly reduced by drought in August, but in the Maritime Provinces and in British Columbia the condition of the grain crops has continued to be quite favorable.

It is estimated from the reports of correspondents that of the areas sown about 15.7 per cent of spring wheat, 8 per cent of oats, 5 per cent of barley and 1.8 per cent of flax will fail to produce any crop of grain. The percentages represent reductions from the areas of 849,000 acres of oats, 69,100 acres of barley and 1,432,300 acres of spring wheat.
It is consequently estimated that the total yield of wheat this year will be 168,811,000 bushels from a harvested area of 10,985,300 acres, as compared with 376,203,600 bushels from 12,986,400 acres last year, and 161,280,000 bushels from 10,293,300 acres last year. The average yield per acre is 16 3/4 bushels as compared with 29 bushels last year.

CLINTON POULTRYMEN SUCCESSFUL AT FAIR

Thomas Watts and Fred Bell Win
Many Awards.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
CLINTON, Sept. 14.—Messrs. Thos. Watts and Fred Bell of town were among the exhibitors of fowl at the London Fair this week.

The former made twelve entries, carrying off ten prizes. In Light Brahmas he took four firsts, and in English Red Caps, two firsts, three seconds and one third.
Mr. Bell's chickens were Black Javas, and he took four firsts and two seconds, carrying off everything in the class.

Prior to his leaving town W. Collyer of the Jackson Manufacturing Company was presented with a handsome club bag by his former associates at the factory.

How Thin People Can Put On Flesh

Thin men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You have gained in weight one ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are probably sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.
Cut out the foolish foods and funny sawdust diets. Eat out everything but the meals you are eating and eat with every one of those a single Sargol tablet. In two weeks, note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy, "stay-there" fat may be the result. Sargol also to change weak, stagnant blood with millions of fresh new red blood corpuscles to give the blood the carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your food to every part of your body. Sargol, too, mixes with your food, to prepare it for the blood in an easily assimilated form. Thin people will how they have gained all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sargol, and say that the new Sargol stays Sargol tablets are a careful combination of six of the best assimilative elements known to chemistry. They come 40 tablets to a package, are pleasant, harmless and inexpensive, and all good druggists in this vicinity sell them subject to an absolute guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in every large package.
If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine street, Montreal, and a complete ten-day treatment will be sent you post-paid, in plain wrapper.—ADV.

London Fair on Wednesday, when attendance record was broken. There were 540 tickets sold at the Grand Trunk depot. There also was a large sale of tickets at the company's office up town. The Western Fair has steadily grown in popularity with Oxford county people, and as hundreds went Wednesday in automobiles it is safe to say that over a thousand were present from this immediate district.

GODERICH BOY DIES; LIEUT. GARROW KILLED

[Special to The Advertiser.]

GODERICH, Sept. 14.—Chas. Garrow received word this morning that his youngest brother, Lieut. John Ure Garrow, had been killed on Sept. 8. Lieut. Garrow was the youngest son of the late Justice Garrow, who died about two weeks ago. The young man was well known, having lived here until his father moved to Toronto a few years ago. He enlisted with the 74th Battalion.

Pte. McMath Dies.
Mrs. James McMath received word today that her only son, Pte. Arthur McMath, had died of wounds received Sept. 8. Pte. McMath enlisted with the 23rd. He was a fine specimen of a young manhood and was an employee of the Goderich Signal.

RASPBERRIES AGAIN.
HYDE PARK, Sept. 14.—Mr. Herbert's wild raspberry patch is yielding a second crop of berries. On Wednesday he gathered enough delicious berries to serve the family for tea. There are prospects of a crop worth considering.

CARE FOR
YOUR
HAIR
With Cuticura Soap and Ointment. They cleanse the scalp, remove dandruff and promote hair health. Sample of each free with 22-cent pure skin book. Address "Cuticura," Boston, U. S. A.

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you must do something more than use cosmetics. You must keep the blood pure, the liver and kidneys active and the bowels regular. You must also correct the digestive ills that cause muddy skin and dull eyes.

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ALBERTA GOVERNMENT
BUYING SHORTHORNSHon. Duncan Marshall Has Taken Good
Stock From Port Elgin.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
PORT ELGIN, Sept. 14.—Apparently Port Elgin district is a good place to get fine Shorthorns. For the past couple of years Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for Alberta, has been visiting this section and taking away some good stock.

This week he purchased fine young bulls from Reeve Christie and John McArthur.

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—Horse and dog hospital, 84 King
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GEON—Opinion market, Phone 688;
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Member Ontario Association of Archi-
tects, Room 58, Bank of Toronto
Chambers.

H. C. MURPHY, MEMBER ONTARIO
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Robins Gain on Rivals by
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Cubs and Braves Stage Great
Pitchers' Battle, Cubs
Winning Out.

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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14.—
Bescher's home-run drive with the
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the Phillies a 5-4 victory over the
Pirates 3 to 2. The Superbas only got
three hits in the first five innings, but
got three singles and a triple in the
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Native of Australia, But
Served With Canucks.

