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THE WEATHER—FAIR AND COOL.

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Allies Have Retaken Nearly All the Ground Lost To Foe Since the Beginning of March

Victory Smiles on Allied Armies as Huns Retreat on Front from Ypres to Rheims

Paris, Sept. 5.—Victory still smiles on the Allied armies. The enemy is in retreat along the whole line from Ypres to Rheims. Honors yesterday were with the French-Americans of the Allied right wing, which at last gained the reward of several days' persistent effort. Exactly how far they advanced is difficult to say, for the line moved forward hourly. The enemy, who has lost heavily in men, announced by a hurried destruction of material his intention of abandoning, if he has not already done so, Chauny, Jussy, La Fere and probably Ham. There can be no doubt of his retreating in a general direction of St. Quentin to take up the positions of the Hindenburg line, which he held after the strategic withdrawal in 1917. Only this time the Allied troops are forcing his movement and pressing hard on his heels, causing him heavy losses. In a short time now we shall have recovered all the ground lost since March and shall have gained east of Arras a position which is a permanent threat for Douai and Cambrai. In less than six months Ludendorff will have been ruined, as well as the effectiveness and morale of those western German armies, so formidable at the beginning of the year.

HAIG'S FORCES ARE KNOCKING AT THE GATES OF CAMBRAI

Drive of British Forces Through the Hindenburg Line Takes Tommies Within Striking Distance of the Important Town.

New York, Sept. 5.—The Associated Press today issued the following:

The British, after their victorious drive through the Hindenburg defences, are knocking at the gates of Cambrai, but apparently are momentarily pausing before attempting to force an entrance. Prisoners to the number of more than 16,000, and guns exceeding 100 in number, have been taken by them in this advance.

Meanwhile the centre of greatest activity has shifted to the Franco-American front, where the Germans are in full retreat on a wide front north of the Vesle, with the French and Americans in pursuit, and reported as having reached the Aisne in their chase. Between these two sectors another notable German retrograde movement is in progress. The French pressure in the region north and east of Noyon has forced a German retirement on a wide front in this sector, and advances of seven miles have been scored by the French within the past 48 hours.

The speedy fall of Ham seems probable.

CHINESE STATESMAN WAS THE VICTIM OF DELIBERATE MURDER

Victoria Jury Returns Verdict in Death of Tang Huai Lung.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 4.—That Tang Huai Lung, the eminent Chinese statesman who met his death on Saturday night, was deliberately murdered by Chong Kwon, a Chinese barber, was the verdict of the jury this morning. The testimony given by several witnesses was practically a corroboration of press reports. The Chinese witnesses would say nothing of the probable causes underlying the affair.

COAL SHORTAGE IN QUEEN CITY IS ANTICIPATED

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Judging from a canvass made today by a local paper, Toronto is likely to be in a very bad position for coal this winter unless something definite is done to relieve the situation. The reporter called on several householders in various parts of the city this morning and questioned them as to their coal supply. A conservative estimate places the number of householders not yet supplied with their winter's coal at over 50 per cent. To make matters worse, Property Commissioner Chisholm, who is also local fuel commissioner, has resigned.

P. E. I. CLUBS MUST GO ON DRY LIST NOW

New Prohibition Law Effective On Sept. 30.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Sept. 5.—On the new drastic prohibition act passed last spring, a clause whereby clubs and societies previously exempted were to be prohibited from selling liquor was held in suspense when made. This proclamation has just been issued and after September 30 clubs must go on the dry list.

CLASS THREE UNDER M. S. A. TO BE CALLED IN FEW WEEKS

Report to That Effect Given Out in Winnipeg Military Circles.

CLASS 2 NOT CONSIDERED Those Under Call Childless Widowers and Unmarried Men From 35 to 45.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—Class 3 is to be called out immediately after harvest is completed, according to reports in military circles today. Military service officials said it would be a good thing. Class 3 includes widowers without children, and unmarried men who are between 35 and 45 years.

It is asserted that Class 2 will not be called out. That classification consists of widowers with children and married men between 21 and 34 years of age.

No word has been received by the local deputy registrar regarding the calling out of Class 3 in the near future, under the military service act, as reported from Winnipeg.

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WEICHEL, TURRIFF AND FOY MENTIONED FOR SENATORSHIPS

Three Vacancies To Be Filled in Upper House in Near Future.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Sept. 5.—Three senatorial vacancies in the Dominion Senate will shortly be filled. One was created by the death of the late Brig.-Gen. Mason in Ontario. The other two are in Saskatchewan and British Columbia, where increased senatorial representation was ordered some years ago. Two names are prominently mentioned in connection with the Ontario vacancy. William Weichel, former member for South Waterloo, who carried the Unionist banner at the last election, but went down to defeat, has, it is stated, strong backing for the position. It is believed that Mr. Weichel has a good chance of securing the position. Another candidate for the vacancy is C. J. Foy, K.C., of Perth, always a prominent Conservative, a strong speaker and a man with influential support. The Saskatchewan vacancy will undoubtedly go to J. G. Turfitt, M.P. for Assiniboia. The British Columbia vacancy is being kept for a time, it is stated, in the hands of Hon. Martin Burrell, at present secretary of state, but who will likely retire at the next cabinet reconstruction.

GIANT GERMAN AIRPLANE BROUGHT DOWN BY AMERICANS



Advertiser Illustration. With the American Army in France, Sept. 5.—Ten German airplanes attacked a group of American pursuit planes this morning, and after a brief fight one of the German planes was brought down. An American machine went down behind the German lines, apparently under control. American airmen shot down an observation balloon in the Voivre this morning. Another was forced down yesterday afternoon.

KAISER'S CROWN IS AT STAKE

Amsterdam, Sept. 5.—Appealing to the constitution committee of the Prussian Upper House to fulfill the emperor's pledges for reform of the franchise, Chancellor von Hertling said that, in his honest conviction, "with this serious question the protection and the preservation of the crown and the dynasty is at stake."

PROTESTS AGAINST TAX EXEMPTION ON NEW VICTORY BONDS

Sir Sam Hughes Characterizes It as Penny-Wise Policy.

Ottawa, Sept. 5.—Sir Sam Hughes, who is in Ottawa, has lined up with Hon. W. S. Fielding, J. K. L. Ross, and others against the proposed tax exemption of the coming victory bonds. "It is unwise," he said, "to lock up money free from taxation. It simply means an inducement for the big interests and tax in bonds and thus escape being taxed on their investment. I believe the people of Canada are rich enough to loan a success without tax exemption. It is a penny-wise policy for which the poorer classes will ultimately pay through the nose, while the others escape from their proper share of the burden. I intend to protest in Parliament against the announced policy of the minister of finance in this regard."

AERIAL POSTAL SERVICE ESTABLISHED BETWEEN NEW YORK AND CHICAGO

New York, Sept. 5.—Aerial postal service between New York and Chicago was inaugurated this morning when Mr. Miller, in a large plane, carrying a sack of mail, left Belmont Park at 7:09 o'clock.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Pittsburgh, Sept. 5.—Pte. Ernest Runnels of Harford, Ont., was killed in action on August 9, according to word received here today. Pte. Runnels was a cousin of Mrs. William Sheath of this town. He enlisted with a western battalion.

FOURTEEN HELD AS SUSPECTS IN BOMB OUTRAGE

Chicago Police Have Seized Scores as Result of Explosion.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Fourteen men were held today out of scores seized by federal agents and the police as a result of the explosion of a bomb yesterday in the Federal Building, which killed 4 persons, injured more than 20 others, and did considerable damage to property. A night of activity on the part of federal agents and the police heads of the respective departments said they had obtained valuable information which encouraged them to believe they would apprehend the bomb thrower. The four persons killed were near the Adams street entrance, just outside which were found the bodies of the victims—a girl entering the building, a great lakes hickie, also about to enter, and a mail-carrier, a mail-carrier, was leaving the building, having just finished work.

GEN. KORNILOFF REPORTED KILLED

Former Russian Commander Meets Death From Shell.

London, Sept. 4.—Gen. Korniloff, formerly Russian commander-in-chief, has been killed by a shell in Yacaterinovsk, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen, quoting from the Politiken.

The death of Gen. Korniloff has been reported many times since the overthrow of the Kerensky Government. Last May it was reported that he had been killed in a battle with the Soviet troops.

BRITISH CAPTURE MORE THAN 16,000 HUNS AND SEVERAL TOWNS IN 4 DAYS

ANOTHER MESSAGE FROM KAISER BILL

Amsterdam, Sept. 5.—Emperor William has telegraphed the municipality of Munich a message in which he alludes to the fighting now in progress as the "present decisive battles," and declares the German people will "unitedly stand with all their strength in defence of the fatherland."

FOUND GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY AFTER MARINE "JOY RIDE"

Steamship Officers Convicted in the United States Federal Court.

New York, Sept. 5.—Capt. Leonard F. Hawkins of the steamship Yackin and five officers of his ship were found guilty of conspiracy against the Government in federal court here yesterday. The maximum penalty for the offence is two years imprisonment and \$10,000 fine.

The men, after taking food supplies to the Allies on the Yackin, took the ship for a marine "joy ride" in the Mediterranean, and finished the cruise by selling the ship's stores and coal from the bunkers. They were arrested on their arrival at an American port. They will be sentenced on Friday.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 6 o'clock last night: Highest, 66; lowest, 54.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 56; lowest, 50.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Forecast.

Today—Fresh to strong northerly winds; clearing.

Friday—Northwest winds; fair and cool.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations. High. Low. Weather.

Victoria 80 64 Clear

Calgary 74 40 Clear

Winnipeg 66 33 Fair

Port Arthur 60 32 Fair

Perry Sound 60 43 Rain

Buffalo 70 36 Rain

Kingston 68 36 Rain

Ottawa 66 48 Rain

Montreal 72 52 Rain

Quebec 84 62 Cloudy

Weather Notes.

A moderate disturbance is moving northeastward across the Great Lakes, causing heavy rain in Ontario and Western Quebec.

The weather has been fine in the Western Provinces.

Haig's Forces Advance On Battle Line In Front of Cambrai—Hill 63 and Ploegsteert Near Messines Taken By Tommies --- Franco-American Troops In Pursuit of Germans Retiring North of Vesle.

London, Sept. 5.—On the battle line in front of Cambrai, an improvement in the British position south of Moeuvres is reported. The positions to the east of Hermies, near the Canal du Nord, just to the south, also have been improved. Still further south the British have captured the village of Neuville-Bourjournal, east of the Canal du Nord.

More than 16,000 prisoners and more than 100 guns have been taken by the British in the past four days.

BRITISH CAPTURE PLOEGSTEERT AND HILL 63 NEAR MESSINES

London, Sept. 5.—Marked progress was made by the British last night along the Flanders front, according to today's war office report. Ploegsteert village has been captured, as has Hill 63, southwest of Messines.

