

GERMAN COUNTER ATTACK AGAINST THE BRITISH FAILS

U. S. Great Record of Launchings on Independence Day

LIBEL SUIT AGAINST TWO BERLIN EDITORS TO BE HEARD IN SECRET

President of Court Asked if Settlement Was Not Possible—One of Them Replied That in the Interest of the Country the Cases Should Proceed

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdham, July 5.—Because publicity might endanger the security of the state, the police court, which is to hear testimony in the libel suit of Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the foreign secretary, against two Berlin editors, announced at the opening session of the trial Thursday that the case would be heard in secret.

countries. Above all, it is quite remote from our intention to dish up bedroom secrets, but in the interest of the country and the foreign office the case should proceed.

THE TOTAL OF U. S. SHIPS LAUNCHED ON 4th WAS SIXTY TWO

Thirty Nine were of Steel and Twenty Four of Wood --Deadweight Tons Reached Best Part of Half a Million

By Courier Leased Wire. PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—Reports received by the Emergency Fleet Corporation, up to early today, of the Fourth of July launching of American ships, showed that 64 vessels, aggregating 348,564 deadweight tons, had taken their initial plunge at ship yards throughout the country.

AT SCHWAB'S YARD. SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—Charles M. Schwab, director-general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, launched 12 vessels from his own yards in this district yesterday, and directed the launching of five more from other yards.

TWO THOUSAND CIVIC EMPLOYEES ON STRIKE IN CITY OF TORONTO

Outside Workers of City Demand Wage Increase of \$4. Per Week; Garbage Collection at a Standstill, and Other Utilities are Affected

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, July 5.—Toronto's long talked-of civic strike became an actual reality at 7 o'clock this morning when the 2,000 outside employees, including scavengers and street cleaners, went quietly to their various places of employment, but did not go to work.

station, which is still in operation, and also at the filtration plant. strikers stated that before long the city would be forced to rely on raw water, as all the filtration bed cleaners had quit.

SUMMARY OF RECENT EVENTS OF THE WAR

Harassing the German lines in the west shows no signs of letting up and the Allies continue to gain ground here and there and to bring in large batches of German prisoners.

the village. The woods are of high ground. The French gain at Amstoveck, also takes elevations from the Germans. Along the Ancre Australian troops progressed 500 yards on a front of 1,500 yards.

GERMANS ARE REPULSED IN COUNTER ATTACK AGAINST BRITISH

By Courier Leased Wire. LONDON, July 5.—(Bulletin).—The Germans last night delivered a counter-attack upon the new positions gained by the British on the east of the Village of Hamel. The war office announced today that the enemy had been repulsed in this attempt, and left prisoners in the British hands.

The text of the statement reads: "The total number of prisoners taken by us in yesterday's successful operations on the Somme exceeds 1,300. One German field gun, in addition to over 100 machine guns, and a number of trench mortars have so far been counted."



PICTURES TAKEN ON LLANDOVERRY CASTLE'S LAST TRIP. Groups of patients and nurses on board the "Llandovery Castle" taken on the last trip she made before being torpedoed. These snapshots were sent home by Capt. A. Leonard, a doctor on board the ship to his mother in Toronto.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, July 5.—The disturbances which were in northern Manitoba yesterday is now moving eastward across the Great Lakes, while the one near Nova Scotia remains stationary.

LARGE AMOUNT OF PAPER MONEY

Has Been Issued by the Bolshevik Government. By Courier Leased Wire. Moscow, Friday, June 28.—(By the Associated Press).—The amount of paper money issued by the Bolshevik Government now in circulation aggregates 40,000,000,000 rubles.

SUMMONS FOR A REVOLUTION

Socialist Deputies in the German Reichstag Asserts That This is the Duty of the People

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, July 5.—During the debate in the German Reichstag on the Roumanian peace treaty, Philipp Scheidemann, the Socialist leader, said that the Socialists objected to many stipulations of the treaty and reserved their attitude towards it.

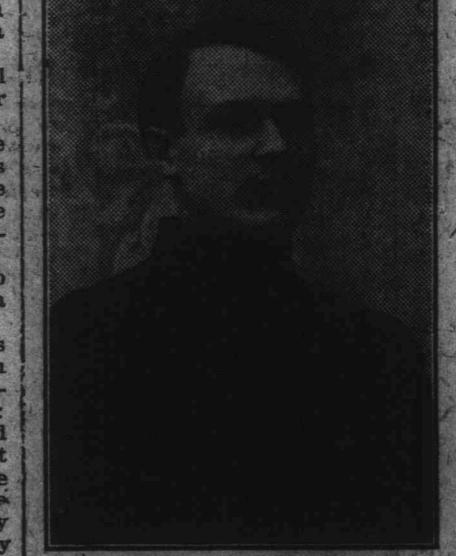
ROUMANIAN ROYAL FAMILY

Compelled to go into Retirement. Peaceful Occupation of Hun is Usual Brand

By Courier Leased Wire. London, July 5.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Germany's plans for "peaceful penetration" in Roumania have gone ahead very rapidly since the signing of the treaty.

THE END OF NATURAL GAS

Would Seem to be Rapidly Approaching. The Dominion Gas Company are notifying the people of Brantford and other places served by them that they cannot take on new customers and all they can guarantee is to do the best they can for old patrons.



PTE. FRED MCKINNON. Brantford Boy, For Three Years a Prisoner of War—Now Employed in Salt Mines in Germany.

AIDS TO AMBITION

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Various small notices and advertisements at the bottom of the page, including mentions of 'Zimmie' and 'CONVICT BOY OF MURDER'.

NORFOLK NEWS

SIMCOE BOYS AT WORK OR PLAY

Another Simcoe Boy is Returning From Overseas

Simcoe, July 5.—There were no fire works here yesterday, the town was quiet as a Sunday. Even the post office was closed except to box holders. On the west side of the town, Dominion Cannery, ably assisted by those inclined to work, struggled with a continuous arrival of strawberry crates and loads of peas, both a good crop this year. The plant is turning out an enormous run of cans. On the east of the town another huge aggregation inclined for play made merry about the country club. It was a field day in Simcoe and many were in from outside points.

The call for pickers took many to the cherry orchards or to berry vines and evening fell on a town early asleep.

Cy Watts Near Home

Yesterday morning Mrs. Lorne Winter received a wire from Ple. Cy. Watts, stating that he had reached Halifax, N.S. and was coming home to stay. He has done his bit. It is quite possible that he may reach Simcoe to-night.

Lost Wedding Ring Turns Up

Mrs. Lorne Morrow lost her wedding ring some three years ago. Since then her husband went overseas in the 133rd, and gave his life in the great struggle. The home on Brook street is now occupied by Mr. Harry Gable, and on Wednesday, while in the garden there, Mrs. Cable found the missing ring, a fine

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heavy one, excellently preserved. No time was lost in getting in touch with Mrs. Morrow, who, needless to say, was overjoyed to receive her long lost treasure.

Press Photographs

David White, of Lynnville, aged 57 years, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis on Tuesday night.

The Vincent Ripple is home on two weeks' leave of absence.

Little Billie Calder, has contracted pneumonia, after an attack of measles and was yesterday very critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gilbertson and two children of Lucknow, moved to Simcoe yesterday to spend a week with Mr. Gilbertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilbertson, Talbot St. South.

Old Ends of News

The standpipe has been painted inside and out, including the floor. It will have time to dry this time before the water is turned in. In the meantime an 8-inch overflow pipe will be run down the south side to prevent the drenching which residences close by used to get when the water came down in torrents.

There are no foreigners engaged at Dominion Cannery this year. Many Simcoe ladies are contributing their spare hours to helping with the strawberry and pea pack. The new quarters are quite inviting.

About \$400 of poll taxes has already been paid in to the treasurer. The tax collectors' notices for the first payment of taxes are being distributed. The levy is a heavy one for Simcoe.

CLVIC STRIKE IN TORONTO

Toronto, July 5.—Clvic employees to the number of two thousand have decided to go on strike for higher wages and better working conditions. The decision was reached last night at a meeting in the Labor Temple, which was attended by about eight hundred of the two thousand members of the union.

The departments involved are the parks, street cleaning, roadways, sewers, waterworks and practically all of the outside branches of the civic service. Men employed on the septic tanks are also members of the union, and will, it is said, obey the orders of its officials.

The members of the union will go to their work this morning at eight o'clock, and inform their superintendents of the action of the union. They will then leave their work.

Ninety Per Cent. Favor Strike
A ballot was taken upon the question of strike, after a lengthy discussion. Feeling ran high because of the reflection cast by members of the city council upon the union and officials of the trades union movement in Toronto. The ballot was ninety per cent. in favor of a strike.

The remainder, when the result was announced, agreed to make the vote unanimous. When only a board of conciliation can now heal the differences which have arisen between the men and the city officials. The men have returned to the schedules which they presented to the heads of the departments last year, and in their demands will include the request that all strikers upon the settlement of the strike, be returned to their work.

The schedules were presented to the heads of the departments the men agreed to accept a \$2.00 a week increase from the first of the

year. They will not now consider this. The minimum in the schedules was \$22 a week, which was for teamsters and drivers. The schedules were drawn up after consulting the figures of the Department of Labor, which states that \$20 a week is necessary to provide the necessities of life for a family of four. This estimate will be freely used when the matter comes to conciliation.

M.S.A. NOT AFFECTED

By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, July 5.—Mr. Justice Bruneau, in the Practice Court Division of the Superior Court, today rendered a decision on a test case which declares that the military service order-in-council is ultra vires insofar as it concerns the Habeas Corpus Act.

The test case consisted of the appeal of Max Feltman, an alleged Russian subject for a writ of Habeas Corpus on the ground that he is illegally detained by the military authorities.

WOOL MARKET

By Courier Leased Wire.
Boston, July 5.—The Commercial Bulletin says of the wool market:

"Definite grading rules have been issued by the office of the wool administrator of all domestic clips. The manufacturing situation is unchanged. Allotments of wool are being made at the present time only for civilian manufacture."

S. S. PICNIC

The annual picnic of St. Andrew's Church Sunday School took place yesterday at Port Dover. Three well-filled cars left on the L. E. & N. on schedule time at 10:15, reaching the Port at 11:30. Lunch was taken at midday, after which the children spent most of the afternoon on the lake shore, the older folk also enjoying their youth in the water.

At 5:30 races were held under the superintendence of Mr. Clark Johnson, Mr. A. Graham, and other members of the S. S. staff. Supper followed and then came the return journey after a thoroughly delightful day. Special thanks are returned to the local L. E. & N. agent for many courtesies.



FAMOUS WOMEN TENNIS STARS IN CANADA
Miss Eleanor Sears, of Boston, and Miss Florence Ballin of Brooklyn, shown in the above pictures, are among the famous U.S. women tennis players in Toronto for the Red Cross tournament. Miss Sears, the girl in the riding habit, is not only a tennis star, but was America's first woman flyer, won a 108 mile walking race, and is reported to be one of the best horse-women in America. Miss Ballin is the holder of several tennis championships in the U.S.

DOMINION DAY ON FIRING LINE

Special cable to the Canadian Press Limited.

London, July 5.—Within sound of the guns with streamers holding the air marches, a great meeting of Canadians celebrated Dominion Day and welcomed the Duke of Connaught, late Governor-General, and Sir Robert Borden, Premier of Canada. In a great natural amphitheatre our national holiday was celebrated with an enthusiasm never equalled at home, inspired by events and a program unique in the annals of the world.

"Like a scene from ancient Rome," said a famous Polish representative to the commanders of the Canadian forces as he surveyed the vast multitude of soldiers watching the picked men from every division compete in every known athletic sport. Swinging round the track came four hundred athletes, representing each division, picked men eager to uphold the honor of their own country.

A famous Canadian aviator thrilled the crowd with daring turns and dropped a message of good luck to his compatriots and sped away to his squadron across the German lines to hold the Hun while the National Day was fittingly celebrated.

Following the athletes came massed pipe bands, two hundred strong, playing "Bonnie Dundee," halting in front of the Duke of Connaught and Sir Robert Borden.

Later each divisional band entered the enclosure playing the divisional march. Massed in front the guests and all the thousands of Canadians present bared their heads as the bands played "O Canada."

Representatives from every Allied army were there and all gave credit to the Maple Leaf men of giving the greatest and most unique holiday ever seen in Europe. It was a wonderful Canadian reunion. Men of Ypres, Passchendaele, Somme, Vimy and Pesschendeale met for the first time since they went against the Huns on those glorious days.

The nursing sisters came from base and casualty hospitals and they were cheered by men who had been brought back to health and strength by their watchful care and devotion.

From the British army came many great leaders to do honor to the Canadian force and witness the Canadian celebration. The navy was represented by prominent officers who had commanded Canadians in the naval service.

"O Canada" was the theme of the day. Perfect weather permitted Canadians from all parts of France to gather. Early in the morning men from all parts moved towards the great gathering place.

The Prime Minister and his colleagues arrived from Vimy and received a great reception. The Duke of Connaught was received by one of the finest guards ever paraded in France. The guard was drawn from a famous brigade commanded by an officer from the first force, who has had a great record in the field.

The guard was cheered by the whole army, proud of their fine showing. Baseball, lacrosse, football, tennis were all carried on at the same time, while the famous circus of the western brigade furnished a humorous part. The baseball game went 3 to 2. The game was witnessed by the Duke of Connaught, Sir Robert Borden and the ministers.

Foulds, of Victoria, and McAvity of St. John, played a draw in the tennis singles, while Poulkes and Maynard won the doubles final from McAvity and Brossy.

The hundred yards race was run in 10 seconds, and the mile done in four minutes, 41 seconds. During the sports, aeroplanes photographed the scene. The pictures were developed, and the airmen returned, dropping them into the grand stand.

The grounds were splendidly arranged, and it is claimed were better than at the first stampede in Calgary.

The grand stand was 200 yards long, with special stands for distinguished visitors.

The Canadian Y.M.C.A. furnished banding and other decorations and paid other expenses.

Sir Robert Borden says it was the greatest day of his life. Hon. J. A. Calder remarked that he had seen many thousand Canadian gentlemen gathered at one point in France.

Hon. Arthur Meighen could not comment on the program as he said he was too busy meeting old friends to witness the sports. No unfavorable incident marred the day. Despite the immense crowd there was no wrong act or sign of ill feeling.

Hon. W. Rowell was much impressed by the wonderful order and conduct of the great assembly.

The sports concert party gave an entertainment, there being present over ten thousand. Sir Robert Borden received a wonderful reception. He addressed the men:

"How about leave," Sir Borden, yelled someone.

"Every Canadian has long leave to do his best to beat the Hun," retorted he, and ten thousand men sprang to their feet, cheered and waved their hats at this sentiment. There never was seen such a cheering or protesting as Europe. It was Canada's day and Canadians re- proud of its great success.

Before going to the sports, Sir Robert and his colleagues, with corps and divisions, commended the visit of Vimy Ridge. The fight was a blaze with blood red poppies hiding the devastation. They visited the graves of Canadians who died on that glorious day who they swept the Hun from Vimy. With the party were men who led Canadians over the ridge, and they explained the operation that brought fame to Canada and its great success.

CANADIAN OFFICERS HOME

They Arrived in Halifax This Morning

Capt. J. E. Lattimer, who went overseas early in 1915 as a lieutenant with a draft from the 25th Dragoons, has returned to Canada, and is visiting his former home in Brantford. Previous to enlisting he had been residing at Port Arthur, but returned to enlist. In the battle of Qilbeke, the captain was wounded in the head by a rifle bullet, and then taken prisoner. After 18 months in German prison camps, he was exchanged and sent to Switzerland to recuperate. There he spent three months, and finally returned to Canada. The captain, who is visiting Mr. D. M. Lawrence, at 166 Marlboro St., has many interesting anecdotes relating both to his experiences on active service and while in the hands of the enemy.

JESUIT CHANGES

Guelph, Ont., July 5.—Rev. Father Bourque, who has been rector at St. Stanislaus Novitiate since its formation, has been appointed master of novices at the Novitiate, his place as rector being taken by Rev. Joseph Leahy. The latter was born near Peterboro, and entered the order in 1901. He taught some years at Loyola college, Montreal, completing his theological studies at Easter, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Disatisfied.
A new workman on a farm went in to his breakfast one morning and was supplied with very hard bread. In the middle of the day the farmer came out to see his work.

"Well," said the workman, "that wife who has no good."

"Why?" said the farmer.

"She is not able to bake bread at all."

"She baked it before you were born," said the farmer.

"It must be some of that I got for breakfast," said the workman.

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ON THE AGGRESSIVE
By Courier Leased Wire.

Amsterdam, July 5.—Armenian forces on the aggressive in Trans-Caucasia have established themselves well within this former Russian territory, according to reports from Kiev. The latest advices from this source, quoted by the Berlin Lokai Anzeiger, state that an Armenian force of 25,000 strong has occupied the city of Erivan, 115 miles south of Tiflis and nearly 50 miles inside the Trans-Caucasian border.

REASONS FOR COAL CRISIS: WHAT IS NEEDED TO RELIEVE SITUATION

Inadequate Transportation, Labor Shortage and Lack of Directing Authority to Remedy Troubles Are Chief Reasons—Situation Not Hopeless if Taken Up in Time

(New York Times)

As things to be done to change these conditions?

"The fact that the big plants in the city cannot get the coal in the sizes that they would naturally require tends in no small measure to deplete the domestic supply of coal. Anthracite coal is sent out in eight sizes, from the buckwheat size up. The smaller sizes, buckwheat and pea, are the kinds which plants ordinarily use. The egg size is almost entirely used for domestic purposes. At present owners of plants and buildings can't pick and choose, and are glad to take whatever they can get. A shipment of egg coal that would at normal times be diverted into channels for home consumption is grabbed up to-day by the man who needs it to keep his plant running. This means a drain on a source which already has been greatly reduced. Coal and oil, formerly considered almost worthless and used for such purposes as building up embankments or filling in ground, are now grabbed up on the market. Gains in the residue of bit coal left over after the smallest sizes have been washed out. Silt is even finer than cull, and is really nothing more than coal dust. Both are being bought by plants which formerly would have scorned them. They are mixed with bituminous coal and used for heating and power-creating purposes.

"The situation is by no means hopeless if taken in time. The coal is there. It can be made worth while for men to go and work in the mining region, and there are a sufficient number of men in the country who have the requisite ability to take the reins in hand and get some order out of this chaos."