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SARNIA, Sept. 14.—Pte. C. Connor,
who has been invalided home from the
front, has arrived in this city. He
enlisted in Sarnia with the Army Service
Corps, and was later transferred to the
Mechanical Transport Division. Previ-
ous to his enlistment he was employed
on the steamer Hamonic for two sea-
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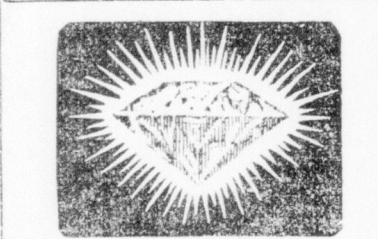
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FRESH FRUITS AND FRESH VEGETABLES ALWAYS ON HAND.
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Harry Ranahan
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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Victory at Last.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In a few days the legalized bar of Ontario will have become a thing of the past and our province, along with the others that have adopted prohibition, will have put John Barleycorn, we trust, out of business forever. It is not for the fact that the great war still overshadows everything else in importance, but that the good people of the province would tolerate in a very fitting and demonstrative way this victory for temperance and sobriety among our people. As it is, we will have more glad thanksgiving on the part of mothers, wives and children, whose dearest ones have acquired the appetite for strong drink, and who have been tempted to move, will have in the fight for clean living and worthy manhood a second chance.

In this hour of victory, I wonder if we appreciate the shoulder of the work of the temperance pioneers, who for long and weary years, in the face of bitter opposition (opposition from those who should have co-operated with them) and the indifference and coldness of church people, sowed the seed that has at last brought forth a goodly harvest. To the Sons of Temperance, the Royal Temperance others who belonged to no organization, but at a time when it cost something to rise above party and custom and were true to their convictions, we owe a debt of gratitude and need of praise.

It does not cost much to join a popular movement, such as the "Committee of One Hundred," inaugurated, and which we are glad to know has been carried to a successful finale, but in the early days of the temperance movement, when the temperance man to come out openly as a champion of temperance meant that he must often face bitter opposition and open hostility on the part of the community. Such times are happily passed, but in this hour let us not forget the work and sacrifices of those who bore the burden and heat of the day and because of whose untiring efforts we are today reaping the benefit.

We do not think that the eleven-hour effort of the liquor party in which they proposed to deluge the Government with telegrams protesting against the prohibition measure and calling on the Government to submit a plebiscite to the people will cause Mr. Hearst to ever lose heart from his determination to enact and enforce the prohibition bill. We have more faith in Mr. Hearst than many who only see him through party spectacles. We believe that he will have the courage and the courage of his convictions along this line at least. Let us support him in his efforts to enforce a measure, which in other words has already produced gratifying results, and which will be equally beneficial here.

MOILEY L. SWART.
Immediately in Attire.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:
It is encouraging to find at least one reverend gentleman who is not afraid to publicly condemn the vulgar and immodest dress of many young women on our streets. Education is right, but unless it is going to improve the morals, it would be better to return to the days of the corset. To see women of the age ranging from 20 to 50 parading the streets in garments which permit of the greater part of the leg being shown is, in my estimation, disgusting. Our grandmothers, who wore the corset, were not, it is true, too well educated, nor did they have a knowledge of many things considered essential for a young woman's moral training today, but they would be ashamed to expose even their ankles to the view of every street urchin.

If some of the ladies who are immodest enough to show their legs could have heard a few remarks passed by a couple of youths on Dundas street one day last week, they would, I'm sure, prefer a dress reaching from here to the North Pole. A certain lady of mature age was passing on, and had her legs exposed, and to make matters worse, a decent-sized hole was in her stocking, which occasioned the remarks of the said youths. It is not only in the length of dress worn, but the attire in general I object to. The

Sympathy ought always to be of the tonic sort. Our comrades need courage.—Selected.

The Candy Season Is Here
and we invite Candy Lovers to visit OUR CANDY OPENING. Our Candy Department is one of the most artistic in Western Ontario.

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arms and breast should certainly be covered, except on very rare occasions, and only then when the company consists of a number of both sexes of the highest moral character. No one should expose their daughter's flesh to the view of any profligate or scoundrel that might obtain a footing in a home. For my part, I absolutely refuse to permit any woman to enter my house who has not a dress long enough to cover the ankles. If our clergy would only do this in our churches, there would be no more "leg-showing."

RONALD R. A. EMERY.
565 Dufferin Avenue, London, Ont.

"There is a Time to Keep Silence and a Time to Speak."