On the Lys front the British hold the general line of Voormezele, Wulverghem, Ploegsteert, Nieppe, Laventie and Givenchy. From Neuve Chapelle southward to Givenchy, the British have reached the line they held up to the German attack on April 9 last, while to the eastward of Givenchy sections of the old German positions have been taken.

The text of the statement reads: "Sharp fighting took place yesterday north of the River Lys. During the morning our troops attacked and captured Hill 63, southwest of Messines, taking over 100 prisoners. In the afternoon we attacked and captured Ploegsteert village, with another 100 prisoners and a number of machine guns. North of Hill 63 our troops were continuously engaged in the sector of Witschaete, where the enemy attacked repeatedly, but without success.

"On the Lys front, our troops now hold the general line of Voormezele-Wulverghem-Ploegsteert-Nieppe-Laventie-Givenchy. "South of Neuve Chapelle, as far as Givenchy, we have regained the old line held by us prior to April 9, and east of Givenchy we have occupied portions of the old German positions.

"On the southern battlefield, the enemy strongly attacked our new positions at Inchy-en-Artois yesterday evening, but was repulsed after sharp fighting.

"We have improved our positions south of Moeuvres. "The enemy counter-attacked yesterday evening east of Manacourt, and was repulsed. Fighting has taken place also in the neighborhood of Peronne, and our line has been improved slightly.

"During the past four days British troops have taken over 16,000 prisoners and more than 100 guns."

FRANCO-AMERICAN TROOPS IN PURSUIT OF RETREATING HUNS

Paris, Sept. 5.—The German retreat before the French north-east of Noyon continued during the night, today's war office announcement shows. The French troops kept in touch with the enemy rearguards and pushed after the retreating foe east of the Canal du Nord.

Franco-American forces, pursuing the Germans north of the Canal du Nord.

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A Large Income

To combat the ever-increasing prices of necessities many shrewd people are wisely investing their spare money where more income can be earned.

5 1/2 %
per annum

for a term of three, four or five years.
It will be a pleasure to make out a Debiture for you.

Huron & Erie

"Older than the Dominion of Canada"
MARKET SQUARE BRANCH
LONDON
Walter T. Westby - Manager

TAG DAY SATURDAY FOR SAILORS' CAUSE HAS BEEN ARRANGED

Subscriptions Being Accepted Throughout the Week.

The officials at the Navy League headquarters, corner of Dundas and Talbot streets, are already busy taking in contributions. The original plan of a house-to-house canvass by the members of the various women's organizations in the city was found to be impossible and as a result a general Tag Day for the sailors' fund will be held on Saturday of this week. All other donations will be received at headquarters at any time during the week.

The London objective in this campaign is \$25,000, but 50 cents per head, and it is hoped that in so worthy a cause it will easily be reached. One working woman who carries only \$15 a month and her board, came into the head office and gave her mite, 25 cents, with the promise of more on Saturday, her pay day. Her son is a soldier, and she knows that he would never be able to get on without the help of his mother. On Sunday night, after the band concert, a soldier, offered \$1 to the fund, giving no name. And so the amounts came in. Some very small and others large, but all given with the knowledge of a great need.

Next year it is hoped that the patriotic fund will cover the wants of the sailor as well as the soldier, but this year nothing has been set aside for the sailor, and he is to go without?

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

A2 MEN IN CLERICAL POSITIONS.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:
I would like very much to bring before you a very important question. The question is: Why are category A2 men retained in the clerical offices and pay offices in the W. O. R. at London, when even Canada is called upon to work on category A2 men?

Today Canadian men are asked to work on ammunition work, farm work, and even some girls go to the R. A. F. work. It does not seem right that atrociously healthy, category A2 men should still be working at ordinary office work in the offices of the W. O. R. at London, and girls going to the hard work as above stated.

I would suggest that girls be placed in this work. Any business college of London can get enough girls for this work in but a few days.

I know what I am speaking about, and can give the names of category A2 men working at clerical work, as I claim.

In England here, the canteens are all worked by girls, and the work is a success. If girls work at canteens work, where they are in close touch with soldiers all the time, I can assure you they can do it.

Last spring 32 men of this category were placed before a board at London. 20 men were category A2, and 12 of lower category. Today at London most of these 20 men are still found in the offices of the W. O. R.

Last night I saw a large number of boys again leaving for the front. Some of these boys were wound stripes on their arms. Some had one wound stripe, some two, and several three. Is it British fair play to allow this, and category A2 men to do clerical work in the offices of the W. O. R.?

I hope some responsible person will take up this matter and investigate it, and they will find as I claim.

I think this is a just complaint for the fathers and mothers of B men when their sons should be called.

Yours, A CANADIAN SOLDIER.
Witley Camp, England, Aug. 16, 1918.

HYDRO OFF AGAIN.—Hydro power suffered another interruption about 8 o'clock last night when the street lights were out and the cars were at a standstill for about 15 minutes.

Cereal Food That Contains Its Own Sugar Grape-Nuts

is utterly unlike any other prepared cereal.

Take a handful of its golden-brown granules and hold it in a strong light. You will see little shining particles on each granule—a result of the Grape-Nuts process of cookery, which turns the starch of wheat and barley into actual sugar.

The sweet, nutty flavor of Grape-Nuts requires no added sugar, and where fresh milk or cream is not obtainable condensed or evaporated milk fits in finely.

No sugar is needed, and but little cream or milk, and this makes Grape-Nuts a very desirable cereal these saving days.

"There's a Reason"

Canada Food Board License No. 2-206.

WHO DUMPED 20,000 DOZENS OF EGGS ON CHELSEA GREEN FARM?

Trades and Labor Council To Investigate Reports of Wanton Wastes.

Who dumped \$1,000 worth of eggs in a field east of the Frank farm in Chelsea Green? This was a question that was discussed at the trades and labor council meeting last evening. One of the delegates made the statement that he had been told that 20,000 dozen had been carted to the field recently by some person. While no names were mentioned, strong hints were thrown out that some of the cold storage men might know something about it.

It was decided to send a delegation out to the spot to verify the statement and this was done early this morning. Some of the delegates thought that a man might be found there to deal with, but others pointed out that the question could not always be answered by the council. The question of calling the attention of Inspector McCallum to the fact that the eggs were dumped was finally decided to investigate the report and then continue further investigations.

Fruit Men Censured.
In this connection the fruit men of the city came in for some censure. It was alleged that fruit is allowed to spoil in order to facilitate the keeping up of the prices. That some action was taken to stop this practice, and the high cost of living was the opinion of the council, but no decision was reached regarding the best thing to do in the matter.

The reports that beef had been taken to the incinerator, which had been allowed to spoil, was also touched upon. It was stated that while there had been a few cases of this kind brought to light, they were isolated.

City Clerk's Letter Read.
Unsanitary conditions that are alleged to exist in some of the city factories were brought up when the letter from City Clerk Baker was read asking the council to recommend a couple of workmen from the factories to speak at the meeting, which is to be held on October 10 for the discussion of the factory and shop act.

An effort will be made to acquire the factory inspectors of local conditions when he comes to address the meeting in October. The labor men of the inside of the factories that he has seen. Hevey and H. Wheatcroft constituted a delegation. The labor men of the inside of the factories that he has seen. Hevey and H. Wheatcroft constituted a delegation. The labor men of the inside of the factories that he has seen. Hevey and H. Wheatcroft constituted a delegation.

Wanted Congress Here.
A strong but not all probability he made to have the congress meet in London in 1919. A delegation will meet Mayor C. E. Somerville and Publicity Commissioner Gordon Philip to see what assistance can be secured for the various delegates indicate that general conditions in the city are fair.

HELD ON SUSPICION.
New Sept. 5.—A young woman giving the name of Margaret Vana was arrested last night in a raid by secret service men on the premises of the office of the district attorney.

She was held in \$5,000 bail as a material witness. Subsequent to her arrest two other women, said to be acquainted with her.

WOUNDED IN LEG; NOW IN HOSPITAL

MADE IN CANADA



PTE. ENOCH IRVINE ACKER, No. 232627, has been wounded in the leg and admitted to No. 3 Canadian General Hospital, Boulogne, according to official word received by his wife, Mrs. Rachel Ackker, 704 Dundas street.

Pte. Ackker was a member of the old 7th Regiment, and enlisted with the Mounted Rifles at the outbreak of war. His parents reside on Brougham avenue.

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DESETERS POSTED.
Pte. Silas Showday, apprehended at Walsby Island as a deserter, has been posted with the 1st Battalion, C. G. R.; Pte. Robert H. Roberts, deserter, with the 18th Battalion, C. E. F., apprehended at Chatham, has been posted with the 1st Battalion, C. G. R.; Pte. G. L. Gips, a deserter from the 70th Battalion, apprehended at Detroit, posted with the 1st Battalion, C. G. R.

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KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN REMEMBERED BY NURSE WHO IS AIDING SAILORS

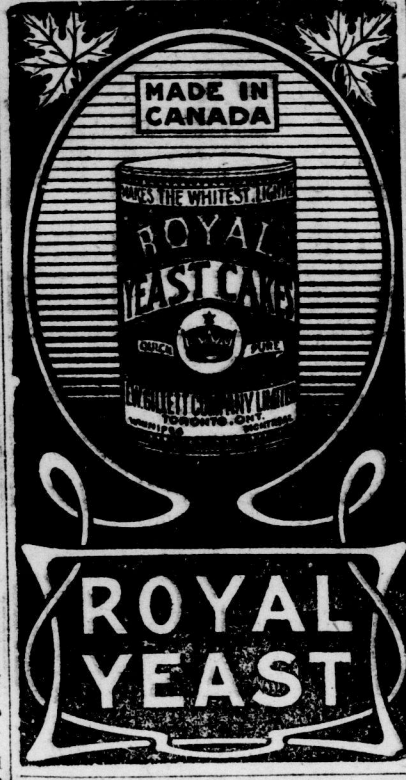
Former Teacher Writes of Her Work and Life in England.

A former kindergarten teacher in the city, who went overseas some time ago with a detachment of A. I. nurses, and is attached to the staff of the Royal Naval Hospital at Plymouth, England, has written to the children of the kindergarten and kindergarten primary, telling about her greeting to the nurses from Canada from Miss Phyllis Mary, daughter of the King, on their arrival in England, and the heroism of the men of the navy, as well as other interesting things. She says:

"I told you I would write you a letter, but it has taken me so long, I am afraid you will think I have forgotten you. I have just been so busy taking care of the sick and wounded sailors that I have not had time to write you many letters. When I came across the big ocean I was on a great ship, and there were a lot of other boats carrying soldiers with us. I used to sit on the deck and watch the other boats, and the water was very rough and we could hardly stand up and I slid all over the board. The sailors started to roll around and so they had to put boards on the table so the dishes would not get into England and into Scotland. Next we got on a train and the sailors told me all about their ships. Some of them are on big ships that carry soldiers; some bring things to eat and some are on boats that they call destroyers. If we did not have these good sailors I am afraid the Germans would get into England and into Canada, and they are very brave men, and they take care of us. Sometimes the Germans do shoot them, or sometimes two boats collide when it is dark, and then some of the men get hurt; then they come to our hospital and we make them better so they can go on their boats again."