The railroad situation is naturally making itself felt at the mines. Every coal mine has an average output for a day and makes adequate requisition for cars to meet this output. When the railroads were running freight at a normal rate the requisition was usually met. Even if the shipping stations were at times overwhelmed and found they could not take care of so many cars as were filled, the mines did not suffer to any great extent, and the work went on as usual. The mining heads were assured of a sufficient number of trains to keep the mines going at good speed, if not at top speed. But to-day the requisitions of the mines are disregarded, and in the large majority of cases the small allotment of cars allowed to the mines are greatly reduced.

It is easy to see what bearing this has on the labor situation. Not having the facilities to ship the goods and clear the coal yards, the mines must necessarily cut down their output. The men work on a wage scale of so much a ton mined or washed, and their families would have had to starve for lack of money to buy food if it had not been for the company stores maintained by the mines. It was allowed to the men staying there, and to-day not only are these men facing a heavy bill for food bought during their enforced idleness, but also a continued lack of work and resources which makes payment of their debt well-nigh impossible. As a result of these conditions, large numbers of the men have left the mines for employment in more lucrative industries. The mining factories and the shipyards are glad to get workers, and the pay, though not up to the average reached during the high tide of the mining season, which in normal times should begin at this time of the year, is still considerably greater than what the men can now make at the mines. Even should the railroad situation improve, there would be great difficulty in getting a sufficient number of men to keep the mines going at full speed.

One of the recognized coal authorities in New York said the other day that only after a committee had been formed with the authority to demand of the railroads the proper transportation facilities for coal would there be a solution to the problem. The charging of the railroads' point of view as to the comparative importance of coal, he declared, and the shutting down of industries not essential to the carrying out of the war, would be the only road toward coal security for the winter months.

"If, instead of saying that the industries most essential to the war would get the preference in shipment of coal," he continued, "the Fuel Administration would come out strongly and say that no industry not essential to the war would get any coal it would greatly relieve matters.

"The situation is serious. There is no denying that. We are getting about 20 per cent. of the amount of coal we should be getting. But I don't believe I am unduly optimistic in prophesying that New York will not suffer as greatly as it did last year. We use anthracite coal almost exclusively in this city. Down south they use bituminous coal. At the time of the coal shortage last year there was a greater dearth of bituminous coal than there was of anthracite. To meet this situation coal dealers working in the interests of the southern districts diverted New York shipments to points below us. Thus, the lack of cars, and the cold weather, all working together, served to create the suffering we had last winter. This year, however, a committee on it that all the anthracite reaches its proper destination. The point is: How much anthracite and in what sizes can we get under present conditions, and what

A GENERAL COURT MARTIAL

Opens in Toronto With Very Wide Powers

Major Ashton of This City on the Tribunal

Toronto, July 5.—With very wide powers, a general court martial, which is the highest form of military tribunal, opened in Toronto at Armories yesterday trying seven soldiers who refused to subject themselves to military discipline, which is one of the most serious offences in the army. Six of the men were tried for "conscientious objectors." In the past similar offenders were subject to a district court martial, which could inflict a maximum sentence of two years. Yesterday's court, however, has power to sentence a soldier to death, or life imprisonment, and its wide powers were pointed out to the prisoners, when they were given an opportunity to make any statement with a view to mitigation of punishment. The accused soldiers, who were brought from Niagara Camp on Wednesday evening, were Privates Sam N. Sullivan, Eric Kitcher, and George Edwin Gray, who were exempted from the 1st Depot Battalion, 1st C.O.R.; T. G. Wilkie, E. T. Bradley, 1st Depot Battalion, 2nd C.O.R.; and C. C. Thompson, 2nd Depot Battalion, 2nd C.O.R.

Major Nellies Ashton of Brantford, a member of the court.

With the exception of Pte. George Edwin Gray, who was recently sentenced to two years at Burwash by a district court martial, was the first soldier to be tried. He pleaded guilty to the charge of refusing to wear the uniform. Thompson said that he had offered to join when taken to the Don Jail but had refused when he was taken to Burwash. A letter was submitted from Thompson while in jail to the effect that he would wear the uniform if given a chance.

"I am a farmer, but of conscientious leanings, who could not participate in the war," was the way Pte. Samuel N. Sullivan described himself. He pleaded guilty to refusing to wear the uniform, and stated he was a member of the International Bible Students' Association, and to abide by their rulings could not go into military service. To the question whether he would take a job sweeping mines in the North Sea or save life he answered no. However, he was willing to perform non-combatant services in civilian clothes.

Pleads Religious Scruples.

"Eight years ago I received Christ as my Saviour," said Pte. Eric Kitcher, who pleaded guilty to refusing to obey orders. Continue, he said: "Eight years ago I saved my life when I was on the road to perdition. I am a Christian, and it is to obey God that I take this stand."

Robert McOlnick said he knew Kitcher to be a Christian of eight years' standing.

A Christadelphian, Pte. Henry Smallwood, pleaded guilty to refusing to go on parade and absented himself from the camp. It was, he said, against his opinion to join the army, as he has sworn to obey

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Potatoes, bag	2 00
Turnips, bushel	0 40
Lettuce, bunch	2 for 15
Tomato, doz.	0 35
Asparagus, bunch	3 for 25
Green Peas, quart.	13
New beets, bunch, 10c.	3 for 25c
Meats	
Halibut, steak, lb.	30
Filleted herring, pr.	0 10
Salmon trout, lb.	0 20
Salmon, sea	0 30
Mixed fish	0 10
Herring, fresh	0 10
Meats	
Dry salt pork, lb.	0 30
Fresh Pork carcass	0 31
Bacon, back trim.	35
Bacon, back	0 45
Beef, bottling, lb.	0 20
Beef, roast, lb.	25
Beef, steak	30
Chicken, dressed	1 25
Chicken, per lb.	0 00
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JESUS CHRIST.

His father was present and stated that, as a soldier, he could not be a soldier.

Although Pte. Ferguson T. Bradley belonged to no religious sect or organization, and did not attend any church, he refused to do military duty because he belonged to the Kingdom of God. He pleaded guilty to having refused to obey an order.

Counter to His Convictions.

Major Nellies Ashton was the next prisoner, Pte. Thomas G. Wilkie of Hamilton, after some deliberation, was allowed to give evidence. He gave the accused an excellent character and stated that he had given good satisfaction in the canteen. Capt. Hind, the prosecutor, also touched on evidence which appeared to be in the interests of the accused but, although the Judge Advocate intimated that it was improper, Wilkie, who said he was a "Christian and Child of God," has a brother overseas. He made clear to the well-learned counsel that he was on duty at Hamilton, that his convictions would not allow him to serve. He served two sentences of detention for refusal to parade. He had been put into the khaki uniform by force.

Pte. Wilkie stated that he was the only member of his family who believed as he did. His company commanding officer stated that he believed in the same. He was not, Wilkie said, a question of being afraid to die, as he had offered to go to the front line trenches to preach or help the men. Two Hamilton men gave evidence as to his good character.

MORE POWER FOR PRESIDENT.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Washington, July 5.—Consideration immediately by the House of the resolution authorizing the President to take over the telegraph, telephone, cable and radio systems was urged to-day by Chairman Sims of the Interstate Commerce Committee. The resolution, which has received the endorsements of President Wilson, Secretaries Baker and Daniels and Postmaster-General Burleson, was reported favorably yesterday at a brief holiday session.

IN SIX DAYS.

By Courier Leased Wire.

St. Johns, Nfld., July 5.—A \$2,000,000 victory loan, with Newfoundland was asked to raise in six weeks, was obtained by popular subscription in six days and it was announced to-day that the amount would be doubled.

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FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1918.
THE SITUATION.
 The Australians did a very fine piece of work on Independence Day, when by a splendid surprise attack they regained the village of Hamel and swept through the German lines on a four-mile front to a maximum depth of one and a half miles. Tanks led the way and British artillery helped. The outcome materially improves the British line in the section named. A Hun counter-attack has been successfully repulsed.
 The French continue their assaults in the Oise region and are making a daily haul of prisoners and small gains of territory. The Italians have made some more gains on the Piave and in the mountain regions the Allied troops are also becoming increasingly active.

THE ALBERTA DECISION.
 The Supreme Court of Alberta, with one member dissenting, has declared invalid the Order in Council passed at Ottawa by which exemptions were cancelled to young men of twenty to twenty-two years.
 The ground taken was that men holding exemption certificates granted by lawfully constituted tribunals could not have the same annulled except by statute—that an order in Council would not suffice.
 The Supreme Court of Canada will immediately hear an appeal and if the finding of the Alberta judges is upheld there can be only the one course of action—an enactment by Parliament. The further carrying of the matter to the Privy Council would entail altogether too much delay. No legal quibbling can be allowed to stand in the way of the necessary intent and purpose of this Dominion to send all the man power possible to help in the great struggle.

JULY FOURTH HAS NEW SIGNIFICANCE.
 It is a far cry from George Third giving the order to fight into the rebellious "United Colonies of New England" and King George IVth pitching a baseball for them, as a great nation in notable alliance with the Motherland in a great and common cause. It was in 1773 that the agitation first arose, against taxation without representation, with some cargoes of tea carrying an Imperial impost of six cents a pound as the culminating cause and the ultimate sending from Great Britain of 10,000 troops to enforce the control of parliament over the colonies.
 How a Congress assembled at Philadelphia and appointed George Washington commander in chief of an army of 20,000 men, the battle of Bunker Hill and other incidents are matters of well known history.
 It was on June 7th, 1776, that Richard Henry Lee of Virginia offered his famous resolution in Congress: "That the United Colonies are, and ought to be free and independent states; that they are absolved from all allegiance to the British Crown and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain is and ought to be totally dissolved."
 The resolution was adopted by nine out of the thirteen colonies and brought about the celebrated "Declaration of Independence" which on July 4th, 1776, received the assent of the delegates of the colonies. Since that period to the present time there has been more or less feeling across the border against John Bull. The school histories have helped in the fostering of it, entering to the Irish vote has led to more or less twisting of the Hon. Mr. Tully and the continued maintenance of a Royal House has led on. High-born in general to fall in a realization of the fact that Great Britain is to-day a free more or less Republic in many essentials than they are themselves. The war has cleared away a lot of misapprehension and shining clear above the smoke of battle is the pinnacle which crowns a common effort on behalf of world democracy and liberty.
 The impartial observer of to-day is apt to regard the secedence of the States as a good thing. It helped to lay the foundation for the liberty and self-government of other overseas Dominions and has brought about the liberation of countless millions of slaves, who since have at



SIR ROBERT BORDEN IN LONDON.
 This picture just received in Canada shows the Canadian Premier talking to a Canadian soldier in the streets of the British capital.

last become welded with those of the Mother Land on behalf of a united cause.
 July Fourth has always had great significance among those who owe allegiance to the Stars and Stripes. It yesterday gained a still greater and much broader significance when it witnessed a celebration of the new found co-operation between two great peoples of one common language.
NOTES AND COMMENTS.
 It will take our neighbors some time to untwist the knots in the B. Lion's tail, but they have made a brave start.
 In the case of the United States, on Independence Day, it was a matter of
 "Splash, splash, the ships are launching."
 It didn't really take those registration returns to let the women know they outnumbered the men.

Your Problems Solved.
 BY REV. T. S. LINSOTT, D. D. (All rights reserved.)
 Dr. Linscott in this column will help you solve your heart problems, religious, marital, social, financial and every other anxious care that perplexes you. If a personal answer is required, enclose a five cent stamp. No names will be published; if you prefer, sign your initials only, or use a pseudonym.
RICHARD—You ask "What is the best rule for prosperity." That laid down by the Great Teacher: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." In other words, build up your intellectual and spiritual nature by knowledge, exercise, meditation, prayer and aspiration. The prosperity comes as a natural result.
A FOREMAN—You should be the balance wheel between your company and the workmen. You should be sympathetic with both sides and aim to bring about a just settlement. When with the men it may be wise to emphasize the points in favor of the company, and when with the officials of the company to point out the merits of the demands of the men. As a rule there are merits on both sides of most labor disputes. Act as a conciliator and prevent the strike if you possibly can. If the men are unreasonable and insist upon that which is not just, tell them so; on the other hand, if the company want to oppress the men and keep from them their just dues, be equally frank with the company. Play the man; do right without fear or favor. Better lose your job than your self-respect.

TAFT TAKES HOLIDAY.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Washington, July 5.—Announcement was made here to-day by the National War Labor Board that former President Taft, one of the joint chairmen, has gone to Murray Bay, Canada, for the summer, and has nominated Frederick N. Judson, of St. Louis, Mo., as his alternate on the board during his absence.
FURTHER RESTRICTION.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Washington, July 5.—Further restriction on the importation of manganese ore, were announced to-day by the War Trade Board. Importation of the ore from Asia and Australia has been prohibited as to ocean shipments made on and after next July 20. The board also announced that flax seed and linseed have been placed on the list of restricted imports.
DECLARATION OF WAR.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Stockholm, July 5.—At editorial headquarters in the Swedish capital, it is expected at any hour.

TO ENCOURAGE CATTLE RAISING.
Paris Bankers Offer Prizes For Best Animals Raised by the Children.
OTHER NEWS OF PARIS.
 Paris, July 5.—(From Our Own Correspondent.)—The local bankers are again to the front with a competition for boys and girls. Prizes are offered ranging from \$5 to \$1. In this competition the Bankers' Association, acting in co-operation with the Dominion Department of Agriculture Live Stock Branch, offers cash prizes to boys and girls who exhibit pigs or calves at their local show or school fair, and who comply with the rules governing the competition. Application forms and information may be had from any of the banks in town.
 The Paris Horticultural Society will hold its annual show at the Bois de Boulogne on Saturday afternoon and evening, July 6th. Mr. H. J. Morrow, of Niagara Falls Park will speak on the subject, "Roses."
 The customs receipts for the month of June show a falling off of \$8,151.19 as compared with the same rate last year. The figures are: June, 1919, \$7,634.87; June, 1917, \$15,786.16.
 The funeral of the late Mary Ann Drake, beloved wife of Charles C. Grigg, took place this afternoon from the family residence, Spruce street, Paris Station, to the Paris Cemetery. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives from all districts. Rev. Mr. Wolf, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated. Deceased was in her 30th year and had been ailing all winter and death came as a happy relief to her suffering. Besides her aged partner in life, she leaves to mourn her loss a grown-up family, to whom the sympathy of the community will be extended.
 This afternoon the scholars of the Presbyterian Sunday School, with their teachers and parents held their annual picnic to Mohawk Park, Brantford. They left here at 2 o'clock by special car, and a most enjoyable time was spent in racing, boating and games.
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCausland and little daughter, Dorothy, have returned home after spending pleasant holiday at Orangeville. They were accompanied by Rev. Mr. Leamington who is visiting friends in town.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kay of Hamilton are the guests of Mr. John Kay.
 Miss Palmer of Galt is visiting friends in town.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Lamb of Toronto have returned after visiting relatives here.
 Miss Emma Wright has returned after spending a few days in Buffalo.
 Mrs. A. S. Lovett and Miss Richmond of Ayr have been visiting Mrs. A. C. Bingham of London. Mrs. Lovett spent Saturday at St. Thomas with her father, Rev. Thos. Bingham, who celebrated his 70th birthday.
 The Misses McKenzie of Winthrop are the guests of the Misses Kay, Walnut street.
 At a special meeting of the Council all the following have been appointed to the five brigades: Chief M. Skelly, Messrs. Geo. Gourlay, W. R. Brookbank, W. Kinney, C. Bell, R. Emerson, F. Cavan, W. Marshall, A. Kuhlmann, M. Hawley, R. Storey.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Inkster and Miss Beatrice are in Toronto attending the wedding of their son, Serg. George Inkster, of the "Originals," to Miss Mary Graydon.

SOLDIERS HANGED.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Camp Dodge, Iowa, July 5.—Four negro soldiers, convicted by court-martial of assaulting and outraging a 17-year-old white girl on the cantonment grounds the night of May 24, were hanged here to-day, virtually the entire division witnessing the executions.
DROPPED DEAD.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Stratford, July 5.—George McLagan, of the George McLagan Furniture Company, and father of Stratford's beautiful park system, dropped dead at the office of the company this morning. He was one of Stratford's most prominent citizens, being actively connected with the Board of Trade and patriotic work in the city. He had been in his customary health and went to the office as usual. Without warning he suddenly expired.
INCREASED LOSSES.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Washington, July 5.—Increase in the monthly losses of Norwegian shipping, due to German submarine activities during June, is reported by cable to the Norwegian Legation here to-day from the Christiania foreign office. 20 Norwegian vessels of various types, including steamships, totaling 26,323 tons, were sunk during the month, and 31 men were lost. Four men, who were reported missing during May, were given as lost also. June sinkings Norway's total losses to 842 vessels, including 53 which have never been traced. Lives of 1,747 men were lost in the sinking vessels. Total number of the lost Norwegian shipping now amounts to \$1,154,143.

FOE PLANES BROUGHT DOWN.
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Matre, Prout, July 5.—(By the Associated Press.)—American aviators on this front, are reported this morning to have shot down three German airplanes afloat.