To the Editor of The Advertiser:
In the course of conversation with a lady friend on Tuesday respecting the recent melancholy Quebec bridge disaster, my friend remarked that it might have been a wise course, through the public press, to have warned all who contemplated being spectators of the arduous and dangerous task of placing the central span in position, to refrain from all acclamation till the huge structure was positively in position. Through such a precaution all responsibility for a mishap in the most difficult task might have been possessed a cooler head, a steadier nerve and a quicker eye. These remarks recalled an interesting event recorded in the history of which I became cognizant in the summer of 1888 while paying a visit to Rome. Baedeker's Rome records this event. The huge obelisk, standing in the centre of the piazza in front of St. Peter's Church, and which weighs 500 tons, was brought from its original home in Heliopolis in the year 1681, and on September 10 placed on its present base, under the superintendence of Domenico Fontana. Fontana had omitted to allow for the tension of the ropes produced by the enormous weight and at the most critical moment, although the ropes were of the best quality, one of the 500 workmen, the sailor Bresco, shouted "Aqua alle funi," (water on the ropes), and the great monolith was in position, where it now stands. As a reward his relations were granted the privilege of providing the palm branches for St. Peter's on Palm Sunday. "There is a time to keep silence and a time to speak."—Ecclesiastes, 3:7.

G. ORNUM, D.D.
Sept. 14, 1916.

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HEAVY HORSES AT FAIR THIS SEASON FINEST IN YEARS

Much Canadian-Bred Stock as Well as Imported.

JUDGES ARE DELIGHTED
Carriage Horses Cannot Be Beaten at Any Fall Shows.

The heavy horses at the Western Fair are a great exhibit, one of the finest yet seen. There always is a good exhibit of heavy animals at the Western, but this year the quality is exceptionally high, and there are plenty of good horses.

In the Clydesdale classes, always a popular class in Western Ontario, where possibly more good quality and well-handled animals of the breed are to be found than anywhere in Canada, there is a right smart showing.

Graham Bros., Claremont, one of the largest importing firms on the continent, have come back with a great string. Thomas McMichael of Seaford, who always has a flock of good ones, is on hand, as are Brandon Bros. of Forest, W. W. Hogg of Thorndale, J. M. & H. C. Robson of Denfield, and W. F. Batty of Brooklin.

There are scores of fine stallions and high-class brood mares in the lot, and the heavy horses of the fair are doing the work will not lower the quality in the least. With such a foundation of blooded stock, Western Ontario will ever be a source of good horses, and the great monolith was in position, where it now stands. As a reward his relations were granted the privilege of providing the palm branches for St. Peter's on Palm Sunday. "There is a time to keep silence and a time to speak."—Ecclesiastes, 3:7.

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CITIZENS' DAY AT THE FAIR DREW CROWD OF 35,000

Big Exhibition Has Been One of the Best in History.

CHILDREN'S DAY TODAY
Attendance Up to Last Evening Is Estimated at 115,000.

DIRECTORS ARE SATISFIED
Good Balance on Right Side of the Ledger Now Assured.

At least 115,000 persons had passed through the turnstiles at Queen's Park this week up to Thursday night, establishing a record that marks an epoch in the history of the Western Fair.

Yesterday was Citizens' and Visitors' Day, and although a big day, the attendance fell about 5,000 short of that of Farmers' Day on Wednesday.

The attendance for the four days, as estimated comparatively by the fair directors, is as follows: Monday, 10,000; Tuesday, 30,000; Wednesday, 40,000; and Thursday, 35,000, making a grand total of 115,000.

Yesterday would have undoubtedly equalled the attendance of Wednesday but for the cloudy weather that prevailed in the early part of the day.

But shortly before noon the clouds displayed a "silver lining," and the weather the balance of the day was all that could be wished for.

The financial success of this year's fair is more than assured, and with today's crowds it can be quite easily predicted that when the board of directors meet on Saturday forenoon and study the receipts that "their faces shall be wreathed in smiles, their hearts with joy made lighter."

There will be a reason, because a goodly sum will be found on the right side of the ledger.

Although known as Citizens' and Visitors' Day, yesterday might be more properly named "Everybody's Day," because those who attended who were not citizens were visitors.

The proportion of attendance was about equal, and the fair directors, who were at the fair yesterday were those who had remained over-night in the city from Tuesday and Wednesday.

Children's Day.
Today is Children's Day, and thousands of London's and vicinity's "future men and women" are expected, and special attractions provided to appeal to the young.

The fair grounds will be presented in ways best suited to please the little ones.

An Extra Attraction.
A special platform attraction in front of the grandstand has also been secured for today in the youngest drummer in the British Empire, wee Bobbie McRobie of Petrolia, son of John McRobie of Petrolia, aged just 4 years.

By the way, the mascot of the 14th Battalion of Lambton. Dressed in a tiny khaki uniform, the little chap was brought by his mother to the secretary's office at the fair grounds, where he proceeded to demonstrate what he could do in the way of beating drums in an entirely scientific manner.

He beat a "march past," a "review," and all the other military stunts, with such finish and skill that his services were engaged on the spot. He will appear today, both afternoon and evening, assisted by two snipers.

"Surely," said "Ave got a dy in ma eye. Wull ye no tak' it out?" "Come inside," said nursing sister, and in less time than it takes to write it, little fared forth again, one eye as good as the other.

A few minutes later there came a message that Miss Robertson, a young woman assisting in the Grimm exhibit in the machinery hall, had fainted. The stretcher was taken and soon brought back with the patient, who was quickly restored by the skill of the nurse in charge.

A serious case of yesterday