"The house I live in is right beside the water, and I live with a lot of other nurses. I can see a lot of boats out on the water, and they all look as if they were very busy. The destroyers are flying around, too, and they don't let any Germans come near to us."

"I hope our little children are not wasting anything, for it is very hard to get food over here, and our brave soldiers and sailors need all they can get."



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KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN REMEMBERED BY NURSE WHO IS AIDING SAILORS

Former Teacher Writes of Her Work and Life in England.

A former kindergarten teacher in the city, who went overseas some time ago with a detachment of A. I. nurses, and is attached to the staff of the Royal Naval Hospital at Plymouth, England, has written to the children of the kindergarten and kindergarten primary, telling about her greeting to the nurses from Canada from Miss Phyllis Mary, daughter of the King, on their arrival in England, and the heroism of the men of the navy, as well as other interesting things. She says:

"I told you I would write you a letter, but it has taken me so long, I am afraid you will think I have forgotten you. I have just been so busy taking care of the sick and wounded sailors that I have not had time to write you many letters. When I came across the big ocean I was on a great ship, and there were a lot of other boats carrying soldiers with us. I used to sit on the deck and watch the other boats, and the water was very rough and we could hardly stand up and I slid all over the board. The sailors started to roll around and so they had to put boards on the table so the dishes would not get into England and into Scotland. Next we got on a train and the sailors told me all about their ships. Some of them are on big ships that carry soldiers; some bring things to eat and some are on boats that they call destroyers. If we did not have these good sailors I am afraid the Germans would get into England and into Canada, and they are very brave men, and they take care of us. Sometimes the Germans do shoot them, or sometimes two boats collide when it is dark, and then some of the men get hurt; then they come to our hospital and we make them better so they can go on their boats again."

"The house I live in is right beside the water, and I live with a lot of other nurses. I can see a lot of boats out on the water, and they all look as if they were very busy. The destroyers are flying around, too, and they don't let any Germans come near to us."

"I hope our little children are not wasting anything, for it is very hard to get food over here, and our brave soldiers and sailors need all they can get."

Mr. Brain-Worker!

It's a Pity That People Should Break Down in Health, Just When They Are Ready To Reap the Benefit of a Lifetime of Work.

Teachers, Preachers, Lawyers, Businessmen and All Others who make a living by their brains, and whose mental efforts are liable to a Nervous Breakdown from the constant "wear and tear" of the brain.

When you continually "sieve drive" your mental faculties something has to be done to give you a new and revitalized brain. Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy is admirable for this purpose. It is a Tonic and a Restorative to the worn-out nerves, it supplies the needed phosphates to the grey matter, strengthens the heart and rebuilds the entire nervous system. Takes away that feeling of depression and weariness that comes from overwork because it increases the vitality of the body and makes you more alert to "carry on."

Better get your boxes today, but be sure to get Hacking's—substitutes only disappoint. Price, 25c. per box, by mail, C. E. Hacking & Co., Listowel, Sept. 5, 1918.

Notice to Doctors and Dentists
The following is a bona fide report from the Medical Research Laboratory, Chicago, dated August 8, 1918: "This is to certify that Sec. of 'The Perverse' killed one-tenth of one cc. typhoid in 5 minutes at a temperature of 100° F. under the 'supreme' test. Procureable now at all drug stores."

Reliance Garage Service Station

Western Ontario's Mail Order House



Millinery and Fall Opening Display of Fashions This Week!

Every woman is interested in things pertaining to her dress—she must know what is to be correct in fashion—always hunting for the newer and exclusive modes before deciding on her wardrobe. This big fashion display has been arranged solely for the women of London, and so conveniently arranged throughout this store that a visit will be like viewing a panorama of complete fashions for fall and winter, 1918-19. For your own information and guidance for fall buying you cannot afford to miss this fashion exhibit today, Friday and Saturday.

LADIES' FRENCH KID GLOVES OF FINE QUALITY, \$2.50 PAIR.
Smart styles in perfect-fitting gloves, the satisfactory kinds for dress wear.

At \$2.50 pair, genuine French kid, shown in colors of champagne, grey and brown, with self-color stitching on back, also the same colors with black stitching on back, black with white stitching on back. Price \$2.50 pair.

EXTRA HEAVY QUALITY SILK GLOVES.
A Glove specially suited for early fall wear, shown in colors of grey, champagne, white, also black, double-tipped fingers. \$1.50 pair.

Breakfast Cloths To Save Your Better Linen
This lot could not have come at a better time than now. During the next week, with the Western Fair in full swing, almost every home in London will undoubtedly be using extra linen and towels. For breakfast use these will prove economical and save labor in washing, principally a saving on your better linen. Every lover of linens should seriously endeavor today to retain their old pure linen stock by using, whenever possible, cloths such as advertised below.

52-inch Mercerized Breakfast Cloths, a most useful size, in superior quality. You will find these cloths are very serviceable, and not only save your better linen cloths, but save you considerable labor, as they are easily laundered, 52x52 inches, border all around, Special, each \$1.50.

Large Colored Bath Towels. These are imported British-made Towels of our reliable makers, and fast colors, large sizes. Special clearing of all odd lots, and it would be to your advantage to lay in a supply at this price. Special 50c each.

Pure Linen Toweling, splendid value, as pure linen goods are very scarce. 17-inch Crash Toweling, all linen 30c yard.

18-inch Crash Toweling, all linen 40c yard.

Bath Mats, three numbers, very specially priced, pink and blue only, exceptional value \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$2.75 each.

Some Wonderfully Priced Costume Velveteens, 39 In. Wide, for Only \$3.00 Yard

Velvets are favored in the new fall suits. Some of the smartest fashions in models made up impress one of richness of beauty, with the silk braids as practically the only trimmings accepted. The superior qualities in stock, and they are superior because of the close silk-like finish pile; best dye, twill back and softness of fabric, free from dressing, imparts a most graceful and charming draping to the suit or coat. If you have decided to have velvet for one of your fall suits, be sure and see this line on display at the Velvet Department. Colors in stock—burgundy, old blue, old rose, mid brown, tan, seal and navy; 39 inches wide. Only \$3.00 yard.

AFTERNOON TEA SPECIALS.
Fruit Salad, with Vanilla Ice Cream 15c.
Strawberry Jam, Toast, Cut Cake, Cup of Tea or Coffee 20c.

Restaurant License No. 10-205.

INDEFINITE LEAVE OF ABSENCE ON THESE GROUNDS.

SUBSIBER. Q.—I applied for exemption and it was disallowed. I am a B2 man. Could you tell me when I will be called?

A.—If you are in the B2 category you will be called before the 19-year-old class.

A-1. No. It will not likely be for some time yet.

A-2. It is likely that the latter class will be called out before the B men, although official information regarding this subject is not available.

1. Q. S. Q.—I am at present stationed in the Western Ontario Regiment, being placed in D Category, with every expectation of obtaining A-2. I was drafted into the army May 23rd, and dealt with information regarding the medical course offered by the Government.

2. Q. I hold a partial matriculation certificate, not trying in French. I also have a second class teacher's certificate from London Normal School. Are these qualifications sufficient for the course?

3. Q. How long does the course last?

4. Q. To whom should I apply regarding this course?

5. Q. You require complete matriculation to enter any Canadian university giving this course. Write to your former collegiate principal, and make arrangements with him to have your French and obtain full matriculation.

6. Q. Five years, school term lasting about seven months in each year. Apply to your commanding officer after obtaining your full matriculation. Matriculants are selected from each unit, and are sent to college, receiving army pay while doing so. During vacation periods they are required to report to their respective units for military training.

7. Q. E. A. N. Q.—1. What is the nature of the work done by the Army Service Corps?

2. Q. Are they recruiting for this branch of the service?

3. Q. To whom should one apply desiring further information on this subject?

4. Q. Are they recruiting for the artillery at present?

5. Q. Supply work such as handling groceries, hay, coal, etc., with the necessary clerks, horse and motor transport.

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CONSTANTINOPLE BOMBED ON FOUR NIGHTS RUNNING

Turkish War Office, Arsenal and Dockyard Among Places Attacked.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Constantinople was bombed on four successive nights in the latter part of August, the admiralty announced today. The dockyard, the arsenal, the Turkish war office, the airdrome at Calais, the sea-plane base at Gallipoli and Chanak were attacked.

FLAVELLE OPENS HIS PURSE TO SUBSCRIBE TO SAILORS' FUND

TORONTO, Sept. 4.—Subscriptions to the merchant sailors' fund today included \$10,000 each from the Dominion Bank and Sir Joseph Flavelle, also \$5,000 from E. R. Wood.

GERMAN TROOPS IN RUSSIA SING 'MARSEILLAISE'

Revolt in Lethonia and Reval—Officers Powerless.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Sept. 4.—(Havas agency).—German troops in Lethonia are showing signs of insubordination, according to a dispatch received here from Russia. Several hundred soldiers have hoisted the red flag, singing the Marseillaise. Their officers were powerless to keep order.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—A Czechoslovak officer has arrived at Archangel with word that 80,000 loyal Russians are operating with the 40,000 Czechoslovak forces moving westward along the trans-Siberian railroad from Ekaterinburg. The news reached the state department today in a message from Ambassador Francis, dated August 28.

Since the officer left Ekaterinburg more than a month ago, further advances by the Czechs have been announced by telegraph, but his report is regarded as important because of the light it throws on the relations of the Czechs with the people of the country through which they are moving. He says the Russians are pleased with the overthrow of the Bolsheviks.

SERIOUS SHORTAGE OF STEEL RESULTS IN DRASTIC ORDER

War Trade Board Is Given Wide Powers.

PRODUCERS MUST OBEY

Amounts Practically to Complete Government Control in Industry.

OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—The details of an order-in-council enlarging the powers of the war trade board, in so far as the production, distribution and consumption of steel are concerned, show that this step has been taken because the Government has decided that it is impossible to sufficiently augment supplies by importation. The order empowers the war trade board to make such orders as may be deemed advisable to increase the production of iron and steel and the goods and articles made from steel.

In cases where such production cannot be secured without the Government placing orders and giving assistance, orders of the war trade board shall be approved by the Government-in-Council. The board is given authority to employ engineers, steel experts, accountants and other assistance necessary effectively to control the steel industry.

Producers and manufacturers of iron and steel who fail to carry out the orders of the war trade board shall be subject to a penalty of not less than \$500, and not more than \$5,000, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

The order emphasized the serious shortage of steel in Canada, and the Allied countries, and states that "the rail and transportation companies and other industries necessary to Canada are being seriously curtailed through want of steel."

JOHN STANKO IS HANGED.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sept. 4.—John Stanko was hanged here this morning at 7 o'clock for the murder of Michael Nerowski at Elstow on March 28, 1918. He walked to the scaffold without a tremor.

ENGLISH AUTHOR DIES.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Henry Hamilton, the dramatic author, died today.