RAILWAY STRIKE SEEMS TO BE CLOSE.
 Montreal, July 5.—The prospect of a strike, not only among the mechanical and car department employees of the Canadian railways, but among all classes of railroad employees, is looming closer every hour according to well confirmed stories which are now going the rounds of the labor circles.
 Negotiations were begun between the representatives of the Federated Railway Trades Brotherhoods and the Canadian Railway Board this afternoon at the Place Viger Hotel.
 The men's representatives were in secret session this morning before entering negotiations with the board. Spoken to about the possibility of a strike on the Canadian roads, Secretary Neill of the War Board declined to make a statement.
 Labor officials freely hinted at the possibility of trouble on the railways. A new demand on the railways, involving wage increases totalling \$30,000,000 is coming, it is said. It is possible that the railways will make a joint offer to grant certain increases along the line of those granted by Mr. McAdoo in the United States. It is said in railway official circles that if the men are willing to accept this, trouble will be avoided.
 The feeling is that the men will stick to their demands, which the railways will not grant in their entirety.
 The railway officials claim that they simply cannot give larger increases in wages without increased revenue from freight and passengers.
 The latest Hun to fall into the U. S. hands has crossed the border is Otto Fricke, who admits having served as an officer in the German navy.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Margaret Garretts Husband
 By JANE PHELPS

CHAPTER XXVIII.
 Relaxed Tension
 When Bob had left the I sank back in my chair, weak and trembling. I had been so fearful in spite of what Elsie had said, that he would rescue me, that now I knew he had given me the respite for which I asked, I felt almost ill.
 How long I sat there I do not know. But it seemed hours afterwards that I dragged myself upstairs to bed. In the morning I rose early, and schooled myself for the part I was henceforth to play. I longed yet to see Bob. But I need not have feared. He had given his word and by neither word or look did he refer to the conversation of the night before. We had promised to play bridge at the Baldwin's that night, and before he left he spoke of it, and said he would be home. Otherwise we were very quiet; he reading his paper, and I pretending to eat.
 After Bob left I called Elsie up and told her that Bob had agreed to her plan.
 "I'll see just what he said," she asked.
 "At first he objected, as he said it would only prolong the unpleasantness for us both, and when I insisted he simply said, 'very well' in a resigned sort of a way, and went immediately to bed."
 "And this morning—how did he act?"
 "Just as usual, perhaps a little more quiet, that's all."
 "Good! it sounds promising. Did you cry?"
 "No, and I never shall cry again when he is around. I promised you, you know."
 "If you'll keep your promises to me, all of them, you'll be all right by the end of the year. Bob will wonder how he ever thought he could live without you."
 "I hope so," but try as I would I could not feel very much encouraged.
 "Your voice doesn't sound hopeful," Elsie returned. "I should think you'd be dashing with joy. The main thing was to gain time; and that you have done."
 "I knew Elsie was right, and that my depression was more the reaction than anything else. I had suffered so since; Bob told me he wanted to leave me; that he had married me only from gratitude; that I hardly appreciated my good fortune in gaining his promise with so little trouble."
 "Yes, Elsie, I know, and I am very happy over it, but I also am worn out with the strain, and uncertainty."
 "You poor thing; don't I realize that? I am coming over to lunch to-morrow. You might mention it to Bob to-night and suggest asking Tom to dinner. Then we'll have a nice evening together, playing cards or something. It may help you a little not to be alone for a day or two."
 "That's just the thing, Elsie!" I exclaimed. "What is unless Bob has an engagement?"
 "If he has don't mention his breaking it, but send him away with a smile. And don't sit up for him if he's late. Begin right. Anyway I'll be over to lunch."
 How wonderful it was to have such a friend. Elsie had disapproved of me, my methods all along; yet when I needed someone to comfort and help me she was still the same dear friend she had been in our childhood days.
 I kept busy all the morning; and then after luncheon, while Nellie had the boys out in the park I took a

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Mass meetings in protest against the death sentence on J. J. Mooney, "Frisco dynamiter," will be held by other organizations throughout the States on July 29.
 Karl Geiger, of the crew of the U.S. steamer Agamemnon, has been arrested after an explosion death when he piloted through a sea mine field in New York in 1917. He was a German wireless operator.

HOW TO TEST ICE CREAM

A great many inquiries have recently come to the Dairy Department of the O. A. College regarding the new regulation from the Canada Food Board with reference to the manufacture of ice-cream, and also, as to methods of testing ice-cream for fat.

Order No. 34, section 3, issued by the Canada Food Board reads: "On and after May 1st, 1918, no person in Canada shall use in the manufacture of ice-cream more than 10 per centum of fats, whether of animal or of vegetable origin; or more than six pounds of cane sugar, to 6 gallons of ice-cream."

As a result of recent investigations made in the Dairy Department of the O. A. College, by Messrs. McMillan, Parfitt, and Miss Miller of the dairy staff, we can recommend the following formulae or recipe, for a batch or mix which will produce about eight gallons of plain cream of good quality and which will come within the regulations as laid down by the Food Board:

4 1/2 lbs. (4 1-2 gallons) cream testing 16 per cent fat.

1 1/2 lbs. skimmilk powder.

6 lbs. cane sugar, 1 1/2 lbs. sugar may be replaced with 2 lbs. corn syrup.

4 ounces vanilla extract.

8 ounces gelatin dissolved in 6 lbs. (1/2 gallon) skimmilk.

The cost of the ingredients in this formula will range from 53 to 67 cents buying in small quantities. If bought wholesale, the cost would be less.

If whole milk and cream are used, mixing equal quantities of each will produce an ice-cream testing not over ten per cent. fat, assuming that the milk and cream are of average fat content—3.5 and 18 to 20 per cent fat respectively.

Three Methods of Testing Ice Cream For Fat.

It is necessary for the ice cream maker to test his ice cream occasionally to guard against any errors in standardizing methods. Ice cream cannot be tested for fat in the same way as the ordinary cream, on account of the large percentage of sugar which it contains. The following methods will give satisfactory results if carefully carried out.

The Glacial Acetic and Hydrochloric Acid Test.

A representative sample of the ice cream is taken and melted and thoroughly mixed; a 9 gram sample is weighed into an 18 gram Babcock cream test bottle. A mixture is prepared using equal parts of glacial acetic acid and concentrated hydrochloric acid. Twenty cubic centimeters of this acid mixture is added to the 9 gram sample of ice cream in the test bottle, and is then all well shaken. The bottle is placed in a water bath of 150 deg. F. for 150 deg. F. and shaken at intervals until a brown color appears. It is then placed in the Babcock centrifuge and the test completed in the same way as the testing of cream and the reading multiplied by two.

The Sulphuric Acid Test.

To make the test with sulphuric acid, a 9 gram sample is weighed into an 18 gram test bottle. About 9 cubic centimeters of luke-warm water is then added to dilute the sample, in order to have about 18 cubic centimeters of mixture in the bottle. The sulphuric acid is then added slowly, a little at a time, at minute intervals, shaking well after each addition until a chocolate brown color appears in the bottle. No definite amount of acid can be stated as the quantity will vary with different ice creams. As soon as the chocolate brown color appears in the ice cream a little cold water may be added to check the action of the acid. The bottle is then placed in the centrifuge and the test completed in the usual way. The reading is multiplied by two.

Acetic and Sulphuric Acids.

Weigh a 9 gram sample of ice cream that has been thoroughly mixed. About 3 p.c. of water is then added to dilute the sample. Add acid. Centrifuge and then add water the same as in other tests. If using an 18 gram bottle, multiply the reading by two, to obtain the per cent. fat in the ice cream. A nine gram bottle which is graduated to give the percentage of fat directly needs no correction when reading.

FIELDS WERE RUINED.

Losses Caused by Recent German Offensive in France.

Serious loss resulted from the great battle in France in the ruin of great areas of land behind the old British lines, which were under cultivation by the army. The British and French food production departments were carrying out on a large scale a scheme for growing vegetables behind the lines for the use of the soldiers.

The last official figure of the land cultivated in this way in the zone of the British army was 50,000 acres, although in recent months the figure has been much increased. A great deal of new work had been done in the neighborhood of Peronne, and at Ham Epely and near Chauny. All this land had been ploughed with tractor ploughs and a great deal of it planted with potatoes.

Another work which has been lost is that begun by the Quakers to succor the victims of the war in the territories won back from the Germans a year ago. The Quakers had a large farm near Ham which was their general headquarters, from which they were sending out automobile tractors to plough land, were helping the returned peasants to restore their market gardens, and were providing them with goats to replace the cattle taken by the enemy. The work will probably have to be abandoned until the war ends.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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Smartly Trimmed \$2.98 Hats at

Twenty-five Beautifully Trimmed Hats that will suit all occasions, in white and colors, trimmed with ribbons, flowers and wings; easily worth from \$5.00 to \$7.00. Saturday for **\$2.98**

Children's Dainty Trimmed Hats, from 25c to \$2.00 All Untrimmed Children's Hats on sale Saturday at **Half Price**

The Newest Silks are Open Here Saturday

White Fancy Voiles, in a good assortment of the newest plain and stripe designs. Values up to 75c per yard. Full double widths. Special Saturday Price, per yard **59c**

Jaquard-Silk, in pretty brocaded designs, suitable for dainty summer dresses or kimono; 36 inches. Specially priced at, per yard **69c**

Tussali Silk, in very pretty medium colored foulard patterns. Very suitable for a general wearing dress, 36 inches wide. Special Saturday price, per yard **98c**

36-inch Taffeta Silk, in a full range of colors. A real good silk for suit, dress or odd skirt. Absolutely reliable for wear. Special Saturday price, per yard **\$1.69**

House Furnishings at Exceptional Values

Curtain Remnants, in good large size, suitable for window and door panels, of lace curtain and bungalow nets. Worth as much as \$1.00 and \$1.50 yd. Saturday, at each 25c, 35c, 50c and **75c**

Hammocks

Good strong Hammocks, with large pillow, in plain and fancy stripes; good durable colors. **\$3.95** Special price, at \$5.50, \$5.25, \$4.50 and



Crex Rugs

Crex Rugs, in a variety of colors suitable for verandahs, bed rooms or summer cottages. Special prices for Saturday.

- 6 x 12. Regular \$8.95, for **\$7.50**
- 6 x 12 1-2. Regular \$6.95, for **6.25**
- 6 x 9. Regular \$6.50, for **5.50**
- 4 1/2 x 7. Regular \$3.75, for **3.25**

Stunning Summer Dresses \$5.50 to \$20

New Sample Dresses, in pretty Voiles, Gingham and Silk and Voile Combinations; also Indian Head. All to be sold at cost price and below. Splendid variety to choose from; beautiful colorings and smart styles. Prices ranging from \$5.50 to **\$20.00**

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Muslin Dresses \$3.75

Ladies' and Misses' Muslin and Chambray Dresses, in Billie Burke, and several other pretty styles to choose from, with gathered skirts, fancy collars, and cuffs nicely trimmed with lace. They come in all sizes. **\$3.75** At only



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Fine Voile Blouses, finely tucked round neck. A very dainty blouse at **\$4.00**
Other designs with round neck, Tuxedo collars, tucked or plain; lace trimmed, at \$2.25, \$7.50, \$5.50 and **\$5.00**

ette Waists

A new line of Georgette Waists just received from New York. Colors are champagne, Copenhagen, blue, maize, flesh and white. These are beautifully embroidered with silk and beads. Prices range from **\$12.00** to \$4.25, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.95, \$8.50, \$10.00 and

Three Great Specials in Voile Waists 89c, \$1.49 and \$2.19

Pretty White and Colored Voile Waists, several different style collars and cuffs; lace trimmed. **\$2.19** All sizes. Saturday at 89c, \$1.49 and

Special Two Days Sale of Fine Laces

Net Top Laces, suitable for collars and fichus, in white and cream, 4 inches wide. Regular 25c **15c** yard, for per yard
4 to 5 inches wide, at per yard **20c to 50c**
Laces for trimming collars and dresses; white and cream Guipure Edgings, 1-4 to 1-inch wide **20c**
Maltese Laces, 1-4 to 2 inches wide, per yard **5c to 20c**
Val Laces and Cotton Torchon Laces, 1-2 to 1-inch wide, at 12 yards for **5c**
Wider widths at per yard **5c to 15c**

Fine Lingerie for Your Summer Vacation

Pretty White Petticoats, made from good quality nainsook; embroidery and lace trimmed flounces. **\$3.50** Special at 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to

Dainty Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, from 25c to **\$1.50**

Drawers, made from good quality cotton. All sizes, at 45c, 69c, 79c, 89c and **98c**

Dainty Camisoles, made from Crepe-de-chene and Habutai Silk, with and without sleeves; nicely trimmed with lace and insertion.

Colored Smocks with large pique collar, nicely trimmed. The long sleeves have turnback pique cuff to match collar; fancy girdle and pockets. Colors are rose, blue, green, gold and tan. Prices **\$2.75** are \$1.75, \$2.50 and

Some Extraordinary Values from the Staple Section

White Cotton

Five Pieces, 36-inch white cotton; extra heavy. Regular value 35c per yard. Saturday **25c** per yard, only

Two Pieces 42-inch Maddapolam. Regular value 45c per yard. Saturday for **35c**

Two Pieces, 18-inch Linen Toweling, red border. Regular value 35c, for **28c**

Fifteen Pieces Light Print, in stripes and figures; fast colors. Regular value 30c. Saturday **25c** Price, per yard

Ten Pieces Galatea, in dark and light stripes. Regular 45c yard. Saturday for **38c**

Five Pieces of Stripe Voiles, in pink, blues and greens. Regular 60c a yard. Saturday for **49c** per yard

About-the-House Dresses \$1.75

Bungalow and House Dress Style Dresses. Made from print, gingham and chambray. All sizes to choose from. Saturday for **\$1.85**

HOSIERY SPECIALS

Women's Black Lisle Hose, double heel and toe. **29c** Special, pear pair

Women's Cotton Hose, in colors of black, white and sky. Saturday, per pair **25c**

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FOR SALE—One Gladstone Carriage, one parrot and cage. Geo. Yake, 1 Grandview St. A113

WANTED—At once, Woman to clean. Apply 48 Dalhousie St. F111

FOR SALE—Studebaker Auto Truck, capacity one ton, in good condition will be sold on the Market Saturday at 10 o'clock by Webby Almas.

WANTED—Bricklayers, 67 1/2c per hour. Apply on Job, Sarah St., opposite Silk Works. M111

DIED

ROBERTSON—In Brantford on Wednesday, July 3rd, Samuel F. Robertson, aged 68 years. Funeral takes place on Saturday, July 6th, from his late residence, 78 Arthur St. to Mt. Hope Cemetery. Service at 2 o'clock.

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NOTICE Royal Black Knights and Orange-men of the city. You are requested to attend the funeral of Brother Robertson, Saturday July 6th, meet at Temple Building at one o'clock. O. Upton, D. A. Freeland.

Carpenters NEXT MEETINGS will be held July 8 and 9th. IN UNION HALL, 165 Colborne Street. Your attendance is desired. If you are not a member Come and Join.

The Sign of Good Value

T. J. MINNES Phone 301, 9 King St.

DISPUTE SETTLED. By Courier Leased Wire Winnipeg, July 5.—The dispute between the Winnipeg job printers and their respective employers was settled yesterday afternoon. The terms of settlement give the men \$23 per week. The pay for night men will be \$32 per week of 44 hours.

BLONDIN EXPECTED HOME. By Courier Leased Wire Ottawa, July 5.—Hon. P. E. Blondin, Postmaster-General, is expected to arrive in Ottawa on Monday. He has been serving with the forces overseas.

JULY CLEARANCE SALE

J. M. YOUNG & COMPANY QUALITY FIRST

JULY CLEARANCE SALE

Saturday, July 6 We Commence Our Annual

JULY CLEARANCE SALE

of All Summer Merchandise Such as Ladies Ready-to-Wear Dresses, Skirts, White Wear, Muslins, Silks, Hosiery, Embroidery, Carpets, Curtains, and Many Other Lines Not Advertised Will be on Sale at Reduced Prices During July Clearance Sale

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Children's Dresses 49c Dresses made of Gingham, smart styles in check and plain colors. All smart styles. Sizes 6 months to 6 years. Sale Price 49c

Dresses at \$1.29 Children's Dresses, made of gingham and chambray. Sizes to fit children up to 14 years. Sale Price \$1.29

Dresses at 98c Children's Dresses of white and colored muslin, also print and gingham. Some with bloomers. Sizes up to 12 years. Sale Price 98c

Nightgowns \$1.19 Ladies' Night Gowns, made of good quality cotton, slipover styles, lace embroidery trimmed. Regular value \$1.50. Sale Price \$1.19

Underskirts \$1.49 Ladies' Underskirts, of white cotton, embroidery and lace trimmed. Made with dress full. All lengths. Special Sale Price \$1.49

Wash Skirts Ladies Wash Skirts, nicely tailored. Made of stripe and plain cloth. Sale Price 98c

Wash Skirts Ladies' Novelty Wash Skirts, made in checks and fancy stripes. Regular \$3.00 to \$3.50. Sale Price \$1.69

Ladies' Summer Dresses

Dresses \$3.49 Made of Gingham Jean Cloth and Fancy Muslin. All good smart styles, and trimmed with contrasting colors and lace edgings. Sale Price \$3.49

Dresses \$5 White Voile Dresses, nicely trimmed with tucks and lace; many styles. Sizes 16 years to 44 bust. Also a line of Fancy Colored Muslins and Shadow Voiles, made in good range of styles. Sale Price \$5.00

Dresses \$7.50 Dresses made of Black and White Voile, specially suitable for matron ladies. Made with overskirt effect. Sizes 36 to 42. Sale Price \$7.50



Dress Skirts \$3.98 Tailor Made Skirts, made of all wool shepherd check worsted, gathered back, large novelty pocket, etc., nicely trimmed with buttons. Special Sale Price \$3.98

Silk Poplin Skirts \$5.98 Silk Poplin Skirts, many styles to choose from in sand, blue, navy, and black. Also brown. Sizes 24 to 29 waist band. Sale Price \$5.98

July Sale of Wash Materials

White Fancy Voiles, 35c Yard White Voile Waisting, fancy stripes and crossbar effects, 36 inches wide. July Sale Price, per yard 33c

Fancy Colored Voiles, 39c Yard Fancy Colored Striped Voiles in colors of maize, pale blue, pink and rose, 40 inches wide. July Sale Price, per yard 39c

White Fancy Voiles, 44c Yard Fancy White Voiles, 36 inches wide, in stripes, crossbar and small pattern effects. Worth up to 65c yard. July Sale Price, per yard 44c

Fancy Colored Voiles at 25c Yard Fancy Colored Voiles, 27 and 32 inches wide, in stripes and floral patterns. July Sale Price, per yard 25c

Colored Voiles, 49c Yd. Fancy Colored Voiles, in plain, floral and gingham effects. Worth up to 75c yard. July Sale Price, per yard 49c

Regular \$1.00 Fancy Voiles, 79c Yard Nine Pieces of Fancy Colored Voiles, Burin's best washing materials. Worth 90c to \$1.00 per yard. July Sale Price, per yard 79c

English Percalines, 27c 18 Pieces of best quality of English Printed Percalines, 32 inches wide, in light stripes for shirts, boys' blouses, house dresses, etc. Worth 35c per yard. July Sale Price, per yard 27c

White Gabardine, 39c Yard White Gabardine Skirting, 36 inches wide, in plain or striped. July Sale Price, per yard 39c

Plaid Scotch Ginghams, 49c Yard 15 pieces of best quality of Scotch Ginghams, in green and pink, green and lawn, blues, rose, red and grey. Colors perfect in washings. Worth 65c per yard. July Sale Price, per yard 49c

A Big Bargain in Pure Linen Towelings, 24c 22-inch Toweling, 36 inches wide, in white with red border, and dark grey with red border. All pure linen and are worth 30c to 35c yard. July Sale Price, per yard 24c

Heavy White Toweling, 29c Yard Heavy White Toweling, 18 inches wide. All pure linen. Worth 40c yard. July Sale Price, per yard 29c

22-inch Tea Toweling, 33c Yard 22-inch Pure Linen Tea Toweling, soft and absorbent. Worth 40c to 45c per yard. July Sale Price, per yard 33c

60c White Sheeting for 49c Yard White Sheeting, 3 yards wide, good heavy quality. Regular 50c quality. July Sale Price, per yard 49c

75c Sheeting for 59c Yard White Sheeting, 3 yards wide, heavy even thread, free from dressing. Worth 75c per yard. July Sale Price, per yard 59c

MILLINERY —AT— July Clearance Sale Prices

Trimmed Millinery, balance of Tailor Hats, many styles. This season's buying to clear \$3.50 Dress Hats, trimmed, of Milans, Leghorns, Crepes, and etc. Sale \$8.50 Untrimmed Hats, choice colors, many styles, etc. Special Sale 69c

Camisole Embroidery, 22c 18 inches wide Embroidery, in open work designs on good quality cambric. Special Sale 22c

Embroid. Edging on Muslin and Cambric, in dainty open work patterns, 2 to 4 inches wide. Sale Price 12 1/2c

Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, H. S. hem. Special Sale Price 25c

Ladies' and Children's Bathing Caps, in fancy colors. Sale Price, 69c and 50c

Ladies' Leather Purses, in envelope styles; black only. Sale Price \$1.00 and 75c Dress Shields, good quality. Sale Price 25c

July Clearance Sale in Carpet Dept. 2nd floor

Two Special lots of Imported Chintz. Good assortment of patterns; 30 to 36 inches in width. Regular 59c and 75c to \$1.00. Sale Price 39c And Regular 65c values. Sale Price 39c

AXMINSTER RUGS 100 Axminster Rugs, 27 x 54; Oriental designs. Regular value \$4.25 to \$5.00. Special Sale Price \$3.85

Remnants of Curtain Net, cretonnes and tapestry cloths. All to clear at Special Prices. Colored Bordered Scrim, 36 inches wide. Regular 25c. Sale Price, per yard 16c

ALL-WOOL RUGS 9 x 12. Regular \$20.00, for \$15.50 9 x 10-6. Regular \$18.50, for \$14.00

July Clearance Sale of Silks

300 Yards Tub Silks, in stripe and floral designs, 36 inches wide. All good colorings. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale Price 75c

Satin Stripe Habutai Silk Waistings, 36 inches wide. All choice designs. Regular value \$2.00. Sale Price \$1.25

Silk Skirting, in taffeta, in Tartan plaids, 36 inches wide. Worth \$3.00. Sale Price \$2.00

Natural Colored Shantung Silk, per yard 49c Pongee Silk, in natural color, nice even weave. Regular \$1.35. Sale Price \$1.00

Black Paillette Silk, 36 inches wide, best of dyes. A silk recommended for wear. Regular value \$2.25. Sale Price \$1.59

Duchess Satin, 36 inches wide, extra heavy weight. Worth today \$3.25. Sale Price \$2.50

Silk Crepe 59c

Silk Crepe, 36 inches wide, in maize, peach, sand, Hello, sky, Belgian blue, yellow, etc. Regular 90c to 75c. Sale Price 59c

Delaines 65c

15 pieces Wool Delaines, neat small patterns, light medium dark colors. Sale Price 65c

July Clearance Sale of Yarn

Knitters All—Don't let a Wool Sale like this go lightly by. The time of need may come sooner than you think and pure wool at this sale price will soon be unobtainable. 200 pounds of Pure Wool, splendid quality for soldiers' socks, in light grey. This is our famous yarn which sold regularly at \$3.50 per pound. On Sale at \$2.95

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Local News

FOOTBALL TEAM

The following will represent Brantford United, Saturday, at Agricultural Park, Hamilton. Backs: Holland and Taylor; Half-backs: Westcott, Robinson, Holland; Forwards: Vipond, Lynn, Usler, Parren, Richardson; Reserves: Goodwood, Johnson and W. Smith.

DUFFERINS WON

Four rinks from the Caledonia Bowling Club paid a friendly visit to Brantford Thursday afternoon, and played a game with the Dufferins. The greens were very keen and at the close the Dufferins were up 49 shots.

GOVERNMENT FISH

The Ontario Fisheries Department during June shipped some 8,000 boxes of fish to consumers in the province, 200 pounds in each box. All was sold. Half of this fish was taken under the regulation by which 20 per cent. of the catch of any fisherman can be sold to the government. One fisherman reports having made \$14,000 this season, but his expenses have to come out of this.

FOREIGNER WANTS RELEASE

Chief Justice Mulock of Toronto has adjourned for one week an application for the release of Alexander Pysanuk, of Brantford, upon habeas corpus proceedings. In the meantime he will remain in jail. He was arrested on May 25, and Chief Justice Mulock in his opinion he is a dangerous man to set at large. His counsel declares that his sympathies are all Russian and suggests that arrest was merely to get rid of his client as some people object to the holding of dances.

NO SUBS NEAR HALIFAX

With reference to the International News Service and Hearst publications story that enemy submarines are operating off Halifax and have sunk a ship, Col. Chambers, chief press censor for Ottawa, authorizes the statement that the naval authorities have no information warranting the statement that any ship has been sunk or even attacked by enemy submarines in the vicinity of Halifax or on the routes leading to that port.

PICNIC AT HAMILTON

A large number of Brantfordites were represented at a picnic held at Dundurn Park, Hamilton, yesterday, by the relatives of men of the 58th Battalion. T. Harry Jones, G. W. Broomfield, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Raymond, Mrs. Livingston, Capt. Jenkins, the Misses Corns and others from the city were present. The entire gathering numbered in the neighborhood of seventy-five. The picnic was organized by Mr. and Mrs. Leale of Hamilton, whose son, Major Leale, made the supreme sacrifice some time ago, and Mrs. McNair, widow of the late Major McNair.

ASSESSOR ILL

Assessor Ludlow was forced to leave work this morning, and will be confined to his home for the next few days by an attack of shingles.

COUNTY AUDITORS

Councillor J. S. Scott of Oakland and J. Dowling conducted an audit of the criminal accounts of the county yesterday.

REPORTS FOR DUTY

W. McManus of the Central Fire department left this morning for Toronto, where he reports for service with a depot battalion.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

During the month of June there were ten city order patients in the hospital, for a total of 136 days. Their maintenance expense for this period is \$45.20.

CANNOT COME

The St. Georges cricket team of Hamilton having made other arrangements will not be in Brantford tomorrow, and consequently Brantford team will have no match. A practice has been called for Saturday afternoon.

DONATES MEDAL

With his customary sportsmanship, George Gouding, world's champion walker, has donated the medal he won at the twilight meet on Wednesday night, to be competed for in a boys' walking race next week.

ASSESSORS AHEAD

"We are farther ahead with our work than we have been at this date for five years past," a member of the Assessment Department stated to The Courier this morning. The outside work has been completed and the inside duties of the department are now being carried out.

NEW PASTOR HERE

The Rev. Robert White, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., who has accepted the call of Park Baptist Church, arrived in the city this week, and will occupy his pulpit for the first time on Sunday next. Mr. White is accompanied by his wife and his two sons. A reception will be tendered him by the congregation of the church on Wednesday evening next.

TWILIGHT MEET

Director Geo. Mosley announces that Miss Thelma Bamford, champion lady bicyclist of Ontario, will participate in next week's twilight athletic meet, entering a special bicycle race against V. Walker. The Fraser-Taylor motorcycle race has been postponed until the latter can secure a new piston for his machine.

BUILDING PERMITS

Eight building permits were issued yesterday in the City Engineer's department, six of these being to the Brantford Builders, Limited, for the erection of houses on the north side of Sarah street. Alex. McDonald, 5 Fair avenue, received a permit for a \$150 frame kitchen, and Wm. Twelvetrees, 23 Burford street, for a \$50 frame kitchen.

KITH AND KIN

The North Ward Kith and Kin met at the home of Mrs. Heap on Thursday evening, July 4th, and a happy time was spent. The president being unable to attend, the vice-president took the chair. The time was spent in knitting and the meeting closed by singing God Save Our Splendid Men. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Laing, 165 Abbot St.

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Splendid Bargains for Saturday

Women's Patent Oxfords, Size 2 1-2 to 4. Regular value \$4.00 and \$5.00. **\$1.98** Saturday, per pair

Misses' Patent Mary Jane Pumps, Sizes 11 to 2. Regular value \$2.00. **\$1.68** Saturday, per pair

Child's Kid Button Boots, Sizes 8 to 10 1-2. Regular value \$1.85. **\$1.48** Saturday, per pair

Child's Patent three strap Slipper, Sizes 8 to 10 1-2. Regular value \$2.00. **\$1.58** Saturday, per pair

OTHER LINES AT BARGAIN PRICES.

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158 COLBORNE STREET

MISSING

Mrs. White, 102 1-2 Waterloo St. received official word yesterday that her son, E. J. Harvey White, has been missing since June 21 last.

FALSE RUMOR

Major Smith, Superintendent of the Six Nation Indian reserves, today from the Canada Registration Board that there was no truth in the assertion that the penalty clause had been suspended.

LAST DAY FOR TAXES

The tax collector's office will be open this evening between the hours of seven-thirty and nine-thirty. In order to afford all an evening hour opportunity to pay the first half of the year's taxes. Payments are accepted with interest by F. W. Benedict, tax collector.

JUNIOR KITH AND KIN

The Junior Kith and Kin held a most successful social evening on July 3rd. A musical program was put on by the children. Ice cream was served and games played by mothers and children. A neat little sum was realized and the evening was brought to a close, all having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Y. M. C. A. SOUTHWALL

The Bluebirds retained the lead in the Y. M. C. A. softball league last night, defeating the West Brantford team at Athletic Park. The Bluebirds beat the Dodgers, 15-7 at Tutela, in a game far more hotly contested than the score would indicate. The game was a member of the Waps was postponed three league games will be played Monday night.

ANOTHER GAS SHORTAGE

The Brantford Gas Company has issued a statement to its customers, admitting—that everyone has been proclaiming from the housetops for the past year—that it has been unable to supply a satisfactory quantity of gas, pure or impure, and that a similar state of affairs is likely to exist next winter. Consumers are, therefore, warned to make other provision for both cooking and heating.

CERTIFICATES NEEDED

Notice is being sent out by the Ontario License Board to licensed liquor vendors that all applications received from doctors must in future bear a certificate to the effect that the quantity of liquor named in the minor quantity of liquor necessary for the patient's use. An amendment to the Ontario Temperance Act was made session. Now it is to be rigidly enforced and doctors are being notified.

POLICE COURT

Thirty-seven bicyclists appeared in the Police Court this morning, charged with riding upon the sidewalk. All but three paid their fines and were dismissed. One failed to appear, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest. Two other cases were adjourned. Wesley Martin, Indian, charged with failure to register, was remanded for a week at the request of his counsel, I. W. Bowlby. A charge of non-support laid against George Hill by his wife was adjourned, and Hugh Kerr, arrested for not carrying his registration card, was dismissed with a warning. Peggie Ferguson, charged with vagrancy, and George W. Taylor, charged with procuring a woman for prostitution, were remanded until Monday.

AFTER SQUIRRELS' SCALPS

A delinquent set of hot residents of Eagle Place, on the trail of blackbirds, squirrels and other marauders of orchards, waited upon the parks board last night, demanding action by that body to protect the trees of said citizens, which they claimed were being despoiled by the feathered and turred creatures. No feasible solution of the problem could be found, some of the citizens being in favor of having all squirrels shot at sunrise, or on sight, but it was pointed out by the city engineer that some of the squirrels might be trapped, as last fall the board received an offer from a man in Orillia, anxious to purchase hundreds of more of the rodents. No action was taken by the board, however.

TELEGRAMS EXCHANGED

Between General Foch and General Pershing
By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, July 5.—(Havas Agency.) Telegrams exchanged by General Foch, the Allied commander-in-chief on the western front, and General Pershing, the American commander, on the occasion of the American Independence Day celebration, were made public today, General Foch telegraphed:
"We are fighting for independence, together with you we celebrate Independence Day with a full heart."
In reply General Pershing wired:
"I am deeply touched by your cordial greetings. The Allies are celebrating this anniversary of America's independence with the conviction that a victory will re-assure independence and liberty throughout the world."

Nuptial Notes

Mr. Wm. E. Raymond and Miss Mary E. Richardson, both of Brantford, were quietly married at Colborne Street Parsonage on Wednesday, July 3d, by Rev. C. S. Logan. Miss M. G. Clark was the bride's attendant. After the ceremony the young couple left on the 3.50 train for a honeymoon trip.
That the anti-loafing law is driving burglars to honest work is shown by the falling off in burglaries in New York City.

RESIGNATIONS OF FOUR TEACHERS WERE ACCEPTED

Misses M. Middlemiss and Julia Grace, of Public School Staff, Super-annuated

The Board of Education held a very brief session last night, prior to adjourning for the summer months. The resignation of Miss M. Middlemiss and Miss Julia M. Grace, both of whom have completed forty years of teaching and are entitled to superannuation allowances, were accepted with regret, as were also those of W. H. Green, of the Collegiate staff, who leaves to accept a responsible position in London, and of Miss Grace, Burnell of Alexandra school. J. W. Shepperson, chairman, voiced the regret of the board at the loss of four such valuable teachers, speaking sympathetically and appreciatively of their services. J. Long, 12 Strathcona avenue, was appointed in place of Miss Ed. W. H. Green, Collegiate Institute. The finance committee recommended payment of a number of accounts. The management committee reported as follows: That the following resignations be accepted: W. H. Green, Collegiate Institute. That Miss Frances McCall be given one year leave of absence, and that Miss Edna Harley be engaged to fill the position of instructor of household science in the Collegiate Institute in the interval, and that Mr. W. T. Morrison of Hamilton be appointed science master at the Collegiate Institute.

That Miss Nellie Bedford, Miss Margaret A. Roe and Miss Helen C. Baldwin be appointed to the public school teaching staff. That Miss Frances McCall be given one year leave of absence, and that Miss Edna Harley be engaged to fill the position of instructor of household science in the Collegiate Institute in the interval, and that Mr. W. T. Morrison of Hamilton be appointed science master at the Collegiate Institute.

The board adjourned until September. **INCREASED RATES**
Will Go Into Effect on the L. E. & N. R.
Salt, July 4.—C. J. Whitley, general manager and freight agent of the L. E. and N. and Grand River Railways, announced today that the railway had been granted an increase of 15 per cent. in freight rates and passenger fares to go into effect July 8. With the adoption of the new fares the railway will discontinue selling tickets on the cars, and the conductors will be each of tickets purchased at the offices.

PERSONAL

Miss Emily James is home from Kitchener.
Sapper J. R. Cole, St. John's, leaves this week for England.
Mrs. John Roderick Cole arrived home this week from St. John's, New Brunswick, where she has been staying with her husband, Sapper John R. Cole, Canadian Engineers.

COTTON SHIPPED

By Courier Leased Wire
Amsterdam, July 5.—Seven thousand tons of raw Caucasian cotton are being shipped from Hungary, Austria and Germany, according to a report from Budapest, where the cotton will arrive early in August. Twenty-six freight cars of the finest merino wool is added, already have arrived in Budapest.

PRESIDENT IN FRENCH PAPERS

By Courier Leased Wire
Paris, July 5.—President Wilson's Independence Day address at Mount Vernon was printed in great prominence by all the newspapers. Some of them single out special phrases to display as slogans in the heaviest type at the top of the front page. The amount of space devoted to recording the celebrations in France, England and America, obliges most of the editorial writers to postpone editorial comment on the speech.

OBITUARY

MR. AND MRS. DR. GEO. MILLER.
Death struck a triple blow at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Miller, Toronto, when both the couple passed away within a week of the death of their eldest son, Dr. George Miller, Jr., who was well known in Brantford. Dr. Miller, Sr., passed away after a stroke, and Mrs. Miller succumbed to heart failure very shortly thereafter. Dr. Miller, Sr., was born in California, and Mrs. Miller in Oregon. They leave to mourn their sudden taking-off two beautiful daughters and one son, William, who is attending the University of all. The funeral will be a double one, and will take place Sunday at Oakwood Cemetery, where Dr. Miller, Jr., was laid to rest.

SELECTED PRESIDENT

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 5.—George W. Strayer of Columbia University, University, N.Y., today was elected president of the National Education Association at the closing of the 26th annual convention.

Water Commission Will Investigate

Place Anonymous Charges, Re Abuse of Water in Hands of County Constable

A meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners was held last night. Present were John Fair, chairman, and M. M. MacBride, mayor. Moved by Mayor MacBride, seconded by John Fair, That the anonymous correspondence relating to the abuse of water privileges on premises at Rhineland Lane, be handed to the County Constable to investigate and to prosecute the parties guilty of uttering such filthy insinuations, and making such untruthful statements.—Carried.
Moved by Mayor MacBride, seconded by John Fair, That the City Council be asked to arrange a temporary advance to the Water Commissioners to enable them to go on and complete work in hand, and make necessary extensions until September payment is made, and a settlement for the property is completed with the Dominion Steel Products Co. The amount required will be fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).—Carried.
Moved by Mayor MacBride, seconded by John Fair, That the salary of Thos. Lamb be made sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600) a year payable monthly, to date from May first of this year.—Carried.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

By Courier Leased Wire
Ottawa, July 5.—No-day's list of 21 casualties reports two Canadian soldiers killed in action, one died of wounds, three died, one prisoner of war, one wounded suffering from burns, one gassed and eight ill. The list for Western Ontario follows:
Infantry.
Wounded—65738 J. Wallace, not stated.
Deaths—Lieut. R. G. Savage, Jess, Ont.
Artillery.—Jas.
Wounded—341859 J. Swan, St. Catharines.
Services.
Killed in action—510873 H. P. Warner, Wexford.