NORTH OXFORD WILL NOMINATE SEPT. 23 FOR ONTARIO HOUSE

Chances Are a Liberal Will Be Returned by Acclamation.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

TORONTO, Sept. 4.—Nominations for the by-election in North Oxford will be held on September 23.

Ebenzer L. Sutherland, Embro, will be the returning officer.

In accordance with arrangements made between the Government and the Opposition, there will be no Government candidate in this constituency, since it was formerly represented by a member of the Opposition, and the expectation is that a member will be returned by acclamation.

LAD HIT BY AUTO AT BRANTFORD; DIES FEW HOURS LATER

Clarence Curley, 14 Years Old, Succumbs to Injuries Received.

BRANTFORD, Sept. 4.—Clarence Curley, aged 14 years, died here this afternoon as a result of being struck by an automobile driven by James A. Ogilvie, on Colborne street at a late hour last night. The lad stepped behind one car into the Ogilvie car approaching from an opposite direction. Death was due to concussion of the brain. Curley was employed at the plant of the Hurley Printing Company, and was a bright and well-liked young fellow.

WAGE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN EAST AND WEST DISAPPEARS

Significant Feature of Agreement Signed by Railway War Board.

MONTREAL, Sept. 4.—A significant change in Canada's living conditions is said to be indicated by the fact that rates of pay in Eastern Canada will be just as high as in Western Canada for all the employees of the mechanical departments of the railways. This was a feature of the agreement just signed by the Canadian railway war board and the representatives of the 30,000 shop trade employees.

In most trades in Canada the western rate of pay is supposed to be higher than the eastern rate owing to the difference in the cost of living before the war. Since 1914, however, there have been such changes that conditions are said to be equalized. The first important admission of this fact was made by the railway war board's dealings with the men yesterday.

It is understood that this question will be one of the points to be decided in the administration of McAdoo award in other branches of railway employment. The decision there, affecting in all 147,000 railway workers will, it is said, have an indirect effect on all eastern and western wages in Canada.

\$35,000 STOCK OF HARDWARE

The Entire Stock of the London Hardware Company To Be Cleared Out at a Sacrifice.

THIS IS ABSOLUTELY A GENUINE SALE.

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Blue Enamel Potato Pots, Regular \$1.50, for73c
10-quart size Preserving Kettles, Regular \$1.10, for52c
Teapots, Regular 70c, for47c
Double Boilers, Regular 90c, for64c
1-quart Pudding Pans, Regular 15c for9c
10-inch Pie Plates, Regular 18c, for 11c
17-quart size Dishpans, Regular 80c, for58c
Lipped Saucepans, Regular 40c, for 23c
10-quart size Blue Straight Saucepans, with cover, Regular \$1.80, for76c
12-quart size Blue London Pots, with cover, Regular \$2.15, for\$1.02
8-quart size Blue Straight Saucepans, with cover, Regular \$1.35, for64c
No. 8 Straight Stove Pots, Regular \$1.50, for71c
No. 9 Straight Stove Pots, Regular \$1.80, for86c

WINDOW SCREENS.

All sizes, Regular 40c to 70c, for .25c
Screen Doors, all first class stock, Regular \$2.00 for \$1.49, Regular \$3.50 for \$2.49.
Casement Screen Doors, warranted not to warp, buckle or sag. Regular \$3.25, for \$2.39; regular \$3.50, for \$2.79; regular \$3.75, for \$2.91; regular \$4.00, for \$2.99. Complete with trimmings.
Screen wire, all widths, half-price.

WRINGERS.

1-year guarantee, Regular \$6.00, \$4.80
1-year guarantee, ball-bearing, Regular \$6.50, for\$5.00
3-year guarantee, ball-bearing, Regular \$7.00, for\$5.60

WASHING MACHINES.

Water Power, Regular \$24, for \$18.90
Hand Power, Regular \$15, for\$12.65

BOILERS.

No. 8 Galvanized, Regular \$2, for \$1.10
No. 9 XXXX Tin, Regular \$6, for \$4.80

TOOLS.

Carpenter's Hammers, Regular \$1.00, for59c
Household Hammers, Regular 50c, for24c
Screw Drivers, Regular 10c, for 6c; regular 25c, for 15c.
Brick Trowels, Regular 35c, for23c
Auger Bits, assorted sizes, Regular 30c, for17c
Eye Augers, Regular 65c, for 35c; regular 75c, for 60c; regular 85c, for 69c; regular \$1.50, for \$1.26.
2-ft. Folding Rules, Regular 25c, for 13c
Spading Forks, Regular \$1.50, for \$1.33
Field Hoes, Regular 45c, for 33c; regular 85c, for 64c.
Garden Rakes, Regular 45c, for 33c; regular 50c, for 36c; regular 85c, for 69c; regular \$1.35, for 99c.
Black Cat Shovels, Regular \$1.35, \$1.19
8-foot Step Ladders, Regular \$1.55, for\$1.00
5-foot Step Ladders, Regular 75c, 48c

This is only a partial list of our big values. Watch our daily ads until our entire stock is sold. All goods during the sale Cash and Carry.

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The application of Dr. Chase's Ointment takes out the stinging and burning and leaves the skin delightfully soft and smooth.

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If you cannot attend the big fair, The Advertiser makes you another offer, which is good for a limited period only. Provided you pay a year in advance for your paper, you may deduct 50 cents from the regular subscription price. THIS IS A PRESENT OF 50 CENTS IN CASH.

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Here is another offer. If you pay for a year at the regular rates you will be credited with fourteen months subscription. THIS IS TWO MONTHS FREE.

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If you pay at the regular rates for six months you will be given credit for seven months.

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THE CRACK FIGHTERS.

WRITING FROM field headquarters of the
British army Charles H. Grasty sends the
following to his newspaper, the New York
Times:

"The Canadian exploits must make every North
American heart thrill. They are Americans with
four years' experience in war, and nobody else quite
plays the game up to their glory. They can fight as
individuals or in organized units, and are horse-
back. They are as practical as they are brave.
Every man jack of them is in the pink of condition.
Troops who travel alongside of them have their
work cut out. General Currie seems to carry light
railways in his pocket, and if the Canadians have to
stop anywhere for a day or two transportation
facilities spring up behind them as if by magic.
Germans will go miles out of their way to avoid the
Canucks.

Whenever you speak to a Canadian officer
about their characteristics, he invariably comes
back with some such remark as: "There's nothing
we do that you can't do when your troops get the
hang of it, and you won't be long about it, either.
We are all Americans together."
One splendid result of the war is the establish-
ment of a North American brotherhood.

Well said! This brotherhood of service will
be perpetuated for all time, and on this continent
will exist a race of people who, except for political
and commercial considerations, shall be as one.

THE RIGHT RING.

THE RECENT speech of Hon. Dr. H. J. Cody,
minister of education, has the right ring.
He realizes that,

"There's something in a noble boy.
A brave, free hearted careless one.
With his unchecked, unbidden joy.
His dread of books, and love of fun.
And with a calm and ready smile,
Unshaded by a thought of guile."

The fate of Germany emphasizes the neces-
sity for right ideals in education. By making
everyone in Germany a slave of the state, the
final result has been to plunge the whole world
into war, and compel all the races with right
ideals to rescue them.

Dr. Cody said, "Nothing but the highest
regard for the importance of the work before
me could have moved me to make such a break
in the even tenor of my way, as was necessary
in my taking this office." He added, "To ne-
glect the child was not only criminal, but na-
tionally suicidal." He quoted Emerson: "We
shall one day learn to supersede politics by edu-
cation."

He made a strong point of the necessity of
play. He quoted a leading British physician: "It
is better to have a playground without a school
than a school without a playground."

He declared in conclusion: "Waterloo was
won on the playing fields of Eton, and I am
confident that many of the famous engagements
of this war, whose names will go down in his-
tory, were won on the playgrounds right here in
Canada." And last, they have a right to a sound
education, which, he said, would make the child
strong in body, cultured in mind, devout in
spirit and able to make a rational use of his
leisure. He added, "And I know we will all be
united in co-operating for the winning and fur-
thering of these rights."

Dr. Cody's speech has the right ring. Every
right-thinking man and woman in the province
will support his views and help him to carry them
out. His acceptance of the position of minister
of education means much for the future of all
that is best in the life of this province.

MONEY IN THE MIND.

This Mr. Kidd who claimed to have been left a
ten-million dollar fortune by a Chicago man ought
to come across with some new evidence of the
reality of his inheritance. Until he does we shall
continue to think that Mr. Kidd is a kiddier and
has been kidding himself all along. Even at that a
man may get more fun out of an imaginary fortune
than some others do out of a real one.—Toronto
Star.

AND SOMETIMES these dream fortunes can
be actually materialized and capitalized
into cold hard coin. A man must, of
course, be able to "kid" the public as well as him-
self, but the trick has been done more than once,
and in one striking instance so far as Londoners
were concerned.

Some years ago a boilermaker known as
Brooks, a seemingly conservative, unspectacular,
mild-mannered man, announced to several recep-
tive reporters the fact that his brother had died
in California, and being cluttered up with this
world's goods in the form of bonds, stocks, rail-
ways, mines, etc., had left a chunk of it to his al-
most forgotten brother, the humble and horny-
handed boilermaker. The newspapers "fell" for
the story in a guarded way, crediting the state-
ments to Brooks, and the public at once en-
throned Brooks as one of those rare children
of fortune—the man who gets a windfall of
money. It was like winning a big stake in a
lottery, and Brooks became a local celebrity.

He did not "play" the thing too hard. He
got mail from California relating to an estate.
His credit became established at the stores and
at one or two banks. His ice box ran over
with good things, and in his cellars were
vintage wines and the best that money could
buy. It was a gay life while it lasted,
and Brooks didn't weaken. One report
was that in addition to edging in on high life,
employing a butler and traveling whither he
pleased, Brooks managed to scrape together a few
thousand dollars from those who believed him to
be a good prospect for cultivation.

He left the city suddenly one day. He also
left his wife and child, and the finest collection
of unpaid bills and notes that could be exhibited in
a deadbeats' hall of fame. He probably slipped
into another boiler shop, awaited his chance, and

then annexed another railway. Perhaps he picked
a mine in Mexico or an Argentine ranch the next
time. He may have been "kidding" himself, but
he was also giving the public a little demonstra-
tion of Barnumism. That sort of thing would not
"get over" so smoothly in these parlous days.
The attraction of wealth is not so great, because
wealth-getting is more common. Fortunes come
through regular channels, and a man must prove
his claims before he is believed, as instanced by
the Star in the case of Mr. Kidd. At the same
time no investigator has been able to produce
evidence to prove that they come in a ratio lower
than one to the minute even today. One may not
use the rubber pea and the plaster-filled shell at
the fall fairs. But he may find something new
that will magnetize the frogskins from the wal-
lets of the unsuspecting. And he doesn't always
have to go to fall fairs, either. It is done in all
strata of society.

GERMAN BANDS.