TWO ARRESTED

By Courier Leased Wire
Orange, Texas, July 5.—Two men have been arrested by government agents in connection with a file which yesterday destroyed the Orange Maritime Corporation's ship yards with a loss of two lives. The plant and three nearby completed schooners, valued at \$250,000 each, were consumed with a total loss estimated at about \$1,000,000. The origin of the fire has not been determined. The two victims were employees of the yards and were trapped in a shed.

TREES OF CITY TAKEN OVER BY PARKS BOARD

Appropriation of \$1,300.00 Asked to Carry on Work This Year

At a special meeting of the Parks Board, the City Council was requested to make an appropriation of \$1,300 to the board to pay the cost of caring for the trees and boulevards of the city for the 1918 season, as agreed by the Council at a recent meeting. The use of Agricultural Park was granted to the Dominion Steel Products Co. for 37 1/2 days during the next two months and to the Twilight Recreation League for Wednesday evening, subject to satisfactory arrangement of details with the Grounds Committee. It was felt that adequate protection should be afforded spectators from possible accidents during motorcycle races and other events.
The Grounds Committee recommended that a sign be painted and installed on the eastern boundary of Mohawk Park, so that all may know that beyond that boundary they will be trespassing upon the property of others.
Also that an account of danger to children and others playing in Agricultural Park, the speed limit of all motor power vehicles using the track to fifteen miles an hour, and that notice to this effect be put up in a prominent place in the park.

GOLFING

Brantford played golf at Simcoe yesterday with the following result:
Rivlin.....1
Champion.....1
Henderson.....0
Schollfield.....0
Gibson.....0
Miller.....0
Gould.....0
Marlin.....0
Brewster.....0
Jones.....0
Flowers.....0
Chapin.....0
Largo.....0
Bills.....0
Hardy.....0
Newman.....0
Loring.....0
Read.....0
Long.....0
Wilder.....0
Total.....11

CANADIAN OFFICERS

By Courier Leased Wire.
Halifax, N.S., July 5.—About 60 returned Canadian officers were in the city today. Among the party was Colonel Blodign, postmaster-general of Canada and Brigadier-General McFarlane, of the British army, who is on his way to Ceylon. General McFarlane has been in the British army for 33 years. In 1915 he was in command of a brigade on the British front, but has recently been commanding troops in Ireland. The following western Ontario officers are in the party:
Major A. M. Moffatt, Walkerton; Captain Thomas D. Patterson, London; Captain F. Shaw, Fergus; Lieut. J. D. Morgan, London; Lieut. M. Hueston, London and Captain H. P. Russell, Stratford.

SEALED TENDERS

addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for plumbing and heating and electric wiring, Military Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, July 10, 1918, for the plumbing, wiring, electric wiring, and fixtures for Military Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario. These to be separate tenders—One for the plumbing and heating, the other for the electric wiring.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender blanked at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and the Chief of Works, Postal Station 47, Toronto, Ont.
Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Treasurer, Minister of Public Works, amounting to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender.
By Order,
R. C. DESROCHES, Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 29, 1918.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Civic Picnic

The City Council has decided to give a Picnic to the Mothers, Wives, and Children of our Soldiers.

In order that the affair may be "civic" in the broadest sense, an invitation is extended to all citizens to attend an organization meeting on

Friday Evening July 5th

at 7.30 Sharp in the Council Chamber When our boys were given, an assurance was given that we would look after the women and children.

We have kept that pledge in a material sense, but we will never be able to make up for the anxious, lonesome hours of those they left behind. There are some things we can do, however, and one is to provide a day of real pleasure in beautiful Mohawk Park.

A Picnic, free from class, or creed Brantford's spontaneous expression of love and appreciation for the women and children of our Soldier Boys.

Officers of Lodges, Societies, Unions, and other Public Bodies cordially invited to join the City Council in the picnic arrangements.

M. MacBride, Mayor.

Millinery for the Beach

Free Offer for Saturday
With Every Tin of JONTEEL TALCUM
A Wool Powder Puff to fit your vanity box will be given.
Jonteel Talc., as well as the other Jonteel Talcs, fresh from New York, is perfumed with the wonderful new Jonteel odor.
Talc Jonteel 35c
Flesh, Pink or White

Do Not Trust Your Holiday Snaps
To Small Flashing Establishments where injury may be done to films and people make their films at our Eastman Plant, one of our Ontario.

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Opposite Brant Theatre

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OVER FIFTY NEW VESSELS

Are Launched in the States July 4th

Uncle Sam's Latest Greeting to the Kaiser

Philadelphia, July 5.—The great Fourth of July splash of American ships which Charles M. Schwab, Director-General of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, said would reach the ears of the German Emperor took place yesterday as planned by the shipbuilders of the United States. From one minute after twelve o'clock, when the first ship was launched at Superior, Wis., until late yesterday cargo carriers and other types of vessels were sent overboard in every part of the country to help build the ocean bridges for the allied fighting forces in Europe.

The offices of the Emergency Fleet Corporation were kept open all day and late into the night to receive official reports of the launchings. The complete reports gave the number of vessels sent overboard as 52, of which 33 were steel and the other 19 wood.

Reports Delayed
These figures do not include the launching of naval vessels which are being built directly under the supervision of the navy.

talled wire communication, due to the holiday, is the cause of the failure of the Corporation officers to receive fuller reports of the initial dip of the big fleet. The exact number of launchings probably will not be known until to-day.

From the Pacific Coast Charles Plez, Vice-President of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, wired that the Union Plant of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation had made a world's record by launching 47,800 deadweight tons, represented by four ships, in one yard in one day. A second record was broken by this plant by building one of the ships, the Defiance, a 12,000-ton boat, in 38 days. Immediately after the launching six keels were laid, making a third record.

Greeting to Kaiser
The Great Lakes Engineering Works reported the launching of three ships at its Ecorse, Mich., plant, and added that "this is our portion of to-day's happy greetings to the Kaiser."

The largest boat launched was a 3,400-ton ship was launched, the honor of christening the vessel was given to the wife of the boss of the riveting gang that made the best record from June 11 to July 1.

In many of the yards new keels were immediately laid after the ships left the ways.

The largest boat launched was the Indianapolis, 12,500 tons, at the Pusey & Jones yard at Gloucester, N.J.

Dr. James Douglas, Queen's graduate, and one of the best known metallurgists across the border, is dead in New York.

BOWLING

The Heather Club beat the Caladonia Club yesterday as follows:

Lawson	Heathley
T. High	T. Cooper
S. Smyth	D. Harvey
French	J. Grantham
Leath	W. Moss
Seldon	N. D. Coghill
S. Avery	J. B. Brown
Hornbrooke	Jas. Howie
W. Avery	J. Coghill
Donaghy	E. Brown
Sadton	D. Cooper
Ferguson	E. C. Touch
B. M. Robertson	S. Pilling
H. B. Sawle	G. Ion
H. Berscht	M. S. Phelps
A. W. Parrish	J. Miller

Majority for Heathers, 43.

FIVE AVIATORS DECORATED

By Courier Leased Wire
Italian Army Headquarters, Thursday, July 4.—(By the Associated Press)—Five American aviators, attached to the Italian army were decorated with the Italian war cross to-day by King Victor.

The aviators decorated were Lieutenant Archibald Frost, John Park Raymond Baldwin, Kenneth Collins, and John Galchoux.

FOURTH OF JULY THIS YEAR DAY OF AFFECTION

Great Britain and America United in the Cause of Democracy

London, July 4.—In opening the Fellowship meeting in Central Hall, Viscount Blythe, who presided, said:

"For many a year to-day was celebrated in the United States with hostility and defiance. By the in Great Britain it was remembered with sorrow as marking the severance of precious ties. And now, after one hundred and forty-two years, it is being celebrated by both peoples with like enthusiasm."

"What has been a day of anger on one side and grief on the other has become for both a day of affection and rejoicing."

Remarking that the press had emphasized the fact that American troops had been brigaded with the British and French, Admiral Sims said he wanted to call attention to the fact that for nearly a year all the American naval forces in European waters have been brigaded with British and other Allied forces.

"It is unnecessary," said Admiral Sims, "to state that the reason for this has no connection with the conduct of the admirals to direct their own forces. From the very beginning it was established as an inflexible policy that unity of command and direction was a prime requisite for success."

"The American forces," he declared, "small compared to the united naval forces, but they had performed their duties to the satisfaction of their supreme commanders. America's naval effort was not at the end, although she has in the European waters 230 ships, 3,000 officers, and 46,000 men serving in all the European areas, from the Adriatic to the White Sea. In the coming year more than three times the present number of destroyers will be fighting with the Allies, more than 150 submarine chasers, will be in the war zone. More than half of them are here now."

"Speaking as the representative of the American army and individual soldiers, I am proud to say that in the vicinity of almost every city in the United Kingdom are Americans, either in transit or in training. Everywhere was displayed the same friendliness and generosity which had offered hospitals for the sick and wounded, homes for the convalescents, and waiting for those in good health. The most beautiful homes and resorts in the world have been placed at the disposal of the American troops."

"I can assure you," he continued, "that we all feel this deeply and from this day, added to the many that have preceded and the many that will follow, will result in a better understanding, respect and liking between America and Great Britain which will last as long as the countries last—and that is forever."

THE PACIFIST GOES FISHING



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ICE CREAM DISHERS

Made of xxx heavy charcoal tin, drawn steel knives, retined, welded handle. Turn of crank causes blade to revolve and loosens the cream scraper. Three sizes. **20c** Saturday only, up from **15c**

LAWN BORDER AND TRELLIS WIRE

Made of hard, heavy steel wire, painted green. It is an ornament in itself, as well as a protection to your beds of choice flowers, plants, etc. Made in two heights, 12 inches high, per foot **10c** 18 inches high, per foot **12c**

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And you will want to go fishing. But first see that you have a good rod. We have all kinds. Plain bamboo, split bamboo, steel, casting, fly, etc. See our range.

THAT IS WHAT YOU NEED

For the sick room, picnics, carrying your lunch, etc. Vacuum Bottle which keeps liquids hot for 36 hours and cold for 72 hours. Nicely japanned case, nickel plated top. Saturday selling at **\$1.39**

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See the New **Bass Oreno Bait**—it's a killer.

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By putting on Screen Doors. All standard sizes, all patterns, at all prices. This one has nicely stained frame, best quality wire cloth, complete with hinges, screw hook and pull; any size. **\$1.69** Saturday only

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In all sizes, both galvanized and japanned. The best goods we can buy. For Saturday **73c**

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Well made frames, nicely finished, best grade wire cloth, adjustable. Specially priced, for Saturday, up from **21c**. Don't fail to get in on our Big Fishing Competition.

MILLERS LOATH TO EXPERIMENT

Only Eight Sign Contracts For the Manufacture of Standard Feed

Toronto, July 3.—Ontario millers are backward about investing large sums of money in concentrating on manufacturing, the new standard feed for dairy cattle and hogs. Only eight millers have returned the signed contracts to the Agricultural section of the Ontario Organization of Resources Committee, which has the matter in hand. When the standard feed was adopted by the Committee about three months ago, officials estimated that a reserve of 1,500 cars would be needed to meet the feed shortage next winter. The eight contracts so far signed promise not more than 200 cars.

An immediate way out of the difficulty must be found. If the conditions of the whole matter, the millers appear to be afraid to invest their money in the concentrates, fearing that after they are stocked up the price may drop, and that they will be the losers.

It has been suggested that one way out of the difficulty would be if the Government would give the millers some assurance against loss on this score. Failing this the Government itself might purchase the concentrates and make them available for the millers. In the United States at present, it is said, there is a large supply of hominy meal (the value of feed) that is not generally recognized. In the States, local authorities say it is almost upon a par with corn.

FREIGHT NOT AFFECTED

By Courier Leased Wire.
Montreal, July 4.—Discussing the new twenty-five per cent. increase in Trans-Continental commodity freight rates allowed Canadian railroads by the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners, prominent Railroad officials here say it will have no bearing on the general question of freight tariff increases. It will have little effect upon earnings of the transcontinental roads, as business between Eastern Canada and Pacific ports is just now very light. The order making the increase issued by Sir Henry Dighton and concurred in by the other commissioners, sets forth that the purpose is to establish the equilibrium in rates disturbed by the order issued by the director-general of United States railroad administration increasing rates from the eastern states by twenty-five per cent. The order of the Dominion board is effective not before August 1 of this year.

WAR IS HIDEOUS

My breast is full of panics, and sore distraught I am, for all the good mechanics now work for Uncle Sam. They've taken all their wrenches and journeyed to the front, and somewhere near the trenches they do their loyal stunt. They fix the martial lorry, repair the U. S. truck, and I am sick and sorry, and sadly cuss the luck. For who will fix my motor, when valves are out of whack, or when the gas tank's floater is ruptured up the back? The men who piled the spanner with more than human skill, have gone, in warlike manner, to sew up Kaiser Bill. Our village vet is trying to heal our motor cars, and tonics he's applying to all their ailing parts. He views the carburetor, and plies no monkey wrench, but says: "It will be better when it has had a pinch." He says: "Conditions thermic some fever indicate; a good strong hypodermic will put your engine straight." My troubles are titanic, my car has ceased to chug. I yearn for a mechanic who does not use a drug. My soul is in the shadow, my heart is steeped in woe; I've found that C. Sagrada won't won't make a motor go.

COMMUNICATION CUT OFF

By Courier Leased Wire.
Washington, July 5.—A delayed despatch from Irkutsk, dated June 28, and received at the State Department to-day, said all communication with Volodga, Moscow and several places in western Siberia had been cut off for several days. The department's last report from Ambassador Francis at Volodga was dated June 24.

FATAL ACCIDENT

NEAR COLLINGWOOD
One Man Killed and Another Injured in an Automobile Smash.

Collingwood, Ont., July 4.—As the result of an automobile accident last night, a mile north of here, Norman Lonsway, aged thirty-five, is dead, and his companion in the car, Geo. Macdonald, is lying in the hospital in a precarious condition. The accident occurred on a good level road, and is said to have been due to high speed, which caused the car to swerve from side to side and alternately overturn, breaking off both hind wheels and otherwise wrecking it. Lonsway was dead when a witness of the accident took him from under the car, his skull being broken and his chest crushed in, while Macdonald was unconscious, his head being cut and his skull injured. He also suffered from a fracture of the chest. The police named to sew up Kaiser Bill, were called to the scene and gained such information as may lead to an accident.

Lonsway came from Owen Sound, while Macdonald has lived here for several years.

RACING EXPERT DEAD

By Courier Leased Wire.
Detroit, July 5.—John Milot, well known several years ago as a dirt track automobile racer and more recently as a pilot in speed boat races, died here to-day. In 1915 he piloted Miss Detroit, first over the Detroit River course, winning the event.

CALL OFF STRIKER

By Courier Leased Wire.
Vancouver, July 5.—The executive committee of the Metal Trades Council met at 1 o'clock this morning and decided to call off the sympathetic strike it had called the night before to go into effect at noon to-day.

UNUSUALLY QUIET

By Courier Leased Wire.
With the American army in France, July 4.—(By the Associated Press)—The Fourth of July was an unusually quiet day, in the normally inactive sectors occupied by American troops from the Woerwa to the Swiss border. Even the artillery and air services were less busy than usual, cloudy weather and poor visibility hampering them.

THE ALARMISTS

A scientific study of alarmists across gossip mongers was read recently in Paris before the Academy of Medicine by Dr. Vallon, a noted criminologist and specialist in brain diseases. Dr. Vallon divided that class of gossip monger generally known as defeatist and alarmist into three groups, consisting of criminals who purposely circulate false reports, intellectually feeble individuals and lunatics (generally victims of strong drink).

The second of these classes, by far the largest, Dr. Vallon subdivided into two sections: (1) vain persons who cannot resist the temptation of appearing to be well informed, and (2) pessimists who take a morbid pleasure in frightening others because they are afraid themselves.

Many of these persons are in such an intellectual condition that they are only partly responsible for their remarks. Dr. Vallon concluded by saying that alarmists of all kinds are to be avoided carefully.

Pullman porters across the border demand a wage increase, saying that the war has halved their tip harvest.

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Men's \$15.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$9.98	Men's \$24.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$16.98
Men's \$18.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$12.98	Men's \$25.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$17.98
Men's \$20.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$14.98	Men's \$27.50 Suits. Our Price	Our \$18.98
Men's \$22.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$15.98	Men's \$30.00 Suits. Our Price	Our \$22.48

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Combinations, 68c, 88c, 95c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and	\$1.50
Merino Underwear	59c, 68c, 88c
Tremendous stock of Shirts for the Working Man at 59c, 68c, 75c, 85c and	\$1.00
Immense quantities of fine Dress Shirts, in all styles, sizes, colors and materials at pre war prices. 68c, 88c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.38, \$1.50 and	\$1.68
Men's Work Sox	15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 35c
Keep Kool Underwear, separate garments, 39c, 50c, 65c, 68c and	75c
Men's Fine Sox	19c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c

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75c, 98c, \$1.18, \$1.28, \$1.68, \$1.98

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SULTAN OF TURKEY HAS PASSED AWAY

Succeeded to Throne When Brother Was Deposed in 1909

PRISONER 33 YEARS Had Been Under the Thumb of Germany Ever Since He Became Ruler

Amsterdam, July 4.—Mohammed V., Sultan of Turkey, died at 7 o'clock last night, says a Constantinople despatch received here today by way of Vienna.

Mohammed V., thirty-fifth sovereign of Turkey in direct descent of the House of Osman, founder of the empire, came to the throne by a coup d'etat on April 27, 1909, after having been held for thirty-three years a prisoner by his brother, Sultan Abdul II., in the royal palace and gardens in Constantinople. The scheming Abdul II., intended that his own son, Prince Burhan Edine, described as the most brilliant and gifted of the princes of the House of Osman, should succeed him. But this plan was thwarted when Parliament deposed Abdul and placed his prisoner brother, Mohammed Reschad Efendi, on the throne as Mohammed V.

The Shek-ul-Islam, head of the Moslem church, drew up the decree of deposition, which passed Parliament without a dissenting voice. Five minutes later, Mohammed, who during his imprisonment had had no experience in the duties of government, being purposely denied education in such matters by his brother, was declared Sultan. The same afternoon he took the oath of fidelity to the Turkish constitution, and 101 guns proclaimed the new sovereign.

In 1914, at the outbreak of the present war, Mohammed issued a proclamation blaming the Triple Entente with thrusting war on Turkey. He exchanged telegrams of greeting with the German Emperor, from whom he later received the Iron Cross. When England and France declared that a state of war existed with Turkey he arranged to send troops to Germany whenever needed. In return he was appointed field marshal by the German Emperor, and received the "Baton" of that office from Field Marshal von Mackensen.

The Turkish Empire paid dearly for his entry into the great war. Russia overran Armenia and the British troops were forced to the valleys of the Euphrates and the Tigris, and took Jerusalem, Bagdad and other important cities from them with great loss of life and treasure. Under him Turkey has become virtually a German vassal in the autocratic scheme of the German powers for Teutonic ascendancy in Central Europe. The next heir to the throne, Yussuf Izzeddin, is the son of the late Sultan Abdul Aziz, and was therefore first cousin of Mohammed V.

ITALIAN OFFICIAL

By Courier Leased Wire. — Rome, July 3.—In their offensive movement began on Tuesday along the Lower Piave front near the Adriatic, the Italians continued to gain ground yesterday. The war office announced today that additional progress had been made by the Italian forces north of Cavazuccheri, etc.

The work of destroying machine gun nests secreted in houses and behind embankments in the coastal zone has been effectively continued. In continuation of their operation in the mountain area, the Italians enlarged their position in the region of the San Lorenzo valley. In the fighting on the Piave front, 223 prisoners were taken together with machine guns and much war material.

BIG BLAZE IN KIEV

By Courier Leased Wire. — (By The Associated Press). — Details have been received of the second big fire in Kiev, which destroyed buildings in an area five miles square. Factories, docks, mills, barracks, wood and grain barges as well as a bridge across the Dnieper River, were burned.

LIVER ILLS ARE CURED BY HOOD'S PILLS

That Son-in-Law of Pa's

(By Wellington.)

"Roughing it." Isn't as Pa understands the term.



HERBERT DEAD. Wire. — John Milot, well known as a dirt racer and more recently as a speed boat racer, died in 1915 he piloted first over the Deser, winning the

STRIKE. Wire. — The execution of the Metal Trades union called this morning to call off the sympathy had called the go into effect at

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HOW CANADIANS DANCED BEHIND THE FIRING LINE

Graphic Story From West Front—Festivity Known Even Under Fire

(From W. A. Williston, Staff Correspondent of The Canadian Press in France.)

Canadian Army Headquarters in France, June 15.—Throughout Canada you will be having your dances and your garden parties, but none more enjoyable or more thoroughly appreciated than that given by a Canadian unit this afternoon somewhere back of the line. It would be a pleasure to describe minutely the grounds and the buildings and just as great a pleasure to be able to mention individuals, but military expedience permits of neither.

So, it must suffice that the driveway was shaded with trees, that the lawns were green, though untrimmed—for France has no men these days for gardening and the little luxuries of peace. As for the individuals—there were nursing sisters there, first of all from many Canadian and British Casualty Clearing Stations and with them were generals whose names are household words in the Dominion and colonels and staff officers of all ranks, the red and blue and green of tabs and hat bands combining with the smart uniforms of the nursing sisters to give touches of color to an animated scene.

Just before five o'clock, indoor baseball—played, of course, out-of-doors—demanded the attention of many hot and enthusiastic officers. But at five, the miniature war was forgotten and cakes and tea, coffee, biscuits, sandwiches, lemonade, and other delicacies proved that, at war or not, Canadians are equal to most occasions. After tea there were green walks and shady lanes and old pictures and china and comfortable chairs and more games—things to satisfy many tastes and as far removed from the war as the sphere of the place and the thoughts of those who had the good fortune to be present.

So much for the day. In the evening there was regimental music, a good floor and delightful partners. No wonder the garden party was a success and that people left reluctantly and only at the last minute. You who read have all seen many dance programs, but you have seen one of a fighting unit at rest, but still within sight of the flames of No Man's Land. For that reason, I reproduce the following. You will notice that the waltz and the two-step are favored above their newer rivals.

Program of Music.

1. One step, A. in C.
2. Fox trot, York Wonder.
3. Waltz, Nights of Gladness.
4. One-step, Chinatown.
5. Waltz, Kiss Me Too.
6. One step, Glad's Day in Dixie.
7. Waltz, Barbara.
8. Two step, Tulip Time in Holland.
9. One step, Old Fall River Lane.
10. Waltz, Amorosa.
11. One step, When It's Night Time Down in Burgundy.
12. Fox trot, The Irish Tango.

Extras.

1. Waltz, On the Shores of Italy.
2. One step, Good-night Nurse.
3. Two step, selected.

And last, and most impressive incident of all the day, the old, world-wide prayer of the Empire, "God Save the King," with the instantaneous cessation of all movement and officers standing at attention. How often you have seen it at home, but out here there is a reality and a significance to that homage and that acknowledgment. It is not of a man, but of an Empire and a faith personified—that is not always apparent at home and that purpose that is in the hearing of those women who deal with death in France because of the faith that is in them.

Then the cars and other and

- varied means of transportation and a happy day is passing into a morning that may bring a new offensive. And not mind, later you might have sat on the steps of a mess with one of your partners at the dance and watched the searchlights sweeping the sky for enemy aeroplanes. In the moonlight you could have seen the bursting of anti-aircraft shells—mere fire-flies of light in a great space and here and there you could have heard the distant rattle of machine guns. Then, as the night grew on, you would hear the distant and unmistakable hum of hostile machines and the far away burst of exploding bombs.
- In tents close at hand, other sisters were tending to the wounds of grievously injured men and even at that time some soul might have gone out that died for Empire's sake. For many have so gone out in this Canadian Casualty Clearing Station lately. Just beside you there is a ward where tortured men are fighting with all the agonies of pain, the agonies that Germany introduced into civilized warfare.
- Always there is the tragedy—always the glory of men who suffer and die that freedom may live on the earth. Always there is the patient, wonderful service of nursing sisters, who know of the agony and the terrible torture of war and who love to serve and so living are touched by the Divine.
- The enemy has dropped his bombs and the night is quiet. One wonders if some other Casualty Clearing Station has been his prey—wounded men have gone to their last rest and nursing sisters have died in service before now under enemy bomb fire as well as children and babes.

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The simple little frock shown in this number, 8746, is very girlish in effect. The waist is bloused over the narrow cuffs and the one piece skirt is gathered slightly all around. The centre front of the waist shows the duchess closing, with fastenings on both sides. A narrow roll collar of satin has a tie of the same material slipped under it. The long Bishop sleeves are gathered into deep cuffs, which are finished with narrow turnovers to match the other trimmings. The pockets are a matter of choice.

The miss' or small woman's dress pattern No. 8746 is cut in three sizes—16, 18 and 20 years. Width at lower edge of skirt is 3 1/2 yards. As on the figure, the 16 year size requires 3 3/4 yards 30 inch or 2 1/2 yards 34 inch material, with 1/4 yard 36 inch silk.

To obtain this pattern send 15 cents to The Courier office, or two for 25 cents.

4,081 MEMBERS OF THE TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION IN THE WAR

International Organization Which is Doing Its Bit Towards Helping Beat the Kaiser

The International Typographical Union has issued "Somewhere in France," a mighty interesting booklet of most recent date, which contains much information concerning the union and its members; especially those who have answered their country's call in the great world war.

On June 15, 1918, 4,081 journeymen members of the union and 656 apprentices were in the army and navy forces of the United States and Canada.

Seventy-five members have fallen in battle in France or have died in military camps in Canada and the United States. The majority of those who have fallen are Canadians, owing to the greater length of their service in the war.

To the widows, orphans, fathers, mothers or other relatives of these men the International Union has paid mortuary benefits amounting to \$22,350.

During the past twelve months the union has paid \$354,000 to 3,500 old age pensioners.

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The total expense for the maintenance and for improvements at the Union Printers Home at Colorado Springs last year was \$167,600.

The union has invested \$30,000 in each of the three U. S. Liberty Loans, \$90,000 in all. Subordinate organizations and individual members have invested more than \$3,000,000 in these securities.

Strike expenses for the past twelve months were but \$237.

Marsden G. Scott, of Indianapolis, the president of the union, in a statement says: "The gross earnings of the members amounted to more than \$71,000,000 for the year for 62,000 members, and the insignificant amount expended for strike purposes reflects our determination to give full patriotic support to the government's policy when we live in the terrific responsibilities which now confront us all. The officers of this International Union are volunteers and for improvements at the Union Printers Home at Colorado Springs last year was \$167,600.

The editorials dwell among other things on the United States disinterested entry the war; her determination for victory; her thoroughness of her preparations; the speedy and successful transportation of the million soldiers and the ample cooperation of the navy. The historical change in American and British relations is commented upon with special emphasis on the hope and belief for a lasting and true friendship and understanding between the two peoples.

Music and Drama

THE BRANT.

A clever and pleasing review of Scotch and Irish songs and dances is that presented at the Brant Theatre the last of this week by the Douglas Family, a company of six talented entertainers, whose offering is replete with variety and originality. Piquant Mabel Normand is the star in her latest Goldwyn success, "The Venus Model," a comedy-drama of a girl who found a fortune in a bathing suit. In which the comedy-drama, not the bathing suit—the inimitable little star scores one of her greatest successes. Pearl White and Antonio Moreno are featured in the third episode of the mystery serial, "The House of Hate." The Pathe Gazette also adds interest to the program.

THE REX.

Charlie Chaplin is seen at the Rex the last of this week in one of his best comedies; old, but so is the best wine; perhaps seen before, but Charlie is always worth seeing twice or oftener. Charles Ray is starred in Ince's Paramount production, "Playing the Game," the story of a young man who makes good against heavy odds. Dave Raftal presents a clever comedy vaudeville offering in the skit, "A Night on Broadway." The thirteenth episode of the serial, "The Woman in the Web," featuring Hedda Nova and Frank Glendon, draws the story near to a close. Next week an unusual attraction will be presented, in the picture, "The Kaiser—the Beast of Berlin."

PHILMETS.

Though Tom Moore has been a favorite in the drama of silent years, and you wouldn't think his voice mattered at all, he is sufficiently careful of it to use constantly lozenges prepared expressly for him. He uses many of them during the course of the day, offering the explanation that unless his voice is in good condition he cannot act, even silently. This is positively Tom's only idiosyncrasy. After all, who would deny a popular leading man a mere cough drop?

Mary Mann has been using her limonine. Her dressmaker to do her fitting, it was necessary to make double-quick time for her new comedy, so instead of taking a few hours off to go to the dressmaker's shop, she took the dressmaker with her on locations and had the fittings made while en route.

The greatest furor that has been caused in motion picture circles of the West since pictures began, was the threatened wedding of "Bill" Hart, the bad man of the stage and screen. Bill refused to commit himself when first asked about the approaching nuptial affair, but the glimmer in his eye led everyone to understand that it was serious. The young lady who captured the "bad" man is Miss Margaret Evans.

at Butte, Mont. Bill met her while on his Liberty Loan campaign recently, and it is now reported that she is in Los Angeles with her parents, and wedding bells may soon ring for the screen's greatest young man. Though now scarcely ever seen in

a light role, it is a fact that Fritz Brunette, Selig player, began her career in pictures as a comedienne, and was eminently successful, too. Edna Goodrich, vivacious and brilliant young star, has endorsed the campaign against elaborate late suppers in the theatrical profession.

DOMINATES PAPERS.

By Courier Leased Wire.

London, July 4.—The celebration of the Fourth of July and the arrival of the first million American soldiers dominate the morning newspapers. Many news columns are filled with details of the commemorative functions in Great Britain; cordial statements from prominent Britons and American cablegrams telling of the celebration in America and special articles dealing with various aspects of the day.

A MAJORITY.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Amsterdam, July 4.—The returns from yesterday's elections in 92 constituencies indicate that the Conservative elements will have a majority in the Second Chamber of the Dutch Parliament, according to The Handelsblad to-day.

BRANT Theatre

Showing Special Features

Mabel Normand
—IN—
"The Venus Model"
The Story of a Girl Who Found a Fortune in a Bathing Suit

3rd Chapter
The House of Hate
Featuring PEARL WHITE and ANTONIO MORENO

The Douglas Family
6-PEOPLE-6
Scotch and Irish Song and Dance Revue

Pathe News of the World

Coming Monday
The Star Beautiful
ELSIE FERGUSON
—IN—
The Doll's House

REX Theatre

Vaudeville Pictures

Thursday, Friday, Saturday
Charlie Chaplin
—IN—
One of His Screaming Comedies

CHARLES RAY
—IN—
Playing the Game
DAVE RAFAEL

A Night on Broadway

13th Episode
The Woman in the Web

Coming Monday
GEORGE WALSH
—IN—
This is The Life

Coming Thursday
THE KAISER
The Beast of Berlin

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TOMMIES ARE BELIEVERS IN SOOTHSAYERS

Albert Legend Found Many Ready Listeners Among British Soldiers

ONE PECULIAR CASE

Forecasts Were Unpopular Until Prophet Propheesied His Own Wounding

(By Tom. Gezzie in Toronto Star.)
Glasgow, July 5.—During 1915 when the French held Albert a German shell struck the church tower and wrecked it. Massive blocks of stone were hurled hundreds of feet away, steel girders fell in the street below, but the figure of the Mother and the Child was bent over face downwards at right angles to the height of the building and remained there. Many thousands of British soldiers since 1915 have marched below the astonishing sight of a statue gazing piteously down on mankind and held in place apparently by nothing, and every soldier, whether he has or has not actually seen this wonderful thing, has heard of and generally has believed in the Legend of Albert.

We are supposed to live in a material age in which superstition has no part. Black cats may be as unlucky as those of any of the sixteen plagues of a battalion, you may elect to go to the thirteenth as being just as unsafe as any of the others. Sailors, you say, may be superstitious, but not soldiers, yet time after time during the Somme battles the rumor gained currency that the Alberta Madonna had at last fallen and that therefore the downfall of the Hohenzollerns was at hand.

News Passed Along.
I have heard the news passed along the trenches before High Wood and Longueval in July, and again in Ghinchy and Guillemont in September, but always rumor was a lying tale. When the German horde rolled away from that devastated area the Alberta Madonna was still on high, but we have it on the authority of press correspondents that during the latest defence of the town by the British the statue crashed to earth, and there are many thousands of civilians in France as well as matter-of-fact soldiers of the allied armies who look with confidence for the fulfilment of the latter part of the prophecy.

The other day I was trying to extract a story from a somewhat battered Gordon Highlander in a hospital here. He was one of the heroic 51st Division, a body of Scotsmen who have covered themselves with imperishable glory. He could as yet tell no connected tale. His impressions were blurred and indistinct, but he was chock full of sheer confidence, and at the end he said with a grin of satisfaction: "And, d'ye ken, the statue in Albert's doom."

The Regimental Soothsayer.
I suppose most battalions in the field have their seers and soothsayers. I well remember one who achieved a certain degree of unpopularity with us in the first year of the war. I fancy that I myself first turned his attention to the occult by persuading him into a few odd exhibitions of mesmerism at a regimental concert in Egypt twelve years ago. Be that as it may, Wilkie returned from the reserve on the outbreak of the war a full-fledged prophet and dreamer of dreams which came true.

He developed the nasty habit of predicting the early death or disablement of such N.C.O.'s as were reckless enough to detail him for unnecessary duties. It was only necessary to put Wilkie on general duty on a wet night to learn the following morning that Wilkie had had a dream and that you were earmarked for a wound, the seriousness of which depended upon the length of the fatigue.

His peeps into the future were often wrong, but, on the other hand, they were sometimes right, and it is success rather than the opposite which counts in such cases. It was useless pointing out to a somewhat disreputable lance-corporal that there was nothing uncanny in predicting that a person who continually worked in a field would one day most probably be caught in the rain. When Wilkie claimed to have fore-shadowed the death of Jock Mann, his company sergeant-major, who had just stepped in a bad bit of trench at St. Eloi, it was put to him, pretty plainly that this dreaming business had to end, and for several weeks I heard nothing more of Wilkie or his predictions.

Wilkie's Masterpiece.
After a month or so, however, Wilkie was heard of again when he produced his masterpiece. I heard it within twenty minutes of his awakening. It was in the captain's dug-out, inside the hour and haughtily told by telephone to battalion headquarters forthwith.

I had often admired our old colonel for his knowledge of men, but for quite a while so Wilkie's dream in this respect until I heard that he had ordered the O.C. company to give the story of Wilkie's dream as wide a circulation as possible. "Give out something to talk about, poor devils. I haven't heard anything yet about being relieved. I expect we'll be in for quite a while." So Wilkie's dream went the rounds. He, himself, was to be wounded—not seriously—of course, and he didn't quite know when, but soon, quite soon, and twelve days after his being wounded, the war would end.

It is the coldest sober truth when I say that more than half of a battalion of hard-headed Presbyterian Scots believed in Wilkie's dream. People begin to take an interest in his movements. He was invited to walk along the bit of trench where this G.S.M. had stopped one, but Wilkie was having some "Brighter" fatigues were now much too safe for a man in Wilkie's position. He noticed himself being detailed more and more for writing parties out in No Man's Land. For him it was an unfortunate prophecy.

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Food will win the War

Blighly, it killed our faith in prophecies—until we heard of the legend of Albert, and now, 'd'ye ken, the statue in Albert's doom.

Let it be thought that this superstitious belief in the seers and soothsayers is confined to the lower ranks in the army, let me point out that two weeks ago a crystal gazing woman was arrested in the west end of London for pretending to tell fortunes, and her client at the moment of arrest was a brigadier-general who was returning to France the next day and had dropped his final what the future had in store. So it Tommy Atkins is in this thing, evidently there are others.

FALLING OFF IN APPLE CROP SHOWN

Yield, Though Greater Than Last Year in Places, is Below the Average

Ottawa, July 4.—The fruit crop report for the month of June just issued by the Department of Agriculture indicates a slight falling off in prospects of the Canadian apple crop as compared with the previous report issued just after a blossoming period. In Nova Scotia it is doubtful if it will reach last year's total of two thousand barrels as compared with seven hundred thousand barrels last year.

In Ontario the bright prospects are in Prince Edward County, Georgian Bay and in the western counties. In these districts the yield while considerably below average will be much greater than last year. Early varieties give greater promise than late ones. Spys and Baldwins are very late in all districts. The Niagara peach crop will be about forty per cent. normal. At Burlington there has been severe winter killing and the crop is very light in other parts of Ontario as well as in Quebec and Eastern Canada is a failure. There is a heavy crop in British Columbia. The Niagara peach crop is not likely to exceed forty per cent. of normal. The decrease is due to very severe winter injury. The crop is practically a complete failure in other parts of Ontario.