"German bandmen thrown into battle," says a
headline. Oh, dear, is "dot little German band" to
be heard to more? You remember them, don't you
—broad-faced and broad-minded? They played
"Nearer My God to Thee," in front of the pastor's
house, and "Come, Landlord, Fill the Plowing
Bowl," in front of the saloons.—Vancouver Sun.

NOTHING ON earth looked more inoffensive
than the German bands that toured the
country in the days gone by. Fat and
waddling, making the day hideous with their
strangled discords, they suggested the poetry of
the wandering musician as a sow suggests an
Arabian steed. Yet in one way they
gave the public a conception of the slow un-
assuming German who didn't have any ambition
beyond the collection of nickels and dimes from the
denizens of barrooms, and who appeared to
threaten the security of the world about as much
as the residents of Patagonia threatened the se-
curity of New York's gamblers. The blue-coated
wheelers were evidently the soft-shell variety of
German, else they were consummate spies, going
over the ground for the kaiser, paying their way
while they gathered facts and secrets.

The timid, stupid, touring German bandman
must have been one of the influences which made
the world think that Germany didn't have it in
her to do such a vile thing as she has done. One
can remember at the same time, that a lot of
mild-eyed, stupid-looking murderers have been
hanged to a high gallows.

SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY.

THE MAKING of the world "safe for
democracy" has caused the Wilsonian senti-
ment to be taken up by millions of men. A
day never passes when these six words are not
printed thousands of times and uttered or read so
often as to be beyond estimate. Men and women
in the fighting armies are pondering over these
words. The simple phrase coined by the American
president "Make the world safe for democracy"
has become a slogan for the war.

It is the day of democracy, the time when the
system of an organized brotherhood of man be-
comes transcendent through the overthrow of
tyranny. The safety of democracy after the war
becomes to all who have fought and sacrificed a
pledge for the world. The nations of the earth
must be the protectors of democracy. The people
of each country must make certain that democracy
is practiced not only for the world, but for each
country making up the league of nations. The
people of Canada will make this nation "safe for
democracy." It must not become through the
war a country of privilege ruled by royal usque
from a self-appointed group of dictators such as
those who have managed to attain place and
power since war began.

Democracy is the theory of the square deal
for all people. It closes the door in the face of
tyranny and despotism. No one class must rule,
but the whole people. Do the people as a whole
rule in Canada today? It is not possible to reach
such a conclusion. Their representatives were
silenced and subdued at the last session of parlia-
ment and the weapon of the order-in-council
brought to bear. The private member of parlia-
ment was at the last session a nonentity who
might just as well have stayed home and looked
after his business. He neither achieved positive
good nor prevented positive harm. He was the
rubber stamp of the "higher ups" who raised the
hand of autocracy in the name of the war. Can-
ada thinks today as never before. The war has
made all people think. When a people starts
thinking, let the autocrats beware!

EDITORIAL NOTES.

This is Navy week and every dollar will make
life more comfortable for the men of the ships,
big and little.

Some correspondent looked through Lens
and saw the British armies reflected beyond it.
But if it isn't ours yet it soon will be.

That Ontario battalion which did the big
trick at the Droocourt switch sure sounds like the
Old First or the Fighting Eighteenth!

The name of Canada shines from an illustri-
ous battle roll. The men at the front have carved
the fame of 8,000,000 people in enduring marble.

Let us not forget that vanguard of noble
Americans who have long been at the front with
the Canadians. The casualty lists remind us that
these fine adventures are falling in the name of
our own country.

An American correspondent, describing the
feats of the Canadian troops, says: "French-
Canadians lately have taken part in some very
fierce assaults and have been through perilous
adventures, but with that great courage which is
always theirs when they have to go through hell-
fire, as at Courcellette, on the Somme, in the old
first battles and many times around Lens." Que-
bec should thrill over such praise.

LIFE SAVING IN THIS WAR.

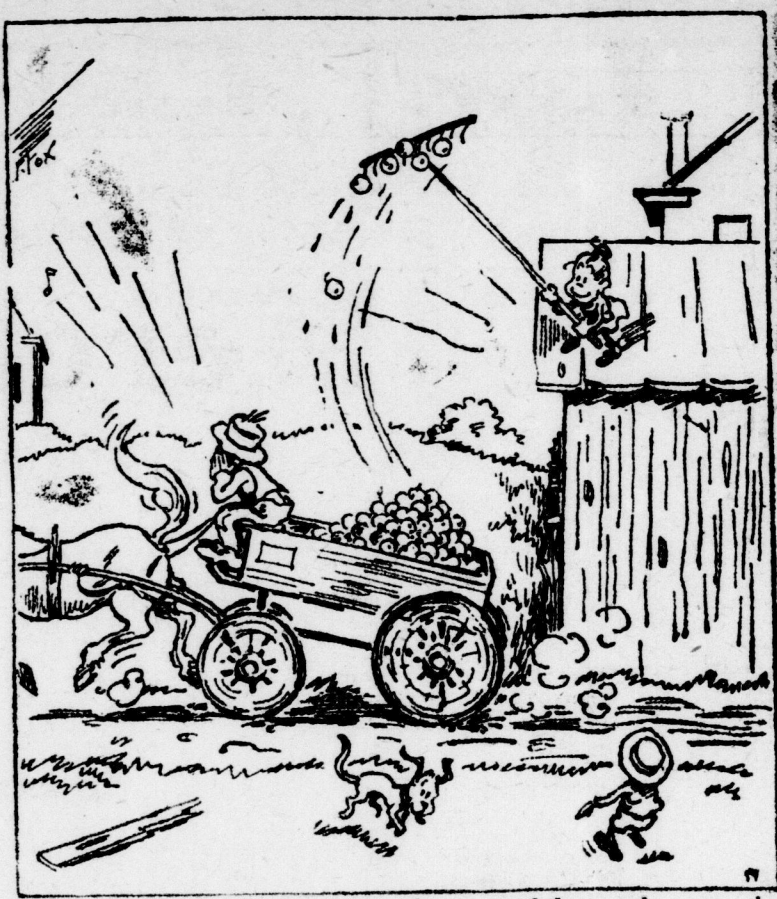
(Chicago Tribune.)
Gen. March has permitted the publication of some inter-
esting statistics on casualties based on the experience of the
French and British armies during four years of war.
In brief, they are as follows: Of wounded sent to hospi-
tals fewer than one in twenty die. Of wounded and sick
sent to hospitals only about forty-five in a thousand die.
Of all soldiers wounded in action over 80 per cent return to
service, many of them in less than two months. Only 14.5
per cent are discharged for permanent disability.
When the history of the war is written one of the most
remarkable chapters will disclose the advance made in the
treatment of wounds, the prevention of disease, and the
salvage of life and bodily health through modern medical
and surgical science.

FINE CHANCE.

(Chicago News.)
These are great days for the ultimate consumer. He
is being protected against extortion on the one hand and
against his own appetites on the other.

TOMBOY, TAYLOR - - - By Fontaine Fox

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Tomboy Taylor has always been the terror of the apple men that
come to her neighborhood.

BITS OF BYPLAY

BY LUKE MCLUKE

(Copyright, 1918.)

Sick 'Em, Boys!
Oh, wow, wow, wow!
Just watch the fun!
It beats hell how
Those Huns can run!

Mean Brute!
"I am afraid to enter her to be mine,"
sigher Mr. Youncechap. "If she refuses
me I will be miserable all the rest of
my life."

"Huh!" growled Mr. Benedict. "What
difference does it make? If she accepts
you the result will probably be the same."

Showing Speed.
You know a lot of lazy men,
The slowest ever met;
But they all get a gait on when
They're running into debt.

The Limit.
"Is Smith a truthful man?" asked
Brown.
"Not exactly," replied Jones. "If
you ever caught that fellow telling the
truth he would try to lie out of it."

Betcha!
"A woman's smarter than a man,
I will agree," said Dunk;
"She packs more in a handbag than
A man can in a trunk."

Hooray!
We just simply must enthuse
When we read the daily news.
Every day sees Kaiser Bill
Up against another spill.
And each happy, rising sun
Sees the Hun-Skunk on the run.
Daily headlines cause us smile:
"Yanks Drive Boches Back Ten Miles!"
"French Have Captured Eighty Guns!"
"British Take 3,000 Huns!"
These glad tidings make us grin.
We will soon be in Berlin.

Oh!
Some girls are strong on etiquette and
never display a toothpick. But if you'll
go to Washington, D. C., you can see a
girl picket Heath.

Oh, That's Different!
[Vanceburg (Ky.) Sun.]
By an oversight, rush of business and
being short-handed, part of the ad of Dr.
Ginn's in the Fair Catalogue reads:

The Advertiser's
Daily Short Story
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Newspaper Syndicate.

"THANKS TO A PURPLE HAT."
[By Fannie Barnett Linsky.]

Anne was cross. More than that, she
was discouraged. More than that, she
was blue. And she had, so she told her-
self, the very best reason in the world
for being all three.

And that reason was of course—a
man. A most exasperating, irritating,
fascinating, good-looking, likeable young
man. In other words, it was Bob Har-
wood, who had been coming to see
her so long and so steadily that all the
other boys in town had "dropped off."

But still, Bob said nothing. That is,
"nothing that amounted to anything,"
as Anne explained it to herself.

"I know he means to propose," she
said wrathfully, not addressing anyone in
particular, and she slammed her book
into the corner.

"I thought last night that he was just
on the verge of doing it, and then—
then—I've thought that a dozen times
before now, and nothing ever came
of it."

She got out of the hammock and
picked up the much-despised book. "I
suppose I might just as well finish my
story," she said half aloud, "it's a good
one, too—but every time I think of Bob
Harwood it makes me so angry I can't
even read."

But, nevertheless, she was soon buried
in her book once more, and quite obli-
vious to all the spring loveliness about
her. The afternoon wore on and Anne
was aroused from her reading by the
cheery whistle of the grey-haired post-
man as he came up the path on his
afternoon rounds.

"Anything for me, Mr. Hobbs?" she
called out gaily.

"Only one letter, Nannie," he called
back, for the old man had known Anne
since her pinafore and pigtail days, and
they were great friends. In fact, on
many an occasion Mr. Hobbs had been
Anne's most trusted adviser, and he had
helped her to decide the fate of more
than one Mossville youth before the
advent of Bob Harwood came on the scene.

"I really wasn't expecting a letter at
all," confessed Anne, as she dropped her
book and went up the path to meet
him. "Wonder who it's from?"

"Why, it seems to me like it's your
Aunt Martha's writing," said the old
man, scrutinizing the letter closely.

"Wonder what she's got to be writing
about?" he observed, as he handed over
the missive, and he stood there waiting
to hear the news. For wasn't he post-
man—and as such expected to know
who got letters—and where they were
from—and what they were about? That
was Mossville etiquette, established of
old, and far be it from Silas Hobbs to
neglect his duty in this regard.

"You must be a mindreader, Mr.
Hobbs," said Anne glancing through
the letter.