JUDICIAL CHANGES.

Ottawa, July 4.—R. W. Denistown, K.C., Winnipeg has been appointed judge of the Court of Appeal, in the stead of Justice Perdue, who has been appointed to the chief judgeship of Manitoba.

SWEDEN PROTESTS.

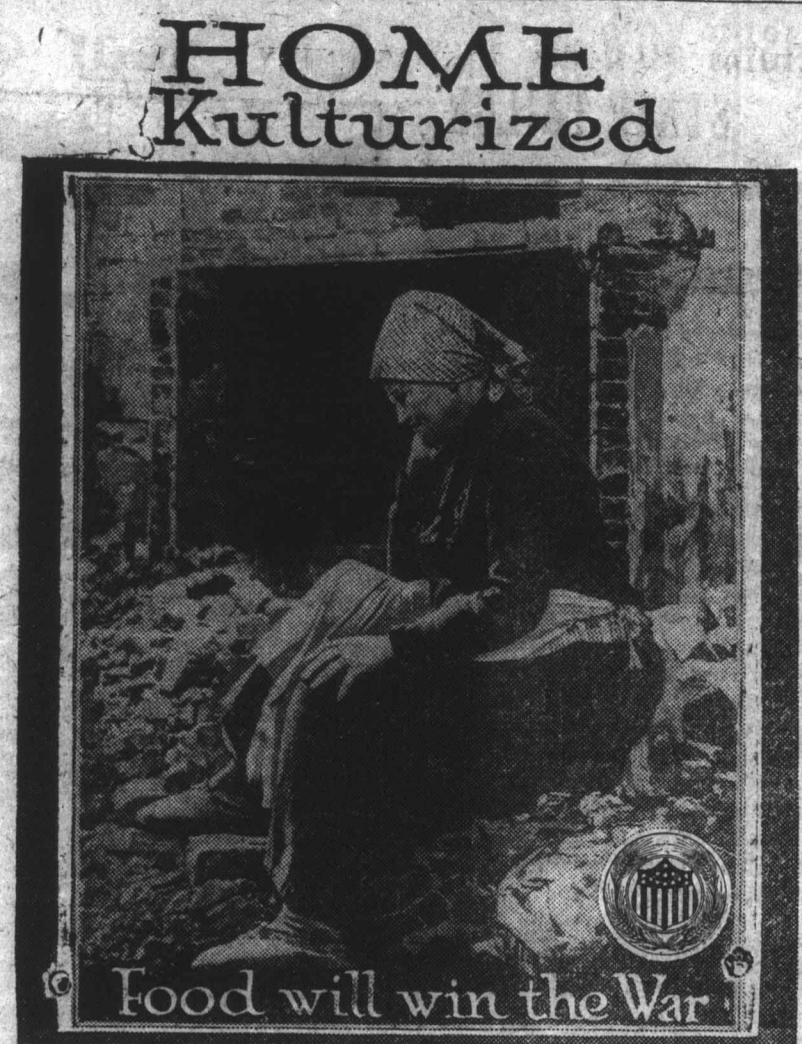
Stockholm, July 4.—The Swedish Government has protested to Berlin concerning the discovery of the Cattedgat of two anchored German mines which are dangerous to navigation. Sweden was not notified of the presence of the mines.

KILLED IN CAR SMASH.

Toronto, July 4.—Joseph Hughes was killed at 1.30 this morning, when an automobile in which he was riding running over the sidewalk turned upside down. The police came across the overturned automobile with Hughes lying underneath. William Pearsall, who drove the car, has been arrested on a charge of manslaughter and two other passengers were detained on charges of drunkenness.

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

Childhood constipation can be quickly banished through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and in this way, relieve all the minor ailments of little ones. Concerning them, Mrs. Eugene Couture, Knox Bridge, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have been marvelous in the case of my baby. She was constipated and feverish, but the Tablets soon regulated her bowels and made her well." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



AIRMAN KILLED.

By Courier Leased Wire
Camp Borden, Ont., July 4.—Cadet H. Kaplan, Royal Air Force, in training here, was killed as the result of an airplane accident. His next of kin is Mrs. F. Kaplan, 114 Robinson street, Winnipeg.

ELECTION INQUIRY OPENS.

Montreal, July 4.—The inquiry into the charges made by Joseph Archambault, M.P., for Chamby-Vercheres with regard to the conduct of the last federal election in the barracks at St. John's, Quebec, will open on August 26 in the court house, Montreal. Mr. Justice MacLennan presiding.

Mr. Archambault alleged that all the officers and men in barracks at St. John's last December swore that they had no other address in Canada and plumped for his opponent, J. H. Rainville, asking that their ballots be applied in the County of Chamby-Vercheres.

Four L. W. Wilsons seized in a New York raid, have been turned over to Federal authorities.

The Hot Weather Test makes people better acquainted with their resources of strength and endurance. Many find they need Hood's Sarsaparilla which invigorates the blood, promotes refreshing sleep and overcomes that tired feeling.

LONDON IS AGAIN A CENTER FOR FURS

Auction of Rare Skins is Renewed After Halt Caused by the War

THE PRICES ARE HIGH

London, July 5.—(From a Correspondent of the New York Evening Sun).—Millions of skins—muskrat, squirrel and beaver by the hundred thousand, bear and wolf by the thousand, silver fox and badger by the hundred, sable and stone marten by the ten, and sea otter, rare and precious, piled roof high in a dingy warehouse in a London back street.

The heavy atmosphere is redolent with the scent of the wilds. It might be Kamtschatka for the odor of bear's fat and fox skin, or the Rio Grande, with the faint trace of peat rock and wood smoke. Long slender men bronzed of face, and in their eyes that hard glitter of continuous struggle with the great spaces of nature, stride in and out of the great building, with rolling gait; corpulent Dutchmen; walnut skinned natives from far Brazil; Americans predominant; Russians, independent in their own furs; Indians and black merchants from below the Equator.

Here and there is one buyer in the uniform of a Canadian Colonel. He is known all over the West as among the greatest of the independent fur men. He has his stations and his trappers from the neighborhood of the Peace river to the edge of the Pole. From all over the world they foregather at this spot, twice every year, for the fur sales.

Romance Found at Sale.

The romance of the fur trade is not to be found with the trappers driving along the frozen waters of the Hudson Bay, nor with the hunters in Turkey-stair, but in this few square yards of bustling humanity, whose activities provide employment for the backwoodsmen of every continent.

Of these bundles of skins, this lot was gathered by a hunter who set out with dog train and pemican for a trip of 200 days in the wilds; that lot, were sent by trappers from the Arctic Circle, and yet another handsome pile of musk-ox, or muskrat—ruddy, brown, above, cinerous beneath, was bartered for supwearer and cheap jewelry from the wandering Indian tribes of the Northwest, who trap the muskrat on the bank of a lake, baited with sweet apples or parsnips.

The packages from Russia are significant. Many of the weathered families, scared by the uncertain methods of the Bolsheviks, have invested the remnants of their capital in fine furs, which they have sent here for sale. Significant also is

the absence of supplies from Canada; Canadian trappers are now mostly in khaki in France, hunting down more dangerous game.

With the outbreak of hostilities came a bad slump in the fur industry. No one wanted furs. The big merchants stored their stocks in their Thames side warehouses, and waited.

buying recommenced. America set the ball rolling. Muskion bosses, pling up their millions, wanted the furs for their wives and daughters. Strangely enough France followed suit, and France is one of the big buyers of fine furs to-day.

The enterprise of British merchants had brought raw skins from the ends of the world. London fur curers had acquired a special skill of their own. There were rival centres. There was a fur market of P.C.I.R. for instance, and the

street of furs in Tientsin. However, these stocks, hoarded little, London, like the market, you want good skins matched, said a big fur merchant from London, in Central Asia, "you must come to London for them." Stockholm, Moscow, Chicago, Formosa; up and down the world; West and East, go to London for their furs.

Last week one firm alone was selling close to 2,000,000 skins. The salesrooms are once more well filled. German and Austrian buyers are conspicuous by their absence, and no purchases are now being made from Russia. But others have more than taken their places. Prices are higher to-day than has ever been known before in the history of the trade, and they continue to soar. Many skins have more than doubled their pre-war prices. Beaver was \$8 before the war. For a time after war broke out it was almost unobtainable. Now it is fetching \$15. Muskrat before the war was 35 cents. Now it is over a half a dollar.

The U. S. Government is paying out \$500,000 insurance on the lives of 70 marines killed in France.

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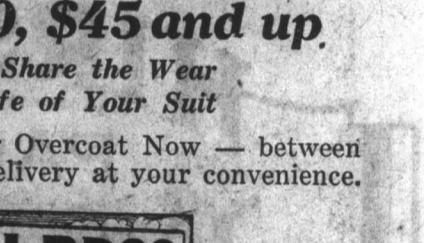
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Buy the charming bou-doir carton containing six Velnor sachets. Enjoy a shampoo tonight!

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TELLS HOW HE BROUGHT DOWN TWO FOE PLANES

Were the First German Machines to Fall Prey to American Aviators

Washington, July 5.—How Lieutenant Allan F. Winslow and Douglas Campbell, taking the air together, shot down the first two German airplanes to fall victims to American aviators with General Pershing's expeditionary forces is vividly told in the personal diary of Lieutenant Winslow, made public by the War Department. For their feat the officers were decorated by the French Government and later proposed for the American Distinguished Service Cross.

The account, which discloses that the two machines were sent down within a minute of each other and almost on top of an American airplane, was not written for publication, but the department explained that because of its historical and descriptive value it was decided to make it available to the public.

Lieutenant Winslow, who was the patrol leader, wrote that he and Lieutenant Campbell, since designated as the first American-trained ace, were on emergency call duty on Sunday morning, April 14, when at 8.45 o'clock information came that two German planes were about 2,000 meters above a city only a mile from their machines and were rushing to their machines and were soon off. Campbell in the lead. Winslow, however, was first to get his mark.

"I had not made a complete half-turn," Lieutenant Winslow wrote, "and was at noon about 250 meters when straight above, and ahead of me in the midst of the enemy moving, and not more than a hundred yards away, I saw a plane coming toward me with huge black crosses on its wings and tail. I was so far-

ious to see a Hun directly over our aviation field that I swore out loud and violently, opened fire. At the same time, to avoid my bullets, he slipped into a left-hand reversal and came down, firing on me. I continued however, in a right-hand spiral and slipped off, coming down directly behind him and on his tail. Again I violently opened fire, which was due to the greater speed and manoeuvre ability of our wonderful machines. I fired twenty or thirty rounds at him and could see my bullets entering his machine. Then, in another moment, his plane went straight down in an uncontrolled nose dive. I had put his engine out of commission.

"I followed in a straight dive, firing all the way. At about six feet above the ground he tried to regain control of his machine, but could not and he crashed to earth. I darted down near him, made a sharp turn by the wreck to make sure he was out of commission, then made a victorious swoop down over him, and climbed up again to see if 'Doug' needed any help with the other Hun. I had caught a glimpse of their combat out of the corner of my eye.

"I rose about 300 feet again, to see 'Doug' on the tail of his boche. His three bullets were passing throughout the enemy plane, I climbed a little higher, and was diving down on this second Hun, and about to fire, when I saw the German plane go up in flames and crash to earth. 'Doug' had sent his Hun plane down one minute after I had shot down mine. I saw the wreckage of the other plane and it had fallen in flames, rolling over three times and then completely burning up. The wreckage but a charred husk, like the skeleton of some huge animal. The Hun pilot had been thrown out and was badly off. His face, hands, feet, nose, and lungs were all burned while his leg was broken. He is now in a hospital and my boche is probably commencing his job of ditch digging for the rest of the war.

"They got much valuable information from my man, the other couldn't speak. He was a Pole, said he was not an officer because he was a Pole, although he had been an 'aspirant' and a pilot at the front for two years.

"This afternoon my wrecked Hun plane and the charred result of 'Doug's' good work were exhibited in the public square of the town, surrounded by an armed guard and joycocked by a French military band. It also was a great day for the townspeople and had a good moral effect. You can imagine the when you realize it took place above their roof tops at only 300 meters, and that they were able to see the whole fight."

chanic, no longer military, jumping up and down, waving his hat, pounding me on the back instead of saluting and saying 'Dear old dad.' Then Campbell and I rushed to our respective Hun wrecks.

"On the way there—it was only half a mile—I ran into a huge crowd of soldiers—blue and khaki—pressing about one man. I pushed my way through the crowd and he—he was a seravay, poorly clad little devil, dressed in a rotten German uniform. It was the Hun pilot of the machine I had shot down. It seems he would not believe that an American officer had brought him down. He looked me all over, and then asked me in good French if I was an American. When I answered 'yes' he had no more to say.

"There was a huge crowd around the wrecked plane, and the first man as well as for women. The commanding officer—and he was the happiest man in the world outside of me and 'Doug.' A French and a German officer stood by in a limousine to congratulate us—Colonels, Majors, all the pilots, all the French officers, mechanics—everybody from the town and camp. All had seen the fight. One woman, an innkeeper, told me she could sleep well from now on, and held up her baby for me to kiss. I had my machine take of everything available—but I got some splendid souvenirs. One that set me thinking was a watch on fire at 300 meters, and it had fallen in flames, rolling over three times and then completely burning up. The wreckage but a charred husk, like the skeleton of some huge animal. The Hun pilot had been thrown out and was badly off. His face, hands, feet, nose, and lungs were all burned while his leg was broken. He is now in a hospital and my boche is probably commencing his job of ditch digging for the rest of the war.

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KAISER NOW STATE TAILOR

He Sets Styles and Prices in Germany.

ALL CREDIT ABOLISHED

All shops have been commandeered under the latest scheme of an Anticredit Bill. He remains to be seen whether the Kaiser's whims will submit to the law.

EMPEROR WILLIAM is the greatest merchant tailor in the world. He has taken over practically the whole tailoring business of Germany, for men as well as for women. The Emperor is running his new tailoring business under the name of Reichsbekleidungsstelle, which means the Emperor's clothing place.

German newspapers announce the Kaiser's clothing shops are open for business in all parts of the Fatherland. Thus the Kaiser controls the whole clothing industry of the nation. He is in a position to dictate the style, the shade of goods to be used and the length of the skirts for women. At present the Kaiser seems



THE KAISER.

to favor dark goods for men's suits, but the newspapers say the goods used for the Kaiser's coats are exclusively of a dark shade.

Formerly it used to be the exclusive privilege of the military man to wear the Kaiser's coat, but now everybody practically not only wearing, but even compelled, to wear the Kaiser's coat. And the women will not only wear Kaiser coats, but also Kaiser skirts. It may be assumed the Kaiser is in favor of short and narrow skirts for women, in order to save material.

While the Kaiser is in charge of the wholesale department of the German clothing industry, so to speak, the local shops in the different cities, towns and villages are to be in charge of the retail work. However, the prices are fixed in Berlin by the Kaiser.

One cannot buy a hand-me-down easily on Saturday morning any longer. Nor will one have a chance to buy one leg of a pair of trousers this week and the other leg next week. Bargaining is forbidden, if the Kaiser has his way. No more clearing sales, no more fire sales, no more suit sales, no more hand-me-downs.

The German clothing industry will be in six series, from the letter A to F. All male Germans will soon know to which series they belong. They won't have to have their measurements taken. All they will have to do is to go to the Kaiser's shop and say: "Hand me down an A suit."

The Kaiser's salesman will know exactly what the customer wants, and any argument as to whether it fits well around the neck will be superfluous. And the customer must pay cash down for his suit. The Kaiser needs the money. No more suits on tick in the standing rule.

The Germans no longer can have a suit made to order, forget to pay the bill and fall to recognize the tailor when they happen to pass him in the street. Nor can they any longer buy a suit on tick and hook it with their uncle on the same day, to squander the ill-gotten gain in a beer garden.

Of course, the Kaiser has given him new clothing a high-sounding name. He calls the suits reichsanlage, meaning empire or state suits. The reichsanlage for men costs from 70 to 100 marks. This is about the same price that prevailed before the war for custom-made clothing.

Whether the women of Germany will submit to the styles dictated by the Kaiser remains to be seen. Newspapers announcing the Kaiser's new departure state the measure is first being applied to mere men, considered more docile. So if a revolution should break out in Germany these days it may be the Germans who rebelled against the Kaiser's styles.

Law in Mexico. A Mexican Congressman recently killed a Mexican general, but under the constitutional immunity from arrest, the murderer was allowed freedom until after the Mexican Congress adjourns.

Dear Old Dad. Father always has trouble in finding his hat unless it is on his head.

Children's Toy for Fletcher's CASTORIA

One Year of Food Administration



THE RESULTS

Reports of past production for March 1918, were over 30 per cent larger than for any previous month in the past seven years and almost three times as great as the highest amount exported in any month in the four years before 1915.

Reports of beef production for March 1918, were over 20 per cent larger than for any previous month in the past seven years and more than twice as great as the highest amount exported in any month in the four years before 1915.

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Reports of sugar production for March 1918, were over 20 per cent larger than for any previous month in the past seven years and more than twice as great as the highest amount exported in any month in the four years before 1915.

EUROPE'S NEEDS

In fasting Belgium, 1,500,000 stand daily in line for a morsel of bread and a cup of soup.

England has cut down sugar one-half; France and Italy allow one pound a month for each person.

All European countries are cutting war bread mixed with all the substitutes it will stand.

Meat in all countries is strictly rationed—usually about one ration a week for each person.

Multitudes—some estimate 4,000,000—in Europe have died for want of food since war began.

All Allied Europe depends on food from America.

THE METHOD

As a military necessity, Americans at present instead of what they usually eat, cultivate the home garden, preserve fruits against the winter, calculate their household expenses, restrict their purchases of money and food and energy.

Allied strategy shapes the food conservation campaign.

Military urgency gives force to every food regulation.

Food, iron, wool, leather—our laborer must have these things to make the army—his first claim on life.

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TORONTO CLEARINGS.
By Courier Lensed Wire
Toronto, July 4.—Bank clearings, \$93,991,546.

TO SUMMON DOCTOR.
By Courier Lensed Wire
Toronto, Ont., July 4.—Dr. Shaver, 11 West Hamilton, will be summoned by the Ontario License Board in the police court next Thursday on a charge arising from the arrest of a youth found drunk, who declared that he got a prescription from the doctor.