"A stiff paste made with some pow-
dered delatone and water and spread on
a hairy surface about 2 minutes will,
when removed, take every trace of hair
with it. The skin should then be
washed to free it from the remaining
delatone. No harm can result from this
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get and you will not be disappointed.—
Adv.

How You Can Remove
Every Trace of Hair

(Toilet Talks.)
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tered Mr. Robert Harwood. He had
decided to call upon Anne. She did
not expect him, very true, but still he
was sure she would be glad to see him.
She always was.

Enjoying his after-dinner cigar he
turned the corner of her street and
glanced over at the house.

Just then the door opened and down
the steps lightly tripped a young wo-
man. He would have recognized Anne
anywhere by the purple hat that she
wore.

"Good gracious, what's that!" mut-
tered Bob Harwood, as he stepped
back into the shadow.

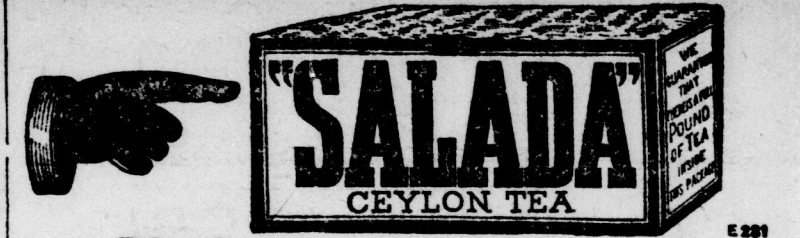
"Anne—and a man! O, what a fool
I've been," he ejaculated, suddenly
brought to his senses. "Now I suppose
some other lucky fellow has stepped
in and cut me out. Well, it serves me
right for waiting so long—but by Jove!
I won't give her up so easily. I'll ask
her to marry me tonight if I have to
sit up all night and wait for her to
come home," and he strode across the
street and gave the bell a jerk that
made it resound through the whole
house.

Footsteps strangely familiar came
running down the hall. The door opened
and there stood—Anne.

"Why, I came—I mean—I saw—"
And "I conquered," I suppose," fin-
ished Anne sarcastically, but smiling at
his confusion.

"No, I haven't, that is—not yet," said
Bob, recovering himself a little, "but
I did come to—Oh, hang it all, Anne,
will you marry me?"

"Yes, I will," said Anne, so promptly
that he was shocked all over again.



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"But where is your purple hat?" said
Bob, cautiously, an hour later, after
they had talked things over.

"Oh, I gave that to Mary," said Anne
carelessly, "although I always did like
that hat, and I'm rather sorry now that
I gave it away."

"Sorry," said Bob with a whoop, "well
I'm not, in fact, you don't know what
it means to me that you did give it
away. But Anne did not insist on an
explanation."

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.
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GRANDPA TURTLE IS CHAIRMAN OF THE TOWN MEETING.

You see, the Turtle family was a very ancient family. And as Grandpa Turtle stretched his head out of his front door, his keen and sparkling eye saw right through everybody and he seemed to know the thoughts of everyone. And all were very still and quiet, as the aged chairman of the Town Meeting spoke.

When Grandpa Turtle opened his mouth to speak, everyone saw he had no teeth, and Benny Mink whispered to Jimmy Coon, "Look quick, Jimmy!" And Grandpa Turtle turned his head, as quick as a flash, and looked straight into the eyes of Benny Mink.

You see, Grandpa Turtle has wonderful ears as well as wonderful eyes.



He Stood Up On That Rock In Great Dignity and Made the Most Graceful Dive You Ever Saw.

And Grandpa Turtle was very angry, and he snapped out, "Mrs. Mink, I wish you would teach your son some manners to elderly people! Teach him also his lessons, for the little idiot is ignorant; for he doesn't know that all the great Turtle family are without teeth. We don't need them; and we never have the toothache, or have to go to the dentist. We don't have to chew our food, a bit, and we just like some boys out in the world: to swallow our food whole. And we never have the tumbling-ache, either, like Benny Mink!"

And Benny Mink was so ashamed that he hid behind his mother's new fur coat. And Grandpa Turtle said, "Now, you young folks, keep from quarreling. You are all very silly and foolish to fuss and fight about which is the most ancient family. I'm ashamed of the whole lot of you. If you belong to a good and ancient family, have sense enough to keep your mouth shut. The Possum family is the most ancient family in the Great Forest, and the family is old enough to know better than to brag."

And with these words the Town Meeting came to a sudden close.

For, Grandpa Turtle pulled his head inside his front door and slammed the door with a bang, too, for he was disgusted with the whole quarreling lot of them.

But all the little people kept fussing and buzzing over this nonsense about which were the best families; and Grandpa Turtle could stand the noise no longer; and he stood up on that rock in great dignity, and made the most graceful dive you ever saw and swam under water. And Teddy Possum shouted to Benny Mink, "I'd give anything I have in this world, if I could dive like that when I'm a hundred years old!"

Tomorrow—A Wonderful Visitor Comes To See Teddy Possum.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Just Once a Week.

Dear Cynthia,—Would you please send me two lonely soldiers' addresses? I write you once a week. We enjoy reading your page very much. Sincerely yours, SILVER BELL.

Ans.—The names have been sent you, Silver Bell. I wish I could picture your home island, especially on mail days, suppose you get a whole budget of mail all at once. Write us about it some time.

For a Dark Person.

Dear Miss Grey,—I take a peep into your Mail-Box for a few seconds? As usual I am coming for help. Could you advise me as to what color a very dark person should wear? Now, please don't say bright red. Do you think burgundy and Nigger Brown will be worn much this season? I still hear from my lonely, and he writes lovely letters. So many of our brave boys are being killed these days.

I saw in the "Star" a few days ago where some of the readers, I forget which one was wanting a song entitled, "My Old New Hampshire Home." I think I have this, and will try and find it for her.

Well, I guess I'll adjourn for now and come again if I may. What do you think of my writing? I remain as before, A SOLDIER'S GIRL.

Ans.—No, I'll not advise bright red to wear next your dark skin, but instead brown shades, including dark browns, burnt tones and tans. Some of the new plaids should become you, especially green and brown mixtures with perhaps a dash of yellow here and there. Black and white checks should look well on you, too, also plaid color, and for party wear, mink, canary, blue, ought to prove favorable. Your writing is clear, if not particularly graceful.

How Do They Know?

Dear Miss Grey,—We want you to settle an argument.

What is your candid opinion of a 17-year-old girl who keeps company with a man 30 years her senior, for the good time she can get out of him? Yours truly, THE PALE.

Ans.—Good gracious, Pale, how can my poor, humble opinion have anything to do with the case? Firstly, I'd like to know how are you so sure of the girl's motive? There may be a real and lasting affection between this Miss April and her October lover. Outsiders are treading on thin ice when they assume too much and it's apt to create trouble. But taking for granted that she really is doing as you say, your opinion can there be about it? A girl of this type is surely selfish, frivolous and vain, and is bound to get into a little wings sooner or later. Then she seems, usually too late, that love is not to be trifled with.

To Use Large Cucumbers.

Dear Miss Grey,—Here I come again after a long time. I have a hard time writing for the baby climbing upon the table and is sitting down by my paper. I'll have to give him something to play with. I wrote a couple of sentences in April for a couple sent in. I never heard if you got my letter or the songs. Have been going to write again, but was so busy this year couldn't seem to take time, but I saw your letter and wanted this song and thought as I had it amongst my songs I'd send it to her. As you say, it is terribly true. I hope you'll think so when you read it all. I wish you could publish a recipe for fixing cucumbers that are too big for pickles, cut them up and put onions with them, I have seen this recipe how to use them up. Don't like to throw them away. Perhaps a reader has a recipe. I hope "Babe" will be pleased with her song. Yours truly, THE PALE.

Ans.—I don't recollect receiving any letter from your address, but am sorry you were disappointed about the song. Tell us the names of those you wanted what you write now, and we will try to be able to get the words now. Here are two recipes you may find useful. I will certainly write a recipe to let the cucumbers waste. I know the recipe to be very good. Cucumbers Relish—Three quarts of chopped cucumbers, 6 good-sized onions, 6 large stalks celery, 1 onion, sprinkle with salt, and let stand overnight; also the cucumbers, having each in a separate vessel; in the morning mix 3 parts vinegar, 1 part mustard, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup yellow sugar, turmeric enough to make yellow; let boil, add vegetables, and cook 5 minutes. Bottle.

Daily Bible Question Club

UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1918. ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION.

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

Conquering evil, May be used with temptations, I.—I. Kings xxi: 1-29; Eph. v: 6-21.

Questions For Today.

11. Verses 6-22.—Why is it that we are so often tempted?

12. Eph. v: 6, 7.—Why is it that we are so often tempted?

13. Verses 8-16.—Why are bad deeds compared to darkness and evil deeds to light?

Golden text: Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather even reprove them.—Eph. v: 11.

REBUKING PERSONAL SIN TAKES DIVINE WISDOM.

When it comes to the rebuke of popular evils it goes without saying that Christians should not shrink from doing it.

It is when it is a matter of rebuking persons who engage in evil things, it is a much more delicate matter, and should only be done after much thought and prayer. We should not be afraid to do it in any case, but the tendency is to make things worse rather than better by antagonizing an evil-doer, or make him angry may mean his plunging into sin more deeply than before. It is not often that such a man should be rebuked in the company of others, but when done, it should be when you are alone with him; then it must be done with tact and with the consciousness that God is with you. With love in your heart you may be able to accomplish your good purpose.

The following account from the Asawattie Graphic, Kansas, will be of interest to many Londoners.

Dr. Scolliek being a graduate of the Western Medical School of this city. At noon Monday, August 26, Miss Vera Bassett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bassett of Homewood, Kansas, became the bride of Capt. P. A. Scolliek, C.A.M.C., the immediate family of the bride being present at the wedding which took place in a bower of blue and white in their country home. Mrs. Scolliek wore a simple gown of white georgette and carried a lovely white bouquet. The couple went to Kansas City to spend their honeymoon and returned Wednesday night to the hospital, where the captain was up and working, before leaving for London, Canada, to report for military duty. Mrs. Scolliek will follow him later.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

BEECHWOOD.—The Beechwood Women's Institute will hold a garden party on Friday, September 13, 1918, at the home of Dan McKenzie, 14th concession, East Williams. A good program will be provided.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN IS SEARCHING FOR

Health, Comfort and Style—Made Possible by Wearing Collene Corsets.

What every woman needs to know to these days of abnormal strain due to wartime conditions and activities, is the best means of conserving her health and thus promoting her efficiency. She requires all the strength and energy that she can muster to cope with the duties which persistently confront her. Yet all too familiar is the feeling of utter exhaustion, of irritation, due to a back that aches, of a head that throbs, of a stomach that refuses to digest. She blames her work but even as she laments for the good old days of leisure before the war, she prods her weary muscles and nerves to renewed efforts. She wonders what the trouble is when she suffers a complete breakdown. The doctor gives the disease a name. If all the truth were known, in the great majority of cases the trouble has been an ill-fitting corset.

An eminent American woman physician, Dr. Alice L. Cutler, has recently written as follows in the Literary Digest: "All physicians agree that corsets have been the cause of much of the trouble that has attended the constant wearing of an ill-fitting corset helps to keep our respiratory organs open. The corset should be entirely abandoned. Dr. Cutler protests against this. We are 'a nation of nations,' adding: 'If a woman wears a corset that fits her perfectly, it is the greatest comfort and support.'"

After years of experiment, consultation with physicians and artists, and endorsement of the most expert designer available, the improved Collene corset has been evolved to meet the needs of the womanhood of the nation, a corset that fits anatomically, a working day in the week scores of pairs of these hygienic corsets are being turned out. In the spacious factory recently opened by the manufacturers on the third floor of the Dwyer Block, 176 Dundas street, west, which alone of the hour of the Dwyer Block at 176 Dundas street—draws attention to the fact that the corset, in whatever style, is built to support the spine and relieve the vital organs from strain—in other words, to allow them to perform their natural functions without undue pressure in any place. That means promoting good digestion. And note the low bust line. No danger there if friction against tender tissues, and the tragedy which has so often resulted from the ill-fitting corset, the development of a cancerous growth.

"Caveat Sip" Boning. "Note," says Madame Demonstrator, "the excellence of the material from which the corsets are made, and the balanced boning. True, the name 'Collene' is suggested by the softening of fluted coiled piano wire, which gives suppleness and durability. But the ideal corset must also support, or 'stay' the figure, hence the flat, pliable, duplex wire boning to control the back and bust line. 'Just proof'! Assuredly, Madame. And have you noticed the eyelets at each end of the boning to keep them securely in place, a boon that every woman appreciates. Fit you? Assuredly. It is more important to properly fit a pair of corsets than it is to fit a pair of gloves, boots or a hat."

From the dainty shop, all ivory white, royal green and wicker furniture, the visitor steps into a private fitting-room, where an expert considers aids her in selecting the corsets which fit her anatomically, fit her for her size, weight, "on the dining line and home," and which are going to form the foundation of that well-known appearance she will present to the world in the immediate future.

Every woman should know the Collene Shop at 176 Dundas street, and every woman from out of town is cordially invited to call at the Collene Shop.

POLLY AND HER PALS.—Yes, Aunt Maggie's Playing Is Perfect. Pa Recognizes It.

"YOU AIN'T KIDDIN' ME, BE YOU?"

"SUSIE?"

"CROSS ME HEART MAGGIE, YER PLAYIN' PUFFICK!"

"STILL, IT AIN'T A FAIR TEST CAUSE I TOLD YOU I WAS GONNA PLAY 'OVER THERE'."

"AWRIGHT, PLAY IT FOR PAUL, WHY DONTCHA?"

"SEE IF YOU KIN TELL WOT MAGGIE'S PLAYIN', PAUL."

"GREAT GUNS! GIMME CREDIT!"

"DONTCHA 'SPOSE I KNOW 'ANNIE ROONEY' WHEN I HEARS IT?"

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Lord Charles Beresford's Message Regarding the Merchant Marine

Admiral Beresford concludes a letter to the Navy League as follows:

"The Navy is enabling us to hold our own at present against a brutal and unscrupulous enemy, but we must never forget the brilliant heroism of the Mercantile Marine."

"The Mercantile Marine has really enabled us to carry the war on so far. It has transported our troops, munitions, millions of men and, more than all, it has fed our people and our fleets and armies, and though some men have been torpedoed as many as seven times, never once has a Mercantile seaman refused to sign on—to their lasting glory be it said."

"Wishing you all good luck and success,

"Yours sincerely,

Beresford
Admiral."

Consider carefully Lord Charles Beresford's letter. Read again the tragedy of the Belgian Prince, the crime which cost the lives of 38 men of the Merchant Marine. Realize that 15,000 men have lost their lives in this service. Then think of the widows and orphans left without support. Governments make no provision for them. Surely our duty is unmistakable! Give! Give Liberally! 15,000 men have made their last voyage. 300,000 still "carry on," in spite of the submarine and floating mine.

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the money to The Advertiser would they send a paper daily direct overseas for a given time? If I send them they are that much older, and it would also save me much work. Is there any added charges? Thanking you in advance, I remain, as usual, BLUE EYES.

P.S.—To what department would I send the money?

Ans.—The Advertiser has quite a few copies being sent direct overseas. The price is the same as by mail in Ontario—34 a year—which is considerably cheaper and less trouble than buying a paper and mailing it yourself. Address your letter to Circulation Department, The Daily Advertiser, London.

Pattern and Pickles.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am inclosing a stamped addressed envelope and would be so glad if you would forward me a pattern of the stocking-foot, which is so much in demand just now. Also, could you please reprint a recipe which appeared in the column some two weeks ago for doing up cucumbers to keep them crisp, as I lost the paper? Thanking you, I will sign myself,

ONE WHO ENJOYS THE PAGE.

Ans.—This is "Busy Mother's" recipe: Gather your cucumbers, wash and cut

up ready for the jars, then sprinkle over with a handful of salt and cover with boiling water. Let stand till next day, then drain and pack in your jars and cover with boiling vinegar, sugar and spices to suit taste. A copy of the pattern has been mailed you.

Chums From Palmyra.

Dear Miss Grey,—May we take a peep into your circle for advice?

1. Is it against the food board law to ice cakes?

2. How can we do up peaches and pears and blums with yellow sugar?

3. For this fall are the hats small or large?

4. If anyone wants a daisy vase pattern, why not this letter, and we will send our address at once. Bye-bye, ANS.—HOUSEWIVES are particularly requested not to place sugar icing on cakes.

2. Simply as you would with granulated sugar, I suppose. What remains to be proven is whether or not the fruit will "keep" as well.

3. The newest hat is to be turned back from the face, I hear, with a brim slightly rolling. In addition, there are to be plenty of turbans, tricornes and sailor effects, and quite a variety of large shapes for dressy wear. Brown and purple are fashionable colors for the autumn.

4. This offer is very kind.

Rosebud Ventures.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have never ventured to write to the page before, but now I come to trouble you. I would like very much to have the stocking-foot pattern, if you would be kind enough to send it to me, and I will sign myself,

ROSEBUD.

Ans.—The pattern is yours, sweet bud, and my blessing goes with it.

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MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

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THE THEATRE

THE SHOW-THAT-ORCHESTRA

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

Norma Talmadge

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A Roaring Mack Sennett Comedy, with
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3 p.m.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—SUITCASE, FILLED WITH
money and box of clothing, on road
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Please phone 5796, London, at once.
Expense.LOST—BROWN POMERANIAN DOG,
Reward, \$5. B. H. 18 Erie avenue.
\$10.LOST—WEDDING RING, AT SALE,
475 E. 2nd street, Wednesday
evening, 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Please return to 216 E. 2nd street,
London, Phone 5361 or 5551.LOST—ONTO LOT 25, CON. 6,
Bridgford, 5-year-old colt, black,
with four white feet. Mrs. John
Quigley, Lucan.LOST—AREDALE DOG—RE-
TURN to 579 Talbot street and receive
reward.LOST—GOLD MEDAL AND CHAIN
Entrance grandstand medal for 1908,
Reward if returned to 404 Rectory
street.LOST—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, BE-
TWEEN 10 and 11:30 a.m., gentle-
man's black leather billfold, contain-
ing sum of money and papers valuable
only to owner. Owner's name on
United States draft registration card
in billfold. This article was lost
somewhere between St. Thomas and
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return of same to Advertiser office. \$75c
reward.LOST—SATURDAY MORNING, MAN'S
gold-filled watch, Waterbury brand,
monogrammed with C. S. Manuel. Phone
3333.LOST—MONDAY MORNING, A
pearl necklace, brooch, in London, on
the L. and P. S., on Talbot street,
St. Thomas. Reward at Advertiser
office.LOST—SATURDAY EVENING—
Black hand-purse, containing \$10 bill,
also registration certificate. Reward
if returned to Advertiser. \$75c.LOST—SUNDAY MORNING—RE-
TURNED C. P. R. round-trip ticket
Quebec and Prince of C. P. R. pay-
check. Reward at 975 Princess ave-
nue. \$10.

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THE SOLDIERS, I'M SURE YOU
HAVEN'T FOUND IT SO TERRIBLY
HARD!"I'D LOVE
TO HAVE
IT!""RIGHT YA ARE
RIGHT YA ARE AN
EATIN' CANDY!"WELL, ANYHOW, YOU HAVE THE SATISFACTION
OF KNOWING YOU ARE DOING YOUR
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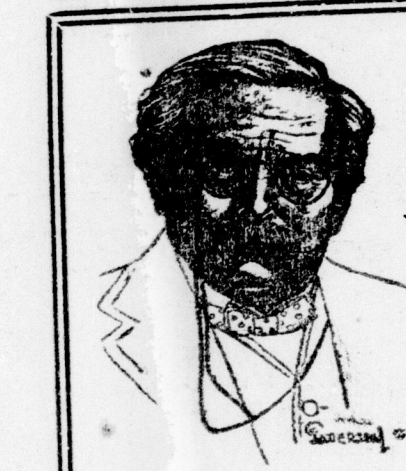
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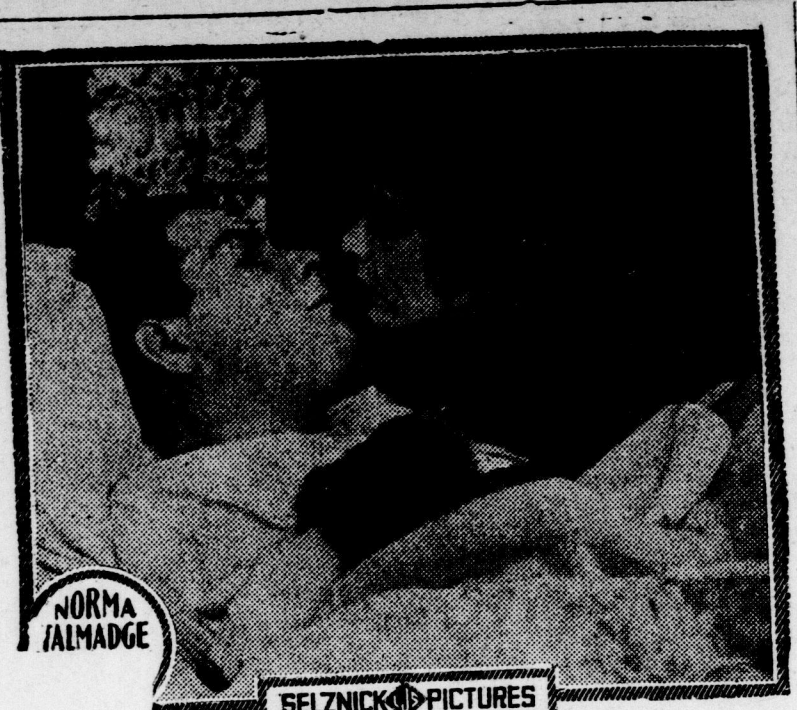
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**SEVERELY WOUNDED,
 LT. L. MACDONALD
 APPEARS IN LIST**

Former Members of The Ad-
 vertiser Staff and 70th
 Subaltern Hit.
 Another London officer and a former
 member of The Advertiser staff, has
 suffered wounds in action in the person
 of Lieut. Leonard Claude Macdonald.
 Word received yesterday by his par-
 ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Macdonald,
 London Junction, informed them that
 he had received a severe gunshot
 wound in the hip, and had been ad-
 mitted to No. 5 British Red Cross Hos-
 pital at Wilmerux, France, on Septem-
 ber 1.
 Lieut. "Len" Macdonald went over-
 seas with the 70th Battalion, and has
 been six months in France.
 Lieut. Reginald Grieves of this city
 is also today reported to be suffering
 from multiple wounds received while
 fighting in France. He is well known
 here.