President Wilson has given Food Administrator Hoover power to pay more than \$2.00 for wheat if he deems fit.

PROMINENT MAN ENDORSES TANLAC

Menard Says It's The Finest Thing of Its Kind on Earth

"I am getting better results from Tanlac than from any medicine I have ever used and I am thoroughly convinced that it is the finest thing in the world for troubles like I had," said Mr. Menard, who resides at 142, Augusta avenue, Ottawa, in an interview recently. Mr. Menard is a prominent figure among the Dominion Government employees in Ottawa, having been building inspector for four years and now superintendent of the distribution of public printing.

"On and on for the past four years," Mr. Menard continued, "I have suffered from a very severe and stubborn case of stomach trouble, which seemed to yield to no treatment as I kept getting worse. Last October I got in such a bad way that everything I would eat absorbed with me, shortly after eating, gas would form on my stomach, causing a tight, depressed feeling in my chest. I was constantly belching up the undigested particles of food and at times I felt like I was choking. The gas would press around my heart causing sharp pains, and there was such a huffing in the pit of my stomach, at times I could hardly bear the weight of my hand there. There was a mean taste in my mouth all the time, my head felt heavy and dull, and I often had dizzy spells. My energy seemed to be all gone; I felt but and out of sorts all the time and was getting discouraged because it looked like nothing would give me any relief.

"Seeing Tanlac so highly endorsed I decided to give it a trial and without going into detail about my improvement with each bottle, I'll just say that I am now on my fifth bottle and am simply doing fine. I have never taken a medicine—ard have tried lots of them—that helped me like it has. I am not bothered with my stomach any more, like as much as I used to be, and I believe I am getting rid of indigestion entirely. All that sourness and fermentation and gas is leaving my stomach and I never feel that tight, choking sensation now at all. I seem to be getting the proper nourishment from my food, so I have gained five pounds in the last two weeks. These splendid results give me confidence in Tanlac and I cheerfully recommend it for what it has already accomplished in my case."

Tanlac is sold in Brantford by Robertson Drug Store, in Paris by Appa, Ltd., in Mt. Vernon by A. Toemans, in Middleport by William Geddis, in Quondaga by Nell McShinahan.

GREAT SPEED.

New York, July 5.—Equipped with Liberty motors which drove the huge battleship in 11 miles an hour the first flight of an American built capital aircraft was made yesterday at Mineola. The announcement by the Aero Club of America here last night said the trial was successful and the speed attained was remarkable for a machine so heavy.

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Willie Keeler Says Palm Must be Handed to Ty Cobb as Greatest Ball-Player

Old-Timer Says Present-Day Third-Basemen Can't Equal Jimmy Collins—No Catcher to Compare With "Buck" Ewing

Many of the fans who witness big league ball games nowadays do not remember Willie Keeler, once the champion batsman of the National league, who played right field for two pennant winners, the Baltimore Orioles and the Brooklyn, both managed by Edward Hanlon, veteran followers of baseball who saw Keeler in his prime, will tell you that he was one of the greatest players that ever wore spikes. Keeler is the owner of valuable real estate in Brooklyn, and is busy most of the time collecting rents. But now and then he goes to Ebbets field to see his old friend Wilbur Robinson or to the Polo grounds to talk over old times with John J. McGraw.

Keeler was a kid when he first wore a Giants' uniform in 1893. John M. Ward had purchased him from the Binghamton club in the spring of that year to try him at third base. But as Keeler was a left-handed thrower, Ward soon decided that he couldn't succeed, so the little fellow was sold to the Brooklyn club. Still confining his efforts to third base, Keeler also was a failure in Brooklyn, and before the season of 1894 opened he was traded to the Orioles with big Dan Brouthers for Shindle and Treadway. Hanlon promptly assigned Keeler to right field and the Orioles proceeded to capture the pennant. Keeler played 127 games that year and batted .367. The Orioles repeated in 1895 and Keeler rolled up a batting average of .394. Playing right field for the Baltimore in 1897 and 1898, Willie led the National league in batting with .430 and .379 respectively. His .432 record was exceeded by one man, Hugh Duffy of the Boston, who batted .433 in 1894.

As a bunter and base runner Keeler was in the front rank. It was a difficult task to pitch to him, as he crowded the plate and was a patient water. He was a member of the Yankees when they were organized by Clark Griffith in 1897, and 1898. Willie has kept himself posted since his retirement, and his opinions regarding some of the best-known players of the past and present doubtless will interest baseball readers.

Declares the Pitching Has Greatly Improved

"I have studied the modern game closely," said Keeler recently, "and I will freely admit that the pitching has greatly improved since the days when I played with the champion Baltimore. Then we were lucky to have two good pitchers. In fact the National league teams of that period never carried more than three or four. The Orioles won the pennant in 1894 with one first class pitcher, Sadie McMahon. We had Hawke, Gleason, Esper and Hemming too, but McMahon was the team's mainstay. The Orioles were successful because they could hit, field, run, the bases and do the unexpected. It seems strange, therefore, to see the present day carrying eight or ten pitchers, whom four or five possess real class."

"The splitball is the only new whiffery that I have noted, the curves, speed and change of pace being about the same. The best pitcher I ever faced was Amos Rusie, of the Giants. Rusie had the fastest curve ball that ever was delivered. It wasn't so very wide, but it broke right in front of the batter and was perfectly controlled. Rusie's speed ball was about the same. He seldom gave more than one or two passes and frequently tanned all the way from six to twelve men. When a team made a dozen hits off Rusie he was in poor form. Joutel Meekin had as much speed as Rusie, but he didn't have the same curve ball. Other great pitchers against whom I have batted were Cy Young and Ed Walsh. Chesbro was a wonder, but I guess the smartest pitcher of all was Christy Mathewson. Places Ty Cobb ahead of all hitters."

"Ty Cobb, in my opinion, is the champion batsman of all time," continued Keeler. "In fact, he is the best ball player I've ever laid eyes on. He hasn't a weak point. He can hit all kinds of pitching and is the king of base stealers. Bill Lange, of the old Chicago, was a player of the Cobb type, and Harry Stovey might have given Ty a race for base running honors. Speaker is another wonderful player, perhaps superior to the best in my time. Billy Hamilton, of the Phillies and Boston of 20 years ago, also was a fast man on the paths. Tom McFadden, too, was a sterling outfielder, also Joe Kelley.

"Who was the best shortstop? Why, Hans Wagner, of course. Hugh Jennings and Herman Long were magnificent shortstops, but they didn't last as long as Wagner. Hans covered more ground than his competitors and had a powerful throwing arm. Besides he never made a tactical blunder in the field, as far as I know.

"Of the leading second basemen I can't go beyond Napoleon Lajoie and Eddie Collins. Lajoie was one of the most graceful infielders that ever played in fast company. He did everything well and was a natural born hitter. Collins is more stylish in his work. You might say that he handles a ball with more snap than Lajoie. Both of these men excelled in a knowledge of how to play for certain basemen. Rated behind them were Fred Pfeffer, Ed McPhee, Bobby Lowe and other good second basemen of long ago.



NEW LAND SETTLEMENT LOAN APPOINTMENTS. This picture shows the recently appointed members of the Loan Advisory Board for Toronto, which has been created to administer the financial portion of the work of the Dominion Settlement Board, which has been decided upon for War Veterans residing in Ontario. From left to right are: Fred Drake, Major Hume Cronyn, R. S. Hudson, general manager of the Canada Permanent Loan, and H. C. Schofield, and W. Nickel, M.P.

Sporting Comment

SECRETS OF GOOD PITCHING.

(By Eddie Cicotte.)

In The Baseball Magazine for July Eddie Cicotte, the star pitcher of the world's champion White Sox, tells some of his secrets of pitching and also gives some good advice for young pitchers.

For several seasons I have been called a fading veteran. In fact, more than a year ago I was accused of being nearly through. The fact that last season was the best I ever had, has perhaps, offset these rumors to a certain extent. But I cannot disguise my age, even to myself. I am 34, old for a player with eleven years service in the major leagues behind me and a fifteen-year stretch since I began my career as a professional pitcher.

Edward Plank had two well-known theories. In the first he contended that a pitcher has only a certain number of pitched balls in his old soup bone and that when he has relieved his system of the last of these he is through.

Upon theory number two he explained his own presence in the lineup when he was past 40 years of age. "I began very late," he said, "and so I shall last a good deal longer than the fellows who started when they were youngsters."

Now Plank had a very wise head on his shoulders. He had four years of experience and he learned much. Doubtless there was more than a grain of truth in both his theories. But, according to Plank, I ought to be on the verge of the "has-been" class myself. While on the contrary I never felt better in my life.

I should be inclined to explain Edward Plank's long years of service on a slightly different basis. Plank had a cool head, that never got rattled. He had excellent control. And, above all else, he had an easy arm motion. Show me the pitcher with these three things and I will show you a pitcher who, barring the hazards of the game, should last for many seasons.

You will find that the pitchers who use themselves up at an early age, almost always throw the ball with a snap motion of their arms. There was Joe Wood, for instance. Wood had unusual ability, but he had a delivery that always seemed to me to be very wearing on the arm. I know Walter Johnson once said that it made his own arm ache to see Wood pitch. Now, it is true that Wood pitched in the major leagues at an unusually early age. But it is also true that he has not done much work for the past two seasons at an age when a pitcher should just be rounding into his prime.

The first rule that I would tell any young pitcher is to live a normal, healthy life. He can stand late hours when he is young, but he can't dodge the effects of those late hours when he passes the 30 mark. I am not a prohibitionist. In fact, I enjoy a glass of beer as well as the next man. But I have lived on a fairly even schedule and have no bad debts in the form of wasted time and energy to pay up for now.

I eat well and sleep well, which is the main thing. Health is surely the foundation of a ball player's success in an ever greater degree in most business. And every business man will tell you that health is the most important thing in the world.

The second rule that I would tell a young fellow starting out on the long road to the major leagues is to develop control. Control is easily 60 per cent. of a pitcher's effectiveness. I have known dozens of young fellows with great speed and strength. They would burn the ball across the plate and for awhile they would get by. But sooner or later those wise batters that infest the major league woods would get wise to their curves and hammer them out of the box.

The third rule that I should give to young pitchers is to acquire coolness under fire. A pitcher stands getting knocked out of the box. But getting knocked out of the box is frequently due to the fact that the pitcher himself becomes badly rattled. One or two long hits get him entirely off balance and then he goes up in the air. It is the one bad inning which wrecks half games, for statistics show that the winning club usually scores more runs in a single inning than the losing club did in nine.

The fourth rule I should tell the beginner really is most important of all. It is most important because it includes all the rest. It is simply to learn to use your head as all times. The pitcher who does this will observe the other rules I have tried to enumerate, and probably observe more than I may have omitted. There is no good substitute for brains anywhere. In any profession, now and then a pitcher has so much stuff that he can get by for awhile by use of very little real intelligence. But I believe no pitcher ever made a lasting success without good head work.

STEAMER ORISSA SUNK. By Courier Leased Wire. An Atlantic Port, July 4.—An Associated Press despatch says: In an attack by a German submarine on a convoy of merchant ships bound for America, a vessel named Orissa, was torpedoed and sunk off the Spanish coast several days ago. The attack was reported on the arrival to-day of one of the members of a convoy of a big British passenger liner.

Another torpedo narrowly missed hitting the passenger vessel. Destroyers accompanying the fleet closed in and discharged depth bombs, passengers on the steamship said. They did not learn whether the Orissa was destroyed, nor did they know anything regarding the fate of those on board the Orissa.

There are two British steamships named Orissa, one of 5,436 tons, and the other of 5,358 tons gross.

In All The Big Leagues

NEW LEAGUE.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Binghamton	39	16	709
Rochester	34	21	618
Baltimore	33	25	569
Toronto	34	26	567
Buffalo	28	30	483
Newark	25	20	557
Syracuse	19	34	358
Jersey City	12	42	222

Yesterday's Results.

Toronto	2	Buffalo	3
Baltimore	5	Binghamton	4
Binghamton	5	Baltimore	2
Rochester	4	Syracuse	1
Syracuse	5	Rochester	2
Newark	3	Jersey City	3
Newark	7	Jersey City	3

Games to-day—Buffalo at Rochester, Binghamton at Jersey City, Others not scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	43	32	572
New York	38	29	567
Chicago	40	29	563
Washington	39	34	534
Chicago	34	35	493
St. Louis	34	38	472
Detroit	28	40	412
Philadelphia	25	42	373

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago	7	Detroit	1
Chicago	2	Detroit	1
New York	7	Washington	0
Washington	3	New York	3
Cleveland	4	St. Louis	2
Cleveland	9	St. Louis	8
Boston	11	Philadelphia	9
Philadelphia	2	Boston	1

Games to-day—Boston at Philadelphia, New York at Washington, Others not scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	47	19	712
New York	42	22	656
Philadelphia	31	31	500
Pittsburg	32	34	485
Boston	31	37	456
Brooklyn	28	38	423
Chicago	28	38	391
St. Louis	26	42	382

Yesterday's Results.

Pittsburg	1	Cincinnati	4
Pittsburg	8	Cincinnati	4
Chicago	1	St. Louis	0
Chicago	1	St. Louis	0
Brooklyn	2	New York	0
Brooklyn	4	New York	3
Philadelphia	2	Boston	1
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Games to-day—Chicago at St. Louis, Others not scheduled.

Bowling

At Dufferin Green

The Pastimes beat the Dufferins last night. The scores:

Dufferins	Pastimes
T. S. Ward	W. J. Blair
H. Henderson	F. Knowlton
G. Taylor	F. Hartley
R. Gowman	C. Ricker
F. McGregor	S. Lipp
R. C. Burns	M. Stillman
A. McAdams	E. Symons
H. B. Stone	A. Alken
W. J. Millard	W. Hampshire
D. Snider	J. A. Halner
J. G. Townsend	A. Burnley
S. G. Ball	J. O. Spence
E. Back	F. Stone
E. Walsh	G. Skirrington
S. R. Barrett	A. Ames
R. Burke	R. Hope
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Dr. Garley	W. Scott
A. McIntyre	J. Blair
Dr. Watson	S. Taber
W. H. Inglis	P. S. Blain
skip	skip
G. Ellis	H. Fife
F. Mann	T. Brennan
W. H. Hamilton	R. Gorton
A. F. Wicks	S. Burnley
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A. C. Percy	S. McQuillan
H. Taylor	F. Hardy
L. E. Mason	J. A. Taylor
O. Morris	F. Corey
skip	skip
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IS DEAD.

By Courier Leased Wire. Rome, July 5.—Cardinal Sebastian Martinielli, prefect of the Sacred Congregation of Rites and former papal delegate in the United States is dead.

TREATY PASSED.

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, July 5.—The Reichstag has passed the peace treaty and supplementary treaties with Romania, according to a Berlin dispatch. The Independent Socialists voted against all the treaties.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

NOTICE TO PATRONS!

DURING the Winter of 1917-18 there was a shortage of natural gas over our entire system, and the same conditions are likely to exist for the coming winter of 1918-19, with the additional difficulties of a further decline in the available supply as against an increased demand due to the trouble of getting coal, and the high prices of substitute fuels.

In view of this outlook, the Company believes it to be a duty to advise all its consumers not to wait until fall to get a supply of coal or other fuel, or to get ready supplemental appliances, but to get busy now and provide auxiliary equipment and fuel for next winter. The company further warn their patrons not to depend on natural gas as the principal means of heating during the cold weather.

The Company is doing its utmost to maintain the supply, but the difficulty of getting men, machinery, pipe and materials is hard to overcome, and any additional supply obtained will not be sufficient to equal the probable demand. **BRANTFORD GAS COY**

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SPECIAL NO. 1. New Spring Suits at 1-3 off

A beautiful variety of styles, colors and materials, of course they are broken sizes, but if we have one to fit you in the color and style you were thinking of, we are sure the price will suit. Some specials, \$8.95, \$10.00, \$12.50. **\$14.75** Better See These. It Will Pay You.

SPECIAL NO. 3. Dresses

Silk Poplin Dresses. Colors are black, taupe, shd, navy and grey. Three different good styles to choose from. Regular values up to \$15.50. White they last. **\$10.98** Beautiful Dresses for Misses. ACT QUICKLY—ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER

SPECIAL NO. 6. Skirts

Silk Poplin Skirts, only 12 left. Assorted colors. Regular values up to \$8.50. **\$4.98** Special. Silk Poplin Skirts, colors are black, navy, sand, green and taupe. These styles are chosen from. Regular value up to \$9.00. Special Sale **\$6.50** Price. Twenty Only Silk Poplin Skirts. Colors are black, navy and taupe. Regular up to \$5.50. Special at **\$5.69**

SPECIAL NO. 2. New Suits 1-2 off

In All-Wool Serge, Poplin, Gabardine and Porter Twill. Fine assortment of colors and styles. Some tailored or semi-tailored. Others with Misses' Sport Suit effect, in special lots at \$10.00, \$12.95, \$15.00. **\$24.50** \$18.50 and **\$24.50** Don't wait until you read a Good Suit. Buy one now and save money. Let us show you Good Suits at 1-2 off.

SPECIAL NO. 5. Silk Poplin Dresses

A beautiful model with two pockets, finished with Tuxedo satin roll collar and Georgette crepe sleeves. Colors are black, sand, taupe, Poplin grey and Pekin blue. Regular values \$17.50. Sale Price **\$13.95** Special only **\$13.95** DO NOT OVERLOOK THIS GREAT VALUE

SPECIAL NO. 8. Wash Dresses

36 Wash Dresses, good styles. Regular up to \$10.00. **\$5.00** Special at only **\$5.00** Taffeta Skirts. 20 pairs. Regular up to \$7.50. Special at **\$4.49**

Another Success

Ladies, since more through your kind patronage we have made good. This sale has proven to you the genuine bargains we are offering. Our one regret is our inability to handle the large crowds that flocked to this money-saving event. We would ask you to come early Saturday morning.

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White Repp Skirts. Special at **98c** **60c ONLY LEFT** Wash Sport Skirts. **\$1.98** Special at **\$2.49** Palm Beach Skirts. **\$2.49** Special at **\$2.49** Check Skirts. **\$2.49** White Gabardine Skirts. Special at **97.75** White Pique Skirts. **\$1.50** Special at **\$1.50** Fine Selection of Bathing Caps and Heavy Gabardines at Very Special Prices.

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