Pte. Fred J. Bray Hit.
 Another London man to be wounded
 is Pte. Fred John Bray. Word came
 yesterday to Lance-Corporal John H.
 Bray, 360 St. James street, that his
 son was taken to No. 12 Stationary
 Hospital at St. Pol on August 27, suffer-
 ing from wounds and concussion. He
 was previously gassed and also wounded
 once before.
 He and his father went overseas to-
 gether in the 70th Battalion, but the
 father was transferred to the "Prin-
 cess Patricia," and later returned to
 Canada.

Pte. Fred Bray was employed as a
 stove-mounter at McCleary's prior to
 his enlistment.
 Pte. Irving Walter Nichol, M.M., son
 of Rev. Peter E. Nichol, Quebec street,
 has also been added to the wounded
 list. Official word received by his
 father states that he has been ad-
 mitted to No. 5 Field Ambulance and
 later returned to regimental duty on
 August 25.

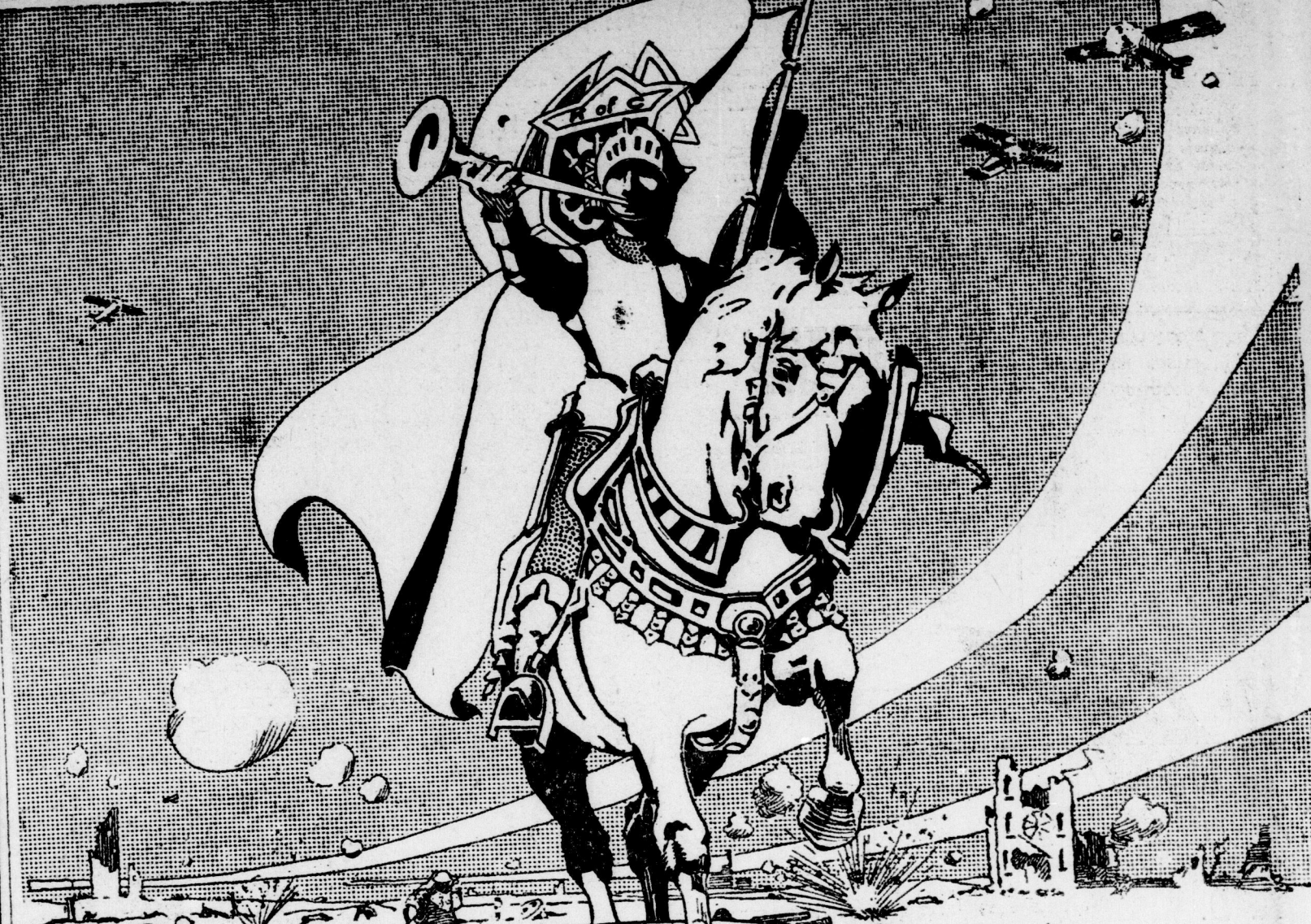
Pte. Nichol went overseas with the
 155th Battalion, and has served 21
 months in France. He is with the ma-
 chine gun section on a famous West-
 ern Ontario regiment.

Receives Second Wound.
 In a letter received yesterday by his
 friends it was learned that Pte. Robert
 Pope had been wounded a second time,
 and had been returned from France to
 an English hospital.

Pte. Pope left London with the 142nd
 Battalion, and has been serving in
 France about a year and a half. His
 first wound was received about five
 months ago, and after being nursed
 in a military hospital for some months
 he returned to his battalion.

In his letter he expressed every hope
 of seeing Canada again, as this injury
 is in the left wrist, rendering him un-
 fit for service. Pte. W. Wrighton &
 Sons of this city, and resided with
 friends on Waterloo street.

Mrs. C. M. Richardson, Waterloo
 street, yesterday received word from
 Ottawa stating that her husband, Pte.
 Charles M. Richardson, had been gassed
 and had been returned from France to
 a military hospital at Trouville, France.
 Pte. Richardson is a well-known bat-
 talion in Winnipeg shortly after the
 outbreak of war, serving for over two
 years in the trenches without injury.



**The Clarion Call
 HELP!**

THERE is a call reaching Canada NOW. It comes
 from the bloody fields of France; from the lips of
 our loved ones "Over There." It is to YOU—to every big-
 hearted, loyal Canadian in every rank of our great Nation.

The pick of our man-hood, the pride of our hearts, are NOW, this minute, enduring
 all the anguish of a man-made hell. They are wounded, bleeding, dying that YOU
 might live. They have fought, suffered, given all, feeling that every heart they
 left behind would gladly come to their rescue to comfort and relieve the agonies of
 their illustrious sacrifice.

We are carrying to you, from out the awful abyss of battle, their plea for YOUR
 support, YOUR encouragement, YOUR assistance. By circulars, by announce-
 ments, by personal solicitations during the week of September 15th to 23rd, we are
 bringing to you their appeal for help which they so badly need. We know that
 YOUR response will be fully worthy of the loyal hearts for whom our heroes fight.

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**WOMEN HOLD MEETING
 TO ORGANIZE NAVY
 LEAGUE CAMPAIGN**
 Assemble at Masonic Temple,
 Where Rev. Mr. Conn Out-
 lines Association's Work.
 A most enthusiastic meeting of the
 women of London at the Masonic Temple
 to organize for the Navy League cam-
 paign took place yesterday afternoon.
 Rev. Mr. Conn acted as
 chairman, and put the needs of the
 association before those assembled,
 which included representatives from all
 the women's organizations of the city.
 A pleasing feature of the meeting was
 an inspiring address by a returned
 sailor, Herbert Beswick, hero of
 Zeebrugge.
 A thorough organization for canvass-
 ing the city was formed, with Mrs. J.
 B. McKillop as convener, the canvass-
 ers to commence today, and to con-
 tinue during Friday and Saturday.
 Citizens are requested to be ready
 for the canvassers when they come. On
 Saturday a tag day will be held, as
 well as the house-to-house canvass.
 At yesterday's meeting the sum of
 \$100 was voted to the fund by the C.
 E. F. Returned Soldiers' Chapter, and
 \$25 by Mrs. H. A. Boomer, \$1 as a
 thank-offering for every trip she made
 across the ocean in safety. Mrs. Corda
 Ward Buchner made the announce-
 ment that at some future date she and
 Angela Cortese would give a recital in
 the Auditorium, the proceeds to be
 given to the sailors' fund.
The Sub-Conveners.
 The ladies whose names are given
 below have offered to act as sub-con-
 veners in the campaign: Mrs. J. B.
 McKillop (convener); Mrs. E. B.
 Smith; Mrs. Hume Cronin; Mrs. A. T.
 Edwards; Mrs. W. A. Bleuthner; Mrs.
 Greenaway; Mrs. Glennie; Mrs. Wilson;
 Mrs. C. E. Hunt; Mrs. Nicholson; Mrs.
 Seaborn; Miss Weld; Miss Grace Black-
 burn; Mrs. Lewis; Mrs. Green; Mrs. J.
 Smith; Mrs. Guthrie; Mrs. Duff; Miss
 Gibson; Mrs. Buchner; Mrs. Atkin; Mrs.
 Robson; Mrs. Hirsch; Miss Roberts; Miss
 Green; Mrs. Henry Coleman; Miss Grant;
 Miss L. Riley; Mrs. Roy Kitchen; Mrs.
 Joseph Cortese; Mrs. Frank Fallon; Mrs.
 R. M. Burns; Miss Gertrude Anderson;
 Miss Dale and Miss Trevelyan.
**SPEECH RETURNS TO
 WINGHAM SOLDIER**
 WINGHAM Sept. 4.—Private H.
 Russell, who was one of the first to en-
 list from here four years ago and who
 took part in many battles, distinguish-
 ing himself, returned to Turnberry
 Township a year ago speechless from
 shell shock, in which state he has con-
 tinued until a few days ago. When
 taking a load of horses to the
 fair, the horses broke loose from
 car. Russell attempted to head them
 off and, one of the horses ran
 upon him, he excitedly yelled "Whoa"
 and from that out he has been able to
 talk as good as at any time in his life.
 Pte. Russell is one of the happiest men
 in this district now.